

TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM
Chicago and return \$12.40

YANKEE GIRL BECOMES A PRINCESS
DENGWALL, Scotland, Sept. 15.—Under a shower of evergreens and smilax, Miss Anita Stewart, daughter of Mrs. James Henry Smith, of N.Y., became the bride of Prince Miguel of Braganza at noon to-day in the little Roman Catholic Chapel of St. Lawrence. The congregation of this church is made up of descendants of the clans who belonged to the faith in the days of Many Queen of Scots. The bride wore a graceful dress, carrying a long train of snow white chiffon over soft satin. The chignon was embellished by long lines of the embroidery in white silk, silver and tiny pearls, made up of sprays of heather, fleur de lis and Portuguese devices. A veil of old lace was worn over a wreath of orange blossoms and heather, fastened with a large feather of diamonds, and sapphires, which has been in the Braganza family for centuries. This was a present of the groom. The only other jewels worn by the bride were a set of combs with diamond heads, a gift of the Arch-Duchess Maria Theresa.

The prince was clad in maltese uniform, a brilliant scarlet coat dress, heavily decorated with gold.

A member of the Braganza family declared to-day that the statement that Prince Miguel had renounced his claim to the throne of Portugal was erroneous. He explained that under the Portuguese law there was no such thing as amorganatic marriage.

Consent of the head of the house of Braganza having been secured, and the bride having become a Roman Catholic, the necessary conditions were fulfilled, and no renouncement to the throne was required or had been made.

H. Pellatt Estate Taxed \$12,500
The papers in connection with the estate of the late Henry Pellatt have been forwarded to the provincial secretary. The succession duties will amount to about \$12,500, based on a valuation of \$250,000.

Change of Time
Leave Union Station at Muskoka Lakes, Parry Sound, Parry Sound and Interlakes. Except Sunday. Car. corner King and Toronto and Union Station.

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Departure, \$30 to \$55, by steamship, sailing from New York at 11 a.m., and returning at 11 a.m., Sept. 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, and every ten days. Temperature cooled by sea breezes above 30 degrees. The season for Bermuda is the best.

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Yankee Girl Becomes a Princess

In Society.

Dr. and Mrs. Hoffer Walker, of Isabella-street, have returned from their summer residence on the Georgian Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Macklem have sailed for Europe.

Mrs. Stewart Houston is the guest of Mrs. J. Kerr, Rathmally, for a few days.

Mrs. Thomas Rolph is spending some time with friends in Burlington. The Misses Rolph have returned from Miniconganshene.

Miss Lella McKeague, of Winnipeg, is the guest of Mrs. W. R. Teskey, in Selby-street.

Mrs. R. C. Halliday (nee Mitchell), will be at home at the residence of her parents, 114 Yorkville-avenue.

Mrs. S. Washburn, who has been visiting her mother and sisters for the past two weeks, has returned to her home in Sudbury.

Mrs. Dewar and daughter, of Victoria Corners, and Miss St. John, of Exbridge, who have been visiting Mrs. J. W. Rymal, in Sherbourne-street, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Chesnut, and Miss Rita Chesnut are at the Hotel Jackson, Atlantic City.

The Misses Lightbourne, of Bermuda, are the guests of Mrs. J. M. Pinkerton, in Brunswick-avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. John Dodds, of Dovercourt-road, have returned from their trip abroad.

Mrs. and the Misses Veux have returned from Muskoka, where they were the guests of Mrs. Sandford.

Mrs. Alfred Hoskin and the Misses Hoskin, who have spent the last two winters in the south, have taken a flat at the corner of Avenue-road and Balmoral-avenue, where they will remain for the winter.

Mrs. Matilda Aykroyd of Grace-street, and Mrs. Wm. Sleas of Clinton-street, are visiting in Buffalo.

Mrs. P. H. Gough and family, of "Wrentham Villa," 320 Crescent-road, have returned from their summer home, Lake-side Park, Bowmanville-on-the-lake.

ROBERT DROLET
In Henry W. Savage's production of the sensational Parisian drama, "Madame X," at the Princess to-night.



A STUPENDOUS OFFER!

A Rare Opportunity to

WIN A PIANO FREE

IN OUR

Great Missing Letter Contest

The chance for each qualified contestant to win a new Piano in THIS CONTEST has been INCREASED from ONE in THOUSANDS to a CERTAINTY OF ONE IN THIRTY, no matter how many thousand contestants there may be.

IT COSTS NOTHING TO TRY! YOU HAVE AN EQUAL CHANCE TO WIN!

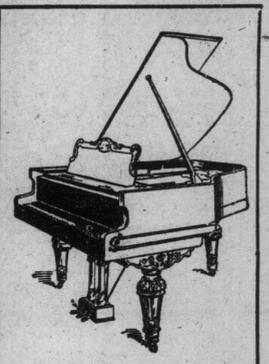
HOW TO COMPETE

On a separate sheet of paper write the following quoted paragraph, supplying the missing letters of the outlined words—one letter only for each dash (—) space. Do this correctly and as neatly as possible, signing your name and address plainly thereto, and addressing to our Contest Department, and your chance of success will be just as good as any other contestant. The paragraph when correctly filled out will tell you plainly

THE OBJECT OF THIS MOST LIBERAL CONTEST:

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The R. S. Williams and Sons Co. Limited P — dl — — —
y Department, following up the great a — c — — — s of the
Contest method of advertising their famous p — d — — t
(the "New Scale Williams," the piano of the hour and
Player i — — — a) has i — — —
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advertising, believing that the "New Scale Williams" Pianos in
the homes of — — — d purchasers is the most
lasting and s — — — t kind of advertising. A
large p — — — n of the c — — — d usually spent in newspapers,
periodicals, magazines, etc., has been d — — —
d to this new c — — — l of direct advertising, the
b — — — s — — — g of which go to the many purchasers instead
of the few publishers.



We are the largest dealers in high-grade pianos in Canada, and our stock consists of 10 different makes, each representing the best in its grade.

WEBER (New York), NEW SCALE WILLIAMS (Canada's great piano), KRYDNER, ENNIS & CO., STUYVESANT, KOHLER & CAMPBELL and others we carry in stock are too well known to any comment, and all are fully guaranteed in every sense of the word.

Come where you have ten (10) different makes side by side to select from; rather than purchase where only one make is represented, as you have to take the dealer's word that it is good, and sometimes they are mistaken.

OUR PRICES RANGE FROM \$300 UPWARDS, AND OUR TERMS ARE VERY EASY.

THE

GRANDEST PRIZE OF ALL

10 NEW \$350 PIANOS

TO BE GIVEN AWAY ABSOLUTELY FREE TO THE QUALIFIED CONTESTANTS

Following the award of the "Prize Allowances" in this Contest all qualified Contestants will be given an equal chance in

Proportion of ONE in Every 30

to secure one of these beautiful instruments. All such contestants will be formed into CLUBS of 30 members each—each club will then be privileged to make an award of one of these Pianos to some member of that club.

All Such Awards to be Made by Ballot

of the club's members—each member thus having an equal voice in the disposition of the Piano. Thus the giving away of these fine Pianos is left entirely in the hands of the contestants themselves.

A PRIVILEGE NEVER BEFORE EXTENDED IN ANY CONTEST.

WARNING!

To forestall a repetition of former FALSE STATEMENTS that we have raised our regular retail prices for this contest, we again offer:

\$1,000 in Cash to Any Person Who Can Show Such Statement to be True.

OUR PRICES REMAIN UNCHANGED. OUR TERMS are just as LIBERAL as Heretofore.

TO FORMER CONTESTANTS

The fact that you failed to secure a Prize Piano in some other contest should not deter you from entering THIS ONE. Your chance of success herein has been increased FULLY A THOUSAND FOLD, and

IT COSTS YOU NOTHING TO TRY.

PRIZES TO BE AWARDED.

A beautiful Circassian Walnut Art Louis XV. New Scale Williams' Piano and Bench, valued at \$500, will be given as FIRST PRIZE.

A \$350 Ennis and Co. Piano, genuine mahogany, finely carved, a beauty in every sense of the word, will be given as SECOND PRIZE.

To all other successful contestants will be awarded Membership Tickets in our "Clubs of 30," each ticket entitling the holder to one of the following Prize Allowances on regular retail prices of our Pianos, ranging in amounts as follows:—

1 Prize Allowance of \$125	40 Prize Allowances of \$35 each
2 Prize Allowances of \$110 each	50 Prize Allowances of \$30 each
3 Prize Allowances of \$100 each	100 Prize Allowances of \$25 each
10 Prize Allowances of \$95 each	200 Prize Allowances of \$20 each
20 Prize Allowances of \$90 each	500 Prize Allowances of \$15 each

JUDGES. The following well-known newspaper men have kindly consented to act as judges in making the above awards, and their decisions will be held as final and irrevocable.—C. S. Furniss, News; E. S. Dean, Telegram; A. G. Donaldson, Star.

LIMITATIONS AND EXCEPTIONS.

This contest is limited to residents of the Province of Ontario only, and is free for all such excepting all first prize winners in former contests. Our employees and their families, the judges and their families, and all other persons in any way connected with the piano trade will not be allowed to compete.

READ CAREFULLY.

Only one member of a family can compete. Where two or more are entered in the same family all will be thrown out.

In order to give all contestants an equal chance in this great offering, no answers will be received until Saturday morning, September 18th, at 8 o'clock, and then they will be numbered consecutively as they come in, and the first correct answer will win first prize. Answers may be sent by mail or brought to our store.

THIS CONTEST WILL CLOSE SATURDAY, SEPT. 25, 1909

And all answers must be received prior to 6 p.m. of that date.

All contestants in this, our greatest advertising campaign, can feel sure of the same fair treatment as before, as honesty and square dealing, and being able to live up to just what we advertised, has made our contests a success.

Address all communications **Contest Department**
to **THE WILLIAMS & SONS LIMITED**
143 YONGE STREET, TORONTO

WILLIAMS' "Clubs of 30" (CO-OPERATIVE)

COBALTERS SEEK RELIEF FROM "BELL"

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time, and pointed out that the Bell Co. had omitted to mention that \$25,000 was being spent by the commission in receiving and re-arranging the telephone line from North Bay.

It was then represented to Mr. Englehart, that there was no complaint about the long distance line to North Bay, but that the Bell Co. could not see its way clear to putting in a local exchange till it could tie it to its system at North Bay, and that the petition to give a right of way from North Bay was worth this object in view.

An alternative long distance route was also suggested, for the Bell Co. by co-operation with the C. P. R., extending the line along Lake Timiskaming and across the Narrows about five miles below Haileybury, and thence into Cobalt.

The miners were given to understand in a general way that the Cobalt station and grounds were to be remodelled, and a station built for the Kerr Lake branch, at each of which points a telephone exchange would then be operated. This, however, would not afford communication with merchants in town or subscribers at Haileybury.

The T. & N. O. Ry. apparently has no present power to take over telephone co. property, but this is a matter that could be easily arranged. The commission evidently feared that an exorbitant price would be placed upon

the Timiskaming Telephone Co.'s franchise and plant, which is said not to be of the most recent description and would require to be reconstructed. Not Made Good.

The idea prevails among the mine-owners that the T. & N. O. Ry. commission has not made good on the telephone situation. It is supposed that political pressure would have to be brought to bear to remedy the existing state of things, and there are rumors that the owners of the Timiskaming Telephone Co. have a strong pull with the government. The World only mentions this gossip for what it is worth, and by way of ventilating the whole affair.

It is quite clear that the commission should take over the local telephone company, and establish a comprehensive local system in connection with the long distance service to North Bay. Cobalt, the mines with Kerr Lake as a centre, Haileybury and New Liskeard, all require exchanges, and

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Dr. McTaggart's tobacco remedy removes all desire for the weed in a few days. A vegetable medicine, and only requires touching the tongue with it occasionally. Price \$2.00.

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Marvelous results from taking his remedy for the liquor habit. Safe and inexpensive home treatment, no hypodermic injections, no publicity, no loss of time from business, and a cure guaranteed.

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there should be no delay in carrying out such an essential part of the government development policy.

REV. BR. HAMILTON DEAD

End Came Suddenly in His Eighty-Sixth Year.

STRATFORD, Sept. 15.—(Special).—Rev. Bert Hamilton, D.D., retired Presbyterian minister, well-known throughout the province, died suddenly about noon to-day, aged 85. Four sons and two daughters survive.

Rev. Hugh Ferguson of Queensville arrived in the city to-day to take over the children's aid work for Stratford and Perth County.

N. L. Murch, boys' secretary of the Y. M. C. A., was banqueted by the directors on his departure for Toronto to take a course at Victoria College.

Will Refuse Fiat.

"I have made up my mind to refuse the fiat for which Louisa Felker applied Tuesday, and will give my reasons on Tuesday." This was the statement made by Hon. J. J. Foy, attorney-general, in response to an enquiry by The World regarding his attitude in the two applications for fiat made Tuesday.

Canadian Manufacturers' Banquet.

The Canadian Manufacturers are holding a banquet on Thursday night in Hamilton, and for the accommodation of the Toronto people who wish to return from the banquet the same night, they are running a special train by the Canadian Pacific Railway, leaving Hamilton as soon as the banquet is over.

BOY STRANGELY INJURED

Found Unconscious in Barn—May Have Been Assaulted.

GALT, Sept. 15.—(Special).—Found terribly injured and unconscious in the barn on the farm of Robert Cowan, on the back road from Hespeler to Galt, John Dickson, 15 years old, is unable to tell how he came by his wounds.

He went to the barn to let out the cow and, according to his story, he loosed one and remembers nothing more. Two hours later he was found in the entry to the stable, with his face gashed. The injury extended from over the right temple, across the face and underneath the nose. His hat was in the horse stable, some distance away.

The wound seems to have been inflicted by some long, narrow instrument, and the relief is that he was struck by some person with a bill.

George A. Till, Blair, lost his entire stock of lumber and wood, valued at \$1500, last night by fire, supposedly set by tramps.

Jacob Martin, of Preston, aged 82, died suddenly while at breakfast.

TO CONTRACTORS TENDERS REQUIRED

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up till noon on Saturday, the 25th (September), for the various trades required (separate or bulk) in the erection of a large, modern, fireproof office building in the Town of Waterloo, for the Head Office of the Mutual Life Assurance Company of Canada.

Plans and specifications can be seen, and all other information can be obtained at our offices, 2 Leader-lane.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

DARLING & PEARSON, Architects.

Chippewa's Last Trip.

Niagara Navigation Company's steamer "Chippewa" will make her last trip Saturday, September 19th, leaving Toronto 2 p.m. Round trip rate 75 cents.

Gained Another Degree.

Rev. D. J. Welsh, B.A., McMaster University, has received the degree of B.D., from the University of Chicago, where he has taken a post-graduate course.

No Alcohol!

Is alcohol a tonic? No! Does it make the blood pure? No! Does it strengthen the nerves? No! Is Ayer's Sarsaparilla a tonic? Yes! Does it make the blood pure? Yes! Does it strengthen the nerves? Yes! Is it entirely free from alcohol? Yes!

Ask your doctor if a family medicine, like Ayer's Sarsaparilla, is not really better without alcohol than with it.

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