

**DID NOT GAIN MUCH.**

**HOME RULERS' EXPECTATIONS NOT REALIZED.**

**The Liberals Greatly Disappointed Over the Results in London—Gladstone Must Rely on the Country Boroughs—Miscellaneous Foreign News.**

LONDON, July 7.—Mr. Gladstone is not yet out of the woods. The Home-Rulers made no progress in yesterday's pollings. The losses offset the gains. London failed to come up to the Gladstonian expectations. They won two seats in the metropolis yesterday in twenty-three pollings, but they lost one. They dislodged Richard Chamberlain from West Islington and defeated Henry M. Stanley in North Lambeth. They lost West St. Pancras, where young Mr. Lawson was defeated by a majority of 40. Outside of London the Liberals lost Barrow-in-Furness, which they won at a bye-election in 1889; Stockton, where Sir Horace Davey, who was Solicitor-General of Gladstone's last administration, was beaten by a local Tory, Mr. Wrightson; West Wolverhampton, where Sir William Plowden was defeated by the workmen on the eight hour issue and a Tory was elected. Perth, in Scotland, was lost, owing to dissensions. Two Liberals ran and the Unionist slipped in.

To counteract these losses the Liberals gained outside of London a seat in Bristol, where Theodore Fry has been ousted by Sir Charles Townsend; Great Yarmouth in Norfolk, where Mr. Moorsman, a leading Liberal lawyer, gains a seat from a local Tory; Newcastle-Under-Lynne, and Whitehaven in Cumberland. Thus there were 6 gains and 6 losses. The net gain of the Liberals thus far, therefore, is 9—making 18 in a division. Liverpool and Bristol were the only considerable towns outside London that polled yesterday. The Tories held there own in Liverpool, but lost in Bristol. To-day the polling will come off in Portsmouth, Plymouth, Southampton, Manchester, Sheffield, Leeds, Glasgow, Hull and Newcastle-on-Tyne. The Liberals expect better luck in these places than they had yesterday. London is a sore disappointment to them. Gladstone may have to rely on the rural voters for his majority, if he is to have one. The returns in the elections up to 1:30 a. m. show that so far the Tories have 90 seats, the Liberals 60, the Liberal-Unionists 8, and the McCarthyites 1.

**CHOLERA INCREASING.**

**The Dread Scurge Apparently Spreading Into Europe.**

ST. PETERSBURG, July 9.—Reports from Elizabethpogt and Erivan and other cholera-infected towns on the Caspian all testify to the incapacity of the authorities to cope with the situation and to the filthy condition of the towns. The food used is described as injurious, while the non-existence of any system of drainage is deplored. Saratoff is apparently the only threatened Russian town where efficient preventive measures have been taken. The risk of contagion in Astrakhan is greatly increased by the inhabitants eating putrid fish, which constitutes their habitual food. It is rumored that the cholera has appeared in Romanoff and the medical department has received disquieting news from Rybinsk.

The Russian Steam Navigation and the Austrian Lloyds have withdrawn their steamers which have been plying in the Batoum route on account of the cholera epidemic.

Only four doctors at Baku have volunteered to attend the patients in the cholera hospitals. The other doctors only assist in the work when they are compelled to give their services by the very strict rules to that effect which the government has issued.

LONDON, July 7.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Times says: "Cholera seems to be advancing toward Moscow. It is privately reported that disease has appeared on the other side of the Volga in Samaria. The mortality is increasing in Baku and its suburbs."

PARIS, July 7.—Dr. Proust, in a report to the board of health on Cholera in the Caucasus says: "The greatest vigilance will be necessary if the cholera spreads to the shores of the Black sea, as there is every prospect of the present epidemic following the course the disease took in 1831 and 1847." Cholera is becoming more prevalent in the suburbs. There were twelve deaths from it yesterday. The city's health is good.

**Received Light Sentences.**

PRAGUE, July 7.—The miners who are found guilty of having caused the frightful explosion in the Beckenbridge silver mine, near Prizbram, by which over three hundred men lost their lives, have been sentenced. Kriz, who threw the burning lampwick which ignited the gases, was sentenced to three years imprisonment; Kabebee was sentenced to prison for two years; while Havelka, who made a confession to the authorities, got off with eighteen months imprisonment.

**Paris Police Capture Anarchists.**

PARIS, July 7.—The police have arrested three dangerous anarchists named Dervaux, Maurice and Farer. Dervaux is supposed to have been implicated in the explosions that recently caused such consternation in this city.

**Chinese Opium Factory Unearthed.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 5.—Internal revenue agents found in an underground cellar in the Chinese quarter an opium factory large enough to supply half the Chinese population of the city with prepared opium. The factory was hidden in an almost inaccessible save under a joss house.

**THE WORLD AT LARGE.**

**A REVIEW OF THE WEEK'S DOINGS.**

St. John received an ovation at the opening of the Prohibition convention in Cincinnati.

Delegates to the congress of the Chambers of Commerce, held in London, have failed to agree on the preferential duties clause.

Nearly 130,000 iron workmen in Pittsburgh, Pa., are idle.

Capt. Samuel D. Harley, a pioneer of Monticello, Ill., died.

Employees of the Heimbacher Forge and Rolling Mill at St. Louis walked out.

Prohibition was defeated in Atlanta by 1,400 in a poll of 4,000.

Steamer City of Chicago has gone ashore on the Irish coast.

Oscar Belknap of Fairfield, Iowa, tried to cremate his wife by setting her clothes on fire.

An entire train on the Big Four was thrown from the track at Martinville, Ind. Fireman Harry Burns was injured.

Indications point to an early and large movement of winter wheat, and prices generally look for low prices.

Ex-Secretary Whitney has positively stated that he would not accept the chairmanship of the Democratic National committee.

The Epworth League convention closed its work at Chicago, and finished up its meeting at the Auditorium in the evening.

W. Davidge of Olmsted, Ill., was killed by a Fig Four train near Mound City.

August Gehhe, an old resident of Monticowoc, Wis., committed suicide by jumping into the river.

William James of Iron Mountain, Mich., was drowned while trying to rescue a horse that had ran into a lake.

The little daughter of J. H. Guthrie of Brown county, Ind., mysteriously disappeared. The only clue is the report that a band of gypsies near Buffalo, Ind., has a child with it. Parties are pursuing the gypsies.

Samuel Large of Shipshewana, becoming desperate because of the elopement of his wife, went to Middlebury, bought a new suit to be laid out in, and then attempted to commit suicide by taking strychnine. He was saved by some of his suspicious friends who followed him.

Maude Ward, a 12-year-old colored girl of Rockford, Ill., tried to light a fire with kerosene and was burned to death.

Leo Harry, the 4-year-old son of James L. Harry, was struck by an electric car at Grand Rapids and killed.

A coroner's jury at Monticello, Ill., concluded that Thomas Hickman, whose body was found on the Wabash tracks, was murdered.

Eli A. Spear, a prominent insurance man of Bay City, Mich., is dying from the effects of a paralytic stroke.

Twenty-five children are in a critical condition at Patoka, Ind., from eating poisoned ice cream.

Bert Higgins, a young lawyer of Aurora, committed suicide because of disappointment in love.

Miss Lint Neidringhaus, daughter of a St. Louis millionaire, attempted to elope with a young doctor.

Beach Bros., dry goods merchants of Pontiac, Ill., failed; liabilities, \$45,000; assets, \$50,000.

The indictments against the Rev. Thomas Dixon, Jr., of New York, for criminal libel, have been dismissed.

An unknown man, supposed to have been an employe of Gust Deer of St. Charles, Mo., was killed by the cars at Lincoln, Ill.

The State bank of Chenoa, McLean county, Ill., capital \$30,000, was authorized. W. A. Haynes is president and Charles Nicket cashier.

Noah Smith, a well-known colored character in Southern Michigan, was killed on the Michigan Central railroad near Battle Creek. Two trains ran over the body.

A jury has awarded Amos Van Winkle of Ottumwa, Iowa, \$2,400 damages from the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road for the death of his son, who was killed a year ago.

The Homestead plant shut down at Pittsburg, Pa., and 3,000 men are idle.

Great excitement has been caused in Ireland by an attack on Parnell's memory by a priest.

Plans have been perfected to unite the silver men and Alliance men to swell the ranks of the third party.

Prof. Theodore William Dwight, professor of municipal law at Columbia college, died at his home in Clinton, N. Y.

Over 5,000 people left New York in one day for Europe.

Carmi, Ill., was visited by a heavy wind and hail storm, doing much damage.

Kaiser William has given out his intention to punish Bismarck for his criticism of imperial policy.

Samuel Dora, as rich citizen of Trinidad, Col., threw himself under a train and was killed.

The United States Wire and Cable company, capitalized at \$1,000,000, was incorporated at Albany, N. Y.

Capt. Charles Hay, superintendent of the commissary department of the United States army, died of pneumonia in Denver.

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