

STABBED TO DEATH WITH A STILETTO.

New York Manufacturer Horribly Murdered and Mutilated in His Factory.

May Have Been the Deed of a Woman Who Sought Revenge.

New York, Sept. 23.—Ephraim Arara, proprietor of an east side ladies' skirt factory, whose personal affairs had been the gossip of his men and women employees, was done to death in his factory yesterday, and the body subjected to revolting treatment. His enemy, not satisfied after inflicting 19 stiletto wounds, any one or two of which would have caused death, slashed the lower limbs and removed vital organs.

Sundays, to plan the week's work. An employee dropping in the place yesterday found him dead on the floor of his office. There were 19 stab wounds in the breast, seven near the heart, while the subsequent mutilation was frightful, according to the coroner's physician.

COLORADO MOB HORSEWHIPS MINISTER WHO MISBEHAVED.

Torn From His "Affinity" and Told to Stay Home With His Family.

Kremmling, Col., Sept. 23.—Unused to the doctrine of affinities and the philosophy which propounds it, and believing in the old idea of fidelity to one's life partner, twenty of the citizens of Kremmling on Tuesday night dragged the Rev. W. H. Harsha from the home of Miss Ruth Schumacker and administered to him a fearful raw-hiding with quirts. The mob, their heads hidden in pillow cases, after beating the preacher for several minutes, carried him to the door of his home, where his wife and children were, and kicked him inside.

Harsha has posed as the guardian of the girl, claiming that he had been left in charge of her, and that all that was being done was in the performance of his duty.

MAY NOT STRIKE.

Railway Strike in Britain Would be a Terrible Calamity.

London, Sept. 22.—The indications yesterday favored the idea that a strike of the railway employees will be averted. Mr. Bell, M. P., the leader of the strike movement, addressing a large body of railway men at Cardiff yesterday, adopted a very moderate tone. He explained that even if a ballot of the working men favored a strike the men would not be called immediately, but renewed efforts would be made to induce the railway directors to reconsider their decision not to grant the demands of the men. He realized, he said, that a strike would be a terrible calamity, every means to arrive at a peaceful solution of the trouble.

THE G. T. PACIFIC.

Japan's World Exhibition in Tokio in 1912.

Ottawa, Sept. 23.—(Special)—Mr. Collingwood Schreiber, Chief Engineer of the National Transcontinental Railway, says that the Grand Trunk Pacific will be completed from Saskatoon to Winnipeg and open for traffic before the close of the year. Mr. Schreiber has the assurance of the G. T. P. that this will be done.

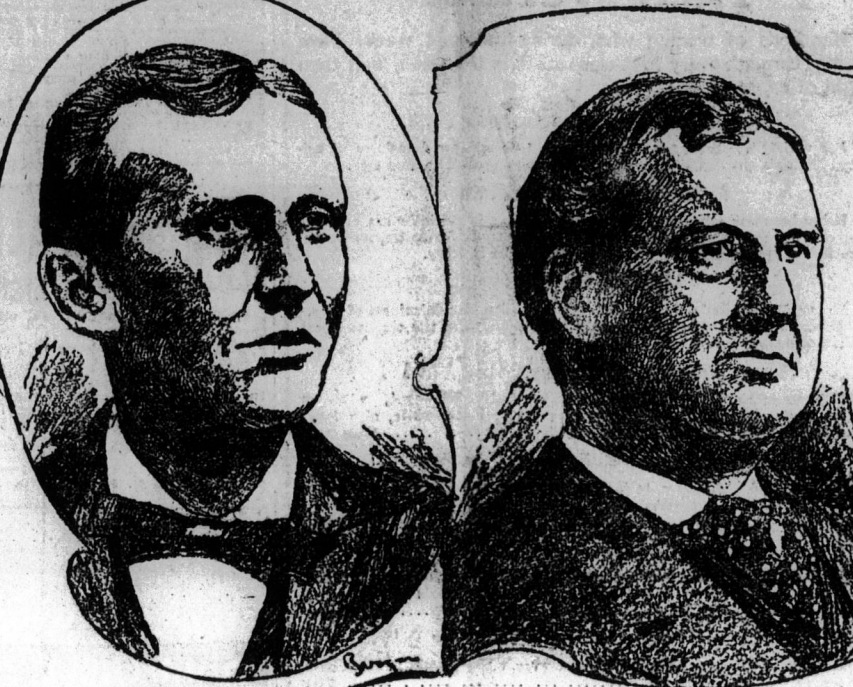
PAID HEAD TAX.

Ottawa, Sept. 23.—(Special)—The Empress of India brought 500 Chinese, over 100 of whom paid the capitation tax of \$100, being returned Chinese, and the balance in transit to the United States and other points.

ANGLO-RUSS TREATY.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 23.—Ratifications of the Anglo-Russian convention took place at the Foreign Office here this afternoon.

SUIT TO DISSOLVE N. J. STANDARD OIL CO.



FRANK D. KELLOGG. JOHN G. MILBURN.
TWO LAWYERS WHO ARE PROMINENT IN THE GREAT STANDARD OIL CASE.

New York, Sept. 23.—It is understood that Frank G. Kellogg, the Government's counsel in its suit to dissolve the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, has important evidence in his possession bearing on the alleged relationship between railroad rebates and the profits of the corporation in the last eight years. It is also said that this phase of Mr. Kellogg's case is being reserved until the line of questioning he pursued last week is finished, to back his reported evidence as to rebates. John G. Milburn, counsel for the Standard Oil Co., has made a statement about the hearing, in which he says:

"Most of these transactions which Mr. Kellogg wants to know about happened so long ago that it is not strange if the witnesses are unable to give him the answers he seems to expect."

BOTTLE DRUNKS, SAYS INSPECTOR.

AFTER SIZING UP DEVOTEES OF THE DEMIJOHN CORRALLED

By Police Since Saturday Night—Hotels Observed the Laws—Think Police Will Have Strenuous Time This Winter.

Notwithstanding the fact that the police court dock was well filled with drunks this morning, License Inspector Birrell is quite satisfied the lid was on tight from 7 o'clock Saturday night until the legal hour for opening this morning. "I have just been in having a look at these drunks," he said. "There are quite a few of them, but they are bottle drinkers, the same as the crowd that was in last Monday. These fellows do a little work on Saturday, enough to secure a little money to buy a bottle before closing time. Most of them are of the vagrant type."

500 GOING

From Hamilton to Hear Bishop of London To-night.

Five hundred people, and probably more, will go from this city by the Grand Trunk railway to-night to hear Bishop Ingram, Lord Bishop of London, England. The G. T. R. will run a special train, leaving Stuart street station at 6.30. There has been a very large advance sale, 300 tickets being sold before noon to-day. The company has supplied a train of nine vestibule coaches for the party.

TOOK OVERDOSE.

Physician Took Too Much of His Own Prescription.

New York, Sept. 23.—From taking an overdose of medicine containing several poisonous ingredients, which he had himself prepared for a malady from which he had suffered for many years, Dr. Peter M. Wise, 56 years old, died here yesterday. The coroner's physician decided that death was purely accidental.

Two Most Seasonable Wants.

This is the time to buy Parke's pickle mixture and Parke's catsup flav-o-roy. They are both successes. They save you a lot of trouble and prevent both the catsup and the pickles from spoiling. Just call at the store and have their uses explained to you. Parke & Parke, druggists, 18 Market square.

HEARST FOR PRESIDENT.

Chicago, Sept. 23.—The Tribune says: Members of the Chicago branch of the Independence League will make a pilgrimage to New York this week to attend a conference on Friday, which they hope will make William Randolph Hearst, the Democratic candidate for President of the U. S. in 1908, k-pofot, netz elerdtio h arr 3. mdit

THE Man Who Knows.

All modern business men buy their cigars at peace's cigar store. He gives special prices on fine cigars by the box. Make a selection from his large stock at the headquarters, 107 King street east.

The Man In Overalls

I shall be glad to hear that Dundas made a pot of money out of his Fair. It was a good one, got good weather and got just what it deserved.

There is no denying the fact that there are quite a few idle men in the city. I wonder how they have got things fixed for the winter.

If the Atlantic steamship companies keep on cutting the fares it may yet be cheaper to travel than to stay at home.

The Tories, I notice, are not issuing any challenges to Mr. Pugsley. They know he knows too much.

Some of the alleyways need cleaning up. In what sort of shape is yours?

It is too true, nevertheless, that people are shopping as late as ever on Saturday nights. Why not get out a little earlier!

The North End Improvement Society should keep clear of cliques. It could do a lot for the north end by taking up for that part of the city the work dropped by the Hamilton Improvement Society.

But why should spook husbands interfere with the widow's second choice? Are they jealous?

I was quite interested in that city improvement story in Saturday's Times. But why give up the good work? There is yet much to be done.

The evil work of the "knocker" is bearing fruit. Other cities and towns are talking about Hamilton's dirty water and poor health.

All this aldermanic election talk might be allowed a three months' rest. It's a long time till Christmas.

The Times' new press is a wonder. Drop in and have a look at it. Nothing better in Canada.

It's funny how Engineer Barrow's critics melt away when they are asked to face the music.

The fall opening of the young men's church unions and debating clubs should give it far off. What's the programme this time?

Perhaps a cheaper way would be to drain the mountain drain into Lake Erie.

I hope the Mayor will go after those people who are lying about the city and giving it a hard name all over the country.

Adam Beck is not talking as glibly as he did about hydro-electric power. There is nothing sure now.

The people who stay down at the Beach all winter should have some amusement provided for them, even if it were nothing but singing school. Mr. Van Allen will allow that.

I hope the Government will ship that consignment of a thousand marriageable young women, as soon as they arrive, to the Northwest. In Hamilton, as it is, there is hardly enough young men to go round, and the home market must be protected.

They say the 2 T's can fit you to a T.

PERSONAL.

Miss McArthur, of this city, is spending a few days with friends in Preston.

Miss Mabel Chiswell, of this city, has returned home after visiting Mrs. Chas. Brown, at Brantford.

Mrs. Herb. Dickenson, of this city, and Miss Myrtle Young, of Glenora, are spending a few days with Mrs. John Henderson, Brantford.

Senator Wm. Gibson, Mrs. Gibson, Miss Gibson and Miss Evelyn Gibson, arrived home yesterday after a four months' visit abroad. They were passengers on the Allan liner Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. John Proctor, Miss Proctor and Mr. Irwin Proctor returned yesterday from Scotland, where they spent the summer months on their estate at Dufftown.

Peterboro Review: Mr. Charles Garside and Mr. Frank Edwards, of Hamilton, have returned to their home, after spending their holidays around the upper and lower lakes, and at Mr. Garside's father's, Mr. Jas. Garside, 199 Reid street.

ALL RED RUN.

Pleasant Auto Outing to St. Catharines Yesterday.

Yesterday was an ideal day for an auto run and the "All red" outing for owners of Ford runabouts was a very pleasant affair. Twelve of these handy little cars left the Charles street garage and made the run to St. Catharines. A pace maker was in charge, and the distances and stops were made by schedule. The run being made at a moderate speed, in good order and without mishap of any sort. At St. Catharines Mr. W. M. Clendenning entertained the party at the Russell House, after which a pleasant afternoon luncheon was enjoyed.

WELCOMED HOME.

Senator Gibson Back From His Visit to Great Britain.

Senator Wm. Gibson returned yesterday looking hale and hearty with the bloom of health upon his cheek and wearing a sprig of white feathers that was the envy of his Scotch friends, who had gathered to welcome him. During the summer holiday tour he had much of interest in the British Isles. In Ireland he greatly enjoyed the coaching tours, and lingered longingly among the enchanted Killarney Lakes, visited the Dublin exhibition and was greatly impressed with the fine display made by the Canadian Government.

It was his good fortune while in England to be presented by Lord Strathcona to His Imperial Majesty King Edward, and the following day to meet him personally at the garden party given in honor of distinguished colonials.

During his sojourn in London the Senator was busily occupied. He had the opportunity of meeting the leading financiers of the world, and also the foremost men that direct the intellectual thought of this great centre of influence. He was also present at an important Masonic conference held in that city.

Leaving Scotland for the latter portion of his journey he had ample time to visit his birthplace, Peterhead, of which he has most happy recollections. His leisure time in Scotland was spent in looking up former acquaintances and indulging in some shooting. On the return trip by S. S. Virginia were some well-known travellers. General Booth, of the Salvation Army, and Marconi, the inventor of wireless telegraphy, were especially interesting to their fellow travellers.

The Senator's homecoming was celebrated by a family reunion at "Inverugie," Beamsville.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES.

To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills, silver and other valuables, at the TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.

MET TERRIBLE DEATH BENEATH CAR WHEELS

Wm. McBride, Caretaker of Central School Killed on Saturday.

Fell While Endeavoring to Jump From Bicycle He Was Riding.

About 6.30 Saturday afternoon William McBride, 343 Hunter street west, caretaker of the Central school, met with a terrible death, being literally cut to pieces by a street car on the Locke street bridge at Hunter street. The unfortunate man was riding south on Locke street on his bicycle, and was on the bridge, on the west side of the street. He turned behind a car, not noticing another car, that was passing on the other track.

The car, No. 88, was in charge of Motorman Campbell and Conductor Liansen. Deceased was a native of Ireland, having been born at Donegore, Armagh. He was still a comparatively young man, only about 37 or 48. He came to this country in 1882, direct to Hamilton, and when the Central school was rebuilt he was appointed caretaker. He leaves a widow, one son, William J., and one daughter, Miss Jean, at home.

BIG FOUR RUGBY LEAGUE FRAMED UP.

Montreal Has Come In and Satisfactory Schedule Has Been Fixed Up.

At noon to-day President Seymour, of the Hamilton Rugby Football Club, received word from Montreal Football Club to the effect that the provisional arrangements made at Toronto on Saturday night were satisfactory to the eastern players, and that the Inter-Provincial League will go through. At the meeting on Saturday a new form of affidavit was prepared, and the clause referring to the C. A. U. or the Federation.

October 5—Toronto Argonauts at Montreal; Hamilton at Ottawa.
October 12—Montreal at Hamilton; Ottawa at Toronto.
October 19—Montreal at Ottawa; Toronto at Hamilton.
October 26—Hamilton at Montreal; Toronto at Ottawa.
October 31 (Thanksgiving Day)—Ottawa at Hamilton; Montreal at Toronto.
November 9—Ottawa at Montreal; Hamilton at Toronto.

STEPHEN-M'GRAU.

Old Country Couple Married at Wesley Parsonage.

A quiet wedding took place on Saturday afternoon in Wesley Church parsonage, it being the marriage of Mr. Allan Stephen, of Toronto, recently from Aberdeen, Scotland, and Miss Agnes McGrau, of Toronto, and formerly of Paisley, Scotland. Dr. and Mrs. Tovell having taken an interest in the welfare of the contracting parties since their arrival in Canada, their home was made available for the ceremony. Dr. Tovell officiated, and after light refreshments were served, the happy couple returned to Toronto, and later on expect to visit their old home in Scotland together, this providing for a thoroughly enjoyable honeymoon.

HOLDING SCENERY.

"A Desperate Chance" Co. May Not be Able to Play London.

Although there were three desperadoes and as many detectives in "A Desperate Chance," which played at the Grand on Saturday afternoon, the outfit was not strong enough to get away. The scenery used in the production of the thriller, which tells of the life of the notorious Biddle brothers, was being successfully held by a couple of stage hands at 2 o'clock this afternoon, and the prospects of the play being presented at London to-night are slim. The scenery is being held by the management till a claim for damages for breach of contract is settled. The company was to have given a matinee on Saturday. It arrived in time, but the scenery did not come till 4 o'clock. Consequently the house had to turn away many good dollars. The manager of the company claimed it was not his fault that the scenery did not arrive, and declined to settle for the loss.

SUE FOR PEACE.

NINETEEN KAIDS DISCUSS THEIR SUBMISSION WITH DRUDE.

Moorish Camp at Sidi Brahim Destroyed by the French—Unconditional Surrender of All Arms Demanded—Hostilities Will Not Be Suspended.

Casa Blanca, Sept. 22.—5 p. m.—The destruction to-day of the Moorish camp at Sidi Brahim, south of Casa Blanca, and the dispersal of the tribesmen, has resulted in new overtures for peace. Nineteen Kaids, representing the Oubeyyan, Senate and Ziyaida tribes, presented themselves at General Drude's headquarters during the afternoon and longly discussed the conditions which the French commander proposed for their submission. His terms include the unconditional surrender by the Moors of all their arms, against which the Kaids are holding out, but upon which the French authorities insist.

MURDERED TROOPER.

TWO ITALIANS UNDER ARREST CHARGED WITH DEED.

Soldier Went to Assistance of Woman and Was Stabbed to Death—One Man Confesses—Also Murdered His Rival in Love in Italy.

Reading, Pa., Sept. 23.—Surrounded by a heavily armed guard of state police, Salvatore Garrito and Stefano Lesenicchia, charged with the murder of Trooper Timothy Kelleher, a member of the state constabulary, were brought here early to-day from Allentown and lodged in separate cells in the Berks county jail. The men are charged with having killed the trooper on the night of Sept. 14. Kelleher, while on the way to the barracks of his troop on the outskirts of this city, heard the cries of a woman coming from bushes nearby. He went to her assistance, and was stabbed to death by the Italians. They fled, and were traced to Warwick, N. Y., where they were arrested on Saturday. On their way to this city the men confessed the crime. In addition to admitting that he had done the actual killing, Garrito confessed that seven years ago he murdered his rival in love in Italy, for which his brother is now serving a twenty-year sentence. For this crime Garrito fled the country and came to America.

The olive trees on the Mount of Olives have been destroyed by tourists.

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A false alarm took the fire department to the Gurney-Tilden foundry this morning, and a few men also attended a dump fire.

THE USURPER

CHAPTER XII.

Five, ten minutes passed, and still Neville and Sylvia crouched motionless in the gloom of the thicket.

"Shoot him, some of you!" cried Lavarick. As he spoke, Sylvia snatched the revolver out of his hand and pulled the trigger.

"Shoot him!" he yelled again, ducking his head. At that moment one of the gang uttered a warning cry, and Lavarick's horse, already started, turned round and sped away.

Neville staggered into range, and knelt on one knee to take better aim. Then he hesitated, and groaned. If he should miss Lavarick and hit Sylvia, the dread paralyzed him.

She read his fear in his face. "Shoot, Jack, shoot!" rose from her white lips. He fired instantly, but his fear had spoiled his aim. The bullet whizzed past Lavarick's head.

With a laugh of triumph and exultation Lavarick turned and fired. The bullet struck Neville in the leg. He did not fall, but staggered against a tree, and there, unable to move, stood holding out his hand with a look on his face, with a cry on his lips, of concentrated agony which no words can describe.

"Then in that moment, as he saw her borne away from him, he learned how dear she was to him. 'Sylvia! Sylvia!' rang through the woods, and her answering cry came back, 'Jack! Jack!'

Then he fell forward on his face and all was silent. CHAPTER XIII. As we have previously stated, Lord Lorrimer had joined a body of vigilantes. He was out with them one night in quest of the villainous rangers, and after long search they resolved to encamp for the night.

Then in the next flash of time he saw a dozen men surrounding them. Sylvia, awakened by the report of the revolver, spring to her feet to be seized by one of the ruffians.

"Hold the girl tight!" he said. "Don't hurt her!" for Sylvia was fighting with the man who held her as a wild cat fight, as a tigress with a wild cat.

"You're right, sir, it is!" assented the captain. "For God's sake, let us ride on!" exclaimed Lord Lorrimer.

The captain pulled up presently, and bending down till his head was below his horse's neck, listened intently. Then he waved his hand to right and left.

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Fine Showing of Veilings 25c Yard

50 pieces of New Paris Veilings, in plain and fish net, with or without spots, come in black, brown, navy, grey, black, white, also fancy combinations, worth up to 45c yard, on sale 25c yard

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English Cape Kid Gloves, in tana, P. K., fawn, with one dome fastener, made for children from 6 months to 15 years, sizes 0000 to 6, fitted at the counter 75c pair

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All the leading shades in fine French Kid Gloves, navies, greens, modes, greys, tans, champagne, red, white, black, embroidered Paris points, and 2 dome fasteners, fitted at the counter, regular \$1.25, special \$1.00 pair

Long Cashmere Gloves 75c Pair

50 dozen of fine All Wool Cashmere Gloves, elbow length, in black only, all sizes, regular \$1 pair, for 75c

Special From Our Ready-to-Wear Dept.

Tourists Coats \$4.98 Walking Skirts \$2.49 Light and Dark Tweeds, also a few chevots and Broadcloth in colored and black, a good assortment of up-to-date styles, they are worth \$3.50 and \$4, sale price \$2.49

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Bleached Sheet 29c Bleached Twill Sheet, English make, heavy round thread, 2 yards wide, special 29c

Tea Towels 15c Check Tea Towels, hemmed, ready for use, firm, absorbent weave, extra size, 26x38, special 15c

Table Cloths \$1.59 Pure Linen Table Cloths, bordered all around, rich satin finish, 2 yards square, regular \$2.75, slightly imperfect \$1.59

Snaps From the Carpet Dept.

Tapestry Carpet 62 1/2c 1,500 yards Tapestry Carpet, heavy make, rich colorings, worth 75c, special at 62 1/2c Brussels Carpet 89c 700 yards heavy English Brussels Carpet, up-to-date patterns and colorings, worth \$1.15, special at 89c

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DEATH OF MRS. LEE. EMIGRANT SHIP SANK.

No Evidence of Criminal Operation—The Jury's Verdict. Owen Sound, Sept. 21.—The verdict of the coroner's jury in the case of Mrs. Lee was "Death, caused by blood poisoning, following miscarriage." No suggestion of a criminal operation resulted from the post-mortem examination, though there was evidence that death had followed as stated in the jury's verdict.

County Crown Attorney Armstrong stated to-day that the action of the coroner followed statements reported to have been made by a neighbor upon Mrs. Lee during her illness, in which the latter alleged she had gone to Dr. Brown, a local physician, four times, and that he had performed the operation.

There was nothing in the woman's evidence to confirm this report, while the husband of the dead woman swore positively he knew nothing of any such action on the part of his wife.

GEORGE D. GRANT, M. P., ILL. Has Been Under Doctor's Care for Four Weeks. Toronto, Sept. 23.—For nearly four weeks Mr. George D. Grant, M. P. for North Ontario, has been under the care of Dr. John Caven at a private hospital in Selby street.

Prince Albert, Sept. 22.—Thomas Wilson, Toronto, fell from the top of the water tower in the Prince Albert lumber mill this afternoon, a distance of seventy feet, and died within an hour.

INSANE MAN GOT AWAY. Charles Hunter Escaped From the Mimico Asylum. Toronto, Sept. 23.—Charles Hunter, a patient at the Mimico asylum, escaped yesterday morning. He was sitting on one of the verandahs with a number of other inmates, when he slid down a post and got away unnoticed.

DRANK STRYCHNINE. The Mistake Cost Two Lives at Great Village, N. S. Halifax, Sept. 22.—At Great Village on Friday occurred an incident which resulted in the death of Dr. Peppard, of that place, and Samuel Lindsay, of Londonderry station. The two men were working at the grain in their fields, and, becoming thirsty, the doctor went into his office for a drink.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take LAXATIVE PROMU Quinine Tablets. Frequent refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box, 25c.

Sanford Campbell, aged nineteen years, son of J. Campbell, Ottawa South, was instantly killed on Saturday night by being run over by a street car near the Exhibition grounds. He was lying across the rails and the motorman did not see him until too late to stop the car.

STEAMSHIPS.

DOMINION LINE ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIPS. Dominion, Sept. 23, Nov. 2. Kennington, Oct. 5, Nov. 3. Southwark, Oct. 19, Nov. 17. Ottawa, Oct. 28. Steamers sail from Montreal, daylight: from Quebec, 7.50 p.m.

R&O FALL Excursions. \$15 Hamilton to Montreal and return. \$14 Toronto to Montreal and return. Including meals and berth.

Shur-On Eye glasses. Distinctive in Style. Superior in finish—the eye-glass that holds true by sheer force of merit.

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MONTREAL'S WATER FRONT. English Expert Will Recommend System of Elevated Tracks. Montreal, Sept. 22.—W. Davidson, the British engineering expert, who was invited to come to Montreal by the commissioners, has returned to England after completing an exhaustive study of the requirements of the port.

Hunts of Fish and Game. Are situated on the direct line of the Grand Trunk Railway. On Tuesday, Oct. 8, to Tuesday, Nov. 5, tickets will be sold at single fare for round trip to all points in Temagami where fishing is good and big game abundant.

RAILWAYS.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM. HUNTERS' EXCURSIONS. AT SINGLE FARE GOING TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8th, TO TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5th.

ROMSEYERS' EXCURSIONS TO MANTOBA, AND CANADIAN NORTHWEST. Sept. 28th, Oct. 8th, Oct. 22nd. Tickets good for sixty days.

CANADIAN PACIFIC SPECIAL RATES TO THE COAST. \$41.95 VANCOUVER VICTORIA SEATTLE TACOMA PORTLAND. \$39.45 NELSON ROSSLAND SPOKANE.

BIG GAME SEASON OPENS. Moose Caribou Deer Bear Nova Scotia. September 1st. October 1st.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY. Publications Fishing and Hunting Week in the Canadian Woods Hunting Ground of the Micmacs Big Game of the Southwest Miramichi.

HAMILTON RADIAL ELECTRIC RAILWAY. WEEK DAY SERVICE. Leave Hamilton—7:10, 7:15, 8:10, 9:10, 10:10, 11:10, 12:10, 1:10, 2:10, 3:10, 4:10, 5:10, 6:10, 7:10, 8:10, 9:10, 10:10, 11:10, 12:10.

HAMILTON & DUNDAS RAILWAY. WEEK DAY SERVICE. Leave Dundas—6:10, 7:10, 8:10, 9:10, 10:10, 11:10, 12:10, 1:10, 2:10, 3:10, 4:10, 5:10, 6:10, 7:10, 8:10, 9:10, 10:10, 11:10, 12:10.

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GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM. Niagara Falls, N.Y.—2.30 a.m. \$3.25 a.m. \$4.00 a.m. \$4.75 a.m. \$5.50 a.m. \$6.25 a.m. \$7.00 a.m. \$7.75 a.m. \$8.50 a.m. \$9.25 a.m. \$10.00 a.m. \$10.75 a.m. \$11.50 a.m. \$12.25 a.m. \$13.00 a.m. \$13.75 a.m. \$14.50 a.m. \$15.25 a.m. \$16.00 a.m. \$16.75 a.m. \$17.50 a.m. \$18.25 a.m. \$19.00 a.m. \$19.75 a.m. \$20.50 a.m. \$21.25 a.m. \$22.00 a.m. \$22.75 a.m. \$23.50 a.m. \$24.25 a.m. \$25.00 a.m. \$25.75 a.m. \$26.50 a.m. \$27.25 a.m. \$28.00 a.m. \$28.75 a.m. \$29.50 a.m. \$30.25 a.m. \$31.00 a.m. \$31.75 a.m. \$32.50 a.m. \$33.25 a.m. \$34.00 a.m. \$34.75 a.m. \$35.50 a.m. \$36.25 a.m. \$37.00 a.m. \$37.75 a.m. \$38.50 a.m. \$39.25 a.m. \$40.00 a.m. \$40.75 a.m. \$41.50 a.m. \$42.25 a.m. \$43.00 a.m. \$43.75 a.m. \$44.50 a.m. \$45.25 a.m. \$46.00 a.m. \$46.75 a.m. \$47.50 a.m. \$48.25 a.m. \$49.00 a.m. \$49.75 a.m. \$50.50 a.m. \$51.25 a.m. \$52.00 a.m. \$52.75 a.m. \$53.50 a.m. \$54.25 a.m. \$55.00 a.m. \$55.75 a.m. \$56.50 a.m. \$57.25 a.m. \$58.00 a.m. \$58.75 a.m. \$59.50 a.m. \$60.25 a.m. \$61.00 a.m. \$61.75 a.m. \$62.50 a.m. \$63.25 a.m. \$64.00 a.m. \$64.75 a.m. \$65.50 a.m. \$66.25 a.m. \$67.00 a.m. \$67.75 a.m. \$68.50 a.m. \$69.25 a.m. \$70.00 a.m. \$70.75 a.m. \$71.50 a.m. \$72.25 a.m. \$73.00 a.m. \$73.75 a.m. \$74.50 a.m. \$75.25 a.m. \$76.00 a.m. \$76.75 a.m. \$77.50 a.m. \$78.25 a.m. \$79.00 a.m. \$79.75 a.m. \$80.50 a.m. \$81.25 a.m. \$82.00 a.m. \$82.75 a.m. \$83.50 a.m. \$84.25 a.m. \$85.00 a.m. \$85.75 a.m. \$86.50 a.m. \$87.25 a.m. \$88.00 a.m. \$88.75 a.m. \$89.50 a.m. \$90.25 a.m. \$91.00 a.m. \$91.75 a.m. \$92.50 a.m. \$93.25 a.m. \$94.00 a.m. \$94.75 a.m. \$95.50 a.m. \$96.25 a.m. \$97.00 a.m. \$97.75 a.m. \$98.50 a.m. \$99.25 a.m. \$100.00 a.m.

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THE HAMILTON TIMES

MONDAY, SEPT. 23, 1907.

THE APPEAL TO UNTRUTH.

The picaresque and dishonest method of criticism pursued by the Toronto Mail and Empire in matters political are well illustrated in its efforts to make capital out of the situation created by the Japanese immigration into British Columbia.

HOW TO HEAR.

In another column will be found a sermon by Archdeacon Forneret, of all Saints' Church, on hearing the Gospel preached. He enumerates the hindrances to a proper hearing, implying acceptance of the offered salvation.

Mr. Beck is expected to move from London to Hamilton and become a candidate for parliament. He had better get something under the power commission to materialize if he is to pose as a great man much longer.

BRITISH INEBRIATES.

Under the British Inebriates Acts, 1897-1900, any habitual drunkard, who is convicted on indictment of an offence punishable by imprisonment or penal servitude, may be committed to a state or certified inebriate reformatory.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

"THE OLD N. P." CRY.

We recently had occasion to take the London Free Press and several other Tory sheets to task for their effort to make it appear that the Liberals had made no move toward reducing tariff taxation, and for pretending to regard the Fielding tariff as "merely the old N. P."

The mistake of the Government in this regard was IN REDUCING THE TARIFF DUTIES ON IMPORTS TO AN UNNECESSARILY LOW POINT—too low for the welfare of the whole country.

Don. But what would it have? Does it ask Borden to commit political suicide? Mr. Borden has found that outside of Ontario there is no high tariff sentiment. Most of that sentiment exists in Toronto, and he has sought to gain there. Somebody has said that there is one place where it is not necessary to preach the virtues of sulphur and a warm climate, and Mr. Borden may have applied the saying to Toronto.

The Toronto World thinks that "there will be no desire to cavil at the terms of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's reply to the resolution of the Trades and Labor Congress requesting that the treaty with Japan be abrogated."

A Glasgow municipal ownership and operation enthusiast has been telling the Toronto World that fifty years ago Glasgow paid 4s. 7d. a thousand cubic feet for gas. It took over the works then, and now the price has been reduced to about half that figure.

Our Exchanges

Compulsory Arbitration.

Compulsory arbitration in New Zealand is undergoing a severe trial. It worked well for a few weeks, but in at least one case it is resulting in some reductions. The workmen whose pay is cut refuse to work.

The London News regards Sir Wilfrid Laurier's reply to the Trades and Labor Congress as "a loyal, careful document," and the News is strongly in favor of restricting Asiatic immigration.

TWO LIVES LOST.

FATAL FIRE ON BOARD STEAMER PICTON AT TORONTO.

George Kleskie, a Stoker, and Miss Winnie Hatch, of Montreal, Were the Victims of the Blaze—Hamilton Passengers All Safe.

Toronto, Sept. 23.—Two lives were lost in a fire which broke out on Saturday afternoon on board of the steamer Picton, of the Richelieu & Ontario line, as she lay at the Scott street slip, and several of the passengers and crew had very narrow escapes.

The outbreak came with such alarming suddenness that many of the passengers were almost overcome by the smoke and fright before they had time to reach the deck.

The body of Miss Hatch was found in her cabin rolled in her bedclothes, as if she had thus endeavored to extinguish the flames. She had been seen to enter the cabin five minutes before the fire broke out.

Miss Jean Morrison, of Brockville, a passenger, on a trip to Hamilton and return, rushed to her stateroom when she smelled the smoke and escaped from the steamer with a few clothes and a handbag.

The steamer Picton is one of the oldest boats on the lake and is the property of the Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Co. She was formerly known as the Corsican, but was refitted two years ago and rechristened. She is 140 feet long and valued at \$100,000.

The fire was watched by a large crowd of people, and they crowded the railway tracks at the bay front until Police Sergeant Robert Weddes, who arrived, fearing that a train might plunge into the crowds, gave orders to clear all onlookers from the scene.

LIST OF AWARDS.

Following is a list of the awards made at the annual entertainment at the Hamilton Asylum for the Insane: Dress made by patient—Mrs. J. Norrie. Crochet work—Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Ida Peckham.

THE AGONIES OF HADES.

Aren't supposed to be worse than a bad corn. For years the standard remedy has been Putnam's Corn Extractor. It painlessly removes the worst corn in 24 hours. Try it.

Touring Car Killed Her.

Montreal, Sept. 22.—A fatal automobile accident happened to-night in Longueuil across the river from Montreal. Miss Racicot was riding in her carriage when a heavy touring car crashed into her.

THE CORNET PLAYER IS FOND OF BLOWING HIMSELF.

The cornet player is fond of blowing himself. He told me that the next time I made an infernal fool of myself I'd go back to Japan. At that time he was in England.

A SERIOUS SITUATION.

General Strike May Tie Up English Railways.

The Hague, Sept. 18.—In opening the States General Queen Wilhelmina expressed the best wishes for the success of the Peace Conference, the important work of which, she said, she was following with the greatest interest.

WRECKED ON LAKE SUPERIOR.

Captain and Five Sailors on Steamer Were Drowned. Chicago, Sept. 22.—The steamer Alexander Mimick went ashore thirteen miles west of Whitefish Point, in Lake Superior, last night. Captain Randall and five sailors were drowned.

SAID HE WAS A DETECTIVE.

Watched Plain-Clothes Officers and Threatened to Arrest Them. Toronto, Sept. 23.—While Plain Clothes Constables Montgomery and McGinnell were doing some quiet investigating in the rear of a house at 138 Edward street on Saturday night, they were threatened by a man, who said he was a detective and demanded an explanation of their actions.

ARCTIC EXPEDITION SAFE.

Tromsø, Sept. 22.—The Bruce Arctic expedition, concerning the safety of which some fears were felt, has arrived here. Everybody was well. They had had difficulties at Prince Charles Island, whence the searching party rescued them.

MAY LOSE HIS SIGHT.

Toronto, May 23.—Michael Sullivan, 33 St. Paul street, employed in the North Toronto power house as a lineman, is lying in St. Michael's Hospital suffering from severe burns, and the physicians fear he may lose his sight.

STOLE TWO HEIFERS.

Fred. Hopkins Gets Off on Suspended Sentence at Brampton. Brampton, Sept. 21.—Today Fred Hopkins, arrested in Ingersoll on a charge of stealing two heifers from John Wilson, of Dereham, was let go on suspended sentence, he having made restitution.

WRECKED ON BRISTOL BAY.

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 22.—United States Senator S. H. Files has telegraphed direct to President Roosevelt asking the Executive to send a revenue cutter to Bristol Bay to rescue 160 white fishermen and 200 Chinese, said to have been wrecked there when the fishing boat John Currier went ashore on the rocks of Aug. 9. The men had supplies sufficient to last them for thirty days, but that time has expired, and the fishermen are in distress.

The Great Sale of the John Knox Co. Samples. It will be a week yet before all our samples from the John Knox Co. will be received. You know it takes some time to assort out and invoice 35 trunks of travellers' samples we will receive on Monday for Tuesday's selling.

Ladies' and Men's Handkerchiefs. 200 dozen Men's and Ladies' Sample Handkerchiefs. Among these are a lot of handsome Swiss Handkerchiefs, embroidered, which have never been shown by the Knox travellers. These go out with the rest on Tuesday at about half price.

Samples of Table Napkins. Travellers' samples of White Damask Table Linen go out on Tuesday at half price.

Samples of Gloves. Samples of Ladies' and Children's Gloves at just about half price.

Samples of Waists. Samples of Ladies' White Silk, White Lawn, Colored Flannelette, etc., in Ladies' Waists at just about half price.

Samples of Children's Woolen Wear. Samples of Toques, Clouds, Jackets, Hoods, etc., for children and infants, at just about half price.

Samples of Bear Coats. Just a few samples of Children's Bear Coats go on sale Tuesday at just about half price.

Samples of Cloth Coats. Children's Long Cloth Paletots, the John Knox Co. samples, at just about half price.

Samples of Doylies. A handsome lot of Tenerife and Hand Crochet Doylies, the samples of the John Knox Co., on sale Tuesday at just half.

Curtain Ends 19c. A fresh lot of Curtain ends, in pairs, will be put on Tuesday on our counters at about half price.

Other Samples for Tuesday. Samples of Men's and Boys' Top Shirts, Men's and Boys' Sweaters, Men's and Boys' Underclothes. A big range of the above goods at just about half price.

THE T. H. PRATT CO. LIMITED

Ready to Wear Dept. Samples. We have a limited quantity of ready-to-wear goods, which will go on sale Tuesday morning on second floor. Samples of White Cotton Underwear at about half.

Great Cloak Dept. Over 1,000 Ladies' Jackets now in stock. We start the season with two special lines, one at \$7.50, the other at \$5.00, just about half the usual selling price.

\$15 Jackets \$7.50. Ladies' Fall and Winter Weight Jackets, in plain cloths and pretty tweed checks, value \$15.00, clearing price \$7.50.

\$10 Jackets \$5.00. Nice designs in Fall Coats and an extra line of Heavy Winter Coats, pretty checked tweeds, regular \$10, Thursday's price \$5.00.

Great Show of Dress Goods. We have positively the largest stock of Dress Goods in Hamilton, buying, as we do, from the manufacturers. We must buy in long lengths, but our prices are at least 20 per cent. lower.

SAILORS WERE STARVING. Norwegian Barque Ran Short of Food While Becalmed. Queenstown, Sept. 22.—The Norwegian barque Corina, from Halifax, N. S., to Conway, met with baffling winds, and only arrived in the channel after 63 days, having been becalmed for many days. Provisions running short, she flew signals of distress, which were unheeded. The crew were without food for four days before the steamer Seapoint answered their appeal.

EXPECTS TO BREAK RECORD. Allan Liner Gramplan Sails on Her Maiden Voyage. London, Sept. 22.—The Allan Liner Gramplan left Glasgow for Quebec on Saturday on her maiden voyage. She is expected to break the record for the voyage. She marks a distinct advance in steamers sailing in the Glasgow-Canada service.

STOLE TWO HEIFERS. Fred. Hopkins Gets Off on Suspended Sentence at Brampton. Brampton, Sept. 21.—Today Fred Hopkins, arrested in Ingersoll on a charge of stealing two heifers from John Wilson, of Dereham, was let go on suspended sentence, he having made restitution.

WRECKED ON BRISTOL BAY. Seattle, Wash., Sept. 22.—United States Senator S. H. Files has telegraphed direct to President Roosevelt asking the Executive to send a revenue cutter to Bristol Bay to rescue 160 white fishermen and 200 Chinese, said to have been wrecked there when the fishing boat John Currier went ashore on the rocks of Aug. 9. The men had supplies sufficient to last them for thirty days, but that time has expired, and the fishermen are in distress.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 24TH, 1907. SHEA'S MAY MANTON PATTERNS New Autumn Styles All In, 10c. New Autumn Dress Goods. A splendid showing of new autumn shades in every popular weave. Every yard contracted for nearly a year ago at the prices then quoted, which means a saving to you of 50c on every dollar's worth you buy.

Venetian Cloths. Beautiful pure Wool Tweeds, all our own direct importations in the very newest patterns, plaids and checks, all popular dark shades, extra special values at per yard \$1.00, 50, 50 and 75c. Splendid Tweeds. Very rich black Habit Cloths, elegant high finish and permanent lustre, 56 inches wide, best fast colored English dye, cloths you can save a good profit on by buying here at per yard \$2 and \$2.50.

DYNAMITE IN CITY HALL.

Enough to Wreck the Building Figured in Court Case.

William Trudgeon Committed in Horse Trade Case.

A. Robinson Accused of Biting W. Bonner's Ear.

When Constable Pete Brannon walked into court this morning with a little black valise, all was going smoothly, but when it was whispered about that the innocent looking bag contained 35 sticks of dynamite the crowd started to slip quietly out, and pretty soon Brannon and the "firecrackers" had the corner all to themselves. Yesterday morning Brannon was called to Charlton avenue west, where some boys had surrounded John Dale, Cathcart and Kelly streets, and Fred Taylor, 122 1/2 King William street, and were keeping them till the police arrived. When Constable Brannon walked into the circle and arrested the men, they submitted quietly, but the boys stated that one of the men had waved a stick of the dynamite about and threatened to throw it at the gang if they were molested. The police took 35 nitro-glycerine percussion caps off the sticks, and then gave the prisoners a night's lodging in the cells. The Crown Attorney asked for a remand until Wednesday in the case, which was granted, and bail was fixed in the sum of \$200, each having to furnish two sureties of \$100.

Mr. Edmonston, of Gibson, Osborne, O'Reilly & Levy, stated that the defence would be that the men were taking the stuff out to a place where they were to start work with it this morning. When the case was done with Brannon picked up the dynamite and walked out, and signs of relief were heard on all sides. There was enough in the bags to give the City Hall employees a trip to Mars.

The case of William Trudgeon, Waterdown, charged with passing a doped horse on to Ed. Jobborn, was called next, and through James Dickson, Trudgeon pleaded not guilty and declined to elect. Jobborn was called and stated that in July last he met Trudgeon on the market, and the defendant asked him if he wanted to trade his horse for a fine big one, sound as a bell and worth \$250. Jobborn stated his willingness, and arranged to meet Trudgeon at Clapton's Corner, where the trade was to be effected. The meet and the trade was made, Jobborn giving his note for \$20 "to boot." The horse did well all the way home, but in the morning it had not touched its food and was apparently fast gone with the heaves. He took it to Dr. Craig and it died. He received the comforting information that the horse was worth about 50 cents. He kept it five weeks without work and then it died.

Mrs. Jobborn and James McKay, a farmer, swore that the defendant stated that the horse was sound in the heaving. Alfred Talbert, of the Sawyer-Massey Co., said that his employers sold the horse to Trudgeon after being told of its condition, and that \$40 was the price paid.

Dr. Craig said the horse was beyond human aid and the disease it had was the heaves. He explained that drugs were known that would temporarily relieve it and make a bad case of heaves invisible to the casual observer.

Daniel Trudgeon, brother of the defendant, said he understood that an attack of bronchitis was what bothered it. Mr. Dickson called the defendant to the stand. He denied that any "dope" had been used and said that he thought the horse had a bad cold and took change from the horse and said that he was sure that he could not explain the sudden development of the case. Trudgeon was committed for trial. The Magistrate stated that if he had the fixing of the bail he would make it \$200, and Mr. Dickson decided to go to a Sunday judge.

A. Robinson, 198 Cannon west, were charged with fighting in Victoria Park on Saturday, and the last named was charged by the former with assaulting and maiming him, by hitting part of his ear off. Through Mr. Edmonston Robinson pleaded not guilty and declined to elect. Bonner stated that he was going through Victoria Park on Saturday when he saw two men fighting. He stopped to watch and when Robinson tried to interfere he stopped him. A few minutes later Robinson grabbed him and he turned round and threw Robinson to the ground. In the mixup that ensued he lost the top of his right ear and almost had his eye gouged out. He was quite sure that the defendant had done it. Constable Smith, who stopped the fight, said that Bonner was on top when he got there, but he had to choke Robinson to make him let go. He saw Robinson spit the missing piece of ear out when he got on his feet.

The Magistrate committed the prisoner for trial. The charges of disorderly conduct were allowed to drop.

John Hebburn, Stoney Creek, charged by Market Clerk Hill with assault, was fined \$5. The evidence was similar to the story in the Times on Saturday.

Thomas Nixon, Toronto, charged with being a vag, was told to spend Sunday otherwise than by hanging around the market and was allowed to go.

Arthur Bell, 74 Queen street south, pleaded guilty to throwing a quid of tobacco at Constable Hill on St. Nicholas street east on Saturday and was fined \$5.

John Snow, and his brother Roydon Snow, of Caledonia, were fined \$5 each for fighting at the Radial Station.

William Green, Caledonia, W. M. Norton, 1017 York street, Samuel Prince, Ferris street, John Moran, Aurora street, George Reid, Emerald north, and Lewis Connolly, John street north, were fined \$2 each for being drunk.

TWO SAFE.

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 23.—At the office of the Seaman's Union here it was said today that two of the crew of the steamer Alex. Nimnick, lost off Whitefish Point, were shipped here. They were Henry Holman, of Chicago, and a salt water sailor, name unknown. Charles Gray, of Buffalo, was engineer, and Jas. Hurley, of Buffalo, was assistant engineer. Last night a message was received from Hurley saying, "I am safe from Nimnick wreck. Engineer Gray with me."

The Don paper mills were sold at auction for \$20,000, presumably to Mr. Robt. Davies. Color blindness is more prevalent among men than women.

HOME MADE REMEDY

ESPECIALLY VALUED BY THE ELDERLY PEOPLE WHO SUFFER.

A large health publication tells its readers of a number of simple and safe prescriptions that can be made at home. The following, however, for the cure of rheumatism and kidney and bladder troubles receives the greatest praise, viz. Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. These simple, harmless ingredients can be obtained at any good prescription pharmacy at little cost and are mixed by shaking well in a bottle.

The dose for adults is a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime, drinking a full tumbler of water after each dose. It is further stated that this prescription is a positive remedy for kidney trouble and lame back, weak bladder and urinary difficulties, especially of the elderly people, and one of the best things to be used in rheumatic affections, relieving the aches and pains and reducing swellings in just a short while.

A well-known local druggist states that this mixture acts directly upon the eliminative tissues of the kidneys; cleanses these spongy organs and gives them power to sift and strain the poisonous waste matter and uric acid from the blood which is the cause of rheumatism.

Cut this out and hand to some sufferer, which would certainly be an act of humanity.

DON'T BELIEVE THE BECK STORY.

FILMSY ARGUMENT OF A LONDON PAPER TO DISPROVE IT.

City Officials Are Disgusted With Hydro-Power Scheme, and Would Like to See Something Done.

The Hamilton Times repeats the story that Hon. Adam Beck, of this city, is likely to leave London to take up his residence in Hamilton, and intimates that he will be a Conservative candidate in West Hamilton at the next Provincial election, says the London Free Press, and adds:

The Times is a Liberal newspaper, and unlikely to be in the confidence of the Conservative party. It claims, notwithstanding it have heard the news from one of its own correspondents.

Hon. Mr. Beck is in the city, but was engaged when a reporter called upon him in regard to the matter. At the Borden meeting he, however, made references to the city of London which give no color to the statements made by the Times. He spoke most enthusiastically of London, and was proud of his citizenship, he said. The report from Hamilton states that there are differences in the Provincial cabinet over the hydro-electric power commission programme. At the Borden meeting Mr. Beck also appeared to give the lie to this assertion, as he indicated that most satisfactory progress was being made in the direction of the giving of cheap power to the people.

It is rather significant that on the day the Times published the story, Mr. K. McNaught, M. P. P., one of the hydro-electric commissioners, in an interview admitted that there was much trouble over the power contract. Mr. Beck himself when in Hamilton early this month told city officials that a contract was to be signed "at once."

Ever since the hydro-electric power scheme was introduced the municipalities have been receiving assurances "that most satisfactory progress was being made in the direction of giving the people cheap power." Some of the Hamilton city officials at least are tired of this talk, and would like to see something to support it. City Engineer Barrow is one of these. Discussing matters the other day he said he would like to see the hydro-electric matter settled on any way or the other, so that there would be no delay over the pumps for the new annex sewer. Mr. Barrow has several times expressed the belief that the hydro-power scheme would never be a reality. There are other city officials who are disgusted with it.

As to Mr. Beck making his home in Hamilton, there is doubt that that is his intention. Whether he will give up politics is a matter of conjecture. Politicians who read between the lines say he will not.

DUNDAS NEWS.

Death of Mrs. Reid—W. Donkin Goes to Branford.

Dundas, Sept. 23.—Mrs. James Reid died at an early hour on Saturday morning, aged 77 years. Her husband, who survives her, was a generation or so ago, one of the best known butchers and cattle buyers in this section. They had lived in Dundas for a good many years, where he carried on a meat business until old age compelled him to retire. The funeral took place to-day.

Rev. T. J. Mansell yesterday preached at the harvest home services in the morning at Rock View. The Methodist pulpit here was occupied in the morning by Rev. Chas. Cavers.

Miss Maus, of Paris, one of the recently appointed teachers on the Public school staff, has resigned, and a special meeting of the Board of Education will be held to-night to deal with the matter, and, perhaps, to do general business.

Misses Hattie and Alice Quackenbush are visiting in Niagara Falls and St. Catharines.

The Melbourne Hotel is likely to change hands again, owing to the ill health of the present proprietor, Edward Nichol. His successor is likely to be Wm. Mahoney, of Hamilton, a brother of Andrew Mahoney, of the Freestone Hotel. Walter Donkin left to-day for Branford.

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Breathe easier—those who quit coffee and use POSTUM 10 days' trial will prove that "There's a Reason"



The Duchess of Bedford, one of a number of titled Englishwomen who live almost entirely upon vegetable food.

ROBERT FULTON.

His Day Commemorated at the Jamestown Exposition.

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 23.—Elaborate and beautiful ceremonies marked to-day's observance of "Robert Fulton day" at the Jamestown exposition. Of the many historical events commemorated by the tercentennial none has been of greater importance and deeper significance than the celebration of the practical application of Robert Fulton's inventions to the needs of the world.

While the exercises to-day were under the direction of the exposition officials added prominence was given them by the participation of the Robert Fulton monument association, many members of which arrived here yesterday. The orator of the day was Martin W. Littleton, of Brooklyn, N. Y. The exercises which were held in the auditorium, were interspersed with music by the consolidated exposition bands. R. Fulton Cutting, of N. Y., was chairman of the celebration committee.

A spectacular feature of the celebration was a typical representation of what the inventions of Robert Fulton meant to the world. It was the assembling in Hampton Roads, just off the exposition grounds of every sort of craft propelled by steam. The vessels, of all sizes and description, all ablaze with flags and bunting formed a marine parade which was reviewed by the guests from the decks of the visiting yachts.

The day's programme included the award of the cups presented by President Roosevelt, King Edward and Sir Thomas Lipton for the winners in the various classes of yacht races.

Louis Malecot, the aeronaut, made an ascent at Paris with a machine heavier than air.

Mrs. Rhoda M. Hall of Toronto, who had for years taken an active part in the charitable work of Cooke's Presbyterian Church, died on Friday morning in Philadelphia, at the home of her brother-in-law, Rev. William Patterson, D. D., pastor of "Wanamaker's Church," in that city, and formerly of Cooke's Church, Toronto.

Portrait of EX-AMBASSADOR WRIGHT. Formerly U. S. representative to Japan, declares that Japan does not want war with the United States.

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If you're looking for handsome, fashionable fabrics; smart, snappy styles, and high-class tailoring, you can do no better than to come here. You'll find the largest assortment the best styles and tailoring that cannot be surpassed. At

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SPORTING NEWS.

(Continued from page 8.)

HAMILTON CREW WON.

Defeated St. Catharines and Toronto Crews on Saturday.

A crew of the Hamilton Rowing Club which was made up after the club's fall regatta at the Beach and had trained together only a couple of weeks, went to St. Catharines on Saturday and carried off honors and gold medals. The crew was composed of Messrs. Coulson, Sloan, Townsend and Mahoney. It met, in working boat, the St. Catharines crew which won at the Canadian Henley, and the representative Bankers' crew of the Don Rowing Club, Toronto, which recently won the Hammond shield. The Hamilton crew rowed well and won the race. It was a popular victory.

FERNLEIGH 7 UP.

Interesting Bowling Game With Grimby on Saturday.

A close game of lawn bowling was played on Saturday afternoon on Fernleigh lawn between West Grimby and Fernleigh, the latter winning by seven. The scores: Fernleigh—Grimby West—W. Jackson 10 E. J. Woolverton 10 W. L. Pick 10 Rev. J. A. Bellard 10 G. Healey 10 C. W. Harrison 10 P. Miller 10 Rev. J. Muir 10 E. Morwick 10 E. Palmer 10 L. Stephens 10 A. H. Pettit 10 J. H. Turner 10 Dr. Morris 10 S. McKinnon 10 Dr. Clark 10 A. L. Gage 10 L. Woolverton 10 H. Hennessey 10 Dr. Roberts 10 J. H. Sisker 10 J. A. Pettit 10 W. White 10 A. G. Pettit 10

ORCHARD HOUSE WON.

In the bowling match at the Asylum on Saturday for the Dr. English trophy the Orchard House rink won by three shots. The scores were: Orchard House—E. Hatch 10 W. E. Kratt 10 R. Abraham 10 E. Hawken 10 J. Irontide 10 Wm. Boslor 10 M. Dean 10 Dr. Webster 10 Geo. Putman 10 S. Burgess 10 B. Thomas 10 J. O'Reilly 10 J. H. Sisker 10 W. Eschback 10 B. Way 10 A. Lucas 10 Joo. Kelley 10 A. Verch 10 T. Hottle 10 E. Herce 10 Dr. English 10 L. Edmonds 10 J. McIntosh 10 A. Cook 10 J. Edwards 10 P. Christie 10 J. Nett 10 D. Young 10 F. Morshel 10 A. Rankin 10

A "22" RIFLE CLUB FORMED.

A number of local shots met at James Street Rifle Gallery and organized a "22" rifle club. The following were elected officers: President—John Gill. Vice-President—Frank Scott. Secretary—Treasurer—J. E. Zimmerman. Captain—George Beattie. The next meeting will be at club headquarters, over rifle gallery, on Monday evening next. There is some talk of an evening next. There is some parts of the city, and forming a league to compete for the Winchester and Dominion Cartridge Companies' trophy.

FOR CRERAR CUP.

The Hamilton Golf Club has arranged the following draw for the doubles for the P. D. Crerar Cup, to be played on or before Oct. 2nd. H. M. Patterson and Y. E. Mage vs. F. R. Martin and Dr. Woolverton. S. F. Washington and B. Way vs. S. M. Glasco and D. Martin. W. S. McBrayne and J. A. Thompson vs. F. E. H. Pattison and W. J. Waugh. C. S. Wilcox and J. A. Collinson vs. T. H. Crerar and J. G. Glasco. Dr. Park and Dr. Chevalin vs. Rev. J. Young and F. Price. A. C. Beasley and F. J. Howell vs. G. R. Harvey and Dr. McDonald. P. D. Crerar and J. Garthshore vs. T. C. Haslett and W. C. White. J. J. Morrison and A. H. Crerar vs. C. Ferris and E. F. Lazier.

WHITE WINGS CUP.

The R. H. Y. C. race for the White Wings Cup, which was postponed from July 6th, was held on Saturday afternoon. Only two boats started, although the race was open to all classes. The result was: Start, 2:30. Elapsed Corrected Finish. Time. Time. Sheila 4:31.40 2:01.40 1:45.14 Keno 4:19.30 1:49.30 1:49.30

STANLEY MILLS & CO., Limited. MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 23rd, 1907. Basement Day Again

And Pre-eminently Housekeepers' Day at This Store. We are devoting much labor and study in planning these Weekly Basement Sales, and the almost unprecedented response that we are getting shows plainly that Hamilton housekeepers appreciate the attention we are giving to their needs.

Ingersoll Pork Sausage, 3 lbs. for 25c

Fresh and delicious. Not too highly flavored. Cleanly prepared and all pork. We have bought an extra big supply for to-morrow, but Ingersoll Sausages are famous, and in order to make sure of getting some, make your purchases early, at 8.30 sharp.

- SODA BISCUITS—Mooney's fresh cream Sodas, barrel goods, regular 10 lb. for 6c. CANNED LOBSTER—5 cases of "Laird" Brand Flat Cans, fresh goods, excellent quality, regular 25c can, on sale Tuesday only 19c. "HEINZ" PICKLING VINEGAR—Prepares onion pickles without discoloration, regular price 75c gal. Tuesday 60c, or 15c per quart. TEA—New Ceylon, garden grown, fragrant and delicious, full flavored, 40c grade, Tuesday 33c, or 3 lbs. for 95c. DRY ROAST COFFEE—Java blend, rich Aroma, regular 25c lb., Tuesday 5 lbs. for \$1 or 22c lb. JENNETT TABLETS—Hansen's brand, 1 package that will make 10 quarts of delicious Junket for 10c. KHOVAH CUSTARD POWDER—That so many people have been waiting for. These make the most delicious of quick custards, English goods, each box contains 3 packets, only 10c. SALAD DRESSING—Pure Gold Salad Dressing, simply prepared. The contents of one package will make a quart of salad Dressing, only 10c pkg. SECTION HONEY—Delicious Clover Honey in the comb, fine, big full sections, just fresh in. We haven't been able to get any for some time. NEW RICE—Java brand, large, white, whole grains. The very best grade to be had. Special 3 lbs. for 25c. FRENCH MACARONI—Scaramilli brand. We've tried other brands, but this is the best. Special to-morrow, 2 pkgs. for 25c. CELERY SALT—For table use, gives a delightful flavor to soups, dressing, etc. On sale in dainty glass shakers with nickel tops, at 10c each. CATSUP SPICE—All kinds mixed together, making a desirable hot spice for catsup, 2 oz. for 5c. "FAIRBANKS" GOLD DUST—An excellent washing powder. Softens the water and will not injure the finest fabric. Nothing quite so good for the purpose. A big 3-pound package Tuesday for 25c. SCOURING SOAP—Something new for scouring purposes. Particularly good. To introduce it we will sell a regular 10c package to-morrow at just half price 5c.

Kitchen Goods To-morrow

- METALLIC SIEVES—3 dozen of large round metallic sieves, handy for straining tomatoes or jelly, regular 20c each, Tuesday special 15c. DUST PANS—3 dozen Japanned Dust Pans, with patent spring, regular 20c each, Tuesday 14c. COFFEE POTS—24 only. Large Strinsky blue and white Coffee Pots, regular \$1.40 and \$1.50 each, choice at 8.30 sharp, Tuesday at 98c. DOOR MATS—18 only genuine Co. Door Mats, handy size, regular 85c each, Tuesday at 50c. CAKE CUTTERS—3 dozen large deep plain cake or doughnut Cutters, regular 10c each, Tuesday 7c.

China Dept. To-morrow

BREAD AND BUTTER PLATES—A special sale of a new, exceedingly pretty line, very fine quality china, with decorations of beautiful fruits and tinted flowers. To-morrow we will sell these at 10c.

BERRY SETS—In this same beautiful decoration. Exquisite designs, 15 pieces—large dish and 2 napkins, Tuesday only \$1.50. SALAD BOWLS—Separate pieces, regular 25c, special price for Tuesday 15c.

Autumn Millinery Styles

Our Autumn Opening has been a grand success, and the ladies have appreciated our untiring efforts in securing everything that is new and up to date. The display is still large, and many exclusive patterns are shown, together with the models from our workrooms. The milliners are very busy now getting out their many early autumn orders, and it would be advisable to place your orders now.

Fashionable Black Dress Goods

Our Black Dress Goods are complete now, and we are showing all the latest importations from abroad, including some of the finest ever shown in Black Silk, Stripe Grenadine, Silk and Wool, Poplin, de Chine, Etonne and Silk de Chine. In fine makes for evening wear, in figured and stripe patterns, exclusive designs, at \$1, \$1.25 to \$3 per yard. All Wool Voiles in pure French fast dye, in new weaves in plain, stripes and embroidery spots, at 75c, \$1.00 to \$1.35. One of the newest in black goods to be worn this season is the Cheviot, in large and fine twills, very popular for ladies' suits and skirts, at 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

Stylish Fall Suits and Skirts

New styles in Autumn Suits, tailored after the latest New York models, in the military cut style, in black, navy and brown chevron Broadcloth, 22, 30 and 36-inch Military Coat, with high collar and braided cuffs, coat beautifully trimmed with silk novelty braid, tulle, pleated Skirt, at \$20, \$25 to \$40.

EGYPT'S GREEN SUN.

Peculiar Phenomena Commented Upon by Ancient Nile Dwellers. The appearance of green light at sunset, like many other phenomena supposed to have only recently attracted scientific attention, was noticed and commented upon by the ancient Egyptians, and more particularly so because in the clean air of Egypt the tints of sunset are peculiarly distinct.

As the sun there descends more and nearer to the horizon and is immensely large and flaming, it becomes, for an instant, a brilliantly green color, and immediately a series of green rays suffuses the sky in many directions, well-nigh to the zenith. The same phenomenon appears at sunrise, but to a smaller extent. Sometimes, just as the last part of the sun's disk vanishes, its color changes from green to blue, and also after it has disappeared the sky near the horizon often is green, while toward the zenith it is blue.

This was alluded to in Egyptian writings. Day was the problem of life and night that of death, and the nocturnal sun, being identified with Osiris, thus rendered Osiris king of the dead. The setting sun was green; therefore, Osiris, as the nocturnal deity of the dead, was painted green. The splendid coffins of the high priests of Ammon frequently depict the green sun and the funeral deities are all colored green.

There are innumerable instances in the Egyptian relics of representations relative to death being colored green. The practice undoubtedly arose from the green tints of sunrise and sunset. The green sun disk is referred to 5,000 years ago, in Egypt. This is the earliest known human record of an astronomical phenomenon.

The convocation held at Trinity University, Toronto, on Saturday afternoon for the purpose of honoring Right Rev. Charles Scadding, Lord Bishop of Oregon took on a deeper significance by reason of the hearty welcome extended to Rev. Dr. Falconer, principal of the University of Toronto, by Archbishop Sweattman, Primate of All Canada, on behalf of the Anglican community and warmly endorsed by the representatives of the corporation of Trinity College.

DUNDAS HAS FIRST FAIR

Of the Many That Are Held in This Neighborhood. A Successful Day at the Driving Park on Saturday. Some Fair Racing and Game of Football on Side.

The Dundas and North Wentworth fall fair closed on Saturday afternoon and the directors have every reason to feel gratified with the large crowds which thronged the Dundas Park. The receipts showed that the crowds attending this year were larger than for a number of years. There were a number of good attractions on Saturday, the most interesting being the horse racing. The first event was the farmers' green driving horse race, and it was in three heats. The result was as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Points. Includes Miss Philadelphia Springs, John R., Methune, Blue Bells.

In the mile flat race, Draco beat Dan Kelly in three straight heats. Little Minnie threw her jockey and was disqualified.

There was lots of excitement in the pony race, at a half mile, and Elsie won out, beating Nimble Dick, Floss, Starlight and Fly.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Points. Includes The football game between Dundas and Waterdown, Quackenbush, Lee, Smith, Mallard, Wilson, Craig, Morton, Mason, Martin, Cameron.

North worth: J. Burr, President. W. H. Brooking, first Vice-President. W. E. Stock, second Vice-President. J. M. Knowles, Secretary-Treasurer.

Directors—W. Dwyer, J. Dwyer, J. Sururus, J. Maule, N. H. Boden, F. C. G. Minty, J. McCormick, J. Adams, D. Dwyer.

Dundas Fair: Murray Hendrie, President. J. Maule, first Vice-President. S. George, second Vice-President. N. H. Boden, Secretary-Treasurer.

Directors—F. Haines, J. Dwyer, W. Sururus, W. Dwyer, J. Sururus, G. H. Greene, V. McKee, G. Adams, W. Mitson.

The prize list: HORSES. Agricultural—Marshall Lyon. Foal, Marshall Lyon, G. T. Mismey, W. Pearson.

CATTLE. Durhams—Bull, 1 year old, D. W. Chambers. Bull calf, under 1 year, D. W. Chambers.

Sheep. Short-wool sheep—Ram, aged, W. J. Martin. Shearling ewes, W. J. Martin.

PIGS. Large Breeds—Sow, over 1 year, N. D. Liddycoat.

CHICKENS. Plymouth Rock, cockerel, J. J. Green. Plymouth Rock, pullet, J. J. Green.

WRITING. Penmanship by boy under 12 years of age, pupil of Dundas Public or Separate Schools, writing to be the slant system, J. Irwin Penmanship, by girl under 12 years of age, pupil of Dundas Public or Separate Schools, writing to be the slant system, E. Malloy.

cock, J. J. Green, W. Ryckman. Bantam, hen, J. Patterson, W. Ryckman. Minorca cock, J. J. Green, J. Patterson.

GRAIN. White winter wheat, G. Nichol. Barley, 6-rowed, G. Nichol. White oats, G. Nichol.

ROOTS AND FIELD CROPS. Sugar beets, J. S. Hyde. Red potatoes, G. Nichol.

GARDEN VEGETABLES. Beet, long red, J. Tunis. Beets, turnip, F. H. Miller.

HORTICULTURAL PRODUCTS. Apples, eight varieties, W. Ryckman. Apples, snow, J. S. Hyde.

Plants and flowers. Largest and best plant or flower, B. D. Marnard.

CANNED FRUIT. Canner fruit, J. Tunis. B. D. Marnard. Bread, hot yeast, Miss Beatrice Miller.

FINE ARTS. Paintings in Oil—Any subject, original, Mrs. N. C. Glover.

LADIES' WORK. Fancy crochet work, in cotton, M. Patterson.

Medical Student's Sad End. Owen Sound, Sept. 22.—Lying dead in his state room on the steamer City of Midland.

Back to Esquimaux. Vancouver, B.C., Sept. 22.—The British navy will probably occupy Esquimaux.

Tricks of Clever Examiners. The Perth Teachers' Association holds the Education Department responsible for examination papers which affect thousands of candidates adversely.

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The Daily Fashion Hint.



Chiffon Calling Gown.

Grey chiffon broadcloth is used to make this calling gown. The jacket is tucked, and shaped bands of the same, finished with silk ornaments, are used to trim both jacket and skirt.

PLANS A BUREAU FOR ESCORTS.

WOMEN VISITING NEW YORK MAY HIRE CHAPERONES TOO.

Scheme is to Employ Young Men Who Are Working Their Way Through College and Gentlewomen Who Need Employment—Messenger Boy System Fails.

There is a new idea in town. It is only an idea as yet, but by the beginning of next month it promises to be an organized bureau.

"Our object is to give the young men who come to New York to work their way through college an opportunity to earn money by acting as escorts to the thousands of women who visit the city for the purpose of seeing the sights."

"They want the comforts of a hotel with the privacy of a boarding house. If they were as independent as some persons try to make it appear why should they object to going to any first class hotel? When they reach New York as a rule it is so different from anything they have ever seen or known that at first they are appalled, and if they stay long enough the majority of them only overcome this feeling sufficiently to go to places and see the sights immediately around their locality."

"As for going out at night, why there are thousands of women who come to New York after year and never go out after dark. They have no new friends to take them out to places of interest and they are too timid to trust themselves with messenger boys or go out alone. Those are the class of women we are aiming to reach. We will establish a bureau to supply escorts and chaperones, if necessary, in the case of young girls who have come to the city alone or who have no older woman to go out with them we shall require them to take a chaperone as well as an escort."

"We shall investigate the character of each young man before putting him on our list. He must be a gentleman, and vouched for by responsible persons, and he must have suitable clothes. One objection that many women have to going to public places escorted by a messenger boy is his clothing."

"Then, too, our escorts must be informed about the places they are to attend. They must be able to interpret a grand opera, a French or German play, and above all they must be thoroughly posted in the etiquette of the occasion. They must be able and ready to tell the ladies under their charge what to do and how to do it."

"Take the rule that excludes the unattended woman from our best restaurants. There has been so much said about it that now the visiting woman never thinks she can enter any public restaurant after dark without the escort of a man. Think how much a person coming from our smaller cities misses in not being able to go to some of our best dining places after the theatre or opera."

"It was only the other day as I was visiting a friend who lives in a woman's hotel. It was my first visit in the evening, and imagine my surprise when leaving her apartment shortly after 11 to find the hall lights turned off and the whole place burning the stamp of after hours."

"What is the meaning of this? I asked her. 'Do the rules of the house require you to retire at a specified hour?' 'Oh, my, no,' she replied, cheerfully. 'There are no rules. We do just as we please, but we all retire early. You see there are so few who have men friends in the city that we have to do our tripping in the daylight.'"

"Now, that woman was going home without having had even a glimpse of

RECEPTION BY OWEN SOUND.

GRIT AND TORY PAY TRIBUTE TO HON. A. G. MACKAY.

Mr. James McLaughlin, a Former Conservative Candidate, Pays Mr. Mackay a Graceful Compliment—Mayor Kennedy's Speech and Mr. Mackay's Reply.

Owen Sound, Sept. 21.—That the citizens of Owen Sound, where he has been a resident during the greater part of his life, and of his native township of Sydenham, appreciate the honor conferred upon Hon. A. G. MacKay, K. C., M. P., was abundantly in evidence to-night in the spontaneous welcome home that was tendered him.

Mayor Kennedy stated that on the 9th as Mayor he had the pleasure of welcoming Mr. R. L. Borden, K. C., M. P., leader of the Opposition in the Dominion House, to Owen Sound. To-night he congratulated Mr. MacKay on occupying the second position in the Provincial Legislature. The citizens of Owen Sound, regardless of their party leanings, were pleased with the honor so unanimously conferred upon Mr. MacKay by his fellow-members.

Mr. James McLaughlin, who was twice standard-bearer for the Conservative party as a Dominion candidate, made a very neat congratulatory speech. The citizens of the town, regardless of party, were glad to watch Mr. MacKay's onward progress. This honor, he hoped, would be followed by still further and higher honors. Mr. MacKay was a native-born citizen of the adjoining township of Sydenham, and distinctly a self-made man. Since coming to town he has been one of our leading and most respected citizens. He was deserving of the honor conferred upon him by his fellow-members of the best known work as a Parliamentarian. He had a united town behind him in wishing him all success. The speaker had been at the Legislature a great deal during the last two sessions, and personally knew that Mr. MacKay was Hon. Mr. Graham's right-hand man during the last session. The citizens of Owen Sound were proud of the honor conferred upon their fellow-citizen. Mr. MacKay was an honor to Owen Sound, and the citizens generally wished him all success.

Mr. J. P. Raven spoke briefly. He congratulated Mr. MacKay on his elevation to so honorable and distinguished a position in the Provincial Government. Mr. MacKay was honored by the position, but they all knew he would do honor to the position.

Mr. James C. Keenan, Vice-President of the Board of Trade, tendered his congratulations. Mr. MacKay had succeeded by his own efforts. He was well equipped with the qualities of a politician, and he had no doubt that in the future, as in the past, the town would give Mr. MacKay the encouragement he so well deserved.

Hon. Mr. MacKay received rousing cheers as he rose to speak. After some happy introductory remarks, he said that he had hoped the choice of leadership might have fallen on other shoulders. This, however, had been a unanimous decision among his fellow-members on the question, hence his acceptance. He was particularly gratified at the kindly references made of him and his Parliamentary work by the Conservative and independent press. It was indeed extremely generous of Mr. McLaughlin to refer to him in such kindly words. He warmly thanked his Conservative friends for such a token of good fellowship, publicly expressed. As the Mayor had stated, the speeches should be non-political, and he certainly would not trespass. Mr. MacKay, proceeding to deal at some length with the important work of the local Legislature, dealing as it did with such all-important subjects as education, agriculture, forestry, lands and mines, etc. He felt so gratified at the kindly things Mr. McLaughlin had said that he joyfully remarked that possibly the law might be changed so as to allow two representatives for a riding, and if so he would be delighted to have Mr. McLaughlin as a running mate. He closed a felicitous and non-partisan speech by advocating more independence in politics, and above all, fairness and honesty in all public discussions, whether upon the floor of the House or on the hustings.

The meeting closed with three rousing cheers for the King and the new leader of the Opposition.

PROTECTION FOR GAME FISH. New Regulations Issued Applicable to Whole of Canada. Ottawa, Sept. 22.—An order-in-council has been passed adopting new fishery regulations applicable to the whole of Canada. One provision stipulates that no person, other than a British subject, shall angle for or take any game fish in Canada without having first obtained therefor an angler's permit, issued by the local fishery officer in each district, under the authority of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, except in the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec, where such permits are issued under the authority of the Provincial Government. Each person, not a British subject, is to pay for such a permit a fee of \$5.

The export of black bass or speckled trout is absolutely forbidden, and these fish cannot be offered for sale until June 1, 1909. This is a somewhat drastic provision, but is in line with the repeated representations of anglers who desire to preserve two of the chief game fish of Canada.

Paralyzed with Lumbago. The surest relief is "Nervine." It sinks to the core of the pain, limbers the muscles, gives relief at once; no other liniment as strong as Nervine. Try a 25 cent bottle.

Dr. Sheard once more states that Toronto water is very bad and advises boiling it.

EDITORIAL OPINIONS ON QUESTIONS OF THE DAY.

Municipal Socialism. (The Canadian Gazette.) Mr. Barrett, in the introduction to his book, "Canada's Century," says, "no such extreme of municipal socialism as exists in England has yet been reached."

Mr. Barrett, in the introduction to his book, "Canada's Century," says, "no such extreme of municipal socialism as exists in England has yet been reached." But "the tendency the way needs to be curbed if the Dominion would not stultify its progress and its chance of securing English capital. Municipalities," he adds, "can scarcely expect to borrow money freely here for schemes intended to compete with private enterprise." He has in mind, he tells us, "a growing city [probably Winnipeg] with a splendid power scheme now installed that drives electric cars and otherwise supplies all local needs; but these idealists are forcing on a scheme of municipal electric power whilst citizens have reason to complain that water is imperfectly supplied." Doubtless the point is well taken, and the warning no one can generally be given with profit to progressive young communities.

Tempers His Roar. (London Advertiser.) Westward Mr. Borden takes his way and is probably arranging to clap the soft pedal on his high tariff music.

Vancouver's Comic Mayor. (Monetary Times.) The Mayor of Vancouver is an interesting gentleman. This week he afforded us the skeleton of an excellent diplomatic farce. Nine hundred Hindus arrived in Vancouver. The sight of their turban heads called for mayoral action. So a wire was sent to the Prime Minister, asking whether they should be housed in the drill hall at the Government's expense, and giving the impression that these swartzy giants were paupers. To which Sir Wilfrid Laurier replied, if they were paupers the law required they be deported. Presumably, after much weighty consideration, Sir Wilfrid was informed that the much-discussed Hindus were not poverty stricken. Indeed, if they had been blessed with the white man's trouser pocket, they could have brought forth therefrom, between them some twenty-five thousand dollars. And the Prime Minister was glad to hear that the combined wealth of the Hindus was sufficient to establish the claim of an aspiring Croesus. Which, altogether, was an excellent exhibition of diplomatic swordsmanship. The Mayor of Vancouver is doubtless chagrined at his failure to create what the theatrical fraternity terms, a "situation."

Rules for Bossy's Toilet. (Toronto Star.) It is, of course, highly advisable that milk should be cleanly handled, but what the Hon. Nelson Monteith has to explain to the public is this. For the cow to have her bedroom whitewashed, and her tail trimmed, and a wreath of roses hung round her neck—who pays?

See That They Are Punished. (Vancouver Saturday Sun.) The rowdies who sought to take advantage of the situation and swim in riotous deeds, blackened the cause they professed to be eager to further. They made the incense of fair demands reek with injudicious zeal; they aimed to drag the fair name of Vancouver in the dirt; but they brought down the distrust and the disgust of those calmer and more collected men who hope to see a happy solution of the difficulties; but they earned for themselves rations of bread and water with Government suits thrown in.

Tricks of Clever Examiners. (Kingston Whig.) The Perth Teachers' Association holds the Education Department responsible for examination papers which affect thousands of candidates adversely. The ordinary examination is expected to be a fair test of what the writer knows. There should not be anything tricky about it.

Took Down the At-Large Organ. (Kingston Whig.) A remarkable incident has grown out of the discussion of the municipal system as it has been illustrated in Hamilton. Some days ago the Spectator had occasion to print in parallel columns the names of those who composed the council when the members were elected to the wards, and the names of those who represented the council by the all-city's plan of electing representatives. The Spectator's idea was to make it plain, that the elect of the machine—for it seems in recent years to have triumphed over superior in every way to the elect of the people, and without political organization. It was after this that the Mayor of Hamilton called certain aldermen to account. Addressing the honorable body over which he presides, he is reported to have said: "There are some members of this year's council who will walk straight from now until the end of the year if I can make them do it. When men come around to council meetings drunk it is going too far." The Spectator has not rallied from the shock. It was unfortunate, as it was so deeply engrossed in lauding the virtues of the aldermen of this year, that they should do aught to spoil the story.

Fallacies About Banks. (Monetary Times.) What are intended as analogies to the banking situation are thus stated by the Canadian Courier: "If the producers of meat were to combine to send all meat sent out of the country so much money as produced at home, what a cry would go up from a starving nation!" "If the makers of flour were to refuse to sell the people the flour needed to make bread, and there should not be enough bread to satisfy the national hunger, what a row would be raised!" "Is this not exactly what a dozen leading bankers have done?" asks the Toronto writer. No; it is not.

The analogies are not happy. The conditions mentioned are impossible; and the banks have not acted as the implication indicates. They have not sent out of the country so much money as produced at home. They have simply refused to allow to be placed in fixed loans the reserves which may be needed

next month or next year, money which constitutes their reserves. If they could lend it in Canada with equal certainty of realizing when it was wanted, they would probably loan it in Canada. But this is impossible. To keep it in their vaults, earning nothing when there is a safe place for it to earn, would be equally against the views of an economist, and even an indignant critic. So the money, reserve money, necessary to be held liquid under Canada's laws, is placed on call in New York, in the safest and readiest form known to the financial world.

Where Newspaper Men Are Scarce. (St. Thomas Times.) A newspaper has lately suspended publication because it could not secure a supply of printers. There was no question of wages or of unionism. The difficulty was that there was not a single man in the community capable of handling type, and none could be induced to go there. The community in question is the penitentiary of Columbus, Ohio.

Milk Extortion in Montreal. (Kingston News.) The milk trust over-reached the mark recently when it put the price of milk up to 8 and 10 cents in Montreal. For syndicate is formed to sell pure milk at lower prices.

CONVERSION TESTS. BISHOP OF LONDON PREACHES AT AYLMER.

Faith and Prayer and Aim to Make the Saviour Our Standard Among the Tests Mentioned—Church Too Small to Hold the Crowd Which Assembled.

Aylmer, Sept. 22.—"The greatest day this church has ever known," is the way a prominent Aylmer Episcopalian, in speaking of the beautiful service this morning, characterizes the Bishop of London's visit to the church. Hundreds had to be turned away from the service, and by 10 o'clock enough people were already awaiting admission to pack the building to the doors. At 10:30 the doors were opened, and in a remarkably few minutes the church was packed so that no more standing room was available. Rev. A. F. Winnington-Ingram chose for his text for the morning the 23rd verse of the sixth chapter of St. Matthew: "Where your treasure is there will your heart be also."

He said he wished to speak, not as he had spoken to some gatherings in Canada, but as to his own people in London, simply, modestly and most earnestly. Through conversion only can we lay up treasure in heaven. And what are the tests of conversion? First of all, are we trusting anyone but God for our conversion? If not, He is our treasure. We must believe in the sufferings of God Himself. Our aims must not be to be rich or popular, or to satisfy our own lusts, but to be like Christ, Prayer, too, is a great essential, and therefore anyone but God for our conversion? If not, He is our treasure. We must believe in the sufferings of God Himself. Our aims must not be to be rich or popular, or to satisfy our own lusts, but to be like Christ, Prayer, too, is a great essential, and therefore anyone but God for our conversion? If not, He is our treasure. We must believe in the sufferings of God Himself. 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A STRANGE TALE.

SERIOUS ACCUSATIONS AGAINST A TORONTO MAN.

Accused of Sending Indecent Correspondence to Former Housekeeper—Miss Lena Tucker Tells Her Story—G. R. Cummings Denies Many Allegations.

Toronto, Sept. 23.—George R. Cummings, of Toronto Junction, appeared before the Court of General Sessions on Saturday on an indictment charging him with sending indecent postcards and letters through the mails to Miss Lena Tucker.

Miss Tucker testified that she was employed at the Palmer House, when she met Cummings on several occasions while on her way to work. After leaving the hotel she obtained a situation with a doctor, who discharged her for being inattentive to her duties. Mr. Cummings then secured her a position as housekeeper to a friend of his at Balmly Beach. Her next position was at Cummings' own home, from where she ran away and went to live in Suffolk Place. After leaving Cummings house, she was arrested on the information of Cummings charging her with theft, but she was acquitted.

Crown Attorney Drayton then put in a bundle of letters alleged by the prosecution to have been sent to Miss Tucker by the accused. Some of them are love letters couched in the most offensive language, while others are indecent and abusive. Many of them are in a disguised hand, and others in printed letters. Experts will be called to give evidence as to their having been written by the same person as letters admitted by Cummings as coming from him.

In cross-examination Miss Tucker first denied having been intimate with anyone else in Toronto, but finally admitted intimacy with a Toronto medical man.

Mrs. Cummings testified that she first met the girl at Balmly Beach, and took her to live with her at her home at the Junction. Witness claimed that her husband was a good and kind man, who was always ready to lend a helping hand to anybody.

Cummings took the stand in his own defence, and, in reply to his counsel, said he had found the girl in a house of an undesirable nature on Gerrard street. He wished to save her from an irregular life and took her to his home. Witness produced a list of prominent men in the community with whom the complainant said she had been intimate. He admitted writing some of the letters put in by the prosecution, but denied the others.

The Crown Attorney asked Cummings if he did not consider his wish to save the girl inconsistent with sending his wife and daughter to church, while he remained at home with the girl and carried on his intrigue with her. Cummings denied that he had been guilty of the relations suggested in his own house.

Referring to the list, on which Cummings was examined by his counsel, Mr. Drayton asked how the accused had obtained the names. Cummings repeated that he had got the names from Miss Tucker and entered them in a memorandum book, from which the list was made out by his daughter.

The Crown Attorney said that the memorandum book would have to be produced in court.

The accused having denied that he had wanted the girl to come back to live with him, Crown Attorney Drayton produced a letter, which read: "Darling Lena,—The little bird has flown, and my heart is burning with love for you," etc. etc.

"Did you mean that?" asked Mr. Drayton.

"No!" replied Cummings. At this point the court adjourned till this morning at 10 o'clock, when Cummings will again be put on the stand and Miss Tucker and her mother be recalled.

TRAINMEN NERVOUS

RESENT ACTIVITY OF ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

Say That Prosecutions Following Railway Wrecks Are Having a Demoralizing Effect and May Be Followed by Serious Results.

Toronto, Sept. 23.—The activity of the Attorney-General's Department in connection with the prosecutions following recent railway wrecks has caused some alarm and resentment among trainmen, and those sentiments will be expressed to the Government by a deputation that will wait on them on Wednesday next. A committee of four, comprising Messrs. Harvey Hall, of Toronto; John Maloney, of Ottawa; Mayor Lawrence, and G. Hastings, of St. Thomas, and representing all branches of trainmen, including telegraphers, was at the Parliament Building on Saturday to complete arrangements for the deputation.

The trainmen take the ground, in effect, that in a number of recent instances those of their comrades who have been held responsible by coroners' juries for railroad wrecks have been treated as criminals, whereas they were guilty only of errors of judgment. This they consider is unfair, and they argue that it is creating a feeling of nervousness in the minds of the men employed on the railroads that cannot but have serious results. They may suggest at the interview that before prosecutions are entered upon an expert, appointed by the Government, if that is deemed desirable, should make a thorough examination of all the circumstances and decide whether the train hands were culpably negligent or whether the disaster was due to errors of judgment or natural, unavoidable causes. Subsequent action by the Crown should be based upon his decision.

Body Goes to Students.

Windsor, Sept. 22.—The body of the man named McDonald, who was killed in Walkerville last Thursday by a Wash freight train, was shipped to the Medical College in Toronto Saturday afternoon for a post-mortem examination.

Young Scotch Missionaries.

London, Eng., Sept. 22.—A valedictory meeting was held in Blackfriars Church, Glasgow, to wish Godspeed to seventeen young Scotchmen who have been selected by the Rev. Dr. McLaren for missionary work in Northwest Canada. Dr. Somerville, formerly of British Columbia, occupied the chair.

VETERANS AT STONEY CREEK.

GRAVES OF SOLDIERS DECORATED AFTER 94 YEARS.

Movement to Acquire the Plot and Erect a Monument is Progressing—Address by Mrs. Fessenden Yesterday.

The Army and Navy Veterans and County of Wentworth Veterans' Association turned out in large numbers yesterday to decorate, for the first time, that spot in Stoney Creek where the 23 British soldiers are buried who fell at the battle of Stoney Creek in 1813. The committee which made all arrangements were Comrades Springstead, McInnes and Green, and on the arrival at Stoney Creek of the special car conveying the Veterans, they conducted them to the battlefield. A large Union Jack was hung at the head of the pit where the soldiers are buried, and it was there Rev. F. E. Howitt conducted the religious service. At its conclusion, Mrs. Fessenden, founder of Empire Day, proceeded to give an address. She wished the Veterans success in their great and noble undertaking, and was sure that when the ground was purchased both Government and association would erect a suitable monument to mark the final resting place of those noble defenders of our country.

President Thomas, of the A. and N. Veterans, also gave a short address, followed by Vice-President Stock, of the County of Wentworth Veterans' Association.

President Gardner, of the County of Wentworth Veterans' Association, read the following communication: John Gardner:

Dear Sir,—I wish to thank you for your kind invitation to be present with you on the 22nd, but regret that owing to previous engagements I will be unable to accept. I enclose an express order for \$5 toward the purchase of the ground mentioned. Respectfully yours, (Col.) H. P. VanWagner.

After this they proceeded to decorate and then marched to Stoney Creek Cemetery, which was crowded with visitors. There 26 graves in all were strewn with flowers and a small Union Jack placed on each. Amongst these was the grave of the celebrated Billy Green, the scout who had charge of the Indians under Col. Harvey at the battle of Stoney Creek.

Up to date the following amounts have been received or promised: H. M. 8th King's Own, India, \$30; Adam Zimmerman, M.P., \$50; Spectator Publishing Co., \$25; W. O. Seler, \$5; Col. VanWagner, \$5; Vice-President Stock, \$5.

APPEAL DROPPED.

Nelson Pitton Decides to Pay the Fine and Costs.

Not long since a number of the hotel-keepers at Niagara Falls were prosecuted for infractions of the license laws. Fourteen cases, in which both the hotel and barkeepers were made defendants, were entered, and in every case save one the defendants pleaded guilty and were fined. In the 14th case the defendant, Nelson Pitton, formerly of this city, was convicted, but entered an appeal, which was to have been heard to-morrow before the County Judge. His counsel, Mr. Griffiths, has, however, notified the Crown Counsel, F. W. Casey, Thorold, that he withdraws the appeal, and consequently the fine, with costs, will be paid.

FIRE BUGS AT WORK.

Chatham Fires Believed to be of Incendiary Origin.

Chatham, Ont. Sept. 22.—This city was again visited by a very serious fire this morning, at 11.30 o'clock. The peculiar part is that Wm. Drader, who lost his plant mill by fire two days ago, is again a very heavy loser. This time his large hoop and stove mill was leveled to the ground. The amount of the loss will be about \$15,000, with about \$12,000 insurance. Mr. Drader is still out of the city and cannot be communicated with. As a result of this second fire, it is said the insurance companies will at once commence an investigation.

The origin of the fire is a mystery. This morning the nightwatchman cleaned out the furnace and built a fresh fire for Monday morning. It is thought that the fire might have started from the live coals taken out of the furnace. When the fire started the watchman was in church, and the fire was past control before the alarm was sent in. The fireman had considerable difficulty in reaching the fire, on account of the streets being blocked with new pavements. Private lines of hose were on the grounds, but no one was on hand to use them. All the firemen could do was to save a number of piles of lumber. While the mill was burning another alarm rang for a house on Grey street, and the brigade had to send part of their forces to the second fire, thus weakening their forces on the Drader fire. The two Drader fires following so closely upon each other have aroused a strong suspicion of incendiarism. As a result of the two Drader fires, fully 100 men have been thrown out of employment.

DYING OUT IN CITIES.

English Mothers Have Not Time to Look After Their Children.

London, Sept. 22.—It would appear from recent statistics that the English are dying out in the cities. In the year 1800 the number of children was 33 per cent. of the population. In the year 1900 they were only 23 per cent. Fewer children are born in the towns, and more die there. Physicians say that this is due in a great degree to the many demands on the time of the mothers, which makes them neglect their children.

ODDFELLOWS' PRIZE.

Toronto Took Second Place in Class B Competition Drilling.

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 21.—Canton Lucas, of Toledo, Ohio, won first place in class A in the competitive drilling of the Patriarchs Militant at the eighty-third annual communication of Oddfellows.

In the B division first place went to Canton Divisions, Detroit, Mich. Second place and the \$200 prize went to Canton Toronto, of Toronto, Ont.

Year in Jail for Biting Policeman.

Winnipeg, Sept. 22.—W. M. Cleeland will spend a year in jail for severely biting a policeman's thumb upon his arrest for disorderly conduct.

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EXQUISITELY beautiful effects. Incrustations of medallions and insertions of lace in stout, fine hardware nets. Very desirable for drawing rooms, libraries and dining rooms.

They come in Paris and ivory shades in a variety of effective and high class designs and novelty styles. They are wonderful values, being contracted for months ago before recent price advances.

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98c, value \$1.25

GOOD wearing, dainty and neat Nottingham and cable net curtains, in white and ivory shades. Dainty, neat to elaborate patterns, plain and filled centres, pretty border effects and lace designs.

Bow knot, medallion and floral patterns in a wide variety. Full sizes. They are two great bargains.

Others at \$1.49, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.60 to \$5.88 the pair. All at a saving of fully 25 per cent. of real worth.

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IN THE WORLD OF AMUSEMENT

What promises to be the best bill presented since the opening of the popular theatre is on the cards for Bennett's this week. There are eight acts, and every one of them is a hummer. The feature act will be "The Sailor and the Horse," and while it promises to be one of the funniest and most realistic of acts, it will only be one of a number of good sketches. The comedy sketch, "Minnie From Minnesota," as presented by Mr. and Mrs. Allison, will doubtless come in for considerable approbation from the audience, and everybody who has seen that popular comedy, "What Happened to Jones," will know what to expect from this act. Mr. and Mrs. Allison took the leading roles in that play for several years, and they have adapted their interesting vaudeville turn from that play to the stage. The sketch, "Minnie From Minnesota," is a comedy sketch, and the leading roles in that play for several years, and they have adapted their interesting vaudeville turn from that play to the stage. The sketch, "Minnie From Minnesota," is a comedy sketch, and the leading roles in that play for several years, and they have adapted their interesting vaudeville turn from that play to the stage.

romp home an easy winner, leaving the Sailor with \$40,000 to the good.

At the Savoy.

The Savoy, with what promises to be the finest show since the introduction of "advanced vaudeville" in Hamilton should play to record business this week. The chief attraction, Mmme. Etolle's society circus horses and Vinella's boxing stables, is an act that never fails to score with lovers of animals, old and young. It has become famous throughout America as one of the best attractions in the animal class before the public. Edith Helena, the sensational hit of the season in London, will prove a most attractive special feature. She is the possessor of a voice of remarkable compass. Her musical training was received from Alberto de Bassini in New York, and she attributes her rare vocal powers in a great measure to constant practice in the open air while living in Texas. Miss Helena's performance throughout is said to be remarkable. The contribution with which she closes her act affords further opportunity for the display of her peculiar gift. Equipped with a violin, which she feigns to play, Miss Helena, with closed lips, gives a remarkably true imitation of the instrument, which midway in her solo—finished, by the way, on a high G—she allows to fall gradually to her side. The rest of the bill is the best. There is Charles Kenna, "The Fakir," one of the funniest and most original monologue artists on the stage. His act is entirely out of the ordinary, and should prove a decided

hit. One of the greatest acrobatic bicyclic acts in the world is said to be that presented by the Max. Fourillon Troupe of three men and three women. W. S. Harvey representing "A Room Upside Down," claims to have the most sensational balancing and juggling act in variety. Madge Anderson, a clever comedienne, assist him. The Elite Musical Four, a musical act of exceptional merit, will be another strong number. Carney and Wagner, in a fine singing and dancing act; Josephine Davis, in a clever singing specialty, and animated pictures made expressly for the Klav-Erlander houses, complete the show.

Big Show To-night.

"The Shepherd King," which will be presented at the Grand this evening and to-morrow and Wednesday evenings, is considered the most magnificent spectacle ever presented on any stage. Prominent in the very long cast of characters are such well-known names as Charles Kent, Percy Lennon, Frederick Webber, Walter Brown, Helen Holmes, Adelaide Fitzalan, Arville Gilbert and others. "The Shepherd King" is a romantic Biblical drama, in four acts and five scenes. It is based on the Biblical story of David, the ideal hero of the human race, from the time that he left his father's flock at Bethlehem until he became King of Israel at the death of Saul. In the setting of its scenery and the splendor of its mounting, "The Shepherd King" shares with "Ben Hur" the distinction of being the finest stage production that the country has ever seen. Especially are the settings notable for their artistic value.

"A Desperate Chance."

The thrilling melodrama, "A Desperate Chance," telling the story of Biddle brothers' wild life, was presented at the Grand on Saturday night to a capacity house. The play has been seen here before, but it seemed to please as well as ever. Owing to a delay in the arrival of the scenery no matinee was given on Saturday afternoon, and hundreds of persons were disappointed.

Hale's Fire Fighters.

A feature of the entertainment, "Fighting the Flames," to be given next Friday and Saturday at Association Hall, will be the appearance of Sadie Sherman, the noted baritone singer and mimic. Miss Sherman is said to be a charming entertainer, and has received flattering offers at the beginning of the season to enter vaudeville. The motion pictures of Hale's Fire Fighters will be shown at the entertainment, along with motion pictures of the Hamilton fire department, which are to be taken this afternoon at 4 o'clock. The entertainments are to be given by the Edward Shields Co., of Chicago, and are under the auspices of the Veterans Volunteer Firemen's Association. There has been a good sale of seats, and the hall will no doubt be filled at all three performances. The plan opens at Nordheimer's on Wednesday.

Under the hammer of the auctioneer the Don Valley Paper Mills were sold on Saturday for the sum of \$20,000 to W. A. Ballantyne, of Toronto. The purchase is alleged to have been made for Mr. Robert Davies, of the Don Valley Brick Works.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Friends of Miss Ethel McAndrew Surprise Her.

A few of the many friends of Miss Ethel McAndrew gave her a surprise birthday party last Thursday evening. It was a pleasant event. The jolly club presented her with an illuminated address and a pair of handsome engravings, suitably framed. The address was engraved by Arthur H. Hull, and reflects credit on the young man as an artist. Miss McAndrew also received a large number of pretty presents. Cards, vocal and instrumental music and dancing were the programme of the evening's enjoyment. Dainty refreshments were served. Those present were: Misses Margaret and Marion Ogilvie, Alice and Margaret Stock, Jessie Colville, Jennie Turnbull, I. Thomas, Lulu Birdsall, Beasie Hudson and Mrs. H. J. Hull, Messrs. Hull, McNeil, Turnbull, Marrs, Zimmerman, Linton, Colhoun, McLellan, Goodwin, E. and A. Hull.

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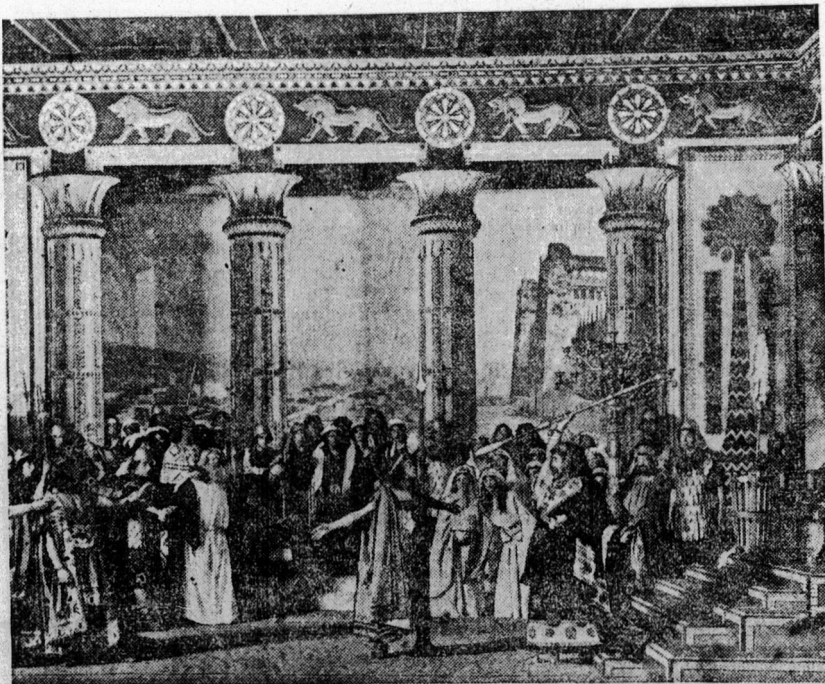
Test of the Woolley and Herber Shocker in Manitoba.

Messrs. Arthur Woolley and Herbert Cox, of this city, are apparently making a success of the Woolley and Herber Shocker, which they have been for years bringing to perfection. The Carman, Man., standard says it "has been put to a practical and satisfactory test this week on the McBride farm, one mile north of Carman, and also previously on the farm of Mr. Peter Campbell, west of Carman. The machine, which only weighs about 200 pounds, can be attached to any binder, and in fact in the trial at the McBride farm an old discarded binder was used that had been loaned by an implement firm in town. This gave some trouble with the knooter, but when the knooter tied the shocker worked to perfection. The shocker will do away with a man after each binder, and is not by any means expensive. In fact it is within reach of any farmer, and will pay for itself in a single season. Besides it obviates the loss of grain caused by handling, and the heads do not touch the ground. The twine required by the shocker is about one to four bails used by the binder. Such a machine will be worth thousands of dollars to the farmers of this country, and implement men who saw the shocker in operation here speak very highly of it."

Prison for Life.

Chicago, Sept. 22.—Frank J. Constantine last night was found guilty of the murder of Mrs. Arthur Gentry. His punishment was fixed at imprisonment in the penitentiary for life.

The mistakes of the foolish are the opportunities of the wise.



SCENE IN ACT III.

In "The Shepherd King," which will be seen at the Grand To-night.

BENEFITS OF CHURCH UNION.

Rev. J. K. Unsworth Discusses United Church of God.

Harvest Sunday Celebrated in Zion Tabernacle Yesterday—Special Services at Simcoe Methodist and Crown Point—Archdeacon Forneret on Hearing of the Word.

In First Congregational Church yesterday morning Rev. J. K. Unsworth preached a thoughtful and interesting sermon on church union, taking as his text Gen. xiii. 8: "For we are brothers." These words, he said, at the beginning of the nineteenth century formed the foundation for an organization known as the United Brethren in Christ. At the beginning of the twentieth century in Canada there was being formed a new denomination, the motive of which was well expressed in these words, uttered on the ancient hills of Palestine: "The three churches, the Presbyterians, Methodists and Congregationalists, had been drifting towards each other for some years, and the mercury of the thermometer of goodwill showed no lowering in the temperature at the close of this year's conference, held last week. The basis for union had been well defined. Unlike other denominations, which had sects in every case, the new one was not a fragment, but a gathering up of the fragments of the church in Canada, and instead of adding to denominations would mean two less. It was something new in history that demanded the people's attention. The United Church of God in Canada, Mr. Unsworth explained, would embrace about 40 per cent. of the people of the Dominion, rivaling in size the Roman Catholic Church, and bound to command the attention of every thoughtful man. The speaker, dealing with the obstacles overcome in making union possible, declared the hand of God was behind the move. Mr. Unsworth briefly outlined the things that paved the way for confederation, chief of which was the call of the great Northwest. The first approach was from the Methodist General Conference in Winnipeg in 1902. The one great object was the everlasting desire to preach the Gospel without waste of men and money and overlapping. Denominational pugnacities had had their day, and the members of the three churches no longer abused each other. Modern Christianity emphasized morals rather than doctrine. The old was more theological than Canada. Years ago Christianity had stood more for a system of truth. To-day it was made much of as a rule of living. Democracy and organization were two great watchwords of the time, and lack of organization had been one of the weaknesses of the Congregationalists of Canada in the past. The basis for the proposed union, Mr. Unsworth said, had been practically settled upon, and the time for submitting it to the people had arrived. The reports would be ready by Christmas, and judgment passed at the Conference next year. It introduces everything the good features of each of the churches, and these he briefly outlined. In the churches the difference would hardly be noticed. Mr. Unsworth said he firmly believed the United Church of God in Canada would be a great gain over the three denominations working separately, and he was prepared to join it. It was not his ideal of a church, but it was possible to harness the ideal to the practicable. His ideal church would be one embracing all, the great Church Catholic, where every man would be loyal to Jesus Christ, where rich and poor and low churchman, one and all, would be welcome, where all forms would be permitted but none imposed, and church democracy inspired by the spirit. He was prepared for the union, for the sake of what the church might do, and he, not that it stood for less and faultless, but because it stood for more. The basis of the proposed union he recommended to every person for thoughtful consideration when the time arrived.

Zion Harvest Home.

Zion Tabernacle was crowded at both services yesterday, the occasion being the annual harvest home. The decorations were in keeping with the event, fruit, flowers and greenery being tastefully decorated around the pulpits. The choir rendered some excellent anthems, and was assisted at both services by Miss Gertrude Hollinrake and Mrs. John H. Wood. Rev. Dr. Nelson, of Knox Church, was the speaker at the morning service. He has been his remarks on the text: "That in the dispensation of the fullness of times, he might gather together in one all things in Christ." Dr. Nelson was of the opinion that the duty of the present hour was to develop a constitutional conscience. There must be some one in authority over us, to guide and rule over the world in religion. Take Nature, for instance, the spirit of the law, and it may be truly said that that obedience is the cement by which a nation is held together. The world to-day would be composed of the dull, idolatrous people of ages past were it not for the church. He spoke of the bountiful harvest that Canada has just gathered, and predicted that even greater things will come out of the west.

In the evening the services were conducted by Rev. J. Couch, of Gore Street Methodist Church. He gave a very interesting sermon, based on the text, Matthew 22:42: "What think ye of Christ?" He pointed out that Christianity is a system of thought. The man of to-day is not ruled as a brute, nor a machine. Christianity is unlike all other systems, which command people to worship unknown gods. Christianity addresses one as a reasoning being. It commands one to think and set at work one's God-given faculties. Many people turn against Christianity for the reason that it speaks of heaven and the glories of that hereafter. Christianity is the chief thing to study, even if there was to be no hereafter.

To prove that statement, Mr. Couch quoted passages of Scripture, such as: "The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom. In the end ye first the kingdom of heaven, and all these things will be added unto you," showing that thought was the foundation out of which spring the idea that Jesus Christ is the corner-stone of all knowledge.

It has been shown that wherever Christianity is preached all other systems of worship have been overthrown. There has also been a great change in the literary taste of people where Christianity is established, which goes to prove that Jesus Christ must be divine. Through Jesus Christ the world has the daily comforts of life, which were never in evidence during the days of heathendom. There are societies of benevolence, in which is characterized the spirit of Jesus Christ.

In conclusion, Mr. Couch stated that while the growth of Christianity may be slow, it certainly is sure, and that the world may take courage, for with Jesus Christ there is nothing that cannot be overcome.

Harvest Home and Rally.

Yesterday was a day long to be remembered in Kensington Avenue Methodist Church, Crown Point. The usually bright and helpful services were greatly surpassed owing to the fact that it was harvest-home and rally day. In the morning the Rev. S. A. Laidman preached an excellent sermon to a very appreciative and attentive audience. At 3 o'clock in the afternoon between 175 and 200 of the pupils, parents and the friends of the Sunday school gathered to enjoy the open session of the school, at which there was some special singing by members, besides two addresses, the speakers being Rev. I. Couch, B. D., of Gore Street Methodist Church, and Mr. P. W. Coote. Both did excellent service and their thought and inspiration was such as to leave a lasting impression upon the minds of all who had the privilege of hearing them.

In the evening the building was taxed to its utmost capacity. Everyone felt at home, and the service was conducted in a most efficient and inspiring manner by Rev. W. N. Vollick, of Bartonville. One of the special features of the day was the music, provided by the excellent choir. It was of a high order, and appreciated by everyone.

The success of the day was due to the fact that the different societies co-operated most heartily with the pastor. More especially, however, credit is due to the members of the Ladies' Circle and the congregation who were untiring in their united endeavors to lead to the success of the services. They are to be heartily congratulated for the beautiful and tasteful way in which they decorated the platform and auditorium. All kinds of ripened fruits and grain and beautiful flowers were displayed in most abundant profusion, and gave the church a most pleasing appearance that the ladies decided it would be a most fitting and seasonable to invite all their friends to spend a pleasant hour with them this evening beneath the bending arches and fruits of the season.

How to Hear.

Yesterday morning Archdeacon Forneret preached in All Saints' Church to a good congregation, taking as his text St. Luke viii. 18: "Take heed, therefore, how ye hear." The sense of hearing is one of the avenues through which we receive much instruction and pleasure. Through it our mothers first taught us of God and duty, and through the same we chiefly hold communication with our fellow men. He would now speak of hearing the word of God. When Christ would spread the word of God, He commanded the apostles to go by preaching, by the living agent. Christy taught the people not only through His good works, but by His living voice, by preaching. St. Paul says: "We preach Christ crucified—to the Jews a stumbling block, to the Gentiles a foolishness, and to the Greeks foolishness, and to the Romans a scandal." The spiritual salvation of the crucified. Yet St. Paul and his fellows persisted in "preaching" as the divinely-appointed instrument for spreading the gospel. Of course, by the invention of printing and the spread of education, reading to some extent replaced the grand formerly occupied by hearing, and the caution of the text applies largely to how we read the Bible and heed it.

The idea is having divine truth—the gospel—set before us either through the ear or the eye. How do we take it in? It may do us even try to hear the word of God. Especially in great cities, multitudes are practically heathen. The mad rush after business, caring care or hopeless poverty sears the heart. There is no desire for the gospel of life, and men are satisfied to live only in the things of sense. Yet voices are raised in the midst of all this hurry, telling of the word of life. The preacher had lately seen a cassock, clergyman preaching to a large circle of interested listeners in Wall street, and even in the city of Hamilton clergymen, with their choirs, Salvation Army did a large share in calling the attention of the passer-by to the fact that the gospel was for him. And in spite of all this there are many who will not try to hear. 2. There are others who hear, but who do not really accept. Immediately they hear, they are immediately discouraged by the birds of the air. There are formalists in the church who accept the historical facts of the gospel, but not its spiritual verities for themselves. Such hearing has no power and does not revive. 3. Others fail to hear because they are not humble-hearted, cynical. They are "except ye become as little children, that is, simple and tractable and in malice, ye shall in no case enter into the kingdom of heaven." And again, "Thou hast wisdom and understanding, but hast rejected them: art thou to be childish or soft, but that yet humble-minded and teachable. 4. Some fail to hear because they are not listening. There is no royal road to profits by his lectures, not the listless and indolent. And there is no royal road to true religion. God's advances must be met by man's earnest, diligent acceptance, use and assimilation, or they will be lost, or passed on to others. "Work out your salvation with fear and trembling, for it is ye who shall work it in you both to will and to do of His good pleasure." In short, hearing must be active and not merely passive. Profitable hearing depends upon its spirit, illustrated in different motives for hearing in this way: "Joseph accused his brethren of coming to Egypt to spy out the nakedness of the land and not to buy corn. So some hear the gospel only in order to despise it. Others to be filled with the bread of heaven."

The preacher then pressed this upon his hearers. How were they hearing the gospel? Was it to despise it or to be fed? He was responsible for preaching the truth as God gave him grace, while they were responsible for the use they made of it. The important thing was not the gratuity, but the message. "Take heed therefore, how ye hear."

The choir, under Mr. Pearce, filled its part admirably, the hymns being heartily taken up by the congregation.

Young Men's Rally.

Simcoe Street Methodist Church was crowded last evening by an interested congregation, the sermon being especially for young men. Rev. Herbert B. Christie took as his text, Hebrew xii. 16: "Eau, for one moment of meat sold his birthright." The speaker pointed out the fact that Eau was an uncouth, unpolished man, who had developed his physical nature by a life in the open air, but was of a reckless disposition, that regarded not the needs of the soul. Eau's birthright carried with it the blessing of an aged father, to succeed to his titles and by blood lineage to be the ancestor of Christ, but all this was given up for one meal. To-day the reason so many young men sell their birthright is because they do not pause to consider its value. If it means shorter hours of labor, more wages or a little earthly honor, they would value it, but while it carries with it the love and guidance of our heavenly Father, the ability of putting the temptations of the evil under foot, and the title to a heavenly mansion, we are content to sell it for pleasures that are fleeting and the gratification of the hour.

We despise our birthright when we place no value on the privilege of attending the worship of God in His house. We forget that God says "He loves the gates to His holy temple," and although we must remember the sacredness of the house we should worship God in His holy temple.

When young boys give up the Sunday school to go to some place where they shoot crap, or where the presence of evil companions will draw their thoughts away from heavenly things, they show a disregard for the birthright that God has promised them.

The reverend speaker pointed out that although many men who bore a good name were said to be guided by some impulse when they were led into some sin, it usually showed that they had been wandering in forbidden paths, and that they were not strong enough to stand the strain. In a moment we may sin so grievously that although as long as the cross of Calvary stands we may receive a pardon, still we can never undo the harm or get back our former innocence.

The speaker referred to the recent attack on the police at the wharf, and said that what the city needed were men who could act quickly, and who would not be caught off their guard, but on the impulse of the moment could cope with difficulty and danger.

A choir of male voices led the singing, and were very ably assisted by the Y. M. C. A. quartette, who also sang three selections that were very appropriate, and which were very much enjoyed.

ADVICE TO RHEUMATICS

Some Simple Precautions Which Will Prevent a Recurrence of Attacks.

A gentleman who has been a sufferer from rheumatism and rheumatic gout for some years has been giving his friends the benefit of his experience and incidentally a copy of the prescription which was of material assistance in effecting a cure.

In the first place he found that every time he ate freely of acid fruits his old trouble returned, and, secondly, he learned that it was absolutely essential to keep the kidneys active. To do this it was necessary to drink large quantities of water every day. Occasionally he would dissolve a lithia tablet in his water to assist its action on the kidneys.

He states that from experience he finds the medicine more effective when prepared at home from the natural herbs and barks, insuring full strength and purity; at the same time being quite inexpensive. Any druggist can supply the drugs. The receipt is given as follows:

Cascara Bark, three years old, one-half ounce; Senna leaves, Alexandria, one ounce; Buckthorn bark, one-half ounce; Carriana Compound, one ounce. Steep the bark and leaves in one pint of boiling water, simmer down to one-half pint, and when cool add the Carriana Compound. Be sure to get the Cascara Bark three years old and also to get the Alexandria Senna. Dose—A dessertspoonful in a little water three times a day.

Another important feature was that he discovered that he had been eating more meat than was either necessary or advisable. Plenty of vegetables and cereals, particularly whole wheat, corn and rice, were found to provide ample nourishment and to keep the system active and regular. The following of these directions should prove beneficial to all sufferers.

HEATED LANGUAGE.

Donnybrook Fair at Westmount Town Council Meeting.

Montreal, Sept. 22.—An exciting scene was witnessed at a meeting of the Westmount Town Council on Saturday night, and at one time the discussion waxed so warm that the members threatened to come to blows and the tact of the Mayor alone saved the situation. The battle arose out of the passing of a by-law authorizing the council to borrow \$250,000 for civic improvements. The by-law was carried by a vote of 153, representing \$2,248,326 assessment, against 112 votes representing \$1,418,700.

At the meeting of the council Saturday night the members of the council attacked Mayor Galbraith and was promptly called a liar by a fellow-member. A stormy scene ensued, and the Mayor threatened to adjourn the meeting.

Councillor Stevens accused the Mayor of neglecting his duties.

"You are an impertinent, lying little fellow," cried the Mayor, addressing Councillor Stevens.

One of the Mayor's supporters then threatened to throw Councillor Stevens out of the window, and the latter retorted by threatening to have his opponent arrested.

The session ended without any blood having been shed.

I. O. F. New Branch.

London, Ont., Sept. 22.—The Independent Order of Foresters have decided to make London the centre of activity for their work in Western Ontario. Mr. C. K. Merrifield has been placed in charge of the Western Ontario jurisdiction of the High Court, with his duties beginning November 1.

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Laurier on Japanese Treaty.

TELLS CONGRESS TREATY CANNOT BE LIGHTLY ABRAGATED.

Vancouver Troubles Not Entirely Due to Japanese—Labor Men Will Speak Through the Ballot Box—Laurier's Letter Approved in London.

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"I have given due consideration to your request, that immediate steps be taken to terminate the treaty with Japan. I would observe that this treaty when brought into existence, some fifteen years ago, did not apply to Canada, and that some few years ago, in response to the repeated expressions of public opinion and with a view of affording to Canadian producers an opportunity of taking their share of the growing Japanese trade, the Canadian Government became a party to this treaty, and that it was unanimously ratified by the Canadian Parliament. The treaty has proved of great advantage, as our trade with Japan under it has considerably increased. You base your appeal for denunciation of the treaty on the allegation that a crisis has arisen in British Columbia by reason of the unprecedented influx of Japanese. Whilst it is true that most regrettable incidents have lately occurred in Vancouver, there seems reason to doubt that the cause was the influx of Japanese, as I am in possession of a telegram from the Mayor of Vancouver, which has been rendered public, and which expressly avers that the disturbances were directed against Asiatics generally rather than against the Japanese. Under such circumstances any precipitate action might be regrettable, and before committing themselves to such a course the Government think they should carefully inquire into the causes which within the recent past have caused a greater influx to our shores than previously of Oriental people."

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OCEAN FARES.

CANADIAN STEAMSHIP LINES MAKE BIG CUT IN RATES.

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The move of the Canadian lines had come suddenly. They had seemed inclined to keep quiet and let the battle rage at its will at other centres. The first step, however, came a fortnight ago, when it was decided to put the winter minimum rates into force on Sept. 1, instead of waiting until Nov. 1. On Wednesday came the cut in west-bound rates announced by the International Mercantile Marine. Conferences followed here, with a result that it has been decided to cut down rates next week.

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The accident happened at the County Fair of the Heggins Grange during a baseball game. The grand stand was packed to its capacity. During the game rain started to fall, and many of the spectators sought shelter under the stand. Soon a funnel shaped cloud was seen coming from the west, travelling with great velocity. The swirling wind struck the stand and crushed it, burying more than a hundred persons in the ruins. When reached by rescuers it was found that more than half of them had been injured.

In Pottsville a bolt of lightning struck a tree in the centre of a field where several hundred persons had gathered to witness a shooting match. About a dozen persons were rendered unconscious. Three had part of their hair burnt from their head, and are in a serious condition.

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THE SPORTING PAGE

GET AWAY DAY AT WOODBINE.

Hundreds of Horses Here for the H. J. C. Opening.

Another Conference Over the "Big Four" Rugby League—Marylebone's Hard Match at Philadelphia.

Toronto, Sept. 23.—The Ontario Jockey Club's fall meeting wound up Saturday afternoon in a blaze of glory. The weather was cool and fine, the track fast, and the attendance large. Form players were roughly used, as not a single favorite earned brackets. Second choices, however, scored in four races—Stanley Fay at 6 to 1, Dredger at 12 to 1, and Ida Reek at 10 to 1, were the winners of the first, second and seventh races.

The long-distance race, the Ontario Jockey Club Cup Handicap, at 2-1/4 miles, was the feature, with six starters. It proved a tame contest, however, as the Valley Farm Stable's candidates, Kelpie and Glimmer, second choice in the betting at 3 to 1, finished in first and second places, with Main Chance, at 5 to 2, third. Factotum, after leading his field on sufficiency for a mile and a half, went back quickly to last place. Main Chance then took up the running, but in the last half Kelpie and Glimmer easily passed the Seagraves, Edlin, Kelpie winning by nearly a length from Glimmer, who was two lengths in front of Main Chance. Dele Strom was fourth, with Edwin Gum, the 2 to 1 choice, fifth, and Factotum last, pulling up very lame. Edwin Gum was at no time a contender.

With an even break, Chippewa, the 2 to 1 favorite, would have won the third race, at one mile and 70 yards, but he got off last, and was out at the first turn. He finished in fourth place, a neck behind Cloten. Henry O, at 4 to 1, won in a drive by a half length from Rebounder, at 20 to 1, the latter the same distance in front of Cloten. Following is the summary:

First race, Melton purse, for all ages, 6 furlongs—1, Stanley Fay, 102 (Lycruff), 6 to 1; Sir Edward, 110 (McDaniel), 4 to 1; Purislane, 104 (Goldstein), 9 to 5. Also ran—Charlie Eastman, Charlie Gilbert. Time—1:15.5.

Second race, Grey stakes, for 2-year-olds, 1 mile—1, Dredger, 110 (McCarthy), 10 to 1; 2, Clell Turney, 112 (Delaby), 5 to 2; 3, Banyan, 115 (Englander), 10 to 1. Also ran—Sir Galahad, Scud, Frescati, Terah, Petulant, Uncle Toby, Inspector Patrus, Mystifier, Listerine, Orana. Time—4:15.

Third race, Simcoe purse, selling, for 3-year-olds and upwards, 1 mile and 70 yards—1, Henry O, 108 (Lycruff), 5 to 1; 2, Rebounder, 107 (Baker), 20 to 1; 3, Cloten, 113 (Diggins), 8 to 1. Also ran—Chippewa, St. Jean, Bonnie Kate, Blue Buck, Teat, Dick Red, No Trumper. Time—1:46.2.5.

Fourth race, Ontario Jockey Club Cup, handicap, for 3-year-olds and up, 2-1/4 miles—1, Kelpie, 100 (Mulcahey), 3 to 1; 2, xGlimmer, 97 (Delaby), 3 to 1; 3, Main Chance, 105 (Goldstein), 3 to 1. Also ran—Dumbarton, Picktime, Edlin, Gum, Factotum, xCuppled, Time—3:59.5.5.

Fifth race, Woodbine Autumn Chase, handicap, for 3-year-olds and up, 2-1/2 miles—1, John Dillon, 162 (Masuda), 6 to 1; 2, Steve Lane, 141 (Gee), 3 to 1; 3, The Chef, 140 (Mehale), 3 to 1. Also ran—Dumbarton, Picktime, Gold Run, Dawson, Dulean, Merryman, Bob Murphy, Ariat, Butwell. Time—5:09.

Sixth race, Voltige purse, for 3-year-olds and up, 1-1/16 miles—1, King of Troy, 111 (J. Lee), 6 to 5; 2, Bath Altria, 100 (McCarthy), 20 to 1; 3, Cursus, 105 (J. Murphy), 10 to 1. Also ran—Snider, Pentagon, Harry Richeson. Time—1:13.15.

H. J. C. OPENING. Horsemen and bookmakers galore arrived here yesterday for the opening of the fall meeting of the Hamilton Jockey Club, which takes place on Wednesday. The meeting promises to be a very successful one. There are more horses here than there were for the spring meeting. There are enough jumpers in the lot to guarantee a steeple-chase every day of the meeting, and the racing through the fields should be good. There is a scarcity of steeple-chase jockeys, however, due to accidents at Toronto and the ruling off of a bunch at Fort Erie in midsummer.

Following is a partial list of owners who are here to meet: H. Busenbark, J. P. Bernard, A. Beversky, stable 9, James Boden and M. L. Hayden, 24, Alf. Beatty, J. K. Burtchell, 11, A. Brown & Co., 12, N. K. Beal, 9, J. W. Col., J. E. Cushing, 3, T. E. Crist, 2, W. G. King Dods, 6, J. W. Dayton, 2, M. J. Daly, 8, R. S. Davidson, 9, George E. Dudley, 7, G. Dougherty, 1, B. C. Evans, 11, H. Filippin, 1, W. French, 4, J. M. Gray, 3, P. Gallagher, 6, A. E. Gates, 7, J. Graver, 5, E. S. Gardner, 8, J. Hurley, 5, C. C. Hall, 5, George Hendrie, 12, James Johnson, 3, J. W. R. Kee, 4, W. Keating, 6, R. J. Laughlin, 2, Mrs. S. A. Livingstone, 1, Lewis, 2, E. Murray, 3, C. E. Mahone, 7, J. Meagher, 3, B. L. Marder, 4, W. Mosby and E. L. Talley, 3, A. W. Maybee, 5, C. J. Murray, 9, J. McLaughlin, jun., 6, M. E. McHenry, 3, J. McLellan, 8, G. H. Neal, 4, Mode Nicoll, 9, Mrs. L. S. Pangle, 7, C. Phair, 7, J. W. Pargitz, 10, A. L. Pooler, 7, George Richards, 4, J. W. Ryan, 3, M. Robertson, 5, W. Shields, 2, J. H. Shoultz, 4, W. G. Somerville, 3, E. Trotter, 15, A. Turney, 10, J. H. Valentine, 2, Valley Farm stable, 12, J. R. Wainwright, 10, T. S. White, 8, A. Weston, 6, M. Welsh, 9.

MONTGOMERY SOLD. Gravesend Race Track, N. Y., Sept. 22.—At the disposal sale of the entire stable of Emil Herz, which was sold at Gravesend to-day, Montgomery was sold to John Howard for \$15,000. Woodlane went to S. Deimel for \$2,800. He also bought Golden West for \$1,300. Jane

in again as far as I am concerned. I was rather astonished they acted so hastily. If they do not want to come in they can stay out, and if they want to form another union, they can do so. In that case, there will be two unions in this part of the land. Our men are in good shape, and we will have a team that can play with the best of them. We did not ask for this new union, neither did our men ask for reinstatement by the C. A. A. U. Hamilton, or rather Ballard, simply asked to be permitted to try and arrange things so that the Argonauts, some of whose heads are tied-in-the-wool C. A. A. U. men, would play with us.

CONFERENCE AT TORONTO.

Toronto, Sept. 23.—Representatives of the clubs of the Inter-Provincial Union and the officials of the C. A. A. U. on Saturday discussed matters pertaining to the hitch in the signing of the declarations required by the latter body, and it is now stated that prospects for the smoothing away of the difficulty are bright. If things are arranged satisfactorily, the union will carry out its schedule. James W. Lanning, of Victoria, Seymour, Hamilton, and W. A. Hewitt, Argonauts, were the inter-provincial representatives.

TWO JUNIOR LEAGUES.

Two Junior Football Leagues, with weight limit of 125 pounds, have been organized for this season—the East End League, represented by the Granites, Keystones and St. Patricks, and the West End League, composed of the Victorias, Dominions, Orientals and Erskines. The west enders will play their games at Victoria Park, beginning Saturday next, and the East End League will play at the East End Incline. Teams must weigh in their players at Skerrett's before Friday evening next. It is expected that a North End League, at the same time, will be formed, and, if so, championship games will be played by the leading clubs at the end of the season, to decide their superiority. The schedules adopted are as follows:

West End League—Sept. 28—Dominions vs. Victorias; Erskine vs. Orientals. Oct. 5—Erskine vs. Victorias; Dominions vs. Orientals. Oct. 12—Orientals vs. Victorias; Erskine vs. Dominions. Oct. 19—Erskine vs. Orientals; Dominions vs. Victorias. Oct. 26—Dominions vs. Orientals; Erskine vs. Victorias. Nov. 2—Erskine vs. Dominions; Orientals vs. Victorias. Nov. 9—Dominions vs. Victorias; Erskine vs. Orientals. Nov. 16—Erskine vs. Victoria; Dominions vs. Orientals. Nov. 23—Orientals vs. Victorias; Erskine vs. Dominions.

East End—Sept. 28—Keystones vs. St. Pats. Oct. 5—Granites vs. St. Pats. Oct. 12—Granites vs. Keystones. Oct. 19—St. Pats vs. Keystones. Oct. 26—Granites vs. St. Pats. Nov. 2—Keystones vs. Granites. Nov. 9—St. Pats vs. Keystones. Nov. 16—Granites vs. St. Pats. Nov. 23—Granites vs. Keystones.

INTERMEDIATE RUGBY.

At a meeting of the representatives of the Intermediate City Rugby Football League at J. W. Nelson's store it was decided to make the weight limit 135 pounds. Grounds committee will report on Thursday evening, 26th, when all clubs wishing to enter will have their representatives on hand promptly, as schedule will be drawn up.

TIGERS' TEAM OUT.

Between 40 and 50 members of the Hamilton Rugby Football Club were in uniform at the Cricket Grounds on Saturday afternoon, and the Tigers had a good practice, under the direction of Walter Marriott. It is expected that George Dalton will return to the city on Friday or Saturday, and will then jump into the game.

NOT DISCOURAGED.

President Seymour, of the Hamiltons, still has hopes that the "Big Four" League will be organized for this season.

HOUNDS AND HARES.

The Y. M. C. A. junior hares held a most successful paper chase on Saturday afternoon. The hares (Meyers and Bowron) were given five minutes' start, and laid one of the best trails that the club had yet participated in. The trail led up the mountain and cross country to the asylum, then down Beckett's drive, where the hares were overtaken by Jack Maas while scaling a picket fence. The course was then laid towards home, and many of the hounds overtook the hares.

FATTENED THEIR BATTING.

Southon, Lanning and Howe fattened their batting averages off Simpson in the second game. They got nine hits among them, and the other six men on the team secured in the seventh, when Southon was given safe on first, got second on Simpson's bad throw, and scored on an error by Coutts and a hit by Jennings.

HERE IS A GOOD ONE FROM THE TORONTO TELEGRAM.

Our unfinished limerick this week is: There was an old fellow named Sam, Who bet on a horse called Cold Ham. It got into a sandwich, And the extent of his langwich Was ! ! ! ! ! N. B.—Do not send your answer on a post card.

LEADERS LOST THE LAST GAME.

Britannia Ball Team Defeated by Saints In City League Series.

The League Will Probably Decide to Give the Intermediate League Leaders a Game or Two Next Saturday—Results in the Big Leagues.

After pitching faultless ball for the entire season, Willie Simpson, of the Britannia team, had a day off on Saturday. Outside of the fact that the champions seemed to be afraid of Pitcher Willie Smith, of the Saints, Simpson was entirely to blame for the loss of the game. He was hit hard, lacked the steadiness which usually characterizes his play, and had a bunch of fielding errors—the first he has had this whole season. The Saints batted out a popular victory. Smith was in fine form. Had he been in the box earlier in the season, instead of wasting his ability at first base, the Britannians would have carried off the championships of both series without a bitter struggle. As it is, the Brits can hardly be beaten out. They won the first series by beating the Saints in playing off a tie, and now have a clear lead of one game in the second series, and only one game, and that, Dundas, to play. The utter impossibility of Dundas beating the Brits is apparent, and it is probable that the League Executive at its meeting to-morrow night, will decide to close the season on the present standing and accept the challenge of the Intermediate League to play at Britannia Park next Saturday. The standing in the second series is:

Table with columns: Team, Won, Lost, P.C. Britannia 10 2 533, St. Patrick 9 3 750, Westinghouse 4 8 333, Dundas 1 11 983.

A VERY NICE GAME.

Had Dundas played the sort of ball in the early part of the season that the team played on Saturday there would have been a different tale to tell. The suburbanites sadly missed their chance when they were content with the sloppiness of the early part of the season. Their last few games have been good. On Saturday Holley pitched a great game, and the whole team supported him well, after Carson had allowed Holtrum's ground hit to slip through his hands and reach the fence, giving the first man up in the first inning, of the Westinghouse a run. The score stood at 1-0 for five innings, both teams playing sharp, fast ball. In the sixth Benton opened on a hit, and stole second, Carson sacrificed and Emory threw his hands first on an unsuccessful attempt to catch Benton at the plate. That tied the score. In the seventh Job and Conley, the first two up, made hits, and Job stole third. Weaver bunted, but Job was not retired at the plate. The next two men were retired. For Westinghouse Cardow got a charity and stole. The next two men went out to Carson and then Muir won his own game with a two-base hit. Score:

Table with columns: Team, Won, Lost, P.C. Westinghouse 4 0 100, St. Patrick 3 0 100, Carson 3 0 100, Benton 3 0 100, Cardow 3 0 100, Emory 3 0 100, Job 3 0 100, Conley 3 0 100, Muir 3 0 100.

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ROSE BROKE A WORLD'S RECORD.

Montreal, Sept. 23.—The twenty-fourth annual Canadian championships, which were held on the M.A.A.A. grounds Saturday afternoon, with a fairly large attendance, were remembered notably by the establishment of several new world's and Canadian records. In putting the 15-lb shot, Ralph Rose, the stalwart Californian whose feats have lately astonished the athletic world, broke the world's record on 40 lbs 6 1/2 inches, which was recently made by him at Jamaica Plain, N.Y., on 40 lbs 6 1/2 inches, by putting the shot a distance of 40 feet 7 1/2 inches, which constitutes a new world's record in throwing the 15-lb hammer. Mr. J. McGrath, of the New York A.C., made a new world's record by throwing the hammer a distance of 123 feet 7 inches, but winning out by inches in the final trial. The 25-lb shot was won by Ralph Rose, 123 feet 7 inches, 1st; W. W. Coe, Jr., Boston A.A., 112 feet 2 inches, 2nd; M. E. McGrath, New York A.C., 112 feet 2 inches, 3rd. The 120 yards hurdle race—P. S. Smithson, Maitland A.C. (Oregon), 1st; A. B. Shaw, Chicago A.A., 2nd; W. H. McCulloch, New York A.C., 3rd. Time, 15-3-5 seconds. This equals the Canadian record, but taking three seconds less than the world's record. The 100 yards hurdle race—P. S. Smithson, Maitland A.C. (Oregon), 1st; A. B. Shaw, Chicago A.A., 2nd; W. H. McCulloch, New York A.C., 3rd. Time, 15-3-5 seconds. This equals the Canadian record, but taking three seconds less than the world's record. The 100 yards hurdle race—P. S. Smithson, Maitland A.C. (Oregon), 1st; A. B. Shaw, Chicago A.A., 2nd; W. H. McCulloch, New York A.C., 3rd. Time, 15-3-5 seconds. This equals the Canadian record, but taking three seconds less than the world's record.

Shrubb beat Nebraska. Toronto, Sept. 23.—Alfred Shrubb had no difficulty in defeating Nebraska, of Buffalo, in their four mile professional race at the Island Saturday afternoon. It was Nebraska's first easy in the class. A crowd of old countrymen witnessed the event.

The Englishman won by about a quarter of a mile, in 20:15. His times were: 1 mile, 4:45; 2 miles, 10:10; 3 miles, 15:17.

The Baptist athletic games were held on Varsity field. Longboat won the fifteen mile race with Goldsboro close behind him all the way. The first five men finished inside of two minutes after Longboat had crossed under the wire.

Longboat was third, Sellen fourth and Green, the Indian, was fifth man. The time was one hour, 8 minutes and 13 seconds.

SPORTS AT LONDON. London, Sept. 23.—To-morrow morning the Hamilton and Toronto athletes, who will take part in the Irish-Canadian athletic meet to-morrow night at Queen's Park, will arrive in the city on a special train in charge of T. C. Flanagan, and the well known Irish-Canadian chief, and in the afternoon a parade will be held in the city through the main streets of the city.

while in the third Mr. H. E. Hawkins won from Mr. Thos. Upton in the shoot.

The scores: Event No. 1 2 3 4 Targets 25 15 25 10 Upton 21 6 22 7 Beattie 22 14 10 8 Ripley 22 9 19 4 Bowron 20 15 7 W. P. Thomson 15 11 8 5 Friend 10 5 5 5 Barnard 20 13 14 6 Oliver 18 19 18 9 De. Hilber 11 9 15 11 Hawkins 18 11 22 11 Fletcher 8 21 11

(Additional sporting news on page 5.)

Efforts of the Calgary Exhibition people to secure the Dominion Fair for 1908 have been successful.

SHOOTING AT THE TRAPS.

The first of a series of spon and merchandise shoots was held at the Hamilton Gun Club on Saturday afternoon. Three tied in the spon shoot at 25 targets, and in the shoot off Mr. George Beattie won same. In the second event at 15 targets Mr. John Bowron went straight, while in the third event 14-5 targets, Mr. John Bowron went straight, the Geys capturing the first count by a

CONTRACT NOT SIGNED YET, But Mr. Beck Still Maintains Everything is All Right.

Mayor of Dundas Will Look Into Water Proposition.

Will Saltfleet Issue Injunction Over Beach Road?

The delay in getting the Hydro-Power scheme in such a shape that a by-law for the proposed municipal lighting plant can be submitted in January has caused the city officials some worry, as it would give them only eighteen months to go ahead with the work.

At the request of Ald. Farrar, Mayor Stewart will instruct City Clerk Kent, when he receives the necessary authority for by the special committee appointed to consider reorganizing the Engineer's department, to send copies of it to each member of the committee before it meets again.

The suggestion made in the Times some weeks ago for Hamilton to supply Dundas and other nearby places with water when the new electric pumps are installed has favorably impressed Mayor Moss.

The Board of Works has a lot of important business to deal with to-morrow night. With the Finance Committee, it will investigate the charges made by the Building Trades Council against John Henry, employed on the job at the city yards, and accused of opening some of the men's envelopes.

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Mr. Barrow had a look over part of the Brantford & Hamilton Railway outside the city, and is quite pleased with the construction. He will go over the rest of the route early this week. The sidewalk at Hess and Markland streets is to be raised.

City Engineer Barrow has received an invitation from the Mayor of Detroit to attend the annual convention of the American Society of Municipal Improvements next week. He expects to go.

Martin & Martin have written to the Board of Works, complaining of the smoke from the Eagle Knitting Company's works. The smoke by-law, compelling manufacturers to use smoke consumers, has not received its third reading yet.

R. Press & Son were granted a permit this morning for a brick table on Ferguson avenue, between Kelly and Cannon streets, to cost \$400.

A petition from H. N. Klinton and

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

The clock ordered some months ago for the tower of the Collegiate Institute is being placed in position. The dials are already in.

Miss Catharine Brennan, daughter of Hugh S. Brennan, who was operated on for appendicitis, is reported to be doing nicely.

Miss Fannie Sutherland has been granted a part one senior teachers' certificate. She is a Hamilton Collegiate Institute pupil.

Mr. Hamilton Mockridge was advanced to the priesthood and ordained by Archbishop Swenson in St. Thomas' Church, Toronto, on Saturday.

The Epworth League of Wesley Church will put on Shakespeare's "As You Like It" this evening, in the church parlors, under the direction of Miss Jessie Dixon.

The remains of the late Mrs. (Dr.) Cross, who died at Irving, Alberta, while visiting her sister, Mrs. Martin, will arrive at Barrie on Wednesday, and the funeral will take place there on Thursday.

Hamilton Municipal Chapter, Daughters of the Empire, will hold a reception at S. S. No. 2, Barton, to-morrow afternoon, when the flag donated to the school will be raised. All members of the D. O. E. are invited.

Inspector Gould, county liquor law enforcement officer, took out a summons this morning against David Daniels, of the Globe Hotel, on the Dundas road. He claims he caught Daniels with his bar open on Saturday night after hours.

In the alimony case of Hamilton vs. Hemilton, the defendant's lawyers in Toronto have given notice of appeal from Judge Monek's decision awarding Mrs. Hamilton \$5 per week until the time of trial. M. J. O'Reilly is acting for Mrs. Hamilton.

The Veteran Firemen will turn out at 4 o'clock this afternoon to have their pictures taken by the Chicago Biograph Co., which will take moving pictures of the Hamilton Fire Department. The company will also take pictures of the International Harvester Company's fire department this afternoon.

An express load of good things just in at watch's, postoffice opposite, 75 dozen half hoes, black, brown and grey, two pairs twenty-five cents. Fine medium weight underwear fifty cents, seventy-five cents and one dollar a garment. Penman's natural wool one dollar. Get your new hat at watch's.

Miss Florence Harvey and Miss Phoebe are representing the Hamilton Ladies' Golf Club at the Canadian championship tournament, which opened today at Ottawa. The entry list is very large, there being about thirty from Montreal and Toronto. Miss Nesbitt, of Woodstock, has also gone down. The final of the Canadian single championship will be played on Saturday.

Germany's Dangerous Hottentots. Berlin, Sept. 23.—The Governor of Southwest Africa reports that Chief Moriga, who is reported killed, had refused to surrender and crossed into British territory. Moriga had been Germany's most dangerous Hottentot for years.

Gave Germans Trouble. Uplington, Cape Colony, Sept. 22.—It is reported here that Moriga, the Hottentot chief, who caused so much trouble to the Germans in Southwest Africa, was killed Sept. 15, in an engagement with a British force at Witban, in the Kalahari district. It is added that his son, uncle and secretary were also slain in the same encounter.

EIGHT EXECUTED. Seven Men and One Girl Shot Without Trial. Lodz, Russian Poland, Sept. 23.—Seven workmen and one girl were executed by shooting here this morning without trial, for participating in the murder of Marquis Sillferstein, owner of a large cotton mill, who was killed by his employees on Sept. 13 because he refused to pay them for the time they were out on strike.

Police and troops on Sept. 20 made a sudden descent on the mill and arrested 800 of the employees.

CITY IMPROVEMENT. To the Editor of the Times: Sir—Your interesting article in last evening's paper with reference to the Improvement Society will be read with great pleasure by all interested in the work done in the past. The work should never be allowed to stop. It had for its aim the comfort and convenience of the public at large, and the beautifying of the city. It was not local in its endeavors, and was thoroughly non-political in its views.

White Wings. A visit to the east end reservoir will repay anyone. It is a beautiful spot easily accessible by H. G. & B. car.

Of Interest to Shippers. Hamilton shippers are notified in this issue by the Turbine Steamship Co. that it will cease taking freight next Friday, Sept. 27, by the steamer Niagara, which will stop running between Hamilton, Oakville and Toronto next Saturday. Telephone orders in the meantime will receive prompt attention.

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THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS.—Strong winds and gales southerly to westerly; showers to-night and on Tuesday.

WEATHER NOTES. A marked disturbance, which has travelled rapidly from the far north Pacific coast, has now reached Manitoba, and another depression has developed over the middle Atlantic States.

Western New York: Rain to-night and Tuesday; warmer to-night. Lakes Erie and Ontario: Fresh, possibly bring shifting winds, showers to-night and Tuesday.

LATE SPORTING NEWS

The house committee of the Victoria Yacht Club held a very enjoyable programme of sports on Saturday. The results were: Men's fishing—E. Tarbutt, J. Ecclestone.

Ladies' fishing—Mrs. Creel, Miss Borden. Ladies' race, singles—Miss McMullen, Miss Feltz.

Markets and Finance

Table with columns: Commodity, Price, Change. Includes items like Abtibil, Amalgamated, Buffalo, etc.

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Steamship Arrivals. Sept. 22.—St. Paul—At New York, from Southampton. Umbria—At New York, from Liverpool.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths which are inserted in the Daily Times also appear in the Semi-Weekly Times, 50c. first insertion; 25c. for each subsequent insertion.

MARRIAGES

STEPHEN—McGRAU—On the 21st of Sept., at the parsonage of Wesley Church, Hamilton, by the Rev. Dr. Toveil, Mr. Allan Stephen, formerly of Aberdeen, Scotland, to Miss Agnes McGray, formerly of Paisley, Scotland, both now of Toronto.

DEATHS

HARRIS—At his late residence, Beach Road, Toronto, of heart failure, on Monday, Sept. 23, 1907, Alfred Hamilton Harris, aged 63 years.

ELLIOTT—At her late residence, 45 Walnut street south, on Monday, 23rd September, 1907, Elizabeth, wife of Richard Elliott, in her 72nd year.

McBRIDE—Accidentally killed, on Saturday, 21st Sept., 1907, William McBride, 313 Hunter street west, Tuesday at 3.30 p. m., private interment at Hamilton cemetery.

PHILIP—At her late residence, 20 Hunter street east, on Saturday, 21st Sept., 1907, Lizzy, wife of David Philip, aged 66 years. Burial Tuesday at 3 p. m. Private interment at Hamilton cemetery. Flowers gratefully declined.

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