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Born, Married, Died.

DIED

BRYCE—In this city, on Aug. 19, 1897, at the residence of her grandson, A. W. Bryce, 98 Clarence street, Ann Monoghan, widow of the late Archibald Bryce, aged 88 years.

Funeral from above address on Friday, at 4:30 p.m. Services at 3:30 o'clock. Interment at Carmichael cemetery, con. 9, London township. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited.

KING—Suddenly in this city, on Thursday Aug. 19, 1897, E. N. King, freight agent G. T. R., aged 54 years.

Funeral leaves Ferguson's undertaking rooms Saturday morning 10:30, for the 11:17 G. T. R. train. Interment at Wyoming.

WILSON—At the family residence, 82 King street, Aug. 20, 1897, Emily Alfrette, infant daughter of W. J. Wilson, aged 22 days.

Funeral private.

Amusements and Lectures

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

BASEBALL — TECUMSEH PARK — Saturday, Aug. 21, London vs. Guelph; game called 3:30. b

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—SATURDAY, Aug. 21—Kelley & Mason, in "Who is Who," a comedy of complications, interpolated with music, songs and dances; presented with special scenery and a company of 20 incomparable artists. Price 25c, 50c, 75c. Seats now on sale. 2c

Meetings.

1c per word each insertion. No ad. less than ten words.

KING SOLOMON LODGE, NO. 378, A., F. and A. M., London West, meets Friday evening, Aug. 20, in Masonic Hall. William Nicholl, secretary, John Hobbs, W.M. b

I. O. O. F.—DOMINION LODGE, NO. 18—Regular meeting this (Friday) evening. Discussion on official paper and district system. Visitors welcome. C. F. Neu, N. G.; Thos. D. Hastings, R. S. b

Excursions.

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ALLAN LINE STEAMSHIPS—NUMIDIAN sails Saturday, Aug. 28, from Montreal; make application at once for berths; open every Saturday evening 7:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. F. B. CLARKE, agent, Richmond street, next door to Advertiser.

$6 SINGLE, $10 RETURN, FROM Toronto to Montreal, including meals and berth, via the Merchants Line, passing the famous rapids of the St. Lawrence in daylight. Now is a splendid time to visit the city of Montreal, as the Montreal Exposition will be in progress. For rates, folders and tickets apply F. B. CLARKE, agent, Richmond street, next Advertiser; E. N. HUNT, agent, 190 Dundas street, and C. C. YOUNG.

STEAMER LEAVES LONDON DAILY—1:45, 3:30, 7:45. Springbank—5:15, 9:30. Harpers every trip. Bicycles free. 35tf

Domestics Wanted.

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WANTED—A GOOD GENERAL SERVANT. Apply 513 Queen's avenue. 3c

COOKS CAN GET GOOD SITUATIONS in hotels and private families by applying at once at the Osborne Intelligence Agency, 55 Dundas street. Phone 386.

GIRLS, GIRLS—LOTS OF SITUATIONS at the old reliable, Dyer's Employment Agency, 201 Richmond street, and still we want dining-room and kitchen girls and hotel cooks for out of city. On hand—Housekeepers, housemaids, cooks, general servants and nurse girls. Ring up 1121.

Male Help Wanted.

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MAN WANTED—AT R. CROSBIE'S TILE yards, con. 4, West Nissouri. 3c

MEN WANTED TO SELL GOOD TEN cent combination; good pay. Call Saturday 110 Bathurst street. b

GOOD PLUMBER AND PIPE FITTER wanted at once. Must supply his own tools. Apply to London Electric Company, Limited, 339 Richmond street. 2c

$7,800 GIVEN AWAY TO PERSONS making the greatest number of words out of the phrase "Patent Attorney Wedderburn." For full particulars write the National Recorder, Washington, D. C., for sample copy containing same. 8tf

Female Help Wanted.

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HAND WANTED TO HELP ON COATS—W. FAIRBAIRN, tailor, opposite City Hall. 1c

LADIES WANTED IMMEDIATELY TO do fancy work at home. Appy 89 Askin street. 100a

Wanted.

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TWO ROOMS WANTED — UNFURNISHED preferred, with board. State locality, etc. Box 12 Advertiser. 2c

WANTED — GENTS SECOND-HAND clothing; highest cash price paid. A. P. SAINSBURY, 99 King street. Mail orders attended to.

Lost and Found.

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STRAYED FROM PREMISES, CON. 1 lot 11 and 12, Westminster, dark red milch cow, large white star on forehead. Reward for information. Address J. H. McClary, Ealing P.O. 3c

LOST—LAST NIGHT, SMALL BROWN purse, between Wellington and Burwell, south side Horton. Kindly leave at this office. b

LOST—ENGLISH SETTER DOG—BLACK face and spots on body; owner's name on collar. Reward if returned to Bank of Commerce, London. 1c

Board and Lodging.

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FURNISHED ROOMS WITH BOARD and bath, suitable for married couple, at 514 Talbot street.

Articles For Sale.

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OLD SCHOOL BOOKS BOUGHT, SOLD or exchanged at Connor's old book store, city. 1c

IRON AND LEAD PIPE, STEAM AND water fittings of all kinds. SMITH BROS., 265 Dundas street. v

FOR SALE CHEAP FOR REMOVAL—Small building, nearly new, used as store. Apply 111 Hamilton road. 2c

1897 BICYCLES—THE BALANCE OF our Dayton and Tempest cheap for cash; call soon. DAYTON & MCCORMICK, 476 Richmond street.

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 KEENE'S Furniture Store, Masonic Temple, Market Square.

SHIPPING TAGS—AT CLOSE PRICES—ADVERTISER Job Department.

FOR SALE—ONE 30 HORSEPOWER automatic "Brown" engine, built by Goldie, McCulloch & Co., Galt. Cylinder 19 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. PORTER & Co.'s storage warehouse, Carling street, London, Ont. 6tf-3tf

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. xxv

PAMPHLET WORK OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, clean and quick, at ADVERTISER Job Department.

POSTERS — ALL STYLES — HANGERS and dodgers. ADVERTISER Job Department.

ENVELOPES—PLAIN OR PRINTED—AT ADVERTISER Job Department.

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.

Real Estate.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—LARGE BRICK cottage; bath and furnace; large lawn, fruit trees. Corner Oxford and Thornton avenue. Apply next door north. 3u

FOR SALE OR RENT—SMALL HOTEL at Port Huron—Close to tunnel depot and Grand Trunk yards. All modern improvements; in first-class order. Will give the right party a very liberal deal. Address JOHN G. O'NEILL, Port Huron, Mich. 100 a

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.

Houses, Etc., To Let.

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

TO LET—COTTAGE, 260 PICCADILLY street; 9 rooms, cellar and summer kitchen, hard and soft water; rent $20, 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

Bicycle Liveries.

BICYCLES TO RENT—ALL NEW wheels. H. BEAMISH, Spencer Block. Also bicycle repairing. Riding lessons given.

CLEVELAND BICYCLES RENTED BY the hour, day or week. All new wheels. A. A. H. Crabb & Co., 245 Dundas street.

Veterinary Surgeons.

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

Miscellaneous.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL—GAVIN PARK has removed his pork butcher business from Market Barr to Market Lane, second door north from Market Square.

Hotel Cards.

O'NEIL HOUSE—CORNER TALBOT AND York street; new and convenient; stables. WM. COLLINS, proprietor.

CITY HOTEL, LONDON—BEST $1 DAY house in Canada; good stables in connection. J. MCMARTIN, proprietor.

THE ST. LAWRENCE HOTEL, MONTREAL—Centrally located and first-class in every respect. H. HOGAN, Proprietor.

"THE RICHMOND" — CORNER KING and Richmond streets. JAMES FALLAHE, new proprietor. A call solicited.

TECUMSEH HOUSE—LONDON, ONT. Largest and best hotel in Western Ontario. No charge for baggage or sample rooms. Rates $2 and $2 50 per day. C. W. DAVIS proprietor.

Jewelers.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO REPAIRING—J. T. WESTLAND, Engraver and Manufacturing Jeweler, 340 Richmond street (up stairs), London, Ont.

Musical Instruction.

MR. G. B. SIPPI WILL RESUME VOCAL and instrumental instruction on and after Thursday, Sept. 2, and will meet his pupils at his residence, 372 Maitland street, between Dundas and King. xxv

Summer Resorts.

HOTEL LONEY—LEADING HOUSE IN Port Stanley. Airy rooms, good table, large promenade, accommodation for 130 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.

Dr. Coutlee, of Sharbot Lake, was nominated for the legislature by the Liberals of Addington.

Agents Wanted.

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

WANTED — MEN OF ABILITY TO solicit for "Canada, an Encyclopedia of the Country," in five royal quarto volumes. No delivering. Salary or commission paid weekly. A canvasser just reports his first week, making over seventy dollars profit. The Linscott Company, Toronto. 98bc

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 Co., Limited, Toronto. 98bc

WANTED—TEACHERS, BARRISTERS, physicians and others of similar training for high class soliciting; will pay $40 weekly and railway fare on demonstration of necessary ability. The Bradley-Garretson Company, Limited, Toronto. 98bc

WANTED — OLD ESTABLISHED wholesale house wants one or two honest and industrious representatives; can pay a hustler about $12 a week to start with. Advertiser, Medical Building, Toronto. 98bc

GRIMSBY PARK

The Chautauqua Of Canada. . .

Saturday, Aug. 21.

NATIONAL DAY (Canada)—8 p.m., Band Concert—Band of the Thirteenth Battalion, by permission of Lieut.-Col. Moore.

Mrs. Clara Barnes-Holmes, of Buffalo, the eminent contralto, will render several solos.

Sunday, Aug. 22.

DIVINE WORSHIP—9:30 a.m., praise and prayer; 11 a.m., Rev. V. H. Emory; 7:30 p.m. Rev. V. H. Emory.

Monday, Aug. 23.

POPULAR RECITALS—Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Losey (three evenings)—8 p.m., recital, Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Losey, "Oliver Twist."

Tuesday, Aug. 24

8 p.m., recital, Mr. F. D. Losey, "A Christmas Carol."

Wednesday, Aug. 25.

JAHU DE WITT MILLER—Mr. Miller, who delighted the large audiences at the Park last season, will give three of his wonderful lectures. 2:30 p.m., lecture, Jahu De Witt Miller, "The Stranger at Our Gate"; 8 p.m., recitals, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Losey.

Thursday, Aug. 26.

8 p.m., lecture, Jahu De Witt Miller, "The Three-Thirds of a Man."

Friday, Aug. 27.

2:30 p.m. lecture, Jahu De Witt Miller, "Casual Chats With Great People."

Press notices—Full of pith, point and true eloquence; Miller's wit is electric and irresistible.

8 p.m., physical culture evening—By calisthenic classes.

Saturday, Aug. 28.

8 p.m., grand union concert, Grimsby Park Choral Society and Hamilton Glee Club, under the direction of Prof. Parker and Musical Director Blight.

Sunday, Aug. 29.

DIVINE WORSHIP—9:30 a.m., praise and prayer service; 11 a.m., Rev Wray R. Smith; 7:30 p.m. Rev. Wray R. Smith.

CLOSING EXERCISES — The old-time march and handshake.

Music under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Blight, of Toronto.

NOAH PHELPS, President.
W. C. WILKINSON, Secretary. 3u

Telegraphic Brevities.

An epidemic of measles has broken out among the Indians at Bersimis, on the north shore of the St. Lawrence, and several cases have resulted fatally.

Mr. Henderson, Ontario game warden for the Lindsay district, lost his life. He was preparing to shingle a grain storehouse at Lindsay, Ont., when the scaffold gave way and he fell 18 feet, striking on his head. He died an hour later.

It is reported in New York that the present members of the piano manufacturing firm of Steinway & Sons have consummated a deal whereby the extensive business of the concern passes into the hands of an English syndicate. The price paid was $6,000,000.

Mrs. Julia Ward Howe has appealed to the Pope in a letter asking him to interfere to save Evangelina Cisneros, the Cuban girl who is said to be about to be transported to the Spanish dungeons of Couta. Mrs. Jefferson Davis has written a letter to the Queen of Spain, making a similar request.

Jennie Heinicke, the 12-year-old daughter of Charles Heinicke, Hastings street, Detroit, met a sudden and horrible death on Tuesday. She was riding a borrowed bicycle that was a trifle large for her, and was rather unsteady. She tried to pass between a wagon and a heavily-loaded truck, when she fell and was instantly crushed to death under the hind wheels of the dray.

Gen. Lord Chelmsford, G.C.B., the British hero of the Zulu war, arrived at New York today on the White Star steamship Britannic.

The Montreal exhibition opened on Thursday. The attendance was small, owing to rain. The fair will continue until the 29th inst.

Granville C. Cunningham, ex-managing director of the Montreal street railway, leaves shortly for Birmingham, England, to fill a corresponding position there. The street railway system in Birmingham has been secured by a Toronto-Montreal syndicate.

Two men named Holt and McCartney, while standing on the edge of an old stone quarry, just outside of Picton, Ont., on Wednesday night, were suddenly buried to the neck by the caving in of the ground. Holt had one leg broken and was otherwise seriously injured. McCartney was badly bruised. They were buried eight hours.

ANGOSTURA BITTERS are indorsed by all the leading physicians and chemists, for their purity and wholesomeness. Beware of counterfeits, and ask your grocer and druggist for the genuine article, prepared by Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons.

In the Swat Valley.

Lord Roberts on the Disturbances in India.

Leaders of the Tribes Offer Their Submission to the Government.

Armenian Villages Destroyed by Kurds and 200 Persons Killed.

Peace Negotiations Between Greece and Turkey at a Standstill.

TWO HUNDRED PERSONS KILLED

London, Aug. 20.—A dispatch to the Daily News from Tabreez, capital of the Province of Azerbaijan, Persia, says that yesterday the Kurds raided the district of Salmas, on the Turko-Persian frontier. They sacked and completely destroyed two Armenian villages and massacred 200 people. Christians and Mussulmans, indiscriminately. The Persian government has decided to sent more troops to the scene of the invasion.

THE YORKS IN DUBLIN.

Dublin, Aug. 20.—The enthusiasm over the visit of the Duke and Duchess of York to Ireland is unabated. Their royal highnesses were again the recipients of warm ovations yesterday at the opening of the exhibition of Irish textile industries, and during their visit to the horticultural show. The procession through the main streets of Dublin was heartily cheered. A garden party will be given at the vice-regal lodge, to which upwards of 3,000 invitations have been issued.

BREEZE IN THE FRENCH CABINET.

London, Aug. 20.—The Paris correspondent of the Daily Mail says that the accident to the French cruiser Bruix, which was to escort M. Faure to Cronstadt, but was obliged to turn back through the failure of her machinery, caused a stormy cabinet council today. Admiral Besnard, minister of marine, wished to resign, but he was persuaded to withhold his resignation until the return of President Faure from St. Petersburg. It is probable that the fiasco will result in a fierce campaign for overhauling the French navy.

THE PARIS HOLOCAUST.

Paris, Aug. 20.—Baron Mackau, one of the chief promoters of the charity bazar of the Rue Jean Goujon (which was destroyed by fire on May 4 last, with a loss of over 100 lives), and Ballas and Bagrachow, two employes in the section where the fire broke out, were placed on trial here, charged with homicide, through their imprudence upon that occasion. The baron was not only one of the chief promoters of the fair, but he presented the inflammable properties, representing old Paris, for the use of the fair, and also gave the use of the ground upon which is was erected. The Baroness Mackau was a victim of the conflagration. The judge who examined Baron Mackau praised his honorable character, but reproached him for lack of precaution.

STILL NO SETTLEMENT.

Constantinople, Aug. 20.—It is understood that the Imperial Ottoman Bank has offered to provide £1,000,000 Turkish on an installment of the Greek indemnity to Turkey, with a view of preventing the intervention of German capitalists, but there is no assurance that any arrangement has yet been concluded. Meanwhile the sultan declines to accept any settlement before the end of the present month, the anniversary of his accession day, Aug. 30, might be seized upon by the populace to demonstrate their discontent at the restoration of the conquered province of Thessaly.

As yet there are no signs of a break in the deadlock caused by Lord Salisbury's refusal to consent to Turkey holding Larissa and Volo until at least two of the installments of the indemnity have been paid.

TROUBLE IN INDIA.

The Views of Lord Frederick Roberts of Kandahar.

London, Aug. 20.—The Daily Chronicle publishes this morning an interview with Lord Frederick Roberts of Kandahar, commander of the forces in Ireland, with reference to the disturbances in the Swat Valley and the Indian risings generally. Lord Roberts said: "There is no cause for alarm or anxiety. The movement is wholly fanatical. We have a large body of magnificent troops on the frontier, officered by highly experienced commanders, and capable of coping with any difficulty likely to arise. We hope the rumor that the Afridis are disaffected is untrue. They have been very loyal, and have made excellent soldiers under Col. Warburton." The Daily Chronicle's representative asked Lord Roberts as to the rumored complicity of the ameer of Afghanistan. His lordship at once became serious, and, speaking slowly and deliberately, said: "I wish I could think that the ameer has had nothing to do with the present disturbances; but, knowing the control he has over his country, my belief is that not one of his own immediate subjects on the borderland, who owe allegiance to him would venture to join in the attacks against us unless convinced that in doing so he would meet with the approval of the ameer." Lord Roberts, in concluding the interview, reiterated his belief in the staunchness and loyalty of the native troops, and his confidence that there is no serious danger in India, as the present forces on the frontier will be able to suppress any uprisings.

A dispatch to the Times from Chakdara says that the religious leaders of all the tribes in the Upper Swat Valley have written to the government offering complete submission on any terms.

A $15,000 BLAZE AT HAMILTON.

Hamilton, Aug. 20.—At an early hour yesterday morning the Hamilton and Toronto sewer pipe works, Jackson street west, were destroyed by fire. The main buildings, containing the machinery, and the southern kiln were completely destroyed. The good work of the fire department, however, saved the northern building and a large portion of manufactured stock. The loss is estimated at $15,000.

Canada's Carrying Trade.

Sir Wm. Van Horne Shows Why So Much of Our Wheat Has Been Shipped From United States Ports.

Montreal, Aug. 20.—The Patrie last night published several letters that have been exchanged between Mr. Tarte, Dominion minister of public works, and Sir Wm. Van Horne. Mr. Tarte asked the president of the Canadian Pacific Railway why such a large quantity of the Northwest wheat finds its way to European markets through American lines, and what effort on the part of the government, acting for the people of Canada, would have the effect of keeping Canadian trade within Canadian channels. Sir William replied that the reason that the traffic goes by the New York route is a very simple one. It is because the route is the cheapest one, taking the cost of carriage all the way from the great lakes to various transatlantic ports. The advantage of the New York route is in the ocean rates, and this advantage in ocean rates is due to the use of very large vessels especially adapted to the carriage of freight at the lowest possible cost—vessels such as we have not in the Canadian Atlantic service. Sir William then proceeded to discuss the means necessary to hold the trade with certainty in Canadian channels. To do this, he says, it is absolutely necessary that our ocean ferryages should cost not more than by the New York route, and this means the employment of similar or superior freight carriers, and the complete separation of the passenger and heavy freight carriage. The first great step towards this end, he adds, has been made by the Dominion government in providing for a fast Atlantic service. This should result in making the carriage of freight a specialty, and the introduction of freight steamships of the largest and most economical type; and when these come the carriage of Canadian freight and much of that of the western states will be secured to Canadian channels.

The Scientists.

Interesting Papers Read at the Various Sections.

Reception and Soiree Held by Lord and Lady Aberdeen.

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 20.—The British Association went to work yesterday morning, eight out of the ten sections holding meetings. The programme was in nearly every case gone through with.

One of the most interesting papers was one read before the geography section, by Sir George S. Robertson, K.C.S.T., on "Kafflirstan and the Kafflirs." It was a most interesting sketch of Kafflirstan—a region just west of Chitral, and in the Afghan sphere of influence, inhabited by a singular race, of whose habits and customs he gave many particulars, illustrated by lantern slides.

A brisk discussion rose in the mathematical and physical science section over a paper on the "Unification of Time," read by J. A. Paterson, of Toronto. Mr. Paterson urged that the astronomical, nautical and civil day be made the same all over the world. Prof. Simon Newcome, in commenting on it, admitted the advantage of the unification of civil time, but questioned the wisdom of interference with astronomical and nautical time. Arthur Harvey, Toronto, defended the paper, claiming that for meteoric and magnetic research the unification was necessary. Prof. Rucker, London, and Sir Sandford Fleming, Ottawa, also spoke on the subject.

In the same section the report presented by Prof. Milne, of the committee on "Seismological Observation," was read, which Lord Kelvin described as of peculiar value in scientific research, and as tending to confirm the theory of geologists that earthquakes are caused by the sinking of the crusts of the earth.

In the section devoted to economics and statistics, Mr. W. H. Moore, of Toronto, read a paper on "The history and policy of trade combination in Canada," in which he dealt with various phases of monopoly.

In the afternoon a conference of delegates was held in the university building. A reception, tendered the delegates by the Royal Canadian Yacht Club at the Island Club, from 4 to 6 o'clock, was well attended by about 800 guests, and was a brilliant function. Among those present were the governor-general and Lady Aberdeen, Lord Kelvin, and many other prominent persons.

In the evening a reception and soiree were held by the governor-general and Lady Aberdeen in the parliament buildings. The function was one of the most brilliant ever held in Toronto. About 2,000 guests were present, including all of the delegates to the association. Lord and Lady Aberdeen received from the speaker's dais, in the legislative chamber, which was thronged. The whole building was thrown open for the occasion, and refreshments were served in a large marquee, erected on the grounds of the buildings.

A DINNER PILL.—Many persons suffer excruciating agony after partaking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken of is like a ball of lead upon the stomach, and instead of being a healthy nutriment, it becomes a poison to the system. Dr. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are wonderful correctives of such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions and convey the food partaken of into healthy nutriment. They are just the medicine to take if troubled with Indigestion or Dyspepsia.

James Allison

To Be Tried for the Murder of Mrs. Orr.

Continuation of the Inquest at Galt.

The Spade With Which the Body Was Buried—Allison's Arrival at Barrie's.

Galt, Aug. 20.—There were some developments of a sensational nature yesterday at the Emma Orr inquest held here, the principal one being the finding of the spade with which the grave was dug in which the woman was buried. The spade had what was apparently human hair on it. The theory which the crown is working on, that Allison committed the deed before he left the Orr farm to go to Barrie's with the cows, was strengthened by evidence which showed that Allison could not have got to Barrie's till around 9 o'clock, while the time the gunshot was heard was fixed at just about 8 o'clock.

ALLISON'S FATHER PROSTRATED.

Alexander Allison, the father of the boy, is lying in his brother's house, suffering from convulsions brought on by mental worry. Old Mr. Allison has taken the arrest of his son seriously to heart. Yesterday about noon he went to the house of his brother, John, and fell down on the floor in a fit. Attack followed attack in rapid succession, and it was thought at one time that he would not recover. Doctors H. F. McKendrick and F. W. Nardon were called in, and now Allison is reported out of danger.

CHARGED WITH MURDER.

The charge against young Allison has been changed from complicity in the murder to murder itself. Allison was brought before Magistrate Turnbull and remanded until Monday next at 11 a.m. Mr. John R. Blake, who represents the prisoner, asked that he be removed to Berlin, as the cells in the Galt jail were not fit to put a human being in. The magistrate granted the request.

THE MISSING SPADE.

Yesterday morning the missing spade, with which it was believed the grave in the corn patch was dug, was discovered by Anthony Marshall in the stable on the Orr farm. It was concealed beneath a feed-box, which stood about four inches from the floor. Detective Murray drove to the scene and examined the spade. It was covered with soil similar to that in the corn patch, and had several rust specks which might be blood. A number of human hairs were clinging to the spade, and Detective Murray examined these with a microscope, and comparing them with some of Mrs. Orr's hair, declared he believed them to be hairs from the head of the murdered woman. It is not supposed that the fatal blow was struck with the spade, but the blood and hair might have got there by contact with the woman's body when it was being placed in the grave. The blade of the spade was carefully wrapped up in cloth, so that the clay and hairs attached to it might not be lost.

INQUEST RESUMED.

When the inquest was resumed the most interesting feature was the fixing of the time the boy arrived at Barrie's with the cows, and also the time at which the shot was fired in the morning.

Mr. Robert S. Dryden testified that he was driving on the road between Anthony Orr's place and Barrie's farm on the Monday the murder was committed and met James Allison going towards Barrie's, driving two cows. This was about a quarter to 9 o'clock and Allison was about half way between Anthony Orr's and Barrie's

Mrs. Margaret Dryden, wife of Robert, who was with her husband at the time, also testified to meeting Jas. Allison.

Dryden's statement of the hour at which he was driving along the road was corroborated by another witness, George Barrie, jun.

ALLISON'S STORY CONTRADICTED

This evidence has an important bearing on the case, as if the hour named by these witnesses is correct, it completely upsets the story of Jas. Allison that he left the Orr farm about 7:30 o'clock on the morning of the murder. However, George Barrie, sen., to whose place Allison went with the cows, testified that it was around 8 o'clock when Allison arrived. Mr. Barrie, though, had not looked at the clock that morning, but had judged the time by the arrival of the milkman, who usually called at 8 o'clock. Allison, he said, remained there from twenty minutes to half an hour, and then started for home.

THE SHOT.

As to the firing of the shot on that Monday morning, Mrs. John Orr testified that she heard the gun fired about 8 o'clock, as she thought. Her daughter, who was in the garden, also heard the shot, and at the same time heard the whistle of the Grand Trunk express going from Galt to Berlin. This train is scheduled to leave Berlin at 7:50 a.m., and Frank B. Stewart, the relieving operator on duty that morning, testified that the train left Galt on time. This pretty conclusively fixes the time the shot was fired. The different stories which Allison told in regard to the gun episode were supplemented by further stories which came out in the evidence. Robert Barrie testified that the day Mrs. Orr disappeared Allison came over to tell him about it, saying the gun was gone and one cartridge, too. Allison ventured the opinion that Mrs. Orr might have given the gun to someone to shoot her, but when asked why he held that opinion made no reply.

Weldron Sydney Trevelyan testified to hearing a conversation between Allison and Constable Kay in the lock-up, in which the prisoner denied knowing anything about the gun.

Constable Kay, in his evidence, says he had a conversation with Allison on Sunday evening, in which Allison said he had taken the gun into the house after showing Mrs. Orr how to load it. On Tuesday morning, after Allison knew the gun had been found, he told Kay that when he returned from Barrie's with the cows he found the gun standing against the woodpile, took it to the barn, and put it behind the door, subsequently returning and hiding the gun above a beam where they were accustomed to hang the harness. Two other stories were told by Allison to James Curliss, an ex-constable. In one he said that he was teaching Mrs. Orr how to handle the gun, and that she carried it into the house. The second story was that he (Allison) took the gun into the house. Curliss called his attention to the discrepancy, to which Allison remarked: "Yes, but you're getting the right story now."

THE SPADES.

The two spades with which the two graves were dug were produced in court and identified by those who discovered them and by the authorities. The clothes Allison is supposed to have worn on the day of the murder were identified by Anthony Orr as belonging to the boy.

Some reference was made to the black oak cudgel, which was exhibited as the probable weapon, when Constable Kay, in his evidence, told how Allison, on the Sunday morning of his arrest, had said that he had picked up a cedar stick six feet long, and with the bark off, near the fence. It was wet on the large end, the stain extending to a foot and a half from the end.

ALIBIS.

Robert Stoker, who was identified in the jail by the boy Allison as the man he passed in the lane on the Monday of the murder, proved a complete alibi.

Weldron Sydney Trevelyan, the medical student, also proved a complete alibi, giving a clear account of his movements on the day of the murder. Trevelyan said his real name was Alfred Albert Andrews, Trevelyan being the name of his stepfather. Coroner Radford asked him what name he was registered under at McGill College, Montreal, but this Trevelyan positively declined to answer.

WHEAT BOOMING.

Sells in Chicago at the Highest Price Reached in Several Years.

Chicago, Aug. 20.—September wheat sold on the curb this morning at 90¾c, the highest point in several years. This marked an advance of 3¼c over yesterday's close, and another wild day on 'change was anticipated.

AWFUL HOLOCAUST!

Mrs. Hudson and Four Children Burned to Death at Rapid City, Man.

Winnipeg, Aug. 20.—Fire destroyed the residence of Mr. George Hudson at Rapid City Wednesday night during his absence from home. Mrs. Hudson and four children perished in the flames.

Nothing was known of the fire until next morning, when Mr. Hudson returned home, to find his family and house in ashes.

NARROW ESCAPE

For a St. Thomas Two-Year-Old—Struck by an Engine.

St. Thomas, Aug. 20.—Dora, 2-year-old daughter of Engineer Granville Steele, of Barnes street, had a very narrow escape from instant death on Wednesday afternoon. She was being drawn along Ross street in a baby carriage by her brother, about 10 years old, who passed under the gates at the M. C. R. crossing just as they dropped. He saw two men pass over in front of a yard engine and thought he could do the same. The engine struck the carriage, smashing it to atoms.

Little Dora was thrown out and rolled some distance before the engine could be stopped. When picked up and carried to Dr. Smith's office it was found that the big toe of the left foot was cut off and the nail of the next one torn off. The child also had a bad bruise on the forehead and the front teeth knocked out. Dr. Smith dressed the wounds.

Mr. Natanael Mortonson, a well-known citizen of Ishpheming, Mich., and editor Superior Posten, who, for a long time, suffered from the most excruciating pains of rheumatism, was cured, eight years ago, by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla, having never felt a twinge of it since.

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