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Born, Married, Died.

DIED

PAINE—At 729 Waterloo street, city, on Aug. 16th, Benjamin M., only son of John and Mary G. Paine.

Funeral on Wednesday at 2:30; service at 2 o'clock. Friends will kindly accept this intimation.

LEWIS—At the residence of her son-in-law, Jas. A. Ler, Grand Rapids, Mich., on Sunday, Aug. 15, after a lingering illness, Mrs. M. A. Lewis, widow of the late Edwin Lewis, formerly of London, in her 54th year.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading, two cents per word, or ten cents per line each insertion.

WESTERN FAIR SOUVENIRS—VISITORS to the fair, call on F. B. CLARKE, Richmond street, next door to Advertiser office and see the souvenir ships. ywt

RATES ALWAYS AS LOW AS BY ANY other first-class line via the Allan liner Parisian which sails Saturday, Aug. 21, from Montreal to Liverpool, via Derry. For tickets apply F. B. CLARKE, Richmond street, next door to Advertiser office.

573 CENTRAL AVENUE—SWIMMING bath open for the season. Ladies or gents taught the art at moderate prices. 43tf

Excursions.

Advertisements under this heading, two cents per word, or ten cents per line each insertion.

MOONLIGHT TRIP TO PORT STANLEY and two hours' ride on steamer Flora Tuesday evening, Aug. 17, under auspices of Seventh Fusiliers Band, which will play under direction of Mr. Roselle Pocock. Round trip tickets 50c. 98c

GRAND EXCURSIONS—MERCHANTS Line—Port Stanley to Montreal and return, via Windsor, Cleveland, Toledo, Welland Canal, Hamilton, Toronto and other ports. Three days stop in Montreal if passengers wish to return same trip. Tickets cost only $25 round trip from the Port, including meals and berth. Stop over allowed. Steamers also leave Hamilton for Montreal every Saturday. F. B. CLARKE, agent, Richmond street, next door to Advertiser; E. N. HUNT, agent, 190 Dundas street, and C. C. YOUNG.

GEORGIAN BAY LINE—S. S. Carmona leaves Stevenson's dock, foot Randolph street, Friday, 1:30 p.m. America's finest outing; through 10,000 Island Archipelago; one week $17; meals and berth included. For folders apply to any agent G. T. R., C. P. R., G. W. Brown, 110 Woodward avenue, Detroit, or Windsor, Ont. ywt

STEAMER LEAVES LONDON DAILY—1:45, 3:30, 7:45. Springbank—5:15, 9:30. Harpers every trip. Bicycles free. 55tf

Domestics Wanted.

First insertion, 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

COOKS CAN GET GOOD SITUATIONS in hotels and private families by applying at once at the Osborne Intelligence Agency, 55 Dundas street. Phone 986.

GIRLS, GIRLS—LOTS OF SITUATIONS at the old reliable, Dyer's Employment Agency, 391 Richmond street, and still we want dining-room and kitchen girls and hotel cooks for out of city. On hand—Housekeepers, housemaids, cooks, general servants and nurse girls. Ring up 1121.

Male Help Wanted.

First insertion, 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED—CAPABLE NURSERY salesman, salary and expenses to right man. Apply at once. BLACKFORD & Co., Toronto. 28tfywt

WANTED—MESSENGER BOYS—MUST be smart and active. Address in own handwriting to "Manufacturer," Advertiser office. 98c

WANTED—MAN FOR WAREHOUSE. Must be strong, energetic, and capable of handling people to advantage, mechanic preferred; steady position; low wages at beginning. State age, experience and full particulars in own writing. Box C, Advertiser.

$7,800 GIVEN AWAY TO PERSONS making the greatest number of words out of the phrase "Patent Attorney Wedderburn." For full particulars write the National Recorder, Washington, D. C., for sample copy containing same. 88tf

Female Help Wanted.

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LADIES WANTED IMMEDIATELY TO do fancy work at home. Appy 89 Askin street. 100u

Lost and Found.

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LOST—DUNDAS OR RICHMOND—A Black Kid Glove. Finder will oblige by leaving at this office. b

FOUND—PAIR GOLD SPECTACLES—Owner call 139 Maitland street. 100n

FOUND—LADY'S GOLD WATCH—APPLY to Postmaster, Cobble Hill P. O. 99u&bw

Real Estate.

FOR SALE OR RENT—SMALL HOTEL at Port Huron—Close to tunnel depot and Grand Trunk yards. All modern improvements; in first-class order. Will give the right party a very liberal deal. Address JOHN G. O'NEILL, Port Huron, Mich. 100 a

FOR SALE—TEN FINE BUILDING LOTS five fronting on Grey street and five fronting on Simcoe street, immediately east of the London and Petrolea Barrel Works, East London. Price and particulars given by

GEO. PRITCHARD,
yt 9 Market Lane.

REAL ESTATE—A FEW GOOD LOTS near car shops, and three good cottages; a few fine lots in North End; nice cottage on Ontario street, near Dundas, only $1,200.
J. F. SANGSTER,
403 Richmond street.

TYPEWRITERS

are used by every business establishment. W. C. COO, Official Court Stenographer, 76 Dundas street, has a great number of new and second-hand machines

FOR SALE

at prices ranging from $10 to $100. He also keeps a full line of Typewriter Supplies, and also has every kind of Typewriter

TO RENT.

Articles For Sale.

First insertion, 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

1897 BICYCLES—THE BALANCE OF our Dayton and Tempest cheap for cash; call soon. DAYTON & MCCORMICK, 476 Richmond street.

TIMBERS, COAL AND WOOD WAGON box, truss rods and plates. PATTERSON & JOLLY. 74tf

BICYCLE CORK GRIPS, 25c PER PAIR—Cyclometers at 75c each. D. MCKENZIE & Co., 371 Richmond street. Phone 1,115.

STOVES AND SECOND-HAND FURNITURE for sale cheap at KEENE'S Furniture Store, Masonic Temple, Market Square.

GAS CHANDELIERS AND BRACKETS and globes. SMITH BROS., 265 Dundas street. y

STEWART'S STOVES, RANGES, STEEL ovens are perfect workers. We give estimates on iron roofs. Iron eavestroughs, hot air furnaces. JAS. THOMPSON, 424 Richmond street. ywt

THE LOCKED WIRE FENCE CO., LTD., of Ingersoll, whose head office is at 309 Bathurst street, city, have been instructed by the waterworks commissioners to place one of their famous fences round the pond at Byron. ywt

SHIPPING TAGS—AT CLOSE PRICES—ADVERTISER Job Department.

PAMPHLET WORK OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, clean and quick, at ADVERTISER Job Department.

FOR SALE—ONE 30 HORSEPOWER automatic "Brown" engine, built by Goldie, McCulloch & Co., Galt. Cylinder 10 inches, stroke 24 inches; can be run at 60 revolutions, or as high as 90 revolutions; also one tubular exhaust feed water heater. The engine can be seen at H. PORTER & Co.'s storage warehouse, Carling street, London, Ont. 6tf-3tf

POSTERS—ALL STYLES—HANGERS and dodgers. ADVERTISER Job Department.

ENVELOPES—PLAIN OR PRINTED—AT ADVERTISER Job Department.

PIANOS, PIANOS—NEW AND SECOND HAND, also a beautiful assortment of music and musical merchandise, and good organs cheap. Anderson's Book S Nordheimer's Piano Agency, 183 Dundas 2.

Wanted.

First insertion, 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED TO RENT—COTTAGE—Within 15 minutes from city hall. Address Box 8, this office. 100v

WANTED—GENTS SECOND-HAND clothing; highest cash price paid. A. P. SAINSBURY, 99 King street. Mail orders attended to.

Agents Wanted.

First insertion, 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

$3 A DAY SURE—SEND US YOUR ADDRESS and we will show you how to make $3 a day absolutely sure; we furnish the work and teach you free; you work in the locality where you live. Send us your address and we will explain the business fully; remember we guarantee a clear profit of $3 for every day's work; absolutely sure; write at once. Imperial Silverware Co., Box K. C., Windsor, Ont. ywt 1

WANTED—MEN OF ABILITY TO solicit for "Canada, an Encyclopedia of the Country," in five royal quarto volumes. No delivering. Salary or commission paid weekly. A canvasser just reports his first week, making over seventy dollars profit. The Linscott Company, Toronto. 98bc

AGENTS—SECOND EDITION "QUEEN Victoria" exhausted. Jubilee edition on press. Best history of the Queen and Victorian era published. The only Canadian work accepted by Her Majesty. Sales unprecedented knock the bottom out of all records. Canvassers scooping in money. Even boys and girls sell it fast. Big commission or straight weekly salary after trial trip. The Bradley-Garretson Co., Limited, Toronto. 98bc

WANTED—TEACHERS, BARRISTERS, physicians and others of similar training for high class soliciting; will pay $40 weekly and railway fare on demonstration of necessary ability. The Bradley-Garretson Company, Limited, Toronto. 98bc

WANTED—OLD ESTABLISHED wholesale house wants one or two honest and industrious representatives; can pay a hustler about $12 a week to start with. Advertiser, Medical Building, Toronto. 98bc

Houses, Etc., To Let.

First insertion, 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

TO LET—SMALL FARM—CONTAINING 12 acres; good house and buildings in first-class condition; suitable for market garden; near Pottersburg. Apply W. HEAMAN, 461 York. 98n ed

TO LET—COTTAGE, 260 PICCADILLY street; 9 rooms, cellar and summer kitchen, hard and soft water; rent $10. Apply to JOHN FERGUSON & SONS. 70tf

TO LET—A TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE—All modern conveniences; possession Aug. 15. Apply J. P. THOMPSON, 140 Dundas. 67tf

Veterinary Surgeons.

J. H. TENNANT—VETERINARY SURGEON—Office, King street, opposite Market House; residence, corner King and Wellington. Telephone.

Pawnbrokers.

THE FOX, ORIGINAL PAWNBROKER, lends money on diamonds, watches and jewelry; business strictly confidential; highest price paid for cast-off clothing. 383 Clarence street

Marriage Licenses.

LICENSES ISSUED BY THOS. GILLEAN, jeweler 402 Richmond street.

MARRIAGE LICENSES AT SHUFF'S drug store, 549 Dundas street east, corner William. Trolley cars pass the door. No witnesses required.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY W. H. BARTRAM, 99 Dundas street.

WM. H. WESTON, GROCER, ISSUES licenses at his office, 64 Stanley street. No bonds required.

Jewelers.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO REPAIRING—J. T. WESTLAND, Engraver and Manufacturing Jeweler, 340 Richmond street (up stairs), London, Ont.

Miscellaneous.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL—GAVIN PARK has removed his pork butcher business from Market Buildings to Market Lane, second door north from Market Square.

Electric & Turkish Baths

RHEUMATISM HAS VARIOUS CAUSES, as exposure, cold, etc., but hereditary tendency exists in most instances. Organic diseases of the heart are traced to rheumatism. Electric Turkish baths eliminate rheumatic poisons and cure the disease when other methods fail. Try them. 329 Dundas street. ywt

Business Chances.

First insertion, 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

COAL AND WOOD YARD, WITH SAW, splitter, engine, boiler and scales, to rent. Best switch on Grand Trunk. Rent very low. J. H. MCMECHAN, 368 King street. 98a ty

OLD ESTABLISHED COAL AND WOOD business for sale in city of London. Good reasons for selling. For particulars apply J. W. WINNETT, barrister, 420 Talbot street, London. ywt

Massage Treatment.

MISS SHUFF—GRADUATE OF DR. S. Weir Mitchell's Hospital for Nervous Diseases, Philadelphia. Massage and Swedish movements. 497 King street, London, Ont. Phone 592.

Money to Loan.

SOME MONEY TO LOAN ON MIDDLESEX farm property at 5 and 5½ per cent, and on city property at 5½ and 6 per cent. T. W. SCANDRETT, solicitor, 98 Dundas street, London, up stairs.

MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTGAGES, at 5 per cent; on second mortgages and other security at low rates, as G. W. FRANCIS' loan office, 78½ Dundas street, London, Ont.

$100,000 TO LEND ON MORTGAGES and notes. TENNENT, MCDONAGH & COLERIDGE, barristers, solicitors, notaries 78 Dundas street, London. Branch offices, Glencoe, Bothwell and Alvinston.

Summer Resorts.

HOTEL LONEY—LEADING HOUSE IN Port Stanley. Airy rooms, good table, large promenade, accommodation for 150 bicycles in special shed. Rates moderate. MATT. LONEY, proprietor.

RUSSELL HOUSE—PORT STANLEY—Remodeled and improved, electric bells, rooms large and airy, special rate to summer boarders, bicycle headquarters, meals at all hours. GEO. GRAY, proprietor.

ADIRONDACKS.
EDGEWOOD INN; STAR LAKE.
P. O. Oswegatchie, N. Y. In the heart of Adirondacks, 2,200 feet above sea level; good boating and boats; splendid trout fishing; grand scenery; sure, quick relief from Hay Fever. New hotel, lighted by electricity, open fireplaces, fine orchestra, telephone station; accommodates 250; easy of access; rates moderate. Send for descriptive pamphlet.
INGLEHART & BROWN, Props. ywt

"The Fraser."
Wm. Fraser, Prop., Port Stanley.
Saturday Night Hops.
Steamer will make short trips out on lake.
All trains run around to the beach.
Hot and cold water, swings, etc., free for picnickers.

Insurance.

A. N. UDY, INSURANCE AGENT Office over C. P. R. ticket office. ywt

THE LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE
Largest fire company in the world. Assets over $57,000,000.
EDWARD TOWE,
General Insurance Agency, 412 Richmond street, over Bank of Commerce, London. Funds to loan at 5 and 5½ per cent. ywt

Rare Chance for Purchasing Residential and Garden Property.

FIVE ACRES OF GOOD GARDEN property, with two-story brick dwelling house and outbuildings, good orchard, situated within five minutes walk of Pottersburg, will be offered for sale under power contained in a mortgage at Mr. Neil Cooper's auction rooms, 241 Dundas street, in the city of London, on Thursday, 19th day of August, at 3 o'clock. The lands offered for sale are lot No. 13, sub-div. of lot 8, con. C, township of London, plan No. 50. Terms and conditions will be made known on application to MEREDITH & FISHER, vendor's solicitors. 96u wy

BACK FROM THE KLONDIKE.

Chatham, Aug. 17.—A resident of Highgate who has been in the Klondike returned to his home Sunday on the M. C. R. He is said to have

NORTHWEST WHEAT CROPS.

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 17.—A telegram from Minneapolis reduces the estimated wheat crop of the three States—Minnesota, North and South Dakota—from 160,000,000 to 130,000,000.

HAIL THREE FEET DEEP.

Pueblo, Col., Aug. 17.—Storms around Pueblo damaged railroads northwest and south. Twenty miles north of Pueblo hail fell in great quantities, and drifted to a depth of three feet, in some places covering the surface of the ground three inches. Twenty miles south of Pueblo a cloudburst sent Salt Creek and the Attoyas on a tear and damaged a thousand feet of the Denver and Rio Grande tracks, besides the approaches to several bridges.

FAGGED OUT.—None but those who have become fagged out know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength is gone, and despondency has taken hold of the sufferers. They feel as though there was nothing to live for. There, however, is a cure—one box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dandelion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parmelee's Pills.

The 29th annual registration report of Michigan shows that there were last year 18,952 marriages, 46,273 births and 22,757 deaths.

No one need fear cholera or any summer complaint if they have a bottle of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial ready for use. It corrects all looseness of the bowels promptly, and causes a healthy and natural action. This is a medicine adapted for the young and old, rich and poor, and is rapidly becoming the most popular medicine for cholera, dysentery, etc., in the market.

An unknown man was instantly killed on the M. C. R. on Sunday two miles west of Niagara Junction by a transfer train. He was walking on the track.

We have no hesitation in saying that Dr. J. D. Kelogg's Dysentery Cordial is without doubt the best medicine ever introduced for dysentery, diarrhea, cholera, and all summer complaints, sea sickness, etc. It promptly gives relief and never fails to effect a positive cure. Mothers should never be without a bottle when their children are teething.

May Continue the War.

Germany's Tactics in the Peace Negotiations

Are Producing a Good Deal of Agitation.

Disastrous Explosion on Board a British Cruiser.

Tangible Tokens of Hon. Wilfrid Laurier's Popularity.

Canovas' Assassin to Be Garroted—Advance in British Discount Rates—Action of the Ameer of Afghanistan.

GONE TO IRELAND.

London, Aug. 17.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier left for Euston last night en route to Ireland.

MAY BE EXCOMMUNICATED.

Rome, Aug. 17.—It is reported here that the pope will excommunicate Prince Henri of Orleans, and the Count of Turin, as dueling is forbidden by the Roman Catholic Church.

FERRY BOAT DISASTER.

Dresden, Aug. 17.—A ferry steamer plying between the old and new towns was capsized by the wash of a large steamer and over 50 persons were thrown into the water. Seven people are missing.

PEACE DELAYED.

Athens, Aug. 17.—The tactics of Germany in the peace negotiations and the continual delays of Tewfik Pasha are producing a good deal of agitation here in favor of an appeal by the government to the nation to continue the war with Turkey by means of an obligatory loan.

NO FIGHT.

Rustchuk, Bulgaria, Aug. 17.—It is asserted here on good authority that the Austro-Bulgarian dispute which arose over certain remarks made by the Bulgarian premier, M. Stoiloff with reference to the Austrian authorities in a recent interview with a representative of the Lokal Anzieger, is on the eve of a satisfactory settlement.

BY THE GARROTE.

Madrid, Aug. 7.—Michael Angiolillo, the assassin of Premier Canovas del Castillo, has been sentenced to death. The trial lasted two hours. When called upon to plead or speak in mitigation of punishment, the accused began a rambling statement, but was not allowed to proceed. Angiolillo will be garroted within the prison.

DISASTER ON A BRITISH WARSHIP.

Trondhjem, Norway, Aug 17.—Advices just received here from Iceland announce that during firing practice on board the British third-class cruiser, Champion, off that coast, a gun burst, dangerously wounding an officer and four men, and seriously injuring three other men. The Champion is of 2,380 tons and 2,000 horse power. She is commanded by Capt. John Ferris.

THE AMEER SPEAKS.

Simla, Aug. 17.—The Ameer of Afghanistan has issued a firman forbidding his subjects to join the rebels who are now in arms against the Indian government, and the Afghan governor of Khost has been ordered to punish the Afghans who have been raiding camels belonging to the Tochi punitive expedition.

European and native reinforcements have been ordered to Kohat immediately, in order to overawe the Afridis.

It is rumored that the Orakzais have risen in arms.

FRANCE AND CANADA.

Paris, Aug. 17.—The Paris Figaro publishes an interview with Sir Wilfrid, in which the latter is quoted as saying that Canadians would be quite ready to develop commercial intercourse with France. He believed that a tariff favorable to both could not fail to be established between France and Canada, and that in view of the denunciation of the treaties with Germany and Belgium by England he thought an advantageous trade was now feasible.

DISCOUNT RATES ADVANCED.

London, Aug. 17.—The week has witnessed a revival of interest in the money market. Discount rates advanced to 1⅝, the chief factors contributing to this being the decline on the New York Exchange and the rise of wheat in the United States with the certainty that Europe will take a large part of the American product. At one time the market was much excited, "rates being quoted subject to a rise in the banking and land rate," the bank joined to an extent by calling in loans.

EUROPEAN CROPS.

London, Aug. 17.—The Mark Lane Express, in its weekly review of the grain situation, says: The French wheat harvest overyield is estimated at 33,000,000 quarters, though excellent judges say it is not so much.

The German yield is expected to be 1,000,000 quarters below that of 1896.

Austria-Hungary will be almost self-supporting, with nothing to spare for export.

Russia reports that here wheat is somewhat below the average, although not seriously so.

In conclusion, the Mark Lane Express notes the curious fact that England last week exported wheat to France.

FRENCH AND SIAMESE TROOPS IN CONFLICT.

A dispatch from Bangkok, Siam, says: The reports of a conflict between the French and Siamese troops at Muang Lem, near Klang Hung, on the Mekong River, are absolutely correct. They are based on reports received at the Siamese foreign office. The French forces were commanded by Inspector Martin. The Siamese legation was ordered a month ago to protest against French aggression. As long, however, as the king is in Europe, the Siamese legation will contradict reports of friction between France and Siam.

FOR A GOLD STANDARD.

London, Aug. 17.—The Westminster Gazette re-echoes the editorial of the London Times this morning on bimetalism, and says it sees no chance of the Indian mints being reopened to the coinage of silver, adding: "To fool any longer with President McKinley's commission is surely unnecessary. In declining to abide by the market value of silver as the standard of currency value, India has taken a step towards demonetizing silver; Japan and Russia have adopted the gold standard, and no one means to go back on it. Then why not say so, and not be deterred by the threats of a possible Bryanite victory, and dismiss the question finally."

ADDRESS BY SIR LOUIS DAVIES.

London, Aug. 17.—Sir Louis Davies addressed the trade section of the London Chamber of Commerce. Every reference made by Sir Louis to the necessity for strengthening the ties that bind the mother land to her colonies was received with tumultuous applause. He cautioned the investors against wild-cat mining schemes, and warned intending emigrants against the sharper. He spoke, too, of the alluring accounts sent across of the Klondike gold fields, and failed not to picture the perils attending the journey to them. Of Canada's resources and possibilities he gave a glowing description. Sir Louis said every vestige of feeling in favor of union with the United States had long disappeared. Referring to the new United States tariff, he said the Dingley Bill had built up a prohibitive wall against Canadian trade, which the government of the Dominion, therefore, has resolved to transfer to Great Britain.

LAURIER APPRECIATED.

Presented With a Gold Medal by the Cobden Club—His Visit to Rome.

London, Aug. 17.—A delegation of members of the Cobden Club, headed by Lord Farrer, called yesterday afternoon at Hotel Cecil, and presented to the Canadian premier, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the special gold medal of the club, struck for presentation to the Canadian statesman in formal recognition of his attachment to free trade.

The premier, thanking the delegation, said the commercial supremacy of Great Britain was assured until the United States adopted free trade. Sir Wilfrid said later he would sail for Canada by the steamer Labrador, on Wednesday, and added:

"I am glad to emphasize how I have been received everywhere in the most cordial manner, particularly by the Pope, who filled me with wonderment as to how so much vigorous and keen intellect could be housed in such an emaciated body. The Pope is bent double, and appears to be in the frailest health, though he is not troubled with any bodily ailment, and his whole mental machinery is marvelous. I was amazed at the profundity of his knowledge of Canadian affairs, was charmed with his exquisite gentleness and sympathy, and I was moved deeply at supreme elevation of his Christian aims."

THAT DUEL.

The Criticism That Caused the Fight Between Prince Henri and the Count.

Paris, Aug. 16.—The recent duel between the Count of Turin and Prince Henri of Orleans grew out of certain criticisms made by Prince Henri of Orleans upon the conduct of Italian officers and soldiers while prisoners of King Menelik in Abyssinia. These criticisms were published early in July last in the New York Herald and the Paris Figaro newspapers, for which Prince Henri has been writing on his travels in Abyssinia. The particular statements to which exception was taken, written by the prince, were as follows: "Naturally the subject which was most often discussed was that of the war (between the Italians and the Negus) and the captivity of the Italians. I am bound to say that I am no longer indignant, but simply disgusted, at what I hear each day about them. Out of respect for a nation with whom we were friendly, I should have been silent if the Italians had not shown, in regard to ourselves, the most reprehensible conduct. Have they not confessed that had they entered Addis Ababa victoriously, they would have given no quarter to any Frenchman, not even the small tradesman! They added, however, with an ironical air, that they would not have inflicted the death penalty on the French women. Even this did not permit them to accomplish their wishes. Although they came to the capital as prisoners, they do not seem to realize it. Some of their officers were not ashamed to take part in the celebration of the anniversary of the battle of Adowa; others wore as cuff buttons coins with the image of Menelik. It was Albertone himself who, drinking a toast to the health of the great emperor, turned toward one of our countrymen and said: 'Are we not courteous?' to which the Frenchman replied: 'Mon Dieu, sir! I never saw a Frenchman drinking to the health of the Emperor William.'"

PLANTS THAT THRIVE INDOORS.

Plants suitable for indoor window-gardens: Geraniums, begonias, not including the Rex sections, as these are not adapted to house culture; oleander, plumbago, cacti, ficus, palm, aspidistra, lantana, fuchsia, sword fern, Chinese primrose, primula obconica, calla, abutilon, anthericum, Swainsonia, heliotrope, chrysanthemum and azalea. For vines, English ivy, hoya, passiflora, cobea, and jasmine. For hanging plants, othonna, saxifraga, money-musk and tradescantia. For bracket plants, fuchsia speciosa, sword fern, begonia guttata, and geranium Madame Salleroi will be found excellent, also the single petunia of the flower-garden.

The Galt Sensation.

Speculation as to Who Committed the Murder.

Funeral of Mrs. Orr, the Unfortunate Victim, Largely Attended.

Important Discoveries Made in Connection With the Affair.

Statements by the Husband of the Murdered Woman and Harry Blair.

Galt, Ont., Aug. 16.—The murder of Mrs. Anthony Orr, and the discovery of her body on Sunday morning in a shallow grave near the home of her husband in North Dumfries township, is the engrossing topic.

While in some quarters the belief was that Mrs. Orr had committed suicide, the most general belief was that she had deserted her husband and gone away with someone else, and the previous history of Mrs. Orr gave some grounds for the belief. She did not always get on well with her husband, and four years ago eloped with a man named Mulholland, who was employed as a laborer on the Orr farm. At that time Mrs. Orr took a quantity of her husband's property with her, so a warrant was sworn out, and the couple were arrested in a hotel at St. Catharines by Chief of Police Ahern, of Galt. Mr. Orr took his wife back and forgave her, but since them her name has been mentioned in connection with several residents of Galt, and two of them prominently.

The theory of desertion, however, was weakened by the manner in which Mrs. Orr had disappeared. She was milking the cows when Anthony Orr left the house, and had on an old dress and slippers. In searching the house it was noticed that she had taken nothing with her. All her clothes were untouched, some dresses she had been making were lying around in an unfinished condition, her gold watch, jewelry, and even a purse containing a small sum of money were all left behind. Her husband and others believed that the woman had committed suicide, and gave as a reason for it the unfriendly relations that existed between Mrs. Orr and others of the Orr family. She was a good-looking woman, vivacious, very neat about her person, a good dresser, and altogether a very attractive woman. She was a cheery talker and very fond of children.

A strong motive seems to be absent, and calculations as to the incentive to a brutal deed take a rather wider range. The Orr residence is not far from the main road. Two children were in the house, a hired boy not far away, with the husband on the road to a neighbor's. There was every chance of a caller or two happening that way, and yet the murderer—or murderers—killed Mrs. Orr, dragged the body to the corn-patch, dug a grave and buried the murdered woman, who was strong enough to fight savagely for her life, all inside of 90 minutes!

THE HIRED BOY.

The boy Allison has been in the employ of the Orrs about eight months. He is a young fellow of 18, with a face that betrays much animal passion. His extraordinary conduct in telling the story about Mrs. Orr and the gun, asserting that his mistress had threatened to shoot him if he divulged anything as to her inquiries, first directed suspicion against him. The more inquiries were pressing, he told another story to the effect that Mrs. Orr wanted to know how to handle the gun so as to be able to shoot herself. On Thursday Chief Ahern had the boy in the sweat box, but he was stolidly inclined, and in a manner defied examination.

THE MEDICAL STUDENT.

Mr. Orr had trouble with Trevelyan the medical student about 14 years ago, when on account of some dispute Orr gave the young man a thrashing, and thinks that probably he still possesses a grudge against him. The man, whose full name is Weldon Sydney Trevelyan, was one of Mrs. McPherson's boys and lived in the Boy's Home here during his youthful days. He has been in town during the past three months on what he claims to be his vacation. He says he is a third year student of McGill University, Montreal, though many doubt this assertion. He was arrested at his boarding house, South Water street, and lodged in the jail. To his lawyer he asserted his innocence of any connection with the affair, and says he is willing to remain in seclusion for a few days, being confident that he can prove an alibi. Trevelyan has certainly his nerve with him. He is of medium size, very dark, and rather prepossessing in looks. The husband of the murdered woman is strongly, if not strangely, of the opinion that the supposed or alleged medical student and

EX-BOY'S HOME WAIF

is the man who sent Mrs. Orr into the presence of her Maker probably before she could utter a prayer for her life. When spoken to by a reporter in reference to this prisoner, Mr. Orr stated that Trevelyan was one day at his house during his absence, and when he (Orr) returned, Trevelyan was gone, but a strong smell of ether permeated every corner of the house. Mr. Orr spoke to his wife about it, and she told him that Trevelyan had

BEEN THERE WITH DRUGS

and instruments, and had been throwing some stuff at the little girl and herself. Mr. Orr says that this fact convinced him that an operation had been performed upon his wife, and decided to speak to her about it. He did so, but could not get her either to deny or acknowledge the charge. He knew his wife to be in a delicate condition, and was afterwards assured by her that his suspicions were not groundless. Mr. Orr then

ACCUSED TREVELYAN

of being the author of the criminal operation, and he replied: "Did she tell you that?" On being told by Mr. Orr that such was the case, he said: "I have a good mind to kill her for telling you." Mr. Orr says the prisoner was a good hand at praising the beauty and brightness of the children, and is of the opinion that he was anxious to get his wife away from him. The deceased woman had a very

HIGH OPINION OF THE YOUNG MAN,

until one day he took away a large basket of cherries without the sanction of either Mr. or Mrs. Orr. This caused her to lose her regard for him, and she told her husband that she would not allow him to be a guest at the house any more. Trevelyan, however, evidently managed to secure himself in her good graces again, as this was not his last visit to the house.

THE NIGHT OF JULY 31.

Anthony Orr states that on Saturday night, July 31, his wife came home white and breathless. She told him that while she was driving up the lane towards the house a man sprang out of the bushes and attempted to seize the horse; the animal shied and dashed past the fellow. It was so dark at the time that Mrs. Orr was unable to give a description of the man.

HARRY BLAIR.

Another man who will be called upon to explain his movements on the day of the murder is Harry Blair, an agricultural implement dealer here. Mr. Blair made this statement: "On Saturday, the 7th, I was at the Orr farm and made arrangements to call on Monday and get some butter. On Monday I went there about 11 o'clock, and Tony Orr, who was there, told me his wife was missing. We made a search, but could not find her, and then Tony left me in charge of the house and went to alarm the neighbors. The little girl was there, and brought me a gold watch, saying, 'Here is mamma's watch.' I took it, but gave it to Tony Orr in the afternoon. All my relations with the family were simply as a friend. I had helped them out of trouble several times."

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon and was largely attended. After the ceremonies the premises were inspected, and an important discovery was made. In a fence, immediately opposite the back door of the house, a charge of heavy shot was found. The piece of timber is in charge of the officers, and will be submitted as evidence for the crown at the inquest. The supposition here is that the woman was fired at from an ambush, and that the shot not taking effect, her assailant then clubbed her with the butt end of the gun.

THE INQUEST.

The inquest on the body of Mrs. Orr has been adjourned until Thursday at 10 o'clock. In the meantime the provincial authorities will investigate the case and work up the evidence. From daybreak until after the inquest large crowds surrounded the council chamber eager to glean some information. The prisoners were cool in the extreme, and displayed not the least signs of uneasiness.

ANOTHER ARREST.

Galt, Aug. 17.—It was reported after midnight Monday that a man was brought into town by Chief of Police Ahern and taken too the cell where Allison was confined. The latter is said to have identified him as the man he saw in the lane on the Monday morning Mrs. Orr was murdered. The authorities would not give the name of the man, but he was held by the police as a material witness.

THE LATEST THEORY.

The latest theory is that whoever fired at the woman chased her through the garden to the lane and shot at her as she was trying to get through the fence, but, not hitting her, used the butt end of the gun with which to fell her, and from there dragged the body the few yards to where it was found buried in the corn patch. Whether the woman fired at an assailant and missed or whether the assailant fired at the woman is still a matter of mystery. It is more probable however, that the gun was in the hands of the woman, because a man, being more dexterous in the use of such arms, would not likely miss his mark, and some shots would be found in the woman's legs, which is about the elevation of the bullets in the fence. This to a certain extent bears out young Allison's story that Mrs. Orr inquired of him on the morning of the tragedy how to use the gun. Then the woman, having missed, she ran for the fence leading to the corn patch, and as she was stooping under the bars was hit on the top of the head, as the post-mortem shows, by some blunt instrument, probably a billet of wood or perhaps the gun used as a club.

WAS THIS THE INSTRUMENT?

At any rate no stains were found on the gun, and Monday afternoon a piece of wood which might have inflicted such a wound was picked up on the corner of the fence near the corn patch. It was a stout cudgel of red oak, about four feet long, the end cut and slightly jagged. On it were red stains, deeply engrained. This strengthens another of Allison's stories that when he came back from Barrie he went to work raking up a pile of chips which Mrs. Orr told him he was to do as soon as he came back. In this pile he says he discovered several clots of blood and a stick stained with blood, which he threw away in a corner. Allison also says that he saw a man approaching the house as he was leaving that morning.

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