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LONDON, CANADA, TUESDAY, AUGUST 9, 1898.

WHOLE NO. 10,906.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

McFADDEN-In this city, on Sunday, Aug. 7 1898, Ruby Emma, only daughter of William and Mary McFadden, aged 3 months and 17

Funeral private, on Tuesday. ROY-In this city, on Aug. 8, 1898, at the residence of her son-in-law, J. C. Macaulay, 169 John street, Elizabeth Roy, aged 75 years and 9 months, mother of J. T. Colton, R. M. clerk, of Winnipeg, formerly of this city. Funeral will take place from the late residence, 169 John street, Wednesday morning, at 7 o'clock, from G. T. R. station to Arkona.
Services at 8 o'clock this (Tuesday) evening at the house.

FURNESS-At Niagara Falls, Ont., Aug. 9 Clara Armstrong, wife of Mr. Richard Furness, of the G. T. R.

Funeral private, Thursday. Grand Rapids, Mich., papers please copy.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading, two cents per word, or ten cents per line, each insertion. TEEP DISENGAGED FOR CIVIC HOLI-DAY afternoon and attend the great double attraction at Tecumseh Park. Bicycle races and ball game for one admission. Entries for races close Aug. 10, 6 p.m. James McCor-mick, secretary committee

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ONDON PLEBISCITE ASSOCIATION—

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Depart of Militia and Defense, Ottawa, 25th July, 1898. Newspapers inserting this advertisement without previous authority from the Depart ment will not be paid for it.

at Manila Trusses!

Spanish Troops, 3,000 Strong, Attack the American Lines.

Their Repeated Charges Government of the United States some Repulsed With Heavy Loss to the Dons.

The Enemy Loses 200 Killed expected, and also to uneasiness over and 300 Wounded.

American Casualties 11 Killed and 44 Wounded.

The Attack Was Made in the Night and the Battle Raged for an Hour.

It Is Believed at Washington That Spain's Reply is Not an Unqulified Acceptance of the American Terms-Hobson's Gallantry Proved Again-War Notes.

London, Aug. 9. - A dispatch from Hong Kong says the German steamer Petrarch, which left Manila on Aug. 6, has arrived here, and reports that the Spanish forces attacked the American camp at Manila on the night of July 31. The Spaniards were over 3,000 strong. They charged the American lines several times. The American fire broke the Spanish center, and they retreated. The Spanish forces made a second charge on the Americans, but again retreated to the bushes, keeping up an incessant fire on the road. Eleven Americans were killed and 37 wounded. The Spanish losses are reported to be Lieut.

great. The rebels remain neutral. the Examiner from Manila dated July 31, via Hong Kong, Aug. 8, says: "A the Americans and Spaniards tonight ers. at Malate. The Spaniards made an attack, attempting to turn our right. After an hour's fighting they were repulsed. The troops engaged were the Third artillery regulars, and Battery A, Utah. Our losses were nine killed and 44 wounded. The Spanish loss was against upwards of 3,000 of an attack-

Hong Kong, Aug. 9 .- Advices just received from Manila show that a severe Puerto Principe. engagement took place on July 31 between the Spaniards and Americans, near Manila. The latter were victorlous, and had 11 men killed and 37

wounded. CONFIRMED. The German steamer Petrarch, which | become the cockpit of Europe. left Manila on Aug. 6, arrived here today and brought the first news of an engagement between the Spaniards and Americans near Manila. During the engagement the insurgent forces remained neutral. The attack was made on the American camp near Cavite and Manila during the night of July 31. The

Spaniards who numbered over 3,000 men made several desperate charges upon the American lines, but each time partment that the wreckers have sucthe fire of the American troops drove them back and finally broke the Spanish center and the enemy retreated. Later, the Spaniards made a second attack and were again repulsed and retreated into the bush, keeping up an incessant fire on the roads leading to Manila, over which they apparently expected the American troops to advance. Some estimates place the Spanish losses at over 500 men killed and wounded. The American loss was 11 killed and

NEWS FROM MERRIT Washington, Aug. 9 .- Gen. Merritt has cabled the war department a dispatch confirmatory of the press reports of the battle at Manila.

U. S. REINFORCEMENTS. San Francisco, Aug. 9 .- A special to the Call from Cavite, dated Aug. 6, says: The three transports which sailed from San Francisco with Gen. Merritt arrived today. The monitor Monterey also arrived. SPAIN'S REPLY.

Washington, Aug. 9.—The concluding portion of the Spanish reply was received during last vening, but it was not until a late hour that it was deciphered as a whole and gone over by the ambassador. No effort was made to communicate it to the United

to regard as unessential. Secretary Day joined the president

at 9:30 o'clock this morning, at which hour he said that it did not seem probable and the Spanish answer to the American peace demands would be presented before the meeting of the cabinet at 11 o'clock. This view was borne out more strongly by the fact that at the time stated Ambassador Cambon and his secretaries had not arrived after last night's late work.
Washington, Aug. 9-11 a.m.—The Spanish answer to the American peace

time today, probably this afternoon.

EFFECT ON STOCKS. London, Aug. 9 .- There was heaviness in the London market this morning, attituded to a belief that the Spanish reply to the United States was less favorable to peace than had been Anglo-Russian relations. The weakness in London was re-

flected in the New York stock market by a general decline. WHAT IS SAID IN MADRID. Madrid, Aug. 9 .- It is said that as soon as the American reply is received Senor Sagasta will nominate peace commissioners. El Liberal says the government received an offer from England to mediate. The offer was

El Liberal remarks further. presence of a large British squadron near Gibraltar is clear evidence of an understanding, if not an alliance, between England and the United States."

FORWARD! Ponce, Porto Rico, Aug. 9 — Via St. Thomas, D. W. I.—A general advance of the American force has begun.

HOBSON'S GALLANTRY. New York, Aug. 9.-Lieut. Hobson was the hero of Long Beach, where he went as the guest of Lawyer Edward J. Gavegan, of this city. His reception was such as to test the modesty of any hero, but the lieutenant bore himself graceful composure, until Miss Arnold, of St. Louis, the prettiest girl at the hotel, ran up to him and oried

impulsively "May I kiss you?" Blushing at her temerity, she turned eloquent eyes on the lieutenant, and her parted lips, like twin roses, whispered sweet invitation. Who could resist. Not the lieutenant, gallant man that he is. So, blushing almost as deep as the beautiful woman before him, he replied, "I would be very

people who were pressing around clap-

reat. The rebels remain neutral.

Another tribute was paid to the hesteamer, with two barges in tow, left roism of Lieut. Richmond Pearson Hob-Good News Bay to proceed up the son, when, in the ball room at the Long Beach Hotel, he was presented terrible storm arose. A few days later with a magnificent sword, the gift of the natives reported a stranded barge heavy engagement took place between the patrons and several of the cottagball room and Rev. George Hapworth | which were appropriated by the find-

made the presentation speech. THE CUBANS RESTIVE. New York, Aug. 9.—Advices from Santiago say Gomez proposes to con-First battalion California volunteers, tinue his guerilla warfare regardless of Tenth Pennsylvania, First battalion any armistice between the United States and Spain.

Gen. Calixo Garcia and his 1,200 Cubans have stopped drawing rations and and 44 wounded. The Spanish loss was upward of 200 killed and 300 wounded. Garcia has left the province in high dudgeon because the United States Our volunteers made a glorious defense authorities refused to permit him to against upwards of 3,000 of an attacking force. The battle raged for three province. The last heard of him he was west of Holguin, proceeding towards Neuvitas, in the Province of

The London correspondent of the New York Evening Post says, regard-"Unless he acts up to this obpolicy: ligation, the Philippines are certain to and she was easily floated. is likely to be a new cable connecting that island with the United States. Gen. Shafter says: "The statement that I ordered or recommended the withdrawal of the army from Santiago is absolutely untrue." The Merritt-Chapman Wrecking Company has informed the navy de-

Maria Teresa, and are about to start her under her own steam for Norfolk. The Potomac has recovered \$10,000 from the Infanta Maria Teresa which was driven ashore at the time Admiral Cevera attempted to escape from Santiago. A small steamer, the Wing-Food, 76

tons, belonging to an American firm, Messrs. Jackson & Evans, of Cavite, left Hong-Kong on July 2 for Manila. It is now supposed that she is lost with all on board. The crew were Chinese.

PRIEST VS. PRIEST.

Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 9. - Rev. Father Paradis, of Domremy, a new parish in the district of Nipissing, has taken action for damages to the amount of \$6,000 against Rev. Father Langlois, parish priest, of Verner, Ont., for defamation of character. It is alleged that the defendant interfered in the plaintiff's affairs by slandering him in the pulpit. It is probable that the matter will not be continued in the civil courts, but will be settled by the

bishop of Nipissing. Stockwell's Dye Works

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favorably regarded, but was not ac- A Party of 17 Believed to Have Perished.

> Rev. R. Weber and Wile Among the Victims.

Late News From the Klondike-25,000 Idle Men in Dawson City.

San Francisco, Aug. 9.—A letter re-ceived by the Alaska Commercial Company, dated Unalaska, July 28, says: Information received here is to the effect that an entire party of twelve prospectors, calling themselves the Columbia Exploring Company, together with the Rev. R. Weber, a Moravian missionary, his wife and two native pilots, bound for the Musco-

vite River, have been lost. Not long ago Rev. Mr. Weber was asked by some of the prospecting party who were on board the steamer Lakame to go with them as pilot and interpreter, with two Indian pilots up the Muscovite River. He agreed to do so, taking his wife and children proud to comply."

And so he did. As their lips met the who had a 50-foot steamer and two barges. They were at Good News ped their hands with delight. Thus Bay, but were short one boat, which Lieut. Hobson's gallantry was proved was needed to carry their stores. On July 21, the natives Soon after their departure a river. ashore on the north side of the river. There were 500 persons in the It was laden with supplies, all ers. Later on a raft was, found adrift. Nothing has been heard of any of the

seventeen persons who started up the river, and it is thought they have per-The names of the prospectors have not yet been ascertained. Port Townsend, Wash., Aug. 9.-The steamer Rosalie arrived here last night from Skaguay, Aleska, with 100 passengers from Dawson City, who came up the Yukon Fiver via the lakes. They bring advices from Dawson up to July 27, and considerable gold dust estimated at \$1/10,000. Joseph Barrett, of Seattle, brought about \$25,000.

Others brought out sums from \$2,000 up to \$15,000. The steamer Monarch arrived at Dawson July 23, and the steamer Sovereign July 26 from St. Michael's. The Monarch was last reported high and ing the United States and the Monroe | dry up the river, but the warm weather caused a sudden rise in the river

The steamer Joseph Glossatt, plying One of the first business enterprises between Dawson and the lakes, while to follow the acquisition of Porto Rico trying to run White Horse Canyon, water. No lives were lost, and all the outfits were saved, though in a damaged condition. steamer can be floated again and resume her run. The Dawson market is well supplied

> with Aresh beef at \$1 15 per pound, Mining operations in the Klondike are at a standstill, and will continue so until cold weather sets in. It is estimated that there are about 25,000 idle men in Dawson eagerly waiting for something to turn up. This number is being swelled every day by the arrivals from both up and down the

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