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Born, Married, Died.

BORN.

LONG—On Friday, July 16, at 492 Talbot street, to Mr. and Mrs. F. W. L. Long, a daughter. 74u

DIED

SCOTT—At the family residence, 122 Maitland street, on July 17, 1897, Margaret Anderson, relict of the late Alexander Scott, in her 88th year.

Funeral on Monday, at 9 a.m., from the above residence to St. Peter's Cathedral. Friends and acquaintances will kindly accept this intimation.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading, two cents per word, or ten cents per line each insertion.

HO! FOR THE OLD COUNTRY—VERY low rates, via the Allan and Beaver Lines to or from Great Britain via Montreal the St. Lawrence short route. F. B. CLARKE, Richmond street, next door to Advertiser.

CATHOLIC CLUB PICNIC—PORT STANLEY, Tuesday, July 27. Full programme of sports, largest prize list ever offered. Musical Society string band. Moonlight excursion. Everybody welcome. b

SARNIA AND RETURN—CHOSEN Friends excursion, July 21, good for two days; special train leaves 6:30 a.m. Electric cars will run early on morning of excursion. See posters and dodgers. 75u

SCOTCH PICNIC—TOMORROW (TUESDAY) at Port Stanley. Band of Forty-Eighth Highlanders, 8 pipers and two drummers, also famous Highland prize winners in athletic specialties, fresh from their jubilee victories. Trains leave London, 9:30, 10:05, 11 a.m., 1:30, 2:30, 5:25 and 7:15 p.m.; return, 1, 4, 5:45, 7:25 and 9:35 p.m. b

SULPHUR SPRING PLUNGE OPEN FOR the season; water continuously changing. Also hot baths; attendants for both ladies and gentlemen. Dundas street west. 431f

573 CENTRAL AVENUE—SWIMMING bath open for the season. Ladies or gents taught the art at moderate prices. 431f

BICYCLE RIDING TAUGHT 473 RICHMOND street. "Dayton" bicycles, $80; "Tempests" $60. Fully guaranteed. See them. DAYTON & McCORMICK.

Excursions.

STEAMER LEAVES LONDON DAILY—1:45, 3:30, 7:45. Springbank—5:15, 9:30. Harpers every trip. Bicycles free. 56lf

FINE TWO WEEKS' HOLIDAY TRIP—Montreal and return via steamers Melbourne and Cleveland, leaving Port Stanley weekly and calling and remaining several hours at Cleveland, Toledo, Windsor, Hamilton, Toronto, thence through the Thousand Islands to Montreal where three days are allowed to visit Quebec, Ottawa or any other points of interest. Two solid weeks of pleasure at less than $2 per day, meals and berths included. Special rates from Port Stanley. F. B. CLARKE, agent, next door to Advertiser; E. N. HUNT, agent, 190 Dundas street, and C. C. YOUNG.

BATTLESON LINE—THE FAST STEAMER A. J. Tymon, will leave Port Stanley every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 9 p.m., for Cleveland, returning leave Cleveland Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday, 9 p.m., central standard time. The agent of the boat will meet passengers at Port Stanley on arrival of 2:30 p.m. train, and transfer baggage and grips free. Sunday schools and societies desiring trip on the lake can charter boat or will be given special rates. For further information, freight or excursions, apply JOHN PRICE, general agent, Port Stanley, or ARCH. PATTERSON, Ridgetown, Ont., or 98 Broadway, Cleveland. Tickets for sale by F. B. CLARKE, Richmond street, next Advertiser, London; D. K. McKENZIE, St. Thomas.

Domestics Wanted.

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED—Apply to Mrs. JAS. LUNEY, Grand avenue, South London. 75c

GENERAL SERVANT WANTED AT once. Apply 313 King street. 75c

GIRLS, HURRY UP TO DWYERS' EMPLOYMENT Agency, good situations to fill at Sarnia, Chatham, Petrolea, Lucknow, Forest, Glencoe and Aylmer. Reliable help for city on hand. 491 Richmond street, phone 1,121.

WANTED—COOKS FOR HOTELS AND private houses in and out of city; also housekeepers and generals. On hand dining-room girls and generals for summer resorts. None but respectable need apply at The Osborne, 56 Dundas street. Telephone 986.

Female Help Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED—LADIES TO DO FANCY work at home. 304½ Dundas street. 75n

GOOD GIRL WANTED—APPLY TO McClary Club at once. 73c

Lost and Found.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent a word each insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

LOST—TWO RAILROAD TICKETS, CHICAGO to Toronto and return, on Saturday. Tickets signed, "J. A. Stevenson." Finder will receive reward at this office. b

LOST—SATURDAY NIGHT, TWO-FOOT ivory rule. Reward if returned to this office. b

FOUND—BLACK KID GLOVE—APPLY this office. 74u

Articles For Sale.

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IF YOU REQUIRE FURNITURE, BUY it now. This is the last week of Kilgour's Fourth Annual Clearing Sale. 75c

OLD OATS FOR SALE—IN LOTS TO suit purchasers—At Slater's Warehouse, York street, city. 75c

FOR SALE—ONE 30 HORSEPOWER automatic "Brown" engine, built by Goldie, McCulloch & Co., Galt. Cylinder 10 inches, stroke 24 inches; can be run at 60 revolutions, or as high as 90 revolutions; also one tubular exhaust feed water heater. The engine can be seen at H. POWER & Co.'s storage warehouse, Carling street, London, Ont. 6tf-31f

KEEP YOUR HAIR ON—BOTH OLD and young, for nothing looks worse than a bald head. When it comes first no man need be bald if he will use Cook's Sure Hair Restorer. Call and see what he has done for himself. Pork Shop, corner Hill and Wellington streets. Call and be convinced that he can do what he claims. zxv

BATHS, SINKS, PUMPS, WATER-CLOSETS, steam and hot water boilers. SMITSH BRO., 265 Dundas street. z

FOR SALE—BRICKS, TIMBERS, COAL and wood wagon box, truss rods and plates. PATTERSON & JOLLY. 72tf

BICYCLE CORK GRIPS, 25c PER PAIR—Cyclometers at 75c each. D. McKENZIE & Co., 374 Richmond street. Phone 1,115.

STOVES AND SECOND-HAND FURNITURE for sale cheap at REENE'S Furniture Store, Masonic Temple, Market Square.

PIANOS, PIANOS—NEW AND SECOND HAND, also a beautiful assortment of music and musical merchandise, and two good organs cheap. Anderson's Book Store, Nordheimer's Piano Agency, 183 Dundas street.

Male Help Wanted.

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BOY WANTED—ABOUT 17—APPLY R. CORCORAN, 239 Maitland. 75u

Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED — GENTS SECOND-HAND clothing; highest cash price paid. A. P. SAINSBURY, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to.

IF YOUR BICYCLE NEEDS CLEANING or repairing take it to HUTCHINSON'S, 651 Dundas street.

Agents Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

TEACHERS—IF YOU WANT TO MAKE $150 during July and August, in a good cause, write or wire me quickly. T. H. LINSCOTT, Toronto. 72a

STUDENTS, TEACHERS AND AGENTS wishing a worthy and profitable occupation for the summer can get same by writing us. We have an entirely new thing. Don't promise $40 per day, but more than that, per week. Address, J. L. NICHOLS & Co., Wesley building, Toronto. 58tf-d&w

WANTED—I CAN PAY TEN DOLLARS weekly to a lady of mature age, refinement and tact to spend her time in a good cause. T. H. LINSCOTT, Toronto. 68bc

WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN WHO can work hard talking and writing six hours daily, for six days a week, and will be content with $10 weekly. Address, New Ideas Company, Brantford, Ont. 68bc

AGENTS—SECOND EDITION "QUEEN Victoria" exhausted; jubilee edition on press; best history of the Queen and Victorian era published; the only Canadian work accepted by her Majesty; sales unprecedented; knock the bottom out of all records; canvassers scooping in money; even boys and girls sell it fast; big commission or straight weekly salary after trial trip. The Bradley-Garretson Company (Limited), Toronto. 68bc

Houses, Etc., To Let.

TO LET—BRICK HOUSE, 135 QUEEN'S avenue, 9 rooms and cellar, rent moderate. Apply next door. 73n

TO LET—COTTAGE, 220 PICCADILLY street, 9 rooms, cellar and summer kitchen, hard and soft water; rent $10; newly painted and papered inside. Apply to JOHN FERGUSON & SONS. 70tf

TO LET—A TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE—All modern conveniences, possession Aug. 15. Apply J. P. THOMPSON, 140 Dundas. 67tf

TO LET—NO. 411 KING STREET—TWO STORY brick; large and comfortable rooms; nice situation. Rent cheap. Apply 409 King street. 35tf

STORE TO RENT—201 DUNDAS STREET, $20 per month. 29tf

Veterinary Surgeons.

H. TENNANT—VETERINARY SURGEON—Office, King street, opposite Market House; residence, corner King and Wellington. Telephone.

Legal Cards.

JARVIS & VINING, BARRISTERS, etc., 73 Dundas street. C. G. JARVIS, JARED VINING, B.A.

STUART, STUART & ROSS—BARRISTERS, solicitors, notaries, etc. Offices, London Strathroy and Glencoe. ALEX. STUART, DUNCAN STUART, DUNCAN C. ROSS, LL.B. London offices, corner Dundas and Richmond; Glencoe, Main street.

U. A. BUCHNER, BARRISTER, ETC., 83 Dundas street, London; telephone 99; money to loan at lowest rates.

MAGEE, McKILLOP & MURPHY—BARRISTERS, solicitors, notaries, etc Offices, corner Richmond and Dundas, London JAMES MAGEE, Q.C., JAMES B. McKILLOP, THOMAS J. MURPHY, PHILIP E. MACKENZIE LL.B.

G. F. WEEKES, BARRISTER, HAS removed his office to Hiscox's new building, room 4, Richmond St., corner King.

WM. J. CLARKE—BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, notary, etc., 180 Dundas street (east of Richmond), London.

LOVE & DIGNAN—BARRISTERS, ETC., 448 Talbot street, London. FRANCIS LOVE, R. H. DIGNAN.

W. H. BARTRAM—BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, etc. Office, 99 Dundas street

GIBBONS, MULKERN & HARPER—BARRISTERS, etc., London. Office, corner Richmond and Carling streets. GEORGE C. GIBBONS, Q.C., P. MULKERN, FRED F. HARPER

H. A. BEATTIE—BARRISTER, ETC.—8½ Dundas street. Private funds to loan on real estate at 5½ per cent.

F. W. SCANDRETT, BARRISTER, Solicitor, etc., 98 Dundas street, London.

PARKE, PURDOM & PURDOM—BARRISTERS, Masonic Temple. E. JONES PARKE, Q.C.; T. H. PURDOM, ALEXANDER PURDOM.

McEVOY & POPE—BARRISTERS solicitors, 402 Ridout street, opposite court house. Telephone 979. Money to loan. J. M. McEVOY, LL.B.; H. C. POPE, LL.B.

A. GREENLEES, B. A.—BARRISTER, etc., Canadian Loan Company Buildings, Richmond street, London. Private funds to loan.

T. H. LUSCOMBE—BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, etc., 169 Dundas street, near Richmond. Money at lowest rates.

Livery Stables.

THOMAS TREBILCOCK—STAR LIVERY—655 Richmond street. Best hacks, coupes, etc. Light livery a specialty. Careful attention to orders. Phone 423. Open night and day.

LILLEY'S LIVERY—NO. 619 DUNDAS street, East London, Ont. Telephone No. 666.

Money to Loan.

SOME MONEY TO LOAN ON MIDDLESEX farm property at 5 and 5½ per cent. and on city property at 5½ and 6 per cent. T. W. SCANDRETT, solicitor, 98 Dundas street, London, up stairs.

MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTGAGES, at 5 per cent; on second mortgages and other security at low rates, at G. W. FRANCIS' loan office, 78½ Dundas street, London, Ont.

$100,000 TO LEND ON MORTGAGES and notes. TENNENT, McDONAGH & COLERIDGE, barristers, solicitors, notaries 78 Dundas street, London. Branch offices, Glencoe, Bothwell and Alvinston.

Real Estate.

FOR SALE—TWO HOUSES AND LOTS on York street, near the car shops. Inquire 654 York street. 2tf zwt

REAL ESTATE—A FEW GOOD LOTS near car shops, and three good cottages; a few fine lots in North End; nice cottage on Ontario street, near Dundas, only $1,200. J. F. SANGSTER, 403 Richmond street.

Pawnbrokers.

T. FOX, ORIGINAL PAWNBROKER lends money on diamonds, watches and jewelry; business strictly confidential; highest price paid for cast-off clothing. 383 Clarence street.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Municipal Council of the City of London, at its session held on the 12th day of July, 1897, adopted the following motion:

Whereas resolutions have been passed by the respective municipal councils of the village of London West and the city of London, affirming the expediency of the annexation of the said village to the said city upon certain terms agreed to and approved by the said councils under which the said village shall form part of ward No. 2 of the said city, and it is probable that such annexation will take place during the present year; and whereas the corporation of the city of London is the owner of various parcels of land within the portions of the respective adjacent townships of London and Westminster hereinafter mentioned; and whereas it is expedient that a new division into wards shall be made of that part of the said city of London now constituting wards Nos. 2 and 6 thereof, with the addition of a portion, hereinafter described, of the adjacent township of Westminster and a portion hereinafter described of the adjacent township of London, which portions of the said townships of Westminster and London, in view of the probable future exigencies of the said city, it is desirable to add thereto, and that the said part of the said city, with such additions, shall be divided into two wards as hereinafter mentioned.

Be it resolved by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of London as follows:

That it is expedient that a new division into wards shall be made of that part of the said city of London now forming wards Nos. 2 and 6 thereof, with the addition of that part of the adjacent township of Westminster, hereinafter described, and that part of the adjacent township of London, hereinafter described, and that the said part of the said city, with the said additional parts of the said townships shall be divided into two wards, to be called respectively the second ward and the sixth ward.

The second ward to comprise all that part of the said city now comprising the second ward thereof and that part of the township of London which is described as follows:

Commencing at the intersection of the limit between lots Nos. 17 and 18, first concession, township of London, with the center of Walker street, as shown on registered plan No. 44, made by C. A. Jones, D.L.S., for William and Samuel Glass, thence northerly along the said limit between lots Nos. 17 and 18 to the northerly limit of lot No. 2, west of the Wharncliffe highway, thence westerly along the northerly limit of said lot No. 2 to the northwest angle thereof, thence southerly along the westerly limit of said lot No. 2 to the center of Walker street, thence westerly along the center of Walker street to the center of Frances street, thence southerly along the center of Frances street to the center of the river road, between Park lots Nos. 6 and 7, thence westerly along the center of the river road and road allowance between the first and C concessions to the center of the road allowance between lots Nos. 24 and 25, thence southerly along the center of the road allowance between lots Nos. 24 and 25, first concession, to the river Thames, thence easterly along the river Thames to the westerly limit of the village of London West, thence northerly along the westerly limit of the village of London West to the center of Walker street, thence easterly along the center of Walker street to the place of beginning.

The sixth ward to comprise all that part of the said city now comprising the sixth ward thereof, and that part of the adjacent township of Westminster which is described as follows:

Commencing at the intersection of the westerly boundary of the city of London, with the center line of the Pipe Line road, thence westerly along the center of the Pipe Line road to the center line between east and west halves of lot No. 39, concession B, thence southerly along such center line of lot No. 39 to the Old Mill road, thence westerly at right angles to the said center line of lot No. 39 to the center line of the Old Mill road running southerly to the Commissioners' road, thence southerly along such center line of the Old Mill road to the center of the Commissioners' road, thence westerly along the center of the Commissioners' road to the center of the road between lots Nos. 44 and 45, thence northerly along the center of that road between lots Nos. 44 and 45 to the river Thames, thence easterly along the river Thames to the westerly limit of the city of London, thence southerly along the westerly limit of the city of London to the place of beginning.

It being hereby declared that nothing herein is intended to prevent the said village of London West from forming, when annexed, a part of the said second ward in the said new division, and that it is intended that the said village, if and when annexed, shall so form part of the said second ward.

And his Honor the Lieutenant-Governor is hereby requested to add to the city of London the said respective parts of the adjacent townships of London and Westminster, and to divide the said part of the said city, with such additional parts of the said townships, into two wards, as hereinbefore mentioned, upon such terms as his Honor the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council sees fit and this council may consent to.

Notice is hereby further given that after the expiration of two weeks from the first publication of this notice, application will be made to his Honor the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council to issue a proclamation bringing into force the annexation to the city of London of the territory above described, and in accordance with the terms of the said resolution.

C. A. KINGSTON,
City Clerk.

City Clerk's Office, London, July 16th, 1897. 75k zw

Summer Resorts.

HOTEL LONEY—LEADING HOUSE IN Port Stanley. Airy rooms, good table, large promenade, accommodation for 150 bicycles in special shed. Rates moderate. MATT. LONEY, proprietor.

RUSSELL HOUSE—PORT STANLEY—Remodeled and improved, electric bells, rooms large and airy, special rate to summer boarders, bicycle headquarters, meals at all hours. GEO. GRAY, proprietor.

"The Fraser."

Wm. Fraser, Prop., Port Stanley.

Saturday Night Hops.

Steamer will make short trips out on lake. All trains run around to the beach. Hot and cold water, swings, etc., free for picnickers.

Sherman's Jingoism

Gives His Countrymen Neither Pride Nor Comfort.

The Agitation Credited to a Few Astute Capitalists.

Emperor William's Self-Conceit Responsible for His Injury.

More Dilly-Dallying by the Turkish Authorities.

Prince Henri's Excuse for Not Fighting a Duel—Stromboli in Active Eruption — A Mine Disaster.

TREATIES DENOUNCED.

London, July 19.—The Daily News, in an editorial, urges the denunciation of the commercial treaties with Germany and Belgium.

STROMBOLI WAKES UP.

London, July 19.—A violent earthquake occurred in the Island of Stromboli, one of the Lipari Islands, off the north coast of Sicily, on Saturday. The shock was followed by an active eruption of the volcano of Stromboli.

AFRICAN MINE DISASTER.

London, July 19.—Reports from Kimberley, South Africa, are to the effect that several Europeans and 50 natives are entombed as the result of an accident at the De Beers mine last night. Twenty natives were rescued. There is little hope of effecting a rescue of the others.

FRENCH DISASTER IN TIMBUCTOO

Paris, July 19.—At today's meeting of the cabinet, M. Lebon, minister of the colonies, announced that a force of French cavalry from Timbuctoo, while pursuing a band of robbers, met with a serious disaster. Two European officers, two non-commissioned officers and 29 native Spahis were killed or are missing.

LESE MAJESTE.

Berlin, July 19.—Eight out of 148 Socialists in the German Reichstag, including Herr Liebnicht, Herr Luetgemau and Herr Stadthagen, are serving terms of imprisonment for the offense of lese majeste. For a similar offense a number of Russo-Polish students of the Technical High School at Charlottenburg were arrested yesterday and taken to the Russian frontier, where they were handed over to the Russian police. Among them was the noted Nihilist, Witscherwin, who will be immediately sent to Siberia. There have been several other arrests upon suspicion.

THE DUELLO.

London, July 19.—The Daily Mail's Paris correspondent says Prince Henri of Orleans declines to fight a duel with Lieut. Pini, one of the Italian officers recently released from captivity in Abyssinia, who was designated by the drawing of lots among his companions to challenge the prince. Prince Henri, however, is willing to accept a challenge from an Italian officer of a rank corresponding with his own.

SHERMAN'S JINGOISM.

London, July 19.—Harold Frederic, in his special cablegram from London to the New York Times, refers to the discussion over Secretary Sherman's note on the sealing question, and with respect thereto says: "It is impossible, indeed, for Americans to extract either pride or comfort from the episode; for, even those best disposed to us can only plead that American diplomacy often ignorantly says much louder and more truculent things than it means."

A letter appears in the Times, calling attention to the fact that all the bellicose wrath of America is devoted to the protection of a few astute government leases of the Pribyloff Islands, while pelagic sealing is the only hope of American citizens, living by marine industry on the Pacific slopes.

THE SEAL SUBJECT.

London, July 17.—The Daily Mail this morning publishes an interview with Mr. Thomas Gibson Bowles, M.P., in which Mr. Bowles gives the history of the Bering Sea trouble. He declares that the Americans are claiming the right to monopolize the open sea, that Great Britain has submitted to their outrageous pretensions with unprecedented humility. Sir George Baden-Powell, in an interview, said: "Secretary Sherman's dispatch is simply an isolated one. What has passed recently between the two governments is quite confidential. We are carrying out the award to the letter.

"I was one of the experts consulted by the arbitrators, but after a certain point expert opinion was no longer consulted, or the resulting award would probably have been somewhat different. I think pelagic sealing the most human and least wasteful method of killing the seals. Much American capital has been sunk in pelagic sealing, but a large number of Americans were engaged in it, and who propose a monopoly as much as we do, get no hearing or consideration at Washington."

CABLE NOTES.

The French Chamber of Deputies, by a vote of 334 to 114, has voted confidence in the government's eastern policy.

A dispatch from Vienna to the London Daily Mail says it is reported that Prince Danilo of Montenegro and Princess Olga, the czar's youngest sister, have been betrothed.

Rev. Father Butler, bishop-elect of Concordia, Kansas, has died of intestinal paralysis. The deceased was to have been consecrated bishop by Cardinal Satolli on Sunday.

A Simla, India, dispatch says: There has been a satisfactory rainfall throughout the northwest province, and the authorities intend to reduce considerably the extent of the relief works.

Edward Charles Baring, first Baron Revelstoke, is dead. He was born in 1828, and was created a baron in 1885. He was formerly director of the Bank of England, and was the senior partner of the firm of Baring Bros., financiers.

Prof. Andree is accompanied in his balloon voyage to the north pole by Dr. S. T. Strindberg and Herr Fraenckell, a well known engineer.

The Paris Figaro announces that Princess Isabelle of Orleans is shortly to be betrothed to Prince Albert of Belgium.

THE EASTERN SITUATION

Why the Sultan Yielded—Another Delay in the Peace Proceedings.

Constantinople, July 19.—The announcement by Tewfik Pasha to the ambassadors that the sultan had agreed to the principles of their demands, was due to a message sent him prior to the meeting to the effect that if the Porte had not previously replied satisfactorily, the ambassadors would adopt an important decision with regard to their attitude toward Turkey. Tewfik Pasha turned up at the last moment, and announced that he had been instructed to accept the proposals of the powers. This change of front is now understood to be the result of the action of Germany. The reply of Emperor William to the sultan's personal appeal was ambiguous, and had induced him to believe that Germany would support him.

When, however, Germany found that the powers were resolved on coercion, Emperor William instructed his ambassador to go to the palace and state distinctly that the Turkish government must conform absolutely to the decision of the powers.

Constantinople, July 19.—At Saturday's sitting of the peace conference, Tewfik Pasha, the Turkish minister of foreign affairs, arrived late. He submitted to the conference a new frontier scheme, which was unacceptable to the powers, and the ambassadors thereupon informed Tewfik Pasha that the conference would adjourn until he brought a written acceptance by his government of the frontier line traced by the military attaches. It had been arranged that the Turkish military commission should meet the European military attaches at Rophane, but the Turks failed to keep the appointment. The ambassadors assembled at 10 a.m., but finding that Tewfik Pasha did not come, adjourned to the Austrian embassy, where Tewfik presented himself at noon, with the excuse that the sultan had detained him and the military commission at the Yildiz Kiosk. Tewfik explained that the sultan had appointed Marshals Zekki Pasha and Saad-ed-Din Pasha as new military delegates to negotiate peace. The ambassadors unanimously and positively declined to discuss the question at issue with anybody except Tewfik Pasha.

Paris, July 19.—After M. Hanotaux had replied to criticisms from M. Goblet, who had censured the weak policy of the powers, and had declared that Germany was gaining prestige in the east at the expense of France, he said that the situation was improving daily; that the question of indemnity was almost settled, and that the question of the delimitation of the frontier was on the eve of settlement. M. Meline, the premier, also defended the policy of the government, urging that the collective action between the powers was the only thing possible, and that any support given to Greece would lead her to declare war on Turkey, behind which stood Germany. He added that Germany herself had recently urged the sultan energetically to submit to the will of the powers. "Peace," said M. Meline, "is now probable. It will be certain if the concert is maintained."

The Kaiser's Bad Eye.

His Sight May Be Permanently Affected.

Paying the Penalty of Conceit—Sneered at Yacht Officers—Writhed in Agony

London, July 19.—The injury to the Kaiser's eye was the result of a characteristic exhibition of personal vanity on his part. He was informed that it would be unsafe, if not impossible, to lower one of the heavy steel pole masts of the Hohenzollern, his gigantic yacht, unless she were in dock and under a derrick. He exclaimed that nothing was impossible to him, and said that if the naval engineers aboard were unable to devise means of lowering the mast while the ship was afloat, he would teach them how. Accordingly he drew up a scheme for unshipping it by means of hawsers attached to the bow and to the other masts.

It was while a steel hawser was being rigged up under his personal direction that a rope snapped and the end struck him in the face. His eye was seriously injured, yet the kaiser bore the intense pain without flinching, while in sight of the crew. But when he withdrew to his own cabin he threw himself on the bed, writhing in agony.

When by surgical aid he obtained some relief he returned to the deck with his eye bound up, and in spite of the urgings of his officers he had the pole mast lowered, doing considerable damage to the yacht's deck and rigging by the operation.

Having given this demonstration of his "divine" power, he had the crew summoned and prayer was offered up. The episode was due to one of those attacks of mania to which he is subject in midsummer.

The private letter from a diplomatic source in Berlin giving this authentic account of the incident says the eye is very gravely hurt, and that it is quite possible the kaiser's sight may be permanently affected. With a defective eye, ear, and arm, he would be the worst maimed ruler Europe has known for centuries.

Berlin, July 19.—A special says that the fact that Emperor William is returning to Kiel from an examination of the eye, recently injured, confirms the fears that the accident is more serious than has been admitted, the danger growing out of the general low health of the kaiser.

THE LIQUOR LICENSE ACT—PUBLIC notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of License Commissioners will be held on Monday, July 26, at 8 p.m., to consider an application made by Robt. J. Smith for transfer of tavern license to J. W. Doyle. R. Henderson, Inspector, 629 Talbot street. 75u

BOOTH PRIVILEGES

For Grocers' Picnic, Queen's Park, by auction Wednesday evening, July 21, 7 o'clock. 75c J. W. JONES, Auctioneer.

Off for Klondyke!

Probably the Richest Placer Known in the World.

A Hundred Men Sailed On the Steamer from Seattle Today.

Interview With Mrs. Gage, Wife of the Son of the United States Secretary of the Treasury.

Seattle, Wash., July 19.—One hundred men took passage on the steamer Al Ki today, most of them starting on what is called the overland trip to Klondyke. From Juneau they go 100 miles further by water to Dyea, then over the mountain passes down Lakes Linderman and Bennett to the Yukon River, and from that river to the new discoveries. Among the crowd were many well-known men who have long been identified with the growth and development of the Northwest. An immense crowd was at the dock, and when the Al Ki threw off her lines and pulled into the bay thousands of people gave cheers and bade her godspeed. Every inch of her passenger and cargo space was taken.

A detachment of mounted police of the Northwest Territory, which passed through Seattle on their way to the Klondyke gold region two years ago, struck it rich. Five of the twenty guards returned on the Portland with gold amounting to $200,000. The other fifteen remained in Alaska to engage in mining.

Mrs. E. A. Gage, wife of the son of the secretary of the treasury, Lyman Gage, came down on the Portland. She went north on it, and was at St. Michaels. She said in an interview:

"The country is enormously rich. The present gold diggings are only a very small part of it, and there is little doubt that there are millions only waiting for the miners to come and dig it out. The men from the Klondyke are not the men to exaggerate, for I have talked with people whom I know to be truthful."

It is declared that there is no danger of food giving out. All reports to the contrary are not honest. The North American Transportation and Trading Company will not allow a man to take any food north from Portland, but it will guarantee to furnish him food for a year at less than $400. He can secure such a guarantee before leaving this city, so that starvation will not be one of the difficulties to stare men in the face.

A letter received from Dawson City under date of June 18 contains many interesting facts. The writer, Arthur Perry, a well-known citizen of Seattle, says:

"The first discovery of gold on the Klondyke was in the middle of August, 1896, by George H. Cormack, on a creek emptying into the Klondyke on the south, called by the Indians Bonanza. He found $1 60 to the pan on a high rim. After making the find known as "Forty Miles," he went back with two Indians and took out $1,400 in three weeks, with three sluice boxes. The creek was soon staked from one end to the other, and all the small gulches were also staked and recorded. About Sept. 10 a man by the name of Whipple prospected a creek emptying into the Bonanza, and named it Whipple Creek. He shortly afterwards sold out, and the miners renamed it Eldorado. Jimmy McLain took out $11,000 during the winter, just in prospecting the dirt. Clarence Berry and his partner, Anton Stander, panned out about the same in the same manner. Mrs. Berry used to do down to the dump every day to get dirt and carry to the shanty and pan it herself. She has over $6,000 taken out in that manner. Mr. Lippin, from Seattle, has a rich claim, and his wife has a sack of nuggets worth $6,000, which she has picked up on the dump. When the dumps were washed in the spring the dirt paid better than was expected. Four boys on a "lay" in Eldorado took out $49,000 in four months. Frank Phiscater, who owned the Grand, had some men hired, and cleaned up $94,000 for the winter. Mr. Lippin, I am told, has cleared up $54,000. Louis Rhodes, No. 25, Bonanza, has cleaned up $130,000 last winter.

"This is probably the richest placer ever known in the world. They took it out so fast and so much of it that they did not have time to weigh it with gold scales. They took steelyards, and all the syrup cans were filled."

New York, July 19.—A special to the World from Washington says: The possibility of serious international complications between the United States and Great Britain as the result of the recent gold discovery in Alaska has become apparent to the state department. Senator Davis, of the foreign relations committee has been requested to secure the immediate ratification of a treaty for determining the boundary line between Canada and Alaska, in order to lessen the probable difficulty. Chairman Davis has announced his intention of calling this treaty up for action at the next executive session of the Senate. There is said to be no objection, and prompt ratification is expected.

WENT THE WRONG WAY.

Winnipeg, Man., July 19.—Professor Roland, sword swallower, is in the general hospital. While he was giving a private exhibition yesterday afternoon the sword went down the wrong way and cut the intestines. The injuries are serious.

AERONAUT FATALLY SHOT.

Redwood, N. Y., July 19.—A bad accident occurred here today during the balloon ascension at Sparks' circus. The balloon had reached a distance of between two and three hundred feet from the ground, when it caught fire, and burned. The parachute failed to operate in time, and the balloonist, M. C. Griffith, fell to the ground and sustained fatal injuries.

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On the Anti-British and Pro-British Sentiment in the United States.

London, July 19.—T. P. O'Connor, M.P., in yesterday's Weekly Sun, says: "Mr. Sherman, the American secretary of state, is a useful reminder to the rulers of the country that the world is not all peace and friendship to England. It must appear to every humane man something of a pity that these constant bickerings should take place between two nations so bound up by common interests and great common heritages as America and England.

"There are doubtless sections of opinion in America which are distinctly pro-English. The section of which this can be said with the most certainty is the Episcopalian body.

"Episcopallans of the United States have strong affiliations with the Anglican Church, and in religion blood is thicker than water. Moreover, this body, though not numerically very large, is very influential. Some of the greatest financiers of America are Episcopallans, and financiers all over the world have a good deal to say on the great issues of peace or war.

"This section of opinion is dead against any misunderstanding, much less conflict, with England, but, after all, the truth must be faced. There is in the United States a very powerful, very constant, and, at times, a very rabid current of hostility to England, and statesmen will be foolish who do not recognize this fact, and, recognizing it, take steps to bring it to an end.

"Meantime, it is somewhat to be regretted that diplomatic correspondence between the two governments cannot be carried on in language a little more restrained. The American statesman is a little too downright for the language which men are accustomed to use when they are dealing with such dreadfully inflammable forces as national passions. I see that some of the Americans frankly criticise the tone of Mr. Sherman's dispatch, and, in the face of that criticism, it is not necessary for British journalists to say much more. Let us hope that the wisdom and good sense of the government of Lord Salisbury will see this country through this imbroglio. Seals are valuable things in their way, but the real interests of the two countries is a peaceful and cordial understanding, and that is worth a good many seals."

BOUND FOR GREENLAND.

Boston, Mass., July 19.—The steam sealing bark Hope, with Lieut. R. E. Peary and party on board, bound for Northern Greenland, left this port at daybreak today, fully equipped for the voyage. The object of the voyage is to bring about the establishment of a settlement at a remote northern point in Greenland, which shall be used as a base of supplies for an expedition in search of the North Pole, under Lieut. Peary in 1898. To this end, a party of Eskimos will be established at the new settlement and will, during the next year, be engaged in making preparations for Lieut. Peary's expedition.

Writs have been issued at the instance of W. A. Murray & Co., J. D. King & Co., West & Sons, Toronto; and John McPherson & Co., Hamilton, against the Clapp Shoe Company, charging conspiracy to defraud, and to recover $19,200 in connection with the recent sale of stock. Judge MacMahon has issued an injunction restraining any disposal of the Clapp Shoe Company's stock in the meantime.

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