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LONDON, CANADA, FRIDAY, AUGUST 28.

WHOLE NO. 16,357;

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

DIED.

BOTTRILL .- In this city, on Aug. 21, 1901, Charlotte Bottrill, relict of the late John Bottrill, aged 63 years.

Services will be held on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, and funeral will take place on Saturday morning at 6:30, to G. T. R. station. Interment at Mc-Gillivray. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. 56u

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC. Advertisements under this heading 10c per line, or 2c per word each insertion. LONDON OPERA HOUSE-

Monday and Tuesday, 26, 27; matinee, Tuesday, 2:20. 15c, 25c. Fitz & Webster's side splitter, "A BREEZY TIME." Bubbling over with mirth and music. Every minute a laugh. Prices, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c. Plan open now. Watch for Golf Street Parade.

BASEBALL—TECUMSEH PARK—SAT-URDAY, Aug. 24. London vs. Rockets. Game, 3:30. Admission, 15c; ladies, 10c.

SPECIAL—NEW STEAMSHIP LAKE Simcoe, of Beaver Line, sails Montreal to Liverpool, Wednesday, Sept. 4. For rates and other particulars apply F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Adver-

SULPHUR SPRING BATHS-OPEN 7 a.m to 9 p.m. Plunge bath now open. Slagle bath, 25c; five tickets, \$1. Cole &

\$2 65-EXCURSION, LONDON TO DE-TROIT and return, Saturday, Aug. 24; Sunday, Aug. 25; boat and Sarnia. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Ad-

DANCING-BEGINNERS' CLASSES-New term opens Sept. 23. Register carly. Private tuition and private dancing parties arranged for. Dayton & Mc-Cormick.

MEETINGS.

THE LIQUOR LICENSE ACT-PUBLIC notice is hereby given that the Board of License Commissioners for the City of London will meet at the inspector's office, 629 Talbot street, on Friday, Sept. 6, at 8 o'clock in the evening, to consider an application from Mrs. Margaret Avey & Son to have the license held by them for the Metropolitan Hotel, transferred to John Lewis, jun. R. Henderson, inspector. son, inspector.

LONDON COUNCIL, NO. 233, ROYAL Arcanum, will meet this (Friday) even-ing, at 8 o'clock, in Duffield Block. b

DOMESTICS WANTED.

ic per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. WANTED-YOUNG GIRL ABOUT 18, TO assist with general housework and the care of two children; high wages paid. Apply in evening, 426 William street.

WANTED — GOOD, GENERAL SER-VANT. Wages, \$12 month. Apply 400 York street. 57c WANTED-GIRL TO ASSIST IN HOUSE

work. Apply 499 Dufferin avenue GENERA L SERVANT AND NURSE girl. 22 Ridgeway, South London. 55c

WANTED TODAY-50 GIRLS, ALL branches housework. Mrs. Lockhert, 442 Park avenue, corner Queen's avenue.

SIX DINING ROOM GIRLS WANTED— To go to Stag Island; \$15 a month. Apply Dwyer's agency, 591 Richmond

MALE RELP WANTED.

ic per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. BOYS WANTED FOR SATURDAY—Good pay. Apply Red Star News Company, 90 Dundas street. 45c-v

BOY WANTED-ABOUT 15 YEARS OF age. Apply at this office. 56u BOY WANTED FOR CUTTING AND

WANTED-GOOD BOY, ABOUT 16 years of age, to learn printing. Must be good scholar. Send application, in own handwriting, giving name and address, to Box 101, Advertiser office.

WANTED-TWO GENERAL MACHINE hands. Bennet Furnishing Company.

YOUNG MEN-OUR ILLUSTRATED catalogue explains how we teach bar-ber trade in eight weeks; mailed free. Moler Barber College, Buffalo, N. Y.

FEMALE HELP WANTED. le per word first insertion, and 1/2c per

word each subsequent insertion. advertisement less than ten words. GIRLS WANTED-THE PARISIAN Steam Laundry Company of Ontario, Limited. 57c

GIRL WANTED-FOR OFFICE-APPLY Box 93, Advertiser. 56c

HELP WANTED.

1c per word first insertion and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. ENERGETIC LADIES AND GENTLE-MEN, for pleasant occupation. Apply at once, A. E. Adams, 521 Richmond street, upstairs. 53n

DOYS AND GIRLS WANTED-APPLY D. S. Perrin & Co. 52tf BOYS AND GIRLS WANTED-APPLY McCormick Manufacturing Company.

PARCEL DELIVERY. C. P. E.—CITY PARCEL EXPRESS— Trunks, valises and parcels called for and promptly delivered. 'Phone 1,295. Office, 2 Masonic Temple. C. H.

Savings and Investment Society.

HIGHEST RATES

Paid on Deposits and Debentures.

OFFICES - Masonic Temple Building, corner King and Richmond Streets.

NATHANIEL MILLS.

REEDING and grace of manner mark the ideal woman.

Superior leather and clever shoemaking distinguish "A5TORIA"the ideal boot for wo-

Fall styles are now in. All the new curlicuesevery size and width.

Price \$4 a pair. Sold exclusively by

167 Dundas Street.

AGENTS WANTED.

AGENT WANTED-CITY, TOWNS ON railroad, or townships; salary or commission. Tea, coffee, spices, etc. Apply Box 74. Advertiser.

ARTICLES FOR SALE. to per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

FOR SALE-THOROUGHBRED JERSEY cew; phaeton and harness; bargain. Apply S. Salton, Edith street, city. b PRIVATE SALE OF FURNITURE, 248

Oxford street, on Aug. 22, 23, 24, consisting of 3-piece parlor suite, center and fancy table, sideboard and extension table, arm and rocking chairs, also walnut cradle, baby carriage, etc. 55c SAFE FOR SALE-CHEAP. D. McKEN-ZIE & CO, 298 Richmond street.

FOR SALE—A FIRST-CLASS COMBINATION tandem; cash price, \$15. Apply at once, Hines' Bicycle Shop, 653 Richmond street.

FOR SALE — SERVICEABLE BAY mare, 7 years old; good worker or driver; quiet. Price low, \$65, for quick sale. London Soap Company. 49tf FOR SALE-OFFICE COUNTER AND RAILING; LEADED GLASS WIN-DOWS, ETC. APPLY CITY GAS COMPANY'S OFFICE, 401 CLARENCE STREET.

FOR THIS WEEK WE WILL SELL 3½ lbs of choice raisins for 25c; 20 lbs Redpath's granulated sugar, \$1; choice prunes, 4 lbs, 25c; good dates, 5c lb. Have you seen our Jemiums? Our tables and rockers are beauties, as well as the silverware. Each piece given away with \$50 worth of groceries. T. A. Faulds, 687 Dundas street. 'Phone 1,192, xxv

BUTTER, BUTTER, BUTTER-It is on the advance, but for the next few days we will sell best dairy for 18c and 20c per lb. Baking Butter at a re-duced price, at the Murphy Provision Store, 246 Dundas street.

CHEAP COAL-OUR WEST VIRGINIA New River smokeless egg coal gives more heat and less ashes to the ton than any other coal; no clinkers; will burn where any hard or soft coal will, and go further; costs far less if ordered soon. Green & Co., William street and G. T. Railway. 'Phone 1,391.

FOR SALE — ONE LARGE FANCY burl walnut plane, 71-3 octaves, carved panels, 3 pedais; only 5 months in use. We'll sell for \$210 now on easy terms. Heintzman & Co., corner Dundas and

BARCAINS AT PARISH'S STORE— Hali-phaeton buggy and cutter, good condition: a large cage for birds, 9x2 feet; also 3 pianos and 2 organs, will be sold cheap. Furniture and stoves taken in exchange for new. 357 Talbot street, 3 doors south of King street.

LADIES' WHEELS, SI: GENTLEMEN'S \$1 25 a week, to rent or buy. Good sec-ond-hand wheels, \$10. J. H. Cunning-ham, 664 Dundas.

COAL AND WOOD FOR SALE—THE best at Buchanan's, 633 Colborne street.

WE HAVE NOW A NEW STOCK OF Waggoner Extension Ladders of fine Waggoner Extension Ladders of fine American linden, with steel fittings; the lightest, strongest, handsomest on earth. Catalogue free. Mention this paper. The Waggoner Ladder Company, Limited. Practory: York and Colborne streets, Lundon, Ont. streets, London, Ont.

D. H. GILLIES & CO., LEADING WOOD dealers of the city, are selling good large load summer wood for \$1.25.

"Phone 1,312.

HAPPY THOUGHT RANGES AND ALL kinds of stoves, new and second-hand. 100 cook stoves wanted: will pay cash, at F. Keene's, 141 King street.

MISCELLANEOUS. 1c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

STAMPS-CURRENT CANADA, OLD collections, revenues, bought and sold. Adams, 401 Yonge street, Toronto.

F. B. LEYS-OFFICES AT MASONIC Temple, first floor, and London Hat, Cap and Mantle Manufacturing Com-pany, 355, 357 Clarence.

BUFFALO BOARDING HOUSES. ROOMS FOR EXPOSITION VISITORS-Elmwood district. Can give London references. Apply Miss Boulton, 105 Ashland avenue, Buffalo, N. Y. 57m

LONDONERS VISITING PAN-AMERI-CAN can secure good private accommodation at 537 Plymouth avenue. Room, 75c; breakfast, 25c. West avenue and Grant street cars pass door on way to exposition. Write and secure rooms in advance. Mrs. Walter, 537 Plymouth

WANTED.

VANTED-OFFICE DESK (SECOND-HAND); must be in good condition.
Box 91, Advertiser. 55c WANTER TO PURCHASE-RAGS, OLD rubbers, metals, copper, brass, lead, zinc, etc. Orders promptly attended to. H. Serwer, Grev.

H. Serwer, Grey, corner Adelaide. 'Phone 1,199. HAIR WANTED—CUT HAIR AND combings. Try our tonic for strengthening and promoting the growth.

Miller's Hair Store, 223 Dundas.

BUSINESS CARDS.

lc per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. advertisement less than ten words. WM. HODGSON, HOUSE PAINTER, paperhanger, decorator, contractor, etc., 410 Horton street. Orders promptly at-tended to. First-class work done. Patronage kindly solicited. Estimates

WATSON & CO., HOUSE MOVERS—Steam boilers and safes a specialty.

19. Hamilton road. 'Phone 1.22.

Order Your Serge Suit Tomorrow

You will get more real pleasure and satisfaction out of one of our made-to-measure Serges than a dozen of the ready-made kind. We guarantee to fit you—and our gar-ments will hold their shape per-fectly.

\$15 To Your Measure.

Choice of blue or black serge-and in qualities that we will war-rant not to fade in the hottest sun. Other and finer grades of serges at \$20 and \$25. Order now before the rush begins.

Deeks & Munson.

Tailors and Drapers, 393 Richmond St EOUSES, ETC., TO LET.

TO LET-8-ROOM BRICK HOUSE: modern conveniences; stable. Apply 437 Colborne street. 55n FO LET-297 WOLFE STREET-NEW brick, complete, furnished or unfurnished. Apply on premises. 48tf

\$16 RENTS MODERN EIGHT-ROOMED brick house, 445 Central avenue. W. D. Buckle. 55c-xvz Piccadilly street; new, modern, 10 rooms. Also good stable. Apply 548 Piccadilly.

ATTRACTIVE HOME - MODERATE rent, all new and clean; furnace, bath, four bedrooms, mantel, grate; splendid location. 185 St. James street.

LARGE DOUBLE OFFICE, WITH vault; also store, with vault, in Albion Buildings, to let; immediate possession. Apply to T. H. Carling, or H. & C. Colerick, in building.

FO LET-UNION FURNITURE VAN-Furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Cathcart and Bruce, South Lon-don, late of London Furniture Company. 'Phone 210.

LOST AND FOUND. 1c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WILL THE LADY WHO PICKED UP A parasol as it dropped off a street car in London South last night kindly return to Yeo's China Hall, Dundas street?

LOST-POCKET ACCOUNT BOOKS; initials, C. S. T. Reward if returned to this office. LOST-A MAN'S BLUE OVERCOAT; near Thamesford. Reward at this office.

REAL ESTATE.

Ic per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. FINE MODERN COTTAGE, NEAR Dufferin avenue, and two adjoining lots. First-class modern residence, Hyman street. Two story brick dwelling York street, very large lot. Cheap. J. F. Sangster, 403 Richmond street.

FOR SALE—ON THE SECOND CON-CESSION of Westminster on the road to Pond Mills, four acres of land, with log house, in good repair, having four rooms, large frame kitchen, pantry and cellar, woodshed, stable and barn: 35 trees bearing fruit; good well; large pond, with plenty of water for any trees bearing trute, by water for any portly with plenty of water for any purpose. Electric cars will soon pass the place. To be sold cheap. Apply to T. Tomlinson, on premises.

FOR SALE-FINE PROPERTY, COR-NER William and Grosvenor. Twostory house. Apply Johnston & Casey, 90 Dundas street.

CANVAS TOWN IN A TEMPEST

Oklahoma Homes Scattered Far Wide by a Gale.

Three Persons Killed—Lightning Destroys Houses. Barns and Crops in Ontario.

Anadarko, Okla., Aug. 23. - Three persons were killed, two seriously and number slightly injured, in a heavy wind and rain storm which visited Anadarko. Twenty buildings were almost wrecked, hundreds of tents occupied by homesteaders were torn to pieces, and great quantities of merchandise were strewn far and wide over

THE DEAD. Dr. Mayse, Wichita, Kansas. W. P. Levis, Weatherford, John Antone, Paris, Texas. . P. Levis, Weatherford, Texas.

Injured-Sampel P. Nelson, Kansas city; Daniel Warren. Anadarko is one of three towns which sprang up after the opening recently by lottery of the Kiowa-Commanche Indian reservation. In less than 30 days the town had reached over 6,000 in population. Buildings were in the course of erection on every hand, while the majority of the population resided in tents. When the storm came, 20 of the half - finished houses were torn to pieces. Flying timbers caused the fatalities noted, while the wind swept the tents into a conglomerate mass.

and the rain soaked thousands of dollars' worth of merchandise. The storm passed over quickly, moon came out and the boomers immediately set about restoring order. Hobart, Okla., Aug. 22. — A storm approaching a cloudburst visited Hobart, one of the new towns on the Kiowa-Commanche lands, last night No lives were lost here, but thousands of dollars' worth of property was de-stroyed. Everything stored in tents was soaked by the rain, two and onequarter inches of which fell in one

In the country districts it is reported the storm was more severe, and at least four persons are said to have been killed. LIGHTNING'S WORK.

Cambridge, Ont., Aug. 22. — Two barns belonging to McBain Bros., about a mile east of here, were struck by lightning this afternoon and destroyed, together with the season's crops. There was a light insurance on the barns, but none on the crops. Holland Landing, Ont., Aug. 22. -During a heavy thunderstorm, about 3 o'clock this afternoon, Joseph Hollingshead's house was struck by ing and totally destroyed. The furniture was saved. Loss, \$300; no in-

Mrs. Hamilton Badger, of Hamilton, died as the result of burns sustained through the explosion of a stove.

UMPIRE KILLED!

An Enraged Player Cracks His Skull With a Baseball Bat.

game of baseball between the umpire finally laying open his skull. side with which Forbes was playing. ly guarded.

Indianapolis, Aug. 23.-Farmers- | A quarrel ensued, and Forbes knocked burg, Sullivan county, is in a state of Jennings down with a bat, and then great excitement over a murder that continued his attack upon him, beatresulted from differences during a ing him over the head and face, and

and the players. Ora Jennings, a Jennings was carried from the young man of the neighborhood, had grounds unconscious and died shortly been selected to umpire the game, and lafter. Jennings was popular. Forbes one of his rulings gave offense to Mar-cellus Forbes and the members of the murder. He is under arrest and close-

CZAR MAY SEEK

Thinks the Time Ripe For Frendly Mediation --- May Peaceful Settlement of the Franco-Have Private Talk With Kruger,

TO HELP BOERS!

Brussels, Aug. 23.-The Independence; the view of formulating a plan for Belge prints a dispatch from Copen-

hagen, which says: "It is currently reported in Russian circles that the czar has decided to broach South African intervention to Emperor William and President Loubet. He considers the time opportune

for friendly mediation." The paper adds, under reserve, that the czar, during his stay in France will receive Mr. Kruger in private audience and obtain from him a direct statement of the Boer position with

KITCHENER'S PROCLAMATION. Paris, Aug. 22 .- A dispatch to Le Journal from The Hague states that the Netherlands Government has refused to transmit to the powers the protest of the Boer chiefs against General Kitchener's proclamation. The leaders now propose to make a pro-Boer manifestation on the occasion of the czar's visit to France, and also to prepare a vast petition from Europe and the United States, pleading for intervention. This petition will be

THE STRIKERS ARE CAUTIOUS.

And Refrain From Making Trouble Everywhere.

Joliet Men Await Chicagoans' Action -Columbus Newspaper in Trouble.

Pittsburg, Aug. 23 .- Aside from the partial equipment of the Star plant of the American Tinplate Company and the preparation for its immediate resumption of work there was no special development in the strike situation in this city today. No further trouble occurred at the Pennsylvania tube works, and at all other strike

points quiet reigned. While the strikers claim that four of the new men at the Star plant have deserted the company and say that others would leave if they could get out of the mill, Supt. Harper maintains that he has 100 men at work; that none have deserted, and that the men can come and go from the mill as

they please. At Irondale the tinplate company gained another victory today by the successful start of one set of rolls. There are said to be enough men in the plant to man one mill one turn, and the company officials say now that the break has been made, they will

get the men back. President Shaffer said that no movement has yet been made by either side looking to arbitration or mediation. No hint has come from the steel people on the subject and none has gone out from the workers. There was, however, a tendency among many of the one are prisoners. labor leaders today to discuss the possibility of arbitration, and on every side was heard mentioned the name of Gov. W. A. Stone as an arbitrator or conciliator, and, it is said, he will be asked to tender his good offices in this of Waterval.

AWAIT CHICAGOANS' ACTION. Joliet, Ill., Aug. 22.-Reports that the steel mills here are to resume Monday are absolutely without official foundation, either as regards the company or the Amalgamated Asso-Neither side has made any

movement to that end. There is a strong sentiment among the strikers in favor of a return to work under some honorable plan, but they will stand by the strike order, at least until it shall be known that South Chicago will not go out. COLUMBUS PAPER'S TROUBLES.

Columbus, Ohio, Aug. 22.-The Press-Post printers refused today to set news furnished by a local news' bu-reau, and the paper appeared this evening filled with miscellany. The news department of the paper having been abolished, the News Writers' Union has declared a lockout at the establishment and tonight the printers decided that hereafter they will set nothing but editorials and advertis ments until the trouble between the proprietor and the News Writers' Union shall be settled. The action of the printers is approved by the local

SITUATION UNCHANGED. Pittsburg, Aug. 23.-The steel strike situation was without material change today. All the combine plants started recently with non-union workmen were in operation with about the same number of men as yesterday, and quiet pre-vailed at all points. The steel officials appear satisfied with the prog-

presented to the czar and President Loubet. ress made and are evidently preparing

THE FIGHTING IN SOUTH AFRICA

Col. Parker's Men Capture an Entire Commando.

All the Leaders Accounted For-Few Prominent Boers Now in the Field-Many of Them Are Dead.

KRUGER'S VAIN HOPES.

London, Aug. 23 .- Kruger appears to be still hoping that the cabinets of Paris and St. Petersburg will intervene in behalf of the Boers. According to a communication that purports to come from persons in the confidence of the ex-president, the junta at Hilversham are engaged in preparing a formal protest against Kitchener's proclamation. If Kruger imagines that the moment when Russia and France are exchanging felicitations will be a favorable opportunity for bringing forward an indictment against England he is sure to be disappointed.

CAPTURED AN ENTIRE COM-MANDO. Cape Town, Aug. 23 .- Col. Parker has captured Haasbroem's entire commando at Dornberg. The Boers lost seven killed, two wounded and twenty-

THREE COMMANDOS DEFEATED. Pretoria, Aug. 22.—Col. Colville's column surprised Albert's and Pretorius' laager at dawn on the hills north

Twenty Boers were made prisoners and three were picked up dead. A detachment of Steinacker's Horse had an action with a Boer force at Kallshan, near the Portuguese frontier. They killed one man, wounded two, and captured thirteen, all Germans and Hollanders. Gen. Walter Kitchener came upon

and killed two. MANY BOER LEADERS MISSING. Of the members of the old government executive council, only Schalkburger and Reitz are in the field. Gen. Joubert is dead, Gen. Cronje is a prisoner, and Gen. Kock was killed. Out of 27 members of the first volksraad, 13 are accounted for. Barnard. Labuschagne, and Malan have killed. Sergt. Merritt, of the Bedfordshire Regiment, was awarded a medal

for killing Malan, who was sniping at

Magaliesburg in June. Merritt stalk-

ed him four miles before he succeeded

a number of Boers in a kloof after a

night march. He captured thirteen

in shooting him. Tosen is dead. Wolmarans is a prisoner. Eight members of the first volksraad have surrendered. About half of the members of the second volksraad are accounted for. All the heads of the state departments are accounted for except Smuts. Three of them are in Europe, two are prisoners and fourteen have surrendered. The judges are all accounted for. Seventy-five per cent of the sub-heads of departments

are accounted for. HOW BREMERSDORP FELL. Durban, Aug. 22.-News was receive settled up.

ed here a week ago of the fall of Bremersdorp, but it is only now that the censor permits me to forward it.

A commando of marauding Boers Handow the State of th moved towards Bremersdorp on July 23, and entered the town at daybreak The Boers attacked a position on the other side of the town, which was held by a company of Steinacker's

Horse, and which commanded the road to Lobombo. The attack was very bold. A number of Boers rushed right to the position, from which the gallant defenders were working a machine gun. The Maxim belched forth lead until every man of the attacking party was shot

The remaining Boers next attempted

to surround the position. To avert this our men slowly withdrew. For eight hours a hot running fight was kept up, but the men of Steinacker's Horse effected their retreat in good order. The enemy ultimately

withdrew. Capt. Gardyne's capable handling of his troops saved the British force from

disaster. Our losses were 10 killed and woundand 30 missing. The Boer casualties were severe, particularly in the attempt to capture the Maxim gun.

THE TROUBLE IN

Republics Warned by British Wife Finds Him Hanging in the Belfry

Journals.

Turkey Dispute Anticipated.

The Czar's Projected Visit to France Proves a Topic of Predominant Interest-Russian Troops Gather-

ing on Turkish Frontier.

REPUBLICS WARNED London, Aug. 23. - The Daily Graphic, in the course of an editorial on South and Central American trouble, says: "The situation is almost intolerable and occasions a very legitimate anxiety in the United States. Unless orderly government is established on a firm foundation, the eventful intervention of the United

States will become inevitable." Comparing the situation to that of Egypt when the Suez Canal was cut, more surprises for the strikers in the it says: "The republics of the isthmus way of starting other plants with imless they mend their manners before this inter-oceanic canal is completed." The Times says: "No exception can be taken to Mr. Hay's attitude toward Central American trouble. It is natural that the United States should take measures for the due protection of their own interests and those of other nations, of which they are in some measure the trustee, and it could be wished that these measures might have the effect of exercising that moral influence over the turbulent and distracted republics which it is the peculiar right and special privilege of the United States to exercise within reasonable limits. The Monroe docwithin rine has duties as well as rights, and is no extravagant conception of these duties to regard them in this

RUSSIAN TROOPS SENT TO TURK-

ISH FRONTIER. Brussels, Aug. 23.-A dispatch to the Petit Bleu from Vienna says: According to advices from Galatz, twenty Russian torpedo boats and several dispatch boats have arrived at the Dneis ter delta, and Russian troops are commencing to mobilize along the Turkish

Paris, Aug. 23. - According to the foreign office officials this afternoon, there is no news and no change in the Turkish situation. It was notice able that the officials were more reticent than yesterday. While reas-serting that no naval demonstration is contemplated, they refuse to confirm or deny the truth of the news contained in special dispatches, saying that three battleships and cruiser which arrived at Toulon this morning are taking coal and provisions on board. They said they had no in-

formation on the subject. TURKEY'S ONE TRUMP. Talking to the correspondent the Associated Press, one of the oldest members who has been connected with the diplomatic corps for over 25 years, said: "The sultan's hand contains one trump just now. It is not likely that France will run the risk of opening the eastern question on

the eve of the czar's visit. The newspapers here, under the influence of the overwhelming joy at the czar's approaching visit, are pay ing scant attention to and generally are taking the view that the matter will soon be settled to France's satisfaction. The coming of the czar is causing intense satisfaction throughout the country. The Temps says that there is no ques tion at present of a naval demon-stration, and hists that if it became necessary France may imitate the example of Austria, which once, under similar circumstances, seized the custom houses of certain Ottoman ports. EARL RUSSELL WON'T BE FREED

London, England, Aug. 23.-In response to a largely-signed petition recently forwarded to the home office asking for the release of Earl Russell, Nationalist, serving imprisonment of three months for bigamy, Mr. Ritchie. the home secretary, writes that he can see no reason why he should interfere and that the health of the prisoner is

BAD FLOODS IN CHINA. London, Aug. 23.—There has been a serious breach in both banks of the Yellow River in the Province of Shan Tung, says the Shanghai correspondent of the Standard, and the floods have destroyed an immense amount of property.

satisfactory.

terest taken in the Franco-Turkish incident, growing out of the French claims at Constantinople. Some women who marry and settle down would have done the world more

good had they remained single and

CABLE NOTES.

The approaching visit of the czar to

France largely overshadows the in-

Under the Sun

Will redeem a plain-featured face it is a set of wholesome-looking teeth. "A mouthful of pearls" is not to be found every day, but teeth that are white, even and attached to healthy gums, may be the rule and not the

exception. Don't abuse your teeth-they will retaliate if you do. Neglect is the

worst kind of abuse. Keep them clean and in perfect order by using Odontine (C. & L.) It whitens the teeth-perfumes the breath and makes the gums firm, rosy and healthy. Only 25 cents. Be sure you get the genuine which bears the name

CAIRNCROSS & LAWRENCE, Chemists and Druggists. 216 Dundas St., corner Park Ave.

HANGS HIMSELF IN HIS CHURCH.

SOUTH AMERICA. Censure of Pastor's Marriage Drives Him to Suicide.

> -Had Been Wedded Only Two Weeks to His Organist.

Washington, N. J., Aug. 23.-The Rev. George B. Harrington, a young Drew Seminary student, who was filling his first charge at Oxford, three miles from this place, committed sui-cide Tuesday by hanging himself in his church. On Aug 7 Mr. Harrington was married to Miss Lida Tice, the organist of the church, and it is largely due to the criticism heaped upon him for this act that he took his life. The young couple drove to Belvidere on the day of their marriage and without asking the consent of any one were married by the Rev. Nathaniel Brooks, pastor of the Methodist Church in that town. They had known one enother for about two months. They went to housekeeping at once in the parsonage of the church, and only last Saturday night the members gave them a reception at which enough provender was deposited in the kitchen

to last the minister and his wife through the winter.
Some of the older members of the church shook their heads and said unkind things to the young man, and it is thought that he must have received some word from the authorities at Drew which made it sible for him to return there. To some of his friends he has within the last few days expressed grave doubts as to whether his hasty marriage was proper and has said that he was much

worried over its probable effect on his career. Tuesday morning the minister and his wife went to spend the day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Tice. and though Harrington seemed depressed nothing was thought of it. Shortly before noon he went to a store, but promised his wife nearby that he would return at 1 o'clock for dinner. When he did not return at 2 o'clock, Mrs. Harrington began to wonder what had become of him. Then she remembered that he had said that he proposed to end his life before the day was over. She had only laughed

at him, but now the words came back to her with awful force.
She jumped on her wheel and rode to Green's Pond, about four miles away. Having arrived there the young voman realized that it would be very difficult for her to discover whether or not her husband had drowned himself,

and so after a few inquiries, she rode home. It was 3 o'clock when she drew up at her father's house, and after a short rest was joined by her father in the search. They went to the par-sonage and then to the church. The door of the church was locked, but knowing that the minister had a key, the father decided to take a shutter from a window and investigate. This was done, and the father and daughter entered. As their eyes became accustomed to the darkness, they saw that they were alone in the auditorium. Then Mr. Tice walked over to the door eading up into the belfry, and discovered that the key which for years had hung alongside the door was gone

and the door was locked on the in-It was a frail door and little effort was required to lift it from its hinges. This done, the father-in-law led the way up the rickety stairs to the first platform. When he reached that spot he asked his daughter to turn back. From the platform it was only possible to see the feet of a man hanging through a trap door in the landing above, but they told a tale that need-

ed little further explanation. All the surrounding circumstances show that the minister deliberately planned to break his neck in the fall. He had fixed a clothes line about a beam, and then climbed upon an old scaffold which had been used by Standing on top of this, he had tied the rope about his neck and then pushed the scaffold from under feet. When found he had been dead for at least three hours. was called and the body cut down.

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