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SATURDAY EVENING, AUGUST 6, 1892.

Serious Position of Affairs in Afghanistan.

The Indian Government Will Check-Gen. Roberts to Head a Large

Detachment. British Idlers Destroy a Large Amount

of Property. Althorp's Library Bought for £250,000 and Presented to Manchester-Roths-

child's Cashier Gets Ten Years for Embezzlement. A £250,000 Present.

London, Aug. 5.—Althorp's library has been bought for £250,000 by the millionaire, Mrs. Rylands, and presented to the city of Manchester.

The Way of the Transgressor. BERLIN, Aug. 5.—Rudolf Jaeger, who for seventeen years was chief cashier in the banking house of the Rothschilds at Frankfort, and who, in April, was found to be a defaulter, was to-day convicted and sentenced to ten years' penal servitude. Jaeger stole more than 1,500,000 marks.

Model Dwellings. LONDON, Aug. 6 .- At a meeting of the Division, ago, c.—At a meeting of the Dritish Association Editor Smiley read a paper, in which he spoke in terms of high approval of the dwellings erected by laborers in Manchester, and said that he intended to commend the Manchester model to the American Government as a solution of the slum problem.

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Fussian Advances to be Met. London, Aug. 5.—The serious position of affairs in Afghanistan has decided the dian Government to send Gen. Sir Frederick Roberts at the head of a large detachment to meet the Ameer at Jellala-bad. The mission will be accompanied by a political agent, but the main object is a nference to arrange plans to strengthen e Ameer against internal feuds and

Our Simian Relatives.

London, Aug. 5.—Mr. Garner, the en-thusiast upon the subject of a monkey lanthusiast upon the subject of a monkey language, has gone to Edinburgh to read a
paper before the meeting of the British Association for the Advancement of Science.
He will endeavor to convince the grave and
learned members that he has solved, or that
he is on the point of solving, the problem
of monkey speech. Afterward he will go
to Africa to study our alleged Simian
ancestors on their native soil. He will visit
the Congo country first, and later penetrate
to the interior.

Destructive British Idlers.

workingmen should be dealt with that they workingmen should be dealt with that they overlook an atlair that has just occurred here. Thousands of idlers assembled in Leabridge road prepared to remove alleged obstructions erected by the London Waterworks Company, and tore up a large fence and destroyed the palisades guarding the river and a short railway line used to convey coal to the pumping stations. The police made no attempt to fintefers heaved taking the names of the leaders.

London, Aug. 6.-In a lecture before LONDON, Aug. 6.—In a lecture before the Aldershot Military Society on the Am-erican civil war, Major Heuderson said English officers would gain far more valu-able lessons from American battlefields than from any on the European Continent. He advised them to study the memoirs of Grant, Sheridan, Sherman, Lee and other generals in that war, and he added: "In the voluminous volumes of the battles by the leaders in the civil war we have works far surpassing any military history yet.

Cannot Go Through the Canal.

pany has informed the Russian Government while most important to the American trade, which sends two-thirds of he petroleum to the East, is extremely disasteful to Russia. The permission to pass and steamships is thought in Russia to be he one thing needed to develop the Black can be petroleum trade, and to render the baku oil fields formidable to the Standard ill Company of the United States. It is assimed by the Russians that the Suezanal Company have no power to exclude any commodity from the canal. To this the company answer that they are not excluding petroleum, but only regulating the conditions of transport; that is, providing for transport in case instead of but k. The British ship Owners' Association is said to be the sittingest power against the tank steamships, as they do not wish to have their vessels bull to carry oilin case driven

keepers knocked the plaintiff flown on the highway, and when the plaintiff complained of this treatment to the duke's son. Lord Edward Manners, the latter pplied: "Go to the d---. If you are shot your life will be on your own head." This, the Lord Chief Justice said could not be tolerated from any person, duke or other. Lord Edward Manners, interposings this point in the remarks of the Lord Chief Justice, said that his lordship's words seemed to hold him (Lord Edward) up as a prospective murderer. To this his lordship replied: "I only said what I cossidered it my duty to say."

Disease and Desolation.

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London, Aug. 5.—Advices from Arabia state that the cholera and famine have depopulated large districts in the Harrar Propopulated large districts in the Harrar Pro-vinces. Villages are deserted, and no sound is heard in the once populous street except the snarls of hyenas, jackals and dogs orgring themselves on the corges of the dead. The air is polluted with the odor of decaying bodies of the victims. The pits ordinarily used for the storing simillet and maize are now filled with rothing corpses. Itliage is neglected. The country has been reduced to the condition of a desert. Under the most favorable circumstances it cannot the most favorable circumstances it cannot regain its prosperity for several years to

TORONTO.

The New Phaymacoutical Association—
The Industrial Exhibition—No
Trace of O'Donnel.

Toronto, Oat., Aug. 5.—Justice MacMahon has refused to grant a writ of prohibition to step the sale of liquor on Toronto
Island in the interval till argument is heard
on Sept. 13 on the right of the civic authortities to control the matter.

Most careful inquiry to-day among the
labor unions and other likely quarters
falled to discover any confirmation of the
rumor that O Donnell, the leader of the
Carnegie Homestead strikers, isin the city.
The new Provincial Pharmaceutical Association, which organized yesterday,
adopted their constitution to-day. The
objects are declared therein to be: 1. To
improve and regulate the drug trade by the importation of inferior, or deteriorated drugs, and by dexposing home adulteration. age professional relations besaviantage and strength. 3. dies science and art of pharmacy pharmaceutical literature, dest, stimulating discovery, and home production and manufound the standard of deducation, theory and practice 5. To create and maintain for professional honests with a

WONDERFUL MARS.

What Milan's Noted Astrono mer Says of It.

No One Sure That the Planet is Sustaining Life.

Its Habitability Undoubted—The "Double Canal" Theory-Natural Forces May Have Hollowed Them Out,

MILAN, Aug. 5.—In talking about Mars yesterday, Prof. Schiaparelli said the great lines dividing the continents of Mare had always appeared to him very clear. "I saw a parallel duplication with almost 40 lines," said he, "in 1882, and their number increased with each successive observation without the duplication and were being always visible. The identical direction of the lines proved their connection with the soil. The varying visibility of their duplication arosefrom different atmospheric conditions at the time of opposition." "Your report of canals on Mars was not accepted at once, however, was it?" "The denial of the existence of the duplication," he replied, "always seemed to me absolutely unreasonable for the markings were clearly seen by four astronomers." Prof. Schiaparelli was asked what was the probable cause of failure by other astronomers in some cases to see what he had seen. "There might," he said, "he two causes."

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The astronomer was then asked in regard to the theory that Mars was capable of sustaining animal or even human life, and smiled at the question. "Some persons," said he, kind. Natural forces may have hollowed in given the plants of the safe of the plants of the plants

"I am convinced of the habitability of the planet," replied the professor; "but my conviction upon that point is based upon many other things than simple observations. The conditions which prevail in Mars should approximate more closely to those of the earth than those of the other heavenly bodies. It would indeed be strange if a globe like ours in many of its important features should exist without life of some kind, especially when we know that such life would be impossible on the earth were such conditions absent. Thus, naturalists and philosophers would say it is much easier to show that snimal life exists on Mars that it does not. The burden of proof rests upon those who deny its existence."

For the present opposition of Mars Prof. Schiaparelli has been nightly on the scene of his labors watching the planet through

may be discussed at the coming He Indorses Not Only Home Rule for Ireland, but Legislation for the British Masses as Well.

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himself to place home rule in front of all other measures, and to keep it there until it is passed. I believe we can rely upon his intention to do so."
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"As soon as the House reassembles in January or early in February. We do not expectan autumn session. The House is likely to adjourn next Friday."

A GOOD DAY's WORK.

When the House of Commons adjourned to-day 343 members had been sworn in and had signed the roll. It was a good day's work, and was devoid of the solemnity sometimes associated with oath-taking. A number of the members simply affirmed. Several Quakers and Jews took the oath with their hats on. Keir Hardy, the Laborist, walked up the floor with his cap on, until he was called to order by the Speaker, when he reluctantly took it off. Mr. Davit took the oath without a sign of Conservative protest.

MR. MORLEY'S CONFESTANT.

The Newcastle Unionists have selected a wealthy London merchant, Mr. Ralli, to contest the seat against Mr. Morley's Mr.

contest the seat against Mr. Morley. Mr. Ralli has consented to run.

Commission on Prohibition is ng into a screaming farce. J. L. McKay has been appointed

county crown attorney and clerk of the peace for Dufferin, in place of Mr. Elgin Myers. Title deeds have been forged for \$150,-000 to \$175,000 worth of property belong. 000 to \$175,000 worth of property belong-ing to Mrs. Pettie R. Green, Chicago. The forger is not discovered.

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LONDON, Aug. 5.—The proceedings of Parliament were of a routine nature and devoted to the swearing in of members and choosing of seats.

MR. MORLEY'S OFFICE.

The zeries of conferences between the leaders of the Irish-party and Mr. Gladstone has definitely resulted in such a degree of mutual confidence as promises to expedite greatly the advent of home rule in Irishand. The acceptance by Mr. John Morley of the post of Chief Secretary for Ireland was a point upon which the chiefs of the McCarthyte faction laid considerable stress. Mr. Morley only agreed to accept the secretaryship when it was represented to him by Mr. Gladstone that no other minister would so fully command the support of the Irish members of Sential ment.

In an interview to-day Mr. John Dillon expressed the satisfaction of the Irish party at the prospect of Mr. Morley holding the post during the critical period in the progress of the Home Rule Bill. Reterring to the reports printed in some of the English papers that certain Irish members might take office under Mr. Morley, Mr. Dillon and the support of the Irish party at the prospect of Mr. Morley holding the post during the critical period in the progress of the Home Rule Bill. Reterring to the reports printed in some of the English papers that certain Irish members might take office under Mr. Morley, Mr. Dillon said that such a thing was had more signally benefited the State of New Hampshire, which he represents. The same could be said of Portland, Mr. Wa are placed "he added the service of the service of the party, he declared, would dare to accept a place under an English Government."

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RAILWAY DISASTER.

Collision on the Lake Shore This Morning.

as just occurred on the Lake Shore road at Harbor Creek between a passenger and a freight train. It is reported many passengers are killed and wounded. Physicians have been sent to the scene of the wreck

COMING AND GOING.

Visitors to the City and Londoners

Away From Home.

Mrs. James Muir, Paris, is visiting London friends. Mrs. James Muir, Paris, is visiting Lon-lon friends.

Miss Lottle Eacrett, city, is visiting at

her home in Exeter.

Albert Brown, King street, is rusticating in the vicinity of Komoka.

Miss Edith C. Allan is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Stewart, Embro.

Miss Thacker, of this city, is spending a few days in Aylmer with her friends.

The Misses Edith and Alice Bell, of Point Edward, are visiting relatives in this city.

Mrs. R. C. Browne, of Chatham, is visiting her son, I. J. Browne, of the Dominion House.

nces here.
Miss Neilie and Mabel Bernard, of the Bernard House, city, are visiting at Mrs. Randall Learn's, Aylmer.

trip to the Eastern Provinces.

conductor Peter Maedonald, of the C. P. R., is spending his vacation with his parents at Barric, his old home.

Mamie Bird, daughter of Mr. Frank Bird, of Minneapolis, formerly of this city, is making bright the home of her grandparents here.

Miss Mary Lillywhite, the well-known vocalist, Dufferin avenue, left on Wedness.

vocalist, Dufferin avenue, left on Wednes-lay with a lady companion for a trip up the lakes to Mackinsck.

Among the guests who are summering at Among the guests who are summering at Chestnut Grove, Port Stanley, are: Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wilson and family, Mrs. Wright and daughters, King street; Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson, Miss Priddis, Mrs. Hueston and son, and Mrs. and Miss Ryan, of this city; Mr. and Mrs. Beicher and family, and Mrs. Revett and daughter, of St. Thomas and others.

At the Grice House: J. Pringle, J.

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irigg House.

Mrs. (Rev. Dr.) Evans is spending a few asys with her mother in St. Thomas.

Mr. Harry Currie, of London West, scamping with friends in Goderich.

Miss Belle Peace, of Strathroy, is visit-ng her mother Mrs. Peace, Peter street, ondon West. Miss Lizzie Clark has returned from Port Stanley, where she has been spending two weeks' holids vs.

Mrs. Henry McNamee and daughter, of Kingston, N. Y., are the guests of Mr. E. Petrie, 246 Dundas street.

where he went with his father

Miss Fannie Gibbins, city, is spending her holidays at Lakeview Cottage, Cedar Springs, with Mrs. John Piggot, of Chattheau Contage, Contage, Contage Contage

Miss Allie Doupe, of London West, eaves to-day for an extended visit to riends in St. Marys, Kirkton and Kincar-

Miss Annie McMulien, of Dundas street THE TURF. east, is visiting her brother, Rev. W. Mc. Mullen, at the Methodist parsonage in day, Robert Buffalo track

Bend recently: Bert Such, Wm. H. Brasbie, Charley Sunders, Wm. H. Oke and family, C. B. Campbell and family, John Freid, Rev. Mr. Holmes, Misses Lizzie and Jennie Holmes, Miss Hodgins, Charley

AFTERNOON SPORTING NEWS.

BASEBALL.

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THE BOSTON CLUB IN LONDON.

On Monday afternoon on Tecumseh Park, Kensington, the Alerts will face the Boston Athletic Association baseball team and a great game may be expected. The men will go to bat in the following order:

Alerts—Hiscott, s. s.; Player, 3b.;
Hynd, 2b.; Arthurs, r. f.; Johnson, 1b.; Webber, c.; Ball, l. f.; Wiley, c. f.;
Sheere, b.

Sheere, p.
Boston-Mason, c.f.; Cook, 3b.; Stearnes,

Sheere, p.
Boston—Mason, c.f.; Cook, 3b.; Stearnes,
2b.; Dickinson, 1b.; Soule, s. s.; Corbett,
r. f.; Murray, c.; Swanton, r. f.; Howe,
A. A. or J. A. Highlands, p.
The Boston club is composed entirely of
experienced players, as the following shows:
J. A. Highlands is probably the most
prominent man on the team. He began
pitching ball about five years ago for the
Massachunetis Institute of Technology
team, and also pitched for local teams
around Boston. He first became prominent by his work with the B. A. A. team
last season. This year he is the mainstay of the Harvard University team,
and pitched for them in upwards
of 30 games, losing but two. He
is very tail and weighs over 200 and depends largely upon his speed for his success. The other pitchers of the team are
A. A. Highlands and E. C. Howe. The
former is a brother of Jack, and while this
is his first year at ball playing, he shows
are great promise of being equal to any amateur
pitcher in the country. Howe has been
change pitcher on the Harvard team for
the last three years and has always been
very successful.
The catcher of the team is Frank Mason,

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The catcher of the team is Frank Mason. Better known as "Slurger" Mason. He played with the Harvard team during the season of 1890 in left field, and has also been a substitute on the Harvard football team for the last three years. This year he was the only man of Harvard who could successfully hold the delivery of Jack Highlands, and he has saught him in all important games. He is doing all the catching for the team, going in every day.

A. Dickinson plays first base, and has been playing ball about four years. Last year he alternated with Trafford at first base for the Harvard team and this year regularly occupied that position. He is very accurate and is considered the best first baseman ever turned out in Harvard. He is a good batter.

The captain of the team is A. E. Stearnes, who plays second base. He started ball playing at Andover, and last year played on the Amberst College team, where he has been elected captain of next year's team. He covers a great amount of ground and is a very sure and accurate thrower. He is probably the best amateur batsman in the country to-day, as his average so far with the team is over 500.

F. E. Soule fills the position of shortstop. He has played substitute on the Harvard team for three years, and last year played more than half their games in that position. He is also an accurate fielder.

B. Cook, jun, who plays third base, is considered by all professionals who have seen him to be the leading third baseman among the amateurs. He also covers a great amount of ground and stops many balls which are seemingly safe hits. His throwing is very yood, and he seems to be able to get the ball across the diamond from any position. He is a good batter and base runner.

H. N. Farren, who plays left field, has been playing ball for abous cipht years, and has been playing ball for abous cipht years, and heen playing ball for abous cipht years, and heen playing ball for abous cipht years, and

has arrived back from England and Ireland, where he went with his father.

Miss Lillie Taylor has returned to Toronto after spending a couple of weeks with her parents, Palace atreet.

Mr. L. W. Burke leaves to-day from Hamilton via the steamer Ocean for a trip to Montreal and the Thousand Islands.

Miss Sadie Findlay, of Kincardine, returned home to-day after spending a pleasant visit with friends in London West.

Miss Fannie Gibbins, city, is spending

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in 22 minutes and 12 seconds. Prince claims he was fouled in the last mile.

THE WHEEL.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Aug. 6.—Yesterday was the first day of the midsummer bicycle tournament of the Asbury Park wheelmen at the grounds of the Asbury Park wheelmen at the grounds of the Asbury Park Athletic Association. About 3,006, spectators were present. Interest centered at chiefly in the one mile safety scratch race. Among the entries were Zimmerman and Geo. F. Taylor, who broke the world's record at Springfield this week. Zimmerman beat Taylor by 40 yards amid the wildest kind of cheering. The track was heavy owing to the rain, and the time therefore was rather poor. A summary follows: One mile safety race for novices—1 Frederick Stone, of Orange; 2 Edward Montgomery, of Windoor Locks. Time 2:44 2-5.

One mile safety handicap—1 Carl Hess, M. C. A.; 2 Paul Grosch, of Orange. Time 2:29 3-5.

Two mile safety handicap—1 Harry Wheeler, 100 yards, of Orange; 2 Carl Hess, 100 yards. Time 5:04 3-5.

One mile safety for the 2:50 class—1 George Smith, of Riverside wheelmen; 2 Geo. Waters, of Brooklyn. Time 2:45.

One mile safety scratch—1 A. A. Zimmerman; 2 Geo. F. Taylor, M. A. C. Time 2:31 2-5.

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One mile safety scratch—1 A. A. Zimmerman (scratch); 2 G. W. Coffin, of Orange. Time 5:06 2-5.

Elake's Ancestral Home.

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A Personal Letter

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We want to impress upon you the fact that YOU SAVE MONEY, get 88 Cottam's Washing