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WEATHER TOMORROW.
SOME SHOWERS.

LONDON, ONTARIO, TUESDAY, JULY 18, 1911.—TEN PAGES.

Sun Rises Tomorrow, 4:32.
Sun Sets Tomorrow, 7:44.

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BOTH SIDES FULL OF FIGHT AS THE PARLIAMENT REOPENS

Government Will Announce Endeavor to Forward Reciprocity
and It Is Expected That the Opposition Will
Resume Blocking Tactics.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Ottawa, July 18.—When the House opens this afternoon there will be a very small attendance of members. Only a handful of representatives of either side have arrived and the indications are for small houses until next week.
Every additional member who appears adds to the opinion that the session is very near its end. The Conservatives are still in the mood to block business as long as reciprocity is put to the fore. The Government is determined to force the measure.
This afternoon the Government will move the House into committee of ways and means for the purpose of forwarding reciprocity. The Opposition are likely to have an amendment which will enable them to discuss the Imperial conference proceedings. It is possible that Conservative tactics will prevent reciprocity being discussed this week.
Two Weeks, Two Months.
The members are the most curious of all as to the length of the session. "Will it be two weeks or two months?" is the universal question.
The members of the Government appear fit for a siege of any length in the House or the most active of campaigns in the country.
Sir Wilfrid is as alert and jaunty as of old and is the picture of health. Hon. Mr. Fielding has practically recovered from his indisposition and is in his former fighting form. The other members of the Government appear to be capable of dealing with any situation at Ottawa or elsewhere.
Both sides seem full of fight, and a merry time seems to be in prospect.

HUMAN BONES FOUND IN BARN MAY BE THOSE OF TRAMP

Building Owned by Simon Blight, of Wyton Station, Was
Burned On June 27 and Bones Were Located
in the Ashes and Cinders.

What are supposed to be human bones, but long since abandoned, were found in the ruins of the barn of Simon Blight, of Wyton Station, northeast of London, which was burned to the ground in some mysterious manner on the night of June 27.
No person had been seen in the vicinity on the night of the fire, and the person in the neighborhood has been accounted for. It is believed that if the bones are those of a human being they are the remains of the tramp who accidentally or maliciously fired the building. All that has been found has been sent on to Toronto by the owner of the barn, Mr. Blight, residing quite near the property on which the barn was situated.

THREE BOYS PLEAD GUILTY TO SEVERAL ROBBERY CHARGES

Broke Into a Car and Stole Chewing Gum—Goods and Money
Taken From Two East London Offices—Boys
Remanded for Sentence.

A trio of youths under 16 years of age, two of whom have been causing considerable trouble of late, because of their wild ways, appeared before Magistrate Judd in the juvenile court today to answer to three separate charges of theft.
The first was preferred by the Grand Trunk who recently had a car broken into and \$9 worth of chewing gum taken.
Another was laid by Mr. Morris White of the London Rag and Metal Company from whose office \$2.50 worth of stamps and two big knives were taken.
The third charge was laid by Mr. Henry Green, whose coal and wood office on York street east, was broken into and several small things taken.
The youths pleaded guilty on all three charges and were remanded until Friday.
Recently two of the boys ran away from home when they became aware that the trunk officer had summoned them for not attending school. They were sent back by the St. Thomas police.

THE LIBERAL LORDS' SONS MAY BE ON GOVT'S LIST

Much Speculation as to Exact Social Status of New Peers if
Unionists Force Hand of Asquith.

[Canadian Press.]
London, July 18.—There is much curiosity on the part of politicians over the cabinet "list of potential peers." That a list has been made and is awaiting the possibility of its use in the event that it is necessary to bring the House of Lords to a standstill in the House of Lords, there is no doubt.
The Government's spokesmen have repeatedly promised to bring forward the Premier Asquith was prepared to meet all contingencies of the situation in all details, which is taken to mean that he had hidden up his sleeve two leading sources of supply, these being the eldest sons of the present Liberal peers and members of Parliament.
The proposal to ennobel the eldest sons presents an amusing phase of the revolution.
The exact social status of the new peers, if hatched, is the subject of no little speculation. The Conservatives profess to believe that they will be turned upon with amusement and contempt. One writer suggests the addition of the title of count to the British peerage for the purpose of Mr. Asquith's peers in order to distinguish them from regular lords as noblemen created for a special political purpose.

DIES IN CELL JUST BEFORE EXECUTION

Wife Murderer Collapses and
Dies on the Day Set for
Hanging.

[Canadian Press.]
Beaver, Pa., July 18.—Charles Hickman, who was to have been hanged today for the murder of his wife, Mollie, in February, 1910, collapsed in his cell in the county jail during the night, and died this morning at 8 o'clock. Hickman escaped from jail twice after his conviction, and Saturday night last attempted to take his life by inhaling gas. He repeatedly told the guards he would never live with the executioners, and that he wanted to see any for a while.



REV. R. G. WATT,
Guelph Clergyman, Who Has Been
Extended a Call by the First Con-
gregational Church of London.

TRANSFER IS FINALLY ACCEPTED

Rev. Rural Dean Hill Will Go
to Petrolia as Rector of
Christ Church.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH MEETS
Registered Voters Unanimously Agreed
to the Proposal of Bishop Williams
to End Differences.

The differences existing between the rector and his congregation, which have for some length of time divided the Church of St. John the Evangelist, were satisfactorily arranged at a meeting last night of the registered voters of the parish. The meeting unanimously approved of the exchange of rectors which the Bishop of Huron has effected between the parishes of Petrolia and St. John the Evangelist. By this arrangement Rev. Mr. Hill will go to Petrolia, and Rev. Canon Craig will come to St. John's Church.
Motions were carried requesting the council and sexton to resume their duties at the salaries previously received, and before the close of the meeting a resolution was moved and carried that Rev. Mr. Hill, on his retirement from the parish, receive a grant of \$125, but Rev. Mr. Hill will not accept the grant. The transfer of rectors is expected to take place the first of September.

REV. WILLIAM HOLMES WAS SEVERELY INJURED

Retired Clergyman Badly Hurt
by a Fall On a Cement
Sidewalk.

Contractor Kemp County Engineer Talbot and City Architect Nutter, with others engaged in the construction of the addition to the south of the courthouse, spent an uneasy time about the building this morning, while the entire staff of lawyers, clerks, men and laborers worked unceasingly to avert the possibility of a calamity that would mean a repetition of the Crystal Palace disaster.
For some days a dozen teams and a large gang of men have been employed in excavating a space about twenty feet from the front of the courthouse, and about fourteen feet deep. Following the usual practice, a quantity of earth was left solid about the foundation until the last, in order not to weaken the wall. However, the actual difficulty was reached when men working against the foundation discovered that the concrete work had been undermined by water from some unknown source.
A vein of soft, watery clay oozed out from under the masonry and fell in clouds away from the bottom of the excavation. The earth beneath the wall that supports the building was brought up against the building where it would afford some support. It is thought, however, that if the place passes safely over night the new support will then be in shape to bear any strain.

KENT COUNTY WHEAT IS A BUMPER CROP

Local Millers Say They Have
Seen No New Wheat
as Yet.

Reports from Kent County are to the effect that so great is the bumper crop of wheat this season that the price per bushel for new wheat has been dropped to 75 cents per bushel. The Charham mills are said to be overstocked with both wheat and flour. Old wheat is quoted at 78 cents per bushel. This is 2 cents per bushel lower than the London market, but new wheat has not yet been offered on the local square, and the amount of wheat which will be supplied by Middlesex this year remains somewhat in doubt as yet. Few farmers in this country have threshed their wheat. Indeed, some of them have not completed harvesting it. Reports from local millers are very diversified. Some of them say they are paying 80 cents a bushel for all the wheat they can secure. Others state that they are fairly well stocked with wheat, although they have plenty of orders for flour.
"We have had no new wheat as yet," said one miller, "and I don't want to see any for a while."

MR. CALVIN SANAGAN DIED VERY UNEXPECTEDLY

A Former Londoner Was On
Pleasure Trip When End
Came at Buffalo.

Mr. Calvin Sanagan, for many years a tailor in this city, died very unexpectedly on Sunday afternoon on the steamer City of Cleveland, just as he was pulling into Buffalo. He was a brother-in-law of Mr. J. H. Hodgins, of Victor street, South London, and a relative of Mr. Claude Sanagan, of the Toronto Globe.
Mr. Sanagan was 63 years old, and was on a pleasure trip. When off Long Point he remained somewhat ill. His home for some time has been in Pontiac, Michigan, and the remains have been taken there for burial.

CHOKED TILL UNCONSCIOUS BY PIECE OF MEAT AT DINNER LADY MAY NOT RECOVER

Surgeons From Victoria
Hospital Found Woman
Lying On Floor.

LIFE IS NOW
DESPAIRED OF

Daughter Ran to Hospital for
Help and Fainted as She
Delivered the Message.

Mrs. Isaac Brock, of 422 Elm street, is in a very critical condition at her home as a result of nearly choking to death when a piece of meat lodged in her throat as she was eating her dinner about 1 o'clock this afternoon.
Mrs. Brock's struggles alarmed her daughter, Miss Nellie Brock, who was in another part of the house. She rushed at once to Victoria Hospital, and asked for a house surgeon, and no sooner had she done so than she fainted in the hospital corridor from fright.
Two house surgeons rushed over to the house, and found Mrs. Brock in an unconscious condition on the floor.
As quickly as possible they got the meat out of her throat, but all efforts to bring her to consciousness had failed up to 2:30 this afternoon.
It is feared that she may have burst a blood vessel from her exertions, and her condition is thought to be very critical.
Miss Brock was attended at Victoria Hospital, and was seen revived.
Mrs. Brock's husband, Mr. Isaac Brock, died some months ago, and a son, Mr. Victor Brock, passed away very suddenly shortly before his father's death.

SIXTY-SIX IS THE FIRE DEATH LIST

Three Thousand People Being
Fed in Porcupine.

BUILDINGS GOING ARE UP
Many Refugees Drifting In From the
Bush Are Being Cared For.

[Canadian Press.]
Toronto, July 18.—Word was received from Golden City this morning that 2,600 people were fed yesterday at South Porcupine, Foxville, and Golden City. Lumber is being rushed into the camp along the T. and N. O., and already 60 new buildings are in process of erection. All refugees are being cared for. Scores of prospectors, many of them foreigners, are drifting in from the bush and are being cared for and given food and clothing. Tents are being distributed where needed and few people were left without cover of some kind last night. Latest reports indicate that the death total of 66 is not likely to be exceeded.

CAMOYS DENIES IT

London, July 18.—Lord Camoys, in a note to the Pall Mall Gazette, denies the report to the effect that he is to marry Miss Mildred Sherman, daughter of William Watts Sherman, of New York.

OCCUPANTS ARE ORDERED OUT OF PART OF OLD COURT HOUSE

It Was Feared Today That the Foundation Would Be Under-
mined by a Stream of Water Which Made Its Appearance
Under the Concrete Where Men Were Working.

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GORED TO DEATH BY ANGRY BULL

Farmer Near Listowel Found
Dead in Field Near
Home.

[Canadian Press.]
Listowel, July 18.—Gored and mutilated by an angry bull, the body of John Newbigging, a bachelor farmer, of Elma Township, was discovered in a field on his farm last night by a hired man, following a pre-arranged search in which his brother, who lives on another farm, joined. A shattered club, with which he had evidently made a desperate fight, lay not far from him. Apparently he had tried to drive the animal either into another field or back to the barn, and thus angered it. The deceased was about 35 years old, and a well-known and respected resident of the district.

YOUNG ENGLISHMAN ENDED LIFE CARBOLIC ACID BOTTLE AT SIDE

Body of Fred Tringham, a Porter at the Western Hotel, Found
by Crew of Springbank Car on River Bank—No
Inquest Is Necessary.

Fred Tringham, a young Englishman, employed as porter at the Western Hotel, from which he had been missing since Sunday night, was found lying dead near the second cove about 4:30 yesterday afternoon.
Crews of the street cars and passengers had seen the body lying on the river bank all day, but thinking that it was simply a drunk sleeping off the effects of liquor, no one paid any attention, until finally one car crew went over.
An empty two-ounce bottle, which had contained carbolic acid, which lay on the ground, at once aroused suspicion, and when they reached the man they found his lips badly burned, and that he had been dead apparently for some time.
No Inquest.
Coroner MacLaren was notified at once, and with Detectives Nickle and Down went to the cove and took charge of the remains, which were removed to Ferguson's undertaking rooms.
Investigation failed to show any marks of violence, and after making a thorough inquiry Coroner MacLaren decided that an inquest was unnecessary.
Tringham was 30 years old, and came to London early in 1909. For a time he worked at the City Hotel and then went to the Alexandra Sanatorium. For a short time he was employed as a groom in the stables of the Hon. Adam Beck.
Motive Is a Mystery.
Since March 22 he had been porter at the Western Hotel. He had the reputation of being a sober, industrious young fellow, and why he should commit suicide is a mystery to his friends. His sister, Miss Millie Tringham, is employed as a maid at the Western Hotel, and a brother is on a farm in Carleton Place.
When Tringham's clothing was searched, nothing but a knife, some tobacco, two recommendations and 90 cents in money were found.
Had Made Threats.
Miss Millie Tringham, sister of the deceased, when seen by The Advertiser today, stated that for some time her brother had threatened to do away with himself. Yesterday he was unusually low-spirited, and again threatened to take his life, but she thought nothing unusual of the matter as he had made similar remarks on so many different occasions. She last saw him about 8 o'clock in the morning when he came in with a new pair of shoes which he had purchased, and put them up in his room. Then he went downstairs and she did not see him alive afterward.
She stated that he had not been feeling well for several days, and was very low-spirited. Deceased was at times very melancholy, and given to brooding. Last winter when he was out of work a great deal of the time, he threatened many times to kill himself.
Miss Tringham stated that her brother was 25 years of age, and came to London from Herefordshire, England, in May of 1907. Besides herself, another brother, John, who is clerk in a store at Carleton Place. The funeral arrangements have not been completed pending his arrival. Miss Tringham notified him by telegram today.

VIGOROUS FIGHT AGAINST CHOLERA

Italy and U. S. Join Hands to
Destroy the Plague.

THE SIXTH VICTIM DEAD

Six Hundred Passengers Being Closely
Examined at New York.

[Canadian Press.]
New York, July 18.—Fear of a cholera invasion has been considerably allayed here by widespread news of vigorous precautions. The governments of the United States and Italy are co-operating with the New York health department. Italy has detailed surgeons of her navy to all ships bound to America from plague-infested ports, to prevent the spread of infection among passengers and aid the quarantine officers when ships arrive here. The federal authorities have sanctioned a ten-day quarantine for such vessels, and have sent her several medical experts, including Assistant Surgeon-General Cofer, from the Pacific coast, and Dr. J. Von Kador, who is in charge of the United States marine hospital at Mobile.
Since no ship is scheduled to arrive here from the Mediterranean for two days, the health officers of the port were able to devote all their attention today to the bacteriological examination of some 600 passengers of the steamers Molke and Perugia, still in quarantine. The sixth victim of cholera died yesterday.
The state investigation of Health Officer Doty's management of quarantine resumed here today, the unexpected departure through the cholera situation.

PETERBORO MAN SUICIDES IN CELL

Arrested On Intoxication Charge
He Cuts Throat With
Pocket Knife.

[Canadian Press.]
Peterboro, July 18.—George Hope, aged 51, unmarried, suicided in a police court cell this morning by cutting his throat with a pocket knife. He had been arrested for the same offense on charges of being drunk and had been in a cell all the previous day, and late last night had sobored up.
[Canadian Press.]
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MR. J. M. PARSONS EXAMINED TODAY

Move in Regard to Injunction to Prevent
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APPEAL IS ENTERED

Mr. Charles James Will Fight Police
Court Conviction.
Mr. A. M. Graydon, who is representing Mr. Charles James, of the Hotel Windsor, today entered an appeal against the recent decision of Magistrate Judd, who fined his client \$200 and costs or five months in prison for selling liquor during prohibited hours. The case will in all probability be heard before Judge Elliott in the next few days; but no date has been set for the hearing.

SHOWS ON STREETS

Fire Chief Aitken Is Seeing That the
Streets Shall Be Kept Open.
Fire Chief Aitken and James O. Boyd, secretary of the London Old Boys Association, spent some time about the market square this morning with representatives of the Chicago amusement company which is to provide the street attractions for the reunion to be held here next month.
A plan of the market has been prepared and everything arranged so as to avoid interference with the public on King and Talbot streets. The shows will not be allowed to extend into the roadway, sufficiently to block traffic, as in other years, when the firemen were compelled to take the King street sidewalk in responding to an alarm, owing to the density of the crowd.