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DR. REAUME'S RETURN Minister of Public Works Is on His

Toronto, Sept. 13. - Hon. J. O. Reaume, minister of public works, is expected back at his desk in the Parliament Buildings at the end of this

week or the beginning of next. Dr. Reaume has been absent since early in June, and has spent considerable time at Enghien, near Paris. He returns greatly benefited in health. He sailed from Liverpool on the Empress of Ireland on the 10th.

CHARGES AGAINST WM. DAVIDSON

Used Abusive Language, It ! Said. and Allowed Horses to Run at Large.

William Davidson appeared before Magistrate Love Monday morning on two charges, one of having horses vandering at large and another of using abusive language towards constable. Mr. Davidson asked that he had not been served until Satur-May evening. The court adjourned the Lewis Lewis appeared for being

drunk. The court recollected that a few weeks ago Lewis asked for time to pay a fine imposed for drunkenness and after being allowed to go failed to show up any more. "I had no money and was away

looking for work," said Lewis. "Ten dollars or 21 days," said the magistrate. A number of persons who have not

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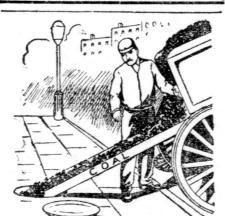
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-Miss E. Carrigan has returned to the city after a pleasant visit with Mrs. John Murray, of Forest, Ont. and her sisters, Miss Emma and Aggie Carrigan, have returned, after a pleas-

ant trip up the lakes to Duluth, Rubbish Caught Fire.

The fire brigade had a run to the rear of the London Electric Company's office on Richmond street this morning shortly after 8 o'clock. Some rubbish caught fire there. It was extinguished with a few pails of water. There was no damage.

The Penny Banks. The collections of the Penny Savings Banks were surprisingly good for the first day. "I was quite surprised with the results on the whole," said Inspector Edwards. "In one room alone \$10 50 was deposited. I have confidence that the scheme will be a

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. NGROROROROROROROROROROROROR success in the schools. The results so

far are encouraging." An Old Subscriber. Mr. Thomas Holmes, of Melvin, Mich., called at The Advertiser office to renew his subscription. He has been a constant subscriber to The Ad- "Forty-five Minutes From Broadway." vertiser since its inception 46 years ago. He formerly lived at Appin, Ont. but for the past 29 years has resided at Melvin, Mich. He looks hale and hearty and is apparently good for many

Only Son Dead. Word was received today by Mr. James Drennan from his brother announcing the sudden death of his only son in Windsor, Ariz. The lad, who was about ten years of age, was playing with his father in the morning, a few hours after was stricken with paralysis of the brain, expiring in an hour or so. Mr. Walter Drennan is a former London railroad man and

is well known in this city. Charivari Caused Trouble. Charles Pickel and Edward Henderson, of West Nissouri, were arrested yesterday, and appeared before Squire Chittick, charged by David Bedgegood with doing malicious damage to property, and with doing grievous bodily harm to the complainant, and also with assaulting Wm. Gunn, of West Nissouri. The difficulty grew out of a charivari, when, in the excitement of the occasion, stones and apples were

thrown, Bishop at Pelee. His Lordship Bishop Williams vis ited Pelee Island last Sunday, Sept. 12, and administered the rite of confirmation, in St. Mary's Church, Pelee The candidates, to the number of ten, were prepared and presented by Edwin Hawkins, student lay reader, who has been in charge for the past two months. His lordship preached morning and evening to very large and attentive congregations.

Transfer of License. The following applications for transfer of lecenses have been received at the finest to grow in this Province. the Provincial Secretary's office: From George Ries, Hanover, to S. T. Kormann, Toronto; from Ezra Brenner, Shipka, to James Hanman, Stephen Township; from Irwin Shaw, Granton, to Lansdown Shaw, Granton; from Harry Durrent, Ilderton, to John Wil- severely. Small Bros., of Collingwood, liams, Fingal; from David Roberts. Maganetawan ,to A. Cowden, Novar;

University of Toronto are being held in the Collegiate and 22 students from don and district are writing. This is a new departure, the Uniersity of Toronto making London a Inspector Edwards is presiding. The xaminations will last a week or more.



George Kennon, the famous Siberan traveller and writer on Russian prisoners, never drew a more carefully imned picture of the horrors of the knout and the sufferings of the rolitically banished there than that depicted Booth Tarkington and Harry Leon Wilson in the person of Ivanoff in 'The Man From Home." The character gives an intensely strong dramatic effect to the play, without in any way interfering with its main story and interest. It will be seen here at the Grand twice tomorrow, matinee at 2:15 and evening at 8:15. The seat sale opened yesterday and indications point to a crowded house.

"Forty-five Minutes From Broadway" will be presented at the Grand Thursday, Sept. 16, for one night nly. The original company and production will be seen here. The cast includes Charley Brown, Elizabeth Drew, Lillian White, Louise Gardner, Susan Chosnell. Ninon de Varenne James H. Manning, James A. Davett, Eugene MacGregor, Harry Gwynette, and Roger Hurst.

"King Dodo."

"King Dodo" will be the attraction t the Grand on Friday and Saturday. ept. 17 and 18, with a special matee Saturday at 2:15. While many show-shoppers have many thousands who have never enjoyed the delights of this clever The story has to do with a ecrepit old monarch, King Dodo I. of Dodo land, who is possessed of the idea that he would like to regain his outh. To this end he does all sorts foolish things, such as having the alendar set back a trifle of 30 and keeping his court physician in onstant dread of a violent death if he does not discover for him elixir of eternal youth. The seat sale opens tomorrow.

ONION SEED EXPERIMENTS

Those of Ontario Found To Be Equal of Best Californian.

Woodbank, Sept. 13. — Extraordinary interest is being centred in this and other districts in Ontario where onion seed experiments are being con-California and France have for years supplied most of the seeds to been formed in Paris for the de-

this and other countries. Three years ago, however, onion crop was almost a complete failure here, and many growers suffered fortress, Barcelona.

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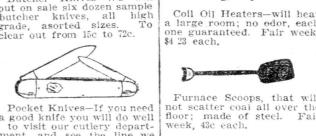
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up to expectations. Ontario will in future grow its own onion seeds. Thus another large and important industry will commence in President C. Wesley Baker, of the London branch, who accompanied Mr. Reeves here, stated the association had also conducted experiments in patotoes and declared the seeds grown in northern parts had so far surpassed

AYLMER MAN DIED FROM HEART FAILURE

Alexander Love Found Dead in Bed by His Wife.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Aylmer, Ont., Sept. 14. — Alexander Love, for 35 years clerk of the division court here, was found dead in bed by his wife at an early hour this morning. He had been ill from an affection of the heart for some time. He leaves a wife and four children. George seen "King Dodo," there still remains Love, of the Traders' Bank, Toronto, and Neil Love, leather merchant. St Thomas, are sons. The deceased was born in St. Thomas 64 years ago.

BONI'S NEW ROLE

The Count Now Poses as a Friend of

Spain. Paris, Sept. 14.—Count Boni de Casellane has sent a letter to Premier Briand notifying his intention to submit an interpellation, on the reassembling of parliament, upon the existence in France of a committee organized "to defend the victims of

Spanish repression." The count insists that it is illegal to tolerate such a committee, whose activities are directed against friendly government "which is only fulfilling its elementary duty in trying before competent tribunals ducted, to determine what sedes are the anarchists responsible for the recent outrages at Barcelona." The committee referred to has

by courtmartial at the Montjuich

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