

The Toronto World

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BLOOR STREET VIADUCT.

Toronto cannot develop properly without a viaduct connecting Bloor-street and Danforth-avenue. Without the completion of that absolutely necessary connection between east and west, the city will remain lopsided and a large and important district of exceptional residential possibilities will continue to be neglected.

The Times contended that \$60 was offered to farmers for easements, and that the farmers on going to law had that sum increased to large amounts, the object being to stir up other farmers to litigation.

It is wonderful how a set of fairly brainy newspapermen can go on week after week making fools of themselves as so much prey.

AN OPTIMISTIC OUTLOOK.

Unless all accounts are belied or the swatman makes a mistake at the last moment, this will be a bumper year in the agricultural history of this continent.

The crops are booming, corn and wheat notably. They are the staple products, of course, and I think both of them will have the largest crops in history.

Similar conditions prevail in the Canadian west and if all goes well the trade depression of 1908 will soon be but a memory.

THE WAYS OF CORPORATION ORGANS.

Lying and the habit of fabrication is regarded by many alienists as a disease, but what is one to think of persons who engage the subjects of such mental disturbance in a public capacity to promote nefarious schemes, to further malign political combinations, and to exercise their unfortunate faculty in the columns of the press.

Reduced Cable Rates

The Ottawa Free Press (Liberal organ) on Saturday said: An emphatic and categorical denial is given in official quarters to the statement of this city last night to the effect that "the negotiations which Canada had entered into with Great Britain and the other states of the empire concerning the establishment of a cheaper cable and telegraphic service around the empire are at an end."

The Journal said editorially: "That Canada should block progress in the way of cheaper electric communication around the world is a deplorable thing. We believe it to be the fact."

An Ottawa despatch to The Toronto Star (Lib.) says: "That there has been some delay does not mean that the fight for cheaper cable service has been abandoned. The financial condition of the country, as indicated by Mr. Balfour's last budget, would hardly warrant Canada going into a cable building scheme right away, particularly in view of the urgent demand for expenditures on railways and canals and on port improvements."

CHIVALROUS POLITICS.

Notwithstanding the bitterness of the fight over the budget, British political leaders have not forgotten to cultivate the spirit of chivalry. In anticipation of Mr. Asquith's visit to Birmingham on September 17, the Budget League, an organization established to stimulate public feeling in its favor, secured Bingley Hall for four days before and three days after the meeting.

BAKU IS BANKRUPT

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 22.—Baku, the rich oil magnates' capital, is municipally bankrupt. For three years the oil companies, a majority of which are Swedish, English and American, have been pressuring the Russian Government to compensate them for the destruction of their property amounting to \$15,000,000, during the recent revolutionary uprisings.

Foreigner Killed by Train.

NEW LISKEARD, Aug. 22.—(Special).—W. Goyer, a foreigner, was struck by the first section of freight No. 14, going south, and died two hours later. The accident occurred about two miles south of this place. Papers found upon him show that he was a former employe of the Grand Trunk, and was insured against accident by the Grand Trunk Railway Insurance of Canada.

Regiments Must Give Notice.

OTTAWA, Aug. 22.—A militia order issued to-day contains notice that in future when militia corps or detachments desire to visit points outside of Canada application must be made to headquarters not later than 30 days prior to the date on which it is proposed to make the visit.

The Poorest Drinks

Cost you exactly the same as McLaughlin's. You pay FIVE CENTS a glass for any kind of a drink. Lots of them are GOOD, and just as many are VERY ORDINARY. Why not get the good ones better, and get THE BEST? You can do that EVERY TIME by getting McLaughlin's. They are the BEST TASTING, BEST MADE and BEST FOR YOU.

Amusements

Royal Alexandra Opening.

To-day the box office of the Royal Alexandra Theatre is open for the sale of seats which will mark the re-opening for the week of Aug. 30 of the prettiest theatre in Canada. During the summer the theatre has been completely renovated.

"The Talk of New York."

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Dropped Lamp, Started Fire.

BRANTFORD, Aug. 22.—(Special).—Mrs. Fred Marks, 111 West Mill-street, dropped a lighted coal oil lamp on the floor in the kitchen Saturday night and the fire destroyed the rear part of the brick structure. The woman escaped unhurt.

Opening of Gayety.

One of the best attractions that have originated in burlesque opened at the Gayety Theatre Saturday for this season. It is presented by Phil Sheridan, undeniably the "king" of the stage, and like its title, the show is a fast one. The show itself is replete with amusing scenes, catchy songs and attractive dances.

The Big Minstrel Show To-Night.

George Primrose and his mammoth minstrel organization open the Grand Trunk night. The big company contains many well-known comedians, singers and dancers, and is said to be scientifically equipped better than ever before. Eight big acts of great merit will be seen, including the first part, including Happy Jack Gardner, with a rattling budget of new stories and songs; Harvey Henderson and Lewis, with their original comedy musical act, which is filled with melodious jingles and fun; George H. Primrose, in his new dancing conception, "Dancers, Past and Present," wherein will be shown bits taken from the work of more than twenty famous minstrel men, dating back from days of the popular Billy Emerson to dancers of the present time.

Seals in Style.

Probably the most novel private car which ever rolled into the Union Station was on view at exceedingly happy fare did not prevent the polished surface and air of luxury which the average piece of the popularly used car will be completely commonplace, and it was something more than an ordinary refrigerator car wheels. No one would have paid special attention to his private coach had it not been part of a regular passenger train from Buffalo, but on its arrival here the occupants proved of immediate interest to the habitués of the Union Station.

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EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

As in June and July, Store Closes Saturday at One o'Clock during August. No Noon Delivery Saturday.

Men's Dark Worsted Suits

STYLISH grays and browns in small patterns, well made up in three-button single breasted sack design, Italian cloth body lining, sizes 36 to 44. A durable lowly priced suit that will wear you well through the fall. 6.95

Boys' Suits—Decided Reductions

Two-piece Norfolk and three-piece suits made from serviceable domestic and imported tweeds, medium and dark shades; strong Italian body lining, knee pants, an assorted lot to clear out Tues- 2.95 day, considerably under usual prices. Each

Men's Summer Goods For a Trifle

FINE PYJAMAS, in zephyrs, percales and fancy mercerized materials, assorted stripes and colors, best finish, pearl buttons, frog fasteners, sizes 34 to 44, greatly reduced, to per suit 97c. NEGLIGE SHIRTS, of fancy woven shirting materials, in neat blue and white and black and white figures, small cuffs, attached, sizes 14 to 17. These in an early clearance at each 37c.

In "Cadet Blue"—A New Soft Hat For Young Men

This new color is an admirable and distinctive style, as the season will surely prove out. It is a refined, dressy shade, without being exactly delicate. The hat is blocked in the trooper style, crown worn with dint as a fedora, brim worn rolled up at back and drooping at front, or in any other mode you may choose to arrange it, the self colored corded silk band and binding lends tone to the plain rich effect of the pure fur felt body, sweatband of Russian leather. To the young man who delights in being "first with the new things" it is our pleasure to introduce this winsome new fall style in headwear. 2.00

The Summer Outing Hat For All

Another shipment of our "land and water" hats that should be packed away into every vacation trunk, whether man's, woman's or child's. Indestructible in any weather. Of soft felt, plain white, navy, cardinal and garnet, and mot-tled colors. Each .39

See Our New "CA-NO" Summer Suit Cases, 3.75 to 7.00. THE T. EATON CO LIMITED CANADA TORONTO

The Home Beer. A beer may taste all right—and yet not BE all right. Beer, not properly aged—"green"—will make you bilious. Beer, not pure or improperly brewed, will upset the stomach and be absolutely unhealthful.

ENGLISH AUTOMATIC PHONES. American Promoter Tries to Influence British Government.

Michie's Cardinal Cream Chocolates. Assorted flavors, 30c. lb. For sale only by MICHIE & CO., Ltd. 7 King Street W.

THE TRADERS BANK OF CANADA. DIVIDEND NO. 54. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a dividend of one and three-quarters per cent. upon the paid-up Capital Stock of the bank has been declared for the current quarter, being at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, and that the same will be payable at the bank and its branches on and after the 1st day of October next.