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Fine and Moderately Warm. Meteorological Office, Toronto, Ont. during last night, and a few local showers have been experienced there to-day; elsewhere in Canada the weather has been generally fine. Fine weather is still indicated for the greater portion of Canada. Minimum and maximum temperatures:—Victoria, 46—66; Kamloops, 50—74; Winnipeg, 52—64; Port Arthur, 44—64; Sault Ste, Marie, 52—70; Parry Sound, 56—74; Toronto, 62—86; Ottawa, 68—85; Montreal, 62—84; Quebec, 56—78; Halifax, 60—66.

Forecasts:—Lower Lakes, Georgian Bay, Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence—Light to moderate winds; fine and moderately warm. Friday, continued fine.

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CITY NEWS.

One of the first lessons a woman in business has to learn is not to talk. Generosity often follows the posses sion of riches, but riches are slow in coming to the generous.

he is much more talked about than fame as a literary authority and and the amount left over after paying he is the kissing bug, writer. Mr. James Dart (formerly of this city) and Robert Hamilton, of Ridge-town, have been awarded the con-tract for grading section No. 2 of the . E. & D. R. R. extension between Highgate and Rodney.

important meeting of the executive

officers of that society. away again just like they jump in years with Peters' Cartridges. We carry and out of a cold plunge because they and line, from 22 short to 45-85. No know what they are doing; women Issuer of Marriage Licenses. slide in slowly, wondering what it's all about, and before they find out it's too late to climb back.

The marriage of Miss Susan Emily Morley, daughter of Mrs. Samuel Morley, of Port Stanley, formerly of South London, to Herbert Edward Arkell M. D., of Belmont, son of Thos. Arkell. of this city, is announced to take place in Christ Church, Port Stanley, or Wednesday evening, Sept. 12th.

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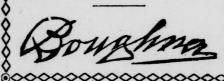
The last of the London soldiers i the party of 119 who reached Canada last week, Pte. S. Crockett, of Wes London, arrived here yesterday for noon. His arrival was not expected August 29, 8 p.m.—Severe thunderstorms and he was not greeted by an en-occurred in many portions of Manitoba thusiastic crowd, as were his com-during last night, and a few local showers, rades, who preceded him. He had rades, who preceded him. He had barely reached the depot platform. however, before he was recognized by several friends, who at once seized him and carried him off in triumph Pte. Crockett was a victim of enterio

> some of his fellow soldiers, who have lately returned. He was wounded in the hip with a Mauser bullet at Paardeburg, but was nevertheless able to River. Soon after he was stricken with enteric fever and sent back to hospital at Bloemfontein. His recovery was slow, however, and he was eventually sent to England on June Pte. Crockett refused to say

anything about the hospitals, but had

many kind expressions to utter re garding Col. Buchan and Capt. Stuart The former won the complete confi dence of his men and was voted generally a thoroughbred. Pte. Crockett said that when Capt. Stuart left the regiment to return to Cape Town he felt the disappointment so keenly

Fall Mats



The following marriage announce ment from the Toronto Telegram possesses interest to numerous Free Press readers, the parties thereof Some men are born great, some men being well known in London:-The acquire greatness and others just seem recent marriage of Miss Louise to stumble into the paths of the kodak, Lavelle Ryckman, daughter of the Casey, securing the nomination. Rev. Dr. Ryckman, and sister of Bar-Li Hung Chang seems to be Em-! rister E. B. Ryckman, of this city, has been settled out of court. The A girl never forgives a man for legiate Institute. A rather peculiar on Alis. Religious and signing the necessary incident is the fact that Miss Ryck-properties and signing the necessary see why he should waste so much time apologizing.

A great many people spend so much a great many people spe A great many people spend so much Both teachers were very popular and confined in Woodstock jail for a short time in wondering in what direction made many friends during their time, was examined yesterday in the would be easiest to economize that careers at the school. Prof. Sykes, usual way, and declared to be insane. The man with the shirt waist is a graduate course at Johns Hopkins worth a few hundred dollars. good deal like the kissing bug, in that University, and has achieved some ever its value may be, it will be sold,

Men yield to temptation and get THOS. GILLEAN

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The late Mrs. Stinchcombe, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robertson, No. 191 Central avenue, yesterday, at the great age of 90 years, was, with her late husband, one of the pioneers of the dis trict which is now Melrose. When the Stinchcombes came from Scotland and settled in this country there was vastly more woodland than cleared ground. They literally hewed out a four sons and two daughters survive The sons are Messrs. Luther, John and William, of Middlesex, and An-drew, of Cleveland, and the daughters are Mrs. Robertson, of Central avenue, and Mrs. Steele, of Toronto. Messrs. W. J. Reid and J. A. Nelles

representing the Western Fair Board, went to Toronto yesterday.

Miss Maud, daughter of Mr. Jas. day morning. Rockwood, of 704 York street, were united in marriage. The interesting Father McKeon. The bride was assisted by Miss May Donohue, a sister residue of the groom, and Mr. Joseph Hill Montreal. The children are prettily off in 4.21 2-5.

The Pueblo (Col.) Star of a recent date gives particulars of an encounter with burglars, in which Mr. F. A. copy of the "Baby's Own Book of hard on the two miles, the winners on, opposite City Hall. Nelles (who resided here with Mr. Nitschke several years since) was an active participant. The two robbers escaped being shot by the margin of three seconds.

Copy of the "Baby's Own Book of Nursery Rhymes." This book, which has both words and music complete, will be sold at the fair, or, if present the ferred, may be had for 10c, postpaid, margin of three seconds.

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The two miles, the winners where F. F.

Radway, A. J. Platt and Geo. Weinig.

W. Dean, O. Adair and J. Dreaney hours for the publishers, the Albert Toilet were the other team.

was very large.

Mr. Robt. Stanley, ex-G. T. R. conductor, of Colborne street north, re-ceived the sad news yesterday of the death by drowning of his eldest son, Richard, aged 22 years. Deceased met death at Sault Ste. Marie. Particulars received of the fatality are very meagre.

G. T. R. Constable Regan arrested a young man named Stewart at the railway station last evening and he was locked up. The offence for which Stewart was taken into custody might | have had serious results. Stewart is alleged to have wheeled a heavy baggage truck from the station platform onto the rails and left it there.

DISTRICT NEWS.

**A tobacco factory has been started at Windsor.

**Word has been received that C. K. Rorrison, a Windsor soldier wounded in South Africa, is on his way to England.

**The corner-stone of a new Methodist Church at Sarnia was laid on Tuesday by Rev. G. Daniel, chairman fever, although he was fortunate enough to see more fighting than of the district, assisted by other clergymen. **Some time during Tuesday night

thieves forced an entrance to the office of the Grand Trunk elevator take part in the engagement at Zand Sarnia, and stole \$4 in silver that had been left there. **Glen Tyler, the St. Thomas lad so severely burned by boiling water thrown by Mrs. Halbert, suffered

very severely Tuesday night, and his

condition is not so favorable as it

of abode as Harrisburg, Ill., had his foot badly crushed while attempting to board a freight train in the M. (R. yards, St. Thomas, Tuesday night He was removed to the hospital, where doctors amputated part of it He was on his way to Buffalo.

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**A meeting of the Liberals of West Elgin will be held at West Lorne on Tuesday, Sept. 18th, to nominate a candidate for the Dominion Parlia ment. It is understood, says the St **The Kelly vs. Kelly alimony case

after leaving Parkdale, took a post He, however, had some property

Windsor yesterday and were given M. Stone.....Outside Home...Fleming the opportunity to see divers at work A. McKinnon. Field Capt... W. A. Mackinnon. Mr. S. R. Brown, Senior Grand Chancellor and Grand Secretary of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association of Canada, has returned from Berlin, where he has been attending a very important meeting of the executive in the distribution of the executive in the execut ers. Many went to Walkerville and returned with mementoes of the trip, some of which were packed in bottles, and Brantford had scored two. Then large and small. Not being used to the locals settled down to play and on see custom officers, they wondered why all carrying packages were stopped, but soon found out.



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**On Monday morning of last week the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Smith, of the 9th concession of Sarnia township, slipped from the chair on which she was seated and struck her chin on the The Woodstock Express recites this table. The force of the blow caused pathetic incident:—"An affecting in- the little one to swallow a large piece flags. cident took place at the Hotel Oxford of melon, which she had been eating, (London) were taken over to the succeeded in extricating a seed from hotel for lunch. Old Mr. Leonard, the child's throat, and as she still whose son is reported to have died seemed to suffer, gave the little one from wounds received at Zand River, an emetic, which caused her to throw and who had been struggling in the up several more seeds. The child crowd to get to Corp. Smith, finally failed to improve and medical attendreached him in the corridor. The old ance was summoned. It was at once man tearfully enquired if there was seen that an operation would have any doubt about his boy's death to be performed, and the child was Smith could give him no encourage- removed to the hospital on Tuesday. ment, and the old man turned sadly She was operated on that night and away. It was a glad home-coming a silver tube inserted in the throat for some, but to one old couple, at to allow her to breathe through. Slight hopes were entertained for the At half-past seven this morning, in child's recovery for a short time, but Peter's Cathedral, Mr. Robert these were dispelled as convulsions Donohue, of 866 Maitland street, and set in, and the patient died on Sun-

Child Music at Toronto Fair. acted as best man. The contracting parties are well and favorably known in London and vicinity.

Montreal. The children are prettry on in 1.212-5.

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LONDON LOST.

BUT THE LACROSSE GAME AT TECUMSEH PARK

Battle-Score Stood Three to Two-Considerable "Roughing Displayed at Times-Some Inter esting Bicycle Races.

'The "gala day's sports" at Tecumseh Park yesterday afternoon, the chief feature of which was a lacrosse match between Brantford and London, attracted a crowd of probably three hundred people, who were fur nished with two hours of almost uninterrupted sport. The attendance, while disappointing, was the largest of the season at a lacrosse game, and this fact was encouraging. Three bicycle races were included in the afternoon's programme.

London lost the lacrosse game by the hardest kind of hard luck. From start to finish the home team were buzzing around the visitors' goal, but were unable to get past their magnificent defence. In the last half, when Brantford held one goal to the good the visitors clustered around their citadel, and despite all efforts the home team could not get by. game was a beautiful exhibition, and the spectators were on their toes from start to finish. Although close, the match was comparatively free from rough work, but in the last half the Thomas Times, there will be opposi- Brantford team roughed it in the tion to the present member, Geo. E. most approved style. Had the referee been an outsider more than one of the visitors would have gone to the but Mr. Henry could not see peror, Empress and "W. T.," which to Prof. F. Henry Sykes, M. D., Ph. defendant, Joseph Kelly, farmer, being interpreted, meaneth whole D., of Philadelphia, creates a vacancy in the teaching staff of Parkdale Coi- wife, the plaintiff, the sum of \$1,200, was London in a walk but the home was London in a walk, but the boys

Brantford. Cameron.....Goal......A. Smit Brierly.....Point.....Forrest Williams 1st defence J. Fole McBride.....2nd defence... Smith McDonough...3rd defence....Hefferna Wilson......Centre..Galbrait **Knights of Pythias, attending the big encampment at Detroit, invaded Windson vesterday, and were given The game started with a fierce at

a pretty combination from the defence the ball went to Vanderburg, who scored. Half time score, 2-1.

Brantford got away in a rush in the econd half and worked the ball down the field for their third goal. From the face-off, London got the ball and Fleming shot wide. Kelleher and Forrest carried the sphere down to centre and passed to Galbraith, who handed it to Vanderburg, who scored goal number two. Then the Brantford defence bunched in front of their goal and for ten minutes London swarmed around them but could not score. The finish showed 3-2 in favor of the visi-There was little to choose between

the playing of the teams. London's boy wonder, Arthur Smith, in goal played a beautiful game and stopped a dozen hard shots. The local defence was good. Forrest at point, Kelleher at cover and Jack Foley at first all played the game. The defence field was ably handled by Smith and Heffernan, "Lucy" especially playing the game of his life. From centre in the the visitors, although unable to score. Vanderburg was the bright particular star of the home. Fleming played steady game, but could not shoot. A dozen beautiful chances came his way but he could not put the ball on the

when Corp. Smith and Pte. Chapman containing several seeds. The mother balanced aggregation and their defence especially was magnificent. The home did not show up especially well, and were outrun and outchecked by the home defence. In the first half, W. Stone was sent to the fence for bodychecking a player after he had lost his stick, and Jack Foley joined him for ley when the company is reorganized remonstrating loudly. This was the only time Referee Henry could see anything wrong, and he evened thing: up by sending a man of each club to There were three bicycle races, and each event proved interesting. In ad-

dition, O. Adair went a half mile for the track record, held by Harley Davidson. Adair was 3 4-5 seconds short of the mark. A strong breeze interfered with his work. A novel feature of Toronto Fair is a two-mile matched race, by six cohol rubbings. These agents have the singing of the Baby's Own Soap lengths. The race was the hottest of given the greatest satisfaction, and

ins over the other team.

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> 7th Fusiliers. **A meeting of the shareholders of the St. Thomas Street Railway Company was held on Tuesday, and an is now a settled fact that the railway will not pass into the hands of the city. The same company will continue to operate it, but there will be new shareholders. It is said that the railway will be extended to Port Stan-

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