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LONDON, CANADA, MONDAY, JULY 11, 1898.

WHOLE NO. 10,881.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

DIED.
TANCOCK—At Masonville, July 10, James Tancock, aged 84 years.
The funeral will take place from his late residence, on Tuesday, at 2:30 p.m. Service at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

Amusements and Lectures

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

KEEP KOOL. SULPHUR SPRINGS swimming pond. Hot and cold baths daily and evenings. Dundas street west. Phone 177.

THE POPULAR STEAMERS PERSIA AND Ocean sail every Tuesday and Saturday from Toronto. All tickets include meals and berth. The people's favorite line to Montreal. F. B. Clarke, sole agent, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

MUSIC AND DANCING. OUR ORCHESTRA can be engaged for parties and parties during the summer. Satisfaction guaranteed. Dayton & McCormick, 241 Oxford street.

Meetings.

L. O. F.—CHORAZIN LODGE, NO. 190 meets tonight in London East Town Hall, installation of officers. Visitors welcome. Grand Master Young and D. G. M. Avery will both be present. S. Baker, N. G.; F. Whitaker, R. S.

PROHIBITION. A MEETING OF THE friends of prohibition for No. 1 ward will be held on Tuesday evening, July 12, at 8 o'clock, in the Young Men's Christian Association rooms, to prepare plans for the plebiscite campaign. All welcome. Plebiscite committee, 801

Domestics Wanted.

WANTED. AN EXPERIENCED CHAMBERMAID and kitchen girl. Apply at City Hotel.

WANTED. GOOD GENERAL SERVANT. Also young girl to assist with children. Apply 31 Craig street.

WANTED. PLAIN COOK WANTED AT once. Apply Office Restaurant, 11, Dundas street.

Wanted.

COW WANTED. WILL EXCHANGE horse for same. Apply corner Hamilton road and Eglinton street.

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR GENTLE MEN'S cut-off clothing. A. P. Sainsbury, 30 King street, East.

LONDON CARPET CLEANING WORKS. Carpets taken up and cleaned by latest process. Carpets altered, refitted and laid. All work promptly attended to. Estimates given on application. James S. Shaw, 142 Wortley road. Telephone 208 or send a card.

Lost and Found.

TWO BAY MARES STRAYED FROM THE pasture of J. H. Lawrence, on 1st of Westminister, lot 6, 1, 15 hands high and 1, 15, with one white hind foot. Estimated value \$100. To the recovery of the same will be suitably rewarded by sending word to A. E. McClary, 383 Dundas street, London, Ont.

Business Chances.

NEWSPAPER AND JOB PLANT FOR sale cheap. Times, Windsor, Ont. 310

Houses, Etc., To Let.

TO LET. BRICK HOUSE, MODERN IMPROVED, modern kitchen, rent. Apply 666 Talbot street.

TO LET. HOUSE 181, ON SOUTHWEST corner George and Dundas streets. Moderate rent. Apply 629 Talbot street.

TO LET. THAT LARGE STORE NOW occupied by Naxon Brothers, King street, opposite the market house. Apply Thos. G. Wells, 638 Talbot street.

STORE TO LET. 243 DUNDAS STREET, with or without dwelling. Apply J. C. Trebilcock, next door.

TO RENT. LARGE BRICK COTTAGE—32 Colborne street, near Dundas street. All modern conveniences. Apply to E. Meredith, Hibernia building, Richmond street.

TO LET. ON KING STREET, NEAR Colborne street, house on Central avenue. Call for particulars.

HOUSE FOR SALE. A BARGAIN! Residence, No. 367 Queen's avenue, all modern, furnace, bath, and all modern improvements. Must be sold. Can be inspected any afternoon. Apply on the premises.

Bicycle Livery.

LARGE STOCK OF NEW HIGH GRADE Stearns wheels to rent; afternoon and evening. 367, London, Ont. Telephone 1,232. J. H. Cunningham, 775 Dundas street.

Musical Instruction.

LONDON CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC and **SCHOOL OF ELOCUTION**, 374 Dundas street. Reopens on MONDAY, SEPT. 5. List of fees, etc., furnished on application.

NEZ ETHELYN SMITH—SOPRANO soloist, voice teacher. Visitors ready Thursday afternoon. Studio, 443 Park avenue.

MRS. AND MISS NOBLE TEACHERS OF piano, organ and harmony. Residence 621 King street.

W. W. LAWRENCE—ORGANIST DUNDAS W. Center Methodist Church, conductor, London Vocal Society, teacher of piano, organ, harmony and composition. Telephone 1,178, 418 Queen's avenue.

J. T. WOLCOTT—ORGANIST FIRST Methodist Church, teacher piano, organ and composition. 5 Prospect avenue.

Hotel Cards.

ONEIL HOUSE—CORNER TALBOT AND York streets; new and convenient; stable; Wm. Collins, proprietor.

CITY HOTEL—LONDON—BEST \$1 A DAY house in Canada; good stables in connection. J. McFarland, proprietor.

TREASURY CENTRALLY LOCATED AND FIRST-CLASS in every respect. H. Hoggan, proprietor.

THE RICHMOND—CORNER OF KING and Richmond streets. James Falloway, new proprietor. A call solicited.

TEKUMSEH HOUSE—LONDON, ONT.—REFUR- NISHED and renovated throughout. Large and light sample rooms for commercial men. Rates, \$1.50 and \$2.50 per day. C. W. Davis, proprietor.

Insurance.

A. NUDY. INSURANCE AGENT—Office over C. F. H. ticket office. Telephone 72.

Jewelers.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO REPAIRING— J. T. Westland, Engraver and Manufacturer Jeweler, 240 Richmond street (up stairs) 1st floor.

The Only Reason

You don't buy all your shoes from us today is the fact that you got into the bad habit of patronizing a credit shoe dealer, who charged you too much every time for your shoes before you knew us. When you find out positively that our cash business knocks the spots out of "the others" credit business when it comes to prices, then you'll be completely cured of the high-priced shoe habit.

J. P. COOK,
173 Dundas Street.

Articles For Sale.

NEW 1898 MASSEY-HARRIS BICYCLE for sale at a bargain. Address "Bike" this office.

HORSE FOR SALE. YOUNG and sound. Apply corner Hamilton road and Eglinton street.

PAMPHLET WORK OF EVER. DESCRIPTION, clean and quick, at Advertiser Job Department.

FOR SALE. ONE NEW 1898 SKYLARK bicycle, never has been used, the highest grade wheel made of this name. Will be sold cheap for cash offer. Address "Skylark," Advertiser Office.

A SNAP. NEWCOMBE PIANO, 1% OCTAVES, only 4 years old, only \$250; James & Co., 6 octave organ, 10 stops, only \$50. Easy terms of payment. Heinzelman & Co., 228 Dundas street.

BATHS, SINKS, PUMPS, WATER CLOSETS, steam and hot water boilers. Smith Bros, 235 Dundas street.

CUSTOM PAPERS OF ALL KINDS AND CWAYS on hand at Advertiser Job Department. You can have them in large or small quantities.

SHIPPING TAGS. AT CLOSE PRICES—Advertiser Office.

SECOND-HAND BICYCLES IN GOOD order. Good chance to get a bargain. D. McKenzie & Co.

BACON, PORK, SAUSAGE, HEAD, CHEESE, 4 pounds, 25c; 2 pounds, 14c. Hams, Bacon, Butter, Eggs, lowest prices at "Buck's," corner Market Lane. Reduced hogs wanted.

SUMMER WOOD AT THE BRAW MILL. East London, Ontario, both in quantity and quality. Prompt delivery. Phone 1,312. S. Gillies & Son.

CASUALTIES AND BARS IN FACT. Anything you want for summer sports. E. V. S. SAUNDERS, 620 Dundas street, East London.

MEDICAL BATTERIES REPAIRED IN a first-class manner and satisfaction guaranteed. Phone 208. The Ontario Electric Co., 141 King street.

ENGINE FOR SALE. A BARGAIN! Thirty horse-power, built in ninety revolutions; is in capital order; can be had at a very low figure. Address Engine, care Advertiser Office.

KEENE'S MASONIC TEMPLE. IS THE cheapest place to buy stoves or furniture. Large stock on hand.

CATALANO & SANSONE—FRESH BAN- ANAS have commenced to arrive daily. Could give you the best quality of goods (whole sale or retail); lemons and oranges also. 206 Dundas street.

Real Estate.

FOR SALE. NEW RESIDENCE—CENTRAL avenue, north side, near Park; modern. A snap if sold at once. Apply on premises.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE FOR HOUSE property, a first-class grocery stand, with dwelling attached. Next door to Central avenue. Call for particulars.

HOUSE FOR SALE. A BARGAIN! Residence, No. 367 Queen's avenue, all modern, furnace, bath, and all modern improvements. Must be sold. Can be inspected any afternoon. Apply on the premises.

Livery Stables.

LILLY'S LIVERY. NO. 410 DUNDAS street, East London, Ont. Telephone 986.

THOMAS TREBILCOCK—STABLE LIVERY—633 Richmond street. Best livery outfit. Light livery a specialty. Careful attention to orders. Phone 425. Open night and day.

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MRS. STEIN AT HOME SATURDAYS to ladies of the country. 311 Hyman street, London.

Massage Treatment.

MRS. SHUFF. GRADUATE OF DR. S. Diseases, Philadelphia. Massage and Swedish movements. 607 King street, London, Ont. Phone 345.

Miscellaneous.

HAVE THE MOTHS TAKEN OUT OF your upholstered furniture by Wm. A. Galt, with his new process. 412 Pall Mall street.

ARC LIGHT

ELECTRIC PLANT

TENDERS for dynamo, lamps, poles, wiring and all necessary electrical plant for the full equipment of a 350 two-thousand candle power electric arc light plant, together with all the necessary engines, boilers, etc., required for the steam plant to operate the same will be received at this office up to Wednesday, August 3, 1898, where specifications and form of tender may be obtained.

ALD. SAMUEL STEVENS. City Engineer. Act. Ch. No. 3 Coma. 512 2x

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT this office where plans and specifications may be seen up to 2 o'clock on

Thursday, July 23, for the supplying and laying of about 3,500 feet of 8-inch station sewer pipe, and 300 feet of steel pipe 24-inch diameter, together with the construction of all syphon chambers, etc., shown on plans.

ALD. N. COOPER, ORMSBY GRAYDON, Ch. Sewer Com. City Engineer.

WILLIS CHIPMAN, Esq., C.E., Consulting Engineer. 512 2x

TENDERS FOR SEWER WORK

ACCORDING TO GOVERNMENT REPORTS

for the past eight years, the average combined expense and death rate per \$1,000 per annum of The Ontario Mutual Life is \$1.65 lower than that of its nearest competitor. That means greater profits for policyholders.

C. E. GERMAN,
GENERAL AGENT,
Cor. Dundas and Richmond.

Pawnbrokers.

PAWNBROKER—LEADS MONEY ON diamonds, watches, jewelry, etc. Business strictly confidential. High rates for cash-out clothing. Joe Fox, 230 King street opposite fire hall.

MANY DROWNED

Fifteen Deaths Caused by a Waterspout.

Five Persons Perish by the Capsize of a Boat.

TERRIBLE WATERSPOUT.

St. Louis, Mo., July 11.—A special to the Republic from Cuba, Mo., says a waterspout at Steeleville, Mo., Friday morning almost swept away the town and drowned thirteen people.

FIVE DROWNED. Portland, Me., July 11.—By the capsize of a catboat in Portland harbor on Saturday five lives were lost. They were: Wm. O'Donnell, 25 years old; Charles Sullivan, 18; James McAuley, of Barre, Vt.; Wm. Mitchell, 17; Ed. Bacon, 16, with the exception of McAuley, all belonged to Portland.

RANCHER LOST HIS LIFE. Winnipeg, July 11.—Antoine Day, a prominent rancher, of Battledore, N. W., Thursday night while crossing cattle over the Saskatchewan River. On entering the river his horse missed its footing and probably struck him, as, although one of the men threw him, he made little or no attempt to save himself.

SUICIDE BY DROWNING. Quebec, July 11.—Miss Mary Watt, aged 20 years, belonging to Quebec, was drowned in Bedford Basin, Halifax, on Friday. She is little doubt she committed suicide.

A SARNIA PEG-LEG

Constables After a Tramp in the Swamp.

Think He Is Tooley's Murderer—Discovered by a Farmer.

Sarnia, July 10.—It is suspected that the murderer of Policeman Tooley is in the neighborhood of Sarnia, in the big swamp. A posse of local police are searching for the man, and he is very likely to be run to earth in a short time.

The case of the peg-legged tramp's presence in the swamp was brought to Sarnia this afternoon. A well-known farmer named Henderson was the informant. He was looking for some stray cows, he told the police, and came suddenly across two tramps. One of these he recognized as probably the murderer of the London police man. He had a peg-leg and resembled the description of the murderer. The tramp spoke of getting on a mule and a half from town, in a northeasterly direction, and extends to the lake front. It is about half a mile east of the cemetery.

Five constables, well armed, left here for that portion of the swamp where the men had been seen. This they intended to guard all night, to prevent the tramps from reaching the highway to the lake.

A string of freight cars extends from near Sarnia to Blackwell, a short distance east, and these will be searched. It is impossible for human beings to sleep in the swamp. They would be eaten up by mosquitoes.

Before You Bathe.

Before you take your bath in the morning take a tablespoonful of Abbey's Effervescent Salt in a tumbler of water and you will enjoy constant good health. Abbey's Effervescent Salt is also unequalled as a cooling beverage if taken during the day.

The Canadian Pharmaceutical Journal says: "A morning draught of this stimulating preparation will send a man to his daily occupation invigorated and ready for any task."

Sold by druggists everywhere at 50 cents a large bottle. Trial size 25 cents.

THE RUSH TO TESLIN CITY.

Vancouver, B. C., July 11.—Recent arrivals from Teslin Lake say several hundred people are trying to reach Lake Teslin from the north. They are taking their outfits in ox wheel barrows, on oxen, on horses, on their own backs, in baby carriages and with dogs. Teslin Lake now is a town of about 1,500 inhabitants.

The future is uncertain, but if you keep your blood pure with Abbey's Sarsaparilla you may be sure of good health.

VOLUNTEERS—PUT YOUR- selves in fighting trim with a bottle of Dr. FERGUSON'S ANGIOTONIC BITTERS to regulate your digestion.

Beginning Of the End!

Attack on Santiago Opened on Sunday Afternoon.

Arrival of Reinforcements for Shafter's Army.

Spanish Commander Sought to Save His Army.

Nothing Short of Unconditional Surrender Will Be Accepted.

Camara's Squadron Trying to Find a Place of Safety.

Off Juragua July 10, by the Associated Press dispatch boat Wanda, via Port Antonio, July 11.—Six troops, carrying 2,500 men, six batteries of artillery and a large quantity of ammunition and supplies, arrived here at 7:30 o'clock yesterday morning.

The transports took the troops and equipments aboard at Tampa, and were joined by their convoy at Key West.

They sailed last Tuesday morning, and arrived off Juragua early Saturday morning. As the men on the Gate City were trying to make out the lines of the building ashore, four dead bodies drifted past the ship. They were evidently the victims of Admiral Cervera's ships. The Newark was the first to greet the arrival of the recruits.

The landing of the men and stores was deferred until Sunday morning.

Washington, July 11.—The war department posted this bulletin yesterday:

Siboney, July 11, 5:55 p.m., July 10. Adjutant-general, Washington—Headquarters Fifth Army Corps, July 10.

I have just received letter from Gen. Toral, declining unconditional surrender. Bombardment by army and navy will begin at 8 a.m. today as possible. SHAFER, major-general.

SPANIARDS OPEN FIRE.

Washington, July 11.—Shortly after midnight the department gave out the following dispatch from Gen. Shafter: Playa del Este, July 10.—Adjutant-general, Washington.

Headquarters Fifth Army Corps, July 10.—Enemy opened fire a few minutes past 4 with light guns, which were soon silenced by our batteries.

The enemy kept entirely in their entrenchments. Three men slightly wounded. Will have considerable forces tomorrow, enough to completely block all the roads on the northwest. I am quite well. Gen. Garcia reports that the enemy evacuated a little town called Des Canines, about three miles from Santiago, and near the bay. (Signed) SHAFER.

A NICE PROPOSAL.

Washington, July 10.—The great battle expected on Saturday did not take place, although the armistice expired at noon, with the forces on both sides at Santiago lined up for battle. The reason was that the Spanish commander, who had been in correspondence by telegraph with his home government, was seeking to make terms with Gen. Shafter, by which he might save his army from capture. He was willing to give up Santiago without resistance if allowed to retreat with all of his men and arms across the island, but this idea was not entertained for a moment by our government. To have allowed them to make their way unimpeded into the interior would have amounted simply to reinforcement of the garrison of Havana by these thousands of trained soldiers, who had proved their courage as worthy foes in the fighting in the trenches. On the other hand, to compel them to surrender, it was believed, would certainly produce an enormous moral effect both in Havana and in Spain itself, and thus tend to the early conclusion of the war.

SEEKING SAFETY.

New York, July 11.—A dispatch to the World from Madrid says: Capt. Anon, the Spanish minister of marine, says: It will take Admiral Camara's warships (the Pelayo and the Emperador Carlos V.) ten days to reach Cartagena, where there is more safety than at Cadiz.

The torpedo boat destroyers (the Ozada, the Proserpina and the Audaz), and the auxiliary cruisers (Patriota, Rapido, Buenos Ayres and La Osa) will be back sooner and will go to Cadiz and Ferrol.

The present danger is that America dispatches her fast cruisers with the Oregon, Texas, New York and Iowa they will waylay Admiral Camara in the Mediterranean.

The coast defenses will be ready in ten days.

Port Said, July 11.—Admiral Camara's ships have been allowed to take on some coal after furnishing a written guarantee that the entire squadron is returning to Spain direct.

SURVIVORS OF CERVERA'S CATASTROPHE REACH SANTAGO.

Havana, July 11.—On July 8, 133 sailors and officers of the different ships of Admiral Cervera's fleet, including

Lieuts. Manuel Bustamante and Joseph Caballero, and Naval Cadet Raymond Navarro, arrived at Santiago. All the officers of the Santiago garrison, in spite of the bloody engagements fought already, and the prospect of today's encounter, are animated with the determination to fight to the end, and declare their willingness to seal with their blood another of the glorious pages in their country's history. They have a quantity of provisions and ammunition.

SANTIAGO WILL TELL THE STORY from Madrid says: All the talk of peace seems up to the present to have led to no tangible results. The fall of Santiago will convince the most sanguine of the hopelessness of the struggle, and will give the government desired opportunity to suggest an armistice for the discussion of terms. The circumstantial statements are already in circulation, to the effect that the war is actually ended, and that the government has actually opened peace negotiations, but they cannot be verified.

SPANISH LOSSES.

A detailed account has been published of Spain's naval losses—21 warships and 21 merchantmen, as against practically no loss on the American side. This tends to convince the most rabid war advocates, and as for a long time past, the whole commercial and industrial interests of Spain are bringing strong influences to bear in favor of peace. Every day that passes without disturbances strengthens the peace party. It is believed, however, that there is a strong undercurrent in favor of continuing the war, and the attitude of the Carlisle and Republicans causes uneasiness.

A mysterious, black-edged, unsigned manifesto appeared in the leading squares of Madrid yesterday (Sunday), bearing the municipal stamp and headed "Gloria Victis," with an angel supporting a dead, naked soldier. The manifesto contains an eloquent appeal from Spanish mothers, calling for the regeneration of the country on the basis of the army, and crying: "Down with the hybrid politicians and a rough press." Four million copies of this manifesto have been distributed throughout Spain, and it is attracting considerable attention.

TALK OF SUING FOR PEACE.

New York, July 11.—A dispatch to the World from Madrid says: The government's plan is to sue for peace whenever the war situation, according to Spanish authorities, will permit it. The proposal will be made directly to the United States, but the cabinet is laboring to have powerful European patrons ready "to make President McKinley understand that he must not be too exacting to use the words of the enemy kept entirely in their entrenchments. Three men slightly wounded. Will have considerable forces tomorrow, enough to completely block all the roads on the northwest. I am quite well. Gen. Garcia reports that the enemy evacuated a little town called Des Canines, about three miles from Santiago, and near the bay. (Signed) SHAFER.

LET SAGASTA SHOULDER THE LOAD.

There is a growing disposition all round to let the government perform the great task of negotiating peace. None of the Opposition leaders or patriots want to do it, while the public is fast taking the position that Sagasta is responsible for bringing on the war with America and should be held responsible for putting an end to it.

The foreign minister, the Duke of Almodovar, continues his negotiations with the German and Austrian ambassadors. Great reserve is maintained by the government is hopeful of results.

A FORLORN HOPE.

There was a traditional rebound of action and arms across the island, but when the Spaniards were led to believe that a misunderstanding between Cubans and Americans would prolong the war. The wildest reports of the difficulties of the Americans before Santiago were instantly and unreservedly believed, and for the moment developed optimistic tendencies in the public and war party. The cabinet ministers simply looked on and let the press say what it pleased, only too glad to be allowed a respite to continue negotiations with Germany, Austria and Italy.

London, July 11.—The Rome correspondent of the Daily Mail, recording the interchange of telegrams between the Vatican and Madrid, with a view of urging the queen regent in the direction of peace, says: "The action of the Vatican has been very cautious in order to avoid displacing the United States."

MORE WOUNDED.

Guantanamo Bay, July 10-7 p.m.—The Olivette is here, ready to sail at any moment for Hampton Roads with 500 sick and wounded on board, among them being Gen. H. S. Hawkins, Major A. O. Brodie, Major J. M. Bell, Capt. Thomas T. Knox, James H. McClintock and Morton J. Henry, and Lieuts. M. Nichols, J. R. Young, H. K. Devereaux and W. W. Ficus.

ARMISTICE EXTENDED.

It is understood here that the truce has been extended until noon on Monday, July 11.

SHOOT TO KILL AT TWELVE MILES.

So accurate is the range-finder used on American ships that in a recent test with two shots the projectiles fell within 20 yards of each other at a distance of twelve miles. Both would

Buffalo Lithia Water

Valuable in gouty, rheumatic and renal affections. A fresh supply of this celebrated water just received direct from the springs in Virginia.

Gairncross & Lawrence
PHARMACISTS,
216 Dundas Street. - London.

have hit the hull of a ship farther than the unaided eye could reach.

DECIDED BY THE GUN.

London, July 11.—The Times in an article this morning reviewing the war, enters into a minute criticism of the naval battle of Santiago de Cuba, and arrives at the conclusion, that "either the gunnery of the Spaniards afloat, as on shore, must be hopelessly incompetent, or their ammunition must be nearly worthless." It thinks that the fire of the Chinese was relatively excellent. "Both squadrons," continues the writer, "carried torpedoes, but these might as well have been on shore, for the six American ships had no possibility of coming to close into torpedo range, and the Spanish ships, receiving continuous punishment, were unable to do so. The action was therefore decided by the gun, which will continue to be the dominant weapon in naval warfare."

VALUE OF SIDE ARMOR.

"Upon the question of value of side armor, as compared with protection for decks for cruisers," the Times says, "no light is at present forthcoming. The fate of the torpedo boat destroyers Furor and Pluton, is not worthy of such vessels carry little combustible material. The reports that they were set afire have been due to the appearance of the flames and damaged funnels. The fact remains that the sea craft, which had been claimed as dangerous antagonists, were hopelessly wrecked by an armored yacht, which possessed nominally far inferior speed. It appears indisputable that the devotion Admiral Cervera's seamen displayed in continuing a hopeless struggle till the last was worthy of the loftiest traditions of the Spanish people."

THE CRIMES RECALLED.

Regarding General Shafter's expedition, the Times article says: It recalls in many respects England's experiences in the Crimea; but the lack of science and of organization have resulted in a fresh demonstration of the admirable fighting qualities of the Americans.

THE S