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All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, Ohio, after suffering eighteen months from Rectal Prolapse, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world. Surest Pile Cure on earth. 25c a box. Sold by W. T. Strong & Co.

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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 11—8 p.m.—A disturbance which was centered in Kansas last night has today developed great energy, and tonight it is centered in Michigan as a severe storm. This disturbance is undoubtedly a subsidiary to the West India hurricane which swept over Texas on Saturday last. Fresh to heavy gales will be experienced from the lake region to the Maritime Provinces. In the Northwest Territories and Manitoba the weather has become fine and warmer. Storm signals are displayed from the lakes to the Atlantic. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 54-78; Calgary, 49-76; Qu'Appelle, 42-70; Winnipeg, 44-66; Port Arthur, 56-69; Parry Sound, 56-84; Toronto, 59-87; Ottawa, 50-66; Montreal, 52-56; Quebec, 46-56; Halifax, 46-68.

Local temperature: The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Tuesday, Sept. 11, were: Highest, 59.5; lowest, 55.5. Today (Wednesday) the sun rose at 5:53 a.m., and sets at 6:36. The moon rises at 8:24 p.m., and sets at 10:14 a.m.

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The Fakir at the Fair.

When you've viewed the mammoth pumpkin and the silver medal steed, When you've watched the bold balloonist cleave the ambient atmosphere, Just turn and gaze in wonder on the brightest jewel there, The fakir fooling victims at the great fall fair.

There's a blandness in his manner, as with strident voice and loud, And with soapy smile seductive, he allures the gaping crowd, As he springs his hairy jokers and his monumental lies, And last of all spreads out the goods he's come to "advertise."

Corn-cure, watches, sticking-plaster, Nail-remover, diamond-rings, Grease-removers, pain-destroyers, and a host of other things, To bedazzle the unwary with their cheapness and their worth, That they almost shower their dollars on this kindest man on earth.

The crowing rooster's lovely, and the fat hog "just too sweet," The pictures, flowers, and crazy-quilts are hard to beat, But for rich and pure enjoyment, there is nothing half so rare, There is nothing quite so funny as the dupes who pass their money To the fakir doing business at the fair.

—Jay M. Gee.

A LOCAL BUDGET

—Mrs. (Dr.) Graham, of Toronto, is visiting her sister, Mrs. John McGregor, 571 Grey Street.

—Miss R. G. Taylor has returned from her holidays, which were spent in Toronto and at Niagara Falls, N.Y.

—Miss Ellen M. Kurzenknebe has returned to the city after spending a pleasant visit at Sparta and vicinity.

—The Misses Dixon, of Spencer Avenue, Parkdale, Toronto, are visiting Mrs. Frank Brodwin, of 591 Princess Avenue.

—J. Sheppard and daughter Lizzie, of Toronto, have returned home after visiting relations in London and Detroit.

—Miss Eva Webb, Piccadilly Street, has returned home after spending the past week in Toronto, visiting relatives and friends.

—Mr. Thomas Wedmore, of this city, has returned home from San Francisco, whither he and his brother will return again in a few days.

—Messrs. John T. Crosby, of Guelph township, and George Crosby, of Mendenhall, are on a visit to friends in Thorndale, and will take in the Western Fair.

—The leading coal dealers have united to close their offices and yards on Thursday at 12 o'clock, to give all employees an opportunity to visit the fair.

—Another large house greeted the "Uncle Josh Sprucey" company at the London Opera House last night, and were well pleased with the splendid performance. The musical specialties are of the best. Tonight the per-

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formance will be repeated for the last time.

—Mr. Ambrose P. O'Mara, of this city, has assumed charge of the St. Joseph's separate school in Chatham, to which he has been appointed principal.

—The death took place Monday morning at West Selkirk, of Louise Cornish, wife of the late John Cornish, a pioneer settler of Winnipeg, and a former resident of London. Deceased was 61 years of age.

—John T. Howell, the former manager for S. G. Little & Co., of East London, was placed under arrest yesterday afternoon after he had completed a six weeks' term in the county jail, for appropriating the firm's money to his own use. Howell is now to be taken to Toronto, where he is alleged to have defrauded Little & Co. before he was sent to London to take charge of the new branch.

—Mr. Harry Frank, of Komoka, is visiting friends in West London.

—The terrific windstorm that struck the city last night felled a number of fine trees, and damaged fences in many parts of the city. Telegraphic wires were down in several sections.

SAVED FROM DROWNING.

Mr. Horace Somerset, the popular young tenor who has been delighting large audiences at Springbank Park during the summer, has been distinguishing himself in another line. Mr. Somerset and a friend went bathing Tuesday afternoon in the vicinity of Springbank. His companion either took a weak spell or became exhausted, and sank beneath the water. Mr. Somerset, in an instant, perceived his friend's perilous position, and being a stalwart swimmer, it was not long before he brought him safely to shore. The young gentleman is very modest about his brave act.

SPLENDID EXHIBIT

OF FINE FURS

Spittal, Sabine & Co. Make a Beautiful

Display at Their Store on

Dundas Street.

Visitors to the Western Fair should remember that there is one exhibit which will not be found on the fair grounds, but which it will be to their interest and profit to look up while in the city. It is the magnificent exhibit of fur coats which is to be found at the attractively-fitted store of Spittal, Sabine & Co., 152 Dundas Street. This well-known firm have now on hand one of the finest assortments of furs ever seen in this city, and it is well worth a visit. Some of the lines of which they are making a specialty include combination capelines, sable ruffs and muffs, seal and Persian lamb and Bokharan jackets. Many of these lines are manufactured by the firm on their own premises, the others being secured from the leading manufacturers. In addition to their valuable stock of furs, Spittal, Sabine & Co. carry a complete and up-to-date assortment of hats, and retail hats, caps, gloves and straw goods. Visitors are assured of a cordial reception and perfect attention.

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"I had a bad cough for seventeen years," writes Mrs. Samuel Hamilton, of Lawville, Tenn. "No doctor or medicine could cure it, until one year ago I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which did me more good than all other medicines I ever used. It is truly a grand cure of stubborn Coughs, Colds, and Throat and Lung troubles." Positively cures Consumption, Pneumonia, Grip, Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever and Croup. Price 50c and \$1. Guaranteed. Trial bottle free at W. T. Strong & Co.'s drug store.

Before the next tourist season opens the Swiss railway from Spiez to Foutigen will be completed.

GREAT THINGS FROM LITTLE CAUSES GROW.—It takes very little to derange the stomach. The cause may be slight, a cold, something eaten or drunk, anxiety, worry, or some other simple cause; but if precautions be not taken, this simple cause may have most serious consequences. Many a chronically debilitated constitution today owes its destruction to simple causes not dealt with in time. Keep the digestive apparatus in healthy condition, and all will be well. Parnele's Vegetable Pills are better than any other for the purpose.

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THE LARGEST

ON RECORD

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A STRIKING MECHANICAL NOVELTY.

One of the cleverest novelties ever seen in London in the line of minute mechanical construction is the miniature farmyard scene, which occupies the western window of Oak Hall, 152 Dundas Street, the well-known headquarters for all lines of men's and boys' clothing. It represents a threshing scene, in which tiny figures are busily engaged in feeding the sheaves of grain to the threshing machine, removing the winnowed grain and piling the straw on the stack. The novelty has been secured exclusively by the Oak Hall stores for exhibition in Canada. Visitors to the fair, who cannot miss the display, will be attracted by the firm's pleasing display on the main floor of the Crystal Palace, should not neglect to visit Oak Hall, witness for themselves this entertaining novelty, and inspect the magnificent stock of clothing carried by Oak Hall, which is under the capable management of Mr. Wm. Gibson. The Sanford Manufacturing Company, of which Oak Hall is the retail depot here, have gained a national reputation as makers of the grade ordered clothing, and it is sufficient to say that their every garment is made with a view to sustain that reputation.

THOMAS COUSINS.

No visitor to the Western Fair should miss seeing the display of pumps that is made by Thomas Cousins, who is conducting with more energy and greater success than ever the business that was made famous throughout Ontario under the name of J. M. Cousins. Mr. Cousins credits much of his success to the fact that he has always employed experts in the manufacture of his goods; he has used the best materials and has always tried to give good commercial value in every sale he makes. He deals most extensively in wooden pumps of all sizes, iron pumps for hand or windmill use, steel windmills, steel tank towers, tanks and troughs. He also handles the Canadian Centrifugal Pump, equipped for both power and hand-pumping purposes. Mr. Cousins takes particular care in fulfilling satisfactorily all orders for ladders and fence and all parts of all designs, and would be pleased to meet all who desire such, or anyone who are interested in the other lines he handles, either on the fair grounds or at his factory, No. 121 Bathurst Street. His pumps are worth the most extensive more than ordinary notice. They still hold the leading place they attained during his father's lifetime, and are fitted with brass knings, that make them excel for the market. The public are courteously invited to inspect Mr. Cousins' display, and test for themselves the many excellent features of his pumps and other apparatus.

J. GAMMAGE & SONS.

The beauty of the horticultural hall is still further enhanced by the superb showing made by the above-mentioned well-known firm. Mr. Gammage seems to have arranged a corner on red tickets—at least, such a supposition might easily be made by anyone who has seen the number of first prizes in their exhibit. They received first for a magnificent hanging basket, the largest ever seen at the Western Fair. They also received first for greenhouse and store plants (three varieties), palms (six varieties), French cannaes (twelve varieties), best display of plants in pots (covering a space of 20 feet, several tiers in height), carnations, tuberous begonias, caladiums, alternantheras, foliage plants (25 varieties), Rex begonias, bouquet of roses (eighteen, assorted), best 20 roses in a bouquet, centerpiece for dinner table, bridal bouquets, basket of cut flowers, wreath of white flowers, funeral floral design and ferns (six varieties). Such an array of first prizes cannot fail to impress all intelligent readers.

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THE INDIA "MILLIONAIRE" ARRESTED.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Sept. 12.—A. A. Advani, who claims to be the son of a millionaire indigo planter of Bombay, India, was arrested by Detective Mains on the charge of fraudulently obtaining \$130 from an Ottawa man some time ago. It was this same man who the other day claimed to have been relieved of a letter of credit amounting to \$5,000, and \$185 in cash. On Thursday last, it is alleged that Advani tried to work the proprietor of the Walker House, Toronto, by means of this lost letter-of-credit story, and when it failed returned to Lewiston by boat.

COPP BROS. CO. STOVES.

Every visitor to the fair should make a point to see the splendid display made by this well known Hamilton firm. It comprises an assortment of ranges that cannot be excelled in Canada—ranges that are the perfected result of years of patient study and experiment. This firm's output enjoys an enviable reputation for beauty of design and for quick, even and economical work. They are in thousands of homes in Canada, and every sale is the means of making still more. Besides their excellent ranges the firm carry a full line of furnaces, heaters and oil stoves that are known throughout the country for their good features. The machinery hall, where the display is made, is much enriched by its beauty and attractiveness. Visitors may meet there, either the courteous local representative, Mr. J. T. Parks, or Mr. John R. Arthurs, of the Hamilton house, either of whom will be pleased to welcome them, and explain the various merits of the productions of their factory.

A DOHERTY ORGAN BIRTHDAY.

[Special to "Music Trades," New York, Sept. 8, 1900.]

Clinton, Ont., Sept. 1, 1900.

The Doherty Organ celebrates its birthday in December, it being just 28 years ago that its manufacture was commenced.

The Doherty is claimed to be the only organ made in Canada whose name, management or proprietorship has never been changed, and is now claimed to be the largest manufactory of organs under the British flag. It has the added advantage of continued development by the same progressive Canadian musicians. Doherty Organs are considered by many as leaders, on account of their possessing beautiful cases, rich tone, and consequently are the best sellers. This year they are more desirable than ever. D. A. R.

Clinton, Sept. 10, 1900.

The above was sent to New York without our knowledge or consent, but we are pleased to say it is true, every word of it, and we thank D. A. R., whoever he may be, for his kind words. Such men should be prized in any community.

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This, no doubt, accounts for our large sales at Toronto Fair this year, which exceed any former year by nearly a half more.

The Doherty exhibit is in the main building, main entrance, on the right-hand corner.

It is reported that the French Government is in favor of resigning, in order to avoid a crisis over the charges in connection with alleged Exposition scandals.

ROSY TEACHERS

Look Better in the Schoolroom Than the Sallow Sort.

Young folks naturally like comely objects, and a good-looking, healthy teacher can do much to help her pupils, everything else considered, than the skinny, dyspeptic teacher can. The instructor in Latin and mathematics in a young ladies' seminary at Macon, Ga., had an experience worthy the attention of all.

She kept running down a little more each year until finally a genuine case of nervous prostration set in and she was confined to her bed for eight months, a perfect wreck, physically and mentally. She and her friends thought it was due to overwork, but she now knows it was due to improper food.

Of course the physicians were called in, but there is almost nothing that can be done in such cases, except to rely on well selected food and proper care. She was put upon Grape-Nuts, all medicines, also tea, coffee, and food drinks were taken away. She had Postum Food Coffee once a day.

The larger part of her food was Grape-Nuts, for this food is made with special reference to rebuilding the gray matter in the brain and nerve centers.

The lady says: "I had been reduced to 95 pounds in weight when I began using Grape-Nuts. The new food was so delicious and strengthening that I felt new life at once. I have now developed into a perfectly healthy, happy, stout woman, weighing 135 pounds, the greatest weight I ever attained, and have a wonderfully clear, fresh, rosy complexion, instead of the sallow, bilious hue of the past."