G. T. R. CLAIMS PROPER SIGNALS WERE PLACED TO PROTECT TRAIN

The Torpedoes Had Been Placed on Rails and Rear Lights Were Burning After Accident.

SIX PEOPLE LOST LIVES

This Is According to an Official Statement Issued by the Company -Stories of the Wreck.

THE DEAD. SQUIRES. residence to be Chicago, but uncer-

MASTER SQUIRES, 10-year-old Mrs. Squires, crushed and burned

ULMA WOODWARD, en MRS. route from Fargo, N. D., to Port Huron, Mich., body badly burned, but features scarcely touched.

MISS MARIE MESLADY, nurse from St. John's Hospital, Fargo, accompanying Mrs. Woodward: body burned to charred mass. JAMES McBEAN, of Chicago.

burned to a crisp. MRS. E. GILPEN, of 625 East Forty-sixth Place, Chicago; scalded and burned, features easily rec-

ognizable.
THE INJURED. MRS. F. S. McBEAN, of Chicago, right leg fractured. Taken to the

Flint Hospital. ALBERT B. WATTS, Edmonton, Alta., face and hands blistered badly, but condition not serious. Removed to Flint hospital.

CLINTON A. DAVIS, 598 West arine street, Montreal, son of Mrs. Woodward; seriously burned on all parts of body. Condition grave; lies in the Thomas House, Durand.

MRS. LESLIE D. OCHLER, of Tavistock, Ont., 74 years old, was taken to Flint Hospital with a fractured right leg and hip.

MRS. F. S. SHELTERS, Chicago, right arm fractured and suffering from internal injuries; lies in the Flint Hospital.

B. D. MITCHELL, Battle Creek, engineer of No. 14, cuts and bruises. GEORGE NELSON, of Battle Creek, fireman of No. 4, probably fatally scalded, now in the care of physicians at Durand. ESCAPED INJURY.

JEFFRIES, Racine. DODD. Minneapolis. PARLEY, Minneapolis. Man in lower 6, name unknown. Unknown man boarded train at South Bend and left at Flint. Unknown man in lower 7.

Two unknown men in upper 7.

LONDON MAN ESCAPES. Durand, Mich., Aug. 26. - Seven of the eight passengers who were in the wrecked Pullman on No. 14 and escaped uninjured, later proceeding on their way, are as follows: B. C. Binning, Listowel, Ont.; Harriet Hawtrey, Newmarket, Ont.; C. L. Hovey, Sherbrooke, Que.; Lee Wormley, 77 West Adelaide street, Toronto; W. G. Caran, Toronto: Kitty Sara, 11 Sacramento street, Montreal; Carl Hickey, 46 Cart-

Resting Easily.

wright street, London, Ont.

[Associated Press.] Durand, Mich., Aug. 26.-Clinton A Davis, of Montreal, and Fireman Geo. Wednesday night, were reported today as resting easily. The five injured who were taken to Hurley Hospital at Flint, also passed a comfortable night, except in the case of Engineer Bert Mitchell. The latter's condition is very serious, but it is now believed that he will recover. Grand Trunk officials will begin an investigation of the cause of the wreck!

today at Battle Creek. Durand, Mich., Aug. 26.-Superintendent J. E. Ehrke, of the Grand Trunk Railroad, last night gave out a statement that six passengers were killed, five passengers and three trainmen were injured, and eight passengers escaped injury in the passenger collision three miles east of ere, when the Pullman car Nebraska, on the rear of east-bound train No. 14, was demolished and set afire by the locomotive of passenger train No. 4.

Mr. Ehrke says the assertion that only nineteen passengers were on the wrecked car is borne out by the train chart of Pullman Conductor Haynes, and the list given out at Chicago by H. G. Elliott, first assistant general passenger agent of

The uninjured passingers, according to Mr. Ehrke, who has charge of the Grand Frunk lines west of the Detroit and St. Trunk lines west of the Detroit and St. Clair Rivers during the absence of Superntendent Egan, were checked up when the train started after the wreck.

Not until last night were the scarred Not until last night were the scarred Continued on Page Four.

Description of the Grand perience, and that is that such plants are unqualified successes.

"Every report I receive is favorable," said his worship. "All the cities where they are in operation are saving money, and I cannot see why we cannot do the same."

NOT IN THE WRECK

John Carl Hickey, son of Mrs.

M. Hickey, of 46 Cartwright street, who has charge of a cafe car on the G. T. R., on a run between Chicago and Niagara Falls, was on train No. 4, until ten minutes before the wreck near Durand, Mich., that resulted in the deaths of several people late Wednesday night. A dispatch to The Advertiser states that he was in the wreck, but was uninjured. The cafe car had been taken from the train at Durand, to await a morning train for the Falls, and while the men in charge, including Mr. Hickey, were still in the car at Durand, the message came back telling of the terrible accident, Mr. Hickey sent a brief message to his mother in this city yesterday morning, telling of the affair, and informing her that he was not on the train. Mr. Hickey continued his run

DR. ENGLISH IS

today and passed through this

city on his way to Niagara

Trial of the Guards. Who Are Alleged to Have Freed Two Murderers, Will Be Interesting.

PROSECUTION BUNGLED

Informations Are Said to Have Been Incorrectly Made Out-Is Moir Sane?

Hamilton, Aug. 26.-That Fred Mccullough and Monteith Trapnell, incarcerated on serious charges of aiding and abetting in the escape of Moir and Taggart, the insane murderers from the Hamilton asylum two weeks ago, are not in half so serious a prewas made known this morning, when the authorities in charge of the prosecution announced that in the event of both men being found guilty they could not be sent to jail for longer than two years. It was stated that they were liable to a term of seven years' imprisonment in the event of their being convicted of the charge against them, but that is not so, and it now appears that two years is the maximum penalty for the particular offence with which they are accused. Will Be Chief Witness.

Dr. English will be the chief witness in the case against Trapnell and McCullough. He will be questioned by the crown prosecutor regarding the movements of the two prisoners ever since they obtained employment at the local asylum. Suspecting, as they do, that a female attendant and probably two more of the male attendants of employees assisted in the break for liberty made by the two insane murderers, the crown and the detectives on the case will leave no stone Continued on Page Eight.

LONDON MAN BITTEN BY A MAD DOG IN MISSOURI

Superintendent Young, of City Gas Company, Undergoing Pasteur Treatment in Chicago.

Mr. James Young, superintendent of the city gas works, is in the Pasten Institute, Chicago, taking the treatment for rabies, where he was removed from Joplin, Mo., last week. His condition is not considered serious. Last week Mr. Young left on a visit to his former home in Joplin, and one Nelson, who were seriously injured in morning when walking down the street the Grand Trunk wreck east of here he was attacked by a vicious dog and severely bitten.

The dog gave every symptom of rabies, and Mr. Young at once decided to go to Chicago, the nearest Pasteur Institute, and take the treatment.

CITY OWNED PLANTS **YIELD BIG PROFITS**

Mayor Beattie Is Securing Information Regarding Asphalt Concerns.

Mayor Beattie is gathering information as to the success of city-owned asphalt plants, and from every place inquiries have been made splendid returns have been received. Detroit was the latest. In 1904, the city installed a plant to do their own repairing, and as a result they have saved about \$85,000 since that time. City Engineer Rust. Toronto, City Engineer Ker, of Ottawa, and others add to this testimony their own experience, and that is that such plants

CANADA HOLDS THE DESTINY OF THE WORLD IN HER KEEPING

His Lordship Bishop Ingram Calls Upon Dominion to Preserve the Home Life and Not Disappoint Her Well-Wishers in the Old Land-A Warm Greeting Tendered the Distinguished Prelate at Aylmer.

[By Our Own Man.] We no longer call her a colony, but a brother. great, new nation. We have great hopes for her future, and if this country will preserve her home life, make bond, keep away from frills, and side, greatest bishop. keep alive a keen sense of humor, be temperate, and above all, practice the perfectly, and there was a harmony great historic Christian faith there is even greater than we hope. Let, us hope for future united action in unite in our common faith, and work churches of the country. together for her great future. I beieve in the destiny of this country. Mr. Edward Irwin, at Grovesend, That is my message to Little London, and the Canadian people. A Great Reception.

Bishop Ingram of London thus epitomized his speech at the Grovesend ly in the hands of Rev. Mr. Charlton, reception to him today for The Adver-

tiser, and sent it forth as a message Aylmer, Aug. 25.—"Canada holds the to Canadians, his first public utterance lestiny of the world in her keeping since coming to Canada to visit his

The reception was unique. Methodists of Grovesend, and the Anglicans of Port Burwell united to a Canadian's word as good as his tender a fitting reception to England's

The arrangements were carried out of action, and a kindliness of feeling no reason why she should not become that had great meaning to those who

The affair was held on the lawn of most delightful spot for such a gathering.

Bishop Williams Present. The local arrangements were large-(Continued on Page Six.)

CHIEF WITNESS Canadian Pacific Railway Claims That Bonded Cars Have Been Broken Open and Large Quantities of Goods and Liquors Have Been Stolen-A Sensational Juvenile Case.

> What promises to be one of the ever had in London," said a police ofomorrow morning as the result of the before. service of summonses on 20 lads "This summer has been the worst whose ages range from 14 to 7, for in the city's history for juvenile crime.

alleged to be responsible for the rob-

Whiskey, Too. A good deal of the goods has been proved a lesson to others.' ecovered, and the police hope to re-Of late cover more shortly. gations the 20 boys were rounded up. It is stated that other summonses ing. These children are nay follow.

A Serious Outbreak. "This is perhaps the most serious ents will be to blame for not looking outbreak of juvenile crime we have after them better."

most sensational cases that has ever ficer to The Advertiser today. "I been heard in the local juvenile court never remember 20 boys having been will commence before Magistrate Love summoned on one charge like this

breaking into bonded C. P. R. cars We never had such a lot of serious and stealing therefrom large quantities cases to deal with before. This case looks as if it will be a very serious The police believe from the appar- one and may involve others and clear ently systematic manner in which the up some other cases. Crime of a serithefts have been carried on that older ous character shows a very rapid incople were behind the lads who are crease in London at the present time. We are rather at a loss to account for the cause. Some of the juveniles who have appeared before the court Among the missing goods are large this year have received severe sentuantities of whiskey. tences, but it does not seem to have

Keep Off Streets. sooner parents begin keepir numerous complaints their children off the streets at night received at C. P. R. headquarters from the sooner there will be an improvemerchants regarding shipments of ment in the morals of the boys and goods having been broken into. Mat-ters reached such a stage that spe-ficer. "There are any number of little cial men were sent here to investi- ones out about the streets at night gate, and as a result of their investi- whose parents never know or care where they are or what they are dolearn a good deal that they should not, and if they turn out bad the par-

MIDDLESEX PEOPLE MAY SOON PROVE CLAIM TO BIG FORTUNE

Springer Estate Litigation Appears To Be Approaching a Settlement-Names of Some of the Heirs Who Are in Line For a Division.

to the \$200,000,000 fortune, made up of lying in 2,654 acres of land in the heart of the worth half as much more.

Legal Evidence.

The heirs to the Springer fortune are died, leaving a sum of money which has almost ready to make good their claim accumulated till the total now reaches to the \$200,000,000 fortune made up of \$80,000,000, while the value of the land business Wilmington is now

city of Wilmington, Delaware, and a large sum of money.

Among the heirs to this vast estate are to be found several in this immediate locality: Mr. Daniel Ashwell, Mr. Frank Springer, Mrs. David Welsh and Mrs. Jame Patrick, of this city; Mrs. James Lockwood, Delaware; Benj. Fisher, Mount Brydges, and Mrs. C. Reynolds, of Caradoc.

The original founder of the fortune was Carl Christopher Springer, a member of the Swedish colony of Wilmington, and a trustee of the old Swedish Church. In his dual capacity he is supposed to have leased his property and that of the church to the city. Springer

"MAYOR OF POTTERSBURG" RECOGNIZED BY GREEKS

Carpenter Posed as High Official and Exacted License Fee From Peanut and Ice Cream Men-Then Had to Hand the Money Back.

pairing a house on Ridout street, was association in charge. of a 50-cent license fee which he (the at work this morning, and paid over tion at Girvin Park there a couple of

freshment man's request, until the lat- new-found friend told him the Constable Hughes, whom he had lo- even this did not tempt the constable. cated at the courthouse. and the matter was dropped.

"Owed" to a Greek.

The Kreek, in telling his story to the high constable, claimed that he and a peanut man were on the streets of Pottersburg on the day of the celebration. must pay a license fee of 50 cents before they would be allowed to do business, and they yielded up the cash readily.

Later, they proceeded to the park, and although they had paid what they thought was the necessary fee, they

pairing a house on Ridout street, was The peanut man was able to secure placed in a rather ludicrous position his money back, but the "mayor," who this morning, when a Greek ice cream was in a rather "liquidated" condition, vendor hailed him as the mayor of was unable to cash in for the ice Pottersburg, and asked for the return cream vendor. He was recognized while

Greek) paid on the day of the celebra- readily when Mr. Hughes turned up. "Have cone?" said the happy Greek to the high constable, as they separat-The carpenter paid no heed to the re- ed As Mr. Hughes backed away, his ter returned to the scene with High cream would cost him nothing, but

The man then paid over the money, ANOTHER EFFORT? OH! STOP IT! STOP IT!

Same Old Story of a Head Engineer for London Crops Up. when they were both accosted by a Another effort will be made this even-man who claimed he was the mayor ing to settle the question of a head

A joint meeting of the board of works and the water commissioners is called when the proposition will be discussed. It is not known what is wanted, but it is probable that the discussion will

NEW OUTBREAK

A Dread Disease Has Made Its Appearance in the City of Vienna.

VICTIMS FROM HUNGARY

Roumanian Army Manoeuvres Cancelled-133,300 Cases in Russia Alone.

Vienna, Aug. 26. - Cholera, it is officially announced, has broken out in this city. After throwing doubt for two days upon the reports of cases in Vithe health department of the ministry of the interior today an-nounced that bacteriological examination of several suspected cases has es-tablished that the patients were suf fering from Asiatic cholera.

which country the disease spread from Bucharest, Roumania, Aug. 26. he Roumanian army manoeuvres for 1910 were today countermanded as a precautionary measure, in view of the Prussia, near the Roumanian fron-

The victims are from Hungary, into

St. Petersburg, Aug. 25.-It is officially estimated that the number of cholera cases thus far have been 133,300. The diesease is more widely distributed than ver, but the number of cases is lessenog in some districts.

The estimate is widely discredited. It believed that the deaths alone exceed

Several new cases of cholera and a number of deaths from the disease are reported daily from Rome. The scourge has not spread beyond the original area affected, and is not spreading there.

JOHN LAMPMAN GIVEN NINE MONTH'S TERM

Pleaded Guilty to Stealing From Local Rag and Metal Company.

John Lampman, who Wednesday norning pleaded not guilty to a charge of burglarizing the London Rag and Metal Company's premises on Simcoe street east some time ago, appeared before Judge Elliot at the court house this morning and changed his plea to guilty. He was sentenced to a ninemonths' term at the Central prison.

THREE MEN FOUND

Police Gathered in a Trio Who Are Given a Month in

The sudden drop in the temperature rest of Daniel Ryan, of Brockville, and Garland Eggleston and Michael Strendel, of no place in particular. The three ley a harbor of refuge indeed. men were found sleeping in G. T. R. cars and were arrested on charges of

All pleaded guilty and were fined 10 jail. The trio will spend the month recuperating at Governor Carter's sanatorium overlooking the Thames. Wilbur Archer, James Finnegan, Thomas Shannon, Horace Lyle and Ed Gerry, for wheeling on the sidewalks, each paid \$1.

OTTAWAY AVE. CAR RAN OFF TRACKS

Traffic Held Up on Richmond Street For Some Time.

An Ottaway avenue car ran off the track opposite the Tecumseh House at noon today, tying up traffic for fifteen minutes. Some workmen had excavated alongside the rails to make some bond connections, and the car dropped off the rails into one of these. There were three women and several children in the car at the time, but one of them were injured

THE WEATHER

Tomorrow-Warm. FORECASTS.

Toronto. Aug. 26—8 a.m.
Today—Westerly winds, fresh during
the day; fine and cool.
Saturday—Moderate winds; fine; stationary or a little higher temperature.
TEMPERATURES. Stations.

WEATHER NOTES.

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The depression mentioned yesterday now covers the lower St. Lawrence Valley, while the cool wave has spread into Ontario and Western Quebec.

Showers and thunderstorms have been general from the lake region to the Gulf of St. Lawrence, attended by strong breezes and gales.

In the west the weather has been fine and somewhat warmer.

THURSDAY'S WEATHER.

The depression which was situated in

THURSDAY'S WEATHER.

The depression which was situated in the upper Missouri Valley on Wednesday night began yesterday to pass over the lakes, accompanied by strong winds and gales, together with showers and thunderstorms. The cool wave continues to move southerly, and is losing its intensity

Minimum and maximum temperatures:
London, 65-81; Victoria, 44-76; Vancouver, 41-74; Edmonton, 44-68; Battleford, 40-68; Prince Albert, 38-68; Calgary, 34-68; Qu'Appelle, 36-62; Winnipeg, 40-68; Port Arthur, 46-56; Edmonton, 53-74; Toronto, 70-82; Ottawa, 72-82; Montreal, 70-82; Quebec, 64-82; Halifax, 58-72; St. John, 56-62. TODAY'S PROBS.

oint meeting of the board of and the water commissioners is for 7:30 o'clock this evening, the proposition will be discussed. S not known what is wanted, but probable that the discussion will be accurately by the something.

Today's Probs.

The East—Strong winds and moderate local gales, southerly to westerly; showers and thunderstorms, chiefly towards evening and night; turning cooler on Saturday.

Lake Superior — Decreasing northerly and westerly winds; fair and cool. Saturday—Fine, with a little higher temperature.

MADE REAL HARBOR OF DR. PUGSLEY EXPECTED TONIGHT

Board of Trade Delegation Will Meet the Minister of Public Works and Lay Plans Before Him of What Is Required.

CHANNEL SHOULD BE WIDENED HUGE BREAKWATER NECESSARY

City Does Not Intend to Leave a Stone Unturned to Have the Port Brought Up-to-Date for All Lake Traffic.

Hon. Dr. Pugsley, minister of public works, will pass through the city epidemic of cholera raging in South some time this evening, and the local board of trade members will inter-

Owing to the fact that Dr. Pugsley was delayed by heavy storms from isiting Port Stanley, he will not be able to make a visit to London as the guest of the board of trade. However, they will not allow him to get away rom this city, as he passes through, without a definite promise as to when he will visit London and Port Stanley, and discuss the proposed improve-

A number of the members of the board will meet whatever train he goes through on, and they will endeavor to obtain a promise from him as to a definite date for his visit.

NOW IN WINDSOR. Dr. Pugsley is at present in Windsor, and will pass through London, either on the Grand Trunk or C. P. R., this evening.

In the meantime, the locals are going ahead, preparing plans, and making arrangements to lay what information they have received before Dr. Pugsley in the most impressive fashion.

Drawings have been made of the improvements desired. They were shown The Advertiser this morning, and if the Government carries out the plan outlined by the local board, Port Stanley will be one of the most complete harbors in Canada.

WIDEN THE CHANNEL

They first suggest that the channel be widened. At the present time it s 80 feet wide. It has been learned that the Government intend widening the channel to 200 feet,

Plans to that effect have been prepared. The cement dock on the east ide will be run some distance out into the lake, and will afford unloading facilities for several boats of good size.

The rest of the Government's plans are not known. The board of trade, however, want the Government to carry this cement dock out a sufficient distance in order that a slip dock, capable of handling and unloading two big lake boats be built to the east of this dock.

The slip docks as suggested will be somewhat similar to that at present used by the Pere Marquette.

A BREAKWATER.

Then, there is the breakwater. This, if the suggested plan is followed. will be in the form of a crescent. It will start opposite the end of the present breakwater, leaving an opening of 300 feet or so, and swinging a thousand feet or more east and north in crescent shape.

That would indeed make a harbor ideal in every respect, and the cost, it is thought, would not be excessive in view of the necessities of the case. ast night was responsible for the ar- Behind the breakwaters any number of vessels could anchor in safety, no matter what sort of storm there was blowing. This would make Port Stan-

A FAVORABLE ANSWER.

A favorable answer is expected to their petition. The wreck of the ill-fated Bessemer, the lack of proper harbor accommodation, the need of a each and \$2 costs or one month in harbor of refuge on the north shore of Lake Erie, the enormous increase in traffic, and the demand of manufacturers for good shipping facilities for London, are arguments that the Government cannot get away from, it is

"Port Stanley is becoming most important to London, more so than ever," said Mr. Philip Pocock, who is making the arrangements to meet Dr. Pugsley, "With a proper harbor and shipping facilities, London would be on the lake to all practical purposes, and we would reap great benefits from

GRAND OPERA HOUSE REOPENS ON THE FIFTH OF SEPTEMBER

The Grand Opera House season will! "Owing to the fact that Mr. Small open on Sept. 5.

will be ready for opening night.

was laid up several weeks with injur-At the present time the house is in lies we have not been able to have the list of bookings ready," said Manager the hands of decorators, and is being J. R. Minhinnick. "However, I can say thoroughly renovated and overhauled. that the list this year will be better A large staff of workmen are engag- than last year, and that should prove ed, and it is thought that everything satisfactory. We will give the patrons of the theatre the best possible, and The season's bookings have not been we consequently expect a good season." made public, but it is understood that The holiday attraction is not yet anmore good things than last year are nounced, but it will probably be

PTE. MOIR IN CENTRAL PRISON TORONTO PAPER SAYS HE IS

Motr?

With the exception of the acting provincial secretary and a little circle of government officials, the present whereabouts of the notorious homicide is about as dark a mystery as before his capture. Judging from a message received this morning from Hamilton, however, and a series of careful inquiries at the parliament buildings and the Central Prison, The Star is of the opinion that the man it at present confined in the latter in-

"When will Moir be removed to Kingston?" asked The Star of the warden of the Central Prison this morning.
"I don't care to discuss the matter," was the answer. "Too much has been published in the papers already about the unfortunate man.

Inspector Rogers, of the provincial Police Department, was next consulted. criminal insane, such as exists at "The thing has passed out of our Kingston Penitentiary.

Toronto, Aug. 26.—Where is Gunner | hands," said he. "See Dr. Bruce Smith or Mr. Armstrong.'

The former gentleman stated over the telephone that it would be scarcely likely that Moir would be taken to the penitentiary, which is under the control of the minister of justice He recommended the reporter to consult the government fountain-head, the acting provincial secretary

"Is the report correct that Moir has been removed from the Hamilton asy lum?" was asked of Hon. Col. Matheson at noon.

"I think I had better not make any statement at present," said he. less that is said publicly about the matter at the present stage the better.

I will say, though, that the man is being well taken care of, and that we hope to land Taggert very soon." This afternoon it was said Moir will be kept at the Central, and that in order to legally do this the Government will create a branch asylum there, an asylum for the

and the members of the London Horticultural Society are well pleased.

This morning a large portion of the

FLOWER SHOW CLOSED

Attendance Was Most Gratifying All Concerned.

flowers exhibited were sent to the various hospitals and charitable institu-The flower show in the city hall closed last night. There was a very gratifying attendance during the show good exhibit."