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**Komura Plays Final Hand;
Witte Rejects Compromise****Russian Envoy Willing to Part With Sakhalin, But Is Firm as to Indemnity—Roosevelt's Appeal Personal.**

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 24. — The personality of President Roosevelt looms larger and larger in the crisis. He is insisting that the peace conference shall not fail. Had he not stepped in to the breach the conference probably would have gone to pieces. Such hopes as remain that it will end in peace and in a treaty, rest upon it.

The strength of the President's position is that he commands the confidence of both sides. He has already accomplished much, using his good offices to impress upon both sides the necessity of mutual concession, and both sides have already yielded a great deal to his persuasion. Only a single point still separates them, but it is, as it has been from the beginning, the crux.

President's Message Was Personal
Portsmouth, Aug. 24. — It can be stated with absolute positiveness now that it was the President's personal message to Emperor Nicholas yesterday, delivered to his majesty in person by Mr. Meyer, which was communicated to Mr. Witte and Baron Rosen Tuesday afternoon at the navy yard. The President desired that the Russian plenipotentiaries should be apprised of the steps he contemplated and the fact that they, as is understood, approved of it, is significant in the extreme. President Roosevelt, until Tuesday, had confined himself to communicating with Mr. Witte and Baron Kaneko. His role was unofficial. He had not put himself in direct communication with St. Petersburg or Tokio. Now he has made his appeal officially, personally, as the head of one state to the head of another, to Emperor Nicholas. If it has failed, there still remains a last appeal to the Emperor of Japan.

**FINE SHOOTING
BY LONDONERS****Major Utton Wins Duke of Cornwall Event at Long Branch Ranges.**

Toronto, Aug. 24.—Sergeant Major Utton, of London, won the Duke of Cornwall match at the meeting of the Ontario Rifle Association at Long Branch ranges yesterday, with a score of 68 points, winning a medal and \$25. The scores of the other London shooters are not yet posted.

MURDERESS MUST HANG**Hope Young of Halifax Is Given the Extreme Penalty.**

Halifax, Aug. 24. — In the Hope Young murder trial, the prisoner, Hope Young, was sentenced to hang by the jury yesterday. This was followed by the judge's address to the jury, who then retired to their room, and, after half an hour's absence, returned with a verdict of "guilty," with a recommendation to mercy. In a few minutes Judge Meagher sentenced the prisoner to be hanged by the neck until dead on Wednesday, 20th day of December next, between the hours of 4 a.m. and 12 noon. When asked if she had anything to say, the prisoner answered, "not guilty."

When Hope Young caught the words of her death sentence her face flushed for an instant only, then it assumed its normal color, and she was no doubt for a time the coolest person in the court room.

As Chief of Police Bowles led the prisoner downstairs she stretched out her hand for yesterday's paper, which Sheriff Smith handed her, and which she took with her to her cell to read the account of the proceedings. She bade her counsel good-night, and said to him as he left her: "I am as innocent of this crime as you are."

Ottawa Entertains Prince.

Ottawa, Aug. 24.—Prince Louis, of Battenberg with his staff, reached the city at noon, and will be the guest of the Governor-General during the day. He will be enthusiastically received and will be entertained with a civic address.

deem, or repurchase her title to the northern half of the island for 1,200,000 yen, or \$60,000,000. While it is Mr. Roosevelt's proposition in substance, the Associated Press is informed, that as offered yesterday, it varies slightly from the terms of the compromise, as the President suggested it to both sides.

Its exact particulars cannot be ascertained. Russia, it can be stated, while rejecting the compromise, because it included remuneration for cost of the war under another name, was willing and, indeed, offered the Island of Sakhalin, by not only restoring the status quo existing before the treaty of 1875, but by offering to delimit the frontier and forever renounce all claim to the southern half.

With articles 10 and 11 out of the way, by Japan's recession, and article 5 settled, by compromise, the only thing which remained was the indemnity which has been a stone wall across the path of a complete agreement. Under the financial head, Russia offers to pay liberally for the maintenance of the Russian prisoners in Japan. Her cession of the Chinese Eastern Railroad, also will place a tidy sum in the Japanese exchequer, but further than that, Mr. Witte has as yet, no instruction to go.

So the situation stood yesterday when the conference adjourned until Saturday. The President did not surrender. He carried his appeal for peace to the throne of the Romanoffs, to the author of the dream of reduced armaments and universal peace. Ambassador Meyer's three-hour audience with Emperor Nicholas yesterday during the very time when the plenipotentiaries at the navy yard were expounding to each other their irreconcilable differences, may have proved a deciding feature. There is no clue yet to the response Mr. Meyer received from Emperor Nicholas, but it is already in President Roosevelt's possession, and he is in a position today to determine his next step.

If the Emperor declined absolutely to yield there may be still time to turn to Tokio for a last appeal to force \$300,000,000 or \$400,000,000, rather than protract the war indefinitely at the cost of millions in money and thousands of lives, with no surety that she will ever be able, whatever her military successes, to force tribute from her belligerent adversary.

**DURNAN EASILY
DEFEATS SULLIVAN****Toronto Oarsman Captures the Professional Rowing Championship of America.**

Toronto, Aug. 23.—Eddie Durnan, of Toronto, won handsily from Tom Sullivan, of New Zealand, this afternoon on Toronto Bay in the race for the championship of America and \$1,000 a side.

To the surprise of a majority of the spectators Durnan had the result entirely in his own hands after turning the buoy, and he finished fifteen lengths ahead.

The course, and, in fact, a great part of the bay was crowded with craft of all descriptions, and the officials with great difficulty kept a way open for the contestants.

Sullivan got away first, and had a lead of a length at the half-mile post. Before he reached the turn he had increased the lead a length, and his supporters felt that the race was won.

The Australian steering was bad, however, and it cost him three or four lengths at the turning buoy. Durnan, on the other hand, went around like a whip, and needed his rival's aid to get to the buoy.

From the buoy he began to widen the gap between his shell and that of the Australian, and Sullivan tried himself in trying to catch him.

At the finish Durnan was paddling and Sullivan was plainly suffering from his effort to wear Durnan down in the early part of the race.

The time for the mile and a half was 10:38, and for the three miles 20:55 4-5.

Durnan said after the race that he was never anxious as to the outcome. Sullivan said the best man won. Thousands of dollars changed hands on the race.

EIGHTEEN WERE NOMINATED

British Bark Reported to Have Foundered Off Coast of Brazil.

Buenos Ayres, Aug. 24.—A report has been received here of the foundering of the British bark Bidston Hill. The report states that eighteen of the crew were drowned. The remainder, who were saved, expect to arrive at Buenos Ayres by one of the Argentine steamers.

The Bidston Hill was a four-masted bark built in Liverpool in 1886, and owned by the sailing ship Bidston Hill Company, Limited, of Liverpool. She was commanded by Capt. Jones, and was 2,434 tons measurement. She sailed from Hamburg on May 29 for San Francisco, and was last spoken to on June 14.

Alfred Waterhouse Dead.

London, Aug. 24.—Alfred Waterhouse, R.A., died yesterday at the age of 82. He was one of the most noted architects of his time.

**BREAKWATER TENDERS CALLED
FOR DOUGLASS AVE. SECTION****Tenders Must Be In by August 31, and Work Will Be Rushed to Strengthen Danger Point.**

"We must and we shall do something toward the West London breakwater this year. The people have our promise and the promise must be kept."

This is what Chairman Forristal, of the board of works, told City Engineer Graydon today. Aid. Forristal has just returned from a trip to the west, and he is full of vim and vigor.

The result of this statement was that inside of ten minutes City Engineer Graydon had an advertisement worded which calls for tenders for the Douglass avenue section of the breakwater, the tenders to be by Thursday, Aug. 31. The estimated cost of the section is less than \$1,000.

Thus the first real step in connection with the construction of the breakwater has been taken. For some time the city engineer has had all the plans and specifications for the work completed, so that he has been ready to start construction at the drop of the hat, but he has been delayed by the delay in the securing the necessary deeds.

The Danger Point.
It was his intention to begin as soon as possible and strengthen the section between Blackfriars bridge and Oxford street, but it appears that the residents of the village are of the opinion that the danger is from the south, not the north end, and in deference to their views, Chairman Forristal and the engineer have decided to commence work on Douglass avenue.

The call for tenders means that the work of construction will be proceeded with inside two weeks. "Though the time is getting short, we shall have ample time to spend all the money we have in hand on the breakwater," Aid. Forristal told The Advertiser. "In the first place we had to pay about \$7,000 for the lands in West London required for the breakwater, so that we have but about \$3,000 for the work now. I do not think it will take us long to spend this amount on such a big job."

More Money Wanted.
"How much more money will you require for the work?" the reporter asked. "We will not be able to make any statement along that line until all the

tenders for the different sections are in," Aid. Forristal replied.

"You do not hope to finish the breakwater this year, then?"

"Oh, no. We could not finish it if we had the time, because we have not the money."

It is said that a deputation will wait upon the board of works tonight for the purpose of urging that body to do everything possible this year to protect the suburb from floods. They will likely be told, however, that the city feels that the people of West London are themselves to blame for the delay, because of the trouble they have given the city in the securing of the necessary lands.

Mr. Graydon points out that a certain man in the north end of the village had been informed that the deed of the piece of land which the city proposed to buy had been found satisfactory, and that his money was forthcoming. Then Mr. Graydon attempted to dump some earth on it, which he thought might come in handy for the breakwater construction, but the owner of the property promptly ordered the city teamsters off the premises. Mr. Graydon wants to know what the citizens of London are to think of such uncalculated obstruction as this.

Troubles Over Deeds.
The city is having no end of trouble in searching the deeds for titles. It has been found that the Glass estate, part of which is situated on Carleton street, and is being purchased by the city, does not correspond to the present survey with the survey made in 1893, when the land of West London was surveyed into town lots of five acres each. At that time the deeds of the West London land described the property as being part of the city of London, though only the site for the city at that time existed. Later the lands became a part of London township, then of Petersville, and later of West London.

Chairman Forristal said today that no blame for the delay can be attached to the board of works, the assessment commissioner or the city engineer. "The deeds have been lying in the city solicitor's office since the first of June," and it is time we had them," he said.

Made a Clean-Up.
Bay City, Mich., Aug. 24. — A score of Canadian horsemen watching Canadian horses win races in the circuit on this side, made a good clean-up yesterday afternoon. Collingwood, Ont., won the 2:19 and 2:11 pace easily. The last half of the 2:11 pace Missouri Chief was boosted to 25 to 1, but the Canadians backed him heavily at that.

Fire at Chesley.
Chesley, Ont., Aug. 24. — At 1 a.m. today the Chesley Chair Company factory was burned to the ground with all its contents. Loss about \$35,000. Insurance, \$24,000. It is not known how the fire started.

Fatal Accident on Liner.
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Editors Visit Sarnia.
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Odessa, Aug. 24. — Fresh agrarian disorders have broken out in Elizabethrad and Alexandria districts, and the peasants are destroying the property of the landowners. A big estate at Belyk has been entirely demolished.

The president of the Elizabeth Zemstvo has asked permission of the Government to send a detachment of troops to the district.

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during last night assuming more the autumnal type. Showers are reported from Northern Ontario and in Quebec. Elsewhere fine weather prevails. The outlook is inclined to be showery in the Northwest Territories.

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COL. PETERS IN CHATHAM**The D. O. C. and General Otter Inspect the New Armouries.**

Major-General Otter and Col. J. Peters, D. O. C. were in Chatham in consultation with Col. J. B. Rankin, commanding officer of the Twenty-fourth Regiment, regarding the proposed loss of the new armouries at the city under the application of His Worship Mayor Cowan, and to inspect the building of the new armouries.

With Col. Rankin and Capt. G. W. Cornell, the visiting officers inspected the new armouries and the progress being made upon them. Both expressed themselves as well satisfied and instructions were given for a few improvements.

DIVORCES AT A DOLLAR**Rev. Sam Jones Would Throw Down the Bars—No Remarrying.**

Rockford, Ill., Aug. 24. — Rev. Sam Jones was the principal speaker at the Rockford Chautauque Tuesday afternoon. He expressed himself on the divorce question, and said he believed any person who wanted a divorce should get it, and that the cost should not exceed \$1, but that if either of the divorced parties marry again they should be consigned to the penitentiary for life.

He touched on the abuse being heaped on Rockefeller, and said he would not abuse any person who gave \$10,000,000 to help educate the boys and girls of America.

LIONESS CAUSES A PANIC**Escaped From Her Cage at Show Near Vailsburg, N. J.**

New York, Aug. 24. — A full-grown lioness which escaped from her cage in a pleasure park near Vailsburg, N. J., caused a panic in a crowd of five thousand people, including many women and children, who had gathered to watch the exhibition given by a trick bicyclist. When news of the animal's escape spread there was a wild stampede for the streets which lasted nearly 15 minutes. Dozens of women and children were knocked down and bruised, while scores of men had their clothing almost torn away, but so far as could be learned none was seriously hurt.

Terror prevailed until it was found that the mate of the lion, which was rearing in his cage, had gone in an opposite direction from the crowd. By that time, however, everyone had fled from the park or was crowded in to the extreme eastern and northern ends of a thirty-acre tract and ready for another dash at the first sign of danger. In spite of the fact that the lioness was at large and exact whereabouts was unknown, a strange fascination seemed to hold the crowd in the park, while large forces of men drove them away. Immediately after the escape of the lioness, her trainer organized a hunting party of nearly two hundred armed with guns and clubs. The animal was located several times and attempts were made by shooting and shouting to drive her toward her cage. Finally, after a chase lasting more than two hours, the beast was cornered and driven back into her cage, which had been carried to the spot.

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**Woman Patient Suicides
at London Insane Asylum****Mrs. Millar, Strathroy, Hanged Herself Today With a Strip Torn From a Sheet.**

Left to herself but five minutes, Mrs. Eliza Jane Millar, of Strathroy, a patient at the London Insane Asylum, committed suicide by hanging at 8 o'clock this morning.

The woman, who was about 62 years of age, was a patient of the melancholy type—the worst known of the many types of insanity. Such patients seldom get better.

She had frequently threatened suicide, and had on several occasions attempted it, and she was until today confined in the infirmary.

This morning she was taken out and she ate her breakfast in company with a number of other patients, and which she was given a bath. Then the attendant left her for a few minutes while she secured her own breakfast.

The attendant had not been absent more than five minutes, when the guard noticed Mrs. Millar struggling in the room in which she had been placed for safe-keeping. He instantly gave the alarm and rushed to her assistance. With the aid of a couple of the attendants she was cut down and it was thought at first her life could be saved. But all efforts failed. The suicide was successful.

Mrs. Millar, who was noted for her especial cunning, had secured a piece of cotton about four inches wide and six feet long, which had evidently been torn from a bed sheet. This she made into a noose at one end. The other end she fastened over the door of her room and then standing on a chair she threw herself to the floor.

She had been a patient at the asylum for over a year and a half, and was a woman of refinement and culture. Ordinarily she would lie in bed brooding the entire day, but of late she appeared to be getting somewhat more cheerful and her suicide came as a great surprise at this time.

Coroner MacLaren was notified and will hold an investigation at once.

**THREE START TO
SWIM CHANNEL****Miss Killerman and Messrs. Burgess and Mew After Webb's Record.**

Dover, Aug. 24. — The thirtieth anniversary of the success of Capt. Matthew Webb in swimming across the English Channel, which occurs today, brought out three candidates anxious to emulate the feat of the pioneer swimmer.

They are Miss Annette Killerman, the woman champion swimmer of Australia; T. W. Burgess, who has already made three unsuccessful attempts to swim the channel, and Horace Mew, all three made an early start from this vicinity under favorable weather conditions.

On Aug. 24, 1825, Capt. Webb dived from the admiralty pier, Dover, and swam to the Calais sands, France, a distance of 25½ miles, in 21 hours and 45 minutes. On July 24, 1882, Capt. Webb was drowned while attempting to swim the Niagara Rapids.

After covering six miles Miss Killerman was overcome by sea sickness and gave up the attempt.

A fourth candidate, Montague Holbein, who has already made several attempts to swim the channel, started at 4 o'clock this afternoon. Mew gave up after being in the water seven hours.

FIRE DESTROYS BIG PLANT**\$150,000 Loss in Conflagration at Point Edward.**

Sarnia, Aug. 24.—The plant of the Canada Machinery Company at Point Edward was destroyed by fire at 4 a.m. There are no waterworks there. The building was totally destroyed with contents. Loss, \$150,000, with insurance of about \$75,000. The office and store room were saved, being in a separate building. This company was formed two years ago and took over the business of J. L. Beard, a Chicago manufacturer, who had failed while manufacturing can making machinery dies and patterns in competition with the United States Can Company for the foreign trade. The plant may not be rebuilt.

CITIZENS ARE ANGRY**East Enders Sore on the Paving Company's Action.**

A lady living on Queen's avenue just east of Ontario street telephoned The Advertiser today to complain about the piles of gravel and dirt with which the Warren Paving Company has obstructed the sidewalks on either side of the road.

"They came here several weeks ago to lay the new pavement," she said, "and they hauled a lot of dirt up and deposited it in heaps on the sidewalks. They have not come any work since, and the piles of dirt are a great nuisance. People can't walk on the sidewalks, so they use our lawns and are wearing out foot paths on them. If the gravel is not removed soon a number of us have agreed to get out with shovels and throw it onto the road."

Cut the Air Brake Tube.

St. Thomas, Ont., Aug. 24.—What might have resulted in a very bad wreck of a Michigan Central fast freight was prevented by a peculiar accident. A wheel on a car broke and a part of the broken metal flew and severed the air brake tube, bringing the train to a standstill.

**LONDONER MADE CHIEF RANGER
OF ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS****Mr. Walter Richards Signally Honored by Brother Foresters in Convention.**

For the second time in the history of the Ancient Order of Foresters, the distinguished office of high chief ranger has come to London. Yesterday Mr. Walter Richards, of 754 Dundas street, grocer, was elected to the high position by his brother Foresters in Toronto. The other occasion upon which a Londoner held the office was when Dr. A. O. Jeffery was elected some years ago.

High Chief Ranger Richards is one of the best known lodge men in this city of fraternal societies. He was born in Lostwithiel, Cornwall, England, coming to London in 1871 from

of Foresters, since which time he has been distinguished for his indefatigable efforts in behalf of the organization, and he has held many minor offices. He is at present secretary of Court Forest City, No. 574.

His very many friends in London will congratulate him upon his success in securing the distinguished honor. Certainly it is a reward for merit.

Mr. J. Young, of Hamilton, was elected sub-high chief ranger, at Toronto yesterday. Mr. H. C. Wilson, Toronto, high court treasurer, defeating Mr. H. E. Griffiths, the former holder of the office. Mr. W. Williams, Toronto, permanent secretary, and Dr. L. Secord, Brantford, high court medical examiner, were both re-elected by acclamation.

The remainder of the officers will be elected today. The retiring high chief ranger, Mr. S. H. Kent, of Hamilton, declined to continue longer in office, which he has held for four years.

After the elections today the proposal to form district courts and the proposed changes in the constitution will be taken up.

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New Hand
Bags, 75c.

WOODS' FAIR

Ladies'
Summer Vests,
3 for 25c.

Shirtwaist Corsets, 50c

Shirtwaist Corsets, made of fine satin in gray and white, steel
filled, 4 clasp, lace and baby ribbon trimmed top and bottom;
sale price50c

Cleto Corset, 50c

Cleto Corset in medium length, steel filled and strapped waist line,
lace and baby ribbon trimmed; sale price50c

Habit Hip Corset, 50c

Habit Hip in white batiste and drab jean, steel filled, double strap-
ped waist line, lace and baby ribbon trimmed; sale price50c

Dip Hip Corset, 75c

The Dip Hip in white and drab, made of French coutil, full gored,
bias cut, heavily boxed, strapped waist line, lace trimmed; sale
price75c

Crest Corset, \$1.25.

"Crest" the corset that cannot break at the sides, all women have
been waiting for the "Crest" since corsets were made with break-
able side stays. When the "Crest" appeared it solved the
mystery. We keep it in long and short lengths; sale price \$1.25Print Wrappers,
50c.

WOODS' FAIR

Ladies'
Silk Belts,
25c.

"Lots of Others"

But! If you want complete satisfaction, there's
only one tea that can give it to you. It's

"SALADA!"

Ceylon Tea. The World's Preference.

Sold only in lead packets, 25c, 30c, 40c, 50c, 60c
By all Grocers.

A SHINING MARK

Yet still the dreadful feeling pos-
sessed her, and as if drawn by a spell,
she drew a shawl she had caught up
over her head, and went swiftly to the
path leading down the side of the in-
cense to the cottage.It was steep, and the night was dark,
but her feet were too familiar with it
to make a false step.In a few minutes she stood on the
threshold of the cottage door—stood
like a ghost, and hesitated.Supposing he should be there, what
would he think of her coming to
him, alone, at that hour? What ex-
planation of her visit could she give?She turned, and retraced her steps
for a few yards, then, looked in.The room was empty. The light was
on the table, the fire burnt brightly,
the kettle was boiling over on the hob,
but the room was empty.Surely he had not gone to bed and
left the front door open!She stepped in fearfully, and called
his name loudly.

"Mr. Raven! Mr. Raven!"

Silence profound as the stars!

Half-mechanically, she went to the
fire, and, woman-like, lifted the kettle
down. As she did so, she saw a little
pool upon the rug. She glanced at the
table and the coffee cup—it was lying
side downwards.It was strange; the open door, the
kettle left boiling, the coffee cup
thrown down; and he, she knew, was
so orderly and neat in his ways! And
that pool on the hearth-rug—what did
it mean?She stooped down anxiously and
touched it with her finger. Then she
rang up and away from it with a
cry of horror and dread, holding her
hand away from her, and glaring at it
with wild, distended eyes; for the pool
was blood!For a moment the room seemed to
spin round, and she felt sick and
giddy; but she shut the door of the
next room and opened it. The room
was empty!No second cry came. Flinging her
shawl from her, as if even it impeded
her movements, she caught up the
lantern and lit it, and then darted out
through the door. She held the lantern
towards the window and peered at it;
then she uttered a low cry, for the
light revealed a thin line of red.As if it were a thread to guide her,
she followed it swiftly, going across
the rough, stony path as if her feet
were wings.Then suddenly she stopped, and set-
ting the lantern down, thrust herself
on her knees beside that which she was
seeking.

She had found him!

One awful shriek rose from her lips,
a shriek that seemed to cleave the
great hollow and wake the myriad
echoes with an awful sound; then she
raised his head upon her bosom and
laid her face on his.It was cold, cold and moist with
the heavy dew that had fallen on it. She
put her hand into his bosom, as Vase
had done—but how differently! There
was no movement of the heart. Then
she looked round wildly, as a tigress
might look that had found its beloved
cubs slain; a look of imploration to
earth—to heaven.And as her despairing gaze swept
round, it was caught by a tiny flash
of light on the rock above her head.
She stared at it incomprehensively for
a moment, then she understood.With a scream she threw her arms
round the motionless form and raised
it; it was heavy—a dead weight—but
to love the impossible becomes the pos-
sible! Faith can move mountains; love
enabled the girl to perform a miracle!Inch by inch she raised him in her
strong arms, and inch by inch she
lifted him, half-dragged him away from
the fatal spot.The perspiration started in great
beads upon her forehead, her arms
seemed straining from their sockets,
her feet turning to lead; yet a strange
joy burnt in her heart, for in the
moment of agonized fear, while herH. & A. S. gold-filled
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the doctor's, her eyes fixed upon his
improvingly."No one but me, doctor!" she plead-
ed. "See, I am calm—and—and—strong!"

"I carried him; I can nurse him!"

"Will you tell me—everything—
thing! Don't send me away; don't let
anyone else—"He held her hand a moment, and
looked into her eyes, and said:"Very well, Miss Nellie," she said,
"but, remember, his life lies in your
hands!""His life—!" she panted, and a flash
of light seemed to beam in her eyes."—then—then—you will save him! See
my hands—are they clean? Yes! I un-
derstand!" she drew up her slight, frail
figure till it seemed to tower above him.

"Tell me what to do, and I will do it!"

The doctor nodded, and he is alive
and well now."You are a brave girl," he said, ap-
provingly, "and I'll trust you."He showed her how to apply the
bandage, torn into strips and soaked in
the boiling water, and himself washed
the wound on the head.The dawn came, and the sun rose
and flooded the room, but still Clifford
lay motionless and apparently lifeless.Mr. Wood had sent the men away
as they arrived; it was to be a holiday
at the quarry, he was to have a day
for Nellie had implored him to be silent."Say nothing till—till he comes to,
father," she said, tremulously. "Say
nothing, do nothing, say nothing.""What, and let the villain as did this
escape—for I know it wasn't the fallen
rock as did it!""And I know it too!" she said, with
a sudden flash in her eyes that startled
him. "But do nothing till he comes to;
it shall be for him to say what shall
be done!"But when was he coming to? Day
succeeded day, and still he lay as one
in the shadow of death."Ain't he coming back to life,
doctor?" whispered Wood one evening
as he stood beside the bed and look-
ed down at the white face with its
closed eyes and parted lips.

The doctor shook his head.

"It is a miracle that he is alive," he
said, gravely. "We must be patient.
There have been cases where a man
has lain unconscious for six weeks."There was a gentleman, the son of an
earl, who was thrown from a dog-cart;
he lay like this for three months, and
to all appearances dead. But he is alive
and well now," and he mentioned his
name.Nellie drew a long sigh and bent
over her patient.

[To be Continued.]

AN OFF DAY AT

THE CONFERENCE

How the Japanese and Russian

Attaches Put in the Spare

Time.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 23.—It is a
cool day. Since the mosquitoes left
been about the Wentworth. This
surrely up by the Canadian border.
The Japanese were to have gone to
York Beach today, making the trip by
the launches. Secretary Pierce had the
launches ready and the invitation had
been accepted, but something went
wrong. Something seems always to go
wrong when the Japanese accept an
invitation. Last Sunday morning, for
example, they had said the morning, for
they were to attend Christ Church
in Portsmouth. Somehow they didn't
arrive. It was given out that the au-
tomobiles had failed to arrive on time.
They would be enraptured, however,
to be at Christ Church in the evening.At the vesper service, the Japanese
waited outside the door the whole
evening long to welcome the Japanese.No Japanese. Two dozen men were
away to the Christian Church at Kit-
tery Point and the rest were at home.Something of the kind happened in
connections with the York harbor
men of experience say that it reminds
them of the time when the correspond-
ents were waiting for the Japanese to
Manchuria. The Japanese were always
on the point of sending them, but the
unforeseen accident always arrived.He understood, and he loved her raise
the motionless form, and together they
carried it to the cottage, and laid it on
the bed; and he began to unfasten
Clifford's collar.But, with a sudden gleam of her wild
eyes, she put him aside, as if jealous
that her father should touch him."No, no, I will see. Go—go for a doc-
tor."

"And—leave you, Nell, here alone?"

"Yes, yes," she panted. "Do—do you
think I am afraid? Oh! If you love me,
father, go, go, go!"The old man darted out, with one
glance behind him, and she heard his
heavy step hurrying up the path.Tenderly yet swiftly she got poor
Clifford's coat and collar off, bathed
his forehead, and forced some
brandy through the white lips.Then, with a long sigh, she once
more drew his head upon her bosom,
and held it there.The minutes—they were hours, ages—
dragged slowly by, and still she sat,
with Love and Death to keep her
company.Suddenly a third joined the scene. A
tall figure crept stealthily round the
cottage, and skulking like an Indian,
glared in the window and peered in.
It was Vase.He glared in at the two,
his face white almost to lividness, his
eyes blazing with rage and jealousy.As if unable to bear the sight of his
rival resting, even in death, upon her
bosom, he crept nearer to the door, his
eyes fixed upon the iron bar."But quietly," he said, "I'll kill him—and
he'll hiss. Then suddenly there rose a
cry.""Coming Nell—bear up! Coming!"
scolded through the stillness; and,
with a guilty start, he sunk out and
darted across the quarry.The doctor bent over the still face,
and laid his ear to the white lips."Is—she dead?" faltered Wood,
grasping Nellie's hand; but she asked
no questions, only watched the doctor's
face.

He shook his head.

"Very nearly, if not quite," he said.
"Her hand gripped her father's, then
relaxed like a dead bird.""Heaven above!" faltered the old
man. "Save him, doctor, save him! I'd
give you all I'm worth—"Nellie drew her hand from his, and
kneeling beside the bed, laid her ear
on Clifford's cold, limp hand."Hot water!" said the doctor, sharp-
ly but quietly.She rose and sprang through the
doorway."Is there no hope?" said old Wood,
hoarsely.

The doctor pursed his lips.

"There is always hope," he remark-
ed; "but there is no time to lose. Help
me get his things off! Has had a
fearful blow—see here! Miss Nellie, can
I depend on her—or will you go and get
someone else?"

"Yes, yes," said Wood. "I'll go—"

He met her at the door with the hot
water."Stop!" she said, and her voice
sounded as if it came from a distance.
"No one but me!"Fifty adds to Putnam's Corn Ex-
tractor was introduced. Its sale has
been enormous. Why? Because it'sA lot of the Japanese have imitated
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stride which covers a tremendous
stretch of ground in an hour, and goes
to explain the flanking movements in
Manchuria.This afternoon, when Takeshita and
Hanahira went in swimming. In his
clothes, Takeshita is just a graceful
little "man" who swims like a fish."Honey" in Washington—appears to be
a boy. But in their bathing suits they
both show fine, muscular shoulders,
arms of tremendous power, and legs
with which the little whippersnappers
move and twinkle every time they
step.Takeshita has a wad of muscle as
big as a European wrist just below the
corner of his shoulders. Where Han-
ahira's forearm runs into his biceps
it has a lump of pure energy as big
as a hen's egg. Both, it happens,
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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

DEATHS.
PATTERSON—In Westminster Township, on Thursday, Aug. 24, 1905, John Patterson, aged 56 years.

Funeral from his late residence, lot 14, con. 4, Westminster, on Saturday, Aug. 25, at 2:30 p.m.; services at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

MARRIAGES.

CASEY—STEWART—At the residence of the bride's mother, 155 Maple street, London, Ont., on Wednesday, Aug. 23, 1905, by the Rev. R. W. Dickie, Miss Jessie Stewart, daughter of the late Samuel Stewart, to Mr. Avery Casey, barrister.

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LONDON, THURSDAY, AUG. 24.

Curzon, Kitchener and Minto.

The resignation of Lord Curzon is a personal triumph for Lord Kitchener, but it is most unfortunate for British prestige in India that these two strong men should have come into open conflict. The Viceroy of India has been regarded by the natives for generations as the source and fountain of power and honor, scarcely less exalted and supreme than the sovereign of Great Britain. He has symbolized the might of the British race, and his office has been surrounded with the pomp and majesty so useful in impressing the Oriental imagination. This high station has been to some extent degraded by its subordination to that of the commander-in-chief of the army in India. It is a pity that Lord Curzon and Lord Kitchener could not have accommodated their differences instead of taking up positions which involved the humiliation of one or the other.

The central idea of Kitchener's policy has been the detachment of the military from the civil administration, on the ground that the existing system enmeshed the army hopelessly in civil rapé. He demanded also a great increase in the army, which Lord Curzon, as the financial trustee of the country, considered too heavy a burden to be carried. The Viceroy finally gave way to his masterful colleague on the main principle, but the final rupture arose over an incident of Kitchener's scheme, the choice of a military representative on the Indian council. The home Government, at the instance of Kitchener, refused to appoint Curzon's nominee, The Viceroy interpreted this as a denial of confidence, and at once resigned.

Canadians have heard with something like amazement that Lord Minto has been chosen as Lord Curzon's successor. Lord Minto made no definite impression in Canada. Until near the close of his term as Governor-General he made no effort to meet the people, and saw little of the country. His regime coincided with the most prosperous era Canada has ever known, and with many important Imperial developments, such as the Boer war, and the Chamberlain propaganda, but he in no way influenced the course of public affairs in this country. The Imperial Government appears to think otherwise, and to give him credit for guiding this colony safely through a momentous period. In fairness to Lord Minto, it should be said that the office of Governor-General at this stage of Canada's existence is no stern test of statesmanship, and that nothing arose to call out the supreme ability which will be more needed in his new sphere of duty. In India he followed a singularly talented man, who has given evidence of great organizing and executive powers. Unless the Canadian estimate of Lord Minto is mistaken, he will be overshadowed by the iron-willed Kitchener, and the office of viceroy will not regain its old prestige.

The First Contract.

A national event is the awarding of the first contract on the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. It covers a section 275 miles long, from Portage La Prairie, Man., northwesterly to the Touchwood Hills. The price is some \$4,000,000, and it is satisfactory to know that a Canadian company secured the contract in competition with several firms across the line.

This portion of the Grand Trunk Pacific system will run between the Canadian Northern and the Canadian Pacific, but it will serve a district for the most part well settled. Probably the next link to be built will be between Portage La Prairie and Winnipeg, 60 miles as the crow flies. Official assurance is given that construction work will begin immediately and will be pushed with all possible speed. The engineering difficulties will be greater on the branch between Winnipeg and Lake Superior, but this outcrop to the great lakes will be built simultaneously with the prairie section which is now under way. Mr. Morse, the general manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific, and Mr. Hyman, Minister of Public Works, have left for Fort William to inspect the Lake Superior terminus of the road, and arrange for adequate terminal facilities. The next spring will see the construction of the road in full swing at different points between the Atlantic and Pacific. As this will come on top of the great harvest this autumn, the outlook is a bright one.

Mr. Scott Indorsed.

The friends of Mr. Walter Scott, M. P. of Regina, will share the pleasure he must have derived from the following communication, dated July 23, which he received upon his arrival from Ottawa:

"At the annual general meeting of the Medicine Hat Liberal Association, held on 27th inst., a resolution was unanimously passed approving heartily of your efforts both in the House and elsewhere to secure for the West, and this district in particular, recognition of their claims, and thanking you for your untiring efforts in that behalf, and further approving of your policy during the several sessions since your election. We herewith pledge our continued support to the Liberal party and to yourself. We are, sir, your obedient servants, D. C. White, president, Walter Crosskill, secretary, and others."

To Be Married in October.

[Somerville Journal.]

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He-Enthusiastically-Just as you are! There isn't a single thing about you that I would change except your name.

Night in Marmerville.

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dacious telegram was read by Mr. Haultain asserting that Medicine Hat Liberals had sent a deputation to Ottawa to protest against the autonomy bills. Mr. Scott's name has been associated with the premiership of the new province of Saskatchewan, but whether he is to be called to this particular honor or not, he occupies, for so young a man, a commanding position in the west, and is apparently destined to play an important part in its future. The west has need of such men in its formative period.

Utilizing Prison Labor.

It is well for Canada that there is greater freedom to deal with prison problems within the bounds of the Dominion than there is in the neighboring republic. Kansas, for example, desired to have a state oil refinery, operated by prisoners confined in its penitentiary. The supreme court, however, decided that an oil refinery cannot legally be considered an annex to a prison, even though its operation might help the taxpayers to combat the undue exactions of the oil monopolists. In Canada, our rulers are free to run the penitentiaries as best seems fit. The new penitentiary at Edmonton, N. W. T., is unique in this respect that it is hoped to have a perpetual supply of good coal, water and clay to make brick and cement walls on its reserve. With commendable foresight the Minister of Justice a year or two ago, selected a farm just outside the village of Edmonton, which had within its bounds a never-failing supply of water, coal and builders' clay, paying therefore but a tithe of what the property would, in these booming days of the new capital city of Alberta, now bring, if in the market. It is an ideal property for a penitentiary, and it is fortunate that Kansas legal notions do not prevail here.

He Knows.

[Chicago Journal.]

The preacher-That refined looking fellow says that he was brought to prison by disreputable associates.

The warden-He's a liar. I brought him here myself.

Handy.

[Chicago Journal.]

Cholly-Why, what are you doing with the engagement ring I gave you sister?

Lillie-Oh! she lets me wear it when the other fellows is callin'.

As a Woman Sees It.

[Milwaukee Sentinel.]

"George, I see by the paper that one of the players stole two bases and reached home safely at yesterday's game."

"Yes, dear, I read it."

"But, George, I should think when they steal bases that way they would be afraid the grand jury would get after them."

His Profession.

[Cleveland Leader.]

Helbeck-What does Banister do for a living?

Jimmon-He writes.

Helbeck-Poetry or stories?

Jimmon-Neither. He writes home for money.

Good, But Impossible.

[Browning's Magazine.]

"Oh, yes, he was a highly reputable and moral young man, but Ethel refused him."

"Why?"

"He wore celluloid collars."

Long Felt Want.

[Philadelphia Ledger.]

Flannery-What's the matter wid ye, Mike?

Flannery-"This near killt I was be fallin' down an open coal hole."

Flannery-Well, well, 'tis too bad they can't invent a coal hole tho't'll stay shut when it's open."

His Cause Entirely Just.

[Judge.]

"Why do you want a divorce?" the judge asked.

"Because I can't look at my wife without being tempted to commit suicide or murder."

"What brought about this state of mind?"

"She put moth balls in my cigar pocket."

"Petition granted."

He Found It.

[Tit-Bits.]

"At last," exclaimed Darwin, "I have discovered the missing link."

And reaching under the bureau, he drew forth the other cuff-button.

Curious.

[Philadelphia Ledger.]

Phoebe-The shape of a man's stomach is round, ain't it, Doc?

Dr. Weeder-Nearly so. Why?

Phoebe-Ain't it funny that nothing fits it so well as a square meal?

A Mistaken Diagnosis.

[Indian Medical Record.]

The following conversation recently took place in India:

Physician (with his ear to patient's breast)-There is a curious swelling over the region of your heart, sir, which must be relieved at once.

Patient (anxiously)-That "swelling" is my pocketbook, doctor. Please don't reduce it too much.

Lovely.

[New York Sun.]

First Chauffeur-Don't you think this bumping the bumps is lovely?

Second Chauffeur-Yes! It feels just as if you were running over a lot of people.

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THE ALL-RED LINK

OF THE EMPIRE

Pacific Cable Deficits Over-

looked Because of the Strategic Value.

London, Aug. 23.-The Pacific Cable and of the "All Red Line" leads to an office on the first floor of Queen Anne's Chambers, in Tothill street. There are half a dozen rooms, and the last is the first in importance. It is the office of W. H. Reynolds, the general manager of the Pacific Cable part of this first joint enterprise promoted by the colonies and the United Kingdom.

On a recent occasion he was in an optimistic mood, while in many parts of financial London, cablemen and others interested in sending messages through leagues of sea, were not of such a happy or contented mind. They had the report of the Pacific Cable conference, commissioners, and were trying hard to understand it. It was all there in cold type, but it was quite apparent that the meaning was not as plain as the type.

"It's a jolly puzzle," said one, wrestling with the parliamentary paper. "Deep as the cable itself," declared another.

It was surely both of these to the man in the street, but to the ardent Imperialist and all-line advocate this latest chapter to the long involved story seems as plain as A B C. It is a story of the closing of the way for the closing words which are expected at the Colonial Conference.

Thinking of the Loan.

Everyone hopes so. Yet there is not infrequently heard the question, "Wonder when England will get back her two million pounds loan?"

But, on the other hand, so great is the importance attached to the strategic value-in time of war-of this Imperial cable project, that others think quite a matter of indifference when England gets her money back.

The deficit this year is \$37,250. This Canada will pay five-eighths of this deficit is largely accounted for by the Pacific cable act, under which the sum must be annually deducted out of revenue to repay the principal for the next fifty years in addition to a large sum for renewals.

But from this the cable is shown to be self-supporting. The year ending last March it shows a surplus of over \$150,000.

The most flattering compliment to the work of the commissioners, Hon. Alfred Lyttelton, the Colonial Secretary, the Earl of Jersey, Sir William Mulock and Sir Sandford Fleming, who were in session here almost daily for some weeks, came from Mr. Reynolds, "greatly advanced the cause of Imperial unity by this report."

Linked With States.

This view was voiced as I asked why Canada did not more prominently figure in the report. To the reading public the Dominion is not there at all. We are linked with the United States in the word "America," which the report says exchanged in 1904 exactly \$8,125 words over the all-red line and from the six British countries partners to this vast enterprise.

The other five, Great Britain, Australia, New Zealand, New South Wales and Victoria, exchanged 2,200,000 words. For the past year ending last March this grand total is increased by 147,863, the total for the Eastern Cable Company's lines being 1,824,397, an increase over 1904 of 54,262, while over the Pacific cable was sent 811,260 words, an increase of 85,900 words over the year 1904.

"But Canada," said Mr. Reynolds, "figures in this report in a way not seen at first glance. It is chiefly her grievance, one may say, that it was the aim of the commissioners to meet and settle, an old, but which they thought a complaint-unfair play on the part of the New South Wales Government in granting concessions to the Eastern Cable two weeks after the agreement of four years ago was entered into."

These concessions, it is well-known, were in a word the privilege of opening offices in Sydney and Melbourne, where the Eastern Cable had never before been given "a look in."

"We had thought," said Mr. Reynolds, pleading for Canada, "that change would be made in the arrangements as they existed before that agreement to buy and lay the cable, but that was not down in black and white, and the Eastern Company got this privilege to us, and not they even with notice to us, and not they perpetuity. Then came the Australian federation with this act of New South Wales Parliament in favor of the Commonwealth Government, which took the administration of the postal and telegraph departments, and they were bound to recognize and carry out that New South Wales agreement-bound, unless by some agreement between the Commonwealth and the company it could be varied."

Working Expenses.

The working expenses for the past year, including salaries and expenses of the head office and all stations and the maintenance of a repair ship, are set at \$255,000, while the traffic receipts for the past year are over \$500,000. This leaves a surplus of \$155,000 to provide for the interest and renewal funds, and to repay the principal.

But this does not, of course, nearly meet the demands of that giant loan of two million pounds, or \$10,000,000, and so there will likely continue for many years to be a "fat" deficit.

But Sir Sandford Fleming through it all is optimistic, and prophesies that this rate of three shillings to the pound will soon be reduced to about twenty cents a word, and of sending press messages to a certain limit, free, "for the sake of the educational advantage and the furtherance of Imperial unity."

"Capital idea!" said one, as he read this from one of Sir Sandford's late articles on the subject. "Canada may get tired of paying out \$100,000 a year to meet deficits."

"Well, it is a little rough," the all-red-line advocate admitted, "but it is growing less every year. \$80,000 last year, you see, this year than last. The principle we borrowed from England will have to be repaid some time and some way. It will come all right. You see how strong the Imperial sentiment is day to day the construction of the other cable from New Guinea to Queensland. Surely that is guarantee that the colonies are prepared to work together to make the Pacific cable a success."

Another Imperial advocate, a free trader, pointed out the "Imperial" advantage in one eloquent effort.

"Trade follows the cable. So should the press, and it should be free. Now is the time to bring Imperial commerce and defense and education into the sphere of Imperial unity."

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TARIFF INQUIRIES

SOON TO BEGIN

The Commission Making Final

Preparations for the

Sitting.

Ottawa, Aug. 24.-The ministers have not yet fixed the dates upon which they will hold sittings in connection with the tariff inquiry, but it is understood that arrangements will be made within a day or two, and that the commissioners will enter upon the work almost immediately. The ministers are conducting the investigation will be the same as in 1897: Hon. W. S. Fielding, Sir Richard Cartwright and Hon. William Patterson, with the addition of Hon. L. P. Brown, Minister of Finance, and Hon. J. H. Macdonald, Minister of Land Revenue. Sir Richard Cartwright will not be able to accompany his colleagues to distant parts of the Dominion, but will sit with them at meetings in centers nearer the capital. Communications have been addressed to the ministers, expressing the desire that their views in particular cases may be made known at particular times, which are mentioned. But the ministers find it difficult to comply with these requests. The work they are undertaking is of considerable magnitude, involving long journeys from ocean to ocean, and after the travel is over much time will be required for consideration of the information obtained. Moreover, the opportunity between now and next session of Parliament is brief for such a comprehensive inquiry. The ministers will, therefore, be obliged to expedite that parties in the various districts of the Dominion, who are interested, will be required to present their views whenever the sittings of the commission open.

IGNORANCE OR GRAFT?

The Rural Surrogate Returns To Be Investigated.

Toronto, Aug. 24.-The Provincial Treasurer's department is conducting an investigation that may produce scandal, or expose a line of graft that is akin to embezzlement. Failing that, it will at least reveal a brand of ignorance that should be rewarded with instant dismissal. Either way the chances are that the investigation will uncover a state of affairs in rural districts that has cost the Province a deal of money.

The investigation is into the returns of rural surrogate returns. Accidental discovery has revealed some of the facts that certain surrogate registrars and judges were not returning to the Government a full and correct statement with a table of the relationship of beneficiaries, in order that the department might ascertain the amount of succession duties due.

An investigation was immediately ordered, and this has already resulted in the discovery of one estate which escaped the payment of \$1,800.

The scrutiny will be continued. While the officials of the succession duties department are of the opinion that the neglect is due to ignorance more than to a desire to manipulate graft, there is no denying the fact that the opportunity for graft is there, and the opportunity for graft is there, and the opportunity for graft is there.

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MARKET PRICES

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FLAXSEED.

CHICAGO.
Chicago, Aug. 23.—Flaxseed—Northwest, \$1.16; southwest, \$1.15.

DAIRY MARKETS.

CHICAGO.
Chicago, Aug. 23.—Butter firm; creameries, 16c to 17c; dairies, 15c to 16c.

WOODSTOCK.

Woodstock, Ont., Aug. 23.—At the cheese board here today the offerings were 65 boxes of white cheese, which was bid, and 1,340 boxes of colored cheese, 11½c to 12½c.

NEW YORK.

New York, Aug. 23.—Butter steady; receipts, 8,800 packages; official prices, creamery, common to extra, 17½c to 18½c; renovated, common to extra, 15c to 16c.

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PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 23.—Oil opened and closed at \$1.27.

OIL CITY.

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LONDON.

London, Aug. 23.—Petroleum, American refined, 5½d; spirits, 8½d.

ANTWERP.

Antwerp, Aug. 23.—Petroleum, 17 francs 50 centimes.

SUGAR MARKETS.

NEW YORK.
New York, Aug. 23.—Sugar—Raw steady; refined, 11½c to 12½c; centrifugal, 9½c to 10½c.

LONDON.

London, Aug. 23.—Raw sugar—Muscovado, 9½d; centrifugal, 11½d, nominal; beet sugar, August, 9½d.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Aug. 23.—Sugar—The market is steady, with a firm tone reported from outside markets; the demand here is active, and will likely continue so, as receipts of fruit are large.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.
London, Aug. 23.—Cattle, 10½c to 11½c; sheep, 10½c to 11½c; pigs, 10½c to 11½c.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Aug. 24.—Receipts today, 90 tons, including 385 cattle, 2,217 sheep and lambs, 1,125 hogs and 124 calves. Light run, market good, prices firm. Quotations, and an early clearance effected.

Quotations: Export cattle, choice, \$4.50 to \$4.75; Export cattle, good to medium, \$4.25 to \$4.50; Export hogs, \$3.75 to \$4.00; Export sheep, \$3.50 to \$3.75; Butcher's cattle, choice, \$4.25 to \$4.50; Butcher's cattle, good to medium, \$3.75 to \$4.00; Butcher's hogs, \$3.25 to \$3.50; Butcher's sheep, \$3.00 to \$3.25; Feeders, short-cut, \$3.75 to \$4.00.

CAN YOU TELL WHAT AILS THIS MAN.

He is Only One in Hundreds of Thousands. Watch Well Your Own Individual Self.

He has a tremendous appetite, yet has no desire to exert himself in the least. He seems lazy and indolent. His sleep is fitful and troubled. He has pains under his shoulder blades and a bitter taste remains in his mouth. His tongue is often furred and coated. He is dizzy when he gets up or walks or arises from stooping over. One day his bowels move, but the next day he is constipated. The natural powers of the body become clogged up, the bile in the stomach not being able to pass out through the natural channels is absorbed into the blood. If you said "he is a bilious man," you would be exactly right, but how few there are who know what to do for such a condition. See here! Read carefully and you will find out what to do. If you have similar feelings, take Smith's Pinellie and Butterbur Pills, which are an infallible remedy for biliousness and all other forms of liver trouble. Their effects are quickly seen in a complete change of spirits, regular daily movements of the bowels, refreshing sleep and a rapid return of healthy appetite and digestion. Smith's Pinellie and Butterbur Pills are purely vegetable. Nature's true laxative. They always cure sick headache, constipation and biliousness in one night. 25 cents at all dealers. All genuine signed W. F. Smith.

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CULTIVATION OF FLOWERS AND POINTERS AS TO WHAT TO PLANT

Parks Commissioner Pearce Gives Valuable Advice to the People of London.

Parks Commissioner Pearce, who always has an eye toward the beautifying of the lawns and yards of private houses, as well as the parks and other public places, is just now interesting himself in the giving of advice to those citizens who are anxious to have nice flowers, but who do not know what to secure. Those who know Mr. Pearce need not be told that probably no man in Canada is better able to give advice of this kind than the worthy superintendent. All his life he has spent among flowers and shrubs, and he can be relied upon in every particular. He proposes just now to give the people of London, through the columns of The Advertiser, a few useful hints on the sowing and cultivation of flowers, bulbs, shrubs and trees, and these hints will be followed by other suggestions, which will be found of equal value by all citizens who love a nice home.

"Those who want perennial flowers," he says, "for next year, should sow the seed now. Don't delay. If planted now

you will have nice plants for next year's flowering. Some of the 'good old-fashioned' perennials: Hollyhocks, delphiniums or larkspur, digitalis or foxglove, perennial poppies, Canterbury bells (biennial), sweet william, pansies. For spring flowering sow at once, and when winter sets in cover slightly for protection.

"Plant single hollyhocks in front of some unsightly fence, wall or shed.

"Plant in a nice moist, clean spot in the garden, and use street sweepings, which some of them will (if good seed), when nice plants, reset or thin out so that they may develop into good stocky, well-rooted plants. Transplanting is best.

"The above will give you a nice variety, and with a few annuals will make quite a flower garden. Do not use well established, needs little care except to keep clean and manured. Don't attempt to grow flowers without a fairly good rich soil. If soil is sandy, work in some clay loam in your beds, as well as manure. Get cow-manure from a reliable source. Use street sweepings or cleanings from pavements unless thoroughly rotted, which takes a whole year, with frequent turning and watering.

"I shall have something to say later on about bulbs, shrubs and other matters."

WINNIPEG LOTS AT \$3,000 PER FOOT

Ald. Forristal Speaks of the Phenomenal Growth of the West.

"Three thousand dollars a foot is what the Canada Land is paying for a 30-foot lot in Winnipeg," said Ald. Forristal, who has just arrived home from a trip to the Northwest. "Yes, they paid \$90,000 for the lot, which is a phenomenal growth of the West. It is a good building on it, but it is rumored that the buildings on both properties may be taken down and a new one built. This big price for real estate is the result of the splendid outlook for the growth and development of the Northwest, which will be immeasurably stimulated by this year's tremendous wheat crop."

HAY MARKET.

Toronto, Aug. 23.—Baled Hay—The market continues dull, with little demand; No. 1 timothy is quoted at \$7 to \$7.50 per ton; car lots on truck here, and No. 2 at \$6.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Toronto, Aug. 23.—Wheat—The demand for Ontario is quiet and prices are unchanged; new No. 2 red and white, 75c to 76c; old, 75c to 76c, at outside points.

BEAN MARKET.

Toronto, Aug. 23.—Beans—August, \$1.52; October, \$1.63.

WAS AFTER PRINCE

Secretary Nelles of the Fair Board Was About to Invite Him Here.

Secretary Nelles of the Western Fair board, has had his eye on a big attraction for London Fair for some time, but the chances are very much against his securing it just now. The attraction is none other than Prince Louis of Saxe-Coburg, commander of the magnificent British fleet now at Quebec.

Prince Louis, with 140 of his picked men, is paying a visit to the big shows of the country—Winnipeg, Ottawa and Toronto. Consequently, Mr. Nelles thought he would be able to find it convenient to come to London; but the announcement is now made that the fleet of warships, with Prince Louis on the flagship, will sail from Quebec on Sept. 2. And the Western Fair does not open until Sept. 8.

Thus have Mr. Nelles' hopes been shattered.

THAT CHINESE BOYCOTT

Celestials at Yokohama Take Active Measures Against U. S. Goods.

Yokohama, Aug. 24.—The reported anti-Chinese boycott has reached Yokohama. The first indication of its presence was on July 26, when local Chinese refused to give any freight to the steamer Manchuria, due to leave for Hong Kong on the 28th. The reason stated by the local Chinese was that the steamer was carrying goods from the United States, and they would dare to discharge such cargo.

The movement slowly continued, until on Sunday, Aug. 6, a meeting of representative Chinese was held at the Chinese hall of commerce, Yokohama, when the proposed boycott was considered under five heads. These were: banking, shipping, insurance, other lines of business, and employees. There was much eloquence from the organizers who talked of the danger of patriotism, and the necessity that the Chinese residents of Yokohama, a great port, should fall in line with their brethren elsewhere. Finally it was resolved:

1. Not to deal in American goods.

2. Not to ship any goods on American steamers (more particularly to Chinese, as Chinese relatives would be punished).

3. That any Chinese merchants doing such business, through another, would be dealt with as if the business had been done by him.

4. Not to do business with any American banking or insurance company.

5. Some indulgence to be granted on account of goods already shipped.

Fortunately there is none but American goods in the market.

WHEN YOU FEEL OUT OF SORTS

Look for the Symptoms of Torpid Liver and Biliousness.

Biliousness is caused by the failure of the liver to filter the bile and other poisons from the blood. The result is a clogging and poisoning of the whole system.

Indigestion, headache, languid, melancholy feelings, irritability of temper, constipation, alternating with looseness of the bowels, pains in the muscles and bones, and a pale, sallow complexion are among the symptoms. Prompt and certain cure for biliousness and torpid liver in Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

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When you feel out of sorts and notice any of the symptoms of torpid liver and biliousness put Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills to the test, and you will then understand why this great medicine is so famous.

AUTHOR TO SELL SUMMER HOME

Man Who Wrote "The Silver Poppy" Tires of the Agricultural Life.

Mr. Arthur Stringer, the well-known author, is about to sell his Kent County summer home. For four summers now the poet and novelist has worked at his 14 acres on the farm. He has written "The Silver Poppy," a novel of life in the south of Chatham. He has made it a prize garden, abounding with luscious fruits, such as he once knew on his father's farm.

Under his laborious care it has become a secluded villa, such as even the poet Homer might have celebrated in one of his charming odes. A lovely green dotted with tasteful shrubs, leading to the edge of the bank, affords a commanding view of a large bay, flanked to the southeast by Eriou.

Here for the past four summers the author of "Hephæstus" and "The Silver Poppy" has elaborated by his little demi-paradise, visited by all the birds known to Kent County. His villa has been himself roofed, painted and built with stones and pillars of stones gathered from the beach below. Every summer until this one Mrs. Stringer, now to the stage world as "Johanna Howland," has been with him. There she has learned the art of housekeeping and the ways of farm life.

Mr. Stringer, who has written most of "The Silver Poppy," there, too, he now completing another book based on his last winter's travels with Mrs. Stringer.

Last summer during a visit to her Colorado home Mrs. Stringer became dangerously ill with typhoid. After her recovery instead of returning to the season to the New York stage, according to her custom, she went with her to the Kent County home. The summer, shortly after their return to Kent County, she received a telegram from her manager, advising her to return at once to New York to the stage.

She went. Now Mr. Stringer is willing to sell his summer home.

NO CLUE AS TO PORT SUICIDE

Identity of Man Who Shot Himself Not Established at Inquest.

St. Thomas, Aug. 23.—"Death by his own hand" was the verdict rendered by the jury empaneled by Dr. Gustin, coroner, who held an inquest on the body of a man who shot himself in the head, the cause of the death of the unknown man found dead in the ravine at the Fraser Hill.

The man, when found, as stated yesterday, held a 38-caliber revolver in his left hand, and the bullet had entered the head, coming out of the back, and was found in his clothing.

The man had stopped at the Queen's Hotel here for several days, and at the request of the Journal, Mr. George McKall, the proprietor of the hotel, went to the hotel and found the man who had been a guest at his hotel for several days. The man arrived at the Queen's Hotel on Tuesday last, coming in at No. 27 express. He seemed to have money, and registered as John Ruff. On Monday morning he left the hotel, saying he was going out of the country, and the next heard of him was the finding of his body. He was born in the same part of Germany as Mr. Long's parents, and he came to this city from Troy, N. Y. He also had been in Niagara Falls before coming here.

The cases contained nothing by which the man could be identified, the only mark being G. R. on a shirt. There was a black suit of clothes and other clothing, as well as a watch, undergarments, etc., in the case. In a cigar box was a box containing cartridges of two sizes, as well as needles, buttons, a pocket watch, a wrench, glazier's diamond, and other articles, which might be used by a painter and decorator.

At the Queen's Hotel he registered every time he went there. Mr. McKall and the boarders at the hotel were very much interested in the case, but could be of no help to the police.

However, last Sunday, he told Harry Long, Wabash brakeman, that he was born in the same part of Germany as Mr. Long's parents, and he came to this city from Troy, N. Y. He also had been in Niagara Falls before coming here.

A ROMNEY BOY MURDERED

Walter Lyons, Formerly of Kent County, Killed in New Mexico.

Chatham, Aug. 24.—Walter Lyons, for 32 years a resident of Romney, Kent County, was murdered in the Zuni reservation in New Mexico. The starling news reached the Zuni

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years, supposed to be from Detroit, was found murdered on the Zuni reservation in New Mexico. On June 13 last, One Claude Doan is now in jail charged with the murder.

"Douglas D. Graham, agent for the Zuni Indians, has written a letter to Supt. Downey, asking for particulars concerning Lyons. The city directory contains no 'Walter Lyons,' and inquiry failed to locate anyone who knew him. Mr. Graham says that Lyons had lost two fingers.

"Lyons had been teaching school at Concha, Ariz. Two Indians found the body, which had been dragged into the woods, about 40 rods away. He was murdered June 13, but the body was not found until June 13. No papers were found by which the man's identity could be more definitely established."

Mr. Lyons was born and brought up in Romney, where his widow, Mrs. Ada V. Lyons, still resides. He left Romney for New Mexico, two years ago last May. He has many friends and relatives in Kent County.

Mrs. Lyons was prostrated with grief when she first learned of the affair through the Detroit paper. She has written the New Mexican authorities for full information regarding her husband's death.

KAISER TOOK DUKE OF COBURG IN HAND

Trained Young English Prince To Be a Thorough-Paced German Ruler.

Berlin, Aug. 24.—The young Duke of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, who has taken over the reins of the government of his duchy on the completion of his 21st year, is the only son of the late Prince Leopold of England and of Princess Helene of Waldeck Pymont.

When his uncle, best known as the Duke of Edinburgh, died at Coburg seven years ago, the duchy rightly fell to the Duke of Connaught, but as the duke in his own behalf and in behalf of his family declined to become a German prince the offer of the duchy was made to Princess Leopold, who accepted it on behalf of her son.

As Princess Helene from the very beginning was a thoroughgoing German frau, her son, Prince Charles Edward, was early trained in the German language, and even while at Eton was known unfavorably among his schoolfellows for his German predilections. One or two of the boldest of his companions did not even refrain from calling him "sausages."

On his arrival in Germany it was comparatively easy work to make of him a German prince. Emperor William immediately took his young cousin in hand, provided for him pan-German tutors, who instructed him in the greatness of the German Empire and the marvelous future in store for it. He was sent to a Prussian military academy, where Prussian discipline and the companionship of young German aristocrats completed the work.

Both the Emperor and the Empress took the warmest interest in the boy's development, and the Empress especially determined that at the earliest possible moment he should marry as thoroughlygoing a German girl as his mother had been. She called the roll of her feminine relatives, and finally decided that Princess Victoria Adelaide of Schleswig-Holstein, her niece, would make an admirable Duchess of Coburg and Gotha.

It is currently reported that the duke saw his future wife at a court ball last winter he had not even heard of her existence, and that the ball had come to a conclusion Charles Edward and Victoria Adelaide were a betrothed couple.

Most members of both branches of the Coburg family have the reputation of being cosmopolitan in sentiment and character. They are either ambitious, like Ferdinand of Bulgaria, or men of pleasure, like Leopold of Belgium.

The young Duke of Coburg and Gotha, however, as far as he is understood at present, is an unassuming, characterless and rather flaccid sort of youth. He may turn out either on the Ferdinand or on the Leopold side.

He has decided to change his residence from Coburg to Gotha in order to be free from the Russian influences connected with the former town. It is said that he very much dislikes the Russian connection associated with the late Duke of Edinburgh.

His income is about \$125,000 a year, and he will inherit a fortune of about \$1,500,000. He owns six castles and his private appanages, and forest lands comprise about 120,000 acres.

His future wife has no means, but the Empress, it is said, will settle \$100,000 a year on her.

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TELEPHONE TALKS.

TO TELEPHONE USERS AND THE GENERAL PUBLIC.

In laying the foundation for the investigation by the Parliamentary Special Committee it was claimed that Telephone conditions in Canada were not satisfactory because they do not compare favorably with European countries. In this respect statements were made and statistics presented regarding telephone service in Great Britain, Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Holland, France, Germany, and other countries of Europe. The movement for municipal telephones in England and Scotland was specially commended.

We cannot adequately deal with all of these in the limits of one "Talk." The information presented to the Committee by men well versed in the prevailing conditions in Europe was exceedingly interesting, and a brief resume will we think, be acceptable to those who are following this series.

In Great Britain the conditions briefly stated are as follows: The telegraph business is a Government monopoly and this includes the telephone. But while the Government owns and operates all the telegraph lines and the long distance telephone lines, it has been "farming out," so to speak, the local exchange telephone service under a license system limited to a term of years.

The greater portion of the exchanges are owned and operated by the National Telephone Company.

In 1899 the Government passed an Act enabling local municipalities to provide exchange telephone service.

The Government itself established a telephone exchange in the City of London to compete with the National Company. Just before service was commenced, however, the Post Office Department decided to enter into an agreement with the National Company to charge the same rates, to exchange service between the subscribers of the two systems, and to restrict their operations as far as possible to separate areas in order to avoid wasteful expenditure in duplication of plant.

The Government has also established local exchanges at a number of small places. During the past year experiments have been made in a limited way in giving rural service, but the Government report states that "the receipts have not covered the cost of attendance and maintenance."

The National Company's exchanges, the Municipal exchanges, and the Government exchanges, each have a connection with the Government long distance lines on equal terms.

The Government has contracted to take over the National Company's business on the expiry of the present license in 1911, and it is expected that at the same time it will take over all other telephone exchanges throughout the country.

This briefly outlines conditions of telephone service in Great Britain at the present time.

With the results we shall deal in subsequent "Talks."

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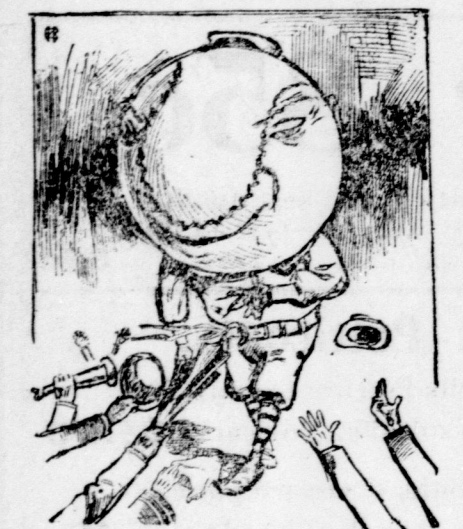
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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Mr. R. H. Lyons, who came here to visit his mother, Mrs. George Lyons, has returned to Vancouver. Mrs. Lyons, who is 80 years of age, is enjoying good health.

—Mr. W. M. Sage, son of Rev. G. B. Sage, pastor of St. George's Church, who has returned from a year at Magdalen College, Oxford, was tendered a welcome by the members of the various organizations in connection with the church. He was presented with a handsome signet ring.

WALKER-O'NEILL.

P. C. Wallace Walker joined the bench yesterday, when he was united in marriage to Miss Myrtle O'Neill, of Yaton, Ont.

NEW MANAGER APPOINTED.

Mr. C. W. Bennett, proprietor of Bennett's Vaudeville Theater, announces that he has appointed Mr. W. Simpson, of Winnipeg, to be manager of the local house the coming season. Mr. Aloy, who was manager last season, goes to Mr. Bennett's house in St. Thomas.

THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Johnson, Douro street, Stratford, celebrated their golden wedding yesterday in a pleasant manner. They were married in London township 50 years ago. A reception was given in the evening, attended by about 50 friends and relatives, a number of whom came from a distance.

MISS NAFFEL SPOKE.

An exhibition of goods which are to be sent in bales to the Northwest was held at St. George's Church yesterday by the Woman's Auxiliary. The attendance was very large, and the meeting was addressed by Miss Naffel, head of the Deaconesses' Home, Toronto, and by Mrs. Gahan, of this city. The bales will go to Rev. E. R. Weaver, missionary at Wapashow, Athabasca.

MUSIC IN THE PARK.

Following is the programme to be given by the Seventh Regiment Band (weather permitting) at Victoria Park tonight:

March—The Wizard..... Losky
Overture—Popular Jingles..... Recker
March—Coronation..... Ellensberg
Cornet Solo—Hyperion Polka..... Yngling
Clarence Robinson.

Selection—America..... Calhoun
Valse—Tanz Geister..... Volstead
Selection—Mariana..... Wallace
Selection—The Scottish Chief..... Gifford
Large to Small..... Handel
Selection—The Watermelon Patch..... Bedford
God Save the King.

WIND-UP OF AUGUST.

Rev. I. Hicks predicts that from the 23rd to the 25th storm conditions will prevail, with a period of summer warmth, after which a period of coolness, even to frosts in northeastern latitudes. The last week of the month will be a period of West India hurricane and cyclones proving destructive out of the ordinary. The crisis of this period will fall within 48 hours of 6 o'clock a.m. on the 30th. There may be a period of excessive warmth about the last day of the month.

THE KING STREET PAVEMENT.

Through an error it was stated that the bylaw for the King street pavement, between Wellington and Maitland, was only given, one reading at the council meeting Monday night. As a matter of fact, the bylaw was read three times, and passed, and the city engineers' department is now making preparations to have the work carried out.

LONDONER IMPROVING.

The St. Thomas Times says: Mrs. M. Meehan and daughter, of Gordon, were on the International Limited, wrecked in the Windsor yard Friday night. Mrs. Meehan and daughter, Miss Margaret, who is chief attendant at the London Asylum, were slightly injured, and are being attended by Dr. Ashbough at the home of the former's daughter, Mrs. John Brown, Windsor. The doctor thinks Miss Meehan will be able to return to London the end of this week.

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DROWNED AT DETROIT

Eight-Year-Old Child of Former Londoners Loses Life.

Mrs. Everett, of Regent street, this city, last evening received word from Detroit to the effect that her grandchild Master George Highton, was drowned in the Detroit River yesterday afternoon.

The lad was only 8 years old. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Highton, were formerly residents of this city. They lived on Mill street until they removed to Detroit about five years ago.

Messrs. Ruben Everett and L. Highton left for Detroit late last evening.

UNDER A FLORAL BELL

Pretty Wedding in the Home of Mrs. Stewart, Maple Street.

A quiet but happy event took place last evening at the residence of Mrs. Stewart, 155 Maple street, this city, when her daughter, Miss Jessie Stewart, became the bride of Mr. Avery Casey, B.C.L., well-known barrister.

Rev. R. W. Dickie, of Brandon, Manitoba, an old college chum of the groom, conducted the ceremony.

The bride was lovely in duchess satin, trimmed with real lace and pearls. She was given away by her sister, Mr. John Christy, and was attended by her sister, Miss Minnie Stewart. The groom was supported by Mr. T. W. Scandrett.

Lovely spray bouquets of white and pink roses were carried by the bride and bridesmaid, respectively. The ceremony took place under a bell of asters and mums, and was witnessed only by immediate relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey left on the late train for a honeymoon at Detroit and the Pacific Coast.

SARNIA OR GORDERICH?

Companies 1, 3 and 8 Have Yet to Choose Labor Day Rendezvous.

A joint committee from Companies 1, 3 and 8, of the Seventh Regiment, met last evening to prepare for the proposed outing on Labor Day. The meeting adjourned, after a short discussion, until Monday evening, when the three companies will meet and decide whether Sarnia or Gorderich will be the rendezvous.

The non-commissioned officers and men of the Sixth Field Battery will meet in the Armories tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

INSUFFICIENT EVIDENCE

Winslow and Jennings Acquitted of Charge of Robbing Mott.

William Winslow and Garfield Jennings were acquitted before P. M. Love this morning on the charge of robbing John H. Mott, Crown Attorney McKillop offered no evidence at all, as he decided what was at his disposal would not warrant a conviction.

John Turner was taken this morning for being drunk, and was taxed \$5 or 10 days. John will carry with the stone quarry for the time.

Peter Gilmore peddles peanuts. He accidentally sets into the track of a

WOMEN BATTLE IN LOCAL HOTEL

Waitresses Mix Up in Live-liest Kind of Row.

MALE HELP ALSO SLUG SOME

Cook Knocks Out the Porter at the Tecumseh House—Great Excitement.

Love, jealousy, a meal, a night porter, and eighteen inches of butcher-knife, figured in a rousing fifteen-minute melodrama of wild west proportions at the Tecumseh House last evening.

The action of the drama was carried out with a spirit in the kitchen and main hall of the big hotel, the guests in the dining-room, reinforced by a large number of people attracted from the street, figuring as the audience.

The cast included Albie Turner, the night porter, and Mary and Carrie, two of the dining-room girls. And it proved an all-star cast.

Albie, the porter, is a young Englishman. He has been night watchman at the house for some weeks. Moreover, he is a man with an appetite, and being used to hotel life, he likes his meals when he orders them. Last night the dining-room of the hotel was full, but this fact made no difference to Albie. He wanted his meal, and he told the cook so. That gentleman being very busy, and not inclined to parley, Albie decided to go to a place not mentioned on the map, where he might be better served. This angered the porter, who, the cook told him, was the guests' enemy before the house help, and he insisted that until all the guests were served Turner should wait.

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