Western Union Takes a Drop - Reas

For Its Pecline-The General Market Bealthy-Bow It Closed. NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Members of the firm of Ballou & Co. yesterday said the firm

would emerge with clean hands and ability to resume business. Stedman, who failed yesterday, was offered plenty of assistance and might have gone on, but said he preferred to stop short and investigate son had involved him. He has given notice that the co-partnership with his son has been dissolved. He asserted that Cecil Ward & Co, had entered into a conspiracy in leading

his son into apeculation.

A firmer feeling prevailed on the stock exchange at the opening this morning. No stocks declined at first, and a few advanced a little. About noou, however, Western Union began to fall, and dropped to 712

union began to fall, and dropped to 712 from 742 in early dealings. The general market is firm. The reasons for the decline in Western Union are said to be that a large loan on Western Union involving several millians was called in at Boston to day.

This was another day of improvement at the stock rechange. In the early dealings it became evident that the market would be supported by leaders or by purchases for investment. After midday orders to sell Western Union appeared and the stock receiving no support yielded readily. This raid affected the whole list adversely. When Western Union appeared and the stock receiving no support yielded readily. This raid affected the whole list adversely. When Western Union appeared and the followest point brokers credited with Gould orders bought the shares liberally and the price recovered rapidly. An advance of this stock was the signal for a general buying movement in other active shares and the whole list seld up to the highest point of the day in the final transactions. The Poet says the market to-day presented a more natural and healthful appearance.

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UNITED STATES NEWS. A case of yellow fever has been reported in the navy yard at Pensacols, Fla.

The Farmers' bank at Richmond, Ind, did not open yesterday and will wind up its business. The railroad passenger war between Chicago and St. Louis has ended and the competing roads have formed a pool.

In the first fourteen days of August the ment fell off from \$10,630,000 to \$8,703,000 The U.S. Rolling Stock company's buildings at Chicago were burned Wednesday night. The loss will reach half a million. The company employed 500 hands.

The St. Paul, Minnesota and Manitob railway sanual report shows net earnings of \$4,645,000, and a surplus of \$4,929,000. The net earnings were 16 9-10 per cent on the capital stock.

At Oakland, Miss., Joe Payne, a negro who murdered Thomas Tayles for the object of robbing, and mutilated the remains horribly, was hanged to-day by the almost unanimous vote of the citizens.

A Berlin correspondent says that the threats that the United States would impose a retaliatory tariff have made an impression on the German government. The statement presumably refers to the pork question-

The Postal Telegraph Company NEW YORK, Aug. 16 .- The Times says Bonanza Mackey will not be president of the Postal Telegraph company, but will be Cummings says the company is paying ex-penses, and will remain independent, and adhere to the plan of low rates.

The Reward of Vigilance. HINGTON, Aug. 16.—It is stated that munt of the vigorous action of the government in prosecuting the opium smugglers on the Pacific coast the duties at San Francisco on opium in the last fiscal year were more than a million in excess of the previous year.

Why Not Reciprocate? WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.-The postoffice department decided that a two cent stamp will carry a letter to Canada rom the United States after October 1, but three cents will be required on a letter from Canada. Southern Crops

PETERSBURG, Va., Aug. 16 .-- There are heavy rains throughout the state. The crops are greatly benefitted but will be short in consequence of drought. A Pan Presbyterian Bead.

BELFAST, Aug. 6.-Rev. Robert Knox. one of the leaders of the pan presbyterian

THE OLD WORLD IN BRIEF.

The electrical exhibition at Vienna was opened yesterday by the Crown Prince Rudolph with great ceremony.

It is authoritatively stated that the assertion that Mr. Gladstone subscribed to the confederate cotton loan is untrue. The British government has decided that O'Donnell shall be brought to England and tried for shooting the informer Carey.

At Dublin it is intended to organize a company to raise a fund to supplement the government grant for migration in Ireland. Parnell Threatens.

LONDON, Aug. 16 .- In the commons this the expenses of the land commission, Parnell declared that unless the deficiencies of
the laud act were speedily remedied he
would lead a deeper and more desperate
agitation than any yet witnessed. The act
he said had been applied with slowness, irefficiency—very different from the way in
which the coercion act had been applied.

China will go to war rather
the suzerainty of Annam.

Paris, Aug 16.—The fi
of the present year the imp
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ports decreased 50 millions.

tacked the Jewish quarters at Prague Wednesday. The rioters dispersed before they did much harm. The frequency of riots greatly alarms the authorities. The police and military officers have been ordered to crush with the utmost energy every out-break. Forty of the populace and six policemen were wounded in a riot at Agram Tuesday. The mob subsequently forced the gail and released imprisoned rioters,

THE WAYS OF WALL ST LATEST SPORTING NEWS.

Photographs of the American and Cana-Sons after the match yesterday,
Robert Leach of Dundas has matched
himself to swim against a Hamilton unknown for \$100 a side at the Hamilton

The Galt cricket club has received an acquisition in Mr. J. C. Logan, who takes a position at the collegiate institute. Mr. Logan has been one of the international team for

Canadian Horses at Saratoga. SARATOGA. Aug. 16 - eeplechase, 24 miles, Disturbance wou, 1 ; Moulsey (Foronto) 2d, Rienzi (Ottawa 2 1; time 5 32.

A Chance for Co ney. Utica, N. Y., Aug. 16, etc. R. Smith, Richfield Springs, publishe in offer by the citizens of that place of \$1 for a race on Canandaigua lake between Hanlan and Courtney September 19, 20 2 21, the winner to take the whole purse.

PETERBORO. Aug. 16 .- Two thousand eople witnessed the lacrosse tournament today. Norwoods v. Cretes (Peterboro), both

ROCHESTER, Aug. 16.—The grand circuit neeting was continued to-day. The attendance was large and there was considerable enthusiasm. 2.20 class, pacers', purse \$7000 divided: Time-2.20, 2.201, 2.24.
Trotting, 2.20 class, purse \$2000:

Billy Button.
Dick Wright.
Time—2.19, 2.194, 2.194, 2.20, 2.224.
Free for all purse, \$5000 divided:
St. Julien.
Edwin Thorn
Useshersno con.

Redmond's Misston to Australia. DUBLIN, Aug. 16. - John Redmond, representative of the National league in Australia, denies that his missiou has been a ousands of pounds every two weeks to not be closed, as the Australian National league will hold a convention at Melbourne in September to consider the matter.

"Agin" the Covernment. VIENNA, Aug. 16 .- At Agram Tuesday a mob attempted to tear from the government offices a number of notices printed in Hungarian, which is offeneive to the Croatians.
The military suppressed the rioting Several were wounded by the troops. Rioting was renewed yesterday and notices destroyed, when the windows of the government buildings were broken in

London, Aug. 16.-A Madrid despatch says that notwithstanding advices from the military authorities, the prime minister has determined to restore constitutional guaran-tees before the king starts on his visit to Germany, Sept. 5. It is certain that some scattered bands are still causing discontent

A Fanatic Attack. Suez, Aug, 15 .- Two thousand Bedouins attacked the sanitarium at Sinkia. They were repulsed. Sixty were killed. The soldiers defending the place lost seven men and the civilians five. Sinkia is in Nubia on the Red Sea. The attack was incited by the false prophet. There is a report H. R. Ogden 45 that Suakin is also threatened.

ALEXANDRIA, Aug 16 - The khedive to day visited the hospitals and spoke words of encouragement to the prtients suffering from cholera. The deaths thus far amon the British troops number 125. LONDON, Aug. 16 —There were 467 deaths from cholera in Egypt Wednesday.

An Explanation Wanted. ROME, Aug. 16 -It is stated that the vatican has determined to ask an explana tion regarding the divergence between the terms of Grevy's recent letter to the pop and the instructions given the French an bassador at the vatican.

Agricultural Holdings Bill. LONDON, Aug. 16 .- The agricultura holdings bill passed its third reading to night. Ammendments were adopted by the lords limiting the scope of the measure which will certainly be rejected by the com-

thina will Go to War. BERLIN, Aug. 16 .- Statements have bee made by members of the Chinese legation that place beyond a doubt the fact that evening during the debate on the vote for China will go to war rather than relinquish

> Paris, Aug 16 .- The first seven months of the present year the imports into France increased 58 million francs, as compared with the same period last year. The ex-Reported Railway Accident.

> LONDON, Aug. 16 .- It is reported that an express train running from Paris to Am-Malines and Vilvorde and several passen

PARIS, Aug. 16 .- The government ha decided to expel Boland, a Belgian journalist, who declared he had bribed two deputies but was unable to verify the charge.

FRIDAY MORNING, AUGUST 17, 1883. THE CRICKETERS AT WORK.

onclusion of the International Ma The international cricket match was brought

to a conclusion shortly before 2 o'clock yesterday by the second innings of the Canadians closing for 56 runs, giving a victory to the United States eleven in one inning: with 49 runs to spare. Boyd and Simpson were the only ones to make double figures in the Canadian second innings. The scores are : Causdians, first innings, 48; second, 56; United States eleven, first innings, 148. Following is the complete scores:

M. Boyd (Toronto), b McNutt.
F. Harley (East Toronto) c Law, b Lowry.
G. N. Morrison (Toronto) c Law, b Lowry.
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G. N. Morrison (Toronto), c Thayer, b McNutt.
E. B. Ogden (L. Zingari), c Law, b McNutt.
E. B. Ogden (L. Zingari), b Brewster.
S. Ray (Whitby), c Stoever, b McNutt.
H. B. Morphy (Guelph), st Soott, b Lowry.
H. Brok (Toronto), c McNutt, b Lowry.
G. Simpson (Gait), b Law.
C. J. Logan (T.C.S Port Hope), not out.

United States.

Virit Innings.

I. A. Scott (Beimont) b Mirison.

I. B. Brewster (Young America) b Logan.

I. B. Thayer, jr., (Merion) c Harley, b Simpe D. P. Stoever (Beimont) b Simpeon.

B. N. Caldwell (Young America) b Gillespie.

Law (Merion) at Saunders, b Boyd.

M. McNutt (Young America) c Gillespie. b ley.

Blake and Dr. R. Ashbridge um-

match a match between the the United States and western sleven was begun. Two

Runs at the fall of each wicket.
3d. 4th. 5th. 6th. 7th. 8th. 9th.
11 11 24 32 32 40 51

Bowling Analysis. 3d 4th

The visiting cricketers were entered at the Toronto club last night. Capt Rhodes Squelched. NIAGARA FALLS, Aug. 16 .- The following letter explains itself : OFFICE OF ONTARIO POLICE,

NIAGARA FALLS, Aug. 13, 1883. Capt. J. D. Rhodes, Buffalo, N.Y.: SIR: I see by paragraphs appearing in the newspapers from time to time that you contemplate attempting to swim the whirl-pool rapids below Niagara Falls. I beg to notify you and all others that you will not be permitted to carry out your mad project if you attempt to take to the water from the if you attempt to take to the water from the Canadian shore. I presume the American authorities will also take precautions to prevent a repetition of the Capt. Webb disaster. Capt. Webb was not prevented from this children was not prevented from the control of the capt. taking his fatal swim because no one sup-posed for a moment that he would undertake what was proposed. Now that the result has proved the existence of this new kind of insanity, the Ontario police at this point will see to it that fresh victims of the

malady are cared for. I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant, A. G. HILL, Police Magistrate. Hotel at Owen Sound Burned. Owen Sound, Aug. 16—The Coulson House, one of the principal hotels at Owen Sound, was destroyed by fire at an early hour this morning. The fire originated in the top story, and the roof shortly afterward of the country of the count

Sudden Death of a Judge. FATHER POINT, Aug. 16 .- Hon. Judge Alleyn, resident judge for the county of Rimouski, died very suddenly at Rimouski this afternoon. The cause of death is supposed to be heart disease.

Winnipeg Aug. 16.—Alexander & Bryce, general merchants of this city, have offered 75 cents on the dollar, the privileged claims and expenses to be paid in full.

HEAD OF THE TEACHERS.

DENT OF THE ASSOCIATION. Is He a Politician or an Educat

The convention opened yesterday after noon at 2 p. m. by devotional exercises. The president, Mr. McMurchy, occupied the chair. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted. The first business transacted was the election of the officer nominated by the executive committee for

transacted was the election of the officers nominated by the executive committee for the ensuing year. The officers nominated were G.W. Ross, president; R. W. Daon, secretary; A. P. Knight of Kingston, recording secretary; V. J. Henry, treasurer. It was moved that the nominees of the excutive committee be elected. Mr. Beyant moved in amendment that the name of Mr. Carson of Middlesex be inserted in /lieu of that of Mr. G. W. Ross. The speaker gave as the cole reason for his motion that Mr. Ross was more of a politician than an educationalist, and he thought that this convention should disconnect the two as widely as possible, He recognized Mr. Ross's sbillty, but considered him unfit for the position for the reason given. Mr. Mackintosh of Hastings and that Mr. Ross began life as teacher is a log schoolhouse, and has sever left the profession of an educationalist as he is at present the inspector of two towns. He profession of an educationalist as he is at present the inspector of two towns. Mr. Hagkintosh of Hastings and that Mr. Ross began life as teacher is a log schoolhouse, and has sever left the reason given. Mr. Mackintosh of Hastings and that Mr. Ross began life as teacher is a log schoolhouse, and has sever left the received the mountain of the committee. Mr. Red mominated Mr. Ross the mountain head of educational government and who would have convenient access to the minister of education. The speaker spoke of his early associations with Mr. Carson and said that personal feeling was far from causing him to nominate and thought he convenient access with Mr. Carson and as and that personal feeling was far from causing him to nominate and now has been described by the position. Mr. Hughes expressed his thanks to his nominator and to those gentlemen who had asked him to allow the convenient and the position of the declined in favor of Mr. Ross would be such a change made as would prevent these matters coming before this convention at all. He declined in favor of Mr. Ross. Mr. Carson said he had been conne

said that there were many in the public school rection who, although they did not poss as either the transcendent shility of Mr. Ross or Mr. Hughes, yet had done all Mr. Ross or Mr. Hughes, yet had done all they could to promote the barmony of the Teachers' association by their constant attendance and hard work. They had done what they could and he thesent some of these might have been selected. He said that when he entered a contest he would like to be on the winning side and withdrew in favor of Mr. Ress. The convention convented to the winderswall. The convention consented to the withdrawal of Mr. Hughes and Mr. Carson, and all the

elected.

At this point the president intimated that an invitation had been extended to the members and their friends to attend the conversizione of the shorthand convention to be held in the building last night.

Two resolutions of the public school section were read and adopted. (1) That the provincial teachers association disapprove of the authorization of more than one series of school readers. (2) That the adventional of school readers: (2) That the educational department should take measures to enforce the proper ventilation of schools.

It was moved that the report of the com-

mittee on moral education be considered clause by clause. Carried. tee the teacher, as representing the parent, is responsible for the moral as well as thein-tellestual training of the pupils under his charge. Carried. (2) That all systematic moral training in the schools of Ontario should be based upon the christian religion as set forth in the bible. Carried. (3) That the reading of selected portions of scripture as a part of the regular daily exercises in all our schools. regular daily exercises in all our schools would be a material aid to teachers in the discharge of their duties in regard to such moral training. (4) That we reaffirm the opinion expressed last year to the effect "that anyone who cannot reverently, humbly and lovingly read the word of God is not fit to be a teacher. (5) That the Education department be requested to secure the preparation of readings for the schools under its charge. This clause orig-inated a long dispute. An amendment was moved as follows: "That the teachers be left free to choose what portion of the Scrip-tures they shall read." The amendment was lost, (6) That the use of such selec-tions be made obligatory in all schools unless the board of teachers in towns and cities in the board of teachers in towns and cities in the school meeting in rural sections decide to the contrary. Mr. Hughes moved that this clause be expunged. Carried. (7) "That in the opinion of this committee more might be done, by the ministers of the gospel of the various denominations in the way of awakening public interest in this question, especially

lic interest in this question, especially amongst the members of their own congregations. The clause was lost and the report was carried as amended,

Mr. F. C. Powell of Kincardine read a paper on Examinations and Examiners. The main ideas of the paper are stated in

the following propositions:

(1) The teachers knowledge of the can didates, should in some way be a factor in deciding the candidates standing at examina-(2) The dissatisfied candidates who appeal against the finding of examiners, should be allowed to appear in person before the

(3.) The persons who prepare the examinations papers, should read and value the answers. (4) The presiding examiners should always be teachers er examiners should always be teachers or inspectors engaged in active service.

(5) Every examination should have a fee attached to defray expenses and discourage unprepared candidates,

(6) The maximum value and passing percentage in every subject should be based upon the difficulty and importance of the subject.

subject.

(6) The examination papers should be confined to the program and fairly cover it.

(8) Persons prevented by sickness from attending the examinations should have another trial before the central committee.

A unanimous and enthusiastic vote of thanks was tendered to the president, and the convention adjourned after singing the national anthem.

THE BOARD OF WORKS. New Sewers and Boadways Recommended -Who Will be City Engineer. W. ROSS, M.P., KLEOTED PRESI-

The board of works met yesterday, Ald. Turner presiding. There were present Ald. Crocker, Steiner, Carlyle, Allen, Pape and an 19-foot roadway between Dovercourt road and Dundas street. Petition granted. The dispute regarding the closing of the lane between Parliament and Trefann street was referred to the city solicitor Mr. W Walker, village clerk of Parkdale, notified the committee of a meeting to be held at the office of the assistant engineer of the

THE SHORTHANDERS CONVENTION About 150 Delegates Attend the Meeting-

The second annual international congress of shorthand reporters met in convocation hall in Osgoode hall at 10 a.m. yesterday. About 150 representatives of the art were present, showing what a lively interest is being taken in phongraphy at the present day. The president of the association was unavoidably absent, but his place was ably iled and a good address given by the vice-

filed and a good address given by the vicepresident, Mr. H. C. Demming of Harrisburg, Pa.

The program, which was a lengthy one,
was admirably gone through by those who
took part in it. The addresses of welcome
and the responses were of such a nature as
to lead those who heard them to
believe that as far as shorthand writers
were concerned there was no boundary
line between the United States and Canada.
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The meeting adjourned at 6 p.m. to meet again at 10 30 a.m. to-day.

Last evening a conversazione was held in the ampthitheatre of the Normal school buildings, the chief feature of which was an address by Prof. Goldwin Smith. In his readdress by Prof. Goldwin Smith. In his remarks he urged the necessity of every class of business men becoming thoroughly acquainted with shorthand. He himself had often been at a loss when he might in a few minutes have written what took him hours by the common system of writing. Anything that saves time lengthens life. Phonography was a great time saver, therefore it might be considered to lengthen life. He referred to the fact that Chatham said he would sooner have an art He referred to the fact that Chatham said he would sooner have an art by means of which the speeches of Lord Bolingbrake could be reproduced than to become master of any of the lost languages. In conclusion the professor, on behalf of the Canadians, extended a very hearty welcome to their visiting friends, and hoped that the present congress would be productive of much good.

Addresses were also given by the following gentlemen: Hon. A. S. Hardy, Mr. H.C Demming, Harrisburg, Ga.; Mr. Geo. H. Thornton, Buffalo. N.Y.; Mr.A. Horton, Toronto. Mr. Wvcoff. Chicago. The music

Toronto, Mr. Wycoff, Chicago. The music provided at intervals was excellent, those taking part being Mrs. J. W. Bradley, F. Warrington and E. W. Schuch.

The steamer Geneva has been chartered to take the members for a trip on the lake

A horse being driven by a son of Mr. Robert Simpson of Leader lane ran away in King street near York last night and tore nadly eastward. Near Toronto street Mr. madly eastward. Near Toronto street Mr. Simpson managed to jump from the buggy and save himself. People who were standing at Church and Kings streets who saw the runaway approaching expected to see the horse and all disappear into the sewer being constructed in the former street. Mr. Franklin, superintendent of the street railway, saw the impending danger and gallantly managed to stop the steed before the danger point was reached. Very strange to say, the whole damage to the vehicle can be repaired for about 75 cents.

Another King Street Runaway.

The Unfortunate Printers. Mesers. Watson & Patterson of the Meaford Mirror were in the city yesterday in search of materials to re-establish their printing business in Meaford, which was among the buildings burned there in the large fire of Sunday last. Their loss was \$5200. The paper will be issued next Thursday.

Toronto University Notes. The following representatives of the year of 1883 were duly entered as students-atlaw at Osgoode hall yesterday: Ormiston,
Dewart, Walsh, Wilgress, Osler, Donald,
Campbell, O'Flynn, Lee, Fraser, Clark,
Kilmer, Cameron, Smith, Macpherson,
Lobb, Willoughby, Denovan.

WATER WORKS MATTERS. No Extension to Rosedale-A Tender for

New Pumping Engine Opened. The city waterworks committee managed get a quorum together yesterday afternoon, there being present Ald. Evans Crocker, Steiner, Carlyle, Allen, Pape and Hastings. The ratepayers on Foxley street petititioned tor a 24-foot roadway instead of Clarke, Maughan, Sheppard, Murray, Adpetitioned to a 24-foot roadway instead of Clarke, Maughan, Sheppard, Murray, Adpetitioned to a 24-foot roadway instead of Clarke, Maughan, Sheppard, Murray, Adpetitioned to a 24-foot roadway instead of Clarke, Maughan, Sheppard, Murray, Adpetitioned to a 24-foot roadway instead of Clarke, Maughan, Sheppard, Murray, Adpetitioned to a 24-foot roadway instead of Clarke, Maughan, Sheppard, Murray, Adpetitioned to a 24-foot roadway instead of Clarke, Maughan, Sheppard, Murray, Adpetitioned to a 24-foot roadway instead of Clarke, Maughan, Sheppard, Murray, Adpetitioned to a 24-foot roadway instead of Clarke, Maughan, Sheppard, Murray, Adpetitioned to a 24-foot roadway instead of Clarke, Maughan, Sheppard, Murray, Adpetitioned to a 24-foot roadway instead of Clarke, Maughan, Sheppard, Murray, Adpetitioned to a 24-foot roadway instead of Clarke, Maughan, Sheppard, Murray, Adpetitioned to a 24-foot roadway instead of Clarke, Maughan, Sheppard, Murray, Adpetitioned to a 24-foot roadway instead of Clarke, Maughan, Sheppard, Murray, Adpetitioned to a 24-foot roadway instead of Clarke, Maughan, Sheppard, Murray, Adpetitioned to a 24-foot roadway instead of Clarke, Maughan, Sheppard, Murray, Adpetitioned to a 24-foot roadway instead of Clarke, Maughan, Sheppard, Murray, Adpetitioned to a 24-foot roadway instead of Clarke, Maughan, Sheppard, Murray, Adpetitioned to a 24-foot roadway instead of Clarke, Maughan, Sheppard, Murray, Adpetitioned to a 24-foot roadway instead of Clarke, Maughan, Sheppard, Murray, Adpetitioned to a 24-foot roadway instead of Clarke, Maughan, Sheppard, Mau motion recommending to council that Mr A. J. Darling be allowed to extend the city waterworks system 1500 feet into Kosedale. This matter was referred back to the committee at the last meeting of council.

Ald. Millichamp and Adamson voted for the amendment to leave the first recommendation of the committee as it was.

Hamilton & Sons of the St. Lawrence

foundry have on hand \$8000 worth of 12.

inch water pipes ordered by the city. They requested that the pipes be taken off their hands and the money paid them. It was decided to pay 50 per cent of the sum for the present. Acting City Engineer McMinn reported in favor of constructing a main in Davenport road, as applied for. 370 feet long, the probable cost being \$300, and the estimated revenue \$125 per avenue. Carried Mr. J. H. Vennebles reported that the connecting crib at Gibraltar point was now perfectly tight and was likely to remain so. It is admitted, however, that some kind of protection will have to be erected around the tank, but the committee did not acquiese in a suggestion of Mr. did not acquiese in a suggestion of Mt. Vennebles that a row of twelve foot single piling be built.

piling be built.

A tender was opened from the celebrated pumping engine firm of James Watt & Co. of Leadenhall, London, and S ho, Birmingham, to supply the city with new pumping engines. The firm sent beautiful tracings of three different styles of engines, the cost of which would be (delivered in Toronto) £21,750, £15,500 and £17,750 respectively. Full particulars of the capacity of the engines accompanied the offer. No action will be taken for the present.

The Alleged Label Forgery Case. The case against J. Barr Robertson to forging the labels of A. C. Ayer & Co. to pills was up in the police court once more work, was attacked on the way home this morning by a party supposed to be the same that he wished to investigate the question of the right of A. C. Ayer & Co. to use the trade mark forged. Mr. Bigelow, for the complainants objected, and contended that it was not sgainst A. O. Ayer the offence was committed, but against the public and that it did not be seried summer. yesterday morning. The prisoner pleaded was committed, but against the public, and that it did not lessen the prisoner's guilt even if the complainants had no right to use the trade mark, as he was making false representations to the public, and it was a question of public interest only. The case

Palmer was fined \$5 and costs for assauting his neighbor, Alexander Smith. John Palmer was fined \$1 and costs and bound over to the peace in \$200 bonds for threatening Ed. Heffernan, Henry Clare was fined \$4 and costs or 15 days for not showing the number of his vehicle when asked to do no by a citizen. Several other cases were do so by a citizen. Several other cases were

Mr. Gooderham's effer.

Mr Wm. Gooderham of Toronto offers to give the United Methodist church a building site worth \$50,000 if a central college be erected thereupon and the colleges at Belleville and Cobourg closed. This is a grand opportunity for methodists to make a new departure in their educational work. Toronto without doubt offers facilities for education which no other Canadian city possesses, and these combined with Mr. Gooderh m's magnificent offer ought to be an inducement sufficient for the transfer of their educational work. We believe the methodist body would do better than even it is now doing by leaving university work to the state institution and confining its energies to theology.

hospital. It will be fitted up at once so as to be ready for occupancy when the college opens on October I. A gallery is being erected on the theatre of the hospital for the especial use of the female students. The canvass for subscriptions is meeting with fair success. From the number of enquiries received from all parts of the country of the country is reference to the institution it is try in reference to the institution it is thought that it will open with an encouraging number of students.

A Whisky and Water Ruse. James Callaghan and Michael Carroll, two of the young hoodlums of Lombard street, yesterday afternoon stole a two-gallon jug of whisky from a grocer's wagon in Church street and made off. Several of their friends were invited to the Separate school lot in Richmond street, where the whisky was drunk and the jug filled up with water. Policeman Archer last night came across the two above named and managed to sewas arrested on a warrant by Policema

The crown lands department of Ontario ave just issued a circular showing how to obtain title to public lands under the "free contains complete information on the sub-ject, a list of townships open for location, lands for sale, systems of survey and general directions, besides an appendix containing IT LOOKS LIKE DEFEAT

PRICE ONE CENT

STRIKING OPERATORS RETURN TO WORK AT DIFFERENT PLACES.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16 .- The Times says

committee in seeking an interview with General Eckert is generally considered its dying gasp. The back of the strike seems broken, though the leaders deny it. The Western Union superintendent last evening had the employes sign an agreement abandon the brotherhood. Master Workman Campbell says the com

mittee were sent to see Gen. Eckert simply to show the public that the strikers were no to show the public that the strikers were not inclined to unnecessarily prolong the fight.

"We have heretofore been too mild in eur conduct of the strike," said Mr. Campbell,

"We now propose to use the most drastic measures possible, always within the limits of the law. Our local organization has been instructed to call another convention of all labor organizations and lay the matter before them. The fight has resolved itself purely into a struggle against the organization."

Shortly after noon three more strikers were taken back by the Western Union at the old rates. This makes ten in all today. Reports from other cities showed that strikers are returning all over the

country.

It was stated in the Western Union office: to-night that 22 strikers applied for employment to-day, 17 of whom were taken back. This makes 89 who have deserted the broth erhood. It is reported that 5 have returned to work at St. Louis, 5 at New Orleans, at Chicago, 2 at Albany, 3 at Buffalo and several at other points.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 16.—The strike of tele-

telegraph operator went into a saloon. A number of strikers called him a scab. He replied offensively and was badly beaten. Henry Sonwab, a striker who returned to work, was attacked on the way home this morning by a party supposed to be the same that he had a fight with in a saloon.

SARNIA, Aug. 16 .- Mrs. and Miss Sinclair, wife and daughter of the principal of the high school here, were left alone in the family residence Sunday night. About midnight Mrs. Sinclair was aroused by the burn, who died at Ottawa on Tuesday last, arrived from the capital yesterday forenous by the Grand Trunk express. A large number of prominent citizens were at the depot to meet the remains, which were conveyed to St. James' cemetery and interred. Among the word of the fact when that young lady exclaimed: "Mother, there are burglars in the house! Where's the revolver?" Miss Sinclair she informed her of the fact when that young lady exclaimed: "Mother, there are burglars in the house! Where's the revolver?" Miss Sinclair got up and procuring the weapon went to the window, and in the darkness could just see the form of a man below entering the parlor window. She immediately fired, when the air was filled with the most horrible yells. Miss Sinclair dressed, and putting the revolver? In her pocket went out and procured the belp of some of the neighbors. On investigation it was found that a large quantity of silver plate and other articles had been taken out and left on the lawn. Blood was also found in little pools but nobody could be seen around. No arrests have yet been made, although suspicion points pretty clearly to several persons. Miss Sinclair has won great credit for the brave manner in which she acted.

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London, Alexander Smith. John Palmer was fined \$1 and costs and bound. family residence Sunday night. About mid-

named Hanson, son of Mr. Hanson, eleva-tor builder of Toronto, had his arm badly crushed by the gearing of an elevator in course of construction in one of the new stones adjoining Birrell & Co.'s premises, Richmond street.

PERSONAL.

Joaquin Miller, the American poet, who has been at Quebec some weeks, leaves Saturday for New York. During his stay he has frequently been the guest of Lord Lorne at the citadel. Mr. Hickson and Sir Henry Tyler. Mr. Joseph Hickson and Sir Henry W. Tyler, M.P., the magnates of the Grand Trunk railway, did not reach the city last night as was expected. Their special train pulled up at Port Hope, where the party re-mained for the night. They are expected in

Mr. W. H. Doel, J P., held court at the Leslieville hotel last night, when several of Women's Medical College.

The managers of this institution have secured a building for college purposes on Sumach street contiguous to the central hospital. It will be fitted up at once so as to be ready for occupancy when the college.

(After reading the Mail articles. s Norquay to Mowat "now put up or shut up."

And Mowat replies in a singular way.
O'Brien the Slugger and Charlie the Bull Pup Rat Portage is howling, for Norquay s policemen

Oh Norquay be careful for Charlie is prowling, Bold Charles of Montana to Winnipeg's struck up, With sweet Patsy Roach he will liberate somehow O'Brien the Slugger and Charlie the Bull Pup. And then look for death and for dire devastation Ere leaving the jug they may first slay the jugger Rat Portage will open her arms then to we

THE SUN WILL SHINE TO-DAY.