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Toronto Stock Market. TORONTO, June 28. Off. Imperial..... Standard 198

Hamilton 188

British America 114

Western Assurance 145

Consumers' Gas 181½

Northwest Land Company, pref. 53

Canada Pacific Ry, Stock 88½

General Electric 163

London Electric 163

Commercial Cable Company 164

Cable Goup, Bonds 102

Cable Reg. Bonds 102

Cable Reg. Bonds 102

Dominion Telegraph 179

Bell Telephone Company 179

Richelieu and Ontario 104

Toronto Street Railway 98 Toronto Street Railway..... Huron and Brie, new.
Lon. and Can. L. and A.
London Loan.
London and Ontario.
Ontario Loan and Debenture.

Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, June 28. Canadian Pacific. 88%
Duluth, common 5
Duluth, preferred 12
Commercial Cable 165
Com. Cable Goupon Bonds 5
Sommercial Reg Bonds Montreal Telegraph 104
Montreal Street Railway 249
Montreal St. Railway, nsw 237%
Toronto Railway, xd 98%
Montreal Gas Company 181
Bell Telephone 181
Royal Electric 196%
Bank of Montreal 280
Ontario Bank Ontario Bank
Molsons Bank
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Juebec Bank
Union Bank
Bank of Commerce
Northwest Land, pref
Montreal Cotton Co. 140
Canada Colored Cotton 88
Deminion Coston 94 New York Stocks.

New York, June 28. Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Te-cumseh House, for The Advertiser. Yesterday's

Close. Open. High. Low. 2 p.m. Close Open High Low 2 p.m.
Anaconda 39% S9½ 40% 40% 39% 40%
Atcheson 24¼ 24½ 25% 24¾ 25
Atcheson Pfd 70½ 70½ 71 70½ 71
B. & O. 69½ 69½ 69½ 68¾ 69½
Brooklyn Tran 54½ 54½ 54¼ 52½ 55%
C. B. & Q. 12½ 121½ 123¼ 121½ 122½
C. C. C. 66½ 66 57 56 57
C. & N. W.
C. F. I. Manhattan ..... 85% 86 Metropolitan St. 146% ... 125 12534 9474 9654 10334 10454 5774 594 10874 10934 5054 5034 32 10934 10934 C. I ...... 64 Pacific ..... 4956 TRUSTS-Leather ...... 66½ 65½ 65½ 65½

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English Markets

Wheat—Spot, dull; No. 1 Cai., 6s 7d to 6s Ed; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 7½d; futures, firm; July, 6s 4d; Sept., 6s 6¾d; Dec., nominal inal.
Corn—Spot, steady; American mixed, new,
firm, 4s 4d; futures, firm; 48 %d; do. old, firm. 48 4d; futures, firm; July, 48 1d; Sept., 48 2%d. Flour-St. Louis fancy winter, firm, 88 3d.

Peas-Canadian. 5s 716d. Beef - Extra India mess, steady, 76s 3d; prime mess, dull, 67s 6d.

Pork - Prime mess, fine western, steady; 65s.

Pork—Prime mess, fine western, steady; 65s. Lard—American refined, in 28-1b pails, steady. 37s; prime western, in tierces, steady, 36s.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 18 lbs, steady, 46s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, steady, 40s; short ribs, 18 to 22 lbs, dull, 42s 6d; long clear middles, light, 30 to 35 lbs, firm, 42s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, firm, 42s; short elear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, steady, 37s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 40s.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, steady, 35s 6d. Cheose—American finest white and colored, steady, 49s.

ow-Prime city, firm, 25s; Australian

in London, steady, 25s.
Cottonseed oil - Hull refined, July-Aug.,

Turpentine spirits Steady, 36s. Rosin - Common, firm, 5s. Hops - At London (Pacific coast), steady, £215s

Linseeed oil-37s 3d.

Butter-Good; finest American, 76s. Petrolium-Refined, 6%d.

Toronto Produce Market.

Toronto, June 28.-Wheat-Weaker and lower; red and white, 72c west; goose lower, at 70c west; Manitoba goose lower, at 70c west; Manitoba lower, at 92c, Toronto and west, 86c afloat at Fort William, 96c grinding in transit and 91c at Midland. Flour-Steady; 90 per cent patents, \$3 20 to \$3 25 in barrels west. Millfeed—Steady, at \$1450 for shorts and \$12 for bran west. Barley—Nominal; No. 2 is quoted at 40c, middle freights. Rye-Nominal, at 52c west. Corn-Canada vellow 4s 401/2c west; No. 3 new American yel-

HAMS

low is 401/2c west; No. 3 new American

yellow, 50c at Toronto. Oats-Steady:

Lunch Bacon, Cooked Hams, Lard, Bologna, in choice quality.

mixed, 26½c; white at 27c to 27½c west. Peas—Steady, at 61c west. Butter—Receipts fair; choice dairy tubs, 16c to 17c, and off-flavor stock at 15c to 16c; creamery, 19c to 20c for prints and tubs. Eggs-Steady, at 121/2c. Live hogs-Receipts today, 1,100; prices unchanged; steady; choice bacon, 61/2c; heavy fat, 53/4c; light fat, 5%c; corn-fed, 5%c.

American Merkets. NEW YORK, June 28.-Flour-Receipts, 17,477 bbls; sales, 4,100 pkgs; inactive and nominally lower to sell. Rye flour—Firm. Wheat—Receipts, 48,100 bu; sales, 2,310,000 bu; options generally weak this morning under renewed liquidation, lower English cables and rains in Manitoba; July, 78¼c to 89¼c; Sept., 86%c to 88%c; Oct., 87%c; Dec., 87%c to 89%c. Rye—Dull; state, 63c to 64c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 67½c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 201,125 bu; sales, 80,-000; options opened firm on covering, but was later weakened by the drop in wheat; July, 47%c to 48%c; Sept., 48%c to 49%c. Oats—Receipts, 66,800 bu; options inactive and easy; track, —Mis white, 30½c to 35½c. Butter-Receipts, 9.140 pkgs; market steady; state dairy, 16c to 19c; creamery, 17c to 20c; factory, 14c to 16½c; imitation creamery, John, N. B., this afternoon on the In-15c to 18c. Cheese—Receipts, 9,120 pkgs; dull and unsettled; large white,

—The hand concert that was to have 91/4c to 91/4c; large colored, 91/4c to 91/2c; small white, 91/6c to 91/4c; small color-ed, 91/6c to 91/4c. Eggs—Receipts, 13,279 ed, 91/6c to 91/4c. Eggs—Receipts, 13,279 day night. pkgs; dull and heavy; state and Penn-sylvania, at mark, 13c to 15c; western, loss off, 13c to 14½c; western, at mark, for average lot, 19c to 12c. Sugar—Raw strong; refined strong. Coffee—Firm; No. 7 Rio, 8¾c. Lead—Unsettled. Wool—Dull. Hops—Quiet.

BUFFALO, June 28.—Spring wheat-No. 1 northern, spot. 91c; winter, No. 2, 88c; No. 1 white, 87c asked. Corn-No. 2 yellow, 48c; No. 3 yellow, 47%c; No. 2 corn, 47%c; No. 3 corn, 47%c on

track. DETROIT, June 28.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 874c; No. 2 red, 874c; July, 871/2c; Sept., 881/2c.

TOLEDO, June 28.-Wheat, cash, 86c; June, 86c; July, 86½c; Sept., 88½c. Corn—July, 43½c. Oats—Sept., 25¾c. Chicago Exchange.

CHICAGO. June 28.
Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, broker, Tecumseh House. Phone 1278.

Open. High. Low. Close.

Wheat—July. 83 8334 794 80

Aug. 834 844 8154 8154

Corn—July. 424 434 42 424

Aug. 4344 44 4254 4354

Oats—July. 254 2554 2434 4244

Aug. 264 26 25 25

Pork—July. 12 75 12 75 12 55 12 60

Sept. 12 92 12 95 12 72 12 95

Lard—July. 6 97 6 97 6 87 6 87

Sept. 7 07 7 07 7 00 7 06

Ribs—July. 7 10 7 10 7 07 7 07

Sept. 7 22 7 25 7 12 7 17

Live Stock Market. OLD COUNTRY PRCIES. London, June 27.-Here and at Liverpool prices are unchanged and steady at 11% c to 121/2c per lb, dressed weight;

refrigerator beef is firm at 9c per 1b.

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## HARVARD VS. YALE

Big Boat Races Successfully Pulled M-Two Events Easily Won by Harvard.

New London, Conn., June 28.-The weather at 8:30 o'clock this morning made the prospect of pulling off the three Yale-Harvard races at midday rather uncertain, and conditions favor-Gale's Ferry, Conn., June 28.-The

river is in beautiful shape for the race at this time (10 a.m.). The betting is even on the result of the race. The four-cared crews got off at 11:45:30. Harvard caught the stroke quickly and steadily pulled at about 36. Yale had less success, splashing considerably as she pulled 34. At the half-mile Harvard was at least three lengths ahead and was pulling surely. Harvard held her lead until the finish. and won by about four lengths. Time, Harvard, 12:161/2; Yale, 12:23. Official time, four-oared race-Harvard, 13:22; Yale, 13:25%. Distance two miles.

Harvard won the freshmen eight-oared race. Official time—Harvard, 12:01; Yale, 12:19%. Distance, two

Yale wins the four-mile university eight-oared race.

BASEBALL.

EASTERN LEAGUE STANDING. Won. Lost. Providence ..... 36 Rochester 23 Soringfield 27 
 Hartford
 25

 Toronto
 19

 Syracuse
 18

Steamship Arrivals. June 27. At. New York. Kensington. New York...... Antwerp Queenstown..... New York Teutonic .... Glasgow Montreal. . Glasgow .... . New York . Buenos Ayrean.... State of Nebraska .. Glasgow Hibernian .... Lake Superior. Boston Amarynthia. Father Point. .Glasgow Liverpool... Table Bay. igano..... . Boston

Island ...... .... Copenhagen. New York I. O. F. ORGANIZER PARALYZED. Owen Sound, June 27 .- Mr. C. C. Whale of Toronto, supreme organizer of the Independent Order of Foresters, was seized with an attack of paralysis while officiating at the initiation ceremonies of Court Northern Light, No. 127, here last night, and now lies No. 127, here last night, and now lies town in America. Prize lists can be in a helpless condition at the Paterson had by addressing Mr. Hill at the of-House. It is not thought the attack will be fatal.

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other race of people.

## Latest Probabilities.

Toronto, June 28-10 a.m,-Probabilities for the lower lakes region for the next 24 hours: Moderate westerly winds; fair, with showers in some localities.

Friday-Moderate to fresh northwesterly winds: fair and cooler

-W. H. Taylor, M.P.P., was in the city yesterday. -Ald. Douglass has returned home

from the old country. -No. 2 committee of the city council will meet tomorrow night instead of to-

-Miss Eva Ince, of Cleveland, Ohio.

is visiting Miss Mable Smith, Dundas -Miss Gertrude Minhinnick.

Grand avenue, is visiting friends in Providence, R. I. -Mrs. Robert Inglis leaves for St.

-The band concert that was to have been held last night in Victoria Park

-Mrs. William Wilkins and little son, of Chicago, are the guests of Mrs. W. E. B. Eardley, 170 Wortley road,

-The fall non-jury sittings open here on Nov. 19, before Justice Meredith, and the winter assizes on Jan. 7, before Justice Robertson.

-Andrew F. Boston, of Hastings, Nebraska, is visiting his old home in Lobo, and will spend Sunday with his brother, Governor Boston, of the county fail.

-Mrs. (Col.) Gartshore, Rev. Canon Richardson, Dr. Drake, of Windsor, and Daniel Johnson all leave this afternoon to sail by Allan Liner Tunisian for England.

-A sitting of the high court of justice was commenced at noon today, before Chief Justice Meredith. There are eight cases down for hearing, and the session will occupy most of the afternoon.

-A strawberry festival and garden party is being given tonight on the grounds of Joshua Irvine, Lobo village. Talbot Macbeth, Q.C., will be in On Dundas street, between Waterloo the chair, and other Londoners are expected to take part.

-It was state some days ago that Mr. Charles J. Mills, inspector of the Queen City Oil Company, was charg-ed with a breach of the weights and measures act. This was a mistake, as Mr. Mills is not connected with the above company in any way.

-The residence of the late E. Jones Parke, Q.C., and grounds surrounding it have been subdivided into building lots and advertised for sale on Wednesday the 11th July, at 2 o'clock, on the premises. This affords an excel-lent opportunity for anyone desiring beautiful building lots.

-Mr. A. E. Welch, managing director of the Scottish Canadian Mining and Development Company, leaves this evening for British Columbia, on a tour of inspection of the properties held by his company. Very gratifying reports have recently been received as to the value of the mines, and the outlook is very promising.

died yesterday in London township, address was signed on behalf of the where he was visiting relatives. Death many friends and well-wishers of the was due to anaemia, from which Mr. Hunt had been suffering for some months. He was 59 years old, and and A. Weldon, and was responded to leaves a widow and family. The by the recipient in appropriate terms. funeral takes place tomorrow to Mount LICENSE HOLDERS' PROTECTIVE Pleasant cemetery.

-The Real Estate Owners' Association now has a membership of 200. The association intends to agitate for a smaller number of policemen in the near future. At present information is being obtained from many other cities about the cost per ratepayer for this service, and a comparison with this city will be made.

-Archie Stewart O'Neil, only son of John H. O'Neil, 457 King street, died at Victoria Hospital this morning, from uraemic poisoning. The young man had been ill two weeks, but was only taken to the hospital yesterday, where he sank rapidly. He was 22 years of age and was a student. The interment will take place Saturday at Birr Cemetery.

-D. R. Ross, of Woodstock, has received a letter from his son, Capt. Jack Ross, in South Africa. Capt. Ross says he is fast recovering from the effects of his wound and when he next writes he says it will be from the front with his regiment. The letter was dated May 25. Jack is a member of B Company, and well-known and

popular in this city. -During yesterday afternoon's storm Springbank Park seemed to be a special attraction for the lightning, and numerous instances of its activity there are told today. One bolt set fire to the awning covering the merry-go-round. The lights in the pavilion were burned out, as were some of the motors on the street cars, and one motorman was thrown completely from his car by the force of the shock.

-A very pretty home wedding took place on the 27th inst. at the residence of Mr. Robert Haskett, merchant, of Watford, when his second daughter, Lily, was united in marriage to Mr. George Chambers, of the same place. S. Salton, of Centralia, performed the ceremony. The bride was charmingly attired in a rich brocaded satin dress, and was supported by her sister Violet, with little Gertrude Kitt. of Lucan, as maid of honor. The presents were numerous and costly.

-There are at present in the county jail here five prisoners awaiting removal to the Central Prison, and two to be sent to Kingston Penitentiary. The former are Howay, the stonethrower; Corrigan, the tramp who flagged a train at Hyde Park; Riley, the whisky thief; Russell, a vagrant, and Higden, the colored man who stole a watch from a C. P. R. brakeman. Higden is the hardest customer in the crowd, is 35 years of age and boasts of having served one-half of his life in jail. The two men destined for Kingston are Prosser and Goodwin, who stole copper wire from the street railway company.

-The prize list for Toronto's great annual Exposition and Industrial Fair, which this year will be held from Aug. 27 to Sept. 8, has just been published. shows some increase in the premrums and gives evidence of the minutest attention to the promotion of the best interests of the country. Mr. H. J. Hill, the manager and secretary, has been in Europe after some special attractions, and it is expected that he will be successful in securing some features of the highest class that have never before been seen in any city or fice, 82 King street east, Toronto.

-The following pupils of Mr. W. H. Hewlett were successful at the examinations in the theory of music, recently held by the Toronto Conservstory of Music in this city: Junior

Harmony—(Harmony, rudiments and history), Miss Mabel Stevens, London, first-class honors; rudiments of music, first-class honors, and history, Miss Letta Smith, London; primary harmony and rudiments, Miss Lily Wilcox, London; Miss Jean Meekison, organist of Presbyterian Church, Strathroy; Miss Grace Saunders, Ingersoll, and Miss Gertrude Gillespie, Glencoe, all first-class honors. The examina-

tions in piano will be held next week. -Rev. T. Wilson, the popular pastor of King Street Presbyterian Church, has been engaged to give his lecture on 'The War in South Africa," Illustrated with limelight views, in Centralia, on July 2. The London harpers are to furnish the muste for the festival occasion and also for the lecture in the evening.

-The dinner given by Capt. Frank Reid and Lieut. Jack Brown at the Kennels last night, proved a great sucess. Notwithstanding the disagreeable weather more than 30 men were on parade. They were fortunate enough to reach shelter before the heavy rainstorm, but were discon-certed when they reached the river and found that the greater portion of the floating bridge had disappeared. Seven or eight men were successful in getting over when two men disappeared from sight. These were extricated without very much trouble, and the balance of the company proved good swimmers. Privates Aldridge, Parsons, Bowman, Erasmus and several other members of the company rendered songs, and the enthusiasm of the men's speeches showed that they were anxious to make the company a successful one, and are determined to turn out to all the parades, which will be held every Wednesday night throughout the summer. The company returned by the back road and thus avoided a second bath. POLICE COURT.

At this morning's police court, the charge of assault, laid by Mrs. Frances Austin against Albert Macnamara, was hear and dismissed. The case arose out of a dispute about the use of a well, and Mrs. Austin claimed that Macnamara had struck her when she was at the pump. This the defendant and his wife denied.

The case of Dr. Westland, charged with harboring a vicious dog, was adjourned for another week to allow the dog to be caught and destroyed.

and Wellington streets. Two other cases were adjourned. Archie Wilkie was fined \$1 for walking on the grass. John Finnigan and Tim Sullivan. who have both been there before, were each fined \$10 or 20 days for being drunk.

AN EXPRESSION OF GOODWILL. The retiring pastor of the Belmont Methodist circuit was, on the eve of his departure to his new charge at Siloam, presented with a purse containing a handsome sum of money and an address expressive of the high appreciation in which he is held as an able and faithful preacher of the gospel, whose discourses have been an inspiration to higher living, as well as an edueation in Scriptural truth. Acknowledgment was also made of his frequent aid in the service of sacred song, and of his kindliness of disposition. The presentation was made at the Salem Epworth League of Christian Endeavor service, the address being read by Miss M. Weldon, and the donation ten--Samuel Hunt, of Lexington, Mich., dered by Mr. James Thompson. The reverend gentleman, by Messrs. J. D. Thompson, Charles Beattie, W. Dibb,

> ASSOCIATION. The seventh annual convention of the License Holders' Protective Association of Ontario met at Gueiph yesterday in the council chamber of the city hall. Nearly 100 delegates representing every section of the province, are in attendance. President Collins called the convention to order at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, when Ald. Walker, acting mayor, welcomed the delegates to the Royal City. The following officers were elected for the en-suing year: President, F. J. Collins, Dundas; first vice-president, John Coffee, Barrie; second vice-president, D. Birrell, York Mills; treasurer, Jas. McFarlane, Toronto; secretary, E. Dickie, Toronto; solicitor, Jas. Haverson, Toronto; auditors, J. W. Scandrett, London, and H. A. Coffen, Georgetown. The following were nominated for the executive committee: H. Maxey, Ham-Ilton; F. X. St. Jacques, Ottawa; D. Sare, London; J. McCarty, St. Cathe-Sare, London; J. McCarty, St. Catherines; John Stormont, Toronto; D. Martin, Guelph; D. McKenzie, Glen Williams; R. Wells, Aurora; T. K. Haffey, Toronto; N. J. Frawley, Oril-

## mentioned for next year's convention. ANOTHER INDUSTRY

lia; George Bernhardt, Galt; J. S. Hen-

derson, Kingston. Ottawa, Barrie, St.

Catharines, Brantford and Orillia are

Erection of a Factory in London for the Manufacture of Tea Boxes.

Some time ago it was announced in these columns that a new industry- but the impromement in the situation the manufacture of a patented teabox-would be established in this city. As explained then, it was confidently expected that this box would revolutionize the tea-box trade of the world. The business has already been started in one of the buildings formerly occupied by the London Furniture Company. These premises were recently turned over to the Canadian-British syndicate for whom they were purchased originally. The occupation of these premises is temporary; they are

used only in order to rush work on the orders for boxes that have already been received. A new factory will be built on the Minhinnick property in East London, for which plans have been prepared by Mr. Herbert Matthews. The contractors are: William Hayman, brickwork; Hessell & Barnes, carpentering; George Howe, painting.

## Real Estate Transfers.

A prevalent opinion among real esmany from building this spring, have war office. had manifest advantages. One of the results of the suspended operations has been a lessening of the number of vacant houses. It has also caused many landlords to put their houses in better repair, in order to retain and secure tenants. Mr. W. H. Ferguson, real estate dealer, says that in the matter of property exchanges, this has been the busiest spring that he has ever had. A few of his recent trans-

fers are:
Mr. M. C. Ryder has purchased Mrs.
Schram's cottage, No. 21 Euclid ave-



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A. K. Ferguson's cottage, No. 262 Piccadilly street, has been bought by Mr. Charles West for \$1,000. Miss Lulu Hodgins' building property on York street, east of Adelaide

street, was purchased by Colin and John Moore for \$950. Mr. Thomas Deveney has purchased Mrs. Daly's cottage, No. 417 Princess avenue, for \$900. A cottage owned by Mr. James Gray at No. 485 St. James street, was sold to Rev. W. C. Beer for \$1,350.

In the Relief of Tien Tsin Were 11 Killed and 20 Wounded.

The Fight Lasted Eight Hours-Situa tion in China Clearing.

Berlin, June 28. - The German commander at Taku reports that in the relief of Tien Tsin the Germans lost Lieut. Friedrich and ten men killed, and had twenty men wounded. The fight lasted eight hours.

SITUATION CLEARING. New York, June 28.-The situation in China is clearing slowly but surely, says the London correspondent of the Tribune. The losses and dangers of the foreigners in Tien Tsin are now known to have been grossly exaggerated by the rumor-mongers. The casualties have been few, and the damages to property have been slight. Dispatches received from Shanghai and Che Foo agree in minimizing the perils to which the foreign quarter had been exposed and the coast from Tien Tsin reports that there has been anxiety there, but no

approach to a panic. The relief column which entered Tien Tsin Saturday night met with little resistance. The Russian losses are reported as four killed and twenty wounded and the casualities of the other detachments were light. Admiral Seymour's mixed force, which was retreating towards Tien Tsin, does not appear to have been in so des-perate a plight as the earliest and most sensational dispatches made out, and on Sunday it was only three hours' march from the city. The details of the rescue of this force by a relief column two thousand strong are still lacking, but the return of the entire body to Tien Tsin is a foregone conclusion.

FOREIGN LEGATIONS. The safety of the foreign legations is assured. The foreigners, with their own guards, were conducted out of the capital and placed under the protection of Seymour's force, which retired slowly toward Tien Tsin, with its sick and wounded. The column was harasssed by Chinese mobs and compelled to move slowly, but apart from the difficulty of securing supplies it does not appear to have been in serious danger, much less in great extremity.

EARLY COLLAPSE OF THE BOXER

MOVEMENT PREDICTED It now seems probable that with the ten thousand troops, including the Japanese between Taku and Tien Tsin, Pe-kin can be approached with little difficulty within a few days, and the members of the legations reinstated in their quarters. This may be an optimistic view, but the situation has improved so rapidly during the last 48 hours, that the collapse of the entire Boxer move-ment within a week is now forecasted by well-informed men. The optimists are probably over-sanguine, just as the croakers have been unduly alarmed,

is unmistakable. Information was not definite at mid-night, but there was a general feeling among those watching events in the far east, that there had been no catas-

trophe, and that THE CRISIS HAD PASSED. When Seymour's force is rescued, diplomacy will come in. Russia and Japan will have troops on the ground, and it will not be easy to bring about their exit; but there will be a diplomatic situation in place of a crisis in Asian affairs, with China at war

# CAPITAL ECHOES

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Queries Re Candidates for the Niger Constabulary.

[Special to Advertiser per C. P. R.] Ottawa, Ont., June 28.-Lord Minto has written the militia department, asking for further particulars concerning the age, and whather married or single, of the 20 or 36 candidates for tate dealers is that the high prices of lary offered to Canadian officers. The raw materials that have deterred so information is required for the imperial

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# RUSSIA IN A HOLE

Her Financial Situation Said To Be Critical.

Long List of Good Firms Failing-The Khedive Visits the Queen.

London, June 28.—A dispatch from Moscow to the Westminster Gazette says: The Boxer troubles and the death of Count Murayleff have greatly accentuated the difficulties of the financial situation in Russia, which is in such a critical state as to arouse the gravest anxiety. The black list of good firms failing lengthens, and the sense of insecurity and fear that something worse is to come has caused vast sums to be temporarily withdrawn from the market. In Moscow alone, within two months, it is stated on good authority, \$20,000,000 roubles (over \$615,000.000), most of which was previously in currency, have been lodged it the Imperial Bank without interest fo.

THE KHEDIVE AT WINDSOR. London, June 28-4:52 p.m.-The Khedive of Egypt paid a state visit to Queen Victoria at Windsor Castle this afternoon. Accompanied by the Duke of York and the Turkish ambassador, Anthopulo Pasha, and staff, he drove in state carriages, escorted Household Cavalry, to the Paddington railroad station, whence he took a train for Windsor. The Duke of Connaught there joined and accompanied his highness to the castle. The pro-cession at Windsor was escorted by Life Guards, and a detachment of Grenadiers formed a guard of honor in the quadrangle of the castle. The Queen received the khedive at the principal entrance.

CABLE NOTES. A Cape Town dispatch states that it is officially announced there that no troops will leave South Africa until the Boer war is over. At The Hague the second chamber approved the conventions of the peace conference relating to the application of the Geneva convention to naval warfare, and relating to the laws and

usages of war on land. George Wilson & Co., of St. Catherines lost about \$10,000 by fire in their lumber yard. They are well insured. Alex. Daigle, extradited in Detroit. was brought back to Montreal to ans-

wer charges of forgery. Forest fires are burning again in the vicinity of West Superior, Wis., and about fifteen miles out in the vicinity of Rockmount, on the Duluth, South

Shore and Atlantic road. The Crescent Street Presbyterian Church and St. Bridget's Roman Catholic Church at Maisonneuve, Que., were struck by lightning yesterday,

but no serious damage was done. Sir Wilfrid Laurier announces that Mr. Flint's prohibition resolution will