

Cabled Across.

Three Children In Austria Killed by Hailstones.

The Terrible Experience of Two Mountain Climbers.

Bank of England Returns Make Another Remarkable Record.

Carnegie Writes Up the Wages Question in the Contemporary Review.

Deadly Hailstones.

VIENNA, Aug. 30.—Hailstones have done great damage throughout Austria. At Kowitz, Poland, three children were killed by hailstones.

Pleuro-Pneumonia in Canada.

LONDON, Aug. 30.—The report which has reached here of an outbreak of pleuro-pneumonia in the herds on the Model Farm at Nappan, near Amherst, N. S., is creating a great deal of concern on this side of the water against the Canadian Government, owing mainly to the repeated protests of the latter that the disease did not exist in Canadian cattle in any portion of the Dominion.

Fell 400 Feet!

GASTIN, Austria, Aug. 30.—Two youths named Divisch and Pfeiffer lost their way while ascending Ort Alp on Monday, and in the darkness fell over a precipice 400 feet high. Divisch fell to the bottom and was killed. Pfeiffer caught hold of a birch tree which projected about 50 feet from the top of the precipice and with his waist belt bound himself fast. He hung suspended from the tree from 7 o'clock Monday till noon on Tuesday, when he was discovered by mountaineers and rescued.

Carnegie on Wages.

LONDON, Aug. 30.—Andrew Carnegie has an article in the September Contemporary Review concerning labor in America. He says that a workman can live for less in America if he chooses than in Great Britain, provided he will live as frugally. Consequently Mr. Carnegie thinks the argument that wages must be higher in America is fallacious. A pound judiciously expended in America on the necessities of life would afford the workman's family more comforts than the same amount spent here. The American workman's position was like that of the old Scotchwoman, who, when asked if she could live on a certain amount replied that she could live on half of it, "but could spend double."

Attempt to Wreck a G. T. R. Train.

PORTLAND, Me., Aug. 30.—A deliberate attempt was made to wreck a Grand Trunk train this morning near Fish Point in this city. An eleven-inch shell was found on the track just before the Montreal express arrived. Where the shell came from is a mystery unless from a fort in the harbor. It is believed to be loaded.

Cable Flashes.

A dispatch from Johannesburg says that the Transvaal is anxious to secure control of the Delagoa Bay Railroad and that it has sent £500,000 to London with which to buy the bonds which Portugal will issue. The Government of the Transvaal is being urged to place a tax of 8 per cent on British silver.

Mr. John Morley, Chief Secretary for Ireland, is the guest of Mr. Andrew Carnegie at Cloncy Castle.

A dispatch from Rome says that the report that Mr. Satelli will return to Rome at the end of the year is confirmed. The dispatch adds that after the return of the Papal delegate from the United States the Vatican will publish the result of his mission, which will show, as already frequently stated, that the Pope is entirely satisfied with the work of Mr. Satelli, and that his Holiness considers that the church questions in the United States are almost settled.

Thursday's Bank of England returns made another record. The reserve is over £31,250,000. The proportion of cash to liabilities is 70 1/2 per cent. The coin and bullion increased £289,000, of which £182,000 came from abroad. The stock markets were active today and strong. The public are buying and general confidence has increased. Trade, however, revives very slowly.

The British Admiralty has received a cablegram from Bonny, West Africa, stating that a boat belonging to H. M. S. Albatross, containing a scouting party, had been fired upon by natives, who attacked the boat from the bank of the Bonny River. One of the scouting party was killed and two were seriously wounded.

The remains of the Earl of Abemarle, son-in-law of Sir Allan Napier McNab, will be interred at Ouidenham, Norfolk, on Friday.

One death from cholera occurred at Amsterdam on Thursday. One case is reported in Rotterdam, and in Spynkisse and two in Maastricht.

The Vienna Fremdenblatt says the Czar's physicians regard his condition as far from serious. His illness is the result of repeated attacks of influenza.

The international peace congress at Antwerp passed resolutions Thursday in favor of a permanent arbitration treaty among the European powers.

A Spanish royal decree issued Thursday abrogates the customs arrangement of June, 1891, by which special rates on certain imports into Porto Rico and Cuba were accorded to the United States.

The Czar and his two youngest children, the Czar and his two youngest children, have started for the forest of Bjelovech. Prof. Zaccarini, the Czar's medical attendant, accompanied the party.

The international peace congress has adopted a resolution instructing the International Bureau to approach the various European governments with a view of putting a stop to the war between China and Japan.

The Agence Nationale de Paris, a Royalist concern, says that the Count of Paris is failing steadily, and his death may occur at any moment.

FLAMING FORESTS.

Extensive Bush Fires Along the Grand River.

The Situation in Kent Becoming Serious—Swamp on Fire at Hensall.

BRANTFORD, Aug. 30.—Mr. J. Robertson, of the Massey-Harris Company, walked from Brantford to Collingwood and back. He followed the course of the Grand River as far as possible. He reports extensive bush fires in the townships of Melancthon and Amaranth, extending over some 40 miles of territory, and that ten farm houses have been destroyed in that section.

IN KENT AND ESSEX.
WINDSOR, Aug. 30.—Bush fires are raging all along the line of the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railroad. In Romney township, Kent county, things are getting very serious, and a number of farmers are moving their effects.

AT HENSALL.
HENSALL, Aug. 30.—The Hay swamp here is on fire, but Hensall is not endangered by the fire at present. Considerable damage has been done to timber in the swamp. The farmers in this vicinity have managed to confine the fire to the swamp principally.

IN MICHIGAN.
NGADNER, Mich., Aug. 30.—Great damage has resulted from forest fires in the Trout Creek district during the past few days and the fires are still raging. The Diamond Match Company has lost fully 90,000,000 feet of lumber, and the Nester estate timber consumed is about 20,000,000 feet.

The loss to homesteaders and others is also very great.

ACCIDENTS TO AERONAUTS.

Prof. Hogan and His Assistant Have a Rough Experience.

SAGINAW, Mich., Aug. 30.—Prof. Hogan made an ascension with a hot air balloon at Saginaw Beach yesterday afternoon. When the balloon was nearly full, someone yelled "Let go." The balloon shot up, and Hogan's assistant, who had not time to get outside of the balloon, fell out when the balloon cleared the trees, taking the parachute with him. He fell about 60 feet through limbs of trees into the stand, but was not seriously injured.

Hogan sailed away without a parachute to descend, and when the balloon finally came down he was dragged over stumps, sand and marsh half a mile.

Hogan is in worse shape than his helper, but both are ready to tackle the balloon again in a few days.

REDUCED TO ASHES.

COLLINGWOOD, Ont., Aug. 30.—A fire broke out in the stables of the Dominion Hotel. Forty tons of hay were destroyed and about \$2,000 damage done to the buildings and contents. Insured. Origin of fire unknown. Mrs. Cameron fell and fractured one of her limbs during the excitement. It is only a few years since the hotel was burned to the ground.

POLITICAL NOTES.

EAST ELGIN PATRONS.
The East Elgin Patrons of Industry held a meeting in the town hall, Aylmer, on Wednesday, and passed the following resolution: "That a convention be held in the town hall, Aylmer, on Monday, Sept. 24, for the purpose of selecting a candidate to represent East Elgin in the House of Commons, and that the labor element of St. Thomas be represented by eight delegates; Aylmer, three; Port Stanley, one; Vienna, one, with proper credentials."

Denied!

Lieut.-Col. Lindsay, of the Twenty-fifth Battalion, denies having stated to a friend in London that he expected to be gazetted on Saturday as lieutenant-colonel of the Seventh, of London, as stated in the Free Press.—(St. Thomas Times.)

Rev. Mr. Wye's Case.

A Windsor dispatch says: It is reported that Rev. G. W. Wye will not leave Amherstburg to go to London in obedience to the summons of Bishop Baldwin to appear before him on Sept. 12 and have passed on him the finding of the commission appointed last April to hear evidence in the charge preferred against Wye, alleging that his usefulness in the parish appears to be gone. Mr. Wye intends to ignore the summons and will appeal to the House of Bishops. The notice of the appeal has been sent to Bishop Baldwin, as the Metropolitan of Canada is in Europe. It will be some months before the case can be brought before the House of Bishops. In the meantime Mr. Wye intends to hold his place as rector of the Amherstburg parish. Mr. Wye's counsel is also preparing papers in a civil action to recover his back salary, which now amounts to nearly \$2,000. He claims that the triers were prejudiced against Mr. Wye and that the verdict was decidedly unjust.

Ex-Registrar McDougall's Funeral.

BERLIN, Ont., Aug. 30.—The funeral of the late D. McDougall, ex-registrar of Waterloo, took place this afternoon, and was attended by a great concourse of people from all parts of the county and Province. The county judge, sheriff, local registrar and other county officials attended in a body. The clergy, bankers, lawyers and doctors and members of Parliament in the county also attended. The funeral was the largest ever seen in the county.

Hay, Onions, Hops.

NEW YORK, N. Y., Aug. 30.—Exhaustive crop reports regarding the condition and probable yield of hay, hops and onions published in the American Agriculturist Weekly, to be issued Saturday, indicate a shortage in both hay and onions. The entire hay crop is approximately 60,250,000 tons, against 65,000,000 tons last season. The farm families number 4,767,179 of which 65.32 per cent own their own farms and 34.8 per cent hire, while of owning families 28.22 per cent have incumbrances on their farms and 71.78 per cent have none. Among 100 farm families, on the average 34 hire their farms, 47 own free of incumbrance and 19 own subject to incumbrance.

Not That Kind.

Scott's Emulsion does not debilitate the stomach as other cough medicines do, but on the contrary it improves digestion and strengthens the stomach. Its effects are immediate and pronounced.

Many a man is afraid of ghosts and still is not afraid of spirits.

Late Canadian News.

The Lachine Canal To Be Deepened—Sailor Drowned at Kincardine.

Dr. Gillies, of Winnipeg, has been appointed superintendent of Brandon Insane Asylum.

Sir John Thompson and Hon. Mackenzie Bowell left Sans Souci, Muskoka, on Thursday for Ottawa.

Dr. Walkem, Q.C., is mentioned in Kingston as the probable successor to Sir Thomas Galt in the Superior Court.

Petty Officer Isaacs, of H. M. S. Blake, who was struck by a trolley car in Ottawa Wednesday evening, is getting along fairly well.

The Quebec Government intends to commence an active crusade in Montreal against gambling, which has lately been on the increase.

Henry Horsey, while bathing at Rockwood Asylum Lake, Kingston, on Thursday, was seized with cramps and was drowned.

Deborah, the 16-months-old daughter of Reuben Bennett, Oshawa, was scalded to death Monday by the upsetting of a kettle of boiling water.

The British squadron now stationed at Quebec landed 700 men Thursday morning for the purpose of a land review on the Plains of Abraham.

Miss F. Marie Imandt and Miss Bessie Maxwell, representing the Dundee (Scotland) Courier, on a trip around the world, investigating questions relating to labor, have reached Toronto.

The Sons of Scotland of Mount Forest held their first demonstration on the exhibition grounds of that place on Thursday. Over 5,000 people were present. The affair was a complete success.

It has been decided to deepen the Lachine Canal to a uniform depth of fifteen feet. Tenders have been called for. The estimated cost is \$250,000, and the work is expected to be finished in the autumn of 1896.

Rev. R. Halchett, the Hamilton colored preacher, is suing Prof. "Astronomical" Johnston for \$2,000 damages for slander in connection with the latter's recent allegation of bigamy against the plaintiff.

A farmer named Jarvis, who lived about two miles from Mount Albert, York county, died Thursday morning while driving into the village. Deceased was about 50 years of age and had been in poor health for some time.

The Ottawa Journal says Justice Fournier of the Superior Court, who is at his home at his residence at Bertier, Que., is far from well, but whether or not he will resign to make room for Mr. Angers is said to be another thing.

On Wednesday Hon. Mr. Hardy visited Rondeau Park at Point aux Pins, in company with a party of Chathamites, and looked over the ground with a view to action towards making the reserve a public park in more than the name.

The gross earnings of the Richelieu Navigation Company from the opening of navigation to Aug. 25 were \$42,470.63, against \$365,094.51 for the same period of last year—a surplus of \$97,179.17 for this year.

Wednesday night a sailor named James Sullivan disappeared from the schooner L. L. Lamb at Kincardine. Thursday afternoon the man's dead body was found in the harbor near the vessel. He was 33 years of age and it is supposed has two brothers living in Chicago.

At Kingston on Wednesday a deaf man, W. Spooner, 65 years of age, was killed by an electric car at the foot of the Penitentiary hill, in Portsmouth. He did not hear the car coming, nor the warnings of the spectators. He was a farm laborer, and belonged to Rockland, Russell county.

At the close of the retreat of the community of St. Basil announcements of changes were made as follows: Rev. P. Shaughnessy goes to Owen Sound from St. Michael's; Rev. M. Kelly goes from Owen Sound to become professor of mental philosophy at Sandwich; Rev. T. Hayes also goes to Sandwich, and Rev. T. Hayden takes the place of the former at the novitiate.

Referring to the decrease, amounting to nearly \$1,000,000, in the net profits of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company for the last six months, Mr. Shaughnessy, vice-president of the company, said that it was undoubtedly due to the commercial depression in the United States, which also affected Canada. He hoped, now that the tariff question was settled, to see a revival of trade, and a consequent increase in railway receipts.

Hop-Picking.

WINDSOR, Aug. 30.—Hop-picking has begun in the hop yards of Hiram Walker Sons. This year's crop is a fair one, and the yield is about a thousand pounds to the acre.

Highway Robbery in Brantford.

BRANTFORD, Aug. 30.—As a young man was returning home along Park avenue last evening about 11 o'clock, he was held up by two men, and while one man held a pistol to his head, he was relieved by the other of \$180 in change, a pin, and the necktie which he had on. After he was released a shot was fired, but he does not know whether it was at him or just for the purpose of frightening him. The police are endeavoring to trace the thieves.

ALL MEN.

Young, old or middle-aged, who find themselves nervous, weak and exhausted, who are broken down from excess or overwork, resulting in many of the following symptoms: Mental depression, premature old age, loss of vitality, loss of memory, bad dreams, dimness of sight, palpitation of the heart, emissions, lack of energy, pain in the kidneys, headaches, pimples on the face and body, itching or peculiar sensation about the scrotum, loss of the organs, dizziness, specks before the eyes, twitching of the muscles, eyelids and elsewhere, basifluency, deposits in the urine, loss of will power, tenderness of the scalp and spine, weak and flabby muscles, desire to sleep, failure to be rested by sleep, constipation, dullness of hearing, loss of voice, desire for solitude, excitability of temper, sunken eyes, surrounded with LEADEN CIRCLES, oily looking skin, etc., are all symptoms of nervous debility that lead to insanity unless cured. The spring or vital force having lost its tension every function wanes in consequence. Those who through abuse committed in ignorance, may be permanently cured. Send your address and 10c in stamps for book on diseases peculiar to man, sent sealed. Address M. V. LUBON, 24 Macdonnell avenue, Toronto, Ont., Canada. Please mention this paper.

WITH THE WORKERS.

Scotch Miners Ballot on Strike Questions.

Interesting Testimony Before the United States Labor Commission.

LONDON, Aug. 30.—The result of the ballot taken among Scotch coal miners on questions involved in the present strike was announced today. Twenty-five thousand four hundred and seventeen miners were in favor of the proposal of the Miners' Federation to accept 6 pence reductions, with guaranteed wages on that basis for two years, and 20,942 were in favor of insisting upon a shilling advance. The mine owners declare the balloting does not by any means put an end to the strike, as it will be impossible for them to guarantee even a minimum rate of wages for two years. The owners assert that this cannot be done, as most of their annual contracts have been canceled by their customers.

BEFORE THE LABOR COMMISSION.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 30.—Charles Stewart Wade, in the legal employ of the Rock Island Railway Company, but at the time of the strike a reporter for a Chicago morning newspaper, testified before the labor commission today. He said he carefully examined switches which had been tampered with and declared from a previous knowledge of railroading that none but railroad employees could have so manipulated the complicated system. He saw cars overturned and witnessed acts of violence. The police often stood idly by without interfering, showing sympathy with the strikers.

W. E. Guyon, a reporter for the United Press during the strike, told what he saw of the destruction of railroad property. He did not think railroad employees were engaged in this work. He claimed to have been asked by either Debs or Howard to help them apprehend rioters. He had often heard the two heads of the A. R. U. counsel against strikes.

A. R. U. was recalled in regard to the meeting at Blue Island at which it was alleged by witnesses yesterday that he used abusive language in regard to Geo. M. Pullman and counseled violence. Howard admitted that he applied an obscene epithet to Mr. Pullman, but said the epithet was one in common use among railroad men. He also testified that he said he thought Pullman such a mean man that he ought to be hanged, but he did not mean by this to counsel violence. He simply wanted to show his contempt for the man's methods. As quoted by himself, Mr. Howard's exact language was: "That fellow ought to be hung." He told the crowd on that occasion to beware of railroad sleuths who tried to break up lodges by arraying the Catholics in their against the Protestants, and he hoped if anybody caught any of these sleuths at their work they would "tap them on the head with the round end of a rolling pin." Howard declared the General Managers' Association during the strike sought only to crush the A. R. U.

After listening to several witnesses the United States labor commission adjourned to meet on Sept. 26.

TELEGRAPHIC DOTS.

The Indian cotton crop is satisfactory. President Cleveland has arrived at Gray Gables for a long rest.

The burning of the Chicago grand stand will probably cause a transfer of a number of ball games from the western to the eastern grounds.

A cable received from the United States Minister at Brussels states that an order of the Belgian Government subjects all American cattle to 45 days' quarantine.

The Hamburg-American Line made another average rates Thursday morning by reducing steamer tickets to Southampton by express steamship from \$15 to \$10.

Among the passengers on the steamship Germania, which sailed from Liverpool on Wednesday, are twenty Catholic clergymen, lately ordained, who are assigned to missionary work in St. Paul, Dubuque, Chicago and Duluth.

The steamer City of Topeka, from Juneau, Alaska, brings details of a battle among the Chitot Indians, which resulted in six men being killed and a large number injured. The Indians were drunk.

The United States Treasury statement for August will make the most favorable showing for many months. The receipts will probably be more than \$10,000,000 in excess of expenditures.

Seventeen thousand children, members of the different Protestant Sunday schools in Detroit, paraded Woodward avenue Thursday morning, went to Belle Isle Park and had a huge time. There were over 4,000 people on the island in the afternoon.

At New York Judge McAdam on Thursday appointed a receiver for the Camden stable of race horses. The stable, according to the papers in the case, is owned and has been operated since Sept. 15, 1893, by two women—Philomena Schultz and Millie K. Brien.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

The Washington Gathering—Supreme Lodge Officers.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—The Supreme Lodge, K. of P., today elected officers for the ensuing term of two years. Walter R. Ritchie, of Lima, Ohio, was promoted from supreme vice-chancellor to supreme chancellor, and he was succeeded as supreme vice-chancellor by Philip T. Colgrove, of Hastings, Mich. Albert Steinhart, of Alabama, was made supreme prelate; Dr. R. L. C. White, of Tennessee, supreme keeper of records and seals; Thomas G. Sample, of Pennsylvania, supreme master of the exchequer, to fill vacancy caused by the failure of Mr. Wylie, of Wilmington, Del., which created a deficiency of \$70,000. A. D. Gardiner, of New York, was made supreme master-at-arms; Mr. James Moulson, of New Brunswick, supreme master of the inner guard; John W. Thompson, of Washington, D. C., supreme master of the outer guard; John A. Minney, of Wisconsin, chairman of the board of control.

The committee of the Supreme Lodge today settled down to business. The future admission of saloon-keepers and bartenders to membership in the order has been practically settled in the negative. This, however, will not affect liquor dealers who are now members of the order.

KINGSMILL'S

Great

6 Days

Slash.

Remnants & Oddments

Remnants

Carpets
Curtains

Oddments

Remnants

Floor Oil Cloths
Linoleums

Oddments

Remnants

Mattings
Table Linens

Oddments

Remnants

Quilts
Sheetings

Oddments

Remnants

Flannelettes
Cottons

Oddments

Remnants

Shirtings
Prints

Oddments

Remnants

Flannels
Sateens

Oddments

Remnants

Muslins
Cretonnes

Oddments

Remnants

Wash Goods
Dress Goods

Oddments

Remnants

Silks
Shawls

Oddments

Remnants

Velvets
Plushes

Oddments

Remnants

Parasols
Ribbons

Oddments

Remnants

Laces
Trimmings

Oddments

Remnants

Hosiery
Gloves

Oddments

Remnants

Cotton Underwear
Mantles

Oddments

KINGSMILL'S

Dundas and Carling Streets.