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Your advertising should be a continuous story, but complete in its announcement.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

DIED.

BROMWICH—At the residence of her son-in-law, Shepherd Fairbairn, 573 Horton street, on Saturday, July 23, Eliza Bromwitch, in her 80th year.

Funeral Monday morning to G. T. R. station, thence to Brantford for interment. Services at the house Sunday night at 9 o'clock.

HOOPER—On July 23, in Cleveland, Ohio, Mattie, beloved wife of Harry Hooper, aged 24. She was the daughter of Edward and Margaret Summers, formerly of London, Ont.

Funeral to Brick Street Cemetery from Mr. Summers' residence, 35 Wharncliffe road, at 2 p.m. today.

DEEHAN—On July 24, 1898, Reginald John, infant son of P. H. R. and Margaret Deehan, aged 5 months and 25 days.

Funeral from the family residence, 80 Egerton street, at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning.

Amusements and Lectures

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

BASEBALL—TECUMSEH PARK—JULY 25, 26, London vs. St. Thomas. Game 4 p.m. 91c

NIAGARA AND RETURN—GROCERS' excursion, Wednesday, July 27, via M. C. R. Train leaves 7 a.m. sharp. Tickets good to return on regular trains 28th. All grocery stores will be closed. All trades and the public cordially invited. 901

KEEP KOOL—SULPHUR SPRINGS swimming pond. Hot and cold baths daily and evenings. Dundas street west. Phone 707.

HO! FOR SCOTLAND—THE STATE of Nebraska sails Friday, July 29, from New York to Glasgow, via Derry. Lehigh Valley Railway lands passengers direct at Allan State Line pier in New York. No transfer of baggage or cab fare. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser, agent.

MUSIC AND DANCING—OUR ORCHESTRA can be engaged for picnics and parties during the summer. Satisfaction guaranteed. Dayton & McCormick, 241 Oxford street.

Meetings.

LONDON CAMP WOODMEN OF THE World meets at 8 o'clock Monday evening, Albion Block, Richmond street. J. W. Winnett, C.C. 92u

A. O. U. W.—SPECIAL UNION MEETING will be held in Knights of Pythias' hall, cor. Dundas and Clarence streets, Thursday evening, July 28. Past Grand Master Unitt will exhibit screen work. Several candidates will be present. 92i

Domestics Wanted.

GOOD PLAIN COOK WANTED—AT once. Apply Office Restaurant. D. Sare, proprietor. 72tf

Male Help Wanted.

WANTD—STRONG, ACTIVE YOUNG man, acquainted with city; good references. A. M. Hamilton & Son, 373 Talbot street. 93u

GOOD LABORERS WANTED—TO WORK on Thames ditch, East Zorra. Take ticket to Strathallen station. Apply on work. 93n

Wanted.

WANTED—HOUSEWORK OR WASHING by day. Mrs. Harben, 99 Cartwright street. 91c

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR GENTLEMEN'S cast-off clothing. A. P. Sainsbury, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to

FURNITURE UPHOLSTERED OR REPAIRED by Wm. A. Gaze. Notify me or call at my shop, 412 Pall Mall street.

Lost and Found.

LOST—LADY'S PURSE BETWEEN STATION, Port Stanley, and Fraser House, on Saturday evening, 23rd inst. Finder rewarded by leaving at this office. b

LOST—BLACK COW, WHITE STAR ON face. Communicate with T. Beattie, Ealing P. O. 92c

Business Chances.

FOR SALE—A $2,000 MEDICAL PRACTICE in Western Ontario; no opposition. For particulars address 492 Talbot street, London. 90k

NEWSPAPER AND JOB PLANT FOR sale cheap. Timms, Windsor, Ont. 81bu

Viavi Treatment.

MRS. STEIN AT HOME SATURDAYS TO ladies of the country. 211 Hyman street, London

Jewelers.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO REPAIRING—J. T. Westland, Engraver and Manufacturing Jeweler, 340 Richmond street (up stairs) London, Ont.

Money to Loan.

4½% We have unlimited private funds for investment on real estate security, farm or city property, improved, at 4½% interest. Write or call. Moredith, Cameron, Judd & Dromgole, solicitors, Hiscox Building, London. d&w

PRIVATE AND TRUST MONEY TO loan at 4½ to 5½ per cent on real estate security, in sums to suit. No commission charged. T. W. Scandrett, solicitor, etc., 98 Dundas street, London.

SUMS OF $100 AND UPWARDS TO LOAN on real estate at 5 to 6 per cent. G. N Weekes, solicitor, corner Richmond and King streets.

$100,000 TO LEND ON MORTGAGES and notes. Tenpent, McDonagh & Coleridge, barristers, solicitors, notaries, 78 Dundas street, London Branch offices, Glencoe, Bothwell and Alvinston.

Pawnbrokers.

PAWNBROKER—LENDS MONEY ON diamonds, watches, jewelry, etc. Business strictly confidential. Highest prices paid for cast-off clothing. Jos. Fox, 209 King street opposite fire hall.

Architects.

ALFRED BODLEY—ARCHITECT—Corner Richmond and Dundas, over G. T. R. Ticket Office.

McBRIDE & FARNCOMBE—ARCHITECTS and surveyors, 213 Dundas street E. C. McBride. F. W. Farncombe, H.S., C.E.

MOORE & HENRY—ARCHITECTS AND civil engineers. Members Ont. Ass'n Architects; members Ont. L. Surveyors' Ass'n members Am. Waterworks Ass'n.

HERBERT MATTHEWS—ARCHITECT—(formerly with C. C. Haight, New York), Carling Block, Richmond street.

Livery Stables.

LILLEY'S LIVERY—NO. 619 DUNDAS street, East London, Ont. Telephone 666.

THOMAS TREBILCOCK—STAR LIVERY—633 Richmond street. Best hacks coupes, etc. Light livery a specialty. Careful attention to orders. Phone 423. Open night and day

The Fly has come to the front. 84tf

Just Right For July

Read these prices on Misses' and Children's Summer Footwear:

Misses' C. Tan Oxfords, worth 75c, now 55c.
Child's C. Tan Oxfords, worth 65c, now 45c.
Misses' Kid Oxfords, worth 85c, now 60c.
Child's Fine Dongola Strap Slipper, sizes 6 to 10½, Bell's make, legular 75c, now 50c.

We guarantee you a saving on every purchase you make from us.

J. P. COOK,
173 Dundas Street.

Houses, Etc., To Let.

STORE TO LET—233 DUNDAS STREET—with or without dwelling. Apply J. C. Trebilcock, next door. 9tf

TO RENT—LARGE BRICK COTTAGE—512 Colborne street, near Dufferin avenue. All modern conveniences. Apply to E. Meredith, Hiscox building, Richmond street. 74tf

TO LET—ON KING STREET, NEAR Colborne street—Inside half double brick house. Apply 400 King street. 12tf

TO LET—412 PRINCESS AVENUE—CLOSE to Colborne, 4 bedrooms, double parlors, etc. Immediate possession. Very central. Rent low. 52tf

Real Estate.

FOR SALE—NICE NEW FRAME COTTAGE, only $1,200; call for particulars; new brick cottage with all modern conveniences, central locality. A few nice lots at low prices for quick buyer. J. F. Sangster, 403 Richmond street. 92u tz

FOR SALE—FINE NEW RESIDENCE, north side Central avenue, near Park; modern. Inquire on premises. A bargain if sold at once. 92c tzx

FOR SALE—THE BEAUTIFUL RESIDENCE, stable and grounds belonging to the estate of the late Arthur Wallace, situated on the corner of King and Colborne streets, 88 feet on King street, with right of way in rear. Apply on the premises or to Fraser & Fraser, Barristers, London. zxt

ENGINE FOR SALE—A BARGAIN—Thirty horse-power; can be run at ninety revolutions; is in capital order; can be had at a very low figure. Address Engine, care Advertiser Office. 56tf&62tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—A BARGAIN—Residence, No. 567 Queen's avenue, almost new, furnace, bath, and all modern improvements. Must be sold. Can be inspected any afternoon. Apply on the premises. 64tf

Articles For Sale.

TWO ALL-IRON REFRIGERATORS—AT cost. J. C. Parr, No. 663 Dundas street. 92c

ELECTRIC FAN MOTOR FOR SALE cheap. Apply Box 35, this office. 84tf

NEW 1898 MASSEY-HARRIS BICYCLE for sale at a bargain. Address "Bike" this office. 69tf

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

A SNAP—NEWCOMBE PIANO, 7⅓ OCTAVES, only 4 years old, only $200; James & Co., 6 octave organ, 10 stops, only $50. Easy terms of payment. Heintzman & Co., 236 Dundas street.

CUSTOM PAPERS OF ALL KINDS AL WAYS on hand at Advertiser Job Department. You can have them in large or small quantities.

BATHS, SINKS, PUMPS, WATER CLOSETS, steam and hot water boilers. Smith Bros, 265 Dundas street. z

SHIPPING TAGS—AT CLOSE PRICES—Advertiser Job Department.

2 SECOND-HAND BICYCLES IN GOOD order. Good chance to get a bargain. D. McKenzie & Co.

BOLOGNA, PORK SAUSAGE, HEAD-CHEESE, 4 pounds, 25c; 2 pounds, 14c. Hams, Bacon, Butter, Eggs, lowest prices at Park's, corner Market Lane. Dressed hogs wanted.

SUMMER WOOD AT THE SAW MILL, East London. Satisfaction both in quality and quantity. Prompt delivery. Phone 1,312. Gillies & Son.

BASEBALLS AND BATS—IN FACT, anything you want for summer sports. R. V. S. SAUNDERS, 650 Dundas street, East London.

MEDICAL BATTERIES REPAIRED IN a first-class manner and satisfaction guaranteed. Prices moderate. The Ontario Electric Co., 141 King street. 6tf

KEENE'S, MASONIC TEMPLE, IS THE cheapest place to buy stoves or furniture. Large stock on hand.

CATALANO & SANSONE—FRESH BANANAS have commenced to arrive daily. Could give very low price on quantities (whole sale or retail); lemons and oranges also. 306 Dundas street.

Dental Cards.

DR. REYNOLDS, DENTIST SUCCESSOR to Dr. Swann. First-class honors, Toronto University. 207½ Dundas street. Phone 1,131

DR. W. S. WESTLAND—DENTIST—Post-graduate in crown and bridge work, Chicago. Edge Block, Richmond street. Phone 960, residence 420.

DR. G. H. KENNEDY—DENTIST—SUCCESSOR to the late Dr. Davis. Specialty preservation of natural teeth. 170 Dundas street. Phone 875.

J. ELLIOTT HOLMES, L.D.S—ROOM 3—Duffield Block, Dundas and Clarence streets. Phone 826.

DR. L. H. DAWSON—DENTIST—CORNER Dundas and Lyle streets, East London.

DR. JEFFERY N. WOOD—DENTIST—Over Hunnans & Butler, Dundas street. Telephone 1,256.

L. McDONALD—DENTIST—Office, 183½ Dundas street, London. Telephone 702.

WOOLVERTON & BENTLEY—DENTISTS—216 Dundas street, next Edy Bros, over Cairncross & Lawrence, druggists. Telephone 822.

Insurance.

A. N. UDY—INSURANCE AGENT—Office over C. P. R. ticket office. Telephone, 735.

CITY OF LONDON TAX NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Tax Collector will be in his office, City Hall, on and after July 18, 1898, to receive taxes for 1898. To be entitled to full authorized discount, taxes must be paid by July 31, 1898.

89n GEO. W. HAYES, Collector.

..THE..
ONTARIO MUTUAL LIFE.

Payment of Claims.

It is the practice of this company to pay all claims the same day the completed claim papers reach the office. No tedious delays. No complicated papers. They are simple in form, easily completed and insure prompt payment.

C. E. GERMAN,
General Agent,
Cor. Dundas & Richmond
LONDON.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE REAL estate—There will be offered for sale by D. H. Porter & Co., auctioneers, on the premises, 101 Wellington street, on Thursday, July 28, 1898, at 6:30 p.m., the following property, viz: Lot, No. 1, north side of South street, in said city of London. On the premises is erected a good frame cottage, renting at $5 50 per month; also good store and dwelling. This property affords a grand opportunity for investment, or for any party desirous of a good stand for a bakery or other business; owner leaving for England, so property must be sold. Terms made known on day of sale. For particulars apply to Mr. Robert Davey, on the premises, or to D. H. Porter & Co., Auctioneers, 97 Carling street, city. 92c tzx

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Is the Best Packed in Canada.

SOLD BY ALL GROCERS.

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TENDERS

—FOR—

Printing, Advertising and Stationery.

TENDERS FOR PRINTING, ADVERTISING and Stationery for the corporation of the city of London will be received at the city treasurer's office, up to 5 o'clock p.m., on Friday, the 29th inst., where samples and specifications may be seen. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. H. WINNETT, Ch. No. 1 Com. JOHN POPE, City Treas.
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CHANGES IN ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE ADVERTISER desires to give the best of service to advertisers, but cannot guarantee a change unless the copy is received by 5 p.m. the day before. It will do the best possible to make the changes, no matter when the copy comes, but customers who send copy in later than 5 p.m. must take chances on having the changes made the day they wish, and should not feel annoyed if changes are not made.

NO SPLICING THE MAIN BRACE

How Grog Began and How It Was Abolished in the U. S. Navy.

They didn't "splice the main brace" the other day on the Nashville, when the gallant gunboat had raced through the sea, with every human pulse abeat, and captured the first prize of the war. They won't splice the main brace on the Oregon, even if all hands should have the strain of that seemingly impossible thing, an all-day's running fight with a fleet of Spanish cruisers.

"Splicing the main brace" is, or rather used to be, serving an extra allowance of grog to all hands on a naval vessel after an engagement. This explanation is so old that it will be news to many in these days. If things were as they used to be, how naturally it would have happened that when the Nashville had captured her prize, and when every heart aboard was aglow with the success, the boatswain and his mates should have piped through the ship the order, "All hands for grog." At the beginning of any other war in our history "Grog o!" would have resounded through the ship. But—

They've raised his pay five cents a day
And stopped his grog forever.

A Genuine Triumph

in the medical line is that made by a Brantford druggist, called Merrill's System Tonic. It embodies an idea long thought of but just recently made chemically possible. When System Tonic is taken the old blood is purified, new rich blood is made, while all the principal organs in the body are toned and new tissue constructed. The result is perfect health. Sold in 50c bottles, at Strong's Drug Store. Pamphlet free.

THERE is not a more dangerous class of disorders than those which affect the breathing organs. Nullify this danger with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil—a pulmonic of acknowledged efficacy. It cures soreness and lameness when applied externally, as well as swelled neck and crick in the back, and, as an inward specific, possesses most substantial claim to public confidence.

Surrendered To Lieut. Wiley

Over 3,000 Spanish Troops and 350 Guerillas

Surrender at San Luis and Palma Soriano.

Shafter Reports the Santiago Victory Cost the Lives of 230 U. S. Soldiers.

Large Number of Soldiers Suffering From Malarial Fever—Terrible Heat at Fernandina—"Yellow" Journalists Bounced—Progress of Gen. Miles' Expedition.

STILL THY COME.

Washington, July 25.—The war department at midnight posted the following:

Santiago, via Hayti, July 24, 1898.

Adjutant-General of the Army, Washington:

Lieut. Wiley has returned from San Luis and Palma Soriano, where he went four days ago to receive the surrender of Spanish troops. The number surrendered was larger than Gen. Toral reported—3,000 Spanish troops and 350 volunteer guerillas gave up their arms and gave parole, and have gone to work; 3,000 stands of arms were turned in loaded on ox carts and started to the railroad, Spanish troops accompanying him to San Luis and all apparently greatly delighted at prospects of returning home. They were on the verge of starvation, and I have to send them rations tomorrow. If the numbers keep up as they have there will be about 24,000 to ship away—nearly 12,000 here, 3,000 from San Luis, 6,000 from Guantanamo, and over 2,000 at Sagua and Baracoa. (Signed) SHAFTER, Major-General Commanding.

Shafter's Order.

THE SANTIAGO VICTORY—230 KILLED.

Santiago, July 25.—Following is Major-Gen. Shafter's order, just published:

"Headquarters United States Troops in Cuba, Santiago de Cuba:

"General Order No. 26—The successful acomplishment of the campaign against Santiago, resulting in its downfall and the surrender of the Spanish forces and the capture of large amounts of military stores, together with the destruction of the entire Spanish fleet in the harbor, which upon the investment was forced to leave, is one of which this army can well be proud. This has been acomplished through the heroic deeds of the army, and to its officials and men the major-general commanding offers his sincere thanks for their endurance of hardships heretofore unknown in the American army. The work you have accomplished may well appeal to the pride of your countrymen and has been rivaled upon few occasions in the world's history. Landing upon an unknown coast, you faced dangers in disembarking and overcame obstacles that, even looking back, seem insurmountable.

"Seizing, with the assistance of the navy, the towns of Baiquiri and Siboney, you pushed boldly forth, gallantly driving back the enemy's outpost in the engagement of La Quasina and completed the concentration of the enemy near Sevilla within sight of the Spanish stronghold of Santiago de Cuba.

OBSTACLES TO THE ADVANCE.

"The outlook from Sevilla was one that might have appalled the stoutest heart. Behind you ran a narrow road, made well nigh impassable by rains, while to the front you looked out upon high foothills covered with a dense tropical growth, which could only be traversed by bridle paths terminating within range of the enemy's guns.

"Nothing deterred, you responded eagerly to the order to close upon the foe, and, attacking at Caney and San Juan, drove him from work to work until he took refuge within his last and strongest entrenchments, immediately surrounding the city.

VICTORY.

"Despite the fierce glare of a southern sun and rains that fell in torrents you valiantly withstood his attempts to drive you from the position your valor had won. Holding in your vice-like grip the army opposed to you, after seventeen days of battle and siege you were rewarded by the surrender of nearly 24,000 prisoners, 12,000 being those in your immediate front, the others scattered in the various towns of Eastern Cuba, freeing completely the eastern part of the island completely from Spanish troops.

THE COST.

"This was not done without great sacrifices. The death of 230 gallant soldiers and the wounding of 1,284 others shows but too plainly the fierce contest in which you were engaged. The few reported missing are undoubtedly among the dead, as no prisoners were lost.

CAUSE FOR PRIDE.

"For those who have fallen in battle with you, the commanding-general sorrows, and with you will ever cherish their memory. Their devotion to duty sets a high example to courage and patriotism to our fellow-countrymen. All who have participated in the campaign, battle and siege of Santiago de Cuba will recall with pride the grand deeds accomplished, and will hold one another dear from having shared from the sufferings, hardships and triumphs together. All may well feel proud to inscribe on their banners the name of Santiago de Cuba.

"By command of Major-General Shafter.

"E. J. McCLERNAND,
"Assistant Adjutant-General."

MANY SOLDIERS SICK.

San Francisco, July 25.—Sickness among the soldiers is increasing. In the division hospital are 208 patients, and in the presidio barracks hospital 45; total 253 soldiers, not counting perhaps a hundred less severe cases in the regimental hospital.

More soldiers are sick now than during the bad weather in which about 14,000 were in Camp Merrit, where today there are only a little over half the number.

Washington, July 25.—A dispatch from Gen. Shafter says that 336 new cases of fever of all classes were reported in his camp before Santiago yesterday. As the same dispatch reports only four deaths, and none of them being from yellow fever, the war authorities are more than ever inclined to the belief that the cases of yellow fever are of extremely mild type.

NOT SO SERIOUS.

The war department authorities say the yellow fever situation among the troops as shown by last night's dispatch is less serious than they had expected. With 27,000 men before Santiago, the officials say that, with the conditions considered, the proportion of victims and of the sick is less than might have been expected.

ONLY MALARIAL FEVER.

The report that there are 30 cases of yellow fever in the cavalry division proves, on investigation, to be unfounded. Malarial fever is prevalent, but it yields to quinine treatment in the course of four or five days. The fact that the immunes of the regiment have had this fever as freely as the other men shows that the illness is not Yellow Jack.

INVASION OF PORTO RICO.

Washington, July 25.—It is calculated that General Miles has arrived at the point on the coast of Porto Rico selected as the rendezvous for all the vessels of the expedition. Whether or not he will undertake to make a landing in advance of the arrival of the whole expedition will depend upon conditions as he finds them.

YELLOW FEVER.

A dispatch received late last night from Gen. Shafter told of the death of six men from yellow fever, and also announced that there were 1,500 soldiers sick with fever, of whom 150 have genuine yellow fever. Precautions have been taken by the authorities at Santiago to check the epidemic, and a general shifting of the troops took place to get them away from the infected section. Official announcement also came of the departure of five transports from Port Tampa for Porto Rico.

"YELLOW" JOURNALISTS FIRED.

New York, July 25.—The Herald's Santiago cable says: After he found himself free from the annoyance of the unreasonable Cubans, Gen. Shafter set about to rid himself of the only other disturbing element in the situation—the "yellow journalists." Following the arrest and deportation of Sylvester Scovel, Gen. Shafter has banished from this part of Cuba all of the correspondents and artists of the "yellow journal" known as the opposition to that formerly represented here by Scovel. Gen. Shafter resolved to put an end to the mischief these "yellow journalists" were doing, and hundreds of "yellow" posters, bearing the words, "Remember the Maine," which were placed about the city to incite attacks on the surrendered Spaniards have been torn down.

INTERNAL DISORDERS CONTINUE

Paris, July 25.—Private letters received here from Madrid under date of July 23 announce that the international disorders in the Spanish provinces continue. Some demonstrations have taken place at Granada, supposed to be due to the opposition manifested toward the octoroi tax and owing to other local disputes. Still, in view of the rigorous censorship on all questions of public order, it is difficult to obtain the facts. At Garagia, in the province of Barcelona, a mob recently fired on the gendarmes, and an armed band, said to have been composed of jailbirds, has appeared at Banoe and Valdorras. The police are pursuing them.

Great precautions were taken at the open air theaters in the Buen Retire Gardens in Madrid, yesterday evening (Friday, July 22), owing to an expected demonstration in favor of Gen. Weyler, who was present, but nothing developed.

GERMAN FEELING.

London, July 25.—The Berlin correspondent of the Daily News says: According to a dispatch from Washington the interview between President McKinley and the German ambassador, Dr. Von Hollebon, was very cordial, the latter assuring the president of the friendly feeling of Emperor William and Germany toward the United States. It is said that Dr. Von Hollebon conveyed Emperor William's desire for an amicable statement of America's intention regarding the Philippines. It is not known whether President McKinley responded.

The German firms at Manila have decided to petition the government again to obtain from the United States indemnity for their losses. They wanted the British traders to join in the appeal; but the latter received a hint from London not to join, as Lord Salisbury had already received favorable assurances from Washington.

GLAD TO SURRENDER.

Washington, July 25.—The war department has received the following from General Shafter:

"Colonel of engineers of the Spanish army has arrived from Guantanamo. He heard from the French consul there that Santiago had surrendered, and that they had been included. Not crediting it, he was sent here to verify the fact. They will be very glad to accept terms of surrender; very short of rations; and I shall have to begin feeding them at once. He tells me there are six thousand men at that place. Am now feeding six thousand prisoners here and sixteen hundred sick in hospital. Expect two thousand men from San Luis and Palmas. Will send an officer with one of Gen. Toral's to receive surrender at Guantanamo, and then go to Sagua and Barracoa to receive surrender there. Think the number of prisoners will be fully up to 22,000 or 23,000."

TERRIBLE HEAT.

Fernandina, Fla., July 25.—The heat was so oppressive in camp Saturday that at the Thirty-second regimental drill over 50 men were prostrated and were carried to their quarters. It is likely that all drills will be omitted until the heat subsides.

J. R. Bigar, of Battery A, Sixth Artillery, who has been in poor health for some time, committed suicide by drowning here Saturday morning just after his father had arrived to take him to his home near Ithaca, N. Y. His body was not recovered, although over 200 of his comrades spent two hours diving after it.

APOCRYPHAL REPORTS.

Washington, July 25.—Doubt is cast upon reports of recent exciting events among the Cubans at or near Santiago owing to the failure of Gen. Shafter to make any report upon them, and inasmuch as he has made less important subjects matter for dispatches it is hard to understand why he should fail to mention an event of such importance as the reported attack by Garcia under Spanish troops on their way to surrender to Shafter.

WAR NOTES.

The war department has decided to send the First Florida, Second Georgia, and Fifth Maryland Regiments, now at Tampa, to Porto Rico.

Twenty bags of mail were seized at the Santiago postoffice on the day of the American occupation. It consists of Spanish official and private correspondence, and was sent to New York.

SANTIAGO QUIET.

Santiago, July 25.—The city is quiet, and ordinary business is being resumed. From various points in the province Spanish troops continue to arrive daily, and are sent to campt to await barkation.

The cargoes of supplies on vessels here are being unloaded, and the prevailing distress is being relieved rapidly. Orders have been issued with a view to enforcing friendliness throughout the city. The houses are subject to inspection, and heavy fines will be imposed for negligence in complying with the sanitary measures.

The condition of the sick has greatly improved in the last two days.

The Red Cross Society's steamer, State of Texas has unloaded her cargo and returned north. Miss Clara Barton and her staff remain here, doing efficient work in the city.

GRAVE EVENTS NEAR.

London, July 25.—A special dispatch from Madrid says that Gen. Augustin, captain-general of the Philippines, has telegraphed the government as follows: "The Americans are about to attack Manila. Grave events are impending."

CAMARA'S FLEET.

Gibraltar, July 25.—Admiral Camara's fleet is said now to be at Cartagena. A French squadron is reported to be cruising between the Canary Islands and Cadiz coast.

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The future is uncertain, but if you keep your blood pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla you may be sure of good health.

A hailstorm swept a long strip, two miles wide, in the Edmonton district, last week.

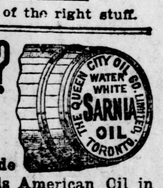
The Beach Hotel, located on the gulf front, at Galveston Texas, and one of the leading summer and winter resorts in the south, burned, entailing a loss estimated at from $200,000 to $250,000.

Doctors Testify.

There's strong testimony by eminent physicians of wonderful cures made by Dr. Chase's Family Remedies—particularly Dr. Chase's Ointment.

The Fly is made of the right stuff.

That's It?



Best Lamp Oil made in Canada. Equals American Oil in every respect. Cheaper and just what you want. Ask your dealer for it.

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SAML. ROGERS, President, Toronto.

CALL UP LONDON BRANCH. Phone 1,240

Bring Your Prescriptions To Us

Don't take them to a place just because it's near by. Mistakes are easily made in dispensing prescriptions unless they're properly guarded against. Think over these precautions and advantages we offer.

Our pharmacists are men of the highest efficiency.

We offer you the best skill, finest drugs, freshest chemicals.

We double check all prescriptions, which makes mistakes impossible.

We are just as particular to be reasonable in price.

Cairncross & Lawrence,
PRESCRIPTION CHEMISTS.
TWO STORES.