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More About the Behring's Sea Trouble.

The latest concerning the Behring's Sea trouble looks less peaceful than before, and yet we venture the opinion that it is better than it looks. Mr. Blaine being Secretary of State for the great Republic is bound to "spread" himself, and may be depended upon to talk big as regards American claims. We therefore expect quite naturally to hear that the "pirates" are to be driven out. Still there are some things worth noting, which Mr. Blaine will yet have to take into his most serious consideration, although so far he seems to ignore them altogether. Britain suggests a joint commission of maritime powers, and this looks so reasonable a proposal that he will surely have to concede it at last. Meanwhile it does not surprise us to learn that both France and Germany support Great Britain in the contention that the sea in dispute is an open sea. Were they to support the American position instead it would indeed be matter for astonishment. Were it as easy as Mr. Blaine would have it to be to create a *mare clausum*, or closed sea, it would bring all Europe into trouble, and war would be, not the occasional but the regular condition of things among the maritime powers. Serious cause for war would spring up in every quarter, and peace would become a phenomenon only now and then to be observed. Positively no conference of the maritime powers could think seriously of establishing as a principle what the Washington Government is now contending for. Such a conference there must be before long; and it will give our neighbors an opportunity for conceding to the assembled powers what it would "rile" their dignity too much to concede to Great Britain alone. But we think we can see already where Mr. Blaine is preparing for a back-down to be worked in a thoroughly American way, *more suo*.

It is now given out that the reason why the "seal pirates" were not molested by the Cleveland Administration was that they had contributed large sums to the campaign fund collected to insure Cleveland's return to the White House. Now you see it, don't you? These rascals, the Democrats, really gave away Uncle Sam's case last year, and that is the reason why we have no ca e to present for him now. If patriotic Americans regret that now we cannot hold up our end against the whole maritime world, let them not blame us, but let them put the blame on Cleveland and his gang, who gave away the case last year.

While our neighbors may be expected to support strongly, on general principles, what they will call the American patriotic view of the dispute, public opinion over the border will not be very enthusiastic in favor of the wealthy monopoly which now claims the exclusive right to seal fishing in Behring Sea. To talk about the American people having an interest in the seal fishing there is conspicuous "fudge," for, supposing British and Canadian vessels wholly excluded, the benefit would be—not to the average American citizen in any way, but altogether to the combine of millionaires who now hold the monopoly. President Harrison and Secretary Blaine know that they must uphold against Canada the monopoly aforesaid; but at the same time the average American citizen will not feel very enthusiastic over a matter in which his interest is so small that it would require a microscope of great magnifying power to enable one to see it. On the whole, what we look for by and by is a back-down in this business, on the part of the universal United States, although in the meantime some "tall talking" is to be expected.

The C. P. A. Journal.

We have received from the publishing committee a copy of the first journal of proceedings of the Canadian Press Association at its annual meeting in 1888, and its first winter session in 1889. The little volume, which comprises sixty-six printed pages, also contains the constitution and bylaws of the association, a list of its officers since its inauguration in September, 1859, and a series of papers on different subjects of practical importance, read before the association at its winter meetings held in the Toronto Press Club rooms in February last. The journal, which we presume will be an annual publication, is intended to be a permanent record of the transactions of the association, similar in that respect to the records of other societies or guilds of a literary or semi-literary and scientific character, and as such it will be received with general favor by the press and newspaper public. We are told by the editors that "the primary object aimed at, in the establishment of the Canadian Press Association, was that of creating more intimate relations socially among the editorial fraternity of Canada, and, by bringing together annually members of the Fourth Estate in a reunion where party differences should be forgotten, and social acquaintanceships formed, thereby tend to check the asperities which unfortunately too often are apparent in the discussion of public questions, and banish, as far as possible, the bitterness of tone which characterized the public press." There can be no doubt that this object has been to a large extent successful, and that the results, direct and indirect, of the annual meetings and excursions have been highly beneficial.

The printed papers recently read before the association comprise: "The matter of subscription," by Roy V. Somerville, True Banner, Dundas; "Apprenticeship," by L. J. Jackson, Newmarket Era; "Business Management," by J. B. Trayes, Port Hope Times; "Job Printing—what is a fair profit," by H. P. Moore, Free Press, Acton; and "The amended criminal law of Libel," by John King, M. A., Berlin, an honorary member of the association. These papers are well written and cannot fail to be of special interest to journalists. They are eminently practical in matter, scope and design, and are full of suggestions to all connected in any way with the "art preservative." Mr. King's paper, we are told in the journal, contains selections from "a carefully prepared treatise on the law of libel as it directly affects the publishers of newspapers," and were given for publication by the author at the urgent request of the meeting at which they were read. The writer, besides treating of the law generally, deals with the latest Canadian and English amendments of the criminal law of libel and offers many cogent reasons for more extended amendments of our own law, based on English experience of the changes suggested and on recent English legislation favorable to the newspaper press and increasing its immunities against vexatious prosecutions. Mr. King also figures as an essayist of the association. The journal is a model in its way of the printers' art, the whole get-up as to paper, print and general finish being very creditable to Mr. H. P. Moore of The Acton Free Press, in whose office it was published.

"An Educational Visit to India." That is the character which the projected trip to India of Prince Albert Victor is to assume. When he was younger the Prince saw a good deal of the world during his tour on the Britannia, but he did not visit India. He is to visit that vast and interesting country. His travels will, however, have nothing of the political significance which was inseparably associated with the visit some years ago of the Heir Apparent. Prince Albert Victor is to journey with a small suite, and almost to be a private gentleman. He is, in fact, going to study the country in the best possible way—namely, by making personal acquaintance with it.

The cotton trade of India is growing into importance. The first cotton mill was established in Bombay in 1851. That Presidency has now 72 mills and the country 97. There are at work 2,375,739 spindles and the annual consumption of raw cotton amounts to 283,000,000 pounds.

One of the largest mortgages ever recorded is that given by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway to the United States Trust Co. of New York. It is for $150,000,000. The company has consolidated its liabilities and placed its debt in the hands of one creditor.

English people, to whom Handel's "Messiah" is so thoroughly familiar, will have some difficulty in believing that, except to musical students, it is hardly known in France. Yet such is the case. "The Messiah" has just been produced, quite as a novelty, at the Trocadero in Paris. The performance, however, was attended by over 5000 persons and the music warmly applauded. It was performed in the French language and by French singers.

In The World of March 27 there was a despatch from Buffalo to the effect that John Russell, carpenter, formerly of Toronto, had skipped from Buffalo with $500 of his partner's money. Mr. Russell, it seems, went to Vancouver, B.C., and he only returned to Toronto this week. He denies that there is any truth in the Buffalo report, he has his books to show that his accounts with Geo. L. Rolfe of Buffalo are all straight; and as he intends going into business here he thinks it only fair that he should be set right before the community.

In Wedlock's Bonds.

At All Saints' Church yesterday morning, Mary Lillian, daughter of Mr. W. H. O. Kerr, was married to Paul V. Von Szeliski, real estate agent. Rev. A. H. Baldwin, the rector, performed the ceremony. Constance Kerr, the bride's little sister, was the bridesmaid, and George Kerr, cousin of the bride, was groomsman. The bride was dressed in ivory satin, covered with lace, and wore no ornaments except natural flowers. There was a large number of friends present, and the presents were numerous and handsome. After the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of Mr. Kerr, and the couple left on the two o'clock boat for Murray Bay.

Toronto Baptist Association.

The third annual meeting of this association has been held in the Baptist Church at Baker's Hill. Mrs. Dr. Newman presided. The morning session was devoted to business; the minutes of last meeting, Associational report, the appointment of Director, Mrs. Wells, and the reading of the letters from the circles. The afternoon was given to addresses and papers. Mrs. Ira Smith read an excellent paper on foreign missions. Mrs. Freeland read a very interesting letter from Miss Hatch on mission work.

A Farewell Present.

Mr. J. G. Turton, who for over four years past has been an energetic worker in the Queen-street Methodist church and Sabbath school, and who is about to leave the city, has been presented with a farewell address, accompanied by a gold-headed cane. Mr. Turton, who until lately has been chief of the collection department, Massey Manufacturing Company, has been appointed assistant manager of the company's Australasian branch, Melbourne, Australia.

The Vocal Society Excursion.

The excursion and concert of the Vocal Society to-morrow to the Canadian Chautauqua is already an assured success. Excursion trains will be run from Buffalo and intermediate stations to attend the concert, in which the well-known artists Mrs. Agnes Thomson, Mr. E. W. Schuch and Mr. Harry M. Field will take part in addition to the society. Every convenience will be afforded the excursionists in the way of street cars on the return of the boat.

If You Use Tobacco or Stimulants
You certainly should use Carter's Little Nerve Pills. 246

Sale of Fashionable China.

During next week an attractive sale of fine English goods will take place at Oliver, Coate & Co.'s Mart, King-street. They comprise handsome dinner, tea, dessert and toilet sets, vases, figures, Sheffield silver plate, cutlery, mantle clocks, bronzes, &c., consigned to Mr. Lydon by English manufacturers for absolute sale. On view Saturday next.

Persons suffering from sick headache, dizziness nausea, constipation, pain in the side, are asked to try one vial of Carter's Little Liver Pills. 246

Trinity Convocation Opened.

A large congregation assembled to hear the impressive choral service at Trinity College Chapel last night. The Bishop of Niagara gave a short but practical sermon on Christ's doubting disciples. He characterized the nineteenth century as an age of doubters, and compared the position of the disciples to the church of the present day. Doubts, he assured his hearers, are only to be vanquished by obedience to the divine will and earnest devotion.

What They Were Worth.

The Trusts Corporation of Ontario petitions for administration of the estate of Seymour Porter, bookkeeper, Toronto, who died January 1. The estate is made up as follows: Household goods, $600; life insurance, $2900; real estate, $2800; total, $6300.

William Willford, moulder, applies to administrate the property of William Willford, gentleman, who died Oct. 23, 1888. The total amount is $2023, of which $2000 is in real estate.

SAVED.—A fine family of children were all afflicted with scrofula. Two died early; the rest would soon have followed but for the timely and persevering use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which built them up into a healthy and vigorous manhood.

At the Police Court.

Justices Miller and Fleming again dispensed justice at the Police Court yesterday. The Pierce family, charged with housebreaking and receiving, were remanded till Friday. Andy Ennis, a supposed accomplice, was also remanded.

They make one feel as though life was worth living. Take one of Carter's Little Liver Pills after eating; it will relieve dyspepsia, aid digestion, give tone and vigor to the system. 246

The Guards Doing Well.

The Body Guards are putting in active work at their camp on Garrison Common. Yesterday they were busy with mounted drill and target practice. They will make a fine showing on Dominion Day.

Home Mission Day.

Next Sunday, June 30, is "Home Mission Day" in the Baptist Sunday Schools in Ontario and Quebec.

The New Rifle Club.

The Off-Hand Sporting Rifle Club will meet at the Continental Hotel to-morrow night for final organization and the election of officers. A large attendance of members is requested.

—Caswell, Massey & Co's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil with Pepsin and Quinine, is recognized as the best preparation known. Prescribed by the leading physicians. W. A. Dyer & Co., Montreal.

CHAT ACROSS THE CABLE.

Berlin has sent $15,000 to the Johnstown sufferers.

Emperor William will pass through Rome and Naples en route to Athens. He will not visit the Pope.

The Vatican authorities have instructed the Bishop of Barcelona to prepare an asylum in Spain in the event of the Pope deciding to quit Italy.

The Bombay Gazette says a brigadier-general of the British army, stationed at Madras, has been attacked by leprosy. The name of the officer is not given.

VICKERY POUNDED HARD

AND HIS POOR SUPPORT GAVE DETROIT AN EASY VICTORY.

Syracuse Again Defeated—Other Games Yesterday—Racing at Sheepshead Bay and Chicago—Upper Canada Wins at Cricket—Montreal's Race Meeting.

DETROIT, June 26.—Both Detroit and Toronto played a nightmare of a game to-day. Vickery and Smith were both wild, but the Toronto man excelled Smith in this respect, being hit hard in addition to nine bases on balls. Smith kept the hits scattered but his bases on balls were costly. McGlone played short for Toronto and although his fielding was poor he hit well. Joe Quest began his career as an International umpire and did well. About 1500 people saw the game. The score:

TORONTO.	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.	DETROIT.	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Hoover, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0	Wheelock, ss	1	0	0	4	4	1
McMillan, lf	1	0	1	2	0	1	Higgins, 3b	1	0	0	2	2	1
McGuire, c	1	1	1	5	1	1	Donnelly, 2b	1	2	0	0	0	0
Burke, cf	0	0	0	1	0	1	Shafer, rf	1	2	0	0	0	0
Hartnett, 1b	0	0	10	1	0	0	Rooks, cf	2	2	2	0	0	0
Rickley, 3b	1	2	2	2	0	0	Campau, lf	2	3	1	0	0	0
McGlone, ss	1	2	0	2	3	1	Vivian, 1b	2	4	3	4	1	0
McLaughlin, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0	Smith, p	0	1	0	1	0	0
Vickery, p	0	1	0	0	2	0	Wells, c	1	1	1	7	1	1
Total	5	6	27	13	6	5	Total	14	18	7	17	4	4

Detroit	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	4	0	0	2	4
Toronto	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2

Earned runs—Detroit 4. Two-base hits—Virtue. Sacrifice hits—Rooks, Smith, Higgins. Stolen bases—Donnelly, Virtue, Wells, McLaughlin. Double plays—Donnelly to Virtue to Wheelock; Donnelly to Higgins to Virtue; McLaughlin to Hartnett (2); Rickley to Hartnett; Vickery to McLaughlin to Hartnett. First base on balls—Wells, Wheelock (4), Higgins, Smith, Rooks, Shafer, McGuire, Rickley, McLaughlin, McMillan (3), Hoover. First base on errors—Detroit 4, Toronto 3. Left on bases—Detroit 8, Toronto 6. Struck out—Campau, Rooks, Smith, Wells, McMillan (2), Hartnett, Rickley, McLaughlin, Burke. Passed balls—Wells 1. Wild pitches—Smith 1. Time—2.15. Umpire—Quest.

Other International Games.

At Syracuse:		R.	H.	E.
Stars	3 0 3 0 1 0 0 0 0	7	12	2
Hamilton	1 0 0 0 6 1 0 0 0	8	12	6

Batteries—Keefe and Briggs; Gibbs and Banning. Umpire—Powers.

At Toledo:		R.	H.	E.
Toledo	0 0 0 1 1 0 0 1 0	3	8	4
London	0 0 0 1 0 0 2 0 1	4	7	3

Batteries—Smith and Sage; Cain and Kinslow. Umpire—Emslie.

National League Games.

At Pittsburg:		R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0	1	6	2
Washington	0 1 1 0 0 1 0 3 x	6	12	0

Batteries—Morris and Fields; O'Day and Daly. Umpire—Fessenden.

At Cleveland:		R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 2	3	8	5
Philadelphia	2 0 1 1 0 1 0 2 x	7	10	2

Batteries—Bakely and Snider; Buffinton and Clements. Umpire—McQuade.

At Chicago:		R.	H.	E.
Chicago	2 0 0 0 0 4 0 1 0	7	8	3
New York	0 0 0 3 0 2 4 3 0	12	19	2

Batteries—Krock and Farrell; Welch and Ewing. Umpire—Lynch.

At Indianapolis:		R.	H.	E.
Indianapolis	0 0 0 1 1 4 0 3 1	10	14	2
Boston	0 0 0 0 4 0 1 0 1	6	12	0

Batteries—Getzein and Daily; Clarkson and Bennett. Umpire—Currie.

American Association Games.

At St. Louis:		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0	1	2	4
Cincinnati	3 0 1 0 0 1 0 1 2	8	7	0

Batteries—Stivetts and Boyle; Duryea and Keenan. Umpire—Kerins.

At Brooklyn:		R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	0 2 1 0 0 1 2 0 4	10	9	5
Columbus	2 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	3	8	5

Batteries—Terry and Clark; Widner and O'Connor. Umpire—Goldsmith.

At Kansas City:		R.	H.	E.
Kansas City	4 2 0 3 0 2 0 0 x	13	15	2
Louisville	2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	2	8	8

Batteries—Swartzell and Donohue; Ramsey and Cook. Umpire—Vaughan.

Games To-day.

International Association: Buffalo at Rochester, Hamilton at Syracuse, Toronto at Detroit, London at Toledo.

National League: Boston at Indianapolis, New York at Chicago, Philadelphia at Cleveland, Washington at Pittsburg.

American Association: Columbus at Baltimore, Cincinnati at St. Louis, Louisville at Kansas City.

Goulding's Defeats McCall's.

An exciting game of ball was played between the nines of D. McCall & Co. and G. Goulding & Sons at the Toronto grounds yesterday afternoon, which resulted in favor of the latter. The score:

G. Goulding & Sons	0	2	0	1	0	5	0	5	8	21
D. McCall & Co.	0	0	0	2	1	3	0	5	2	13

Batteries—Meek and Hudson; Anglin and Brown.

The Hustlers Beaten at Oakville.

OAKVILLE, June 26.—The Hustlers of Toronto and Stars of this place played a game of ball here to-day, which was decidedly in favor of the home team throughout by the superior fielding. The features of the game were the batting work of Moore and Fitzgerald, and Lem Felcher's great fielding and batting. Atkinson, the professional, was batted hard. The score: Stars, 16; Hustlers, 13.

Upper Canada Defeats East Toronto.

The East Toronto eleven were defeated yesterday afternoon by Upper Canada College on the latter's grounds by 16 runs.

RACING AT MONTREAL.

The Bel-Air Course to Open on Saturday—With the P. of Q. T. C. Meeting.

On Saturday next the Province of Quebec Turf Club begins its summer meeting at the new track known as the Bel-Air course. It is situated near Lachine, about 10 miles from Montreal, with the G. T. R. and C. P. R. running direct to the grounds. The course is perfect in every detail, as the Bel-Air people have spared no expense in making the track a good one and one which will be a credit to Montreal. There is stabling on the grounds for upwards of seventy-five horses and already over fifty stables are occupied. The racing enthusiasts of Montreal will now have no cause to complain and the Turf Club expects to inaugurate the most perfect racing property ever laid out in Canada. From a racing standpoint the meeting should certainly prove a success as the entries are such as to warrant good racing.

The inaugural meeting of the Bel-Air Jockey Club will follow on July 4 and 6, for which a capital program has been arranged, the entries to close on Saturday next. To this club the credit is due for the existence of the new course, as the energetic managers have done everything in their power to have the course second to none and build up racing in Montreal, which it will certainly do. It is therefore hoped that the racing public of Montreal will encourage these clubs and turn out in strong force on race days.

Dominion Day in Lindsay.

Horse races—Purses: $300 free-for-all, $150 three-minute trot, $100 green race. Baseball tournament—Prizes $50 and $25. Other sports. Send for programs. W. H. Stevens, secretary, Lindsay.

Racing at Sheepshead Bay.

SHEEPSHEAD BAY, June 26.—First race—For 3-year-olds and upwards; a sweepstakes of $35 each, with $1000 added: 1 mile. Badge won, Belle B. 2nd, Baucloch 3rd. Time 1.40.

Second race—A sweepstakes for 2-year-olds, $1000 added; ⅞ mile. Drizzle won, Mucilage 2nd, Canteen 3rd. Time 1.18 2-5.

Third race—A handicap sweepstakes for 3-year-olds, with $1000 added; 1 mile. Tanner won, Gypsy Queen 2nd, Cortez 3rd. Time 1.43.

Fourth race—Purse $1000, 1⅛ miles. Wynwood and Hyperion ran a dead heat. Satisfaction 3rd. Time 2.12. In the run off Wynwood won.

Fifth race—Handicap sweepstakes, with $1250 added, 1⅛ miles. Faverdale colt won, Le Loros 2nd, Barrister 3rd. Time 2.23.

Sixth race—For three-year-olds and upwards, with $1000 added, 1⅛ miles. Syntax won, Vivid 2nd, Red Prince 3rd. Time 1.58 4-5.

The Winners at Chicago.

CHICAGO, June 26.—First race—⅞ furlongs, Joe Courtney 1, Marchma 2, Early Dawn 3. Time 1.33.

Second race—5½ furlongs, El Rio Rey 1, Lord Peyton 2, Extravagance 3. Time 1.08.

Third race—Handicap sweepstakes; 1¼ miles, Huntress 1, Ed Mack 2, Elyton 3. Time 2.08.

Fourth race—Selling, 1 mile. Gardner 1, Pat Donovan 2, Prather 3. Time 1.44¾.

Fifth race—⅞ mile. Teuton 1, Gunshot 2, Bannerette 3. Time 1.14¾.

Sutton's Inaugural Meeting.

SUTTON, June 26.—The first day's races of the inaugural meeting of the Sutton Driving Park Association came off to-day and were a decided success notwithstanding the threatening appearance of the weather in the early part of the day. The following is the result:

3 minute class:

J. Waite's Poorhouse Boy	1	1	1
W. J. Middleton's Annie Bonant	4	2	3
J. E. Smith's Midnight	5	4	2
J. J. Daly's Zaie D	2	5	5
Simon Finerty's Butcher Boy	3	3	4

Time—2.51, 2.52, 2.51¼.

2.32 class:

R. J. Harward's F.O.P.	4	2	1	1	4	1
R. A. Dutton's Jimmie Puzzler	2	1	2	2	3	3
L. Jones' Dan O'Connell	1	4	3	3	2	2
J. E. Smith's Maud S.	3	3	4	4	1	4

Time—2.37, 2.37, 2.36, 2.37½, 2.41, 2.43.

Colt race:

George Horner's Lady Patriot	1	1
John Pollock's Geneva	2	2
L Miller's Maud	3	3
Thomas Atkinson's Jennie Lind	4	4

Time—3.35.

At Charter Oak Park.

HARTFORD, Conn., June 26.—Seven heats were trotted in the 2.28 class here to-day. The race was finally won by Kennett F. Best time 2.24 1-2.

The 2.22 class was won by Cleon, Yorktown Bell 2. Best time 2.24¾.

Racing in England.

LONDON, June 26.—The race for the Northumberland Plate to-day was won by Lord Durham's Drizzle, Jardine's King James second and Perkins' St. Martin third.

Trotting at Syracuse.

SYRACUSE, June 26.—The attendance to-day at the Driving Park races was very large notwithstanding the threatening sky. The track was heavy. The events were the 2.40 and 2.33 classes. The former was interesting and was won by Taylorson, best time 2.35¾. The 2.33 class was pretty hot and it was dark before any of the contestants had got a third heat. It will be finished to-morrow. Summary:

Fairest	5	1	2	2	3
Harry Cardinal	2	4	3	4	1
J. K. Emmerson	6	dis			
Merriment	4	2	1	1	2
Grover Cleveland	3	5	5	5	dis
Dinah	1	3	4	3	4

Time—2.42¾, 2.38¼, 2.34, 2.35¾, 2.34¼, 2.35¾.

Dust from the Diamond.

The Buffalo-Rochester and Baltimore-Athletics games were prevented yesterday by rain.

Lacrossemen as Sprinters.

OTTAWA, June 26.—The 220 yards handicap race open to members of the Ottawa Lacrosse Club took place to-night. There were 15 starters. The results was as follows: C. C. Billings 1st, W. G. Cameron 2nd, G. Popham 3rd, F. C. Bate 4th. Time 25 sec. The race was very closely contested.

May He Come Back Champion.

NEW YORK, June 26.—Among those who sailed for Europe to-day was Wm. O'Connor, the Canadian sculler.

Dominion Day Regatta.

The following is the program for the regatta on Toronto Bay on Monday next:

Single skiff race (seniors).
Double skiff race (seniors).
Single shell race (seniors).
Junior four-oared working boats.
Entries to be made with J. D. Hogg, referee (Argonauts), before this evening.

The University Scullers.

NEW LONDON, June 26.—On account of rough water the boat race was postponed till to-morrow.

The Raging Toothache Why Endure it when there is found a perfect cure in Gibbons' Toothache Gum? Sold by druggists. Price 15c

Up Goes Flour.

MINNEAPOLIS, June 26.—The Northwestern Miller says: The flour output last week was 109,800 barrels, against 112,700 the week before and 109,200 for the corresponding time in 1888. The firmness in wheat has induced a good deal of buying of flour. Prices are about 25 cents higher than a week ago and some parties talk of putting them up 10 to 15 cents more to-night. There is a stronger feeling in the export market. The direct exports of flour last week were 35,900 barrels, against 34,600 for the preceding week.

Typhoid at Johnstown.

JOHNSTOWN, June 26.—Surgeon Foster of the Laboring Men's Camps reported to-night that within the last 24 hours forty-nine laborers were taken seriously sick with symptoms of typhoid fever. Many of them were sent home and the others are being cared for in the hospital. The river channel above the railway bridge was for the first time opened this morning.

New England's Defender.

MYSTIC, Conn., June 26.—The monument to Captain John Mason, called the "Defender of New England in 1637," was unveiled to-day on Pequot Hill, the site of the old Pequot fort.

The City of Cleveland Released.

DULUTH, June 26.—The steamer City of Cleveland was released from the rocks below Two Harbors and brought here to-day. She is damaged about $16,000.

Five Bodies Recovered.

ALBANY, June 26.—The bodies of five of the six victims of Tuesday night's drowning fatality on the river above this city were recovered to-day.

He Liked Toronto.

Col. Kinnaird, M.P., and wife of England, who have been making a tour of the world, visited Niagara Falls on Tuesday and went to Montreal yesterday by the Corinthian. Postmaster T. C. Patteson drove them around Toronto, and the Colonel was delighted with the city and its suburbs. He noted the absence of "To let" signs on the houses.

Mother Teresa no Better.

The condition of Reverend Mother Teresa, Superioress of the Order of the Ladies of Loret, to, who lies dangerously ill at the Abbey, Wellington Place, shows no improvement and her death is hourly expected.

The Dead.

Walter Rice Powell, M.P. for West Carmarthenshire, is dead. Mr. Powell was a Liberal and a Home Ruler.

General Simon Cameron died at 8 o'clock last evening at Lancaster, Pa.

George Loring Brown, a noted painter, is dead at Malden, Mass., aged 75.

Personal Mention.

The President yesterday appointed William Walter Phelps United States Minister to Germany.

Col. Joyce, late of the Hussars, is in town on a visit to Mr. James Austin on the Davenport road.

From Police Blotters.

The detectives are making it hot for local crooks.

Thomas Mahoney, 22 Walton-street, is in Agnes-street Police Station charged with malicious injury. It is alleged that he fixed the machinery in Unser's carpet factory so that when the engine started there would be a general smash-up.

The police are beginning to think there is not very much in the story told by Mrs. Annie Simpson about being robbed of $600 in the G.T.R. express between Paris and Toronto. She was examined by Inspector Stark yesterday, and betrayed an astonishing ignorance of Michigan, where she says she hails from.

Charles Keller, the youthful forger who forged the name of J. J Curran, M.P., to checks which he cashed, is supposed to have left Montreal on the steamer Algerian for this city and the Toronto authorities have been asked to look out for him.

There are a number of varieties of corns. Holloway's Corn Cure will remove any of them. Call on your druggist and get a bottle at once.

HE IS FREE TO COME AND GO.

Druggist John O. Wood May Never Have to Answer the Charge Against Him.

John O. Wood, the druggist indicted for the murder of Lily Charlton, was informed by Mr. N. Gordon Bigelow, his counsel, yesterday that he would not be required at the Criminal Assize Court. The impression prevails that the ex-King-street druggist will get out of the difficulty without even a scratch. It seems that owing to the imperfect and unsatisfactory evidence to be secured that the crown has about concluded to let the case go. It was announced at the Assize Court by Mr. Æ. Irving that the crown would not be able to go on with the case on account of the illness of Mrs. Charlton and to the absence of the nurse, Mrs. Johnston. Mr. Wood was not even called in court yesterday, and is now free to come and go as he pleases.

A BIG WATER BURST.

Yonge-street From Queen to King Flooded—Traffic Delayed.

At 5 o'clock last evening a 12-inch water main burst at the southeast corner of Yonge and Queen-streets, directly under the curve where the Queen-street cars turn on to Yonge. A pressure of 85 pounds was on and this was enough to cause the upheaval of the earth and the wood and stone pavement. For nearly an hour the water flooded Yonge-street between Queen and King. It rushed down in torrents, but the sewer openings were sufficient to carry it off and it did not get below King. For half an hour, however, the sewer at the northeast corner of King and Yonge was blocked and there was a regular flood at that point till the hole was opened and the water escaped.

Waterworks Superintendent Hamilton and Chairman Boustead were soon on the spot and took means to stop the flow. A gang of men were put to work at excavation and it is hoped that the damage will be repaired by this morning. In the meantime the Queen-street east service is cut off.

$500 Not Called For.

It seems strange that it is necessary to persuade men that you can cure their disease by offering a premium to the man who fails to receive benefit. And yet Dr. Sage undoubtedly cured thousands of cases of obstinate catarrh with his "Catarrh Remedy" who would never have applied to him if it had not been for his offer of the above sum for an incurable case. Who is the best bidder for cure or cash?

Among the Societies.

At the quarterly meeting of Lodge Middlesex, S.O.E.B.S., No. 2, the chair was occupied by President George Hall and vice-chair by Mr. E. B. Axworthy. Three hundred brethren were present during the evening. A past president's medal was presented to Bro. W. Bell, the lodge feeling that the medal presented to him so many years since was not in keeping with the very elegant medals presented to past officers of late years. A discussion took place on the turn-out on Dominion Day, and it was resolved that the only flag to be carried that day should be the Union Jack. Five propositions for membership were received and two applicants elected. The receipts nearly totaled $600. A number of visitors were present and the present officers of the lodge were present.

At the meeting of Lady Erne Lodge No. 5, Sister Mrs. J. Farley, W.M., presided, and Sister Maggie Crawford, D.M., occupied the vice-chair, Sister Mrs. K. Bruce, chaplain, officiating in the religious ceremonies. Nine propositions for membership were received and five candidates duly initiated. Amongst the propositions was one from a lady 84 years of age. The 12th July committee reported all arrangements completed for the celebration and the new banner on hand.

St. Mark's Court 282, A. O. F., has elected these officers: Chief ranger, Bro. Simpson; vice chief ranger, Bro. Abbott; treasurer, Bro. Murphy; financial secretary, Bro. McTavish; recording secretary, Bro. Constable; and court physician, Bro. Harris. Messrs. R. Abbe and Simpson were appointed delegates to the High Court, which will meet at Kingston on August 13. Five new members were initiated and eight applications received.

The District Lodge of Centre Toronto held its quarterly meeting last night. Bro. H. Lovelock presided. Bro. E. Medcalf was presented with a past master's jewel by Bro. Adamson, P.C.M., on behalf of the lodge.

The general committee of the S.O.E. lodges met last night to perfect arrangements for the games on July 1. On that day the first division of the S.O.E. will meet at Shaftesbury Hall at 9.30 a.m.; the second division at Occident Hall, and the third division at St. George's Hall. The two latter divisions will march to Shaftesbury Hall, reaching there at 10 o'clock.

Hackets Lodge, O.Y.B., had three initiations and several propositions last night. Bro. W. J. Henry presided.

The Milkdealers' Association made arrangements last night for their annual picnic, which will take place in three weeks.

Do not delay in getting relief for the little folks. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant and sure cure. If you love your child why do you let it suffer when a remedy is so near at hand?

Jottings About Town.

The Ladies' Aid Society of New Richmond Methodist Church hold a strawberry festival to-morrow.

Dr. W. A. Dixon of Jarvis-street sailed on the Germanic to walk the hospitals of Europe for two years.

The fifth annual convention of the Canadian Society of Musicians will be held in the Normal school July 2, 3, 4.

The annual excursion under the auspices of the Toronto Opera-house ushers will be held on July 15 to Niagara Falls.

The Dundas-street Methodist Church Sunday-school had an excursion to Victoria Park yesterday, going by the Chicoutimi.

The annual meeting of the Ontario Medical Library Association will be held this evening. The principal business will be the election of officers.

The annual picnic of the Ladies Aid Society of the Bond-street Church will be held on Tuesday, July 9, to Niagara Falls per steamers Cibola and Chicora.

The Court of Appeal will deliver judgment on Saturday next in twenty cases, among which the only one of especial local interest is that of Godson and the city of Toronto.

The picnic excursion of Old St. Andrew's Sunday-school, which was to have taken place to Long Branch yesterday, was postponed till to-morrow because of bad weather.

It is expected that either Mr. W. A. Reeve, Q.C., or Mr. Edward Douglas Armour, two of the lecturers of the Law School, will be elected to the post of principal on July 3.

Mr. E. B. Axworthy, builder, 77 Shaw-street, was seriously injured by a falling brick wall in rear of 23 Colborne-street yesterday afternoon. He was taken home in the ambulance.

More than 18,000 signatures have been obtained by the Equal Rights Association for disallowance of the Jesuit Estates Act. The delegates of city wards will be asked to form ward branches.

The Ladies' Furnishing Committee met in Association Hall yesterday afternoon and made final arrangements for their garden party, which will be held at Surrey Villa, College-avenue, July 4.

Last night the members of the Royal Canadian Yacht Club tendered a complimentary dinner to Mr. William Hume Blake, son of Mr. S. H. Blake, Q.C., on the occasion of his approaching marriage.

A special examination in music was held yesterday afternoon in the board room of the Public Schools, York-street, for prizes offered by Messrs. Suckling & Sons. The examiners were F. H. Torrington, E. W. Schuch and W. O. Forsythe.

We draw attention to advertisement on front page of the small private offices to let in the Permanent Exhibition building. These offices are on the main floor, lighted with gas, heated by steam and are particularly pleasant and bright. A number of commission agents have already located there, and the central location of the Permanent Exhibition buildings apart from its other facilities, should render it popular for this purpose.

The annual picnic and garden party in aid of the Sunnyside Orphanage will take place on Monday, July 1st, at Sunnyside. Amus