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FOUR LONDON PEOPLE STRUCK BY LIGHTNING DURING STORM WHICH WORKED GREAT HAVOC

Three Men Suffered When Power House of Traction Company Was Hit---A Little Girl on Cheapside Street Had Shoe Torn From Foot ---Crops of the District Suffered Severely.

London was struck by one of the worst thunderstorms of the year yesterday afternoon shortly after 3 o'clock, and much damage was done.

There were no lives lost, but there were several miraculous escapes.

Four persons were injured:

Robert Quayle, Chelsea Green.

Robert Roberts, Chelsea Green, stunned.

George Kerr, 12 Thornton avenue.

Miss Lucille Pepper, 462 Cheapside street.

None are seriously injured.

The storm lasted for an hour, accompanied by incessant lightning. The wind created considerable havoc with farmers' crops, corn especially suffering from the fury of the storm.

Several barns are reported burned within a radius of a few miles.

The storm area was quite extensive. It came from the southwest, and followed along the lake shore, extending a few miles north of this city.

TERRIFIC WIND.

A terrific wind accompanied the rain, and in their train came very dangerous lightning.

It reached London shortly after 3 o'clock, and for a few minutes paralyzed everything.

The wind and driving rain made it almost impossible to get about and completely tied up the street railway services.

The company had several cars put out of commission by the rain and lightning.

The Southwestern Traction Company's lines were tied up for four hours, from 3 o'clock in the afternoon until 7 o'clock in the evening.

Several places were struck by lightning, and the wind lifted several roofs.

HIT POWERHOUSE.

The Southwestern Traction Company plant suffered considerably from the wind.

The first gust of the wind came tearing down upon the company's powerhouse on Chelsea Green. It lifted the southwest corner of it and ripped it completely off.

Robert Quayle, the engineer, and George Kerr, the fireman, were busy at work when the roof was torn off.

A perfect cloud of flying bricks and debris settled upon them, and they made a race for their lives.

BURIED BENEATH BRICKS.

Quayle was buried by the bricks and debris, and could not get up.

Kerr rushed out. He was struck by a flying brick on the head. The blow staggered him, but he continued, and escaped. The other men in the building went to Quayle's assistance, and relieved him.

Dr. Teasdall was summoned and found that Quayle was suffering from bruises on the back and elbow. It was thought that the spine was seriously affected, but this morning Dr. Teasdall says the injuries, while painful, will not prove serious, and that after a few weeks he will be out.

Kerr was struck on the head by a flying brick, and a bad gash resulted. The blow was a glancing one, and the skull was not fractured. He was also badly bruised by bricks. He will be confined to his room for a week.

The escape of the two men from death is remarkable, as it is puzzling to understand how they got out from the shower of brick that fell around them.

A THRILLING EXPERIENCE.

Robert Roberts, Chelsea Green, the electrical engineer of the Traction Company, also had a thrilling experience.

It was reported that one of the wires was down, and he rushed out to attend to it. As he was running past a tree, the lightning struck it, shivering it to pieces.

Roberts was knocked down by the force of the concussion, and stunned. He got up, and went back to the powerhouse, little the worse for his narrow escape. He was not more than five feet from the tree when it was struck according to the statements of eye-witnesses.

LITTLE GIRL STRUCK.

Several houses were struck, the most serious damage being done to the residence of Mr. George Pepper, 462 Cheapside street. The lightning struck the chimney, literally smashed the bricks to pieces, continued down the pipes, shattered the stove to atoms, passed into the cellar, and then into the ground.

Miss Lucille Pepper, the little daughter of Mr. Pepper, was sitting in front of the stove when the lightning struck.

She was thrown violently to the floor by the shock. One of her feet was under the stove, and almost in the direct path of the lightning.

The fluid struck her foot, and tore the shoe off it, and burned her considerably. Her mother rushed into the room and took the child out of the house.

Dr. McWilliam was summoned, and soon brought her around. The shock to her system was a severe one, and she is very nervous as a result. Her foot is painfully burned, but no serious consequences will result.

The escape of the Pepper girl is nothing short of marvellous. The pieces of the stove were scattered all over the room, and a perfect shower of iron must have encircled her. That she escaped with a few burns is considered remarkable. The lightning did not set fire to the house.

WEST LONDON HOME STRUCK.

The home of Mr. S. J. Moore, 231 Wyatt street, West London, was also struck. The lightning entered the chimney, as in the other case, and smashed it to powder.

Two large holes were torn in the roof, and the side of the house shattered somewhat. There was no person injured, as the family were out at the time.

McCLARYS SUFFERED.

The McClary Manufacturing Company had considerable damage done to its property. The large sign on top of the building was twisted and torn until it is practically of no value.

The cupola was also struck and smashed considerably.

Several sections of the roof were splintered, and some of the smaller chimneys were damaged somewhat.

AT THE ROLLING MILLS.

The lightning played a few tricks with the roof of the London Rolling Mills. The roof is of steel, and the electrical fluid cut a zig-zag course over it.

It ripped over a large section, and crumpled it up like paper. There was no person injured in the building, although there was considerable uneasiness among the employes while the lightning was tearing through the roof.

LONDON ELECTRIC COMPANY.

The London Electric Company had one armature burned out by the storm, but the damage was not so great as they anticipated. They considered themselves most fortunate that it was no worse.

The lightning also burned out the motor of the Tune pop factory on York street.

The wind cut capers with awnings and trees, and every moveable thing in the city.

DAMAGE IS HEAVY.

The damage is difficult to compute, but it is indeed very considerable.

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DEATH WARRANT OF PATRIOTS

An ancient document, which recalls to mind the Papineau-MacKenzie uprising of 1837, has been found at the court house, the interior of which has just been remodelled.

Three men, named in the document, Cunningham, Doan and Perley, were hanged from one of the southwest windows of the court house in 1839.

The men were amongst those who courageously fought for the liberties of Canadians and brought about the system of responsible government enjoyed today. They gave up their lives for the cause, and leave honored names as patriots, whose cry was liberty or death.

Eight or nine men were hanged before the slaughter of patriots was stopped, and the same old building which saw their execution still stands at the corner of Dundas and Ridout streets.

THE DEATH WARRANT.

The document referred to above was the death warrant of the patriots, who opposed the Family Compact, and reads as follows:

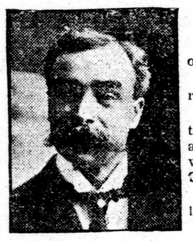
"Government House, 29th January, 1839.

"James Hamilton, Esq., Sheriff, London District, London:

"Sir,—I have the honor to transmit to you, by command of the Lieutenant-Governor, three warrants for the execution, respectively, at London, of Cornelius Cunningham (on Monday, Feb. 4), Joshua Gillam Doan and Amos Perley (on Wednesday, the 6th), pursuant to the sentence of the courtmartial therein stated. His excellency directs that the warrant be publicly read before the prisoners at the time and place of their execution. You will, moreover, have the goodness to acknowledge their receipt by the first post, in order to obviate the necessity of transmitting to you the exemplification usually forwarded in cases like the present. I have the honor to be, sir, your most obedient humble servant, M. MACAULAY."

EX-ALD. COOPER STANDS NEXT IF COUNCIL VACANCY OCCURS

Should Ald. Greenlees Be Named City Treasurer the Old War Horse of Ward Four Would Stand for an Aldermanic Seat.



EX-ALD. COOPER.

Neil Cooper is watching the contest for the city treasurership with more than passing interest.

This is due to the fact that Ald. Greenlees is one o fthe possibilities for the office.

If Ald. Greenlees is appointed he will have to resign.

Mr. Cooper, as thirteenth man on the list will then be named for the vacancy, according to law, and once more the historic walls of the city hall will re-echo with the fervor of the eloquence of the Old War Horse.

It was said this morning that Mr. M. H. Rowland would not seek the position as city treasurer.

It was also rumored that several "dark horses" would probably enter the field.

Westminster Home Was Wrecked By Wind in Wednesday's Storm

A Brick Street House Also Had the Roof Blown Off—Much Damage Reported.

London and vicinity was yesterday treated to a miniature cyclone, and as a result people in all parts of the city and surrounding country are today mourning the loss of house roofs, barns, sheds, fruit and shade trees, and crops of all kinds.

Telephone and telegraph poles were blown down, some clear across the roads.

The storm was at its worst yesterday afternoon between 3 and 4 o'clock, and, while fairly general in character, apparently did the most damage in the Wharncliffe road district between Lambeth and Springbank. Brick street residents, too, were treated to a taste of the cyclone.

Home Suffered.

From various parts of the surrounding county come reports of burned barns, damaged houses and upturned fruit orchards, and near Mount Brydges alone three barns were seen

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Windsor Man Appears Much Married Had a Fondness for London Girls

Wedded Two Sweet Things of This Vicinity—Then Took Another Wife, It's Said.

A Windsor dispatch says: Additional evidence against George Ferguson, who was arrested on the charge of bigamy, leads the police to believe that he has a decided weakness for matrimony, and a preference for London girls. A third woman whom he is alleged to have married has been discovered.

Ferguson, who was employed as a driver for a Windsor bakery, was arrested after an investigation started by his wife, who was formerly Miss Lillie Norish, whom he married last May, and with whom he has been living at a local hotel. She received information that he already had a wife to whom he was married in Lambeth, near London, last January. Since then the police have been investigating further and have discovered another woman, formerly Miss Beattie, of Galt, whom he is alleged to have married before either of the others, and who is now living in London.

The police claim to have identified Ferguson as a former Galt man.

Ferguson was arraigned before Magistrate Bartlett this morning, and elected to be tried before Judge McHugh a week hence.

Shaughnessy May Act as Arbitrator

Montreal, Aug. 12.—A movement is on foot to make Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the C. P. R., the sole arbitrator between the company and the striking mechanics of the road. Sir Thomas has acted a similar capacity before and has given satisfaction. The men here are discussing the proposal and are said to view it favorably.

The Great Priory Elects Officers

Toronto, Aug. 13.—The Sovereign Great Priory of Canada Knights Templar extended a magnificent reception to visitors and ladies at the Alexandra Theatre this morning. Mayor Oliver, of Toronto, who is also a Sir Knight, addressed the meeting, extending an official welcome. Addresses were also delivered by Rev. Dr. Rugg, supreme commander of the grand encampment, and Grand Commander Coleman, of Michigan. The big parade for this afternoon has been called off on account of the weather. Another reception will be held in the armories. Officers elected this morning were: Grand master, A. A. Campoell, London; deputy grand master, L. B. Archibald, Stouffville; grand chancellor, W. H. Whyte, Montreal; grand chaplain, Rev. J. Irving, Vancouver; grand constable, C. H. Collins, Toronto.

SHOT WIFE AND FRIEND.

New York, Aug. 13.—Charged with shooting his wife and Walter Rich, a friend whom he found in his home when he returned unexpectedly last night, Leonard Bendell, of Ogden avenue, the Bronx, was today held, without bail, to await the condition of the victims of the shooting. Rich was shot three times and Mrs. Bendell once, but at the Fordham Hospital today it was stated that she would recover. Bendell refused to make any statement in regard to the matter.

FLYER SPED ON WITHOUT DRIVER

Acc'dent to Engineer Leaves a Fast Train Guideless for Four Miles.

Battle Creek, Mich., Aug. 13. — With Engineer Charles Strang lying injured alongside the track, and the fireman busy at the back of the tender, the Grand Trunk flyer, eastbound, ran four miles yesterday with no guiding hand at the throttle, and with the 200 passengers in the coaches calmly gazing out of the windows, ignorant of the fact that they were riding on a runaway train. Finishing his work on the tender, the fireman returned to the cab to find the engineer's seat vacant. The fireman brought the train to a stop and backed it up until the engineer was found lying beside the track, with his left arm and left leg broken, one shoulder crushed and his skull fractured. It is supposed that the engineer lost his balance in leaning from the window or gangway to look for a hot box. He was taken to Nichols hospital here, where it was said there was a chance that he might recover.

RUSSIA FIRST TO STOP EXECUTIONS

Great Catharine Abolished the Death Penalty for Civil Crime.

Paris, Aug. 13.—The publication of Count Tolstoy's arraignment of the Russian Government's massacres on the scaffold recalls the fact that Russia, of all countries in the world, was the first to abolish the death penalty for civil crime. The great Catharine was moved to this step by reading Beccarias' celebrated work, "Criminals and Punishments." The bullet and the rope are exclusively for political offenders and suspects.

Catharine's example was followed in 1768 by a petty Italian prince. A year later Emperor Joseph II. of Germany and Austria, abolished the death penalty. It was, however, re-established in 1795 by Francis II. In 1848 the German revolutionary government abolished the death penalty and France followed suit. The German rulers, however, re-established the death penalty and so did France in 1858, after Orsini's attempt on Napoleon III.

To this day the law recognizes the death penalty in France, but President Fallieres has never signed a death warrant and has repeatedly declared that he will never do so.

Not a single execution has taken place in Belgium since 1863, though the law permits executions. The new criminal code of Norway makes no mention of the death penalty; it is therefore considered abolished. Neither does the Prince of Monaco permit executions in his tiny territory, for which reason the Goulds escaped the death penalty in the sensational Monte Carlo murder and robbery case some months ago.

LOOKS LIKE MAFIA

Murder Bearing the Marks of Revenge Near New York City.

New York, Aug. 13. — A murder bearing earmarks of Mafia methods was committed in Flatbush last night, when Pietro Bariello, riding a bicycle along Lincoln road, was set upon and shot and stabbed to death. His body when discovered was found to bear four wounds from revolver bullets and knives. Eight men were taken into custody by the Flatbush police, and are being held on suspicion of being concerned in the crime. Another motive than robbery is believed to have prompted the deed, as the man's valuables were not taken from him.

Band Concert.

Bandmaster Slatter announces that, weather permitting, the Seventh Regiment Band will render a programme tonight in Victoria Park. Of course, if the grass is wet and the weather threatening, there will be no concert. An excellent programme has been selected.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND COOLER

FORECASTS.

Moderate to fresh westerly to northerly winds; a few showers, but partly fair.

Friday—Moderate to fresh northwest to north winds; generally fair and a little cooler.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations.	8 a.m.	Min.	Weather.
Calgary	40	40	Fair
Port Arthur	60	54	Cloudy
Winnipeg	48	42	Cloudy
Parry Sound	64	62	Cloudy
Toronto	68	64	Rain
Ottawa	76	64	Cloudy
Montreal	70	66	Cloudy
Quebec	66	62	Cloudy
Father Point	60	58	Rain

The first column in the above table records the temperature at 8 o'clock this morning, and the second column records the minimum temperatures during the 24 hours previous.

WEATHER NOTES.

Since yesterday morning rain has fallen heavily in the Qu Appelle valley and Manitoba, also in Ontario and Quebec. The weather is quite cool in the western provinces, night temperatures being generally below 40.

RAIN BLOCKED MERRYMAKING BUT PETROLEA HAD BIG TIME

Grand Parade of the Old Boys Held Yesterday Morning Finest of Its Kind Ever Held in the Town---Athletic Sports Postponed Until Today.

[By Our Own Man.]

Petrolea, Aug. 12.—There were many thousands of most welcome guests here today for the opening of the Old Boys' reunion, but there was one unwelcome guest, who spoiled what would otherwise have been the greatest day in the history of this town. The rain king took complete control of the town, and made it one of the most miserable imaginable.

The day broke raining, but in the morning it cleared up sufficiently for the parade to be put on.

This was the only feature of the programme to be given, but it showed what the Petrolea Old Boys could do if given the opportunity.

A Fine Parade.

The parade was excellent. The Old Boys turned out in large numbers. Detroit, London, Toronto, Windsor, Sarnia, Strathroy, and other places were represented by former Petrolea citizens.

There was an abundance of music. No less than twelve bands were in the procession, and when the festivities were called off on account of the rain, each made an impromptu programme that added not a little to the pleasure of the occasion.

Many Special Trains.

The visitors began to arrive early. Four special trains were run to Petrolea, one from Sarnia bringing 500 Port Huron and Sarnia Old Boys, together with many from intermediate stations.

Another special train was run from St. Thomas, and it carried 250 former Petrolea residents from the Railroad

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LONDONERS HAD CLOSE CALL IN LAKE AT PORT STANLEY

Mr. Cyrus Edy and Officer High in Seventh Regiment Caught by the Undertow and Compelled to Battle for Their Lives.

Mr. Cyrus W. Edy, the well-known local artist, had, with an officer of the Seventh Regiment, a fearful fight for life in Lake Erie yesterday about noon.

The officer has a cottage at the lakeside and went down for a plunge near the west pier.

The lake was very rough at the time, and he was about to abandon the idea when he noticed a man in a canoe rounding the pier. About two hundred people looked on, expecting every minute to see the tiny craft swamped, and the occupant of it drowned.

The man proved to be Mr. Edy, who is an expert canoeist, and much to the relief of everybody he managed to get the little bark in without an accident.

The Seventh officer and Mr. Edy later, when the lake had quieted somewhat, determined to have a swim, and they started out together.

Both intended going out about one hundred yards, but they were caught by the undertow, and at once a battle for life began.

The waves were rolling in four feet high, and at every stroke the Londoners appeared to be going but further from the shore.

The men were in the water for nearly an hour, and but for the fact that they are both powerful swimmers, they wouuld have been drowned. As it was they reached the beach exhausted.

"I never had such a close call in my life," said the officer to The Advertiser. "I can tell you that I hunted for the bottom twenty times before I got into safe water. Once I felt I was all in, and reached for Mr. Edy, but he was not there, and I renewed my courage and kept on swimming. My advice to Londoners is keep out of the lake."

Wind Razed and Unroofed at Port

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Port Stanley, Aug. 12.—The storm yesterday afternoon was very severe in this locality. The wind resembled a cyclone and fences and small buildings were blown in all directions.

Two barns north of here were blown completely down, and it is reported that several other barns have been unroofed. The details have not yet come to hand.

A large section of the roof of the power house here was blown off and the machinery was damaged considerably.

The lake was very rough.

"Bobs" Is Pleased With Our Militia

Ottawa, Aug. 12.—The militia department here has received the following, which was sent by Earl Grey to the colonial office and given out for publication in England. "Following for His Majesty the King, 'Have the honor to forward to your majesty the following opinion from Lord Roberts with regard to today's review at Quebec: 'The review this morning was a great success. The troops looked well and I was much impressed with the precision, order and organization generally; there were about 12,000 men under arms, and there was no hitch anywhere. Canada appears to me to be dealing adequately with the problems affecting her militia, and with care and improved organization to be building up a very useful force.'"

Police Are Hot on Trail of Thief

Mr. E. R. Poole, the local liveryman, left today for Port Burwell, where he expects to discover some trace of the horse and buggy which he lost recently, when Jack Smith decamped from town, supposedly taking with him everything that he could find lying loose around a certain Pottersburg hotel.

The hotel burglary is a county case, but the theft of the horse and buggy belongs to the city police.

The Woodstock Sentinel-Review prints a story to the effect that Mr. Poole's horse and buggy had been found near Port Burwell, and that the London police had been notified of the fact.

When questioned today the London authorities denied having been notified of the fact. It has been learned, however, that Smith or some other man attempted to dispose of Mr. Poole's horse and rig at Port Burwell, but was unsuccessful.

Inquiry at Mr. Poole's place of business today elicited the fact that while the horse and rig have not yet been located, the police and Mr. Poole are hot on the trail of it, and expect to make the capture before night.

A Toronto Visitor Is Complimentary

Mayor Stevely this morning received a letter from Mr. Geo. J. Bryan, of Toronto, a visitor in London during the recent Old Boys' reunion, in which he says many complimentary things of the city.

He spoke of the absence of slums, and of the fact that the workingmen of the city largely owned their own homes. Every house had spacious grounds, and this fact appealed strongly to him. He also spoke of the magnificent trees of the city, and thought that the citizens of London should be very proud of their beautiful city.

Mr. Bryan had one criticism to offer. He declared that one might drive over the entire city and never know on what street he was traveling. Not a street was designated, and few of the houses were numbered. He thought that this should not be, and he hoped that when he visited the city again, the streets would be so named that a visitor driving about the streets might at least know where he was going.

His Worship thought the suggestion a timely one, and will bring the matter to the attention of the council.

Windsor Band.

The band of the Twenty-first Essex Fusiliers, of Windsor, gave a concert on the G. T. R. platform here last night on their way home from the Petrolea Old Boys' reunion.

You will be "on the job" bright and early every morning if you eat

KORN-KINKS

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The only Malted Corn Flakes.

Transmission Contracts Not Awarded

Toronto. Aug. 12. — It was stated today that the Government is considering the extension of the proposed Niagara power line east of Toronto to Whitby, Bowmanville, Port Hope, Cobourg and other points. In consequence the hydro-electric commission did not award the contract for the building of the transmission lines.

Mr. F. H. McGuigan, who is said to be the successful tenderer, said that he would be willing to build the additional lines at the same rate per mile providing the work was begun within a reasonable time.

The Sir Knights Gather at Toronto

Toronto, Aug. 12.—About 300 sir knights arrived in the city this morning for the 25th sovereign great priory. Many of the uniformed corps came from New York State, those from Buffalo and Rochester presenting a most imposing appearance as they marched through the streets headed by bands. This afternoon a reception will be tendered to the sir knights and ladies at the King Edward Hotel. In the evening a sail on the lake will be had on the Cayuga, being tendered by the local members to the visiting sir knights. Tomorrow morning a formal reception will be held at the Royal Alexandra Theatre, where the great priory is holding its sessions. In the afternoon there will be a parade.

"Gov't for the People" Bryan's Cry

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 12.—"Recognizing that I am indebted for my nomination to the rank and file of our party, and that my election must come, if it comes at all, from the unpurchased and unpurchasable suffrages of the American people, I promise, if intrusted with the responsibilities of this high office, to consecrate whatever ability I have to the one purpose of making this in fact a government in which the people rule—a government which will do justice to all, and offer to everyone the highest possible stimulus to great and persistent effort by assuring to each the enjoyment of his just share of the proceeds of his toil, no matter in what part of the vineyard he labors, or to what occupation, profession or calling he devotes himself."

Thus spoke William J. Bryan this afternoon in accepting the nomination as the candidate of the Democratic party for the presidency of the United States.

Lincoln was greatly decorated for the notification ceremonies, which were held on the grounds of the state capitol, where thousands had called.

Mr. Bryan in his speech announced his allegiance to the Denver platform in whole and in part, and laid the blame for the non-enforcement of the laws on the President.

FOUR LONDONERS STRUCK

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It is very great throughout the belt along the lake shore. The corn crop is pounded almost into the ground in Elgin County, and in other sections. While the damage to this crop will amount to a great deal, the other crops did not suffer to any very great extent.

The large proportion of the oat crop is cut, and in shock, and while it will take some days to dry, the damage will not be as large as if the crop had been standing.

Cattle Killed.

Trees were torn up, fences uprooted, and roofs of barns blown off. It is reported that several cattle were struck by lightning in West Middlesex, but this could not be confirmed.

In Petrolea the storm created much havoc with the Old Boys' reunion celebration.

The lightning struck a hotel barn, and the wind tore up a number of derricks. Many costumes were ruined, and altogether it was a bad day.

Bell Telephone Company.

The Bell Telephone Company was greatly inconvenienced, and their wires were badly tangled in some sections, and 'phones were burnt out.

The fire alarm system, in South London particularly, was put out of business.

Assistant Chief Aikens went over the line this morning with the men, and it took him a quite a time to straighten out the tangles.

The telegraph companies were also inconvenienced somewhat, although their wires were not so badly affected as at first reported.

Houses Blown Down.

In the East End there was a great deal of damage done. Twi houses in the course of construction on Pegler street, owned by Mr. E. H. Johnston, the lawyer, of 87½ Dundas street, were blown completely down. They were ready for roofing, and the loss will be considerable. A large number of trees were broken down, and a number of smaller buildings badly wrecked.

At Belmont.

The house of M. E. McCuiner, a blacksmith, of Belmont, was struck by lightning during yesterday's storm and the chimney was knocked off. The roof was also damaged, but nobody was hurt. The family were in the house at the time.

WESTMINSTER HOUSE WRECKED

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burning, having been struck by lightning.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. James McGregor, on the Wharncliffe road, between Lambeth and Springbank, was severely damaged by the windstorm yesterday afternoon.

A large portion of the house roof was blown off, and the rain poured into the opening and destroyed much valuable furniture.

Twenty-two fruit trees were torn up by the roots and blown a distance of 30 feet, and the barns and other outbuildings damaged more or less.

So far as can be learned, no one was injured, however.

Road Blocked.

Near Lambeth the road was completely blocked last night by fallen telephone poles and trees, and it was some time before the way could be cleared of the tangled wires and branches.

The barns of Mr. John Norton and Mr. John Curtis, Brick street, Westminster, lost their roofs, and the orchards were badly damaged.

Several acres of corn in this vicinity were almost totally destroyed. The corn crops had just begun to straighten up from the effects of the recent hailstorm, and there is little hope entertained that any of the corn blown down can be saved.

The Damage.

The sole topic of discussion on the market today was the damage done by the storm, and almost every farmer present suffered loss in some manner or another. Some lost fruit trees, others lost the roofs and shingles of their barns; still others sustained loss by overturned chimneys or blown down windmills, and many lost a large portion of their corn and fruit crops.

"It was one of the worst windstorms I have seen in years," said one farmer, "and I hope we don't have another one like it around here again."

The most fortunate feature of the storm in the country districts, at least, was the apparent total absence of personal injuries, no one, so far as could be learned, having been injured.

THE DUNDAS METHODISTS

The Methodist of Dundas, Ont., are arranging to celebrate the 75th anniversary of the founding of their Sabbath school on Sept. 6 and 7, Sunday and Labor Day. The church in Dundas was among the first of the denomination in that part of the old province of Canada West, or Upper Canada, now known as the Niagara peninsula, and its Sabbath school is one of the pioneer schools of Ontario. It was founded in 1832-33 by Benjamin Spencer, uncle of Prof. J. W. Spencer, the well-known American geologist, who is an old Dundas boy, and at one time member of the Methodist body there.

The officials are compiling a historical souvenir booklet, and are sending invitations to ex-scholars, who are now scattered all over the world. It is proposed to have a reunion of Dundas old boys and old girls of the Methodist persuasion on the above date.

Among the historical institutions which at one time flourished in connection with the church there were the Wesleyan College, which numbered among its students Hon. Clifford Sifton and Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir, the lieutenant-governor of British Columbia. The late B. B. Osler was director of this college.

The present superintendent of the school, who, though quite young, has held office for 23 years, is W. A. Davidson, Dundas, a member of the firm of Grafton & Co., Limited. He and his staff are endeavoring to locate as many of the former Methodist residents of Dundas as possible. The celebration will doubtless prove an interesting one.

ANARCHISTS IN CONVENTION.

London, Aug. 13.—A conference of the Russian Revolutionists and Nihilists has been proceeding with the greatest secrecy in London for the past twelve days, according to the Daily Mail. The meeting is being held in an obscure hall at Nottinghill near the west end of Hyde Park, and the strictest precautions are adopted by the delegates to the conference to prevent the approach of suspects.

The first consignments of new wheat reached Winnipeg Monday.

HOW C. P. R. GOT ONE ON STRIKERS

Bought Land Around Shops and Put Up "No Trespassing" Signs.

THE STRIKE-BREAKERS' TRAINS

Are Guarded by Squads of Armed Constables—More Men Taken On at Montreal.

Montreal, Aug. 12.—As a result of a slick move made by the Canadian Pacific Company this morning, when the pickets appointed by the strikers to stand at the gates of the Angus shops and warn off all applicants for work, reached the vacant lots through which they made their way to the Frontenac street gate, they found the fence lined with signs stating that trespassing was not allowed, and a big line of special constables in readiness to see that the men gave heed to the warning. The company had quietly bought the Nolan farm which adjoins the company's property on the east and have thereby forced the men to keep a long distance away from the plant on that side and to go a long way around in order to reach the Nolan street gate instead of taking the usual short cut through the Nolan property.

The company is taking no chances with the men. Those who are working at the shops are taken to work and brought home each day on special trains, which are guarded by strong squads of constables armed with night sticks and revolvers.

A few men were taken on this morning. Messrs. McNichol and Vauhan visited the works this morning. They drove through the gathering of strikers outside the gates in an automobile without molestation.

In the annual statement of the Canadian Pacific Railway, just issued, may be found the reason why the company has decided to fight against higher wages or shorter hours. It showed a decrease of over $900,000 in gross revenue and an increase of over $2,000,000 in operating expenses.

Most of the increase in expenses is due to the wage list, and the officials of the company say that if it were to go on the stability of the company's dividend would be threatened—a serious matter for a young company that has to go to the market for new capital from time to time. There was only one other alternative, and that was to have a more uniform scale of wages, and in order to get it to fight the unions.

Toronto, Aug. 12.—Still another lot of strikebreakers from Toronto were run into the C. P. R. yards at West Toronto this morning.

They numbered about twenty. Quite a few are Englishmen and some are Canadians. No Italians were in the gang.

The men were brought up from the Union Station by train, and had been hired at the new C. P. R. employment agency.

Work or Starve.

Most of the men are young and seem to have been on their uppers for some time. They do not relish taking the places of the strikers, but they say it a choice between that and starving.

"I want to eat, and unless I work I can't eat," said one of the newcomers. "I can't get other work downtown, and I haven't money to go out west for the harvest, so what is a poor, hungry chap to do?"

And this poor fellow's experience was by no means unique.

There was one blacksmith in the lot and one pipefitter. The others could hardly be classed as skilled labor.

Marshalled by two special constables they were brought into General Foreman Dixon's office, and there that official received the men, questioned them as to their ability, and assigned them to their work. As soon as they were registered they went to work, and seemed eager to get at it.

"Are they useful men—good mechanics?"

"Fairly good, I think." Mr. Dixon thought they would be able to do repair work all right.

Over 100 Men Now.

It is estimated that the C. P. R. has now over 100 men at work in the roundhouse and the shops, which the strikers had left silent.

About half a dozen men are at work under Foreman Nicholls, in the blacksmith shop.

There was a rumor about town last night that the strikers were to be paid off by the company today. The men have a month's wages due them, and they would like to get their checks, but there was no evidence today of their arrival. They will probably have to wait for another week, for pay day is on the 20th.

Engines Kept in Condition.

The strikers have been hoping that the engineers would object to taking out engines not in good condition. General Foreman Dixon said today that there was no ground for a kick from the drivers.

"We are keeping the engines in good shape. We have enough men to make the repairs on them," he said.

At the union headquarters the press committee refused to give out any information.

They would not even hand out the daily bulletin from strike headquarters at Winnipeg, which is supposed to cover the strike situation from coast to coast.

Union officials have cautioned the men against talking about the strike and newspaper men are not allowed above the stairway that leads to their meeting-room.

YOU MUST BE GOOD.

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 12. — Toronto authorities apparently are against city excursions on Sundays. The owners of one of the big sight-seeing coaches was fined $10 in police court this morning for doing business on Sunday.

REFUSE TO SHOULDER PROMISSORY NOTES

Sovereign Shareholders Object to Paying Losses Through Them.

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 12. — Former directors of the Sovereign Bank, against whom action was brought by Curator W. E. Stavert, refuse to shoulder the loss of amount of promissory notes held against them, without a struggle. This morning an ex-parte order was obtained from Master-in-Chambers Cartwright for leave to serve a third party notice, adding the Sovereign Bank as third party.

D. A. Campbell is defendant in a suit brought by Mr. Stavert to recover $59,598, alleged to be due on a promissory note. James McPhee is defendant in a similar suit for $26,488. Donald and Donald D. McMillan are defendants in a suit for $33,110. These defendants seek to have the assets of the bank made liable for these notes.

FUNERALS OF CHATHAM VICTIMS

Took Place Yesterday Morning —Large Crowds and Many Floral Tributes.

Chatham, Ont.,Aug. 12.—The funeral of Mike and Jim Pleasance, sons of John Pleasance, proprietor of the Hotel Rankin, who were killed in the C., W. and L. E. Railway wreck Monday, took place at 9 this morning to St. Joseph's Church, and thence to St. Anthony's Cemetery.

The funeral of Frank Donovan took place one hour later, to the same destination

The church and its vicinity were crowded with citizens, and both the funerals were very largely attended.

Dozens of floral tributes testified to the sympathy extended to the bereaved relatives by friends.

The funeral of William Bromehead, the other dead victim of the wreck, will take place this afternoon at 2. The Sons of England will officiate at Mr. Bromehead's funeral.

SONS OF ENGLAND IN CONVENTION

Refuse to Grant Sick Benefits Until Ill More Than Ten Days.

Hamilton, Ont., Aug. 12. — At the convention of the Sons of England Society here this morning, James Lomas, Toronto, one of the eight founders of the order 34 years ago, was present, and was accorded a hearty reception. The business done was mostly routine. The delegates refuse to grant sick benefits till the illness was more than ten days' duration. They also decided that there should be no sick benefits paid to members who took ill within four weeks after their reinstatement in the order. It is expected that there will be a hot discussion over the new beneficiary rates, and the establishment of provincial grand lodges. This afternoon the delegates went for a trip through the Niagara fruit belt. The officers will be elected towards the close of the convention.

WESTERNER TAKES A LONDON BRIDE

Mr. D. W. Gibson Wedded to Miss Lottie Alexander.

A very pretty wedding took place on Wednesday evening at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Boss, 802 Waterloo street, when Miss Lottie Alexander was united in marriage to Mr. D. W. Gibson, of Moosejaw, Sask. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. C. Beer.

The bride, who was given away by her father, looked beautiful in a silk gown trimmed with lace, carrying a shower bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. She entered promptly at 8 o'clock to the strains of the Wedding March, played by Miss Hattie Coulthard, of Buffalo.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Maud, who carried a bouquet of pink roses and sweet peas.

The groom's gift to the bride was a beautiful gold watch, and to the bridesmaid a sunburst of pearls. The groom was assisted by Mr. A. E. Horwood of Winnipeg.

The young couple received many beautiful presents, which showed the high esteem in which they are held.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibson left on the 10.25 train amid showers of congratulations After visiting friends in Buffalo and Detroit, they will return to London for a short stay, after which they will leave for Moosejaw, where they will reside.

DEPENDS UPON U. S.

London, Aug. 13. — A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from the Hague says that definite action by the Government of the Netherlands regarding the dispute with Venezuela will chiefly depend upon the attitude of the United States which will probably be favorable to the Netherlands.

Leslie Whiting, a G. T. P. machinist at Port Arthur, was drowned from a canoe in the Kam.

The appointment of Sir. L. Jette to the bench is again reported.

Robert Allan, aged 20, of Keewatin, was drowned from his canoe.

A branch of the Imperial Bank is being opened at Michel under the management of T. B. Baker.

Ed. Morrison, who comes from Cornwall, Ont., was drowned in Brokenhead River, near Beausejour, Man.

WEATHER PROBS: Showery.

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To insure this early delivery our orders were placed on all staple lines for fall months ago and are now opened up ready for selling, and all are marked at original prices which prevailed before the advance in the silk market two years ago. We mention some of these today. Make comparison. Out-of-town customers, write for samples.

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BLACK CHIFFON TAFFETA—Our special, 75c yard. 1,100 yards, new stock, direct importation, absolutely guaranteed. This we consider the most attractive value ever offered by this store in Black Chiffon Taffeta Dress Silk. Two years' constant selling under a guarantee with satisfactory results is our experience with this silk. Marked at a special price it has stood the test of time. Yard ..... 75¢

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Erin ..... Oct. 15, 16	
Exeter ..... Sept. 21, 22	
Freelton ..... Oct. 7, 8	
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Forest ..... Sept. 30, Oct. 1	
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Gravenhurst ..... Oct. 1, 2	
Galt ..... Oct. 1, 2	
Hamilton (Wentworth Park) Sept.17,18	
Houghton ..... Oct. 6	
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Highgate ..... Oct. 9, 10	
Harrow ..... Oct. 5, 6	
Ilderton ..... Sept. 25	
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Lion's Head ..... Oct. 1, 2	
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Meaford ..... Sept. 24, 25	
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Mitchell ..... Sept. 15. 16	
Morrisburg ..... Sept. 1, 2, 3	
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Thamesville ..... Oct. 5, 6, 7	
Tweed ..... Oct. 1	
Thedford ..... Oct. 6, 7	
Tavistock ..... Sept. 21, 22	
Tillsonburg ..... Sept. 29 and 30	
Teeswater ..... Oct. 6 and 7	
Tiverton ..... Oct. 6	
Underwood ..... Oct. 13	
Winchester ..... Sept. 8 and 9	
Walter's Falls ..... Sept. 29 and 30	
Wingham ..... Sept. 24 and 25	

ARRESTED AS SPY

Teutonic Accent Causes Dentist Kabell Koe's Arrest in Ireland.

London, Aug. 10.—Carl Kabell, a Chicagoan, is the latest victim of England's fear of German invasion. He was arrested in the north of Ireland and subjected to delays and rigid investigation on suspicion that he was a German spy.

Mr. Kabell is of German extraction and bears much resemblance to the inhabitants of the fatherland. He is a dentist in Chicago and was spending his annual vacation in tramping over the country. His Teutonic appearance and his accent caused suspicion on the part of officials, and at Ballyshannon, almost the first town he visited on his tour, he was arrested, but released soon after.

At the next town the same experience was repeated, and then Mr. Kabell decided to leave Ireland to escape further troubles.

Tells Story of Arrests.

Mr. Kabell today related the story of his experiences as follows:

"I came over from America to London derry to pass my vacation as usual in walking. At Ballyshannon, which I entered towards evening, dressed in an ordinary walking suit with a knapsack on my back, I noted that I was an object of surveillance. The next morning, just as I was about to climb into the hotel bus to go down to the train, a detective arrested me. I was taken into the hotel and rigidly questioned. My American passport and letter of credit got me free, but I missed my train.

"I then started across the country afoot, finding myself curiously observed by peasants. Hardly had I entered the next town before I was arrested again. 'What in the name of common sense is the matter with you people up here?' I asked. The only answer was that my resemblance to certain persons for whom they were looking was striking. Again my passport and letter of credit secured my release, but only after much delay and trouble.

Decides to Leave Ireland.

"I decided that walking in Ireland wasn't good this year and I headed for Great Britain. On seeking an explanation in Dublin the Irish told me that they 'had too many police in Ireland and that they got wise and busy with any stranger who happened along and didn't look dangerous.'

"However, after reaching England and reading Lord Cromer's war scare speech in the House of Lords, and seeing the reports and questions addressed to Earl Grey in the House of Commons about German spies swarming in the British coast cities, I realized that my German face and accent had got me into trouble. I have found that Englishmen were apprehensive in regard to Count Zeppelin's airship and that they breathed a sigh of relief when it was destroyed.

"Knowing the pacific nature of the German people, I was astonished to see men high in authority in England and newspapers like the Manchester Guardian joining in the cry raised by the socialist, Henry M. Hyndman, who says in the Clarion this week that war with Germany will come inside of six years."

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Births, Marriages and Deaths.

DEATHS.

McINTYRE—In this city, on Aug. 12, 1908, Catherine, widow of late David C. McIntyre, in her 60th year.

Funeral from residence of her brother, Mr. Peter McBane, lot 2, con. 6, Lobo Township, on Friday, Aug. 14, at 2:30 p.m., services at 2 p.m.

Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. 31u

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DESIRABLE NEW TWO-STORY BRICK —Double parlors, dining-room, kitchen, four bedrooms and den, modern conveniences. 318 Oxford street. 27n

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TO LET — HOUSE, NO. 422 YORK street; all modern conveniences. Apply 429 King street, or Purdom Hardware Company. 17tf

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FOR SALE—NEW COTTAGE, ON monthly payments, with payment down. Apply 87½ Dundas street. 27c-tyw

FOR SALE—A NEW RED BRICK house, large verandah, parlor, sitting-room, den, dining-room, kitchen and large pantry, hardwood floor first floor, four bedrooms, separate bathroom and closet, hard and soft hot and cold water, excellent furnace, laundry and fruit cellar, large lawn front and back, every convenience possible to make a home complete. Will sell cash or time. Enquire of owner, on premises. E. W. Exley, 265 Piccadilly street. 27tf-tyw

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SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED TO the undersigned, and indorsed "Tender for Public Building, Welland, Ont.," will be received at this office until 4 p.m. on Monday, Aug. 24, 1908, for the construction of a building for postoffice, etc., Welland, Ont.

Plans and specification can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this department and on application to the postmaster at Welland, Ont.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, made payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10%) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender. By order,

R. C. DESROCHERS, Assistant Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, Aug. 5, 1908.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

TENDERS FOR STEEL RAILS AND FASTENINGS

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned, and marked on the envelope "Tender for Steel Rails," and "Tender for Rail Fastenings," respectively, will be received at the office of the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway at Ottawa until 12 o'clock noon of the 1st day of September, 1908, for forty-four thousand four hundred and forty-seven (44,447) gross tons of eighty-pound (80-lb) steel rails (open hearth or Bessemer, at the option of the Commissioners), and the necessary fastenings, in strict accordance with the specifications of the Commissioners.

Tenders must be made on the forms supplied by the Commissioners, which, as well as the specifications, may be obtained on application to Hugh D. Lumsden, chief engineer, Ottawa, Ont.

Full information in regard to deliveries, and also as to the other conditions on which tenders are to be made, can be had on application to the chief engineer.

Each tender must be signed and sealed by all the parties to the tender, and witnessed, and be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank of the Dominion of Canada, payable to the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway, for a sum equal to five per cent (5%) of the amount of the tender.

Cheques deposited by parties whose tenders are rejected will be returned within ten days after the signing of the contract.

The right is reserved to reject any or all tenders. By order,

P. E. RYAN, Secretary.

The Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway.

Dated at Ottawa, 30th July, 1908.

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Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned and indorsed "Tenders for Public Building, Glencoe, Ont.," will be received at this office until 4:00 p.m., on Tuesday, Aug. 25, 1908, for the construction of a public building at Glencoe, Ont.

Plans and specification can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this department and at the postoffice, Glencoe, Ont.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted check on a chartered bank, made payable to the order of the honorable the minister of public works, equal to ten per cent (10 p.c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the check will be returned.

The department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order, R. C. DESROCHERS, Asst. Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, Aug. 11, 1908.

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TENDERS WANTED

WESTERN FAIR SUPPLIES.

To be delivered from Sept. 1-10 and during fair week. Tenders will be received up to Saturday, Aug. 22, 2 p.m. Specifications may be seen at secretary's office. 1. Six tons more or less steam lump coal to be delivered at fair grounds as required. 2. Forty tons more or less wheat straw, half baled and half loose. 3. Prices for hay, oats, chop and other kinds of feed required for use of exhibitors. Jas. H. Brown, superintendent. A. M. Hunt, secretary. 31u-wt

TENDERS WANTED

Tenders will be received by the undersigned for the following repairs to St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church:

1. Painting exterior of church and manse.
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CONCRETE FLOOR

Tenders for a reinforced concrete floor on bridge across Wharncliffe road near Elmwood avenue will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock on Monday, Aug. 17. Chas. Talbot, county engineer. A. O. Graydon, city engineer. 31c

DENTAL CARDS.

Dr. S. M. Thomas

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252½ Dundas Street. Phone 2085.

DR. G. H. KENNEDY, DENTIST—Specialty, preservation natural teeth. 168½ Dundas. Phone 976.

DR. BENTLEY, DENTIST, OVER Sovereign Bank, Dundas and Adelaide. Phone 2463.

WOOLVERTON & BROWN, DENTISTS, 218 Dundas street, over Cairncross & Lawrence. Phone 822.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY W. H. Bartram, 99 Dundas street.

STOCKBROKERS.

FOR SALE—LONDON STREET RAILWAY shares. John Wright, stockbroker, 437 Richmond street, London, Ont. Phone 693.

SLAP AT ROOSEVELT

President Termed Disloyal and Unreliable by Writer.

Berlin, Aug. 11.—Otto von Nottberg, formerly the New York correspondent of the Berliner Lokal Anzeiger, and now one of the Lokal Anzeiger's managing directors, has published a pamphlet entitled "Theodore Roosevelt," showing the president in an unfavorable light.

The author's purpose is "to show the real Roosevelt as against the legendary Roosevelt." The president is called an average man without peculiar talents, disloyal to his former friends after having exploited them—a primitive man with an undue inclination for the merely animal manifestation of manhood—one who values muscles higher than intellect.

His acts, the author continues, are prompted merely by temporary impulses and are unreliable. In his innermost heart, says Von Nottberg, Roosevelt is a raving socialist, while he poses as the originator of the ten commandments.

"Mr. Roosevelt was, moreover, greatly responsible for the Spanish-American war," concludes the writer, "through his jingo conduct when assistant secretary of the navy."

The pamphlet is widely read and visibly influences public opinion.

During the last 12 months there were 186 children injured by vehicles in the streets of New York City, and 97 of them were killed.

New York City has one public park that is 250 years old, and that is Bowling Green, which was the playground of the first Dutch settlers.

Manhattan's postoffice has larger receipts than any other postoffice in the world for the amount of territory covered. The receipts promise to amount to more than $18,000,000 this year.

Antwerp and Amsterdam have the best health records of all European cities.

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H. M. TAYLOR, EXPERT HAIRDRESSER. Combings made up. 169 Dundas street. Phone 3336.

HOTEL CARDS.

METROPOLITAN HOTEL—$1 AND UPWARDS. Dundas and Wellington. Wm. J. Wright, proprietor.

LONDON HOUSE — REMODELLED throughout. Rates, $1 25 and up. W. S. Lashbrook, proprietor.

DOMINION HOUSE, ADJOINING Grand Trunk Railway station, London. J. J. Cox, proprietor.

HOTEL HARRISON—$1 AND UPWARD. Harrison Bros., proprietors. King and Talbot streets.

DUKE OF YORK HOTEL, 625 DUNDAS street—Remodelled. Rates, $1 and upwards. Frank McLean, proprietor.

HOTEL WINDSOR, OPPOSITE MARKET, London—Rates, $1 to $1 25. Charles James.

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN—LOWEST RATES, no commission; easy terms of payment. Call or write P. H. Bartlett, barrister, etc., 59 Dundas street.

PRIVATE FUNDS AT LOWEST RATES —M. P. McDonagh, barrister, 418 Talbot.

MONEY TO LOAN AT LOWEST RATES —Knott & Sangster, real estate brokers, Room 101, Masonic Temple.

PRIVATE FUNDS TO LOAN ON MORTGAGES on real estate. Macpherson & Perrin, 57 Dundas street.

PRIVATE AND TRUST FUNDS TO loan at 4¾ to 5½% on real estate security; sums to suit; no commission charged. T. W. Scandrett, solicitor, 93 Dundas.

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LONDON, THURSDAY, AUG 13.

A DOUBLE GAME

The plan of campaign against the Laurier Government presents contradictory features, having one thing in common—an appeal to race and creed bigotry.

The Opposition in Saskatchewan is again making the school clauses of the autonomy bill a ground of attack. In Ontario the Laurier Government will be assailed on the same side, with the new Tory champion, the Toronto News, in the van. In both these provinces the administration will be charged with playing into the hands of the Roman Catholic hierarchy. In Quebec, on the other hand, the Premier will be branded as a traitor to his race and religion. Already the fires of religious prejudice are being lighted. The chief incendiary is, of course, Mr. Bourassa. His paper, Le Nationaliste, had the bad distinction of denouncing English participation in the Quebec fetes. It characterized these as an imperial masquerade, contrived by Lord Grey, with a brutal disregard of French-Canadian sentiment, and it accused Sir Wilfrid of "outraging the feelings" of his compatriots.

La Verite, "L'Action Sociale," and other Bleu newspapers rail at the school legislation of the Laurier Government, and an organization has been formed, calling itself the Association Catholique de la Jeunesse Canadienne-Francaise, which under the cloak of religion is really an instrument of the Conservative party. It threw its energies against the Gouin Government because of the latter's progressive educational policy, and its speakers denounce at every meeting the settlement of the school questions in Manitoba and the Northwest.

The Hamilton Herald puts the case in a nutshell when it says: "The strong probability is, that while the Premier is being assailed in Ontario as a reactionary, subject to clerical domination, he will be attacked in his own province for being a Modernist, a tool of the Orangeists, and goodness knows what besides. However, it will not be the first time in his political career that the Premier has been between two fires."

SCOTTISH AGRICULTURISTS HERE

The Scottish agricultural commission is due to arrive at Rimouski today, and will remain in this country until Oct. 2.

The commission is composed of agricultural professors, landlords, farm managers and farmers drawn from widely different districts of Scotland, and is highly representative.

In 1904 the commission visited Denmark, and two years later toured Ireland. Subsequently a most comprehensive report was issued and distributed extensively throughout Scotland, being very favorably commented on by the press of that country. Besides this, several members of the commission delivered lectures in different parts of Scotland on what they had seen during these trips.

Their purpose in visiting Canada is to study land settlement, the constitution and operations of the ministry of agriculture, agricultural education and research, epexrimental farms, live stock, mixed farming, wheat farming, dairying, ranching, fruit and vegetable farming, agricultural co-operation, transit, cold storage, markets, etc.

In more than one of these subjects the commissioners will no doubt learn something in Canada, especially as their itinerary includes all the provinces. It is their intention on returning home to follow the course they took after their Danish and Irish visits—to impart by means of lecture and pamphlets to their fellow-countrymen such knowledge of the Dominion as they may have gained during their tour. Thus they may serve the purpose of immigration agents in one of the best fields in the world, for no people make better settlers than the Scots.

After spending a couple of weeks in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Quebec, the commissioners will come to Ontario, where they will remain one week. They will then proceed to Winnipeg, and from there to Vanocuver, visiting the principal points en route.

The commissioners will be accompanied on thier tour by a representative of the immigration department, and by one or more officials of the department of agriculture, and may rely on a hearty welcome from Canadians generally.

A MANITOBA LAND DEAL.

Manitoba papers are devoting considerable space to discussion of a land deal in which Mr. Hugh Armstrong, a member of the Legislature of that province, is concerned. It seems the Roblin Government some time ago made a sale of upwards of 80,386 acres of provincial lands to a Portage la Prairie syndicate, of which Mr. Armstrong is a director. This syndicate is known as the Western Wheat Lands Timber Company, capitalized at $1,000,000 represented by 1,000,000 shares of $1 each, the evident object being to purchase these Government lands and to sell them again at a profit.

According to statements made in the press the deal was secretly made between a Mr. Richardson, representing the syndicate, the members of which are political friends of the present Manitoba Government, and Mr. Roblin, as provincial lands commissioner. An option was granted the syndicate on the lands, which, instead of being sold by public auction, as they should have been, were transferred by private negotiation. The prospectus says that of the million shares, representing the capital of the company, 233,000 were issued to the original owners of the land, 3,000 were issued for cash, and 200,000 were offered in the London market, leaving 564,000 available for future use. The price alleged to have been paid for the land was a little more than $3 an acre. According to the prospectus an option was given to another company, allowing it to purchase 20,000 acres of the land at $9 per acre; a second lot of 20,000 acres at $14 per acre, and a third lot of 20,000 acres at $17 per acre, or a total of $800,000 for 60,000 acres. It is further stated in the prospectus that the price of good agricultural land in Manitoba ranges from $12 50 to $25 per acre, and as all this land appears to be good agricultural land it will readily be seen what a splendid thing these favorites of the Roblin Government have secured.

Mr. Ames, M. P., of Montreal, who during the recent session of the Dominion Parliament displayed such a taste for scandal-hunting, and is now in the west conducting a little political campaign of his own, with the aid of lantern slides, is being urged by the Liberal press to make this deal form a subject of platform discussion during his tour, but as yet he has made no change in his programme.

THE ELECTION TOMORROW.

The second election in the new Province of Saskatchewan takes place tomorrow.

The Conservative party is masquerading under the name of the Provincial Rights party, which is only one of the many evidences of insincerity in Mr. Haultain's campaign.

He makes an issue of the school question, although the present system is one which was framed by his own administration when he was premier of the territories, and which he eulogized as the best in the Dominion. He attacks the provisions of the autonomy bill, by which the Province is given a yearly grant of money in lieu of the lands; yet Mr. Haultain is on record, in black and white, as saying, before the bill was introduced, that the money plan was the better one. Moreover the Conservative Government of Manitoba has only recently demanded to be treated like Saskatchewan, and given money instead of land in the new territory to be added to Manitoba by the boundary settlement. The Scott Government takes the view that a cash grant is preferable because it relieves the Province of the cost of administering the lands, and of carrying on the immigration propaganda, both of which services can be performed more efficiently by the federal authorities.

There are a number of minor campaign issues, which are purely local in interest. One of these is the tax of one cent per acre imposed for school purposes. It is designed to make the speculators, who are holding great tracts of land, contribute to the cost of education, but the Opposition raises the cry of direct taxation.

The administrative record of the Government, however, seems to be impregnable, and the Opposition has chosen to lay the main emphasis upon the enactments of the federal Parliament.

One drawback of these Old Boy reunions is the quantity of alleged poetry they provoke.

Another rich find is reported from Cobalt. Of late there has been a healthy tendency in Cobalt to work the mines rather than the public.

The public men of Canada do not circulate outside their own provinces as much as they might. For instance, a tour of Ontario by Mr. Bourassa and a series of addresses in Quebec by Dr. Sproule, would add to the interest of politics and demonstrate the consistency of the Conservative party.

An increase of 95 per cent in one year in Canadian tonnage passing through the canals of the great lakes is a justification of the money spent on these waterways, and for spending more to perfect the system. The only question is, Which is the best of the schemes now before the public? It looks as though a new Welland Canal offers the greatest benefits.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier is taking a week's holidays, the first in a year. It is not an enforced vacation, either, as the Premier has learned the art of conserving his health, and is working harder than ever. The President of the United States, by reason of the separation of the executive and the legislative branches, has a much easier time and more leisure than the Premier of Canada, who must be a slave to his duties.

FOLLOWING HIS THOUGHTS.

[Punch.]

Elderly Bore—"Your face awakes a memory. When I look at you my thoughts are taken far, far away!"

She—"How I long to follow them!"

FASHIONS REVERSED.

[Judge.]

Mabel—"How do you like my new gown, grandmamma?"

Grandmamma—"I don't. In my day girls wore one button gloves and gowns buttoned up to the neck. Now they wear one-button gowns and gloves that buttoned up to the neck."

GRATEFUL MEN.

[Catholic Standard.]

"No," said the tiresome man, "I never knew a woman who could tell a story well. Most women appreciate that fact and don't try—"

"Yes," interrupted the bored one, "and most of the men appreciate it, too."

THE ALL-RED.

[Victoria Colonist.]

Addressing the Halifax Canadian Club, Lord Lovat declared that nothing proposed in recent years has commended itself to the British public like the All-Red line proposal. This is more than interesting. It is corroborative testimony as to the wisdom of those in Canada who have stuck to the enterprise through good and evil report. And then, again, it is comforting to know that the masses in the United Kingdom are commencing to awaken to a realization of their imperial responsibilities.

TO A SUMMER GIRL.

[Puck.]

Maiden of the matchless
Form and face divine,
You have turned this thatchless
Cranium of mine;
And with love I'm frantic,
Though 'tis true that I've
Reached the unromantic
Age of forty-five.

There's a rather clumsy
Youth of twenty-two
And when summer comes, he
Dances after you.
With him you play tennis,
Golf and row and drive;
And my name is Dennis—
For I'm forty-five.

Feigning to instruct you
How to dive and swim,
Often has he ducked you—
(How I envy him!)
Would I were your teacher
When you learn to dive!
But, unhappy creature,
I am forty-five.

So my love I'll smother,
(Bitter though it be),
And I'll woo your mother,
Who is fond of me.
She's a rich and merry
Widow, and I'll strive
To win her, though she's very
Fat—and forty-five.

THAT'S PROPER.

[Puck.]

Mrs. Benham—What do they do when the city has distinguished visitors?

Benham—If they are men, give them the freedom of the city, and if women, freedom of the drygoods stores.

MEETING THE NEED.

[London Opinion.]

Lady—No, I don't want no brushes, nor no laces!

Peddler—Here you are, madam, "Grammar for Beginners," only sixpence!

THE TRAGEDY OF LONGBOAT.

[Toronto Presbyterian.]

In the Indian, Longboat, it was believed that Canada had a truly remarkable runner, who might be expected to carry off the honor for the Dominion. But it is not the loss of the race that is the tragedy; it is the reason for it. The Indian lad, at the beginning of his career, was taken care of by a branch of the Y. M. C. A. He was coaxed away from their control by men who wished to exploit his powers for their own advantage, and was allowed to drift into habits of dissipation. A period of enforced training could not restore poor Longboat's first fine vigor, and the killing pace of the Marathon proved too much for his endurance.

EASILY RECOGNIZABLE.

[Lippincott's.]

A certain author who is noted for his wit, and for never being at a loss for a reply, whatever the circumstances, was approached the other day at his club by some one who clapped him on the back and exclaimed:

"Well, old fellow, glad to see you! How are you?"

The author turned, and not recognizing the man, replied calmly:

"I don't know your face, but your manner is very familiar."

ORDER OF PRECEDENCE.

[Louisville Courier-Journal.]

"We've a bouncing boy at our home."

"I s'pose you take second place in the household, now?"

"No; I take third place. The rubber plant gets shoved back into place number two."

A CAUTION.

[Puck.]

Stubb — "Yes; that handsome young widow presented me with a box of cigars."

Penn—"Did, eh? Well, beware of widow's weeds, my boy."

LACROSSE, TOO.

[Montreal Herald.]

Lord Roberts has been telling us not to try to win unfairly. Considering that he has only been here three weeks, and has been mostly in bed or at state functions "Bobs" acquaintance with the manly art of hockey as practiced in Canada is amazing.

WHAT SCARED ROBERTS.

[Toronto Saturday Night.]

Lord Roberts was wanted as a public sight. Civic holiday was to be made notable by three events: (1) by the performance of a high diver, who, as a matter of fact, broke his back in the effort to gratify the popular lust for sightseeing; (2) by a flying machine soaring over the roofs of the city and, (3) by an exhibition to all the people through the streets of the renowned soldier, Earl Roberts. In traveling a quarter of a mile from the railway station to his hotel, he was to have been drawn by a circuitous route of two miles in order that he might be gaped at. He was to have been shown on a platform before the city hall.

BAN ON COURTIN' ITEMS.

[Smith Groves N. Y. Times.]

We are anxious to secure some good correspondents in each locality in the county.

Correspondents who will give us the real news; no jokes or courting items needed, but we wan't "scribs" who will send in good, wholesome news; for such we are willing to pay; so write to us, and let's see what you can do. Send us a letter or so and sign your name, so we may know you.

THE ARTISTIC BRITISHER.

[Mon. Coquelin in Cassel's Magazine.]

Nowhere else in the world are the true artist and true art more appreciated than in England. Society opens its doors to all who honestly use their talents, whether it be in acting, painting, music or authorship. The higher a man rises in the world of art—by his own ability—the more he is respected by the English people.

HOW TO CURE A HEADACH3

To attempt to cure a headache by taking a "headache powder," is like trying to stop a leak in the roof by putting a pan under the dripping water. Chronic headaches are caused by poisoned blood. The blood is poisoned by tissue waste, undigested food and other impurities remaining too long in the system. These poisons are not promptly eliminated because of sick liver, bowels, skin or kidneys.

If the bowels do not move regularly—if there is pain in the back showing kidney trouble—if the skin is sallow or disfigured with pimples—it shows clearly what is causing the headaches.

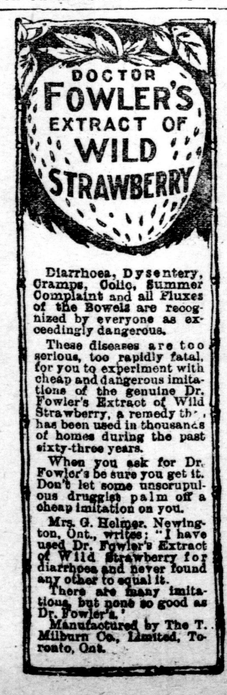
"Fruit-a-tives" cures headaches because they cure the cause of headaches. "Fruit-a-tives" act directly on the three great eliminating organs—bowels, kidneys and skin. "Fruit-a-tives" keep the system free of poisons.

"Fruit-a-tives" come in two sizes—25c and 50c. If your dealer does not have them write to Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

COULDN'T STOP SKIDDING CAR

Motorman Powerless to Prevent the Fatal Crash at Chatham.

Chatham, Aug. 11.—The inquest on victims of the accident yesterday on the C., W. and L. E. electric line was continued today. Mr. H. D. Smith appeared for the crown, and Mr. J. G. Kerr for the company. The whole of the morning and part of the afternoon was taken up with the evidence of passengers. The cars were traced from their start to the place where the accident occurred, the evidence differing particularly as to whether or not the front car, No. 14, had stopped when the rear car, No. 8, collided with it. The consensus of opinion was that it had not done so, but had slackened and was about to start faster again when the collision occurred. The chief witness in the afternoon was Superintendent Fitch of the electric road, who made in the course of his evidence the following statement in explanation of the accident. He said: 'They were trying to run the car backwards. On a slippery rail a car might slide forward with wheels moving backward. The motorman's report to me was that he olew the circuit breaker twice." The superintendent had already stated that rain had fallen during the morning, leaving the rails slippery. Less danger would have resulted from a heavy rain. The motorman on the rear car came too close, he applied the reverse, which blew out, and therefore he could not stop the skidding car. He also stated, in reply to the query of the crown attorney, that the rear car might have received the full strength current when the current utilized by the first car was shut off. As to the breaking of the rules by allowing passengers on the platform, it was almost impossible to prevent it. He had never seen the block system worked with success on an electric road. The rules now operative were in force when he assumed charge. The accident was the first the road had had since it started three years ago. The conductors and motormen on the cars were experienced.



Diarrhoea, Dysentery, Cramps, Colic, Summer Complaint and all Fluxes of the Bowels are recognized by everyone as exceedingly dangerous.

These diseases are too serious, too rapidly fatal for you to experiment with cheap and dangerous imitations of the genuine Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, a remedy that has been used in thousands of homes during the past sixty-three years.

When you ask for Dr. Fowler's be sure you get it. Don't let some unscrupulous druggist palm off a cheap imitation on you.

Mrs. G. Helmer, Newington, Ont., writes: "I have used Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry for diarrhoea and never found any other to equal it. There are many imitations, but none so good as Dr. Fowler's."

Manufactured by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Chapman's

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FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY!

These are days of weeding out of summer leftovers and general price-paring. Friday's list is brimful of bargain news from every department.

A Breezy Bargain From the Wash Goods Dept.

Wash Fabrics, worth from 15c to 20c yard, Bargain Day price.....6½c

A table of 700 yards Sheer Wash Fabrics, American Organdies, Dimities, Printed Batiste and Embroidered Novelties, in floral designs, dainty stripes, large and small polkadots; perfectly fresh goods; regularly sold at 15c, 18c and 20c. Friday for, a yard 6½c

Sensational Sale of Laces Continued

Many yards of beautiful Laces still left to choose from. Tomorrow's selling should evoke the same enthusiasm as today's.

The first table contains beautiful Oriental Insertions, Lace Galloons and Plauen Laces. Worth 15c yard. Now at 5c

The second table contains Guipure Laces, Oriental Insertion and Plauen Laces in shades of cream, white and natural. Worth 25c and 35c yard. Now at 10c

The third table contains exquisite Plauen Laces and Insertions, Filet and Oriental Insertions and Galloons, 1 to 4 inches wide. Worth 30c to 50c yard. Now at 15c

The fourth table contains Dainty Guipure Beading, Laces, Insertions and Oriental. Worth 40c to 60c a yard. Now at 20c

The fifth table contains White and Ecru Filet Laces and Insertions. Worth 50c to 65c a yard. Now 25c

The sixth table contains All-Over Laces, in white, ecru and black, in Oriental, Plauen, Guipure and Chiffon. Worth $1 00, $2 00 and $3 00 a yard. Now 50c

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Ashplant's Semi-Annual Shoe Sale



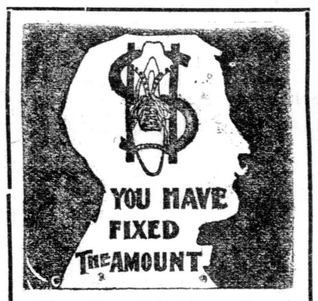
See the Women's Chocolate Bluchers; two styles—heavy sole, light sole, for.....$1.93

LAST WEEK

The big sale is drawing to a close. Too bad we cannot afford to keep such bargains always on tap. However, to make this Last Week one to be remembered, we have decided to close out the balance at prices that will astonish the most skeptical.

The Cost No Consideration

All we want is room and we will go the limit in price-cutting to help us out.



How does $1.83 a pair suit you for Men's Patent Blucher Oxfords?

Remember, the Goods Are All New!

WOMEN'S OXFORDS, $1.50 values. This week.....93c
WOMEN'S DONGOLA SLIPPERS, $1.75 values. This week.....$1.13
WOMEN'S INDIA KID STRAP SLIPPERS, $1.25 values. This week.....93c
WOMEN'S CHOCOLATE LOW CUTS, $1.95 values. This week.....$1.23
WOMEN'S TAN CALF OXFORDS, $2.50 values. This week.....$1.33
WOMEN'S PATENT COLT OXFORDS, $2.50 values. This week.....$1.53
WOMEN'S GOODYEAR WELT PATENT OXFORDS, $3.50 values. This week.....$1.93
EXTRA SPECIAL—Brown Canvas Oxfords, $1.25 values. This week.....93c
CHILDREN'S SLIPPERS, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 values. This week.....53c, 73c, 83c
CHILDREN'S CANVAS SLIPPERS, 75c, 85c, $1.00 values. This week.....43c, 63c, 73c
MEN'S FINE LACE BOOTS, $1.75 values. This week.....$1.43
MEN'S PATENT OXFORDS, $2.50, $3.00 values. This week.....$1.83, $2.33
MEN'S CANVAS BOOTS, $1.00, $1.50 values. This week.....73c, $1.13
BOYS' BOOTS, strong, $1.50, $1.75 values. This week.....$1.13, $1.33
BOYS' CANVAS BOOTS, grey, with leather toe caps. This week.....53c, 63c

Don't Wait—Sale Closes This Week—Buy Now.
Remember, the Place Is

ASHPLANT'S

Down the Steps. Market Lane and Dundas Sts.

No. 8 car was overhauled last Friday and it worked all right. He was of the opinion that with a heavy load, fair speed and a slippery rail the air-brake would be no better than the hand-brake. The circuit-breaker was a sort of safety valve. With the cars at full speed an emergency stop should be made in 50 to 100 feet.

Hamilton Nicolls, who was on the rear car with his wife and child, said that when within four or five feet from No. 14 car the brakeman on No. 8 car put on the brakes first. He had previously noticed hesitancy in the brake acting. D. A. McLachlan, who saw the accident from the fair grounds, was of the opinion that the first car stopped before the second car struck it. He thought that the motorman on the second car was not watching, or had not got the car under control. He thought the speed of the rear car when approaching was about seven or eight miles an hour.

William Watson, the motorman of No. 8, said that his attention had been taken off the front car by a man on the track, otherwise he could have stopped the car in time to prevent an accident. As it was, owing to the slipperiness of the rails the brakes refused to act properly when he saw the danger and applied them. The inquest was adjourned until tomorrow.

SECOND LARGEST CITY.

Probably not one person in a hundred knows which is the second largest city in the British Empire. If the question were put to a number of people the majority would most likely say Liverpool, Glasgow, or Manchester; but according to the Statistical Abstract of the British Empire for 1905 and 1906 the city that holds pride of place, after London is Bombay.

This town, though the birthplace of Rudyard Kipling, is chiefly known to the younger generation as occurring in the refrain of a comic song, but a year or two ago it suddenly surpassed Calcutta, which formerly held second place, and now has nearly a million inhabitants.

Calcutta has not increased so rapidly, but is only 27,000 behind; Glasgow comes fourth, with over 100,000 inhabitants fewer than Calcutta; and then come Liverpool, Manchester and Birmingham, each place falling 100,000 below that next above it. Madras comes eighth, and then the first of the colonial towns, Sydney and Melbourne, all of which have over half a million inhabitants.—Exchange.

The Spanish senate has adopted the bill dealing with the reorganization of the navy.

Germany's exports to the United States in 1907 amounted to $109,510,031. American exports to Germany were $185,677,797.

The Wings of the Morning

BY LOUIS TRACY.

"That is the English meaning of 'Iris,' in Latin, you know."

"So it is. How clever of you to think of it! Tell me, what is the meaning of 'Robert,' in Greek?"

He turned to survey the northwest side of the island. "I do not know," he answered. "It might not be far-fetched to translate it as 'a ship's steward: a menial.'"

Miss Iris had meant her playful retort as a mere light-hearted quibble. It annoyed her, a young person of much consequence, to have her kindly condescension repelled.

"I suppose so," she agreed, "but I have gone through so much in a few hours that I am bewildered, apt to forget these nice distinctions."

Were these two quarrelling or flirting? Who can tell?

Jenks was closely examining the reef on which the Sirdar struck. Some square objects were visible near the palm tree. The sun, glinting on the waves, rendered it difficult to discern their significance.

"What do you make of those?" he inquired, handing the glasses, and blandly ignoring Miss Deane's petulance. Her brain was busy with other things while she twisted the binoculars to suit her vision. Rainbow Island—Iris—it was a nice conceit. But "menial" struck a discordant note. This man was no menial in appearance or speech. Why was he so deliberately rude?

"I think they are boxes or packing-cases," she announced.

"Ah! That was my own idea. I must visit that locality."

"How? Will you swim?"

"No," he said, his stern lips relaxing in a smile, "I will not swim; and by the way, Miss Deane, be careful when you are near the water. The lagoon is swarming with sharks at present. I feel tolerably assured that at low tide, when the remnants of the gale have vanished, I will be able to walk there along the reef."

"Sharks!" she cried. "In there! What horrible surprises this speck of land contains! I should not have imagined that sharks and seals could live together."

"You are quite right," he explained, with becoming gravity. "As a rule, sharks infest only the leeward side of these islands. Just now they are attracted in shoals by the wreck."

"Oh!" Iris shivered slightly.

"We had better go back now. The wind is keen here, Miss Deane."

She knew that he purposely misunderstood her gesture. His attitude conveyed a rebuke. There was no further room for sentiment in their present existence; they had to deal with chill necessities. As for the sailor, he was glad that the chance turn of their conversation enabled him to warn her against the lurking dangers of the lagoon. There was no need to mention the devil-fish now; he must spare her all avoidable thrills.

They gathered the stores from the first al fresco dining-room and reached the cave without incident. Another fire was lighted, and while Iris attended to the kitchen the sailor felled several young trees. He wanted poles, and these were the right size and shape. He soon cleared a considerable space. The timber was soft and so small in girth that three cuts with the axe usually sufficed. He dragged from the beach the smallest tarpaulin he could find and propped it against the rock in such a manner that it effectually screened the mouth of the cave, though admitting light and air.

He was so busy that he paid little heed to Iris. But the odor of frieed ham was wafted to him. He was lifting a couple of heavy stones to stay the canvas and keep it from flapping in the wind, when the girl called out—

"Wouldn't you like to have a wash before dinner?"

He straightened himself and looked at her. Her face and hands were shining, spotless. The change was so great that his brow wrinkled with perplexity.

"I am a good pupil," she cried. "You see I am already learning to help myself. I made a bucket out of one of the dish covers by slinging it in two ropes. Another dish cover, some sand and leaves, supplied basin, soap and towel. I have cleaned the tin cups and the knives, and see, here is my greatest treasure."

She held up a small metal lamp.

"Where in the world did you find that?" he exclaimed.

"Buried in the sand inside the cave."

"Anything else?"

His tone was abrupt. She was so disappointed by the seeming want of appreciation of her industry that a gleam of amusement died from her eyes and she shook her head, stooping at once to attend to the toasting of some biscuits.

This time he was genuinely sorry.

"Forgive me, Miss Deane," he said, penitently. "My words are dictated by anxiety. I do not wish you to make discoveries on your own account. This is a strange place, you know—an unpleasant one in some respects."

"Surely I can rummage about my own cave?"

"Most certainly. "It was careless of me not to have examined its interior more thoroughly."

"Then why do you grumble because I found the lamp?"

"I did not mean any such thing. I am sorry."

"I think you are horrid. If you want to wash you will find the water over there. Don't wait. The ham will be frizzled to a cinder."

Unlucky Jenks! Was ever man fated to incur such unmerited odium? He savagely laved his face and neck. The fresh, cool water was delightful at first, but it caused his injured nail to throb dreadfully. When he drew near to the fire he experienced an unaccountable sensation of weakness. Could it be possible that he was going to faint? It was too absurd. He sank to the ground. Trees, rocks, and sand-strewn earth indulged in a mad dancee. Iris' voice sounded weak and ndistinct. It seemed to travel in waves from a great distance. He tried to brush away from his brain these dim fancies, but his iron will for once failed, and he pitched headlong downwards into darkness.

When he recovered the girl's left arm was round his neck. For one blissful instant he nestled there contentedly. He looked into her eyes and saw that she was crying. A gust of anger rose within him that he should be the cause of those tears.

"Damn!" he said, and tried to rise. "Oh, you are better!" Her lips quivered pitifully.

"Yes. What happened? Did I faint?"

"Drink this."

She held a cup to his mouth and he obediently strove to swallow the contents. It was champagne. After the first spasms of terror, and when the application of water to his face failed to restore consciousness, Iris had knocked the head off the bottle of champagne.

He quickly revived. Nature had only given him a warning that he was overdrawing his resources. He was deeply humiliated. He did not conceive the truth, that only a strong man could do all that he had done and live. For thirty-six hours he had not slept. During part of the time he fought with wilder beasts than they knew at Ephesus. The long exposure to the sun, the mental strain of his foreboding that the charming girl whose life depended upon him might be exposed to even worse dangers than any yet encountered, the physical labor he had undergone, the irksome restraint he strove to place upon his conduct and utterances—all these things culminated in utter relaxation when the water touched his heated skin.

But he was really very much annoyed. A powerful man always is annoyed when forced to yield. The revelation of a limit to human endurance infuriates him. A woman invariably thinks that the man should be scolded, by way of tonic.

"How could you frighten me so?" demanded Iris hysterically. "You must have felt that you were working too hard. You made me rest. Why didn't you rest yourself?"

He looked at her wistfully. This collapse must not happen again, for her sake. These two said more with eyes than lips. She withdrew her arm; her face and neck crimsoned.

"There," she said with compelled cheerfulness. "You are all right now. Finish the wine."

He emptied the tin. It gave him new life.

"I always thought," he answered, gravely, "that champagne was worth its weight in gold under certain conditions. These are the conditions."

Iris reflected, with elastic rebound from despair to relief, that men in the lower ranks of life do not usually form theories on the expensive virtues of the wine of France. But her mind was suddenly occupied by a fresh disaster.

"Good gracious!" she cried. "The ham is ruined."

It was burned black. She prepared a fresh supply. When it was ready, Jenks was himself again. They ate in silence, and shared the remains of the bottle. The man idly wondered what was the plat du jour at the Savoy that evening. He remembered that the last time he was there he had called for Jambon de York aux epinards and half a pint of Heidseck.

"Coelum non animum mutant, qui trans mare currunt," he thought. By a queer trick of memory he could recall the very page in Horace where this philosophical line occurs. It was in the eleventh epistle of the first book. A smile illumined his tired face.

Iris was watchful. She had never in her life cooked even a potato or boiled an egg. The ham was her first attempt.

"My cooking amuses you?" she demanded, suspiciously.

"It gratifies every sense," he murmured. "There is but one thing needful to complete my happiness."

"And that is?"

"Permission to smoke."

"Smoke what?"

He produced a steel box, tightly closed, and a pipe. "I will answer you in Byron's words," he said——

"'Sublime tobacco! which from east to west
Cheers the tar's labor or the Turkman's rest.'"

"Your pockets are absolute shops," said the girl, delighted that his temper had improved. "What other stores do you carry about with you?"

He lit his pipe and solemnly gave an inventory of his worldly goods. Beyond the items she had previously seen he could only enumerate a silver dollar, a very soiled and crumpled handkerchief, and a bit of tin. A box of Norwegian matches he threw away as useless, but Iris recovered them.

"You never know what purpose they may serve," she said. In after days a weird significance was attached to this simple phrase.

"Why do you carry about a bit of tin?" she went on.

How the atmosphere of deception clung to him! Here was a man compelled to lie outrageously who, in happier years, had prided himself on scrupulous accuracy even in small things.

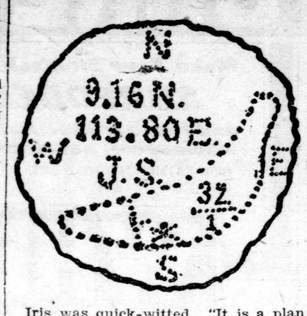
"Plague upon it!" he silently protested. "Subterfuge and deceit are as much at home in this deserted island as at Mayfair."

"I found it here, Miss Deane," he answered.

Luckily she interpreted "here" as applying to the cave.

"Let me see it. May I?"

He handed it to her. She could make nothing of it, so together they puzzled over it. The sailor rubbed it with a mixture of kerosene and sand. Then figures and letters and a sort of diagram were revealed. At last they became decipherable. By exercising patient ingenuity someone had indented the metal with a sharp punch until the marks assumed this aspect:



Iris was quick-witted. "It is a plan of the island," she cried.

"Also the latitude and the longitude."

"What does 'J. S.' mean?"

"Probably the initials of the man's name. Let us say, John Smith, for instance."

"And the figures on the island, with the 'X' and the dot?"

"I cannot tell you at present," he said. "I take it that the line across the island signifies this gap or canon, and the small intersecting line the cave. But 32 divided by 1, and an 'X' surmounted by a dot are cabalistic. They would cause even Sherlock Holmes to smoke at least two pipes. I have barely started one."

She ran to fetch a glowing stick to enable him to relight his pipe.

"Why do you give me such nasty little digs?" she asked. "You need not have stopped smoking just because I stood close to you."

"Really, Miss Deane——"

"There, don't protest. I like the smell of that tobacco. I thought sailors invariably smoked black, rank stuff, which they call thick twist."

"I am a beginner as a sailor. After a few more years before the mast I may hope to reach perfection."

Their eyes exchanged a quaintly pleasant challenge. Thus the man—"She is determined to learn something of my past, but she will not succeed."

(To Be Continued.)

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THE BIRTH OF PRINCE RUPERT

An Agreement Arrived at as to the Railway Terminals of New City.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 12.—An order in council by which disposition is made of the water-front lots at Prince Rupert was signed last evening. For various reasons the Government, however, has seen fit to withhold the details for a day or two. The statute covering the manner of disposing of these water-front lots is that passed last session, embodying an agreement between the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company. Provision is there made for the division of the water-front into lots of not less than 1,000 feet frontage, in the selection of which the Government is given one choice and the Grand Trunk Pacific three alternately. It was recognized that to follow the statute exactly would not well serve the purposes of the railway company, with the result that negotiations were started looking to an alteration in the plans which would conserve the interests of both parties without deviating from the spirit of the statutory agreement. For two months negotiations have been in progress, and an order in Council was signed last evening. The railway company desired 17,000 feet, or over three within the townsite. Prince Rupert was a narrow townsite, blocked in the rear by an insurmountable mountain chain, which drops suddenly down to the water near the entrance to the harbor. To build a railway through the narrow townsite away from the water-front and to provide terminals within what will become the business section would interfere sadly with the progress of the city in the future. It asked, therefore, that the company should have the right to proceed along the water-front, using it for terminal facilities, and thus leaving the main parts of the city unbroken. In these days of large vessels, requiring a vast number of carloads to complete their cargo, ample terminals are necessary to avoid delays in loading. On the other hand, the Government, having in view the results in Vancouver, sought to preserve ample areas under the act to give public wharves and to allow for other concerns getting wharfage.

From the first application Premier McBride showed a disposition against conceding this request of the company for 17,000 feet of unbroken water-front. After further negotiations looking to alterations agreeable to both parties, it was decided that Hon. F. Carter Cotton, president of the council, who is recognized as the business man of the Government, and Mr. Fulton, under whose department the work fell, should go north and inspect the site. This was done in company with the officials of the railway company, and on their return the negotiations were renewed.

According to an order in council, it is announced on the part of the Government that the 17,000 feet granted the company is not in an unbroken line along the water-front. The Province has been assigned blocks at two or three points along the route in areas exceeding 1,000 feet frontage. The Government claims that the interests of the Province have been preserved, while at the same time the G. T. P.'s interests are not sacrificed in the matter of adequate terminals. The settlement of this water-front question, it is felt, will be followed by more active work at the terminal point. The survey of the lots will be carried out now. The work will possibly occupy about three months, so that the lots may be put on the market next spring some time, the winter months being recognized as a very bad time to offer them.

BARBARIC GEMS ARE DEMORALIZING

Jewel Expert Says That It Is Bad for Good Taste.

New York, Aug. 12.—According to Mr. George Frederick Kunz, Ph. D., the famous expert on precious jewels, there is a demoralizing influence upon women who were the barbarous and low grade jewelry that is sold in many of the small cities throughout the United States.

"While American women of fashion," said Mr. Kunz, "are justifiably celebrated today for their good taste in jewels, yet it is true that there are a great number of women who do not take into consideration their adaptability to certain designs and certain colors of precious stones, but who purchase their gems of those who lack the art sense of their trade. While it is impossible to establish a formula of good taste in women's jewelry, by which every woman should make a selection that would be entirely suitable to her requirements, there are certain guides by which every woman can materially find a way to select jewelry that would be in good taste.

Jewelers Apace With Art.

"The jewelers' art sense, which consists of his feeling for exceptional charm of design, of the grouping of gems, not omitting a careful eye for the blending of delicate gem colors, has kept pace with the remarkable progress of rare shades and patterns in the fabrics and silks that women wear. I suppose every woman has an instinctive assurance of the color that is most becoming to her. The analogy between this instinct and her intuitive alertness of charm in her personal attire, if applied to her selection of precious gems and jewelry, would result in a perfect sense of good taste. Good taste, however, I may say without any gallant intentions, is not a too common feminine quality. Yet the jewels worn by American women today are not as barbaric or as discordant as they were ten years ago.

"It is a significant fact that the most beautiful designs and the finest quality of gems are the only style of jewelry that stand out against a mass of inferior character The reason for this is simple when you come to look at it from a trade standpoint, because it is impossible to imitate a masterpiece in jewelry A beautiful corsage, a magnificent ring, or hair ornament which is purchased at a price ranging from $1,000 to $50,000, according to the richness of the gems and their harmonious arrangement, is a creation. While it is impossible to make a fair imitation of a painting, or to manufacture a resemblance of some rare color in silk, there is a quality in the natural colors of polished gems and precious stones that no human eye can reproduce.

Consider Fitness of Gems.

"Women must take into consideration their adaptability to jewels quite as carefully as they consider the fit, the color, the design of a gown. There are some women who in the good fortune of personal appearance, height, or a certain dash and style in their manner can afford to carry more jewels than women who are less favored. A woman's jewels are so intimate a part of her character and they emphasize the private nature of her temperament so clearly that they unconsciously sometimes reveal where they are intended only to hide. There are many things to consider in selecting the adornment of precious stones in a woman's toilet. She must take into consideration, for instance, the color of her hair, her eyes, the tint of her skin, the shape of her hand.

"Rings, of course, are never out of place. It is needless to say that an elaborate necklace or a valuable brooch should not be worn with shirtwaists. Chinese jade ornaments are particularly suitable for delicate morning dress fabrics and are quite as valuable as many of the rarest of diamonds because they are difficult to find. A large stone, be it a topaz, an emerald; an amethyst, or a black pearl, is always in good taste because there are few of them to be had.

Earrings More the Vogue.

"Earrings are becoming more and more fashionable, the pear-shaped pendant, rather long earring with the screw attachment. Small pins, exquisitely jewelled hatpins, and tortoise shell combs and hair ornaments studded with precious stones, such as diamonds and pearls, are the regular adornment of a woman of good taste.

"The smartest jewelry is that which is in perfect harmony with the gown, as, in reverse ratio, the smartest gowns are those in harmony with the sautoire, whether they are a continuous chain of diamonds, pearls, emeralds in platinum or gold settings.

"There are many new designs in mourning jewelry made of jet. Crosses, which are largely worn now and are moderate in price, are becoming an important feature of daily wear. Gold and silver bangles with pure and rare stones are also coming into fashion again, although few women can wear a promiscuous number of them at one time. Jewelled belts, gold and silver handbags with delicate repousse designs on the clasps, and in some cases rubies and diamonds or other variegated colored gems at intervals. The lorgnette, which for awhile went out of fashion, is coming in again, the glass being set in the style of lorgnettes used in England and the time of George IV., with gold handles, long and elaborately designed gold setting."

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10c, 12½c and 15c.
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GREAT GATHERING OF ODDFELLOWS

Independent Order in Annual Conclave—Grand Master's Encouraging Address.

St. Thomas, Aug. 12.—Nearly every lodge in the jurisdiction was represented when the Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Oddfellows met today in annual conclave, with Grand Master R. R. Brett in the chair. After a hearty welcome from representatives of the council and other civic bodies, the morning's work was taken up in receiving reports of the various committees.

Grand Master's Report.

The report of the grand master, which was encouraging and replete with helpful suggestions, was highly approved by the delegates. In the course of his address, the grand master said:

"It is particularly pleasing to us to know that in the recent provincial elections so many of our members were among those who were successful at the polls, while the city of Toronto honored one of our most efficient P. G. Ms. with the mayoralty, and the Governor-General honored one of our present officers with a seat in the Senate.

"The matter of whether our order is not too particular in its regulations concerning the use of the emblems of the order has often been discussed in not only our subordinate lodges, but also in our district meetings. At the annual meeting of the district meeting of Oxford district, No. 11, held at Thamesford on June 17, the following resolution was passed, which I submit to your consideration: 'In view of the fact that the emblem of our order is not being used as largely as we deem it should be, and some discussion having taken place as to the legality of the links being placed in stores, offices and dwellings to appraise strangers that an Oddfellow could be found inside, it was moved and seconded and resolved that the D. D. G. M. and secretary memorialize the grand master or the grand lodge and request that the matter be taken up, as we consider it for the welfare of the order.'"

The Color Line.

In referring to the report of the D. D. G. M. for Fort William District, No. 48, stating that at their district meeting there was a discussion on the matter of mixed blood and how far back in the race members should go in accepting candidates, the grand master suggested that the committee on judiciary take up this question and pass upon it. The grand master went on to say:

"There have not been many appeals from the decision of the lodges of the D. D. G. Ms. to me. In the case of Bro. R. W. Venning, of Hope Lodge, No. 69, I. O. O. F., against the decision of the D. D. G. M. in respect to his claim for sick benefits, I agree with the ruling of the D. D. G. M., Bro. W. T. Collins, of St. Thomas, who confirmed the action of the lodge.

"I have also a notice from the D. D. G. M. of Toronto District, No. 19, that the district committee of that district would bring before the grand lodge the matter of Covenant Lodge, of that city, which refused to pay its share of expenses incurred in connection with the anniversary services.

On Aug. 1 I received a copy of an appeal by Bro. J. H. Tonge against the action of Elgin Lodge, No. 32, I. O. O. F., St. Thomas, in accepting on the 23rd and 24th of July the sum of $3 per degree from two members, whereas their bylaws had been amended in May, confirmed by the committee on laws of subordinates in June, and come into effect July 1, increasing such rates from $3 to $4 per degree. I sustained the appeal on the grounds that the rates for degrees adopted by a lodge must be charged all members alike."

Afternoon Programme.

Rain interfered with the proposed festivities of the afternoon, after the big procession at Pinafore Park, thus marring what promised to be the largest and most successful demonstrations in the history of local outdoor gatherings. The order of the line was: Staff officers of Ontario, Twenty-fifth Battalion Band, cantons of Hamilton, Victoria, St. Thomas, Toronto, Belleville, grand officers, picturesque floats of the Rebekahs, London and St. Thomas, Orientals, lodges of the district, St. Thomas lodges, citizens in carriages.

The line extended for nearly a mile in length. There was a large crowd of spectators. The affair was under the direction of Chief Marshal Col. Fred Doggett, assisted by Bros. James Brodie, Ben Roberts and J. Roberts.

The point of starting was from the Horton Market, along Talbot street to Elgin street, to Pinafore Park. On the arrival at the grounds, where an immense crowd had preceded them, the entire programme had to be suspended and the throng dispersed.

In the Rink.

Last night the Granite Rink was filled by a crowd of 2,000 persons. The degree of Chivalry was conferred on a number of the Rebekahs and Patriarchs Militant by Col. Johnston, of the department council. Among those who were selected for the honor were Sisters Mesdames Peter Brown, W. Weller, A. Barber, W. W. Stringer, Barbara Scott, St. Thomas; Mrs. Pearce, London; Mrs. Luscombe, Sarnia; and the Patriarchs Militant Col. Faulkner, of Hamilton, and Chevalier Capt. Peter Brown, St. Thomas, and Lieut. John Finlay, of Hamilton. General Raney and staff had charge of the ceremonies. The members of Victoria Canton gave an exhibition of its silent drill under command of Major Squance, and a good musical programme was provided.

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RAIN BLOCKED MERRYMAKERS

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City. Still another special train was run from Detroit and Windsor, and 300 Old Boys came in on that excursion.

The Petrolea Old Boys of London ran another, and fully 500 people were aboard.

The regular trains were heavily loaded, and it was almost impossible to obtain a seat in any train running into town.

A large number of the Old Boys from a distance arrived Monday, and are visiting friends.

10,000 Visitors.

As a result there is the largest crowd in Petrolea that has ever taken part in a celebration. The estimate of the attendance varies somewhat, but the most conservative place the number of visitors in the town today at between 8,000 and 10,000.

A very elaborate programme had been prepared for the entertainment of the visitors, but this had to be abandoned owing to the heavy rain.

Special mention should be made of the decorations. Petrolea never looked prettier than it did today. The merchants and the decoration committee spared neither time nor expense to make the town look its prettiest, and have succeeded beyond their expectations. Every business house is decorated with a profusion of flags and bunting, while the streets are splendidly illuminated.

Welcomed Home.

The visitors were met in the morning by the reception committee, headed by ex-Mayor John D. Noble, chairman of the reception committee; Mayor Edward and the other members of the committee.

The trains had all arrived before 10 o'clock, and the visitors were escorted to the city hall, where they were received by the Old Boys' committee.

The procession, under the direction of Marshal Major Wynn, of London, was then formed.

It lined up as follows:

Order of Parade.

Major Wynne and assistant marshals, including Major Fairbanks, Capt. McKenzie, Capt. McKittrick, Capt. Craig, Lieuts. Corey, Johnson and Dawson, and Mr. Bradley.
Twenty-seventh Regiment Band.
Uniformed Canton, Petrolea Oddfellows.
Water commissioners
Mayor Edwards and members of city council in carriages.
Water commissioners.
High school board.
Public school board.
Members of reception committee.
Petrolea Brass Band.
Chief Eddie Fletcher, of the fire department, driving in his department buggy, accompanied by ex-Chief J. H. Fairbanks.
The fire department, with Chief Engineer G. A. McRitchie in charge of the fire engine, and the old engine in use 32 years, also in line, with hose wagons and reels, one of the wagons bearing the banner, "Our Motto: "Always Ready."
Seventh Regiment Band.
London contingent of Old Boys.
Sarnia Concert Band.
Sarnia and Port Huron Old Boys' contingents, with large British and American flags, carried side by side.
Twenty-first Regiment Band.
Windsor and Detroit Old Boys, with boys mounted on horses bearing aloft the banner with the words, "In Detroit—Life Is Worth Living."
All wore Japanese costumes and carried parasols.
Brigden Band.
Decorated wagons and floats.
Oil tank, with banner, "Petrolea, the Home of the Oil Industry."
Decorated rig drawn by Shetland ponies.
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Wagon works.
Pitkins' ambulance.
Forest Excelsior Band.
Porter & Stokes.
Hooligan's Band.
Ox drawing wagon.
Decorated automobile driven by W. G Fraser, county clerk.

Down Came the Rain.

The parade was carried through the principal streets, and from there to Greenwood Park, where it dispersed. There were no speeches, and the crowd did not wait for any, as the rain came down in torrents, and all hustled for cover.

A short intermission occurred late in the afternoon, but it was impossible to put on a programme, and the large crowd was given an opportunity to visit among friends or amuse itself as best it could.

Every contingent of Old Boys took its band and went on a serenading tour. From all parts of the town music could be heard, as the bands went from place to place, giving, for the most part, a fine programme.

Some of the more reckless in the crowd braved the rain and watched the lacrosse match between St. Thomas and Strathroy for the district championship. The game, while good from many standpoints, resembled water polo somewhat.

Concerts in the Rain.

In the evening there were band concerts and a minstrel show in the Victoria Opera House. A large crowd attended the latter, but few remained for the band concerts owing to the rain.

There was considerable fun in the streets even at that. The crowd was large but orderly, and the tickler, confetti and talcum powder amusement seekers were there in numbers.

The special trains all returned in the evening, but quite a number of the visitors remained another day to witness the programme of sports.

The committee are hoping for favorable weather tomorrow, and if that is given, a fine time will be had.

Some Who Helped.

President Jas. A. Peat is a hustler. Not for one minute did he flag in his zeal to make the show a success, and when the rain made it absolutely impossible for them to put on the program, he was most optimistic and declared that tomorrow would be better.

Mr. E. A. Archer reported that 2,550 membership tickets had been sold up to ten o'clock this evening. A very tasty souvenir membership ticket is given with each membership, and are highly prized.

Bands Galore.

Twelve bands were here today. They were the Seventh Regiment band London, the Twenty-First Regiment, Windsor, the Twenty-Seventh Regiment, Petrolea, Detroit band, Port Huron band, the Forest Excelsior band, the Sarnia Concert band, the Brigden band, the Petrolea Citizens' band, the Wyoming band, the K. of P. band, Petrolea, and the Pipers band, of Toronto. There was a band playing on every corner last evening, and several went inside to escape the rain.

Petrolea is nothing if not proud of its industries, and as a result the parade of the merchants and manufacturers today was one of the finest ever seen in the town. The exhibits of the Canadian Oil Refinery showing every process of oil manufacture was most enlightening to the layman. The Stevenson Boiler Works and the Petrolea Wagon Works also had splendid exhibits. All received very favorable comment from the visitors.

Detroit Made a Hit.

The Detroit Old Boys looked very fine in their Japanese costume and made a decided hit. There were about 100 of them in line, and they made a great impression.

The London Old Boys were there in great force and had probably the largest turnout in the procession. Headed by Drum Major Cockburn and the Seventh band, they made a great hit along the line of march, and were loudly cheered. Sergt. Cockburn was the largest man in the procession and was given an ovation.

The automobile procession had to be called off owing to the bad roads. Town Clerk W. G. Fraser, however, would not turn back and went through it all. His automobile was decorated with good taste.

The Toronto Boys, with their Pipers band, enjoyed themselves immensely.

Dr. C. O. Fairbank, secretary of the Old Boys' committee, is the busiest man in town, and is making things hum some. The Old Boys' reunion owes a lot to him.

Shooting a Well.

An exhibition of shooting an oil well will be given by experts.

Dr. Charlie Colter, chairman of the music committee, had enough music to please the most enthusiastic lover of the band. He distributed them with excellent judgment.

Bruce Dunlop, chairman of the sports committee, was not the happiest man in town. "We had the programme, if we could only have given it," he said.

The Sarnia Concert Band was a strong attraction and played well.

A splendid programme of races will be given Thursday, provided the weather permits.

The wind and rain storm made things lively for a time. The lightning did some damage, one of the hotel stables being struck, but the fire was extinguished with little damage.

The Officers.

The officers of the Petrolea Old Boys' Association, who have worked unceasingly to make the reunion a success, are as follows:

Honorary president—J. H. Fairbank, Esq.

Honorary first vice-president—John Kerr, Esq.

Honorary second vice-president—John Fraser, Esq.

Honorary third vice-president—J. L. Englehart, Esq.

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Treasurer—W. F. Cooper, Esq.

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Decoration—E. A. Archer, chairman; Dr. A. Johnston, E. Preston, W. J. Caldwell, J. H. Ford, J. A. Kerr, A. Scarsbrook, James Whitehead, Charles Rowles, Geo. Primmer.

Music—Dr. C. F. Colter, chairman; B. P. Corey, S. McWhorter, J. A. Peat, S. D. Noble, F. C. Fisher, J. P. McMillan.

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Following are the visitors who have registered so far:

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TRAVELERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

SARNIA TUNNEL TO SUSPENSION BRIDGE AND TORONTO.

Arrive from the east — *3:50 a.m., 10:56 a.m., *11:12 a.m., *11:23 a.m., *6:30 p.m., *8:00 p.m., 10 p.m.

Arrive from the west—*12:09 a.m., *3:35 a.m., *11:28 a.m. 1:10 p.m., *4:10 p.m., 6:25 p.m.

Depart for the east—*12:14 a.m., *3:40 a.m., 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., *11:38 a.m., 2:05 p.m., *4:25 p.m., *6:53 p.m. (Eastern Flyer).

The trains leaving at 7:30 a.m. and 2:05 p.m. stop at all stations.

Depart for the west—*4:00 a.m., 7:40 a.m., *11:18 a.m., *11:35 a.m., 1:40 p.m., *8:18 p.m.

The 7:40 a.m. and the 1:40 p.m. trains stop at all stations.

LONDON AND WINDSOR.

Arrive—10:00 a.m., *4 p.m., *6:50 p.m. (Eastern Flyer), 11 p.m.

Depart—6:35 a.m., *11:27 a.m., 2:20 p.m., *8:10 p.m. International Limited).

STRATFORD BRANCH.

Arrive—*3:25 a.m., 11:15 a.m., 1:35 p.m., 6:45 p.m., 11:25 p.m.

Depart—6:10 a.m., 10:20 a.m., 2:45 p.m., 4:55 p.m.

LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.

Arrive—10:10 a.m., 6:10 p.m.

Depart—8:30 a.m., 4:50 p.m.

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PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.

Depart—5:40 a.m., *7:10 a.m., 9:45 a.m., 1:20 p.m., 2:30 p.m., *3:30 p.m., 5:05 p.m., 7 p.m., 8 p.m.

On Saturdays a train will leave London at 10:40 p.m. for Port Stanley.

Arrive—8:45 a.m., *12:15 p.m., 1:40 p.m., 4:05 p.m., 6 p.m., 7:40 p.m., 9:20 p.m., 9:45 p.m., 11:45 p.m.

*To and from Waterville, without change. Trains not "starred" to Port Stanley.

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Arrive—From the east *11:30 a.m., 8 p.m., *10:52 p.m. From the west—*4:30 a.m., **8:20 a.m., *5:20 p.m.

Depart—For the east—*4:40 a.m. 8:28 a.m., *5:28 p.m. For the west—*11:38 a.m., ***8:10 p.m., *11:00 p.m.

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Arrive—6:55 a.m., 11:10 a.m., 5:10 p.m., 9:50 p.m.

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SPORTING NEWS OF THE DAY

QUOITING, BOXING, FOOTBALL, GOLF, CRICKET

HEAVIES GOING TO COAST FOR FIGHTS

Many Big Bouts Will Be Pulled Off in California This Winter.

New York, Aug. 13. — Within a few months all of the heavyweight fighters will be out in California looking for battles. The announcement that Tommy Burns and Jack Johnson will return from the other side in October, and then proceed to the coast, caused the other big fellows, Jim Barry, Tony Ross, Jim Flynn and Jack "Twin" Sullivan to declare that they will all start for California as soon as Burns and Johnson get there. This insures many battles between big men on the coast next winter.

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Stanley Ketchel's first opponent when he joins the heavyweight class will be Terry Mustaine, the western young heavyweight, who made Jack "Twin" Sullivan quit in thirteen rounds, and also beat George Gardner in less than ten rounds several months ago. Ketchel has been offered a fight with Mustaine in San Francisco, and has practically accepted the terms for the bout, which will be a 20-round affair.

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Packey McFarland, who has made such a great showing in the fights he has engaged in in California during the last few months, will leave Los Angeles, Cal., in a few days. He will stop off at his home for a week and will then proceed to this city for the purpose of witnessing the Murphy-Cross fight, and issue a challenge to fight the winner before one of the clubs. Packey and either lad would put up a fine fight.

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Tony Ross, the Italian heavyweight, of Newcastle, Pa., who took such an awful gruelling from San Langford in their bout at the Fairmont A. C. on last Friday night, will be seen in another fight in this vicinity shortly. He has been engaged by Jim Buckley to meet Joe Jeanette, the colored fighter, for six rounds, at the stag of the Navarre A. C. at Ulmer Park Tuesday evening, Aug. 25.

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There is certainly a hoodoo following Billy Papke, the western cyclone. First his bout with Sailor Burke was called off by the Coliseum A. C., on account of a raid; then Willie Lewis backed out of his twelve-round bout with him at the Armory A. A. of Boston on Aug. 13, and now Mike Donovan, whom he was to have fought six rounds at the Armory A. A. on Thursday night, has contracted blood poison.

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Frank McDonald, the well-known trainer of pugilist, of San Francisco, has been engaged by Joe Gans, the ex-lightweight champion, to prepare him for his coming 45-round battle with Battling Nelson, which will be decided at Jim Coffroth's club at Colma, Cal., on Admission Day afternoon, Sept. 9. McDonald trained Gans for his championship fight with Nelson at Goldfield, Nev., nearly two years ago.

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The fight fans of San Francisco are not taking the coming 20-round bout between Stanley Ketchel and Joe Thomas seriously, and the chances are that there will be a much smaller crowd on hand to see them fight than was present at the Ketchel-Kelly fight when the gross receipts only amounted to $6,680. Ketchel has beaten Thomas twice in succession, and as they look for him to stop Thomas in a few rounds this time they are not worked up over the result.

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Jim Barry, the Chicago heavyweight, has just acepted an offer from Jim Jeffries to fight the winner of the Al Kaufmann-Jim Flynn ten-round fight, which is to be decided at the Pacific A. C. of Los Angeles, Cal., on Aug. 25. If the victor will meet Barry the men will fight a 25-round battle at Jeffries' club just outside of Los Angeles, in September.

JENNINGS SEES GIANTS AND TIGERS IN FIGHT

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 13. — Hughey Jennings declared tonight that the next world's championship fight would surely be between the Detroit Tigers and the New York Giants. He counts on a certain victory and predicts the same for the Giants, adding that his team will then defeat McGraw's aggregation.

"The series to be played between Detroit and St. Louis will decide the American League race," said Jennings, "and I am sure we will defeat the Browns. The trip which we begin on Friday offers little prospects for a decided change in the relative positions of the Browns and Tigers, as they go east at the same time, and neither will be able to get far away from the other. The eleven games between the Tigers and St. Louis will tell the question. McAleer has a great team, but not so good as ours. Last year we had four pitchers. This year we have double the number, and we will win sure, barring accidents."

CHICAGO CUBS GET NEW TWIRLER

Chicago, Aug. 13.—Manager Chance added a left-handed pitcher to the Cub staff Tuesday in "Tacks" Neuer, formerly with the New York Highlanders, who was taken along to Pittsburg with the team and will accompany it to Chicago for a thorough tryout. Neuer pitched good ball for Griffith last fall, but was not so successful this spring, and was let out. Chance believes he has the makings of a good pitcher.

In Persia hereafter Russian officers can only instruct the soldiers, not command them.

DR. WOODS' RINK STILL IN THE ASSOCIATION

Seagram Trophy Now Lies Between Stratford and Guelph Rinks.

Berlin, Aug. 12.—Rain again placed a damper on the Twin City bowling tournament, and a number of the rinks left for home in disgust over the actions of the weatherman.

The Seagram trophy match has dwindled down to McCurdy, of Stratford, and Chapman, of Guelph. They play off Thursday.

Dr. J. N. Wood, who won by default from Holmes, of Woodstock, is the only London skip to remain in the Association match. McNee, of London, was also in the third round of the Association, but defaulted to Davis, of Goderich. The skips now in the fourth round of the Association are Wettlaufer, Sterling, Thauburn, Wood, Davis.

JIMMY FITZGERALD TO RUN AGAIN

Toronto, Aug. 13.—Little Jimmy Fitzgerald, the Edmonton boy who wore a maple leaf on his chest over in England for the big games, says he is going to come back east to compete when he can arrange it. He has his eyes on the famous Hamilton Herald road race, and wants to try his luck there.

"Fitz" is about as big as a minute, but he can tear off a pretty fast five miles all the same.

"I tell you but I had a great old race," he said, laughing about it as if it were a joke. "The heat I was in was not too hard for me, but you should have seen that Scottish champion and me trying to beat each other for seventh place in the final."

Here Jimmy put up his head and laughed outright.

"But I beat him anyway," he laughed. "People said it was better than the race itself."

Fitzgerald has only been in Canada from the Old Land a year. Naturally he had a great time over on his native sod.

JOE GANS IS IN VERY POOR SHAPE

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 12.—Several sports who returned today from Harbin Springs, where Joe Gans has been staying since his defeat by Battling Nelson, give gloomy reports of the ex-champion's condition, and the reports are borne out by photos.

They say the excessively hot weather in Lake County has had a bad effect on Gans. He is drawn, with the face of an old man. Gans picked up weight at first, when the weather was good, but lately, since the mercury has run far above the hundred mark, Gans has lost flesh until now he only weighs 134 pounds. He goes out horseback riding and driving, but open-air exercise does not seem to make him rugged. He looks tired, and lately he has lost his appetite.

Joe attributes this to the heat, and says he will be all right when he gets to the sea coast next week. He is optimistic, and he says he feels well, but his looks belie him and his step lacks its old ginger. If he gets into shape for his return fight with Nelson it will be a miracle, the sports say.

BRITISH ATHLETES MAY TOUR CANADA

Montreal, Aug. 13. — Here is something else that would lead one to believe that the Canadian Amateur Athletic Union and the Athletic Federation of Canada will not always live apart.

There is a scheme on fot to bring an English athletic team to Canada.

If everything goes well it is to come here next September, and although Mr. J. H. Crocker, manager of the Canadian Olympic team, is the prime mover in the matter, he stated when he passed through here that he had consulted Mr. Leslie E. Boyd, president of the Montreal Amateur Athletic Association, and vice-president of the Athletic Federation of Canada in the matter, and that the latter had agreed to the preliminary plans for the visit.

Mr. Andrews, of Birmingham, has charge of the English end of the trip.

The team is to consist of about ten men, and the actual estimated expenses of the trip will be about $3,000.

AMERICAN ATHLETES ACTING LIKE CHILDREN

Tom Broke, in a letter to the New York Herald, accuses the Yankee athletes of childishness. He says:

"The total number of contests won by the United Kingdom in the Olympic Stadium was 155 1-3. The total number won by the United States was 131 2-3, all the particulars of the same being published in the New York Sun of July 26, 1908. It is, moreover, known of all men that the Unied States sent two England teams of swimmers, wrestlers and cyclists to win the different events in those athletic sports. But as the Americans failed to be even moderately successful in those contests, it is certainly childish of them to pout and say, 'Oh, those don't count,' for by so doing they have made themselves the laughing stock for the sporting men of all nations."

THE TURF.

Winners Yesterday.

At Fort Erie—Anemonella 6 to 1, Gloriole 7 to 2, Serenade even, Polar Star 5 to 2, King Thistle 4 to 1, Tom Dolan 3 to 5.

At Saratoga—Adriana 2 to 1, Bayonet 9 to 20, Angelus even, Edward 8 to 1, Gild 7 to 2.

STANDING OF THE LEAGUES

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Baltimore	60	41	.594
Providence	57	42	.576
Buffalo	52	47	.525
Newark	53	48	.525
Montreal	47	53	.470
Toronto	45	53	.459
Rochester	43	52	.453
Jersey City	40	61	.396

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Detroit	62	39	.614
St. Louis	61	42	.592
Chicago	58	45	.563
Cleveland	58	45	.583
Boston	49	54	.476
Philadelphia	47	53	.470
Washington	39	61	.390
New York	33	68	.327

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Pittsburg	61	39	.610
New York	59	40	.596
Chicago	58	42	.580
Philadelphia	54	44	.551
Cincinnati	51	52	.495
Boston	45	56	.446
Brooklyn	39	60	.394
St. Louis	33	66	.333

GAMES SCHEDULED FOR TODAY

Montreal at Jersey City
Toronto at Newark
Buffalo at Baltimore
Rochester at Providence.

No games scheduled.

Boston at Philadelphia
Brooklyn at New York
Cincinnati at St. Louis.

CURRENT SPORTING GOSSIP

BY SOUTHPAW

AS STATED YESTERDAY, the weather man saved the F. P. ballflingers from their annual beating. With permission of Jupiter Pluvius the slaughter will take place tomorrow at four p.m. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

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LONDON IS BECOMING famous. The following is from the Stratford Herald: Mr. Willard Ingram, street commissioner, and day constable, went to London on Monday on business, returning home on Tuesday.

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OVER IN ENGLAND they are announcing that Jack Johnson will fight "the great Mike Schreck, premier white heavy-weight of America," for the heavy-weight crampionship of the world. To us in Canada this is to laugh. Mike Schreck was never "premier" in anything, bar a beer drinking contest. Mike never beat a good man. In fact he is one of the yellowest of lemons.

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MIKE has just graduated from a hospital in St. Louis, where he was undergoing repairs after having his head cracked in a bar-room brawl. Some one hit him over the dome with a bottle. Mike is a nice barrel-shaped athlete, marvellously developed about the waist by frequent indulgence in pot-wrestling contests. To fight followers he is best known as the partner of fat Marvin Hart in that famous fake pulled off in Madison Square Garden May 3, 1906.

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HARD TIMES have not hit the baseball clubs of the Eastern League, or any of the larger clubs, according to the official attendance. It was thought that the Toronto Club would lose money by going over to the island. But this has not been the case. President McCaffery stated recently that the gate receipts were in advance of last year's receipts at this time.

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THIS PROVES that a team does not need to play winning ball to have the support of the public in Toronto, and, by the way, this fact is recognized by the clubs on the other side of the line. It may have something to do with the inability of the Toronto management to get good players. But there is one thing certain, the Toronto Ball Club will have to win a few more games if they are to have good gates when it returns for the next home series. The Toronto public is not so easy as the magnates in the States appear to think.—Toronto News.

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TOMMY BURNS is at present a much discussed boxer. In speaking of the great Canadian athlete an American writer says: If you haven't seen Burns in action I can do no better than describe him like this: He is a white Langford in build, but twenty pounds heavier, twice as fast, twice as clever, fully as hard a hitter, and a man of keen active intelligence. The time will come when the professional knockers who spend their time panning the "white boy" and knocking their foreheads on the ground at the feet of the black will be sorry they spoke so soon.

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THE PAST WILL NOT DOWN, for moons now the International League has been sleeping the sleep of the down and out, and Londoners at least were of the opinion that it would never again be heard of. The following letter explains itself:

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Phila, August 10th, 1908
London Daily Advertiser,
London, Ont.

Dear Sirs,—Kindly send me a copy or two of your daily issue, wherein is contained all the news of your London Baseball Club. If the club has disbanded, please notify me to this effect, and greatly oblige,

Respectfully yours,
I. R. NEAL,
1310 Brown street.

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WE DON'T KNOW which London team Mr. Neal has reference to, but suppose it is the International League team. However, it is just possible that the Philadelphia gentleman has heard of the famous Clarence street Lions and is curious of exhibiting them in Philly'.

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SPEAKING OF THE LIONS reminds us that yesterday the Stars met and were jolted into defeat by the Lions by a score of 9 to 1. Catalano and Muscari were the chief offenders for the Lions, while Wiltse and Ward—not Chink—delivered the goods—or attempted to do so for the Stars. The game took place on the Tin Can Alley Flats and was witnesses by a large crowd of celebrities, including Sticks, Steel, Mickey Flinn and all the rest of the gang.

All the Games in the Big Leagues

EASTERN LEAGUE.

At Jersey City (first game)— R. H. E.
Buffalo 3 5 3
Jersey City 2 3 4

Batteries — McConnell and Ryan and Young; Wood and Black. Umpire, Black.

At Jersey City (second game)—
Buffalo 3 2 2
Jersey City 6 6 2

Batteries — Vowinkle and McAllister; Moon and Woods. Umpires, Black and Murray.

At Providence—
Rochester 4 2 3
Providence 2 5 4

Batteries—Bannister and Irwin; Barry and Peterson. Umpire, Walker.

At Baltimore—
Montreal 1 6 1
Baltimore 8 12 1

Batteries — Gardner and Ball; Adkins and Robinson. Umpires, Stafford and Toft.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington and Detroit, postponed on account of rain.

At Cleveland (12 innings) R. H. E.
Philadelphia 3 6 1
Cleveland 4 11 4

Batteries—Dygert and Powers; Liebhardt and Bemis. Umpire, Connolly.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Philadelphia (first game)— R. H. E.
Boston 3 7 1
Philadelphia 2 7 2

Batteries—Ferguson and Graham; Foxen and Dooin. Umpires, Rigler and Rudderham.

At Philadelphia (second game)—
Boston 2 6 3
Philadelphia 5 10 1

Batteries — Lindaman and Bowerman; McQuillen and Dooin. Umpires, Rigler and Rudderham.

At Pittsburg—
Chicago 3 8 0
Pittsburg 0 3 2

Batteries—Brown and Kling; Willis and Gibson. Umpire, Johnston.

At New York—
Brooklyn 5 9 2
New York 1 7 2

Batteries—Rucker and Bergen; Crandall and Bresnahan. Umpire, O'Day.

BRAWNY SCOTS HOLD GAMES AT SEAFORTH

Seaforth, Aug. 12. — The results of the Sons of Scotland athletic meet, held here today, were as follows:

100 yards dash—1 F. S. Brent, Woodstock; 2 S. Hitchen, Toronto; 3 J. C. White, Parkhill.

Two miles—1 T. Fellan, Toronto; 2 J. Roe, Toronto; 3 A. Knibbs, Toronto.

220 yards—1 F. S. Brent, Woodstock; 2 J. C. White, Parkdale; 3 T. Hitchen, Toronto.

Five mile race—1 D. Fellan, Toronto; 2 N. McDougall, Porter's Hill; 3 D. Hill, Muncey.

Quarter mile race—1 F. S. Brent, Woodstock; 2 T. Hitchen, Toronto; 3 T. Adams, London.

220 yards, boys' race — 1 R. Hays, Seaforth; 2 N. Smith, Seaforth; 3 W. Beattie, Seaforth.

Running high jump—1 A. T. Reid, Toronto; 2 J. Langstrath, Toronto; 3 T. Hitchen, Toronto.

Pole vault—1 Frank Caven, Detroit; 2 S. T. Longshaw, Toronto; 3 T. Weld, Toronto.

POWELL, OF CANADA, WON IN SCOTLAND

London, Aug. 12. — In the Scottish tennis finals R. B. Powell, of Canada, beat D. W. Kitching, 7—5, 6—2, 6—3.

In the gentleman's doubles Pritchett (London) and Powell (Canada) beat Fleming and Sanderson (Edinburgh), 5—7, 7—3, 7—5, 7—5.

M'GRATH MAKES WORLD RECORD WITH HAMMER

Dublin, Aug. 13.—A new world's record for throwing the hammer was established in the Gaelic meet at Nenagh yesterday, when M. J. McGrath, of the New York A. C., hurled the weight a distance of 176 feet.

McGrath scored another victory in the 56-pound shot put. The Mercury Footer tossed the weight 39 feet 3 inches from a nine-foot circle.

GEORGE BARBER WON 220-YARD RACE

Toronto, Aug. 13. — The 220 and the 880 yards races were the events pulled off at 'Varsity track by the Central Y. M. C. A. men last night.

George H. Barber, fresh from England, won the 220 yards in 23 seconds, third.

In the 880 yards Hortrum, who had 15 yards' handicap, won in 2 minutes 5 seconds; Mitchell, 50 yards, second, and Crawford, scratch, third.

BARNEY OLDFIELD BREAKS A RECORD

Lexington, Ky., Aug. 13. — In an attempt to break the world's automobile record for one mile, Barney Oldfield broke the state and track record at the Blue Grass Fair Grounds yesterday, going the mile in 52⅕ seconds. Chas. Soules, who was racing against Oldfield, made the mile in 59¾ seconds.

LONDON RIFLE TEAM FOR LONG BRANCH

In all probability London will be well represented in the annual matches of the Ontario Rifle Association at Long Branch, Aug. 25 to 28.

The Forest City has any number of clever marksmen, and already the local militia authorities are talking of sending a large delegation to the shoots.

The prize list for the O. R. A. shoot is one of the best that has ever been offered in Canada, and include $5,500 in cash besides numerous handsome trophies and cups.

Special matches will be held for tyros and special prizes will be offered for green shots in every match.

In all there will be nineteen matches and these will be open to members of the militia, rifle clubs and civilians. The usual attendance at these shoots is 350.

All entries should be addressed to Capt. A. A. Miller, 152 Bay street, Toronto. Entries after Aug. 18 will cost 10 per cent extra.

The Long Branch ranges are conveniently reached by the Mimico electric road from Toronto and on the main line of the Grand Trunk. Accommodation tents and meals will be provided on the ranges at reasonable terms.

On City Diamonds

Monday night the Dominions met and defeated the Aberdeens 25-12. Both are o fthe Playground League. The feature of the game was Brennan's base running. This game was of particular interest, being started twice before, but had to be called off once on account of darkness and once on account of a tie, it being too dark to play it off. The lineup for the winners was: Wheatcroft, c.; H. Weekes, p.; W. Weekes, 1stb.; Brennan, 2ndb.; T. Chatto, s. s.; Schooley, 3rd b.; Sage, l. f.; Wallace, r. f.; Long, c. f.

"Bunk" Hill's brindle bull pup ate the ball that was to have been used in the Riverbends-Stars game yesterday and the contest has been postponed for a week in consequence.

"Fat" Mitchell will soon be in the game once more and will join one of the Playgrounds teams. He is being trained by Bananna Jim M., who has compelled him to cut out cigar bands.

Watertown, N. Y., Aug. 12. — The Rudder cup race from Hamilton, Ont., to Chaumont, N. Y., was finished off Chaumont last night, Rochester Yacht Club boats taking the honors. Genesee was first and Iroquois second on both lapsed and corrected time. The winner's corrected time was 31 hours, 50 minutes and 55 seconds for a course of 165 miles. Invader, of Royal Hamilton Yacht Club, of Hamilton, was third, and Tantrum, of Rochester, fourth. Crescent, Watertown; Cherlya, Kingston; Petrel II., Hamilton; Brenda, Hamilton; Squirrel, Toronto; Helen, Hamilton, finished in order.

Special prizes for boats of classes A, B and C were won respectively by Iroquois, Genesee and Tantrum, all of Rochester. Winds were very light throughout the race. The principal prize was the Rudder cup offered by Thomas Fleming Day, and was also won by Genesee.

LINER SOUTHWARK HAS BEEN FLOATED

Quebec, Que., Aug. 12.—The steamship Southwark of the Dominion Line, reported aground in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, was floated at Point Amour at 9 a.m.

STIRRED UP

Amherstburg, Ont., Aug. 12. — This town is stirred up over another liquor prosecution by Inspector Smyth, in which George Holmes, of the Amherstburg House, is the central figure. As the result of the information laid my Smyth, Holmes has been convicted of selling during prohibited hours and fined $200, with the further possibility of losing his license if the conviction, which is registered as a third offence, is sustained.

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A RAGING STORM AT PORT STANLEY

A Record-Breaking Downpour—Cars Tied Up and Streets Deluged.

(By Our Own Man.)

Port Stanley, Aug. 12.—As the shades of evening fell yesterday and the big, blood-red harvest moon arose out of the lake, it could be seen that a storm was coming. The moon first appeared to be "as large as a washtub," but as it rose seemed to decrease in size and changed from its blood-red color to yellow, then to silver, and lastly to green. The clouds began to thicken and the atmosphere grew very heavy and sultry. No change took place until about 5:30 a. m., when a breeze sprang up which rapidly drove the stray clouds into one solid mass. For a couple of hours this combination grew in size. The water of the lake turned to inky blackness, while thunder rolled incessantly. Thus the cloud arose over the lake. It passed slowly and majestically over the village, swayed uncertainly above the Pere Marquette depot, widened out a little and then broke. And what a break it was.

For a solid half hour the rain fell in torrents. The streets were flooded several inches deep. The road leading down Invererie Heights was a large-sized cataract. The street cars stood helplessly on the track unable to move a foot, as they were entirely surrounded by water and the power was off. A small rivulet which flows along the lake road for a short distance became a surging river four feet wide and two or three feet in depth. All the flats and low-lying ground are small lakes in which the children of the village are disporting themselves. An old resident says he had not seen such a heavy rainfall in so short a time for over thirty years.

The arrival of Mr. Edward Banks, of London, is looked forward to with interest on Hill Crest.

Visitor From China.

Miss Ruth Megs, of Hong Kong, China, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell, Broadview Cottage, New Orchard Beach.

Miss Frances Happ, of Rochester, N. Y., and Miss Louisa Torry, of Brantford, arrived at Idle Hour, Orchard Beach, last night.

Miss Lees, of London, is the guest of the Misses Torry, New Orchard Beach.

Campbell Fraser, of London, spent Tuesday on Hill Crest renewing old acquaintances.

Miss Beatrice Idsardi, of St. Thomas, is visiting her friend, Miss Pauline Smith, at Shady Nook, Orchard Beach.

Harold Smith, of Idlewild, New Orchard Beach, is in possession of a very handsome thoroughbred fox terrier pup, which was a present to him from Miss Edna Pulver, of The Clifton, Hill Crest.

The management of Hill Crest have very kindly consented to give a "hard-times ball" on Wednesday evening, 19th inst., and on the following Wednesday evening a fancy-dress ball will be held. Valuable prizes for the worst and for the best costumes will be given at both events. An augmented orchestra will furnish the music.

The Sterling Bank has moved to its handsome new quarters in Matt. Loney's flatiron building, which is now completed.

Mr. Frank Kerr, of Toronto, is holidaying at the White House, Hill Crest.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Evans, of London, were visitors to the village yesterday.

The bi-weekly dance at Hill Crest tonight was a very pleasing event.

Miss Eva Taylor left today for London, where she will visit friends for a few days.

A. R. Going appeared before County Magistrate Hunt last evening charged by the Elgin Humane Society with ill-using his horse on Hill Crest on July 25. As sufficient evidence could not be produced the case was dismissed.

MORE RACE MAKING BY HIS MAJESTY

King Edward Anxious To Show Germans No Ill Feeling Exists.

London, Aug. 12.—The visits paid by King Edward to Emperor William at Cronburg, and to Emperor Francis-Joseph, at Ischl, while not likely to lead to any formal diplomatic transactions, are considered highly important in official circles as affecting the relations of Great Britain, Germany and Austria-Hungary.

It is understood that King Edward particularly wished to see Emperor William to arrange a visit for himself and Queen Alexandra to Berlin in return for the Emperor's visit to London, and His Majesty the King also wanted to show the Germans by his relations with his royal nephew, that the ententes which had been brought about with his influence had not aimed against Germany.

LIPTON WILLING TO TRY AGAIN

Would Challenge for America's Cup Under the Universal Measurement Rule.

London, Aug. 12.—Flushed with the successes of his new racing yacht Shamrock, which has won 24 of the 27 contests in which she started in the regattas held this year in home waters, Sir Thomas Lipton is more anxious than ever to try again for the America cup. There are still six weeks for him to issue a challenge for a race off Sandy Hook in August of 1909, and he is hoping that some intimation will come from the New York Yacht Club that a challenge, if sent, will be accepted. Without such intimation Sir Thomas will not ask any British yacht club to challenge on his behalf.

"The ambition of my life," Sir Thomas said today, "is to bring back the cup to Great Britain. Personally, I am willing to challenge under the old rules, but I cannot get a designer of standing to build another freak cruiser, so I am waiting an intimation that the New York Yacht Club will accept a challenge similar to that sent last year, which I have reason to believe some members of the club favor.

"My conditions are quite simple. All that I ask is to be allowed to build a challenger under the universal rules that now govern all yacht racing in America, and that I be permitted to build two boats, the fastest of which will cross the Atlantic. The deed of gift I believe, will not prevent the acceptance of a challenge under these conditions.

"So long as the New York Yacht Club insists upon a race between machines which serve no useful purpose, there is no possibility of a challenge, but as soon as they are willing to race under the rules adopted for the American regattas I am ready and anxious for another try."

"Designer Fife since the Shamrock has proved such a success, is more confident than ever of his ability to design a boat under the universal rule which will be successful in lifting the cup. During his visit to America last year, Mr. Fife carefully observed the new ideas adopted by transatlantic builders and designers, and many of these have been embodied in the Shamrock. A combination of his own and American ideas, with improvements learned from the experience with the Shamrock, Mr. Fife believes, will produce a boat that will stand a better chance than any previous competitor of bringing back the cup.

A municipal Pasteur institute, where victims of dogs or other animals whose bites produce rabies can be cared for at cost or at the city's expense, is proposed by a Chicago alderman.



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Flower Show Is Very Attractive
Visitors Praise Splendid Exhibits

Display of Gladioli—Other Flowers of Great Beauty Are Shown.

The flower show held by the London Horticultural Society in the city hall was largely attended last evening, in spite of the bad weather, and there was a big crowd this morning.

All the flowers have been placed in position, making what is certainly one of the finest shows ever given by the society.

The number of exhibitors is larger than ever before, while the quality of the exhibits is much better than at any time during the history of the society.

"This show is better than anything we could have in Toronto," said a visitor this morning. "It is one of the finest displays of flowers I have seen in a long time."

The Gladioli.

The show is particularly strong in gladioli. The best exhibitor in this branch is the expert, Mr. H. H. Groff, of Simcoe, perhaps the leading exhibitor of this kind of flowers in America. He has some specimens that for daintiness of color would be extremely hard to excel.

Some of the local exhibitors also have most creditable displays. Mr. E. J. Liddicoatt has some very fine samples. Mr. John Paine has some pure white gladioli that are very hard to equal. Several other exhibitors have excellent displays.

Begonias.

There is also a fine showing of tuberous begonias, some of the best plants that have ever been shown in this city being on exhibition. Mr. G. Loveless, Mr. John Paine and Mr. E. Hamilton have some splendid specimens.

The petunias are also very fine. Miss A. M. Johnston, Mr. W. H. Bartlett and the London Asylum show the best of these and they are good.

Mr. C. Gilbert has a large display of very fine asters, about as pretty a lot as one would care to see.

There is quite a display of double sunflowers on exhibition. These are somewhat rare, but are very fine. Mr. S. Scott has some fine ones.

Mr. C. J. Fox shows some apios tuberosa, a wild plant very rare nowadays. It is extremely pretty and was admired by a large number this morning.

Miss A. M. Johnston shows a fine specimen of lobelia cardinalis, another wild flower of beautiful color.

A Splendid Variety.

In ferns and decorative plants, J. Gammage & Sons show a splendid variety.

John Payne has also some good tigridia on show.

Among the exhibitors who were not mentioned in yesterday's list are J. Gammage & Sons, W. Wheatcroft, the London Asylum, George Loveless, Geo. Petfield, Percy M. Millman, F. S. Cheeseman, Mrs. McCully, Mrs. C. M. Main, Mrs. R. J. Webb, W. H. Bartlett, R. W. Puddicombe, A. McPherson, Miss A. M. Johnston, Emery Hamilton, F. J. Reid, Waterworks Park, W. E. Saunders, Mrs. Dix, A. F. Wicks, Dr. A. O. Jeffery and Parks Commissioner Pearce.

Londoners Form a Checker Club

For the first time in years London is to have a checker club. A meeting of checker-players was held at the Y. M. C. A. last night, and as a result the formation of the London Checker Club is announced.

The officers of the new club are: President, W. D. Benson; vice-president, Edwin Smith; secretary-treasurer, Guy Adams.

The club is now open for challenges from outside clubs, and this winter intends to arrange special matches. Monday and Thursday nights have been selected for playing checkers and chess, but the clubrooms will be open every night during the week, when the members are desirous of playing.

Local and outside checker and chess players are invited to place themselves in touch with the club.

Street Lighting for Fair Laid Over

At the regular meeting of No. 3 committee last evening, the matter of lighting the streets for the Western Fair was discussed. A communication from Mr. A. M. Hunt, secretary of the Western Fair, was read, asking that the decorations used for the Old Boys be left for the Fair, and that the city pay for it.

The London Electric Company offered to light the streets for $150. It was pointed out, however, that a number of the lights were burned out, and that these should be replaced. Mr. C. B. Hunt, manager of the company, declared that the tender merely covered the actual cost of lighting, so the company could not see its way clear to replace the lights.

On motion of Ald. Booth it was decided to accept the tender of the London Electric Company for lighting the streets, the matter of replacing the burned-out lights to be left with Ald. Greenless, the chairman, to adjust.

C. P. R. Wants Light.

Mr. W. C. Whittaker, freight agent of the C. P. R., asked that the city erect a light at the corner of Adelaide street and the C. P. R. He declared that the corner was very badly lighted, and that several bad accidents had occurred to railway employes owing to this fact.

City Engineer Graydon thought the city had no right to pay for a light at this corner. The company should look after its own employes. He also called attention to the fact that this crossing is a very dangerous one, and should be protected by gates and a watchman.

The communication of Mr. Whittaker was filed.

A Street Railway Claim.

Mr. George Bentson, acting manager of the London Street Railway Company, claimed that the chemical solution put on the streets for laying the dust formed a gum on the rails, impeding railway traffic. As the committee does not intend using any more of the stuff on the streets the communication was filed.

The request of the McCormick Manufacturing Company to connect a private fire alarm system with the central system at their expense was granted.

The petition for an electric light at Kenneth avenue was laid over.

Those present were Ald. Greenlees (chairman), Ald. Booth, Ald. Moorhead, Fire Chief Clark, Inspector McCallum and Secretary Bell.

Much Damage by Storm in East End

Yesterday afternoon's storm worked great havoc, especially in the south-eastern section of the city. The gospel tent, where evangelistic services have been held each evening for some time, was blown over, the guy-ropes having been snapped off by the high wind. The tent was situated on the south side of the Hamilton road, opposite Chesley avenue.

Over one hundred feet of fencing surrounding the store of C. W. Summers on the corner of Trafalgar street and the Hamilton road were blown over. A heavy plate glass door in one of the upper rooms was also forced out.

One of the heaviest losers was a grocer named Alexander. A plate glass window about ten feet long was blown out. The loss was about $50. The store is a new one on the corner of Egerton street and the Hamilton road.

A large maple tree on Oak street was struck by lightning and thrown across the sidewalk.

More Damage.

A large chimney was knocked off the Homister House, but no person was injured.

The skylight on Linell's store, on the Hamilton road, near Rectory street, was blown completely off. The loss will be considerable.

A tree in front of Dr. Smith's drug store on the Hamilton road, east of Rectory street, was knocked down by lightning and fell across the cornice, smashing it.

A number of apple trees on the property of Mr. Dunlop, the market gardener, were snapped off by the high wind, which struck them without any protection. The property is on Trafalgar street, opposite where two houses were blown down.

While Mrs. A. Roberts, of 963 Dame street, was ironing in the kitchen of her home yesterday afternoon, lightning struck the high chimney, and tore a hole in the roof. She has not yet recovered from the shock she sustained.

200 Phones Were Out of Business

Over 200 phones were put out of commission owing to the storm of yesterday afternoon.

The lightning played havoc with the company's lines, and as a result over 200 subscribers do not listen to the sweet voice of the "Hello" girl.

The trouble is quite well distributed, although the most serious damage was done in South London.

There the wind helped the lightning in its deadly work, and blew several wires down.

One or two of them became crossed with the street railway wires, with the result that one or two sections in the south side of the city is absolutely without telephone connection.

The company has a large gang of men at work and are repairing the damage as rapidly as possible.

King Street Pavement Needs Repairs

King street pavement will come before No. 2 committee this evening. A deputation of the residents of that street will address the aldermen, and will ask that the committee repair the pavement out of the $800 left as a guarantee by Blight & Fielder, the contractors.

The residents feel, it is said, that the pavement was not as was represented, and that they are entitled to some compensation.

Ten per cent of the contract, amounting to something over $800, was left as a guarantee fund.

It is thought by some that this money can be used to put the pavement in a good state of repair.

Some of the city officials thought the money could not be used for the purpose of repairing the road, but it is understood that it can be so used, and that the board of works will recommend that the street be repaired with the money.

HAPPENINGS OF A DAY IN BUSY EAST LONDON.

PICNIC HAS BEEN FINALLY CALLED OFF

Rain Completely Spoiled the Outing of St. Mary's Church Children.

The big picnic of the societies of St. Mary's Church, which was to have been held yesterday at Port Stanley, but which was postponed until today on account of rain, has been called off, and there will be no outing at the lake this year.

It was a big disappointment for the children, but they managed to make the best of it by holding a luncheon in St. Mary's Hall this afternoon.

All the provisions for the next day's picnic had been left at the hall Tuesday evening, and as these were not built to last, the children were called together this afternoon.

They managed to have a very enjoyable time.

EAST END LADY HAD A CLOSE CALL

Was in House Struck by Lightning on Wednesday Afternoon.

Among the places visited by the lightning during yesterday afternoon's storm, was the house of Mr. William Ward, 436 Hamilton road.

The lightning entered the house by the front door and passed out the back.

It tore the framework from the screen door on the front of the house and melted the wire netting.

Mrs. Ward was the only person in the house at the time, but fortunately she escaped serious injury. She was in the kitchen when the bolt passed through, and received only a slight shock. She has been unwell today, however, as the result of her experience.

Both front and back doors were open.

A PRETTY WEDDING

Carswell-Waunch Nuptials in the East End.

A pretty but quiet wedding was solemnized last night at the residence of Rev. W. J. Baird the pastor of the Hyatt Avenue Methodist Church, when Miss Lottie Waunch, the daughter of Mr. Joseph Waunch, of 130 Egerton street, was married to Mr. Robert Carswell, of this city.

The ceremony was performed by Mr. Baird in the presence of a few friends and relatives of the couple. The bride was assisted by her sister, Miss Ethel Waunch and the groom by Mr. Hugh McDonald.

The happy couple will reside at 138 Egerton street.

Were Asked to Go Back to Jobs
Statement Made by C. P. R. Strikers

Company Alleged to Have Promised to Dismiss All Strike-Breakers If Offer Was Accepted.

The C. P. R. strikers are now resting on their oars, and waiting for orders from the union headquarters in Montreal.

Seven of the strikebreakers who were employed by the company are said to have left work yesterday—five in the morning and two in the afternoon. These will seek employment in Toronto and St. Thomas.

The union men who are now on strike number 22, and according to the strikers but ten of these vacancies have been filled.

They still claim that the strike is delaying traffic.

As an instance of this, one man cited an occurrence, which, he says, took place last evening, when the Chatham local was about to leave the city. The car men were incompetent and were unable to couple the engine to the train. A delay of several minutes resulted.

The pickets are still on duty at the roundhouse, and they claim that the result of their work is most satisfactory.

How About This?

A Toronto dispatch says: The strikers feel that the strike is assuming a more serious aspect than they had anticipated. "The company is evidently obtaining men," said a member of the press committee, "and more particularly at terminal points."

The press committee announced that it had obtained information to the effect that Superintendent Nelson, of London, had tried to induce the union men to return to work there, and promised that if they would comply with his request he would immediately discharge the strikebreakers. The report stated that the men emphatically refused to consider his offer. It is quite likely that an open mass meeting of the strikers and brotherhood organizations will be held at the Junction about the latter part of the week, to which prominent public speakers will be invited. The strikers also state that they are busy gathering information relative to some of the strikebreakers, who, they declare, have been brought in from the United States, which is a breach of the alien labor act.

C. P. R. Men Expect an Early Peace

Special to The Advertiser.)

Forty strikebreakers arrived in the city this morning and were shipped to the West Toronto shops. The feeling prevails in strike circles that President Shaughnessy will take hold of the situation and make a settlement. Men are not worrying over money, as they have the support of employes working in other departments of the C. P. R.

Rain marred the efforts of the local Knight Templars to make the Sovereign Great Priory of Canada this year a record-breaker. Proceeding of the great Priorp from a business standpoint was brought to a close this afternoon. Morning session consisted of visiting Sir Knights and addresses of welcome.

Local Items

—Miss E. M. Boyle, who passed the senior matriculation examination in part I., secured honors.

Broken Wire.

A broken wire on Horton street caused a delay of two or three hours in the operation of cars on that street last evening.

Manager Beard Better.

Mr. C. H. Beard, manager of the Bell Telephone Company, who ras been confined to his home for some time by illness, is much improved and is now able to be about. He will rest some time before resuming his duties.

Loving Cup for Mayor.

Mayor Stevely gave a complimentary dinner last evening to his visitors and intimate friends at the Kennels. At the conclusion of the dinner, he was presented with a loving cup by the gentlemen present. His Worship made a fitting reply to the kindly words of his guests.

Pretty Souvenir.

Mr. E. J. MacRobert, president of the London Old Boys' Association, yesterday received a membership ticket from the Petrolea Old Boys' Association. It is enclosed in a leather case, and is very pretty souvenir. Mr. MacRobert is very proud of the souvenir.

Late Mrs. McGlinch.

A telegram has been received from Hilden, Nova Scotia, announcing the death of Mrs. Mary McGlinch in her ninetieth year. Mrs. McGlinch was a sister of Mrs. Henry Johnson, 230 Piccadilly street, and of the late John, James and Job Cousins, of this city. Mrs. Wm. Read, of Lucan, is a daughter.

Raided Tomatoes.

Tomatoes come high in London Township, when one gets caught taking them. Today a number of youngsters appeared in the county magistrates' court and were taxed $3 60 costs, each having helped themselves to some of their neighbor's produce.

Late Dr. Woodruff.

The funeral of Dr. Woodruff took place today at St. Catherines. The services here were conducted by the Rev. Dean Davis, of this city. The pallbearers were Mr. George C. Gibbons, Mr. T. H. Smallman, Mr. F. T. Trebilcock, Hon. C. S. Hyman, Major Beattie, M. P., and Mr. Marshall Graydon.

Benefit Concert.

Friday night, Aug. 14, the band concert will be held in Victoria Park in aid of Mrs. Sully and family, of Wellington street. The bands is not receiving a cent for its services, so that every cent taken up at the gates by the postmen will go to the lady. The programme will be published tomorrow.

A Heavy Fine.

Port Huron Times: Wesley McFarland, the Petrolea, Ont., young man, arrested with May Blevins at the Atlantic Hotel on Friday last, was given a severe sentence by Judge Law this morning. He was charged with living illegally with the woman, and was ordered to pay a fine of $300 or spend from six months on one year in Ionia reformatory. The court recommended a maximum term of eight months.

Mrs. McFarland, wife of the prisoner, called at the jail this morning and assured her husband that she would arrange with a London, Ont., man to pay the fine. No disposition has been made of the woman as yet.

Visit the Flower Flow in City Hall tonight. Best show ever.

SOUTH LONDON LADY DEAD

Mrs. Catharine McIntyre, of Askin Street, Passes Away.

The death occurred last night of Mrs. Catherine McIntyre, aged 60, at her home, 102 Askin street. Mrs. McIntyre had been ill for some time and death was, therefore, not entirely unexpected. She is survived by a daughter, Miss May, at home. Mr. McIntyre died several years ago.

By request of the deceased the funeral will take place from the home of Mrs. McIntyre's brother, Mr. Peter McBane, lot 2, concession 6, Lobo Township, tomorrow at 9 a. m. Mrs. McIntyre was born in Lobo Township. Interment will be made in Lobo cemetery.

—The flower show in the city hall closes at 10 o'clock tonight. It is beautiful and well worthy of a visit.

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SEVERELY SHOCKED

Man Thrown to Floor While Using Phone in Livery Stable.

While Mr. Hugh Tupholme, of 541 Hamilton road, was using the telephone at Rose's livery, on Rectory street, during yesterday's storm, he received a very heavy shock. He was thrown from the phone, but was not seriously injured. He was somewhat ill today as a result of the shock.

SEEKING A LOCATION FOR CANADIAN BRANCH

The Reversible Window Company, of Detroit, is looking for a satisfactory location for a Canadian branch, and wrote the city clerk, asking what inducements the city could offer the firm.

It is one of the largest firms in this branch of the business in the States, and Mr. A. R. Mitchell, the secretary, declared that the firm would establish a Canadian branch shortly.

Mayor Stevely will send the communication to the manufacturers' committee, and an effort will be made to get in touch with the firm at once.

LATEST STOCK MARKET REPORTS

MONTREAL.

	Asked.	Bid.
Bell Telephone	156½	..
Canadian Pacific	172½	171¾
Detroit Elec Ry	41½	41
Dom. Coal, common	58	57
Dom. Coal, preferred	100	97
Dom. I. & S. common	16	15¼
Dom. I. & S. preferred	66	65¾
Havana Electric	32½	31
Havana Electric, preferred	80¼	..
Illinois Traction, pref	88½	88
Lake of Woods, common	89½	89¼
Mackay, common	69¼	68½
Mackay, pref	69½	69
Mexican L. & P.	70¾	70⅝
Minn. & St. Paul	120	119½
Mt. L. H. & P	95¼	94¾
Mont. St. Ry	181	180⅝
New St. Ry	174	..
Mont. Steel Works	..	69
Mont. Telegraph Co	141	136½
Nipissing	8¾	8⅝
N. S. Steel & Coal	48¼	48
Ogilvie Mill Com	106½	105
R. & O. Nav	75½	74
Rio de Jan. L. & P.	60½	60
Toronto Railway	107	106⅝
Twin City	..	90
Winnipeg Railway	163½	162
Radials, bonds	98	96
Shawinigan	71	70
Nenman	25	34
Mexican preferred	108	107
East Town. Bank	..	149
Merchants Bank	..	154½
Molsons Bank	196	..
Bank of Montreal	234	232½
Bank of Nova Scotia	..	277
Quebec Bank	..	124
Royal Bank	218	..
Bank of Toronto	..	215
Union Bank	136	133½
Textile, common	..	42
Dominion Textile, preferred	..	85¼
Cement	..	127
Dominion Coal bonds	91½	..
Dominion I. & S. bonds	78¼	77½
Halifax Tram bonds	..	95½
Laur Paper bonds	..	105
Mex. L. & P. bonds	..	84
Mex. L. & P.	..	89¼
N. S. Steel and Coal	108	104
Nova Scotia Con	103	100
Rio de Janeiro	86	85½
Textile bonds A	..	85
Textile bonds B	..	85
Textile bonds C	85	84¾
Textile bonds D	..	85
Winnipeg Elec	102	..
Windsor	96	90

Montreal, Aug. 13.—Sales: Pacific, 10 at 172¼, 10 at 172½, 50 at 172½; Street Railway, 25 at 180¾; Havana, com., 40 at 33, 50 at 32¾, 25 at 33; Mexican, pref., 50 at 107; Twin City, 15 at 91; Havana, pref., 25 at 80½; Toronto Railway, 85 at 106½; Illinois, 15 at 83¾, 20 at 88, 10 at 88½; Mexican, 25 at 70¾, 250 at 71, 75 at 71¼, 100 at 71½, 50 at 71¾, 107 at 71; Power, 3 at 95; MacKay, pref., 15 at 69½, 13 at 89; Textile bonds, 5,000 at 85; Rio, 100 at 60½, 50 at 60¾, 50, 60 at 60½ 25 at 61; Detroit, 100 at 41; Shawinigan, 29 3at 70; Hochelaga Bank, 4, 3 at 135; Soo, co, 95, 75 at 120, 75 at 120¼, 25 at 119⅞, 100 at 119; Woods, com, 25 at 89½; Iron, com, 100 at 15¼, 5 at 15½, 5 at 15; Merchants' Bank, 1 at 154½; Quebec Bank, 14 at 124; Iron, pfd, 21 at 65, 15 at 65¾, 350 at 66; Nova Scotia, com, 35 at 48; Iron bonds, 10000 at 78; Bank of Commerce, 1 at 160.

TORONTO.

	Asked.	Bid.
Bell Telephone	..	135
Can. Gen. Elec	103	98
C. P. R.	173	172
City Dairy, com	25	..
C. N. W. Land	105	..
Consumers Gas	..	102
Detroit United	..	40
Dom. Coal, common	60	56
Dom. Telegraph	110	..
Illinois, pref	..	88
Lake of Woods	..	89
Laurentide, common	107	103
Laurentide, pref	113	110
Mackay, common	69	68½
Mackay, pref	69½	68½
Mexican L. & P.	71	70
Mexico Tramway	118	116
M. St. P & S. S. M.	120	..
Niagara Nav	122	..
Niagara, St. C. & T.	..	75
Nipissing Mill Co	9	8½
Northern Star	SHRD	UUN
Northern Nav	97	..
N. S. Steel, common	..	47
Prairie Lands	..	180
Rio Jan Tram	60¾	60½
Sao Paulo Tram	147	146
Toronto Railway	..	106½
Twin City	9 1	90½
Winnipeg Railway	165	162¾
Bank of Commerce	..	100
Dominion Bank	..	231
Hamilton Bank	..	191
Imperial Bank	223	220
Standard Bank	222	219

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Agricultural Loan	..	119
Canada Landed	..	123
Canada Permanent	..	134
Central Canada	..	160
Dom. Savings	72	70½
Hamilton Prov.	120	..
Huron & Erie	..	180
Lon. & Canadian	..	105
National Trust	150	..
Ontario Loan	..	129
Ontario Loan, 20 p.c. pd	..	120
Real Estate	..	85
Toronto Gen. Trusts	..	143
Toronto Mortgage	..	109
Elec. Development	..	84
Mexican Electric	85½	84¾
Rio Janeiro	86	85½

Morning sales: Rio 25, 10, 75, 25, 30 at 60; 25 at 60⅛; 25 at 60¼; 25 at 60⅜; 25, 100 at 6½; 25, 10, 25, 25 at 61; 50, 25, 25, 15, at 61⅛; 5 at 61¼; 25 at 60¾; 25 at 60⅜; 25 at 60⅛; Bonds, first mortgage, $2,000 at 85½; $2,000, $1,000, $1,000 at 85⅜; $4,000 at 81. Winnipeg, 15, 10, 25 at 163; 5 at 163¼. Toronto Rails, 8 at 106½; 35 at 106¾. Mex. L. & P., 25 at 70; 30 at 70½; 25, 25 at 70⅝; 100, 50, 10, 100 at 70½; 25 at 70¼; 15, 10, 10 at 70½; 25 at 70⅝; 25, 25 at 70¾; 25, 25 at 70⅞; 50 at 71; 25, 25, 50 at 71⅛; 50, 25 at 71¼; 25, 25 at 71⅜. Mackay, 10, 10 at 9; preferred, 13 at 9¼. C. P. R., 25 at 172½. Niagara, 18 at 120. Sao Paulo, 5 at 147; 25 at 147½; 50 at 148! 25 at 147¼; 25 at 147; 25 at 146⅞; 7, 35 at 146¼; 25, 25, 5, 25 at 146½. Twin City, xd., 25, 5 at 90½; 25 at 90⅝; 25 at 90¾; 50 , 30 at 90½; 10, at 90⅝. Nipissing, 20 at 8¾; 180 at 8¾; 10 at 8¾; 50 at 8¾. Can. Land., 2 at 126.

NEW YORK.
Reported by C. N. Spencer, Stockbroker, Market Lane, for The Advertiser.
New York, Aug. 13

	Open	High	Low	2 p.m.
Amal. Copper	81⅛	81⅞	79⅝	79⅞
American Sugar Co	137¼	137¼	135½	135½
American Locomotive	59⅛	59¼	58¼	58¼
American Foundry	41	41⅝	41	41⅝
American Refining Co	98½	99⅜	97⅝	98
American Cotton Oil	35¾	35¾	35¼	35¼
Atchison com	89¼	89¼	88⅜	88½
Atchison, pfd	98	..	..	..
Baltimore & Ohio	95⅜	95⅜	94	94
Brooklyn Transit	56	56¾	55⅞	55⅞
C. P. R.	172¾	172¾	172	172
Ches. & Ohio	43	43	42½	42½
Chic. Great Western	6¾	6¾	6⅝	6⅝
Colorado Fuel & Iron	36	36	34⅞	34⅞
Chicago & North.	161¾	..	..	..
Distillers	37¾	37¾	37½	37½
Erie	24	24	23⅝	23⅝
Great Northern Pref.	140	140	138¾	139⅛
Illinois Central	138¾	..	..	..
Inter Met. Pref.	33¾	34	33¾	33¾
Kansas & Texas Com	33¼	33½	32¾	32¾
Louisville & Nashville	111½	111½	110¾	110¾
Missouri Pacific	58¾	60	58	58
New York Central	109⅝	109⅝	108¼	108¼
Northern Pacific	146⅜	146⅜	144⅞	145
Norfolk & Western	76¾	76¾	75½	75½
Nat. Lead	88	89	87½	87½
Ontario & Western	43¾	43¾	42¾	42¾
Pennsylvania	126⅛	126⅞	125½	125⅞
Peoples Gas	96½	..	..	..
Pressed Steel	36	..	..	..
Reading	128¾	128¾	126¾	127¼
Republic Iron & Steel	23¾	23¾	23½	23½
Rock Island	17½	..	..	..
Southern Railway	20	..	..	..
Southern Pacific	97⅝	97⅝	96	96⅜
St. Paul	147	147	144⅞	145⅜
Texas	25¼	..	..	..
Union Pacific	159¼	159¼	157⅜	157⅜
U. S. Rubber	85	85¼	84½	85¼
U. S. Steel	47⅜	47⅜	46⅜	46⅜
U. S. Steel, pref.	110⅜	110½	109½	109½
Wabash, com	18	..	..	..
Wabash, pref.	27⅞	27⅞	27⅛	27⅛

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	99⅜	99⅞	99¼	99⅞
Sept.	92⅛	93⅜	92⅛	93¼
Dec.	94½	95⅝	94⅜	95¼
Corn—				
May	63¼	64	63¼	63¾
Sept.	77½	77⅞	77¼	77⅝
Dec.	65	65¼	64¾	64¾
Oats—				
May	49⅞	50⅛	49⅝	49¾
Sept.	47⅜	47⅝	47¼	47⅜
Dec.	48	48⅛	47¾	47¾
Pork—				
Sept.	15 05	15 05	14 92	14 97
Oct.	15 15	15 20	15 10	15 10
Lard—				
Sept.	9 25	9 27	9 22	9 25
Oct.	9 35	9 35	9 32	9 35
Short Ribs—				
Sept.	8 57	8 65	8 57	8 65
Oct.	8 67	8 75	8 57	8 75

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LOCAL MARKET.

London, Thursday, Aug. 13.

The market was a large one for this day of the week. The smaller lines were especially well represented. The market was a slow one from the start and the rain, which fell did not improve things.

The wholesale butchers are predicting that lambs will be low in price this fall, as the restrictions which were passed by the United States Government prevents lambs from Canada being slaughtered for 30 days after their arrival at their destination. This will prevent any great quantity from being shipped from here.

Grain—Oats were in fairly large supply, but as there was a brisk demand were soon snapped up. Prices ranged from $1.50 to $1.56 per cwt. Most of the sales were made at the lower price. New oats were at $1.30 per cwt. A half-dozen loads of new wheat sold at 80c per bushel.

Butter and eggs—Butter was quite plentiful. The demand today was fairly brisk. Eggs a trifle slow at 18c per dozen for crate lots and 18½c for basket lots.

Poultry—Old fowl sold at 8c to 9c per pound alive or 9c to 10c dressed. Spring chickens, 12c per pound alive or 14c dressed. Ducks, 8c to 9c alive, or 10c dressed.

Vegetables and Roots—Potatoes sold quickly at 80c to 90c per bushel, more selling at the higher price. Tomatoes were slow, and Tuesday's prices were repeated; sales were made at five baskets for $1, 25c for a single basket. Cucumbers could be had at any old price, 5c to 10c per dozen; pickling cucumbers, 20c per 100. Dry onions sold at 80c to 90c per bushel; small pickling onions, 75c to $1 per peck. Cabbages and celery, 40c per dozen. Peas, 10c per quart. Beans, 15c per peck.

Fruits—Apples, 30c to 50c per bushel. Plums, 50c per basket. Peaches, plentiful and slow at 20c to 50c per basket. Thimbleberries, 12c to 13c per quart.

Dressed Hogs—A good demand for the small number offered. Prices firm at $9.25 per cwt.

Butchers' meat—Lamb is a little slow at 13c to 14c per pound. Veal is in good demand at $7 to $9 per cwt., the latter price for choice. Beef is a trifle slow at $5 to $7 per cwt.

Calfskins are 1c per pound higher, as they sold today at 11c.

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HAY MARKET.

Toronto, Aug. 11.—Baled straw is dull. No new straw has been offering yet, but some of it is expected to be put in bales this week.

Hay—Timothy is quoted at $9 to $10 in car lots, on track here, with No. 2 at $6 50 to $7.

Straw—Prices range from $6 to $7 per ton in car lots here.

The sugar trade has been rather dull the past week owing to the number of people who are out of town, but greater activity is looked for in the course of a week or so, when preserving of the later fruits will commence.

Local quotations are: Montreal granulated sugar, per cwt., in barrels, $4 90; yellow, $4 50; in bags prices are 5c less Acadian, in barrels or bags, $4 80; Ontario beet, in barrels or bags, $4 80.

SUGAR MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, Aug. 12.—Sugar—Raw easy; refined quiet; centrifugal, 96 test, 4.08; molasses sugar, 3.28 to 3.33. Molasses quiet.

LONDON.

London, Aug. 12.—Raw sugar, Muscovado, 10s 3d; centrifugal, 11s 4½d; beet sugar, August, 10s 3¾d.

Toronto, Aug. 12. — Local quotations are: Montreal granulated sugar, per cwt., in barrels, $4.90; yellow, $4 50; in bags prices are 5c less; Acadian, in barrels or bags, $4 80; Ontario beet, in barrels or bags, $4 80.

DAIRY MARKET.

MADOC.

Madoc, Aug. 12.—Five hundred and seventy-five boxes cheese offered; all sold at 12 3-16c.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Aug. 12.—On the produce exchange today the butter market was steady; creameries, 19c to 22c; dairies, 17c to 20c. Cheese firm, 11½c to 13c.

NEW YORK.

New York, Aug. 12.—Butter firm and unchanged; receipts, 9,461. Cheese steady; receipts, 5,910; skims, 1½c to 9½c.

COTTON MARKET.

NEW YORK.

New York, Aug. 12.—Cotton—Futures opened firm; August, 9.85 to 9.91; October, 9.35; December, 9.11; January, 9.12; March, 9.12. Closed barely steady. Closing bids: August, 9.87; September, 9.25; October, 9.10; November, 8.90; December, 8.91; January, 8.88; February, 8.90; March, 8.94. Spot closed quiet, five points lower; middling uplands, 10.50; middling gulf, 10.75; sales, 60 bales.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

LONDON.

London, Aug. 12.—Today Canadian cattle are unchanged at 13c to 14c per lb; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10c to 10½c per lb.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Aug. 13. — Trade steady; 95 loads in today including 1,271 cattle, 262 sheep and lambs, 800 hogs and 176 calves. Export cattle choice, $5 to $5 25; export cattle medium, $4 50 to $4 80; export bulls, $4 to $4 25; export bulls light, $3 to $3 50; export cows, $4 to $4 25; butchers' cattle choice, $4 80 to $5; butchers' medium, $3 90 to $4 25; butchers' common, $2 50 to $3; butchers' cows, $30 to $35; butchers' bulls, $2 25 to $2 50; stockers choice, $3 75 to $4; stockers medium, $2 75 to $3 25; stockers common, $2 to $2 50; stockers bulls, $2 to $2 25; heavy feeders, $4 40 to $4 60; short keeps, $4 60 to $4 80; milch cows choice each, $40 to $60; milch cows common each, $25 to $40; springers each, $25 to $50; export ewes, 4c to 4¼c steady; bucks, 3c to 3¼c steady; lambs, 5½c to 6¼c steady; calves, 3c to 6c steady; hogs, selects, $6 65; fat and underweights, one-quarter less, fed and watered, off cars.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Aug. 13. — Cattle — Receipts, 4,000; steady, beeves, $3 65 to $7 60; Texans, $3 50 to $5 20; westerners, $3 50 to $6; stockers and feeders, $2 40 to $4 50; cows and heifers, $1 60 to $2 75; calves, $5 50 to $7 50. Hogs—Receipts, 26,000; 10c lower; light, $6 05 to $6 60; mixed, $6 15 to $6 70; heavy, $6 to $6 70; roughs, $6 to $6 30; good to choice, heavy, $6 30 to $6 70; pigs, $5 15 to $5 80; bulk of sales, $6 40 to $6 60. Sheep — Receipts, 10,000; steady, native, $2 40 to $4 25; western, $2 75 to $4 25; yearlings, $4 25 to $5; lambs, $3 50 to $5 40; western, $4 to $7 50.

PRODUCE MARKET.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Aug. 13.—The great scarcity of cash wheat at Winnipeg has caused a sudden advance in prices. Bids on the August there went up 2c without a sale, and local dealers are quoting Manitoba wheat at an advance of 2½c. Local dealers' quotations are: Ontario wheat, old or new, No. 2, white and red 84½c to 85c; No. 2 mixed, 84c to 84½c. Manitoba wheat quotations at Georgian Bay ports: No. 1 northern, $1 15½; No. 2 northern, $1 13; No. 3 northern, $1 12. Oats—Ontario new, 39c to 41c outside; old nominal at 44c to 46c outside; Manitoba No. 2 scarce, 48c to 48½c; lake ports No. 3 46c to 46½c; rejects, 45c to 45½c. Barley quiet, old No. 2, 58c to 60c outside; No. 3, 56c to 57c outside; new, 53c to 56c. Rye, new 65c to 70c bid outside; old, no stocks. Corn nominal at 86c to 86½c. Toronto freights for No. 2 yellow and 84c to 84½c for kiln dried. Bran scarce and quiet, quoted at $16 to $18 per ton in bulk outside in bags $2 more. Shorts strong, but quiet at $20 to $21 per ton in bulk outside, in bags $2 more. Flour—Manitoba first patents $6; seconds, $5 40; strong bakers, $5 30. Ontario winter wheat patents, $3 30 to $3 35.

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BEAN MARKET.

DETROIT.

Detroit, Aug. 12. — Beans — Spot, $2 55 nominal; October, $2 10 nominal; November, $2.

ENGLISH MARKET.

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, Aug. 13.—Wheat spot steady; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 7d; No. 1 California, 7s 10½d; futures closed easy; September, 7s 4⅜d; December, 7s 5d.

Corn—Spot steady, American mixed, 7s 3½d; futures closed steady; September, 5s 9½d.

Flour—Winter patents dull, 28s 6d.

Cottonseed Oil (Hull refined)—Spot quiet, 23s 7½d.

Hops (at London)—Pacific coast steady, £1 10s to £2 5s.

Beef—Extra India mess firm, 108s 8d.

Pork—Prime mess western strong, 77s 6d.

Hams—Short cut, strong 59s 6d.

Bacon—Long, clear middles light, 48s 6d; do heavy strong, 47s. Shoulders square firm, 37s 6d.

Lard—American refined in pails steady, 47s 3d; prime western in tierces, steady, 47s 3d.

Cheese—Canadian finest colored, new, firm, 60s; do, white, new, firm, 58s 6d.

Tallow—Prime city steady, 26s 9d; Australian (in London) firm, 32s 4½d.

Turpentine Spirits—Quiet, 28s.

Linseed Oil—Steady, 25s.

Petroleum—Quiet, 6¾d.

Rosin—Common steady, 7s 9d.

RICH FINDS AT COBALT

The Crown Reserve and Larose Mines Strike Rich Ore.

Cobalt, Aug. 12.—Yesterday in the crosscut about twenty feet from the main shaft, at a depth of one hundred feet, the Crown Reserve mine struck what is believed to be their big main vein.

Two-hundred-pound nuggets were hoisted from the find last night. Supt. Cohen states that the ore is the same as the ore in the open cut one hundred and ninety feet to the west, where a large quantity of very rich ore has been taken out. The width of the vein where it was struck in the crosscut had not been determined last night, but it is believed to be equally wide as at the other end of the vein. This virtually means that high grade ore has been blocked out for one hundred and ninety feet with every likelihood of the vein continuing to the east. The vein in the open cut shows 36 inches in width. A new compressor plant will be in operation on the property next week. A big strike was made at the Larose mine this week in the north tunnel 140 feet in from the face of the cliff. It is reported that the entire face of the tunnel shows high grade ore for a width of three feet. This strike is considered very important on account of its being farther north than where other work has been done on the property.

GOES TO MARIENBAD

Emperor Francis Joseph at the Station to Say Good-Bye.

Ischl, Austria, Aug. 13. — King Edward left for Marienbad, where he will take the waters, this morning. Emperor Francis Joseph, who displayed wonderful activity during King Edward's visit, was at the railway station to bid his royal visitor farewell.

Visit the Flower Show in City Hall tonight. Best show ever.

Francis Joseph Entertains Edward

Ischl, Aug. 12.—The Emperor of Austria last night entertained King Edward at a gala dinner, during the course of which toasts were exchanged expressive of the mutual pleasure of the visit, the King congratulating Emperor Francis Joseph on the celebration of his jubilee and both dwelling with satisfaction on the friendly relations existing between the two countries. The dinner was followed by a serenade given by the Vienna Mannergesang Verein during which in obedience to flashlight signals beacon fires were lighted at 20 points in the surrounding mountains. The two monarchs then drove through Ischl to view the public fete and illuminations until nearly midnight, when the Emperor escorted his royal guest back to the hotel.

Big Preparations for Western Fair

Two committees of the Western Fair board last night met and reported on the progress of the work being done in their departments. Prospects for a successful exhibition were declared to have never been brighter.

The manufacturers' committee met at 8 o'clock, with Mr. R. A. Carrothers in the chair, and the following gentlemen present: Messrs. Whittaker, Hayman and Greer, and Directors G. G. McCormick, Ald. Saunders, William McNeil and R. Oke.

An inspection of the entries showed that the spaces in the carriage and machinery buildings had all been taken, with the exception of two.

It was decided to centralize the stove exhibit this year, instead of having it scattered all over the building, as in the past.

Mr. Wm. McNeil occupied the chair at the dog show committee meeting, which was attended by Dr. F. L. Wood, R. Oke, Dr. Drake, Wm. Saunders, Ald. Saunders, Dr. Niven, George G. McCormick and A. M. Hunt.

Secretary Hunt reported that prize lists had been mailed to all of last year's exhibitors, and that entries were already coming in in large numbers.

Mr. George Bowman was again made superintendent of the dog show, and the question of securing entries from the Toronto exhibition was left to a committee composed of Mr. Wm. McNeil, Col. McEwen and Mr. R. Oke.

All minor arrangements were left to Mr. Hunt.

The dog show last year proved one of the best features of the exhibition, and is expected this year to be far better than before.

Stolen Horse Located at Port Burwell

Woodstock Sentinel-Review: The horse, buggy and harness, belonging to Mr. J. A. Jaques, of this city, and stolen from his barn on Monday night last, was found last evening about five miles this side of Mitchell. The horse was tied to the fence, the outfit was intact, and was discovered in this position by a farmer who lives in the neighborhood. He took it to the chief of police at Mitchell, who had a description of the missing horse from County Constable Hodson yesterday morning. The buggy contained a satchel, and papers, bearing the name of Mr. Jaques.

This message was received by local authorities this morning. The supposition is that somebody wishing transportation to Mitchell facilitated the difficulty by taking the first medium in sight, that fearing detection he left the horse tied at a safe distance from telephone connection. Mr. Jaques will go to Mitchell for his outfit. Constable Hobson is looking for the man in the case.

In connection with the missing Jaques outfit, High Constable Hobson went to Port Burwell yesterday afternoon, having received a telephone message that a strange man was trying to dispose of a horse in that place. A description of the horse was not given, and when Mr. Hobson arrived he recognized it as one lately stolen from Poole's livery in London, and answering to a description previously forwarded from that centre. He immediately informed the London police of his discovery and they are expected to make an arrest.

Mr. Poole left for Port Burwell today to bring home his horse, which is alleged to have been stolen by a man named Smith, of Pottersburg, a few nights ago.

PORTUGAL RIPE FOR REVOLUTION

Wholesale Smuggling of Bombs and Firearms Into Capital Is Reported.

Lisbon, Aug. 12. — The insistent rumors that the revolutionary propaganda is taking a firmer grip in this country, and needs only a master hand to bring about a crisis, is given importance by the discovery that recently there has been heavy smuggling into the country of arms and bombs.

The Government's efforts to locate the whereabouts of the contraband have been largely unsuccessful, though yesterday's raids brought to light 100 revolvers and 50 rifles in a house in the suburbs of Lisbon.

A suspicious packing-case arrived from Barcelona and opened outside of Lisbon. It was found to be filled with bombs. The declaration is made that many similar cases which reached here previously have been successfully brought into the town.

It transpires that a sailboat grounded intentionally on Aug. 9 near a lonely spot off Cezimbra, eighteen miles south of Lisbon. A quantity of boxes were removed from the stranded vessel and were brought to shore and disappeared. Afterwards the authorities learned that the cargo of the sailboat was made up of arms and ammunition from Belgium. The Seculo has created a sensation by claiming that 30 anarchists who recently have been arrested in Portugal belong to an important secret society, whose headquarters in New York, and which has branches in the leading European cities. It is known in Portugal as the Black Cross Society, and to it belonged the regicides Buissa and Costa, who were killed at the time of the assassination of King Carlos and Crown Prince Philippe, and many other persons, who ged after the deed, and for whose arrest orders have been sent to Paris, London and New York.

MISREAD ORDER FOUR ARE DEAD

German Tars in Cutter Run Down by Cruiser at Sonderburg.

Sonderburg, Germany, Aug. 12. — Four sailors of the German navy came to their deaths here last evening as the result of a mistake in the electric transmission of an order. The cruiser Undine was returning to the harbor for target practice, when, for purposes of drill, the order "man overboard" was given. A cutter with eleven men was lowered over the side and put out from the ship. An order was sent to the engine room to back the cruiser, but the telegraphic transmitter registered "go ahead" instead, and the cruiser dashed forward and cut the small boat in two. Seven of the eleven men were saved, but the others were drowned.

C. P. R. Farm Laborers' Special.

Farm laborers' special will leave the Canadian Pacific depot on Tuesday, Aug. 18, at 1:40 p.m. This train will run through to Winnipeg without change. Passengers from London should call at the C. P. R. ticket office, corner Dundas and Richmond, and secure tickets, so that sufficient accommodation can be provided. The one-way, second-class rate to Winnipeg is $10. Extension coupon to points west of Winnipeg within a limited territory, where help is needed, is given free, also certificate for return after 30 days' work for $18. Full information at C. P. R. city ticket office 31-c

Personal Mention.

Mrs. C. Cattermole, of John street, is spending a few days with her aunt at Ilderton.

Mrs. W. Roberts, of Toronto, is visiting her son, Mr. Norman A. Roberts, of Richmond street.

Mr. George Boyd Munnock, of Winnipeg, is visiting at the parental home, 105 Waterloo street, city.

Miss Luella Tanney has returned home after spending a few weeks with her friend, Miss Edna Jobbitt, Peterboro.

Mrs. C. E. Diver, of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Miss McCutcheon, of Toronto, are visiting Miss Annie Mason, of Hill street.

Misses Edna and Florence Leggatt left today for the coast, where they will make their home in Vancouver, B. C.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cook, of the King Edward Hotel, left last evening for Toronto, Buffalo and other eastern points.

Miss Catherine Johnson, of Owen Sound, has left for her home after a pleasant visit with Mrs. A. Simmie, of 512 English street.

Mrs. Katie Harris and Miss Etta Johnston are holidaying for a few weeks at the home of Mrs. Harris' father, near Medina.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Priestly, of 152 Horton street, left yesterday morning for St. Thomas, where they will attend grand lodge.

Mrs. D. Scott and daughter, of West Toronto, have left for Stratford, where they will visit friends before returning to their home.

Miss Laura Barton, of Winnipeg, formerly of this city, is visiting her cousin, Miss Ethel Luney, Tecumseh avenue, South London.

Miss Floye and Edna Lawson, of Bruce street, left Monday evening for a two weeks' vacation to Montreal and Quebec via the St. Lawrence.

Mr. J. A. Little, of Pottersburg, leaves Thursday night for Montreal, from whence he will sail for Scotland. He will be absent about six weeks.

Mrs. Amos Bradford and daughter, Miss Bertha, left last week for a month in Muskoka.

Miss Pearl Leber, of Toronto, is spending a few days with her friend, Mrs. Smith, 226 Wellington street.

Miss Hattie Couthard, of Buffalo, after visiting her aunt, Mrs. Gibson, of St. James street, returned to her home today.

Mr. Alfred E. Horwood, of Winnipeg, late of this city, returns to the west today after renewing old acquaintances for the past six weeks.

Mr. Harold Hodgins, of Toronto, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. Southcott, the past month.

Miss Libbie L. Smith, of this city, sang "A Dream of Paradise" in excellent voice in the Poplar Hill Baptist Church on Sunday last.

LOVE-SICK YOUTH SUICIDES.

New York, Aug. 13.—Because letters from his sweetheart, who returned to Hungary two months ago, did not reach him, and his friends jokingly advised him to get another girl, Vogtich Handlik, 21 years old, hanged himself early today. The young man boarded with Mrs. Anna Svoveda, in First avenue, and had become engaged to the young Hungarian girl. Longing for a sight of her old home in the fatherland she left her fiance, promising to write frequently, and that when she returned in six weeks she would wed him. But the promised letters did not come. Then the other boarders in the house joked him about the matter, and Handlik wept. He went to his room and today his body was found hanging to the transom.



Ever Know a Man Who Had Too Many Trousers?

Ever know a man who didn't need TROUSERS? Just about now is TROUSER Time—sort of between seasons, when an extra pair of TROUSERS will do good service, and prolong the life of the coat and vest.

Men's $2.50, $2.75 and $3.00 Trousers, Friday and Saturday, for $1.95

These are fine tweeds and worsteds—made by our expert trouser makers—correctly cut from regular trouser fabrics. A splendid chance to get an excellant trouser at a very low figure. Some of these are outing trousers that sold at $3.00 and $3.50.

BOYS' SUMMER SUITS—sizes 24 to 30. Sold at $4.50 and $5.00. Now, for..... **$1.95**

BOYS' SCHOOL SUITS—D. B. Style. Sizes 22 to 26. In tweed and serge. Were up to $5.00. Now, for..... **$1.95**

OAK HALL

WILL POWER LINES GO EASTWARD?

The Government May Extend It to Whitby, Port Hope and Other Places.

IT WILL BE SWIFT WORK

If Mr. McGuigan Gets the Contract—He Will Employ an Arfmy of Men.

Toronto, Aug. 12. — The Star tonight says:

The Ontario Government is considering the extension of the proposed Niagara power line east of Toronto to Whitby, Bowmanville, Port Hope, Cobourg and other points. This is said to be the significance of a report that the cabinet has decided to make provisions for "doubling" the power line. It was expected that contracts would be let yesterday, but the whole matter was referred back to the hydro-electric commissioners, in order to have provision made for enlarging the scope of the power line.

Those who are close to the Government say that the new plan is not so much to increase the capacity of the western line, but to add to the actual mileage to be built and extend eastward.

Half a Dozen Still Considered.

Pending a meeting of the commissioners today some half-dozen marked checks were retained by the commission. These are the checks deposited as guarantee by the tenderers, and those who have got their paper back may, of course, be considered out of the running. The checks retained include that of Mr. F. H. McGuigan, who is said to be the successful tenderer at so much a mile, for wires, towers and construction. Other checks are understood to have been retained as a precaution in case Mr. McGuigan would not agree to the extended form of contract.

What Mr McGuigan Says.

"Of course I have no intimation that I am the successful tenderer," said Mr. McGuigan today. "Yes, I would be willing to double the amount of work at the same rate, if the work were to be done within a reasonable time. You see, the markets are fairly low now, and in order to continue the lines further than at first anticipated at the same rate we ought to be informed of the extent of the new proposition and the time within which it is to be undertaken so as to do our buying. We would do our work very quickly if given the contract, and hence would not wish delay in starting new lines."

"What does 'quickly' mean in a contract like this?"

Would Employ an Army.

"Well, if I could commence tomorrow, I would except to finish the line in a year."

"That is, the 300 miles first projected?"

"Yes."

"You would employ a large number of men?"

"A very large number."

"And the towers would be made in Canada?"

"All in Canada."

This means that the success of the hydro-electric proposition would mean the expenditure of a large amount of the Government's money in the Dominion. It is said that Mr. McGuigan's wire tender is so worded as to make allowance for fluctuations in the copper market, but he does not consider that there has been as yet a substantial change in the price for which copper may be obtained.

Careful Calculations.

Mr. McGuigan's syndicate is reported to have employed one of the best men in Canada to go over the whole proposed line and estimate what it would cost to move the towers, etc., from the nearest railway points to their respective destinations, calculations involving an infinite amount of detail. This may explain the difference of half a million dollars between the highest and lowest tenders, without going into the propostion in the same careful way.

While contractors have to be prepared to commence work within 60 days from the time the contract is let, the sucessful tenderer would undoubtedly demand that a maximum number of days be quoted by the commission within which the Government would be prepared to allow the work to proceed. As a little over one-third of the right-of-way has already been secured, it should be possible to make arrangements for commencing the lines west of Toronto within a very short time.

Differences in the Cabinet?

While there was doubtless every appearance of peace in yesterday's meeting of the cabinet, it is stated that there were very emphatic differences of opinion expressed as to hydro-electric affairs.

"Did everything go smoothly?" a cabinet minister was asked today.

"Well," he replied, "the meeting would not necessarily be 'unsmooth'—there were differences of opinion."

Another minister intimated that the contract had to be "fixed up to suit everybody."

The Hon. Adam Beck has very little to say, and Acting Premier Foy has less.

"The thing is practically decided in a general way," Mr. Foy admitted, "but there are details to be worked out; the agreement has to be gone over carefully and it all takes time."

"Will the matter have to come before the cabinet again?"

"I think so."

Mr. Beck explained that an order-in-council will have to be passed and signed by the lieutenant-governor before the agreement is finally binding.

BOLTS AT STRATHROY

Strathroy, Aug. 12.—During a severe electric storm today the home of Edward Nicholl was struck by lightning and set on fire. The flames were fought by neighbors, who extinguished the fire. Mr. Nicholl and his daughter Pearl, who were sitting in the dining-room, were both struck, Mr. Nicholl being slightly shocked, while Miss Nicholl was thrown to the floor, rendered unconscious and unable to speak for some time. Dr. Bateman was called and gave his opinion that she would recover.

The barns and outbuildings of Prince Allan, who lives near Cairngorm, about six miles from here, were struck by lightning and burned to the ground. The season's crops and implements were all destroyed, with the exception of three loads of oats and some cattle, which were got out in safety. Mr. Allan's loss will be $2,000, which was pretty well covered by insurance.

Petrolea, Aug. 12.—The city hall was struck in today's storm, but not much damage was done.

TOKIO DENIES IT

Has Heard Nothing of Seizure of Arms by the Chinese.

Tokio, Aug. 13. — Up to noon today the foreign office had received no information regarding the reported seizure of Chin Chou by the Chinese authorities of a steamer having on board ten thousand rifles and two million cartridges. Neither has there been received any report of seizure of Japanese arms elsewhere. Shanghai specials in the Japanese newspapers this morning report the seizure of two Japanese sailing vessels loaded with arms and ammunition.

The report is entirely discredited here, and the foreign office has authorized the Associated Press to positively deny it.

CAYUGA FARMER KILLED BY BOLT

Cayuga, Aug. 12. — During an electric storm which passed over this vicinity this afternoon, Blake Stewart, a young farmer, of North Cayuga, near Canfield, was killed by lightning while turning off the windmill during the storm.

Visit the Flower Show in City Hall tonight. Best show ever.

IRELAND REVIVES TOBACCO GROWING

English Radicals Refuse Rebate on Duty, But Grant a Bounty.

Dublin, Aug. 12.—The revival of Irish tobacco growing has again been occupying the attention of the British Parliament and it has afforded another typical instance of the curious mental attitude of the British radicals who refuse to compromise openly with what they are pleased to call their "principles."

The period for which a rebate on the excise duty was allowed to Irish-grown tobacco as an experiment is near its expiration, and the Irish members naturally demanded that the rebate be granted permanently, as it has been amply demonstrated, that with the small preference allowed—25 cents a pound—Ireland could compete with the world in growing tobacco.

At this proposal, however, the British Radicals held up their hands in horror. To grant a preference to Irish tobacco would be protection. When someone suggested, however, that the same end would be attained by a grant of money to the Irish agricultural department, which will disburse it in the shape of bounties to the Irish tobacco growers at the rate of so much a pound of tobacco marketed, the Radicals accepted the proposal joyfully and a bill to the effect will be passed before the end of the session.

One of the strongest arguments in favor of state aid to Irish tobacco growing is the fact that the industry has been twice killed by the state. It is not generally known hat Ireland at one time was the greatest tobacco producing country in the world and that it grew the finest tobacco.

The English colonies of Maryland and Georgie, however, demanded that the growing of tobacco in Ireland should be suppressed in order that they might have a monopoly of the industry, and it was suppressed.

Then came the American revolution and an independent Irish Parliament which promptly repealed the prohibitory law and Ireland took to tobacco culture again. Hardly had the industry raised its head, however, when the merchants and ship-owners of Bristol protested that their trade with America would be ruined and the British Parliament, after the act of union, reimposed the prohibitory laws.

CARPENTER ON THAT RACE

American Says He Should Have Been Given First Place.

New York, Aug. 13.—Twelve American athletes, including John C. Carpenter, of Cornell University, who was disqualified after finishing first in the 400-metre race at the Olympic games in London, returned to New York today on the steamer Majestic. In relating his version of the much-discussed incident of the famous race, Carpenter said that he thought the race should have been given to him. Continuing, he said: "I have no recollection of having touched Lieut. Halswell at all. As a matter of fact, the race was declared void before I finished. The rule under which the disqualification was made was the one to the effect that if any jostling occurred or if anyone happened to interfere with a runner in any way the race would be declared off, void, and to be re-run, the offending party not being permitted to compete in the re-running.

"I am tired of all this talk of British antipathy toward the Yankee athletes. Personally I found some of the English athletes good fellows and good athletes, but I will admit that I feel keenly the injustice of having been disqualified for alleged unfair tactics.

"I did nothing to warrant my disqualification."

MORAN AND ATTELL SIGN.

San Francisco, Aug. 14. — Abe Attell and Owen Moran last night agreed to fight 23 rounds before Coffroth's club in the Mission street arena on Attell to name Jack Welch as referee.

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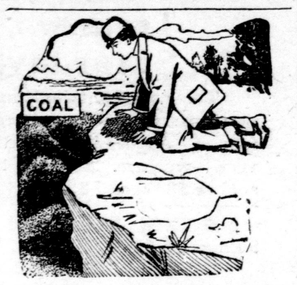
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City and District

Clerk Resigns.

Mr. Wm. Lee, who occupied the position of township clerk of West Nissouri for 51 years, resigned Monday. Mr. M. N. Wright has been appointed clerk pro tem.

Mr. Efner for Manager.

It is unofficially stated that owing to the illness of Mr. R. A. McVean, who is suffering from nervous prostration, Mr. George T. Driscoll will assume the management of Bennett's Montreal playhouse. Mr. Ed Efner, the popular treasurer of Bennett's local theatre, will be the manager of the house this season.

Card of Thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Boyce and family, of 658 William street, desire to express their heartfelt thanks to their friends and relatives for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy tendered them on the occasion of their recent bereavement in the death of their son Frederick.

Late Richard O'Rourke.

The funeral of Mr. Richard O'Rourke, who was killed while walking on the Grand Trunk, west of the city, was held yesterday morning, from the family residence, West London, to St. Peter's Cathedral, where requiem high mass was solemnized by Rev. Father White. The funeral was largely attended, among those present being several members of the Army Medical Corps, of which the deceased was a member. The pall-bearers were chosen from the corps.

Londoners in St. Thomas.

About three hundred members of the I. O. O. F. of this city left yesterday on the traction line to attend the 54th annual convention of the grand lodge of Ontario. A number of these were not delegates, however, as they went merely to join in the big parade. Several of them returned last evening.

Honors for Londoner.

At the recent Washington State medical examinations, held at Seattle, Dr. John M. Adams, formerly of the Victoria Hospital staff, secured honors, having been second in a list of 143 physicians. Among those whom he tried with were physicians from Yale, Harvard, Johns Hopkins, University of Chicago, and McGill University. His brother, Dr. Fred Adams, who has been practicing in Port Huron, was also successful in the exams.

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Among the latest additions to the Public Library books is a Bible for the blind, embossed in the point system, which is taught in the Brantford Institute for the Blind. The work is in eleven volumes. If there are sufficient people requiring the Bible in the Moon system it will also be procured. The latter is for persons who have lost their eyesight and who are unable to learn the point system. The Moon system Bible comes in 77 volumes. All literature for the blind is sold at the cost of publication.

Won by Citizen.

Considerable interest has been taken in the guessing contest going on at Westman's Hardware during Old Boys' week, persons from all over the continent having taken part. Stock of the window was taken yesterday afternoon, the total value of the goods in the window being $936 36. Guesses were made from $14 75 up to $12,000, showing the wide range of opinion the Old Boys have as to the value of mechanics' tools. Mr. J. H. McMechan, of the London Soap Company, guessing $936 20, wins the first prize, a beautiful chafing dish, value $8. The second prize, namely, a fish set, valued at $4 25, goes to Mr. A. McIntyre, of the Canadian Druggists' Syndicate, who guessed $935.

AMATEUR CLASSES

New Departure in the Prize List of the Western Fair.

The management of the Western Fair have this year endeavored to so arrange the prize list that everyone may have an opportunity to exhibit something. In the past the ordinary farmer has thought he had no chance to compete with the professional man, and therefore would not show at all. With the object in view of inducing all to show there has been placed this year in the prize list an amateur class in apples, also one in pears and one in flowers. A large number of people throughout the country have stock, fruit or grain, and the ladies have plenty of their work that would make a very creditable exhibit, but in the past they have withheld from exhibition for reasons as given above. Let all those having worthy animals or articles bring them this year, and the Western Fair of 1908 will go on record as being the best ever.

Especially should this be true in the ladies' department, as the prize list has been thoroughly revised, and made up-to-date, all the latest kinds of ladies' work has been placed upon it, and good prizes given; glass cases have been provided to protect the work from dust, and the display this year in this part of the main building should certainly be attractive to those who take an interest in ladies' work.

The secretary will be pleased to mail a prize list and entry form to any address, or you may get one by calling at the office.

LONDON STUDENTS

Who Passed the Senior Matriculation Examinations.

The following are the students from the London Collegiate Institute who passed the senior matriculation examinations:

G. L. Bodkin 1, E. M. Doyle 1, P. C. Caverhill 1, E. M. Croxon 1 (honors), P. Dudley 1, L. Dunn 1, F. V. Elliott 1, M. E. Lutman 2, C. Merchant 2, Bruce Mitchell 1, H. Slater 1, C. I. Ward 1, F. A. Weir 1, O. C. Wood 1.

THREE BUFFALO WOMEN FACE MURDER CHARGES

An Unusual Event in the Criminal History of Buffalo.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 12.—Today, for the first time in the criminal history of Buffalo, three women were arraigned in police court on charges of taking human lives. The police accuse the women of being responsible for the deaths of five human beings. The women are: Mrs. Annie Sutherland, who is accused of having shot her husband Alexander at their home on Niagara street last week; Mrs. Isabelle Sahlen, accused of having strangled her three young children at her home on Grey street, three weeks ago, and Martha Brownaska, the 17-year-old girl, who was arrested on a charge of throwing a new-born babe from the second story window of the General Hospital in July last.

Warrants charging murder in the first degree were issued for the women at the conclusion of the inquests.

BOY BURGLARS.

Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 12. — Three lads whose ages run between 8 and 10 years have been arrested for a series of burglaries, having entered offices and stores along public streets by means of rear windows and gratings. The boys broke open desks and drawers and took away money and postage stamps.

New England and the Sea.

This is the caption of a folder issued by the Grand Trunk Railway System and sent free on application to any agent of the company. It is descriptive of the beauties and attractions of the mountain districts of the New England States and the Atlantic seacoast. The seacoast resorts are among the finest on the American Atlantic, and those who have never enjoyed a few days by the sea have yet an experience worth having to look forward to. The Grand Trunk Railway System runs through Pullman sleeping cars from Chicago, Toronto, etc., and solid trains with parlor-cafe-library cars on day trains and Pullman sleeping cars on night trains between Montreal, Portland, Old Orchard and Kennebunkport. 30c

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Excursion to Detroit.

The last excursion of the season to Detroit will be the Chosen Friends' on Saturday next, and promises to be as popular as ever. Special train leaves Grand Trunk depot at 7:30 a.m. Fare, $1 45. Good for three days. b

THESE PASSED SENIOR EXAMS

Toronto, Aug. 12. — Below will be found the results of the senior teachers' examination at Toronto:

Lambton.

H. E. Bicknell 2, A. Brown 2, D. J. Gray 1, I. Hone 1, E. Lott 1, A. H. May 2, M. M. Maxwell 1, F. M. McCorlie 2 (circular 19), B. Mitchell 2, A. V. Neelands 2 (circular 19), C. O'Meara 1, F. Smith 1, L. M. Sharp 1 (honors), E. J. Wallen 1 (circular 19), A. W Wynne 1.

Oxford.

E. Corbet 1, M. Corman 1. C. L. Costin 1 (honors), R. C. Grant 2, V. A. Harris 1, B. Hogerty 1, V. H. Huga 1 (circular 19), H. Johnson 2, R. Langdon 2 (circular 19), L. Millard 1, A. MacKay 1, I. Partlo 1, J. W. Rogers 1 (honors) and 2 (honors), A. L. Stilwell 1, J. D. Thompson 1, W. L. Williams 1.

Huron.

E. E. Anderson 1, J. D. Buchanan 1 (honors) and 2, J. A. Cameron 1, L. J. Clark 2, D. M. Clark 1 (honors), C. G. Currie 1, J. E. Currie 1, O. R. Cruikshank 1, J. A. Dickson 1, V. M. Davidson 1 (honors), D. R. Finlayson 1, L. B. Fraser 2, E. H. Glenn 1, A. Goble 1. G. E. Goble 1, H. Henderson 1 and 2, A. W. Johnston 1 (honors) and 2, M. E Johnston 1 and 2, J. T. Mustard 2 (honors), M. A. MacLeod 1 and 2, A. H. McBurney 1, R. S. McBearney 1, P. MacPherson 1 (honors), T. E. Robinson 1, H. R. Rutherford 1. J. M. Strang 1, G. Troy 1, E. C. Tiplady 2, G. E. Wightman 1 and 2, J. E. Wiley 1.

Kent.

J. R. Bigart 1, A. Bentley 2, A. M. Doyle 1 (honors) and 2 (honors), M. Ensign 1, W. S. Farquharson 1, J. L. Green 1, C. B. Hamil 1 (honors) and 2, M. Park 1, J. W. Taylor 1 and 2 (honors), A. Wemp 1 and 2.

Bruce.

M. Crydenham 1, J. F. Hume 2, C. Locke 1, D. B. Martyn 1, R. S. McConnell 1, J. Morgan 1 (honors), F. A. Muler 1 (honors), V. E. Norrish 1, G. M. Perry 1 (honors), M. Strathdee 2 (circular 19), T. A. Sinclair 1, Jean Todd 1, H. C. Thompson 1.

Durham

M. V. Bragg 1, S. E. Burnham 1, L. C. Cole 1, L. C. Cox 2 (honors), M. C. Cox 1, A. Jardine 1, E. Rundle 1, H. J. Waddell 2 (circular 19).

Elgin.

K. Black 1, G. M. Campbell 1, W. C. Crehar 2, G. M. Cook 1, C. G. Davy 2, A. R. Douglass 1, A. A. Miller 1, O. E. Somerville 2, H. Vanpatter 1, C. Willis 1.

Middlesex.

J. Benner 1, G. L. Bodkin 1, E. M. Doyle 1, P. C. Caverhill 1, E. M. Croxon 1 (honors), A. B. Coursey 1, P. Dudley 1, L. Dunn 1, L. I. Douglas 2 (honors), F. V. Elliott 1, P. V. Howard 1, A. I. Hodgins 1 (honors), Constance Hodgins 1, Ethelberta Hodgins 2, O. Harvey 1, A. E. Hill 2, G. M. Kitt 1, M. E. Lutman 2, G. Lindsay 1, C. Lewis 2, C. Merchant 2, Bruce Mitchell 1, M. Martin 1, C. H. Morton 2 (honors), F. S. Milliken 1, H. R. Roberts 1, J. M. Ross 2, E. B. Smith 1, F. Stanley 1, H. Slater 1, C. I. Ward 1, F. A. Weir 1, O. C. Wood 1.

Perth.

V. F. Appel 1, H. E. Cavell 1 and 2, H. R. Cluff 1, E. Fraser 2, W. A. Gardiner 1, M. E. Harris 1, H. D. Hedley 1 and 2, H. Hamilton 1, R. K. Hall 1, M. Kay 1, A. Kennedy 1, G. Martin 1 (honors), W. R. McCamus 1, M. R. Robinson 1, A. C. Ross 2, M. Russel 2 (honors), H. F. Switzer 1, R. E. Westman 1, R. H. Wilkie 1 (honors).

Essex.

M. C. Auld 2, E. M. Brown 2, R. H. Hill 2, W. G. Noble 1, H. F. O'Neill 1, L. Renaul 1, M. E. Trotter 1.

POWERS SHADOW FRANCIS JOSEPH

Political Balance of Europe To Be Upset When Emperor Dies.

Vienna, Aug. 12.—Realizing that when Francis Joseph, the aged and infirm Emperor of Austria, dies, the political balance of Europe is likely to be rudely upset, the European nations are today keeping a "death watch" on the Emperor.

They have not gone to the limit of Turkey, who had a secret service agent shadowing the Emperor at Ischi, his summer home, but what the Sultan attempted to do openly the other powers are doing with secrecy and a regret for the Emperor's feeling.

The keynote to the present situation is the half-opened veil of antagonism between England and Germany. England is mustering every possible power to maintain its predominance and Germany is striving to obstruct this policy and to gain the position England now holds.

France, Russia and Spain are friendly to England, and it is believed that in the event of a crisis Portugal, Denmark, Sweden, Norway and even Italy could be won to the English side. The Kaiser's only avowed friend is Emperor Joseph. Even Archduke Francis Ferdinand, heir to the Austrian throne, favors the abandonment of German friendship for English support. To prevent such a coalition against him there is little doubt that the Kaiser would quickly declare war against one or more of his unfriendly neighbors.

Germany pines for the west Austrian provinces with their outlet to the Mediterranean at Trieste. Italy wants the territory on her own frontier, with its Italian population.

Turkey would gladly recover Bosnia and Herzegovina, which she lost in 1878. Servia covets a slice of Dalmatia. Roumania would lay claim to Bukovina and Russia would bid for Galicia.

A perfect web, therefore, of new intrigues, alliances and complications is sure to follow the Austrian Emperor's death.

BABY MANSION AFIRE.

Sandwich, Ont., Aug. 12. — The old and historic Baby mansion was partially destroyed by fire yesterday. The Baby mansion was built in 1790, although some claim it was erected before that date. It certainly is the oldest in this part of the country. There it was that the wily Indian chief, Tecumseh, remained as the guest of Gen. Brock, and during the troublesome times of the war of 1812 the house was successively occupied by American and British generals. Three years ago it became the property of Dr. Beasley.

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FERNIE HAD MANY HEROIC SOULS

Mayor Tuttle Did Not Sleep for Two Nights and Ate No Food in Thirty-Six Hours.

Fernie, B. C., Aug. 12.—Each day adds to the list of stories of heroism in the great fire.

A woman living in West Fernie was blown into the river with her baby in her arms. The current was swift and she was swept from her feet, still clinging to her child. A burning timber came floating down the stream and the desperate woman grasped one end of it, and submerged it, put out the fire at one end, thus giving her a place to seat her child while she kept her equilibrium by holding to the floating timber and pushed her baby and self ashore.

Separation of mother from children and wives from their husbands were common. A little girl not more than four years old ran screaming through the streets seeking her mother. A flying timber on fire fell at her feet, covering her with sparks and setting her hair on fire. Terror stricken, she ran toward the burning building, when an Italian, who was passing, seized her, wrapped his coat about her, and extinguished the flames.

Fred. Green, workman for the Elk Lumber Company, stayed at the mill until it was all in flames and the 15 million feet of lumber in the yards was a sea of fire. He took refuge in the Elk River, which is a mountain stream, swift-running and cold, but the heat was so intense he could not stay in the river. Like hundreds of others who knew not what to do, he fled in the direction the fire was going and escaped with his life.

The most freakish tornado could not have shown more favoritism than did the Fernie fire. How the Great Northern depot escaped seems incredible. Every building around it burned, and added to this, on one side was a train of 67 cars loaded with coke and on the other a string of empty cars were soon ablaze, throwing out intense heat against the depot hardly 50 feet distant. The empties on the other side of the station caught fire, but were hauled away while aflame. The coke burned for three days after the city was destroyed.

Did Not Eat.

Life-saving acts of bravery were hardly more heroic than the endurance of some members of the relief committee and the railroad employes. Mayor Tuttle did not sleep for two nights and did not taste food for 36 hours. H. H. Norman, Great Northern operator, worked for three days with only a few hours sleep. For one stretch of 36 hours he was away from his wife only half an hour, during which he slept on the hard desk in the office. Great Northern officials showed great courtesy to the press, giving news matter to Spokane and Vancouver right of way on the wire, only excepting such messages as were absolutely necessary for the operation of trains.

Stories of individual experiences are beginning to come in. John Podhielancik, who had a fine home in West Fernie, surrounded by a two-acre lot, upon which was growing a fine crop of potatoes and cabbage, relates that his aged mother and many of the women and children of the neighborhood found refuge in the garden by lying flat upon their faces beneath the broad leaves of the cabbages and the potato tops until the heat of the fire had passed over them.

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AN EARLY SUMMONS

Sarnia Man Called Away at the Age of 25 Years—Pretty Wedding.

Sarnia, Aug. 12.—Much sympathy is felt for the relatives and friends of the late John Henry Sharpe, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Sharpe, who passed away yesterday at the early age of 25 years. The funeral takes place on Thursday from the family residence, 118 Johnston street, to the R. C. Cemetery.

Mr. A. M. Burnham, who has obtained the master's degree from the University of Chicago, has been appointed a lecturer in English in the Ohio State University, Columbus, O. Mr. Burnham was formerly on the staff of the Sarnia Collegiate Institute.

Rev. W. E. Wallace, who has recently been called by the Mooretown Presbyterian Church and associated points, has accepted. The Presbytery of Sarnia will meet in the Mooretown church Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 18, for his induction.

A pretty wedding took place on Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Richardson, on the 8th line of Moore, on Monday evening, Aug. 10, when their third daughter, Gertrude Mae, was married to Mr. William H. Webber, of Point Edward. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. E. C. Currie, of Burn's Church. Mr. and Mrs. Webber will make their home in Sarnia.



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