THE DOUKS MAKE FINE WORKMEN

Large Number on the G. T. P. Construction — Mr. Morse Talks of Work.

Montreal, Aug. 15.—Mr. F. W. Morse, general manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific, returned today with his party from a month's trip of inspection over the line that is being constructed from Fort William to Edmonton. One thing that struck Mr. Morse during his trip was the efficiency of the Doukhobors as workmen. There are about 800 Doukhobors in the employ of the G. T. P., and they are ideal workmen. They are principally teamsters, and they are very fond of their horses, and treat them with the utmost kindness.

Asked about his trip, Mr. Morse said: "The farthest point reached on my trip was Edmonton. I visited the work in the vicinity of Fort William, along the Lake Superior branch, at Little Saskatchewan River, along the Assinaboine and Qu'Appelle valley, also at the south Saskatchewan River in the vicinity of Saskatoon. The contractors are all very busy. The season is good for carrying on the work, but on account of the general prosperity and the great activity throughout the Canadian Northwest their forces are smaller than they should be."

"What do you think of the crops?"

"The crops in the districts through which I passed were excellent, and I am told that the fields will give the maximum yield. I cannot say whether this year's crop will be the largest ever raised in Canada, as I am not familiar with the acreage seeded this year, as compared with last, but all the fields I saw, to the best of my judgment, could not have looked better."

PAY THE FARE AND AVOID VIOLENCE

Judge Gaynor Advises Greater New York Public To Be Patient.

New York, Aug. 15.—The troubles of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company with those of its patrons, who since Sunday have acted under an opinion by Supreme Court Justice Gaynor and refused to pay two five-cent fares to Coney Island, seem tonight to be nearing an amicable settlement, and is expected that by tomorrow or Friday the traffic over the Brooklyn trolley roads will be running under something like normal conditions. The company today adopted, pending settlement in court, a plan suggested by Acting Mayor McGowan to General Manager Calderwood.

It was that the railroad company issue a special form of ticket receipt to be handed each passenger upon the payment of a ten-cent fare. This ticket was to bear upon its back a printed agreement, that, in case the highest court should rule that the company has no authority to collect more than five cents for a continuous ride, the company would redeem the ticket for five cents in cash or accept it in payment for another continuous ride over its lines.

Justice Gaynor today gave out a statement in which he advised everyone to pay the double fare rather than to commit acts of violence.

"God is patient," he declared, "and we must be patient. This little life of ours is no time for violence, if we can avoid it. Violence is never lawful until all other means have failed. Everything comes right in time, even though slowly.

"I had to decide," he said, "whether ten cents or five cents was the lawful fare. I held the matter under anxious consideration for three weeks and was bound to decide according to my conviction as to what the law was under the statute, and the judicial decisions.

"I would not have been fit to live, let alone sit in judgment, if I had weakly decided otherwise, or evaded for fear of consequences, or to curry the favor of any set of men however powerful.

"But what should a man who is going alone or with his wife and children to Coney Island for a day of rest now do — pay the double fare sooner than have violence, or refuse to pay it? I answer that I would pay it sooner than have any violence, and I advise everyone to do the same thing."

The Brooklyn trolley cars today were again stopped at the second fare boundary to avoid disturbances. Passengers had to transfer to the elevated roads and pay the second fare.

SUFFRAGETTES' WAIL

Relate Experiences in Prison to Hyde Park Gathering.

London, Aug. 15.—Over 1,000 persons gathered around two wagons in Hyde Park yesterday to hear the suffragettes, who have been released from prison after serving their sentences for disorderly conduct, relating their experiences. Miss Pankhurst presided. The announced the receipts of £100 towards the Women's Political Union from Lady Frances Cook, formerly Tennessee Claflin. Miss Pankhurst claimed that political prisoners should have privileges in prison. She said the food was nasty, but the worst of her imprisonment was the solitary confinement.

DR. J. D. KELLOGG'S Dysentery Cordial is a speedy cure for dysentery, diarrhea, cholera, summer complaint, seasickness and complaints incidental to children teething. It gives immediate relief to those suffering from the effects of indiscretion in eating unripe fruit, cucumbers, etc. It acts with wonderful rapidity and never fails to conquer the disease. No one need fear cholera if they have a bottle of this medicine convenient.

The Duke of Devonshire once was noted for his silence. To a friend who asked him how many words he spoke a day he replied: "Count your own, deduct all the little ones, reduce one-third, and you will be near the number."

ALIENS HELP BUILD MORMON CHURCH

An Average of 2,000 Men and Women Brought Over Each Year by Missionaries.

Washington, Aug. 15.—Congress may be called upon to remedy the immigration law so that aliens brought to this country for the purpose of increasing the strength of the Mormon Church may be excluded. There is now no law under which this class of aliens may be detained or deported, unless some stipulated provision of the law has been violated.

Thousands of women and young girls have been brought over from Europe and sent direct to Utah or Idaho to become the wives of Mormons, their expenses paid by Mormon elders or missionaries who accompany them. It was said at the immigration bureau today that the arrivals approximate 2,000 a year. The law prohibits the solicitation of immigrants and prescribes heavy penalties for those who bring in women for immoral purposes, but in the case of polygamy nothing can be done.

Boston is the favorite port of entry for the Mormon missionaries with their proselytes. They usually come in with a party of from five to seven in charge of one missionary or elder. Not long ago one of these elders brought back a family in which there was an idiot daughter. The girl was deported.

The last importation of Mormons consisted of 50 persons, men and women, under the guidance of about twelve missionaries. They were mainly from the laboring classes, and came from England, Germany and the Scandinavian Peninsula. The missionaries always hold the tickets of the entire party under their control, and have possession of their money. Each immigrant usually has about $20, which gives him sufficient to come within the requirements of the law.

The department is well advised of the movements of these missionaries abroad. They are hard at work seeking proselytes. Some of the missionaries have gone back and forth across the ocean for years.

HERO GOT HUGS, EXPECTING LICKING

Nerved to Save Sister from Drowning by Fear Her Wet Dress Would Betray.

New York, Aug. 15.—Vernon Marshall, aged 7 years, and Sister Mamie, aged 3, did various things Friday afternoon, which, if they knew, meant "lickings."

They live in Greenport, L. I. In the first place, they ran away from home when mother wasn't looking. In the second, they ran away to the water front, where little children should never be without a grown-up beside them. In the third place, they had fun balancing themselves on the string-piece of the oyster pier. Miss Mamie, somewhat pudgy, fell into the water, twenty feet deep. She sputtered and sank, and came up again and sputtered.

Master Vernon, in all the agony of guilt, foresaw that Mamie's wet clothing would betray them. He thought he must get her out quick, and then maybe he could dry her clothes. He jumped into an oyster dingy, which had oars three times as long as himself, and he worked the oars as he had seen men work them. Miss Mamie came sputtering to the surface again, and her little brother caught her by her curly hair, pulled her into the boat and some way or other got her back to shore. Several oystermen came down to the pier and found Mamie very sick from the water. They recognized her as Richard Marshall's daughter, picked her up and started home with her. Vernon stayed behind, crying.

"Come on," they shouted.

"I dasn't," Vernon confessed. "Mamie got her dress wet, and ma will lick me."

The oystermen said some things about "bravery" and "heroism" that Vernon didn't understand, but he followed them home. He sneaked in the back door, but couldn't elude his father, who caught him by his arms and looked at him hard. Vernon believed the worst was about to come.

"I am going to write to Washington and get a life-saver's medal for him," said one of the oystermen.

Then Vernon's father hugged him, petted him, gave him watermelon for supper and made him tell time and time again how he pulled pudgy little Mamie into the rowboat. Mrs. Marshall cried for joy every time he repeated the story, and when Mamie pleaded that her brother be not whipped for letting her spoil her red dress they all cried some more. Vernon went to bed wondering how he had missed the "licking."

RAIDED OPIUM JOINT

Sensational Round-Up Made by Police of Toronto.

Toronto, Aug. 15.—Shortly before 12 o'clock today the police raided two boarding houses on Church street and arrested three men and three women, who are held on serious charges. Those taken into custody were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tompkins, alias Woods; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lennox, Harry Martin and Mrs. Hattie Dineen. The police did not care to divulge the nature of the charges preferred against the prisoners, some of whom are well known to the police.

In one of the boarding-houses raided was found a complete Chinese opium outfit and about two pounds of opium.

Mrs. Dineen is supposed to be the wife of Patrick Dineen, the alleged pickpocket, from New York, who is now serving four months in the Central Prison for vagrancy.

Several robberies and cases of pocketpicking have been reported to the police during the past month, and it is hinted that some of the people arrested are alleged to be members of a gang said to have come from New York to Toronto a few months ago.

It is a pleasant tumble when a man falls in love, but it is a different kind of fall when she throws him down.

SICK TREES CURED LIKE SICK PEOPLE

Scientists Discover That Drugs Injected Into Trunks Act as Tonic.

Paris, Aug. 15.—Farmers will be pleased to learn that sick trees can be successfully physicked. Experiments have been tried recently in the injection of various drugs into the sap of trees which are ailing from disease or exhaustion.

In the case of some fruit trees it was found that the roots, having become more exhausted than the branches were unable to supply a due proportion of nourishment from the soil. The trees were in fact in need of a tonic, and sulphate was injected into their sap.

The result was to renew their youth and vigor. The treatment was found specially useful in the treatment of chlorisis in vines.

The drugs so injected circulate through the young layers of the tree, avoiding the old wood, and spread uniformly right to the top of the tree and into the root to a depth of three or four feet.

The best mode of application of drugs is by injection through a hole made in the neck of the root. Not only may nutritive elements be so introduced, but it also seems likely that many diseases may be treated by the same means. Experiments have been tried on diseased fruit trees by the injection of weak solutions of oxalic acid, creosote, and of citric or salicylic acid. The best results were obtained with the last.

FRENCH SOCIETY IS SCANDALIZED

Son of Ex-President of Republic Figures in a Sensational Divorce Case.

Paris, Aug. 15.—French society is scandalized and the family and friends of an ex-president of the French Republic are on the verge of nervous prostration. Monsieur le Bargy, of the Comedie Francaise, has begun proceedings of divorce against his wife, Mme. le Bargy, who is also on the stage. Monsieur le Bargy is the Beau Brummel of the French theatrical world. He sets the fashions. His neckties are famous on two continents. When it comes to acting the gay deceiver or the blase man of the world, nobody can rival him, yet it is he who is divorcing. M. le Bargy three years ago, was known to society only as the charming wife of Monsieur le Bargy. She has literary talent, writes well in English as well as French, and has even acted in English in London, and is preparing to act in German. Her home was one of the most artistic in Paris, and she was thought to be devoted to her small family.

Suddenly it was announced that Simone le Bargy was going on the stage. The most gifted young dramatist of France, Henri Bernstein, has written several plays for her. She went over to London and played in English and won laurels there.

About the time that Mme. le Bargy left for London, the third personage in the domestic drama which is about to have its denouement appeared upon the scene. He is younger than the actress and his father is one of the most distinguished men who have held the position of president under the third republic. The young man's infatuation is common gossip on the boulevard. He has followed his idol everywhere.

If Monsieur le Bargy gets his divorce the probabilities are that Mme. le Bargy will marry her young admirer.

CANADIANS THERE.

New Haven, Conn., Aug. 15:—Electricians from many parts of the country and several from Canada gathered at the city hall today to attend the convention of the International Association of Municipal Electricians. The city offered the municipal building for the convention and the aldermanic chamber is being used by manufacturers for demonstrations of apparatus.

The convention was opened by Mayor Studley, who extended a welcome to the members and the freedom of the city.

WEEK-END TRIPS.

Every Saturday and Sunday return tickets are on sale from London to nearby points at single fare, plus 10 cents, good returning until Monday. To Clinton $1 60, Goderich $1 90, Ingersoll 70 cents; Petrolea $1 65; Sarnia Tunnel $1 90; Woodstock 95 cents. Secure tickets at Grand Trunk City Office, corner Richmond and Dundas streets, or at Depot Office. 7-n-wv

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STAKES ALL FOR DOG

Will Carry Case to Supreme Court to Save His Pet.

Chicago, Aug. 15. — Man's affection for his dog and woman's love for her child, themes of the masters and the melodramatists, have crossed wires in Indiana avenue. The man has staked his fortune of $30,000 for preserving the dog's life. The woman has dedicated "her remaining days" to her vow that the pet shall die.

Thus begins a notable dog day contention. It is a contest of money against poverty, of a civil war colonel against the wife of a working man, of an enraged neighborhood against a bachelor. The secondary figures are a 7-year-old fox terrier, known as Bessie, and a pretty little girl, Irene Poole, who numbers eight summers.

Col. H. T. Morton, 2968 Indiana avenue, owns the dog and considerable property in Indiana and Michigan avenues, besides receiving, it is said, a pension from the Government. Mrs. Lula Poole, 2978 Indiana avenue, is the mother of the child.

Early in July the dog bit the girl while she was playing in the back yard of Col. Morton's residence. Two physicians finally saved her life after heroic efforts. The doctors declared the dog should be killed. Col. Morton refused to hear their entreaties, and Mrs. Poole took the matter to court.

Three decisions have been given in the woman's favor, and thrice the police have sworn the dog must die. The dog yet lives—just where, the police have given up.

Justice Hurley yesterday heard the pleadings of the child's mother in her third appeal to the magistrate for the dog's life, and granted her technically the life of the pet, besides imposing a fine of $50 upon Col. Morton. Then the colonel got busy. He took steps to carry the case to the supreme court. Sometime in October the fourth trial will take place.

"I love my dog, and before I shall see it killed I will spend everything I have," said Col. Morton to Mrs. Poole, after the hearing. "If it takes my last red cent, gladly will I give it up to defend its life."

"Hide your dog in your cellar or send it to Canada—I will have it, or you shall pay the penalty," was Mrs. Poole's retort.

CANNON DEFIES GOMPERS

Not the Least Bit Scared by the Federation Black List.

Washington, Aug. 15.—Speaker Cannon intends to give positive evidence of his fearlessness of organized labor this fall by making no contest whatever for re-election in his district, the eighteenth Illinois. So confident of re-election is he that he intends to devote all of his time during the congressional campaign in the districts of other Republicans who are certain to have a hard time retaining their seats in the House. The Speaker will spend nearly two months on the stump, and it is expected will be of material assistance to many of "his boys" who are in trouble this year: The Speaker's nominating convention will be held on Thursday next, and after he addresses the delegates his district will see nothing of him until election day.

President Gompers has put "Uncle Joe" on his blacklist, but that fact does not seem to be worrying the Speaker in the least. Mr. Cannon intends to point out what he considers the fallacies of Gompers' attitude toward himself and other Republicans who have incurred the animosity of the federation. The Speaker is on the federation's blacklist because he used his influence in the House in preventing the passage of the anti-injunction bill and a more stringent eight-hour law as applied to work on Government contracts, pet measures of Mr. Gompers.

DOUBLE TRACK MIDLAND

Mr. Hays Intimates the Improvements for That Division.

Toronto, Aug. 15—Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson, president; Mr. Charles M. Hays, vice-president and general manager, with several other chief officials of the Grand Trunk Railway have completed their inspection of the Toronto terminals and left today for a trip over the Buffalo lines.

"Does the Grand Trunk purpose double-tracking the Midland division?" was the question asked Mr. Hays today.

"All of the railways will have to double-track their railways in Ontario."

"What about handling the grain crop?"

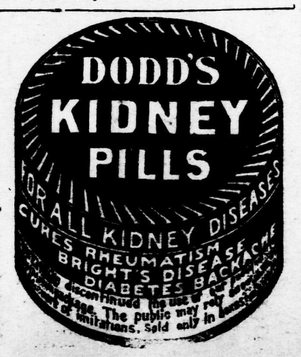
"The Grand Trunk will be ready."

Mr. Hays states that the inspecting party found everything in a very satisfactory condition in Toronto and vicinity. The Quebec, Eastern, Middle, Northern and Western Ontario divisions have now been inspected.

Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson and Lady Wilson sail on Saturday from New York for England.

MR. CARSCALLEN WEAKER.

Hamilton, Aug. 15. — There is no change in the condition of Mr. Henry Carscallen. He is slowly growing weaker. Yesterday was Mr. Carscallen's birthday.



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COLORED DRESS GOODS—MAIN FLOOR.

First Shipment of Long Kid Gloves

for fall has just been unpacked and placed on the shelves. They are "Perrin gloves"—skins, soft, pliable and carefully selected from high-grade stock; shapely cut and perfect fitting; handsomely dyed; neatly and accurately sewed and finished.

You'll like their looks, the way they wear—everything about them.

12-Button Length GLACE Kid Gloves. Mousquetaire wrist with three fancy pearl buttons. Black, white, tan, mode, castor, gray, pearl gray, crimson, burgundy, prune, ciel blue, navy, shell pink, bronze and myrtle.....$2.50

12-Button BARRITZ Glace Kid Glove. New style, elastic at wrist, extra wide gore in the arm. Suitable for wear over dress or coat sleeves, or for those who experience difficulty in getting a comfortable fit in the ordinary width gloves. Black, gray and mode.....$3.00

12-Button SUEDE Gloves. Mousquetaire wrist. Black only.....$2.00

16-Button White GLACE Kid. Mousquetaire wrist.....$2.75

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THE FALL EXHIBITIONS

Dates of "Western" and Other Noted Fairs.

THE WESTERN	Sept. 7-15.
Stratford Horse Show	Aug. 8-9
Canadian National (Toronto)	Aug. 27-Sept. 10
East Elgin (Aylmer)	Sept. 3-7
Aylmer	Sept. 3-7
Central (Ottawa)	Sept. 7-15
Central (Guelph)	Sept. 11-13
Berlin	Sept. 15
Stephen & Usborne (Exeter)	Sept 17-18
Tavistock	Sept. 17-18
Strathroy	Sept. 17-19
St. Thomas	Sept. 18
Blyth	Sept. 18-19
Mitchell	Sept. 18-19
Straffordville	Sept. 19
Kincardine	Sept. 19
Metcalfe	Sept. 19-20
Walkerton	Sept. 19-20
Zurich	Sept. 19-20
Woodstock	Sept. 19-21
Seaforth	Sept. 20
Stratford	Sept. 20-21
Bothwell's Corners	Sept. 20-21
Petrolea	Sept. 20-21
Springfield	Sept. 20-21
Ailsa Craig	Sept. 24-25
Mildmay	Sept. 24-25
West Lambton (Sarnia)	Sept. 24-26
Listowel	Sept. 25-26
Glencoe	Sept. 25-26
Wiarton	Sept. 25-26
Paisley	Sept. 25-26
Glencoe	Sept. 25-26
Drumbo	Sept. 25-26
Chatham	Sept. 25-27
Norfolk Union (Simcoe)	Sept. 25-27
Parkhill	Sept. 26-27
St. Marys	Sept. 26-27
Shedden	Sept. 26
Paris	Sept. 27-28
Watford	Sept. 27-28
Wingham	Sept. 27-28
Wallacetown	Sept. 27-28
Ilderton	Sept. 28
Comber	Sept. 28-29
Brigden	Oct. 1-2
Brigden	Oct. 1-2
Thorndale	Oct. 2
Tiverton	Oct. 2
Thamesville	Oct. 2-3
Lion's Head	Oct. 2-3
Alvinston	Oct. 2-3
Amherstburg	Oct. 2-3
Burford	Oct. 2-3
Tara	Oct. 2-3
Wallaceburg	Oct. 2-3
Lucknow	Oct. 2-3
Alvinston	Oct. 2-3
Tillsonburg	Oct. 2-3
Dorchester Station	Oct. 3
Thedford	Oct. 3
Delaware	Oct. 3
Thedford	Oct. 3
Dorchester	Oct. 3
Teeswater	Oct. 3-4
Blenheim	Oct. 3-4
Embro	Oct. 4
Dresden	Oct. 4-5
Brussels	Oct. 5
Caradoc (Mount Brydges)	Oct. 5
Forest	Oct. 4-5
Highgate	Oct. 5-6
Galt	Oct. 5-6
Florence	Oct. 8-9
Wyoming	Oct. 8-9
Westminster (Lambeth)	Oct. 9
Ingersoll	Oct. 9-10
Thamesford	Oct. 12

Secretaries of Ontario associations should send to The Advertiser, as early as possible, the dates of the fairs in their section of the country, and give notice of any change or correction in the dates given above.

DUPED BY TRAITOR

How Daring Revolutionists Got Hold of Government Secrets.

Kharkov, Russia, Aug. 15.—There have been frequent cases in the central provinces of revolutionary agitators wearing the uniform of an aide-de-camp of the Emperor going through the country announcing to the ignorant peasants that the Emperor had decreed the distribution of all land, but that the nobles and landlords were preventing the news from reaching the peasants, and instructing them to take what the Emperor had given.

A still boldier fraud has just been exposed here, which illustrates the deceptions to which the revolutionists are resorting in order to penetrate the military secrets of the Government and to open up channels for their propaganda in the army.

Some time ago a man appeared at the headquarters of the commander of the Kharkov garrison, representing himself as Lieut. Pojotsky, aide-de-camp of Gen. Sukhamlinoff, commander of the military district of Kiev, in which Kharkov lies. He presented what purported to be an official document authorizing his to transmit orders regarding the disposition of the troops. The idea of questioning his authority never seemed to have entered the mind of the commander of the garrison, who received with with the greatest attention and turned over for inspection all the official military documents in his possession.

For several weeks "Lieut. Pojotsky" was entertained by the officers, was a prominent figure at the military reviews, and personally accompanied several "punitive" expeditions into the country. When he left it was with full military honors. Later, in course of correspondence with Gen. Sukhomlinoff, it was discovered the man was an imposter.

In consequence of this the commander of the garrison here has received a scathing reprimand, and general orders have been issued from the war department warning garrison commanders throughout the empire to beware of similar tricks of the revolutionists. In addition to the military information which the revolutionary "lieutenant" secured, M. Kharitonienkao, a rich landed proprietor, mourns the loss of $3,000 which he willingly loaned to the dashing young aide-de-camp of Gen. Sukhomlinoff.

LEGEND OF HOOPER'S CROWN.

That interesting bird, the hoopoe, is now represented in the zoological society's menagerie. Compared with a bird of paradise, the hoopoe is a humble-looking creature in its red sandy plumage, barred with black; but in its way it is beautiful. It has a large, curved beak, and its head is adorned by a crest of stiff feathers. The hoopoe is well known in Asia as well as in Europe. There is a Spanish legend concerning it which has been related by Kingsley.

The story goes that once upon a time the holy birds who run up and down on the Prado at Seville among the ladies' pretty feet had golden crowns on their heads. One day the birds and beasts all went to pay homage at the court of King Solomon; among them, of course, were the hoopoes. When their turn came they made their request, which was that the king would pray for them that their crowns might be changed.

So King Solomon prayed, and instead of golden crowns they received crowns of feathers. Ever since then, the legend continues, the hoopoes "live as merrily as crickets in an oven, and also have the honor of bearing the name of his Most Catholic Majesty King Solomon.—Pall Mall Gazette.

AN END TO BILIOUS HEADACHE.—Biliousness, which is caused by excessive bile in the stomach, has a marked effect upon the nerves, and often manifests itself by severe headache. This is the most distressing headache one can have. There are headaches from cold, from fever, and from other causes, but the most excruciating of all is the bilious headache. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will cure it—cure it almost immediately. It will disappear as soon as the Pills operate. There is nothing surer in the treatment of bilious headache.

Persistent use of the hammer is not recommended for developing the biceps.

A rare example of discerning gratitude is given by the late Marchioness Isabella Lucini of Pavia, who has left a legacy of $3,000 to a local comic paper to which she had been a lifelong subscriber. Her will also directed that $300 in addition should be spent on a sumptuous banquet to which the staff of the paper should be entertained "in recognition," so the will textually reads, "of the many pleasant hours spent in perusing its humorous columns."

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