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Good Crops in the States.

The crop report of the American Department of Agriculture for August was issued the end of last week, and already it is having a marked effect at business centres. It is in a general way highly favorable, and does not by any means take the country by surprise, the truth being that it had been largely anticipated by advance accounts, the tenor of which it confirmed. Tobacco is the only important crop of which poor accounts have been coming in; and this is laid to there having been too much rain of late in the States that produce the most of it. Wheat, corn, oats, barley, potatoes and hay, all show well in the report. One exception we must note: The accounts as to spring wheat are not as encouraging as they might be, especially from the Northwest.

As a result, grain is going down and stocks are going up in New York. A good authority says that in the great city both wheat and corn stand now at ten cents per bushel below what they stood at this time a year ago. The talk is that railway men are dropping the unprofitable business of fighting each other and are giving their attention more to the carrying of freight. The new harvest is now almost on hand, and they expect it to be heavy enough to keep their wheels busy for a while moving it. A general talk of good times coming has started, and the public are getting more confident than has been the case for some time back. In the New York stock market the one element of weakness is in the case of "trusts", which appear to be looked upon with strong suspicion by investors generally, and by speculators, too. "Trust" stocks are not now regarded as being on the rise; instead of that a decided tumble among them is looked for.

Among factors aiding the prosperous outlook one New York paper puts "the improving prospect of the restoration of bi-metallism on the Continent and in England." To which let us add that if this belief be really well founded, it suggests what is probably a potent cause of the present movement of English capital into American investments. Here is something taken from a report sent to the State Department by the American consul at Marseilles:

"Sixteen years' experience of monometallism has entailed an industrial and agricultural situation in Western Europe which demands a remedy. In view of all that one reads and hears in the discussion of this question it would seem apparent that the monetary conference which is to assemble at Paris in September will meet under circumstances far more promising to the interests of bimetallism than those which surrounded the conference of 1881. In the strong and numerous petitions which have been read before the German Reichstag; in the recent resolutions of Mr. Chaplin in the British House of Commons, as well as the frank declaration of Lord Salisbury in favor of an international partnership by Great Britain in the forthcoming conference at Paris, and in the outspoken attitude of such serious and influential French journals as Le Moniteur des Interets Materiels and the Moniteur des Syndicats Agricoles may be recognized as the outward manifestations of this new faith and purpose."

It is quite reasonable to suppose that the better outlook over the border will soon be reflected in Canada.

The richest Chinaman in Seattle bears the very inappropriate name of Bad Luckee.

Commercial Union Talk at Washington.

We may suppose that Congressman Hitt and Butterworth must feel in a manner bound to say something now and then to sustain the drooping spirits of their annexationist sympathizers on this side the border. Accordingly, it does not surprise us to observe it stated in a Washington despatch that these gentlemen are expected to be the leading figures in the House side in one of the most important features of legislation to come up at the next session of Congress. It is said that the recent seizures of Canadian sealers in the Behring Sea, and the chances of further difficulties on the Atlantic Coast upon the expiration of the modus vivendi, will give the subject of relations with Canada even more interest in the next House than it had in the last. Mr. Hitt is a strong advocate of Commercial Union between the colonies on the north and the United States. While other men have devoted their time and talent to securing a zollverein to embrace the republics of Central and South America, or, in other words, to unite in one grand commercial body the Latin races on the south with the Anglo-Saxon on the north, but excluding the Canadian provinces, Mr. Hitt has looked upon this scheme as far less possible than an arrangement between the United States and Canada, because of the closer ties which bind the more northern countries. The man who dictated the despatch is of opinion that "the United States and Canada, speaking as they do one language and springing from the same general stock, are fitted by nature as well as by location for commercial as well as political unity, while there is nothing whatever in the characters or the resources of the people of the Spanish-American countries to make it either probable or desirable that the United States should enter into an alliance with them, which could only be fraught with constant misunderstandings and bickerings. Major Butterworth took the bull by the horns in the last Congress when he introduced his resolution looking to political alliance between Canada and the United States. Such an arrangement would settle forever the periodical disputes which now ise between Canada and the United States.

Candidly speaking, we fancy that the foregoing is quite as good and as reliable a statement of what is looked for at Washington as anything that The Globe or The Mail will be likely to give us, perhaps after waiting a day or two longer for it. Next, we remark that it seems to confirm Dr. Goldwin Smith's view that the Harrison Administration is at least as favorable as the Cleveland one was to commercial union, or whatever else you choose to call it. Why, indeed, should there ever be any doubt about that?

Protection for American interests against all others outside, Canadian interests among the rest, is the main plank in the Republican party platform. Now, whatever favor that party or any of its leaders may have shown for this or the other plan looking towards the commercial absorption of Canada by the States has been due to the belief that, under any such change as advocated by Wiman, Hitt, or Butterworth, the greater part of the Protection would be on the side of the Republic, while the greater part of the Free Trade would be on the side of the Dominion. This would certainly be the way if Sir Richard Cartwright had the fixing of it. Everything would be fixed so as to promote the making of a market in these Provinces for what our neighbors had to sell; but nothing to aid the making of a market in the States for what we had to sell. To any thorough-going Republican this would appear live Protection, and to the purpose. But, you will say: the terms are to be the same for both sides, how then can there be Protection for one side, with Free Trade for the other? Well, have patience, and probably we will tell you more about that by and by.

Supposing this Washington despatch to be "founded on facts," it will not take Sir John by surprise, we should say. More likely is it that the Dominion Government has been looking for just this kind of news in the papers for some time back. Nor need it be deemed entirely too far-fetched a conjecture that the free lumber proposal, recently forwarded from Ottawa to Washington via London, was thrown out partly to give Washington diplomats a hint as to the line upon which Canada might be bound from trouble. You see, it might have been thought a good thing to save Messrs. Hitt and Butterworth the trouble of wasting their powder firing negotiations at the moon. However, be this as it may, we have no doubt of the fact that Sir John and his colleagues are quite as well posted as any of the Opposition leaders are regarding what is going on at Washington.

Liquor saloons do not have a monopoly of sporting news in Brooklyn and thus attract young men within their doors. The young men of Brooklyn in passing by the doors of the fine building of the Young Men's Christian Association nowadays see displayed upon either side of the doors placards with the words printed upon them in large letters of "Baseball returns inside."

Americans crossing the Atlantic just now would do well to leave their revolvers at home. J. W. Smith of Los Angeles, who crossed on the Adriatic, was arrested on Thursday, searched, taken to court and fined twenty-five dollars and costs for having a pistol and forty-five rounds of ball cartridges in his baggage.

In the Maybrick case it is not the fate of Mrs. Maybrick in itself that has caused the excitement in England. That is almost a foregone conclusion. English class opinion is against the woman. She has only the sympathy of the masses. The doubts in her case has impressed the lower orders with the dangers inherent in the antiquated system of criminal procedure in England and this is the beginning of a movement for reform.

GENERAL DOW'S VIEWS.

As Strongly Opposed to Tobacco as to Whisky.

Gen. Neal Dow is as strongly opposed to the use of tobacco as he is to liquor-drinking, and has carried on a life-long crusade against it, says The Lewiston (Me.) Journal. He always has claimed that tobacco dulls the moral sense.

Many years ago, before there were any railroads, a man traveling in a stage coach with Dow one day lighted a cigar.

"I wish you would stop smoking, sir," said Dow.

"Is smoking offensive to you?" the man asked.

"Yes, sir."

"Well, I'll stop as soon as I've finished this cigar."

Without another word Dow suddenly reached forward, pulled the cigar from the man's lips and threw it into the road.

The man fired up, but looked at the well-knit figure of his fellow-passenger, regarded the bright light in his eye—and cooled off.

"I recall an incident coming down the Rizi, while I was traveling in Europe," said the General. "European railroads did not provide a separate smoking car then, and I don't know as they do now. A passenger in our car was complacently smoking his cigar.

"'You're an Englishman, sir, aren't you?' I said to him.

"'Oh, no,' said he briskly, 'I'm an American.'

"'What! You an American, and smoking in the presence of ladies!'

"He stopped smoking, but with very poor grace, and he looked as if he would like to eat me.

"He was of a different type from a man whom I met on a steamer in the English Channel. I asked him to stop smoking and he did so, with profuse apologies. I told him that I believed that tobacco dulls the moral sense, but he smiled at the idea.

"'You furnish a proof of my theory, sir,' said I. 'You were smoking when you ought not to have been—and you acknowledged it as soon as I called your attention to it. Tobacco dulled your moral sense.'"

No medicine in the world is in better repute or more widely known than Ayer's Sarsaparilla. As a safe and certain remedy for all manner of blood disorders, leading physicians and druggists everywhere recommend it in preference to any other.

Engineer Wallbridge Committed For Trial.

Marshall J. Wallbridge of 48 Gerrard-street west, who has for a year been employed as the engineer at Scott & Cross' planing mills in Hayter-street, was charged in the Police Court yesterday with abstracting $425 from the firm's safe at noon on Saturday. The money had been put up in envelopes to pay the hands. All the money but 40 cents was afterwards recovered, over $22 in the fire hole of the boiler and $400 under the floor of the boiler room. The money was taken at noon, during the dinner hour, when there was no one in the office. The door of the office and the safe were locked at the time. Mr. Cross, Mr. Scott and several others gave strong circumstantial evidence against the accused, and he was committed for trial without bail.

The prisoner was also charged with stealing a chisel and monkey wrench, the property of the firm. These tools were found at his house. Mr. Scott identified them as the property of the firm. On this charge also he was committed.

A lady writes: "I was enabled to remove the corns, root and branch, by the use of Holloway's Corn Cure." Others who have tried it have the same experience.

The Avaricious American.

Hamilton Herald: The jealousy with which the great American nation regards foreigners is amusing if not farcical. Rev. H. C. Ross of Ingersoll had a call from the Presbyterian Church of Erie, but the rev. gentleman, being a Canadian, was prevented accepting the charge on the ground that such acceptance would be contrary to the law against the importation of labor. The Americans will stop at nothing. They won't accept the Word of God unless they can collect a 35 per cent. duty on it.

The agony of Dyspepsia is immediately relieved by using Dyer's Quinine and Iron Wine, perfectly harmless, easily assimilated and highly recommended by prominent physicians. Druggists keep it. W. A. Dyer & Co., Montreal.

This Must End the Controversy.

EDITOR WORLD: The difficulty at Kew Beach has been settled. The beach, from the west end of the line of cottages in front of Kew gardens to the east limit of Mr. Williams' property, excepting Lee-avenue, is now barricaded. This will afford a protection to the beach as well as the boats that are left lying on it during the daytime. The cottagers to the east of Mr. Williams will have the freedom to come and go across Mr. Williams' front, with the exception of Mr. Pells, who, on account of the noise he has made about the affair, Mr. Williams refuses to allow on his property. He will accordingly make his entrance and exit by way of Birch-avenue.

Mr. Williams' right to do as he chooses with his own property is not now questioned by anyone. Even Mr. Pells recognises it. When Mr. Williams ordered him off his property yesterday Mr. Pells very meekly asked permission to cross. If he had done this in the first place, instead of demanding what was not his own, there would likely have been no trouble. As for making a thoroughfare along the beach it is nonsense. There is not enough room for one. When the sea is high the water runs through the lawn fences at Mr. Williams' and Mr. Moore's cottages.

The excitement, which has taken the place of fuel on last week's cool evenings, has now subsided, and everything is going on as merrily as the waves that ripple in over the sandy beach. THE END.

Kew Beach, Aug. 13.

A Line From Gladstone.

My little son aged two was seized with diarrhœa, followed by piles, two doses of Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry gave relief and half the bottle completed a cure. Mrs. J. A. McIntyre, Gladstone, Manitoba. This medicine is a specific for all summer complaints of children or adults.

ON TRACK AND DIAMOND.

THE TORONTOS BEATEN BY ROCHESTER YESTERDAY.

Longstreet Wins the Omnibus Stakes at Monmouth Park—Short Horses in Front at Saratoga—The Winners at West Side Park—Grand Circuit Races at Rochester.

The holiday on Monday no doubt had a marked effect on the attendance yesterday, and the assembly that witnessed the game between Toronto and Rochester was rather light. Good fortune seemed to smile on the visitors, for although they were outhitted they managed to pull out the victory by the aid of their little imp of deformity, Hofford. Umpire Bayne was ill and unable to attend and in his absence Serad of the Torontos and Hofford of the Rochesters were substituted. The former called balls and strikes and gave decisions at the plate on the Torontos, while the latter gave base decisions and vice versa. It so happened that several close decisions at the plate of the Rochesters resulted, and as Hofford decided in the little "sawed off" naturally favored his own team and gave them "safe." He also called McMillan out at third base in the seventh inning when he was clearly "safe" and thus deprived Toronto of a run.

Twice this season Umpire Bayne has found it convenient to be ill. It is about time the Association secured an able staff of umpires and avoid all this wrangling which always occurs with substitutes.

Barr was in the box for Rochester and his delivery was easily solved for a total of 13 hits, while eight were secured of Vickery. The "Kid" was wild at times, giving five men bases on balls, four of which scored. Barr, though, pitched rather a lively game, for twice did the Toronto have the bases filled and McGuire at the bat and unable to score. The game, however, was more of a contest between the umpires, in which Hofford clearly outdone Serad. The score:

TORONTO.	R	H	O	A	E	ROCHESTER.	R	H	O	A	E
Hoover, rf	1	2	1	0	0	Griffin, cf	1	0	2	0	0
Burke, cf	1	1	2	0	0	Knowles, 3b	1	2	1	3	0
Pettit, ss	1	1	3	0	1	Simon, lf	3	0	2	0	0
Grim, 3b	1	2	0	2	0	T O'Brien, 2b	1	2	3	5	1
Harnett, lf	1	1	11	0	1	W O'Brien, 1b	0	0	10	0	0
McGuire, c	1	3	5	1	0	Phillips, ss	0	0	1	3	1
McMillan, 1b	1	3	1	0	0	Pelz, rf	0	1	0	0	0
M'Laughlin, 2b	0	1	2	2	1	McKeough, c	2	1	6	2	3
Vickery, p	0	0	0	3	0	Barr, p	0	0	0	2	0
Total	7	12	25	6	4	Total	8	8	25	15	5

*Winning run scored with one man out.

Toronto	0	1	3	0	1	0	2	0	0	—	7
Rochester	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	—	4

Earned runs—Toronto 1, Rochester 1. Two-base hits—Griffin, Knowles, McMillan, T O'Brien. Three-base hits—Hartnett, Knowles, T O'Brien. Home run—Griffin. Sacrifice hits—Griffin, Hartnett, McLaughlin, Knowles, W O'Brien, Phillips, McKeough, Barr. Stolen bases—Hoover, Pettit, Grim, McMillan, McKeough, Barr. Base on balls—Hoover, Hartnett, Knowles, Simon 2, McKeough, Barr. First base on errors—Toronto 4, Rochester 4. Struck out—By Vickery 4, Griffin, Knowles, McKeough, Barr; by Barr 4, Burke, McGuire, Vickery 2. Double plays—Toronto 1, Rochester 2. Passed balls—McGuire 2. Wild pitch—Vickery. Time of game—1.35. Umpires—Serad and Hofford.

Other International Games.

At Detroit:		R.	H.	E.
Detroits	0 0 4 2 0 0 0 0 2 —	17	15	4
Syracuse	1 0 2 0 0 2 0 0 5 —	10	13	4

Batteries—Knauss and Goodfellow; Murphy and Walker. Umpire—Emslie.

At London:		R.	H.	E.
London	1 0 1 3 0 1 0 1 0 —	7	13	2
Buffalo	3 0 1 0 1 1 0 0 0 —	6	11	2

Batteries—Wood and Kinslow; Whitney and Deasley. Umpire—Hutchinson.

At Toledo:		R.	H.	E.
Toledo	0 0 0 0 0 2 0 1 —	3	10	3
Hamilton	0 1 0 0 0 4 2 3 1	11	14	1

Batteries—Sprague and Sage; Blair and Banning. Umpire—Hoover.

National League Games.

At Pittsburg:		R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	1 0 1 5 2 0 0 0 0 —	9	9	0
Boston	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 —	0	5	4

*Called darkness.

Batteries—Galvin and Miller; Daley and Ganzell. Umpire—Curry.

At Cleveland:		R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	1 0 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 —	4	8	3
New York	0 1 3 0 2 0 3 0 3 —	12	17	3

Batteries—Beatin and Sutcliffe; Crane and Ewing. Umpire—Powers.

At Chicago:		R.	H.	E.
Chicago	0 0 0 2 0 0 1 0 0 —	3	7	3
Philadelphia	1 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 3 —	6	12	3

Batteries—Dwyer and Farrell; Sanders and Schriver. Umpire—Lynch.

At Indianapolis:		R.	H.	E.
Indianapolis	2 0 0 3 1 1 0 0 0 —	7	14	4
Washington	0 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 —	5	15	6

Batteries—Boyle and Buckley; Haddock and Daly. Umpire—McQuade.

American Association Games.

At Cincinnati:		R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	1 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 3 —	7	5	5
Athletics	4 0 0 0 3 0 0 3 x —	10	8	3

Batteries—Viau and Keenan; Weyhing and Cross. Umpire—Gaffney.

At Louisville:		R.	H.	E.
Louisville	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 —	1	5	1
Baltimore	0 0 2 3 0 1 0 0 0 —	6	15	0

Batteries—Stecker and Cook; Kilroy and Tate. Umpire—Goldsmith.

At Kansas City:		R.	H.	E.
Kansas City	0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 —	2	5	2
Brooklyn	3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 —	4	6	2

Batteries—Swartzel and Hoover; Terry and Visner. Umpire—Holland.

At St. Louis:		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	0 2 3 2 4 0 0 1 —	12	12	2
Columbus	0 0 0 0 2 0 0 1 —	3	8	6

Batteries—King and Milligan; Gastright and O'Connor. Umpires—Ferguson and Kerins.

Games To-day.

International Association: Buffalo at London, Hamilton at Toledo, Rochester at Toronto, Syracuse at Detroit.

National League: Boston at Pittsburg, New York at Cleveland, Philadelphia at Chicago, Washington at Indianapolis.

American Association: Brooklyn at Kansas City, Athletics at Cincinnati, Baltimore at Louisville, Columbus at St. Louis.

Dust from the Diamond.

Patsy Hartnett's three bagger yesterday was wasted by bad coaching.

Toronto and Rochester again to-day. Game called at 4 o'clock.

Titcomb and Toole will be the opposing pitchers this afternoon.

McGuire struck out yesterday with the bases filled. Who would have thought it?

Where are the substitute umpires? They are never at the grounds when wanted.

Latham has been suspended indefinitely for, as Von der Ahe puts it, "his generally bad ball playing and for conduct prejudicial to the club's interest."

Pitcher Oberlander of the Syracuse International team has been released, and the management is looking around for two or three new men. If the team isn't strengthened it cannot regain first place.—N. Y. Herald.

McGlone hurt his right arm while sliding to the plate in the morning game on Monday and has been laid off for a few days at his own request. It is to be hoped he will soon be able to resume his position, as his services were greatly needed yesterday in the coaching line.

Bowling on the Green.

The following is the score of a match played between the Victorias and the Granites on the grounds of the latter yesterday afternoon, the Granites winning by 24 points:

GRANITE.		VICTORIA.	
W M Merrill,		— Lightburne,	
W Hadenach,		P S McNally,	
L Bolster,		W Smith,	
I C Kemp, skip	19	W A Shepard, skip	14
R McClain,		W Dickson,	
W Crookes,		W W Belding,	
W Lawrence,		T M Scott,	
C Carpmael, skip	23	A P Scott, skip	11
John Fletcher,		A R Capreol,	
R W Spence,		A M Cosby,	
C C Dalton,		J Lesslie,	
E E Hargreaves, skip	13	E H Duggan, skip	12
R C McHarris,		S Morrison,	
G Dempsey,		S Berchall,	
J Eastwood,		G Geddes,	
W O Thornton, skip	20	L A Tilley, skip	14
Total	75	Total	51

Records of Fleet Pigeons.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Race Secretary J. D. Munro of the Federation of American Homing Pigeon Fanciers has received reports from all clubs of the federation in regard to the races of old birds, which have been practically finished for the season. The best average speed for the 100 miles distance was made by a bird from Mr. Munro's loft in Philadelphia, 1266⅔ yards per minute.

The 200 miles race was won by W. Berringer, jr., of Jersey City, the speed of 1481.37 being the highest made during the season. For 300 miles William S. Torkington's loft at Philadelphia carried off the honors with an average of 1307 yards. In the 400 miles race a blue checkered cock belonging to W. B. Garrabrants, Newark, N.J., made the best speed, with 1431.9 yards.

In the competition for the 500 miles interstate challenge trophy, J. S. Iverson of the Hudson Homing Club, Brooklyn, was the winner. A black cock, registered number 707, covered the distance of 517.51 miles at a speed of 1217.86 yards.

The sport of breeding, training and racing homing birds for federation records has greatly increased since last year, 2552 having been countermarked and shipped under orders from Secretary Munro to 1200 in 1888 and 932 in 1887. This increase speaks well for the efficiency of the secretary as well as for the fairness and impartiality of the federation's rules and regulations.

TROTTING AT ROCHESTER.

The Grand Circuit Meeting Opened Yesterday—The Flower City Stake Unfinished.

ROCHESTER, Aug. 13.—The Grand Circuit meeting opened here this afternoon. There were six thousand people on the grounds. The track was in fairly good condition, but a little heavy on account of rain during the night. The weather was cool and cloudy with a strong breeze blowing. On the whole the conditions were rather against fast time and none was made. A great deal of time was lost in the scoring, and the heats were slow. Only eleven heats were trotted before darkness and only one race was decided. The Flower City Stake will be finished to-morrow. Summaries:

2.27 class—Pacing, $1000, divided:

Chapman	10	10	1	1	1
Elva Medium	1	1	3	5	2
Red Bell	2	2	10	10	3
American Girl	3	4	2	8	10
Halpointer	9	8	9	2	7
Henry H	8	3	8	3	4
Blanche	5	5	4	7	6
Dallas	7	6	5	4	5
Gold Dust	4	7	6	6	6
Minnie F	6	9	7	9	9

Time—2.20 1-4, 2.18 1-4, 2.20, 2.19 1-2, 2.19 1-2.

2.30 class—Flower City Guarantee Stake of $10,000 divided:

Sprague Gold Dust	4 dr	1	3	3	2
Star Lily	9	6	9	9	1
Tariff	5	2	4	4	4
Venice	1	7	8	3	3
Ketch	2	10	2	2	2
Tippie	6	8	3	4	3
Camille	7	4	8	7	7
Maud Miller	3	3	6	5	6 dr
Gold Ring	8	5	7	6	ds
Reference	10	9	10	dr	

Time—2.20¼, 2.20, 2.22¼, 2.22¼, 2.23¼, 2.22¼.

During the race Reference collided with another horse, tipped over the sulkey and threw his driver, Stanley, out. Reference broke away and ran around the track without interfering with the other trotters. Stanley was but slightly injured. Later in the same race Veritas and Star Lily went into the air together and Veritas came down on Lily's sulky. Both were stopped and no one was hurt.

LONGSTREET WINS THE OMNIBUS.

The Dwyers Colt Defeats Proctor Knott and Salvator Easily.

LONG BRANCH, N.J., Aug. 13.—This was the last day but two of the Monmouth Park meeting. The attendance was one of the largest of the season, the Omnibus Stakes being the attraction. The weather was cloudy and at times rain fell. Notwithstanding the track was fast. Results:

First race—Handicap Sweepstakes for all ages; 1 mile. McClelland & Co's b h Brandon, 124, 123. Britannia, 124, 2. Volunteer, 108, 3. Time 1.14 1-4.

Second race—Criterion Stakes, for 2-year-olds; winners of $300 to carry 5 lb., twice 7 lb., three times 12 lb. extra; maidens allowed 7 lb.; ¾ mile.

B Riley's blk c Burlington, by Powhattan—Imp Invercauld, 115 1
A Belmont's b c Lord Dalmeny, 108 2
Madison Stable's b c Devotee, 122 3

Time—1.15½.

Third race—Handicap Sweepstakes, for all ages; 1½ miles. Rancocas Stable's ch f Blush, 100, won; Niagara, 116, 2; Connemara, 104, 3. Time 1.59.

Fourth race—Omnibus Stakes for 3-year-olds, $250 each, with $10,000 added, of which $2000 to the second and $1000 to the third; 1⅝ miles.

Dwyer Bros.' b c Longstreet, by Longfellow—Semper Idem, 118 ..... (Garrison) 1
Scoggan & Co.'s ch g Proctor Knott, 120, parent demand for fac-simile transmission, particularly at so great an expense of speed, for it will be seen that instead of making a character of the alphabet by a few separate pulses, as is done by Morse, the number must be greatly increased. Many dots become necessary to show the outlines of the more complex characters. The pantelegraph is an interesting type of the fac-simile method. In this form the movements of a pen in the writer's hand produce corresponding movements of the pen at the distant station and thereby a fac-simile record.

Important To Merchants.

It is a fact beyond dispute that in order to get entire satisfaction in anything it is necessary to go to the fountain head. Those requiring store fittings will consult their best interests by going to W. Millichamp, Box & Co., 31 Adelaide-street. Headquarters for Canada for counter and upright show cases and store and office fittings. Lowest prices. Tel. 655.

Jottings About Town.

The Court of Revision meets this afternoon.

The Master Bakers' Association held a business meeting last night, with Mr. B. Goodman in the chair.

The Island ferry Mascotte leaves next Sun day for Hamilton, where she will be used as referee boat during the carnival.

James Roach (of) Salisbury-avenue was fined $1 and costs at the Police Court yesterday for being disorderly at the Island.

A permit has been issued to John Hewitson for the erection at 812 Yonge-street of a blacksmith shop to cost $3000.

The Citizens' Association meets at 3.30 this afternoon in the rotunda of the Board of Trade rooms, when committees, &c., will be appointed.

Willie Caswell, aged 4, slipped under the wheel of a wagon loaded with hay in Danforth-avenue yesterday and received a compound fracture of the right leg.

Col. Denison returned from Muskoka yesterday and took his place in the Police Court bench, very much to the relief, it is said, of Chief Justice Baxter.

The cottagers of Centre Island have arranged a treat for 500 children gathered by the Fresh Air fund. The party will leave Church-street wharf at 1.30 to-morrow afternoon.

James H. Rafferty, a sneak thief who jumped out of a two-story window in the Duke of York Hotel, and was afterwards arrested, got 30 days in jail in the Police Court yesterday.

Eight-year-old Johnnie Sullivan of 99 Claremont-street was walking up that thoroughfare Monday when he stepped on a banana peel, falling heavily. Several bones in his right arm were broken.

EDITOR WORLD: Would you state in your paper that the Albert Jacobs arrested last week for assault is not the Jacobs of Dovercourt-road, a member of our firm. WALLIS & JACOBS, real estate brokers, 447 Dundas-street.

Robert S. Chappell, the young lad arrested held for forgery, was before the Magistrate yesterday and got a remand till to-day, when his counsel says he will produce a witness who will satisfy the court that no forgery had been committed.

John Randolph, the colored man who pointed a pistol at Richard Stove of 79 Terauley-street, and drew a razor, appeared before Col. Denison yesterday to answer to the charge of unlawfully carrying a pistol. He was remanded till to-morrow, bail being accepted in two sureties of $100 each.

Three young men, John Jones, Alfred Windsor and Frederick Hunter, under the influence of liquor, Monday committed a series of assaults on unoffensive citizens on the Lake Shore road, and were fined $10 and costs or 30 days by the Police Magistrate yesterday. Joseph Richardson, a West End moulder, received a painful wound in the head from a kick by one of the blackguards.

Thomas Griffin Monday afternoon at Queen and McCaul-streets snatched a silver pin from the tie of Robert Dempster. Acting-Detective Watson observed the occurrence and arrested Griffin. The prisoner had also put his hand in Dempster's pocket. In the Police Court yesterday he pleaded that it was a joke, but Dempster had not seen the man before. The case was remanded till to-day.

The Veterans' Society Flourishing.

Her Majesty's Army and Navy Veterans' Society met in Temperance Hall last night. President John Nunn presided. Six new members were initiated and 22 propositions for membership received. The receipts of the evening were $40. The secretary-treasurer, F. J. Robinson, submitted the annual report, which showed a balance on hand of $194.

—Caswell, Massey & Co's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil with Pepsin and Quinine, is recognized as the best preparation known. Prescribed by the leading physicians. W. A. Dyer & Co., Montreal.

Around the Harbor.

The schooner Nellie Hunter arrived from Fairhaven yesterday with 358 tons of hard coal for Conger.

The schooner Clara Youell cleared for Fairhaven, light.

Many a sufferer from Neuralgia, Dyspepsia, loss of appetite, general debility, etc., will be glad to find that Dyer's Quinine and Iron Wine, is strongly recommended for such cases—it is easily assimilated, prepared with great care, and is an admirable tonic. W. A. Dyer & Co., Montreal.

THE METAL ALUMINUM.

Some of the Uses That are to be Found for It in the Near Future.

By being subjected to the gold-beaters' art, says The St. Louis Republican, a piece of aluminum the size of a dime may be beaten into a sheet several feet square, so great is its tenacity. Only two metals known can be rolled into a sheet as thin as it can and they are gold and silver. When it does at last come into general use, and the advent of that era will not be retarded much by the man whose death furnishes the text for this article, it will be used for everything and put to every purpose to which iron, steel and wood are now put. Its adaptability to ship-building is very apparent.

Great steamships, the size of the largest Cunards, with the same tonnage and the same number of exposed linear feet, if constructed of aluminum from keel to the top of the masts, instead of drawing from 18 to 26 feet, would not draw more than four or five. In the days of the future aluminites deep water conventions will be useless assemblages.

It holds a polish the best of any metal known, there being but few elements that will cause it to tarnish or turn black. Rust, too, is a quality unknown to this wonderful white metal. Boiling water will not affect its lustre, which is retained for an indefinite period in any atmosphere. It will withstand a far greater number of the acids than gold or silver will. Strong nitric acid ravenously attacks silver, but has no effect whatever upon aluminum. Gold or platinum will be ruined if plunged into a bath of sulphuret of potassium or melted nitre; aluminum comes out bright and shiny as if from a bath of pure cold water.

Taken all in all, it is a wonderful production of a wonderful age and one that will make possible inventions now undreamed of. Let inventors hasten the advent of the new epoch. The goal is still in view. One inventor is dead, but an army of them "still live." The child is born, no doubt, that will see the wildest dream of these enthusiasts realized; but the time is not yet; we can only hope.

Much injury is done by the use of irritating, griping compounds taken as purgatives. In Ayer's Pills the patient has a mild but effective cathartic, that can be confidently recommended alike for the most delicate patients as well as the most robust.

CHAT ACROSS THE CABLE.

King Humbert is about to start on a tour of the Italian coast to inspect the military defences.

Stevens the bicyclist is returning to Zanzibar, having utterly failed in his mission to discover Stanley's whereabouts.

Mr. Gladstone will shortly go on a yachting cruise to the west of Scotland. During the trip he will visit a number of places and make political speeches.

The Shah expresses himself as much impressed by the power of England and the kindness shown him by the Prince of Wales and other members of the royal family.

Among those who voted against the Government on Gray's amendment to the Tithes Bill in the House of Commons were six Unionists, eight Conservatives and all the Parnellites.

Private communications have been sent to Mr. Gladstone by members of the French Ministry urging him to visit the Exhibition while all the members of the Cabinet are in Paris. President Carnot goes to the country next Monday and he desires Mr. Gladstone to postpone his visit till October.

Whereas.

Whereas much disease is caused by wrong action of the stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels and blood, and whereas Burdock Blood Bitters is guaranteed to cure or relieve dyspepsia, liver complaint, kidney complaint, dropsy, rheumatism, sick headache, etc. Therefore, be it resolved that all sufferers should use B.B.B. and be restored to health.

Among the Fraternities.

Mystic Lodge, R. of P., had routine business last night. Bro. Thomas Shortiss presided.

Temple Council, No. 2, Order of Chosen Friends, had routine business last night. Bro. A. McCarthy presided.

Richmond Lodge, S.O.E., had two initiations and several propositions last night. Capt. Allan presided.

Court Queen City, C.O.F., had one initiation last night. Bro. Jeffries presided.

Beaver Lodge, S.O.G., had 1 initiation and 3 propositions last night. Bro. Saunders presided.

Worms derange the whole system. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator expels worms, and gives rest to the sufferer. It only costs 25 cents to try it and be convinced.

From Police Blotters.

Lyon Clarkson, 264 Markham-street; Fred Lasher, 721 Bathurst-street, were arrested yesterday on a charge of tapping J. W. Houstin's till at 430 College-street.

L. Mulhearn, 87 Shaw-street; John Cameron 99 Tecumseh-street, were arrested yesterday for being disorderly.

John Healy, 29½ Centre-street, was arrested yesterday for obstructing the police.

Edward Hanner, 20 Saurin-avenue, reports that $107 has been taken from his trunk.

The palm of the hand moistened with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil exerts a wondrous control over pain, speedily and entirely subduing it. The eclectric healing influence of this highly sanctioned medicine is manifested by the rapid disappearance of sores and abrasions of the skin when used.

Personal Mention.

S. A. Potter, Montreal, is at the Palmer.

C. L. Hawley, Trenton, is at the Palmer.

A. B. Cornell, New York, is at the Rossin.

Mr. A. F. Wood, M.L.A., Madoc, is at the Queen's.

Gen. Brinker, Rochester, is registered at the Rossin.

J. P. Wiser, Prescott, is staying at the Rossin.

Harry Corby, M.P., Belleville, is booked at the Rossin.

Dr. Walters and wife of Newark, N.Y., are at the Queen's.

Col. and Mrs. Biddulph of England are guests at the Queen's.

Capt. T. M. Sibbald of H.M.S. Canada is a guest at the Queen's.

Rev. William C. De Witt of Chicago is registered at the Queen's.

H. G. Hopkirk, P.O. Inspector of the Stratford division, is at the Queen's.

Rev. Dr. Burwash, President of Victoria College, Cobourg, is stopping at the Rossin.

Rev. Dr. Carman, Belleville, General Superintendent of the Methodist Church, is at the Walker.

E. L. Wilson, formerly clerk at the Rossin House, and now of Washington, D.C., is paying Toronto and his old house a visit.

Rider Haggard will go to Assyria this fall in search of topographical and archæological lore to embellish a book about Queen Esther, to appear in 1891.

Mr. George Burdon, Stipendiary Magistrate for Algoma, was in the city y