

BOYS' JOKE COST 12 LIVES, AND
INJURY TO MORE THAN 200

Youths Pulled Whistle, and Engineer, Thinking It Come-On Signal, Put On Full Speed, Crashing Into Coach Crowded With Picnickers—Canadians All Safe.

[Canadian Press.]
Los Angeles, July 14.—To meddle with some youths, who played with the train whistle, is attributed the loss of twelve lives and the injury of some 200 persons here this last night when two Pacific electric trains collided, telescoping two cars and wrecking another, at Vineyard station near the city limits. Many of the injured will die.

Three trains loaded with excursionists to the beach at Venice, sixteen miles from Los Angeles, had stopped at a curve, where a switch is turned. The last train began moving forward while the two foremost trains remained at a standstill. Carrol Bartholmea, conductor of the last car of the train, jumped to the track with his light, to flag the approaching train.

Pulled the Whistle.
Some youths, passengers say, pulled the whistle in jest. This it was said by railroadmen was interpreted by the motorman of the oncoming train, as the signal to go ahead. With a crash of breaking glass, splintering timbers and the cries of passengers, the motor car of the last train drove into the rear of the centre train. The motorman of the moving train had given full speed. A curve had prevented his seeing the standing cars.

The rear of the stationary train was filled to capacity, and the aisles were crowded, and the seats were shuffed as a deck of cards by the impact. Those who stood were crushed against each other into the far end of the car. The lights went out.

LONDON ELECTRIC CO. GIVEN
SPACE AT LESS THAN HALF
PRICE ASKED FROM HYDRO

London Free Press Closed Its Columns to the People's Power When Commission Refused To Be Held Up for Twelve Cents a Line.

Though General Manager Glaubitz asserts that all mention of hydro electric power was barred from the columns of the London Free Press for a long period because the commissioners refused to pay twelve cents a line for advertising when it was demanded, that newspaper boldly maintains that it has always consistently supported hydro electric power.

The fact is that the Free Press sought to charge the hydro electric commission a price of 12 cents a line for advertising, while the London Electric Company secured access to the columns of that newspaper for the regular commercial rate, or less than one-half the price demanded of the hydro commission.

HYDRO BARRED FROM COLUMNS.
Following a failure to secure this hold-up price, absolute orders were given that nothing was to appear in the London Free Press of a nature favorable to hydro electric.

Attacks were made upon Chairman Pocock and upon Commissioner Chapman.

The Free Press would have done well to have let the charge pass. Its own files will corroborate the latter statements, and General Manager Glaubitz, somewhat reluctantly, has stated that the commission was unable to secure recognition from the paper that now assumes the role of hydro's greatest friend, for a considerable period, although the commissioners offered more than was charged the London Electric Company. Chairman Pocock will not deny it, either.

The Free Press does not use hydro electric in the operation of its plant. It has quietly, quite recently, signed up with one of the private power companies, although hydro solicitors continually sought the business.

It placed a ban upon hydro at one time—a more desperate and despicable and mercenary act than the most outspoken enemy of hydro power (if it has one), has ever attempted.

DOES NOT USE HYDRO.
The Free Press is no more sincere about electrification than it is about hydro electric power, which it stabs with one hand and strokes with the other, at its pleasure.

The people of London have wondered long why the Free Press is so desperately anxious to force this million dollar project down their throats, despite the fact that pressing needs of the city are apparent on every side.

POISON CASE
TO BE PROBED

Dead Animals and Rotten Turnips Found in Well in Dereham.

FARMER WAS TAKEN ILL

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Woodstock, July 14.—Provincial Detective Miller is investigating an alleged case of poisoning on a farm owned by Dr. J. B. Coleridge, of Ingersoll, in Dereham Township.

Some time ago Dr. Coleridge purchased the property, and it is claimed had some trouble getting possession. The house, when he did take over the property, was found, it is alleged, to have been badly mutilated inside.

Dr. Coleridge placed a man named Furtney in charge of the farm, and a short time afterwards he was taken very ill after drinking the water from a well on the place. Dr. Coleridge found that his man had been poisoned and at once made a search of the well.

It is alleged that several bags of rotten turnips, and old, old clothes weighted down with stones, and the remains of several small animals were found.

The provincial detective was at once called in, and it is expected that some action will be taken shortly.

Fell From Car.—While travelling east along Central Avenue between Colborne and Waterloo streets on a Ridout street car Saturday evening, a young man giving his name as Flynn fell from the back platform to the roadway while the car was in motion. He alighted on his head, and was stunned by the fall. Beyond a severe shaking up his injuries were not serious.

HOPE TO AVERT
BIG STRIKE ON
EASTERN LINES

Situation Is Very Critical, But a Delay Has Been Arranged.

A Conference With President Wilson and Officials Is In Progress.

[Canadian Press.]
New York, July 14.—Labor leaders and railroad heads looked toward Washington today hopeful of a favorable outcome of the conference with President Wilson through which officers of the National Civic Federation, railroad representatives and the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and the Order of Railroad Conductors were to seek a solution of the wage demand crisis involving nearly 100,000 men and 45 eastern roads.

The roads having refused to arbitrate under the Erdman act in its present form, and the employees having refused to modify their demands, apparently the only way out lay in change of the law by increasing the number of arbitrators from three to six, thus eliminating the railroad's chief objection to the act.

Strike Authorized.
With a strike authorized by an overwhelming majority and ratified by general committees of both unions, Presidents Lee and Garretson of the trainmen and conductors respectively, were authorized last night to delay calling a walkout pending the outcome of the Washington conference.

Both left for Washington last night. In New York today there was to be a meeting of the managers' conference committee, at which yesterday's decision of the unions was to be submitted.

CONFERENCE TODAY.
[Canadian Press.]
Washington, D. C., July 14.—Whether a strike of trainmen and conductors of the eastern railroads may be avoided was the subject of a conference at the White House today between President Wilson and representatives of the employees and the railroads concerned.

President Wilson, Chairman of the Senate Interstate Commerce Commission; Chairman Clayton, of the House Judiciary Committee, and Republican Leaders McLean, and Garretson of the Pennsylvania; Daniel Willard, of the B. and O.; Geo. W. Stevens, of the Chesapeake and Ohio; W. C. Brown, of the New York Central; and Frank Trumbull, chairman of the board of the Chesapeake and Ohio, represented the railroads. President A. B. Garretson, of the Order of Railroad Conductors, and W. G. Lee, of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, represented the employees.

APARTMENTS FOR
LONDON BACHELORS
OF ALL VARIETIES

The Old Gustin House To Be Remodelled to House Single Men.

Real Estate Business Throughout the City Better Than Ever.

The old Gustin House, on Dundas street, purchased by the Land Company, is to be remodelled within a short time and fitted up as an apartment house for bachelors.

This will be the first strictly single men's apartment house to be opened in London, and will be modern in every respect.

The proprietors have not yet announced the features to be developed in attracting tenants, but it is said that an electric sock mender will be one of the attractions. An alarm system for waking purposes rather than for fires will be installed, and there should be a self-collecting laundry system.

Cornets Barred.
It is understood that cornets and clarionettes will be barred as a precaution. What would happen to a man who started to perpetrate such a crime against the neighborhood as to practice for a place in the town band could only be conjectured.

Plans are already being drawn for the remodeling of the building, and it is probable that the lower floor will be made a large store, the demand for ample stores being greater than the supply in London at present.

Messrs. Metcalfe and Wood, of the Argyle Company, state that the real estate business is better in London at the present time than at any time since they came to the city from Winnipeg.

Small Houses Wanted.
"We came to London, after looking over every city in the east," they stated. "We found that it was the best place of them all, and our hopes have been more than realized. Within five years the city will have passed and absorbed every subdivision that has been staked out, and that is putting it modestly. We intend to erect workmen's cottages on some of our property, and allow them to be paid for on time. There is a great demand for small houses, and people are coming to the city every day. If ever a city should have faith in itself, London is that city."

"Your Western Fair should be made a greater talking point even than it is. It should be the show place of this section of the Province, and should have the backing of every resident of Western Ontario."

"London can afford to give three cheers for itself and not be ashamed. The city has kept its light beneath a bushel for too many years. It will double in size within the next 10 years, or we, who have watched the development of many places, are no judges of the signs."

New City of Tents
On Carling Heights;
Cadet Corps Arrive

Boy Brigades Reach City From All Sections of Western Ontario for Week's Military and Physical Training—Lads Parade Through Streets and Make a Fine Appearance.

Once again Carling's Heights has assumed a military aspect. With the arrival of the London Collegiate Cadet Corps early this morning, the broad field began to be dotted with bell tents, and before nightfall about twelve hundred youths will be under canvas. The London boys were first on the scene. They were closely followed by the Goderich company, and shortly afterward the Clinton corps arrived. All proceeded at once to erect tents and make all necessary arrangements for their stay of five days.

Boys March Well.
All through the day the various corps from all parts of Western Ontario were arriving on both Grand Trunk and C. P. R. They showed considerable efficiency in military drill in the manner in which they marched to the camp grounds. The Chatham contingent, about 100 strong, arrived shortly before noon and detrained from the C. P. R. train at the Adelaide street crossing, from whence they marched to the camp grounds. They were headed by a band, made up of half a dozen youthful pipers, all of whom appeared to be still in their teens. They played splendid music, and to the tune of "The Bonnets of Bonnie Dundee," the whole contingent swung along in splendid style, eliciting much favorable comment from the onlookers.

Make Fine Appearance.

A number of other corps arrived at the Grand Trunk station and paraded the downtown streets accompanied by their bugle bands. The uniforms present a good appearance. The greatest latitude is allowed in the choice of uniforms, so long as they are of military pattern, and they range from the sombre black and red of the London corps to the light gray with broad sombrero hats, worn by the Clinton brigade. Many present a neat appearance in khaki.

Very little in the way of military drill is to be seen.

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No Traffic Report
On Electrification?

Rumor Says That Mayor Graham Blundered in Arranging For It, Mr. Marshall Not Being Permitted by Employers To Act.

Rumor hath it that there will be no traffic report on the proposed electrification of the London and Port Stanley Railway. The long-looked-for, long-expected report on the traffic side of the question that was to have been compiled by Thomas Marshall, traffic expert of the Toronto board of trade, has failed to materialize. Now it is being whispered that "somebody blundered," and there won't be any report.

When the expert was first chosen to make this report, the Toronto board of trade declined to let him act. This information was sent on to the committee, but Charles Milton Richardson, Graham, mayor of London, decided that he would fix things and after a junket to Toronto, announced to the committee that he had spoken harshly to the Toronto board of trade and all would be well.

It might have been well and maybe not, but late this afternoon there were no signs of the report and little prospect of its arrival.

KING FERDINAND
DENIES OUTRAGES
ARE COMMITTED

Blames Servians and Greeks for Circulation of False Reports.

Says Prisons Are Overflowing With His Own Ill-treated Countrymen.

[Canadian Press.]

London, July 14.—King Ferdinand, patched from Sofia, on July 12, informs the Evening:

"The stories and reports which the Greeks and Servians have been circulating in Europe concerning so-called outrages committed by my troops upon the Greek and Servian populations in Macedonia are absolutely unfounded, and are published with the object of creating a false impression."

King Ferdinand proceeds to tell of the liberties enjoyed by the people of Adrianople without regard to their nationality, and closes with the allegation:

"Prisons Overflowing."

"Systematic attacks and persecutions have been directed against the Bulgarian element in Macedonia by the Servians and the Greeks. The districts of Kastoria, Florina and Vodena have been cleared of all well-educated men and the prisons of Saloniki are overflowing with innocent Bulgarians."

Thousands of refugees, King Ferdinand concludes, are arriving in Sofia, "gave terrifying accounts of the horrible deeds committed by the Servians and Greeks."

The Bulgarian Government is ready to consent to an international inquiry, which will enlighten the world concerning the stories of this kind.

THE WEATHER.

The temperature by The Advertiser's thermometer at noon today was 76.

TOMORROW—FINE AND WARM.

Forecasts.

Today—Variable winds, fine and warm. Tuesday—Fresh easterly winds, with showers.

Temperatures.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:

Stations. High. Low. Weather.

London. 76. 48. Clear.

Victoria. 72. 46. Clear.

Calgary. 72. 40. Cloudy.

Winnipeg. 72. 52. Clear.

Port Arthur. 72. 48. Cloudy.

Perry Sound. 64. 50. Cloudy.

Toronto. 72. 50. Clear.

Ottawa. 72. 58. Cloudy.

Montreal. 74. 56. Cloudy.

Father Point. 68. 48. Rain.

Weather Notes.

The depression which was over the lake region on Saturday morning now covers the Maritime provinces. Showers have occurred in many parts of the western provinces and also very generally from the Georgian Bay region to the Maritime provinces.

Did Lessees Lose
Million On Line?

Mr. Warfield Figures It That Way, Though Pere Marquette Is Willing to Re-Lease L. & P. S. R.

WITH INTEREST CHARGES MET, CITY
WOULD FACE ENORMOUS DEFICIT

City Pays Interest On More Than \$2,000,000, While Latest Expert Charges On Only \$765,000, Or Just the Cost of Road in 1854.

The report of Mr. A. M. Warfield proves itself upon examination to be almost wholly a product of Mr. Warfield's imagination. He says that under steam operation the London and Port Stanley road would show a deficit of \$33,444.05.

This is the same as to say that for twenty years the Pere Marquette and previous lessees must have lost in the neighborhood of this amount, and to have paid the city \$20,000 in rental as well.

HAVE THEY LOST A MILLION?

In other words, Mr. Warfield would have the citizens of London believe that for twenty years the Pere Marquette has lost approximately \$50,000 a year or ONE MILLION DOLLARS for a period of twenty years.

The fact is that the Pere Marquette has paid the rental, usually about \$18,000 a year, and that it is ready again to undertake the running of the road at a much larger rental.

It is willing to lease RUNNING RIGHTS ALONE, and pay the city the sum of \$15,000 a year.

OTHER LINES READY TO LEASE.

At least two or three other lines would be willing to pay the city the same amount for running rights, and more than \$15,000 in excess of what Mr. Warfield says electrification could earn could be secured by the city with a small outlay.

One railroad has offered the sum of \$35,000 a year for the lease of the line. This would mean that the city would pay IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD OF ONE MILLION DOLLARS IN ORDER TO EARN \$3,000!

WOULD SPEND MILLION TO
EARN \$8,000 AT BEST

Mr. Warfield's report claims:

1. Operation by steam will produce deficit of\$33,444.05
2. Combination of steam and storage battery will produce a profit of\$17,667.86
3. Electric operation will produce a profit of\$38,034.64

These are at the best estimates. Who would spend a million dollars to make \$38,034.64 when he could rent the same property, and be sure of a rental of \$30,000 at the least?

In other words, who for a chance to make \$8,000 would risk ONE MILLION DOLLARS?

CITY PAYS ON TWO MILLIONS

MR. W. PUTS IT AT \$765,311

According to the year book issued by City Clerk Baker, the liability incurred by the city of London in connection with the London and Port Stanley Railway, and upon which annual interest of at least 5 per cent must be paid is as follows:

Bond issue of 1903.....\$1,332,854.00
City interest account.....234,992.61
Capital stock.....442,340.00

Total.....\$2,010,186.61

The Warfield report figures the amount on which interest is to be paid at \$765,311. This was the first cost of the railway in 1854. Mr. Warfield pays no attention to the additional expenditures or accumulated interest.

If the proper charges were made by Mr. Warfield, the electrification scheme would have shown a deficit of more than

\$60,000 ANNUALLY

The city is required to pay interest on more than two million dollars. Any businessman could figure enormous profits by Mr. Warfield's system of reasoning.

His report is full of many more absurdities which will be dealt with later.

ENTRANCE RESULTS WILL
BE ANNOUNCED THIS WEEK

Public School Pupils To Have Suspense Ended in Few Days.

Public school pupils who tried the Collegiate entrance this year will likely have their suspense ended in a few days, for the results will be released for publication this week.

Public School Inspector C. B. Edwards was in communication with Deputy Minister of Education Dr. Colquhoun this morning. The minister promised that he would give the London results his personal attention, and would take the proposition up with the board of revision.

Toronto results have already been published, and Dr. Colquhoun was called over the long distance telephone this morning to ascertain why the Queen City results could be published and those here still held up.

Their orators declared the "Yankees" were to blame for the federal defeat at Guaymas, Sonora, and cries for vengeance were uttered. The police dispersed the crowd with little violence.

EIGHTY DROWN
IN BIG FLOOD

Fifteen Villages in Transylvania, Hungary, Reported To Have Been Destroyed.

RAILWAYS ALL TIED UP

[Canadian Press.]

London, July 14.—Floods in the Maros Loda district of Transylvania, Hungary, have caused the loss of 80 lives, according to a Central News dispatch from Budapest.

Fifteen villages have been destroyed, and in many places the water is five feet deep.

The railroads are interrupted owing to the collapse of bridges and embankments.

YOU CAN EASILY MAKE ICE TEA

Iced Tea. First make the tea in the usual way and set it aside to cool. Then some chipped ice, a slice of lemon, a little sugar, and you have summer's best beverage.

Allow the tea to steep for five minutes and then pour off into another vessel to cool gradually. Never use artificial means of cooling until ready to serve; then add sugar, ice and lemon.

HON. W. J. HANNA SIDESTEPS ALL SCANDAL CHARGES MADE BY PROUDFOOT AT OWEN SOUND

Member for Centre Huron Scored Heavily in Joint Debate, and Gave Big Audience Much Interesting Information.

Hon. W. J. Hanna Told Anecdotes and Amused Crowd, But Made No Reply to Important Questions Asked Regarding That \$500.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Owen Sound, July 13.—With artful evasion, Hon. W. J. Hanna, provincial secretary, sidestepped every issue presented to him in the joint discussion of the Proudfoot charges here on Saturday night.

Mr. W. Proudfoot, M. P. P. for Centre Huron, gave a careful review of the entire case, that has produced the only sensation in provincial politics within the past decade. The audience comprised about twenty-five hundred people in the large Riverside Rink.

It was a Conservative meeting, and this fact was frequently impressed upon Mr. Proudfoot, who was treated with the most reasonable fair treatment. It was apparent during the evening that the charges against the Prime Minister and the Provincial Secretary have taken hold upon the public mind of the Province and that the Conservatives will admit themselves.

Put On Defence. What was intended to be a love-feast among the Conservatives actually turned out to be a serious attempt to defend the tactics of the Government members at the sittings of the committee on privileges and elections, and where this was not possible Mr. Proudfoot was subjected to vilification and abuse.

It was a trying ordeal, which one with less courage than the member for Centre Huron would not have attempted. As it was, Mr. Proudfoot made a splendid impression and left the rink with the applause of the audience. Time and again applause broke out as he pressed home his charges, showing what an artful force the conduct of the proceedings before the committee on privileges and elections degenerated into, and declaring that Taylor, when he paid the \$500 to Mr. Hanna, had full expectation that his claim would receive special treatment at the hands of the Government.

A Serious Matter. The contribution was actually made at a time when claims were piling up against the Government. The seriousness of the whole matter, he explained, was apparent to the Provincial Secretary, whom, Thorne stated, said if Taylor's charges were made public it would enforce his withdrawal from public life.

In the interests of justice to Mr. Hanna, Sir James Whitney, and the people of the Province, Mr. Proudfoot declared a full and fair investigation should take place.

Mr. Hanna at the outset led his audience into a pleasant mood by reciting one or two anecdotes. He again went back to Malsonville's traffic in the charges, and ridiculed Mr. Proudfoot's edition of his story, and denied any irregularity in the conduct of his department.

He then stated that during Thorne's long association with the department he had never known of any irregularity, favoring of contractors, or sacrifice of the public interest. He stated that Mr. Proudfoot to indicate there to what particular coal contract his objections were taken.

Mr. T. W. McGarry (South Renfrew), with characteristic impetuosity, denounced Mr. Proudfoot, roundly. Such epithets as "cowardly," "pale and bedraggled," were freely applied, while Mr. C. C. Taylor, who was the Conservative candidate, openly bid for electoral support by promising to secure some sort of Government assistance, either land grant, cash or subsidy, of bond guarantees for the projected Owen Sound and Meaford Railway, as well as a normal school, when the next distribution of these gratuities was to be made.

Disputes Numerous. In commenting, Mr. Proudfoot gave a brief resume of the contrast between Taylor, Scott & Co. and the Government, which extended for five years, from 1905 to 1910. As early as 1907 disputes between the parties arose which at that time were rejected by Mr. Postlethwaite, inspector of prisons, as being groundless. These disputes went on until a claim was made in January, 1911, amounting to \$17,000. When particulars were demanded, the amount grew to \$19,000. This juggling of figures went on, as was shown in the item for loss of power, which grew from \$6,300 to \$8,000, finally striking the high level of \$27,000, and for which \$17,000 was allowed by the arbitrator.

Continuing, Mr. Proudfoot pointed out that, after no attention had been paid to the application for a flat, Mr. Geo. C. Taylor took an appeal to the Prime Minister. He laid before Sir James Whitney the fact of his contribution of \$500 to the party campaign fund in 1907, the trouble over the underfed stokers, and the manipulation of coal tenders. It was the statement of these important facts that was the governing point in procuring a flat," declared the member for Centre Huron. The difference between Mr. Hanna and Mr. Taylor

Thorne without the necessity of evidence and without appeal?

"Do you not know that such an agreement was an illegal, corrupt and criminal transaction?"

Committee's Obstruction. "Do you approve of the action of the public accounts committee in blocking the investigation into the facts and circumstances connected with the settlement of the Taylor, Scott & Co. claim, and particularly the obstructive tactics of Mr. G. Howard Ferguson, M. P. P., chairman of the committee, and of Mr. T. W. McGarry, M. P. P., which led the Conservative papers to protest against them by name?"

"If not, why did you not take steps to secure a full investigation?"

"Did you approve of the refusal of the committee on privileges and elections to testify as to the facts and circumstances connected with the payment of the \$500 to you and as to the conversation which took place between you and Mr. Taylor with reference thereto?"

An Unfair Course. "If you do approve, what excuse do you offer for such an unprecedented and unfair course?"

"Did you approve of the position your counsel took that you should not be examined or cross-examined with reference to the said payment of \$500?"

"If you made full confession and had nothing further to conceal, why did your counsel block all further investigation as to the facts and circumstances connected with this payment?"

Continuing, Mr. Proudfoot declared that Thorne had personal knowledge as to the coal tenders, although the committee absolutely refused to allow any questions to be put on that point.

"Mr. Hanna's counsel was the man who had charge of the case and insisted that the evidence should not be given. Mr. Hanna later made a statement to the committee on something that had already been ruled out. The chairman was overruled. Mr. Hanna made his statement, his counsel said it was not evidence, and it was expunged from the record. What do you think of that kind of way of conducting business?" (Hear, hear.)

Hanna Sidesteps. Mr. Hanna was received with hearty cheers when he rose to reply. Evidently he had many friends in the audience, and he proceeded to relieve the situation with a story. Mr. Proudfoot's story was like a novel that one might read once, twice, and a third time after each revision. For himself it had reached the third edition, and to the author of the charges he turned fervently: "I say it to you tonight, sir, in the words of the immortal Cap. Sullivan, 'Mr. Proudfoot, you are a corker.'" (Laughter.)

The Provincial Secretary then went on, referring to Malsonville's farming of his information from 1902 to 1905, which had been rejected and spurned until it found a "resting-place on the doorstep of William Pinkerton Proudfoot."

Dismissing at once from the questions put by Mr. Proudfoot, Mr. Hanna declared: "I never for one moment hesitated to put every single fact before the public, and I suggested, with regard to every feature of these charges."

In the questions submitted to him by Mr. Proudfoot—his belief that there were "insinuations, innuendoes and recitals that were absolutely false." (Hear, hear.) A short time ago he would not have believed that any man in the public life of the Province, representing a great constituency, could have framed such questions for an opponent.

Not Spent Illegally. Referring to the subscription of \$500 in November, 1910, Mr. Hanna said the elections did not come on until June, 1908. If this money had been used to buy votes it would have been a preliminary to the election. I want to say that not a cent of that went for a strictly party purpose, and properly expended long before there was a solitary claim for Taylor, Scott & Co. against the department."

There was no claim by Taylor in 1907, Mr. Hanna explained, neither was there any in 1908 or 1909. These were matters which had nothing to do with Taylor, Scott & Co., and the officers of the department, and it would be distorting that fact to call it illegitimate. The \$500 went to the regular funds of the Conservative party.

By way of contrast Mr. Hanna sought to show what had been done by the late Liberal Government with party funds.

During the last years of the Ross Government the people were ashamed to read in the daily papers the record of rascality in elections. He had little patience with the hypocrisy of people who stood for that happened prior to 1905, and were outraged by the present incident.

Whitney Irregular. "Let me dispose of the whole thing in a word. With regard to underfed stokers, I have said again and again and I say it now that there never was a transaction or receipt or suspicion in connection with underfed stokers. Let me say with regard to coal contracts that there never was either. And more than that, unlike my friend Mr. Proudfoot, I did not hesitate to kiss the book." (Applause.)

No man, he went on, had ever produced a solitary witness or document that reflected in any way upon the transaction in his department.

"When he (Mr. Proudfoot) talks of having evidence ruled out he did not have any evidence to offer bearing upon that point."

Mr. Hanna then reviewed Thorne's evidence to show that he did not know of one transaction in the Provincial Secretary's department that was irregular or suspicious, nor did he know of one instance where Mr. Hanna had favored a contractor or discriminated against the public of the Province. He also quoted editorials from the Globe that no one suggested that he in any way profited by these transactions.

Switched Off. Mr. Hanna took less than half an hour to deal with the Proudfoot charges. He then digressed to the record of the Government, and the administration of his department in particular.

Mr. Fred Harrison, who accompanied Mr. Proudfoot, rose to object that this was not contemplated in the arrangement for a joint discussion until Mr. Proudfoot had taken his opportunity to reply, but the member for Centre Huron would not permit objection to be made and waited until Mr. Hanna had finished his remarks. Mr. Hanna spoke briefly of the progress that Ontario had made in prison reform, the closing of the Marcellus Refuge for Girls and the improved methods that had been adopted for caring for the insane. Experts in this work had recently declared that Ontario was now the model for the world. "If we had not

Store Opens at 8:30 a.m.
Shop in the Morning.

SALE OF EMBROIDERIES
—AND FLOUNCINGS
ABOUT HALF PRICE.

Store Closes at 5 p.m.
During July and August.

Unusual Summer Activities at This Store

That the best news contained in this paper is found every day on this page is evidenced by the prompt response of its readers in and out of the city to the daily special announcements of the past week. Our mail order customers throughout Western Ontario who receive first delivery of the daily papers have found out the importance of keeping in close touch with the daily announcement of this store, which, if followed closely, will make your newspaper a revenue harvester to the household. With the excellent mail service to and from London it is surprising how quickly your orders are received, filled and delivered, which is commented on frequently by our out-of-town customers. Being more favorably located we are in a position to render a quicker service than any other mail order house in Canada to the people in the western section of Ontario.

Free Delivery of Goods

(which few other mail order houses offer), by which our out-of-town customers enjoy absolutely the same privilege and shop on equal terms with customers at the counter. We pay delivery charges on all goods purchased by mail to any address in the Dominion of Canada.



Children's Reefer Coats Going Out With a Rush

The cool days of last week have drawn the attention of many to the attractive display of Reefer Coats for the kiddies, and never before have we shown such pretty styles in military serge, black satin and broadcloth, prettily trimmed, with lace collars, braid, etc., \$2.50 to \$6.50, many of which are now at less than former prices.

Military Red Reefers, \$3.00

These are for ages 2 to 5 years, made of English military serge, prettily trimmed, some with lace collars, sailor styles. Price \$3.00

Broadcloth Reefers, \$2.50

For ages 1 to 4 years, in red, blue and brown broadcloth, pretty styles, all nicely trimmed. Price \$2.50

Military Jackets, \$6.50

Girls' Military Jackets, in scarlet, for ages 6 to 14 years, new and up-to-date styles. Now selling at \$6.50

Black Satin Reefers, \$6.50

Very dressy styles, with pretty deep lace collars, for ages 3 to 6 years. Price \$6.50

Women's Tailored Suits
Today. One Rack at
Half Price.

SMALLMANN

taken up prison reform there would have been no trouble and no charges for Mr. Proudfoot to air."

Proudfoot's Reply. "Mr. Hanna has not seen fit to deal with the questions that were placed before him," said Mr. Proudfoot in reply. "He has not reached the point where he was sure there would be many more before the last was heard of the matter. It was a practice among lawyers who had a poor case to abuse their state."

He had no communication with Malsonville whatever in the matter, and so far as that went, Malsonville was not the author of the letter produced. The Thorne letter was merely a recapitulation of what had taken place in connection with the Taylor, Scott & Co. claim. The fact was that Mr. Hanna dared not answer his questions. Mr. Hanna's attempt to give testimony before the committee was merely a dodge to get his statement in the newspapers. The sword contract to which Mr. Hanna had referred was not the coal contract about which he had evidence.

Plays to the Gallery. In concluding the debate Mr. Hanna declared that never in his life had he heard anything so extraordinary as Mr. Proudfoot's argument. On the floor of the House he had asked the member for Centre Huron to name the particular coal contract to which he had referred. Mr. Proudfoot had a right to answer such a question put to him by another member. He understood all along that the coal contract to which objection had been taken was the Kingston contract.

"What I said in the House I repeat here now; that if at any time I should be in the position of manipulating tenders or bettering myself at the expense of the people of this province I would not be fit for public life. I could not look an honest man in the face. That is what I said then, that is my position now."

Charges Revived. When Mr. Hanna resumed his seat Mr. Proudfoot, along with Mr. F. G. Inwood and Mr. Fred Harrison, of

Owen Sound, left the platform and proceeded to leave the rink. Mr. Proudfoot's view was that he should properly leave the meeting, as it was organized by the Conservative candidate. Mr. T. W. McGarry, M. P. P., however, took occasion to refer to this as cowardice and an attempt to avoid facing the music. He wanted to ask Mr. Proudfoot whether he himself believed the charges that he had brought forward. He ridiculed the suggestion made at a former meeting here by the member for Centre Huron, that he declined to take the oath before the committee because he feared his documentary evidence would be impounded. He referred to Mr. Proudfoot before the committee as a man "pale and bedraggled," presenting a "pitiable sight."

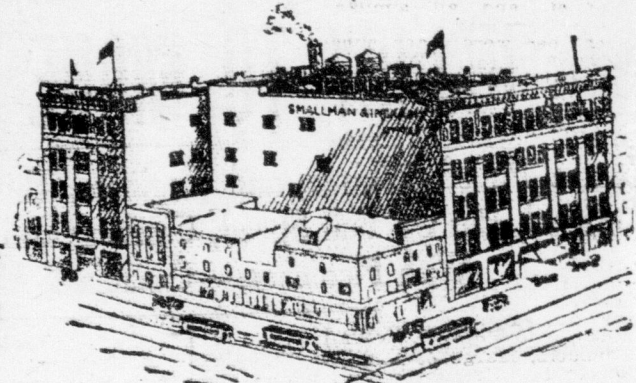
Mr. Proudfoot was afraid to make anything but insinuations.

Before concluding, Mr. McGarry resurrected Mr. Rowell's one-time connection with the Lake Superior Corporation, and suggested certain contributions to the campaign fund of the Liberal party at the time that corporation was receiving financial assistance from the Ontario Government to enable it to rehabilitate the industries that had been established at Sault Ste. Marie.

Hon. W. H. Hearst. Hon. W. H. Hearst, minister of lands, forests and mines, concluded the meeting with a brief address. He eulogized the work that Mr. Hanna had done for the province, and gave a graphic exposition of the policy of the Government for the development of Northern Ontario.

Before Mr. Proudfoot left today Mr. T. W. McGarry's remarks at his leaving the meeting on Saturday evening were shown to him.

"I left the meeting then at the suggestion of the gentlemen who accompanied me," said Mr. Proudfoot, "as I did not consider it was necessary to remain longer. So far as Mr. McGarry asking me whether I believed in the charges I have brought up, I would have been quite prepared to answer his question, I believe the charges are true; otherwise I would not have made



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THE WARFIELD REPORT.

We have read Mr. Warfield's report
on the London and Port Stanley Rail-
road, a species of martyrdom which,
we venture to say, will be self-inflicted
by few citizens. It is an argument for
the payment of aldermen if duty obliges
them to inwardly digest concoctions
of this kind. The length of Mr. War-
field's composition is exceeded only by
its irrelevance. If he had been paid for
it by the lineal foot he could hardly
have achieved greater prodigies of
verbosity.

The whole production is frankly a
piece of special pleading. Mr. Warfield
makes no pretence of disguising the
fact that he approaches his subject as
an advocate of electrification. The
first twelve dreary pages, nearly 400
words to a page, are devoted to a dis-
paragement of the steam locomotion
which must make a credulous reader
marvel that the Canadian Pacific, the
Grand Trunk and the Canadian North-
ern do not scrap their rolling stock
at once. One would infer that Mr. War-
field is the Gamaliel of the railroad
business, and that Shaughnessy, Cham-
berlain, Mackenzie & Mann must needs
sit at his feet. He takes no account
of the remarkable improvement in the
economics of steam locomotion within
recent years. The advantages of elec-
tric traction for passenger service un-
der certain conditions are generally ad-
mitted, but nowhere is the electric
locomotive used for the hauling of
heavy freight except in terminals and
tunnels, where the object is not the
saving of money, and on lines where
freight traffic is secondary to passenger
traffic.

The necessity of a large freight re-
venue to make the L. and P. S. R. profit-
able as an electric road prevents any
comparison with other electric rail-
ways in Ontario, which get most of
their earnings from passenger traffic.
Both the Gaby-Storer and the Warfield
reports estimate that 55 per cent. of
the revenue of the L. and P. S. R. when
electrified would come from freight
business. Messrs. Gaby and Storer
solved the difficulty to their own satis-
faction by coolly assuming that under
municipal operation the road would get
all the business that now goes to the
Pere Marquette and the Michigan Cen-
tral. The Pere Marquette, however, will
insist on running its own engines and
trains over the road. If the Michigan
Central retains its London connection, it
will also refuse to turn over its freight
traffic to the city road. How Mr. War-
field arrives at his estimate of \$120,-
\$39.57 (note the 57 cents), as the an-
nual freight earnings of the L. and P.
S. R. is not revealed except in this
rhetorical flourish:

"In the case of electric roads the
unit at present is not the ton-mile, but
the car-mile, and there is prac-
tically no economy to be gained by
running long trains. It has been
demonstrated that passengers can be
carried for far less per mile on in-
terurban roads paralleling steam
roads, than the steam roads have
been able to carry each passenger
for. This condition is due to the
fact that electric roads operate single
cars or trains at frequent intervals
for the reasons already given, and
increase in the 'riding habit.' The
same law holds good in freight trans-
portation. If the commercial inter-
ests of a community realized that
they could replenish their stock upon a
day's notice, they would cease
laying in supplies of goods in such
quantity that would last them a week
or ten days, or possibly two weeks,
as is now the case, and through the
saving thus secured in insurance, in-
terest, warehouse handling, etc., could
afford and would pay a higher rate to
the electric road for the express
handling of goods than that now paid
to steam railroad companies. In other
words, a rapid and frequent train
service, such as electric roads can
give, will not only materially increase
the freight and express business, but
by eliminating the economically non-
productive conditions now existing
between the producers and the con-
sumers will develop a most important
landmark in political economy."

Political economy! It is from such
abstractions that Mr. Warfield deduces
his freight revenue! London shippers
or their customers will not welcome the
suggestion of higher rates. As for a
fast and frequent service for the ex-
press handling of goods, they get it
now from the Pere Marquette and the
Michigan Central. It is essential to
London's commercial interests that
these lines shall remain here, but if
they remained they would be active
competitors of an electrified L. and P.
S. R., giving a direct connection with
scores of towns and villages which they
serve exclusively. Nor would London
shippers be likely to send goods by
the electric road to St. Thomas to be
transhipped there to points on the M.
C. R. and Pere Marquette. The L. and
P. S. R. would have to depend upon
freight traffic between London and St.
Thomas and between both cities and
the lake. Except to low-class freight
like coal, which is least profitable,
there would be no lake business for at

least five months of the year, and, as
Mr. Beck said at the London Asylum,
there would be no guarantee that Lon-
don merchants would not prefer the
steam roads even in the season of
navigation. Without a trunk line or
parent system to lean on, and in active
competition with two railways using
the same tracks and covering far more
territory, the city road would be in a
dangerous state of isolation, with an-
nual charges of \$200,000 or more to be
met.

THE CADETS IN CAMP.

During this week the cadets from
the London Collegiate Institute and
from many of the neighboring towns
will spend a few days in camp. They
will obtain the benefits of physical
training. What is better, they will
gain some experience in discipline and
learn to obey the commands of their
superiors, and submit to law and order;
and, what they will probably appreci-
ate still more, they will have a pleas-
ant outing, if the weather keeps good.
And for the satisfaction of their par-
ents and friends, it is safe to say that
their moral welfare will not be ne-
glected. Col. Hodgins and Major Dean
and Major McCrimmon are too well
known for anyone to doubt that the
best of influences will be around the
lads away from home, and that no
one will have cause to regret their few
days' residence in camp.

We know that there are some who
doubt the advisability of military
training for the young, and fear that it
may be encouraging a spirit of militar-
ism unsuitable to the age, and injur-
ious to society. Experience does not
justify this year. The men who in their
younger days have had a few weeks'
military training are not the men who
are agitating for war, or seeking to
disturb the peace of nations. They are
not the men who inflame the public
mind. The jingoism of the day are
the men who know least about fighting,
and who are the slowest to enlist
themselves. Blustering politicians wav-
ing the flag, yellow journals insulting
neighboring nations, to say nothing
of interested manufacturers of mun-
itions of war, these are more to be
dreaded by a peace-loving people than
are the volunteers who give a little of
their time to acquiring a knowledge
of drill, but who depend on the arts of
peace for their living.

We hope the citizens of London will
take an interest in the boys in camp
this week. They will feel pleased as
well as honored if our leading men
can take time to run out to camp and
see them. Clergymen will find their
visits very acceptable. The routine
of camp life can be brightened by the
cheering faces of lady visitors. Re-
member that here are a lot of boys
away from home. Treat them as you
would like your own boys to be treat-
ed under similar circumstances. Give
them a word of cheer and encourage-
ment; provide some healthful and in-
nocent entertainment for them. We
understand that the Daughters of the
Empire and the National Council of
Women are already doing something
to this end. But it is not to be expected
that all helpful effort in this direction
should be confined to ladies' associa-
tions. There is room for all to do a
little.

We wish the boys a pleasant week,
and one that shall be of material
profit to them, both physically and
morally.

British-Canadian Conservatives have
any cry in chorus: those who dis-
agree with them are disloyal.

The Turks have taken to the war-
path again. The world is not so sure
now that the defeat of the Turks was
necessarily a triumph for Christianity.

His supporters are giving Hon. Mr.
White credit for his \$55,000,000 sur-
plus. It will be noticed that he got it
by not deviating from the Fielding
tariff.

The Dominion Government is trying
to strangle the remnant of the Cana-
dian navy organization, but the Cana-
dian navy principle will yet do the
same for the Government.

Mr. Hanna spoke an hour in re-
ply to Mr. Proudfoot at Owen
Sound, but he found no time to dis-
close his opinion of a cabinet minister
who solicits campaign subscriptions
from a Government contractor.

The closer relationship between the
Medical College and the Western Uni-
versity will no doubt redound to the
advantage of both. University affairs
are rounding into shape. The choice of
a President, if wisely made, will usher
in a new era.

MODERN CONDITONS

[Judge.]
"I'd like to get that son of mine to
spade up that yard."

"Well, why don't you direct him to
do it?"

"I don't know if I have a right to
without consulting his scout commis-
sioner."

MOONSHINE.

[Judge.]
Gladys—Billy, you don't swear you
love me?

Billy—You know I love you. What
do you wish me to swear to on?

Gladys—On the bench out in the
moonlight!

IF WE COULD SEE FOUL AIR.

[Collier's Weekly.]
If people could see stagnant air as
they can see stagnant water, with the
slime and disease obvious to the naked
eye, the fresh-air fad would be un-
iversal.

VALUE OF BLUFF.

[Brooklyn Times.]
In a close encounter during the civil
war, two soldiers, one from each army,
came face to face within short range.
Each put up his gun and fired as it
subsequently appeared, his last car-
tridge. Both missed. The bullet of one

man buried itself in a tree, and the
shot of the other passed through the
coat of his enemy. Each man, know-
ing his ammunition was gone, sup-
posed himself to be at a disadvantage.
One of them made a great show of
reloading his gun, and, stepping for-
ward, demanded a surrender. The other
threw down his arms with a groan.
"If I had another cartridge I would
never surrender," he exclaimed.
"That's all right," calmly remarked
the captor, marching off his prisoner.
"If I had another you may be sure I
shouldn't have asked you to surren-
der."

THE BUSY BEE.

[Green Fox, Ark. Tribune.]
Jack Stanphill is having all kinds of
trouble with his bees. He has hived
one swarm five times. As a heroic
measure he ducked the queen in water
and clipped her wings, but as soon as
he turned her out again the son-of-a-
gun set out afire.

A REVERSAL.

[Rochester Herald.]
It would be a real funny thing if the
Turkish women should win the priv-
ilege of wearing skirts just as their
American sisters were on the point of
adopting trousers.

CRUEL WESTERN FIBS.

[Lethbridge News.]
When you read of the sweetening
humidity of the east, aren't you tickled
to think that you are living in a coun-
try where humidity isn't?

HARRY'S LONG SUIT.

[Montreal Herald.]
Harry Lauder recently conducted the
service in a Bristol Church. From
Harry's performances in America we
infer that he had arranged beforehand
for ninety per cent. of the collection.

BY JINGO!

[Medicine Hat News.]
Canada has the material, it can have
the dockyards, it has the men both to
build and man the ships.

ATHLETICS.

[Denver Republican.]
I'd like to be an athlete.
And with the athletes stand,
But nothing ever turns out.
The way I had it planned;
The bag which I had in my hand.
With loud and vicious blows.
Ends matters by returning
Swiftly upon my nose.

I'd like to be an athlete.
And turn upon the bars.
And win a wealth of medals
And wreaths of golden stars;
But with "gym" apparatus
I'm backward, and I can't engage,
I do my exercising
Upon the baseball page!

NOT A GENERAL RULE.

[Atchison Globe.]
Then again it sometimes happens
that the gent who is easily discourag-
ed quits and gets a better job. Which
same isn't set forth as a general rule,
or anything like that.

REMARKABLE PICTURE.

[Boston Transcript.]
"Have you seen Mr. Dauber's pic-
ture?"
"No. Is there anything remarkable
about it?"
"Yes. It's sold."

CAUTION.

[Louisville Courier-Journal.]
"Darling, do you love me for my-
self alone?"
"Why, certainly, Charles. But you
really have that \$50,000, haven't you?"

OPEN SEASON FOR CUPID.

[Judge.]
The summer girl is planning now
Her subtle summer arts,
And Cupid's working overtime
At sharpening his darts.

And bye and bye at each resort.
According to her plan
There'll be a Johnnie slain each day,
Mistaken for a man.

SIR JAMES MUST FACE THE MUSIC.

[Toronto Star.]
When five thousand labor men call
on Premier Whitney in Queen's Park
what will his feelings be? Gentle re-
proach, let us ask, or stern question. What
are the placid emotions of a revolving-
door that has to let in a Shriner's
convention in a great hurry?

HARD TO TELL.

[Boston Transcript.]
"There were a lot of old shoes on the
street when I went out this morning."
"Wedding or a cat fight, do you sup-
pose?"

A LEGAL OPINION.

[New York Press.]
"A cat sits on my back fence every
night, and he yowls and yowls and
yowls. Now I don't want to have any
trouble with Neighbor Jones, but this
thing has gone far enough and I
want you to tell me what to do."
The young lawyer looked at solemn
as an old, sick owl, and said: "Let
me see it."

"I have a right to shoot the cat
haven't I?"
"I would hardly say that," replied
young Coke Blackstone. "The cat does
not belong to you, as I understand
it."

"No, but the fence does."
"Then," concluded the light of law,
"I think it is safe to say that you have
a perfect right to tear down the
fence."

DIED IN MOTHER'S ARMS

FROM AN ACUTE DISEASE

Crampton Lady Finds Month-
Old Child Dead While
Driving.

Driving about in the fresh air in an
endeavor to relieve the sufferings of her
month-old child Saturday afternoon, Mrs.
John Longfield, of Crampton, while driv-
ing in the second concession of Westmin-
ster Township, was horrified to discover
that the baby had died in her arms.
During the day the baby had been un-
well, and with her father-in-law, Mr. W.
Longfield, of 362 Ottawa avenue, started
out for a drive, thinking the fresh air
would benefit the infant. During the
drive the baby cried continuously until
they reached London, when it suddenly
stopped. The mother, thinking it was
better, removed a covering which she
had placed over the baby's head to pro-
tect it. Then for the first time she no-
ticed that it was not breathing properly.
She informed her father-in-law, and the
baby was taken into the residence of
Mr. Thomas Brown nearby. A physician
who was summoned pronounced the child
dead. Coroner Ferguson was then notifi-
ed, and after an investigation decided
that an inquest was unnecessary and that
the child had died from an acute attack
of indigestion.

SUNSTROKE PROVED FATAL TO MR. SAMUEL LANGFORD

Was One of the Oldest Resi-
dents of the County of
Middlesex.

Mr. Samuel Langford, one of the oldest
residents of Middlesex, died Saturday
morning at his residence, 866 William
street, after a brief illness following a
sunstroke which he received about two
weeks ago.

He was born in Queen's County, Ire-
land, Aug. 15, 1828, and came with his
parents, the late Thomas and Martha
Langford, to Canada when a child of one
or two years. His father, one of the
pioneers of London Township, settled on
the 14th concession, north lot 8, where
a family of eight brothers and sisters
grew up on the homestead, which was
literally enough hewed out of the prime-
val forest-covered country, and where
the only two surviving members of the
family, Mr. Thomas Langford and Mrs.
Martha McRoberts, still reside.

The late Mr. Samuel Langford attain-
ing to manhood, lived first in Biddulph
Township, where he was widely known as
a farmer and stockman. Later he re-
moved back to London Township, and a
few years ago retired from active life,
residing since at his home in this city.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs.
Martha Langford, three sons—Dr. Wil-
liam, of Martinsburg, West Virginia;
Nelson, of London, and Ernest, of Byron,
and two daughters—Mrs. Sageman, of
Lambeth, and Mrs. C. Westman, of Gran-
tham.

He was a lifelong Orangeman, a mem-
ber at the time of his death of Ashcroft
Lodge, No. 230, and the Black Preceptory,
No. 346. He was a member of the Angli-
can denomination. The funeral was held
this afternoon under the auspices of the
Orange Order from his late residence, 866
William street, to Birr Anglican Ceme-
tery, at 1:20 o'clock.

PULMOTOR ARRIVES TEST TO BE MADE AS A LIFE SAVER

Demonstration Is Planned For
Tuesday if a Subject Can
Be Secured.

Recommendations Say It Will
Restore Life to the Drowned
and Suffocated.

If a subject, patient, experimenter,
victim, or whatever else he might be
called, can be secured, there will be a
demonstration of the new pulmotor of
the water commission tomorrow morn-
ing. The machine was unpacked this
morning, and preliminary tests made
by Electrical Engineer E. V. Buchan-
an and Line Superintendent Charles
Alford.

Anyone caring to undergo the ex-
perience of coming back from the other
world can have that feeling gratified
by applying at the Horton
street pumping station at 10 a.m. to-
morrow. General Manager H. J.
Glaubitiz has ordered a demonstration
staged at that hour for the members
of the commission, and the question is,
"Who's to be the goat?" or in other
words who will be electrocuted, and
then brought back to life with the
machine.

Highly Recommended.
While the sensation of being resusci-
tated, or words to that effect, is
hardly one that is recommended in the
best family circles, there is a whole
bushel basket of credentials, accom-
panying the machine, and it guaran-
tees to restore life to asphyxiated,
electrocuted and drowned persons.

After the machine had been tried
on Engineer Buchanan this morning
he asserted that the feeling it inspired
was something along the same
nature as swallowing a mouthful of
water while in swimming. However,
it was also stated that as Engineer
Buchanan was not unconscious when
the pulmotor began to "oxygenate"
into his lungs, he was hardly the
proper "receiving spirit" to enjoy a
quick journey from the land of the
dead back to that of the living, via
the pulmotor route.

JUVENILES ON VACATION BARRED FROM FACTORIES

Inspector Clark Issues Warning
to Parents of Youthful
Workers.

School holidays is no excuse for the
employment of child labor. According to
Factory Inspector Harry Clark, there are
many London parents and manufacturers
who are apparently unaware that the
temporary closing of the public schools
is not sufficient excuse for the employ-
ment of children under the legal age.
The child labor laws are in effect twelve
months of the year, and summer holidays
or the closing of schools are unrecognized
by the statutes.

Special steps are being taken by In-
spector Clark to provide for the enforce-
ment of the law. Any cases of child labor
employment during the summer holidays
will be followed by police court appear-
ances of the employer and the parents of
the child employed.

"The law has to be lived up to to the
letter, and examples will be made of all
those who break it, especially during the
closing of school for the summer holi-
days," said Inspector Clark this morning.

Cigar Stub Starts Fire in Sawmill

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Sarnia, July 14.—Quick work on the
part of the local fire department pre-
vented what threatened to be a very
serious blaze when a passerby cast a
cigar stub among the shavings in
the frame of the Cleveland-Sarnia Sawmills
Company yesterday.

As it was, practically no damage was
done, but had the wind been in the
right direction the big plant might
have been consumed.

ROCKED THE BOAT

Two Youths Were Drowned in Ac-
cident Near Halifax.

[Canadian Press.]
Halifax, July 14.—Roy Upham, aged
17, of Three-Mile Plains, N. S., and
George States, 23, of Mount Denison,
both colored, were drowned yesterday
at Mount Denison, Hants County.
Rocking the boat in which they had
been fishing was the cause of the
fatality. The bodies have been re-
covered.

The Association

"I have a right to shoot the cat
haven't I?"
"I would hardly say that," replied
young Coke Blackstone. "The cat does
not belong to you, as I understand
it."

"No, but the fence does."
"Then," concluded the light of law,
"I think it is safe to say that you have
a perfect right to tear down the
fence."

DIED IN MOTHER'S ARMS

FROM AN ACUTE DISEASE

Crampton Lady Finds Month-
Old Child Dead While
Driving.

Driving about in the fresh air in an
endeavor to relieve the sufferings of her
month-old child Saturday afternoon, Mrs.
John Longfield, of Crampton, while driv-
ing in the second concession of Westmin-
ster Township, was horrified to discover
that the baby had died in her arms.
During the day the baby had been un-
well, and with her father-in-law, Mr. W.
Longfield, of 362 Ottawa avenue, started
out for a drive, thinking the fresh air
would benefit the infant. During the
drive the baby cried continuously until
they reached London, when it suddenly
stopped. The mother, thinking it was
better, removed a covering which she
had placed over the baby's head to pro-
tect it. Then for the first time she no-
ticed that it was not breathing properly.
She informed her father-in-law, and the
baby was taken into the residence of
Mr. Thomas Brown nearby. A physician
who was summoned pronounced the child
dead. Coroner Ferguson was then notifi-
ed, and after an investigation decided
that an inquest was unnecessary and that
the child had died from an acute attack
of indigestion.

CHAUFEUR (ON HIS FIRST STEAMER TRIP, CATCHING SIGHT OF LIFEBELTS—LUMMY, GUV'NOR, YOU DON'T 'ARF CARRY SOME SPARES.)

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CORRESPONDENCE COLUMN.
HELPS FOR HOME-KEEPERS.
RECIPES AND STYLE NOTES.

A PAGE FOR WOMEN

BRIGHT ARTICLES DAILY ON
WOMEN'S INTERESTS AND
ACTIVITIES HERE AND THERE

The President's Daughter As She Will Look In Her Bridal Array.



MISS JESSIE M. WILSON.

White House Brides.

1. Lucy Payne Washington, youngest sister of Mrs. Madison, March, 1811.
2. Anna Todd, cousin of President Madison's wife, 1812.
3. Marie Monroe, the first president's daughter to be married in White House, 1820.
4. Mary Hellen, niece of John Quincy Adams, married to Adams' son, 1828.
5. Emily Martin, relative of the President, married to Lewis Randolph, 1829.
6. Mary Easton, niece of Mrs. Jackson, to Lucien B. Polk.
7. Delia Lewis, of Nashville, married to a member of the French legation, (Fifth, sixth and seventh brides married during President Jackson's administration).
8. Elizabeth Tyler married to William

9. Ellen Wrenshall Grant, known as "Nellie," who became Mrs. Algernon C. Sartoris in 1874.
10. Emily Platt, in 1878, a niece of Gen. Russell Hastings.
11. Frances Polson, who married President Cleveland June, 1885.
12. Alice Roosevelt, now Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, February, 1906.
13. Jessie Wilson, second daughter of President Woodrow Wilson, will be the thirteenth White House bride and the fifth President's daughter to be married in the White House. The bridegroom will be Francis Bowes Sayre, assistant to District Attorney Whitman, of New York. The date, though not yet announced, will probably be set for some time in the early fall.

PROBLEMS OF THE FAIR SEX SOLVED BY CYNTHIA GREY

[Correspondents are requested to make their inquiries as brief as possible, and to write on one side of the paper only. It is impossible to give replies within a stated time, as all letters have to be answered in turn as they are received. No letters can be answered privately.]

Dear Miss Grey: Could you tell me what has happened to "Mutt and Jeff"? They haven't been in the last few issues. What do you think of my writing?

WORRIED MOSES.

A—Well, friend, by this time you will have marked the reappearance of your favorite in The Advertiser. I hope they will not disappoint such an admirer as yourself by any further lapses. Perhaps if they read your letter they won't.

2. Your penmanship is rather good—

somewhat feminine for "Moses," though!

Lavinia's Lament.

Dear Miss Grey: I shall be glad if you will kindly answer me the following:

1. Is it good to massage the face with cream? I once got the formula for cold cream from you, which I made up, but I never really knew when it ought to be applied, whether on retiring, or any time during the day. Perhaps by

KATHERINE LESLIES HOME-KEEPER



A MAN ON MODERN HOUSEKEEPERS.

"You women have no idea how you increase the cost of living by your wretched house-keeping," said a man in response to some walling remarks on the soaring price of everything edible by a couple of housekeepers recently. "Has it ever occurred to you how you force your grocer to keep twice as many delivery wagons going because of the daily orders for groceries? In the old days the housekeeper kept her supply well stocked up, and would have been shocked to leave her cupboard empty of necessities at the end of the day. The modern housekeeper has more facilities for keeping her groceries, butter, eggs, etc., than the old-fashioned housekeeper who had to run up and down cellar stairs a dozen times a day to fetch and carry her supplies as they were needed. Yet she ordered supplies only once a week, and at no hour of the day was she likely to be surprised by finding a bare larder if unexpected guests arrived for a meal. The modern woman has modern cupboards, store closets,

refrigerators, and ice boxes, yet she lives in a sort of hand-to-mouth way so far as ordering goes. An unexpected guest throws her into consternation, and she relies upon the telephone to rescue her out of her difficulties. She thinks nothing of ordering not once a day, but twice, and even three times! What does this matter? Simply this, that the grocer who has to keep two or three delivery wagons going instead of one, has to make enough profit out of his sales to cover the expenses of horses and wagons and men to drive them. I am not maintaining that this is the sole cause of the high cost of living, but I do say that it is one of the causes. The telephone made women both careless and lazy in their house-keeping. They resort to it to supply what they themselves lack in foresight, care and economy. Surely it is not a difficult thing to order in a week's supply! And what a thoroughly incapable sort of housekeeping is that which orders sugar in the morning, eggs at noon, and bread a few minutes later, to do this sort of thing daily! If we ran our businesses on such reckless methods as these we should all be ruined. Fore-sight means economy, and economy means cheaper living."

menting a few of the ingredients it will help you to recognize the one you prescribed for me: Almond oil, white wax, spermaceti, etc.

2. I generally have chilblains on my hands in winter. Is there a way of preventing them?

3. Where is the nearest salt water resort from here (London)?

Gratefully yours, LAVINA.

A—4. The cold cream should be applied after bathing the face well. Rub in well, with the finger-tips, with upward and outward movements to prevent the appearance of wrinkles. This recipe makes a good dressing for either: One tablespoon flour, one tablespoon butter, one tablespoon sugar, one-half teaspoon mustard, salt and pepper to taste. Wet these dry ingredients with a little milk, and add more until two-thirds of a cup have been used; place over the fire and add very slowly one-half cup of vinegar, beating in steadily. With care the dressing will be perfectly smooth. Pour quickly over cabbage or potatoes, arrange in the salad bowl and garnish as desired.

2. Potato and cabbage salad are especially good with cold meat. The potatoes should be mashed or finely cut, and for cabbage salad, shred the vegetables very fine and sprinkle with a little salt while making the dressing. This recipe makes a good dressing for either: One tablespoon flour, one tablespoon butter, one tablespoon sugar, one-half teaspoon mustard, salt and pepper to taste. Wet these dry ingredients with a little milk, and add more until two-thirds of a cup have been used; place over the fire and add very slowly one-half cup of vinegar, beating in steadily. With care the dressing will be perfectly smooth. Pour quickly over cabbage or potatoes, arrange in the salad bowl and garnish as desired.

3. An ounce of witch-hazel into which a little powdered alum has been dissolved is an excellent pore-contractor. Spray on the face every night, or dab on well with a bit of cotton.

I trust my answer reaches you before you leave on your vacation.

Sends Desired Poem.

Dear Miss Grey: Enclosed you will find the poem which "Rosamund" asked for. Hope it is the poem she wanted. Please answer these for me:

From Merry Sunshine.

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Daily Healthogram

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REMOVAL SALE

Embroidery Sale
Wednesday 9 a.m.

WEDNESDAY MORNING:

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Corset Cover Embroideries at 9c Yard

450 yards, eight different designs Corset Cover Embroideries, neat and small patterns, with pretty beading. These come in two widths, 14 and 18 inches, and are lines we have been selling special at 15c yard. Get your choice of these Wednesday morning at, yard . . . 9c

24 to 27-Inch Embroidery Flouncings, 16c Yard

500 yards of dainty Embroidery Flouncings. There is a big range (eighteen designs) of pretty patterns. Some of these are seconds, though the damages are slight. They are the lines we have been selling special at 25c and 29c yard. Clearing Wednesday, 9 a.m., yd. 16c

Flouncing and Corset Cover Embroideries at 29c

100 yards of Flouncings in a pretty conventional design, 27 inches wide, with plain finished edge. Also 3 designs in 27-inch Flouncings with scalloped edge, and 10 different dainty designs in Corset Cover Embroidery. These include all our regular lines at 35c and 40c, and several lines we have been selling special at 39c and 49c yard. Removal Sale price, Wednesday, yard . . . 29c

We are also clearing out all higher-priced Embroideries at prices as low comparatively as those quoted. There will also be many Insertions, Edgings, etc., marked at prices which should clear them out on Wednesday.

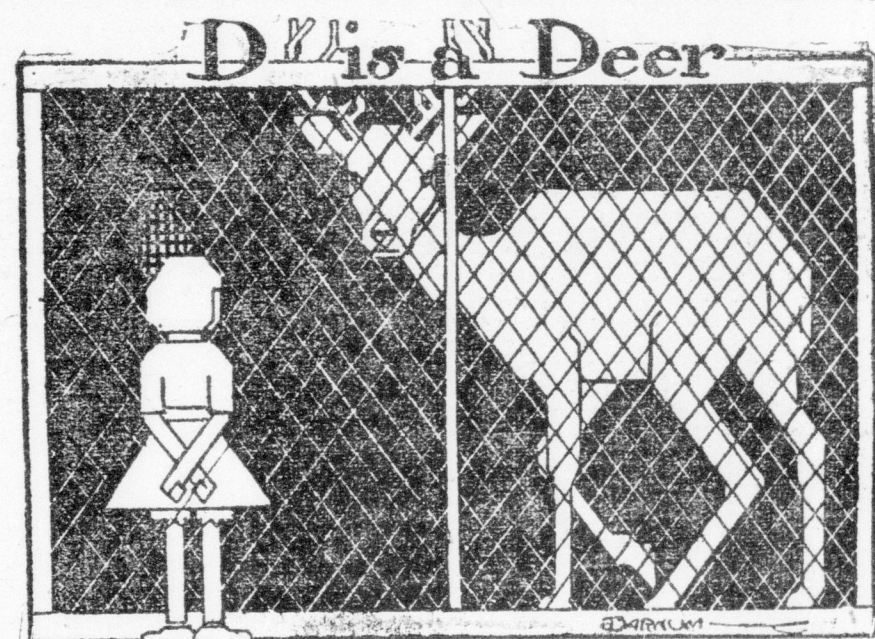
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Soft, Silky, Gentle-Eyed Deer; Don't You Love This Zoo Friend?



BY AUNT GERTIE.

"Oh, dear, come and see the DEER!" Artist Burnham and I were walking through the Zoo the other afternoon when we heard someone calling this.

Of course, it wasn't for us. But we turned to see, without thinking what we were doing.

Guess who it was and what it was all about.

Why, a lady was peeping through the wire fencing at a beautiful, soft, silky deer. Her call was to a little girl nearby to whom she wanted to introduce the gentle deer.

As a rule, children, deer are very shy and quite afraid of people. So when we noticed how friendly this deer seemed to feel we went up quite close to it, too, in order to become acquainted.

It pushed its soft nose against the wire fence, trying to see if we would feed it. Its ears moved backward and forward as if it were listening to what we said to it.

Aren't deer graceful animals, boys and girls? Every movement they make is so graceful.

1. What would be a nice but inexpensive birthday present to give your brother?

2. What do you think of my penmanship?

3. A recipe for potato salad.

Hoping I have not bothered you too much, I remain, L. N. P.

A—1. A necktie, camera material, book, fountain pen, notepaper.

2. It is very neat.

3. A recipe appears today in my answer to "Brownie."

Thank you for sending the poetry. So many requests have reached me for it, that I am reprinting it on this page.

Daily Menu

TUESDAY.

BREAKFAST. Cream. Cooked Cereal. Cream. Creamed Codfish. Marmalade. Coffee.

TOAST. Marmalade. Coffee.

DINNER. Onion Soup. Roast Lamb, Mint Sauce. Rice Croquettes. Buttered Beets. Deep Gooseberry Pie.

SUPPER. Sliced Tomatoes. Boston Brown Bread. Fruit. Hermits. Tea.

ADDITIONAL RECIPES. Onion Soup.

Slice half a dozen onions and saute in butter until brown. Add 1 quart of rich stock, with salt and pepper to taste. Place bread croutons and a couple of tablespoons of parmesan cheese in the tureen, strain the soup

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CANNING AND PRESERVING



[BY CAROLINE COE.]

The most essential thing in the preservation of fruit and vegetables is the process of sterilization of the food and sealing of the can so as to exclude all germs. Many have an idea it is the oxygen in the air which causes fermentation and putrefaction, but it is the bacteria and other microscopic organisms which produce this. If the housewife succeeds in excluding these there will be no danger of canned goods spoiling.

In preserving, canning or jelly making, iron or tin utensils should never be used. Acid fruits attack these metals and give bad color and a metallic taste to the product.

Every housekeeper should own at least one preserving kettle that should be used for nothing else. A broad-based porcelain lined kettle—not too deep—as the deep kettles allow any layers of the fruit to cook unevenly and those at the bottom are often overcooked and those at the top not perfectly heated.

The selection of fruit is one of the first steps in obtaining successful results. The flavor of fruit is not fully developed until it is fully ripe, the best time for using them for canning preserves or jelly is just before they are perfectly ripe. Jelly making is often a failure because over-ripe fruit has been used and the "pectin," which is the quality which makes the jelly, has lost its jelly-making qualities.

One should try to use freshly picked fruits, but if it is not possible to use the fruit the same day it is picked it is far better to keep it in a cellar or cool room rather than an ice box.

Don't prepare pure fruit that can be cooked at once, as it loses its color and the juices drain. This is the reason often the last few cans of berries or cherries have much more juice than those first put up. Have several bowls or cups the same size so when you measure a bowl of fruit you will have another perfectly dry bowl in which to measure sugar. Do not use more than two quarts of any small fruit at any one time in making preserves. The fruit then does not cook to pieces and the last in a large kettle is often very much overcooked and has an undesirable or strange taste.

Wash all fruit before packing. Quinces of pears should be dropped in a bowl of cold water and lemon juice (one tablespoon to a quart of water).

If berries must be washed do this before you stem or hull them. Put them, a few at a time, in the colander and allow water to run over them.

Pare fruit, if possible, with a silver knife, so as not to stain or darken it.

TABLE FOR PREPARING SYRUP.

One pint of sugar, one gill of water gives a syrup of 40 degree density. Use for preserving strawberries and cherries—one pint of sugar and three gills of water gives a syrup of 28 degree density. Use this for preserved peaches, plums, quinces and currants.

One pint of sugar and one pint of water forms a syrup suitable for canning (not preserves) acid fruits.

Put the sugar and water in a granite or porcelain sauce pan and allow

it to dissolve. Heat slowly to the boiling point and boil gently, without stirring, for fifteen minutes, taking care not to jar the pan or it will crystallize. Syrup may be made one day or two in advance of canning time. If possible possess a "syrup gauge." This is a graduated tube with a weighted bulb and is necessary to determine the quantity of sugar in the syrup.

In canning any portion of sugar may be used, or fruit may be canned without sugar. The latter is used for pies. Many think the flavor is better. Juicy fruits need no water.

PLUM JELLY.

Use an unripe acid plum. Wash fruit in cold water. To each pound of fruit add one quart of water. Cool gently until plums fall to pieces. (Be careful and stir as they burn away.) Strain juice through cheese-cloth bag and allow a bowl of juice to a bowl of sugar. Heat slowly to boiling point and boil fifteen minutes. Turn into tumbler. Wild grapes make a most delicious jelly.

WHEN YOU MAKE YOUR JELLY.

The average house keeper often feels very less sure of the success of the jelly than of preserves, and it is almost a "gamble." There is a long story of pectose and pectate (which the average woman has no time or inclination to understand or solve). These always exist in unripe fruit. As the fruit ripens they together form pectin. This is necessary material for jelly making.

Pectin is at its best when fruit is just ripe, but, as we so rarely are able to secure the fruit at just that time, it is far better to use a little before for making jelly. Pectin has the power to gelatinize. Two long boiling of fruit and sugar causes the pectin to lose this power. Acid fruits contain most pectin, so it is often necessary to combine fruits as the strawberry, which has very little jelly-making pectin, with currant or gooseberry, and we have a fine jelly. Here is a list of the best jelly-making fruits: Currants, crabapple, apple, quince, grape, black-

berry and peach. Apples will form a jelly base and may be flavoured with almost any fruit flavor or spice. Strain all juices for jelly through cheese-cloth bags. Do not press, but allow to drip slowly, and for every pint of juice used add one pint of granulated sugar, and boil slowly twenty minutes.

CHERRIES PRESERVED WITH CURRANT JUICE

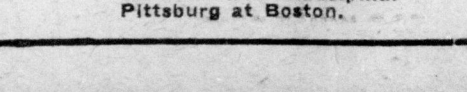
Six quarts of cherries. Two quarts of currants. Three quarts of sugar.

Boil, crush and strain the juice from the cherries. Stone the cherries and drain all the juice from them into the currant juice. Dissolve sugar in this juice, and allow to come to boiling point. Add cherries and boil twenty minutes. Put in glasses while hot. Allow to cool and cover with coating of paraffine.

HINTS ON MAKING MARMALADES.

Marmalades require great care while cooking. They burn very easily. If it is made from cherries, the fruit should be rubbed through a fine sieve to remove all seeds. Measure fruit and sugar, allowing one pint of sugar to each quart of fruit pulp. Rinse the preserving kettle so sides and bottom are moist. Add a layer of fruit, then layer of sugar until not more than two layers of each are used. (Layers not to be more than two inches deep.) Heat slowly and stir constantly. If one has an iron stand used for holding a sauce pan, place it under the kettle so as to allow an air space between heat and kettle bottom. Allow to boil slowly two hours for not more than four quarts of fruit. Pack in small jars or glasses and cover with paraffine.

By "Bud" Fisher



July Clearing Sale of HOUSE DRESSES

Women's House Dresses, made from light and dark stripe percales, in low neck and 3/4 sleeve styles, sizes 34 to 40 bust measure. Regular \$1.50 value, on sale Tuesday morning at 9, for, each **98c**

WHITE CAMBRIC DRAWERS, trimmed with frill of torchon lace, sizes 23 to 27. Regular 40c value, Tuesday only, pair **25c**

50 DOZEN SHEER LISLE STOCKINGS in plain and embroidered, sizes 8 1/2 to 10 inch. Regular 35c value, sale price, pair. **25c**

FANCY PARASOLS, in colors, covered with silk and linen covers. Values up to \$2.00, clearing at, each **98c**

500 YARDS OF BLACK PALETTE SILK, full 36 inches wide. Dependable quality. Regular \$1.00 value, sale price **79c**

1,000 YARDS OF GERMAN VALENCIENNES LACE AND INSERTION. Regular 5c value, sale price **2 yards for 5c**

45-INCH SWISS EMBROIDERY FLOUNCING, deep patterns. Regular \$1 value, sale price. **79c**

50 DOZEN KNITTED COMBINATION SUITS, in fine rib. Sale price, suit **43c**

WOMEN'S PRINCESS SLIPS, with heavy torchon lace and insertion trimming, sizes 34 to 40 bust measure. Sale price **\$2.25**

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Sisters Leave for Leper Colony

[Canadian Press.] Montreal, July 14.—Amidst weeping relatives and friends, Sister St. Francis of Assisi, nee Miss Clara Robert, of Montreal; Sister St. Raphael, nee Miss Melville Biron, of Montreal; and Sister Mary Bernadette, nee Miss Alma Legoy, of Alexandria, Ont., the three nuns who have volunteered for lifelong service in the leper colony near Canton, China, left Windsor street station today on the Canadian Pacific Railway transcontinental train for Vancouver, where they will embark for their green trip.

NO DOCKED HORSES

London, July 14.—It is officially announced that docked horses are not to be purchased for the army. In reply to a question by Mr. George Greenwood in the House of Commons, Mr. Seely stated that as few docked horses as possible are purchased for the troops, and that after three years from that date no remounts with docked tails will be purchased. The army council have accordingly issued orders to officers engaged in the purchase of remounts. Dealers from whom remounts are usually purchased have been duly informed.

Day Labor System Working Out Well

Civil contracting by day labor, rather than by tenders, is working out well in London. Laying of sidewalks by the board of works department this year has proved to the aldermen that it is possible to have the work done more expeditiously, cheaper and better than by the old contract system. At the present time the city council are now engaged in laying sidewalks on Regent street, Stanley street, South London, was laid with curbs and gutter by the city, as well as Richmond and other north end streets.

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JOHN KENNEDY DROWNED BATHING NEAR RODNEY

Young Ridgeway Man Seized With Cramps While Racing Across Pond With Friends.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ridgeway, July 13.—John Kennedy, aged 21, son of S. N. Kennedy, proprietor of the Ridgeway Steam Laundry, was drowned at Taylor's Pond, near Rodney, this afternoon when he was swimming with a number of other youths he was seized with cramps.

The swimmers were racing across the pond when Kennedy suddenly sank. He did not come to the surface again until one of his companions located him a few minutes later, and diving after the body brought it to the surface. Kennedy's hands had become entangled among the weeds at the bottom. The boys worked heroically over him in an endeavor to restore him to life until the arrival of Dr. Peterson and Dr. McLean, of Rodney, and Dr. McLean, of Duart, who vainly tried for two hours to restore life.

His father was summoned and took the remains in an auto, Coroner Doran considering an inquest unnecessary.

Kennedy was a graduate this year of the Ontario College of Pharmacy, Toronto, having graduated as Bachelor of Pharmacy with honors. He was in charge of H. W. Thomson's drug business here during Mr. Thomson's absence in Great Britain.

Besides his parents he is survived by his sister, Mrs. E. J. Kennedy, stepbrother, Roderick, and a stepfather, Beatrice. He was a prominent member of the Canadian Order of Foresters, and the funeral, which will be held on Tuesday, will be under the auspices of the lodge. Interment will be made at Greenwood Cemetery.

Found Indian Relic While Working Farm

Interesting Discovery Made by Farmer Near Byron.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Woodbank, July 14.—While N. E. Blyea was manipulating his cultivator in a promising one-year-old raspberry field, he kept his optical vigilance upon a spot which he had noticed in the field, partly embedded in the rich sandy loam.

Immediately he forgot all about the principles of bean cultivation and set about examining his mysterious find. The object was composed of stone, about two feet in length, with a crook at one end, forming a hook-like weapon, which might have well belonged to the Bill Sykes fraternity, in their dark-as-pitch night operations.

An Indian Relic. He traced his crawling to the utmost to account for its presence on his fruit farm and what mission it once fulfilled.

His imagination took any flight and he fancied he had come into contact with an Indian relic. Some of the dusky tribes were working on his neighbor's farm, so he decided to gain some enlightenment from them, if possible. He was disappointed, for a Mr. George, a full-blooded Indian, at once declared it to be a stone hoe, which belonged to his race, probably a century ago, and used by them in their crude farming operations.

The stone hoe has borne silent witness of a remarkable transition in land values in this district, for from being practically a wilderness, the land is now being cultivated. It is now being sold for \$500 per acre, with prices rapidly advancing. But little could the Indian have realized as he wielded his hoe among the little clearings, that one day the land would prove a fortune in real estate.

Mr. Blyea, who is a stone hoe enthusiast, applied his activities in a persevering manner. Unfortunately, however, the fruitman had either gained enormous strength or was a very strong man, for he was able to dig up the hoe, which was buried by reason of its great age, for the missile suddenly broke, and posterity lost an important relic of the great Indian stone age.

BIG DAY IN HENSALL

About Five Thousand Came to Town for Orange Celebration.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Hensall, July 12.—Hensall saw one of the greatest days in history today. Between four and five thousand people gathered for the big celebration.

In the afternoon a procession headed by the band marched to Moberg's Park and addresses were given by Reeve Orwin, resident ministers and a number of other speakers. Hensall Brass Band met the trains and played during the day.

The following were the prize-winners. Best flag and banner—Exeter, No. 24. Lodge coming the longest distance—Port Albert, No. 2176, distance 38 miles.

Best fire and drum band—Summersville, No. 22. Best lodge in parade—1 Bayfield, 2 Belvedere, 3 Riverston, No. 145.

Oldest member in good standing—Thomas Elliott, Goderich Township, 80 years of age, 65 years a member of Lodge No. 189, Wm. Johnston, 68 years a member of Winthrop Lodge, No. 812; David Beacom, 68 years a member, and 48 years with Blythe Lodge.

Best judge of loaves—Mrs. William Shepherd, Garnet, Smallcombe.

APPIN.

Appin July 14.—Mr. Howe and Miss Howe are visiting in Appin. Misses Pearl and Ethel George are the guests of Mrs. L. Payne for a few days recently.

The monthly meeting of the Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church, was held at the home of Mrs. Dan McDonald, with an attendance of twelve. The afternoon session was held at the home of Mrs. McDonald, with an attendance of twelve. A dinner was served by the hostess.

Miss Johnston is home for a few days. Miss Constance Bardwell has left for Essex, where she has accepted a position in the home of Mr. Clark.

A number of farmers here have finished haying. Mrs. Margaret Clark, of Detroit, is visiting her home here.

Mr. E. Ash, who was taken very ill Wednesday afternoon, is still in critical condition. Mr. and Mrs. George Mayhew, of Detroit, are visiting at Mrs. Mayhew's brother, D. E. McAlpine.

AIRMAN CARLSTROM DROPS INTO TREE; WAS FLYING HIGH

Aviator Who Performed Here Wrecked Sailing to Toronto.

Controlling Rod Snapped Causing Machine to Plunge Seven Hundred Feet.

Toronto, July 14.—Losing control of his biplane while travelling at the rate of an 80-mile-an-hour clip, near Oakville yesterday morning, Victor Carlstrom glided from a height of 700 feet to the ground. His machine struck a tree and hung there, while he was flung out by the impact. He was uninjured, and came to Toronto by an afternoon train.

Carlstrom was flying to Toronto from Brantford. He left Brantford about 8 o'clock, with a heavy wind directly behind him. At 8:30, when he had covered 40 of the 60 miles of the trip, the rod by which he controlled the plane broke off short. He was 700 feet in the air at the time, and could only hold fast to his seat while the machine swerved and dipped, and finally careening over one side, plunged edge-ways towards the earth.

Seen at the Palmer House last night, the aviator could not account for his escape from injury or death.

Machine Is a Wreck. "I must have been doing 80 miles an hour or better," he said. "My machine was flying at 700 feet when the rod broke, and I had it right behind me this morning. The machine is a wreck."

"The control lever," he explained, "is of light steel piping. I had bent it some days ago, and did not bother heating it when I bent it back, so I guess it was a bit weak. I had to use it a great deal this morning in the heavy wind, and at times there was a big strain on the rod. When an exceptionally heavy gust came along it snapped under my hand."

"I stayed with the machine as long as I could. When she hit the tree I left her rather suddenly, too. It's strange I didn't hit a branch and knock myself out, but I had all the luck."

"Will you fly again?" he was asked. "Off for Another."

"Yes; I'm off to New York tomorrow morning to get a new biplane. You can expect me back Wednesday, or Tuesday, night if the wind acts right."

Victor Carlstrom was to have made exhibition flights in the city during the present week. He is from Colorado and was not a resident, neither was it a fashioned something like the Curtiss models. The point where he came to grief is two miles north of Oakville, in a farming district, and no great crowd collected to see the shattered machine. The latter will be shipped back to the United States today.

Carlstrom made daily flights over this city during the week that he was in town. He was playing at Queen's Park. On one occasion he was obliged to volplane hastily to earth near Carling Heights through a part of the mechanism of his machine breaking.

Started to Paddle Toronto to Port

Five Youths Owing to Gale Had to Finish Trip By Train.

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BERT HEARD CALL OF WILD

Came to Canada With Bowie Knife to Fight Indians and Animals.

BUT FAILS TO FIND THEM

Far away fields looked green to Albert Dixon, the 12-year-old son of George Dixon, of Lorain, Ohio, as he gazed from his bedroom window one morning about a week ago. Albert had a vision of Canada and its wilds, with Indians running loose, and right then he decided to start for the Dominion and assist the long-suffering pioneers in ridding the country of the crafty "redskins."

Securing nearly \$100 Albert stole from his home and hid himself to the nearest depot, where he boarded a train for Detroit, from which point he crossed to Windsor. Instead of dense forests, prowling Indians, and wild animals, he found a busy Canadian city. This was a stagger for Albert. It was not what had been depicted on moving picture screens, showing the life of the pioneer in Canada. Still if he went to the interior he might discover what he was looking for, and like Buffalo Bill or Davy Crockett fight for the settlers in an endeavor to wipe out the blood-thirsty Indians.

Seeking the Wild. So he boarded an eastbound Grand Trunk train, bound for he did not know where, but with the intention of stopping off and giving battle to the first wild man he met. The train arrived in London early Sunday morning and Albert was rather startled by the glowing lights on the depot platform. He got off to stretch his legs, however, and met his conqueror. It was not a redskin, neither was it a wild animal, but a man with a blue uniform dotted with brass buttons and a white helmet, who proved to be P. C. McRoberts. This was rather strange to Albert, but he decided to see what London looked like on a Sunday morning about four o'clock. The officer spied him before he got away, and suspecting something wrong he took him to the police station, where after being questioned, he was searched and \$80 and a long bowie knife were discovered in his pockets.

When the knife was discovered Albert became afraid and told the officers about running away from home, and gave his father's name and address. A telegram was sent to the father, who had been seeking him over the country for the boy, and he arrived in the city this morning to take his son home.

Before leaving for home Albert was confided to the officers that he was perfectly satisfied with the wide world as he had seen it, and in future would let the pioneers fight for themselves.

LICENSE CUT OFF

Seaford Hotel Will Have to Close for Good on Aug. 1.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Seaford, July 14.—At a special meeting of the Seaford Board of Health, held here yesterday, the question of the Seaford Hotel license was again taken up. The board, consisting of Messrs. J. H. Wallace, of Seaford, and Mayor Greig, Reeve Stewart and Councilors Albert and Stewart for the town, decided to cut off the license of the hotel, which is now 2115, and a fourth license was necessary to provide the proper accommodation.

The hotel was recently entirely renovated, and passed by the local board of health, and was shown to the council, and was approved by the board. The hotel had been made by the proprietors, who had been cutting off the license on their own initiative.

After the leaving, the commissioners, Elliott, of Goddard, and J. H. Wallace, of Seaford, together with Inspector Johnson, of Clinton, met and decided to reverse their former decision, consequently the license will be cut off on Aug. 1.

DOUBLE DROWNING

Carpenters Lost When Boat Capsized in a Gale.

[Canadian Press.] Regina, July 14.—Eric Westman and J. H. Johnson, carpenters, were drowned in the lake west of Port Qu'Appelle Saturday evening. Their bodies have not been recovered. The two men, with a third companion, were in a boat when a gale swept across the lake, capsizing their boat. The third man was rescued.

FLORENCE.

Florence, July 14.—Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Scourrah were recent guests of Mrs. J. H. Wallace, of Seaford.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Bodkin visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hadden, of Alvinston recently.

Miss Wright visited Mrs. Thomson recently.

Miss Lou Walker visited with Miss Nina Armstrong recently.

Ernie Brockingham, of Melwell, has accepted a position in the Melwell store here.

Willard Forshaw has accepted a position with the Northern Crown Bank here.

The Misses Edwards, of Chatham, are spending holidays at the home of their mother, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly.

Rev. Cummings spent a few days with friends here recently.

"Well I know it's sudden," was the answer, "but he's awfully much in love, you know; and it's really just too sweet to live. Will you act, May?"

"Act? Of course I will. I shall be charmed, but," she took a step as though to move off, "do come round the corner and tell me all about it. Here is Bob Henderson, that laughing, gibbering idiot. He is grinning just as though he meant to stop, and I don't care to be seen talking to him."

"Bob Henderson?" exclaimed Daisy, in an amazed fashion. "Why, he's the man I'm going to marry!"

GOLLOGLY-DUNLOP.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Wallerburg, July 14.—Miss Annie Dunlop and Mr. James Gollogly were married this morning in the Church of Our Lady Help, Rev. Father Boulter and Miss Eva Dunlop, of New York, were here for the wedding.

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Reckless Youths Nearly Drowned

[Special to The Advertiser.] Goderich, July 14.—While a strong gale was blowing from the northwest, and the billows rolling high, two venturesome young men, named McDonald and Roberts, undertook to face the elements in a small sailboat, the Lily Bell.

They succeeded in getting out into the lake several miles, and on returning were making the harbor when just off the breakwater half a mile from the pier a gust of wind upset them. Many from shore were watching the little ship struggling in the white-capped seas, and the alarm was given immediately. A tug was rushed to the rescue, and both were rescued in an exhausted condition.

PORT STANLEY NEWS

Port Stanley, July 14.—Miss Laura McBride, of London, spent the weekend with her sister at Cluny Villa.

J. McClarnahan, of Seaford, and J. H. Wallace, of Seaford, are visiting with Mr. R. Wallace, of Elmfield Cottage.

Miss Gerrie, of Winnipeg, is visiting Mrs. D. P. Smith at her cottage Watons, Inververie Heights.

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