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DE BARRY ON THE WARPATH.

Laying Pipe to Prosecute a Firm for Employing Canadian Plumbers.

Buffalo, N.Y., July 7.—Official instructions were this afternoon received by Immigration Inspector John De Barry, from the Department at Washington to prosecute L. P. Beyer & Co., the Pearl-street plumbers, for illegal importation of Canadian plumbers, under contract, by means of advertising in a foreign paper. Three cases are filed against the firm. The imported plumbers are Robert Somerville, John Fowler and Robert Bell, all of Toronto, and the penalty of $10,000 in each case will be sought. According to Inspector De Barry, many Canadian plumbers are coming into the city. "Among the immigrants I am called to examine daily, I found several plumbers," he said. "Of course, where they have not been contracted for I cannot deport them. These men come over here to take the places of the strikers. Some of them are persuaded to return by the local union men, but others get work here. I have just been notified that a great many are crossing the border by the way of Charlotte, from where they go to Rochester, and then come to Buffalo. I have written to Rochester for further information, and if the facts warrant will go there and investigate."

DISSOLUTION TO-DAY.

Both Houses of Parliament Held Their Last Sittings on Saturday.

London, July 6.—The House of Commons met at 10.30 o'clock Saturday, and passed through its third reading a bill devoting money to the maintenance of the various public services until the next Parliament meets.

Mr. E. F. V. Knox, anti-Parnellite member for Cavan, vehemently protested against the action of the House of Lords in refusing to go into committee on the Irish Municipal Franchise bill, after having passed the measure through its second reading.

Mr. A. J. Balfour interrupted Mr. Knox with the remark that this was not the occasion for discussing the House of Lords.

Mr. Knox endeavored to continue his tirade, and the Speaker was compelled repeatedly to call him to order.

Mr. Knox finally subsided, after denouncing the bigotry and treachery of the Government.

Mr. B. G. Clark and Mr. Labouchere protested against the insane competition of Great Britain with the other powers in building warships and maintaining a costly army.

The House of Lords met at noon. Lord Salisbury said this was the last time the House would meet before the dissolution of the present Parliament took place, and he wished to reply to the recent speech of Lord Rosebery, in which he had attacked the legislative preponderance of the House of Lords.

Lord Salisbury proceeded to say that the Upper House took no share whatever in the votes through which Governments were displaced or inaugurated; neither did they have any part in the provision of funds for the public service. As regards other matters, however, the House of Lords possessed precisely the same powers as the House of Commons, but he assured Lord Rosebery that if the future career of the Commons should be marked by such bills as were introduced in the Parliament just nearing its end they might depend upon receiving strong opposition from the House of Lords.

Lord Salisbury, continuing, said the House of Lords had been working to resist the inauguration of changes which were not supported by a majority of the nation.

As regards Home Rule for Ireland, England, he said, was certainly hostile to it. He also believed that a majority of the nation would fail to support an attack upon the established church, and that, as far as Home Rule for Scotland and Wales were concerned, neither could be carried without exciting the most passionate resistance of the people of England.

The policy of the Unionists, His Lordship declared, was a positive, not a negative one, for they intended to legislate with a view of decreasing the suffering of the poorer classes. They would try to revive the agriculture of the country, and would also give their attention to the matter of carriage of produce to the markets by railway, the creation of small holdings for tenants, the revision of the poor laws, and would consider measures for the amelioration of the social condition of the people, and do the utmost in their power to mitigate the misery which attended the vicissitudes of these changeful times and lessen the sorrows that attend the lot of so many millions of their fellow creatures.

Lord Salisbury's remarks were greeted with cheers. Lord Rosebery, in reply to the new Prime Minister, justified his previous statements. He said one side of the House of Lords was so overwhelmingly strong it was impossible for a Liberal Government to carry any measures introduced, however beneficent.

Prorogued

The House of Lords and the House of Commons reassembled at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Parliament was then formally prorogued until July 24. A decree of dissolution will be made on Monday, July 8, immediately after which writs for a new election will be issued.

Serious Bush Fires in Newfoundland.

St. John's, Nfld., July 6.—The steamer Polino, with the shaft for the Peary expedition, and the steamer Kite arrived early Saturday morning. The expedition hopes to start Monday night for Greenland.

A serious forest fire is raging in the interior. It has devastated 200 miles of country along the new line of railroad, and has destroyed the telegraph lines, sawmills and lumbering settlements.

Excursion to Boston.

During the first four days of this week a large number of Torontonians will take advantage of the very low rates to Boston made for the Christian Endeavor Convention. The fare is $12.05 to Boston and return, going via Niagara Falls. Mr. Webster, at King and Yonge-streets, is selling the tickets, and he reports a large number issued already.

A FLOOD OF DEVASTATION.

900 SQUARE MILES LAID BARE BY WIND AND WATER.

Thirty-One Lives Known to Have Been Lost in a Cyclone Accompanied by Seas of Rain in Nebraska, Iowa, Missouri and Texas—Four Inches of Rain in an Hour.

St. Louis, July 7.—Thursday morning last telegraphic reports began to arrive in this city of rains at Western points. These reports grew in number Friday and covered a large territory, indicating that the entire eastern watershed of the Rocky Mountains, from the Nebraska and Iowa lines to Texas, was swept by a storm. Friday night the severest blow came. Reports of the loss of life and destruction of property came with every telegram, and the downpour which was at first regarded as a blessing grew into a wave of devastation.

Fields of grain that promised the most bountiful yield in many years are to-day swept bare of vegetation. In several instances the seas of rain were abetted in their work of destruction by tornadoes.

It is too early yet to sum up the loss, but the total must be appalling, and those to whom the angry elements spared life have little left to sustain it. The stories of storm are so similar that a statistical summary is all there is left to tell.

The storm's focus embraced an area of 200 square miles, with the southwestern corner of Missouri as the centre.

The greatest loss of life is reported from Winona, Mo., where 11 corpses have been found and as many more missing.

Baxter Springs, in Southwestern Kansas, five were killed and 11 seriously injured by a cyclone that accompanied the storm.

One was drowned at Columbus and two at Ottawa, Kas.

At Van Buren, Ark., a woman and her child were drowned.

A family of five were encamped on the bank of Fish Creek in the Indian Territory. Yesterday nothing of them or their belongings was found except a part of their wagon on a pile of driftwood.

At Thomasville, Mo., where the rain fell was four inches in an hour, five lost their lives.

Unconfirmed reports are received of loss of life as follows: Three at Fayetteville, Ark.; one at Paoli, Kas.; one at Richards, Kas.; and six of a hunting party in the Indian Territory. This gives a known and probable loss of 43 lives. This total will be increased when the receding water permits a thorough search.

The loss in property can be placed in the millions. Dwellings, fences and farm buildings were carried off, and a wagon and railroad bridges swept away. Thirty of the 80 buildings in Winona succumbed. Five residences, a church and a warehouse went down at Baxter Springs. Six bridges went out in Russell County, Kas. About Jefferson City, Mo., many square miles of growing grain were covered with debris. Traffic on the Fort Scott and Memphis Railroad is temporarily suspended.

Reports of damage to property other than above noted come from five points in Kansas, nine in Missouri, six in Arkansas and two in the Indian Territory. The storm spent itself in Illinois, but having lost its force, proved a blessing to crops. The above summaries give only a fraction of loss in property. The greatest burden falls upon the farmers, as the season is too far spent to plant new crops, and suffering must surely follow in the storm's wake. Details of individual suffering and experiences recall the horrors of the Johnstown disaster.

WIPED OUT BY CLOUDBURST.

A Missouri Town Wrecked—Twelve Lives Lost.

Winona, Miss., July 7.—Winona was totally wiped out by a cloud-burst or a torrent, similar in devastation, between 10.30 and 1 o'clock yesterday morning. Twelve persons were drowned, and the financial loss will reach at least $60,000.

40,000 Acres of Grain Laid Waste.

Fargo, N.D., July 7.—A storm Friday night, extending from Anselm, 15 miles west of here, and from one to two miles wide, damaged 30,000 to 40,000 acres of grain, threw buildings from their foundations, and deluged the country. Four inches of rain fell in a few hours.

Thousands Lost by Rain.

Ashland, Wis., July 7.—Torrents of rain fell Friday night, flooding the streets and damaging city works several thousand dollars. The Ashland Lighting Company's tanks were floated and many connections broken.

Live Stock Drowned.

Highland, Ill., July 7.—A cloudburst struck this place Friday night, doing great damage. In many fields the water was deep enough to swim a horse. Hundreds of shocks of wheat were destroyed, miles of fencing were washed away, and much live stock was drowned.

TO FIT THE CRIME.

Increased Penalties Should Follow Each Conviction.

Paris, July 6.—The Prison Congress adopted resolutions declaring that, with a view to deterring criminals from reoffending, progressive penalties should be inflicted and hardened offenders be more severely treated than they are now. The resolution also provides that legislatures should have the fixing of the minimum penalty and the power to abolish too short sentences.

Murray Never Said It.

The Hamilton Herald publishes an attack on Detective Murray founded on a clipping from The Toronto Mail which is incorrect. The Mail stated that owing to missing a train connection the official had to take the Gray prisoners to No. 3 Station, Hamilton. Murray never said anything of the kind. What he said was that, thanks to the assistance he received from the night depot police at Hamilton, he was saved the trouble of taking the prisoners to No. 3 Police Station.

Municipal Arbitrator For York Township.

The Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council makes proclamation that the Municipal Council of the Township of York has requested that the provisions of the recent "Acts respecting Municipal arbitrators" be extended and apply to that township, in pursuance of which petition His Honor proclaims that from and after July 15 the said Act shall be in full force, and have due effect in York Township.

THE PUBLIC should bear in mind that Dr. Thomas Eclectric Oil has nothing in common with the impure deteriorating class of so-called medicinal oils. It is eminently pure and really efficacious—relieving pain and lameness, stiffness of the joints or muscles, and sores or hurts, besides being an excellent specific for rheumatism, coughs and bronchial complaints.

New Governor For French Guiana.

Paris, July 6.—The Estafette announces to-day that M. de Lamothe, the Governor of the French colony of Senegal, has been appointed Governor of French Guiana, recent events there having shown that a man of energy is required to take charge.

A FOLDING BICYCLE.

It is Doubled Up to Save Space in Storing.

Bicycle inventors come thick and fast. American inventive genius apparently has concentrated upon the wheel. Every week some inventor comes forward with some new device designed to make cycling easier or safer or faster, or to make a wheel lighter. In France, however, the inventors are experimenting with petroleum-driven bicyclettes. Why petroleum is better than the human leg, and why the machine should be dubbed bicyclette are questions only a plausible Frenchman can answer. The petroleum bicyclette participated in the recent road race between Paris and Bordeoux. It gave a good account of itself.

A folding bicycle is the newest novelty in the steel steed line. By a simple and ingenious arrangement the connecting rods of the frame may be folded until the machine is reduced to the size of one wheel, as shown in the illustration.

The inventor claims for the folding bicycle the possibility of storing it in one's room, the ease with which it may be carried up or down stairs or hoisted in dumb waiters or elevators. It can be readily doubled up for carrying on the shoulder up and down bad roads. Such a bicycle can be readily placed in a carriage or other vehicle for transportation. Doubtless, also, the policeman who has had an experience in leading the bicycle of a prisoner to the station house will appreciate the merits of a machine that can be folded up and carried under the arm, where it is powerless to work injury.

The inventor claims further that in its folded shape the bicycle may be securely locked, but seems to forget that in its portable shape it presents an extraordinary inducement to the intending thief.

The folding bicycle is one of the things that, now that it has been invented, will cause people to wonder why it had not been thought of before. Dwellers in flats, however, where there are tenants given to storing wheels in the lower hallway, will be inclined to send their personal thanks to the genius who has shown how the most unwieldly thing ever invented—that is, while in a state of repose—may be made less obtrusive and less dangerous. There is no reason why it shouldn't be hung up on a post out of everybody's way.

The man who invented the baby carriage which could be flattened out and jerked under the bed or stood against the wall behind the sofa, a great benefaction. It was the best thing since the jointed fishing rod. Then a Brooklyn man invented a piano which could be taken apart and carried up the narrow stairway of an apartment house, and then set up in little room instead of being swung into an outside window, as a safe is generally put into an office building. But there are more bicycles than there are either baby carriages or pianos in New York, so for the present the invntor of the folding bicycle is entitled to a seat on the right side of the throne.

ONE ORGANIST FOR MANY CHURCHES

A Single Keyboard May be Made to Control Several Instruments

The electric organ has been developed into a marvelous instrument. Its distinguishing feature is that by using the "console," a keyboard on a movable stand, the organ can be played from any point, or several organs can be played at the same moment, and by the same touch of the keys. So that, if the service of half a dozen or more churches could be so timed as to exactly correspond in the length of the respective parts of their ritual, one organist would suffice for them all. He would sit at the keyboard and perform his offertory, anthem or hymn, as the case might be, and the pressure on the keys would make an electric contact which would open the pneumatic valves in the pipes of all the instruments connected up by wires. The largest organ is controlled electrically with a simplicity, ease and absolute command of all its resources that is simply astounding. The organist touches a button, and the electric motors start the blowers, which are operated automatically, and which will continue to supply all the wind needed until they are stopped. At one time, organ-playing was apt to be an exhausting gymnastic exercise; now the player actuates any or all of the stops by "stop keys" little ivory levers just over the keyboard, which are moved by a light touch of the finger, even without raising the hands from the keys. Heretofore the organ has had its limitations of touch efforts! the latest electric organ has what is termed a "double touch," an action of the keys which is so quick and elastic that pianoforte music can be played by it effectively, and so delicate that it is capable of the finest "expression." The wires connecting the keyboard with the organ are run in a cable and 2,000 are held in a conductor of 1 1-2 inches diameter.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A Very Rich Gas.

So much has been said concerning the new substance known as the acetylene in its recently evolved form and relations in respect to gas and allied industries that, taking the statement of Prof. V. B. Lewis as authority, the importance of the article may be explained as due, briefly, to the reduction to it by the baknig action of the flame of all the remaining hydrocarbons present in the coal gas. It is the acetylene which provides the luminiferous flame with those carbon particles which, being heated to incandescence by various causes, endow the flame with the power of emitting light. The gas being thus the cause of luminosity it is naturally the most powerful of the gaseous hydrocarbon illuminants; owing, however, to its intense richness, it can be consumed only in small, flat burners, but under these conditions it emits a light greater than that given by any other known gas, its illuminating value—calculated to a consumption of five cubic feet an hour—being rated at no less than 240 candles.

They Went Together.

Her hat went with her complexion.
Everybody who saw her noticed that.
"Oh, dear," she protested.
It was in vain.
Wind of considerable violence accompanied the rain, and in that way it happened that her complexion and her hat went together.—Detroit Tribune.

Decrease in British Trade Returns.

London, July 6.—The returns issued by the Board of Trade for June show that the imports decreased £350,000 and the exports decreased £110,000 during the month, as compared with those for June last year.

Injured at Lake Joseph.

Ed Large, whose home is at 19 Mansfield-avenue, was engaged in the erection of a house on Fishers' Island, Lake Joseph, Muskoka, last week, when the scaffold gave way. A 10-foot fall occasioned a broken leg. He was brought to the city Saturday and removed to Grace Hospital.

SERIOUS RIOT IN INDIA.

Three Killed, 184 Wounded In an Affray Between Moslems and Hindoos Near Guzerat.

London, July 6.—The India Office is in receipt of a telegram from Bombay, statjng that a terrific riot has occurred at Kattywar, in the Province of Guzerat, resulting in the killing of three persons and wounding of 184, 12 of them seriously. The riot grew out of the clashing of a Hindu marriage procession and a Mohadem Mohurran procession.

ARNOLD'S NEPHEW MURDERED.

J. F. G. Lister Done to Death at His Indian Post.

San Francisco, July 6.—News has been received from India, via Hong Kong, by the steamer City of Rio de Janeiro, of murder of J. F. G. Lister, superintendent of the police at Godraby, and his wife. Lister was a nephew of Sir Edwin Arnold and the son of a Bombay general. Mrs. Lister is the daughter of Col Braham, an old Indian campaigner. She was married to Lister five years ago.

DIED FROM A TROLLEY ACCIDENT

Dr. Boyd of London Succumbs to His Injuries.

London, Ont., July 6.—Dr. Francis L. Boyd, a brother of Chancellor Boyd, died in the hospital from injuries caused by a collision with a trolley. Dr. Boyd was 76 years of age, and was well to do. Besides Chancellor Boyd he leaves another brother in Toronto, a lawyer, and one in Forest, a doctor. A neighbor, Mr. J. Routledge, who was driving with Mr. Boyd at the time of the accident, was also injured, and is in a serious condition.

Killed by a Bicyclist.

Louisville, Ky., July 6.—Dr. Edward Palmer, one of the most popular physicians in the South, was run over by a bicycle last night, and sustained injuries from which he died.

Five Fatalities Due to a Cyclone.

Baxter Springs, Kas., July 6.—A cyclone struck Baxter Springs last night and killed five persons outright and injured two so badly that they are not expected to live. A dozen persons were seriously injured. Many stores, residences and barns were totally wrecked.

Five Injured in an Explosion.

Jersey City, July 6.—Eighteen steam condensers in the Zinc Works of Manning & Squires, on the Newark meadows, blew up this morning, injuring five men.

Manitoba's Cattle Trade.

Winnipeg, July 8.—This fall promises to be the greatest season for export cattle shipments that the Northwest has experienced. Mr. A. D. Gordon, an extensive cattle exporter, arrived here to-day from the western ranch country. While there he arranged to ship 19,000 head of cattle to England this fall. This means over 110 trains. Add to this local shipments from Manitoba, and it will be seen that the cattle movement will be a very important feature of the fall trade. The grazing lands are in fine condition.

Mrs. Mary Lease Unseated.

Topeka, July 7.—The Supreme Court has rendered its decision in the case of Mrs. Mary Lease against the members of the State Board of Charities in favor of the defendant, George C. Clark, who was appointed to succeed her as a member of the board. This effectually removes Mrs. Lease from office.

Athletic Contests in England.

London, July 6.—The amateur athletic contests that took place at the Stamford Bridge ground excited much interest among athletes, as the team that will represent the London Athletic Club in the contest with the New York Athletic Club were to be selected by the merits from to-day's performance.

The mile run was won by Bacon, holder of the mile championship, who covered the distance in 4 minutes 17 seconds, beating the record of 4 minutes 18 2-5 seconds, made by W. C. George in 1884. W. R. Luyens, Cambridge, was second.

The half-mile race for the amateur championship was won by E. C. Bredin, London Athletic Club, in 1 minute 55 4-5 seconds. F. S. Horan, president Cambridge University Athletic Association, was second, four yards behind the winner. Bredin was the former holder of the championship.

The 100 yards race was won by Bradley, the present champion, in 10 seconds, with Downer second.

The 120 yards hurdle race was won by Godfrey Shaw, London A.C., the present holder of the championship. Time made to-day beats the English amateur record by 1-5 seconds. W. J. Oakley, president of the Oxford University A.C., was second.

The quarter-mile run was won by W. Fitzherbert of Cambridge University in 49 3-5 seconds. E. C. Bredin, the holder of the championship, was second, a yard behind Fitzherbert.

Mr. Horan said: "We are about to cable our acceptance of Yale's challenge. I think Oct. 8 will be the date if Cambridge's teams get a good training and return in time for the beginning of the tournament of the university. The Cambridge team will be possibly the same as that which competed with Oxford on Wednesday last, with the addition of F. M. Jennings for the high jump. The team will be limited to 15 members and probably one or two of the second strings in the three mile and other flat races will not be taken. Cambridge will agree to drop the three mile race if Yale will adopt a half mile race in its place. Yale will probably want the hurdle race to be run in their style, on a cinder track, while Cambridge will want the hurdle race on grass, thus making 10 events. Cambridge will suggest an odd event, a 220 yards race. If Yale does not want to run two kinds of hurdle races, then both will be taken out, making nine events."

Oarsmen at Saratoga.

Saratoga, N.Y., July 6.—Fred Hawlins, the Saratoga Lake sculler, has arrived from New York, and began training at Saratoga Lake to-day under the coach of George Lee of New York. The following crews will arrive here and go into training on the lake: Minnesotas of St. Paul, Torontos of Toronto, Harlem Intermediates of New York.

At the Traps.

The second match of the Stanley Gun Club series was shot at Woodbine Grove on Saturday afternoon. There was a good attendance and the weather was perfect. The competition is becoming very interesting, as will be seen by the scores of the members that have shot at 50 targets. G. Wilton 44, W. McDowall and E. McDuff 43, H. George, T. Lucas and E. Leroy 42 each, with the others only a few birds behind. Scores from five traps, rapid firing: McDuff (30) 25, Wilton (25) 24, George (25) 22, Lucas (25) 21, McDowall (25) 20, Leroy (27) 19, Musson (28) 17, Moulthorp (29) 14.

Sweep at ten targets—McDowall 10, Lucas 10, McDuff 9, Wilton 9, George 9.

Wasp Won the Third and Final.

Bath Beach, July 6.—The third and final race in the series for the International Challenge Cup of the New York Canoe Club was sailed to-day at this place. It was won with ease by the American canoe Wasp, sailed by Paul Butler of the Vesper Boat Club, Lowell, Mass., who defeated the Canadian challenger Mab, sailed by Chase Archibald of the Corinthian Sailing Club of Montreal, by 23 minutes and 1 second in time and two miles in distance, over a 9-mile triangular course. The actual sailing times were: Wasp, 2.28.14; Mab, 2.31.17.

DESPERATE FIGHT FOR LIFE.

Murderous Assault On a Priest By Burglars.

Montreal, July 6.—A great sensation has been created in the country surrounding the generally quiet and peaceable village of Acton, on the Grand Trunk, some 40 miles east of this city, by a murderous assault made by two tramps who attempted to break into the priest's residence. Rev. Abbe Dutilly, the vicar of the parish, who is a powerful man, came within an ace of losing his life in a terrible encounter, which ended in his falling unconscious to the ground and remaining some hours in that condition.

It appears that when the burglars had effected an entrance a hand-to-hand fight occurred between the two burglars and the priest. The priest broke his rifle on his assailants. Then he seized a poker and drove it into the neck of the younger burglar, who fell to the ground in a copious flow of blood.

The tramp pulled out a dagger and attempted to stab the priest, and in the desperate struggle which ensued the priest received two stabs in the breast, piercing his soutane shirt and scapulary and making a slight wound.

At this moment the elder of the burglars attacked the priest with a bar of iron. The latter seized the elder man by the throat, but both the vicar and the younger tramp fell to the floor exhausted and unconscious. Nearly two hours after, when Rev. Mr. Dutilly recovered consciousness, the two tramps had disappeared, carrying little or nothing with them.

The fire commissioners, Messrs. Alfred Perry and E. Poirier, to-day received from their secretary the half-yearly report of the fires and losses during the past six months. The losses amount to $159,458 and the insurance on the properties was $701,817. Investigations were held to discover the origin of 186 fires and 379 witnesses were examined.

About 4 o'clock this morning a resident near the Willows Station at Lachine awoke, and, looking out of the window, saw three cows wandering over the flower garden. She got up and succeeded in getting the animals off the premises, whence they wandered on to the track of the Grand Trunk Railway. A westbound freight train came along about half an hour later, and rounding the curve where the track branches off to Lachine wharf came right on to the cows lying on the track. The animals were immediately killed, but the engine managed to keep the track. The cars, which were nearly all empties, piled up, badly broken, and the line was strewn with the debris. The track was also torn up, but not badly. A wrecking train with a large gang of section men was soon on the spot, and Mr. Riddell, the Assistant Superintendent, went out to the scene of the accident by an early train to rush the work along. Neither local nor through traffic will be impeded by the wreck, as trains can run on the regular track. The engine driver, fireman and train hands escaped without the slightest injury.

Tobacco a Cause of Heart Disease.

The pulse of a tobacco-user indicates the condition of his heart. Old smokers often suffer with palpitation, intermittent pulse and other signs of a "tobacco heart," produced by chronic tobacco poisoning. "A stitch in time saves nine." Try Price's Tobac-Cure, sold by G. A. Bingham, druggist, 100 Yonge-street, Toronto.

Days of Abstinence Abolished.

New York, July 7.—The Rev. T. A. Ducey, pastor of St. Leos Roman Catholic Church in this city, is authority for the statement that the Pope has promulgated a decree abolishing all the days of abstinence in the year except Fridays, even during Lent. This decree, however, is applicable only to poor persons and their families.

Pupils or Students?

Superintendent Gunn of the Toronto Railway informs Mr. E. Barker of the shorthand school that the clause in the street railway agreement respecting reduced rate car tickets for children refers to school pupils and not to students of business colleges. The correspondence has been forwarded to the City Engineer.

RACE HORSES STOLEN.

Eight Animals Valued at $12,000 Walked Off in St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., July 6.—Eight race horses were stolen from the stables of W. H. Lee at the Fair Grounds last evening during the progress of the competitive drills on the parade grounds. The Lee stable includes Pow Wow, Uncle Abb, Fedora, Black Knot, Banshee and others, and all of the best were taken, leaving only five non-winners and untried colts. The loss is over $12,000.

Stonenell Ran Second.

Brighton Beach, July 6.—First race, 1 mile—Gold Dollar 1, Stonenell 2. Time 1.50 1-2.

Second race—Defender 1, Yankee Doodle 2, Cassette 3.

Third race—Wernberg 1, Declare 2, Sandowne 3.

Fourth race—Lovdal 1, Lucky Dog 2, Redskin 3. Time .52 1-2.

Fifth race—Little Matt 1, Marshall 2, Chiswick 3. Time 1.48.

Sixth race—St. Anthony 1, Hiawasse 2, King John 3. Time 3.25.

Cambridge Will Accept Yale's Challenge.

London, July 6.—Mr. Horan, one of the members of the Cambridge athletic team, confirms Mr. Oakley's statement by saying that Yale's challenge will be accepted by Cambridge, provided the questions as to expenses and three mile run can be satisfactorily arranged.

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Mrs. Isaac Bond, a woman 47 years old, who lived over the Wallace store in Second-street, was burned in the fire. She got out of the building all right, but was seen to turn and go back, presumably for some of her belongings. Before she got upstairs a loud explosion was heard and she is supposed to have fallen back.

Fires of a Day.

Fire did about $150 damage at Barnes' cigar store, 18 King-street east, at 5 a.m. yesterday. The stock in the Ladies' Work Repository, 20 King-street east, also suffered considerable damage by smoke. The firemen are at a loss to account for the origin of the blaze.

Hot ashes caused a small fire in a shed at 134 Seaton-street on Saturday. Damage slight.

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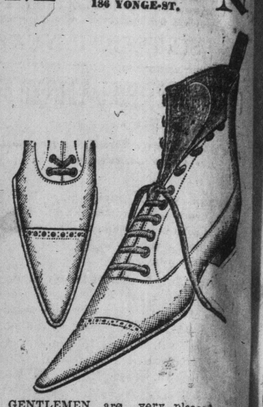

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