

LOI BUT THIS WILL
BE A BALL GAMECity and County Officials Will Meet in
Deadly Combat Shortly.

An exhibition of the great American pastime of baseball that in its brilliancy will make all demonstrations given by the City League teams seem by comparison like a searchlight to a firefly, is being arranged between the officials of the court house and the city officials.

The contesting parties mutually agree to have nothing to do with gloves, maces or any other paraphernalia of an effeminate and degenerate generation. No! It will be a plain fight, with no soft hands, and a flash of hitting in clinches allowed. The contest will be a fine sample of baseball as played in the sixties, and doubtless the score will run into the hundreds.

For the court house team Squire Chittick will deliver sentence from the box, while High County Constable Hughes will arrest all balls that pass the prisoner at the plate.

The date has not been definitely arranged as yet, but the match is to be pulled off at Springbank as soon as possible.

THE LATE MRS. WHETTER

Funeral Was Held This Afternoon and
Was Very Largely Attended.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Richard Whetter took place from the family residence, Wellington road, to Woodland Cemetery, this afternoon, Rev. Mr. Howard, of Christ Church, conducting the services.

The large number that attended the funeral showed the esteem in which the deceased lady was held by all who knew her. The floral offerings were very beautiful.

The pall-bearers were: Mr. W. C. Boddy, manager of the Standard Bank, Brantford; Mr. M. A. Smith, of Forest, and three grandsons, Richard Whetter, William R. Lawrie, and Douglas J. Lawrie.

PROMISE SUPPORT

Local Unions Are Behind the Barbers
in Their Strike.

At the meeting of the Journeymen Barbers last night the committee which is visiting the different local unions in the city gave an exceedingly encouraging report.

The members had visited the Cigar-makers' Union, Typographical Union and the Iron Molders' Union. Each of these organizations had unanimously voted to support the strike, and had voted financial assistance, with promises of more if required.

Other unions will be visited tonight. A number of the officers of other unions were present, and also spoke very encouragingly.

Several of the master barbers who have agreed to the union's terms also spoke, and stated that their trade had more than doubled since they signed the new agreement. Every barber shop on Clarence, Wellington and Rectory streets, and the Hamilton road is now displaying the union card.

The gain of Putnam's shop and the City Hotel shop added to the gains early last week, has placed a number of strikers at work, and has greatly reduced the total of those on strike. The journeymen claim they are now fully assured of victory.

Queries Answered

CONSTANT READER.—If a business man fails, could his creditors come on his household furniture?

Answer.—Yes; but not upon the furniture by law exempt from execution for debt.

Could they come on same furniture if most of it was bought by his children?

Answer.—Furniture bought and owned by children is not his property, and therefore not liable to execution for his debts.

BOTHWELL.—A sells a farm to B, and takes a mortgage on same, in which nothing is mentioned about insurance. B sells the farm to C, and takes a second mortgage, and binds C to keep an insurance, loss, if any, payable to B as his interest may appear. Now, in case of fire, can the first mortgage take the insurance?

Answer.—No; the first mortgage does not provide for insurance of A, who may, however, garnish any insurance moneys payable to B, to the extent of moneys due and payable on the mortgage made by B to him.

CITIZEN.—Is a teamster who leaves earth, gravel or sand upon a sidewalk by the jolting of his wagon when crossing it, bound to sweep it off or liable to a fine for not doing so?

Answer.—Yes; he is liable to be fined under the city bylaw, unless he at once removes it.

Is the contractor and the owner of the property liable?

Answer.—Yes; either or both are liable to be prosecuted under the criminal code for committing a common nuisance by the use of the property in a way which interferes with the safety and comfort of the public using the sidewalk.

SHOOTING WIFE AND SUICIDES.

New York, Aug. 7.—Vainly seeking a reconciliation with his wife, who had left him, Victor Linde, a young man, fired four shots at his wife early today on the roof of her father's home in Sixty-sixth street. Linde fled to the roof of an adjoining house, where he committed suicide by hanging. Mrs. Linde was removed to a hospital in a serious condition.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

TWO MEN WANTED.—ABLE TO INVEST \$100 in big money-maker; share profits; pleasant employment. Box 2, this office.

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

A large picnic of the Presbyterian Church, Komoka, went to Port Stanley this morning.

The London Street Railway Company have completed the extension on its intersection of Richmond and Bathurst and Horton streets. The company is waiting for the Warren Paving Company to finish its work.

Mr. Walter Barr and wife, of Kansas City, Missouri, are visiting Mrs. Barr's sister, Mrs. A. W. Mann, for a few days. Mr. Barr, who was years ago an employee of the old G. W. R. here, left the city 25 years ago, and has been steadily employed with the Union Pacific Railroad ever since. He now holds a responsible position.

Mr. S. J. Latta, formerly principal of the Colborne street school, but who has been in the west on a year's leave of absence on account of ill-health, has tendered his resignation to the board of education. He intends making his home in the west, and is at present teaching in Regina, Saskatchewan.

Mr. Jerry McDonald, the popular proprietor of the Hotel Iroquois, is making many improvements to his already very fine hotel. The house is at present one of the best appointed in the city, but its business is growing so rapidly that Mr. McDonald finds it necessary to branch out.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Scanlon Conlon took place this morning from her mother's residence, 1097 Dundas street, to St. Mary's Church, where high mass was celebrated. Messrs. R. Dignan, B. C. McCann, F. G. Cloes, M. O'Mara, Doyle and Brody acted as pallbearers. Interment took place at St. Peter's Cemetery.

A very pretty wedding took place in Detroit on Saturday last when Mr. George A. Selinger, of this city, was united in marriage to Miss Helen M. McCrae, also of London. Rev. James Gardner performed the ceremony. The bride was becomingly attired in a beautiful suit of cream silk. She was attended by Mrs. Gardner, of Detroit, while Mr. Thomas Maxwell, of the same city, acted as best man. The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome locket and chain set in diamonds. On returning from their wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Selinger will reside in this city.

The crowd Superintendent Gilhula and Passenger Agent Kearns will give their personal attention to handling the traffic.

The Pere Marquette ticket office will be open tonight for the sale of tickets, to relieve the crush that is sure to happen tomorrow. The train arrangements are as follows:

The first train will leave at 9:45 a.m. and there will be four trains before noon.

In the afternoon trains will leave every half-hour regularly.

Two bands will be in attendance. The Twenty-sixth Regiment band will go to St. Thomas in the morning, playing one hour in the Railroad City. They will then go down to the port, where they will play on the hill all afternoon. The Seventh Regiment band will go to the lakeside at 2 o'clock.

The Sports.

The sports will be held on the beach. The baby show, the greatest event of the picnic, will be held on the beach also. The dancing, under the management of Chairman William Brophy, will be conducted on the hill. The events will be followed out according to programme.

A large number of great men are sorry that they cannot attend this picnic. Sir Wilfrid Laurier is too busy; he would have been there. He sends regrets.

Mr. R. L. Borden, M. P., is very sorry, too, that he cannot get down, and so is Hon. Geo. C. Graham, M. P. They know what they are going to miss.

However, everybody else will be there. It will be a great day.

At night there will be a banquet at the Tecumseh House.

while Mrs. McBride would recover, her nerves were in a terrible condition from the shock. Her right ankle is twisted, both limbs and chest bruised, and the cartilage under the right chest displaced.

Mr. David Mills is handling the legal side of the case and expects to arrive at some satisfactory settlement.

Is Second Accident.

This makes the second accident that has taken place at the second or West Cove, within a month. However, the first disaster took place just west of the center of the cove, which is the dividing line between the city and the county of Middlesex.

Mr. Ernest Moore, brother of Frank Moore, the well-known fruit dealer, was driving along the road, when his horse became frightened at a passing automobile, and jumped over the unguarded embankment into the water.

Mr. Moore was severely injured. Suit has been entered against the county on that score.

Warden James Hodgins and several members of the county council were visitors at the West Cove this morning, and discussed plans for making the drive less dangerous.

The spot where Mrs. McBride fell has been covered with three-inch planking, and additional stringers placed on the railing.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Maude Pace, of this city, is holidaying at present.

Miss Lizzie Stewart, of Komoka, is spending a few days here.

Mr. Frank McLean, of Dundas street, is spending his vacation with friends in Goderich.

Miss Gwenie Lewis and Miss Mae Pullen, of Strathroy, are visiting friends in London and St. Thomas.

Misses Mabel Marsh and Olive Petrie, of this city, are spending their holidays at Sprucehurst, Port Stanley.

Miss Lizzie Mowat, Charlotte street, city, is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. (Rev.) J. James, of St. Mary's.

Mrs. William Mowat and son Harold, 427 Charlotte street, have returned home after spending a week with Mrs. Stewart, Komoka.

Masters Roy and Earle Campbell, of 462 Dundas street, left yesterday morning for Port Stanley for a two weeks' visit with their friend, Master Oliver McClary, of Grapevine Cottage.

Miss Siddons, of Sarnia, is visiting Mrs. Moore, Elmwood avenue.

Miss Mary Jackson and Miss Pearl Truford, Ottawa avenue, have gone to Detroit, Lake Orion and Toledo, to spend their vacation.

Miss Mina Taylor is visiting in Thamesville. On her return she will commence her duties as soloist of the Talbot Street Baptist Church.

Mr. Thomas Hoskins, formerly of Askin street, city, and now of Cincinnati, left for home after a week's holiday among old friends in London.

Mrs. (Rev.) A. G. Harris and Miss Harris will be at home to their friends, 151 Colborne street, on the second and fourth Thursdays, after Sept. 1.

Miss Ethel McNaughton left this morning from Charlotte, Mich., and Chicago, to visit relatives at both places. She will be absent till the middle of September.

The many friends of Miss Margaret Freeman will learn with deep regret of her sudden death at her home in Tecumseh, Mich. Miss Freeman was a sister of Mrs. Albert E. Reason, of this city.

Mrs. W. M. Goodwin, of 528 King street, is spending a few weeks' vacation at Sturgeon Point. Before returning to this city Mrs. Goodwin will visit her daughter, Mrs. E. L. Silver, of Prescott.

Mrs. J. P. McCutcheon, with Floyd and Cecil McCutcheon, have returned to their home in Detroit after spending some weeks with Mrs. McCutcheon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Campbell, 155 Wharncliffe road, West London.

ENGINEERS NOT COMPETENT

Finding of Jury in Inquest Into the Death of W. H. Munce.

St. Thomas, Aug. 6.—The inquest into the death of W. H. Munce, fireman on the tug Gilbert, which runs between Port Stanley and Pelee Island, who was scalded by the bursting of a flue on July 23, and died of his injuries in the hospital in this city on July 26, brought in the following verdict:

"We find that W. H. Munce died at the Amasa Wood Hospital, St. Thomas, on the 26th day of July from the effects of scalds received while in the discharge of his duties as fireman on the tug Gilbert, on July 23, caused by the dropping of the crown sheet of the boiler on said tug, and we fully believe that the cause was from there being no water on the crown sheet, and we believe that Capt. J. Kingston was negligent in not having competent men as engineers."

SAID SHE TEASED HIM

Youth Sent to Penal Servitude for Murderous Attack on a Girl.

London, Aug. 6.—For attempting to murder a girl named Edith Eaton, Ernest Cliffe, a lad of 20, was sentenced at the Chester assizes on Thursday to five years' penal servitude.

The attack was made on the girl at her residence, Beaconsfield road, New Ferry, in the early morning hours of May 11. The prisoner, it was stated, entered the girl's bedroom and attempted to cut her throat with a razor, and rushed from the house when the neighbors, alarmed by her screams, entered it. The girl's hands were seriously cut in protecting her throat.

When arrested the prisoner expressed a wish to be dead, and said he did not know what possessed him. He was wet through, and stated that he had attempted to drown himself.

On being charged he remarked: "What I have to say is that whenever she sees me she always makes fun of me," and, later, he repeated, "The girl teases me."

The only defense was mental deficiency.

MOB MENACES CONREID

Famous Grand Opera Manager in Sensational Auto Accident.

Berne, Switzerland, Aug. 7.—An automobile containing Heinrich Conried, president, and a director of Conried Metropolitan Opera House Company, New York, while touring Lake Zurich yesterday, ran down and instantly killed an almost dead peasant, near Lachen. Hundreds of villagers gathered about the automobile and threatened Herr Conried and his party, which consisted of Dr. Fraenkel and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Heiden Adler, of Vienna. A policeman finally calmed the peasants, and led Herr Conried and the chauffeur, Ernest Stahl, an American citizen, to the nearest police station, where Herr Conried gave bail for the chauffeur's appearance.

IT'S THE CUTWORM.

Leamington, Ont., Aug. 7.—Mr. L. Caesar, the representative of the Ontario Agricultural College, who has been making an investigation of the new pest which has been destroying crops near here, classifies it as the cutworm, which did great damage on the Pacific coast in 1906.

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BIG ROW OVER

THE PAVEMENT

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company has made, and what do they amount to? The citizens are tired of having their work held up by the railway."

Accusations Galore.

Accusations are flying thick and fast in connection with the matter. The street railway is accused of bad faith, and certain of the ratepayers along the street, of misrepresenting conditions. The latter, however, say, and their reasons seem most valid, that the roadbed will settle a very great deal, and that no guarantee will cover the matter. If the roadbed sinks the pavement will be a disgrace, and a large sum of money will be spent, and the street will be in no better condition.

"We are the most interested," said Ald. Stvely, who resides on Dundas street, "and we will not have the pavement laid under the present conditions. Wait until the work to be done on the roadbed is finished, and then the pavement will be laid. Engineer Graydon distinctly said that the roadbed was not in condition to lay a pavement on, and I took his word for it."

BAREHEADED IN CHURCH

Rector Reprimands Her for Breaking Rules of Anglican Church.

St. Catharines, Ont., Aug. 6.—Quite a sensation was caused at the evening service in St. Barnabas' Church by the appearance in church of a lady in her bare head. In the course of his sermon, the rector, the Rev. R. Barrington Nevitt, severely reprimanded her for so appearing in church, and called attention to the fact that the rule that women shall not attend church with their heads uncovered was one of the most stringent of the lesser rules of the Anglican Church, and had come down from Apostolic times. The lady, who is a stranger to St. Catharines, remained in church during the entire service and made no move to retire, even after she was reprimanded by the rector.

EARL GREY AT HALIFAX

Viceroyal Party Attending the Summer Carnival.

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 6.—Governor-General and Countess Grey and Ladies Sybil and Evelyn Grey and party arrived on a special train yesterday evening from Sydney for the summer carnival, which opens tomorrow. They were driven to the Government House, where they are guests of Lieutenant-Governor Fraser. Tomorrow afternoon the carnival will be opened by an open air welcome from the school children of the city of Earl Grey. Halifax is swarming with visitors, and the streets are brilliant with a variety of lights. The events of the week include a regatta, illuminated boat parade and spectacular representation of the landing of Cornwallis, the founder of Halifax, on the northwest arm; band concerts, military tattoos, firemen's parade, electric light sports and yacht races. The viceroyal party leave for St. John on Saturday.

WEDDED IN HASTE

Fast Wooing and Romantic Marriage End in Wife's Suit.

Worcester, Mass., Aug. 6.—The filing of a divorce bill by Mrs. Ida Foster Day Crawford, a noted New England beauty, against her husband Jay Wilson Crawford, of Chicago, has caused a sensation in Boston and Worcester society circles.

Mrs. Crawford charges that her husband has been guilty of cruel and abusive treatment and neglect to support. She prays for absolute divorce and the right to resume her maiden name.

A couple of seasons ago Crawford was a shining light in Boston society, and particularly in the summer colony along the north shore. It was there Miss Day and Crawford met. With them it was a case of love at first sight. When Miss Day went with her family to York Beach, Me., Crawford followed, and after a courtship that lasted about two weeks they eloped on July 24, 1905.

The young people came here to live in a fashionable apartment block. For a time everything went swimmingly. Then tradesmen whom he owed began to harass him and he finally fled as a sheriff came to arrest him because a draft which he had given in payment for an automobile on a Dayton, O., firm was returned marked "N. G."

MAY NOT GET DIVORCE

Grand Duke Cyril's Affairs Take a Happier Turn.

Coburg, Germany, Aug. 6.—The relations between the Grand Duke Cyril of Russia and his wife (the divorced Grand Duchess Victoria of Hesse), which recently were reported to be about to end in a divorce, have entered upon a happier stage. She has consented to renounce her title of grand duchess and an imperial Russian decree has been issued bestowing on her the title of imperial highness.

Grand Duke Cyril has gone to St. Petersburg to see Emperor Nicholas and on his return there it is understood to be probable that a reconciliation will take place. Grand Duke Vladimir, eldest uncle of Emperor Nicholas and father of Cyril, is seeking the restoration of his son's honors and offices, of which he was deprived by the Emperor for marrying a divorced woman, his first cousin, and thereby breaking the canonical laws. The Grand Duke of Hesse, from whom the Grand Duchess Victoria was divorced, is the brother of the Empress of Russia.

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NEARLY MILLION LOSS

One Shipments for July Compared
With a Year Ago.

Cleveland, Aug. 6.—One shipment from the Lake Superior district for July were 4,849,117 tons, which is a loss of 913,108 tons compared with July last year, and is about 1,500,000 tons behind the June movement. Up to Aug. 1 the fleet have moved 17,534,751 tons, which is 530,373 tons ahead of the same period last year. Big gains were made at Ashland, Marquette and Escanaba last month, or the total gain for the season would have been wiped out.

One is coming into ports at the head of Lake Superior more freely, but the work of loading is still slow and some boats that are in port will not get cargoes until Friday. There is little change in the freight situation. Coal tonnage continues in good demand.

PRINCE TAKES HIS TIME

In Long Auto Race Loses Day to Attend Dinner.

Berlin, Aug. 6.—Prince Scipione Borghese, the leading contestant in the Pekin-Paris automobile race, which was started from the Chinese capital June 10, arrived here at 5 o'clock this afternoon. Four automobiles with a deputation of the Imperial automobile club and members of the Italian colony met the prince at Muencheberg, 40 miles east of Berlin, and escorted him to a hotel on Unter den Linden, where a crowd was waiting to cheer his arrival. The prince immediately called for a bath, and said he had intended to push on to Paris tomorrow morning, but had decided to accept an invitation to be present at a luncheon to be given in his honor by the Imperial Automobile Club at noon and a dinner to be given by the Italian colony tomorrow evening. Prince Borghese crossed the German frontier at Eydtkuhen on Sunday morning and there parted from his Russian escort. At the frontier he was met by a party of automobilists from Königsberg Automobile Club, who proceeded with the prince to Königsberg. The prince was accompanied most of the way by automobilists belonging to clubs between Königsberg and Berlin.

WILL FOUND A NEW ZION

Voliva Decides to Forsake Dowie's
Troubled Legacy.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—Refused the granting of his petition that he be appointed by Judge Landis, of the United States district court, a co-receiver with John C. Hatley, now in charge of the Zion City property, and unheeded in his protests against the sale of the Zion lace industries, Overseer Wilbur Glenn Voliva, who usurped the place of John Alexander Dowie, as head of the Christian Catholic Church, today asserted his defiance of the forces organized against him and declared that he would abandon Zion City to establish a colony of his own elsewhere.

"I shall abandon the old hulk and she may sink, for all of me," declared Voliva as he was leaving the court after his petition had been denied and the sale of the lace factory for \$380,000 had been ordered. "It is my purpose now to gather my followers about me as soon as possible and establish a new colony."

RAND DYNAMITARDS

Displaced Strikers Commit Many Outrages Against the Mines.

London, Aug. 6.—The Crown Hotel at Boksburg has been blown up by dynamite, the explosion being heard throughout Johannesburg.

The charge was placed outside the hotel-room, which was constructed of wood and iron. The building offered no resistance to the shock, and several occupants were thrown some distance, without, however, sustaining any serious injury.

A second outrage was committed on a main supplying water to the Simmer and Jack mine. In this case a large charge of dynamite was used, sundering and twisting the pipes.

A pumping station at the Champ d'Or mine was dynamited on Wednesday night. The explosion was heard at Krugersdorp. The pump was damaged and an adjoining building blown down. Mining operations have not been interfered with.

The list of outrages on the Rand directed against mines and miners is reaching a formidable length.

Miners who have returned to work have been waylaid while cycling to the mines, and flogged with rhinoceros hide whips. Others have had their houses blown up.

Mines have had their water mains blown into a tangled mass by dynamite; tins of dynamite have also been thrown over the barricade or exploded in the shaft, and recently an hotel, inhabited presumably by miners, was blown up with a report heard throughout Johannesburg.

The cause of these outrages is not far to seek. At the time of the strike 4,067 white miners were paid off. Of these 685 ultimately returned to their posts when the strike proved a fiasco, and numbers of others were taken on at other mines, but at least 900 white miners had their places filled up, and were left without employment. Before the strike there were 5,766 white miners, now there are 4,672.

KANSAS MAYOR RESIGNS.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 7.—Mayor Dudley E. Cornell, of Kansas City, Kansas, last night resigned because the expenses of the city are greater than the revenues. The council refused to accept the mayor's resignation. The revenues of Kansas City, Kansas, has been greatly reduced by the suppression of the liquor traffic and gambling.

THE KING ESTATE.

Kingsville, Ont., Aug. 7.—Application has been made in the surrogate court to probate the will of the late Dr. S. A. King. The inventory, which accompanies the application, places the value of the estate at \$187,000. The estate is to be divided equally among the three children. The amount the Government will receive in succession duty at 5 per cent is not more than \$9,000.

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STOCK MARKETS.

H. C. Becker, stockbroker, received the following by private wire from Bartlett, Frazier & Carrington today:

New York, Aug. 7.—Noon.—Bears still continue to take advantage of the feeling of uncertainty, and pounded the soft spots throughout the morning. Stocks can only be sold on concessions. Sugar was picked out for the first attack, on rumors that the corporation is to be attacked by the Federal Government. The market is a good one for investors to pick up bargains, but at present it looks very dangerous for speculators without good margins. Sales to noon were 255,100 shares.

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Aug. 7, 1907.

Amalg. Copper..... 80 1/2 76 1/2 77 1/2
American Sugar..... 118 1/2 114 1/2 114 1/2
American Tobacco..... 41 1/2 40 1/2 40 1/2
American Foundry..... 107 1/2 103 1/2 103 1/2
American Cotton Oil..... 28 1/2 27 1/2 27 1/2
Alchison, pfd..... 82 1/2 81 1/2 81 1/2
Atchafalpa, pfd..... 62 1/2 61 1/2 61 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio..... 65 1/2 64 1/2 64 1/2
Brooklyn Transit..... 63 1/2 62 1/2 62 1/