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Births, Marriages, Deaths

MARRIED.

HYDE—CAPSTICK—At Caledon, on Nov. 17, 1897, by the Rev. G. H. Lerington, C. E. Hyde, of Dorchester, to Miss Agnes Capstick, of the same place.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading, two cents per word, or ten cents per line, each insertion.

RESERVED SEATS, $1.00, 75c. — FORTY EMINENT MUSICIANS.

DAN GODFREY'S BAND

Princess Rink, FRIDAY EVENING, June 3rd.

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RESERVED SEATS, $1.00, 75c. — FORTY EMINENT MUSICIANS.

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LECTURE—"HOW TO GET RID OF YOUR Aches and Be a Woman." The last of a series of Viavi Free Health Talks to women, tomorrow (Thursday 26th), evening, at Somerset Hall, at 8 o'clock. All welcome. b

GRAND SACRED CONCERT — FIRST Methodist Church, Thursday evening, May 26, by the choir, assisted by Miss Dora Taylor and Mr. W. H. Skinner. The oratorio, "Miracles of Christ," will be repeated by special request. Silver collection at the door. 361 wtzxw

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BICYCLE RIDING TAUGHT AT PALACE Dancing Academy, 476 Richmond street. Full line of bicycles $30 up. Call and see us. We want your patronage. Dayton & McCormick.

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EVA N. ROBLYN.
Studio, Bell Piano Parlors. Residence, No. 320 Dundas street. Concert engagements. Telephone 1,270. xt

GO EAST FOR YOUR HOLIDAY TRIP—Far greater attractions than any other route. The beautiful St. Lawrence River has no equal. The Persia and Ocean issue round trip tickets for $11 70, from London to Montreal, meals and berth included. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

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Meetings.

GENERAL ANNUAL MEETING OF the London Skating Rink Company will we held in the rink, on Queen's avenue, on Monday evening, June 6, 7 o'clock sharp, for the election of officers and other business in connection with the company. 33c

Domestics Wanted.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED NURSE girl. Apply to Mrs. Nicholson, 493 Dundas street. 41c

WANTED — HOUSEMAID — GOOD needlewoman preferred. Apply Mrs. Niven, 423 Colborne street. 39c

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LIFE OF WM. E GLADSTONE (FIVE years in preparation) now ready. Extra terms to agents. Grand opportunity for earnest workers. Send 10 cents for complete outfit, or write for circular. P. W. Ziegler & Co., 222 Locust street, Philadelphia. 41k xt

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AGENTS — "LIFE OF GLADSTONE" — Entirely new. Complete, authentic, reliable. Big book. Only $1.50. Premiums to subscribers. Outfit, 10c. McDermid & Logan, London. 41n

WANTED — HONEST, ENERGETIC young men, farmers' sons, teachers, students, clerks, and others who are admirers of Mr. Gladstone and would like to spend the next three months telling the matchless story of his life. We teach you how to do the work and guarantee success. From $2 to $5 a day absolutely sure. There is no fear of failure and it will be enjoyable work. Particulars furnished free. Bradley-Garretson Company, Limited, Toronto. 39n bw

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AGENTS—THE MEMORIAL EDITION OF life of Gladstone is on press. Prospectus 75 cents, now ready. The great book of the century. Bradley-Garretson Company, Limited, Toronto. 38n

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WANTED — YOUR SECOND-HAND clothes; good price paid for them. A. P. Sainsbury, 99 King street. Mail orders attended to.

LONDON CARPET CLEANING WORKS—Carpets taken up and cleaned by latest process. Carpets altered, refitted and laid. All work promptly attended to. Estimates given on application. James S. Shaw, 142 Wortley road. Telephone 569 or send a card.

Business Chances.

NEW BUTCHER SHOP TO RENT IN Port Stanley, opposite Franklin House; ice house well stocked. Good chance to make money. Rent reasonable. A. Herrick, Port Stanley. 31n eod

BUSINESS CHANCE—AN A1 CONFECTIONERY, lunch room and ice cream parlor, doing good business. Good reasons for selling. Stock and fixtures about $2,000. J. F. Sangster, 403 Richmond street.

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FURNITURE RE-UPHOLSTERED IN THE latest design. Notify Wm. A. Gaze, or call at his shop, 412 Pall Mall street.

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Women's Kid Oxfords, patent tip	$ 75
Women's Kid Oxfords, coin toe	85
Women's Kid Oxford, turn sole, any toe	1 00
Women's Kid Buttoned or Laced, extension or light sole	1 00
Women's Kid Buttoned or Laced, any shape, any toe	1 25
Youths' Oil Buff Laced, new toe	75
Youth's Dongola Laced, new toe	75

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Business Chances.

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SUMMER WOOD AT THE SAW MILL, East London. Satisfaction both in quality and quantity. Prompt delivery. Phone 1,312. S. Gillies & Son.

CUT THIS OUT—IT MAY SAVE YOUR wife. Modern Miracle does your washing while you rest. Send 10c for sample with full instructions by mail. Agents wanted. Modern Miracle Co., room 7, Hiscox Building, London. 34tf

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MILL WOOD AND SAWDUST FOR SALE —The Columbia Handle Co., Adelaide street. Phone 1,239.

BICYCLE SUNDRIES, RUBBER CEMENT cork grips, bicycles enameled and general repairing at lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 374 Richmond street.

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WE MAKE A SPECIALTY OF REPAIRING medical batteries of all kinds. The Ontario Electric Company, 141 King street. 5tf

SHEET RUBBER AND RUBBER HOSE hoze nozzles and reels and lawn hydrants Smith Bros., 265 Dundas street. x

BARGAIN SALE IN ORGANS—WE HAVE about 20 as good as new that must be sold regardless of cost from $10 to $75, and on easy terms of payment. Heintzman & Co., 236 Dundas street.

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SUMS OF $100 AND UPWARDS TO LOAN on real estate at 5 to 6 per cent. G. N Weekes, solicitor, corner Richmond and King streets.

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LILLEY'S LIVERY — NO. 619 DUNDAS street, East London, Ont. Telephone 666.

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MISS SHELDON, teacher.
Classes of ten for the study of elocution are now being formed. Greatly reduced rates.
Apply at Conservatory of Music, 374 Dundas street, for particulars. Phone 1101.

THE CANADIAN

SAVINGS AND LOAN COMPANY

DIVIDEND NO. 45.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of 6 per cent per annum on the capital stock of the company has been declared for the current half-year, payable on and after the first day of June next at the office of the company, 420 Richmond street, London.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 20th to the 31st of May, both days inclusive.

By order of the board.
M. H. ROWLAND,
Manager.
38k tzxt

MORTGAGE SALE OF RESIDENCE IN the city of London. Under power contained in a certain registered mortgage, there will be offered for sale by Mr. John W. Jones, auctioneer, at his rooms, No. 242 Dundas street, London, on Monday, May 30, 1898, at 3 o'clock p.m., all and singular that part of lot No. 16, on the south side of Bathurst street, in the city of London, which is described as commencing on the west side of Talbot street, at a point distant 96 feet northerly from the southeast angle of the said lot No. 16, thence northly along the west side of Talbot street 33 feet, thence westerly parallel to Bathurst street, 110 feet to the limit between lots 16 and 17, thence southerly along such limit 33 feet, thence easterly 110 feet to the place of beginning. On the said land is a two-story brick house, No. 277 Talbot street, containing 11 rooms, with cellar, bathroom, hard and soft water service, closet, and gas fixtures, all in first-class repair. Terms of payment—10 per cent of the purchase money on the day of sale, balance in fifteen days thereafter, without interest. For inspection of premises, and for further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to the auctioneer, or to Alfred Robinson, Esq., Masonic Temple, to J. D. O'Niel, V.S., or to John W. Jones, auctioneer, London. Macbeth & Macpherson, vendor's solicitors, London. 39c

PENITENTIARY SUPPLIES.

SEALED TENDERS addressed "Inspector of Penitentiaries, Ottawa," and indorsed "Tender for Supplies," will be received until Monday, 20th of June, inclusive, from parties desirous of contracting for supplies for the fiscal year 1898-9 for the following institutions, namely:

Kingston Penitentiary.
St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary.
Dorchester Penitentiary.
Manitoba Penitentiary.
British Columbia Penitentiary.
Regina Jail.
Prince Albert Jail.

Separate tenders will be received for each of the following classes of supplies:

1. Flour (Canadian Strong Bakers').
2. Beef and Mutton (fresh).
3. Forage.
4. Coal (anthracite and bituminous).
5. Cordwood.
6. Groceries.
7. Coal Oil (Best Canadian), in bbls
8. Drygoods.
9. Drugs and Medicines.
10. Leather and findings.
11. Hardware.
12. Lumber.

Details of information, together with forms of tender, will be furnished on application to the Wardens of the various institutions.

All supplies are subject to the approval of the Warden.

All tenders submitted must specify clearly the institution, or institutions, which it is proposed to supply, and must bear the indorsation of at least two responsible sureties.

DOUGLAS STEWART,
Inspector of Penitentiaries.
Department of Justice,
Ottawa, May 29, 1898 41n xt

Cervera Shut In At Santiago.

Considerable Difference Between a "Coop" and a "Coup."

Sampson and Schley Ready to Gobble or Sink the Spanish Squadron.

Rioting Has Broken Out in Manila—The Defeated Spanish Admiral Awaiting Court Martial.

New York, May 25.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: Spain's flying squadron will fly no longer. Its race is run. Cooped up in the harbor of Santiago de Cuba, its destruction or capture is considered by officials here to be merely a matter of time. Before the harbor are the armor-clads of the United States navy, ready to give battle to Admiral Cervera's men-of-war, the moment they poke their noses out of the channel. Official notices announcing these to be the position of the respective fleets were received at the navy department last night from the commander-in-chief of the American force operating in front of the harbor. It was these advices which enabled the authorities to deny emphatically the reports that an action had occurred in the Windward passage.

A special to the Times from Washington says: Advices from Key West convey the information that about everything that can steam, sail or be towed, has been forced into the service to assist Admiral Sampson and Commodore Schley to

BOX UP ADMIRAL CERVERA

and force him to give battle, if he has not escaped. Not a word of the elaborate preparations, except by way of roundabout hints, has come from Key West, the newspaper correspondents having been put on their honor not to give intimation of movements that can benefit the enemy in the slightest particle. All the talk in the meeting of the cabinet yesterday indicated the confidence of the administration in the early receipt of good news from Admiral Sampson.

One cabinet officer, who expressed the greatest eagerness to hear from Sampson and Schley, and who has no doubt that the news when it does come will be "great," admitted that the outside limit of time in which it was expected that the vessels of the United States and Spain must meet, was passed, and that information might arrive at any moment, either that Cervera was bottled up, or that the fleet was at the bottom of the ocean.

"I do not look for unofficial information first, for the reason that the commanding officers of the United States forces has concluded that he can get along quite as well, and without as much possibility of injurious observation if he

EXCLUDES NEWSPAPER BOATS,

as he has done. The administration is determined that if Cervera will not fight, but shows a spirit to get away, to follow him up and 'kill' his fleet before it can reach its own side of the Atlantic. To do this might require the sending of coal ships along with the United States fleets for some distance, but if any accident should happen to any of the Spanish vessels, or the supply of coal should run out, Admiral Cervera would have to run the risk of destruction or else abandon a disabled vessel in the hope of getting off with the others, or perhaps be overtaken by single ships until the whole fleet was gobbled up."

It is calculated by naval officers that the Spanish fleet has now about exhausted its fuel, and that it cannot undertake the difficult act of retreating. The only honorable outcome for Spain's ships is to try conclusions at once, while the coal bunkers and the food supplies are not completely exhausted. There will be no news from Sampson or Schley until one or both of them has tested the inclination or ability of Admiral Cervera to fight.

Naval officers laugh at the suggestion that if Cervera should give the United States ships the slip, the vessels of Sampson's and Schley's fleets would be again withdrawn to Key West to be used as convoys to protect the transports in moving the army to Cuba, leaving Cervera to stay in these waters or to return as he pleases. Admiral Sampson, said a naval officer of experience and spirit, is reasonably free to move and act as he chooses. He has the opportunity to carve a place in American history alongside that of Dewey."

CENSORSHIP.

In addition to the belated policy of censorship adopted in regard to the transmission of reports of naval movements by telegraph, it appears that the navy department has decided to dispense with the attendance of newspaper dispatch boats upon the fleet in Cuban waters. The information reaches here that before the beginning of the recent operations of Sampson and Schley against the Spanish fleet, notification was given to all the newspaper boats which have been watching and reporting the blockade that they would not be allowed to follow the warships on their cruise. The notice was premptory, it is understood, and its strict enforcement is supposed to account for the lack of news from the fleet, which has amounted to a famine for the last week.

LONG BELIEVES IT.

Washington, May 25.—While Secretary Long has no official advices, he says he fully credits the press dispatches, and has reason to believe that Admiral Cervera is cooped up in Santiago with Schley on the outside.

Secretary Long has received an official dispatch announcing the arrival of the battleship Oregon in Jupiter Inlet, Fla. Her safe arrival in the inlet was reported immediately to the president.

Port au Prince, Hayti, May 25.—The report of the arrival of the Spanish Cape Verde fleet at Santiago de Cuba is correct. The correspondent here of the Associated Press has been able to obtain definite confirmation of this news, but up to the present it has been impossible to obtain any details. Dispatches sent from here to Santiago de Cuba, asking for information on the subject, remain unanswered.

REPORT OF A CLASH DISCREDITED.

New York, May 25.—A special to the World from Washington says: The report that there had been a clash between Admiral Dewey and the German consul at Manila over the landing of supplies is discredited at the state department. The German ambassador has entered no protest, and it is regarded as probable that had such a thing occurred that the German authorities would have taken immediate cognizance of it.

MUST FIGHT.

Washington, May 25.—While it is conceded that the superior speed of Admiral Cervera's squadron would enable him to run away from the American vessels, the impression is gaining strength in official circles here that he does not intend to leave the Caribbean Sea, and hence that sooner or later he will fall into Sampson's hands. The problem of securing coal is believed to be daily growing more critical with the Spanish admiral, for, owing to the closing of foreign ports, he is now dependent solely upon colliers. Under the laws of nations he cannot for a period of three months again secure even the smallest quantity of coal at a port at which any of his ships have taken on fuel since the beginning of hostilities.

AT MADRID.

London, May 25.—The following dispatch has been received from Madrid, dated 2 a.m., Wednesday: Nothing positive is revealed as to the situation. Lieut.-Gen. Correa, minister of war, has received a cablegram from Gen. Blanco saying that American warships are in front of Santiago. Capt. Aunon, minister of marine, has received a lengthy dispatch from Admiral Cervera, replying in full to instructions. The minister of marine receives nobody. He is working day and night. Yesterday he presented to the queen regent every detail of the plans at Santiago de Cuba, showing the defenses and security of Admiral Cervera's squadron. Admiral Camara has gone back to Cadiz with sealed orders. It is said that on his arrival there he will arrange for maneuvers of his ships at sea for trials of speed, gunnery and everything, in order to satisfy himself that the squadron is in efficient condition. He will then depart for a destination undivulged. Senor Capdepon says a telegram received from the war office at Havana reports that the natives are disposed to remain loyal to Spain, and will defend the territory against foreign invasion. The latest rumor is that a Spanish warship has captured an American warship in Cuban waters.

At Manila.

RIOTING HAS BROKEN OUT.

Hong Kong, May 25.—The Japanese cruiser Akitsupama, which arrived here today from Manila, reports that when she left there rioting had broken out and a number of houses had been burned. The Spanish volunteers were making angry demands for pay and food, which the Spaniards were utterly unable to satisfy. The cruiser reports that Admiral Montejo is awaiting trial by court-martial for alleged incompetency during the engagement with the United States squadron under Commodore Dewey, while the captain of the Spanish revenue cutter Callao, captured by the American warships, is to be shot for not making resistance.

Aguinaldo, the insurgent chief, had a great reception on his arrival at the Philippines from Hong Kong. Rear-Admiral Dewey supplied the insurgents with two guns and 300 rifles, and at the time the Japanese cruiser left, Aguinaldo was expected to make an immediate attack.

London, May 25.—A dispatch to the Times from Hong Kong today says: Manila is tranquil. The foreign cruisers have agreed upon concerted action for the protection of the foreigners in any emergency. Aguinaldo, the insurgent leader, landed at Cavite on May 19. The insurgents being without firearms is delaying the proposed attack on the garrison of Manila.

A PERTINENT QUERY.

London, May 25.—The Daily Chronicle, commenting on a dispatch from its correspondent at Kingston, who says that England has thrown eighteen months' supplies into Jamaica, where all the officers have had their leave withdrawn, asks if England is going to take a hand in the Hispano-American war, and couples its correspondent's report with the rumor current in Liverpool that France is trying to buy the Canaries for $30,000,000.

ANOTHER CRISIS LOOKED FOR.

London, May 25.—The Madrid correspondent of the Daily Mail says it is safe to predict another cabinet crisis. Senor Puigcerver, minister of finance, who in the cortes absolutely declined to adopt an income tax, is expected to resign soon.

SPANISH TRICK AT MARTINIQUE.

St. Pierre, May 25.—The Spanish torpedo boat destroyer Terror is being coaled by the Spanish steamer Alicante. The Alicante lies at mouth of Port de France harbor. It was all along supposed that she was a hospital ship, but there is now no doubt that she carries a cargo of coal for the Spanish warships. Her pretensions to be a hospital ship were obviously put forward as a blind.

The United States consul has cautioned the French officials of the port not to allow the Terror to take coal in excess of the quantity necessary to carry the Terror to the nearest Spanish port.

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DISPENSING PHARMACISTS,
216 Dundas St., London.
Branch—Cor. Richmond and Piccadilly.

Impaled On a Railing.

Serious Accident to Sir Adolphe Caron in New York.

New York, May 25.—Sir Adolphe Caron, of Ottawa, member of the Canadian Parliament, was seriously injured early this morning by falling against an iron spiked railing on Twenty-seventh street, this city.

One of the spikes cut a great gash in his left cheek and the chin to the ear. He was taken to Bellevue Hospital.

He was on the way to his hotel after attending the Canadian Society's dinner last night.

Queen's Birthday In Florida

Celebrated by a Banquet in the Tampa Bay Hotel.

Tampa, Fla., May 25.—Her Majesty's birthday was celebrated here by a banquet in the Tampa Bay Hotel. The motto of the menu was "Blood is thicker than water."

Colonel Wyly, of Alabama, presided, and read a communication which Colonel Wright received from Mr. Gladstone some years ago. The sentiment of it was a world-wide Anglo-Saxon union to promote the reign of peace on earth, and was enthusiastically cheered.

The chairman paid a splendid tribute to the British Queen and people.

Dr. Wyne, a surgeon of the British army, who is attached to the army in an observational capacity, spoke in the name of the British people and their sovereign. His best hit was in pointing out that the colors of Old Glory and the Union Jack were the same, although differently arrange, but the colors were alike in that they never ran.

Telegraphic dispatches were read from the Queen's private secretary acknowledging with thanks the congratulatory dispatch from Secretary of State Day approving the idea of the firing of a salute in honor of the occasion from the British admiral at Bermuda, and other important officials.

General Shafter responded in behalf of the United States army.

PROGRAMME AT THE FALLS.

Niagara Falls, May 25.—The celebration of the Queen's birthday in this town was unique in the history of this annual event in Canada. The citizens of the American town of Niagara Falls across the river vied, as a community, with our own Ontario corporation, in paying honor to Britain's monarch. The occurrence has no parallel in the relationship of the two nations since the United States declared their independence of the mother country, and it furnishes another and a very substantial indication of the growing spirit of fellowship and friendliness between the two peoples.

20 PERISHED.

Reported Loss of a French Vessel With All On Board Confirmed.

St. Johns, Nfld., May 25.—The report of the loss of the French brig De Genne Granville, which, while on the voyage from Louisburg, C. B., for St. Pierre, Miquelon, laden with coal, is confirmed.

No details have been received, but it is believed her entire crew of twenty men perished.

This is the vessel which it was said Senor Polo, the ex-Spanish minister, chartered to convey coal to the Spanish fleet.

Steamship Arrivals.

May 24.	At	From
Ems	Gibraltar	New York
Cynthiana	Manchester	Montreal
Mississippi	New York	London
Amsterdam	New York	Rotterdam
Trave	New York	Bremen
Mohawk	New York	London
Georgic	New York	Liverpool

A Boon to Business Men.

The man who from business pressure has to bolt his food, suffers mental worry over business and then loses his sleep, will find Merrill's System Tonic a pearl of great price. This medicine purifies the blood, builds up the system, strengthens the nerves and is the greatest bowel regulator known. One bottle is worth fifty dollars to an overworked man. Fifty pleasant-to-take doses 50c. Sold at Strong's drug store.

The Fly has come to the front. 34tf