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Births, Marriages, Deaths.

MUSTILL—in this city, on Aug. 12, 1902, Caroline, the beloved wife of John Mustill, aged 60 years. Funeral from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. William Carroll, Riverview avenue, South London, on Thursday, Aug. 14, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, BTC.

Performance Every Night at 8:30. SPRING-BANK.

..TRAVELERS' PICNIC .. Next Saturday, Aug. 16, Port Stanley.

THE BIGGEST YET! Seventh Regiment Band, by kind permission of Lieut.-Col. J. W. Little and officers. Baseball match, football match, immense programme of sports (see small programme): Tug-of-war, balloon races, horseless carriage race, club race, water polo, driving geese. Brilliant illumination of Frager Heights, magnificent polo, driving geese. Brilliant illumina-tion of Fraser Heights, magnificent squatte fireworks, dancing, etc. COME EVERYBODY. E. R. C. STRUTHERS, Chairman of Committee; FRANK A. McCORMICK, Secretary of Committee. 58k-tzxy

\$2 65—LONDON TO DETROIT AND RETURN, every Saturday and Sunday, boat. Do not delay taking your trip. F. B. Clarke, next Advertiser. 2xv \$47 95—CABIN PASSAGE, LONDON, Ont., to Liverpool, via the American Line, Philadelphia service. State-rooms, the best on the ship, amidships; full deck privileges. Haverford, 11,000 tons, salis Saturday, Aug. 16. F. B. Clarke, next Advertiser.

MACCABEES' EXCURSION TO TO-RONTO, Saturday, Aug. 16, via Cana-dian Pacific Railway. Special train at 7:15 a.m. Fare, \$2 35; children, \$1 20; good for three days. Picnic and games at Island Park. Public invited. Tickets at C. P. R. ticket office and from com-mittee. San

PHONOGRAPH ENTERTAINMENTSwill provide evening's entertainment or schools, house concerts, parties, schools, house concerts, parties, Apply George Wilson, Hyde Park,

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SULPHUR SPRINGS BATHS-OPEN 7 Single bath, 25c; five tickets, \$1. zxvt

DANCING-SUMMER SEASON, PAL-ACE Academy. Private lessons any hour. Special orchestra for picnics. garden or lawn socials, etc. 7 moderate Dayton & McCermick. Terms

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED-A BOY, 14 OR 15 YEARS, to attend stable and chores. Box ZX, Advertiser. WANTED - IMMEDIATELY - MALE

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WANTED-MALE TEACHER, SECOND or third class for S. S. Nos. 1 and 1, Lendon and Dorchester, Apply, stating salary, with testimonials, to William Bell, Ealing, Ont. 571

MEN - OUR ILLUSTRATED CATA MEN — OUR ILLUSTRATED CATA-LOGUE explains how we teach the barber trade in eight weeks; mailed free. Learn how to prepare yourself for better wages and lighter work. Write today. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED — BOYS FROM 16 TO 18 years. McCormick Manufacturing Company.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

DINING-ROOM GIRL WANTED AT the Ontario House, immediately. 61c WANTED-GOOD SEWING WOMAN OR tailoress, at once. Joseph Fox, 209 King street.

WANTED-GIRLS TO LEARN CAP-MAKING. F. C. Fraser & Co., corner Dundas and Talbot. GENERAL SERVANT WANTED AT Apply at 319 Hyman street, after 7 p.m.

WANTED - MACHINE OPERATORS for cap factory. Apply at once, John Marshall & Co. 59c

GIRLS WANTED TO LEARN CHOCO-LATE dipping, cream dipping, also caramel wrapping; and a few in other departments. Apply McCormick Manudepartments. Apply facturing Company

BISCUIT PACKERS AND GIRLS FOR icing department wanted immediately good wages. D. S. Perrin & Co., Limited.

WANTED-FOR GENERAL DOMESTIC work. Apply to Mrs. James Magee, 164 Albert street. 59n

WANTED-EXPERIENCED GIRLS TO dip chocolates: good wages to riparties. Apply Olympia Restaurant

GIRLS WANTED FOR FACTORY.
Apply D. S. Perrin & Co., Limited.

#### AGENTS WANTED.

AGENTS WANTED TO SELL PORTRAITS, in colors, four sizes, of his Holiness Pope Leo XIII: equal to the best oil painting. Send 2c stamp for free sample; worth 25c. Apply Cooper, Drawer 531, London.

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LOST-ON TUESDAY, TWO G. T. R. tickets, London to Chicago. Finder tickets, London to Chicago. Finder please return to 216 Dundas street. Libplease return

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FOR SALE-PONY, CART AND HAR-NESS. Address 127 Horton street.

FREE-PACKAGE OF STAMPS TO everyone sending 2c stamp to Federal Stamp Company, Box 530, London, Ont. 59c FOR SALE—TWENTY-FIVE PAIRS of white and black Fantails. Pouters, and Homing pigeons, at 673 York street.

FULL LINE OF FISHING POLES, lines, hooks, reels, cartridges, etc. Lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 298 Richmond street.

\$13 00 WILL BUY A \$16 00 BEDROOM suite, with bevel plate mirror, this week at Keene Bros.' new store, 125 and 127 King street.

SNAP — GOOD PIANC, ROSEWOOD case, 71-3 octaves; in first-class condition, and guaranteed for 5 years, Only \$100, on easy terms of payment. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas street, corner Clarence.

SUMMEP WOOD-PER LOAD, \$1.35 Cash. Also coal and hard wood. Buchanan's, 633 Colborne. 'Phone 1,096. WOOD FOR SALE—WE CAN SUPPLY summer wood at \$1.25 a load. D. H. Gillies & Co., \$73 Bathurst street, leading east end wood yard. 'Phone 1,312. \$35-IMPERIAL BICYCLES, STRICTLY high grade. Easy terms. Large stock new tires, \$3 50 pair and upwards. J. H. Cunningham. 664 Dundas street.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

FOR FOR SALE-MEDICAL PRACTICE, small village; \$150 to \$250 per month. Good reasons for selling. Apply to J. F. Sangster, room 112, Masonic Tempie. CONFECTIONERY BUSINESS—GOOD stand; must be sold; satisfactory reasons. 140 Wortley road, London South.

SASH AND DOOR FACTORY AND planing mill for sale—Doing good business; no opposition; well equipped; bright prospects. Reason, ill-health. Particulars by applying to J. H. Marshall, North Bay, Ont.

DRESS CUTTING SCHOOL. CUTTING, FITTING AND DESIGNING ladies' costumes. Modern method. Experienced teachers. 223½ Dundas street, London, Ont.

HOUSES. ETC.. TO LET. TO RENT-NO. 71 BATHURST STREET (known as the Meredith Homestead); opposite the Cold Storage. This fine residence contains about 20 rooms, all residence will be

modern improvements. A lease will be given. Would make fine club house, boarding house, etc. Apply to D. H. Porter, auctioneer, Carling street. TO LET-TWO-STORY FRAME HOUSE.

303 Oxford street. THE SHOP NOW OCCUPIED BY MR McLeod, corner Dundas and Adelaide streets, will be to rent shortly; has been a grocery for over 30 years; one of the best stands in London. Apply Lilley's

TO LET-UNION FURNITURE VAN-Furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Catheart and Bruce, South London, late of London Furniture Company. Phone 316.

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WANTED-SMALL MODERN BRICK cottage, to buy for cash. Apply Box 51, this office. FOR SALE—HOUSE ON CHEAPSIDE: a bargain to quick purchaser. Casey & Morwood, 90 Dundas street.

FARM FOR SALE NEAR STRATHter. G. M. Haldane, Strathroy.

HOUSE FOR SALE OR TO LET-Three blocks from Victoria Park. Apply Francis Love, police court. 80tf

PRAYED IN A BANK

First Time Enos Randall Had Been Out of Debt for Forty Years.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 13.—Enos to. The scheme also provides that Randall, an aged Hamilton County some colonies shall allot part of their Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 13.-Enos farmer, went to Noblesville yesterday local military forces to Imperial deafternoon and paid off two notes which were held against him by the First selves with agreeing to keep their local National Bank of that city.

He said he had not been out of debt since he bought the farm on which he had reared his family, and on which he had lived for nearly 40 years. While the interest was being calculated he appeared very much excited, walking to and fro in the bank in a very rest-

less manner.
When the calculation was complete, and he had paid the money and received the notes duly canceled by the bank, Randall dropped upon his knees in front of the teller's window and poured out his soul in a prayer of thanksgiving to the Lord for deliver-His voice was plainly audible upon

the street and a large crowd was attracted by the incident. Among the perils to which a submarine cable is subject are ocean cur- treal with 120 saloon, 80 second and

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WANTED.

WANTED-INSTRUCTION IN PRO-NUNCIATION by native French and German teachers. Address Box 50 this office. WANTED BY OCT. 1-A HOUSE, GOOD location; all modern conveniences; stable if possible. Address Box 52, this office. 59c

BROKERS.

WANTED-CITY LOAN COMPANIES' stocks. John Wright, stock broker, London, Ont, 'Phone 693.

## IS A WEAK ONE

Joseph Chamberlain the Only Member With Very Much Influence.

London, Aug. 13.-The resignation of the Duke of Devonshire from the cabinet council has not yet been announced, but is expected with confidence by well-informed politicians before October. The King may have urged him to retain office at the special audience previous to the meeting of the council, but it has been understood in the inner circles of the government supporters for a fortnight that he was bent upon following Lord Salisbury and Sir Michael Hicks-Beach into retirement. If this resignation occurs Mr Balfour's cabinet will lose, with the exception of Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, almost the only member possessing great influence in the coun-

The more closely the new cabinet is studied the more artificial and temporary appears the series of political compromises effected. It may succeed in carrying the education bill in October by a reduced majority, but it required for retaining the confidence of the ountry. There is little in the suggestion that Mr. Balfour is riding for a fall. The new prime minister is not likely to attempt to break off his career before it has fairly begun. There is no ground whatever for suspicion that Mr. Chamberlain is disloyal to Mr. Balfour, and seeking to take his place when the reputation of the present unstable cabinet is exhausted. A shrewder forecast, which

is made by one of the most promising and best informed men in parliament, is that Mr. Chamberlain will be prime minister within three years by virtue of the principle of the survival of the fittest, and the education bill, with which he is not identified, may bring about this result at even an earlier

#### RESULTS OF CONFERENCE

Are Considered Satisfactory as has no longer a valid reason to retain Far as They Go.

Preferential Tariff Arrangement Depends on Future Agreement.

London, Aug. 13 .- The resolutions adopted at the conference of colonial premiers include a recommendation to the Parliaments of the Empire in favor of special preferential trade in whatever direction this is possible. The resolution recognizes, however, that anything like free trade between the different parts of the Empire is impossible at the present. An agreement was reached in favor of giving preference to British and colonial tenders as against foreign tenders in the allotment of public contracts.
While the results of the colonial conference, which ended yesterday, are generally considered satisfactory as far as they go, it must be understood that the enforcement depends ultimately upon action by the Colonial Legislatures, and by the Imperial ministers, whose departments they concern. addition to the Australasian naval arrangements, by which the Australasian contributions are to be largely increased, on condition that certain vessels be officered and manned entirely by Australasians, a general increase in colonial naval subsidies was agreed fense in case of emergency, but Canada and Australia contented themforces in a state of efficiency, relying on volunteers in case of Imperial need. as was done in South Africa. The contribution of Cape Colony to the Imperial navy was fixed at \$250,000 annually, and Natal's at \$175,000. entirely on future arrangements be

The preferential tariff arrangement is in a nebulous condition, depending the mother country and each individual colony, the understanding being that such arrangements would the general lines of the Canadian tariff. The foregoing arrange-ments do not represent the unanimous opinion of the conference, but each resolution was adopted by a majority vote.

LEAVE FOR HOME. Montreal, Que., Aug. 12.—Elder-Dempster-Beaver Line, Lake Simcoe, sailed from Liverpool today for Mon-

## BID FAREWELL TO OLD IRELAND According to Agreement Made

Departure of the Earl and Countess Cadogan.

THE CZAR WISHES TO ABDICATE

Disheartened With Internal Condi tion of the Country-British Influence in China.

Dublin, Aug. 13 .- Earl Cadogan, the retiring Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland, and Countess Cadogan formally said forewell to Ireland yesterday. The event took place in the throne room of Dublin Castle, and a number of loyal addresses were presented. The Earl of Dudley will assume the office without delay. APOCRYPHAL REPORT.

A report is current in the highest official circles in Moscow that the Czar has seriously expressed to his intimate counselors a desire to abdicate in favor of his brother, Grand Duke Tharevitch Michael Alexandrovitch. The Czarina's accouchement is expected next month, and if she does not present the Czar with an heir his decision to abdicate will probably become irrevocable. His majesty is said to have become utterly disheartened at

ation, and with the opposing retrogressive entourage by which he is sur-AMERICAN GIRL'S SWINDLE. An American art student named Margaret Wells has been sent to jail in Paris for impersonating another woman and cheating. She is about 20 years old and pretty. The commissary of police in the Latin quarter, accompanied by a woman, went to the Odeon theater the other evening and asked to be admitted to his regular box. The chief usher took him aside, saying "I warn you that you will have an

the internal condition of the country.

He has neither will power nor physi-

cal strength to contend with the situ-

unpleasant scene, because your wife already occupies the box with three The commissary protested vehement "This is my wife!" he exclaimed. Miss Wells was called into the lobby to explain. She laughingly confessed that she had noticed that the commissary had never occupied the box and so had presented herself frequent-ly, saying: "I am the wife of the commissary; show me our box." In She had personified the commissary's wife so often that when the real wife went to the theater the official thought the commissary was masquerading with a woman acquaintance.

BRITISH HOLD RAILWAY.

Arrangements have been nearly completed, says a Pekin correspondent, for the formal rendition of Tien Tsin city to the viceroy of Pe Chi Li, Yuan Shi Kal, and the provincial officials on Fri-

The Chinese railway from Pekin to Tien Tsin, however, remains in possession of the British military administration, though the chief work of the railway is done by a civil staff. The viceroy, in proceeding to Tien Tsin to resume the administration of the chief city of his province, will be compelled to travel on a railway under foreign military charge.

The correspondent says that public ppinion considers that Great Britain the railway, but the delay is due to the action of France in refusing to sign a certain stipulation of the railway agreement already signed by Sir Ernest M. Satow, the British minister, and the Chinese. France undoubtedly desires the return of the railway to its Chinese owners, but considers that the stipulation in question infringes on certain Belgian rights. An easy solution seems to be the return of the railway to the Chinese, and a settle-France would assent to this, with the reservation that when the pro- othy Evelyn and Edith Florence. posed extension of the railway built the Franco-Belgian syndicate

shall be permitted to compete. SHOT WHILE PRAYING.

at Manila to clear up the facts about had remained with the mother. party was ambushed twelve miles and killed at the first volley; a third, the chest while he was praying for with Mrs. Deacon. mercy. It is suspected that the fourth man was buried alive, for his wound was slight and practically would not have caused death. It is believed that sufficient evidence has been secured to convict all the participants in the

JILTED GIRL IN A TRANCE. Elsie Ramsey, 19 years old, who went to Paris from Pittsburg, with her father, became betrothed to a French naval officer three months ago. Last Sunday, after a stormy scene, the lovers parted. Miss Ramsey begged the officer not to abandon her, but he remained obdurate. When saw him go away she fell backward and swooned, as was then supposed, but she has remained in a cataleptic state ever since, all efforts to awaken her having failed.

A Sanguinary Charlyari.

Knoxville, Tenn., Aug. 13.—Alfred Deacc and Thomas Farmwell, Jacob and 6, 1901. Michael Trige and George Baker are badly wounded, and Baker is dying at Wartburg, Morgan County, as the result of a tin-pan and rotten egg charivari which was perpetrated on Himell Powlett, when he married Estelle Bishop. Powlett married against the will of both his parents and friends. The ceremony was secret, but when it be-came known he was treated to a charivari, which brought him to the

## CHUMS WILL MARRY TWINS AFTER ACTRESS'

Twenty Years Ago.

sisters at a double wedding Aug. 29.

The Double Wedding Booked for Aug. 29-Will Occupy Same House.

Louisville, Aug. 13.-Irvine E. Rummage and Joseph Bronnert, chums from childhood, are to marry twin

in the same house. Twenty years ago Rummage and Bronnert were companions in everything. They went through school to-gether. When they grew to manhood the subject of matrimony was dis-The two declared that they cussed. would never be married unless it should be to girls who were chums, as they were, or sisters. Otherwise, no woman was to break the long and cordial relations that had existed between them.

Rummage went to the army when war was declared with Spain. Bronnert remained in Louisville, and followed his trade of photographer. Before parting the compact was renewed. One day as his regiment was passing through St. Louis, Rummage met Miss Amy Spillman, with whom he Rummage wrote to Bronnert that he had a girl whom he desired to marry. He also wrote that Miss Spillman had a twin sister, Belle, and inclosed a letter, introducing Bronnert to Miss Belle. From a western fort Rummage corresponded with Amy, and from Louisville Bronnert wrote to Belle. Finally Rummage was transferred to Jeffeson barracks. Bonnert went over to see him. They called on the twins and proposed and were accepted.

## THE PRINCE LOVES AMERICAN GIRL

Kaiser's Son Ready to Relinquish Rights as Heir

SO AS TO MARRY MISS DEACON

Tragedy Connected. With the Family History-Girl's Father Killed a Wealthy Clubman.

Paris, Aug. 13.-It was the Matin, nounce his rank and give up his claim to the throne in order to marry for love. The Matin says now that Miss and found it empty. She then went wells; Thomas East, 62, Ann Arbor; Mary Gladys Deacon, daughter of the late Edward Parker Deacon, is the object of the young prince's affection, and that Miss Deacon told Prince Frederick

William she would never consent to a morganatic alliance. THE DEACON FAMILY. Miss Marie Gladys Deacon, who is credited with having won the affections of the young prince, is the eldest daughter of the late Edward Parker Deacon, who, on Feb. 17, 1892, at Cannes, France, shot and killed Emile Abeille, a wealthy French clubman, whom he suspected of being his wife's lover. Deacon was imprisoned at the time, tried at Nice, convicted and sentenced to one year's imprisonment. In September of the same year he was pardoned by President Carnot and re-

leased. Mrs. Deacon is a daughter of the late Admiral Charles H. Baldwin, U. S. N., and was a New York belle at the time of her marriage to Deacon in 1879. Shortly after their marriage the Deacons moved to Paris, where they continued to live until the time of the scandal that broke up their family life. They moved in the best society and Mrs. Deacon was a favorite

everywhere. Deacon himself was retiring by nature, and of a somewhat eccentric mind, but their marriage seemed to ment of the disputed point later on. to them, all daughters, and were named Marie Gladys, Ida Audrey, Dor-

A DIVORCE.

As soon as Deacon had been released from prison he went to Paris to bring suit for divorce and for the An investigation by the constabulary custody of his children, who till then the killing of Cebu coaching party of also brought a similar suit in New four school teachers shows that the York. Mrs. Deacon tried hard to head him off by a counter suit, but failed. from Cebu. Two teachers were shot He secured a divorce and the custody and killed at the first volley; a third, of all the children, but a settlement who ran, was shot in the back, and a was shortly afterward effected by fourth, who was captured, was shot in which the two eldest girls were left

In 1896 Deacon returned to the Unit ed States with Dorothy and Edith. Mrs. Deacon stayed in Paris, and for some time there was much talk of a marriage between her and the Count Louis de Turenne-a union that seemed very desirable to that nobleman, because Mrs. Deacon was credited with having a personal income of more than \$10,-000 per year.

SENT TO AN ASYLUM. Deacon developed symptoms of mental disease shortly after his return to

America, and had finally to be confined in an asylum at Somerville, Mass. Previous to that, Mrs. Deacon and the other daughters had also returned to the United States. It was said at the time that they had done so at the request of Deacon, and soon the world was told of a complete reconciliation between husband and wife. Mrs. Deacon went to live with her brother, Charles Baldwin, at San Francisco.

Deacon died in the asylum on July By his will his estate, valued at \$120,000, was equally divided between his daughters.

STEAMERS ARRIVED. Aug. 12. Numidian..... Sarmatian .... Austrian Glasgow Genoa
Trojan Prince New York Genoa
Nord America New York Glasgow
New York Glasgow
Vork Vork Laurentian New York
Cevic Liverpool I
Asteria Moville

## FAVORITE STEEDS

The Thieves Had Miss Bates' Horses Ready for Flight.

BLANCHE SPREADS THE ALARM

One of the Robbers Shot and Carried Away by His Companions-Her After the wedding tour they will live Overseer Injured.

> Mount Vernon, N. Y., Aug. 13 .-Blanche Bates, the actress, who, with her mother, is living in the Carpenter manor house at Quaker Ridge, which overlooks Mamaroneck on the Sound, had an experience this morning with a band of robbers, who attempted to rob the house and steal her trained horses, Pot Cheese and Molasses, which she rode last year at the Academy of Music in her appearance as Cigarette in "Under Two Flags." Miss Bates declares that this is no press-agent yarn.

> As a result of the encounter at the Bates cottage, one robber was shot and then carried away by his comrades, leaving a pool of real blood as a guarantee of the story. Sidney Yardley, a young man who is overseer for Miss Bates and who bravely foiled the rob-bers and saved her pets, is lying in an upstairs room of the cottage and Miss Bates is at his bedside trying to nurse him back to life.

> Yardley received a terrible blow on the back of the head with a blackjack or sandbag, and Dr. J. M. Hall, of Mamaroneck, who is attending him, fears that he may have concussion of

Yardley is the son of an Episcopal clergyman of Denver, Col. He spent years on the plains as a cowboy and for the last two years has been in the employ of the actress to look after her horses. He is only 23 years old. Miss Bates was not at home today when the reporters called. Her mother said that she had been up all night nursing Yardley and was nervous over the encounter that she had gone with a friend for a drive. The robbers, according to Mrs. Bates, were seen by a cook prowling about the house early in the evening, but the woman paid no attention to them, as she thought that they were servants on some of the neighboring estates. The men, Mrs. Bates thinks, intended to rob the house, but did not attempt it owing to the presence of her nephews, who were visiting her.

It was after midnight when Yardley, who slept in an upstairs room, heard talking out near the stable. Hastily dressing himself and taking a revolver,

he went out.

A minute later Miss Bates, her mother and the other occupants of the that way, she admitted, she had cheap-ly made return for all the theatrical that the German Crown Prince had of pistol shots and the cursing and entertainments, dinners, socials and had a violent interview with his father shouts of the robbers. They also heard in which he expressed a desire to rein which he expressed a desire to re- a vehicle of some kind dash out of the yard and go tearing down the hill to-

> vants and shouting: "Out, out upon Pried, Delray; Ernest Dubke, them! Sidney's murdered!" The servants ran out into the yard Die, brickmakers; A. B. Miller, Deand found Yardley lying under a tree. troit; A. B. Bowled, Detroit; Charles Miss Bates knelt beside him and asked, "Sidney, what's the matter. Have

they shot you?" Yardley made no reply, but put his hand to the back of his head and fainted away. He has since been conscious most of the time. Nicholas Burtis, a farmer, and his hired man, who live across the street from the cottage, drove to Mamaroneck for a doctor and notified the police. Yardley did not recover consciousthen he was able to talk only a short time. He said that he had heard voices and had gone to investigate. When he found that the men were

them saw him and shouted "Who's winter her rough wooden shoes are there" sufficient. She works in the hay field Before Yardley could reply the man on her 21-acre farm, two miles north fired and Yardley fired at the same east of Lake Forest, time. Yardley is confident that he hit The first attempt to buy Mrs. the robber, as he saw him stagger Sheeler's place was made several against the barn and, throwing up his months ago. Several men who wanted

me. Nick." As Yardley fired a second time he for ten acres. Mrs. Sheeler refused the was struck in the back of the head offer, giving as an excuse that she did with a blackjack. It is believed that after getting Yardley out of the way the robbers the whole farm, and the widow was as picked up their companion and placed indifferent to this proposal as she was him in their carriage. The place where to the others. Last week a man went the man fell is covered with blood. The robbers had saddled both of

#### Miss Bates' pet horses. A NUMBER OF DROWNINGS

Thousands Saw Boys Perish at Atlantic City.

Lad Lost His Life at Deseronto-Costly Train Wreck.

Deseronto, Ont., Aug. 13.-Frank

Luffman, about eight years of age,

son of Charles Luffman, was drowned

while fishing at the docks. THREE DROWNED. Petoskey, Mich., Aug. 12.-Dr. J. A. White, a young Saginaw dentist, on vacation at Harbor Springs, drowned in Little Traverse Bay. He was in a sailing yacht with three other men, when a squall came up that tore the mast loose and drove it through the bottom of the craft. All four took to the water to swim ashore. Three of them were picked up by another

yacht, but Dr. White sank Harbor Beach, Mich., Aug. 12.-Rufus Merchant, aged 18 years, has been drowned here by the capsizing of a sailboat. Lansing, Mich., Aug. 12.-An unknown man, about 32 years old, jumped from the Michigan avenue bridge into the

Grand River last night, remarking as

he did so that his mother didn't want

him to drink any more, and he wasn't

going to. The body was recovered. The man was dressed like a laborer.

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aged 12, brothers, of Philadelphia, were drowned in the surf today while bath-Thousands of summer visitors lined the beach and watched four life guards making a heroic but unsuccessful attempt at rescue.

KILLED BY TRAIN. Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 12.--While hundreds of persons were sitting at the Brown street station of the New York Central Railroad last night, Wm. H. Horstwell, aged 40 years, a wood-worker, was struck by a fast passenger train and instantly killed, and his body tossed almost at their feet, yet they knew nothing of it until a woman on her way to the station stumbled over the body and gave the alarm. Warsaw, Ind., Aug. 12.-A broken axle caused an expensive wreck on the Winona and Warsaw, badly smashing two locometives and 20 freight cars loaded with farming ma-

chinery and merchandise, entailing a loss of about \$75,000. THIRTEEN INJURED. Detroit, Aug. 13 .- Near the intersection of a road leading from Michigan avenue to the brickyards of Proctor Bros., three-quarters of a mile west of the city limits, in Springwells, car No. 28, of the Detroit, Ypsilanti, Ann Arbor and Jackson interurban line, jumped the track about 7:30 o'clock last evening. Thirteen persons are known to have been injured, and the escape of the motorman, at least, is considered miraculous. Those injured are: Albert Churchill, seriously; Motorman Peter Brown Conductor Alfred J. Smith. Augustus Neubauer, all of Detroit; ward Mamaroneck.

Miss Bates ran to Yardley's room Charles J. Blunkey, constable, Springfrom room to room arousing the ser- Mrs. Thomas East, Ann Arbor; Mary troit; Fred Wolfe, of firm of Wolf &

WOMAN SCORNS WONEY

Refuses a Marvelously High Price for Her Little Farm.

Chicago, Aug. 13.-A washerwoman ness until late in the afternoon and who wears wooden shoes, when she wears any at all, has refused to convert her modest belongings in \$40,000 cash. The woman is Mrs. Margaret Sheeler, one of the pioneer settlers in robbers he stood behind a tree and the southern part of Lake County. In was taking aim to shoot when one of summer she goes barefooted, and in

hands, shout to a companion, "Help to build summer residences on it offered her a thousand dollars an acre not want to cut up her property. The same rate was then offered for to her with an offer of \$40,000 for the place. He found her swinging a scythe in a hay field. She was barefooted and bareheaded and stopped work reluctantly to allow him to talk to her. "I do not want to sell my place,"

he said, when the visitor introduced "But I am offering you \$40,000 for it. That is much more than it is worth."
"It is worth so much to me that I shall keep it." Mrs. Sheeler replied. "You might as well move along."

... Big Huckleberry Crop.

Traverse City, Mich., Aug. 13.-This year's huckleberry crop in Michigan is one of the largest known. From Stratford alone 6,000 crates have been shipped out this year. There are now about 50 Indians engaged there in picking and 150 white people. Indusabout 50 Indians trious pickers can average big wages

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prices, but how great values we

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## MISSOURI RIVER TO BE ABANDONED

Government Will Not Try to Make Channel Navigable.

#### RAILWAYS GETTING THE TRADE

Engineer in Charge Says Congress Has Decided to Let the Water Roam at Will.

Sioux City, Ia., Aug. 13.-Beaten in its effort to control the treacherous stream, the United States is about to abandon the Missouri River to its fate and give it up as a means of transpor- great trees, lodging them in all parts tation. Railroads have grabbed the freight, and steamboat business has dwindled until it is evident Congress thinks the expense of dridging, shifting sandbars, pulling snags, and trying to hold the restless river in a fixed channel is not justified by the volume M business, and will surrender.

Capt. H. M. Chittenden, chief of United States engineers for the Missouri River, who replaced the Missouri River commission, believes the career of the Missouri as a means of transportation is at an end. The abandonment of the Missouri is foreshadowed in his annual report. He says:
"The discontinuance of the Missouri River commission and the greatly reduced appropriations, as compared with former years, for both upper and lower rivers, indicate an intention on the part of Congress to abandon the

MILLIONS SPENT. The millions spent in an effort to an act of evulsion, cut across the neck, make the Missouri a permanent canal and put the whole tract in Nebraska, for commerce have been washed away like the fertile acres along the treacherous stream. It is of no use and the Government evidently wants to give

river altogether in the near future."

That the Missouri River cannot be

PROPHET REBUKED. The maintenance of the Missouri as a navigable stream above Sioux City served to increase the volume of traffic. The report of Capt. Chittenden for the last year shows that traffic aggregated 68,388,000 pounds of freight, 11,249 head of cattle and 756 passengers. In 1878, when the Missouri was the sole means of transportation for Montana shippers, the report for the upper river, above the Yellowstone, showed a traffic of only 8,966,000 pounds of freight and 2.000 passengers.

In 1878 Edward Maguire, lieutenant of United States engineers at St. Paul, said in his annual report:
"The Missouri River will always be an important line for traffic, no matter

how many railroads will be built into

chants of Montana sent their freight by the Union Pacific Railroad, that railroad having reduced the rates durirg high water to compete with the river. But time proved the superiority of the river, and the shippers returned

RAILROADS GET THERE. Maguire thought railroads could not give competitive rates. But they have, and the freight goes by rail. The eleven steamboats now plying on the Upper Missouri are engaged solely in hauling freight to the nearest railroads. There are stretches of 50 and 75 miles between railroads on the upper river, and to carry the freight to these roads the boats are maintained. The territory and railroads have developed wonderfully, so the traffic for these stretches of isolated country alone exceeds the entire upper river business of a quarter of a century ago.

SCORES OF BOATS WRECKED. The Missouri River runs through a deep, alluvial soil, carried down from the mountains, and its gnawing current constantly eats from the banks of the stream. When steamboating on the Missouri began in 1819, the river was filled with these trees, and the first expedition up the river by the Longs-Yellowstone Government fleet resulted in the wreck of the Jefferson. From that year to 1870, 193 boats went to the bottom of the Missouri, 151 of them because of snags; but since 1890 there have been only eight wrecks, four by snags. This is directly due to the Government's work in keeping the channel clear, and indicates the impossibility of Missouri River commerce without snagging.

RIVER'S FREAKS. The Missouri has eaten up millions of acres along its banks. It is not at all uncommon for entire farms to be carried away in a single day. Ten years ago A. L. Beardslee, of Sioux City, bought seven acres of land along the Missouri River, ten miles south of Sioux City. The river began backing away, forming a great bend, till Beardslee found there had been given to him by the law of acceleration 1,700 acres. Then, one night, the river committed but allowed Beardslee to retain posses-

Down at Kansas City the Missouri took a hand in a Government fight with a squatter, named Mensing, whipped the Government and gave the So,000 a year was made in 1890, Since that time \$376,14 has been spent to keep the upper channel clear.

Mensing settled on an old island the Government wanted, and resisted the longer than originally intended—owing to my illness, but perhaps you have enjoyed it, and derived pleasure from all but the three agrees where Mensing settled on an old island the longer than originally intended—owing to my illness, but perhaps you have enjoyed it, and derived pleasure from was intrenched. The Government then no longer wanted the property, so the river began putting the land back, till the three acres grew to be 130, and Mensing found himself worth \$250,000. VOLUME OF WATER DWINDLES.

The mighty stream has dwindled. At Bismarck, where four piers of a bridge once stood out of water, but one is in the channel now, and last winter the water went below the intake pipe and the city suffered a water famine.River men suggested that the river is losing its volume either because of some subterranean waste or because the thousands of artesian wells in South Dakota are draining it.

Lifebuoy Soap-disinfectant-is strongly recommended by the medical profession as The Prince of Wales handed each man a coronation medal, shaking hands In that same report Maguire indi- a safeguard against infectious diseases. 22 with Col. Turner. The King spoke a

## TO THE COLONIALS

Services to Mother Country Can Never Be Forgotten.

PREMIERS GET GOLD MEDALS

Canadian Contingent Though Small Showed Up Well Individually-The Arch Dismantled.

London, Aug. 12 .- After the review of the colonial troops yesterday, the King personally fastened the Victoria Cross on the breast of Sergt. Lawrence, the first man in line, after which he retired to the shade of an awning and left the distribution of medals to the Prince of Wales.

The members of the royal family were much amused at the unconventionality of the colonials, who, after they had received their medals, seated themselves comfortable on the grass and smoked as they watched the decoration of their comrades. When all had received their medals, the troops advanced and presented arms, while the massed bands played the National Anthem. The King stepped forward and delivered an animated address, which was greeted with cheers and waving of hats by the troops.

THE KING'S ADDRESS. The King said: "It has afforded me, great pleasure to see you here today, and to have the opportunity of expressing my high appreciaof your patriotism, and the way you distinguished yourselves in South Africa. The services you have rendered the mother country will never be forgotten by me, and they will, I am sure, cement more firmly than ever the union of our distant colonies with the other parts of my great emwish you a safe and pleasant return to your own countries."

THE CANADIANS. Col. Turner and the Canadian contingent, though few compared with the Australians, showed up well individually at the review, but the variety of their uniforms rather de-stroyed the general effect. Repeatedly the question was asked:
"Where are the Canadians?" even when they were passing. The troops first marched single file past the King, who was seated under a canopy, with the Queen, and the children of the Prince of Wales. The King returned each man's salute smilingly. The little princes were delighted.

few words of warmest welcome, and there was tremendous cheering. Canadian lungs were splendidly in evidence. The troops then marched past in fours, the King, Lord Kitchener and Lord Roberts in front of the canopy.

Queen Alexandra afterwards left the canopy and moved among the guests, shaking hands with Sir Wilfrid Laurier. Lady Laurier Sir F. W. Borden, snaking hands with Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Lady Laurier, Sir F. W. Borden, Lady Borden and other Canadians. The King looked somewhat fatigued, and limped slightly. Everyone will be glad to learn that he will get away for a believe that the Wilfilands after. a holiday in the Highlands after the honor review.

PREMIERS GET MEDALS. His Majesty the King invited the colonial premiers to Buckingham Palace yesterday at 4 o'clock, where, from his own hands, they received the gold medal struck to commemorate-the cor-

CANADA'S ARCH. The Canadian arch is being dismantled today, and crowds were on hand eagerly picking up bits of grain as mementoes. Pictures of the arch are being sold on the streets. It is the greatest advertisement that Canada has

LORD STRATHCONA. London, Aug. 12.-Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal is as indomitably active as ever despite the coronation ceremonies, which left some of the Canadian ministers quite exhausted. His lordship departs for Scotland tonight. He travels all night, for he is to lay the foundation stone tomorrow of the Talloch Park United Free Church near where he himself was

TESTED BY TIME.—In his justly-celebrated Pills, Dr. Parmelee has given to the world one of the most unique medicines offered to the public in late years. Prepared to meet the want for a pill which could be taken without nausea, and that would purge without pain, it has met all requirements in that direction, and it is in general use not only because of these two qualities, but because it is known to possess alterative and curative powers which place it in the front rank of medicines.

Earthquake in Alaska.

Seattle, Wash, Aug. 13 .- Skagway Alaska was shaken by an earthquake on Monday, which lasted 50 seconds. Plate glass windows were broken chimneys tumbled down and the water in the canal rose five feet, subsiding as suddenly as it rose.



THE WEATHER TODAY-Mostly fair and warm.

These are special money-saving times here. We are now doing what we do at the end of every season-clearing out everthing belonging to summer to give us plenty of room for incoming fall goods. We are a little earlier this season, which makes the bargains all the more attractive.

## All Kinds of Wash Goods And Summer Goods Must Go At Once.

And by giving special prices on special values we expect extraordinary selling for the next few days, commencing Thursday morning at the hour of 9. Come prepared for a feast of bargains, of which the following are a few:

Our regular 10c yard, Fine Printed Muslins, in white grounds, cream grounds, and colored grounds; great variety of the latest designs; new goods this season, direct from the manufacturer. Your choice of the 

Our regular 25c and 30c Mercerized Foulards, in many different colors, and patterns, including blues and 

Make a special effort to be one of the first counter full of buyers.

## Bargains In Ladies' Woven Underwear

Here are bargains that more people will come after than we have goods for. Still we announce them to show a sample of what we are doing all the time at this satisfactory store. Come early. 

## New Autumn Dresses Now Showing

Beautiful Autumn Dress Goods, second shipment is now in. In the lot is a quantity of Zibiline, the season's latest creation, having a beautiful soft finish. Inspection invited. Now on sale. At 85c yard—See this handsome material (Zibiline) for your autumn costume. In exquisite shades of blues, 

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#### DROWNED WHILE BATHING

Montreal Man Meets His Death at Shawinigan Falls.

Montreal, Aug. 11.-Hubert W. Eaton, 22 years of age, was drowned yester-day afternoon while bathing from a boom at Point Bernard, Shawinigan Falls. The young man was a Mon-realer, who had been for some time in the employ of the Great Northern Rail-way at Shawinigan Junction.

JUMPED OVERBOARD. Syracuse, N. Y., Aug. 12. - Harry Pierce, 30 years of age, merchant, living at Skaneateles, was drowned in Skaneateles Lake today.

There was trouble with the boiler of

his steam launch as he ran the boat to the dock. To escape being scalded he jumped overboard in a channel between two breakwaters 20 feet wide and was frowned. He leaves a widow.

#### LION SWUNG THE HAMMOCK

Animal Keeper Hill Swung His Whip When He Got Up.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 13.—Animal Keeper Hill, of the Wright Carnival Company, which had an engagement at Rochester, had an exciting experience with a lion while on his way to this

Hill stays in the animal car while on the road, and at night sleeps in a hammock, which is suspended from the roof of the car. Monday night he went to sleep as usual, but as the night was very warm, he left the door of the car About midnight he was awakened by

something tugging at the hammock, and felt himself being swung violently rom side to side. His first impression was that the movement was occasioned by the swinging motion of the car, but upon looking around he saw that one of the lions had got out of its cage and was tugging at the hammock n which he lay.

For a moment he was completely at

a loss what to do, but the continued growling of the beast brought him quickly to a realization of his peril, and he jumped out and stood between the lion and the open car door. He had only time to grab a small whip, when the lion made a lunge at him, but at the first stroke from the keen whip, it slunk away and re-entered its cage, the door of which had been jarred from its hinges by the mo-tion of the car.

THE TORTURE OF NEW SHOES

A Northwest Lady Tells How "Foot Elm" Save Her Relief and Comfort.

It is difficult to get a pair of new shoes that fit the feet perfectly at the outside. Most times they pinch and squeeze the foot and cause great discomfort until they are "broken in."
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prevents the "drawing" of new leather and prolongs the life of the shoe.

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### THE KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

Meet in Annual Convention at San Francisco.

Report of Supreme Chancellor-Brotherhood Over 1,000,000 Strong.

San Francisco, Aug 12. — This was a busy day for the Knights of Pythias, who are now the guests of San Francisco. First, the Imperial Palace of the Dramatic Order of Knights of Khorassan convened in Pythian Castle, Imperial Prince Frank H. Clark, of Detroit, Mich., presiding. The Supreme Lodge of the Knights of Pythias opened its first session in the Palace Hotel. He said that the success of Dr. Herzl's mission was practically assured, and that the difficulties in the negotiations with the sultan recently reported concerned diplomatic features of the desired concession to the Hebrews, and were not because of financial cuestions. who are now the guests of San Fran-During the week the supreme officers cial questions. elected and installed. Interest centers in the election of the supreme prelate, It is expected there will be a lively contest. The other supreme officers will probably be advanced one rank. The Supreme Temple of the Pythian Sisterhood met today, as did the Supreme Temple of Rathbone Sisters. During the afternoon and evening, there will be band concerts and informal receptions at the various headquarters. The event of the night will be a spectacular repetition of the battle of Gettysburg, and competitive drills by the naval reserves of California. An evening reception will be

held by the Rathbone Sisters.

Supreme Chancellor Fethers, in his annual report, said that Dec. 31, 1901, the order had 540,138 affiliated members. To this should be added at least 500,000, who had been suspended for non-payment of dues, or who have taken withdrawal cards, making a total of more than a million. 1901 the figures were: Initiated, 55,-202; reinstated, 7,733; admited by card, 7.677; total, 70,616. During the same year 4,915 died, 268 were expelled, 8,-378 withdrew by card, and 32,857 were

suspended. The net gain for the year was 23,194. The report of R. V. L. White, supreme keeper of records and seal, showed that the total number of subordinate lodges on Dec. 31, 1901, was 7,002, the net gain during the year being 142 lodges. The net gain in 1900 and 1901 combined was 262 lodges and 47,632 members.

The report of the board of contro endowment rank showed that during the last two fiscal years 19,347 applica-tions were considered and 1,579 death tions were considered and 1,579 death claims, amounting to \$3,089,977, were paid. Since the organization of the rank 9,001 death claims, aggregating \$17,636,452 have been paid. The receipts were: 1901, \$1,581,173; 1902, \$1,975.077. The disbursements were: 1901, \$1,554,387; 1902, \$2,010,388. The resources on March 31, 1902, were \$223,401, exclusive of a monthly payment due exclusive of a monthly payment due April 1 of \$150,793. The liabilities were \$256,254. There were unpaid March 31, 1902, 114 claims, aggregating \$250,000.

Oliver Wendell Holmes' Son Promoted. Oyster Bay, Aug. 13.—President Roosevelt has appointed Hon. Oliver Wendell Holmes chief justice of the Supreme Court of Massachusetts, to be an associate justice of the United States Supreme Court, vice Justice Gray, resigned. The resignation of Justice Gray was due to ill health. Judge Holmes is one of the most distinguished lawyers and jurists of Massachusette. His career on the bench, particularly as chief justice of the Massachusetts Sypreme Court, has attracted wide attention. Like Justice Gray, he is a native of Massa-chusetts. He is a son and namesake

THE ZIONIST MISSION

Hebrews Satisfied That Dr. Herzl's Movement Will Succeed.

New York, Aug. 13 .- Zionists of this city have just observed the anniversary of the destruction of Jerusalem. Addresses were made on the Zionist movement, the principal one by J. De Haas, an English Hebrew, secretary of the Federation of American Zionists and a member of the supreme council

of the order. He said that the success of Dr.

A TIME FOR EVERYTHING.—The time for Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is when croupy symptoms appear in children; when rheumatic pains beset the old; when lumbago, asthma, coughs, colds, catarrh or earache attack either young or oid: when burns, scalds, abrasions, contusions or sprains came to any member of the family. In any of these ailments it will give relief and work a cure.

Frost in August!

Sparta, Mich., Aug. 12 .- The first frost of the season occurred last night, and it was heavy enough to damage crops. Old settlers cannot remember when there was an August frost be-

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DOUBLE-FACED SATIN RIBBONS, in brown, fawn and green. Some lots have been sold at 15c, 20c, 25c and 35c, but from henceforth they'll be 3c, 4c and 5c yard, SPECIAL LINE IN FANCY RIBBONS, regular 25c, for 15c and 20c.

This cannot be emphasized too strongly.

MOIRE NECK RIBBONS, in pale blue, white, old rose and rose pink, wide widths; worth regular prices at any time; from now on, 18c. TAFFETA RIBBONS, wide widths, all shades, 15c yard. Black Moire Ribbons, at 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 32c and 39c

for 10c yard. Baby Ribbons, in all colors, for 1c, 2c, 3c and 4c yard. White Valenciennes Lace, at 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 45c and 55c per dozen

Double-faced Black Satin Ribbons, special value, 21/2 inches wide,

White Valenciennes Insertion, 3c, 4c, 5c, 7c and 10c yard. White Lace Applique (special), only 5c, 6c, 7c, 10c, 15c, 18c, 19c yard. Heavy Linen Colored Insertion, for trimming, for 12½c, 15c, 18c, 22c,

25c yard. Black Lace Applique Trimming (special), at 5c, 7c, 8c, 10c, 121/2c, 15c yard.

#### Travelers' Samples --- Men's Fine Black Hose. A splendid lot, but small in number; hence these fractional prices to clear 'em out; worth 20c, for 121/2c; 25c, for 15c; 35c, for 19c a pair.

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#### A Millinery Special.

Natty Felt Hats, in new, fetching styles, camel's hair manufacture. The price is simply irresistible, 75c.

#### Corset Covers.

Not an unworthy one in the entire lot, although the askings are extraordinary in their lowness. This is an opportunity for genuine economy, and should not be overlooked. We emphasize the prices because they're exceptionally reduced.

Corset Covers, embroidered and tucked and insertion; sizes 32, 36 and

Corset Covers, heavy embroidery and insertion; sizes 38 and worth 40c, for 29c. Corset Covers, deep embroidered; sizes 38 to 40; worth 35c, for 20c.

#### Sateen Shirts.

MUCH LUMBER BURNED

No Rain Since April.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 12.-Immense

bush fires are raging at many points

Near Chemainus, a logging camp of

the Victoria Lumber Company, a camp

and other property were destroyed, and

all day the entire community were

fighting to save the schoolhouse and

The Flenor Railway, running from

Mount Sicker to Crofton, was also

Near Victoria thousands of cords of

All over the country the settlers are

crops. Luckily most of the grain is

harvested. The fires must continue to

which there are no signs. Having been

without rain since April the country

is as dry as tinder, and it takes very

GOT BEAU BY SKY ROUTE

Maryland Miss Won a Husband by

Sending Up a Balloon.

mance in Dorchester County in which

On July 4 Miss Zercross sent up a

fish-shaped toy balloon, with a photo-

tograph and a letter attached. She watched it as it soared skyward, and

when it was lost from view, she thought no more of it. After a few

days she received the letter from Ralph Messick, dated Ocean City, Md., many

Mr. Messick had found the balloon

along the bay, with the note and pho-tograph attached. He asked permission

to write. Soon afterward he forward-

ed his own picture. Miss Zercross was

impressed. A little later he arrived in the city, and Miss Zercross met him

handsome home, and after a few hours'

courtship they were married. They are

enjoying their honeymoon at the Cat-

skills. Mr. Messick is a grain dealer,

Miss Zercross is 20 years old, while

Veteran Actress Dead.

Young, the oldest actress in America,

died at the Actors' Home, on the Clove

yesterday morning, at the age of 90

years. Three weeks ago Mrs. Young.

in getting out of her bed, tripped over

a stool in her room and broke her

right hip. Owing to her age, the bone

would not knit, and her condition grew

Ottawa Branch of Royal Mint.

of the royal mint will be in process of

building this fall. It will be of gray limestone and the strongroom of solid

concrete. The chief architect has em-

braced the best features of similar

edifices in Europe, and thinks he has a

design for security and endurance itself, which can bid defiance alike to

the wiles of crime and the enslaughts

of the elements. The building will be

177 by 165 feet, and devoted alone to

this branch of the public service.

Ottawa, Aug. 12 .- The Ottawa branch

worse daily until death.

road, West Brighton, Staten Island,

New York, Aug. 12.-Mrs. Eliza

Mr. Messick is 26.

Cambridge, Md., Aug. 13.-A

little to start a big blaze.

wood have been burned and fences and fighting the fire to keep it out of their

threatened.

barns destroyed.

of the Chinese residents of the village

on the island, destroying thousands of

40c Black Sateen Shirts, for 25c. Boys' Black Sateen Shirts, worth 45c, for 85c.

## HELD UP BY MASKED MEN

#### Mexican Stage Robbers Secured \$4,000 | Big Bush Fires on Vancouver Island--The Driver Shot Dead.

Tucson, Ariz., Aug. 12.-El Correo De Sonora brings an account of a daring holdup near Mazatlan, Mexico, by feet of lumber, and threatening houses three masked men, supposed to have and railways. been outlaws. The robbers secured \$4,-000 and made good their escape with

Mariano Cordillo, the driver, attempted to whip up the horses and was shot dead. The stage was full but the passengers were unmolested. A shipment of \$4,000 to a bank at Mazatlan was the booty the robbers were after and when they secured this they allowed the stage to proceed. A posse was sent after the robbers, but up to last reports the search was fruit-

POSTOFFICE ROBBED. Highland Falls, N. Y., Aug. 12.-The postoffice here was entered by burglars last night. The large safe was blown open with dynamite and stamps to the value of \$1,500, \$500 in currency and

#### all the records of the office were stolen. A NEW INDUSTRY

Success of Flax-Raising in Essex-The Mill Does Well.

Windsor, Ont., Aug. 13 .- A new industry has been born in Essex county | Miss Mamie Zercross and Ralph Mesthat promises to greatly increase the sick figure has just come to notice. agriculture of the district. The richness of the soil in this neighborhood has often been remarked, and it is now being used successfully in an enterprise hitherto unknown in Essex

Some time ago a company located in Strathroy, purchased 500 acres at a miles away. venture and erected a flax mill at The first crop has been har-Essex. vested and the owners visited their factory to inspect the material. G. H. Thomas, of Essex Center, who was in Windsor yesterday, says that experts pronounce it the finest flax grown in at the station. She invited him to her Canada.

The soil is said to be well adapted to the plant, and the success of the experiment will doubtless give birth to an extensive industry in the raising of flax throughout Essex county.

#### Two Men Asphyxlated.

New York, Aug. 12 .- One man was found dead and another dying in a room at a hotel in Jersey City today. They had been asphxiated by illuminating gas. The dead man was Vido Evieck, 38 years old The name of the other man has not been learned. Trolley Causes Disease.

Wilmington, Del., Aug. 12 .- According to Newcastle physicians, a new disease has broken out among the employes of the Wilmington and Newcastle Trolley Company. John White, motorman, is the first victim, and he had to be sent to a hospital to re-cuperate from the effects of a damaged stomach caused by the jarring and folding of the trolley cars. Other men in Newcastle are said to be suffering with the same trouble, which the doc-

The way to regain your health after sickness is to take Hood's Sarsaparilla—it tones the whole system.

tors have dubbed "trolley jolt."

## IS NOT THE LAND OF ICE AND FOG

Newfoundland's Premier Dispels Illusions About Island.

#### WEATHER RARELY BELOW ZER?

Sir Robert Bond's Clever Speech at Edinburgh University-Ancient Colony Prespers.

Sir Robert Bond, the Premier of Newfoundland, is a very clever man, judging by his speech at Edinburgh, when he was presented with an honorary degree by the great university. Sir Robert Bond followed the Canadian and Australian premiers, and was warmly received. He said:

When I have regard to the illustrious names upon your roll of honor, I feel how unworthy I am of the great distinction you have been pleased to formed a nursery for their fleets. In confer. But I am not unmindful of 1583 it was taken formal possession of himself before you as it is to the re-presentatives of his majesty's oldest clared that no greater evil could luster upon both the professional and the public life of this colony. (Cheers.) Munn, Anderson, and others who are today holding high positions in the commercial life of the colony, and who are today keeping up the high standard of commercial morality for which the people of Scotland have ever been celebrated. (Cheers.) It is not such a far off distance after all. What is 1, 700 miles in these days of turbine-wheels and electricity? Why, with turbine propulsion you could reach Newfoundland in 42 hours from these shores. When by electricity your thoughts are flashed as quickly as they are spoken, the distance of 1,600 or 1,-700 miles is a mere bagatelle in the days in which we live. An old poet of yours, whose lines have reached every land, declared my country to be a land of ice and fog,

"Where sailors gang to fish for cod." (Laughter.) He is speaking from information that he received. (Laughter.) That worthy poet was in a great measure deceived. Ours is not the land of ice and fog it is supposed to be, not by any means. As I have declared more than once, I have seen more fog in London in one week than in Newfoundland in twelve months. (Cheers and laughter.) As regards ice, it is true we get ice, but not more than you get, and we do not get it so early. Your hills are sometimes capped with snow in July; you won't see that in my direction until September. We have Yes, it comes floating down from the Arctic regions every year in most beautiful icebergs, which thousands of your people cross thousands of miles of ocean to witness. The icebergs temper our warmth in the summer, but

they do not come near us in winter. The glass rarely falls below zero, whereas in Canada it sometimes touches 35 degress below zero. But, as Sir Wilfrid Laurier has explained, the 35 degrees of frost do not mean as much as your cold east winds in London. Nor is Newfoundland in the matter of fogs what it is supposed to be. The fogs are 250 miles from us, and are occasioned by the meeting of the Gulf Stream and the Arctic Situated at the mouth of the St. Lawrence, and commanding the inland waters of the whole of Canada, Newfoundland occupies a most strategical position in connection with the pire. Being the most eastward land, it forms an ideal stepping-stone between the old world and the new. Whether that short route is taken up by the burn until there is a rainstorm, of Imperial Government or by the Canadian Government matters little, be-

### Blacksmith's Backache.

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ners, fre- 000 quent stoop- (OO) ng over shoeing horses, getting a wrench once

bory horse, bending at all sorts of odd jobs that the obs that the la verage blacksmith does-any wonler that in time the strongest man begins to find his back give out and nis kidneys trouble him.

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cause the time will come when some parties or others—either the ship-owners of this country, or of Canada or America-will avail themselves of that short route, because you know, as business men, the great value of the shorter route.

I look forward to a very bright

future for the land I love before many years have passed away. The condition of the colony today is brighter than it ever was, and with our great material resources we are entirely independent of the world. There was a time when the colonies were not regarded in the same light as they are today. But I am thankful to say that day has long since passed. (Cheers.) In a great measure the fact may be credited to the right honorable gentleman who today occupies the position of colonial secretary. (Loud cheers.)

No man who has ever filled that office has brought greater tact to bear in his position. By his kindness and his affability, by close attention to the duties that concern his department, and by a fearlessness and an ability also which has never been surpassed— (cheers)—he has won for himself not only in Scotland and England, but throughout the whole civilized world, a character which we all might envy. (Loud cheers.) In the making and keeping and extending of the empire the colony of Newfoundland has played an important part. Discovered in 1497 by a British seaman of Venetian birth, it remained the joint possession of England, France, and Spain, and formed a nursery for their fleets. In the fact that the honor is not so much to the humble individual who presents and Sir Walter Raleigh, the great presentatives of his majesty's oldest colony beyond the sea. (Cheers.) I want to make it clear that not only do I represent the oldest colony in the should cease. Newfoundland became a should cease. Newfoundland became a should cease. Newfoundland became a should cease of the should ce realm, but that I represent the nearest great center for the exchange of comcolony to this old Scotland of yours. modities, and trade was carried on to (Cheers.) I desire, when opportunity is such an extent that 350 sail of our afforded me, to bring as close home as possible this old colonial possession to went on up to 1665, when an evil gen-This ing. the homeland people, because an idea has been prevalent for very many years that it is a far cry to the land whom Macaulay pilloried as the most unscrupulous monopolist that ever exthat I represent. And yet, as I have sited in this country. By his influence put it to you, it is the nearest British colony to these shores. (Cheers.) Only between 1,650 and 1,700 beautiful blue colony. Coming back to the position billows—miles of billows, I mean— in which I find myself—namely, a free- lither)—separate you from your man of this beautiful city of Edinkith and kin in the old colony. You have many of your own kinsmen out there. The sons of Scotland have the there. The sons of Scotland have shed this high honor; and may I be pardoned for taking the opportunity of expressing my thanks to the Univer-I have in my mind's eye just now the names of Grieve, Miller, Murray, Blair, conferred upon me today. I can conconferred upon me today. I can conceive of no honors that can be conferred upon a man that can be more prized than the freedom of your illustrious city and an honorary degree of your great university of world-wide

### GIRL TURNING TO STONE

fame. (Loud cheers.)

Curious Case at Bay City, Mich., Is Puzzling Physicians.

Pieces Chipped From Her Body Are Pronounced Marble.

Toledo, O., Aug. 13.—Miss Dorcthy Stiles, daughter of William Stiles, a retired chemist, formerly of Columbus, O., is dying at her father's home, seven miles south of Bay City, Mich., with a called in to attend her. She is 16, and until a few months

ago was in perfect health. Her body is slowly turning into marble, or a substance resembling it. One night, while bathing, the girl found that her heels were perfectly white and as hard as stone. called her mother's attention to the fact, and Mrs. Stiles was terrified on examining the girl's body. She found that both heels, and tips of her shoulder blades and her hips were similarly affected. The condition has now spread until

both limbs above the ankles are turned to marble. The hips of the afflicted girl have no longer the power to bend and the power of action has been taken from her shoulders.

She says she suffers no pain. Bits of hard substance were chipped off her body and sent by her father for analysis and they were pronounced

pure marble. The doctors say that death must ensue within a few months. They scout the theory regarding the matter forth by the girl's almost demented father. He says he was experimenting with some drugs in the bath room, and used the bath tub for the purpose, and neglected to properly cleanse it. The same night his daughter took a bath in this tub, and the father insists that the chemicals have produced the terrible disease. The girl takes no nourishment but liquids, and those with difficulty.

#### RAISED \$40,339 IN A DAY

Big Missionary Collection Taken at Camp Meeting.

Annual "Iron for Gold Day" Call Responded to Heartily.

Old Orchard, Me., Aug. 13 .- The annual "iron for gold day" at the Christian Alliance camp meeting here resulted in the collection by Rev. Dr. D. Simpson and his assistants of \$40,339 in cash and pledges for the cause of missions in foreign lands. Through the meeting was without any of the sensational incidents that have marked "iron for gold days," in the past, it was not without intense interest. Apparently no special effort was made to reach the records of some previous years, when more than \$100. 000 was collected in a single day, but the total of last year was beaten by Lee Hing Laundry

about \$4.000. Dr. Simpson's assistant in the services was Rev. Dr. Henry Wilson, of New York. Dr. Simpson's sermon was founded on the words: "If ye know these things happy are ye if you do them." He painted a vivid picture of the efforts of missionaries in far fields, and made a fervent appeal for help in sustaining the cause. He told of a woman who a year ago gave him the only \$50 she had in the world and had just given him all the money in her

possession. The first contribution to reach the platform was \$15, the fourth \$300, and then came a stream of smaller amounts. One pledge was for \$5,000, and on its heels come one for \$1,000. Other large pledges were for \$3,000, \$2,-000 and \$1,500. Contributions in cash and pledges ranging from \$1 to \$50 were made in large numbers, and at the close of the morning session the total had reached \$35,591. The meeting reopened in the early afternoon, when the scenes of the morning were re-peated on a smaller scale, the grand total of the day being reached without special effort.

## BLAZE IN TORONTO

The Biscuit Company's Works Were Wrecked.

#### DAMAGE ESTIMATED AT \$75,000

Firebugs Get in Their Work in the Business Section of Peoria, Ill .-Loss \$175,000

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 13.—Over \$75,000 damage was caused by a fire which gutted the premises of the Toronto Biscuit Company, 7 Front street east, last night. The building has a fourstory front and is in the middle of a block of stores, on the south side of Front street, between Yonge and Scott streets. A policeman discovered the fire shortly before 10 o'clock issuing from the windows of the upper stories, and before he could give the alarm the building was in flames. They mounted high and the fire for a while was very doors away. The fire brigade, however, did good work, and managed to confine most of the fire to the one build-

The building belonged to the A. M. Smith estate. It was valued at \$20,000, and is damaged to the extent of \$5,000, the damage being confined to the roof, top floor and next floor down. It is insured for \$15,000. The Toronto Biscuit Company's stock was valued at \$40,000, and is practically a total loss. The plant was worth about \$40,000, and the loss on this will be about \$20, The insurance was \$50,000, divided as follows: Machinery, \$28,000; stock, \$21,000; furniture, \$1,000. total sum was spread over eighteen companies, none of them for over \$5,000. Of this insurance the premiums of \$285 would have fallen due tomorrow at noon.

The stock of the wholesale drug firm of Eliot & Co., next door west, was damaged by water to the extent of \$2,500. This stock also is insured. Peoria, Ill., Aug. 13.—A bold attempt was made on Monday to fire the business portion of the city. The losses include: Horace Clarke & Sons' mill, \$100,000; Neumiller's livery barn and twenty horses. \$50,000; O'Leary undertaking establishment, \$25,000. Neumiller Livery Company's barns, at 600 Adams street, were fired by an in-cendiary and twenty horses were suffocated. The entire stock of carriages was destroyed. The O'Leary undertaking establishment and con tents are a total loss. Previous to this fire an attempt was made to fire the storerooms and offices of the Val Blatz Brewing Company, a few blocks away, and a residence was fired early in the morning. The firebug has played havoc in Peoria for months, and the reward of \$500 does not effect his capture. While the Neumiller fire was disease that has baffled any physician raging the torch was applied to the few blocks away, and the entire plant was wiped out. The police believe they have arrested the firebug.

COSTLY CONFLAGRATION. Paducah, Ky., Aug. 12 .- A chemical explosion in a drugstore at Princeton, Ky., today, which fatally injured Dr. W. B. Terry, started a conflagration which threatens to town. Already a quarter of a million dollars of damage has been done, it is estimated. The Paducah fire department has engines in readiness to send on a special train at once.

#### Loss of Appetite

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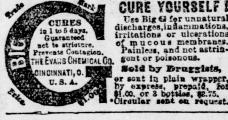
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The Close of the Conference.

The Associated Press purports to the results of the Imperial Conference. It tells us that the question of preferential trade is left to the parliaments of the empire. where it properly belongs, and who will blame Sir Wilfrid Laurier for not bringing home a British preference in his steamer trunk would be the first to attack him if he undertook to pledge Canada to any scheme of preference without consulting parliament. Again we are told that Cape Colony and Natal will pay fixed contributions to the Imperial navy; that Australasian contributions on condition that certain vessels be officered and manned entirely by Australasians; that some colonies shall allot part of their local military forces ency, but Canada and Australia agree tions in relation to Imperial defense. Australasia and South Africa are exposed to attack only by sea, and have no need for a large military organization. It is proper that they should which must be their bulwark of delarge militia force. It is the duty of the Canadian Government to make adequate provision for self-defense, and the present Minister of Militia has formulated a plan for raising the militia establishment to 100,000 men, besides promoting the organization of Fifle clubs throughout the country. This is a burden Canada undertakes to bear without aid from the mother country. It is a burden which is not imposed to nearly the same extent on the other great colonies, which can in navel defense. We should like to see Canada go a step further and free Great Britain of the expense of garrisoning Canadian fortresses and naval stations. Then the mother country would be entirely relieved from responsibility so far as the Dominion is

#### A Page From History.

Some Canadians have read the history of their own country to little purpose, or they would not be continually aspersing the patriotism of their neighbors in Quebec. More likely they haven't read it at all. In the current number of the Empire Review, Sir Gilbert Parker has an article on "First Years of British Rule in Canada," in which he recalls that period when the destiny of Canada as a British colony was determined by French-Canadian loyalty. The newly-assembled congress of the thirteen colonies resolved to try to detach Canada from the British crown, relying upon the disaffection of the French-Canadian population, and George Washington dispatched a letter to the people of this country calling upon them to redwells on this chapter and philoso- as the Tourist Association. phizes on the past, present and future as follows:

were called, found almost no response in Canada. Sir Guy Carleton had left worship and confirmed their own sysnem of jurisprudence, held the French fast to their British allegiance at a ent-day controversies rage over the propriety of an act which legalized the French language in a British dominion; but anyone who takes the trouble to examine the circumstances pediency required liberal treatment and wide consideration for 70,000 sublects of an alien tongue, if the fruits be heedlessly thrown away. The lantoday, but its solution lies in the peaceful assimilation which time and and, for Asiatic purposes, is united an increased population alone can with Great Britain's. bring. Near a thousand years ago a Norman race was grafted upon a Baxon stock, and the fusion has made first class—three more than the comthe strongest nation in Europe. In Canada the social or lingual fusion of the two races has not yet been the two races had not yet been the two races had n the two races has not yet been 4. France has made armored cruisers achieved; but the onward march of the prime feature of her new conwents, and the pressure of a larger struction and will shortly count thirindustrial life will inevitably accom-teen of them. blish it. Commerce and industry now 5. Great Br fosters isolation; commerce and in- sia combined. mates industrially will impose its own to destroy British sea power

language. It is the only right solution, and it is a peaceful solution. The destiny of Canada is not wholly solved, but those who know her well, who understand the temperament of both races there and realize that time and prosperity and mutually shared responsibilities are the great pacificators, await the result with confidence. If, in 1775, French Canada recognized the quality of British rule, and turned a deaf ear to the seductive speeches of the provincials who had resolved to break with England; again, in 1812, renew their faith; in 1885 helped to put down a rebellion fomented by a French-Canadian halfbreed; and from 1900 to 1902 contributed young men and many gallant officers to the Canadian contingent for the South African war, it is little probable that the future will bring disintegration. Precedents have been set which must continue to govern the policy and patriotism of French Canada. The most valuable of these precedents have been made under the leadership of a French-Canadian prime minister at Ottawa."

There is a rebuke in this for some Ontario journals and politicians.

#### The Great Wheat Crop.

These are anxious days in the great Northwest. The crop is two weeks later than usual, increasing the danger of frost, which would work terrible havoe in a single night. If the elements are kind it will be a wonderfor naval purposes are to be increased ful harvest. The east is almost as much concerned as the west. The money will not remain in the pockets of the western farmers, but a goodly share will soon come east in exchange for manuto Imperial defense in case of emerg- factured goods, and will stimulate business in every portion of the country. to keep their local forces in a state of | The Winnipeg Free Press, with rare efficiency, relying on volunteers in enterprise, has collected crop reports time of Imperial need, as was done in from every district of Manitoba and the United States, where millions of He Looks." the case of South Africa. There is noth- the Northwest, and has published them ing very unlikely in this. Each coun- in the form of a supplement, copiously try has its special geographical condi- illustrated with scenes in "the greatest wheat field on which the sun shines today," as our contemporary calls it. These reports show that the wheat acreage is pretty much what it was last season. It is 2,039,940 acres in Manitoba, an increase of 28,105 acres, and contribute to the expenses of the navy, 584,697 acres in the Territories, an increase of 80.291. This makes 2.624.637 fense. Canada, on the other hand, is sown in wheat in the whole Northexposed to attack by land, and has an west. On the basis of 25 bushels to the immense frontier to protect. Heaven acre the yield will be 65,615,925 bushels, forbid that there should be another if nothing untoward occurs. The war with the United States, but none acreage of oats in Manitoba has risen the less Canadians must be prepared from 689,951 to 725,060, and in the Terto defend their country, and they are ritories from 226,568 to 276,568. This foreunder the necessity of maintaining a shadows a yield of 40,000,000 bushels. There is a large increase in the acreage under barley and flax. Grain cutting will be under way in many localities by Aug. 15, and will be general a are being disclosed enormous tracts of week later. The superintendent of good paying ground," and that the retransportation on the C. P. R., in an venue for the first quarter of the presinterview, says that with a late har- ent fiscal year has exceeded by \$204,vest this year and late shipment, which brings the wheat on the railroad in a last year. It is to be hoped Mr. Hees rush just before navigation closes, there is wrong and Mr. Wade right, but the will be difficulty in getting it out. How- public wants the facts whether these ever, with 55 new locomotives and 10,000 are encouraging or not. box cars on the western division, the put their money to more effective use company hope to prevent anything like a blockade. The interior elevator ca-

> with a capacity of 29,077,600 bushels. Wheat isn't King in the Northwest yet. The weather rules just now.

pacity along the C. P. R. lines has

been increased from 10,000,000 to 16,-

It used to be that work was hard to get, but now it's hard to get the workers.

If Mr. Austin Chamberlain, the new | age." British Postmaster-General, can bring hear any of the gossip.' about halfpenny newspaper postage throughout the Empire, or between Great Britain and Canada, he will earn the title of the Mulock of the mother country.

The report that the Dominion Iron and Steel Company had entered a Their "grape-vine" o'er their shoulders British-Canadian combine is denied by the president. In the proximity of coal, limestone and iron ore, the company claims to have the best combination in the world.

The Vancouver Tourist Association has sent out a handsome brochure, containing views of leading buildings and points of interest in and around nounce their allegiance and range Vancouver. The engravings are very themselves "under the standard of fine. The city is to be congratulated general liberty." Sir Gilbert Parker on having such a public-spirited body

Capt. T. L. Huston, who was an of-"The blandishments of the Thirteen ficer in Cuba during the American oc-Colonies, or 'Provincials,' as they cupation, and who is now a manufacturer in Havana, tells the New York nothing undone to plant fidelity in the Sun that Cuba tried to make a reciprohearts of the French-Canadians; and city treaty with Great Britain, after the passing of the Quebec Act in 1774, being driven desperate by the action of which secured to them freedom of the United States Senate. Great Britain stood aloof, from fear of offending the United States. The moneyed interests time when their disaffection would of the island, he says, would gladly see have been ruinous to the Empire. Pres- Cuba under the American flag, but the political wire-pullers oppose it, as they would lose their jobs.

The Naval Annual in a review of surrounding its enactment must see the sea power of the great nations that not only justice but military ex- shows that the following changes have occurred between 1892 and 1902:

1. Russia, Germany and the United of the Seven Years' War were not to States have all become the owners of as many battleships as France, which guage question vexes Canadian politics ten years ago was in that respect second only to Great Britain.

2. Japan's navy has been created

> 3. The British and Japanese navies In bined total of Russian, French and

5. Great Britain has well maintained rigorously invading Quebec, hitherto her lead over her two most probable given over to agriculture, will accom-plish what neither law, preaching or class battleships ready for action, agitation could ever do. Agriculture against seventeen for France and Rus-

Autry make for expansion and help Assuming that the United States to level all interests to one expression. does not join it the Naval Annual No race question, no language ques-tion can long resist these forces. concludes that no combination of naval Sooner or later the race which domi- powers could be made strong enough

#### .. Poems the World Has Read..

Highland Mary.

(By Robert Burns.) Mary Campbell, the heroine of this song, was a maid servant. She and Burns plighted their troth in a Bible which is still preserved in Scotland with other Burns relics. Shortly afterwards Mary took a fever, and died of

Ye banks and braes and streams around The castle o' Montgomery, Green be your woods, and fair your

Your waters never drumlie!
There simmer first unfauld her robes,
And there the langest tarry!
For there I took the last fareweel

For there I took the last took O' my sweet Highland Mary. How sweetly bloomed the gay green birk,

How sweetly bloomed the gay green of How rich the hawthorn's blossom. As underneath the fragrant shade I clasped her to fly bosom! The golden hours on angel wings Flew o'er me and my dearie; For dear to me as light and life Was my sweet Highland Mary.

Wi' monie a vow and locked embrace Our parting was fu' tender;
And, pledging aft to meet again,
We tore ourselves asunder;
But O! fell death's untimely frost,
That nipped my flower sae early!
Now green's the sod and cauld's the clay
That wraps my Highland Mary.

O pale, pale now those rosy lips I aft hae kissed sae fondly! And closed for aye the sparkling glance That dwelt on me sae kindly! And mold'ring now in silent dust
That heart that lo'ed me dearly!
But still within my bosom's core
Shall live my Highland Mary.

tics. By the census of 1900 it is shown their owners has fallen from 75 per cent to 64.7 per cent of the whole in ten years, the number of farms operated by tenants having increased proportionately from 25 per cent to 35.3 per cent in the same period. In 1880 there were 2,984,306 farms owned and operated by the same individuals and in 20 years the number increased to 3,number of tenant farmers increased from 1.024.601 to 2.026.286. In the last ten years the loss of independent ownership has been more rapid than in acres await the plow, and where there are no large ancestral estates as in the old land, is a theme for serious re-

The other day Mr. George H. Hees, chairman of the commercial intellifacturers' Association, published his and in this condition. impressions of the Yukon, which were not too hopeful of the future of that it was. country. He contradicted some very optimistic remarks made by Mr. F. C. Wade, crown prosecutor in the Yukon, in a recent lecture in Toronto. Pink Bundle Mr. Wade replies to Mr. Hees and sticks to his assertion that only fifty miles have been completely prospected, out of seven thousand miles of creeks in the Yukon. He quotes the report of the Minister of Interior, dated Oct. 10, 1901, to the effect that "daily there 768 55 the receipts of the same period

#### Losing the Match.

[Punch.] Capt. Golding-Play cricket? Why, I haven't touched a bat or ball since 000,000 bushels. The Free Press esti-I was at school. mates there are 645 elevators along Harold-But this morning mamma the C. P. R. and Canadian Northern, was telling papa what a good catch you were!

#### While She Performs.

[Chicago Record-Herald.] "I'm always at a disadvantage out in company," she sighed. "Why?" somebody asked with surprise. see, I play and sing." "I should think that would give you a distinct advant-"No; I never get a chance to

#### The Cradlers.

(An Old-Time Harvest Scene.) [Chicago Inter-Ocean.] golden wheat stands like a wall-A twenty-acre field. A twenty-acre field.

he brawny cradlers—five in all—
are-breasted, hairy-armed, and tall,
"Allow that patch must yield";

With fingers crookt and broad blades

hung, Like falchions backward steeled. Like sons of Anak in their might, They whet their shining blades.
Then to the charge—a thrilling sight—
Leads up the first, swings to the right—
Lett sweep, through cereal glades.
The shorn stems on the fingers laugh, Fat kernels peep through bursting chaff, On heads gone to the shades.

Another and another sweep-The second man starts in.
So waits the third, in cutting deep,
Then fourth and fifth, at distance keep,
The same, ere they begin. Now all, with mighty rhythmic swing, Advance, and then their broad blades

And gleam like burnished tin.

Five crescents gap the grain a-near,
As the five blades swing home.
Five golden gavels fall a-rear,
And five line-butted swaths appear,
Lain each inside its comb. As the five mighty reapers sway, From side to side in slant array, Like gulls o'er ocean's foam.

So, all day long, thro' rising morn, And midday's shimmering heat. The swish of severing scythes is borne, Or whetstones chanting towthe corn The death-song of the what. Only the noon-tide dinner call

Hot, round and red, in western sky, Sinks low the summer sun; And still the swinging cradles sigh, While all around the fallen lie In sheaves, the fight near won; Then binders all, and cradlers join, And shock the sheaves, and cap, and

The day-the task is done.

A Lottery. [Yonkers Statesman.] Bacon-So you believe marriage is a

lottery? Egbert-Why, certainly; you can't tell what sort of a cook your wife will

Mecessity Knows No Law. [Life.] He-I hope you are not getting tired

She-How could I? Why, you're the

only man at the hotel.

The latest United States census | an hour when they should be at home volume deals with agricultural statis- and to bed. The Dominion's remarks cover more than merely local conditions. There is no questioning the that the number of farms operated by statement that the idea of personal freedom has been carried too far. Freedom is a good thing only when wisely directed; otherwise the chances are that it is likely to be abused. The injunction to bring up a child in the way it should go ought not to be lost sight of, even though we are living in the twentieth instead of the first century. The time will never be when a child can afford to dispense with a proper home training and hope to be 713,371, but in the same period the an exemplary character in after life.

#### [Puck.]

Clarence-I go right in for amatuaw the previous decennium. This tendency | theatricals, y' know! Played the lead in a comparatively young country like lawst wintah in "Not Such a Fool as Belle Isle—My, you must be an aw-fully clever actor, Clarence.

#### Forgot His Excuse.

[Philadelphia Record.] Mrs. Guzzler (as Guzzler comes in unsteadily at 3 a.m.)-You have no exgence committee of the Canadian Manu- cuse for coming home at this hour Guzzler-I had one, my dear, and it was a dandy, but I can't think what

#### To a Coronation Baby.

[London Globe.] in thy cradle tucked, While now thy boneless thumb is sucked, While now thy boneless thumb is sucked, And wrinkles bulge thy button nose And something stirs within thy toes, While now, in short, you kick in bed, Toothless and downy on the head, E'en now (ah, bite thy lips with shame!) Poor babe—Corona is thy name.

In half a dozen years, or so, Thou'lt answer to the name of Co, And ere thou art a pretty score, Thy friends will ring a change on Cor. And then a lover, sad and sorry, Will give it up at—dearest Corry;

Sleep on, kick on-forget thy woes! Sleep on, kick on—forget thy woes!
Twiddle and twist thy twirling toes,
Contort thy features, bawl and yell—
As yet for thee this life is well;
But, stern, ah stern for thee the strife,
In walking down the slope of life;
Assured—I fancy well thy rage—
That everybody knows thine age.

#### A Dubious Inducement. [New York Herald.]

Tourist-I like this place first-rate, but the fish one catches are rather small. Landlord-You should come here again next year. They will be larger by that time. .

#### To the Monkey On the Piano Organ.

[St. James' Gazette.] Poor little exile from some foreign place! I love the wistful patience of thy face, The sad expression that unchanging lies Within the hazel ovals of thine eyes. As with thy tired arms quite still, and Thou beat'st the time upon thy gaudy

Is thy small heart all stiff and sore with pain
From sorry meals, and cuffs, and balking chain? Or he he organ's gay, pathetic sound Got ined," and trilled, and banged, and whirred and ground
Right through thee, till its recollections grind
A sorrow in thy semi-human mind?

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The cotton production of the United States for the season of 1901-2 was, according to the United States census, 9,954,945 commercial bales. Parents to Blame.

[Windsor Record.]

The Ridgetown Dominion is shocked over the liberty usurped by young boys and girls of the present day. It censures parents for a certain laxity in family discipline in permitting their children to hang about the streets at

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On Saturday, Aug. 23, the Railroad Trainmen of the four roads running into London, and the Wabash, intend running an excursion to Cleveland via Port Stanley. The trainmen in com-bining together to run this excursion do so with the object of taking to Cleveland one of the largest crowds that has ever visited that place in many years. The steamer Shenango is capable of carrying an immense crowd. The train will leave London at 6 a.m. on Saturday, the 23rd, arriving in Cleveland about 1 p.m., and returning, the boat will leave Cleveland at 11 p.m. Music will be provided for dancing on the boat. The fare has been placed at \$1 50 or adults and 75 cents for children.

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OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURG.

OIL CITY.

LONDON.

London, Aug. 12.—Petroleum, American refined, 5 13-16d; spirits, 7s 9d.

SUGAR MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, Aug. 12.—Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 25-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 13-32c; molasses sugar, 2 11-16c; refined steady. Molasses—Steady.

LONDON.

London, Aug. 12.—Raw sugar-Musco-ado, 7s; centrifugal, 7s 6d; beet sugar,

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Aug. 12.—Receipts at the cattle market today were 99 loads, with 1,688 head of cattle, 1,297 sheep and lambs, 616 hogs and 47 calves. There was a good, brisk trade in all classes, except for common cows and inferior butcher cattle, which ware draws. Prices for the choice

a weaker market. Sows were a little off, selling at \$5 to \$525. Best hogs are quoted at \$737½, but may be lower at the end of the week.

NEW YORK.

New York, Aug. 12.—Beeves—Receipts, 112; dressed beef steady; cables quoted American steers at 14c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef at 12½c per lb; exports today, 100 cattle. Calves—Receipts, 347.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 9,082; sheep a shade easier; lambs slow, 10c to 15c lower; sheep sold at \$2 50 to \$4 per 100 lbs; lambs at \$5 25 to \$7; culls at \$4 25 to \$4 50;

dressed mutton, 5½c to 8c per lb; dressed lambs, general sales at 8½c to 1lc.

Hogs-Receipts. 1,426; reported sales same as yesterday; state and Pennsylvania hogs. 87.50

CHICAGO.

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Chicago, Aug. 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,-500, including 500 Texans and 200 westerns; slow; westerns and Texans, 10c lower; good to prime steers nominal, 88 to \$8 90; poor to medium, \$4 50 to \$7 50; stockers and feeders, \$2 50 to \$6 50; canners, \$1 50 to \$5 75; heifers, \$2 50 to \$6 50; canners, \$1 50 to \$2 50; bulls, \$2 75 to \$5 50; calves, \$3 to \$7 50; Texas-fed steers, \$3 to \$5; western steers, \$5 to \$6 50.

Hogs—Receipts, 17,000; 10c lower; mixed and butchers, \$6 50 to \$7 25; good to choice heavy, \$7 to \$7 30; rough heavy, \$6 40 to \$6 90; light, \$6 50 to \$7 20; bulk of sales at \$6 25 to \$6 95.

Sheep-Receipts, 17,000; sheep and lambs

steady; good to choice wethers, \$3.50 to \$4.25; fair to choice mixed, \$2.50 to \$3.75; native lambs, \$3.50 to \$6.35.

EAST BUFFALO.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES

London, Aug. 12.—Today cattle are weak, at 13c to 14c per lb; refrigerator beef is quoted at from 11c to 12c per lb.

HIDES, SKINS AND TALLOW.

TORONTO.

is fair and the market is steady; lamb skins and shearlings are quoted now

DETROIT BEAN MARKET.

HAY MARKETS. TORONTO.

Toronto, Aug. 12.—Baled Hay—The market is somewhat unsettled; this is partly

owing to the rains having damaged a good deal, and also it is likely uncertain as to the amount of damage done; the demand is only fair; cars of new on the track here are quoted at \$9.50 to \$10, and

old at \$10 50.

Baled Straw—Quiet; cars on the track here are quoted at \$5 to \$5 50.

WOOL MARKET.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Aug. 12.-There is no striking

vania hogs, \$7 50.

#### THE MARKETS

THE LOCAL MARKET.

London, Wednesday, Aug. 13. Twelve loads of hay were the extent of the offerings at the market this foremoon. The demand was good and prices were higher, at \$7 to \$850 per ton, only two loads selling at last-named figures. 

WEEKLY REVIEW.

WEERLY REVIEW.

The attendance at the market here during the past week was not as large as that of the previous week. There was no material change in prices. Sales in most of the lines offered were fair.

Grain—A few loads of new wheat, which could only be used for feed, sold at \$120 per cwt; old wheat sold at \$135 per cwt. One load of rye sold at \$108 per cwt.

and Straw-About 70 loads of hay were offered during the week; prices ranged from \$6 to \$850 per ton; there is a big difference in the quality of some of the loads. Straw is scarce, at \$6 per

Butter and Eggs-Butter is firmer, ices advanced to per 1b, selling at 16c 17c for crocks and 18c to 19c for pound

brisk trade in all classes, except for common cows and inferior butcher cattle, which were draggy. Prices for the choice exporters were firm. Butcher cattle were steady, at last week's quotations. There was quite a demand for heavy feeders. Light butcher heifers and stockers were seiling well at \$3 to \$3 40. Heavy exporters were firm at \$6 to \$6 35, and a few extra choice at \$6 50. Lambs were selling at \$4 75, but the prospects are lower. While hogs were steady today, at last week's figures, the indications point to a weaker market. Sows were a little to 17c for crocks and 18c to 19c for pound rolls; dealers are complaining of the quality of the butter offered; a big proportion of the offerings is of an inferior quality. Eggs are in good demand, d prices are a little stiffer, at 14c crates and 15c for basket lots.

Vegetables—Potatoes have been plentiful, and as a rule the quality is excellent; prices are unchanged to any extent, selling mostly at 50c per bu; tomatoes are coming in more freely, selling at 16c per 1b; green corn, 10c to 15c per dozen; cabbages, 25c to 40c per dozen; cucumbers, 15c to 25c per dozen.

Fruits—Apples continue to be a drug on the market, and are very difficult to dispose of, at 25c to 40c per bu; the raspberry season is about over; present prices are 8c to 9c per box; thimble-berries sell at 8c per box; black currants, 10c per duart; peaches sell at 30c for 8-quart baskets, and 40c to 50c for the end of the week.

The following sales were made: Crawford & Co. bought about 8 loads of cattle, mixed butchers and shippers, at \$3.70 to \$5 for choice butchers and \$5.65 for light exporters. Corbett & Henderson sold a lot of 15 butcher cattle, 900 lbs, at \$4; good butcher cows, \$3.75; common cows, \$3; half a dozen good stall-fed export bulls, 1,600 to 2,000 lbs, at \$5 to \$5.75. William Levack was operating heavily in both butcher and export cattle, paying from \$4 to \$5.25 for butchers and \$5.50 to \$6.50 for exporters. James Collins bought

Poultryexception of Satur-Poultry—With the exception of Saturday last, the supply has been light; the following prices prevail: Spring chickens, dressed, 50c to 80c per pair; ducks, do, 75c to 90c per pair; turkeys, 70c per lb; a shipment has been made from here at 12c to 13c per lb for dressed ducks and spring chickens; spring chickens, live; 40c to 60c per pair; some chickens, live; 40c to 60c per pair; some chickens, 60c to 75c ar pair

from \$4 to \$5.25 for butchers and \$5.50 to \$6.50 for exporters. James Collins bought a lot of 22 butchers. 1,040 lbs, at \$3.85; 4 cows, 1,100 lbs, at \$3.55. J. Gould was buying heavy exporters at \$6 to \$6.50. Frank Hunnisett bought mixed cattle, 800 to 1,100 lbs, at \$4 to \$5; 25 lambs at \$4.85; 20 calves at \$7 to \$10 each. William McClelland bought a load of 24 butcher cattle, 1,000 lbs, at \$4.55; 17 exporters, 1,225 lbs, at \$5.90. C. Zeigman bought a load of butcher heifers, 800 lbs, at \$3.40; a load of steers, 850 lbs, at \$3.75. C. Maybee & Son bought a load of feeders, 1,000 lbs, at \$4.25; a load of steers and heifers, 1,000 lbs, at \$4.25; a load of steers and heifers, 1,000 lbs, at \$4. pair.
ed Hogs-Most of those received by butchers were purchased on a previous order at \$9 15 to \$9 25 per cwt.

Live Hogs—The shipment from her on Monday last was made at \$7 per cwt.

Buyers say that there is a probability that lower prices will prevail next week.

The markets in the United States are weaker

#### Plymouth Special (Green Sheaf-Gold Medal) BINDER TWINE. All new genuine goods. HAMILTON'S Seed Store CLANCE OF MARKET AND A STATE OF THE STATE OF

#### AMERICAN MARKETS

CHICAGO. Chicago, Aug. 12.—Today was a bull day in both grains and provisions, and everything went up. The government crop report, which was a disappointment to the bears, was the cause of the upturn. Shorts were frightened and covered freely in everything. Sellers were scarce in wheat and in spite of good crop conditions the brisk demand to secure profits, especially in corn, sent wheat up 2c and corn 2%c.—At the close September wheat was 1%c to 1%c up. September corn 1%c higher, and September oats 1c to 1%c advanced. Provisions closed unchanged to 30c higher. Local receipts of wheat were 490 cars, none of contract grade; Minneapolis and Duluth reported 132 cars, making a total for the three points of 622 cars, against 719 last week and 667 a year uro. Primary receipts were 1,273,000 bu mpared with 963,000 bu last year. Seab clearances in wheat and flour equ 323,000 bu. Estimated receipts for morrow: Wheat, 127 cars; corn, 27 cars; oats, 205 cars; hogs, 22,000 head.

The leading futures closed: Wheat—Aug., 694c; Sept., 69c; Dec., 67%c to 67%c; Chicago, Aug. 12.-Today was a bull day

The leading futures closed: Wheat—Aug. 694c; Sept. 69c; Dec. 674c to 674c; May. 697c to 70c. Corn—Sept., 524c; Dec. 40%c; May. 394c to 394c. Oats—Aug. 254c; new. 314c; Sept. 254c; new. 804c; Dec., 254c; new. 284c; May. 29%c. Pork—Aug. \$16 20; Sept. \$16 30; Oct., \$16 45; Jan., \$14 40. Lard—Aug. \$16 45; Sept., \$10 55; Oct., \$9 65; Nov., \$9 10; Dec., \$1726; Jan., \$8 85; May. \$8 174c. Ribs—Aug., \$9 75; Sept., \$9 80; Oct., \$9 30; Jan., \$7 25. Rye—Sept., 49c. Timothy—Sept., \$3 67. Clover—Cash, \$8 50. Barley. 58 c 66c. thy—Sept., \$3 67. Barley, 58c to 65c.

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Cash quotations: Flour steady. No. 2 spring wheat, 72½c; No. 3, 71c; No. 2 red. 67½c to 70c. No. 2 corn, 55c; No. 2 yellow, 58c to 58%c. No. 2 corn, 55c; No. 2 yellow, 58c to 58%c. No. 2 corn, 55c; No. 3 white, 31c to 41%c. No. 2 ryc, 58½c. Fair to choice maiting barley, 57c to 63c. No. 1 faysed \$140. No. 1 cythyrates. winte, site 4134C. No. 2 tye, 3832C. Fair to choice malting barley, 57c to 63c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 40; No. 1 northwestern, \$1 45. Prime timothy seed, \$4 25 to \$4 30. Mess pork, \$16 25 to \$4 6 30; lard, \$10 42½ to \$10 45; short ribs sides, \$9 70 to \$9 80; dry salted shoulders. 9c to 9½c; short clear sides, \$11 25 to \$11 37½. Clover, \$8 50. Eggs firm; fresh. 17½c. fresh, 17½c.

Receipts—Flour, 19,000 bbls; wheat, 385,000 bu; corn, 113,000 bu; oats, 80,000 bu; rye, 13,000 bu; barley, 13,000 bbls; wheat, Shipments—Flour, 8,000 bbls; wheat, \$29,000 bu; corn, 253,000 bu; oats, 33,700 bu.

TOLEDO. Toledo, O., Aug. 12.—Wheat—Active and strong; cash, 70c; Sept., 704c; Dec., 704c; May, 724c. Corn—Fairly active and strong; cash, 63c; Sept., 524c; Dec., 40c; May, 384c. Oats—Dull; new Sept., 204c; new Dec., 294c. Clover seed—Fairly active and firm; Oct., \$5 35; Jan., \$5 25; No. 2 alsike, \$7 224 to \$7 40.

#### DAIRY MARKETS.

CHICAGO. Chicago, Aug.12.—Butter steady; creameries, 15c to 19%c; dairies, 15c to 18%c. Cheese steady, 19c to 11c.

INGERSOLL. Ingersell, Ont., Aug. 12.—Offerings to-day, 680 boxes colored cheese—280 July, balance August make; 94c to 94c bid; no

## Children's Hose, 5c Pair

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Real fine Cotton Hose, fast black, in sizes from 41/2 to 6, regular price 10c to 15c; we want to clear these sizes quick at, per pair .. ..... 5c

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### BAYLEY'S

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have been operating cautiously, but the aggregate sales have not been large. Pulled wools are quiet.
Fleece—The movement this week has been quite normal, and there appears to been quite normal, and there appears to be no competition of any consequence for the wool at country points. There has been some further buying of fleece for Americans at 13½c to 14c, and at that price local dealers say there is no profit in it for anyone. The prices quoted here are 13½c for washed and 7½c for fleece. Pulled Wools—The demand is fair, there appears to be no accumulation here, and prices are steady, at 18c to 19a for extras and 14c to 15c per supers. Campbellford cheese board today 1,400 boxes were boarded. Sales: Bailey bought the whole board at 9½c. Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 12.-Oil closed Oll City, Pa., Aug. 12.-Credit balances, LEATHER MARKET.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Aug. 12.—The demand is fair for this season, which is not the best one in the year for the leather trade.

Trices are firm for mostly all lines of leather. We quote: Sole, slaughter, medium heavy, per lb, 30c to 32c; Spanish, No. 1 heavy, per lb, 28c to 29c; No. 2, 26c to 28c; No. 3, 25c to 27c; calfskin, Canadian, 70c to 80c; calfskin, French, \$1 15 to \$1 50; French kip, 80c to 90c; Canadian kip, 60c to 70c; upper light, medium, 40c to 45c; splits, 25c to 28c; buff, per foot, 13c to 16c; pebble, 14c to 16c; harness, union oak tanned, No. 1, 32c to 33c; No. 2, 29c to 31c; light, 28c to 30c; cod oil, per gallon, 40c to 45c; degras, per lb, 4c to 4½c; japonica, per lb, 6c to 7c; hemlock tract, 3¾c; lampblack, 20c 25c; sumac, per ton, \$70. TORONTO.

#### WESTERN ONTARIO.

Amy Wilson, who disappeared from her home in Copetown, two weeks ago, has not yet been heard from. Eight applications have been received in response to the board of education's advertisement for a male principal for one of the Windsor schools. Anne, wife of Amos Howard, aged 72 years, died on Monday of old age, at Sandwich South. The remains were interred in Windsor Grove Cemetery.

The labor unions of Windsor have decided to hold a celebration in Walker's Grove, Dougall avenue, on Labor Day, Sept. 1. An industrial parade will be held in the morning. On Monday at dinner, thirteen pails were stolen from laborers at Montrose by tramps, who took the handear to make their escape. Officer Moyhann arrested three of them and locked them up

Mr. Darbin, who is conducting a colored camp meeting at Sandwich, advertises the killing of a calf on Thursday night. The animal will be cooked over glowing coals and eaten as love feast by the assembled congre-

News of the death of Mr. Thomas News of the death of Mr. Thomas Lloyd-Jones, of Burford, is received with general regret in Brant County, and par-ticularly in Burford Township, of which he was for years an influential resident. Mr.Jones was a model farmed and a pub-lic-spirited citizen.

Eveline Roche, who was known years in Ingersoil as "Auntie lied at the House of Refuge, s. ck. on Friday morning. She own in England 84 years ago. She ouried in Ingersoil on Sunday, where had many friends, and was much ted. Deceased had one son living solver. was bu

in Denver.

Twenty-four years have passed since Mr. Alex Pearson, of Ingersoll, turned his back on England and came to Canada. On Friday next he will leave for England to pay his first visit to the haunts of his early days. At a meeting of Court Marquis of Lorne, A. O. F., the other night, Mr. Pearson was presented with a past chief ranger's jewel and a nicely-worded address. While in England Mr. Pearson will attend the A. O. F. High Court demonstration.

A Rodney correspondent says: At the

A Rodney correspondent says: At the manse of Rev. Charles W. Gordon (author of "The Man from Glengarry"), at Winnipeg, Miss Jessie Whitton, of Fingal, was married to Mr. John A. Chishom, of Ellisboro, Assa, N. W. T., on Thursday, Aug. 7. The bride and groom have both been teachers at different noints in Flein County. have both been teachers at different points in Elgin County. The bride recently resigned her position at Rodney. The groom has been teaching in the North west for a couple of years, and is located now where the young couple take up their home, at Ellisboro.

Mrs. Winslows Soothing Syrup. EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, Aug. 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 50 head; market unchanged. Veals—Receipts light; prices steady; tops, \$7 25 to \$7 50; fair to good. \$6 50 to \$7; common to light, \$5 to \$6; grass calves, \$3 50 to \$4. Hogs—Receipts, 2,100 head; slow 5c to 10c lower; heavy. \$7 70: mixed, \$7 60 to \$7 65; Yorkers, \$7 45 to \$7 50; light do and pigs. \$7 40 to \$7 45; roughs, \$5 75 to \$6; stags, \$5 25 to \$5 75; grassers, \$7 20 to \$7 30. Sheep and Lambs—Steady: lambs, \$4 75 to \$6 50; yearlings, \$4 75 to \$5 25; wethers, \$4 65 to \$4 75; ewes, \$4 to \$4 25; sheep, \$2 25 to \$4 50. Has been used for over FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEETHING, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES the CHILD, SOFTENS the GUMS, ALLAYS all PAIN. CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHEA. Sold by Druggists in every part of the wellby Druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's" Soothing Syrup.

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#### Saengerfest at Waterloo, August 12th 13th and 14th.

Toronto, Aug. —Hides—The receipts are fair, there a good demand and the market is steady; local dealers quote 8c for No. 1 green cows, 7c for No. 2, and 6c for No. 3, and green steers at 8½c; cured hides are steady, at 8½c for cows. and 9½c for steers.

Lambskins—In fair supply; the demand is fair and the market is steady; lambs The Grand Trunk Railway will issue ound trip tickets from London to Waerloo, Ont., at single fare. Good going by trains arriving at Waterloo after-noon of Aug. 11. All trains, Aug. 12, 13 and 14. Valid for return until Aug. 15. at 35c.
Tallow—There is a good demand and the market is firmer; local dealers are offering 6%c to 7c, and asking 74c.
Calfskins—The market is quiet; local dealers quote 10c for No. 1 and 8c for No. 2. is expected that several thousand people will be in attendance at this saengerfest, including the Singing Singing Clubs of Rochester, Buffalo, Detroit, and many other cities. For tickets and information apply to E. De la Hooke, City Passenger and Ticket Agent. Detroit, Aug. 13.—Beans are dull and unchanged. Quotations: Cash and Sept., \$1.70; Oct., \$1.69; Nov., \$1.62; prime spot,

A CAREFULLY-PREPARED PILL.—Much time and attention were expended in the experimenting with the ingredients that enter into the composition of Parmelee's Vegetavle Pills before they were brought to the state in which they were first offered to the public. Whatever other pills may be, Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are the result of much expert study, and all persons suffering from dyspepsia or disordered liver and kidneys may confidently accept them as being what they are represented to be.

A Red Hot Season During the hot summer season the blood gets overheated, the drain on the system is severe and the appetite is often lost. Burdeck Blood Bitters CAMPBELLFORD.

Campbellford, Ont., Aug. 12.—At the local dealers appetite.

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### THE BARCELONA BATTLE ONTARIO'S CROPS Dead on Both Sides Numbered

Nearly Three Hundred.

Revolutionists Regard Neitner Age Nor Sex-Fighting Day and Night.

Port of Spain, Island of Trinidad, RAIN CAUSED SOME TROUBLE Aug. 12. - Details of the fighting at Barcelona, Venezuela, received here by boat show that a terrible battle Farmers Complain of Scarcity of started on Sunday, Aug. 3, and that on the following Wednesday the Revolutionists entered the city. They kept up a continuous firing, day and night, destroying houses one by one, to reach the center of the city. At midnight on Thursday, two-thirds of the city was in their possession. On Friday the Government strongholds were carried and the survivors of the | cool month, being 5 degrees below the Government officers tried to escape average. The rainfall of July was by the river to the sea. Failing in more than double the general average. this they made one last stand, after which at noon, Friday, they surrendered to the Revolutionist command-Platero. Among those taken prisoners are Martin Marcano, president of the State of Berceiona, and commander of the Government troops;

The dead on both sides numbered All the houses in the city were sacked, and in some instances inoffen-sive women and children were maltreated and killed. All stores were pillaged, especially those belonging to foreigners, and the French cable office was robbed. The American, Italian and Dutch consulates were nillaged, and the consuls have asked for men-of-war to protect life and pro-perty. United States Minister Bowen, at Caracas, has cabled the cruiser Cincinnati to go to Barcelona without delay and take provisions.
The Topeka is anchored at Porto Cabello, the Marietta is on the oco, the German warship Falke is Curacoa, and the Italian cruiser, Giovanni Bausan, and the British cruiser Pallas, are at La Guaira.

eight generals and twenty-three col-

#### ACTED LIKE MAGIC

French Gentleman's Opinion of Dodd's Kidney Pills and What They Did for Him.

St. Urbain, Que., Aug. 11 .- (Special). -Narcisse Barrette, of this place, says: "For more than 15 years I suffered with a severe malady of the back and large yield of potatoes. kidneys, which caused me horrible

"I tried many doctors but the relief I could get was only temporary and the disease always returned. I suffered almost beyond endurance.

"I had Rheumatism as well as Back-Ache, and I would rather die than suffer again the way I did. "After trying the doctor's treatment and almost everything else without any good result, I began to use Dodd's

Kidney Pills. They acted almost like

### JOTTINGS FROM NEARBY PLACES

KOMOKA

Komoka, Aug. 11 .- Mrs. Alderich, of Thedford, has been visiting relatives There was a large attendance at the Presbyterian Church on Sunday after-

Miss Maggie Stewart spent Sunday at her home here. The Royal Templars of Temperance intend holding a social in the near future. Mr. T. Linnel, of London, spent Sun-

day with relatives here. Miss Lizzie Stewart spent a most enjoyable time with friends in Watford Mrs. Fletcher visited in Glencoe last

week. Miss Minnie and Master Cecil Stilson, of Wyoming, are visiting here. Mr. Blackwell's new store makes quite an improvement to the village; also Mr. Bishop's new house. A few more like them would make things look brighter.

Miss Annie Frank spent Sunday at her home here. Miss Wright, of London, has been visiting friends here.

The Methodist Sabbath school will picnic at Springbank on Wednesday. School reopens next Monday. Miss Riley, of London, visited here last week.

#### \$9 Per Ton for Coal.

New York, Aug. 13 .- The price of domestic sizes of anthracite coal was yesterday advanced to \$9 a ton, an increase of \$1 above the price of the previous day. The sizes affected are stove, egg, nut and broken coal.

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#### Hay Fever Sufferers

You may escape this annoying disease by going to the Highlands of On-tario. No Hay Fever can exist in the pure atmosphere of the Muskoka Lakes, Lake of Bays, or Georgian Bay. The Grand Trunk have issued a pamphlet entitled "Hay Fever," which may be obtained at principal offices or by addressing J. D. McDonald, District Passenger Agent, Toronto.

PASSED 15 WORMS. - I gave Dr. Low's Worm Syrup to my little girl, two and one-half years old; the result was that she passed fifteen round worms in five days.

## ARE SATISFACTORY

Agriculture Department Issues Its Annual Estimate

Labor-An Upward Tendency in Wages.

Toronto, Aug. 13.-The Ontario Department of Agriculture has issued an encouraging bulletin regarding the crops of the Province, based on the reports of its regular correspondents. It says that June was an exceptionally The yield of fall wheat has been from fair to large, except in Essex and most of the counties in the Lake Erie group. In several instances from ers, Generals Francisco Monagas and 35 to 40 bushels have been reported, years. There will be an abundance of straw. The crop of spring wheat is expected to be a good one, both in point of yield and quality. The barley crop is generally good and there will be a large yield of plump grain. This promises to be one of the best years on record for oats, both as regards grain and straw. Cutting will not be general until next week, and

> perhaps later. The rye crop has turned out very well this season, notwithstanding the unusual amount of rain, which has somewhat affected all cereals. IRREGULAR PEA CROP.

> The yield of the pea crop generally is one of the most irregular on record. From some quarters splendid reports have been received, while from others the crop is not worth cutting. Wet weather has played havoc with the bean crop.

The indications are that the corn crop will be considerably below the average, owing to cold weather in the earlier part of the season and exces-

sive rains. Hay and clover and grasses of all kinds made an immense growth this year, but where grown for hay the wet

weather told against the crop in both cutting and curing. The prospects are favorable for a The rains have had a very injurious effect on the tobacco crop and also upon root crops generally. There has

been but little damage from insect pests. Mangels, turnips and beets will, however, be plentiful. The sugar beet crop will be satisfactory. Favorable reports are to hand regarding flax and hops.

PLENTY OF FRUIT. Apples promise to yield very well. and there will be lots of peaches and pears, but the reports as to cherries are not so encouraging. Grapes will

not be plentiful. The rain has kept pasture in prime condition, and consequently live stock is everywhere in fine, healthy shape. The season's output of cheese and butter will be heavy. Reports as to honey are on the whole favorable. The scarcity of labor during the hav-

ing and harvesting seasons is a chronic complaint in all sections of the province, and the present season offers no exception in this respect. Extra help appears to have been difficult to obtain almost everywhere, and wages have had decidedly an upward tendency. There are numerous complaints as to the quality of the labor obtainable.

INTERESTING STATISTICS

The following are the crop estimates for 1902, as judged from appearances on Aug. 1. The acreages are final, but the yields (except in the case of hay) will be revised from actual threshing results in November. Fall wheat shows an area of 748,593 acres harvested, the estimated yield being 19,356,056 bushels, or 25.9 bushels per acre. In 1901 the yield from 911, 587 acres was 15,943,229 bushels, or 17, bushels per acre. The average yield for the past twenty years was 20 bushels per acre.

Spring wheat: 303,115 acres and 5,993,695 bushels, or 19.8 per acre. In

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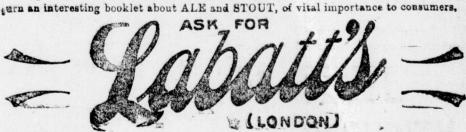
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1901 358,048 yielded 5,498,751 bushels, or 15.4 per acre, the acreage of the past twenty years being 15.5. Barley: 661,622 acres and 21,281,108

bushels, or 32.2 per acre. In 1901 637,-201 yielded 16,761,076 bushels, or 26.3 per acre, the average of the twenty years being 26.1. Oats: 2,500,758 and 105,540,519 bushels, or 43.2 per acre. In 1901 there were train on the G. T. R. track about two

twenty years being 34.8. Rye: 189,318 acres and 3,686,476 bushels, or 19.5 per acre. In 1901 there were 158,236 acres, yielding 2,545,268 bushels, or 16.1 per acre, the average for the twenty years being 16.2.

Peas: 533,639 acres and 11,363,345 bushels, or 21.3 per acre. In 1901 there were 602,724 acres, yielding 10,089,175 bushels, or 16.7 per acre, the average for the twenty years being 19.6. Beans: 53,964 acres and 632,099 bushels, or 11.7 per acre. In 1901 there were 53,688 acres, yielding 824,122 bushels, or

15.4 per acre. The average of twenty years was 17.3. Hay and clover: 2,646,202 acres and 4,955,438 tons, or 1.87 per acre, as compared with 1.81 in 1901, and 1.40 for twenty years.

Other crops: Corn for husking, 371,-959; corn for silo, 209,859; buckwheat, 93,324; potatoes, 144,733; mangels, 76,-533; carrots, 8,625; turnips, 136,725; rape, 49,573; flax, 7,101; hops, 2,237; to-

els, or nearly 6 bushels per tree.

CUT TO PIECES!

Unknown Man Meets Terrible Fate on G. T. R. Track Near Bothwell.

Bothwell, Ont., Aug. 13.-An unknown man was found cut to pieces by a 2,408,264 acres, yielding 78,334,490 bush- miles west of Bothwell early this els, or 32.5 per acre, the average for morning. He is supposed to have been about 45 years of age and was of sandy complexion. The left hand had been amputated at some time at the wrist. The man was cleanly clad and had a change of underclothing in a sack.

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Apples: 7,024,890 trees of bearing age are estimated to yield 41,174,552 bush-large are assumated to yield 41,174,552 bush-large are assumated to yield 40,174,552 bush-large are estimated to yield 40,174,552 bush-large are property for the great many liver regulators now pressed on the attention of sufferers. Of these there is none superior to Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. Their operation, though gentle, is effective, and the most delicate

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## TODAY'S MARKETS

OTHER MARKETS ON PA	GE 5.
STOCK MARKETS.	
MONTREAL.	
Montreal, Au	ig. 13.
Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific	137
Canadian Pacific, new	1343/2
Duluth. common	
Duluth preferred	
Winnipeg Electric	143
Montreal Street Railway 275%	2721/
West India	
Toronto Street Railway 123	1211/4
Halifax Street Railway114	106
St. John Street Railway130	116
Twin City Transit Railway 125%	12514
Twin City Railway, new	
Richelieu and Ontario 106%	106
Commercial Cable168	164
Montreal Telegraph	168
Bell Telephone	166
Dominion Iron and Steel, com 68%	68¾
Dominion Iron and Steel, pref., 99%	991/8
Montreal Heat, Light & Power. 100	891/2
Nova Scotia Steel, common117	113
Detroit Railway 8634	861/4

ntreal Cotton ntreal Street Bonds ..... Republic ..... Int. Ceal 75
Ogilvie Milling Co., pref. 124
Ogilvie Bonds 115
Bank of Montreal
Ontario Bank olsons Bank toyal Bank
Bank of Nova Scotia
Guebec Bank
130

86%; Toledo, 100 at 34, 100 at 34¼; R. and O., 25 at 106½, 25 at 106; Power, 5 at 99; Dominion Steel, common, 50 at 67½, 100 at 68, 25 at 68¼, 200 at 68½, 200 at 68¼.

550 at 69, 50 at 68%, 100 at 68%; Montree Telegraph, 15 at 168; Dominion Ste bonds, 11,000 at 92; Montreal Street Rai
way bonds, 600 at 107.
TORONTO.
Toronto, Aug. 13
Montreal
Ontario
Toronto
Merchants
Commerce 10
Imperial 24
Dominion 25
Standard 24
Hamilton 23
Nova Scotia 25
Ottawa 21

Traders. ational Trust. Montreal Gas..... Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land.... Commercial Cable. 2083
Commercial Cable. 166 Cable Coup. Bonds. . . . . . . . Cable Reg. Bonds. Bominion Telegraph...
Bell Telephone
Richelieu and Ontario Nav. Co. 10634 
 Luxfer Prism., pref

 Cycle and Motor.

 Carter Crume.
 106

 Dunlop Tire, pref
 107
 War Eagle...... Cariboo (McKinney)
Virtue
Crows Nest Coal
North Star
British Canadian L. and I
Canada Landed and Nat. Inv.
Canada Permanent
Canadian Savings and Loan
Contral Canada Loan
Dominion Savings and invest.
Freehold L. and Savings
Hamilton Provident
Huron and Erie L. and S
Imperial L. and Invest.
S0
Landed Banking and Loan
Lon, and Can, L. and A

People's Loan.
W. A. Rogers, pref.
Dominion Steel, com.
Dominion Steel, pref.
Dominion Steel Bonds.

Dominion Coal, com.... Nova Scotia Steel, com... Nova Scotia Steel Bonds. Nova Scotia Steel Bonds. 103%

EALES: Commerce, 25 at 162%, 50 at 162%, 100 at 163; Imperial, 1 at 240%, 38 at 240; Dominion, 20 at 251; Hamilton, 2 at 234%; Toronto Electric, 150 at 154%; Dominion Telegraph, 64 at 121; R. and O., 25 at 106%, 10 at 133; Twin City, 25 at 125, 275 at 125%, 100 at 125%, 25 at 125%, 50 at 125%, 110 at 125%, 10 at 125%, 25 at 125%, 50 at 125%, 25 at 125, 75 at 125%, 31 at 125, 100 at 125%, 100 at 125%; Twin City, new, 80 at 123%, 50 at 123%; Twin City, new, 80 at 123%, 50 at 123%; C. P. R., 25 at 137%; Toronto Railway, 50 at 121%, 5 at 125, 5 at 125%, 55 at 125%, 50 at 125%, 50 at 125%, 50 at 125%, 50 at 125%; 50 at 105%; 50 at 1 105%: Dominion Steel, common. 50 at 67%. 25 at 67%. 25 at 68. 25 at 63%. 225 at 68%; Nova Scotla Steel, 45 at 114½. 5 at 61%. 25 at 61%. 25 at 114½; Steel bonds, 6,000 at 91%: Dominion Coal, 25 at 14; Superior. 50 at 28. 50 at 28; Canada Landed, 9 at 107½, 20 at 107½.

NEW YORK. Reported by F. H. Butler, stock brover, Maronic Temple, for The Advertiser.

Open, High, Low. Close.

Hon. F. R. Latchford,

hicago Gt. Wes Delaware & Hudson. Edison's Gen. Elec. 168% 108 108% Jersey Central ..... 31¾ 31¼ 31¼ 149¼ 149¼ 149¼ 136 135 135¾ .149% .136 .148% .29% Manhattan. Metropoliton Trac... Mexican Central..... Mo. P. 118% 117 118 National Lend Trust. 1635% 7058 3334 163¼ 69¾ 33¾ .. 163½ 164 .. 69½ 70¾ .. 34½ 31⅓ N. Y. Central
Norfolk and W.
Ont. and West.
Pacific Mail S. S. Co. 160 104¼ 66¾ Pennsylvania...
Pennsylvania...
People's Gas...
Reading.
Reading. 1st. Pfd.
Republic I. and S...
Rock Island.
Southern Ry.
Southern Pacific. 150% 159% 104 104% 66% 66% 39½ 35½ 66¼ 69¾ 186 186¼ 49½ 50½ 107¾ 108 92 92¾ Southern Pacific ...

S. Steel, com. S. Steel, pref. 90½ 31½ 47% 92¾ 28¾ W. Union Tel...... Wisconsin Central. CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

Reported for the Advertiser by F. H. Butler, stock broker. Chicago, Aug. 13
High. Low. Close.
70½ 68¾ 70½
67¼ 66¾ 52¾
52¾ 51¾ 52¾
41¼ 40¾ 41½
26¾ 25¾ 26¾ Open 69% 67% 52% 40% 25% 25% 16 25 14 40 10 55 9 85 7 52 PRODUCE MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Aug. 13.—Wheat—Market quiet but firm, at \$2c asked, middle freights, and buyers are bidding \$1c to \$2c; new winter wheat, 75c bid west, prompt shipment; Manitoba firmer, at \$2c for No. 1 hard, \$6c for No. 1 northern, \$4c for No. 2 northern, grinding in transit. Flour—Dull, at \$2.90 for cars of 90 per cent patents in buyers' bags, middle freights, and 15c to 20c more for choice brands. Millfeed—Steady; cars of shorts, \$20, and bran at \$14.50 to \$15 in bulk, middle freights. Barley—New barley, 40c bid, middle freights. Rye. 50c middle freights. Corn—Steady; Canada yellow at \$2c west; American No. 3 yellow, 67c, Toronto. Oats—Steady; old No. 2 white, 43c to 43½c, middle freights; new oats at 34c to 35c, shipment this week at at 32c for shipment this month. Peas—Firm; old, 76c west. Eggs—Receipts are fair; moderate demand; firmer, at 15c to 15½c for selected, and 14c to 14½c for the ordinary run of fresh stock. Butter—Slight demand; prices steady; creamery prints, 19½c to 20½c; solids, 18½c to 19c; dairy tubs and pails, choice, 15c to 16c; medium, 13c to 14c; culls, 12c to 12½c; pound rolls, choice, 16c to 17c. Dressed hogs—Stady, at \$9.50 to \$10 for farmers' lots here. TORONTO.

ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, Aug. 13—Closing.—Wheat—Spot, No. 1 northern spring, quiet, 6s 1d;
No. 1 California dull, 6s 3½d. Futures quiet; Sept., 5s 11½d; Dec., 4s 10¾d. Corn—American mixed, spot quiet, 5s 11½d. Futures quiet; Sept., 4s 11½d; Oct., 4s 9¾d; Jan., nominal.

Peas—Canadian quiet, 6s 8d.

Beef—Extra India mess strong, 107s 6d.

Pork—Prime mess western strong, 183s 6d.

83s 6d. Pork-Prime mess western firm, 82s 6d. Hams-Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, quiet, Bacon—Cumberland cut. 26 to 30 lbs,

quiet, 55s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, quiet. 60s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, quiet, 59s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, quiet, 58s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 58s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 62s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, quiet, 48s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, dull, 53s 3d; American refined, in pails, dull, 53s.

Butter—Nominal Butter-Nominal.

Butter—Nominal.
Cheese—American finest white, quiet,
47s 6d; do, colored, quiet, 46s 6d.
Tallow—Prime city steady, 23s;
Australian (in London) steady, 33s.
Turpentine spirits—Steady, 34s.
Linseed oil—Dull, 31s 6d.
Hops (at London)—Pacific coast firm Hops (at London)—Pacific coast firm, f6 to f6 15s. 6 to f6 15s. Petroleum—Refined dull, 6%d. Rosin—Common firm. **4s** 3d.

### IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Miss Bert Hueston, of Petrolea, holidaying in London. Miss E. Green, of Cartwright street, is visiting friends in Clinton.

Dr. Macarthur has returned from a

Misses Roberta and Florence Elliot. of Westminster, are visiting in Bruce-

week's holiday at Grand Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rumball have returned from their honeymoon trip to western cities.

Mr. Llewellyn A. Keenleyside left last evening for Colorado Spring, to spend some weeks. N. W. Rowell, K. C., Toronto, accompanied by Mrs. Rowell, is holiday-

ing in South London. Miss Ethel Butchart, of Waltham. Mass., is visiting her sister, Miss A. M. Butchart, of this city. Miss Jennie Murray, of Wilton Grove, spending a week on the Fraser Heights, Port Stanley.

Miss Clara Walmsley, of this city, is visiting in Sarnia, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Pink. Mrs. A. Wolf and Miss Mills, of Talbot street, left this afternoon to

attend the Berlin Saengerfest. Master Robbie Macpherson, of South London, is visiting his cousin, Master be found those of several prominent Marshall Macpherson, of Port Stanley. retired gentlemen and business men Master Courtis Westland and Miss Nita Westland, of Ridout street south, are on a visit to relatives in Strath-

Miss Laird and Miss Elizabeth R. Laird, P. H. D., are visiting Mrs. A. Keenleyside, 500 King street, for a few weeks.

Miss Ida Ryckman, of this city, left on Monday last to spend her holidays with friends in Buffalo and Atlantic City, U. S. A. Mrs. F. B. Wells, lady principal of Moulton College, Toronto, is on a visit to her brother, Police Court Clerk

Moule, of this city. R. K. Cowan, E. Fitzgerald and T. D. Hastings, of Dominion Lodge, No. 48, are in Toronto attending the meeting of the grand lodge of I. O. O. F. Miss Bertha Judson, daughter of Mr. W. L. Judson, formerly of this city, but now of Los Angeles, Cal., is vis-iting friends in London and near-by

Acting Mayor Winnett returned last night after a pleasant holiday at Kingston. Mrs. Winnett and family will spend a couple of weeks in To-

Hon. F. R. Latchford, commissioner of public works, was in the city yesterday and today, the guest of Mr. S. R. Brown, grand secretary of the S. R. Brown, grand secretary of the C. M. B. A. of Canada, and Col. Leys,

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WEATHER BULLETIN

Thursday: Weather Unsettled.

Rain has fallen during the day in the Maritime Provinces, but the weather there is clearing. Elsewhere in Canada it has been fine, except that a few scattered showers have occurred in the Northwest.

Northwest.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:
Victoria, 52—60; Kamloops, 52—82; Calgary,
42—58; Qu'Appelle, 50—68; Minnedosa, 46—
76; Winnipeg, 50—86; Port Arthur, 38—66;
Parry Sound, 46—66; Toronto, 48—68; Ottawa, 50—68; Montreal, 56—62; Quebec,
56—68; Halifax, 60—70.

Wednesday, Aug. 13-8 a.m. Temperatures. 8 a.m. Min. ... 42 88 .... 60 42 .... 56 46 .... 58 50 Weather Stations. Calgary ..... Winnipeg ... Parry Sound.... Toronto Ottawa Montreal Fair Clear Clear Cloudy Quebec ...... Father Point.

FORECASTS. Today—Moderate to fresh easterly to southerly winds, becoming showery tonight, with local thunderstorms.
Thursday—Still unsettled.

WEATHER NOTES. Rain is indicated tonight for the lake region, probably spreading eastward during Thursday. In the Northwest, after a warm day yesterday, the night became very cool. However, there are no conditions there at present favoring frost.

Local temperatures: Tuesday—Highest, 67.5°; lowest, 45°.

#### TALES OF LONDON TOWN

-Summonses are being issued by the police for those who were delinquent in the payment of their statute labor tax.

-Beverly Burwell, a well-known local character, was arrested last night by P. C. Noonan for creating a disturbance while drunk. magistrate fined him \$1 at the police court this morning. A wages case was | September. He will not discuss the referred to the division court.

FELL AND BROKE HIS ARM. Philip Murch, a carpenter by trade, residing at No. 831 Lorne avenue, fell off a load of lumber, which he was

unloading at Gillis' sawmill last night, and struck with such force against one of the rails which run through the yard, that he broke the bone of his arm just above the shoulder. He was removed to his home. PLEASANT ENTERTAINMEN A very enjoyable and profitable en-

tertainment was given at the High Street Mission under the auspices of the Sabbath School, on the evening of the 12th. A large and appreciative audience was in attendance, and encored heartily several of the participants. Among those taking part were Mrs. Kemp. Misses Wilson, Cook and Richman, and Messrs. George, Baker, Ritchie and Taylor.

GOING TO CLEVELAND. Much interest is being taken in the excursion to Cleveland on Saturday. Aug. 23. The excursion is under the auspices of the "Big Five," being the St. Thomas and London members of Mr. James Fax and the Tremos for the Brotherhood of Railroad Train- the entertainment to be held in front men, embracing employes of the G. T. R., M. C. R., C. P. R., and L. E. and D. R. R. and the Wabash Railway. The fare is only \$150 for the day, or \$2 for three days. London excursionists leave here at 6 a.m. Saturday, reaching Cleveland at 2 p.m. Returning they leave Cleveland at 11 p.m. A FAMILY REUNION.

A very pleasant time was spent at the home of Mrs. William Buskard, 901 Elias street, on Saturday last, when a reunion of the family took place. Miss MacIvor, of Windsor, is the those present being: Mr. and Mrs. guest of Mrs. Harry Martyn, 804 Lorne William J. Buskard, of Providence, R. I.: Miss Annie Buskard, city: Mr. and Mrs. John Buskard, Brantford; Mr. and Mrs. George Buskard, city; Mr. and Mrs. George Buskard, city; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Buskard, city. The were Mr. and Mrs. H. Pike, of Chicago, Ill., who were unavoidably detained. A picture of the entire group was taken by Mr. William Faulkner, photographer, of the east end.

#### Letters to the Editor.

GARDEN COMPETITION.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: The publishing of the names of all contestants in the garden competition has aroused a keen interest among those competing, and, at the same time has caused keen disappointment among the working class who have entered, as among the names on the list will owning beautiful homes, and who have plenty of time and money for the adornment of them.

It is not my intention to take up much of your valuables pace, but I think and believe the judges will concur with my opinion, that it was not the intention of our good mayor to encourage these latter people, but rather that the prizes should be awarded to the people who have to work for their living, and thus give them some encouragement. If the homes of working class were as beautiful as those of the rich it would have been unnecessary to have offered the prize

at all. Respectfully yours, FAIR PLAY.

London, Aug. 12, 1902. SOME PERSONS have periodical at-SOME PERSONS have periodical attacks of Canadian cholera, dysentery or diarrhea, and have to use great precautions to avoid the disease. Change of water, cooking and green fruit is sure to bring on the attacks. To such persons we would recommend Dr. J. D. Kellog's Dysentery Cordial as being the best medicine in the market for all summer complaints. If a few drops are taken in water when the symptoms are noticed, no further trouble will be experienced.

Watches That Don't Keep Time can be made to keep time if put in order through our Watch Department. Moder-

ate charges. Adkins, East London

### DOMESTIC SCIENCE WILL BE A VERY PRACTICAL SUBJECT

Method by Which It Will Be subject at the midsummer examinations. Added to the Curriculum of the Public Schools.

Domestic science has been talked about so much of late, and especially in London, since the school board have schools, that it is advisable to under- ently practical. stand thoroughly what domestic science as taught in the Collegiate Institute will mean.

First, the school board wish it distinctly understood that the domestic science course will not, as so many people erroneously believe, be simply and solely for Collegiate Institute pu-pils, but also for the pupils of the senior classes in all the public schools

of the city. Only one room will be equipped at present, and that room will be in the Collegiate Institute, but Inspector Carson will so arrange the timetable in much good. the public schools that the pupils will be enabled to attend the classes in the

Collegiate. Many pupils have wondered whether way be utilized.

Talks on foods and marketing will be the course was to be optional or compulsory, or whether there would be exwork of the school, and would be in-cluded in the general fee paid by Colschool pupils.

this course will be allowed to drop the subject of physiology, and will not be to become the rarest of treasures—a required to take any standing in that perfect houskeeper.

The main thing taught in domestic science is, of course, cooking, but incidentally everything pertaining to the management of the home is general brought in.

Necessarily the work in the Colle-giate will be, to some extent, theoretical, because with the multiplicity of other studies at the school too much cannot be attempted at first, but as decided to have it taught in the city far as possible the work will be emin-

The girls will be taught everything about the house on the most hygienic principles possible. Personal cleanliness will be insisted upon, to the spotlessness of cuffs and apron, and everything about the kitchen will be as shining as soap and water can make it. The girls will be taught to clean the stove, scrub the floor, wash the woodwork, and wash out their own disheloths. Every branch of household work will be taken up, even to setting and clearing a table, and lighting a fire. The cooking will not be expensive or extravagant at all. It will be plain, but dainty, a combination productive of

The girls will be taught to be as economical as possible in household work, not wasting a scrap which can in any

given and illustrated by practical extra fees for the lessons, or whether amples, and on occasions when roasts they would be part of the general or fowls are shown practical carving

will be taught.

There is no doubt that this course legiate pupils. The school board wish it emphasized that the course is enfuture housewives, and it is to be tirely optional, and that there will be no fees for either Collegiate or public opportunity which the enterprise of the school board has afforded them, for Those in the public school who take not only will it cultivate their powers

## SIR WILFRID'S

Helped Keep Colonies Out of Vortex of European Armaments.

London, Aug. 13 .- The colonial assemblage at the Hotel Cecil is breaking up. Sir Wilfrid Laurier starts with Sir Gilbert Parker today for the Channel Islands and Paris, and will visit Rome before returning to London in work of the Imperial Conference, but it is an open secret that he has exthe colonies out of what he calls the vortex of European armaments. There turn.

was without a doubt vigorous effort on the part of Mr. Chamberlain to concentrate attention on this subject as the most available ground for common action, but there has been a complete failure to commit the colonies to a costly policy for the military and naval defense of the empire.

This question, apart from the increase of the Australian naval contributions, remains where it was, and steamship subsidies have not been taken out of the hands of the colonial ministers interested in working out plans for a fast mail service on the Atlantic and Pacific.

Preferential trade is virtually remanded to the serious consideration of the British and colonial governments and taxpayers. It has been recommended cautiously and tentatively within the bounds of the existing tariff

arrangements. Mr. Seddon will not accompany Sir Edmund Barton to Canada, having changed his plans. Hon. W. S. Fielding will remain a week longer in Londen, but Hon. Mr. Paterson and Sir erted a decisive influence in keeping William Mulock and the other Canadian ministers are preparing to re-

### PREPARING FOR LABOR DAY adjudged the havehicles in line.

frades and Labor Council Eclipse Previous Years.

Trophies for Best Organizations in Line of March.

The regular meeting of the Trades and Labor Council last night was marked by the largest attendance of

the year. President Burleigh occupied the chair. The Labor Day committee reported that they had secured the services of of the grand stand at Queen's Park on Labor Day. A trophy has been provided for the best organization in

adjudged the have the best decorated

The committee appointed to wait on the various unions to urge them to affiliate with the Trades Congress Jority had decided to comply with the request and to send delegates to the convention at Berlin, Ont., on Sept. 15. The committee appointed to prose-

Stove Company, announced that they had waited upon all the local dealers, the majority of whom promised to lay the facts before the company. The following delegates were appointed to attend the approaching convention at Berlin: J. T. Marks, W. Burleigh and Ed. Hayden; alternates:

Robert Ingram, J. Loughlane and W. Crossland. It was decided to send a communi-Company, advising them that if in the future they should again send any of their non-union employes to take the places of union men in other towns-as was done in the case of the recent Toronto strike-the council would take the line of procession, and prizes will action to make the matter a local also be awarded the two merchants

#### AN "OLD INHABITANT"

Remains of the Gigantic Primeval Four Degrees of Frost Today at Mount Bear Discovered in California. Washington, N. H.

Berkeley, Cal., Aug. 13.-Eustace L. Furlong, student assistant in the geological department of the University of caves of Shasta County almost the enincomplete, have hitherto been discovered by geologists, the work of Furlong ranks as one of the most not-

#### WATER TURNED ON

to Test the Walls.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Aug. 13 .-The first water from Lake Superior has been turned into the big water power canal, and the canal filling. This is merely to test the side three months before water can be put through penstocks and into the run work of magnitude to remove them. almost immediately.

Green and Gaynor Free. Quebec, Aug. 13 .- Justice Caron de-

livered his judgment this morning in the matter of Green and Gaynor, and in consequence of his judgment the two prisoners are now free men.

Knight's Busy Day.

San Francisco, Aug.12.—This was another busy day for the Knights of Pythias. The Pythian Sisterhood held its second session. There was a review of the uniform rank, and there were competitive drills; the supreme lodge convened; the Imperial Palace of Knights of Khorassan held a session, and the Supreme Temple of the Rathbone Sisters assembled. The chief event of the day will be the grand parade at 3 p.m. through the principal will be a grand musical concert and a banquet to the visiting Rathbone Sis-

Pythian Educational Association was Island for purposes of propagation. called to order today. The massive may The moose were captured by R. E. Folbe extended to Thursday, lette, of Chicago, by Indians.

SNOW-SHOVELS UTILIZED

Mount Washington, N. H., Aug. 13 .-California, has found embedded in the loped yesterday afternoon, the humidity floor of one of the famous limestone of the preceding hours resolved itself into a freezing atmosphere. At 3 a.m. only members of the family absent tire remains of an arctotherium simum, today the thermometer registered 28 the gigantic primeval bear that was degrees. The summit presented a bleak the first of his kind to roam the two appearance, thickly coated as it was American continents. Because only with sleet and ice, while on the long fragments of the skeleton, until now wooden walk about the hotel, the ice power to bring about formation was such that it had to be the strike in the anthracite region." shoveled away this morning. Balliston, N. Y., Aug. 13.-A slight able achievements of the University of frost was observed at sunrise today in

the lowlands near this village. FOUR MEN PERISHED

In the Big Power Canal at the Soo Met Death by a Boiler Explosion in New York Harbor.

New York, Aug. 13.-The boiler of the tug Jacob Kuper blew up today, near St. Georges, Staten Island. Four Two men were picked up alive by the below. The doors at the head of the Staten Island ferry boat Castleton, still remain in place, and it will be a and brought to the city. The tug sank

Canadians Returning.

Liverpool, Aug. 12 .- Among the passen-Liverpool, Aug. 12.—Among the passengers sailing for Canada today on board the Beaver liner Lake Simcoe are: Hon. G. H. Murray, Premier of Nova Scotia; Hon. L. J. Tweedie, Premier of New Brunswick; Hon. Edward Blake, M.P. Col. J. M. Gibson, M.P.P., Mr. W. S. Calvert, M.P., and Mr. Alex Johnstone, M.P.P. The British rifle team to compete at Ottawa for the Palma trophy is pete at Ottawa for the Palma trophy is also on board.

For a Moose Preserve.

Duluth, Minn., Aug. 13.-Four moose calves passed through Duluth from the Canadian Northwest by express yesterstreets of the city. In the evening there | miles east of Marquette, and in the of the Canadian Government. W. G. The second annual convention of the Mather is putting them on Grand

Prof. W. Hodgson Ellis, Official Analyst to the Dominion Government, reports that Sunlight Soap contains "no unsaponified fat,"-that means no waste.

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## te a Breeze!

Our plan of advertising our greatest bargains during the dullest portion of the year, has stirred up quite a breeze in business circles, and made a lot of extra work for our clerks. Still they like it, there's something so exhibarating in the atmosphere of a busy store. Here are some "eye openers" which they will be pleased to show.

### Of Interest to Womankind.

Brass and Iron Beds at \$4 50, \$6 00, \$7 50, \$9 00, \$10 50, \$12 00; all brass \$18 00, \$21 00, \$24 00, \$27 00, \$30 00 up to \$50 00.

Corner Wardrobes at \$8 00, \$10 00 and \$12 00; solid ash with a large mirror in the door. Folding Mantel beds at \$5 00 and \$10 00, fitted with a suspension spring

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Labor Leader Suggests Seizure of the Mines.

SENATOR OUAY AS ARBITRATOR

Wants to Help Settle the Trouble-

Mitchell Is Sanguine of

Winning.

former president of the International Order of Railway and Commercial cute the fight against the Gurney Telegraphers, has submitted to President Roosevelt a plan by which, he dent Rooseyelt a plan by which, he week of the strike the estimated says, the strike in the anthracite coal losses are as follows: 

is now being considered by H. M. To business men in region. 10,300,000 Hoyt, acting attorney-general. This plan is to have the Government This plan is to have the Government police ..... exercise the right of eminent domain Maintaining non-union men... cation to the London Street Railway and selze a certain number of the Damage to mines and machinmines and operate them for the purpose of taking out all the hard coal required by the Government in its Cost of troops in field ..... various buildings, on the ships of the navy department and for all other

governmental purposes. The right of the Government to intervene in a strike which interferes in any way with governmental functions was proved, Mr. Dolphin contends, by President Cleveland's action in the Chicago strike of 1893, when he in the Chicago strike of 1893, when he is dead of apoplexy. He was born at Hartford, Conn., in 1841, and at various ordered out United States troops in keep the strikers from interfering ist

with the transportation of mails. QUAY READY TO AID. Atlantic, N. J., Aug. 13.-Senator Quay says he is willing to do all in At the peak of Mount Washington, as a his power to end the strike of the result of the cold wave which devel- anthracite coal miners. George Llewellyn, of the Citizens' Alliance, of Wilkesbarre, called upon the senator and asked the latter to use his good offices in an endeavor to end the strike Senator Quay, after his talk with

"I am ready to do anything in my power to bring about a settlement of COMPROMISE WITH GLASS

WORKERS. Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 13.—It was reported last night that the American Flint Glass Workers' Union has gained a decided victory in securing from the MacBeth-Evans Glass Company, only producer of machine-made chimneys, a compromise advance for skilled men of the factories of seven per cent in wages. This compromise is expected to put 5,000 workers back to work. President Volte, of the Glass age has been done to fruit. Peaches Workers, said he could not disclose and apples are decaying on the trees Workers, said he could not disclose the exact terms of the adjustment until it had been submitted to his people. walls of the canal, as it will be two or of the crew were killed or drowned. The agreement reached by the committee will have to be ratified by a referendum vote.

> MINERS WILL WIN. Wilkesbarre, Pa., Aug. 13.-President Mitchell stated today that he had re-ceived official information from Pittsburg that the strike of coal miners along the West Penn Railroad was about settled and that the men would be back to work in a short time. This he said, would enable the miners' union to concentrate all its strength in the anthracite region and the West Virginia strike region. Mitchell said he was confident that the hard coal

miners were going to win. WHAT IS TO BE GAINED? Pittsburg Dispatch: The latest re ports from the anthracite region state that there is every reason to believe that the strike will be indefinitely prolonged, that the men are showing no sign of weakening, and the companies are making no efforts to resume operday. The animals are the forerunners ations. Upon this latter point the tesof a moose herd which is to be raised | timony of Mine Inspector Stein, who on Grand Island in Lake Superior, 35 would be the first to know of any preparations for resumption, is emphatic State of Michigan. The moose were obtained in Manitoba, by permission apparent that the object of the operators is not so much the operation of the mines at the earliest possible date. tention when they originally desired the presence of the troops, as it is to

hold out with the hope of destroying the Miners' Union. This makes it per-tinent to inquire what they expect to gain by the disruption of the organiza-tion. The utter folly of expecting by this means to forever extinguish unionism in the anthracite field must

be clear to every disinterested observer. Unions have been defeated and disrupted before now, but that has not kept the workers in that particular line of industry from organizing. It has simply postponed, but not prevented, the ultimate settlement of the wage question upon a reasonable basis. Nor is there any foundation for the claim that the miners in the hard coal field differ so greatly in temperament and reliability from those in other places. The foreign element can be found in every coal mining district. The question really narrows down to the simple tion really narrows down to the simple issue, stated by Senator Hanna: "Why should not the anthracite operators find it as profitable and satisfactory to recognize the union in their field as New York, Aug. 13 .- Martin Dolphm, it to be in every other state, where the

adjustment of the wage scale by contract has been tried ' COST OF COAL STRIKE. At the beginning of the fourteenth

fields could be ended. President Roose- To operators in price of coal.\$30,500,000 To striking mine workers, To business men outside ... Maintaining coal and iron 6,000,000

Wage loss of lace mill strike. 120,000

Total ..... \$71,100,000

#### Clever Musician Dead.

New York, Aug. 13. - Charles E. times he was associated as accompanartists as Emma Abbott, Mme. Anna Bishop, Robert Heller, Alice Dunning

Lingard and Clara Louise Kellogg. HARD AND SOFT corns cannot withstand Holloway's Corn Cure; it is effectual every time. Get a bottle at once and be happy.

High Court I. O. O. F. Windsor, Ont., Aug. 13. - The High Court of the I. O. F. met here this morning, The high chief ranger delivered six reports. No other business of importance has been transacted. The mayor of Windsor tendered an address of welcome. The local courts arranged to give a moonlight excursion on the

river. , The first shipment of new wheat was delivered in Kingston, Ont., Monday

by a Township of Kingston farmer, who received 75 cents a bushel. Owing to the continued wet weather, round East Dayton, Mich., much dam-

and nearly all varieties of grapes are mildewed. A young woman patient confined in Rockwood asylum, at Kingston, Ont., secured a suit of male attire, and cscaped. She wore her skirts inside, and eft the borrowed clothing at a local notel. A friend engaged sent her back to the institution, but on the way she jumped out and again

tured. STEAMERS ARRIVED. Aug. 13. Reported at From Laurentian Montreal Glasgow Tunisian Belle Isle Liverpool

escaped, but was subsequently recap-

## THE CLERGY

Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder Cures All Creeds. It Relieves in 10 Minutes Here are a few names of clergymen of different creeds who are firm beli-in Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder to in Dr. Aginew's Catarrina Towner to Inventor in the preaching" in all it claims: Bishop Sweetman, Rev. Dr. Langtry (Episcopalian); Rev. Dr. Withrow and Rev. Dr. Chambers (Methodist), and Dr. Newman, all of Toronto, Canada. Copies of their personal letters for the asking.

in Agnew's Cintment relieves piles in a cav. Sold by C. McCallum & Co.

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row, a grown man, big and bearded and bronzed by an Indian sun, had won the Victoria Cross with which the bravest of the brave are rewarded? Was it a cor-

be buffoonery, and your genius an imposition, and your character a humbug —

in the room? You never entertained ser-

ious designs upon that affable young lady; soft as wou were, you were not soft enough to be taken in by flirting Fanny's

cal man far more than fevers and such bodily ailments; the frame that hardship

at a climate have not wasted will droop

a d dwindle under the gnawing influence of discontent; and even on the outward brow care ploughs her furrows deeper

vances would admit of no compromise and no half measures. Despite of the alderman's wilful blindness, despite of Bella's schemes of retrenchment, despite

Bella's schemes of retrenchment, despite even of John Gordon's honest intelligence and unceasing exertions, the crash had come at last. With the rest of the alderman's personality Verbena Villa must go to the hammer: and to the hammer accordingly went "that desirable residence," with its furniture and fixtures, its grand pianoforte, its double coach-house, and all its appurtenances

coach-house, and all its appurtenances and belongings.

It was a sad break-up and blow to the old alderman, but Bella bore it bravely as a heroine, and busied herself in making the lodgings to which they removed at Brighton as comfortable as circum-

ing the lodgings to which they removed at Brighton as comfortable as circumstances would permit. She redoubled her care and tenderness to her father; she encouraged him to talk to her of his ventures and his losses with the tact and perception of true affection. She saw that this was the only method by which she could prevent him from continually brooding over his misfortunes. A sudden fall in the funds consequent upon a panic had completed that ruin of which the American and Australian losses had

lute starvation in a small settlement which had been provided long ago for his only daughter.

[To be Continued.]

Rich Silver Strike.

copper, has been made on Bull Hill,

the very center of the Cripple Creek

district, at a depth of 1,365 feet. This

bears out the theory of many experts who have predicted that the deep

Advice to Apple-Growers.

Buffalo, Aug. 13.-Estimates from all

sections of the apple-growing dis-

tricts place the crop at less than 60

per cent of a good crop, or about 70

"I want to caution apple-growers everywhere, not to listen to these

early tales, and if they have good fruit, not to contract in advance at

any figure under \$2 50. I predict that

firsts will go higher than that and

that probably firsts and seconds will

A noted London club man once laid a

wager with a friend that the latter could

not sell a given number of gold guineas

at a penny a piece. He won his wager.

The people refused to buy. They thought he was offering too much for too little.

It may be that the claims made for

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription seem

sent out by the shippers, said:

bring the figure named."

almost too great to

women who in years

of suffering have found

no help in doctors or

medicines. But it is

no claim is made for

wipes a slate.

to be remembered that .

Favorite Prescription

is the great medicine

for women. It estab-

lishes regularity, dries

enfeebling drains,

heals inflammation

and ulceration and

cures female weakness.

no claim is made for "Favorite Prescription" which is not substantiated by thousands of women cured by its use. Its effects are truly wonderful. It wipes out past years of pain as a sponge wipes a slate.

tive for maternity, making the baby's advent practically painless.

"When I wrote to you in March, asking advice as to what to do for myself." says Mrs. Ella Reynolds, of Guffie, McLean Co., Ky., "I was expecting to become a mother in June, and was sick all of the time. Had been sick for severul months. Could not get anything to stay in my stomach, not even water. Had mishaps twice in six months, and threatening all the time with this one. Had female weakness for several

Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure biliousness.

the district's output.

Australian climate.

He watched his opportunity accordingly, and regardless of entreating glances cast at him from many a shawled beauty and hooded chaperone, who wanted him to call up their carriages, he followed Gilbert down the steps of Ormblu House as the latter emerged with the obvious intention of departing alone and on foot; and, taking his arm noiens volens, expressed his determination of walking home with him for a quiet chat. It is no easy matter to commence taking even the most intimate friend to task concerning his habits, demeanor and general conduct, but Holyhead was not a man to beat about the bush when he knew where beat about the bush when he knew where the game lay; and, lighting a cigar, he ged at once without hesitation in

edias res.
"Gilbert," said the peer, emitting the "Gilbert," said the peer, emitting the smoke from his mouth in short, sharp puffs, as was his custom when peculiarly energetic, "they tell me you are playing the devil. I am the oldest friend you have, you know, and I don't care a straw whether I offend you or not. You're getwhether I offend you or not. You're getting into the worst set in London. I haven't seen you at a respectable house till tonight for a week. You've lost no end of money—more than even you can afford—within the last few days, and everybody is talking about your altered manner and strange ways. One by one had werybody is taiking about your aftered manner and strange ways. One by one you're losing every friend you ever had. You must take a pull, old fellow, you must, indeed. Hang it! You're not a fool, though you're behaving like one. You can't go on so."
"What do you wish me to do?" asked Gilbert, in such a quiet, hopeless tone as

Gilbert, in such a quiet, hopeless tone as disappointed his friend sadly. Holyhead disappointed his friend saily. Holyhead had almost wished he would quarrel with him, pull him up for his interference, give him an opportunity of saying a host of sharp things, and of rescuing his friend, so to speak, with the strong hand from himself; but this gentle, unquestioning acquiescence disarmed the peer completely, upset his whole made of attack,

pletely, upset his whole made of attack, and confused all his operations.
"Do?" repeated he; "why, come with me to Germany, or Switzerland, or Norway, or anywhere you like. Get out of London and into fresh air and a quiet life. I'll go with you tomorrow, if you'll only say the word, and pitch every ender the winds. only say the word, and pitch every engagement I have to the winds. Hang it! old fellow, you're the dearest friend I have, or I wouldn't speak to you as I

You are a kind, good fellow," answered Gilbert, and again the utter hope-lessness of his tone sank into his friend's heart. "But what is the use?—what is the use?" He repeated the words vacant-ly, and, as it seemed, unconsciously. Holyhead was at a nonplus. There was Holyhead was at a nonplus. There was something in all this beyond his simple skill to fathom or to set right. He stopped beneath a gas-light and peered anxiously into his companion's face. There was that in it which he could not rightly understand. Everybody who knew "Nobs" said that his heart was in the right place. Something like a tear glistened on his shaggy cheek as he grasped his friend's arm once more and spoke in a softened and broken voice: "Gilbert, I never had a brother, but I could not have loved fifty brothers as well as I do you. There's something wrong, very wrong, I can see plainly. Trust me—tell me what it is. I don't care what you've done. I'll stand by you through thick and thin. Only trust me—only tell me what I can do for you."

The other burst out laughing. Orme's The other burst out laughing. Orme's mper was so variable now, you never new whether he would be gay or grave for five minutes together.
"You're quite in the blues tonight, Nobs," said he, with harsh, jarring merri-ment. "What should I have to confess worse than the rest of us? You don't worse than the rest of us? You don't think I've robbed a church, do you? or that if I had I should be sorry for it? Cheer up, old fellow! every man for himself you know. When I want you I'll come to you. Don't be offended; you mean well, I'm sure, but you don't make allowances for a fellow like me—a fellow that cares for nobody, and has nobody to care for me. It's a jolly life—very! You can't think how happy I am sometimes. Here we are at my door. Will you came in and drink brandy, or go quietly to bed? You won't? Well, then, I must take your allowance and my own, There's nothing like it. Il segreto esser felice, you know." And he led out the famous drinking-song n "Lucretia Borgia" in rich, manly from "Lucretia Borgia" in rich, manly tones, scarcely yet impaired by his failing

Holyhead bade him "Good-night" with a sad, wistful countenance, and betook himself to his own bachelor home at a far slower pace than ordinary, shaking his head moodily at intervals as he strode along the streetjs. The peer was at his wits' end-not a long distance, certainlyyet had he never arrived so obviously at that terminus before. As he drew his latch-key from his pocket, he startled the policeman on duty by the energy with which he gave vent to this remark.

"Pounded, by Jupiter! There must be a woman at the bottom of it!"

And Gilbert drank brandy, as he had threatened; aye, and a darker fluid than brandy, poured drop by drop from a phial—a fluid without which he could now never know a moment's composure or repose; and then he sallied forth again, with many a bitter laugh at his own weakness, and crossed the Edgeware road and flitted to and from about a contributed to any first about a contributed to any first and fire about a contributed to any first about a contribute to any first about a contribute to the contribu and flitted to and fro about a certain dreary street, as they say the miser's ghost filts aimlessly about the spot which concealed his buried treasure long ago.

CHAPTER XXXV. The only person in whom Gilbert seemed to confide, or in whose society at this period he seemed to take the slightest pleasure, was his cousin, the Lady Ger-trude. There might have been some secret sympathy between these two; for Ger-trude also, with no obvious cause for uneasiness, was not happy. It may appear strange that a young lady possessed of her advantages, both of person and posi-tion, rejoicing, moreover, in a good constitution, and a fortune of thirty thou-sand pounds, should have a care or an annoyance beyond the folds of her dress; but pleasures and sorrows are pretty equally distributed among all classes in this world of ours, and the peer's daughter is no more free from the latter than the peasant lass is debarred from the former of these necessities of existence. When the princess meets the milkmaid, in the fairy tale, and makes the latter the confidante of her woes, do we not find that her little world of hopes and fears and jealousies and anxieties is very like that of her low-born companion? Nay, that Dolly's very often in the meets. that of her low-born companion? Nay, that Dolly's very often is the most enviable lot of the two? Though she have to rise at daybreak, and milk the cows on a misty morning, though she break her fast on brown bread, and wear a coarse but no unbecoming petticoat, she enjoys several advantages that are not commanded by her noble friend in brocade. Deliy can come and go unquestioned, if not unnoticed, to and from her tryst beneath the hawthorn-tree. Deliy's gambols at fair and market are gambols at fair and market are, if not uncensured, at least unchallenged by her gossiping comrades. Free-handed Dolly gossiping comrades. Free-handed Dolly can box her swain's ears for attempting a kiss, or offer her red lips to that smacking salute without fear of discovery; and may jig it all Saturday night at a merrymaking with Hodge if she will, and find her freedom unimpaired by her activity on Sunday morning. But precious Perdita must do none of these things. Perdita must not go across the threshold of the palace unattended. Perdita must by no means overheat her pretty self with exercise, or wet her tiny feet in the morning dew. Above all things, Pardita must be careful of every look or sign she casts among the household, more particularly that portion of it which wears doublet and hose. Perdita may dance a minuet with the Grand Falconer, a venerminuet with the Grand Falconer, a venerable nobleman, feathered and hooded and able nobleman, feathered and hooded and beaked like one of his own hawks; but she must to so much as speak to the handsome equerries, or look at the roguish pages; and as for that beautiful young prince to whom she has been petrothed unseen, and with whose portrait she has fallen in love, etiquette forbids poor Perdita to mention his name, or inquire about his movements, or even to seem aware of the happiness for which she is destined. Despite of the brocade, and the confectionery, the gilded chambels and royal coaches, the silks and the satins, and diamond ear-rings and glass slippers, I cannot but think that I would rather be Dolly the milkmaid than Per-

be Dolly the milkmaid than Perdita the princess.

Now, although no young person in London succeeded in getting her own way more effectually than did Lady Gertrude. There was, so to speak, a rose-leaf and condensed fury, read at any moment to burst forth.

It soothed him, though to be with Gertrude. All the old cousinly confidences began to return. Twice or three times a week Gilbert was sure to find himself

rumpled among all her mattresses, which for the present destroyed her comfort and disturbed her repose.

It is perhaps in my reader's remembrance that on a certain occasion during the previous year a sufficiently cavalier farewell was taken of an old friend in Portland Place, bound for a longer voyage than is usual with the denizens of that locality: but I cannot expect my

Portland Place, bound for a longer voyage than is usual with the denizens of that locality; but I cannot expect my readers to be intuitively aware how that careless greeting afterward rankled in the minds of the two individuals concerned. Above all, how the lady brooded over it menth after menth with everincreasing remose; how she would have given anything she possessed to recall it; how she had resolved to make amends for it, and do away with the recollection of it on the first opportunity; and how, when the opportunity arrived, and John Gordon, swarthier, squarer, and sterner than ever, made his reappearance in Belgrave Square, Lady Gertrude, much to her dismay, found the tables completely turned, and herself in the unpleasant position of one who was virtually asking forgiveness for an offense which had either never been perceived, or was now completely forgotten. I recollect a sardonic old trainer at Newmarket who, when his wife disputed with him, never vouchsafed her a reply, not from any amiable motive of concession, but with the persuasion that such a course of treatment was the greatest punishment he could inflict. "Women," said the ancient misogynist, with a grin, "women hate a walk over!" And indeed nothing can be so disappointing to those gentle beings as to discover that they have brought, up all their artillery nothing can be so disappointing to those gentle beings as to discover that they have brought up all their artillery against an object which melts into air the moment they have pointed their uns. It must be aggravating to find ready submission where one has expected resistance "worthy of one's steel," stolid indifference where one anticipated entreaties and reproaches and complaints, obedience to those cruel commands it was never one's real wish to see enforced. I think if I was a woman under such circumstances I should sit

under such circumstances I should sit down and ery. I believe they sometimes

John Gordon when he returned to England, had paid an early visit and duty bound, to Belgrave Square. Lady Olivia was glad to see his d honest face again, and greeted him with a cordiality foreign to her customary de-portment. Gertrude, on the other hand, for the first time in her life, felt troubled and uneasy, whiter than was becoming while he followed the servant who announced him through the anteroom, and redder than was convenient when she land than and welcomed him home. There was no lingering pressure in his grasp, no change of voice, nor color, nor bearing, while he returned her greeting; neither indecision nor uncertainty in the bright inscrutable eyes. If ever John Gordon looked like a man of fron, it was at that moment; and yet it was a moment he had anticipated and dwelt upon during many an hour of toil on land and wearisome monotony at sea. He meant that it should be his last look upon his imaginary Eden, his last gasp of the scented air from those gardens which must bloom for him no more. which must bloom for him no more.

John was a straightforward and determined man. With the fall of his worldly prospects, he was content to accept its inevitable accompaniment, the destruction of his castle in the air, with its moat and postern, its pinnacles and battlements, its bower of beauty and its stately keep, even of the tender flower that clung about its wall. What matter to us the strong man's dreams, all the fairer, perhaps, and gentler because of the stern molding of his nature? What matter the future he could imagine so vividly with a woman's tenderness and a child's trust? or the abiding affection, deep and pure and strong as his own

them all away, like so many fibres of gossamer before the cold north wind. He had strength to accept his task as it was offered him, and to do right for right's sake.
So when her aunt departed to her own den, as was her custom, and left the two young people alone in the back drawing-room, John took up his hat incontinently to go too. Lady Gertrude, quaking in her chair for what was to come next, did not sufficiently appreciate the relief she ought to have derived from this movement. In good truth, her sake. from this movement. In good truth, her first feeling was one of disappointment. Succeeded by a keen sense of anger and a strong inclination to cry. But she resolved that she had some reparation to make for that heartless speech over which she had been brooding for so many which she had been brooding for so many months. She clump to the excuse that she was herself in the wrong, that he had a perfect right to expect some amends, some explanation. The difficulty was

deep and pure and strong as his own honest heart or the iron links that only such men can rivet, that only such men can break? He had strength to sweep

some explanation. The difficulty was how to set about it.

"You—you must have found it very hot in Australia," was the young lady's insidious method of postponing the dreaded moment, and commencing the conversa-

Very," answered John, absently, looking down the while, and thinking what a pretty little foot it was that peeped so coyly from beneath the folds of that primrose-colored morning dress. "Are you not very glad to come home?" asked the fair diplomatist; a leading question, you may observe, and likely to produce remarks of a personal nature. There was an unusual softness in Lady Gertrude's voice, a timidity and hesitaon in her manner that attracted Joh Gordon's attention to her face; the dark eyes shone with a mild luster, and the color came and went under the clear,

delicate skin. "I went away because I was obliged." answered he, sturdily. "I came back for the same reason. We men of business, you know, Lady Gertrude, have no such fancies as likes and dislikes."

She looked hurt and disappointed; she She looked hurt and disappointed; she paused for a moment, and though her voice shook a little, she tried again:
"I thought I should have seen you to wish you good-bye. I had no idea you would really sail on such short notice. Gilbert told us a great deal about you in his letters, and we were always glad to hear. Mr. Gordon, you must have thought me very unkind the last time we met; I did not mean to be so. Indeed, I am rejoiced to see you back again."

There was moisture in the shining eves as she gave him her hand, with a pretty little imploring gesture, very winning in one usually so haughty and composed. John had need of all his resolution his firmness, not to raise it to his lips, to steal his arm round her, and take her once for all to his heart. But he was determined, uncompromising, and with a certain old-fashioned idea of honor and probity in his dealings with the weaker sex, now very generally exploded; so he held the little hand reverently and somewhat sorrowfully in his own.
"Believe me, Lady Gertrude," said he,

"I have too few friends to lose one by taking offense where it is not meant; I am proud to be numbered among yours. I hope, however seldom we may future, you will always consider future, you will always consider me one of the truest and sincerest you have."

With that he relinquished the hond, not daring to trust himself any longer in that too attractive society, and abstaining from another glance at Gertrude's tearful face, hurried out of the room, and was gone.

room and was gone.

They seldom met after this. John Gordon, putting his shoulder practically to the wheel, went less and less into society; and Lady Gertrude, attending, as is the wont of fasionable young ladies, party after party all the week through, thought it must be the sameness of her thought it must be the sameness of her amusements that so palled upon her fancies, and the intense stupidity of her friends that made those wearlsome festivities so dull ivities so dull.

Had you hinted to her that it was an Had you ninted to her that it was an irritating process, and of a saddening tendency, to scan those same crowds for one stern, dark face, night after night in vain, and that the failure of the search might fairly account for the disgust and ennui of the seeker, who would have de-nied the accusation so indiguantly as Lady Gertrude?

Perhaps some unacknowledged harmony of feeling between the two may have made her at this epoch extremely tolerant of her cousin's society, extremely forbearing to his whims; for Gilbert was for bearing to his whims; for Gilbert was no longer the merry, acceptable guest, whose entrance into a room w.s like the taking down of a shutter, letting in a flood of enlivening light. On the contrary, his gloomy though impatient glance more resembled some resinous torch, which cast a lurid glare on every surrounding object, now flaring into fantastic flames, now smoldering down to a deep-red glow, suggestive of burning pain and condensed fury, read at any moment and condensed fury, read at any moment

## in Belgrave Square; and Gertrude, with womanly tact and tenderness, was satisfied to mitigate and distract his sorrows without inquiring too closely into their origin. She, too, felt she was doing good—the only balm for a wounded spirit, the only possible chance by which those who are injured in their tenderest affections can hope to divert their minds from their OF THE STRENUOUS LIFE are injured in their tenderest affections can hope to divert their minds from their own selfish griefs—selfish, indeed, and morbid and imaginary, yet none the less painful for that. These fancied woes are sometimes harder to bear than the real, tangible trials of life. It is only the old and worn out—those who have out-lived their hopes and fears—who are capable of analyzing the sensations of the heart, long since dead within their breasts. Will they not agree with me that most of the pleasures and the pains of that life which once seemed to them so important were purely and essentially imaginary?

Played Against Six Clubs in! Two Days.

London Rinks Play in Classic City Today.

so important were purely and essentially imaginary?

Why did your tears flow fresh and fast in a foreign clime, when they sent you a withered flower that had bloomed on your mother's grave? Why did your heart leap and thrill for joy when you read that the brother whom you had not seen since he left school, whom you would not know if you met him tomor-Jockeys in a Bad Mixup at Harlem-Great Crowd at the Grand Circuit Races.

#### LAWN BOWLING.

THE STRENUOUS LIFE. poreal and substantial annoyance that spoiled your dinner and kept you awake half the night because you were told Mrs. Verjuice had declared your wit to Two rinks of London bowlers spent a busy day on Friday last. They left at 6 a.m., going first to Blenheim, where they defeated rinks of the local club. In the afternoon they proceedor can you account upon any rational and material principles for the delight ed to Ridgetown, where again they were victorious. They met their which you experienced when Fanny gave you a flower out of her bouquet at sup-per, and vowed you were the best waltzer Waterloo in the evening at Leamington, however, going down before the prowess of two rinks from the club They went on to Walkerville there. in the morning, taking part in the ways, and yet you were more pleased with the compliment and with the rose-bud than if anyone had given you a hundred pounds. Yes, we may soon lose ourselves in the definitions of the real competition there, the results of which have already been given in these columns. The two rinks were composed respectively of E. Masuret, H. Finchamp, W. T. Cox and Ed. Weld, and John Weld, M. J. Kent, J. K. Spry and ideal—where does the one end and the other begin? Hunger and thirst and the other begin? Hunger and thirst and fatigue are scarcely more physical sensations than love and hate and fear. A knock on the head does not stun more effectually than the tidings of a great sorrow. Anxiety, disappointment and wounded affection, will deface the physical statement of the fevers and such and C. M. R. Graham.

LONDON RINKS FOR STRATFORD. Five rinks of London bowlers go to 1:44%. Stratford at 3 p.m. today to play a match with local rinks there. The match is looked forward to with interest, as Stratford has a new green, which none of the London players have yet had the pleasure of bowling on. The five London rinks are composed as follows:

far than pain.

Lady Gertrude's bright eyes and buoyant step were losing day by day something of brilliancy and vigor, while her cousin looked ten years older than he had looked a twelvemonth ago. People said it was all owing to that odious Australian climate Dr. Neu, Fred Beltz, C. Weld, J. S. McDougall (skip); A. C. Voaden, A. Tillmann, John Paul, Dr. English (skip); W. F. Bullen, Dr. J. N. Wood, M. R. Graham W. A. Thrasher, C. M. R. Graham (skip); Jos. Weld, W. J. Hayman, Wm. Lind, J. Stevenson (skip); Dr. Australian climate.

But whatever might have been the power of fancy in poisoning the happiness of the denizens of Belgrave Square, those of Verbena Villa had to contend with a real and actual foe, whose ad-Balfour, C. B. Edwards, Dr. Alexander, J. D. Tytler (skip).

#### THE TURF.

THE GRAND CIRCUIT. New York, Aug. 13 .- The second day

The weather was bright and cool, but a high wind prevented fast favorite for the mile selling, but she The management announced that owing to The Abbott being lame, Loone and Fonsoluca fighting it out the \$10,000 match between the exchampion and Lord Derby was declared off. In its place on Thursday Prince Alert, 2:00%, and Anaconda, 2:01%, will compete for a purse of \$5.000 to beat the world's pacing record, and Dan Patch, 2:00%, will go a mile against time to beat the world's time record, held by Star Pointer of 1:5914. favorable weather it looks as if both records are in danger, as the track pleasant, and the track fast. is fast and the horses are in first class | First race, selling, 2-year condition. Dan Patch was booked for furlongs-John A. Scott, 112 (Bullman), Saturday. The opening race of the day was the 2:24 trot, which had a 5 and 3 to 5, 2; Allan, 109 (Lyne), 8 to hands and bat left-handed to even up the American and Australian losses had been the fore-runners; and although John Gordon, whose own speculations were conducted with more foresight than those of his elder partner, remained an independent though an impoverished man, independent though an impoverished to make over the field of 11. The bay gelding Tiverton \$250 to \$70 for \$250 to \$70 f moved up and went to the front, win- ing, 3-year-olds, 6 furlongs-Delagoa, ning by a length. In the next two 108 (Shaw), 18 to 5 and 7 to 5, 1; Clonheats Tiverton had it all his own way and in the third won two lengths in a jog. The victory was never in doubt, and the winner seems capable of of sulphide ore, carrying 4,000 ounces of silver and a large percentage of stallion Direct Hall who had been made on the stallion beautiful that faster company. The \$5,-000 Metropolitan purse for 2:20 pacers also had a hot favorite in the bay stallion. going in far faster company. The \$5,every race he has started in this sea-The field was a strong one, and the betting was wild, heavy and sensational in the extreme, one plunger laying \$30,000 to \$22,500 in the pools on mining would change the character of the favorite, whose price was steady Jeannie, 110 (L. Jackson), 6 to 1 and 2 at \$100 to \$75. Miss Willamont drew to 1, 2; Daly (late Cuspidor), 117 (Brenthe pole, but as soon as the word was nan), 12 to 1 and 4 to 1, 3. Time, given Greenline, with a splendid burst 1:13 4-5. of speed, took the lead and got the pole, with Elderone second and the favorite, who got the worst of the start, third. In the back stretch Direct (Odom), 20 to 1 and 8 to 1, 3. Time, per cent of the 1900 crop. A prominent member of the growers' association, who was indignant over the reports Hal tried to get in front, but was interfered with by Elderone and a foul occurred. Greenline led into the stretch, when Geers came with one of nis well-known finishes and won by half a length. Elderone was distanced for the foul. In the second heat the battle was again between Greenline and the favorite from the start to the finish, and in the third the favorite won easily by three lengths, Greenline breaking so badly on the top turn that he was distanced. The 2:18 class for trotters was on the novelty plan, in which each heat is practically a race. Prince of George, in the Geers' stable, was the favorite, though Allie Wood was a close second. The latter won in a good finish by a length from Wilton Boy. For the second heat Wilton Boy was the choice, but again he was second, as Prince of Orange came with a great rush down the stretch and won easily. The third heat was won by Alvauder, a 3 to 1 shot, with Silver Heir and Bemay in the positions. In the Horse Review three-year-old pacing stake, the bay filly Ecstatic had a walkover, Lorabie Bel, her only competitor, being drawn. Summary:

2:24 class trotting; purse \$1,500;

Tiverton, b. g., by Galilee—Rex
Folly, by Aragon (Howell). 1 1 1
William Tell, b. g. (Wilson). 2 2 2
The-Questor, b. g. (Geers). 3 3 2
Narcal, b. g. (Turner). 7 4 6
Mary Joe, b. m. (Curry). 10 9 4
Anna Held, b. m. (Benyon). 6 6 5
Marie Studholme, b. m. (Shank). 5 8 7
Roan Wilkes, ro. g. (Greer). 8 10 8
Little Helen, b. m. (Dickerson). 4 5 ds
Poten, b. h. (French). 9 7 ds
Trilby Simmons, b. m. (Green). 11 ds
Time—2:12¾, 2:13¼, 2:14. 2:24 class trotting; purse \$1,500:

2:20 class pacing, Metropolitan; purse Direct Hal, b. h., by Direct—Bessie Hal, by Tom Hal (Geers)..... Tertimen, b. h. (Hudson)..... Cubanola, blk. h. (Green) 2:18 class pacing, novelty race, each heat a race, horse making fastest time

winning first money: Allie Wood, ch. g., by Allie Wilkes
-Fanny Wood, by Nutwood Prince of Orange, b. g., by Prince 7 1 re with this one. Had female weakness for several years. My hips, back and lower bowels hurt me all the time. Had numbness from my hips dows. Had several hard cramping spells, and was not able to do any work at all. I received your answer in a few days, telling me to take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. I took three bottles, and before I had taken it a week I was able to help do my work. On the 27th of May my baby was born, and I was only sick three hours, and had an easy time.

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Wilton Boy, b. g., (L. Macdonald) 2 2 4
Silver Heir, b. h. (Ervin and 

Three-year-olds, \$1,000—Ecstatic, b. f., by Oratorio—Ethel Wyn. by Harold (Lang), walk-over. Time 2:28%

AT HARLEM.

Chicago, Aug. 13. — T. Meade, the light-weight stable jockey for S. C. Hildreth, was seriously injured by a fall in the first race at Harlem yesterday and is now in the Garfield Park Sanitarium, suffering from a possible fracture of the skull and a broken collarbone. Three of the fourteen starters went down in a bad mix-up at the half-mile post. Meade had the mount on Senor, and was the first to fall while trying to get through too small an opening. Back of Meade was Licorice, with Tommy Knight up, and he fell over Senor. Goody Two Shoes, with Helgeson up, fell over the first two, and the three boys and horses were mixed up in endless confusion. Knight and Helgeson were fortunate enough to escape injury, but Meade was trampled on by the horses and is in a serious condition. The race was won by King's Lady, the favorite, One second choice and four outsiders in the betting won the other events. Weather cloudy. Track improved.

First race, 5 furlongs-King's Lady, 107 (Coburn), 13 to 10, 1; Galba, 105 (Birkenruth), 8 to 1, 2; Maxtette, 100 (Ransch), 15 to 2, 3. Time, 1:01%. Second race, 6 furlongs-Elsie L., 981/2 (Ransch), 13 to 5, 1; Burnie Bunton, 109. (Coburn), 13 to 10, 2; Nickey D., 114 (Mathews), 15 to 2, 3. Time, 1:13%. Third race, mile and 70 yards—Little Scout, 101 (Coburn), 6 to 1, 1; Hoodwink, 101 (Ransch), 4 to 1, 2; Bon Mot, 106 (J. Woods), 11 to 10, 3. Time,

1:45%. Fourth race, mile and 70 yards-Felix Bard, 100 (Battiste), 10 to 1, 1; John Bright, 107 (Coburn), 13 to 2, 2; Louisville, 98 (J. Hicks), 4 to 1, 3. Time,

Fifth race, 5½ furlongs—Linguist, 97 (J. Hicks), 2 to 1, 1; Mirance, 94 (W. Waldo), 10 to 1, 2; Fitzbriller, 97 (Battiste), 8 to 5, 3. Time, 1:07%. Sixth race, 1 3-16 miles—Artena, 108 (Birkenruth), 20 to 1, 1; Caliban, 105 (Buchanan), 4 to 1, 2; Ultenda, 90 (Adkins), 15 to 1, 3. Time, 2:00%. AT SARATOGA.

Saratoga, Aug. 13.-Roxane showed her speed and her powers yesterday afternoon by running a mile in the very fast time of 1:38 3-5, and being a new track record for the distance. She was an even money favorite after the erratic King Hanover had shown the way for six furlongs, went to the front and, stalling off Cameron's vigorous challenge by a length. Delagoa won the Seneca stakes for three-yearolds, leading from start to finish, winof the grand circuit meeting at the ning out by a length from Clonmell. Brighton Beach track had an excellent | The favorite, Lady Holyrood, was outrun from the start. Lady Sterling was did not figure in the contest at all, to the finish, the former winning by a nose at the post. The western mare, Clorita, made an exhibition of the field that opposed her in the high-weight handicap at six furlongs, winning by five lengths from Sister Jeannie, who was a neck before Daly. The latter has been racing under the name of Cuspidor. Weather was clear and First race, selling, 2-year-olds, 51/2

mel, 106 (T. Burns), 2 to 1, 2; Anak, 107 (Bullman), 5 to 1 and 2 to 1, 3. Time,

Fourth race, selling, 3-year-olds and upward, 1 mile—Loone, 101 (L. Jackson), 20 to 1 and 6 to 1, 1; Fonsoluca, 91 (Redfern), 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, 2; Five Nations, 94 (Shea), 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, 3. Then there would be a screech. Time, 1:40. Fifth race, high-weight handicap, for

all ages, 6 furlongs-Clorita, 118 (T. Burns), 5 to 2 and 4 to 5, 1; Sister Sixth race, 3-year-olds and upward, 1

mile—I Know, 105 (Wonderly), 5 to 1 and 8 to 5, 1; Valley Forge, 107 1:41 4-5

#### AT ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 13 .- Dr. Kier, Guide Rock, Mabel Winn and Hucena were the winning favorites at Delmar yesterday, the other events going to Foundling, a well-played second choice, and St. Vitus, a long shot. Weather clear, track fast. Summary:
First race, 5 furlongs, selling—Doctor

Kier, 109 (Dale), 8 to 5, 1; Action, 106 (P. Dean), 6 to 1, 2; Jean Gravier, 106 (J. O'Connor), 5 to 2, 3. Time, 1:031/4. Second race, 7 furlongs, selling Guide Rock, 109 (T. O'Brien) 5 to 5, 1: Lou Hazel, 100 (Gisborn), 3 to 1, lara, 109 (T. Walsh), 20 to 1, 3, Time

Third race, 5 furlongs, selling-St. Vitus, 109 (Scully), 10 to 1, 1; Will Shelly, 112 (Dale), 7 to 5, 2; Doc Mayer, 106 (T. Walsh), 3 to 1, 3. Time, 1:03. Fourth race, 6 furlongs, purse bel Winn, 112 (J. Miller), 13 to 20, 1; Kiss Quick, 93 (Scully), 17 to 1, 2; Weidemann, 90 (C. Bonner), 40 to 1, 3. Time, 1:15.

Fifth race, 1 3-16 miles, selling—Hucena, 88 (C. Bonner), 6 to 5, 1; Morris Volmer, 103 (Morse), 10 to 1, 2; Cherished, 103 (Brilwell), 8 to 5, 3. Time, Sixth race, 1 mile and 70 yards, sell-

ing—Foundling, 102 (Sayers), 3 to 1, 1; Orie, 106 (C. Bonner), 7 to 10, 2; Optimo, 94 (Soully), 4 to 1, 3. Time, 1:47. MEXICAN BRINGS \$20,000. Saratoga, Aug. 13.-The horses in

training owned by Clarence H. Mackay were sold in the paddock here yesterday. Ten were sold for a total of \$61,400. As expected, the two-year-old Mexican brought the top price. Starting at \$10,000 with L. Waterbury, F. J. Healy and W. L. Powers as bidders, his price advanced to \$20,000. R. T. Wilson, jun., secured him. The Newton Bennington string were also sold and brought good prices. Other sales were as follows: His Eminence, b. c. by Falsetto-Patroness, to Frederick Gebhard, \$9,000; Grand Opera, b. c., by Wagner-Bonnie Bird, to George E. Smith, \$4,000; Frankfort, b. c., by Hanover-Lady Reel, to John E. Madden. \$500; Heno, b. b., 3, by Falsetto or Henry Young-Quiver, to John Daly, \$7,500; Roslyn, b. c., by Isinglass— Lucy Cross, to R. Vancortlandt, \$3,000; Aceful, ch. g., by Myrtle Harkness, to J. E. Madden, \$7,600; Dartman, b. c., 3, by Kendall-Dartaway, to C. Fiser, \$1,200; Skilful, b. c., by Mirthful —Skadi, to C. R. Ellison, \$7,100; Brunswick, ch. g., 3, by Saint Carlos, to Walter Keyes, \$1,500. The following sales of the Newton Bennington stables were also made: Bensonhurst, c. f.. 2. Ben Shore—Irvana, to B. Vincent, \$5,200; Lady Albercraft, c. f., 2. by Albert—Lady Craft, to L. V. Bell, \$3,400; Kickshaw, b. c., 2, by Ornament—Elseair, to E. McDonald. \$900;

Ayor Graham, ch. c., 2, by Rossington—Betsy Broeck, to E. McDonald, \$1,300; Mary McCafferty, b. f., 2, by Sensation—Sienetto, to E. A. Schultz, \$1,400; Jack De Hund, b. c., 3, by Longstreet-Honeymoon, to Sydney Bender, \$1,700; Kilogram, b. h., 5, by Raven d'Or-Lady Kinbrook, to L. A. Waterbury, \$2,500.

AT HIGHLAND PARK Detroit, Mich., Aug. 13.-Highland

Park results: First race, 6 furlongs, 4-year-olds and up, selling-Marie Bolton, 80 (Treamer), 20 to 1, won by a neck; Jake Weber, 99 (O'Neil), 4 to 5, 2; Ringleader, 101 (Alarie), 6 to 1, 3. Time, 1:14%.

Second race, 5 furlongs, for maiden 2-year-olds—Trapezist, 107 (Haden), 10

10 to 1. 3. Time, 1:41%. tro), 8 to 1, 2; F. G. Goode, 106 (J. T. Woods), 3 to 2, 3 Time, 1:08%

Fifth race, 1½ miles, for 4-year-olds and up, selling—Filibuster, 102 (Gilmour), 5 to 1, won by a length; Firing Line, 98 (H. Wilson), 2 to 1, 2; Presgrave, 105 (Alarie), 8 to 1, 3. Time, Sixth race, steeplechase,

course, 4-year-olds and up, selling—McManus, 136 (Gaylor), 7 to 5, won by lengths; Terry Ranger, 131 (Hider), 5 to 1, 2; Pat My Boy, 125 (W. Stewart), 5 to 1, 3. Time, 3:37. THE WINGHAM MEETING.

Wingham, Ont., Aug. 13.—Following are entries for Wingham races today and Thursday:

First Day.

2:40 pace or 2:30 trot-John A., John Nolan, Little Boy, Commodore K., Colonel Hunter, Sister Jane, Nellie Wilkes, Honest Billie, Miss May. 2:25 pace or 2:20 trot-College Queen, Little Buck, Maggie L. Lewis, L. Abrino, Biddie Hays, Carley P., Expelled. % mile run-Whitney Jun., Original, Logan, Lauderman, Beauty, Tisdale. Wilfrid Laurier, Hie Ban and Laurentian.

Second Day. 2:28 pace or 2:25 trot—John Nolan, Miss May, Corelli, Commodore K., Billie Dirret, Amelia, Wisdom King, Sister Jane, Minnie S., Maude H. Half-mile run-Wilfrid Laurier, Hie Ban, Logan, Lauderman, Tisdale, Original, Whitney, Jun., Laurentian,

Free-for-all — Nellie D., Maggie Usher, Dandy Hal, Prince Hal, Two Strikes, Gypsy Girl, Darkey, Cooks-ville Boy, Nellie Wilkes, John Storm and Black Joe.

#### BASEBALL.

PLAYED BALL IN PETTICOATS. Brantford, Conn., Aug. 13 .- A game of baseball was played at Pine Orchard, a summer colony just beyond this town, on Saturday afternoon, in which the leading social figures of the place took part. One team was composed of young women and the other of men The women's team was called The Bluffers" and the men's "The Petticoats." Every member of The Petticoats wore, besides his own clothes, the garments of some woman friend. It was also in the agreement that The work. The men as they dashed around the bases with their petticoats flying made a superh showing. One of the men made it lively for the women covering the bases. He tried to do a great deal of base-stealing, and would make a dive for the bag and slide about ten feet, generally grabbing the basewoman's shoes instead of the bag.

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#### BOXING.

\$10,000 ON McGOVERN.

Anybody who is of the opinion that 'Young Corbett" will whip Terry Mc-Govern on the night of Aug. 29, at New London, and will back that opinion, can win \$10,000 in a lump from Sam Harris, the ex-featherweight and have your barn door hung to your champion's manager, says the New York Telegraph. It was Harris who made the South Brooklyn boy a first class pugilist and a champion, and being a good judge of fighters generally and everything pertaining to the sport he expresses the utmost confidence in his protege reversing the result with Corbett on last Thanksgiving Day. When asked the reason for such confidence. Harris said:

"Terry is in better shape today than he ever was in his life. When he train- DISEASES OF THE KIDNEYS. ed for Corbett before he had family troubles that worried him considerably. As a result he was unable to do

he is sure that he will do the trick "I feel the same way, and will back him to the extent of \$10,000. "Terry's mother is so certain of her son's success that she has offered to risk the home Terry gave her on the issue.

#### THROUGH OTHER --- SPECTACLES---

A KICK FROM WOODSTOCK.

What the London team worked on the management of the Beaver La-2-year-olds—Trapezist, 107 (Haden), 10
to 1, won by a length; Pirate, 107
(Robertson), 4 to 5, 2; Reeves, 110
(Irvin), 10 to 1, 3, Time, 1:0314.

Third race, 1 mile, for 3-year-olds and up—Rosa Fame, 99 (Louden), 10
to 1, won by half a length; Zonne, 104
(Of 102), 2 to 1, 2; Lusting, 24 (Of Nell). (Minder), 3 to 1, 2; Justice, 94 (O'Neil), the members of the Woodstock execu-Fourth race, 5½ furlongs, for 2-year-olds—St. Daniel, 107 (Hayden), 7 to 5, won by six lengths; Lorina, 105 (Cas-before he would agree to go on the tive, and then and there each member field. The local management remonstrated but it was of no use. What was the Woodstock Club to do? There was an immense crowd waiting the game to begin and if the match didn't proceed it would be a bitter disappointment to them. Thus there was nothing left for the local executive to do but to throw up their hands and hand over to the Cockneys just what they demanded. The visitors had the locals on the hip and they knew it, therefore in the most unsportsmanlike manner they "soaked" them. It wouldn't even do to promise them the them. It \$5 per man. The cash had to be forth-coming before the men would go on the field. And several members of the London Club management stood by and sanctioned such a proceeding. The fact is the local club were forced to hand over to the visitors \$85; \$25 for expenses and \$60 in salaries.

Now after all that Woodstock has done for London this summer the London public and the London management may justly feel ashamed of their sports and their players. After Woodstock taking 600 people there on the first of July to attend the game there and also being the means of attracting an immense crowd of Londoners, thus piling up big gate receipts, then for the London team to come down here and hold up the Woodstock Club! It is a disgrace and a lasting one to the sporting life of the city which the team represented and the general public of London cannot condemn the action of the club in too strong terms.

To get at the bottom of the team's action, one must refer back to the day after which Woodstock got out their advertising for Saturday's On that day a telegram reached here from the Forest City declaring that London would default the game unless they were given \$120. Immediately ecutive went to London and explained matters to the erratic few of that city. As a result, all was arranged to bring the team here for the usual expense \$25. It was believed that they had fully agreed to this until Friday last when another message came asking for \$5, and along with it came a letter or agreement which had to be signed be-fore the team would come. This agreewas a guarantee of \$5 per man and his expenses.

Of course the Beaver Club could do

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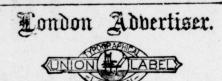
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#### LONDON AND DISTRICT

-Mr. Fred Ellis, of this city, has been appointed organist of the Centennial Methodist Church. -Miss Ida Hamilton, daughter

from her recent illness. -A fire in a barn at the back of Parson's hardware store in East London, gave the firemen a run last night. Nothing but a bale of straw was

-Bailiff English this morning tock John O'Reilly and Frederic Scott from the jail here to serve terms in the Central Prison. He had also in charge three prisoners from Chatham and Windsor-one white man, one negro and one Indian.

PRESENTED WITH REGALIA. At the midsummer meeting of St. John's Lodge, No. 20, A., F. & A. M., which was held last night in the Blue

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room of the Masonic Temple, Grand Junior Warden R. W. Bro. Ellwood was presented with the handsome regalia of his new office. STOLE THEIR OWN NETS.

Brown Bros.' fish warehouse at Port Stanley was broken into on Saturday night and a number of nets recently confiscated by the Petrel were removed. A Yankee schooner, which came in on Saturday, had also disappeared, and it was apparent that the nervy fishermen had taken this method of securing their nets. The Petrel was absent at the time.

McMARTIN-BONITHORNE. Mr. James McMartin, traveler for John Garvey, of this city, was married vesterday to Miss Edith Bonithorne, daughter of Mr. Robert Bonithorne, of Hensall. Miss M. Sloan, of Walker-ton, was bridesmaid, and Mr. Charles McGuire, of this city, was groomsman. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Henderson at the home of the

bride's father.

A young girl who was been working in London for a time was arrested yesterday afternoon by High Constable McLoud and Detective Ward on a charge of vagrancy. She was seen in company with about a dozen young fellows in a lonely spot on Oxford street outside the city limits, but when the officers arrived the youths had decamped. The girl told the officers that she had been abused by the crowd. The officers are now working on the case, and some arrests will probably follow. The girl was remanded for one week.

BURIED AT DORCHESTER. There took place at Dorchester on State. Dr. Rossiter, who was born in Dorchester Township, 42 years ago, the impulse that led me to do it. I graduated in arts at McGill College, and received his medical education at Jefferson College, New York. He went Rev. R. D. Hamilton, of Wellington to the Pacific coast seven years ago, Street Methodist Church, is recovering and there built up a large practice. He was a brother of Mrs. Ed. McCann and Mr. Armon Rossiter, and a cousin of Mrs. George Neely, all of Dor-chester Township. He leaves a wife and one child.

#### GOING TO CONFERENCE

London Will Be Well Represented at Winnipeg.

London will be well represented at the general conference of the Methodist Church, which meets at Winnipeg on Sept. 4. Among those who will go from this city are Rev. C. T. Scott, Rev. A. K. Birks, Rev. George Jackson, Rev. S. J. Allin, Rev. T. E. Harrison, Mr. J. H. Chapman and Mr. William Wyatt. Some of these gentlemen are arranging to go west this week, while others will not take the trip till just before the opening of

#### Switzerland in Canada.

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### BAD FIRE AT POND MILLS

Cheese Factory Was Burned Early This Morning.

Loss Will Probably Be Entirely Covered by Insurance.

The manufacturing plant of the Pond Mills Cheese Factory, owned by the Thames Cheese Company, was destroyed by fire between 2 and 3 o'clock this morning. The extent of the loss is as yet unknown, but it is said that considerable of the contents of the place were secured from the blaze. How and where the fire started has not been revealed. Mr. T. B. Millar, of Dufferin avenue, who is manager of the company, is holidaying, and it was impossible to obtain an authentic statement as to insurance, but it will probably cover the loss.

#### PLEASANT FOOD. The Kind That Brings Health to Old Age.

When people have ruined health by the use of improper food, and then change to the right kind and get well, they feel like shouting it from the

"I wish I had power to tell every fellow being who is suffering, the story of my deliverance and persuade them to avail themselves of the same means that I used," says a lady of North Cuba, N. Y. "I am 61 years old. From earliest girlhood it has seemed imperative during the waking hours for me to be constantly at work. In the getting up of my meals, the paramount consideration was pleasing the appetitie rather than the preserva-

tion of health. "As was to be expected, years of toil and careless living resulted in the gradual 'break down' of my whole system; I did not realize it until three years ago, when I was such a wreck, mentally and physically, that life was a burden. I had frequent attacks of severe headache, accompanied by nausea terrible to endure, slugg'sh liver and kidneys, circulation weak, appetite gone, digestion seriously impaired; I was on the verge of total nervous prostration, and my condition seemed hopeless.

A friend, who had suffered from Sunday the funeral of Dr. George H.
Rossiter, of Hoquiam, Washington began by using three teaspoonfuls of Grape-Nuts softened in milk three times a day. In a week, I was conscious of renewed vigor. My aches and pains lessened; the nervousness disappeared; the fog that had enveloped my brain and obscured my memory was lifted, and in place of restless wakefulness, came refreshing sleep.
"I continued to improve until at the

end of three weeks, I could add to my breakfast and supper a baked apple or a dish of some kind of fruit, and ate more hearty food at the midday meal. I have had no relapse; my recovery of health is of constant surprise and unbounded thankfulness to me and nine. I have not found the fountain of eternal youth, but I have found something that so nourishes and strengthens my vitality, that I can endure as great an amount of fatiguing labor, and accomplish as much as any woman of my age can reasonably expect." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

#### LIVED HERE THIRTY YEARS

The Demise of a Respected Resident of South London.

Mrs. John Mustill died yesterday at the age of 60 years. Mrs. Mustill was an old resident of the district, and highly respected by all who knew her the residence of her daughter, Mrs. She had lived in South London for over 30 years and was an earnest member of the Askin Street Church. Six children together with her husband survive. The children are: Mrs. Carroll, London; Mrs. James Kinghorn, Youngstown, N. Y.; Edward, Albert and Eli, of this city, and James, of Buffalo. The funeral will be held from her daughter's residence, Riverview avenue, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery, on Thursday.

#### TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

W. G. McLaughlin, inventor of the McLaughlin airbrake, lies ill of blood poisoning in his car at Walkerville. Col. Burke, United States consul at St. Thomas, visited Sandwich and identified Darby Travers as the man who robbed the consulate.

Harry A. Faulkner, of the St. Louis House of Delegates, recently convicted of perjury in the municipal bribery cases, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. McLeod & Allen, publishers, To-ronto, ask for an injunction against

the Poole Publishing Company and the Musson Book Company to restrain them from issuing Major's "When Knighthood Was in Flower." So far 58 agricultural societies have accepted the offer of the department

of agriculture to provide expert judges of live stock at the fall fairs. A course of training for these judges will be provided at the Toronto Exhibition. Three men entered the home of Dr. A. A. Stoneburner, at Valparaiso, Ind., while the servant was alone, and, binding and gagging the girl and placing her in the bath tub, robbed the

house of money, jewels and negotiable per worth \$7,000. The United Garment Workers' Union of America began its eleventh annual convention in Cleveland Monday. One hundred delegates, representing 31,000 outters, tailors and overall workers

throughout the United States and Canada, are in attendance.

The city of Ottawa has been divided into areas, certain streets being allotted to each gardener as his exclusive preserve for trade. The gardeners also will refuse to sell to Hebrew peddlers, who have hitherto done a big business, and will regulate the supply to greengrocers.

#### CONTINUES TO FLOURISH

Sons of England Society Makes a Good Showing.

Substantial Increase in Membership— Financial Standing Satisfactory.

Winnipeg, Aug. 13. — The Supreme Grand Lodge of the Sons of England Benefit Society met yesterday after-noon in biennial session, the supreme president, Mayor Fred Cook, of Otta-wa, in the chair. Fully 100 delegates were present from all parts of Can-ada. After a reception by the civic authorities and the local lodges, the grand officers' reports were pre-sented, all tending to show a period of unexampled prosperity, since the last meeting of the grand lodge. The report of the supreme grand pre-sident was a most comprehensive one, special mention being made in opening of the death of Queen Victoria, the accession of King Edward, the recent imperial tour of the Prince and Princess of Wales, and the death of Bro. George F. Carrette, a founder first grand president of the society.

The report stated that the past two
years had been characterized by
steady progress in membership and steady progress in membership and improvements in the condition of the various funds. The financial condition of the lodges was declared to be exceed'ingly gratifying, the lodges having to their credit the largest balance since the formation of the society. More vigorous organization ciety. More vigorous organization work was urged by the grand president, who thought the time was ripe for a large increase in membership. The small increase in the number of lodges during the past term was ex-

plained on the ground that attention had been devoted rather to the work of strengthening existing lodges.

The report of the supreme grand secretary showed that the total receipts for 1900 were \$63,915 19, with an expenditure of \$60,728 10, and for 1901, \$57,565 12, with an expenditure

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of \$53,954 63. The total membership	١
was given as follows:	١
1900. 1901.	Ì
Newfoundland 385 436	1
New Brunswick 223 243	1
Nova Scotia 337 337	١
Prince Edward Island 153 144	1
Quebec 1,198 1,233	
Ontario 10,602 10,581	
Manitoba 643 611	
Assiniboia 93 93	
Alberta 132 140	
British Columbia 429 432	
There were 13,103 in good standing in	
1900, and 13,171 in 1901, as against only	
11,895 in 1899. The financial standing	
of the subordinate lodges was given as	
being in every sense satisfactory.	
Amount of cash received in 1900, \$90,-	
998 16; in 1901, \$95,757 88, or \$10,065 more	
than in 1899. It was reported that dur-	
ing the past year two lodges in London	
(Ont.) had been amalgamated, Lodge	

#### Piccadilly with Lodge Chelsea, and Lodge Kensington with Lodge Beres-ford. Carried Off Her Children.

named Gilardeau, who had been living apart from his wife for the past four years, came here recently from the United States, bringing two children. The mother followed, and on Monday she carried off the children. The father at once invoked the assistance of the police, and the children were found at Cape Magdalene. The courts will be called upon to decide the guardianship of the children.

#### King Thanks Toronto.

Toronto, Aug. 13.-Mayor Howland yesterday received a letter from Hon. R. W. Scott, Secretary of State, notifying him that the King had received the congratulations of the city on the occasion of his coronation, and conveying his thanks. The King's reply read as follows: "The King thanks the city of Toronto sincerely for kind telegram of congratulations."-(Signed) Knollys.

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New goods, or just as good, are being brought forward from upstairs, and basement every day. The throngs of Bargain Seekers so flock the store, and buy up that already forward, that we are compelled to close our doors every day from 12 to 2 o'clock, and Saturday evening from 6 to 7:80.

Great Lot of Toys and Dolls for Wednesday and Thursday.

Hosts of people in a few months will be looking around for Christmas Toys, and their limited means alone will prevent them from securing the number of gifts they would like to buy. To such, this sale will be a genuine bonanza. We will clear all Toys and Dolls, begining Wednesday morning, at sacrifice prices, which means in this case, half-price and less. Stock in splendid condition.

#### Glassware and Crockery.

We have left a limited quantity of Glassware and Crockery, and draw special attention to our White Ironstone Plates in two sizes. In Glassware we still have a lot of 8-inch Berry Dishes and Fruit Nappies; also a lot of Fruit Sets, Porridge Sets and Children's Mugs, in china. All to go at clearing away prices, as we are impatient to get

Flower Pots Practically Given Away. We have a large stock of Flower Pots, which we will practically give away, as they take up a lot of valuable space, and prevent us

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