#### Veather Forecast

Toronto, Aug. 25-10 a.m.-Probabilithe for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region: A few showers today. Friday, fresh westerly winds; fair and a little lower temperature.

## ODAY'S MARKETS

Montreal Stock Market.

MONT	REAL, At	g. 25.
Canadian Pacific	Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific	851/2	853%
Duluth, common	4	31/2
Duluth, preferred	10	774
Commercial Cable	120	183
Com. Cable Coupon Bonds		
Commercial Registered Bone	da.	
Montreal Telegraph	185	180
		9934
Montreal Street Railway	27614	276
Mont. Street Railway, new	273	2721/2
Toronto Railway	100	99%
Montreal Gas Company		
Bell Telephone	16814	166
Royal Electric	161	160
Bank of Montreal	250	245
Ontario Bank		
Ontario Bank Molsons Bank	205	201
BANK OF LOPONIO	2611	
Merchants' Bank	185	180
Merchants' Bank of Halifax.		181
Onehec Bank		193
		103
Bank of Commerce	147	1411/4
Northwest Land pref	5314	521/6
Bank of Commerce Northwest Land, pref Montreal Cotton Co.	15414	1533/
Canada Colored Cotton	60	45
Dominion Cotton, xd	963/	95
SALES-Can. Pacific, 100	-+ 953/ 195	at 951/
25 at 85%, 50 at 85%, 50 at 85% at 3%; Rich. & Ont., 50 at 99%	, Mont St	Dr 95
at 277 75 at 2761/. Towarts D	es of 100	Mont
at 277, 75 at 2761/4: Toronto R Gas, 1 at 192; Bell Tel., 2 at 16	y, os at 100	Tootric.
Gas, I at 192; Bell Tel., 2 at 16	a: noval r	dectric.

58 at 159, 50 at 159½, 50 at 160; Bank of Commo 10 at 141¾; Northwest Land, 50 at 53. Toronto Stock Market. TORONTO, Aug. 25. Montreal. lerchants.....ommerce..... tandard. Iamilton estern Assurance..... Consumers' Gas:

Montreal Gas:

Dominion Telegraph

Northwest Land Company, pref. 54

Canada Pacific Railway Stock. 85%

Commercial Cable Company. 184%

Commercial Coupon Bonds. 106

Com. Registered Bonds. 106

Bell Telephone Company. 169

Bell Telephone, rights.

Richelian and Optario. 160 onsumers' Gas ..... ..100 chelten and Ontario oronto Street Railway... ndon Electric..... .1123/

Dominion Savings and Invest. —
Huron and Erie L. and S. —
Huron and Erie, 20 per cent. —
London and Canada L. and A. 70 ondon and Ontario. Ontario Loan and Debenture. SALES—1 p.m.—Imperial, 21 at 204; C. P. R. 25, 50 at 85%, 25 at 85%, 11:30 a.m.—Commerce, 1 at 141; Montreal Gas, 125 at 194%; C. P. R., 25 Mining Stocks.

Toronto, Aug. 24 .- Following are today's quotations on the Toronto Mining and Industrial Exchange: lammond Reef... 15 iawatha..... 40 65 thabasca.... undee

Cariboo Hydraulic Tin Horn Smuggler.... Winchester... Old Ironsides Fern Gold M. & M. Co. Noble Five. Slocan Cariboo. Two Friends.... Big Three... Deer Park... vening Star... Hant..... Good Hope.... Jumbo. Le Roi. ontreal Red Man.... onte Cristo..... Northern Belle. 12 St. Emo
Virginia
Victory Triumph
War Eagle Con
West Le Roi Josie
White Bear
B. C. Gold Fields
Can. G. F. S.
Gold Hills.

Sales: Deer Park, 1,000 at 19%; 200 at 20, 500 at 201/2; Giant, 1,000, 1,000, at 171/2; Gold Hills, 500 at 71/2; White Bear, 1,500, 500, 5,000, at 7½; 1,000 at 7¼; 1,000 at 7¾; 1,000 at 7¾. 500, 500 at 8; Van Anda, 1,000 at 3½: 500, 1,000 at 3%c; Victory Triumph, 1,000 at 9, 500, 500 at 9¼; Monte Cristo,

#### New York Stocks.

Reported by F. H. Butler, 15 and 16 Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser. New York, Aug. 25. Atcheson Pfd... L. B. & Q. L. & N. W..... Bay State Gas... Chicago Gas.... N. Y. Gas.... .104% 105 59¼ 95 343/4 106 191/8 1194/8 1123/4 T. C. I. 32½ Wabash. 21½ W. U. 94½ Brooklyn Transit 66½ U. Pacific. 64½ Leather Trust. 73 Lead. 38½ 32% 21% 94% 67 65% 73 38% ead..... 35½ 141¼ 140½ 35¾ 93 36¼ 76¾ 

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American Markets CHICAGO, Aug. 25.—Opening—Wheat, Sept., 29½c; Dec., 61½c; May, 63c. Corn, Sept., 29½c; May, 32c. Oats, Dec., 19½c; May, 22c. Pork, Dec. \$8 75. Lard, \$5 25; Jan., \$5 25; Sept., \$5 20. Ribs, Oct., \$5 12½.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25 .- Flour-Receipts, 23,222 bbls; sales, 2,900 packages; steady but not active. Rye flour-Steady; fancy, \$2 40 to \$2 90. Wheat-Receipts, 122,100 bu; sales, 255,000 bu; options opened weak on a break in cables, but recovered as a result of foreign buying and local covering; May, 67 1-16c to 67½c; Aug., 72¼c to 72‰c; Sept., 67½c to 68c; Dec., 65½c to Rye-Dull; state, 45c to 46c; No. 2 western, 431/2c to 44c, c. i. f., Buffalo. Corn-Receipts, 45,865 bu; sales, 20,000 options opened easy with wheat. after which it recovered on a demand

from shorts; Sept., 34%c to 345-16c; Dec., 34½c to 34%c. Oats—Receipts, 151,200 bu; options were dull but steady; on track, white, 30c to 381/40; on track, white western, 30c to 38½c. Butter — Receipts, 8,190 packages; steady. Cheese-Receipts, 10,196 packages; quiet. Eggs—Receipts, 5,435 packages; steady. Sugar-Raw, strong; refined, strong. Hops-Steady. Lead

BUFFALO, Aug. 25 .- Spring wheat, No. 1 northern, 88c; winter wheat, No. 2 red, 71c; No. 1 white, 79c. Corn, No. 2 yellow, 341/2c; No. 3 yellow, 34c; No. 2 corn, 33½c; No. 3 corn, 33c, asked on track; No. 2 yellow, 33c, in store. Oats, No. 2 white, 26½c; No. 3 white, 22½c to 25c; No. 4 white, 231/2c; No. 2 mixed, 24c asked, on track.

DETROIT, Aug. 25.—Wheat, No. 1 white, cash, 63%c; No. 2 red, cash, 67%c; Aug., 67c; Sept. 64%c; Dec., 63%c. TOLEDO, Aug. 25.—Wheat, Sept., visit is a great event in the annals of 64%c; Dec., 63%c. Corn, cash, 31c; the order, as it is the first time a mosept., 30c. Oats, cash, 20%c; Sept., 20c. ther-general has visited this side of the MILWAUKEE, Aug. 25.-Wheat cash, 66c; Sept., 62c.

Toronto Produce Market. TORONTO, Aug. 25.—Wheat is scarce and firm at 68c to 69c for red and white west; Manitoba wheat is easy at 91c for No. 1 hard Toronto and west. Flour is quiet: cars of straight roller is quoted at \$3 15 west. Millfeed is steady at \$12 50 to \$14 50 for shorts and \$8 50 to \$9 for bran west. Barley steady, at 36c to 38c, outside. Corn steady at 39c for American, Toronto. Oats steady, at 24c for new white and 261/2c for old white west. Peas steady at 49c to 50c west. Eggs steady at 11c to 121/2c the latter for strictly fresh. Butter, receipts not large; demand good and the market, steady, at 13c to 15c for best dairy tub, and 11c to 12c for off grade tubs creamery steady, at 20c for prints, and

181/2c to 19c for packed. Chicago Exchange

Chicago Exchange

CHICAGO, Aug. 25.

Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago
Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler,
broker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1,278.

Opon. High. Low. Close.

Wheat—Sept. 62½ 63¾ 62½ 63¾
Dec. 61¼ 61¾ 61 61¾
Corn—Sept. 29½ 30 29½ 30;4
Dec. 29½ 30 29½ 30;4
Dec. 29½ 30 29½ 30;4
Oats—Sept. 19¾ 19¼ 19½ 19¾
May 22 22½ 21¾ 22
Pork—Sept. 8 87 8 90 8 82 8 87
Oct. 8 87 8 87 8 87 8 87
Lard—Sept. 5 05 5 07 5 05 5 07
Oct. 5 10 5 12 5 10 5 12
Ribs—Sept. 5 15 5 17 5 12 5 17 1974 221/8 8 90 8 87 5 07 5 12 5 17 5 20 Ribs-Sept .. Puts-631/2. Calls-641/2.

English Markets.

Liverpool, Aug. 25—Closing.

Wheat—Spot dull; No. 1 Cal., 7s 10½d to 7s 11½d; No. 1 cash, firm, 8s 2½d; white spot No. 2 red western winter, dull, 5s 11d; spot No. 1 red northern spring, steady, 6s 10½d.

Corn—Spot American mixed new, steady, 3s 1½d; Aug., nominal; Sept., steady, 3s 1½d; Oct., steady, 3s 1½d.

Flour—St. Louis ferror. steady, 3s 14d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, dull, 8s 3d.
Peas—Canadian, 4s 11d.
Pork—Prime mess, fine western, dull, 51s 3d;
do, medium, western, dull, 38s 6d.
Beef—Prime mess, firm, 57s 6d; extra India
mess, steady, 63s 9d do, medium, western,
steady, 51s 3d.
Hams—Short cut. casy, 14 to 18 lbs, 36s

Hams-Short cut, easy, 14 to 18 lbs., 36s. Bacon—Cumberland cut. dull, 28 to 30, lbs., 27s; short ribs, steady, 20 to 24 lbs, 32s 6d; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, steady, 30s; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, steady, 29s 6d; short clear middles, heavy, 45 to 50 lbs, no stocks; clear bellies, steady, 14 to 16 lbs, 33s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, steady, 30 Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, steady, 24s 6d. Lard—Prime western, steady, 26s 3d. Butter—Finest American, 84s; good, 60s. Rosin—Common, steady, 5s 3d. Cheese-American finest white, 37s 6d; col-

Tallow—Prime city, dull, 19s. Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, dull, 15s Turpentine spirits—Steady, 22s.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast), dull, £2

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-The road roller is at work on Ridout street. -Principal Warner, of Alma College, St. Thomas, is at the Tecumseh. -Mr. and Mrs. Abercrombie, of Baltimore, Maryland, formerly of this city, are guests at the Tecumseh House. -The conductors of the London

with the motormen this afternoon at Springbank. -Owen Gillean, a drunk, was remanded to jail for a week by Magistrate Parke this morning. One erring bicyclist was allowed to go. -The secretary of the City Plebiscite Association has completed the

street railway play a game of baseball

voters' list of the city, and taken up headquarters in the Y. M. C. A. -The barn of Mr. Fletcher, of Komoka, was burned in Tuesday night's The contents were all destroyed and the building completely wiped

-Sheriff Cameron, J. B. McKillop, Adam Murray and W. H. Niles selected jurors this morning to officiate at the fall assizes here, which open on Sept.

-Work was commenced this morning by Contractors Harding & Leathorne, on the Duchess avenue sewer. The contractors have finished the George street

sewer. -The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Bonser took place this afternoon from her late residence, 84 Askin street, South London. Archdeacon Davis con-

ducted the service. -Mr. J. L. Johnson arrived home last night from Halifax. While there he night from Halifax. While there he of Mr. F. L. Evans. The programme had the pleasure of visiting the great consisting of Scotch and Irish national battleship Renown, which is one of the finest in the British navy.

HOME FROM EUROPE. Dr. Charles Neu arrived home this morning after several months' absence in the old country. He left London in December last, in company with Dr. Hadley T. Williams, to visit European hospitals, and has put in a busy eight months. His time was divided among the hospitals of Old London, Edin-burgh, Paris and Vienna chiefly. Dr. Williams is still in Old London.

DESERTED HIS LOVED ONE. woman who had been induced to ac-

company a young man from London, Ont., to this city, under the promise of marriage, but had been deserted by her partner after a few days' residence, together here, is now at the police station. The case was brought to the notice of the police, and as the girl is evidently respectably connected, she has been detained until her friends can be notified. In the meantime her name is withheld by the authorities.

THE MOTHER-GENERAL COMING. Among the passengers by the steamship Dominion was the Rev. Magame Digby, mother-general of the Order of the Sacred Heart throughout the world. The reverend mother is at present stay. ing at the Sacred Heart Convent, Sault au Recollet, Quebec, and will visit the convent in this city at an early day, as she intends to visit the several establishments of the order in the principal cities of the Dominion and the United States before returning to Europe. This visit is a great event in the annals of Atlantic. The reverend mother is accompanied by several other ladies of the Sacred Heart.

MILITIA CHANGES. Seventh Battalion Fusiliers, London-To be lieutenant, Second Lieut. William Archibaid McCrimmon, vice Watt, promoted. To be second lieuten-ant, provisionally, Frederick Hazelwood Screaton, gentleman, vice LicCrimmon, promoted.

of Light Infantry, No. 3 Company-To be second lieutenant, provisionally, William Ralph Meredith, gentleman, vice Kerrigan promoted. Twenty-eighth Perth Battalion of Infantry, No. 5 Company—Provisional Second Lieut. Geo. H. Lucas is permit-

Twenty-sixth Middlesex Battalion

ted to retire. Twenty-ninth Waterloo Battalion of Infantry, No. 2 Company-To be lieutenant, Second Lieut. George Charles Howard, from No. 3 Company, vice Thirtieth Wellington Battalion of

Rifles, No. 1 Company-To be Second Lieutenant, provisionally, Samuel Broadfoot McCready, gentleman, vice Wood, promoted.

Thirty-first Grey Battalion of Infantry-To be adjutant, Captain Gasper James Sproule, vice Campbell, promoted. No. 4 Company-Capt. H. A. Hunter is permitted to resign his commission. No. 5 Company—To be second lieutenant, provisionally, Alfred David Creasor, gentleman, vice Bennett, retired. No. 6 Company—To be captain, Lieut. Edwin Kendall Richardson, vice Sproule, appointed adjutant. Thirty-second Bruce Battalion of In-

fantry—No. 5 Company — Provisional Second Lieut. Barrett is permitted to Thirty-fifth Battalion of Infantry, Simcoe Foresters—To be honorary lieutenant-colonel, Lieut.-Col. W.E. O'Brien,

### **BRAVE BOY, BURDICK**

Five-Year-Lad in the Role of a Life-Saver.

Without Assistance He Rescues Little Girl From Drowning.

old son of ex-School Trustee George Burdick, is a hero. He is young to be a life-saver. But that is what he is. On Monday he rescued a playmate from drowning at the risk of his own life. Children who live in the neighborhood of Princess and Dufferin avenues, between English and Ontario streets, have great sport playing around a creek there. Some of the large boys dammed the creek the other day and made a good-sized pool three or four feet deep, and when something else engaged their attention, a number of little children from 4 to 6 years of age, were left alone about the pool. In their sport little May Ellen, one of Mr. John T. Martin's twin girls, fell into the pond backwards. As she sank under the water the other children instinctively shrank back in horror. Brave little 5year-old Chester was the "man of the situation," however, and without thinking of danger, waded in after his comrade. The water came up to his shoul-ders before he was able to reach the struggling girl, and how the tots managed to get out is wonderful.

The screams of the children attracted

their parents, and there was great rejoicing when the truth became known. **WON THE GOLD MEDAL** 

Col. Sergt. Robson, of the 7th Battalion, Carries Off First Prize in the Corporation Match at the O. R. A. Shoot. Yesterday's matches in connection

with the Ontario Rifle Association meeting at the Long Branch ranges, Toronto, were characterized by some remarkable scoring. In the corporation match, Color-Sergt, Robson, of the Seventh Battalion, London, made the phenomenal score of 84 out of a possible 85, winning the corporation gold medal, which goes with the first prize of \$25. At the 500 yards' range he made seven bullseyes with seven shots, and at the 600 yards he hit the bullseye nine times out of ten shots. In addition to this his two sighting shots were both bullseyes. The one shot which missed the bullseye at the 600 scored an inner, which counts four. Capt. Elliott, of the York Rangers, made 83 at this match. At the 600 yards he hit the bullseye every time, but two of his shots at the 500 yards were only inners. Capt. Elliott and Mafor Bruce, of the Royal Grenadiers, out of 20 shots, only left the target once. In the El Padre cigar match, no fewer that 58 possibles were made. All the extra series matches will be completed today. The Mulock aggregate, which is won by the highest scorers in the second, third, four, fifth, sixth, and seventh matches, will also be decided today, as will the nursery aggregate. Major Hayes and Sergt. Ross, of the

### **MUSIC MAKERS**

Consist of Scotch and Irish Airs.

Concert at Springbank Tonight Will Readers of The Advertiser are again reminded of the concert of the London Musical Society Band, to be given at Springbank tonight, under the direction airs, has been arranged as follows: March-Bonnie Brier Bush ..... Volker Medley—Irish Airs......Riley
Quadrille—Scotch .....McGregor
Selection—Irish Fantasie...Laurendeau
Waltz—Heather Bloom—Winterbottom Selection—Blue Bonnets ......Adair Selection—Blue Bonnets Adam
Medley—Irish Kelly
Lancers—Princess Louise Coote
Selection—Rage in Ireland Beyer
Galop—Prestissimo Waldtenfel

God Save the Queen. Trolley service arranged for the occasion is ample to meet all demands, and The Mail and Empire says: A young favorite pleasure resort will we as pleathe ride down the river shore to the sant as any trip possibly can be.

Disaster on the Banks of Newfoundland.

A French Fishing Schooner Cut Down by an Atlantic Liner, and 16 Lives Lost.

New York, Aug. 25 .- The Thingvalla Line steamer Norge sunk the French fishing schooner La Coquette, of Bayonne, France, on Saturday last, Aug. 20, on the Grand Banks. The captain of the schooner and eight seamen were saved, but

SIXTEEN MEN WENT DOWN with the unfortunate vessel. The Norge sailed from Stettin on Aug. 3. The weather was generally fine until the Banks of Newfoundland were reached, when it became foggy, with patches of blue water. On Saturday, Aug. 20, between 3 and 4 in the afternoon, the weather was foggy, but not so thick as to necessitate reduction of speed. Capt. Knudsen says he could see about three cables' length ahead. The wind was fairly brisk from the west-southwest, when a vessel suddenly loomed up from the north, with sails full, and stood directly across the bow of the steamer. The bells were rung to stop and back at full speed,

#### TOO LATE

to check the steamer's headway to a full stop. The stranger, a fishing schooner, fell across the bow, and with a crash was forced over and sunk. As the impact occurred three men sprang aboard the Norge. The passengers of the Norge, most of whom were about the decks, rushed about in great alarm, but were soon quieted when they learned that the steamer was uninjured. In the meantime a boat was lowered and six men and a dog were picked up. The fishing vessel

SANK ALMOST IMMEDIATELY, and in sinking carried with her 16 of post in a small room in such a way her crew. Among those saved was the captain. Capt. Knudsen, of the Norge, says that as a steam vessel, he was obliged to keep out of the way of all sailing craft, but that this was a time when the sailing vessel could dy ley of vile oaths and imprecations, and more to help herself than the steamer, The latter was going ahead full speed, for the fog was not, in the judment of the captain, sufficient to reduce head-The fisherman was an active vessel, had a good breeze, and was under good steerage way, but made no attempt to avoid the collision. Keeping his sails full until squarely under the bows, the collision occurred so suddenly that the steamer's headway could not be stopped promptly. The large hull of the Norge should have been visible for a long distance. This is the substance of Capt. Knudsen's statement. The nine rescuea mariners were brought to port, and will be landed here.

The lost vessel was the French fish-Little Chester Burdick, the 5-year- ing schooner La Coquette, of Bayonne, which carried a crew of 25 men in all.

#### TO THE LAKESIDE

A Number of London's Prominent Cit. izens to Witness the Arrival of the Shenango-A Cargo of Coal.

A fairly large and representative deputation of London's business men went to Port Stanley on the 1 o'clock special train, provided by the L. E. and D. R. R. today. The object of their trip is to witness the landing of the car ferry Shenango, loaded with cars of coal. The new slip dock will be in proper working order, and those present will have an opportunity of inspecting it. The following made up LONDON. the party: Mayor Wilson, Ald. Stevely, Johnson.... Nutkins, Winnett, Taylor, Greenlees, Dreaney, Cooper, Hunt, Graham, Douglass, McPhillips, Secretary Nelles, Keenan. of the board of trade; Col. Culver, United States consul; City Treasurer Pope, Superintendent Young, of the L. E. and D. R. R., Mr. Thomas Beattie, M.P., Judge Edward Elliott, ex-Ald. Parnell, Inspector Bell, and Messrs. J. W. Jones, Geo. Rendell, Robt. Reid, Dr. Cl. T. Campbell, J. C. Judd. Wm. Davis, F. E. Leonard. Geo. Cameron, Hewitt Fysh, John Cameron, doubt result.

R. Kirkpatrick, E. Duffield, T. Smallman, Geo. Burns, Bowman, Ashbridge and Ivey. The 2:30 train also took a number of prominent business men to the lake-

### **ELECTION TRIALS**

Postponed in the Cases of North and South Grey, Nipissing and West Huron

[G. N. W. Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, Aug. 25.-At Osgoode Hall this morning, the clerk of the court, C. S. Grant, postponed indefinitely the election trials for North and South Grey, and Nipissing and West Huron. The dates were originally Sept. 12 and Oct. 7. They will be fixed after vacation. The two Greys are held by Conservatives, and the other constituencies by Liberals.

#### INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

Likely to Adjourn for Two Weeks-May Meet in Ottawa.

Quebec, Aug. 25 .- It is said to be exceedingly likely that the figh commissioners of the international conference will adjourn today for a couple of weeks, or until after the Maine electoral campaign, which is likely to claim the attention of Hon. Mr. Dingley Hon. Charles Russell and Hon. Chas. Fitzpatrick will act as solicitors for the Dominion. Rooms have been set aside for them at the parliament buildings.

Hon. Donald M. Dickinson appeared before the American commissioners and urged the case of the Michigan lumbermen for the repeal of the Ontario regulation requiring the sawing in Canada of all logs cut in this province. He also urged the abrogation of the Rush-Bagot convention of 1817, prohibiting the construction of war vessels on the great lakes. This is sought by Detroit ship builders, who desire to tender for such work. A report is current that when the commission resumes its labors after the

adjournment possibly the venue will be changed to Ottawa. London, Aug. 25 .- The Graphic this morning expresses the fear that even if the Quebec conference arrives at an agreement on difficult problems before it, the American Senate will upset its work unless American public

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Thomas Meagher Taken From British Soil Across the St. Clair.

Ottawa, Aug. 25.-News comes of an outrage committed by an American ofso gross in its character and so devoid of legal warrant as to call for prompt action and immediate repara-Mr. Thomas Meagher, a British subject, resides near Port Lambton, on the Canadian side of the St. Clair steam launch, in which a few days ago he crossed over into American water near the club house at Marshland. Henry Avey, United States deputy collector of customs at that point, ordered Mr. Meagher into port. Mr. Meagher disregarded his orders, and went on to his destination on the Canadian side of the river. He was followed by Avery and his assistant, not only to the Canadian side of the river, but upon Canadian soil, where they attacked him, and without warrant and without any complaint being made against him placed him under arrest. Meagher was taken across the river to the Marshland Hotel, when he was handcuffed to a bedas to be unable to recline or lie down. He was not taken before any magistrate, and when a gentleman protested

against the treatment of the prisoner he was answered by Avery with a volwas told that he (Avery) knew his own business, and that he would keep Meaher where he had him just as long as he pleased. Parties who desired to see Meagher were met with abuse and refused access to him. Meagher was afterwards paraded by Avery up and down the hotel grounds in the presence of bystanders. Avery's evident object being to humiliate his prisoner and display his own authority. This performance over, Meagher was returned to the bedroom and again chained up to the bedpost, where he was confined for upwards of twenty-four hours, although, if it had been the desire of the officer to send

his arrest Had such a procedure been taken by causes a healthy and natural action, anyone calling himself a public official This is a medicine adapted for the in this country, no jailer would have young and old, rich and poor, and is received the victim of his insult without a warrant. If the facts are as they have been represented, Avery should be extradited and surrendered.

## LATE SPORTING

Personnel of the Teams Who Play is

Tecumseh Park Tomorrow.

BASEBALL. CHATHAM VS. LONDON. Chatham plays in London tomorrow

and Saturday. The following are the teams for Friday's game at 4 p.m.: CHATHAM. Pitcher.....McIlvair .Catcher .... ..Twinehan First base.....T Second base.....Third base ...Miles .Lowney Short stop ... Left field ......Conkiin Gallagher .Center field ... .Right field ...

A GAME IN STRATHROY. The Strathroy Baseball Club have arranged to play a game with Knox B. B. C. in Strathroy, on Saturday next. A very interesting game will no

HAMILTON VS. CHATHAM. Word came here last night that the Chatham-Hamilton game was postponed on account of rain. This seems to be incorect. as the following report Chatham, Aug. 24.-The costly errors of the Babes were responsible for the victory gained by Hamilton here to-

would have won his game. A feature of the game was Jones' home run drive, bringing in two runs. Score: Chatham ....100000210-4 7 10 Hamilton ....1 0 3 0 1 3 0 0 \*—8 11 2 Batteries—Van Geisen and Phelps;

TURF. "GUIDELESS TOMMY." "Guideless Tommy," the famous Doherty Organ pacer owned by the pped to Sherbroke Company, will on the 27th ins give an exhibition snips Fair, after

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NATURAL ENOUGH. London, Aug. 25 .- The Times says editorally this morning: "If half the Cuban stories are true, it is no wonder the Americans are disgusted with the insurgents' conduct. The insurgents' leaders make a great mistake if they imagine their conduct will go unpunished. It may be a troublesome business; but America, having put her hands to the plow, will not turn back."

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### **AMUSEMENTS**

"THE MIKADO."

The Metropolitan Opera Company will open their two weeks' engagement on Monday night with "The Mikado," and, according to press notices from other cities, this tuneful opera has seldom been presented in a more artistic manner, the cast being particularly adapted to its requirements. The costumes are very elaborate, and were imported direct from Japan. This is without doubt the best company playing at popular prices today, as each and evficer on a British subject on Canadian ery member has heretofore appeared with leading high-priced attractions only. The management does not believe in spending their money on flashy posters, but spends the money usually invested in that manner by other attractions in securing the best of tal-River. He is the owner of a small ent for their productions. Any person of ordinary intelligence will readily understand that the show business is conducted for the purpose of making money, the same as any other legiti-mate business, and there must be a limit to the amount of money expended in order to insure a profit. If a good share of the receipts is used for the purpose of covering the bill boards throughout the city with expensive pictorial cuts, the stage must suffer in consequence, as good talent is always in demand at large salaries. Matinees will be given Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at a uniform price of ten cents to all parts of the house. Evening prices will be 10, 20 and 30 centsno higher. The public should avail themselves of this opportunity to witness first-class opera within the reach of all.

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