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WAR ON WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC.

U. S. Will Make Systematic Effort to Stop Evil.

Washington, Aug. 29 .- A systematic effort Washington, Aug. 29.—A systematic effort is to be made by the bureau of immigration to put an end to what is popularly known as "the white slave traffle," which has been conducted especially in cities on the Atlantic seaboard for a long time.

The method with which this is accomplished is so well devised that the victims of the importers practically invariably avoid detection by reason of the thorough coaching they receive prior to embarking.

THEIR TRIAL ADJOURNED.

eaders of Cobalt Strike Will Appear

Cobeit, Out, Aug. 29.—The trial of Organizer Roadbouse, James McGuire, president of Cobait Miners' Union, and Wm. Hewitt, one of the strike leaders, was to-day enlarged until Wednesday next. The reason for adjournment was the fact that the charge according to Counsel Ager, of Slaght and Ager, for the defence, was too indefinite. The defence also needed time to get sufficient evidence.

London, Aug. 39.—The Salvation Army have arranged with the British Columbia Government for the selection of a settlement for 1,000 persons in 1908.

Killed by Kick.
Chatham, Aug. 29.—Stephen Brown, a Raleich Township farmer, was kicked in the
chin by a horse in his barn shortly after 7
o'clock this evening and died almost instantly. Brown had just finished his day's work
and was putting the team away.

BINBROOK

A meeting of the Binbrook Branch of the Woman's Institute was held on Wednedsay afternoon in the Temperance Hall. There were seventeen ladies present. Mrs. G. Beares and Mrs. W. J. Guyatt had charge of the question drawer, which was both helpful and interesting. The Misses E. and O. Guyatt then sang a duet in their usual good style. Miss J. Brown then read a most excellent paper on "Autumn," comparing it with our lives. A very pretty sole was sung by Mrs. W. J. Guyatt, and was much appreciated by those present. The members were very much disappointed at not having Mrs. Moselily and Miss Carpenter, of Stoney Creek, present, as at not having Mrs. McNeilly and Miss Carpenter, of Stoney Creek, present, as was expected. The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, Sept. 25. As the meetings grow more interesting, there should be an increase in the membership. A cordial invitation is extended to all. On Tuesday evening, Sept. 3, there will be a meeting of the Woman's Institute in the Temperance Hall at 8 o'clock to arrange for a social and concert. All the members are carnestly requested to attend and all others interested.

sted. Mrs. T. Ellicott and family, of Paris

Ars. 1. Elimott and latinly, of rails, have during the past two weeks been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Bush in the village.

Miss Fletcher, of Hamilton, spent Sunday at Mr. J. J. McKenzie's.

Mrs. F. B. Atherton and Master Stanley, of Ovid, Mich., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Marshall, Sylvia Cottage.

Cottage.

After spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. Albert Young has returned to Fort Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McAllister, Mrs. and
Miss Post visited at Mr. T. Murphy's

Miss Post visited at Mr. T. Murphy's on Tuesday last.

Mrs. **\text{\$\pi\$}(Dr.)\$ Mellwraith is visiting friends in Toronto.

Miss McClement, of Mount Hope, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. A. Whitwell.

Miss Grace Kelly has returned home after spending a few weeks with friends in Brantford.

BETHESDA

ing. R. Bristol, from Hamilton; Mr. Mrs. R. Bristol, from Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, from Jerseyville; Mr. and Mrs. James. from Dundas, visited at Mr. Sam Smith's on Sunday.
Miss Maggie Brown is visiting friends in Toronto.
Mrs. W. Book is visiting friends in Southeats.

Cabbage, dozen
Beef, hindquarters
Do., forequarters
Do., choice, carcase
Do., medium, carcas
Mutton, per cwt.
Veal, per cwt.
Lamb, per cwt.

Southcote.

Mrs. Jacob Shaw and Miss Mary Har-ris spent Wednesday afternoon at Mr. Fred. Reinke. visiting at Mr. William Shaver's.
Rev. Canon Belt called on a few friends one day lost week.

Flour-Manitoba patent, \$4.60 to \$5, track, Toronto; Ontario, 30 per cent patents, \$3.25 bld for export; Manitoba patent, special brands, \$5.20; second patent, \$4.70; strong bakers', \$4.60. Miss Maud Springer, who was visiting r. W. Kern, has returned to her home

Mr. and Mrs. George Shaw went to see Mr. W. Howell last Friday, he being very sick.

Mrs. Jacob Olmstead still continues rery poorly.

The Bell Brothers are buying apples in this neighborhood.

CAISTORVILLE

Rev. Mr. Springer is spending a few

Mrs. Metcalfe and grandchildren have returned to their home in Walkerton. returned to their home in Walkerton.

J. Lyons has been spending a few
days in this village and his friends have
been pleased to see him again.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Park entertained
the choir at their home last Friday evening. After being served to a beautiful
tea the time was spent in games and a
little practising.

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5,000 FIERCE ARABS ADVANCE ON FRENCH.

France Will Make Morocco Pay the Bill for Occupation of Country.

Sultan Abdul Aziz Has Barricaded Himself in His Palace at Fez.

Casa Blanca a correspondent of the Mat-

5,000 horsemen are advancing on the camp of the French. The artillery has be from the camp at Herchich, and are the fiercest of all the tribesmen.

"The Median tribesmen encamped a Tadert have opened a market for the disposal of booty. The other tribes enamped at Herchich have been restrained camped at Herchieh have been restrained from attacking the French up to the present time, by the Mediunas, who had received a letter from Mulai Hafig, telling them to follow this course. But now they are getting restive and are accusing the Meduinas of being traitors in the pay of the French. The natives are convinced that Mulai Hafig is coming to Casa Blanca to try to get an official mandate from the French Government to restore order, and that he will profit by this opportunity to establish himself on a firm basis and supplant Ahd El Aziz, the Sultan of Record.

Paris, Aug. 30.—The correspondent at l'angier of the Pettit Journal telegraphs

TORONTO FARMERS' MARKET.

The receipts of grain were nil to-day, and rices purely nominal.

Hay in moderate supply, with prices unhanged; 26 loads sold at \$16 to \$17 a ton for ew. Straw firm, one load selling at \$13.56

ten.

Pressed hogs unchanged at \$9.25 for light,
d at \$8.75 for heavy.

lead, new, bush. \$0.87 \$0.00

190, Fed, bush. 0.87 \$0.00

19, bush. 0.50 \$0.00

190, new, bush. 0.42 \$0.00

rley, bush. 0.53 \$0.55

as, bush. 0.75

WINNIPEG WHPAT MARKET.
Following are the closing quotations on Vinnipeg grain futures to-day:
Wheat—Aug. 95c bid, Sept. 95%c bid, Oct.

Onts—Aug. 41c bid, Oct. 40%c bid; Dec

FLOUR PRICES.

BRITISH CATTLE MARKETS.

London.—London cables are steady at 11%c o 12%c, dressed weight, refrigerator Leef quoted at 10c per lb.

See'ts No. 1, bush O. O.

Paris, Aug. 30.—In a despatch from that a courier who left Fez on August 26th declares that the Sultan Abdul Aziz tried to set out for Arabia, but was forced to return by the hostility of the populace. He has barricaded himself in the palace at Fez.

Morocco to Pay.

Paris, Aug. 30.—The report that France intends to insist that Morocco shall pay the heavy expenses resulting from the French military and naval operations in the latter country appears to be correct. The expenditure is increasing steadily with the enlargement of the activity of the French forces, and Germany, Great Britain and the other powers of Europe are understood to be in sympathy with France's attitude. It is also stated in well informed circles that the old powers intend to demand payments for the losses autained by their subjects in Morocco. However, it is recognized that the existence of two Sultans in Morocco will render it a difficult matter to fix the responsibility for the payment of the expenses incurred. According to the latest advices from Casa Blanca the French losses in the fighting near the examp, August 28th, were three men killed and 12 wounded, the killed including a cavalryman of the irregular Algerian force, who was decapitated, and whose head was carried off by the Moors. The enemy's loss is belived to have been heavy. Morocco to Pay

MARKETS AND FINANCE

insiders are said to expect a favorable

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE lst pref. 2nd is quoted at 10c per lb.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Receipts of live stock at the city market since Tuesday as reported by the railways were 33 carloads, composit of 1,386 cattle, 366 hogs, 4,183 sheep and lambs and 250 calves.

INDUSTRIALS. Exporters—No loads of export cattle on sale, but a few, probably half a dozen steers, picked out of as many loads of butchers, and a few bulla, not more than a load all

NO FUNDS.

demand, including, recently, a good demand from abroad. Ine productive forces at work in this trade now are forces at work in this trade now are thought to be more fully employed than for several years. It will be recalled that the bituminous situation has previously been one of the few blue skins in a period of great prosperity. A prominent member of the Minneapolis chamber of Commerce says the Northwest will have big, the crops. He says that section has made a wonderful progress in manening its crop moving inrough use of creats. It is believed that surf will be prought by local traction companies to test the constitutionality of the Public Service Commission's authority.

outcome of the Airon immunity matter.
The market shows no liquidation, and
there is a large short interest still uncovered.

Eighty-six loads of wheat taken for export.—Ennis & Stoppani. The following quotations are reported by A. E. Carpenter, Stock Broker, 102 King street east:

35%

Stop Evil.

The Asymematic affort and the value of minigration and the description of the pollutary has been determined by the bureau of immigration and the description of the practically invariably ground and property of the work of the practically invariably ground and property in the practical pr

their transactions. The inevitable liquidation in such cases is generally followed by an increasing want of contidence. Good times, with a judicious use of capital, could hurt no one, but on the contrary would be beneficial. There must, however, be an end, sooner or later, to wild financing and wastefulness. Quite a lot of liquidation has already taken place, and with a carful fostering of reserves, there should be no immediate danger in the situation.

OBITUARY.

Deaths and Funerals of Yesterday and To-day.

Gladys, infant daughter of Mr. and Ms. Albert Longworth, passed away last evening at the residence of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell, 132 Fdlorence street, after several weeks al will take place on Saturday afternoon

The funeral of Lillian Cunningham took place this afternoon from her uncle's residenct, Poplar avenue, and was largely attended. Rev. J. A. Wilson conducted the services and the pall-bearers were Herbert Mellon, Harry Mellon, Gordon Mellon, Alex. Small, and W. Smith.

Naido Stoyce, a Turk, died at the City Hospital this morning with tubercuosis. He was 19 years of age and was born in Macedonia. The funeral takes place on Saturday at 3 p.m., from Green Bros', un-dertaking rooms.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Fred man, 136 John street north, was ad yesterday afternoon. Rev. R. W. Philpott conducted the services and the pall-bearers were Wm. and F. Smith. The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Jas.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Watson, Toronto, died at Niagara Falls yesterday. The funeral took place this morning to Hamilton cemetery, on the arrival of the G. T. R. at 11 o'clock this morning. Rev. S. B. Russell conducted the services. A Saturday Sale at Shea's.

A Saturday Sale at Shea's.

About 40 suits, made of fine worsteds and tweeds, worth \$12 to \$18, will be cleared at \$4.95. These suits are stylish and up to date and just the garment for early fall wear. A beautiful showing of new silk waists, new and direct from the factory, at cut prices: \$3.00 waists for \$2.25; \$4.00 waists for \$2.95, and a beautiful showing of elegant silk waists at \$4.00 to \$5.95. Special cut prices in all kinds of muslin and lawn waists. Special sale of ladies' vests, worth 20e each, at 3 for 25c. A grand showing of new fall dress goods; all the popular weaves and shades, bought so that the prices yow practically the same as last season. You better buy now, for it is absolutely impossible for us or anybody elss to get any more of them at the same price. Shop in the morning—James Shea.

SEND BOATS TO PACIFIC.

C. P. R. May Make Important Changes This Fall.

Montreal, Aug. 29.—The report is eurrent that the C. P. R. Atlantis steamers Montrose and Montealm will be transferred from the Atlantic to the Pacific feet at the close of the St. Lawrence navigation season, to replace the Athenian and Tartar, which have been disposed of to the Japanese. It is said that a great deal of freight is offering on the route between Canada and the far east, and the Monteagle and three Empresses are all the vessels that are at present available for the handling of it. The Empresses are only small freight earriers, their capacity for that purpose being not more than 12,500 tons, hence the necessity for reinforcement of the fleet in eastern waters.

No official statement on the subject is yet obtainable at the head offices, the plars for the Pacific service not being sufficiently matured to warrant an announcement.

BREAD LOAVES SMALLER. Increase in Price of Flour Causes

Change. Change.

Toronto, Aug. 30.—Local bakers will shortly be forced to decrease the size of the loaves of bread, if an increase in the price per loaf is to be avoided. This is caused, they claim, by the recent advances in the price of flour. During the last few days wheat has been advancing and it was stated yesterday that even with the higher price of flour it is not yet in accordance with the present price of wheat. Accordingly, the bread consumer pays for the advance.

Bakers said yesterday that it had been agreed among the trade not o charge

agreed among the trade not to charge more than five and ten cents a loaf, and the loaf has to be decreased. The law 11st allows abaker to sell loaves of any weight 57% so long as a stamp or label is put on showing the weight. Definite action, however, has not yet been taken by the bakers.

31% Booksellers' and Stationers' Association

Formed. Formed.

Toronto, Aug. 30.—Speaking at the first annual banquet of the Booksellers and Stationers' Association of Ontario last night of the necessity for organization of retail booksellers for self-protection, Mr. E. Pomeroy, of Pomeroy Bros., Newark, N.Y., made the startling annuncement that out of 3,000 retail booksellers in the United States 25 years ago there were to-day only 1,000.

The newly-formed association elected officers yesterday afternoon as follows: President, Wm. Tyrrell, Toronto; Vice-president, J. G. Cloke, Hamilton; Secretary, W. A. Craick, Toronto. The Executive Committee consists of Messra. G. W. Sulman, Chatham; R. A. Robertson, Hamilton; E. G. Brown, Collingwood; A. H. Stratton, Peterboro; W. B. Hart, Perth.

Mr. J. Wise, of the Macmillan Publishing Company, declared there was a great need for co-operation between the book-

To substitute? We think not, and to avoid it we maintain our stock and our prices as uniform as possible. Union made overalls 50c up.—M. Kennedy, 240 James north, 148 John south.

Pears the Bignature Chart Hillthras Good Man.

(London Free Press.)

They have a market constable at Hailton who is worth while. A dishon fruit grower who put the little peae in the bottom of the basket has baummoned and his fruit selzed.