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Montreal Stock Market.

MUNTREAL, July 20.		
Ask.	Off.	
Canadian Pacific 97%	871/8	
Duluth, common 41/4	3	
Duluth, preferred 11	8	
Commercial Cable 187	184	
com. Cable Coupon Bonds104	103	
Commercial Reg Bonds		
Montreal Telegraph	170	
Richelion and Ontario 1121/2	109	
Montreal Street Railway, xd 325	320	
Montreal St. Railway, new, xd324	320	
Toronto Railway	1151/2	
Montreal Gas Company 2031/2	201	
Bell Telephone185	185	
Royal Klectric	175	
Bank of Montreal	256	
Ontario Bank		
Molsons Bank		
Bank of Toronto		
ferchants' Bank	170	
Merchants' Bank of Halifax	180	
Quebec Bank	125	
Union Bank		
Bank of Commerce	1491/2	
Northwest Land, pref		
Montreal Cotton Co	158	
Canada Colored Cotton 80	60	
Dominion Cotton110	167	
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Toronto Stock Market

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Hamilton		4
British America		
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London and Ontario.	100	
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Temple, for The Adver	tiser.	w York	July	26.
Yesterday's		. 1011	.,,	
	Open.	High.	Low. 2	p.m.
Atcheson 26	197/8	19%	193/4	1934
Atcheson Pfd 6134	615%	62	611/2	615/8
N. Y. Gas1731/2	1741/2	176	1731/2	1735/3
Brooklyn Tran 115	11538	1153%	1143/4	1113/4
Canada Pacific				
C., B. & Q137	1363/4	137	1363/8	136%
C. & N W 16114	.::	.:	1102/	1107/
Chicago Gas118	1183%	11934	11834	1187/8
Gen. Electric 1231/2	1243/4	125	1243/2	124 1/2
Jersey Central115%	.:	200	35	36
K. & T., Pfd 3434	35	3658	731/4	735/8
L. & N 731/8	7338	735%	11734	11734
Manhattan118	1177/8	2111/2	210%	2111/4
Metropolitan St211%	2111/4	481/	4732	4756
Mo. P 4734	140%	1401/	13936	1391/2
N. Y Central 1401/2	7714	77%	77	77
Northern Pacific 771/2	26	261/3	26	261/3
Ont. & Western. 25%	48	48	47%	48
P. M	11956	11956	119	11936
Reading 5914	591/2	591/2		
St. Paul13214	1323/8	1323/8	132	132
Southern Ry, Pfd 51%	52	53	513/4	513/4
T. C. I 69	69	691/8	69	693/2
U. Pacific 171/4	7678	771/8	7678	77
W. U 90½	901/4	901/4	901/4	901/4
TRUSTS:				
Lead	30	.30	30	30
Leather 7238	723/8		72%	721/2
Sugar	1565/8		1581/4	1563/4
Federal Steel 38%	58	581/8	57 7/8	57 1/2
Rubber 51	50	50	50	50
Steel and Wire 5614	5614			565/8
Tobacco 9734	9614		96%	411/4
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Toronto Produce Market.

Toronto, July 26.-Wheat firmer at 68c to 69c for red and white, and 67c to 68c for goose west. Manitoba wheat is firmer at 791/2c for No. 1 hard west. Flour steadier at \$2 90 for cars of straight roller in barrels west. Millfeed steady at \$14 to \$15 for shorts and \$11 to \$11 50 for bran west. Corn is steady at 35c for Canada yellow west, and 41c for No. 2 American, west. Oats steady at 28c to 29c for white west. Peas steady at 67c to 68c for west. Eggs are steady at 13c to 14c. Butter steady at 13c to 14c for choice dairy pails and tubs, and 10c to 12c for inferior; creamery firm at 18c for prints and 17c to 174c for solid. Dressed hogs firm at \$5 30.

English Markets.

Liverpool, July 26—Closing.
Wheat—Spot, firm; spot No. 1 Cal., 6s
1d to 6s 2d; No. 2 red western, winter, 5s
9/4d; No. 1 red northern spring, firm. 5s 11%d; spot No. 1 red northern, Duluth, steady, 5s 10d.

56 10d.

Oorn—Spot, American mixed new, steady,
36 4½d; do. old, steady, 38 4½d; futures, steady;
July, 38 4d; Sept., 38 4½d; Oct., 38 4½d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, dull, 78 9d.

Peas—Western, 58 10½d. Canadian, 58 10d.

Steady: prime mess, 55s; extra India Plour—St. Louis fanor winter dull, 7s 9d.
Peas—Western, 5s 10½d. Canadian, 5s 10d.
Beof—Steady; prime mess, 55s; extra India
mess, steady, 69s.
Pork—Firm; prime mess, fine western, 50s;
6o, medium, western, 42s 6d.
Hams—Short out, 14 to 16 lbs., strong, 54s.
Peace—Cumberlend out, 28 to 30 lbs. steady.

Hams—Short cit. 14 to 16 106., strong, 318.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs., steady, 318 6d; long clear middles, light. 30 to 35 lbs, steady, 318 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, steady, 318 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, steady, 318; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, steady, 318; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, steady, 298 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 338.
Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 286 6d.
Lard—American refined, in 28-pound pails, 311 328. 6d.

dull, 28s 6d; prime western, in tierces, dull, 27s 9d. Cheese-Firm; American finest white, 44s; colored, firm, 44s; do, old, easy, 42s; ordinary,

Butter—Finest American, 86c; good, 63s.
Tallow—Prime city, firm, 23s; Australian
London, steady, 26s 3d.
Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, July-August,

Turpentine spirits—Steady, 32s.

Rosin—Common, steady, 4s.

Petroleum—Refined, 6%d.

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Turpentine spirits—Steady, 32s.

Rosin—Common, steady, 4s.

Petroleum—Refined, 6%d.

Linseed oil-23s.

American Markets. CHICAGO, July 2c.—Opening—Wheat, Sept., 71%c; May, 76c; Dec., 73%c. Corn, Sept., 32c; Dec., 30%c; May, 31%c. Oats, Sept., 19%c; May, 21%c. Pork, Sept., \$8 75. Lard, Sept., \$5 35. Ribs, Sept., \$5 10.

NEW YORK, July 26 .- Flour-Receipts, 18949 barrels; sales, 3,000 packages; state and western quiet and steady; Minnesota patents, \$3 75 to 33 90: Minnesota bakers', \$3 to \$3 10; winter straights, \$3 35 to \$3 50. Rye

flour—Dull; good to fair, \$3 to \$3 20; choice to fancy, \$3 25 to \$3 40. Wheat

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Annual Sales over 6,000,000 boxes

-Receipts, 275,675 bu: sales, 875,000 bu; options opened steady, advanced on local covering and unfavorable crop news, but eased off under weak French cables; July, 76%c to 76%c; Sept., 76%c to 76%c; Dec., 78 7-16c to 78%c. Ryesteady; state, 55c; No. 2 western, 60c, f. o. b., affoat. Corn—Receipts, 109,200 bu; sales, 25,000 bu.

Chicago Exchange. CHICAGO, July 26. Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butter broker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1278. Open High. 7134 7334 735%

Wheat-Sept .. 32% 31% 19% 20% 8 82 8 80 5 40 5 45 5 15 Dec.... 20 -Sept... 8 75 Pork — Sept. . . 8 75 Oct. . . 8 80 Lard — Sept. . . 5 35 Oct. . . 5 42 Ribs — Sept. . 5 10 Oct. . . 5 15 Puts 70%. Calls 72%.

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Latest Probabilities

Toronto, July 26-10 a.m.-Probabilities for the lower lakes region for the next 24 hours:

Moderate to fresh southeasterly to southwesterly winds; fine and decidedly warm today. Thunderstorms in many localities late at night and the first part of Thursday.

-Albert Sadler, of Elizabeth street, will build a frame cottage. -St. Paul's Sunday school is picnicking at Port Stanley today. -Miss Effle Penwarden, of Rectory street, is spending a few weeks with

-Judge William Elliot has not yet sufficiently recovered to return to his duties on the bench.

friends in Watford.

-Misses Nettie and Pearl Smith, of 666 Elias street, have gone to Michigan for a month's holidays. -Miss Laura M. Hickey and Miss

holidaying at Port Stanley.

-Miss May Bundy, of New York, U. S. A., is in the city visiting her grandmother Mrs. E. Lawson, and other relatives.

-Mr. Wilfred Wardle and Master Gordon Cottrell, of this city, are spend-ing a holiday of about two weeks with the latter's uncle, Mr. William Cottrell, of Sundridge, Parry Sound. -Commencing today the druggists

of London, including those in East and South London, will close their stores every Wednesday afternoon from 1 o'clock to 7:30 p.m., up to Aug. 31. -The cases against nine city draymen and the test case against the driver and conductor of a union 'bus,

charged with violation of the traffic bylaw, will come up at the police court tomorrow morning.

-The name of Miss Daisy Lewis should have been included among those who took part in the street railway strikers' benefit garden party the other evening. Miss Lewis recited several pieces very acceptably.

-The Grocers' excursion to Niagara today was largely attended. At 7 a.m. sharp, a special train of thirteen coaches left the Michigan Central depot bearing 533 passengers. It was a merry crowd of pleasure seekers.

-The Grand Trunk car works employes' excursion will take place on Saturday to Detroit. Tickets good to return not later than Monday, either via Windsor or St. Clair tunnel. An enjoyable outing is assured.

-F. B. Clarke, agent for the steamers Persia and Ocean, which sail from Toronto to Montreal, has received word of a great attraction at Montreal next H. M. ships Crescent, Pearl and Talbot will be there. These are some of the best vessels in the British navy.

J. Grant, letter carrier, got into little difficulty yesterday, the result of being intoxicated. It might be unfair to exaggerate any such occurrence; yet, at the same time, this is the sort of thing respecting which sharp warning is in order. It is the sort of thing in which, in the nature of things, there cannot be many second chances.

FROM FAR AND NEAR. The fame of the Irish Benevolent Soclety's annual picnic has reached the southern shore of Lake Erie. On Aug. 8 a large party of American friends of the society from Cleveland will attend the picnic at Port Stanley. Many large parties from ports east and west have also signified their intention to be pre-

sent at the picnic. MR. SCOTT REMAINS WITH THE

On account of a partnership disagreement at the last moment, R. W. Scott & Co. have abandoned the idea of going into the coal business, and they will offer for sale en bloc, or in detail, at once, the plant and stock recently purchased from A. D. Cameron & Son estate. Mr. Scott will still retain his position as freight agent for the Grand Trunk Railway in this city; Although he resigned, the withdrawal of same was quite satisfactory to the company

STRIKERS' BENEFIT CONCERT. A delightful band concert was given at Victoria Park last evening by the Musical Society Band. The perfection of the weather, the balmy air, freshened by the afternoon rain, the well-known excellence of the band, and the cause for which the concert was given drew an unusually large crowd to the park, who showed the keenest enjoyment and appreciation of the music.
The concert was given under the au-

spices of the Ladies' Home Defense Union for the benefit of the striking street railway employes. The ser-vices of the band are paid for by the strikers ,and not given free, as previously stated.

W. C. T. U. MEETING. The following account of a W. C. T. U. meeting was handed in for publica-

"An interesting time was spent at the semi-monthly meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, which convened on Tuesday afternoon in Somerset Hall. In the absence of the president, Mrs. (Rev.) T. S. Johnson presided. Reports from the delegates to the recent alliance convention, held in Toronto, were received and enjoyed, particularly the fact that a resolution favoring the enfranchisement of women was passed unanimously, with the exception of one dissenting voice. The subject of the selling of liquor in the canteens was largely discussed, and camp, was shown beyond contradic-

THE TROLLEY ACCIDENT. The name of the driver of the C. P. R. lorry that was struck by a trolley car this morning on Richmond street, is Albert Archibald. Mr. Archibald says there were three rigs ahead of him, making it utterly impossible to get the lorry off the track in time to avoid the car. The car was going so fast, he says, that after it struck the lorry, which was loaded with 20 barrels of sugar, the car wheels continued to revolve rapidly on the tracks, striking fire from the rails.

-Miss Mary E. Barber, of Komoka, who has been home for the past two months on a visit, has returned to the city and has accepted a position here. Her many friends will be pleased to have her among them once more.

ENTIRELY IN COL. HOLMES' HANDS

Militia Department Will Not Interiere Regarding the \$3,400 Account.

Ald. Rumball, chairman of the finance committee of the city council, yesterday communicated with Dr. Borden, minister of militia, as directed by the council. In response to a dispatch requesting the minister to stay proceedings, with respect to Col. Holmes' account for \$3,400 for the pay and maintenance of the militia brought here to aid the civil power, Dr. Borden wired that the matter was entirely in Col. Holmes' hands. Ald. Rumball had an interview with Col. Holmes today.

Matrimonial.

FARRIS-ADAMS.

The marriage of Miss Ida Adams, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs.John Adams, to Mr. George Farris, of To-ronto, traveler for J. D. Ivey & Co., was solemnized this afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, 413 King street. The ceremony was performed at 2:30 by Rev. Canon Dann. Miss Annie Adams, sister of the bride, was brides-Kate Best, of Cartwright street, are maid. Mr. Robert Gardner, of this city, —Mr. James A. Carrothers, book-keeper for W. C. Ross, has returned home from a holiday trip to New York sister, Mrs. Frank King, of New York, N. Y. Mr. and Mrs. Farris left on their honeymoon trip to eastern cities and couple of young men were fined \$1 each ity of the young couple was attested by street. a large array of presents from friends in London, Toronto, Detroit, New York and other places.

WAUGH-HISCOX. The marriage of Miss Ella Hiscox, daughter of Mr. Geo. T. Hiscock, to Mr. William A. Waugh, son of Dr. Waugh, all of this city, took place this after-noon at the residence of the bride's father, Queen's avenue. Rev. C. C. Owen officiated.

AN "IMPRESSION"

That the Alaskan Boundary Business May Be Soon Settled.

Washington, July 25 .- A very gratifying change in the Alaska boundary situation, and the secretary of state was able to assure the president and cabinet yesterday that an amicable agreement with Great Britain would be made shortly. While the state department officials will not go further than to say that a temporary arrangement is in sight, some of the cabinet officers obtained the impression from Secretary Hay's explanation that he was very hopeful of settling the entire difficulty on a permanent basis without recourse to arbitration.

Afternoon Cables.

APPEAL DISMISSED. London, July 26.—The Privy Council has dismissed the appeal from the judgment of the court of queen's bench of Lower Canada in the case of Deners against the Bank of Montreal. GREAT FIRE.

Berlin, July 26 .- A great fire is raging at Marienburg, in West Prussia. At noon 40 houses had been razed. The fire brigades from Dantzic and Elbing were summoned to assist in subduing

APPEARS TO BE A HITCH. Pekin, July 26.-The Japanese admiral and four officers from the squad-ron at Ta-Ku, Gulf of Pechi Li, have arrived here to visit the Japanese minister, Prince Komura, who was

with the squadron, was expected here in connection with the pending treaty negotiations, but there appears to be a hitch regarding it. Rome, July 26.—An official communication says that the United States secretary, John Hay, has instructed the American embassy to assure the Government of Italy that the United

States will adopt every legal measure, warranted by the facts, to insure justice in the Tallulah affair. The communication adds that Secretary Hay has expressed to the Italian charge d'affaires at Washington the regret of President McKinley for the deplorable occurrences.

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HIS WIFE

Devon Snell Will Do Hard Labor in Jail for One Month.

Bail Refused for James Barrett Charged With Throwing a Stone at a Street Car Last Night.

At the police court this morning, Wm. H. Tarling was charged with throwing stones at the street cars on Dundas street east, during the disturbances on the afternoon of July 8. Policeman that liquor was sold in the London Monaghan and Black both testified to having seen the defendant throw stones at the cars on different occasions. Neither of the witnesses had seen a stone thrown by Tarling strike a car. Both officers testified that Tarling was drunk at the time. He was sent up for trial and released on his

own recognizance. A similar charge against Frank Bissett was disposed of in the same man-

Florence Snell, a neatly dressed young woman wearing a veil, accused her husband, Devon Snell, a barber, living at No. 3 York street, with hav-ing assaulted her Saturday evening. Mrs. Snell took the stand and said her husband came home drunk Saturday night, and beat her with his fists and kicked her. She raised her veil. Her eye was swollen and inflamed and the whole cheek badly discolored. She pulled up the sleeve of her shirt waist and showed great black and blue bruises on her arm. Her limbs and body were also discolored from bruises,

she said. Her husband was a good provider and was good to her when sober, but when he got drunk he beat her. She scarcely knew whether she wanted to prosecute him or not. She didn't know what to do. She and her husband had been to St. Thomas on Thursday to visit her mother. Her husband had taken a bottle of whisky along and had given her several drinks.

Mrs. Phoebe Cook, of St. Thomas, mother of the complainant, testified that the couple had been at her place Thursday night. They had a few drinks, but were not drunk. Her daughter had no marks of bruises at the time.

Devon Snell, the defendant, said he had never struck his wife. She had got her injuries by falling out of the buggy on the way back from St. Thom-Snell got a little mixed in his testimony.

Washington Snell, the defendant's father, testified that the complainant, his daughter-in-law, had shown him her arm and called his attention to the bruise on her face Friday evening after her return from St. Thomas, and had explained that she must have received the injuries by falling out of the rig. Magistrate Parke found Snell guilty, and sentenced him to one month's imprisonment in the common jail, with hard labor, remarking that he believed the wife's testimony as against that of

the husband. James Barrett, charged with throwing a stone at a street car last night with intent to injure passengers theremaid. Mr. Robert Gardner, of this city, on, pleaded not guilty and was reassisted the groom. Only immediate manded for one week to enable him to

will reside in Toronto. The popular- for immoderate driving on Dundas

LATE SPORTING

Mrs. Langtry Breaks a Long Spell of Bad Luck and Wins the Goodwood Cup.

BASEBALL

Many of the London players have received offers from outside leagues. Monday Montreal wired Pitcher Seiver to report at Toronto, if he were at liberty to do so, but Pitcher Seiver will stay with London to the finish.

Eastern League Standing.
 Won. Lost.
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 Rochester
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 Springfield
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 Providence
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 Hartford
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 Syracuse
 24

LAWN BOWLING.

Mr. L. K. Cameron, one of the winners of the Labatt trophy last year, has sent a substitute in his place this year, he being busy in connection with the government printing contract. He hopes to be able to bring a rink to London on the occasion of the Old Boys' excursion next week. THE W. O. TOURNEY.

At the Western Ontario bowling tournament this morning, the second round for the Labatt trophy match and the first round of the association match were played, with the following re-Trophy match-Second round:

Seaforth, E. C. Coleman, skip, 19, vs. Mitchell, W. Elliott, skip, 12. London, J. S. McDougall, skip, 13, vs. Clinton, D. Forrester, skip, 17. Goderich, R. W. Logan, skip, vs. Canada, Toronto, A. S. Wigmore, skip, 22.
Mitchell, Dr. Burritt, skip, 20, vs.

London, E. Weld, skip, 17 Association match-First round-Thistles, Toronto, Dr. Starr, skip, 12. Dresden, R. T. Mussen, skip, 13, vs. Goderich, W. Lane, skip, 14. Niagara, H. E. Moore, skip, 10, vs. Blenheim, R. L. Gosnell, skip, 19. Clinton, W. Jackson, skip, won by de-

fault from a Woodstock rink skipped by G. DeC. O'Grady. London, C. Weld, skip, 18, vs. Chatham, W. Taylor, skip, 17. St. Thomas, W. A. Wilson, skip, 5, vs. Prospect Park, Toronto, D. Carlyle, skip. 26.

London, J. Mattinson, skip, 18, vs. St. Thomas, N. W. Moore, skip, 19. Seaforth, W. D. Bright, skip, 12, vs. Woodstock, D. W. Karn, skip, 18. cellent condition of the green. TURF.

MRS. LANGTRY IN LUCK AT LAST. of the Goodwood meeting today, Mr. Jersey's (Mrs. Langtry) Merman won \$100 each, \$50 forfelt; second to receive them. \$250, and the third to save subscription out of the plate. Ten horses ran two miles. Mr. A. Waggs' Milcham was second, and Mr. L. Brassey's Merry Buck third. Mrs. Langtry, in securing this race, has thus broken her prolonged spell of ill-luck.

AQUATIC. A RECORD SWIM. London, July 25.-The bicylist Hel-

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stances be persuaded to believe that our high standard of grades can, at a moment's notice, be made the butt of capricious prices. Be convinced once for all that all we offer represents fully the price paid, not one cent less. We want your

Dundas St.

bein made a record swim from Blackwall to Gravesend and back today, covering the distance, 43 miles, in 12 hours, 27 minutes and 42 seconds. He

finished fresh and strong WHEEL.

EVENING MEET NEXT WEEK. The next evening meet will be held at Tecumseh Park Tuesday evening next, Aug. 1. Arrangements are under way for a matched pursuit race be-tween Higley, Stratton, Ingram and Mohler. This race will prove a very interesting event. The meet will be Western Ontario riders, and no doubt a large number will compete. The harpers will render a concert in the press stand during the races.

SIFTON-KELLY.

The marriage of Mr. Edward I. Sitton, manager for the Electrical Construction Company of this city, to Miss Kate Kelly, daughter of Mr. Geo. A. Kelly, is announced to take place this evening. Yesterday the members of the Electrical Construction Company presented Mr. Sifton with a valuable marble clock and statuary.

SAW MRS. GEORGE SHOOT. Chicago, July 26.—Russell Hogan, 15 years old, claims to have seen Mrs. Anna George fire the shot which killed George Saxton, Mrs. McKinley's brother, in Canton, O. The boy was in court here on a charge of disorderly conduct. It is unlikely that his evidence can reopen the affair.

WON'T MEET ON SUNDAY. Pittsburg, July 26.-Ten thousand delegates are expected to attend the tenth anniversary convention of the Young People's Christian Union of the Presbyterian Church, in this city next week, opening Aug 2. No mass meetings will be held on Sunday, as the delegates are opposed to riding on the street cars on that day.

G. T. R. TRACKMEN.

Montreal, July 26 .- The divisions affected by sectionmens' pay are: Portland to Sarnia. Niagara Falls and Sarnia. Fort Erie and Stratford. Powers' Point and Montreal. None of the men working on the branch lines are included in the new schedule, which, it is understood, will

GREAT WALL OF CHINA

go into effect at once.

Proposal to Tear It Down for the Building Stone It Contains.

Four or five companies, European and American, are said to be interested in the proposed tearing down of the Great Wall of China. The wall happens to be in the best state of repair in districts that are most accessible and populous, and it is believed that building stone from the wall will be worth fortunes to those who may secure the concession to tear it down. There are supposed to be 4,000,000,000 cubic feet of masonry in the great structure, which has a total length of 2,000 m. s, including its many windings and the double and triple lines of wall that are

constructed at some places. In the end the wall was a failure, for it could not keep out of China the hosts of Genghiz Knan, who swept over it and conquered the country in the thirteenth century. After that time the wall ceased to have any strategic importance, but for fourteen centuries before the great conqueror lived the wall had well served its purpose. It stretched all along the northern frontier of China, and none of the hordes of the north had been able to pass it. Day and night for centuries Chinese guards were mounted on the towers that overtopped the wall, and they always gave timely notice of the approach of an enemy. Garrisons were stationed at each gate and natural passage through the walls, and towns sprang up at these encampments, many of which became important market places. Thus the wall really helped China to develop into a strong nation, for during the process the great barrier was of much assistance in keeping outbarbarians from molesting the

country.

Time has left its marks upon this my monument of China's early civilion. The climate is severe, and the ce winter blasts from the Mongolian plains alternating with hot winds from he south in the change of the monsoon are enough to crumble the best of Woodstock, F. Millman, skip, 17, vs. masonry. A good deal of the earlier wall has undoubtedly disappeared, and from century to century much of the structure was repaired or entirely rebuilt. In the course of this work the lines of the wall for long stretches were wholly changed, and the work of different generations is apparent in the various architectural aspects of the struc-The eastern part of the wall, ture. north of Pekin, is supposed to have been the latest to be repaired and rebuilt, and it is now in a very good state of preservation, while for streches further west it has disappeared entire-

The Chinese are much given to walls. The word for city in the Chinese lan-Much credit is given by the players guage means a walled town, and the to Caretaker Sparrowhawk for the ex- law of the empire requires that every city be surrounded by a wall of specified height. This law, however, is not strictly observed, and the walls around cities have been allowed to many London, July 26. - At the second day crumble and afford no protection whatever. It happens sometimes that a city fears an attack, and then there is a the Goodwood plate. This event is a great bustle at the walls, for a large handicap of \$4,000, by subscription of force of men is put at work repairing

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SWINBURNE'S POEM

He Writes Discriptive Verse for the North American Ravicw.

Very many years have passed since the pages of the North American Review were lightened by verse, and perhaps the most significant and the most convincing proof which the new editor has given of his determination to extend the range of our oldest periodical is his publication in the July number of one of the mose remarkable poems that have been written in the English language since the death of Tennyson. The poem is from the pen of Algernon C. Swinburne, is entitled "A Channel Passage 1855," and describes a storm in the course of a voyage between Calais and Dover. It is full of Mr. Swinburne's characteristic fire, and is marked by the boldness of imagery and by the musical versification which distinguish the best works of that singer of surpassing power. It contains thirstanzas of six lines each. We give below the first two stanzas, and the last:

"Forth from Calais, at dawn of night, when sunset summer on autumn

Fared the steamer, alert and loud, through seas whence only the sun was gone; Soft and sweet as the sky they smiled, and bade man welcome; a dim,

sweet hour Gleamed and whispered in wind and sea, and heaven was fair as a field in flower,

Stars fulfilled the desire of the darkling world, as with music: the star-bright air Made the face of the sea, if aught may make the face of the sea more

fair. 'Whence came change? Was the sweet night weary of rest? What anguish awoke in the dark?

Sudden, sublime, the strong storm spoke; we heard the thunders as hounds that bark; Lovelier, if aught may be lovelier, than

stars, we saw the lightnings exalt the sky. Living and lustrous and rapturous as love that is born but to quicken and lighten and die.

Heaven's own heart, at its highest of delight, found utterance in music and semblance in fire; Thunder on thunder exulted, rejoicing to live and to satiate the ni

desire. "The might of the night subsidea, the tyranny kindled in darkness fell; And the sea and the sky put off them

the rapture and radiance of heaven and of hell; The waters, heaving and hungering at heart made way, and were well-

nigh fain For the ship that had fought them, and wrestled, and reveled in labor, to cease from her pain: And an end was made of it; only remembrance endures of the glad

loud strife. And the sense that a picture so royal may come not again in the passage of life."

FUNNY ADVERTISEMENTS.

[Youth's Companion.] Some advertisements are funny enough to deserve gratuitous circulation. The following are from England, but they will be appreciated by

readers in this country: Two menageries recently arrived in border town, one of which was under the management of Signor —, and the other under that of his wife, traveling respectively on their own account. Here they decided to unite their forces, and the fact was intimated on the bill

thus: "Owing to the arrival of my wife, my collection of ferocious wild animals is considerably augmented."

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A SINGULAR FUNERAL.

No clergyman was present to conduct service at the funeral of Col. Robert Ingersoll, and there was no music and there were no pall-bearers. Dr. John Ridpath read the last poem written by Col. Robt. G. Ingersoll, entitled "Declaration of the Free." and Major O. J. Smith read another extract from Col-Ingersoll's writings, entitled "My Religion." Dr. John Elliott, of New York, read the funeral oration delivered by Col. Ingersoll over his brother's dead

Walston on the Hudson, July 26 .-