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Born, Married, Died.

MARRIED.

YEO—HAYES—At the manse of St Andrew's Church, Saturday evening, Sept. 4th, by the Rev. Robt. Johnston, B.D., Geo. H. Yeo, to Lucy Hayes, both of this city.

DIED.

BUTLER—Drowned at Port Stanley on Monday, Sept. 6, while bathing, Edna, beloved daughter of Frank H. Butler aged 13 years. Funeral will leave the residence of her parents, 299 Piccadilly street, Wednesday at 4 p.m.; service 3:30.

SPRINGER—In this city, on Tuesday, Sept. 7, 1897, Nora Loretta, infant daughter, of James C. and Minnie Springer, aged 3 months. Funeral on Wednesday, private.

BIGGS—At City Hospital, on Sept. 7, 1897. Robert J. Biggs, aged 23 years, youngest son of James and Rachael Biggs. Funeral from J. T. Stephenson's undertaking rooms on Wednesday, Sept. 8, 3 p.m. Services at 2:30 p.m.

Amusements and Lectures

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

GRAND OPERA HOUSE — TONIGHT, matinee tomorrow and tomorrow night. Cinematograph views of the Queen's Diamond Jubilee procession. Prices — 15c, 25c, 35c. Matinee—Children, 15c; adults, 25c. Next attraction, Thursday, Thos Q. Seabrooke Opera Company, in "Papa Gou Gou." Prices 25c, 50c, 75c, $1. Seats now on sale. b

ALLAN LINE—CARTHAGINIAN SAILING Saturday, Oct. 9. Best class of cabin on the steamship costs only $34 from Montreal. Full privileges of the steamer; rooms only berth two passengers each, and are outside. Limited number only can be carried. F. B. CLARKE, Richmond street, next door to Advertiser.

LAKE SUPERIOR SAILS 15TH SEPTEMBER from Montreal to Liverpool. For tickets via. the Beaver Line apply F. B. CLARKE, agent, Richmond street, next to Advertiser. ywt

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY REOPENS Monday, Sept. 20. Make application at once, as all classes will be limited to number. Academy open mornings from 8 to 9 o'clock. DAYTON & MCCORMICK.

Meetings.

1c per word each insertion. No ad. less than ten words.

MACCABEES—LONDON TENT 17 WILL meet tonight (Tuesday) 8 o'clock, at Edge Block, Richmond street. b

Domestics Wanted.

First insertion, 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

COOK WANTED—WELLINGTON HOUSE J. O'FLAHERTY. 16c

COOK WANTED—MRS. J. B. JENNINGS, Western Hotel. 18c

GIRL WANTED — APPLY ATLANTIC House, corner York and Clarence streets. 16c

PLAIN COOK AND GENERAL SERVANT wanted at once—No Sunday work. Apply at Office Restaurant, Richmond street. D. SAHE, proprietor. 15tf

SERVANT GIRL IMMEDIATELY — References. Apply 492 Princess avenue. 15tf

AN EXPERIENCED HOUSEMAID AND a number of good general servants and cooks wanted at once. Osborne Intelligence Agency, 56 Dundas street. Phone 386.

GIRLS, GIRLS—LOTS OF SITUATIONS at the old reliable, Dwyer's Employment Agency, 301 Richmond street, and still we want dining-room and kitchen girls and hotel cooks for out of city. On hand—Housekeepers, housemaids, cooks, general servants and nurse girls. Ring up 1121.

Male Help Wanted.

First insertion, 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED — ENGINEER AT HELLMUTH Ladies' College. Must be proficient in steam heating. Apply at once. b

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS DRESS salesman and window dresser. Apply FRASER, MCMILLAN & Co. b

WANTED—MARKET GARDEN—25 TO 50 acres—for a number of years. J. GAMMAGE & SONS, 215 Dundas. 17c&bw

WANTED — CAPABLE NURSERY salesman, salary and expenses to right man. Apply at once. BLACKFORD & Co., Toronto. 28tfywt

$7,800 GIVEN AWAY TO PERSONS making the greatest number of words out of the phrase "Patent Attorney Wedderburn." For full particulars write the National Recorder, Washington, D. C., for sample copy containing same. 88tf

Female Help Wanted.

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WANTED—PANT AND VEST MAKER —To work at home. 251 Wellington street. 18u

Situations Wanted.

First insertion, 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

REFINED WIDOW WISHES SITUATION as housekeeper or any position of trust; references. 313 King street. 16c

Insurance.

A. N. UDY, INSURANCE AGENT Office over C. P. R. ticket office. ywt

THE LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE Largest fire company in the world. Assets over $57,000,000.
EDWARD TOWE,
General Insurance Agency, 412 Richmond street, over Bank of Commerce, London. Funds to loan at 5 and 5½ per cent. ywt

$600 Per Year.

Mr. Albert Adams, a former graduate of the Western Ontario Shorthand and Business Academy, has accepted a situation with a steamship company at Windsor at above salary.

COO'S ACADEMY
76 Dundas Street, London,
is the place to get a thorough and practical education. We teach for results, and our pupils make their mark in the world. Classes now open. Pupils may join at any time, and every graduate is guaranteed a

SITUATION.
ywt

Wanted.

First insertion, 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED TO PURCHASE — GOOD work horse, 1,300 pounds, for coal and wood yard. Apply CAMPBELL & CHANTLER, 176 Bathurst street. 17tf

Agents Wanted.

First insertion, 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

$18 A WEEK EASY—YOU WORK right around home. A brand new thing. No trouble to make $18 a week easy. Write to us quick; you will be surprised how easy it can be done. Send us your address anyway. It will be for your interest to investigate. Write today. You can positively make $18 a week easy. Address Imperial Silverware Company, Box L. C., Windsor, Ont. ywt2

Lost and Found.

First insertion, 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

LOST ON HOLTON STREET — FOX terrier pup, dark head and black spot on root of tail. Anyone returning same rewarded. Detainer prosecuted. BRENER BROS. 18u

LOST — ON DUFFERIN AVENUE OR Adelaide street, between William street and Baptist Church, a lady's silver watch with gold fob chain. The finder will be rewarded at 514 William street. 18c

LOST—GOLD BON BON BOX WITH SILVER heart and sword pin attached. Finder rewarded. Apply at this office. 18u

Business Chances.

OLD ESTABLISHED COAL AND WOOD business for sale in city of London. Good reason for selling. For particulars apply J. W. WINNETT, barrister, 420 Talbot street, London. ywt

FOR SALE—BAKERY BUSINESS AND property, fully equipped; doing good business; great snap; better than the Klondike investments; good reason for selling. Address Box 119, Wallaceburg. 11bu 54u

Houses, Etc., To Let.

First insertion, 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

FIRST-CLASS WHOLESALE WAREHOUSE to rent, recently occupied by R. C. Macfie & Co. Apply to C. W. ANDRUS, 361 Dundas street. 18c

TO LET—COMFORTABLE ROOMS CAN be had, with board, at 135 Queen's avenue on easy terms. 18c

TO LET—HOUSE—120 MILL STREET; good repair; 8 rooms; modern conveniences; low rent. Apply to C. A. BLINN, Canadian Savings and Loan Company, or to MRS. BLINN, 116 Mill street. 15k vtyw

TO LET — FIRST-CLASS COTTAGE—26 Hope street; rent $8.50 per month. Apply R. BOYD & SON, 159 Dundas street. 14n eod

TO LET—DETACHED BRICK HOUSE, near Victoria Park, 10 rooms, every modern convenience, furnished or unfurnished. Apply box 29, Advertiser. 16c ty w

Educational.

WESTERN UNIVERSITY, LONDON, Ont.—Faculties of arts, divinity and medicine; open Oct. 1. Calendars from Registrar. 16tf ty

MRS. EVANS' BOARDING AND DAY school for young ladies will be reopened (D.V.) Sept. 15. A thorough English school combined with the comforts of a quiet Christian home for a limited number of pupils. 355 Princess avenue. 12n ywt

Real Estate.

2 NEW COTTAGES ON FLORENCE street for sale. Apply E. H. JOHNSTON, 466 Richmond street. 6tfywt

$9 96 A MONTH WITHOUT INTEREST will purchase cottage No. 161 Lichfield street. Apply M. J. KENT, 433 Richmond street, London. 3n eod

FORSALE—TEN FINE BUILDING LOTS five fronting on Grey street and five fronting on Simcoe street, immediately east of the London and Petrolea Barrel Works, East London. Price and particulars given by
GEO. PRITCHARD,
yt 9 Market Lane.

TWO-STORY DETACHED RESIDENCE for sale, 11 rooms, exceptionally good locality; east end; all modern improvements. Postoffice box 535.

FOR SALE — DESIRABLE GROCERY store with dwelling attached, with or without stock; must be sold, as owner has other business.
J. F. SANGSTER,
463 Richmond street.

Hotel Cards.

ONEIL HOUSE—CORNER TALBOT AND York street; new and convenient; stables. WM. COLLINS, proprietor.

CITY HOTEL, LONDON—BEST $1 DAY house in Canada; good stables in connection. J. MCMARTIN, proprietor.

THE ST. LAWRENCE HOTEL, MONTREAL—Centrally located and first-class in every respect. H. HOGAN, Proprietor.

"THE RICHMOND" — CORNER KING and Richmond streets. JAMES FALLAHE, new proprietor. A call solicited.

TECUMSEH HOUSE—LONDON, ONT. Largest and best hotel in Western Ontario. No charge for baggage or sample rooms. Rates $2 and $2 50 per day. C. W. DAVIS proprietor.

Bicycle Liveries.

BICYCLE LIVERY—TELEPHONE 335 for prices. Bicycles slightly used for sale. Jas. W. T. PARK. 14n eod

TRIBUNE TANDEM TO RENT MORNING, afternoon or evening, 75c; single wheels 40c, at 758 Dundas street. FRED. W. HARDEY. 4bctyw

BICYCLES TO RENT — ALL NEW wheels. H. BEAMISH, Spencer Block. Also bicycle repairing. Riding lessons given.

Musical Instruction.

THE LONDON—
CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC
—AND—
SCHOOL OF ELOCUTION
Reopens Wednesday, Sept 1.

MR. THOMAS W. MARTIN RESUMES piano lessons on Wednesday, Sept. 8, at his residence, 283 Dufferin avenue. eod

J. T. WOLCOTT, ORGANIST, FIRST Methodist Church, teacher piano, organ and composition, 241 Queen's avenue.

W. H. HEWLETT, ORGANIST DUNDAS Center Church, teacher piano organ and theory, 862 Dundas street.

Veterinary Surgeons.

J. H. TENNANT—VETERINARY SURGEON—Office, King street, opposite Market House; residence, corner King and Wellington. Telephone.

Articles For Sale.

First insertion, 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

GAS CHANDELIERS AND BRACKETS and globes. SMITH BROS., 265 Dundas street. y

SINGING CANARIES—FROM $1 TO $2. Apply 69 Dundas street. 16c

GOOD UP-TO-DATE WHEEL FOR SALE —Cheap for cash. Apply this office. 16c

TIMBERS, TRUSS RODS AND PLATES PATTERSON & JOLLY. 72tf

BICYCLE OIL—BICYCLE AND GUN repairing at lowest prices. D. MCKENZIE & Co., 374 Richmond street.

DAWSON GOLDEN CHAFF FOR SALE —Positively pure and clean. Price $1. A. C. ATTWOOD, Vanneck. bd&w

STOVES AND SECOND-HAND FURNITURE for sale cheap at KEENE'S Furniture Store, Masonic Temple, Market Square.

SHIPPING TAGS—AT CLOSE PRICES—ADVERTISER Job Department.

THE LOCKED WIRE FENCE CO., LTD., of Ingersoll, whose head office is at 369 Bathurst street, city, have been instructed by the waterworks commissioners to place one of their famous fences round the pond at Byron. ywt

LONDON CARPET CLEANING WORKS. Carpets taken up, cleaned and relaid same day if necessary. Our work has been very satisfactory, and can give best of references. Craig street, South London. Telephone 569. 10tf ywt

STEWART'S STOVES, RANGES, STEEL ovens are perfect workers. We give estimates on iron roofs, iron eavestroughs, hot air furnaces. JAS. THOMPSON, 424 Richmond street. ywt

FOR SALE—ONE 30 HORSEPOWER automatic "Brown" engine, built by Goldie, McCulloch & Co., Galt. Cylinder 16 inches, stroke 24 inches; can be run at 60 revolutions, or as high as 90 revolutions; also one tubular exhaust feed water heater. The engine can be seen at H. POSTER & Co.'s storage warehouse, Carling street, London, Ont. 6tf-31f

PAMPHLET WORK OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, clean and quick, at ADVERTISER Job Department.

POSTERS — ALL STYLES — HANGERS and dodgers. ADVERTISER Job Department.

ENVELOPES—PLAIN OR PRINTED—AT ADVERTISER Job Department.

Miscellaneous.

A. HOWAY (SUCCESSOR TO ED. F. HOWAY) — House-moving, building and repairing. 815 Queen's avenue.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL—GAVIN PARK has removed his pork butcher business from Market Bazar to Market Lane, second door north from Market Square.

WILL BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION at the auction rooms of Mr. J. W. Jones, 242 Dundas street, London, on Thursday, the 9th day of September, 1897 at 2:30 o'clock p.m., the stock of N. P. Finch, of Aylmer, in two parcels as follows:

Boots and shoes	$3,791 37
Clothing	7,693 32
Men's furnishings	1,075 42
Hats, caps and furs	650 24
Shop furniture	148 00
Total	$13,371 35
Dress goods, silks, velvets, linings	$2,299 12
Tweeds and cloths	819 28
Staples	2,206 70
Hosiery, gloves, underwear, etc	1,175 75
Small wares	1,406 87
House furnishings	1,714 39
Millinery, mantlesand ribbons	1,649 77
Shop furniture	192 75
Total	$11,574 63

Terms—One-quarter down; balance, 2, 4, 6, and 8 months, approved indorsed paper, interest at 7 per cent. Two separate stores which can be had. Stock list on the premises, and with the undersigned. GIBBONS, MCKEEN & HARPER, solicitors for trustee, London, Ont.; C. B. ARMSTRONG, trustee. 13k xvty

Western Fair Association

PRIVILEGE FOR SELLING REFRESHMENTS on the Grand Stands for sale. Apply quickly to J. H. Brown, Chairman of Grounds and Buildings, on the grounds. 18u

SOULANGES CANAL.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Guard Lock," will be received at this office until sixteen o'clock on the 20th day of September, 1897, for the construction of a Guard Lock at the Upper entrance.

Plans and specifications of the work can be seen on and after the 6th day of September, 1897, at the office of the Chief Engineer of the Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa. Printed forms of tender can also be obtained at the place named.

In the case of firms there must be attached to the tender the actual signatures of the full name, the nature of the occupation and residence of each member of the same, and further, an accepted bank check for the sum of $3,500 must accompany the tender. This accepted bank check must be indorsed over to the Minister of Railways and Canals, and will be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the work at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer submitted.

The accepted check thus sent in will be returned to the respective parties whose tenders are not accepted.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
L. K. JONES,
Secretary.
Department of Railways and Canals,
Ottawa, Sept. 2, 1897.

Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid for it. 16c

A PECULIAR PLAGUE.

Northern Arizona Overrun by Vicious Wild Horses.

Phoenix, Ariz., Sept. 7.—Wild horses have become so much of a nuisance in Northern Arizona, that Attorney-General Frazier has been asked if they may not be legally slaughtered.

The vicinity has been overrun by several large bands, hundreds in number, unbranded and unclaimed by anyone. They have rapidly multiplied and have become wilder than deer and vicious as well. The matter has been referred to the live stock board.

Worth $10 a Bottle.

Any person who has used Nerviline, the great pain cure, would not be without it if it cost $10 a bottle. A good thing is worth its weight in gold, and Nerviline is the best remedy for all kinds of pain. It cures neuralgia in five minutes; toothache in one minute, lame back at one application; headache in a few minutes, and all pains just as rapidly.

The Ameer All Right.

Assisting to Keep India's Rebellious Tribesmen in Check.

Mark Lane Express on the World's Wheat Crop.

A Shortage of 112,000,000 Bushels Is Ciphered Out.

Salisbury's Latest Proposal May Lead to a Settlement of the Turko-Grecian Dispute.

WILL JOIN THE NAVY.

London, Sept. 7.—It is stated that Prince Charles of Denmark, who a year ago married Princess Maude, the youngest of the Prince of Wales' three daughters, yielding to his wife's wishes, has at last decided to enter the British navy and take up his residence in England.

SUCCESS OF THE NILE EXPEDITION.

London, Sept. 7.—A special dispatch from Cairo says that Berber, the next town of importance on the Nile in advance of the Anglo-Esyptian expedition upon Khartoum, has been occupied by Soudanese, who are friendly to the British. Berber is only about 200 miles, as the crow flies, from Khartoum.

LABOR'S PARLIAMENT.

London, Sept. 7.—The Trades Union Congress is in session at Birmingham, England. There are 390 delegates present, representing 1,250,000 unionists. The parliamentary committee reported that the legislation in many decisions of the courts during the year 1897 was not based on principles of equity and justice, and was calculated to seriously injure the cause of labor and give capitalism an unfair and improper advantage.

NEW OIL SYNDICATE.

Baku, Sept. 7.—A new Russian syndicate, composed of twelve large petroleum firms, will, it is expected, be formed in 1898 on a ten years' basis. The syndicate will control an immense capital and will be represented in the great markets. It will have tank boats and reservoirs in order to compete with American oil, with the new Russian Grosney field wells, which are largely exploited by foreign firms, and seriously threaten the Baku trade.

A GERMAN VICTORY.

London, Sept. 7.—The Marquis of Salisbury's latest proposal for the settlement of the terms of peace between Turkey and Greece is generally regarded as a victory for German diplomacy, and much better feeling is displayed in England over the British premier's backdown. A fresh proposal was what Germany had been holding out for, namely, the control of the Greek revenue in the interests of all the creditors of Greece, as well as for the security of the loan to Greece, for the purpose of paying her indemnity to Turkey.

BRITISH TRADE RETURNS.

London, Sept. 7.—The board of trade returns for the month of August show the imports to have been £33,371,385, an increase of £80,912 over August, 1896. The exports for August, 1897, were £18,773,997, a decrease of £1,552,799 over August, 1896. For the eight months of 1897, ending on Aug. 31, the imports were £294,755,179, an increase of £11,438,513 over the same period of 1896. The exports for the eight months of 1897, ending Aug. 31, were £157,685,901, a decrease of £3,196,174 when compared with the same period of 1896.

CURE FOR CANCER.

Vienna, Sept. 7.—An Austrian priest named Gentilini claims to have discovered a certain cure for cancer by means of eating lizards. By this extraordinary remedy he is said to have already cured 30 patients afflicted with cancers. In this connection it may be added, that recent investigation has resulted in the discovery that both toads and lizards possess beneath the surface of their skins certain secretions which constitute an extremely powerful chemical agent, so that the use of these reptiles for medical purposes in China and in other parts of the Orient is not so ridiculous as was at first supposed.

TO ABOLISH PRIVATE MAD-HOUSES.

London, Sept. 7.—Mr. George W. E. Russell, who was in the Rosebery cabinet, has inaugurated a movement calling for the abolition of the private mad-houses, and will ask Parliament to take steps in that direction as soon as it reassembles. He declares that these private lunatic asylums constitute the greatest iniquity in England. Since he has been a member of the opposition he has gone on investigating the matter, and announces that he will produce before the house revelations of the most startling character. A great sensation has been caused by Mr. Russell's remarks, as it had been generally supposed that the once notorious abuses in connection with these private lunatic asylums had been abolished and were a thing of the past.

112,000,000 BUSHELS SHORT.

London, Sept. 7.—The Mark Lane Express, reviewing the crop situation, says: The weather has been adverse to the completion of the harvest, and the quantity of grain still out has been considerable.

The French wheat crop is estimated at 31,000,000 quarters by the chief writers of the Paris press. Correspondents of English business firms state that the crop will amount to from 33,000,000 to 36,000,000 quarters.

The Austria-Hungarian crop is stated to be 17,000,000 quarters. If this is true, it adds greatly to the gravity of the situation.

The American crop is reckoned by careful judges to be 68,500,000 quarters, or 11,000,000 quarters improvement, to offset a decline of 9,000,000 quarters in Russia and 6,000,000 to 10,000,000 quarters in France.

All the figures point, therefore, to a deficiency in the world's supply of 14,000,000 quarters, or 112,000,000 bushels. Should the demand be actually as large as this, the stores of old wheat will be used up and a crisis of great seriousness will only be prevented by generally good prospects for the spring of 1898. We are not, however, entitled to argue that such prospects will be more than the average.

SALISBURY'S SCHEME.

London, Sept. 7.—The correspondent of the Times in Constantinople says that owing to the note of Count Muravieff, the Russian foreign minister, implying that Britain was responsible for the incalculable evils from which Greece and Turkey are suffering through the delay in the conclusion of peace between the two countries, Lord Salisbury has submitted fresh proposals, namely, the constitution of an international commission, representing the six powers, under whose control Greece shall place the revenues, guaranteeing their interest to the holders of old bonds and the indemnity loan, to be followed by the prompt evacuation of Thessaly by the Turks. The Vienna Politische Correspondent announces that Greece has abandoned her opposition to the demands of Germany regarding the control of Greek finances, and, therefore, there is a possibility that Lord Salisbury's latest proposals will lead to a settlement of the Greco-Turkish troubles.

A Canea, Island of Crete, dispatch says: The admirals in command of the fleets of the powers in Cretan waters has decided to raise the blockade of this island on Saturday next, Sept. 11, the cause necessitating a blockade having disappeared, and the insurgents having accepted an autonomous form of government.

CABLE NOTES.

News has been received at Sydney, N. S. W., that the governor of German New Guinea was killed by natives on Aug. 1.

The secretary of state for India, Lord George Hamilton, has invited tenders for India bills, payable in six or twelve months, at the option of the holders, to the amount of £2,500,000.

A special dispatch from Berlin says that Herr Krupp, the iron master, has withdrawn his offer of £25,000 to equip the next expedition of Dr. Peters to Africa, owing to the sentence recently passed upon the doctor.

The newspapers of Rome publish the announcement that upon the invitation of King Humbert, Emperor William and the Empress Augusta Victoria will visit the national exhibition to be held at Turin next year.

AFGHAN'S AMEER

Has No Hand in the Uprising of Tribesmen on the Frontier of India.

Simla, Sept. 7.—The Swatis, up to the present, have surrendered 2,000 guns, 1,000 swords and 70 breech-loading rifles.

A few days after the durbar at Cabul, when the Ameer of Afghanistan repudiated the complicity of his officials in the uprising of the tribesmen on the Indian frontier, the British agent addressed a letter to him, asking for a specific answer to the strong rumors that natives from Lughman were joining the Huddah Mullah, and that supplies were being sent from Lapura to the gathering of the followers of the Huddah Mullah. The ameer immediately replied in an autograph letter, reminding the British agent of his public repudiation of the complicity of his officials, adding that though the Mullah's disciples helped the fanatical priests secretly they could not do so openly for fear of the ameer. The latter also informed the agent that the Afghan officials at Nulgrahar had been instructed to secretly watch the suspected disciples of the Mullah in Afghanistan, and he asserted that the governor of Lughman recently attacked and dispersed 500 men who had been collected by the Mullah's disciples, and who were about to join the Mullah. The governor, the ameer asserted, had arrested 40 of these men.

London, Sept. 7.—The Times' Simla correspondent says that in addition to dispersing the Lughmanis who had been collected by the Mullah's disciples and were about to join the Mullah, the ameer's troops also scattered a body of Shinwaris who had assembled near Peshbalak intending to enter and hold the Khyber Pass for the Afridis. The ameer, the correspondent says, is plainly determined to keep the tribesmen in check, and measures will be taken by his orders that will cripple the Mullah's power and probably prevent further rising.

WOMAN SMASHES BURGLAR.

He Had a Revolver, but She Disarmed Him With a Rocking Chair.

Rochester, Sept. 7.—Mrs. Mary S. Gordon, widow of the well-known brewer of this city, had an exciting experience with a burglar at her residence, 178 Andrews street. The lights of the sitting room had been put out and Mrs. Gordon was about to retire when she saw the form of a man half way through the window. He held a revolver in his hands and a white handkerchief was tied about the lower part of his face. The two saw each other at the same moment. The burglar made all haste to scramble into the room, but Mrs. Gordon was too quick for him. Picking up a rocking-chair she dashed it down upon the intruder's head and shouted, causing him to drop the revolver to the floor. Before he could recover from the effects of the first blow, the plucky woman dealt him another. This effectually blocked his game, and he fell back to the ground. When Mrs. Gordon had aroused the household the man was gone, but the woodwork of the window was spattered with blood.

Piles! Piles! Itching Piles!

SYMPTOMS—Moisture; intense itching and stinging, mostly at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue, tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. Swayne's Ointment stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumors. All druggists, or by mail, 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia. Lyman Sons & Co., Montreal, wholesale agents.

For ill effects of over-eating—BEECHAM'S PILLS

Two Routes to Klondike.

Figures Show the Canadian Way to be the Shortest.

Wheat from the Yukon Is of Fair Quality.

Opening the Skaguay Trail—Great Rush to Reach the Eldorado.

The Michipicoten Field—Quartz That Turns Out $800 to the Ton.

For those who have any intention of going to the Klondike gold fields, the following comparative table, showing the distances by water and land, will prove of interest, and possibly of value.

OVERLAND ROUTE.

	Miles.
Edmonton to Peace River crossing	260
Crossing to forks of Nelson	240
Forks to junction of Nelson and Liard	120
Nelson to Dease, up Liard	160
Dease to Pelly	170
Pelly to junction with Lewes	220
Junction to Klondike	200
Total	1,370

WATER ROUTE.

Edmonton to Athabasca Landing	96
Athabasca Landing to Grand Rapids	165
Grand Rapids to Fort McMurray	87
Fort McMurray to Chipewayan	87
Chipewayan to Smith Portage	185
The Portage	16
Fort Smith to Fort Resolution	194
Fort Resolution to Providence	108
Providence to Simpson	161
Simpson to Wrigley	136
Wrigley to Norman	184
Norman to Good Hope	174
Good Hope to Peel River	252
Up Peel River	18
Peel River to Summit	30
Summit to La Pierre's house	30
La Pierre's House to Porcupine	30
Porcupine to Junction of Yukon	400
Junction to Klondike	300
Total	2,728

WHEAT FROM THE YUKON.

Ottawa, Sept. 7.—The department of the interior has received from Mr. Ogilvie, the Dominion surveyor now in the Yukon country, a bunch of wheat bearing the following inscription on a card: "Grown at Fort Cudahy from accidental planting in the autumn of 1895. All from one root and cut fourteen inches above ground, on Sept. 7, 1896. Aug. 27, min. temp., 31.8 degrees; Aug. 31, min. temp., 27.2; Sept. 1, min. temp., 27.1." This is probably the first wheat ever grown in the Yukon, and though not of the highest grade, it demonstrates what may be done.

THE SKAGUAY TRAIL.

The following letter has been received from Skaguay, Alaska, dated Aug. 28: "An expedition sent out by a New York newspaper landed yesterday morning at Skaguay by a specially chartered tug from Juneau, with two tons of blasting powder and the necessary tools to equip seven complete crews for rock work on the Skaguay trail, and as fast as horses and men could get at it, it was started to the front. In the evening there was a meeting at the foot of the first hill, attended by over 500 miners, who organized for the work in front of them and elected an executive committee, with Mr. Peacock and Mr. Day as superintendents, who selected experienced men for the work of corduroying the muddy places. There were 30 Canadian mounted police also on the trail. They have pitched in with a good will, and say that the building of this trail will enable them to get in with the 70 tons of provisions in time to build and provision the mail stations in their territory. They will operate dog teams all winter, and they agree to deliver the mail every two weeks from the Klondike to the American line. Work is in progress for fifteen miles along the trail, and all travelers' packing has been suspended until it is completed. While I believe this trail will be complete in ten days, so that travel can be resumed, it will take at least 30 days after the trail is completed to get all the miners over who are now there. There would never have been so much trouble for small parties, but the swarm of people, 95 per cent of whom were tenderfeet and knew nothing about packing and mountaineering, has been the cause of congestion at this point.

GONE INTO REAL ESTATE.

Not nearly so many discouraged prospectors are selling their outfits for a song as has been reported, but a good many who started for the Klondike have given up that idea, have turned town site buyers, and are erecting all kinds of buildings and establishing themselves for the winter as best they can. One week ago lumber could be got for $27 per 1,000. Now it is $50, and none for sale even at that figure. Rubber boots, heavy shoes and oil clothing are in demand, and fetch big prices. Hardware of all kinds sells well.

LIVE STOCK FOR YUKON.

At the Seattle end of the line reason has assumed sway, and hundreds of gold seekers who intended going north this fall and taking the overland trail for the Yukon have been persuaded to defer the trip until spring. But another class, in the meantime, have put in an appearance. These are speculators and camp followers, who appear to be almost as numerous as gold seekers. Another class have also suddenly become prominent, the horse traders, and nearly everything in the shape of a horse is being shipped to Alaska. So that between speculators, horse traders and saloon-keepers and an occasional Klondiker, the boats have plenty to do. It is estimated that there are 3,000 horses now at Dyea and Skaguay, and half as many more will be sent in this fall to encumber the trails. Willis Thorpe and his two sons have sailed on the steamer Utopia, bound for the Klondike, taking with them 50 head of cattle and 20 horses, intending to drive them over the Dalton trail. It is something of a venture at this season of the year, but they have every confidence in their ability to get through safely. The reported scarcity of provisions on the Klondike determined them to make the attempt to drive a herd of cattle through at this time of the year.

CLOSED BY MUD.

Port Townsend, Wash., Sept. 7.—Capt. Nellson, of the tug Pioneer, just returned from Dyea and Skaguay, says: "The half has not been told of the miserable trails by which the gold-seekers are striving to cross to Lake Linderman, Capt. Wasson, banker and ex-collector of customs for the Puget Sound district, is reported as being camped on the beach at Skaguay, with not one chance in five thousand of getting through this fall. He has ten horses. One man at Dyea offered $750 to have 100 pounds packed over, but packers refused the offer. Crossing from Skaguay and Dyea, the trail is practically closed on account of the mud."

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Detroit, Mich., Sept. 7.—A special dispatch has been received from Wawa City, the newly laid out town in Michipicoten gold country, on Lake Wawa, Ontario. The embryo town is located in the one narrow pass which leads to Lake Wawa from the landing place on the shore of Lake Superior, which is but six miles from the gold discoveries. As to the gold discoveries developing to anything like the indications given, it can be said that quartz has been found that assays over $300 a ton. It is found not in one section, but in different places extending over several thousand acres. Quartz has been found here containing free gold in chunks as big as kernels of wheat—gold in its pure form which does not have to be subjected to a chemical process to free it from the rock. Prospectors every day are finding specimens that assay $50 a ton. Probably 100 prospectors are today working in the hills. Another party of 25 reached here yesterday afternoon. Several thousand acres have already been claimed, but there are all kinds of disputes about priority of claims, and nobody can tell who will get the patent from the government. The country where the discoveries were made has never been opened for settlement. The only inhabitants are Indians and Hudson Bay traders, and they are few.

A LUCKY LAD.

New Ulm, Minn., Sept. 7.—Last September Willie Gollmas, the 14-year-old son of Fernald Gollmas, of this place, ran away from home, and his parents had not heard from him until the receipt of a letter last week. He says he went to Cripple Creek from here, riding his bicycle the entire distance. Subsequently he sold his wheel for $75 and went to Seattle.

There he stowed himself away in the hold of a vessel bound for Alaska. He was discovered and made to work his way to Juneau. There he fell in with some miners who gave him his board to help them pack their stuff to the gold region. Here he got work at $11 a day and board.

As soon as he got $100 together he patented a claim, from which he has already taken $10,000. He says that his claim will pay $300 a day. He has been offered $50,000 for it, but refused to sell.

AN ENGLISH PLAY.

"Shannon of the Sixth" at the Grand—Seabrooke Coming Again.

"Shannon of the Sixth," Edward E. Kidder's stirring military drama, which enjoyed so much popularity throughout the country last year, will be seen in this city for five nights and two matinees, beginning Friday, Sept. 10. This is a powerful and well-written play, abounding in human interest, brilliant scenes, bright dialogues and thrilling situations, with a background of radiant color and oriental magnificence. Mystic India, with its ancient lore and air of occultism, is the scene, and 1857, the year of the Sepoy rebellion, the time of "Shannon of the Sixth." Stately palaces, airy eastern bungaloes, the heart of the great jungle and rugged mountain passes are placed on the stage with a lavish hand. English officers and their wives and sweethearts, natives in their picturesque garb, Hindoo priests and fierce Sepoys are instrumental in telling the story, which, while mainly one of love and adventure, is liberally interspersed with sparkling comedy. The company presenting "Shannon of the Sixth" is headed by W. H. Power, who made so favorable an impression last season as the hero, Lieut. Larry Shannon, through the States. Mr. Power is peculiarly happy in his characterization of her majesty's brave young Irish officer. This is essentially an English play in every particular, dealing with the incidents of one of England's most terrible wars, and should attract everyone who has a vein of patriotism in him.

SEABROOKE AGAIN.

The old favorite, Thomas Q. Seabrooke, appears at the Grand Opera House, Thursday night, in his latest success, "Papa Gou-Gou." His admirers will welcome him back to comic opera, in which his chief success was earned. His latest production is said to be very clever.