Report that the Marquis Will Get the Garter

For His Ability in Handling the Siamese Question,

Ratifications of the Agreement Exchanged at Bangkok.

Evidences of Better Feeling in British Financial Circles.

Both Parties Tired of the Russo-Gorman Tariff War-Clemenceau Charged With Being a Secret Agent of England.

Better Prices Ruling.

London, Aug. 5.—American railroad accurities are better on advances from New York quoting higher prices at the close of the market. Italy and Russia.

BERLIN, Oct. 4.—The Italian embassy here officially denies the truth of the report that a treaty has been concluded between Italy and Russia.

Bullion in Transit. LONDON, Aug. 5 .- The steamer Auranic, chich sailed from Liverpool for New York oday, took £220,000 in gold. The ampania carried 300,000 ounces of silver.

The Steamship Record Smashed. London, Aug. 5 .-- The Fuerst Bismarck passed the Needles at 11:40 p.m. yesterday, making the passage from New York in 6 days, 14 hours and 35 minutes, beating the record of the steamer Paris, which was 6 days, 19 hours and 4 minutes.

Real War in Siam.

BANGKOK, Aug. 5 .- The Saigon paper say there was some severe fighting between the Siamese and the French on July 20 on the Melcong River. It is said 300 Siamese were killed, while the French losses were slight. The latter have occupied several

A Gigantic Failure.

BERLIN, Aug. 5 .- The work of the German anti-slavery committee will shortly come to an end. It has been a gigantic failure. The committee and funds, amounting to 2,000,000 marks have been thrown away in two years without any appropriate results.

Parnellites Kick.

Dublin, Aug. 4.—A meeting of the Dublin section of the independent Nationalists (Parnellies) was held to-day for the principal purpose of arranging the programme of the coming Parnellite convention. The meeting voted against the acceptance of the Home Rule Bill.

Honors for Dufferin. PARIS, Aug. 6 .- It is stated the Marquis of Dufferin has been offered the order of the Garter, made vacant by the death of the Earl of Derby, in recognition of the skillful and successful manner in which he conducted the delicate negotiations with

charged with conducting games of chance, and other people, including two French merchants who financed the undertaking. merchants who financed the undertaking, have been included in the proposition. The Government is taking decided and energetic measures to stop gambling in

Banquet to Aberdeen.

Lendon, Aug. 5.—The dinner to Lord Aberdeen in the County Hall at Aberdeen Thursday night was a brilliant success, in most imposing social func-North Scotland for many in The n North Scotland for many years. The company, exceeding 200, included men of all parties. Lord Aberdeen in the course of his speech referred to Canada's stability during the recent financial troubles elsewhere, and again declared that it was necessary for the Governor-General to abstain from all political preference.

Tolstoi Writing a Novel.

ST PETERSBURG, Aug. 5 .- Count Lec Tolstoi is reported to be at work on a new sensational novel, the theme of which is the recent famine in Russia. The agrarian question, also, is given general prominence. Several chapters of the new book, it is Several chapters of the new book, it is said, will be devoted to an explanation of the modern methods of agriculture as com-pared with those pursued by the Russian Pessantry. The Count is preparing to take Peasantry. The Count is preparing to take part in the harvest on his estate, the Sasnasa Poliana, on which the crop is re-

Getting Sick of It.

Aug. 6 .- Though the Russobeen in active ration five days, there already are signs in abatement of the spirit of hostility on

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The proper that Chancellor Von Caprivi agreed to reopen negotiations with a six or a commercial treaty had the of of assisting the firm prices on the lin Boerse Saturday. So far as it is is also that the property of the pr

The Financial Pulse.

LONDON, Aug. 6 Discount during the

cease for the present. Silver continues firm, with a moderate eastern demand. Business on the Stock Exchange distinctly improved during the week. A complete restoration of confidence depends upon American developments.

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Foreign securities became firm after the settlement of the France-Siamese dispute, but dealings were small. In American rail-road securities there was a general rise.

Serious Charge Against Clemenceau PARIS, Aug. 6.—The trial opened here yesterday of M. Ducret, editor of the Cocarde, and M. Norton, charged with having forged documents, alleged to have been stolen from the British embassy, which showed that certain Frenchmen been stolen from the British embassy, which showed that certain Frenchmen were guilty of treason. During the proceedings a sensation was caused by the marquis de Mores, a witness for Ducret, shouting to M. Clemenceau: "You have been for two years a secretagent of England!" "Prove it," replied M. Clemenceau. "Nothing is easier," retorted the witness. The president of the court refused to permit the Marquis to continue, and he left the stand saying: Everywhere I meet you, Clemenceau, I shall say you are a secret agent of England." M. Clemenceau then took the witness stand and gave a detailed account of the conspiracy, after which the advocate general summed up the Government's case.

England and the Triple Alliance. BERLIN, Aug. 6 .- Prior to his departure for Hamburg Lord Rosebery, the British Foreign Minister, had a conference wi h Emperor William at Osborne House, Queen Victoria's residence on the Isle of Wight. As soon as the fact became known

Wight. As soon as the fact became known the newspapers renewed the discussion as to England's adhesion to the Triple Alliance. The Hamburger Nachricten, which is one of the organs of Prince Bismarck, says in commenting upon the matter, that after the Siamese failure England is trying to obtain Gormany's support in her coming conflict with Russia and France. The Nachrichten argues that Germany ought not to abandon her traditional friendship with England, but at the same time she cannot make a dangerous sacrifice for a power that is likely to offer only sympathy with Germany in time of the latter's need.

Siam.

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BANGKOK, Aug. 6 .- Ratifications of the Franco-Siamese agreement were exchanged on Friday. M. Pavie, the French Minister, will resume his post here on Monday. The French flag has been hauled down at Kohsi-Chang, and the Siamese customs officers have been allowed to return. Rear Admiral Humann, commanding the French sqadron, remains at Koh Si-Chang, and is in constant communication with the palace, Panis, Aug. 6.—Pavie has cabled to Minister Develle the reportj of Siam's official acceptance of the French ultimatum. A dispatch to the Temps from Salgon says the excitement in Cambodia is increasing. The king declares that the time is ripe to regain Battambang. Should France refuse to act he intends to overstep the powers vosted in him. The Cambodians are chagrined that nothing has been done for their benefit, and are prepared to assert their rights. will resume his post here on Monday. The Canadian Cattle in the Old Country.

LONDON, Aug. 5 .- A discussion on the Canadian cattle question in the Commons in committee lasted for several hours

Thursday night.

Hon. John Leng, member for Dundee, put the case for Canada and Scotch farmers very forcibly, arguing that there is absolutely no risk of disease.

the Earl of Derby, in recognition of the skillful and successful manner in which he conducted the delicate negotiations with France on the Siamese question.

A Russian Calamity.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 5.—The town of Birk, in the Government of Orenburg, has been visited by a most disastrous conflagration, One hundred and eighty houses were burned, seven persons were killed and a large number were injured. Among the Buildings destroyed were the city hall and the Catholic Church.

Belgium Banishes the Tiger.

Namur, Aug. 5.—The gaming tables here are likely to be suppressed. The person who holds the concession for them is charged with conducting games of chance, and other people, including two French merchants who financed the undertaking, mer's appeal are person as the silled and the country members, on the contray members, on the contray in the concession for them is representations methants and the country members and the concession for them is charged with conducting games of chance, and other people, including two French merchants who financed the undertaking, merchants who financed the undertaking, merchants who financed the proposition.

taken, in compliance with President Gard-acr's appeal.

BURNED OUT.

Disastrone Blaze in a Liverpool Timber Yard-Fires in Aylmer and Montreal.

MONTREAL

WINDSOR, Aug. 4.—Fire broke out at 11
p.m. yesterday in Flak's fruit store, Sandwich street, doing considerable damage to
the stock and scorching the inside of the

ASHLAND, Wis., Aug. 4.—The city is matirely surrounded by forest fires, and inless heavy rain comes soon the city may SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., Aug. 4 .- The

suffer.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., Aug. 4.—The pamage by fire, smoke and water this morning in the Gabriel and Roach blocks, the upper atories of which were gutted, will reach from \$30,000 to \$35,000.

SARNIA, Aug. 4.—Yesterday morning at Point Edward fire of supposed incendiary origin broke out in the old building belonging to the Grand Trunk on Michigan avenue. The building was entirely destroyed, as well as one adjoining an avenue. The building was entirely destroyed, as well as one adjoining the Merchool, Aug. 6.—Fire broke out on Saturday night in the timber yard adjoinink the Mersey docks on the boundary between Liverpool and Bottle. Timber and other property covering three acres were destroyed. Loss \$900,000.

Mongreal, [Aug. 6.—A building on St. Patrick street, used as a planing mill by Mr. Martin, and window and eash factory, belonging to Mr. A. Guertins, was gutted by fire this morning. Mr. Martin estimates his loss at \$13,000. Mr. Guertins' loss will be about \$2,000.

Port Elgin, Aug. 5.—The sawmill at Turner's Station, owned by Sewers & Thompson, Teeswater, and leased to J. A. MacArthur, was destroyed by fire, along with a large quantity of lumber on Saturday. No insurance. Loss \$4,000.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—The furniture factory of the Jenkins Mfg. Co. was destroyed by fire last night. Loss, \$100,000.

Lumber Camp Burned - Loss,

\$250,000. week was firm at 3 per cent. Money was plentiful at 1 per cent. A return shows that £1,585,000 in gold was withdrawn for the United States during the week. It is been filled, and that the demand will now Kane, Pa.

SAD ACCIDENT AT SARNIA!

Two Little Lads Killed by a Locomotive.

Their Bodies Shockingly Mangled Engineer Rutherford's Account of the Catastrophe.

SARNIA, Ont., Aug. 6.—One of the saddest accidents that has ever happened in this locality occurred this morning about cality occurred this morning about whereby the two little sons of Mr. Alex. Mitchell, gardener, who lives in the

outskirts of the town, lost their lives. outskirts of the town, lost their lives. Roland, who is 15, and Norman Il years of age, were as usual driving the milk delivery wagon to Point Edward, and when going over the Grand Trunk Railway crossing at Exmouth street, between the town and Bay View Park, the rig was struck by light engine No. 698, in charge of Driver Rutherford, on its way to the Sarnia tunnel.

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It is not known how the accident came about—whether the boys (who made the trip twice every day) were not aware of the approach of the engine, or whether the engine failed to blow the whistle, is not known.

The little fellows were both instantly killed, their bodies being horribly mangled. The eldest boy was entangled in the pilot of the engine and carried for a distance of 200 yards, where the body fell into a 200 yards, where the body fell into a culvert. The wagon and contents were smashed into atoms, but the horse was not

hurt.

The engineer's statement is that he noticed the rig and was ringing the bell. The wagon stopped before coming to the crossing, but on the approach of the engine the horse started suddenly, carrying the rig in front of the locomotive.

Coroner Fraser will hold an inquest tomorrow morning.

A BOTTLE IN THE CASE.

Fatal Result of a Shooting Expedition—
Heartless Conduct of the Viotim's Companions.

Montreal, Aug. 6.—Saturday afternoon
four young men, Joseph Poitras, aged 19,
George Laberge, aged 32; Joseph Leberge,
aged 20, and Henri Belodeau, aged 30, met
by prearrangement in St. Cunegonde and
started off for a bush bordering the Grand
Trunk track, near Lachine. The party
killed no game, but they emptied several
flasks of whisky. Then they fired at a
mark, quarreled, and ultimately George
Luberge shot Joseph Poitras through the
neck.

The three men left their friend lying on the ground, and hurried off to their h but a boy who witnessed the scene reported the matter to the police, who removed the oody and afterwards arrested Lab who claimed the shooting was accidental He was held to await the inquest.

A Fatal Flash.

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Brooklyn, N. Y., Aug. 6.—While Fred Siegling, 37 years old; Lizzie Coppell, 5 years old; Ernest Coppell, 47 years old, and John Maher, 14 years old, were returning from the old mill pond at East New York to-night, they were struck by lightning at the corner of Berryman street and Hegeman avenue. Siegling and the girl were instantly killed and Maher rendered unconscious, and is likely to die. Ernest Coppell received a severe shock.

Gaudaur Challenges Stanbury.

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Toronto, Aug. 6.—Jake Gaudaur has again challenged Stanbury to row for a stake of \$2.500 a side and the championship of the world over a course three miles straightaway on Lake Quinsigamond or any suitable American course. Gaudaur says:

"I leave this challenge open for one month from date. This is a fair and my final offer, and if not accepted before Sept. 5 I will caim the world's championship, which I firmly believe I am entitled to."

True Blues Opposed to Sunday Cars.

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Toronto, Aug. 6.—The Sunday car question was discussed Friday evening by Cumberland True Blue Loyal Orange Temperance Lodge, No. 621, which is the largest lodge in the center district. The following resolution was adopted unanimously: "That this lodge hereby condemns the proposal to descerate the Sabbath by running atreet cars in Toronto on Sunday, and heartily indorses the action of the County Lodge in this respect." this respect. Canadian Live Stock for the Blg

Fair.

Montreal, Aug. 5.—Hon. John McIntosh, M.P.P., Provincial commissioner to the World's Fair, has just returned from Chicago to make final arrangements for the transportation of cattle and horses from the Province of Quebec to Chicago. Everything is now arranged and the stock exhibit will leave Montreal for the west in Tuesday, the 15th inst. The provinces will be represented by 50 cattle—Hereford, Ayrshire, Aberdeen-Angus, Short. Fair. Ayrshire, Aberdeen-Angus, Short-

Western Business Troubles:

Two years ago, or less, Chas. Poyle, boot and shoe dealer at Chatham, failed, with sects of \$15,000 and liabilities of \$16,000. assets of \$15,000 and liabilities of \$16,000. Since then the business has been continued in the name of his son, Chas. J., but has not greatly prospered. A few days ago some of his redditors pressed him for payment and now he assigns.

Henry Eckenswiller has been in business are gaugal dealer at Clifford for three

Menry Eckenswiller has been in business as a general dealer at Clifford for three years. He now finds that his premises are closed under the power of a chattel mortgage. Unsecured creditors will not receive a large dividend.

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About ten years ago F. W. Gunther opened a general store in Milverton. After ame financial trouble, he resumed as Gunther & Co. In the fall of 1891 Schmidt was admitted into the firm with \$1,000 cash. For some time past they have apparently, been in the hands of one firm and evidently made no money out of their large stock. They have now assigned.

L. A. Sundeen, a St. Catherines bed manufacturer, has assigned Early in 1891 Richard House, stove dealer, feiled in the same city. Fred J. House purchased the stock of his uncle, paying oash for the same, which was sup-

paying oash for the same, which was sup-posed to be advanced by his mother. He has not succeeded as expected and now we hear of his assignment. A few years ago Irvine & McBean com-menced keeping a general second

A few years ago Irvine & McBean commenced keeping a general store at Brussels, In May, 1892, the firm dissolved and Irvine continued, At that time they had an apparent surplus of \$1,000 over liabilities of \$3,000. Now Irvine finds that he owes \$5,500 and has nominal assets of \$4,300. He has assigned.

Late Canadian News

Grasshoppers Damaging Crops Around Belleville—Missing Mrs. Barrett's '
Body Found at Rosedale.

Grasshoppers are damaging crops in the vicinity of Belleville.

The Dominion Government has legalized the hop boxes' as measures asked by the Hop Growers Association.

The R. M. S. Numidian, with Mr. Henry Irving and Miss Terry on board, arrived at Quebec Saturday night. They wil-likely spend a few days in that city. The Canadian commission appointed to investigate the workings of prohibition in Maine, will, it is said, make a favorable report, says the New York Recorder.

The report is current that Sir John hompson has cabled not to send any more as il matter to him to Paris. This looks mail matter to him to Paris. This local as if the arbitration case was about over. The Conservative nomination for the Local Legislature was on Saturday tendered to the warden of Prince Edward, Mr. James Gibson, who asked time to consider the matter.

Mr. Masson, M.P., of Owen Sound, who was on a visit to the Maritime Provinces, says that the crops in those Provinces did not look too well. They were suffering

from drought. Mr. Z. A. Hubley, of Worcester, Mass., who was spending his vacation at Halifax, while returning from a shooting expedition shot himself in the hand so that amputation

was necessary.

The body of 'Mrs. Barrett, the elderly lady missing from Toronto since Wednesday evening, was found on Sunday by one of the search parties organized. It was lying on a piece of bush land in Rosedale. She had taken off her boots and stockings and sat down apparently to rest and probably never awoke. A reward of \$500 had been offered by Mr. Barrett.

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been offered by Mr. Barrett.

A year or two ago a young man in Montreal named Frankelstein met a young girl named Rose Cohen in Manchester, England. The two became engaged, and after returning to Montreal Frankelstein recently sent a ticket for the girl to come out and marry him. She arrived on the Vancouver on Monday last, and the wedding was to take place this week, but she has become violently insane, and Saturday night she was handed over to the police. Her friends will endeavor to get her into an asy lum.

BEN ROSS' BRAVERY.

The Night Watchman of a Windsor Ferryboat Saves a Woman Frem Drowning.

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Drowning.

Windsor, Aug. 6.—Last evening at 7 o'clock, just as the Hope had landed her cargo of passengers in Windsor, those who were on the back part of the boat saw a woman fall from the upper deck of the boat into the river. Among those who heard the eplash was the night watchman of the boat, Ben Rose. He ran to the end of the boat, and without waiting to divest himself of any of his clothing, jumped in, and as soon as she came to the top he caught her. Gateman Burke threw a life-preserver to Ross, but the line attached was too short, and Ross, holding the woman with one hand, endeavored to swim to the preserver. The swift current and the fact that she was quite a large person precluded him from making but little headway. Finding his strength failing him, he let go of her and made a stroke for the preserver. He caught it with the left hand, and with the right managed to catch the end of her dress and pull her to him. They were then hauled to the boat and taken aboard.

The brave act of Ross was highly praised, and it was the general opinion that he should be suitably rewarded. He struck his left knee when he went over the rail, and could only use one leg while in the water.

The woman was Mrs. Goldstick, the wife of a Bellaire, Mich., business man, and she was thrown overboard by a lurch of the boat caused by the swells of the passing steamer.

CRISP FOR SPEAKER. Programme Proposed for the Extra Session of Congress.

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Washington, Aug. 6.—The caucus of Democratic members of the House of Representatives last night selected Speaker Crisp unanimously as the Speaker for the approaching session. Mr. Crisp, thanking the members of the House, said:

"Insomuch as the condition of the country is attributable to existing laws, we are in nowise responsible therefor.

"Now, for the first time in more than thirty years, we are in full power. Our financial system should be revised and reformed. The strictest economy in public expenditures should be equalized and greatly reduced. To these purposes are we thoroughly committed. We must redeem our pledges. Let us lay aside every other consideration than the public good and endeavor to so discharge the duties assigned us as to restore confidence, promote prosperity and advance the general welfare of all classes of our people."

An Ingersoll Youth Drowned. An Ingersoil Youth Drowned.

INGERSOIL, Ont., Aug. 6.—A party of young men went from here this morning on bicycles to spend the day at Whittaker Lake, about thirteen miles distant. While bathing one of them, Clement Stiff, was drowned. He was out in a boat with a companion, and, diving off, he never came up.

Blow at the Engineers' Brotherhood. Denver, Col., Aug. 5.—The Denver and Rio Grande Railroad has given notice to the brotherhoods of locomotive engineers and firemen that after Sept. 1 its agreement will be discontinued. This is to pave the way for a reduced wage scale.

Steamship Arrivals

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Swizzle—It's strange I meet Jones so rarely. How do you suppose I can arrange to see him oftener? Bronson—Borrow \$5 of him and you'll meet him every day.

TERRIBLE WRECK

On the Lake Shore and Michigan

Score More or less Hurt.

dly injured. The wreck was caused by the collision of westbound passenger train and an east bound freight. About fifteen of the injured

Porter Stevens (colored), New York, ex-

Porter Stevens (colored), New York, ex-tent of injuries unknown.

Porter Pelham (colored), of the sleeper Orlnoco, Chicago, very serious,
A. H. West, of Chicago, badly cut.
Center Fielder Ryan, of the Chicago Baseball Club, bad cuts.
Catcher Kittredge, of Chicago Baseball Club, cut about the head and body.

Ed Lafferty, engineer of local freight No. 4, residence Elyria, O., married and leaves wife and four children.
Charles Spane, brakeman.

Porter Robertson, Prof. Emerson and Porter Pelham are now in an unconscious condition, and their deaths are hourly ex-

Nomen Bathers Rescued from Drown

Wemen Bathers Rescued from Drowning by a St. Bernard.

New York, Aug. 5.—Hans, a big, handsome St. Bernard of high degree, wore a huge pink bow yesterday as a tribute to his skill and bravery in rescuing Mrs. Rose Krause from drowning at South Beach, S. I., yosterday morning.

The woman had sunk under a wave hundreds of feet from shore and lost consciousness when Hans caught hold of her bathing suit and dragged her to land. Mrs. Bruno Wolfram, Hans' mistress, and Miss Jennie Berg, of Vienna, were rescued at the same time by Mr. Krause and Mr. Wolfram after all three women in their fear of death nearly drowned the heroic dog by trying to cling to him.

Charles Krause, who has a saloon at No. 76 Second avenue, his wife Rose, Miss Jennie Berg, who is visiting them, and Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Wolfram, accompanied by Hans, went to South Beach early on Tuesday and entered the surf in front of Gebhardt's Hotel.

Hans and the men swam out several hundred yards, but as none of the women could swim they kept well in shore. Miss Berg, who had started to walk along the beach to an unused pier, auddenly screamed for help. Mrs. Wolfram, not knowing Miss Borg was in deep water, but thinking she had become ill, started to her assistance, and was quickly beyond her depth.

The cries of both women prompted Mrs. Krause to go to them, and like the others she stepped into one of the numerous holes that had been dreged around the pier.

The tide swept the women out quite a distance, but they managed to catch hold of a pillar, where, however, the waves broke over them. Miss Berg became faint and would have let go her hold but for Mrs.

Wolfram, who held her up, as a hundred yards away she saw her brave Hans riding the waves and barking furiously in answer to his mistress's agonized cry for help.

He had heard the first cry and in the race to the terrified women he beat Mr. Krause and Mr. Wolfram twonty yards.

The three women immediately jumped for Hans, who is appeared from view under their combined weight. Mr. Wolfram, but when he hear

leaving her when a big wave broke over her. She released her hold and lost consciousness.

Hans had persisted in swimming close to Mrs. Wolfram, but when he heard Mrs. Krause's cry he turned, and with a few treads caught up with her fast disappearing form. A moment later his face was turned toward the shore with the unconscious Mrs. Krause. Neither Mr. Krause nor Mr. Wolfram could go to the assistance of Mrs. Krause, as the women they had in charge gave them all they could do.

Hans had hard work dragging Mrs. Krause, who weighs 150 pounds, through the surf, but he paddled with a will, and although he was nearly exhausted he took his mistress's friend ashore in safety. The woman had swallowed plenty of salt water but was soon revived.

I saw Hans at No. 76 Second Avenue yesterday. He welghs close on 200 pounds, is well marked and very intelligent. His owner told me Mrs. Krause was the fifth person he had rescued from drowning.

"Anybody who'll call for help while in the water," Mr. Wolfram assured me, "iff only in jest, will be dragged to a safe place whether he wants to be or not."

Improved Grop Prospects in Quebec.

MONTREAL, Aug. 5.—Reports received from various agricultural districts in the Province of Quebec show that the hay, grain and root crops are as a whole botter than twelve months ago, and in many cases they are above the average.

Drowned in a Pail of Whey.

Death of the Indiana Poetess.

Several Persons Killed Ontright, Number Fatally Injured, and a

CLRVELAND, Aug. 3.—A special from Freemont, Ohio, says: A terrible wreck occurred last night shortly after 10 o'clock at Lindsay, eight miles west of Freemont, on the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern. An engine and three sleepers were badly demolished, several people were killed outright, while fully 25 were more or less badly injured.

bound freight. About fifteen of the injured who had received wounds of a less dangerous character after receiving surgical attention proceeded on their westward journey on that part of the passenger train which had escaped damage. Those who received serious injuries were taken to the Hotel Nicholos and private residences, where they are now receiving the best of care. Following are

THE SERIOUSLY INJURED.

Prof. Emerson, of Amherst College, Gloucester, Mass., will die.

J. A. Hamilton, of Pittsburg, perhaps fatally.

Porter Stevens (colored), New York, ex-The Parisian Theater Closed by the

SAVED BY A DOG.

Improved Crop Prospects in Quebec.

Kingston, Aug. 5.—A sad accident occurred on the farm of Jeremiah Kemp. Consecon, where Mrs. Ira Peck was visiting with her two-year-old daughter. A pail of whoy was left in the yard, and the little girl fell in and was suffocated.

Indiana Poetess.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 5.—Sarah T.
Boiton, one of the oldest and most famous
women in Indiana, died at her residence
here last night. Mrs. Bolton was known
as the poetess of Indiana. She was the
author of "Paddle Your Own Canoe" and
"Indiana," a glowing tribute to the commonwealth.

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Dispensing physicians' prescriptions a specialty THE CATES WERE OPEN.

But There Was No Rush to

Directors—Lady Managors Have a Misunderstanding.

World's FAIR GROUNDS, CHICAGO, Aug. 5.—The gates of the White City will be opened to-morrow—that is, some of them; and so will some of the buildings but by far the larger portion will be closed.

closed.

No programme of music or special attraction of any kind has been arranged for Sunday to make the visit pleasant for visitors. The chair pushers will take a day off, and so will the gondeliers and men who manage the electric launches.

Director General Davis and President Higinbotham both have gone out of town to stay over Sunday, and all the offices about the administration building will be deserted.

about the administration building will be described.

The World's Fair directors have taken away Florida's space and divided it among other States, because of Florida's indifferent display.

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CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—The gates of the World's Fair were thrown open to-day, but the turnstiles failed to click as merrilly as on former Sundays. People who did attend the fair were either strangers in the city for a limited stay, or city people who strolled out to pass a day in the cooling shades of wooded land. The buildings were open but the majority of the gxhibits were hidden beneath canvas.

Director of Works Burnham, by order of the chief executive officer, has ciosed the Persian Theâter in the Midway Plaisance until such time as the dancing part of the

programme can be revised.

The board of lady managers indulged in a decidedly unpleasant wrangle yester and during that time many unpleasant and disagreeable things were said, tears were shed and many of the ladies gave vent to their feelings by hissing. Mrs. Ball, of Delaware, secretary of the committee on awards, made a long complaint against Mrs. Meedith, chairman of the committee, which caused the unwouted scene of excitement. Finally Mrs. Ball retracted part of her statement. The was greeted with applause, and a motion that the entire proceedings be expunged from the records and that the matter be laid on the table prevailed. until such time as the dancing part of the

WAR IN SOUTH AMERICA.

Great Slaughter of Soldiers in Brazil. Great Slaughter of Soldiers in Brazil.

New York, Aug. 1.—The Herald's Valparaiso correspondent cables: Hard fighting is accompanying the siege of Laplata. A correspondent in Buenes Ayres telegraphs that the provincial forces have made repeated efforts to out their way through the lines of the Civico Nacionales but have failed. During these engagements 400 men have been slaughtered. The siege do men have been slaughtered. The siege has not yet been raised and the situation at Laplata has not changed. It is expected there will be a great deal more fighting around that city before the trouble is ended. Another city before the trouble is ended. Another revolution has been started in the Province of Corrientes against the Governor. It is reported that the National Government has decided to continue its policy of non-intervention for the present and give the people of the provinces every opportunity to overthrow corrupt local government and put honest men in office.

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