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Any of the above articles will be given away with a 25c purchase.

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We never had such value in School Bags. Our 15c Bag is good size, made of close-woven canvas, well bound, pocket on side, leather handles or back straps. Worth 25c. Our price is, each

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A BIG PROGRAMME OF FINE ATTRACTIONS

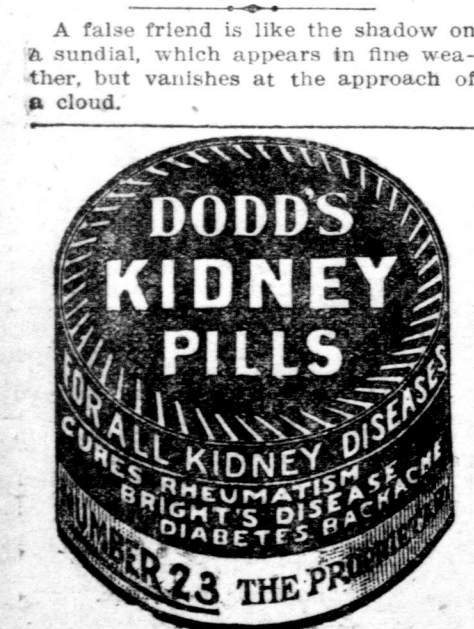
Will Be Offered Visitors to the
Great and Only Western
Fair This Year.

The programme of attractions for the Western Fair of this year is meeting with general approval. The public as a rule are fond of seeing well-trained animals, and the management this year have certainly procured something that will be pleasing as well as instructive. Herzo's stallions will give three distinct acts before the grandstand twice daily that will eclipse anything ever seen before. In the line of trained horses, the management has also procured something that will be pleasing as well as instructive. The Motor Cycle Club will put on some very exciting races. The athletic programme will be carried out as printed, and also two good speed events. Admission to the grandstand for the afternoon will be 15 cents for the covered stand and 10 cents for the open stands. Reserved seats will be on sale for each performance for the rest of the week at Mills' book store previous to the exhibition. The Ninety-first Highlanders, 41 men strong, have been engaged by the management this year in addition to London's popular Seventy Fusiliers Band. The personnel of the famous Ninety-first is made up of artists in the highest sense of the word. Every man has been well trained and examined before being admitted to membership. Not only has he to be an efficient performer on his particular instrument, but he must be of excellent character. The uniform worn by the Ninety-first Highlanders' Band is one of the most picturesque of Highland costumes, the tartan being that of the renowned Argyle and Sutherland Clan. No band could present a finer appearance than do the Ninety-first in their gorgeous kilts and uniforms.

Their library of music is very comprehensive, embracing over fifteen hundred standard compositions by world-famous composers. The male choir in connection with the band has won much praise from both the press and public. Great care has been given to the training of the choir by the bandmaster, who, besides, having a complete knowledge of band and orchestra instruments, is a recognized vocal instructor. This choir will render vocal numbers at each and every performance.

A false friend is like the shadow on a sundial, which appears in fine weather, but vanishes at the approach of a cloud.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS
CURES RHEUMATISM
BRIGHT'S DISEASE
GRAVEL
DIABETES
BACKACHE
23 THE PR...



HUNTING STORE SITE WITH LOADED PISTOLS

Suspects Come to Grief in St. Marys—The Horseshoe Reported Sold.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
St. Marys, Aug. 30.—Three Italian suspects, who were found loitering on the streets by the police on Saturday night, were released and placed in the lockup. They gave their names as Frank Romani, Ernest Sparanger and Frank Perlo. The two former were charged with carrying concealed weapons. Romani and Sparanger had each a six chambered revolver loaded. When they were taken to the lockup, they claimed that they were only looking up a suitable place for a fruit store. John Jackson, an employee at Richardson & Co's foundry, received a bad knock above one of his eyes on Saturday. It required several stitches to close the wound.

Creighton Carter, who was out to the west, has come from Saskatoon. After a few days' visit here with his mother, Mrs. Jas. Carter, Elgin and Peel streets, he will take a position at Toronto.

George Bennett is back from the west to visit his father, Wm. Bennett, very ill at present.

The hydro-electric power joint committee held a meeting on Friday evening and appointed Messrs. Robt. Dickson, Jas. Maxwell and H. L. Rice as representing the citizens to act in conjunction with the water, light and heat commission and committee of the town clerk was instructed to solicit a list of articles from Electrician Reynolds, that is required to submit the estimates to Niagara Power Union.

Messrs. T. W. Lucas and Ben Clipperton desire to thank the citizens of St. Marys for their liberal assistance by way of subscription to John McMaster, the unfortunate victim of the recent cutting-box accident in conjunction with the Ninety-first Highlanders, the total amount collected being \$163 55.

It is reported that the National Portland Cement Company, of Durham, have purchased the Horseshoe Stone Quarries and will ship the stone to Durham, as required, to be mixed in a ground form with their present material and clay for cement purposes.

HAD TO CHASE HIM OUT OF THE JAIL

Hull Jail So Comfortable Prisoners Hate To Leave It.

Ottawa, Aug. 31.—Prisoners held themselves so well cared for and comfortable in Hull jail that occasionally they have to be fairly chased away after serving sentence, and yesterday saw a case in point.

Dolphus Auger, a Hull man, who got a term of imprisonment for chastising his mother-in-law, finished his hard labor on Saturday. He pleaded a slight indisposition, however, and asked to be allowed to remain in the peace and seclusion of Gov. Moussette's institution.

When Dr. Fontaine reported that nothing at all serious was the matter with him, he was told to quit instantly.

It took some time to chase him to the gates.

HARRY THAW IS LIBRARIAN.
Matteawan, N. Y., Aug. 30.—In their search for regular occupation for Harry K. Thaw, recently recommitted to the state hospital for the criminal insane here, the authorities of the institution have appointed him to the post of librarian.

DARED THE HYDRO GANG

St. Catharines, Aug. 31.—There will be bloodshed yet if the hydro-electric construction gangs who are working in the district do not watch out. Some trouble is reported from Gainsboro Township. On Saturday Theron Felker, a son of a well-known fruit farmer, stood with a shotgun ready, threatening that if the hydro-electric men came on his land he would blow them full of holes.

"You have no rights here, and I am standing on mine," said Felker, "so if you come on you'll do it at your own risk."

The workmen were prepared to put up a tower, but they decided not to, and went away.

At Lee Shaw's farm, a short distance away, the hydro-workmen forcibly entered the Shaw property, and after thrusting Farmer Shaw and his men rudely aside, they went to work and put up the tower. Shaw has laid a complaint, charging the foreman of the gang and the agent of the hydro-power commission, who was present, with assault, and the case will be tried at Smithville, either today or Wednesday. Much fun is promised.

ANOTHER BORE FOR THE DETROIT

Rumored That the Grand Trunk Will Spend Millions in Tunnel.

WABASH MAY BE IN IT

Announced Road Has Option on Long Strip of Land in Walkerville For Several Years.

Detroit, Aug. 31.—The Detroit Free Press says: That the Grand Trunk Railroad Company will construct a four-track tunnel from the foot of Dequindre street, Detroit, beneath the Detroit River, to Walkerville, is now said to be practically assured.

It was given out from authoritative sources yesterday that the Canadian trunk line has secured an option on a strip of land extending three miles back from the river at Walkerville. This option, it is said, is for three years.

The Grand Trunk Railroad has made no attempt to effect a physical connection with the Michigan Central near Windsor, it was stated yesterday. "Moreover, the Grand Trunk will not attempt to do so. The railroad is now planning to construct a tunnel under the Detroit River, which will be a four-track tube instead of a two-track tunnel, such as the Michigan Central has."

According to an engineer familiar with the work on the Michigan Central tunnel, the cost of a tube such as is planned by the Grand Trunk will be from \$18,000,000 to \$25,000,000. It is said that the Grand Trunk will soon decide whether to build a tunnel of four circular tubes, each containing one track, or to construct one of two elliptical tubes each containing two tracks.

Confirming the first announcement of the Grand Trunk tunnel plans, made in the Sunday Free Press several weeks ago, was the authoritative statement made yesterday of the railroad's having secured land options in Walkerville. The fact that the Grand Trunk is planning to build a tunnel also explains why the railroad has been reluctant to enter into negotiations with the city for the separation of grades on the river front, has much as the engineers have not yet decided what the grade on that street will be should the proposed tubes be laid.

Wabash May Be In It.

It is said that the Wabash Railroad is directly interested also in the proposition to build another tunnel. The Michigan Central and the Wabash are strong rivals for freight business in the east. This being the case, it is hardly probable the Michigan Central will allow the Wabash to run trains through the tunnel for a long time. In fact, it is reported the price per car that will be asked from competing in the east will be \$1. This means that it will cost the Wabash a pretty sum to use that self-same tunnel.

Furthermore, the Wabash has considerable eastern business. It seems logical that the two roads should band together in an effort to compete with a big rival that has managed to get in on the ground floor.

Another interesting consideration is that the Grand Trunk transport boats will have some difficulty in getting through the ice in the coldest part of the winter without the aid of the Michigan Central ferries. The Michigan Central transport boat, the Transfer, is conceded by river men to be the best ice crusher on the river. This boat has been called on many times to keep a passage open between Windsor and Detroit for the transfer of passengers and freight.

AVIATION WEEK ENDS

Another Airship Contest To Be Arranged for August, 1910.

Rheims, Aug. 31.—"Aviation week" came to its official close yesterday with a gala breakfast, given by the committee of organization in honor of the aviators. Bleriot attended with his arm in a sling, a result of his accident of Sunday, and he and Henry Farman, the Englishman; Glenn H. Curtiss, the American; and Hubert Latham, and Louis Paulhan, the French flyers, received ovations, the assemblage arising again and again to cheer them.

The Marquis de Polignac, president of the committee, announced the results of the awards and prizes, and a series of speeches followed. M. Lorku, president of the mixed aerial committee, referred to the disappointment of France at the failure to retain the international cup, and provoked a hearty round of applause when he declared: "But I appropriate for myself and all Frenchmen the remark of Bleriot when he learned that France had been defeated. This was, 'I will go to America and win it back.'"

During the banquet the Marquis de Polignac announced that a second series of contests between aviators would be held on Aug. 21, 1910.

ARE YOU GOING AWAY?

Have The Advertiser follow you. Change of address will be made as often as desired. Drop a card or phone 107. In requesting change of address give old as well as new address.

HARRIMAN "O K" SAYS SO HIMSELF

Comes Out Into the Open With Statement to the Press.

ALL NEEDED IS REST

Admits Consultation of Specialists, But Says No Necessity For an Operation.

Arden, N. Y., Aug. 31.—Edward H. Harriman, urged by weary representatives of the press, who camped about his mountain home since Wednesday last, came out in the open air yesterday, with a statement that he was all right.

Though brief, the statement is straightforward and explicit, with perhaps a touch of patient resentment at the surveillance to which he has been subjected, and a request that the reporters withdraw, not so much for his sake, but for his friends, who have been intercepted daily coming to and from his residence, by zealous interviewers eager for the latest bit of information. It concludes thus frankly:

"If there should be anything serious I will let the press know, and as I have never deceived them, I ask that the press now withdraw its representatives."

The message was so characteristic of Mr. Harriman's affable attitude toward newspaper representatives, an attitude which was marked when he underwent the strain of an extended interview on the day of his return, that most of the men who have been here during the scare over his illness returned to New York relying on his word. The general opinion is that Mr. Harriman would have broken his continued silence of himself, his family and associates bred wild and sensational rumors. It was by impressing this upon the press that the statement was obtained.

The newspaper representatives held a conference, drew up a letter, and sent it to the Arden house by special delivery yesterday morning. At 4 o'clock in the afternoon, Superintendent Ford of the estate, brought his employer's answer down from the house. The statement, which had been made public in New York earlier in the afternoon, was written on a sheet of Arden house stationery. Miss Mary Harriman, the railroadman's daughter, wrote it at his dictation, but across the top of the first page Mr. Harriman had written this message: "Gentlemen—Thanks for your letter of today. The statement published in New York by me over telephone today and published by you is correct. I am very sorry to hear of the illness of my father. I am, yours sincerely, E. H. Harriman."

In the statement Mr. Harriman admitted that there had been a consultation of specialists at his house, but that they had decided that there was nothing seriously the matter with him.

He did not mention the possibility of an operation.

With the reassuring news of today the New York stock market settled itself, and advances were general. The effect on the Harriman stocks was, of course, most marked, but there was a buoyant tendency everywhere manifest.

Nothing Serious.

Mr. Harriman's statement follows: "I am pursuing the course laid out before I went abroad, and advised by the physicians. I intend taking a rest as soon as my responsibilities would permit. My treatment abroad reduced my strength and vitality, and weakened my digestion. The medical specialists in London advised me to have an examination by surgeons as a matter of precaution. This has been done very carefully by Drs. Brower and Cyle, in conjunction with Dr. Walter James and Dr. Lyle, and the whole result is that they find nothing serious, and renew the advice previously obtained that I should have rest, and not see many people at one time, and this I am trying to do."

"This covers the whole case, and later on, if the representatives of the press desire, and there is any purpose to be accomplished, I will see them up here, but now I ask that the surveillance of the operations of my family or myself, but that the coming and going of my friends may not be interfered with."

"I appreciate the interest shown in my welfare by the press and by friends in all sections, and perhaps by some others. If there was, or should be anything, I will let the press know, and as I have never deceived them, I ask that the press now withdraw its representatives and rely upon me."

FISHERMAN DROWNED.

Thessalon, Aug. 31.—Albert Hicks, 22 years old, son of William Hicks, of Day Mills, lost his life by drowning in Lake Waquoibobing. He and his brother were going fishing, and after lunching in their boat were making some preparations, and did not notice the boat drift from the shore until it was some distance out. Albert started to swim after the boat, but the distance was too great, and he sank before reaching it. His brother nearly lost his life in trying to rescue him. The young man was very much respected.

When a man inherits money he tries to show how much smarter he is than his father, who made it, by getting rid of it.

TUESDAY
PROBS:
FINE
AND WARM.

SMALLMAN & INERAM
LIMITED

DUNDAS
AND
RICHMOND
STREETS.

Are You Ready For The Fair?

The days are quickly slipping by and there is no doubt much preparing yet to be done before you are ready to entertain your visitors for this event. Perhaps you want new Tablecloths, Napkins, Sheetings, Pillow Cottons or Towels, whatever it may be in our line we are prepared with prices that will prove to be favorable from an economic point of view.

Just a few items mentioned may serve to at least interest you and induce you to pay a visit to our new linen section on the main floor.

Napkins

All linen, of course—nothing else.
19-inch, per dozen \$1.00
20-inch, per dozen \$1.50,
\$1.75, \$2, \$2.25, \$2.50,
\$2.75.
22-inch, per dozen \$2.75, \$3 and \$3.50

Cloths and Napkins to Match

A great variety of these in all sizes, cloths from 2 yards to 5 yards long, in a most select assortment of the newest designs.
We are showing several sets of high-grade Linens, slightly soiled, at reduced prices, mostly 3-yard cloths, with Napkins to match.

Table Linen

Unbleached at 35c, 40c, 50c, 65c, 75c to \$1 yard
Bleached, at, yard, 50c, 60c, 65c, 75c to \$1.35
See our values, they will tell you plainly where to buy your linens.

Bleached and Unbleached Sheet- ing at Tempting Prices

Prices have advanced at the mill, but many of these are lower than same qualities were sold for last season.

UNBLEACHED.

Plain, 2 yards wide 20c and 25c
Twill, 2 yards wide 25c
Plain, 2 1/4 yards wide 23c, 25c and 28c
Twill, 2 1/4 yards wide 28c

BLEACHED.

Plain, 2 yds. wide, extra values 23c, 25c, 32c
Twill, 2 yds. wide, extra values 28c, 30c, 38c
Plain, 2 1/4 yards wide, extra values 29c, 30c, 32c, 35c up to 60c
Twill, 2 1/4 yds. wide, extra values 35c to 60c

Circular Pillow Cottons

Fine English make awarded fire prize at Franco-British Exhibition.

40-inch, at, per yard 19c
42-inch, at, per yard 20c
44-inch, at, per yard 22c
46-inch, at, per yard 23c
48-inch, at, per yard 25c

OUR DOUBLE WARP CIRCULAR LINEN FINISH.

40-inch, at, per yard 29c
42-inch, at, per yard 30c
44-inch, at, per yard 31c
46-inch, at, per yard 32c
48-inch, at, per yard 35c
54-inch, at, per yard 38c

Good stock of Ready-made Sheets and Slips for those who do not care to or haven't time to make them up.

Fine White Cottons

The following lines will appeal to the most careful buyers, as they are the result of some large and fortunate purchases, and in view of advanced prices at the mills liberal buying should be profitable to you.

35-inch Bleached Cotton, cambric finish, special, 8 1/2c yard, or 12 yards for \$1.00
35-inch Bleached Longcloth, soft finish, 12 1/2c value, special, per yard 10c
35-inch Satisfactory Longcloth, No. 55, remarkable value; ask for this number, at, per yard 12 1/2c
36-inch Satisfactory Longcloth, No. 65, fine and even weave. Ask for this number, at, per yard 15c

EARLY CLOSING—Today ends for this season our 5 o'clock closing.
TOMORROW our fall schedule commences — Open at 8 and close at 6 every day, Saturday included.

COULD BUILD WARSHIPS ON THE GREAT LAKES

Canada Could Do So and Send Them to Ocean Without the Guns.

Ottawa, Aug. 31.—Any formal application for permission to build warships on the Great Lakes would have to be made through the governor-general and the British ambassador at Washington. The belief is expressed here that Canada would not have to get the permission of the United States to build warships herself which could pass through the canals. The Rush-Bagot agreement is only in respect to armament, therefore, Canada could in all probability build vessels on the lakes and send them through the canals to Halifax, there to be armed without infringing the agreement.

Canada, of course, has the right to bring the Rush-Bagot agreement to a termination by giving six months' notice. With the agreement out of the way there would be nothing to prevent the building of vessels at the lake ports, but the United States could do likewise. It is an open question if the United States has not already evaded the terms of the agreement by placing a number of training ships in lake ports.

BOYLE GETS THE MINE.

Detroit, Aug. 31.—Joseph W. Boyle, the Klondike miner who began a fight two years ago in the Canadian courts against a number of wealthy Detroit men, claiming they were trying to freeze him out of the Canadian Klondike Gold Mining Company, and who won some notable victories in the courts, has made good all along the line, and sold the mine within the time allowed him to take up the property. It is said by insiders that the Guggenheims are the purchasers. The price is something more than \$500,000, which the Detroiters get, while Boyle and his backers get the mine.

HADA A CLOSE CALL

Serious Accident to a Rebecca Couple On the Way Home From London.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Rebecca, Aug. 31.—What might have been a fatal accident occurred on Saturday afternoon at the C. P. R. crossing, Wyton road. Mr. Frank Pined and his mother were driving home from London about 5 p.m., when a lone engine passed along, and about five minutes later a way-freight came along, passing the same way. Mr. John Logan's corn field obstructed the view of the second train, which the party driving did not expect so soon after the other. They got so close to the truck before they could see the train that the horse became unmanageable, and as a result the occupants were thrown out of the rig. Mrs. Pined was slightly injured, but Frank is seriously hurt. The horse's shoulder was broken, and the animal had to be killed. The buggy was smashed to pieces.

Miss M. Carson, of Detroit, is spending her vacation with Mrs. D. Urquhart.

Miss Maggie Judd is visiting friends and relatives in Hamilton.

Miss Annie Bailey entertained a number of friends on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Nellie Ashman is home on her vacation.

Mr. J. Judd left last week on a two-months' trip through the west.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Urquhart spent Sunday at Thamesford with Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Urquhart, of Wyandotte, Mich.

A number from here attended the harvest home services in the Bailey

Methodist Church last evening. Wedding bells will be ringing in this vicinity shortly.

Mr. M. Ashman has improved his residence a great deal.

Miss Jane Brown, of London, a former resident of Rebecca, spent Friday with her nephew, Mr. J. Brown.

An experienced housewife hangs up bunches of sweet clover in the clothes closets in summer to keep away the moths.

Kellogg's is "The Sweetheart of the Corn"

All the Food-value of Corn is Secretly retained in Kellogg's Toasted Corn Flakes. It is toasted under 300 degrees heat, evaporating the moisture, (moisture is useless) and transforming the Starch into Pre-digested Grape Sugar. It's impossible to do this without Kellogg's Secret Process.

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