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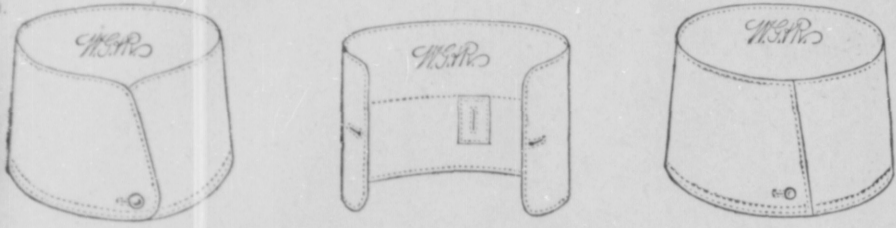
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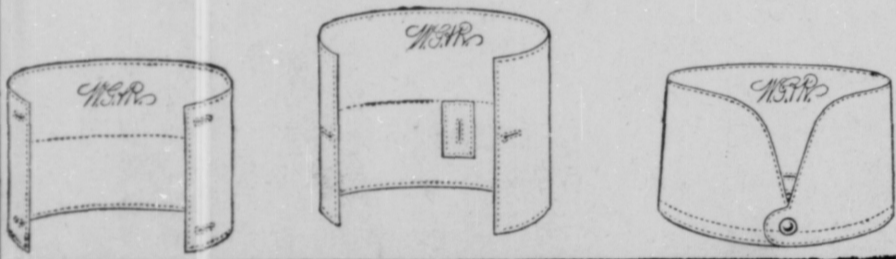


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THE ASSASSIN AT BELGRADE

Narrow Escape of Ex-King Milan

ATTACKED WHILE DRIVING THROUGH THE STREETS.

Enthusiastic Reception of King Alexander.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

BELGRADE, Servia, July 7.—Former King Milan, father of King Alexander, of Servia, narrowly escaped assassination last evening. His would be murderer is under arrest. He fired four revolver shots, one of which slightly grazed His Majesty, another wounding in the hand Lukitch who was with him at the time the attack was made, about half past six.

King Milan was driving through Michael Street in an open carriage. This would be assassin is about 23 years old and has not yet been identified by the police.

Later in the evening King Alexander drove through Michael Street and was enthusiastically received by the people.

WHOLESALE BRIBERY.

Ontario Cases to be Investigated.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

OTTAWA, July 7.—The House decided yesterday, to investigate the charges of corruption in the recent elections in Ontario. Strong evidence was offered including Macnish's confession, showing wholesale bribery.

INTERNATIONAL CRICKET

Victory for the Americans

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

PHILADELPHIA, July 7.—The International cricket match here yesterday between the Germantown club of this city and the Canadian team resulted in a victory for the former by an inning and sixty runs.

JAPANESE TEA

Removal of Export Duty

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

MONTREAL, July 7.—Thomas Henderson, the Canadian representative of the Northern Pacific railway, has been advised by the president of that road that a cable has been received by him from Japan announcing that the export duty on tea from Japan will be abolished after July 17th.

Salisbury's Discovery.

LONDON, July 7.—Prime Minister Salisbury who, as is well known, is an ardent devotee of chemical science, has, according to the Medical Press and Circular, discovered and completed an important chemical process at his laboratory at Hasfield house, which will be communicated to the world at a forthcoming meeting of one of the learned societies.

Czar and the Fins.

ST. PETER-BURG, July 6.—While refusing to receive the Finnish deputation, the Czar has issued a rescript, declaring that when he acceded the throne he took up the sacred duty of watching over the welfare of all the people under the Russian sceptre, and deemed it well to "preserve to Finland the special fabric of internal legislation conferred on it by my mighty forefathers." His Majesty then expressed the hope that the loyal devotion of the Finns "would be proved to the satisfaction of the Governor-General."

THE CONSERVATIVE OUTLOOK

SIR.—"In times of peace prepare for war," is a piece of sensible advice which does not receive a kindly reception from the Conservatives of this province. A weaker government never yet held office than the Farquharson regime. Yet fragile as it is, they may snatch another majority at the polls for want of an organized attempt to hurl them from power. This is aptly illustrated in the first district of Prince County, where the unelected candidate is again in the field, and the whole constituency, doubtless canvassed and bought up, and the Conservatives without even a candidate nominated. Other vacancies exist and still more are probable; and yet not a candidate has been selected to carry the Conservative standard to victory.

A question which the Provincial Opposition have not decided, but which they must grapple with, is the matter of policy. The Government's policy and purposes are not hidden. Their seven or eight years record is plain, and "he who runs may read." The platform is brief, if we omit details.

1. Spend all the cash we can beg or borrow
2. Neglect asylums, jail and all public works upon which expenditure will not buy votes.
3. Repair at extravagant prices all public works where hungry heifers abound.
4. Increase the public debt as much as Parliament will allow.
5. Neglect of our interests as an agricultural and stock-raising province.
6. Pass a resolution abolishing Government House, with the admitted intention of deceiving the electors just before an election.
7. Preach temperance and then oppose everything asked for by the temperance people.
8. Use our own public works and our own money to buy themselves into power.

To offset this action policy of P. E. Island liberalism the opposition have so far offered little better than a policy of negotiation. A keen observer would urge that even this is preferable to wholesale corruption. And so it is. But corrupt practice is a vote cumulator, and will count against us every time. It is the trade stock of grime,—the sigh by which they conquer.

To be successful against this the conservatives must state their policy in definite terms and in doing so offer something that will secure the approval of the honest portion of the electorate. By a united party vote they have already declared against licensing the liquor traffic. They have vigorously opposed the continual increase of the public debt. They have, as far as it has been possible, brought to light corrupt management of public affairs. These things stand to their credit. But how about the future. Borrowing for current expenses must stop. Revenue must be made to meet expenditure. There can be no dilly-dallying with this phase of the question. How are the conservatives going to perform this duty; for it will never be done till they take it in hand. How long is our jail to remain "a disgrace to the province." Will the conservative party supplant all these filth holes by establishing a good reformatory? What course will the conservatives pursue in the direction of encouraging agriculture? Will they press upon the Dominion for an Experimental Farm for this Province and if necessary contribute part of its cost? Then, again, what action will they take to prevent wholesale corruption at elections to punish terrorists and intimidators so that the elector may call his voting soul his own.

Election whispers fill the air. Both local and Dominion papers may not wait for a further unveiling of their corruption, and in either or both cases an election is not improbable. Will our Liberal-Conservative party continue to rest on their oars and allow the boodling brigade to take them again unprepared and to steal from us another victory, or will they meet together not for wind spluttering, but in a business mood to quietly lay out a course to be pursued in the management of the affairs of the province?

CONSERVATIVE.

July 5, 1899.

A Scotch Verdict.

OTTAWA, July 6.—The Minister of the Interior has received Commissioner Ogilvie's report on his investigation into the charges against Messrs. Wade, Norwood, and McGregor. An anticipated Scotch verdict was returned. Wade, McGregor, and Norwood were examined on oath, and their statements were considered satisfactory by Commissioner Ogilvie.

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DEATH OF BONNER

Famous Publisher and Owner of Trotting Horses

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

NEW YORK, July 7.—Robert Bonner, publisher of the New York Ledger, and owner of famous horses, died at his home in this city last night. Mr. Bonner had been ill for six months; but had been able to be about ten days ago.

Death was due to the general breaking down of his system. He was born in Londonderry, Ireland, April 28, 1824. He settled in this country, in Hartford, Conn., and was president of the Scotch-Irish Society of America, the only society which he was identified with.

ALASKAN BOUNDARY

Salisbury and Choate at Deadlock.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

WASHINGTON, July 7.—Ambassador Choate and Lord Salisbury are almost at a deadlock over a modus vivendi fixing Alaskan boundary. Neither side will accept the provisional line proposed by the other.

The Canadians demand the inclosure of their percipine country, and the Americans the protection of the boundary line north-westerly from a point two miles above Kluckwan.

COUNCIL OF WOMEN

Next Congress to be Held at Berlin

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

LONDON, July 7.—Mrs. May Wright Sewall, president of the United States Council of the Women's International Congress, has been elected to succeed the Countess of Aberdeen as president of the congress, which will hold its next meeting in Berlin.

Pacific Cable.

LONDON, July 5.—The Daily News says: "We understand that the Pacific cable conference has arrived at a satisfactory basis. The general principles of the scheme have been provisionally agreed upon and will be communicated to the Colonial Governments. Unless a hitch occurs, the cable will be an imperial affair in the fullest sense of the word. Probably a board of delegates will be appointed to settle the details and take the preliminary steps."

Swedish Explorer Ruined.

ST. CROIX, July 6.—Baron Nordenskjöld, the Swedish naturalist and explorer, is financially ruined as the result of his becoming involved with the publishing house of F. J. Bajer. All of his savings, amounting to \$50,000, are swept away.

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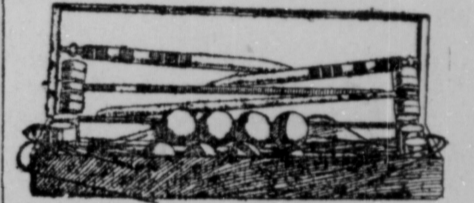
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