

Births, Marriages, Deaths

MARRIED.
ALLINSON-WESTBROOK.—On Wednesday evening, April 26, by the Rev. J. W. Pedley, Miss Hannah E. Westbrook to Mr. Wm. T. Allinson, both of this city.

DIED.
DALY.—At the General Hospital, Saturday, May 27, of scarlet fever, Frederica Dickson, aged 3 years 1 month, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Daly, 536 Dufferin avenue. Funeral took place from the hospital, Sunday, at 2 p.m.

Amusements and Lectures

SULPHUR SPRINGS BATHS.—NOW open for the season from 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. under the new management of Cole & Edmonds. xxtv

GRAND DRAMATIC CANTATA.—"BEL CHAZZAR'S Feast, or the Fall of Babylon," on Tuesday evening, May 30, in Adelaide Street Baptist Church. Silver collection of 10 cents and upwards. 57u

THE SECOND CARLYLE RECITAL will be given in the concert hall of the London Piano and Music Company, 133 Dundas street, Thursday evening, June 1, "Cyrano de Bergerac." Subscription list at Carlyle's and with Miss Greig, 206 Dundas street. 57u xxtv

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MEETINGS.
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WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A GOOD plain cook. Apply to Mrs. George C. Gibbons, 257 Dufferin avenue. 55c

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GENERAL servant. No washing. Mrs. Isaac Waterman, 380 King street. 40c

Male Help Wanted.

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED MAN AS porter; accustomed to the work. Apply Fraser House, King street. b

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY—TWO CARriage blacksmiths. Apply D. Carriage Shop, Dundas street. 57u

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WANTED—COAT-MAKER—AT ONCE—Apply M. H. Bird, 306 1/2 Richmond street, Union prices. b

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WANTED—HOSTLER—APPLY ONTARIO House, 405 Adelaide street. 55c

WANTED—PAINTER—BRUSH HAND—steady work. Apply O. Quigley, Lucan. 54k

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WANTED AT ONCE—GOOD COOK—At O'Neill House, corner York and Talbot street. Good wages to right person. 27c

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WANTED—BY GENTLEMAN AND HIS wife—Sitting room and bedroom with board, in central locality. Apply H. Tomlinson, 133 Dundas street. 59c

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Miscellaneous.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY—CONTRIBUTIONS of housefurnishings, children's clothing and food requested. Donations received at the shelter, 137 Fullerton street, or sent by giving address to Joseph Sanders, City Hall, London. 55c

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Arbitration Appears to Find General Favor.

Ready Response to the British Delegate's Proposal.

Heavy Foot in England—Dreyfus to Have a New Trial—A Thief Writing a Book—"The Burglar King" of Vienna Proud of His Housebreaking Record.

London, May 29.—The correspondent of the Morning Post at The Hague says: "The discussion of the proposed modification of the Geneva convention provisions regarding sick and wounded neutrals constitutes a distinct success for the American delegates. When it was first broached the Russians declined to take any part in the discussion, on the ground that the subject was not mentioned in the circular of Count Muraviev. The Americans urged that the Dutch invitation included all subjects bearing on the circular, a view which the conference upheld. As yet the Russians have not abandoned their position, and they will make another effort to have the American proposals rejected on technical grounds."

PEACE PROSPECTS AT HIGH WATER MARK.

The correspondent of the Daily Telegraph at The Hague says: "Peace prospects touched high water mark today, when the conference found itself face to face with arbitration in a practicable and acceptable form, and as a permanent international achievement. This honor is mainly due to Sir Julian Pauncefote. When the members of the arbitration section had finished reading the Russian proposals on this subject, Sir Julian expressed his complete approval of them, but said it would be a great pity if the conference failed to embody the principle of arbitration in some permanent shape. 'I now beg to propose,' he said, 'the formal establishment of a permanent arbitration tribunal, empowered to deal with all matters in dispute, capable of reference to the judgment of an umpire. I do not intend to trouble you with details as to its mechanism today, nor until you accept the principle of my proposal. Therefore I ask you to accept the principle now.'

M. De Staal at once declared: "Sir Julian Pauncefote, having presented his proposals, we are prepared to supplement and to complete the printed suggestion, just distributed by others, dealing with a permanent arbitration tribunal." Thereupon the Russian president of the conference drew a paper from his pocket and laid it upon the table, and there. The paper contained the foundation of a permanent tribunal, suggesting the substitution of a new clause, and referring to an appended note drawn up. The annexed delegates crowded around Sir Julian, congratulating him on having played the winning card, which had so quickly precipitated the Russian alternative scheme. Some stood aghast, as the matter was not contemplated in their instructions. Finally it was decided to refer the matter to a sub-committee.

HEAVY FROST IN ENGLAND.

London, May 29.—Recent heavy frosts have done a great deal of damage to fruits and vegetation throughout some of the most fertile districts of England. The result will be that other countries will have to be drawn on by the English fruit dealers.

BURGLAR WRITING A BOOK.

Vienna, May 29.—Julius Raldi, known here as the "Burglar King," has established a record in house-breaking and theft. He has been imprisoned 17 times. He committed 137 successful thefts in two months last year, and when captured became so indignant because he was treated as an ordinary criminal that he made a full confession of all his crimes, and succeeded in proving to the police that he was a great thief. While awaiting his trial Raldi is writing an autobiography.

Executors' Sale of Household Furniture and Fiano.

J. W. JONES HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED by the executors of the late Arthur Wallace, to sell on the premises, corner of King and Colborne streets, on

Tuesday, May 30, at 10:30 a.m., the household effects, comprising grand piano, music stand, center table, chairs, rockers, sofas, pictures, bric-a-brac, ottomans, Brussels carpets, rug, matted clock, lady's desk, hall chairs, card table, contents of three bedrooms in suites, mattresses and springs, wardrobes, sideboard, dining table and chairs, No. 1 table, crockery, glassware, silverware, No. 2 table, step ladder, two lawn mowers, garden tools, curtains and cornices. Also a number of other household effects. Also a number of other household effects. Also a number of other household effects.

Terms cash. J. W. JONES, Auctioneer, 66u

TILE SEWER

TENDERS for the construction of a TILE SEWER on Central avenue will be received at this office up to 5 o'clock on Thursday, June 1. Plans and form of tender at this office.

A. O. GRAYDON, City Engineer.

AID. H. M. DOUGLASS, Chairman Board of Works. 57c

NOTICE.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE County Clerk's office, county buildings, London, until noon on

Thursday, June 8, 1899,

for the supply of hard and soft coal in Jail, Court House, and other public county buildings until June 1900, as required. Subject to the approval of the County Commissioners. The lowest and any tender not necessarily accepted. All parties tendering to furnish the names of two solvent persons as sureties for the due fulfillment of the contract.

T. E. ROBSON, County Clerk.

F. B. TALBOT, County Commissioner.

THE CHINA GAZETTE.

The China Gazette says that Great Britain has agreed to transfer Wei-Hai-Wei to Germany two years hence in return for German concessions in South Africa.

The report credited to the China Gazette of Shanghai that Great Britain has agreed to transfer Wei-Hai-Wei to Germany two years hence in return for German concessions in South Africa is denied in England.

NEW TRIAL FOR DREYFUS.

A dispatch from Paris says the government officially announces that Dreyfus will be retried by a court-martial, the sittings of which will be held in a garrison town distant from Paris. The minister for war, M. Camille Krantz, has issued stringent orders that no officer, either in civilian costume or uniform, shall frequent the place of justice or its precincts next week during the public hearing of the demand for the revision of the Dreyfus trial.

EVACUATION OF ZAMBOANGA.

The Spanish minister of war has received a dispatch announcing the evacuation of Zamboanga, Island of Mindanao, by the Spanish garrison. Spaniards had declined to assist the Filipino demands that the arms and munitions of war should be surrendered with the city, fighting took place, the Spaniards suffering some loss.

ANGLO-AMERICAN NEGOTIATIONS.

The London morning papers prominently discuss the future of the Anglo-American commission, with an apparent desire to pacify both Canada and the United States.

CABLE NOTES.

The ninth attempt to float the Paris proved an utter failure. According to a special dispatch from Rome the scenes witnessed Friday in the Italian Chamber of Deputies were repeated Saturday. General Pelloux, the premier, denounced the Socialists, the Rightists rose and dashed at the Socialists, hitting and kicking. The session was suspended and the chamber cleared by the officials.

Two physical charges of assisting men to escape conscription into their army by administering pills to them, which caused palpitation of the heart. Four of the men who took the pills died from their effect.

THE RAILWAYS

Pennsylvania System's Tunnels To Be Lighted by Electricity.

O. P. Flyer Across the Continent and Daily Transcontinental Service.

Hereafter the long, gloomy tunnels of the Pennsylvania system are to be illuminated by electricity, and track work will be greatly facilitated. The old smoky torch will be relegated to the bonkard of oblivion, and the electric light will be substituted.

The biggest move in Michigan railroad circles which has been known is ready to push to completion. It will consolidate three of the big roads into one company under a new name, but it is anticipated that the management will remain practically the same.

The new fast service on the Canadian Pacific Railway will be inaugurated about the middle of June, probably the 15th or 16th. The flyer across the continent will be called the "Imperial Limited," and will reduce the time between Montreal and Vancouver to about 100 hours. There will also be a daily transcontinental service instituting the vast increase of travel, and trains will leave on Sundays as well as on week days, this being absolutely necessary to relieve the present heavy traffic on Monday, with the exception of the Grand Trunk authorities remonstrated with.

Others spoke in the same strain, and the following resolution passed: "That in view of the danger to the traveling public, owing to the strike of the trackmen on the G. T. R., this board is of the opinion that the railway company should at once take steps to put an end to the present unsatisfactory state of affairs."

NO TRACKMEN AT WORK.

Roadmaster Young, of Sarnia, was in the city Saturday, accompanied by G. T. R. Detective Bradley. Mr. Young had an interview with Mr. Evans, foreman of one of the section divisions in this city. The man or two who began work here Thursday quit again, and no trackmen are now at work.

STRIKERS ENCOURAGED.

[Special To The Advertiser per C.P.R.] Toronto, May 29.—The local committee of the striking trackmen received today the following message from Grand Organizer A. E. Lowe, Montreal: "Grand news from all parts. Italians and constables are making public sympathy hot for us, and chasing the Dugos. Cannot replace us. We are winning." Nothing of importance developed locally this morning. It is thought that the rain of this morning will seriously interfere with the condition of the roadbed.

PADEREWSKI MARRIED.

New York, May 29.—A Paris dispatch to the World says that it is learned on unimpeachable authority that Ignace Paderewski, the great pianist, was secretly married last December to Mme. Ellena Gorski, the divorced wife of Ladislav Gorski, a well known violinist, formerly a member of the Lamoureux Orchestra. Mme. Gorski, when in Geneva recently, signed herself Ellena Paderewski on the register of the Imperial Hotel, and was seen at the Casino there.

Mme. Gorski is now living quietly in Paris together awaiting the pope's dispensation before having an ecclesiastical marriage. Madame, who is still passing as Mme. Gorski in Paris, is forty-four years of age, older, therefore, than Paderewski. She has intensely black hair, Jewish features, which can look beautiful and ugly by turns, and has remarkable fascination.

CARS RUN, PEOPLE WALK

Merchants Report Good Business on Saturday—B. of R. R. in Sympathy With the Men.

The decoy passengers who enjoyed riding at the company's expense on Saturday hardly had time to do any purchasing. The buying public walked out of sympathy for the employees, even though rain did threaten, and when the downpour came the good housewives remained in the cool stores resting to prepare for the walk home, which can be accomplished by 99 per cent of the people without any serious effects.

The appearance of the cars at 6 o'clock proved the people were walking almost to a unit. A splendid day's business, considering the wet weather, is reported by the merchants interviewed on Saturday.

B. OF R. T. SUPPORT THE MEN.

The following communication has been received by the strikers' committee:

To the striking conductors and motormen of London:
Dear Sirs,—At the regular meeting of London Lodge, No. 415, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, the following resolution was unanimously passed and ordered to be forwarded to your committee:

Resolved, that the members of this lodge do hereby extend their hearty sympathy and moral support to the striking conductors and motormen of London in their struggle for the recognition of the principles and just rights of honest organized labor. Your fight is a just and honorable one, and we wish you success in your battle against organized persecution and corporate greed. And resolved, further, that we disapprove and condemn the course pursued by certain of our local press, inasmuch as some papers have taken up the fight in behalf of greedy capital as against honest labor. (Signed) Secretary, London, 415, B. of R. T.

STRIKE NOTES.

There will be a secret meeting for union men only at the Jubilee Rink Wednesday night.

C. W. Smith, proprietor of the Jubilee Rink, refused to accept pay for the men for the use of the building Saturday night.

Someone suggests a line of steamboats on the river to take picnic parties to Springbank.

The rain continues to make the showing of sympathy a very practical thing. A benefit concert for the men will be held in the Grand Opera House Saturday night.

A union men have put on several extra buses to accommodate the heavy traffic. After all, the streets are the people's.

SYMPATHY FOR THE TRACKMEN

Expressed by Rev. W. F. Wilson, of Hamilton—Action of Guelph Board of Trade—The Local Situation.

MINISTER FAVORS THE TRACKMEN.

Hamilton, May 29.—At Wesley Church last night Rev. W. F. Wilson in the course of his sermon referred to the railway trackmen's strike, and said that while he did not favor strikes as a general thing, he believed the G. T. R. trackmen were justified in striking, and their conduct since quitting work had commended itself to the country at large. He believed the press and people were with the strikers, and he hoped they would win in their struggle for living wages. The large congregation of Wesley appeared to approve of the minister's sentiments.

GUELPH BUSINESS MEN PROTEST.

At a meeting of the Guelph board of trade Saturday night Mr. Duff drew the attention of the board to the strike on the G. T. R. Although it might not be a matter that strictly came under the province of the board, yet it was one in which the traveling public was deeply interested. It was in the public interest that this matter should be given up, and the Grand Trunk authorities remonstrated with.

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Red Hot From the Gun

Was the ball that hit G. B. Steadman, of Newark, Mich., in the civil war. It caused horrible ulcers that no treatment helped for 20 years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve Cured him. Cures Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Bolls, Felons, Corns, Skin Eruptions. Best Pile cure on earth. 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. For sale by W. T. Strong & Co.

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elder child floating face downwards in the river, which runs close by the house. It was then discovered that both children had been playing on the river bank and had slipped in and been drowned. The mother was sick in bed and the father away at the time.

NORTH WATERLOO

Official Figures Give the Liberal Candidate 119 Majority.

Berlin, Ont., May 29.—The official returns in the late North Waterloo provincial bye-election were given out Saturday evening by Returning Officer McDougall, who declared Mr. L. J. Breithaupt elected by 119 majority.

THE POSITION OF CANADA

In Regard to the Alaska Boundary Question—Miststatements Corrected—The Colony Made No Unreasonable Proposals.

[Special To The Advertiser per C. P. R.] Ottawa, May 29.—The dispute which appears this morning from Washington purports to give the United States side of the trouble over the Alaska boundary question. It says that after the conference adjourned, both governments took up this matter with a view to settlement, thus removing it from other important issues involved. In this it states that a decision was about to be reached to refer the matter to a separate tribunal for arbitration, when Canada put forward the extraordinary conditions that in any event Canada should have Pyramid Harbor and a strip of territory on the Lynn Canal without any reference to the general conclusions arrived at by the tribunal of arbitration.

This might be well characterized as an extraordinary condition, if correct, but there is not one word of truth in it. It is learned on good authority that Canada proposed no such conditions. When it was proposed to leave the question to arbitration, the whole matter to such a condition without imposing any conditions as to territory.

The press correspondent is evidently mixing up the question now with what was under consideration before the conference, and the principle of give and take was discussed. At all events, Canada never proposed the conditions mentioned, if the matter went to arbitration.

MISS JULIA GRANT