

## AMUSEMENTS

**Mrs. Leslie-Carter in "Du Barry."**

In describing Mrs. Leslie-Carter as the greatest actress of the time, critics do so with a reason. For the making of a great actress there are many requisites, but mainly temperament, personality and talent. Of these, temperament would probably be given first place. The ability to live a role and reach over the footlights and have the auditor feel it is real acting dissociated from mere make-believe. And when one adds to Mrs. Carter's wonderful temperament an entrancing personality, and a talent for acting which can only be likened to Sarah Bernhardt's, in a role such as Du Barry, Mrs. Carter is seen at her best, and it is in this great play that she will be seen at the Grand Theatre.

**Dandy Dixie Minstrels.**

A most pretentious aggregation of colored performers will be seen with the Dandy Dixie Minstrels at the Grand Theatre on Monday and Tuesday nights. Besides "Laughing Lamar," whose inimitable monologue and parodies entertained thousands of theatre-goers on the New York Roof Garden last summer, the Dandy Dixie Minstrels offer an olio of specially engaged novelties, a first part of stunning spectacular effects, an afterpiece of furiously funny farce—"A Fowl Deed," and the famous Matchless Minstrel Musicians, the Cotton Pickers' Band. Travelling in their \$20,000 Pullman palace car, the Dandy Dixie Minstrels offer a most interesting and important city of the United States and Canada. Among the all-star performers are James Crosby, the tall talker; Williams and Stevens, comic impersonators; Monroe Taber, the silver-voiced tenor; Sammy Davis, Prince, aerial wire wonder; Buddy Jones, plectrum dancing marvel; Monroe Taber, Indian Territory tenor, and forty other head-line singers, dancers and merry minstrel men.

**gird and Moonlight.**

To-morrow, Tuesday, night the band of the 91st Regiment will run a moonlight excursion on the steamer Turbina. The band will play a popular programme of light, catchy music. James Dixon's orchestra will also play, so that a pleasant evening will be spent. Anderson's and Nordheim's music stores have tickets for sale; also the band boys.

## MAY BREAK EVEN.

## Forecast of the Result of the Election in Ottawa.

Ottawa, June 8.—Election day opened very quietly. The civil service put in the first polls for which the service had a holiday. Indications seem to lead to the belief that the Conservatives will carry West Ottawa by a small majority, and that the Liberals will hold East by a moderate one. Liberals are working hard in the West, however, to retain the two members for the Opposition.

## Cobalt, the Rich Silver District.

During the past four years the Cobalt silver mines have been discovered, developed and found to be the richest silver mines in America. The Cobalt district is reached via the Grand Trunk Railway System. Pullman sleeping cars being available right to the heart of the camp. The territory is situated about 100 miles north of North Bay, or 326 miles north of Toronto.

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## FATAL FALL OFF BARN.

Dublin, Ont., June 8.—Mr. John Friel, a highly respected and well known farmer of Hibernia Township, residing about three miles south of this place, was seriously injured on Saturday afternoon by falling off a barn that he died the same evening.

## CHOIR PICNIC.

The choir of St. John Presbyterian Church held its annual picnic at Bayview on Saturday afternoon. The party went over on a steam launch. Mr. Webster, choirmaster, was in charge. A fine time was spent in boating, games, etc. Two baseball matches were played, resulting in a tie. The teams were captained by Mr. Johnston and Miss Solvitsburg.

## MR. BLUEBIRD A FAMILY MAN.

How He Helps at Housekeeping and Looks Out for the Children.

Harbinger of spring is the bluebird. He is the first of the smaller birds to begin housekeeping arrangements, and the site to be selected, and the nest built usually before the middle of April.

It is no unusual occurrence to find eggs in the nests even as early as the first of the month, and with the majority they are laid by April 25th. These eggs, of which from four to eight, are most often five or six, are laid in one litter, are of immaculate turquoise blue. Usually two, occasionally three, broods are raised in season.

As soon as the first brood leaves the nest the father bird takes almost exclusive care of them until the female searches out a new nesting site and starts the making of a new home for the second brood of youngsters. The second litter is rarely as large as the first, consisting of four or five eggs. When the second nest is complete the father leaves his first family to shift for themselves, for then all his time will be occupied in attending to the wants of the second.

A pair of birds will return to the same site year after year and so long as it remains suitable for their purposes, and when they fail to return it is safe to conclude that some serious misfortune has befallen one or both of them.—Chicago Tribune.

## RUN OVER BY ROLLER.

Abraham Snyder, a Farmer, Killed at Brampton.

Brampton, June 7.—Mr. Abraham Snyder, a farmer, was killed by being run over by a land roller yesterday afternoon. Mr. Snyder was 78 years of age. It appears he was preparing to go to the field, when the horses took fright at the noise caused by the roller and bolted, throwing the old gentleman in front of the implement, which passed over him and fatally injured him, and he died this afternoon.

"It's the weakest that go to the wall," remarked the Wise Guy. "Oh! I don't know," said the Simple Mug. "I know some pretty husky paperhangers."

## GOT A FEW COPPERS

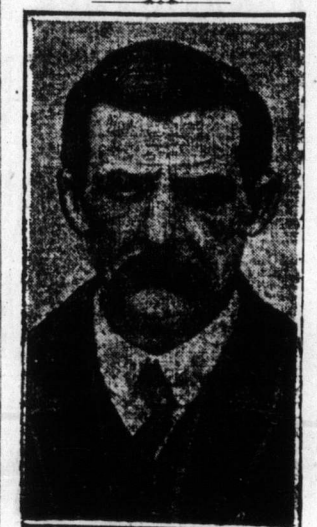
## Burglars Broke Into Belleville Newspaper Office.

Belleville, Ont., June 8.—Some time between Saturday night and Monday morning burglars entered the office of the Daily Ontario printing office and played havoc with the interior, securing a large screw driver, they pried open drawers. The contents were scattered about the place. They entered the vault by means of a key and also scattered the books and papers. Several tin boxes in the vault, containing valuable papers, were smashed open and the contents were taken from the vault as the result of the robbery. The robbers were evidently after money, as many articles of value were not taken. The burglars secured entrance by raising a back window. The police are working on the case, but have no clue.

## THIS WAS AWFUL.

## Man Cut to Death by Revolving Saw.

Penn Yan, June 8.—Late Saturday afternoon, while sawing lumber on the farm of William Leacy, situated between the villages of Milo and Torrey, Joel Horton, aged 40, the operator of the portable saw mill in use in adjusting some parts of the machinery, slipped on a loose board and fell upon the rapidly-revolving saw. His right leg and arm were cut off at the first contact with the knives and his body was then hurled into the air, falling face down upon the terrible instrument, which cut off the chin, mouth and nose and completely dismembered the body, parts of which were strewn about for many feet. The machine was shut down as quickly as possible and Coroner Frank Sampson was called. After viewing the remains and collecting the evidence, he issued a death certificate in accordance with the facts, not considering a jury inquest necessary. Horton's wife resides at Benton's Centre. He was well known and highly respected by the people of Yates County. The funeral will be held on Monday.



WILLIAM F. VAN DEVENIER.  
He has been granted a Carnegie medal and a pension of \$40 a month for his heroism in saving a woman from death on a railroad track.

## HITCHCOCK TRIAL.

## The Comedian Does Not Like Life in the Tombs.

New York, June 8.—After three days in a cell in the Tombs prison, Raymond Hitchcock, the comedian, appeared in the criminal branch of the Supreme Court to-day, prepared for the resumption of his trial on indictments growing out of charges preferred by several young girls. As Hitchcock has been tried before on an indictment involving the same charges and the allegations in the case have been given considerable publicity, it was believed that some difficulty would be experienced in getting a jury. There was only one jurymen in the box when the trial was resumed before Justice Goff to-day.

Hitchcock does not take kindly to his incarceration in the Tombs and his appearance in court today was proof of this. "It is an awful place," he declared. "I don't know how I am going to stand it, if this trial drags along for any length of time."

## POETRY IN THE SCHOOLS.

Principal Peterson Protests Against Neglect of Intellectual Education.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., June 7.—The inauguration address of the Canadian Club here was delivered yesterday by Principal Peterson of McGill University in poetry in the schools. He said the present-day tendencies are too much in the direction of exercising the mechanical element in education at the expense of the intellectual. Manual training should be retained so long as it is duly co-ordinated with other disciplinary studies, and does not lead to evasion of hard, continuous work. Language study and poetry require more attention in the schools. Due attention to the right kind of poetry will tend to counteract any material and utilitarian tendencies that may wish to force themselves upon the present-day education. Poetry is the teacher's most potent aid for instilling wholesome thoughts in the minds of the pupils.

## A KNAPSACK BOAT.

Invention for Army Use Devised by a Servian.

A Servian has invented what he terms "a boat in a knapsack," for army purposes. The boat is of linen, made watertight by a coating of rubber. It is provided with oars, which fold into each other to the size of an ordinary walking stick, and a cork seat, which also serves to keep it taut when open. The model can hold one person only, but larger ones may be made on the same plan for the conveyance of troops and baggage when crossing rivers. Naval experts who have tried this invention on the Seine speak of it in high terms, and hope to have it introduced into the Russian army.

## SPORTING NEWS

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high man, with 567, and Fitzgerald second, with 527. The scores:

Fitzgerald	195	194	138	527
Jamieson	156	172	175	503
Wareham	108	150	143	399
Atchison	169	173	171	513
Nelson	154	167	182	503

Hamilton II.

Cooper	104	182	136	512
Boyle	132	121	184	437
Bolton	154	131	183	468
Avery	140	184	171	504
Smith	202	154	211	567

J. H. Fitzgerald won the hat for high score for the week, with 644.

## R. H. Y. C. RACES.

## Invader Won the Class A Race on Saturday.

The Royal Hamilton Yacht Club held three races on Saturday afternoon, the results being as follows:

Class "A," start at 2:30.

Invader	5:48.18	5:27.08	2:57.03
Peter	5:41.00	5:41.00	3:11.00

Monsoon did not finish.

Class "B" start at 2:35.

Helen	5:48.18	5:48.18	3:13.18
Therla	5:49.05	5:49.05	3:14.05
Brenda	5:56.19	5:56.19	3:21.19

Dingy race, start 3:20.

Matheson	4:48.23	4:48.23	1:28.23
W. T. Judd	4:48.27	4:48.27	1:28.27
B. Harvey	4:51.44	4:51.44	1:31.44
J. W. Maucor	4:57.00	4:57.00	1:37.00
B. Eyles	5:00.00	5:00.00	1:40.00
V. Quarry	5:01.00	5:01.00	1:41.00

M. Staunton did not finish.

C. Grace did not finish.

## H. G. C. SHOOT.

## Court Thompson Made High Average on Saturday.

The Hamilton Gun Club held a practice shoot on Saturday afternoon. Court Thompson, professional, representing the U. M. C. Company, was high average for the day breaking 90 per cent. of the targets shot at. The scores:

Targets	10	10	10	10	10	15	25
Court Thompson	9	9	8	8	8	15	22
W. P. Thomson	8	8	7	7	7	13	19
Barnard	4	4	7	7	7	17	21
Davies	7	7	7	7	7	17	21
Hore	5	5	3	3	3	7	13
Barnes	5	5	6	6	6	10	16
Beattie	7	7	9	9	9	14	21
Bowron	4	4	6	6	6	10	16
Wark	9	9	6	6	6	12	18
Oliver	3	3	3	3	3	9	15
Dr. Wilson	15	15	15	15	15	23	35

The club will hold a one day tournament, open to all amateurs, on 4th of July next, and as some very valuable merchandise prizes are being arranged, together with an international five man team race, this shoot will no doubt prove a big drawing card to American and Canadian shooters. The 4th of July being a holiday on the other side, a big entry is expected from Buffalo, Bradford, Pa., Cleveland.

A final shoot of 50 targets for the Robertson, Reardon and Du Pont trophies will be held next Saturday. All members desiring to compete must send in their names to the secretary not later than Thursday next, in order that handicaps may be arranged.

## BOWLING ON THE GREEN.

The following score shows how Vice-President Cartwright's contingent defeated President Glasgow's players by eleven shots on Saturday afternoon on the Thistle lawn:

President—	E. H. Ambrose	D. Geo. Clark
Vice-President—	G. H. H. Bruce	C. Bartlett
Dr. Glasgow	J. T. Glasgow	C. W. Cartwright
Dr. Edgar	23	31

Spencer Case	Dr. Coleman
G. H. Douglas	F. W. Gates
G. F. Crawford	Ben Roney
R. B. Dewar	W. H. Davis
skip	29

David Muirhead	Thomas Hobson
R. A. Lucas	F. E. Kilvert
Dr. McConchie	Gordon Gates
Dr. Edgar	George E. Gates
skip	27

J. G. Gauld	H. T. Bunbury
W. D. Long	C. B. Linton
C. S. Scott	C. Stiff
skip	17

W. A. Stewart	W. W. Osborne
Dr. Russell	E. G. Payne
G. D. Burns	Dr. Rogers
J. M. Burns	Dr. Wardell
skip	15

H. W. Zealand	J. M. Rousseau
F. J. Howell	D. M. McPhie
C. W. Walker	James Scott
skip	31

Total	133
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## BOWLING ON THE HILL.

A most interesting match took place on the Asylum Bowling Club grounds on Saturday last, between links representatives of the President and Vice-President, victory being won by those for the former by one shot only. The skips and scores:

President—	H. Pierce	10
Vice-President—	Dr. English	23
Dr. English	15	
J. Ironside	15	
A. Rankin	18	

66	65
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## H. R. C. REGATTA.

## Mahoney's Crew Won on Saturday.

The Hamilton Rowing Club held a club regatta on Saturday afternoon. There were four races, all four oars, and there were green men in every crew. In the preliminary heats the winners were: Mahoney, Hooper and Sloan. The final was won by Mahoney's crew, made up as follows:

## Local Long Distance Runners Out of It.

## Coley, Caffery and Cotter, a Disappointment in Olympic Trials.

Toronto, June 8.—Since Marathon races became popular in this country, no long-distance run has furnished as many surprises for the spectator as did the 25-mile race, at Rosedale on Saturday, which decided who will represent Canada at the Olympic games. With the exception of the first four men to finish, none of those slated by the knowing ones as safe choices, crossed the tape. Lister, who took fifth place, finished twelfth in the trials two weeks ago, and was scarcely regarded as a possibility, while the three Montreal men whose chances were looked upon as best did not return from the trip, and E. Noseworthy, a heavy, strong runner, one of the hopes of the federation contingent, was a poor sixth. The day could hardly have been better for such an event, but the course was a killing one, full of rough roads and tiring hills, and the runners who went the distance may feel that human ingenuity cannot set them a more difficult 25 miles to travel. They ought to be able to finish on any course. Several of the fastest men could not go the distance, and among those who dropped out by the wayside were Cotter, Coley, and Caffery, the fast Hamilton trio, from whom big things were expected.

Alf. Sellers and W. R. Chandler; and Hans Homer, who were, respectively, the hopes of Vancouver and Halifax. Too great praise cannot be given to Harry Lawson, the winner of the race, who possesses speed, style, judgment and endurance, the qualities of a great long-distance runner. He went to the front before the thirty starters had gone a mile, and had a slight lead when the runners left the lacrosse grounds, with Caffery, Cotter, Goldsboro, Homer, and Chandler close behind. Lawson continued to increase his advantage, and he soon became apparent that if he lasted the race belonged to him.

Both Cotter and Coley gave up when they had about five miles further to go, while four men passed Adams, putting him back to eighth place. When Lawson entered to a three-mile race, he received a tremendous ovation. He led the second man by about half a mile, while Wood was about two miles in front of Goldsboro. The Peterboro' Indian, Fred Simpson, was the strongest finisher, and came in with a spring which would have done credit to a three-mile runner. Lawson's time was 2 hours, 38 min. 11 sec., which is a remarkable showing over such a course. One plucky little runner was Gordon W. Wolfe, the 18-year-old boy, from Halifax, who finished eleventh. If he keeps on he will attract attention in a few years. The race furnished a proof that it is not necessary to draw a large circle around Toronto in which to include the district in which most of the leading Canadian long-distance runners may be found.

The leading finishers in the Marathon race were followed by:

1. Harry Lawson, West-end Y. M. C. A., Toronto, 2 hr. 38 min. 11 sec.
2. Wm. H. Wood, Brantford Y. M. C. A., 2 hr. 40 min. 5 sec.
3. W. B. Goldsboro, Central Y. M. C. A., Toronto, 2 hr. 42 min. 45.5 sec.
4. Fred Simpson, Peterboro' Y. M. C. A., 2 hr. 56 min. 11.5 sec.
5. J. Lister, Central Y. M. C. A., 2 hr. 58 min. 44 sec.
6. Noseworthy, M. A. A., Montreal, 3 hr. 1 min. 18 sec.
7. C. Petch, unattached, Toronto, 3 hr. 3 min. 11.5 sec.
8. Geo. Adams, Irish-C. A. C., Toronto, 3 hr. 7 min. 34 sec.
9. C. Cook, 91st Regiment, Hamilton, 3 hr. 13 min. 49 sec.
10. N. J. Hall, M. A. A., Montreal, 3 hr. 18 min. 32 sec.
11. Gordon W. Wolfe, Dartmouth Boys' C. A., Halifax, N. S., 3 hr. 21 min. 64.5 sec.

A fair sized crowd attended the trials, and although the athletes from

follows: J. Mahoney, O. Pilgrim, K. Hull and Winn.

Another regatta will be held in three weeks. The crews chosen are as follows:

J. R. Marshall	M. Phillips stroke, J. Trenaman, Geo. Wilson, C. Athawes.
Brethor stroke, R. Junor, G. Gunn, King.	
A. Taylor stroke, G. Southam, J. Moodie, W. Tainor, G. Fox, W. Yule, D. Duncan.	
D. K. Baldwin, stroke, Longmuir, H. Waldeck, Sheets.	
N. Meade, stroke, F. B. Griffith, W. Melloy, F. McKnight, stroke, G. McIntock, O. D. Peart, J. Taylor.	

## SHOT WELL.

## Capt. Skedden Made Top Score For Highlanders.

Shooting in the Canadian Military Rifle League series of matches was begun Saturday by the hundreds of teams throughout the Dominion. The three teams of the Thirtieth and the one of the Ninety-first Highlanders shot on the local ranges. Capt. E. Skedden headed the Highlanders with the fine average of 88, and the team made the good average of 87.5, made up as follows:

300 yds.	600 yds.	600 yds.	T. I.
Capt. Skedden, A.	33	34	21
Pat. Skedden, B.	29	32	28
Sgt. Skedden, C.	26	34	27
Cpl. Davidson, A.	29	24	33

Team totals. 271 313 283 873

The Thirtieth scores were not completed in time for publication to-day.

## SHORT ENDS.

## Little Paragraphs of Sport From Far and Near.

At the athletic games to be held at Britannia Park next Wednesday night Bobby Kerr will run an exhibition 300 metres. This will be the last opportunity of seeing Kerr run for some time, as he leaves for the old country Thursday morning. Cal. Ogilvie and W. White will pace him in the trial.

The second game in the Senior City Lacrosse League will be played at Victoria Park to-night at 7 o'clock sharp, between the Beavers and Y. M. C. A. team. A large crowd is requested to turn out and encourage the boys, as the senior team management is looking to develop these players for the C. L. A. team.

A meeting of the Y. M. C. A. cricketers will be held in the parlour to-night at 8.30 to pick the men to play on the baseball team.

## \$10.00 New York and Return

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## A Memory of Ringing Scythes.

As there are no scythes nowadays. The work is done with horses and reapers. The economical reform has swept out romance unmercifully. In those days there were scythes, and there were men who knew how to swing them. It was a fine sight to see four or five well-built lads, led by the father, moving down the field, each with a scythe, and they were as tall as their heads. But the swing of their scythes fell true, and their tread was even, and they were glad. Birds sang overhead, and when they came near a ground bird's nest the mother told them of it, and they were round leaving it unharmed. But a bumblebee's nest. That was another thing! And they went round that also. But at night the boys did not forget, for bumblebees' honey is good and they did not know in those

days that the bumblebees were very essential in a clover field. I remember one tall fellow, with a touch of Indian blood, who went down the field on a trot—cutting a good, honest swath all the way. No one could keep near him, and he was the envy of all boys and men. At night he spoke patronizingly. Why not, for it was a grand achievement. Such art was surely as good as scanning Homer, and the feet never lost time. They were hexameters that rhymed—E. P. Powell in Outing.

Bond Street Congregational Church, Toronto, have increased Dr. Stauffer's salary from \$2,400 to \$3,000.

W. J. Simpson, of Lion's Head, has been appointed police magistrate, vice A. H. Bryan, resigned.

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