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DIED

LAIRD—At the family residence, 422 King street, Rev. John G. Laird, in his 74th year. Funeral notice later.

CHARLTON—At his late residence, Ilderton, on June 24, Bartholomew Charlton, aged 65 years.
Funeral on Saturday at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept the intimation. b d&w

MORROW—At the family residence, 519 Simcoe street, June 24, Eliza, relict of the late Robert Morrow, aged 51 years.
Funeral will leave above residence on Saturday at 3 p.m., service at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances will kindly accept this intimation. Parkhill papers please copy.

Amusements and Lectures

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

4TH OF JULY IN CLEVELAND—COURT Magnolia excursion via magnificent passenger steamer "Flora." Only $2 round trip from London. 46k y1xf

STEAMER THAMES LEAVES LONDON daily—2, 3:45, 7:15. Springbank—5:15, 9:30. 55tf

PATTERSON LINE—SEASON 1897—PORT Stanley, Morpeth, Rond Eau and Cleveland. The new elegant steamer A. J. Tymon will leave Port Stanley every Monday, Wednesday and Friday evening at 9 o'clock; returning leave Cleveland every Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday at 11 p.m. This popular steamer will be at Port Stanley all day on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays to give excursionists an opportunity to enjoy a trip out on the lake. Moonlight excursions every evening on above days. For further information regarding freight or excursions apply to John Price, general agent, Port Stanley, or Arch Patterson, Ridgetown, Ont., and 98 Broadway, Cleveland, Ohio. Tickets for sale by F. B. Clarke, 416 Richmond street, London, Ont., D. K. McKenzie, St. Thomas, Ont. 47tf

WHEN YOU TRAVEL YOU DESIRE correct and up-to-date information and attention to your comfort. I spare no time or trouble in booking passengers to the Old Country to have all their wants attended to. FRANK B. CLARKE, Richmond street, next Advertiser office.

SULPHUR SPRING PLUNGE OPEN FOR the season; water continuously changing. Also hot baths; attendants for both ladies and gentlemen. Dundas street west. 49tf

ALASKA IS COOL, SO IS THE TRIP via the Merchants' Lines from Port Stanley to Montreal. Only $25 round trip, including meals and berth while in Cleveland, Toledo, Windsor, Welland Canal ports, Toronto, Kingston, Cornwall, Prescott, as well as on the trip. F. B. CLARKE, agent, Richmond street, next Advertiser. E. N. Hunt, Dundas street. C. C. Young.

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

BICYCLE RIDING TAUGHT 476 RICHMOND street. "Dayton" bicycles, $80; "Tempests" $60. Fully guaranteed. See them. DAYTON & McCORMICK.

Meetings.

MASONIC CHURCH PARADE — THE members of the craft are earnestly requested to attend in full force on Sunday next at the afternoon service to be held at St. Paul's Cathedral. Assemble at the Masonic Temple at 3:30 p.m. sharp. Service at 4:15 p.m., June 27. By order. J. Cook, chairman; W. C. L. Gill, secretary. 55u

NOTICE—DAUGHTERS OF ENGLAND—Members of Lodge Princess Beatrice will please meet at lodge room on Saturday, June 26, at 2 p.m., to attend the funeral of our late sister E. Morrow. Lodge Princess of Wales respectfully invited to attend. M. A. Hornsby, president. b

THE BRICKLAYERS' AND MASONS' Union's quarterly meeting will be held Monday, June 28, 8 p.m. All members requested to attend. JOSEPH HAWTHORNE, secretary. 55u

SONS OF ENGLAND—CHURCH PARADE committee will please meet at Trafalgar Edge rooms this evening at 8:30. J. G. Pritchett, secretary. b

I. O. O. F.—ELECTIONS THIS (FRIDAY) evening, Dominion Lodge, No. 48. Important. Visitors invited. John Browne, R.S. Thos. D. Hastings, R. S.

MEETINGS OF SABBATH SCHOOL teachers and officers, conducted by Mr. Alfred Day, general secretary Provincial Association, 8 o'clock each evening. Monday, Ish. Knox Presbyterian Church, "Teaching by Questioning;" Tuesday, 29th, Centennial Methodist Church, "Preparation of the Lesson;" Wednesday, 30th, First Congregational Church, "Home Department of S.S." 7:15 p.m., meeting of superintendents. Collections to defray expenses at each meeting. Superintendents please announce in their schools. 55u

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DINING-ROOM AND KITCHEN GIRL wanted. Apply European Hotel, STEVENS & NICOL, proprietors. 55tf

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT IMMEDIATELY. Apply 181 St. James. 53c

GENERAL SERVANT WANTED—GOOD wages to competent girl. No washing. Apply at 294 Central avenue. 53c

SIX GOOD HOTEL COOKS WANTED—Wages $40 to $25; dining-room and chamber maids and good general servants wanted for out of city at once. DWYER'S Employment agency, 191 Richmond street, 'phone 1,121.

WANTED—COOKS FOR HOTELS AND private houses in and out of city; also housekeepers and generals. On hand dining-room girls and generals for summer resorts. None but respectable need apply at The Osborne, 56 Dundas street. Telephone 383.

Situations Wanted.

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Male Help Wanted.

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50 BOYS WANTED SATURDAY TO DO weeding at Rosedale garden, Dundas street east, past end of street car line. A. McINNIS. b

STRONG STABLE BOY WANTED—APPLY J. H. CHAPMAN, Dundas street. 53tf

WANTED—MAN AS MANAGER FOR exclusive territory; security required. The Mooralph Company, 394 Richmond street. 53c

WRITERS WANTED—TO DO COPYING at home. Law College, Lima, Ohio. 48a

Musical Instruction.

MRS. NOBLE, TEACHER OF PIANO, organ and harmony; terms moderate. Residence 526 King street. zxv

W. H. HEWLETT, ORGANIST DUNDAS Center Church, teacher piano organ and theory, 353 Dundas street.

MR. FREDERICK G. SIMPSON, ORGANIST Askin Street Methodist Church. Instruction in piano and harmony. Accompanist. 199 Richmond street.

Wanted.

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MILK ROUTE WANTED—WILL PAY good price. Address H. SMITH, Byron. 50h&bw

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

IF YOUR BICYCLE NEEDS CLEANING or repairing take it to HUTCHINSON'S. 651 Dundas street.

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STUDENTS, TEACHERS AND AGENTS wishing a worthy and profitable occupation for the summer can get same by writing us. We have an entirely new thing. Don't promise $10 per day, but more than that per week. Address, J. L. NICHOLS & Co., Wesley building, Toronto. 58tf-d&w

AGENTS WANTED FOR "LIFE OF Queen Victoria and Her Reign," including full account magnificent Diamond Jubilee; beautifully illustrated; outfit free. Address National Publishing Company, Lakeside Building, Chicago, Ill. 50n

Real Estate.

FOR SALE—BRICK COTTAGE AND LOT —6 rooms kitchen and pantry. 16 Cartwright street. Apply on premises. 47bu

NICE COTTAGE—
IN NEW ORCHARD BEACH
For sale or rent. A bargain if sold at once.
J. F. SANGSTER,
403 Richmond street.

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KEEP YOUR HAIR ON—BOTH OLD and young, for nothing looks worse than a bald head. When it comes first no man need be bald if he will use Cook's Sure Hair Restorer. Call and see what he has done for himself. Pork Shop, corner Hill and Wellington streets. Call and be convinced that he can do what he claims. zxv

FOR SALE CHEAP—A THOROUGHBRED Jersey bull calf. Apply 59 Ridout street south. 51u

FOR SALE—ONE 30 HORSEPOWER automatic "Brown" engine, built by Goldie, McCulloch & Co., 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

IRON AND LEAD PIPE, STEAM AND water fittings of all kinds. SMITH Bros., 265 Dundas street. v

ICE—SPRINGWATER ICE—
Send your order to us and we will deliver you the finest ice cut last winter, at lowest prices. Satisfaction guaranteed. D. COLLINS & Co., 35 Blackfriars street. Phone 890.

PEERLESS REFRIGERATOR AND STOVES FOR sale cheap at Keenes furniture store, Masonic Temple, Market Square.

BICYCLE CORK GRIPS, 25c PER PAIR —Cyclometers at 75c each, D. McKENZIE & Co., 374 Richmond street. Phone 1,115.

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

Business Chances.

FOR SALE—BLACKSMITH SHOP AND house in village of Hyde Park, Ont.; good stand. Apply MRS. N. PETTERSON, Exeter, Ont. 55u

Houses, Etc., To Let.

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TO LET—COTTAGE, EIGHT ROOMS, hard and soft water; garden. Apply 230 Central avenue. 55u

FOR RENT—TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE, 28 Prospect avenue, in first-class repair; rent $14. Apply next door. 54c

TO LET—624 TALBOT STREET — A large brick cottage in perfect order. 54n

TO RENT—SEVERAL CHOICE PORT Stanley cottages. Apply to R. K. COWAN, barrister, London. 51n

TO LET, BY THE WEEK—SMALL FURNISHED cottage in Port Stanley. Apply 351 Princess avenue. 50g

TO LET—NO. 411 KING STREET—TWO STORY brick; large and comfortable rooms; nice situation. Rent cheap. Apply 409 King street. 35tf

STORE TO RENT—201 DUNDAS STREET, $20 per month. 29tf

Jewelers.

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

Stone and Concrete Work

TENDERS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION of stone (or concrete) abutments and piers for King street bridge will be received at this office (where plans and specifications may be seen) up to 5 o'clock on Thursday, July 8.

AQUILLA O. GRAYDON, City Eng.
ALD. E. PARNELL, Ch. Sewerage Com.
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MONEY

Applications invited for loans on productive property. Special rates quoted for large amounts.
CREDIT FONCIER F. C.,
28 Wellington street east, Toronto; W. E. Long, manager. zxv

Coal Tenders.

TENDERS FOR SUPPLYING COAL FOR city buildings will be received at this office up to Wednesday, June 30, at 5 o'clock.
J. W. McCALLUM, Ch. No. 3 com.
A. O. GRAYDON, City Engineer.
59k cod

Citric acid is said to paralyze cholera germs when dissolved in water to the extent of four parts in 10,000.

A DINNER PILL.—Many persons suffer excruciating agony after partaking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken of is like a ball of lead upon the stomach, and instead of being a healthy nutriment, it becomes a poison to the system. Dr. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are wonderful correctives of such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions and convert the food partaken of into healthy nutriment. They are just the medicine to take if troubled with indigestion or Dyspepsia.

Feeding the Poor.

The Princess of Wales' Jubilee Dinners a Success.

300,000 of London's Indigent Enjoy a Substantial Meal.

Many Touching Scenes Witnessed Among the Poor Children.

Thanks to the Army, Navy and Press — The Fetes Ended — Meeting of Colonial Premiers.

London, June 25.—The Princess of Wales' jubilee dinners to the poor yesterday were very successful. About 300,000 denizens of the slums were sumptuously entertained at the various centers. The princess, accompanied by the Prince of Wales, Princess Victoria of Wales and Prince and Princess Charles of Denmark, visited the principal halls where the feasts were given. The Princess of Wales requested the lord mayor to deliver this message to all the diners, as follows:

"Although I am unfortunately unable to be present at all the dinners for my poor, I shall be with them in spirit, hoping that they will enjoy themselves, and give three cheers for their Queen."

POOR CRIPPLES REMEMBERED.

The children at the People's Palace were all cripples. Some were wheeled in bath chairs; others limped in on crutches into the banquet hall, and many had to be carried in. As soon as the royal party reached the platform, two little cripples presented bouquets of flowers to the Princess of Wales and to the lady mayoress. The scene was most affecting, and nearly all eyes were moist.

The Prince of Wales, in behalf of the princess, expressed the pleasure which it afforded them in being able to bring some degree of happiness to the children. He then called for cheers for the Queen, which were heartily given. The members of the royal party then made a tour of the hall, and before leaving the Princess of Wales took up a glass of ginger ale, which had been served to one of the little cripples, and emptied it to the health of the children.

At the Central Hall, Holborn, 17,000 people, young and old, partook of the banquet served. When the royal party entered the hall the food was apparently forgotten. All rushed up and cheer after cheer shook the building. In making a tour of the room the Princess of Wales turned to an old Irish woman and expressed the hope that she had partaken of a good dinner. To this the old woman replied: "God bless you, dear!" and patted the princess on the shoulder. The members of the royal party frequently shook hands with and spoke encouraging words to ragged waifs. The same scenes were witnessed at Clerkenwell. This has emphatically been the Princess of Wales' day, and her idea of giving a treat to the poor has been crowned with the greatest success. She was everywhere received with much enthusiasm.

At the People's Palace the princess herself made the first block of ice cream with a patent freezer, to the delight of the children.

AT WINDSOR.

Her Majesty, on leaving Slough, en route to Windsor, was presented with addresses by the college authorities, and by the oppidians of Eton, to which she replied in each case. At the conclusion of the ceremony at Eton, the Queen asked for her grandson, Prince Arthur of Connaught, who, in his Eton jacket and collar, walked to her carriage and shook hands with the Queen. The journey was then continued. The Queen's next court was at Windsor Bridge, where a fine arch of the period of Edward IV. had been erected.

THE ARMY THANKED.

The Queen, through Lord Wolseley, the commander-in-chief, has issued a special army order conveying her thanks to all who participated in the military features of the procession and the celebrations. The order also thanks the Duke of Connaught, Major-Gen. Methuen and all the officers and men engaged, including the colonial and Indian contingents, whose presence was an additional source of pride and satisfaction to the Queen-Empress.

NAVAL OFFICERS RECEIVED.

The lords of the admiralty and all the admirals of the foreign ships who are to take part in the naval review off Spithead on Saturday next, were received by Queen Victoria at Windsor Castle.

On behalf of her majesty, the Princess of Wales gave a state reception last evening at Buckingham Palace. The occasion was one of unprecedented brilliancy, the guests numbering over 1,600.

Windsor Castle was brilliantly illuminated at night with the changing colors of Bengal lights. The magnificent spectacle was visible for a distance of ten miles. The Queen, the Empress Frederick and the Princess Beatrice drove out to Windsor, and a wild, picturesque carnival procession arranged by the townspeople was viewed.

TOUCHING INCIDENT.

A reporter of the Daily Chronicle in his account of the scenes about Buckingham Palace on Tuesday says: The most touching incident of the day was to come. I had moved out into the forecourt when a cheer from the people just beyond the railing warned me to look back. There, above the gold and crimson of the center balcony, the nurses of the Duchess of York were seen opening a window, and two of her royal highness' children came out into the sunlight, in plain white frocks with blue sashes. Behind them was a slight form, tinier still. As the eldest heard the cheering, he raised his little arm above his eyes and saluted. The people's enthusiasm burst all bounds. They broke past the policemen, rushed beneath the horses' heads, and clambered to the very railings of the palace gate. The child seemed to recognize that something more was required of him, and while his little brother stamped with glee and waved his arms, the latest heir of Queen Victoria saluted with both hands at once.

MORE JUBILEE HONORS.

In recognition of their services in connection with the diamond jubilee programme, the order of the Grand Cross of the Bath has been conferred upon Col. Sir Edward Bradford, commissioner of police of the metropolis; the order of Knight Commander of the Bath (in Great Britain) on Lieut.-Col. Henry Smith, commissioner of police in the city of London, and the order of Companion of the Bath upon Hon. Reginald Ballot Brett, secretary to her majesty's office of works.

McKINLEY'S LETTER.

London, June 25.—President McKinley's letter congratulating the Queen on the completion of 60 years' reign has greatly pleased the nation. The Times, commenting on it, says: "It will be read with pride and satisfaction throughout the empire as an official token of the particular friendship and esteem in which the English monarchy and the great English-speaking republic hold each other."

DELIGHTED SIR WILFRID.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier is delighted at the reception accorded to him in London. He said that not only the pageant, but the welcome by London to himself as premier and to the troops representing Canada exceeded his most sanguine anticipations.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Chamberlain will accompany the colonial premiers to the naval review at Spithead.

The last of a series of meetings which Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, colonial secretary, intends holding at the colonial office during the sojourn of the premiers of the colonies in London was held yesterday. Mr. Chamberlain devoted much of the time to Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the topic of their conversation being the Canadian tariff resolutions and the preferential feature of them.

The trades council of the city of London will invite Sir Wilfrid at an early date to address a mass meeting of industrial workers.

It was hinted some days ago that the colonial troops would be given a trip to Scotland, and for a brief stay be the guests of the hospitable city of Glasgow. To the disappointment of many, and notably the colonials, the idea has been abandoned. Colonial Secretary Chamberlain said after the meeting at the colonial office that it was owing to the brief time between now and the departure of the colonial troops that the idea of visiting not only Glasgow, but Birmingham, Manchester and other large cities had to be abandoned.

END OF THE FETES.

So far as the London public is concerned, the fetes are virtually ended. The illuminations will be continued until the end of the week, but many, together with the decorations, are already being dismantled. The oppressive heat of the day was followed by a sudden wind and heavy thunder storms, which have done much damage in various parts of the country. The heavy rain has thoroughly soaked the remaining decorations here, while there have been floods along the Thames Valley, and roofs and steeples damaged and trees destroyed. At Norwich two men were killed by lightning.

Lord Brassey entertained the colonial premiers, including Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who was accompanied by his wife, Thursday evening at Normanhurst, the Sussex seat of the Brasseys.

Great crowds viewed the illuminations in London Wednesday night. The crowds were much greater than those of Tuesday night.

The Queen has ordered a special diamond-shaped medal struck in gold and silver for presentation to all the lord mayors in the United Kingdom, the lord provosts and the provosts. It will be worn with a ribbon in the usual manner.

A Portsmouth dispatch says: Already there is a big assemblage of yachts in the Solent, to witness the great naval review of Saturday next. Practically all the warships, British and foreign, are in line, and they present a most imposing sight.

During a jubilee celebration on Wednesday at Wembley Park, a favorite London resort, a tornado struck the place and tore down several buildings. There was a panic among the 900 children and others taking part in the festivities. Several were injured during the rush for shelter.

The Standard says it would be a most ungracious omission to forget to offer sincere thanks to all foreign countries that have participated in the jubilee. They have added materially to the pleasure of the Queen and her people by their never-to-be-forgotten kindness. So far as the Americans are concerned, we believe they are almost as pleased and proud as though the jubilee were their own.

SENATE CHAPLAIN'S TRIBUTE.

He Extols the Queen for Her Exemplary Life as Wife, Sovereign and Mother.

Washington, June 25.—An eloquent tribute to the long and illustrious reign of Queen Victoria was a feature of the opening prayer before the Senate yesterday by the acting chaplain, Rev. Hugh Johnson, formerly of Canada:

"We thank thee," he said, "for the demonstrations of joy, both national and international, over her Majesty Queen Victoria's completion of her long and illustrious reign of 60 years; we thank thee for her exemplary life and personal qualities as wife, as queen, as mother; that her court has been pure and her throne without a stain; we thank thee for all the achievements of the Anglo-Saxon race during this auspicious period of the world's history in all avenues of literature, art, science; for the cordial relations between the two great nations, one in language, literature, laws, civil and religious liberty. May they be bound together in perpetual bonds of peace."

Startling Rumor

That a Nile Expeditionary Force Has Been Massacred.

The British Training Brig Sea Lark Safe in Port—A Warning From Rhodes.

FOR JOE'S BENEFIT.

London, June 25.—The parliamentary gossip writer of the Daily News (Liberal) says that one of the telegrams from Cecil Rhodes to Miss Flora Shaw, which will be produced at the next meeting of the British South Africa investigation committee, instructs Miss Shaw to inform Mr. Chamberlain that if he desires to retain the British hold upon South Africa, it would be desirable to change the tone of his communications on South African matters.

ANOTHER MASSACRE SCARE.

Brussels, June 25.—The Reforme says it learns from a good source that the entire Dhanis expedition to the headwaters of the Nile, including Baron Dhanis himself, has been massacred. Baron Dhanis last year enlisted 6,000 men in the Congo Free State to take part in a secret expedition. The British government allowed a number of its Houssa troops to join the expedition; but it was officially denied that an Anglo-Belgian movement had been concerted against the Mahdists.

The general impression, however, was that this force was intended to act in conjunction with the Anglo-Egyptian expedition up the Nile, and take the Mahdists between two fires and eventually complete the reconquest of the Soudan.

Early in December last it was reported that the expedition had met with disaster and that Baron Dhanis had been killed. Later it was authoritatively stated that there was no ground for the report that the baron had been killed, and that when last heard from, in September, he was at Stanley Falls, 600 miles from the nearest dervish forces.

CABLE NOTES.

It turns out that Plague Commissioner Rand is not dead, as reported, but improving.

The Daily Chronicle understands that the Queen has devoted a large sum of money for the relief of the refugees of Thessaly.

Tuesday was the hottest day of the season. Several sunstrokes were reported and two deaths from heat. As a contrast to this, a heavy snowfall was reported from Albeville, Savoy.

The training brig Sea Lark, concerning whose safety anxiety was expressed, has reached Spithead safely. She had on board 41 officers and seamen and 80 boys belonging to the training ship Caledonia.

Oxford University has conferred the honorary degree of doctor of divinity on his grace the Most Rev. Robert Machray, Archbishop of Rupert's Land and Primate of all Canada, and, upon the Most Reverend John Travers Lewis, Archbishop of Ontario, and Metropolitan of Canada, and upon others.

A dispatch to the New York Herald from Madrid says: Serious rioting has taken place at Mieres, in the Ouleda province, which was supposed to be due to the increased taxes on food. There was heavy fighting between 8,000 miners and the Spanish troops, consisting of civil guards and the prince's regiment. Two rioters were killed and many soldiers were killed and several wounded.

THE KAISER'S PERIL.

Old Neptune No Respecter of Royal Rulers.

London, June 25.—The Berlin correspondent of the Daily News says: "During the gale on Sunday Emperor William, against the urgent advice of his entourage, embarked on a little steam launch, attended by Count Von Walderse, and started to visit the steamer Columbia at Cuxhaven. The sea was very rough and dashed the launch back against the Hohenzollern with such force that she began to fill. A row boat manned by twelve sailors was quickly lowered and the emperor entered it despite the tremendous sea that was running. The sailors were unable to make the least headway toward the Columbia, and finally a vessel undertook to tow the boat, but owing to the difficulty of getting alongside the attempt was finally abandoned and the emperor returned to the Hohenzollern.

Labor Interests.

The Knights of Labor Take Up Cuba's Cause.

Powderly May Be Made Commissioner of Emigration at New York.

Washington, June 25.—The general executive board of the Knights of Labor has adopted resolutions requesting the house of representatives and the president of the United States to at once take action recognizing the belligerency of Cuba, and recommending that the 4th of July be made an occasion for the adoption by the people of resolutions to the same end.

New York June 25.—President McKinley, it is said, has decided to appoint Terrence V. Powderly, formerly general master workman of the Knights of Labor, commissioner of immigration at this port, to succeed Dr. Joseph H. Senner.

Washington, June 25.—In an interview with President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, in regard to a fear that is entertained by the labor organizations that the anti-pooling bill will class them as trusts, the president is quoted as saying: "I regard the organization of labor as the natural and legitimate effort to secure its rights."

Montreal, Que., June 25.—Garment workers employed by Messrs. E. A. Small & Co., Montreal, have gone on strike, complaining of reduced wages, longer hours and unfair competition of young girls, who work for less than half.

Parliament.

Tariff Bill Passes the Senate Without Opposition.

The Commons and the Action of the Senate as to the Intercolonial.

Ottawa, June 25.—The opposition are reduced to about 30, but all the chronic talkers are still in attendance, and the supply bill may not be passed for some days yet, as the action of the Senate has given them a false courage. For three hours yesterday Mr. Foster and his friends talked over an item of $6,250 for customs preventive officers, and as usual strayed to the question of dismissal of officers.

In answer to the request of Mr. Foster for information, Sir Richard Cartwright made a statement in the house as to the position of the government. It was conciliatory in tone, but firm. The bill to provide for the purchase of the Drummond County Railway, and for the use of the G. T. R. tracks into Montreal would not be pressed in view of the ill-advised action of the Senate. The government proposed, however, to ask the authority of the house to make the experiment of running into Montreal for a few months. They believed that this experiment would demonstrate the soundness of the contention that the Intercolonial should have its terminus in Montreal.

Mr. Blair, in further explanation, said it was impossible to give the details of the proposed arrangement, as the time had been too short to conclude them. Rental not exceeding the amount asked for, $157,000, would be paid to the Drummond County Railway and the G. T. R. It might be necessary to be sure of the success of the experiment to ask next year that it be continued for another season, as a few months was a very short time in which to make the experiment. It was intended also to give the Drummond County Railway a bonus, such as was to be paid to all roads under the new regulations for the completion of the 42 miles of its road yet to be built. The bonus would be $3,200 per mile if the cost was not over $15,000 per mile. For all above that sum the bonus would be 50 per cent of the excess, providing the total bonus was not over $6,400 per mile.

Mr. Foster expressed the hope that the fullest information would be provided as soon as possible, and the subject dropped.

The House rose at 2 o'clock this morning.

IN THE SENATE.

The tariff bill, combines clause included, was passed by the Senate, after speeches by Sir Mackenzie Bowell and others, denouncing the government for not having reduced the tariff, and for listening to manufacturers who made representations to them.

Before adjournment Senator Miller gave notice that on Saturday he would move that a special committee of the Senate be appointed to inquire into the expenditure of the subsidies granted by the Parliament of Canada to the Drummond Counties Railway in the Province of Quebec, and the present financial position of the company, with power to send for papers, persons, and records, and report from time to time, and that the said committee consist of Sir Mackenzie Bowell, Senators Ferguson, Power, Scott, Macdonald (P. E. I.), Deboucherville, Primrose, Cox, Landry, Prowse, Wood, Thibaudeau and the mover.

104 in the Shade.

Many Prostrations From Heat in Kansas.

Heat Kills a Man in an Arkansas Ice Factory.

Kansas City, June 25.—The most intense heat that has prevailed in Central Kansas for several years has been experienced for the past four days, the thermometer averaging 100, and finally reaching 104. Many prostrations among farmers are reported, and at some points farmers have been compelled to abandon their harvest work. In the vicinity of Larned it was hot enough to curl the leaves of vegetation.

Little Rock, Ark., June 25.—The average maximum temperature in Arkansas on Wednesday as shown by government thermometers was 100. The highest point was at Warren, where the thermometer registered 109 degrees.

At Texarkana, Wesley Adams, a laborer employed in an ice factory, was prostrated and will probably die.

POLITICAL POINTS.

Toronto, Ont., June 25.—The judges for the hearing of the pending election petitions are to be: For the North Ontario protest, Mr. Justice Falconbridge and Mr. Justice Street; for the East Simcoe election case, Mr. Justice Falconbridge and Mr. Justice R. M. Meredith; for the South Brant election petition, Mr. Justice Rose and Mr. Justice MacMahon. The dates and places for the trials have not yet been fixed.

Dunville, Ont., June 25.—At a convention of the West Durham Reform Association held here yesterday Dr. J. C. Mitchell, of Enniskillen, was unanimously chosen as Liberal standard bearer to contest West Durham at the forthcoming provincial elections.

ON HER WEDDING TRIP.

Pauline Williams, the Actress Killed in a Mine Shaft, at Rossland, B. C.

Los Angeles, Cal., June 25.—Manager Jack Williams, of the Columbia Opera Company, has received a telegram from Frank Curtiss, a member of the company, who is at Rossland, B. C., to the effect that Curtiss' wife, who was known on the stage as Pauline Williams, was killed in a mine shaft at Rossland. They were married in San Francisco two weeks ago, and were on their wedding trip.

A Prominent Lawyer Says:
"I have eight children, every one in good health, not one of whom but has taken Scott's Emulsion, in which my wife has boundless confidence."

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A Terriffic Storm Visits Topeka, Kansas.

Many Persons Injured—One Stone Was Fourteen Inches in Circumference.

A Pembroke Farmer Killed by Lightning—Cyclone in Kansas.

Topeka, Kan., June 25.—The worst hail storm known in the history of Kansas struck this city last night. Hail stones weighing from 12 to 16 ounces stripped the trees of their foliage, smashed windows, including the finest plate-glass store fronts, cut down telegraph and telephone wires, riddled awnings, and inflicted unprecedented damage throughout the city.

Dogs were struck in the streets and instantly killed and horses were knocked to their knees. When the fury of the storm had passed dead birds were found everywhere. Frequent and terrific lightning accompanied the storm. There are not a dozen buildings in the town that are not now almost windowless, and many roofs were caved in. The roofs of street cars also were pierced.

The hail stones ranged in size from that of a hen's egg to that of an ostrich egg, and 20 minutes after the storm one hail stone was picked up which measured 14 inches in circumference. Surgeons are busy dressing the wounds of persons injured in the storm.

The following are among the most seriously hurt: Frank Brainard, hackman, skull fractured; J. D. Henderson, liveryman, skull fractured; Roy White, leg broken in a runaway; Mrs. Mary Hughes, arm broken in a runaway; D. K. Lee, bad scalp wound; Miss Anna Fenton, head cut; Fred Hollock, head cut.

LIGHTNING'S AWFUL WORK.

Pembroke, Ont., June 25.—Duncan Cameron, Wm. Croskery and Stephen Kenny, farmers, took shelter under a balsam tree during the storm yesterday afternoon at Beachburg, Ont. Lightning struck the tree, and Cameron was killed instantly. The others were stunned, but will recover. There was also a horse killed by lightning at Beachburg.

Salina, Kan., June 25.—Word has reached here of a terrific cyclone which passed fifteen miles northwest of this city. As far as heard from three are dead and a number dangerously injured.

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

Time Table Arranged for the Interesting Event.

The entrance examinations of the public schools take place on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, and the time table has been arranged as follows:

Monday, June 28—History, 9 a.m. until 10:30 a.m.; grammar, 10:40 a.m. until 12:10 p.m.; writing, 1:40 p.m. until 2:20 p.m.; reading, 2:30 p.m. until finished.

Tuesday, June 29—Arithmetic paper I., 9 a.m. until 9:30 a.m.; arithmetic paper II., 9:40 a.m. until 11:10 a.m.; drawing, 11:20 a.m. until 12:10 p.m.; composition, 1:40 p.m. until 2:20 p.m.; literature, 2:40 p.m. until 4:10 p.m.

Wednesday, June 30—Geography, 9 a.m. until 10:30 a.m.; dictation and spelling, 10:40 a.m. until finished.

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