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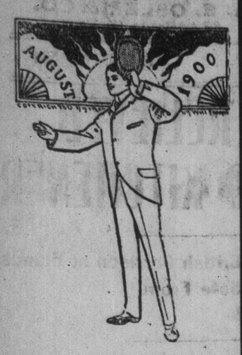

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"Perhaps no one has suffered more from the use of coffee, or failed oftener in the attempt to leave it off, than I have. Although I never drank more than half a cup at a time, it even then gave me sour stomach and a whole catalogue of misery. This kept up for a long period, and time and again I have resolved that I positively would drink no more coffee, but alas, the rest of the family used it, and, like the reformed drunkard who smells whiskey and falls again, when I smelled coffee, I could not resist it.

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"Dr. McMillan of Sunbeam, Ill., said he had used Postum, and found it to be just as good as coffee, and more healthful. He is an M.D. of fine standing. Mr. David Strong and sister have left off coffee and are using Postum. They find it much more healthful. Rev. W. T. Campbell, pastor of the Second United Presbyterian Church of this city, says: 'You may say anything good that you wish about Postum Food Coffee and I will substantiate it.' He was a very great lover of coffee, and yet found it very injurious to his health. He now drinks Postum three times a day, and the old troubles have disappeared.

"I shrink from having my name appear in public. The statement I have given you is truthful, and I hope will aid some people to discover that coffee is the cause of their aches and ails, and they are in a way to get rid of their troubles by leaving off coffee and taking up Postum Food Coffee."

This lady lives at Monmouth, Ill., and her name can be given by letter, upon application to the Postum Cereal Co., Limited., makers of Postum, at Battle Creek, Mich.

Golf Championships at Quebec.

Montreal, Aug. 17.—Quebec will have the honor of having the international golf championships between Canada and the United States played off on its links this year.

President Watson of the Royal Canadian Golf Association received to-day the acceptance of the proposal made by our association in regard to the battlefield, from the United States Golf Association, and the battle will be fought on the Quebec links.

Last year a team from Canada traveled across the border, and was defeated, but this year the Canadians hope to give a good account of themselves. The Quebec links were proposed, partly because they are considered to be the most sporting links in Canada; partly because Quebec is a city of singular attractions to people from the States.

It is expected that the United States team will be accompanied by quite a number of golf devotees from across the line, and that a number of Canadian golfers will also go to Quebec to see the international battle.

The date set is Saturday, Sept. 1. The teams will be chosen from the pick of the amateur golfers in Canada and the United States, an dwill be composed of 10 men each.

A Neat Pocket Map.

The Chicago and Northwestern Railway Co. has issued a neat pocket map of China, including indexed maps of the world, Asia and northeastern China. During the present war excitement one of these maps will be a useful reference. Copies will be mailed on receipt of two cents postage, or can be obtained at the company's office, No. 2 King St. East, Toronto, Ont. ed

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HAMILTON NEWS

THE GUELPH - GALT LINE

Will Be Given Right of Way Into the City of Hamilton and City Will Widen York-Street.

NEW SYSTEM OF PAYING WAGES.

Florist Townsend Dead—Loyal True Blue Grand Lodge—A Merry Houseboat Party.

Hamilton, Aug. 17.—(Special.)—The Board of Works, at a special meeting, considered the proposal to widen York-street, from Queen-street west, to give a right of way to the projectors of the Guelph-Galt line.

The Engineer's estimate of the cost for a 15-foot strip from Queen-street to Dundurn Park was $24,285, and he recommended that the property-owners pay one-half of the cost.

Ald. Kerr objected to this on the ground that the widening was for the benefit of the city generally, and the expense ought to be borne out of the general funds.

It was decided to recommend the widening of the street, the expense to be met from the general funds.

Stuart-Street to Be Opened.

It was decided to open Stuart-street from John to Catharine, estimated to cost about $2500, on the local improvement plan.

The board resolved, on motion of Ald. Reid, to recommend that West-avenue be opened from King to Main-street, the expense to be borne by the General Fund.

The Council had previously agreed to open it on the local improvement plan. The Engineer estimated the cost at $6961.

The offer of Mr. Tuscott to sell a four-foot strip to help in the extension of Ferrie-street east, was referred to the Engineer for examination.

System of Paying Civic Employes.

It was decided to make up the pay lists for the workmen one day earlier, on Tuesday, and the Treasurer will be asked to draft a plan to pay the men on the various works instead of at the City Hall.

On motion of Ald. Dunlop, it was agreed to have triplicate copies of all contracts hereafter. At present only one copy is kept.

It was resolved to call for tenders for a piece of ground about an acre in extent, in the North End, for a city yard, tenders to be in by Aug. 28.

Kidnapped a Boy.

This afternoon James Lawlor, a 5-year-old lad from Buffalo, who is visiting M. O'Reilly, North Park-street, was taken away this afternoon by a half-witted girl named Gage. He was absent about three hours, and the police were notified. He was found on Wood Market-square.

Mr. Townsend, the Florist, Dead.

Edmund J. Townsend, florist, Park-street, is dead. He had been sick only a short time. The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon, and will be in charge of the A.O.U.W. Deceased was 60 years of age, and a native of England. He leaves four daughters and a son to mourn his death.

L.T.B. Grand Lodge.

The annual convention of the Loyal True Blues' Association will be held here next week on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. The opening session will be Tuesday morning, when Ald. Nicholson, who will be Acting Mayor for the week, will formally welcome the 125 delegates. The rest of that day will be devoted to business, and in the evening Hamilton Loyal Orange District will give the visitors a reception. On Wednesday, after the morning's business, the delegates will go to Brant House for an outing and banquet, as guests of the city lodges, and on Thursday morning the business will be completed. William Fitzgerald of Toronto is grand master, and Mr. George Hancock of this city, district deputy grand master.

House-Boat Party.

A merry house-boat party, composed largely of Hamilton people, will spend the next few weeks on the water on Lake Nipissing. This morning Major John S. and Mrs. Hendrie, A. D. and Mrs. Braithwaite, Mrs. F. MacKelcan, Miss Phyllis Hendrie and William Hendrie, jr., of this city; Mr. Blackburn of London, Ont.; Major Myles of Toronto and Miss Russell of Detroit started for North Bay, where they will take the house-boat for the lake. James W. Hendrie and Jack Leggat will also be with the party, and Miss Lily Brown will join it on the 25th.

George F. Evans Arrested.

This afternoon, George F. Evans, formerly manager of the Westinghouse Air Brake Co., was arrested by Constables Canary and Verard on a charge of threatening to kill his wife. He was remanded to jail, as he was suffering from alcoholism. Mr. Evans held a high position in the business and social world, but has been "bumped" hard of late.

Beach Regatta Saturday.

The regatta to be held by the residents on the north side of the canal at the Beach to-morrow promises to be most successful, there being a large entry for all the events. The races will start at 3 o'clock. In the evening there will be bonfires along the shore and an illuminated procession of boats.

The Latest Fad.

In New York all the talk is about the shirt-waist man, and any man who wants to be comfortable cannot do better than get a nice fancy cashmere or Madras, such as are being shown at E. D. Ross, two stores, corner James and Rebecca-streets, and 36 King-street West.

Minor Matters.

Mr. Jacob Landsberg of Louisville, Ky., candidate for judge of the Supreme Court of Kentucky, on the Socialist-Labor party ticket, was in town yesterday, and spoke before the local section last night.

Constable William Clark had his foot hurt while arresting a drunken man, Jos. Jahnson, this morning. The prisoner stepped on his foot.

Alive Bollard's noted Smoking Mixture, 30c a quarter pound. Alive Bollard, 4 King St. W., Hamilton.

James Patton, jr., York-street, arrested some days ago on a charge of personating in the vote on the third water main, was discharged by Magistrate Jelfs this morning. No evidence was offered against him, it being stated the chief witness was out of the city.

This morning County Constable Springstead arrested Richard Martin, a small boy, who resides at Stony Creek, on a charge of being incorrigible. He was taken before Magistrate Jelfs, and the case was adjourned until to-morrow.

There was a hot fire in Dundas this afternoon. A building on Ogilvie-street, owned by James C. Legwin, and occupied by the Victoria Laundry and Grafton & Co., was burned.

The county stonecrusher, weighing nine tons, went thru the bridge at Stony Creek last evening. Ed. Marshall, a driver, was hurt.

Mrs. J. W. Nesbitt, Miss Agnes Dunlop and Mr. Frank MacKelcan left this morning for Gunn's Island, Georgian Bay.

DANGER IN THE OIL LAMP.

How Miss Teresa Lynch of Rochester, N.Y., Came to a Terrible End.

Rochester, N.Y., Aug. 17.—Miss Teresa Lynch, aged 40, was so terribly burned early this morning that she died at St. Mary's Hospital a few hours after. At the time of the accident Miss Lynch was sleeping on a couch at the home of her mother. A lamp, which had been left burning on a stand which stood near the sofa, exploded. The woman was instantly enveloped in flames, and before assistance could be rendered her clothing had been burned entirely away.

Sporting Notes.

The Little York football team would like to arrange a game with some junior team, average weight 130 pounds. Address W. Nimmo, Coleman P.O.

Charlie Phair arrived in town yesterday with the Orpen and Brennan string of thorobreds. Jockey Kelly came along to ride for the stable.

A despatch from Paris says: Enzeman and Trebische, two Viennese who have spent the last two months rolling a tub from Vienna to Paris for bets of 5000 francs, have arrived at the Vincennes gate, and thus won the money. The tub weighs a trifle over 500 pounds.

Professional sculling seems destined to enjoy a boom in England, as, after a lengthy newspaper warfare, George Towns, the champion of England, and James Wray of Australia, were matched on July 30 to compete for the championship at England, the trophy which goes with the title and $2000 in stakes. The men signed articles to row from Putney Bridge to the Ship at Mortlake on Sept. 10.

The Brunswick Gun Club will hold their second annual bluerock shoot this afternoon, commencing at 2 o'clock, on the club grounds, Wells' Hill. This shoot promises to be very keenly contested, as the first high score at 25 birds will get the championship of the club and the silver medal. There will also be several open sweepstakes.

Cricket Slips.

Grace Church eleven and St. Cyprian's will play on the latter's crease, corner of Dupont and Christie-streets, this afternoon at 2.30.

Toronto-Rosedale C.C. will put the following team in the field against St. Alban's this afternoon at Rosedale: Montgomery, Saunders, S. R., Lonsborough, Wright, J.J., Fetman, Lace, Saunders, D.W., Livingston, Forester, Larkin, Stokes.

The Parkdale Cricket Club met at the Gladstone House last evening to do honor to one of its popular members, Mr. F. W. Sterling, who is to be united in marriage with a fair lady of New Hamburg, Ont., where the ceremony takes place next Wednesday. After a pleasant evening, spent in speech and song, the jolly cricketers presented their comrade with a handsome onyx clock. The happy couple start Wednesday night on an extended honeymoon to California and British Columbia.

Midway Fair Sunday

At Ontario Beach Park, Rochester, N.Y. Get your tickets to the grand opening per steamer Columbian, at 2 King-street East. Round trip only $1.

To Dissolve Distilleries Company.

Trenton, N.J., Aug. 17.—Application was made to-day to the Court of Chancery for the dissolution of the Distilleries Company of America, capitalized at $125,000,000. The application is made on behalf of Henry I. Dittman and Kalman Hass of New York, stockholders, who maintain that the management is inimical to the interests of the Kentucky Company, one of the four absorbed by the Distilleries Company.

The Eighth Victim.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Aug. 17.—The eighth victim of Wednesday's collision on the Grand Rapids and Indiana Railroad died to-day in a city hospital. He was Baggageman C. P. Powers.

New Patents.

Below will be found the only complete weekly up-to-date list of patents recently granted to Canadian inventors in Canada, United States and Great Britain, which is furnished us by Messrs. Fetherstonhaugh & Co., patent barristers, experts, etc., head office, Bank of Commerce Building, Toronto: branches, Montreal, Ottawa and Washington, D.C., from whom all information may be obtained.

Canadian patents: A. M. Ferguson and R. A. Jelly, self-hooking and releasing extension ladders; B. C. Ribbet, bucket clips; F. Grosjean, pneumatic straw stackers; G. A. Smith, drills; J. R. Elliott, G. E. Miller, rubber boots and shoes; J. Bilodeau, composition of blocks of asphalt; T. G. Hodgins, automatic manure carrier.

American patents: Eli Deene, device for unlatching doors; J. P. Doolittle, garment hook; C. O. Dutton, fire escape; R. Watson and C. E. Stevenson, hoisting apparatus; O. Weston, bicycle support.

BIG DEAL FOR IRON ORE.

It is Said That the Carnegies Will Control the Output of Lake Superior.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 17.—The report that the Carnegie Company had just closed a deal for tenmillion tons of ore a year for fifty years, thereby practically giving the company control of the iron ore production of the Lake Superior districts, cannot be confirmed here. When seen to-day the officials of the company preserved their usual reticence on matters concerning their business, and refused to either affirm or deny the report.

MURDERED MISSIONARIES.

China Inland Mission Receives Confirmation of the Reported Massacre—Eight Killed.

The China Inland Mission received a cablegram from Shanghai yesterday morning confirming the reports of the massacre of eight missionaries in the Province of Chehkiang. Three of the ladies come from the United States and all of those murdered are: Mrs. Ward, American; Miss Manchester, American; Mrs. J. E. Desmond, American; Mr. G. F. Ward, English; Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Thompson, English; Miss Sherwood, English; Miss Thurgood, English.

Mrs. Ward went out to China in 1893, Miss Manchester in 1895, Mrs. J. E. Desmond in 1896, Mr. G. F. Ward in 1896, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson in 1881, Miss Sherwood in 1893 and Miss Thurgood in 1890.

$20,000 FOR THE SEMINARY.

A Donation Made by the Late Mrs. Lussier, in Honor of Her Deceased Brother.

Montreal, Aug. 17.—(Special.)—Mrs. Widow Lussier, sister of the late Rev. Abbe Avila Valois, has made a donation of $20,000 in trust to the seminary for the benefit of Laval University in this city. The donation is intended by Mrs. Lussier to honor the memory of her late brother, from whose estate the amount will be drawn, and to help higher education in this city. The seminary is to invest the money and pay the revenues to the university.

FAST MAIL TRAIN WRECKED

On the Long Bridge Over Sandusky Bay, But No One Was Killed.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 17.—Train No. 3, the fast mail between New York and Chicago on the Lake Shore, was wrecked at 1 o'clock this morning on the long bridge over Sandusky Bay, but no one was killed or seriously injured. Two cars left the track, an express car and a combination express and smoker. The express messengers got out of the car uninjured by breaking the windows. There were fourteen passengers in the combination car. They were rescued thru windows.

TAPS FROM THE WIRES.

Smithfield, Ill., had a blaze yesterday in which sixteen buildings were destroyed.

The pressed glass factories at Pittsburg, Pa., have resumed work, giving employment to 12,000 men.

The Japanese Government is placing heavy orders in the United States for salmon to feed the army.

The Italians at Louisville, Ky., have had to forego their high mass for the late King Humbert because Father Bouchet refused to perform the ceremony.

Pine Cottage, one of the large boarding houses at Mackinac, was burned yesterday. William Taillon, a fireman, was fatally injured by a fall during the blaze.

Charles A. Mielenz, a Chicago wall paper dealer, has killed himself in order that his wife might secure the benefit of $2000 insurance which he carried in two German societies.

Grand's Repository.

A fine lot of general-purpose and delivery horses, consigned by Mr. James Kenny, Napanee, will be sold on Tuesday next, commencing at 11 o'clock. Mr. Kenny is now ill in the hospital, and has instructed us to sell regardless of cost. Several fast drivers and matched pairs will also be sold.

Cheap Trip to Rochester.

Steamer Cambria is running a cheap trip to Rochester Saturday night. Only 50c return. There should be a large party take advantage of it.

TWO NEW TEACHERS CHOSEN FOR JARVIS STREET COLLEGIATE

High School Board, After a Wrangle, Appointed R. A. Gray, B.A., Mathematical Specialist, and L. H. Gundy, B.A., Teacher of Junior Subjects—Sixty-Three Applicants.

When the members of the High School Board were called to order at their regular meeting last night, they had for listeners educationists, Public School trustees, aldermen and ratepayers, but the visitors' presence did not have the effect of exercising a peaceful influence, and the proceedings were considerably noisier than is their wont.

The first squabble began when Trustee Church arose to read a petition from the ratepayers of Ward 2. Altho the members in reality knew what the petition contained, they had not had it officially brought before the meeting, and in view of this it was considered very peculiar when Trustee Frank Denton moved that it be taken as read. The board, however, unlike Mr. Denton, wanted to know the contents of the petition, and, consequently, snowed his resolution under.

What the Petition Was.

The petition stated that those whose signatures were attached to it were highly satisfied with the services of Mr. Neil McEachern of the teaching staff of Jarvis Collegiate, and regretted that the board had found cause to remove him from his position. The hope was expressed that the board would see their way clear to retain his services.

Referred to a Committee.

A large deputation was present to back the petition up, and speeches were delivered by Messrs. McCaul, Rev. S. S. Craig and Greer, all of whom urged the board to reconsider their decision to dispense with his services.

The petition was referred to the School Management Committee to report upon.

The report of the Property Committee was presented. It recommended the payment of accounts to the amount of $1845, and was adopted.

To Fill the Vacancies.

In Committee of the Whole, Trustee Hoar presiding, the report of the School Management Committee was brought up for discussion. It recommended the appointment of the following applicants for vacancies in the Jarvis Collegiate:

J. W. Odell, B. A., as mathematical specialist, at an initial salary of $1300 per annum.

Mary O'Rourke, B. A., as teacher of junior classics and other junior subjects, at an initial salary of $1000 per annum.

Report Not Satisfactory.

The report did not suit Trustee Dr. Elliott, and he moved, in amendment, that R. A. Gray, B. A., be given the position of mathematical specialist instead of J. W. Odell, B. A. Several other names were moved in place of the one in the recommendation, and the debate on the subject was very warm, and personalities were freely indulged in. Chairman McBrady of the School Management committee defended his committee against statements that had been made about the way the matter had been dealt with and incidentally informed the board that he, as a member of it, did his duty to the best of his ability and did not cast slurs on the members like Dr. Elliott.

The Members Wrangled.

On the vote being put, another wrangle took place as to the order in which it was to be taken. Members were talking wildly across the room and everything was topsy turvey. Finally matters were straightened out and, after a little more squabbling, the name of R. A. Gray was sent on to the board, instead of the name of J. W. Odell, B.A.

Miss O'Rourke Rejected, Too.

The recommendation of the School Management Committee that Mary O'Rourke, B.A., be given the position of junior classics and other junior subjects provoked considerable talk. Speaking in favor of the recommendation, Trustee Father Ryan said in effect that he supported Miss O'Rourke, because she was a member of the same church as himself, and he was of opinion that the church had not a proper representation. He maintained that she possessed all the qualifications necessary for the position and was a first-class teacher.

The committee did not favor Miss O'Rourke, and on motion the name of Mr. L. H. Gundy, B.A., was substituted.

Gray and Gundy Appointed.

The committee rose and in the full board their recommendations were passed and accordingly R. A. Gray, B.A., of London, becomes mathematical specialist at an initial salary of $1300 per annum, and L. H. Gundy becomes teacher of junior classics and other junior subjects at an initial salary of $1000 per annum.

No Uniform for Cadets.

The Finance Committee's report recommending the payment of accounts to the amount of $262.48 was passed. The following clause in the report was, however, struck out. Your committee, to whom was referred the following report of the Property Committee, viz.: That the board furnish the High School Cadets of Toronto with 150 khaki uniforms, beg to report the necessary funds to cover the expense.

There Were 63 Applicants.

There were 23 applicants for the position as mathematical specialist, as follows: R. W. Anglin, M.A., S. G. Barton, M.A., G. T. Colling, B.A., R. A. Gray, B.A., R. Gourlay, B.A., G. C. Hogarth, B.A., J. H. Hughes, B.A., T. M. Henry, B.A., T. A. Kirkconnell, B.A., G. W. Keith, B.A., Alice Morton, M.A., Arthur Massey, B.A., G. V. Macleod, M.A., James McKay, B.A., J. W. Odell, B.A., R. A. Patterson, B.A., Egerton Snider, B.A., R. S. Strath, B.A., T. W. Standing, B.A., Ed. F. Seaton, B.A., W. Taylor, B.A., James M. Warren, B.A., S. G. Witton, B.A.

For the position of teacher of junior subjects there were 37 applicants, as follows: W. G. Armstrong, M.A., R. T. Andrews, B.A., Alf. Aubin, B.A., Henry H. Black, M.A., Carl Bush, B.A., R. A. Barron, B.A., J. A. Bannister, B.A., K. A. Croskery, M.A., A. J. Creighton, B.A., A. W. Duncan, M.A., L. H. Gundy, B.A., W. B. Howell, B.A., C. W. Horton, B.A., W. W. King, M.A., J. E. Laton, B.A., J. W. Martin, B.A., W. M. Martin, B.A., A. J. Meiklejohn, B.A., A. W. Milden, B.A., K. L. Melley, B.A., Arthur H. Mahaffy, B.A., James B. McDougall, B.A., A. McVicar, B.A., Miss K. G. McLean, Miss O'Rourke, B.A., G. Palmer, M.A., James C. Rogers, B.A., S. G. Stone, B.A., W. F. Tamblyn, LL.B., L. H. Tasker, LL.B., Edith Teskey, B.A., J. H. McIlveen, B.A., John F. Thompson, B.A., A. E. Wilson, B.A., E. R. Witherll, B.A., R. H. Walks, B.A., G. E. Will, B.A.

STOP FURTHER MASSACRES

Anglo-American Association Says it is Time That Great Britain and America Acted

ON BEHALF OF THE ARMENIANS

Who Are in Danger of Annihilation—A Demand is Made That the Sultan Be Deposed.

London, Aug. 17.—Stirred by the latest Turkish atrocities in Armenia, the Anglo-American Association of London suggests that the British Government forcibly depose the Sultan, Abdul Hamid, and wipe out the entire reigning regime in Constantinople. The officers of the association have repeated to Lord Salisbury that they have reason to believe the Armenians are in danger of annihilation, and that only the prompt and speedy enthronement of a Sultan unblinded by prejudice and intrigue can save them from pillage and massacre.

Time for Powers to Act.

Edward Atkin, honorary secretary of the association, said to a correspondent tonight: "In spite of the Porte's calm assurance that the recent outbreak at Sassun was the work of brigands rather than of the Sultan's treachery, it is high time that our Foreign Office awoke to the fact that Abdul Hamid is incapable of honest motives, and that it should refuse any longer to be misled by apologies and 'explanations.' Nothing short of the extermination of Abdul Hamid and his lying, favor-currying entourage can ever solve the eastern question with any degree of permanence.

Demand for Abdication.

"So long as just action on the part of the powers is impossible, owing to the selfish ambition of Russia, important action becomes the duty of any one of the nations or of any combination of them. The United States and Great Britain happen each to have unsettled accounts against Turkey. We believe that their warships should assemble before Smyrna and inform the Sultan that their patience and that of civilization as a whole has reached its limit, and that his abdication in favor of some other Mohammedan prince is urgently demanded.

To Respect Mohammedanism.

"All along we have made the mistake of dragging the religious question into the Turkish problem. The Turks, however, should be assured that there is no desire to overthrow Moslemism and substitute Christianity. They would be sure to resist bitterly any such attempt, and it is impossible to secure their support with a guaranty that integrity of their religious faith as well as of their Governmental fabric will not be disturbed.

"Delay is dangerous. The Kurds, who are hand in glove with the Turks, are very much like the Chinese Boxers. They proceed on the theory that Armenia should remain unmolested only long enough to allow a new fleece to grow, and propose that the Armenian should be shorn whenever there is any fleece to get.

Silent Partners in Crime.

"The apathy of Great Britain and the other powers makes them silent partners in this great crime."

Mr. Atkin was the personal representative of the late Duke of Westminster, who was the leader in the philanthropic Armenian missionary work in England.

A Heap of Gold.

Seattle, Aug. 17.—The steamer Roanoke has arrived from Skaguay with $4,500,000 in gold.

Ho for Lambton Park!

A band concert will be given this afternoon in Lambton Park. Program from 3 to 4.30.

LOCAL TOPICS.

Smoke the Mackenzie pipe, fine, cool pipe, 35c. Alive Bollard.

On Tuesday next the provincial Normal Schools will open.

Cobourg Old Boys meet at St. George's Hall on Tuesday evening, Aug. 21, at 8 p.m. to settle excursion business.

Forest Fires in Colorado.

Montrose, Col., Aug. 17.—Forest fires are burning fiercely in all directions. Thousands of acres of timber already have been destroyed.

Del Norte, Col., Aug. 17.—Heavy timber fires are raging south and west of here. The damage is the greatest in the history of the country. There is almost conclusive evidence that these fires are incendiary. The fire has unlimited sway across nearly 50 miles of country.

SALISBURY AFTER HEALTH.

The British Premier Goes to the Vosges Mountains in Search of Health.

Strasburg, Aug. 17.—Obedient to his doctor's advice, Lord Salisbury arrived here last evening, and, with two secretaries and other officials, besides a retinue of servants, has taken up his residence at Altenberg, in the Schlucht Pass. It is a forlorn and yet beautiful spot high up among the Vosges Mountains, near the city of Muemster, in Upper Alsace. Special telephonic and telegraphic connections have been made for the Premier, so that he can still attend to his official duties during the month that he expects to remain here. His general appearance does not indicate robust health.

World's Fair Firemen at Work.

Paris, Aug. 17.—The preliminary contests in the international exhibition of fire apparatus came off this afternoon at Vincennes, some 5000 firemen, representing many nationalities, participating. The American representatives, chief Georges de Hale of Kansas City and the men of the Kansas City fire brigade, caused great wonderment by their quick harnessing and running, together with their methods of life saving. They received an ovation, and by common consent were assigned the first place. The contest will be continued to-morrow.

Steamer Mayflower Burned.

Penetanguishene, Ont., Aug. 17.—The small steamer Mayflower was burned to the water's edge about 3 o'clock this morning. Her owners were on board, and had to jump on the dock without saving any clothes but the ones they had on. The cause of fire was from wood being left near the boiler too long, and it became dry. The owners have got her up, and are commencing to repair to-morrow.

Presentation to Mr. Burnside.

Mr. Oscar Burnside, the popular ticket agent at Yonge-street Wharf for the Toronto Ferry Company, was last night made the recipient of a well-filled purse of gold on the occasion of his coming marriage. The presentation was made by Chief Engineer Mills of the company on behalf of the employes. The little gathering was presided over by Mr. W. J. Garrow, treasurer of the company, and short speeches were made by Commodore Williams, Capt. Jennings and others. The program included solos by Mr. Burnside and dancing by Mr. Gallagher.

Druggists Want Cobocoonk Bass.

Messrs. J. P. Shaw (Evans, Sons & Co.), W. J. Mitchell, Wilton-avenue; George Marshall, East Queen-street; R. Savigny, with four or five confreres, left for Cobocoonk to-day for a week's sport with the finny tribe. Good luck to them.

An Elevator Burned.

Treherne, Man., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—The Northern elevator caught fire this morning and was burned to the ground. Cause unknown. There was about 25,000 bushels of wheat in it.

Big Catch of Bass

The Grand Trunk Office, corner of King and Yonge-streets, is displaying a portion of a catch of black bass by two of the guests at Strawberry Island Hotel, Lake Simcoe. The fishing in this locality has been extremely good, five guests having caught sixty beauties Thursday evening in two hours' time.

At His Dying Sister's Bedside.

Homburg, Aug. 17.—The Prince of Wales arrived here to-day to attend the bedside of his dying sister, the Empress Frederick.

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Miss Carrie Cross, formerly of Toronto, after spending two weeks in this city, starts to-morrow for the West.

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