

## Births, Marriages, Deaths

**MARRIED.**  
DEAN-PARKINS—At the residence of the bride's uncle, ex-Warden Peter Eison, on August 23, by the Rev. A. H. Rhodes, of Hyde Park, Miss Lella M. Parkins to Mr. Robert Dean, both of this city.  
ELLIOTT-AVERY—At Toronto, on Tuesday, August 22, 1899, by the Rev. F. M. Baldwin, A. M. Elliott to Etta Avery, all of Bothwell.

## Amusements and Lectures

**NORRIS BROS.**  
BIG TRAINED  
**Animal Show**  
LONDON, THURSDAY, AUG. 31  
Performances at 2:30 and 8 p.m.  
FREE STREET PARADE 11 A.M.  
Tents will be located on York and Rectory streets.

Trained Dogs. Trained Elephants.  
Trained Goats. Trained Ponies.  
Trained Zebras. Trained Monkeys.  
DON'T MISS THE PARADE.  
PRICES—Adults, 25c. Children, 15c.

**Toronto Exposition**  
BETTER, GRANDER AND MORE  
ATTRACTIVE THAN EVER.  
37th xwvtyz

**BASEBALL.**  
London vs. Chicago—Edgars  
THREE GAMES:  
Saturday, 3:30; Labor Day—Morning, 10:30;  
afternoon, 3:30. Admission, 25c; Boys, 10c.

**LABOR DAY PRIVILEGES FOR SALE.**  
Games, booths and dancing. Apply 394 Richmond.

**2,000 PASSENGERS CAN BE CARRIED** by the Star-Cole steamer City of Toledo, which will take the Labor Day excursion to Detroit from Sarnia Monday, 1.

**\$2.25 LONDON TO DETROIT** and return via boat. Labor Day excursion, Sept. 3 or 4. Enjoy cool, refreshing trip and restful time by taking it easy on spacious decks of Star-Cole steamers, viewing panorama of meeting shipping of great lakes. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser, ywt

**\$13.40 CUT IN RATE, LONDON** via boat, including meals and berth. The favorite steamers Persia and Ocean, sailing Tuesday and Saturday. Single fare from London \$3.50. The Rapids of the St. Lawrence and Thousand Islands passed in daylight. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser, ywt

**THE ALLAN AND GUNARD SHIPS** give you a first-class service to or from the Old Country. Fast time and luxurious accommodations. Bavarian from Montreal Sept. 7. Campania from New York Sept. 9. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

**RACING MEN WHO INTEND TO TAKE** part in coming meet at Toronto track can secure a permit for training privileges for entire season, for one dollar, by applying to Jas. McCormick, care of Dayton & McCormick, or care of H. C. Strickland & Co.

**Meetings.**  
MACCABEES—LONDON TENT #11 will meet this (Thursday) evening, 8 o'clock. Knights of Pythias Hall, Dundas street. b

**Domestics Wanted.**  
WANTED—SERVANT FOR GENERAL housework. No washing. Apply Mrs. John C. Butler, 230 Dundas street.

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST with light housework and care of children. Apply 663 Adelaide street. 35u

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT—References required. Apply 422 King street. 36c

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT; light housework; for family of three. Apply 46 Astin street, South London. 37c

WANTED—EXPERIENCED HOUSE-MAID—Apply to Mrs. W. A. Gunn, 412 Kent street. 37c

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN to do general housework; small references required. Apply Box 43, Advertiser's office. 37c

WANTED—ONE NURSE FOR CHILDREN and one general servant, at once. Apply at 100 Chesnut street. 37c

WANTED—AT ONCE—GOOD COOK. Permanent situation and good pay. A. D. Urfin, Queen's Hotel, Dutton. 36c

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT; good wages. Apply 420 Oxford street. 35c

WANTED—A GOOD GENERAL SERVANT. No washing. Good wages. Apply to Mrs. John Cameron, 238 Dufferin avenue. 35c

**Male Help Wanted.**  
WANTED—EXPERIENCED CANDY boiler also boy to learn trade. Apply McCormick Mfg. Co. b

WANTED—SALESMAN TO TAKE charge of Carpet and Housefurnishing Department. Must be experienced. Young man preferred. The Russians, Gray, Carlie Co. 35u

## Shoes, Trunks and Valises.

The reason is very plain why we do better for shoppers in Shoes, Trunks and Valises than others are doing. Our unequalled buying facilities gives us a command of the market and enables us to make prices known but to ourselves. The output from this big shoe store has no equal, and permits us to sell at a smaller profit than is usually taken. We are more than hearty in our invitation to visit the store, inspect our new stock and ascertain our prices.

## POCOCK BROS.

**Female Help Wanted**  
WANTED—YOUNG LADY AS ASSISTANT in a dental office. Apply between 9 and 10 a.m., and 7 and 8 p.m., at 27 Queen's avenue. 44 ywt

WANTED—GOOD WASH HAND—ALSO sewing girl. 432 Kincard. 37c

WANTED—GIRLS—IMMEDIATELY Apply D. S. Perlin & Co. 304

**Agents Wanted.**  
AGENTS WANTED—\$20 A WEEK. APPLY Cooper, Drawer 31, London. 37c

**Board and Lodging.**  
ONE FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED front room to rent. 428 Central avenue. 35c

**Houses, Etc., To Let.**  
TO LET—DESIRABLE HOUSE, TEN MINUTES' walk from market; rent moderate. Apply 24 Victor street. 44 ywt

TO LET—COTTAGE—CORNER KING and Wellington streets, containing parlor, dining room, kitchen, pantry, four bedrooms; good cellar; hard and soft water; newly painted and papered. Apply J. H. Tennant, 375 King street. 37c xwt

COTTAGE TO LET—No. 11 OXFORD street. Alex. Harvey, 804 Talbot street. 37c

TO RENT—STORE—No. 112 DUNDAS street, formerly occupied by J. P. Cook. Apply at 167 Dundas street. 23c

TO LET—STORE—189 DUNDAS STREET. Apply R. Short, 773 York street. 28bu

TO LET—THE UNION FURNITURE VAN. Have your furniture carefully handled. John Clarke, 405 Richmond street, South London, late of London Furniture Co.

**Articles For Sale.**  
FOR SALE—SAVE MONEY AND GET your school books at half price at Connor's Old Book Store. 35c

FOR SALE—WILLIAMS PIANO—ENTIRELY new. Will accept a low cash offer. Apply at Advertiser's office for particulars. 35u

PEARS! PEARS! PEARS!—FLEMISH Beauties, Clapp's Favorites and Bartlett's, all at the same price, 30 cents a peck. We are also making a specialty of tomatoes, present price, 15 cents a basket. We are also handling plums and peaches, and will guarantee our prices as low or lower than elsewhere. Paul's Provision Store, 3 Market Lane. ywt

**BUY YOUR GROCERIES FROM** F. H. JAMES, Worley road, South London, and save money. Trading stamps given on all purchases. Dominion Laundry agency. ywt

A BARGAIN—ONE FANCY WALNUT burr upright piano, 7½ octaves, 3 pedals, full swing desk, stool and range, only 4 months in use. A snap. Organs \$10 and upwards. Easy terms. Heintzman Co., 231 Dundas street, corner Chestnut. 37c

FOR SALE—J. & J. TAYLOR SAFE, ALMOST new. Apply R. Ironside, Engineer's office. 35c

FOR SALE—PAIR SHETLAND PONIES, 4 years old, double harness, saddle and bridle, sleigh robes. Terms cash or 12 months credit. Apply Richard Wright, 346 Dundas street. 35u

FOR SALE—TWO BUGGIES, CHEAP—APPLY to J. H. Kingston, 100 Dundas street, West London. 35u

**SPRINGS AND MATTRESSES—LARGEST** cheapest and best assortment in the city. Keene Bros., Cash Bargain Furniture Store, 127 King street. 35c

THE NEW "ORCHESTRAL" BELL PIANOS at Bell Piano Warehouse, 133 Dundas street, corner York, Stock Store, Sarnum & Trebilcock.

**BUY YOUR SUMMER WOOD** At the new coal and wood yard, Piccadilly street west of Richmond street. Phone 1382. R. J. WEBSTER.

**NEW RIVER SMOKLESS COAL.** No smoke, no smell, no clinkers, and very little ash, and guaranteed as good as the best coal and wood at the lowest cash price. Green & Co., Williams and Bathurst streets. Phone 1381.

**\$13.50 BUY A STEARNS BICYCLE** in good order. Guns and revolvers repaired at lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 574 Richmond street. 35c



**Children's School Shoes** that will wear like a board, while being properly shaped and perfect fitting to the little growing feet, is what parents should supply them with now at the opening of the school season. We have a superb stock of children's shoes, especially adapted for school wear, that combine durability, comfort and low prices.

**J. S. BROWN & CO.,**  
143 Dundas Street.

**Lost and Found.**  
LOST—PAIR GOLD SPECTACLES, ON Dundas or Richmond street. Reward as Advertiser's office. 38ct

LOST—LARGE SILVER PIN, SHAPE of two hearts entwined. Reward as Advertiser's office. 38ct

PUG DOG LOST—ON SATURDAY, 26TH—Is long in legs; quite deaf. Reward for returning to 773 Piccadilly street. 37u

**Dressmaking.**  
DRESSMAKERS CAN OBTAIN COPIES of imported Paris costumes at Mrs. H. Franks' Cutting School, 223 Dundas street, London.

**Viavi Treatment.**  
VIIVI TREATMENT—MRS. L. STEIN, 547 Talbot street, at home Saturdays.

**Palmistry.**  
CONSULT MADAM LIVINSKI, POPULAR scientific palmist. Revivals all. Bernard house, room 35. 25c and 50c. 35c

**Real Estate.**  
NEW, MODERN COTTAGE, TWO BLOCKS from the park; easy terms. Lot on Bathurst street, next to G. T. siding, with frame house; cheap. J. F. Sanger, 405 Richmond street. wt

FOR SALE—BRICK DWELLING, No. 227 Queen's avenue; 3 frame houses, Nos. 229, 231 and 233 Queen's avenue; brick dwelling, No. 422 Park avenue; brick cottage, No. 350 Burwell street; 2 frame houses, Nos. 197 and 199 Dundas street. For particulars inquire at Abbott's Carriage Factory. 35ct ywt

\$1,000 BUYS LOT AND HOUSE, rooms, bath, cellar, city and soil; owner; also large brick house, all modern improvements, roomy grounds, fine maple shade trees, at great bargain, corner of Elmwood avenue and Edward street, South London. Apply Hugh Stringer, 4 Elmwood avenue. 32c wt

FOR EXCHANGE—100 ACRES NEAR Cartwright, Man. for small farm near London. Apply F. Sanger, Real Estate Agent, over C. P. R. ticket office. 35ct

FOR SALE—FIVE ACRES OF LAND, southeast aspect, all clear, fruit of all kinds; house, 6 rooms, fine maple shade trees, at great bargain, corner of Elmwood avenue and Edward street, South London. Apply Hugh Stringer, 4 Elmwood avenue. 32c wt

FOR SALE—NICE BUILDING, LOT 30 or 60 feet, Elias street, near Adelaide. Apply 231 and 233 Queen's avenue, Real Estate Agent, over C. P. R. ticket office. 35ct

FOR SALE—BRICK VENEER COTTAGE—Best of city limits, situated on Homer road, near Hamilton road. Apply Lewis Clark, 226 Factory street, or this office. 35c

**Spiritualism.**  
FREE! FREE! FREE!—A FREE CONSULTATION to all who desire a reading. Chas. Roberts, the celebrated test, business and healing medium, is now in your city. Are you sick, despondent, in trouble? Come, see, hear and believe. You can get help, if not, it costs you nothing. Tell us at once without asking questions what the trouble is and how to remove it. Hours, 2 p.m. to 8 p.m. 565 Richmond street. Parlor retired; lady attendants.

**Tile Sewer.**  
TENDERS will be received at this office up to Tuesday, September 5, for the construction of a four inch tile sewer on Maple street, between Talbot and Ridout streets.

A. O. GRAYDON, City Engineer.  
ALD. H. M. DOUGLASS, Chairman No. 2 Committee.

**TO FATTEN POULTRY**  
Stations To Be Opened in the Maritime Provinces.

Ottawa, Aug. 31.—Prof. Robertson, commissioner of agriculture, left yesterday for the Maritime Provinces, to establish chicken-fattening stations at various points. Arrangements have been made for carrying on chicken-fattening stations in Ontario at Carleton Place and Woodstock, in Quebec at Bonville and St. Hyacinthe, in New Brunswick at Sussex and Andover, in Nova Scotia at Truro and Kentville, and in Prince Edward Island at Charlottetown and Summerside. These will be conducted on lines similar to those which were so successful at Carleton Place, Ont., and Bonville, Que., last season; the chickens being fattened after the manner which has been most successful in the south of England, and Northern France. They are to be forwarded to markets in Great Britain in order to further open up the trade in fattened poultry from Canada. Prof. Robertson will also arrange for the establishment of creameries in some parts of Nova Scotia, where co-operative dairy work has not yet been introduced or been successful.

No one need fear cholera or any summer complaint if they have a bottle of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial ready to hand. 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.

**Business Chances.**  
GROCERY STOCK AND FIXTURES—Good chance for party starting small business. Apply 76 York street, London. 37ct

## Still More Critical

**The South African Situation Grows Graver.**  
Chamberlain's Last Note to Kruger Almost an Ultimatum.

**Violent Scene in the Cape House of Assembly.**

**The Mahdi's Two Sons Killed—Trouble on the Blue Nile—Mountain Climbers Killed.**

London, Aug. 31.—The Pretoria correspondent of the Morning Post says: "The Boer officials, when reading the cabled reports of Mr. Chamberlain's Birmingham speech, consider that war is inevitable. The speech has undoubtedly inflamed the war spirit here. 'The Boers are now all armed, except those in Johannesburg. The commissariat is fairly good. All the forts are victualled. The Johannesburg fort has been strengthened with several quick-firers. 'The ammunition which Mr. Schreiner allowed to pass through Cape Colony came direct to Pretoria. It was never intended for the Orange Free State.'"

A CLASH ALMOST INEVITABLE. "President Kruger does not hesitate to express the view that war is almost inevitable. He has stocked the presidency with ample supplies of provisions to secure his own person from privation, and he is often heard repeating the 82nd Psalm.

"The Matabele are showing signs of unrest. The Boers are energetically engaged in poisoning the minds of the natives against the British, and they have approached the Zulu chief Dinizulu, who appears undecided what cause to espouse. But the Zulus are prepared for the expected fighting, and it must be remembered that Dinizulu was deported to St. Helena with several of his chiefs and kept a prisoner there by the British for several years."

**ALMOST AN ULTIMATUM.** The Times says editorially this morning: "There is the best reason to believe that the recent note of Mr. Chamberlain will be almost the last which Great Britain will send to the Transvaal. The note undoubtedly called for an immediate answer, and when Great Britain will no longer pay attention to President Kruger's word, but will form her judgment by his actions. The Boers should bear in mind that, throughout the whole controversy, the Colonial Gazette has warned the Transvaal that it was placing itself in an unfavorable position, and that in the event of war nobody would lift a finger to prevent the destruction of the republic."

**AT THE CAPE.** Cape Town, Aug. 31.—There was a violent scene in the Cape House of Assembly yesterday, when Mr. Cecil Rhodes repeated his conviction that the Transvaal secret service fund was largely used for the expenses of the Colonial elections for the Cape and the Afrikaner candidates. He said he hoped that in the forthcoming Transvaal settlement, the secret service payment list would be destroyed, and otherwise many Cape families would feel uncomfortable. Several ministerialists were afterward reproved from the chair for fiercely retorting against this statement. The government has refused to provide facilities for women and children to leave Johannesburg. There is great activity at the Simonstown dockyard in drilling men on shore and overhauling vessels.

**MR. CHAMBERLAIN'S REPLY.** Pretoria, Aug. 31.—The British diplomatic agent here, Mr. Conyngham Greene, has handed to the secretary of state, F. W. Reitz, the reply of Mr. Joseph Chamberlain to the Transvaal's alternative proposals to the joint commission. The reply is to the effect that the British government will not discuss the proposed franchise reform measures which would have upon the uitlanders. Mr. Greene afterwards had a long audience with the state officials. The nature of the reply is not disclosed. It is understood that another conference may occur at Cape Town. The result is anxiously awaited.

**SURROUNDING THE BOERS.** London, Aug. 30.—A dispatch from Cape Town, dated at 11:35 o'clock last night, says it is understood there that a detachment from the Cape Town garrison is to proceed to Mafeking within 14 hours. A strong force has been sent from Pietermaritzburg to Laingsnek to await developments. Cape Town correspondent of the Chronicle says: British troops will be immediately concentrated at Laingsnek and Mafeking, and it is believed the British programme will be to surround the Transvaal and then to negotiate.

**BULLETS FOR THE BOERS.** The Neuste Nachrichten reiterates its declaration regarding European neutrality in the event of hostilities in the Transvaal.

The London Daily Mail says this morning it learns that a large consignment of cartridges manufactured in England for the Boers has recently been shipped through German agents. At a meeting of the Scandinavians of Johannesburg, only two of them voted in favor of forming a volunteer corps in case of war.

A deputation of Uitlanders has called on the British agent at Pretoria regarding the great depression. A merchant, whose stock is valued at £40,000, said his daily sales now were about £8.

**TROUBLE ON THE BLUE NILE.** London, Aug. 31.—Gen. Lord Kitch-

## Don't Lose Your Hair

Stop it from falling out—and make it grow thick and beautiful—by using ORIENTAL RUM and QUININE HAIR TONIC. It nourishes the roots—makes the hair silky and glossy—prevents baldness—keeps the scalp clean and healthy—and is a positive cure for dandruff. Only 50 cents a bottle. For sale by CAIRNCROSS & LAWRENCE, Druggists, etc., 216 Dundas street, London. Branch—Corner Richmond and Piccadilly.

## BACK FROM THE YUKON

Cy Warman Enthusiastic Over the Gold Country.

It Has a Great Future—The Atlin Country Sound—The Truth About the Edmonton Trail.

Mr. Cy Warman, the author, has just arrived home from a trip to the Yukon. He is filled with enthusiasm for the gold country and with abundant material for a new book. Mr. Warman was more than delighted with his experiences. Some of the grandest scenery and the manliest people in the world are to be found, he says, in that region. Besides visiting Dawson, where he found everything running smoothly, Mr. Warman spent some time in the Atlin, B. C., gold fields, and was surprised beyond measure by the beauty of the country and the activity of mining operations.

"The Americans and Canadians at Atlin," said Mr. Warman, "are highly pleased with the administration of Joseph Irving, of Hamilton, Ont. He has caused the right of discovery to be respected above everything. Atlin is a splendid camp. The British American Corporation (the purchaser of the Le Roi mine) is doing great work with hydraulic mining. At Pine Creek there is a busy camp of from 3,000 to 5,000 people. The curse of the Atlin country was this: Yesterday there were 750 graders on the White Pass Railway. Five hundred of them stampeded the Atlin, many without even waiting for their wages. They swarmed into a houseless country, with nothing to eat and no place to cook. It is this class that injured the Atlin. I was there when the Atlin is all right. I saw samples of copper, almost pure—one piece weighing 30 pounds. There is any amount of copper there. There must be gold, too. While I was there a steamer brought out 431 ounces; another, 106 ounces. These are things I saw myself. Captain John Irving, the steamboat man, brings out nuggets the size of walnuts, which look as fine as hammered gold. The Atlin district is a Klondike, which has barely been scratched. The most wonderful thing is that the people who have spent a winter there, and who look as fine as a tenderfoot raved over a Klondike summer."

"There is one misapprehension that should be cleared up. In nearly every paper you pick up nowadays there is something about the horrors of the Edmonton trail, under the heading of the Klondike. Now as a matter of fact the Edmonton trail has nothing to do with the Klondike. We all know where that trail begins. God knows where it ends. It points out somewhere in the northwest—just wherever the man happens to die or strike somebody coming back. That is the end of the Edmonton trail. To say that the transportation companies are responsible is child-like. We will grant that the C. P. R. might profit by carrying people to Edmonton from Calgary, but the C. P. R. would get more money by carrying them on the Imperial Limited to Vancouver and do it easier because they are heading and going that way."

Mr. Warman is firmly convinced that both the Americans and the Canadians have a great heritage in Alaska. Mr. Warman's pen is in requisition by a number of leading magazines and newspapers, and he will turn his Alaskan trip to good literary account. A number of readable sketches may be expected soon by the public.

When the members of Mr. John Christie's family of Montreal returned from their holiday trip they found the youngest son, Fairbairn, dead in the house. It is supposed he was asphyxiated by gas.

**LICENSES FOR UNION BUSESSES**  
Four of Them Were Taken Out by Chairman Garnett This Morning.

Four 'bus licenses were taken out this morning by John Garnett, chairman of the street railway strikers' executive committee. The licenses were paid for by a friend of the union. The men can now continue to run their 'buses without being persecuted or prosecuted by the street railway company.

**BENEFIT BAND CONCERT**  
By Members of Seventh Band For the Strikers Friday Night.

The members of the Seventh Fuelers Band will give a concert at Victoria Park Friday evening for the benefit of the striking street railway employees. The band will not be in uniform, and will play, not as members of the Seventh, but as private citizens.

The programme will be: March—Victoria's Own.....O. Koeckert Overture—Crown Diamonds.....Auber Waltz—Unter den Linden.....Gungl Clarinet solo—Fantasia.....J. Mohr Selection—Guillaume Tell.....Rossini Waltz—Visions of a Beautiful Woman.....F. Schubert Fairbach Selection—America.....Winterbottom Waltz—Mein Schonstestag in Berlin.....Gungl "God Save the Queen."

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