

MRS. AGNES THOMAS ACQUITTED OF MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE

Two of the Raiders in Connection With the Warton Tragedy Sentenced to Eight Months.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Walkerton, Sept. 18. — Mrs. Agnes Thomas, of London, was this morning acquitted of the charge of manslaughter over the death of Philip Gilbert, of Warton.

Two of the raiders, Messrs. M. Lancaster and W. Lancaster, were sentenced to eight months.

The judge, if anything, inclined to the side of the defendant in his sum-

ming up. The jury reached the verdict after a very short consideration.

The killing of Philip Gilbert of Warton, Ont., occurred on an evening early in August, when a vigilante committee organized and headed by Gilbert attacked a tent being occupied by Mrs. Agnes Thomas and Stella Lamont, both of London.

They tore down the tent and in the mix-up Mrs. Thomas fired a revolver in self-defense. Gilbert was struck and died almost instantly.

Opened Wrong Door, Fell 15 Feet; John Walsh, Laborer, Badly Injured

Remained Unconscious in Victoria Hospital for Several Hours—Will Recover.

An oversupply of liquor this morning, led John Walsh, a laborer, stopping at Myer's restaurant, into a set of stairs without a landing to them, and as a result of having plunged headfirst down the aforesaid stairs he now lies at the Victoria Hospital with a badly bruised and cut head.

Walsh started out to go to work this morning but got "mixed up," and went in to a "wet goods" emporium instead of going to his place of employment. Along about half past ten he began to feel hungry and wended his way to the King Edward restaurant on King street, where he was denied attendance because of his condition.

Going out of the restaurant, Walsh turned down the alley between the Bank of Toronto building and the restaurant, for some reason or another

he decided to enter a door in the rear of the former building which he caught sight of, and which leads into the basement.

There is no landing to the stairs, and the moment Walsh opened the door and tried to locate a solid foundation in the semi-darkness of the place he found himself pitching headlong to the floor, a distance of perhaps fifteen feet.

Taken to Hospital.
Some time later, one of the attendants in the building, heard the unfortunate man moaning and he phoned for the Victoria Hospital ambulance.

After being taken to the hospital Walsh remained in an unconscious state for several hours, not recovering his senses until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

When questioned by the hospital authorities, Walsh stated that he had been drinking and had not known where he was going at the time he fell down the stairs.

It was stated at the hospital that the man will recover.

A Day of Atonement for the Jews

The day of atonement is being celebrated by the Hebrews today. It commenced at 4 p.m. yesterday, and continues until 6 o'clock this evening. The day of atonement is one of the holidays instituted by Moses. It occurs on the tenth day of the seventh month (Tishri). It is a fast day, and the Jews observe it by abstaining for 24 hours from eating and drinking, bathing and anointing. The celebration of the day of atonement begins in the synagogue on the preceding evening in conformity with Lev. xxiii.

22: "It shall be unto you a Sabbath of rest, and ye shall afflict your souls in the ninth day of the seventh month at even, from even to even, shall you celebrate your Sabbath."

The services in the synagogues by the Jews are of a very solemn and impressive character with traditional melodies and sacred music composed and selected for the occasion. A part of the day services represent the feasting of the day of atonement begins in the synagogue on the preceding evening in conformity with Lev. xxiii.

London Postmen Name a Delegate

There was a very large attendance of the local postmen last evening in the basement of the postoffice to discuss the matter of asking the Government for more pay and a chance for promotion for the letter-carriers.

The men feel that they should be placed in a position the same as the under clerks as to hours and promotion.

Mr. William M. Empey was unanimously appointed a delegate to appear

before the civil service commissioners at Toronto on the 25th inst. Last night the men went into the several questions very thoroughly, covering the grievances as outlined in last Saturday's Advertiser.

They think it unfair that the men who work on the outside should not have the same chance for promotion as men who work on the inside, and a dead set will be made for this privilege.

Delegates from the postmen of all cities in Canada will push the request.

Fell Twelve Feet From Lumber Pile

A misstep caused Frank Newton, a foreman of the Dymond, Baker Lumber Company, to fall off a pile of lumber this morning and alight on a board fence on the back of his head, and from thence to the ground, a distance of perhaps ten or twelve feet, inflicting a severe cut on the back of the head and a badly bruised shoulder.

Mr. Newton was measuring a pile of

lumber located near the G. T. R. cattle pen at Wellington and Bathurst street, when he stepped off the pile backward.

Dr. Drake was called and found that while the injuries sustained were very painful, that they were not of an apparently serious nature, unless inward injuries should develop. It is expected that Newton will be out in a few days.

WOMAN DRUGGED IN HER OWN HOME

Montreal, Sept. 17.—Bound, gagged and lying unconscious in a woodshed beside her home, the neighbors at 8 o'clock this morning found Mrs. Arthur Briere, of 66 Lower Lachine road, Verdun. According to the information she has been able to give, she was aroused at 5 o'clock in the morning by someone knocking. Believing that her husband had returned she opened the door. Two men confronted her. In the hasty glance she got she perceived that both were attired in dark clothes, but before she could further observe them, one grabbed

her by the arm and the other quickly gagged her with a handkerchief soaked in chloroform. She essayed to free herself, but under the influence of the drug quickly lost the power to struggle, and shortly became unconscious. It is stated that the intention of the two men was to kidnap Mrs. Briere. They had an automobile drawn up in front of the door in which she was to be taken away, but being alarmed by the barking of dogs in the vicinity they abandoned their intention, and laying the woman down in the woodshed made off in the automobile.

and was regarded as a confirmed bachelor. Miss Leckie lived with her parents at Black Heath.

"SHERLOCK HOLMES" WEDS
Sir Arthur Conan Doyle Married to Miss Jean Leckie.
London, Sept. 18.—Sir Arthur Conan Doyle and Miss Jean Leckie were married in St. Margaret's Church, Westminster, today. The ceremony was quiet, and the name of the church at which it was performed was kept secret in order to avoid the presence of a crowd of persons who otherwise would have flocked to see the wedding of the author of "Sherlock Holmes." The bride is forty-eight years old,

THANKSGIVING DAY OCTOBER THIRTY FIRST

Ottawa, Sept. 17.—At a meeting of the cabinet this afternoon an order in council was passed fixing Thanksgiving Day for Thursday, Oct. 31.

THERESA KARN FINED \$25 AND COSTS

Keeper of Disorderly House on Dundas Street Heavily Mulcted.

Theresa Karn, the keeper of the disorderly house, raided on Dundas street recently, was this morning fined \$25 and costs in police court.

The two alleged inmates were dismissed, as was the alleged frequenter of the house.

John Crockett was assessed \$2 and costs for drunkenness, a first-time was discharged, and Charles Johnston, who is wanted in Stratford on a charge of forgery, was handed over to the police of that place.

MACHINISTS WOULD REPUDIATE CONTRACT

St. Louis, Sept. 18.—That the settlement of the Canadian machinists' troubles on the G. T. R. under the trades disputes law was not satisfactory was shown at yesterday's session of the International Association of Machinists. Several Canadian delegates insisted that the contracts be repudiated, and expressed bitterness toward Second Vice-President A. H. Champion, who, they declared, was responsible. It was announced later that Champion had been defeated for reelection, J. Somerville, of Alberta, Canada, replacing him.

A PICKED REGIMENT TO GUARD THE CZAR

St. Petersburg, Sept. 18.—For the further protection of his own person, Emperor Nicholas has ordered the creation of a new regiment of life guards, composed of specially selected officers, non-commissioned officers and soldiers, drawn from regiments throughout the entire Russian army, on the personal commendation of the commanders of the various corps, who are to be held strictly responsible for the good behavior of their appointees.

The members of this new regiment will be chosen individually, will be required to have manifested exceptional trustworthiness and devotion to the throne and will be placed under the orders of the commander of the imperial palace.

WARD FOUND GUILTY; FINED \$3 AND COSTS

Assaulted a Man Named Abraham Marsh in London Township.

For assaulting Abraham Marsh, recently William H. Ward, a London Township contractor and property owner, was fined \$3 and costs by Squire Chittick yesterday afternoon in the county magistrate's court.

The complaint is the father of one of Ward's tenants. Recently the daughter, Mrs. Merton, decided to move out of the Ward house, but as her lease extended a few days later she retained possession of the key to the place.

A couple of days before the lease was alleged to have run out Ward requested the loan of the key, it is alleged, in order to make some repairs to the house just vacated. While Ward was working about the house Marsh entered. Some words ensued between the men, and Ward ordered the old man off the place.

Marsh refused to go, replying that his daughter's lease did not run out for several days. Ward thereupon, according to the evidence, laid violent hands upon the old gentleman, and threw him or shoved him out the door and down the steps, thereby injuring Marsh's spine, which had been previously badly hurt in the city hall wreck.

Squire Chittick found Ward guilty, and in finding him remedied that he considered the act a poor return for the kindness accorded the houseowner by Mrs. Merton in loaning him the key to the house before her lease had run out.

Mr. U. A. Buchner protested against the finding of the magistrate on the ground that Ward had a perfect right to eject a person from his own property.

"Well," retorted the magistrate, "we are not trying a case of trespassing. The charge in this particular instance was assault. The assault was proven and the fine stands."

LONE WOMAN FOUND DEAD

An Elderly Maiden Lady Passes Away Suddenly.

Stratford, Sept. 17.—A very sudden death overtook Miss Jane Crowe, who resided with Mrs. Reardon, Front street, about 10 o'clock this morning. Mrs. Reardon left the house for a few moments, Miss Crowe, who was 73 years of age, being apparently in her usual fair health, but on her return Miss Crowe was dead, evidently from heart failure, with which she was troubled. Dr. Devlin, coroner, was called, but thought an inquest unnecessary. A brother of deceased, Henry, resides in Toronto.

FLOATER IDENTIFIED

Toronto, Sept. 17.—The body of the man found floating in the Black River at McDougall's Chutes, has been identified as that of M. G. Andoia, Laurent, 335 Notre Dame street, Montreal. The man was a laborer.

PRESENTATION TO MR. FERGUSON

Ex-Collegiate Institute Teacher Honored by Teachers and Pupils.

Mr. W. C. Ferguson, formerly a teacher in the Collegiate Institute here, came home on Friday last from Toronto, where he is now teaching, and on Saturday evening a deputation of the teachers at the institute called at his home and presented him with a splendid traveling bag as a mark of their esteem. The gift was the joint offering of both teachers and pupils, and was an evidence of the regard in which Mr. Ferguson is held.

This morning a letter was read from Mr. Ferguson at the Collegiate in which he expressed his warm appreciation of the kindness of teachers and scholars in the presentation. It would be a constant reminder of the warm-hearted spirit of good-will that had been shown him by both scholars and teachers during his long period of service in the Collegiate. It was with the deepest regret that he severed such pleasant relations. The bag would constantly remind him of those associations.

Bishop Ingram was Guest of Honor At the Canadian Club Banquet

Royal Reception Given the Great Prelate by the Men of London.

Bishop Ingram was the guest of honor at noon today at the luncheon given by the Canadian Club, and delivered a very stirring patriotic address.

The affair was one of the most brilliant yet held by this club, and was a splendid opening for the season of 1907-1908. Over two hundred guests were present, and practically all of London's most representative men, lay and clergy, were present.

Mr. Geo. C. Gibbons, K.C., presided, and, in a felicitous speech, introduced his lordship.

At the head table sat Mr. Gibbons, Bishop Ingram, Bishop Williams, Rev. Dr. Ross, Rev. Jas. Livingstone, and Mayor Judd.

Many visiting Anglican clergymen

HAIR AND SCALP WERE RIPPED OFF

Factory Hand at Chatham Meets With a Most Distressing Accident.

Chatham, Sept. 17.—Ada Shaw, a young girl engaged in a local factory, had her hair and scalp torn from her head today.

Her skull was bared from the top of the forehead to the back of her neck. The hair and scalp were replaced at once, and it is thought that the skin will graft again and the girl will recover. The accident was caused by her hair being caught in a rapidly-moving pulley.

COAL PRICES SOAR AT THE QUEEN CITY

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Toronto, Sept. 18.—In keeping with the soaring prices of all kinds of commodities coal advanced 25 cents per ton today on all grades. Stove coal, best anthracite, is now \$7.25 per ton. The announcement is made that at the first of the month 50 cents per ton will be added.

One Hundred Passengers Perish By Burning of a Japanese Ship

Shanghai, Sept. 18.—A Japanese steamer, said to be the Tafoo Maru, has been burned three miles off Ching Kiang, on the right bank of the Yangtze-Kiang, 45 miles from Nanking. It is reported that 100 lives were lost.

The Tafoo Maru is still on fire as this dispatch is forwarded, and the loss of life or extent of the damage done have not been ascertained, but it is known that many of the passengers and crew are missing, and it is still estimated that 100 persons lost their lives.

The Tafoo Maru, formerly the Ta-hung Maru, is of 1,750 tons register, was built in Japan, launched in 1900, and belongs to the Osoak Shosen Kabushiki Kaisha Company, of Osoak, Japan. She is 239 feet long, has 40-foot beam, and draws 11½ feet of water.

The Bishop's Address.
"I do, indeed, feel it very much in my heart the astonishing welcome that I have received in Canada," said his lordship. "I am especially pleased to address the Canadian Clubs, to speak to the men of the city. It shows plainly, whether you are in England or in Canada, that you are deep in your hearts most loyal to England. I am very pleased to visit London."

He traced the history of London, England, its marvelous growth and splendid history. The terrible crowding of the great east end where men are literally crowded like sardines in a box. There is a story told of him that while taking a number of school boys through the east end, he found

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CHICAGO REJECTS ITS NEW CHARTER

Majority of 62,000 Rolled Up on Light Vote; Mayor Busse Disappointed.

Chicago, Sept. 17.—The new charter authorized by the state legislature at its last session for the city of Chicago was rejected by the voters at today's special election by a majority of over 62,000.

Little more than half of the registered vote was cast, final figures, unofficial, showing 59,446 ballots for the charter and 122,054 against it. The total vote polled was 181,500 out of a registered vote of 361,968.

The light vote was due to some extent to the fact that the election was a special one, and that the granting of time off for the purpose of voting was optional with the employers.

In the majority of cases voters were obliged to go to the polls before going to work or not at all.

Mayor Busse issued the following statement tonight:

"It is evident from the result that a great majority of the people of Chicago either do not want a charter or are not sufficiently interested in a new charter to go to the polls and vote. The very light vote and the majority against adoption clearly proves that."

"I think this indifference has been a mistake. While the charter contained some provisions that were disagreeable to this, that, or the other special interest or element in the community, yet on the whole it was a good thing for Chicago. Its adoption would have enabled the administration to accomplish many public improvements which would have been of lasting benefit to the city."

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—THUNDERSTORMS.

FORECASTS.
Toronto, Sept. 18-8 a.m.
Fresh to strong easterly to southerly winds; rain and local thunderstorms to night and on Thursday.
TEMPERATURES.
Stations. 8 a.m. Min. Weather.
Perry Sound..... 52 46 Fair
Toronto..... 58 54 Fair
Ottawa..... 44 44 Fair
Montreal..... 46 44 Fair
Quebec..... 42 36 Clear
The first column in the above table records the temperatures at 8 o'clock this morning, and the second column records the minimum temperatures during the 24 hours previous.
YESTERDAY'S TEMPERATURES.
Minimum and maximum temperatures: London, 65-74; Atlin, 30-48; Port Simpson, 38-56; Victoria, 50-60; Vancouver, 50-61; Kamloops, 44-61; Perry Sound, 54-70; Toronto, 62-72; Ottawa, 54-66; Montreal, 56-68; Quebec, 52-54; St. John, 54-66; Halifax, 56-70.

Adelaide Street Woman Dying Alone; Need of a Tuberculosis Hospital

Even the Lady's Family Are Afraid of the Disease and Keep Away.

A pathetic case was reported to Medical Health Officer Hutchinson today. Mrs. Smith, who lives at 132 Adelaide street, is, in the last stages of consumption, and is practically dying alone in her little home.

Her condition at present is very pitiful, and as she can do but little for herself, her sufferings are all the more intense.

No one lives with her, although she is said to have a husband working in a down-town store.

He gives her \$3 a week to provide for herself, but in no other way, it

is alleged, looks after the unfortunate woman.

Day after day, and night after night, she is alone, while her life is fast ebbing away, and the only help she receives is when some kindly neighbor takes her some delicacy, and then leaves very quickly on account of the dread disease.

The woman sleeps at night in a hammock outside the house.

"It is an extremely pitiful case," declared Dr. Niven, chairman of the board of health, this morning, "but what can we do? There is no place to send her. The hospital will not admit her, and there is no other place to send her. We will try and get some one to stay with her or make some other arrangements for her comfort. It emphasizes the pressing need of a tuberculosis hospital."

Suing Local Firm for \$1,500 Damages

As a result of injuries sustained by James Palmer, a former employee of the McCormick Manufacturing Company, through the falling of an elevator last April, the firm has been made defendants in a \$1,500 damage suit which will be heard at the assizes which open in this city on the 7th day of October.

Palmer was working beneath a freight elevator in the defendants' factory on the 12th of last April, when the lift descended on him, breaking

three ribs, a thigh bone, and badly crushing his body.

The plaintiff alleges that he was working under orders from the superintendent of the establishment, and that his injuries were caused by reason of lack of sufficient precautions on the part of the company to guard against such accidents. He further alleges that since the accident such precautions have been taken to guard against future occurrences of a similar nature.

Purdum & Purdom are acting for the plaintiff, and Gibbons, Harper & Gibbons for the defendants.

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Pavers Spare Not Even the Trees

The Warren Paving Company is cutting down several trees on Richmond street south, between Bathurst and Horton. Six have already been removed and the rest will be taken out today.

"The trees are no good there," said Engineer Graydon this morning. "That

part of the city will be a business center shortly and trees have no place in the business part of the city. They are nice trees, and would have been all right in the residential section. The pavement would have had to be narrowed considerably to escape the trees and that would not have been any advantage."

Smerlies in the New Reid Building

As stated in The Advertiser some time ago when the new building goes up on the site of the old Crystal Hall it will be occupied by Peter Smerlies as a bowling alley, shoe shine parlor cigar store, etc.

At least the statement made some time ago in this regard was again repeated by a gentleman who has seen

the plans being prepared by McBride & Farncombe, and which call for a building pretty much similar to that which was contemplated when the old Crystal Hall was being altered.

Just when building operations will be commenced has not been made public, but it is said that local contractors are now figuring on the job.

WINDING UP OF THE YORK LOAN

Toronto, Sept. 17.—That it may take until next summer to conclude the legal proceedings necessary for the complete winding up of the York Loan was the fear expressed by W. T. White today in making an appeal for a continuous hearing of the case by Official Referee McLean at Osgoode Hall.

Several lawyers representing the different classes into which the creditors

are divided were present, but it was impossible to go on just now. An adjournment was made until Wednesday of next week, but in the meantime the lawyers will get together and map out a plan of procedure.

It was intimated in the course of this morning's proceedings that it may be necessary to have several more classes in order to include all kinds of creditors.

Bishop of London in Cronyn Hall Addressed a Notable Gathering

His Lordship Tendered the Congratulations of Clergy and Laity of Huron Diocese.

The Bishop of London was entertained yesterday afternoon at luncheon by the ladies of the Anglican churches of the city. Over three hundred visiting clergy and laymen were seated at the tables in Cronyn Hall. The dinner was a magnificent affair and splendidly arranged. The maximum of room was obtained with the minimum of discomfort.

The dinner itself reflected great credit on the ladies in charge. On the dais were special tables arranged at which were seated His Grace Archbishop Sweatman, of Toronto; Bishop Dumoulin, of Niagara; Bishop Thornley, of Algoma; Bishop Williams, of Huron, and the guest of the day, Bishop Ingram. The table was beautifully decorated.

and was accorded a great reception, on rising to speak prolonged applause greeted him, and some minutes elapsed before he could begin his speech. The programme was a very lengthy one, the last speaker not finishing until nearly half past five o'clock. After the luncheon Bishop Ingram held a reception and met all the clergymen and laity present.

Bishop Williams was toastmaster. His lordship introduced the toast which was drunk with great enthusiasm.

The Jubilee of the Diocese.

He rejoiced, in introducing the toast, "The Jubilee of the Diocese," that two of the bishops had come from the diocese. The Bishop of Algoma came from the great pioneer district of Ontario, and none who knew him would doubt that for him it was "work, work, work." He rejoiced greatly to present the Bishop of London, than whom none of his long line of predecessors was more beloved by the people. Bishop Williams rejoiced in the prosperity both temporal and spiritual of the Diocese of Huron. Years ago the present Diocese of Huron had been referred to as the rag end of the

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CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS.

No Advertisement Less Than Fifteen Words.

Meetings—When no admission is charged, one cent per word each insertion.

Articles for Sale, To Let, Help Wanted, Situations Wanted, Board and Lodging, Lost and Found, Rooms to Let, and all similar condensed advertisements—For insertion, one cent a word; each subsequent insertion, one-half cent per word. No advertisement less than fifteen words.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS.

BIRTHS.

PURDUM—In this city, on Sept. 7, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Purdum, Burwell street, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

HOLDEN—ANDERSON—In this city, on Sept. 17, 1907, at the residence of the bride's father, 288 South street, by the Rev. James Livingston, Miss Sophia, eldest daughter of Mr. W. J. Anderson, to Mr. Edwin Holden, Frankford, Pennsylvania, U. S. A.

KELLY—LAWSON—At 28 Euclid avenue, on Tuesday, Sept. 17, 1907, by the Rev. Dean Davis, Margaret Lawson to Thomas Fitzgerald Kelly, of Hamilton.

DEATHS.

NORMAN—At Mishawaka, on Sept. 16, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Norman (formerly of London), a son.

Toronto papers please copy.
BURNETT—Suddenly, on Sept. 17, 1907, at the family residence, 624 Maitland street, Alexander Burnett, in his 71st year.
Funeral Thursday, from his late residence to Mount Pleasant Cemetery, at 10 a.m.; service at 9:30 a.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

AMUSEMENTS LECTURES, ETC.

TONIGHT

THE SHUBERT THEATRICAL CO.

THE TOP OF THE WORLD

O' TH' WORLD

An All-Star Cast of 100, including

JOHN C. BURNETT

The Great Laugh-Producing Success.

A company of clever comedians, singers and dancers.

Presenting the latest songs and dances.

Popular prices to suit all.

15c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c. Seats ready.

THURSDAY

ISABEL IRVING

In the Clyde Fitch Comedy.

THE GIRL WHO HAS EVERYTHING

Seats selling, 25c to \$1.50

FRIDAY

SIDE-TRACKED

The Great Laugh-Producing Success.

A company of clever comedians, singers and dancers.

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Popular prices to suit all.

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SATURDAY—MATINEE & EVENING

A New Rural Drama.

JESSIE LEFT THE VILLAGE

A triumph of stage realism. 40 people—40

Big family matinee, 25c. Seats ready.

Evening, 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c.

BENNETT'S

ALWAYS GOOD—DAILY MATINEES.

BELLONG BROS. ZISKA & KING,

VILLAGE CHOIR.

DURVEY & MORTIMER.

5-OTHER FEATURES—5.

Grand Electric Track Meet

FIRST ANNUAL EVENT OF

IRISH-CANADIAN A. C.

Queen's Park, Sept. 24,

8 p.m.

LONGBOAT-SHRUBB

Coley, Marsh, Kerr, Grant

and best athletes in Canada.

REMEMBER THE DATE

BASEBALL Saturday, Sept. 21

Tuesdays Park

FOR CITY CHAMPIONSHIP.

McCLARY'S Champions City

League, vs.

Champions RAMBLERS

East End League

GAME CALLED 3:30 SHARP.

ONE CLASS CABIN

The following ships carry one class

cabin to the Old Country at very moderate

rates: Lake Champlain, Lake Erie, Paris,

also Corinthian and Sicilian. Passen-

gers have full deck prices, and are

booked at second cabin rates. F. B. Clarke,

Richmond street, next Bank of Commerce.

Western Excursions

London to Cleveland and return, boat,

\$4.70; London to Detroit and return, boat,

\$5.70; going Sept. 19 to 21; return

Oct. 6. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY NOW

open—Classes meet: Ladies, Mondays,

gentlemen, Tuesdays, 8 p.m. Private

lessons by appointment. Phone 1774.

Dayton & McCormick.

TONY CORTESE—ORIGINAL LONDON

Harpers. Music furnished for all occa-

sions. 161 Maple. Phone 1570.

\$2.65 LONDON TO DETROIT AND RE-

TURN, every Saturday and Sunday, via

boat. Daily trips. F. B. Clarke, Rich-

mond street, next Bank of Commerce.

LEARN TO DANCE—PRIVATE LESSONS

by E. B. Millard, 345 Princess avenue

Season opens Sept. 23. Call and register

at 1774.

MUSIC FURNISHED FOR PARTIES

balls, banquets, etc. Tony Cortese, 161

Maple. Phone 1570.

MEETINGS.

CHRISTIAN WORKERS, KING STREET—

Meeting Thursday, 1907, at 7:30, in the

interest of mortgage fund. "Do With-

out" holders please bring bonds.

Friends invited.

FOREST CITY CAMP, CANADIAN ORDER

Woodmen of the World, meets tomorrow

(Thursday), 8 o'clock, Duffield block.

Visitors welcome.

ALL MACHINISTS SHOULD ATTEND A

very important meeting to be held in

Culley Hall, Wellington street, Wednes-

day evening, Sept. 18. All welcome.

MISCELLANEOUS.

PHONE 157—FOREST CITY DRY CLEAN-

ING, 157 York street. Prompt work

guaranteed.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—TWO GIRLS FOR KITCHEN and laundry. Apply to Steward, London Club.

COAT AND SKIRT HANDS WANTED; also apprentice. Apply Miss Ross, Dundas street.

GIRLS WANTED

Canning Co. Busy.

Good Wages.

Steady work until Christmas at

London Canning

Company

Corner Rectory and Simcoe Streets.

WANTED—COATMAKERS

AND SKIRTMAKERS

GRAY & PARKER'S

DRESSMAKING DEPARTMENT.

GIRL WANTED—ONE EXPERIENCED IN bookbinding work preferred. The London Printing and Litho. Company, Limited.

WANTED—A HOUSEMAID. APPLY TO Housekeeper, Victoria Hospital.

WANTED—HOUSEMAIDS AND HOUSE- MAN; very highest wages. Apply immediately, Tecumseh House.

KITCHEN HELP WANTED. APPLY AT Leader Restaurant.

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT. APPLY 86 Maple street, after 8 o'clock.

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT, AT once; small family; no children; good wages. Apply Mrs. W. B. Falls, 702 Waterloo street.

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT. APPLY on or after tomorrow (Wednesday) evening, to Mrs. H. J. Lamb, 498 King street.

WOMAN WANTED FOR THE KITCHEN. Apply 131 Dundas street.

WOMAN WANTED FOR GENERAL housework; can go home nights if desired. Apply 490 Central avenue.

WANTED—MAID FOR GENERAL HOUSE- WORK; no washing; good wages. Mrs. E. E. Reid, 87 Maple street.

WANTED—WOMAN TO WASH and clean by the day. Apply 298 Hyman street.

GIRLS WANTED—HIGHEST WAGES. Apply Murray Shoe Company, 197 King street.

GIRLS WANTED FOR OLIVE PACKING. Apply Canada Spice and Grocery Com- pany, Limited, 186-190 King street.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED CAP MACHINE operator; also girls to learn the trade. Apply the Pandora Cap Company, 356 Richmond street.

WANTED AT ONCE—GOOD SERVANT, who can cook; no laundry work; three in family; \$14 a month. Apply Mrs. Furness, 652 Talbot street.

GIRLS WANTED

Good pay; experienced hands can earn

\$6 to \$9 a Week

Apply McCormick Manufacturing Co.

WANTED—GIRLS FOR CAMEL WRAP- PING, chocolate dipping and candy pack- ing department. Apply McCormick Manu- facturing Company.

DINING-ROOM GIRL, KITCHEN GIRL and landress. Apply to the Housekeeper, Victoria Hospital.

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LONDON, WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 18.

THE FINANCIAL SITUATION.

There is every reason to believe that
the stringency of the money market
has reached its limit, and that per-
manent changes are likely to be for
the better, although it is quite prob-
able the market will have its ups and
downs before this settled improvement
ensues.Every preparation appears to have
been made for moving the crops. Till
that is accomplished money is not
likely to be too plentiful. The banks
will take care of their customers and
handle the crops as well, but will not
furnish money for speculation.Lately there has been considerable
discussion regarding the conduct of
the banks in sending money out of
the country. In one paper we see the
question asked: "Is this not what a
dozen leading banks have done? They
got together and decided to ship five-
million dollars out of Canada at a
time when money was none too
plentiful. They called in all the loans
they could, and sent that amount of
money to New York to be loaned
there. As a consequence the price of
money at home has been unduly en-
hanced. The nation is starving for cap-
ital. Is it fair? Is it just?"It is very desirable that whatever
is written regarding the financial in-
stitutions of the country should be
strictly true. There is nothing more
liable to be easily affected for good or
evil than public opinion in financial
matters. There is a cry in the west
for local banks, because the branches
of banks established there are not
supplying the needed money.What has caused the sudden stringen-
cy? There has been expansions in
every direction. Cities and towns have
increased and multiplied, and these
have a sound way of using more
money if they can get it. In Winnipeg,
Calgary, Edmonton, Vancouver, and
all through the west the requirements
have been great. In the east nearly
every branch of business has ex-
panded and with it the need of money.
Added to this is the speculation in
land, the prices of which went up
steadily for a few years. This is by
no means confined to the west. It is
equally true of the east. Lands idle
for as long a time as the vacant lots
of Winnipeg, suddenly became sale-
able, and the demand with it for
more money. London, for instance,
has a healthier and more rapid growth
than at any time in 50 years. The
money sent to New York is therefore
only one circumstance, and it is quite
likely too much is made of it. In
the last report to the Government of
the banks, as published in the Mon-
etary Times, the total amount of call
and short loans outside Canada is
placed at \$60,629,114, while the deposits
elsewhere than in Canada amount to
\$58,421,023. The amount due from
agencies and banks in the United
Kingdom is \$5,729,317, while from
agencies and banks abroad it is \$17-
\$21,199.It is fair to point out that the banks
having the deposits elsewhere than in
Canada are the banks that have also
made the bulk of the call and short
loans outside of Canada, so that the
charge that millions of the savings
moneys of Canada are loaned abroad
is not true.The successful banker is said to be
a timid man, and perhaps there is rea-
son for it. If he saw only the bright
side his bank and his customer might
some day be side by side in the ditch.
Much is due the cautious banker. He
may sometimes prevent successes. He
often prevents disasters. There is no
doubt the particularly good times
we have been enjoying have brought
their own peculiar difficulties, as new
to the experienced banker as they are
to the ordinary man. A little time
and the business of the country will
flow on evenly once more. The people
are coming to Canada, and money will
come also.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

While in Great Britain and
North America but small progress has
been made in the direction of woman
suffrage, in the countries of continental
Europe and in Australia the movement
has made vast strides. This prompts
Ida Husted Harper, writing in the
North American Review, to mournful-
ly express the fear that the United
States may be the last of civilized
countries to grant woman a voice in
their own government.The results actually accomplished in
this direction make a rather formid-
able list. With the exception of Victo-
ria, in all the Australian states wom-
en enjoy the franchise and have full
federal suffrage and the right to sit
in the Federal Parliament, and it is
found that not only a larger percent-age, but actually a large number of
women than men, have voted at some
elections. For instance, in Tasmania
last year at every polling station wom-
en outnumbered men, and it is every-
where apparent that they have
aroused the men to a new sense of
their political duty.In New Zealand women have had
the full franchise since 1893. In Ice-
land, colony of Denmark, spinsters
and widows who are householders or
who maintain a family or themselves,
have a right to vote for parish or town
councils and distant boards and visi-
tors, and are eligible for election to all
the offices for which they can vote.
The full franchise and the office-hold-
ing rights of men, including the right
to sit in Parliament, have been granted
to women of Finland—privileges of
which they have taken full advantage.
In 1901 Norwegian women who pay
taxes on property to the value of \$75
in the country and \$110 in the cities
were admitted to the municipal fran-
chise, and were made eligible to serve
in the common councils. Later the
Parliamentary franchise was granted
to all who pay taxes on an income of
\$84 in the country and \$115 in the
cities. Wives may vote on the income
of their husbands, and there are do-
mestic servants with incomes large
enough to entitle them to vote. The
next step, it is expected, will be the
abolition of the property qualification
and the admission of women to the
polls on the same terms with men. In
Sweden, also, widows, spinsters and
married women owning property on
which they pay taxes, are on the same
terms as men so far as the municipal
franchise is concerned. In other coun-
tries the agitation is being kept up
and is steadily gaining force.In Canada any movement there may
be for the extension of the franchise
to women has not yet reached the di-
mensions of an agitation. In our own
province the right to vote at municipal
elections and to sit as members of
school boards has for years been en-
joyed by tax-paying and house-holding
widows and spinsters, but that is all.
No doubt all disabilities will be
removed in time.

CANADA IN GERMAN EYES.

That Germany, in common with the
rest of the civilized world, is watch-
ing the progress of Canada with in-
terest is shown by the amount of
space in German papers devoted to
the discussion of Canadian affairs.
For instance, one of the leading Ger-
man journals, the Frankfurter Zeitung,
recently published an interesting let-
ter dealing with the Canadian North-
west, written by Dr. Theodore Barth,
a distinguished German writer, who is
now on a visit to America. Dr. Barth
points out that Canada has entered
the twentieth century under condi-
tions incomparably more favorable to
rapid expansion than obtained in the
nineteenth century. There is ample
justification for Dr. Barth's assertion,
that on geographical, numerical and
economical grounds, Canadians have
now far more reason to look forward
with confidence than had the Ameri-
cans in 1800. At that time the area
of the United States was only 827,944
square miles, while what is now the
Dominion of Canada, exclusive of the
Gulf of St. Lawrence, the Hudson Bay
and all tidal waters, covers an area of
3,729,665 square miles, or one-sixteenth
of the land surface of the globe.In 1800 the population of the United
States was 3,508,000; in 1901 Canada
contained a population of 5,371,000. As
regards trade, the comparison is also
largely in Canada's favor.In 1800 the total imports and exports
of the United States were valued at
less than \$153,000,000; in 1901 Cana-
da's total imports and exports were
over \$540,000,000. United States treas-
ury receipts in 1800 were \$9,080,000
from customs and \$809,000 from in-
ternal revenue; Canada's total revenue
last year was \$80,000,000, \$60,000,000
of which was from customs and ex-
cise.Canada, moreover, has the advantage
of possessing a network of steam
railways with 23,706 miles of track,
while in 1800 the United States had
neither a steamboat nor a mile of rail-
way. Today the population of Mon-
treal alone far exceeds that of all the
chief cities of the United States in 1800.Commenting on Dr. Barth's compar-
isons the New York Sun says:"It may be said that Canada can-
not hope to develop her remarkable
resources with much rapidity, be-
cause her annual accession to her
population from immigration is rela-
tively small. If by 'relatively' we
mean relative to the United States
at the present time, the objection is
well founded. As a matter of fact,
however, as late as 1820 the number
of alien passengers arriving in the
United States that year was less
than 8,400, and even in 1844 it fell
short of 79,000. Canada has good
reason to believe that before 1944
the immigration into her territory
from the United States alone will
greatly exceed the last named fig-
ure. It is, indeed, altogether prob-
able that all the wheat fields of the
Canadian Northwest will have been
turned to account in a period con-
siderably shorter than that which
was needed to put the prairies of the
Mississippi valley under culture."In Toronto 1,224 ratepayers out of
23,000 on the list voted on a water-
works bylaw calling for an expendi-
ture of three-quarters of a million dol-
lars. Indifference is responsible formost of the defects of civic govern-
ment.The Bishop of London declares
against "side" or "trills" among ec-
clesiastics, having, perhaps, intended
this as sly advice for curates.The Canadian manufacturer says
Mr. Borden is weak and nervous.
Weak he may be, but if he needs nerve
his wicked partners can supply it.Mr. Cockshutt, M.P., of Brantford,
blames the Laurier Government for the
financial stringency. Mr. Cockshutt
should be logical, and blame the
Laurier Government for the business
expansion which has made money tight.The Fredericton Herald says Mr.
Foster was dropped from Mr. Borden's
party in Ontario because there are too
many Foresters in this Province. Mr.
Foster is not yet out of the woods, and
it is not likely the Foresters will let
him get out.The Postmaster-General will restore
the one-cent rate for letters posted and
delivered in cities having a free mail
delivery. It has always seemed absurd
that it costs one as much to send a
letter to the end of the country as to
a fellow-citizen on the next street.

DELIGHTFUL ROME.

[Puck.]

Mrs. Gadsby—And you liked Rome best
of all the European cities you visited?
Mrs. Newriche (enthusiastically)—It's far
superior to all the others. Why, my dear,
in Rome one can buy souvenir postals for
a penny that cost two or three times as
much anywhere else.

TRANSITION.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]

Years ago we called her "Bricktop," when
her hair hung down her back. When
her father was the driver of an
ancient yellow hack;
In those days we told her plainly that she
had a snub-nose, too—
In those days when we were younger and
the charms she had were few.Time works many, many changes; there's
another now who drives
Helter-skelter to the depot when the local
train arrives;
Someone—cousin or else uncle—I don't
quite remember which—
Left some millions to her father, made the
former hackman rich.They are living in the city, they've a splen-
did palace there;
She has ceased to be a bricktop, she has
Titian-tinted hair;
People rave about her beauty, she is turn-
ing beaux away.
And her nose, once snub and freckled, is a
charming reticence.

PRECOCIOUS CUTTER.

[Catholic Standard.]

Naylor—That boy of yours seems to be
a bright one. He'll cut a name for him-
self some day.
Popley (angrily)—He's done it already—
on our newly-painted back fence.

OUT OF IT.

[Philadelphia Press.]

Tom—Why aren't you going in bathing
today with Miss Hauston's party?
Dick—Too cold.
Tom—Nonsense! Why this weather the
water is just—
Dick—You misunderstood me. She in-
vited me not to.

PESSIMISM.

[Washington Herald.]

"I'm hungry. Been on the train five
hours. I could eat a chunk of rhinoceros
meat tonight."
"Well, you'll get it at this hotel."

USEFUL CYCLONE CELLAR.

[Yonkers Statesman.]

"I see you have a cyclone cellar?" said
the New York man, visiting a western
friend.
"Couldn't get along without it."
"Have many cyclones here?"
"No, never."
"Why is the cellar so useful, then?"
"I have three daughters learning to play
the piano. The piano's out there."

A CHRISTMAS VERSION.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]

Everybody's glad but father,
He has the bills to pay;
Shows us a face like a meat axe
"Long about Christmas Day;
Mother, she's bubbling over,
So is Sister Ann;
Everybody's glad at our house
But my old man.

OBLIGING.

[Washington Star.]

"Why do you say disagreeable things
about people?"
"It's because of my obliging disposition,"
answered Miss Cayenne. "So few of my
friends can be interested by any other
kind of conversation."

EXPERT OPINION.

[The Reader.]

"What we want to do," said the moral-
ist, "is to strive for the uplifting of our
fellow-men."
"It is easy," said the firing machine
inventor. "The difficulty is to keep him
from dropping back to earth with a rude
jar."

NOISE.

Rivers—Can there be such a thing as a
"singing need?"
Brooks—Why not? Everybody knows
there is such a thing as a howling success.

UNCLE EBEN.

[Washington Star.]

"If mortals here below didn't want so
many foul things," said Uncle Eben, "dar
would be a heap mo' faith in de efficacy
of prayer."

GOOD INTENTIONS.

[Illustrated Bits.]

Tramp—Please ma'am if you'll gimme
sumthin' to eat 'till I shovels the snow off
your walk.
Lady—Why, there hasn't been any snow
on the walk for some months!
Tramp—Well, that ain't no fault in
mine, lady. Won't you gimme a sandwich
for betn' willing 't shovels it off if they
was say?

IN THE SHOOTING SEASON.

[Punch.]

First Keeper—What do you think of these
fowls, Duncan?
Second Keeper—Just nothing at all. If
y' or them's no explanation how he cam'
to miss them, the fowls' mackin' me rin'
my dog off his legs lookin' for birds he's
never touched at all!DRINK PLENTY OF
GOOD PURE WATERTry This at Home for Kidney
and Bladder Disease and
Rheumatism."The people here do not drink
enough water to keep healthy," ex-
claimed a well-known authority. "The
numerous cases of stomach trouble,
kidney and bladder diseases and rheu-
matism are mainly due to the fact that
the drinking of water, nature's great-
est medicine, has been neglected."
Stop loading your system with patent
medicines and cure-alls; but get on the
water wagon. If you are really sick,
why, of course, take the proper medi-
cines—plain common vegetable treat-
ment, which will not shatter the
nerves or ruin the stomach.When requested for such a prescrip-
tion for the cure of rheumatism and
kidney trouble the answer was: "You
must make the kidneys do their work;
they are the filters of the blood. They
must be made to strain out of the
blood the waste matter and acids that
cause rheumatism; the urine must
be neutralized so it will no longer
be a source of irritation to the
bladder, and, most of all, you must
keep these acids from forming in the
stomach. This is the cause of stom-
ach trouble and poor digestion. For
these conditions I would suggest the
following prescription, which is com-
posed of only vegetable ingredients,
which can be obtained from any good
prescription pharmacy. Any one can
mix them by shaking well in a bottle.
Fluid Extract Dandelion one-half
ounce; Compound Kargon one ounce;
Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla three
ounces. To be taken in teaspoonful
doses after each meal and at bedtime,
but don't forget the water. Drink
plenty and often." This valuable in-
formation and simple prescription
should be posted up in each household
and used at the first sign of an attack
of rheumatism, backache or urinary
trouble, no matter how slight.WITNESS TELLS
HOW GILBERT DIEDSaw Flash From Revolver in
Agnes Thomas' Hand.

THE LANCASTERS ARRAIGNED

McGibbon Was Promised Protection—
The Wiarion Riot Case at
the Assizes.Walkerton, Sept. 17.—With the ex-
ception of one or two civil cases which
Chief Justice Mulock disposed of yester-
day afternoon, the Wiarion riot
case is the only one on the list, but it
promises to be of a most sensational
character. When court reopened this
morning at 9 o'clock, the four Lan-
casters were arraigned on the charge
of rioting. Some of the witnesses ex-
perienced in selecting a jury, but af-
ter a number of challenges the follow-
ing panel was named: John A. Can-
ning, Tara; W. A. Clark, Walkerton;
Samuel Little, Brant; Charles Jue-
gens, Brant; James Dawson, Saugeen;
John Farrell, Huron; Thomas Yule,
Paisley; James Rose, Bruce; Joseph A.
Schurter, Greenock; James McKague,
Calumet; Oliver McConnell, Brant;
Wm. Trotter, Greenock.
In his address to the jury, Crown
Attorney Meredith said: "It is a most
unfortunate thing that 30 or 40 men
can gather together and in an inhu-
man and devilish manner make a raid
on two unfortunate, defenseless wom-
en."

Gilbert Asked Him To Go.

Mr. McGibbon, butcher, of Wiarion,
was the first witness called for the
crown. "Were you there that even-
ing?" he was asked."Yes."
"Who asked you to go?"
"Philip Gilbert."
"What were you going for?"
"To drive these women away from
the town, and destroy the camp.""Did you go?"
"I did."
Witness arrived at the place about
10 o'clock and found a number of men
gathered on the road beside the tent.
Among those whom he recognized were
William, John and Robert Lancaster,
three of the four prisoners. In addition
there were Philip Gilbert, James Coch-
rane and a man by the name of Alfred
Pitley. Witness had stood talking for
about five minutes when Stella Lamont
came out to the road, took a look at
the men and went back. Then she and
Agnes Thomas came out together and
Agnes Thomas told Gilbert that if he
was going to start he had better start
at once. Gilbert said: "Come on,
boys," and they started in the two
Lancaster boys ahead, with Gilbert and
two or three others following. Agnes
Thomas walked back to the tent with
the men. Two of the Lancaster boys
walked around behind the tent with
Cochrane. The ropes were cut and the
tent began to be pulled down.

The Fatal Shot.

"Gilbert and I stood in front, Gilbert
turned to me and putting his hand on
my shoulder said, 'Be game now.' I
turned and tripped on one of the guy
ropes, and at that moment I heard a
shot. I saw Agnes Thomas with a re-
volver in her hand, and the fire went
toward Gilbert. He straightened up,
then fell over backwards. I ran away."
The witness admitted that during the
afternoon Gilbert had said to him that
they could not get justice in this town
and he was going to see about getting
it himself.

Saw Only Seven He Knew.

In answer to a question as to who
had taken part in the riot besides the
prisoners he gave the following names:
James Cochrane, Milton Mewers, Al-
bert Pitley, Alex. Elliott and Sydney
Lee.
There were just seven who actuallyFirst Fruits of the Autumn
Fashion VintageHave been augmented daily by fresh arrivals in Silks, Dress Goods, Suits-
ings, Women's Outer Garments, Furs, Trimmings, Lace
Embroideries, Corsets, Undermuslins, Millinery, Neck-
wear, Belts and Buckles, until now our stock has become a rich display
of all that is correct in fabrics and dress accessories for the coming season. One
large packing case after another has emptied its contents upon our shelves, and
the above lines you will now find here in complete array.

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First Important Showing of Fall Styles
In Our Millinery DepartmentYou are particularly invited to visit this display on our second floor and
to make early selection if possible, but even if you are not ready to purchase
the exhibit cannot fail to interest and please you.Fashion-Favored Fall
Dress GoodsNew Fall Dress Goods, fancy weave dress goods,
with stripes and plain weaves, in all the new fall
colors and black, are here in abundance, and the
prices are right.French Drapes Dian, a beautiful goods for tail-
or-made costumes, 52 inches wide, high finish. A
great percentage of our customers know of its du-
rability, which has made it one of our most popular
sellers. The following shades in stock: Leather tan,
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gray and London smoke, purple, bishop's purple,
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checks and stripes, 44 inches wide, in all colors, at,
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French broadcloth, suitable for high-grade tailo-
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greens, blues and reds, from 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 inches wide. Little narrow fancy braids to match, picot edge
with clutches of gold and silver. The small tassels so much in demand to finish collars on suits and
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gold tassels so much asked for.Irish Crocheted Motives, in quaint, odd shapes, with and without balls. These goods are going
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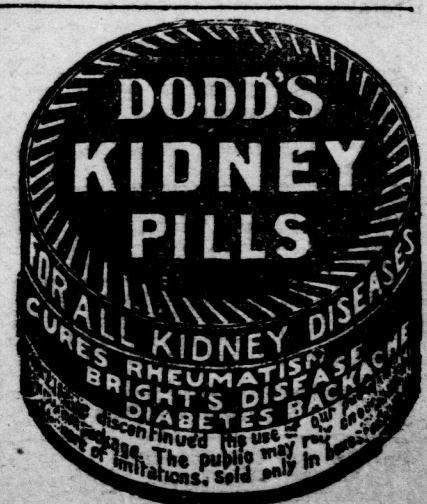
VESSEL PASSAGES

Detroit, Sept. 17.—Up — Colborn,
11:30 a.m. yesterday; Curtiss and consort,
12:30 p.m.; Canisteo and barges,
Norton, 1; Bethlehem, 3; St. Paul, 3:30;
Nimick, 5; Marion, 6:40.Down: Stevenson, Fritz, Wallula 11
a.m. yesterday; Clarion, Majestic,
Harper, 11:30; Calumet, 12:40 p.m.;
Pay Brown, 1; Corey, Barth, 1:30; Me-
costa, 2; Beatty, 2:30; large Carter,
3; Edenboro, Jenny, Plankinton, Mc-
Vittie, 4:30; Starum, 5; Jones, 5:40;
Emerald, 6; Bixby, Orion, 6:30.Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Sept. 17.—
Lyman Smith, 11:30 a.m. yesterday;
Maundalo, noon; Earling, 1 p.m.;
William S., Mack, Venus, 1:30; Oda-
naw, 2; Weston, Simla, Frick, 2:30;
Kensington, 3; Cort Carington, Mars,
Morrow, 3:20; Augustus Wolvin, 4:20;
Gratwick (small), Craig, 5:30; Agawa,
6; Wilkinson, 8; Arizona, Scotia, Ply-
mouth, 8:30; Van Hise, Marsala, Anne
Minch, Geo. Peavy.Down: Samuel Mather, Steel King
noon; Cuddy, 12:30 p.m. yesterday;
Alhambra, Corlia, Corliss, 1; Michigan,
Vard, Anier, 2; Cort Carington, Mars,
Morrow, 3:20; Augustus Wolvin, 4:20;
Gratwick (small), Craig, 5:30; Agawa,
6; Wilkinson, 8; Arizona, Scotia, Ply-
mouth, 8:30; Van Hise, Marsala, Anne
Minch, Geo. Peavy.Rear Admiral Sir Percy Scott, who
is to receive the first vacant British
cruiser squadron command, has taken
with him to the Mediterranean for
testing a new gyroscope gun-mount-
ing which keeps a gun on a level
plane in all conditions of the sea. It
may completely revolutionize naval
gunnery.

ROSELLE KNOTT WEDS

Marries Manager Ernest Shipman and
Retires From Stage.Hamilton, Sept. 17.—The announce-
ment was made here this morning of
the marriage of Mrs. Roselle Knott,
the well-known actress to Ernest
Shipman, her former manager. Both
are former Hamiltonians and well-
known here. Mrs. Shipman has been
married twice and her husband three
times. Mr. Shipman's first wife died,
after which he married Effie Hex, from
whom he obtained a divorce some time
later. His marriage to Mrs. Knott,
who was known on the stage as Miss
Knott, is his third venture. Mrs. Ship-
man has retired from the stage and is
now in New York with her husband.

A PROBLEM FOR THE EDITOR.

It has been asked whether stepping
on a man's corns gives provocation for
swearing. ANSWER—Keep the toes
clear of corns by using Putnam's Corn
Extractor.

The White Cat

[BY GELETT BURGESS, AUTHOR OF "VIVETTE."
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"Yes, but Leah presumes on that and thinks that she can do anything she wants. Dr. Copin doesn't like her either. He's got another girl he wants me to engage."

"I couldn't help exclaiming, 'Oh, I hope you won't!'"

"Well, perhaps, I won't, if you don't want me to, Chet. I was going to ask your advice about it. It'll make the doctor furious, but I don't mind. Poor Dr. Copin! I'm sorry for him, though. He's awfully hard up."

"Why? Is he poor?" I smelled a mouse.

"He's all the time complaining to me at any rate."

"I should think you'd be afraid to keep much money in the house. It's such a lonely place for burglars, you know."

"Oh, I don't keep much on hand. But I always have a little. I have a small income. It comes down every month. It's rents or stocks or something. It's safely invested and I don't bother about it."

It struck me that she took all this rather easily, but I soon found that it was the way she took everything. It had always been that way with her, and she saw nothing strange in it. Her amnesia accounted for everything. I saw how easily she might be led. Impressionable, and with a hasty, wilful temper, one who knew her temperament could soon learn to control her. I began to see how Leah's influence, which had heretofore been potent, might, perhaps, be undermined by the doctor. Here was the next thing to be investigated. But I would have to wait till I had had a talk with him.

She plucked a dandelion and put it into my buttonhole, looking up at me coquettishly as she did so.

"Chet, d'you know, I like you!" she remarked.

"Oh, I'm not a bit offended at that," said I.

"I wish I could make you like me a little."

"You are looking for a sinecure, aren't you?"

She returned to her ants and poked at them meditatively.

"I don't know why I tell you such things," she went on. "I've never done

so before. But you understand—don't you?"

"Oh, yes. I understood. I had heard that sort of thing often enough before."

"I like you because you treat me just as you'd treat a man. You're not always remembering that I'm a woman. The doctor—" She broke off. I understood this, too, but it amazed me to find that she, so far away from the world, could have so easily found the woman's way.

"You've got a perfectly stunning profile," was her next play.

I showed her how, by pressing in the tip of my nose, it could be made decidedly Hebraic in contour.

She pulled my hand away with a pretty protest at the outrage to my looks.

Next she complained that her hair was "horrid" and that after it was shampooed she could never do anything with it; she calmly took it down and combed it, a fine silken cascade of brown. It was quite beautiful enough to warrant the exhibition, which she executed by plaiting it into two magnificent braids falling below her waist.

Finally, she got up and gave me her coat to hold for her while she put it on, a process which she delayed unnecessarily, smuggling slowly into the sleeves and looking coyly up at me over her shoulder. Then she seized my hand, and before I knew it, had stumbled and fell—on purpose. "I'm confident—and I picked her up. How such contacts and familiarities affected me, considering my growing fondness for Miss Fielding, I leave you to imagine.

We walked down the path as gleefully as children playing truant, and arrived at the stable, she proposed that we go in to examine my machine which she was anxious to try. The dogs had been shut up in the harnessroom, and as soon as we approached, they set up a discordant barking. Edna scowled and went to the door to look in.

"Stop that noise!" she commanded irritably. A new chorus assailed her.

She had opened the door only a crack, but as she spoke Nokomis wriggled through, forcing it open, and crouching in front of her, ears laid back, growled angrily. Quick as a flash Edna took up a short whip that stood in the corner and lashed at the bitch. Nokomis was upon her in an instant and before I could prevent, had seized her ankle and nipped it severely. Edna screamed and struggled again, this time with the butt of the whip, hitting Nokomis squarely on the forehead.

Yelping, Nokomis released her hold and with her tail between her legs disappeared out of the stable door and disappeared.

Meanwhile I had closed the door of the harnessroom, and had run to Edna. Her face was white, with sudden rage, rather than pain. Nokomis had given her only a nip—the skin was not cut.

"I'll have them all shot tomorrow, if I have to do it myself," she cried.

I did my best to calm her, and in a few moments she had recovered her temper enough to laugh at the episode, though her spite against Nokomis remained. She forgot it in my explanation of the motor, which she examined with great intelligence.

Leahon was ready when we reached the house and we went into the diningroom. Here it was dim and cool and we fell naturally into a more placid humor. Edna seemed less the impetuous, irresponsible child she had been that forenoon, and I got my first hint of what was characteristic of her in this condition—that, as the day wore on, she developed mentally.

Over her shoulder the tapestry paper showed a picture of the combat between James Fitz-James and Rodrick Dhu; behind her the door opened and shut from time to time admitting King with his dainty dishes. He came and went like a ghost, all in white, while Leah, in a dark gown today, hovered like a shadow in the kitchen.

Edna had an amusing and not unpleasant sort of gaminerie at table. She was fond of selecting the daintiest, littlest piece of celery from the dish and teasing it over to my plate. She did not hesitate to use her fingers in cunning, unconventional ways, not as if she knew no better, but as if she knew herself to be pretty enough, and charming enough, to invest the solecism with a personal indulgent humor. So she dipped her bread in the gravy audaciously, so she crushed her strawberries with her fork to a red wafer of pulp, and added cream with a flourish. She carried it off perfectly; it was quite a distracting sight.

At two o'clock we got out my machine and set out for the station to meet Dr. Copin, she guiding the car according to my instructions. She was an apt pupil, and though the first stretch of rough lane required considerable skill in handling the motor, we got out to the highroad without accident, and put on top speed. The excitement of it kindled her spirits and a dangerous light shone in her eyes. She was bareheaded and the wind brought a fine glow to her cheeks.

"Isn't it great!" she exclaimed. "I'm going to get a car the first thing I do."

Her touch was clever and firm on the wheel, and she passed from one speed to another and handled the spark like an expert, already. There was no time for much coquetry now, but I got a glance now and then on the straight level runs. She swung up to the station with style, and my hand, though ready to help her, was not needed. I congratulated her upon her skill and she was pleased as a child.

"Oh, I'm going to show the doctor—" she cried. "You wait till he gets in and I'll give him a run for his money!"

The train appeared in a few minutes and Dr. Copin, with his professional bag, got out from the parlor car. He seemed to be much surprised at seeing me. I thought that I detected something like annoyance, too, in his expression. I wondered if he had not

informed him of my being at Mid-

down when she had telephoned in the morning. He greeted me cordially enough, however, inquired as to my condition, made a dull joke about my ribs, and got into the back seat of the car. I kept my place in front beside Edna, coaching her as we went along.

I talked commonplaces to the doctor, who replied laconically, and Edna, being absorbed with her work, kept quiet, her lips closed tightly, her eyes on the road ahead, waiting for her chance to make speed. After we had got a little outside the village there was a sharp up-grade, and I saw her hand fly to the speed lever.

"Be careful how you throw in that clutch," I warned her. "Give it to her easy, now!"

Her thought was all for impressing the doctor with her ability as a chauffeur, however, and she was too impatient. She released the clutch and threw her lever back to second speed. By the time she dropped her clutch back in again, however, the car had lost momentum, stopped and begun to roll downhill, the engine still going furiously. The gears meshed, but something had to give under the strain and with a snap the chain parted. The freed motor shook the car with its velocity. I grabbed the throttle from her, stopped the engine, set the brake and the car came to a standstill.

"Oh!" she wailed. "I've broken something, haven't I?"

"I'm afraid you have," I answered, laughing. "But I'll see what can be done."

I crawled underneath the car, taking the attitude that has now become classic, and saw that it would be a case of fastening in a new link. I backed out, looked in my tool box and found that there were no extra links there.

"I can't mend the thing here," I explained. "You and the doctor will have to get out and walk and leave me here. You'd better send some one back with a horse to tow me home."

She almost cried with shame and regret, but there was nothing for it but to do as I had suggested. I noticed a faint smile on the doctor's thin face. He was undoubtedly glad of the dilemma, as it would temporarily rid him of my company.

"It's too bad I can't sew it up for you," he said dryly. "I'm afraid it will require a capital operation, Castle. You'd better have a consultation with Uncle Jordon. But if you need any anesthetic to keep it out of pain while you're waiting, I'll lend you my bag."

"Oh, my machine is used to it, you know," I replied. "If you'll only send back the corner it'll be all right."

"Well, we'll hope for a change soon," he said. "I verily believe the man meant it for a pun, for he closed one eye as he got it off. Edna giggled. So they set out on foot. I took a seat, lighted a cigar, and waited as patiently as I could, not at all pleased at the thought of his having a free hour or two with her. At last Uncle Jordon appeared on the scene driving a span of horses.

"Hello," he greeted me. "The same old, sweet song, eh? Well, we all have to come to it, sooner or later. You ought to lead a horse behind when you go. I'd as soon trust to an airship."

He harnessed his team to the car, and we proceeded slowly home. It was a humiliating experience, as it always is, but Uncle Jordon was plainly hugely amused at my predicament.

"I guess the doctor won't sorry ye had to stop here alone," he remarked. "He's a—makin' the most of his time, now, I expect. Nöthin' like a little friendly rivalry for a bashful man."

"How long have you been back?" I asked, not caring for his personalities.

"Oh, I just happened to meet 'em in the north lane as I come. I guess they want to see me, or to see nobly there, by the way it looked. Miss Fielding ain't so crazy but what she knows what she's about sometimes. I tell ye!" At which he went off into an ebullient of silent laughter. This was disquieting enough information, for I could guess what he had seen, though I couldn't expect to encourage him. So I changed the subject.

"How long have you been down here with Miss Fielding?"

"Goin' on two year," he answered.

"I suppose the neighbors talk about her a good deal?"

"I reckon they do! But they don't get noblin' outa me. I sit an' look wise an' chew a straw an' let 'em talk. Lord, how they do try to pump me!"

"Doesn't she ever see any of them?"

"Oh, yes, sometimes when she's O. K. but she don't encourage 'em callin' much. They think she's so high and mighty, though, that they don't bother her to any great extent."

He proceeded now of his own accord.

"She's happy enough alone, I take it. Lord! I don't mind her at all, I attend to my business and she to hers. It ain't as if I was a woman an' curious, you know. But when she abuses dumb critters, then I do get mad. I jes' see of Nokomis's the hazzels, as I come past. She had her tail atween her laigs, an' I'm afraid that means trouble. I usually see to it that the dogs is got outen the way when she's looney, but I expect Leah must have forgot to attend to 'em. Funny King didn't, either. But it will happen on occasion. Some day they's goin' to be trouble. Of Nokomis knows more'n most folks herself. I believe King's crazy, too. He's got a beathen idol in his cabin he's all the time worshipin'. Burns punk-sticks an' a little peanut oil lamp in front of it. But I get my own quiet fun outen it all. I'm satisfied."

"We got the car safely home, and I spent the rest of the afternoon with Uncle Jordon's assistance, in mending the chain and doing other necessary cleaning and repairs. Miss Fielding and Dr. Copin stayed shut in the library. When I had gone up to my room to clean myself Leah came in, bearing fresh towels.

"Oh, Mr. Castle, can't you go in and join them?" she said. "I hate to have them alone for so long—you don't know how I dread it!"

"What are you afraid of?" I asked. "I don't know! I don't know! Only I don't trust him."

[To be Continued.]

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WAS WELL-KNOWN TO LONDONERS

Death of Mr. Chas. Barton, of Fyfield, Gloucester—A Tribute to His Memory.

Rose Villa, Evergreen Avenue, South London, Sept. 17.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

Dear Sir,—Kindly give space to the following paragraph from the Wilt and Gloucestershire Standard, Eng., of Aug. 17, 1907. The deceased gentleman was a first cousin of Mr. F. W. Coles, of the Globe Casket Company, of this city, who had the pleasure on several occasions, when in England, of being entertained by his cousin in a most royal manner. The writer also had the pleasure on his last visit to England of staying at Mr. Barton's fine old home, which is one of the old manor houses in Gloucestershire, and found Mr. Barton a grand and noble host, and one of the most respected and looked-up-to gentlemen farmers of that country. I could say it was a treat to see him presiding at the hunt breakfast when the hounds met at his home, entertaining from 75 to 100 people in the big hall at Fyfield; it was a pleasure to hear his hearty and manly voice greeting all his guests. He was much beloved as a master by all those who lived on his estate, there being over 60 persons working and living there—quite a little village on the premises. In sickness or health, all were well and kindly provided for, and he will be much mourned for and missed. It was with great regret that the news was received here in London by those connected with him, as also by myself.

DAVID SARE.

Death of Mr. Charles Barton.

During the past week there has passed from our midst at Fyfield, a small hamlet in the southeast corner of the county of Gloucester, about three miles from the market town of Lechlade, one of our most prominent agriculturists in the person of Mr. Charles Barton, who farmed over a thousand acres of land, chiefly arable—a man of great practical experience and sound judgment, whose opinion was sought for and valued by people in all grades of society. Following his father in the tenancy of the Fyfield holding, and having been born there in 1836, he spent his whole life on the farm on which he died, and was one of the most familiar and popular personages throughout the countryside. As an enterprising farmer he took a lead with his celebrated flock of Cotswold sheep, which, established by his grandfather, Mr. Charles Barton, of Coln Rogers, is amongst the oldest on these hills, his sheep being noted for their masculine heads, bold type, and striking similarity of character. He was also celebrated for his herd of cattle, with which few could compare for size and milk. He likewise took the keenest interest in machinery, for which he had an intense liking combined with the readiest natural aptitude, and his homestead abounded with evidences of his inventive ingenuity. In short, one of the greatest agricultural authorities of the last century once said of Mr. Barton that, though it was not difficult to find men excelling in one or another branch of farm practice, he had never found his equal for all-round management of stock, machinery, and land combined. Personally, he was the most genial and hospitable of men, he was valued and respected by all who knew him, and his loss as a kindly friend and neighbor will be deeply felt throughout a large circle; while his removal is a source

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IT'S WELL TO KNOW A GOOD THING.—Said Mrs. Surface to Mrs. Knowwell, when they met in the street, "Why, where have you been for a week back?" "Oh, just down to the store for a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil," and Mrs. Surface, who hates puns, walked on. But she remembered, and when she contracted a week back there was another customer for Electric Oil.

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HORSE SHOW WAS A GREAT SUCCESS

Equine Exhibition at St. Thomas Surpasses Most Sanguine Expectations.

St. Thomas, Sept. 17.—Nearly 5,000 people visited the horse show today, the attendance surpassing the most sanguine hopes of the association.

During the evening, Hon. Adam Beck, with four accompanying hunters and about 20 hounds of the London Hunt Club, gave an exhibition of jumping and tally-ho exercises. In this event Mr. Beck rode a beautiful chestnut gelding, five years old, by Grand Falconer, and raised by Mr. Robinson, of the Profit Line road, Middlesex county. In the jumping competition earlier he received first prize.

The judges were: Hon. Adam Beck, London; William Bishop, of New Hamburg; and Mr. Robert Graham, Bedford Park.

The results were:
Clyde and hackney stallion—1, Leaside, Frank Comfort, Shedd; 2, Keir Democrat, A. F. McEwen, St. Thomas.

Shire and standard bred stallion—1, Ray Prince, R. D. Ferguson, Port Stanley; 2, Fithville Emperor, C. K. Geary, St. Thomas; 3, Cardyth Prince, A. Anderson.

Clydesdale brood mares—1, Sarah Mitchell, A. T. McEwen, St. Thomas; 2, Celia, A. J. Fryer, Lawrence station; 3, Bella Fashion, A. J. Fryer, Lawrence station.

Shire brood mare—1, Sleeping Rose, R. D. Ferguson, Port Stanley; 2, Queen of Sheen, R. D. Ferguson, Port Stanley; 3, No Name, C. T. Jackson, Port Stanley.

Percheron brood mare—1, French, Hugh Fulton, St. Thomas; 2, Mollie, Henry Baker, St. Thomas; 3, Maud, C. F. Jackson, Port Stanley.

Heavy draught foal—1, Maplehurst King, R. D. Ferguson, Port Stanley; 2, Maplehurst Queen, R. D. Ferguson, Port Stanley; 3, Elias Pet, A. J. Fryer, Lawrence station.

Hackney stallions—Guelph Performance, St. Clair, Leeson, Aylmer.
Clyde and hackney brood mares—1, Miss Jubilee, J. W. Coulter, Talbotville; 2, Jubilee Star, J. W. Coulter, Talbotville.

Standard bred roadster trotting stallion—1, Mo Grazer, Miss K. L. Wilks, Galt; 2, Clare Bell, Jun. Wm. Butterwick, Sparta; 3, King Melrose, Mayfair Horse Breeders' Association, St. Thomas; 4, Cottingham, Frank Donley, St. Thomas.

Standard bred brood mare—1, Dreamworld, A. J. Fryer, Lawrence station; 2, Queen Wilks, R. N. Price, St. Thomas.

Thoroughbred stallion—Nipissing, Thomas Early, Tillsonburg.
Brood mares, saddle or hunters—1, Madge, M. H. Shore, Glanworth; 2, Littlemaid, A. J. Fryer, Lawrence; 3, Nellie, N. D. McLaughlin, St. Thomas.

Best foal, any age, under 12 months—1, James Begg, St. Thomas; 2, Prince Melrose, Duncan Brown, Iona; 3, King Billy, Hepburn, Union; 4, Melrose, C. A. Cattanauch, Port Stanley.

Pair of carriage horses shown in harness and to a suitable vehicle—1, Tom and Fank Duncan, Duncan Brown, Iona; 2, Dick Nelson and Jenny E. Henry Fulton, St. Thomas.

Pair harness horses shown in harness with vehicle—1, Lord and Lady Norfolk, Mrs. Adam Beck, London; 2, Frank and Tom, Duncan Brown, Iona; 3, President and Senator, Frank Babcock, Paris.

Pair heavy draught horses in harness to drag or wagon—1, Tom and Jerry, James McCartney, London; 2, Maud and Lady, Andrew Miller, Middlemarch; 3, Rose and Queen, R. D. Ferguson, Port Stanley; 4, Puss and Jess, Alex. McFarlane, Littlewood.

Single horse in harness to a suitable vehicle. Dealers excluded—1, Tom, Duncan Brown, Port Stanley; 2, George, Hardy Shore, St. Thomas; 3, No Name, J. Caruthers, Tillsonburg.

Hunters up to carrying 150 to 170 pounds to hounds—Debutante, J. S. Labatt, London; Promise, J. R. Green, London; Representative, Mr. Coventry; Frivol, W. B. Kingsmill, St. Thomas.

Saddle horse—1, Golden, Miss M. Clouston, Montreal; 2, Chateau Belle, Col. A. M. Smith, London; 3, Dick, Teepie & Son, Aylmer; 4, Billy G. Dr. J. J. Teetzel, St. Thomas.

Best single horse to suitable vehicle—1, Dawn, Roland Thayer, Dunboyne; 2, Maud, W. E. Lumley, St. Thomas; 3, Jingle Bell, St. Clair & Leeson, Aylmer; 4, President, Mrs. W. E. Robinson.

For foals of 1907, sired by the Standard Trotting Stallion, King Melrose—1, King Billy, Mitchell Hepburn, Union; 2, Prince Melrose, Duncan Brown, Iona; 3, Melrose C. Alex. Cattanauch, Port Stanley; 4, Alberta, A. J. Fryer, Lawrence station.

Jumping class, performance over fences only to suit—1, Kakabeka, Hon. Adam Beck, London; 2, Kennebec, Hon. Adam Beck, London; 3, Lady Jock, Asa Pound, Sparta.

The others in this event were: Chateau Belle, Col. A. M. Smith, London; Molly Doan, London Hunt Club.

Delivery wagon class, mare or gelding, over 1,200 pounds, horse to count 60 per cent, wagon and harness 40 per cent—1, Ellison & Lewis; 2, R. Sanders; 3, Swift & Co.; 4, Ellison & Lewis, St. Thomas.

Pair of harness horses to be shown in harness to an appropriate vehicle—1, Maud and Billy, W. E. Lumley, St. Thomas; 2, Dawn and Archie, Roland Thayer, St. Clair & Leeson, Aylmer; 3, Frances, Frank Babcock, Paris; 4, Jinglebell and Tilley Bell, St. Clair & Leeson, Aylmer.

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PREDICTS FIERY IRISH REVOLT

Famine Is Now Bitterly Pinching the Emerald Isle.

London, Sept. 17.—Robert Hunter, the well-known New York sociologist, after many months of study of the industrial and sociological conditions in the chief cities of Europe, has returned to London. In Ireland he studied conditions closely, especially in the western counties. Mr. Hunter says:

"The trouble with Ireland is land-lordism. The people cannot get land enough to till to make a living. Misery and poverty are visible in the western counties. Depressing faminous conditions are certain to prevail there during the winter. The potato crop has been an entire failure owing to the wet summer. With famine menacing them there is no telling what the people may be driven to this winter."

"The Government authorities are becoming alarmed. They are increasing the police force everywhere. Obviously the Government is expecting widespread trouble this winter."

"Since the strike of the Royal Irish Constabulary in Belfast the authorities have reason to believe that the traditional loyalty of this splendid body of men may have been diminished."

"I found a demand for home rule greater than ever. There is a spirit of revolt in the air. I was struck by the enthusiasm of the members of various organizations to secure an Irish Ireland. Wherever I went I found people attending public meetings, where vast crowds showed their deadly earnestness in demanding home rule."

"The Irish have ceased to expect anything from the British Parliament. They decline to accept anything but home rule. They are convinced that the time for compromise has passed."

"Home rule or nothing is their cry. I was amazed to find everywhere young men joining leagues for the economic upholding of Ireland."

"The conditions in Ireland are generally improving, thanks to the re-awakened energy of the people, especially young men."

"On the agrarian side things are becoming serious. In many counties the people are resorting to violence to prevent the letting of farms for grazing."

"I was surprised to find a wave of temperance sweeping over Ireland. Young men everywhere are preaching the moral cause of temperance on political ground. It is argued that the way to lift England is to stop increasing England's revenue from the sale of beer and whisky."

"Strong Drink Unpopular."

"This policy is certain to decrease the bank accounts of the largest Irish landlords who are brewers and distillers. It is now unpopular for young Irishmen to drink. Ireland today contains more extraordinary young men of intelligence and industry than I've seen in any other country. Ireland's salvation depends on her youth; that they will not fail her."

"Ireland's grievances are real. Misgovernment and landlordism are at the bottom of them. From 1871 to 1907 2,000,000 sturdy emigrants left Ireland. In 37 years the population has decreased 20 per cent, while England's population has increased in the same ratio. In 1871 there were 5,621,000 acres under cultivation. In 1906 only 4,727,000. Nearly 1,000,000 acres of land have gone out of cultivation in forty years. That is where the Irish shoe pinches."

"While it is becoming more difficult for people to get land, yet taxation is increasing and the population decreasing. In 1871 taxation in Ireland was \$35,000,000, and in 1906 it had increased to nearly \$50,000,000. The per capita taxation has nearly doubled in forty years."

WEYLER'S MEMOIRS DONE

The General Has Finished Story of His Rule in Cuba.

Madrid, Sept. 16.—Gen. Weyler has finished writing his memoirs of the time he was governor-general of Cuba, according to an announcement just issued.

Gen. Weyler was prominent in the Carlist war in Spain and in the Spanish war against the Moors in Africa. He was a great favorite with Valmaseda, who was his predecessor in the unenviable position of governor-general of Cuba—the Conservatives, Reformists and Autonomists. There were many stories of his extreme brutality as governor-general of Cuba, but these he denied.

A recent estimate of the population of Seoul gives the total at 199,305. In every ward but the north one the number of males exceeds that of females, but in that part of the city the number of males is given as 17,000, while the females are 90,000. This would seem to explain on any ordinary theory of population.

Seoul has no quarter set aside for the exclusive residence of females.

The Paris Temps reports that rails are now laid for 52 miles on the railway to the interior on the Ivory coast of Africa.



RED ROSE TEA

Advertiser Correspondence

Some Local Military History.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: I notice an item in a contemporary concerning the finding of a brass plate about three inches square, bearing the crest of the Eighty-first Regiment.

The writer of the article concluded by saying:

"The Eighty-first Regiment was not among those stationed in London in the sixties, and the most probable explanation would be that it was lost by some veteran who came to Canada after the battle of Waterloo."

London was a military garrison in the latter part of the 30's, and continued to be such up to the withdrawal of regular British troops preceding the Crimean war.

The Eighty-first Regiment succeeded the Twenty-third Royal Welsh Fusiliers in the London garrison in 1845. The plate found is what was called in those days a "breastplate."

It was used to clasp the crossbelts then worn, one carrying the bayonet or sword, the other the pouch. The plate joined them where they crossed on the soldier's breast.

That style of equipment was abandoned during the Crimean war.

H. G. Sarnia, Sept. 17, 1907.

Sunday Street Cars.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: The statement is made that nearly 5,000 have signed the petition in favor of Sunday street cars. So as to throw a little more light on the "Composite" of this vast army of much injured men and women, may I ask the promoters of the scheme to give to the public the total number of clergymen in the city who signed it, which can easily be selected from their lists, also, the number of elders, deacons and Sunday school teachers whose signatures appear there? Another question (very important in its bearings on the merits of the case) they might ask is: Where do the mechanics and workmen of this city (three-quarters of whom in summer have the Saturday afternoon to themselves), spend this half holiday, and why do they not take their wives and families on Saturday afternoon to Springbank, instead of trespassing on the Sabbath, a day the most precious heritage on earth that ever the workingman possessed, when his worn-out system needs all the rest and quiet that he can get, so as to recuperate from the toils of the week? Let these big-hearted philanthropists tell us also in what part of this rural city of ours does a workingman live where ten or fifteen minutes walk would not take him or his family to any of our beautiful parks or to country surroundings where plenty of fresh air, trees, water and all natural scenery can be found in profusion?

To read the empty and delusive vapors that regularly appear in your contemporary about the pent-up workman and his family in his stifling home, you would imagine that they lived in the slums of old London or New York, instead of one of the cleanest, healthiest cities to be found anywhere.

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All coupons must be in before Saturday next at noon, and any guesses received after that time will be ignored.

At the conclusion of the baseball contest the coupons will be sorted over, and the prize-winners will be announced in Monday evening's Advertiser.

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Sir Thomas Lipton's challenge was discussed today at the New York Yacht Club house, in West Forty-fourth street. Many members of the club expressed themselves in favor of granting Sir Thomas' request for a race with boats measured under the present rule, believing that to do so

would be for the best interest of the sport. They think, too, that in doing so the club would be complying with the spirit of the donors of the cup. But there were others who thought that the trophy stands only for speed on a given water-line lengths of a craft, and that no other restrictions should be placed on a cup yacht. They would be willing to have the challenger meet with a defender and race a boat for boat, without any other allowance considered. The home club could turn a freak that would be successful in light to moderate weather, and the challenger would have to send out a vessel that would be staunch enough to stand the buffeting of the Atlantic.

With two down Crawford hit a clear liner to the right of the clubbousness. It went tearing into the lumber pile in the new field and would have been an easy home run if it had not been for ground rules. Cobb responded with a two-bagger, a sharp drive over first. The Sox scored. By that time Smith was somewhat up in the air. His plain balk sent Cobb to third and the Georgian scored on Rossman's drive. Rossie stole second, but Downs was an easy out to Rohe.

In the sixth it became so dark it was hard to see the ball and the hitters got off Steve were more due to that than to the ability of the Sox batters.

ty-fourth Regiment A. A. at the armories. It is evident now that after the race at the island on Saturday the two cracker will meet indoors at Buffalo. The race on Saturday will be preceded by a football match between Shrubbs has challenged Davis, the Indian runner from Hamilton, to a matched race, at any distance names, for a side bet of \$500.

THE TURF.

YESTERDAY'S WINNERS.

At Gravesend—Momentum 4 to 1
 Halket even, First Premium even
 Jacobine even, Killcraunkle 5 to 1
 Pins and Needles 7 to 5.

Under the conditions Roseben would have to carry 130 pounds, while Combs would have to pack only 103 pounds.

Roseben likes the Belmont Park track, and it was there that he made his sprint record. If these two great sprinters were to come together in a match race, it would excite much interest among horsemen. Both horses have a host of admirers, and a match race would settle once and for all the question of supremacy between the two.

The most popular of the Cheviots — although called for.

We leave it to you to —and present a variety

effects are black and gray
Meltons are being much
to say which is your favorite
variety of colorings to please

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CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Hardy of Cherry street, Lang-ersoll, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Pratt, 462 Fall Mall street.

Mrs. George Brown (nee Court) will be at home to her friends the first and third Thursdays in the month.

The Misses M. and T. Palmer, of Grand avenue, left today for Santa to take a course of training at the General Hospital.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Currie, of The Manse, Belmont, will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage on the 25th of September. Their many friends wish them long life and prosperity.

To Appear Inspector.

No. 3 committee of the city council will meet tomorrow afternoon to discuss the matter of the appointment of a building inspector for London.

Gift to the Bishop.

Ald. S. Stevely, president of the board of trade, presented His Lordship Bishop Ingram with a splendidly bound volume of the board of trade pamphlet. His lordship appreciated the gift very much.

Charge of Theft.

John Jackson, a Granton bartender, appeared before Squire McComb yesterday and was committed for trial on a charge of stealing a revolver from Mr. G. E. Luckey, of Granton.

Kelly-Lawson.

A quiet wedding took place yesterday at 28 Euclid avenue, the residence of Mr. John Lawson, when his daughter, Margaret Safford Lawson, was united in marriage to Mr. Thomas Kelly, of Hamilton.

Death of Mrs. Norton.

Word has been received here of the death at Los Angeles, Cal., of Mrs. Mildred Anderson Norton, eldest daughter of Mr. Wm. Anderson Jewell, Iowa, and granddaughter of Mr. Duncan Anderson of Arva. Mrs. Norton visited London and vicinity some years ago and endeavored to learn to her friends who would regret to learn of her early death. Besides her young husband, she leaves her father, mother, and several brothers and sisters to mourn her sad loss.

Holden Anderson.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place on Tuesday afternoon at the residence of Mr. W. J. Anderson, 238 Ottawa avenue, when his eldest daughter, Sophia, was united in marriage to Mr. Edwin Holden, of Frankford, Penn. Rev. Jas. Livingstone officiated. The bride was prettily attired in white point d'esprit over white silk, and carried a shower bouquet of white roses and lily of the valley. She also wore the groom's gift of a gold bracelet with a design in pearls. After a dainty wedding breakfast, the happy couple left for Atlantic City, before taking up their residence in Frankford, Penn. The bride's going-away suit was of gray, with trimmings of black velvet.

JEWISH DAY OF ATONEMENT

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the temple of Jerusalem when the most magnificent ceremonial of the year was performed on the day of atonement. The central figure was the high priest, head of the whole ecclesiastical system of the theocracy. The supreme moment of the service was reached when the high priest stepped into the part of the temple designated as the Holy of Holies, permitted to be entered but once a year, and in his capacity as high priest performed a triple act of atonement by bringing sacrifice and burnt offerings, first for himself, then for his household, and thirdly for the whole congregation of Israel, and since the day of atonement survived the cessation of the sacrificial cult, in consequence of the destruction of the temple, other means of obtaining forgiveness have been resorted to. Accordingly the Rabbis of the talmud have declared that prayer and charity take the place of sacrifice and as vessels of gold or of glass, when broken can be restored by undergoing the process of melting, thus men after having sinned find their way of recovering a state of purity by repentance as a token of contrition and giving charity, for the works of benevolence have a toning power greater than those of sacrifice. The Hebrews all over the world celebrate the day of atonement with much devotion bearing a solemn and inspiring character marked with religious rites expressing thoughtful reflections.

NURSE, BRIDE AND WIDOW

One Woman's Unique Experience All Within a Few Hours.

New York, Sept. 18.—To have been a nurse, a bride, and a widow all within a few hours, is the unusual experience of Mrs. Alfred Adler, of this city. Mr. Adler was a wealthy Broadway glove manufacturer. He was taken with typhoid fever on his way back from a trip through Yellowstone Park with his fiancée, who was Miss Johanna M. D. Hartung, of this city, and a party of friends. On his being taken to Mount Sinai Hospital, Miss Hartung, to whom he had been engaged for eight years, became his nurse. He succumbed to the disease, but before his death he and Miss Hartung were married. The wedding took place at 6:30 o'clock in the morning, and he expired at 10 o'clock. For three nights previous to his death, Miss Hartung did not leave his bedside.

TREATY SIGNED.

The Hague, Sept. 18.—The general treaty of arbitration negotiated here by the delegates of Italy and Argentina to the peace conference, was signed in the Hall of Knights here today by the delegations of the two countries.

BISHOP INGRAM'S GUEST OF HONOR

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a room with a family in each corner and one in the middle, and that was the least crowded house he met.

This was an exaggeration, but it was not a rare thing to find a father and mother and six children crowded into one small room.

The Crowded East End.

The death rate was 52 per 1,000, while in ordinarily healthy parts of England the death rate was only 18 per 1,000. That matter was one of the causes of the great difficulties to be met with, and was one of the great problems that the church had to grapple with. "Imagine 1,000,000 entirely poor people, overworked, underfed, overcrowded people, and then do you wonder at the growth of Secularism?" he asked. "It was in this field that Secularists taught that there is no God, no heaven."

I used to go into Victoria Park and speak against them. They would allow me ten minutes and take three-quarters of an hour themselves.

"I thought this was poor fun so I got a position of my own near theirs, and then I had three quarters of an hour to speak against them. The result was that many men were won from Secularism, and 50 of these converted men presented me with a beautiful cabinet—their own work—designed by a Secularist rector who left the Secularist denomination, and became a believer in the Lord Jesus Christ. The population, the traffic—I cannot tell you about them."

Now we turn to Canada. I was struck with the new hopes, the new state that was in front of you Canadians. You are but a small people today, but the time was coming when there would be 100,000,000 people in Canada. The great cheerfulness and optimism of the people of this country was a great lesson to him. There was no poverty here.

"I beheld with delight," he said, "the model workingmen's homes. With fresh air and good grounds, there was no need of a model for the other or shallow Socialism in this country."

"I almost envy you in your new London with your splendid circumstances and your future. Yet, for all, your problems are not unlike our own. You have to assimilate a great foreign population. You have room to do that. Old London's population is increasing 100,000 a year, and they are being jammed into a sardine box, where there is scarce room to go. In Canada you have plenty of room. There are 42 languages spoken here now, and it will take some prayerful thought to weld those nations into a loyal country."

Must Be Kept Pure.

"The municipal and political life must be kept pure, and men should not be in public life unless they can get out of it. We in England have many things to learn from Canada, but the purity of our municipal and political life is a pattern that will yet show the whole world something. The currents of public life should be kept pure and strong, and the bitter rancor of public life should be eliminated."

His lordship traced the growth of the work done in England. There it was attempted to solve the problem of rich and poor. In some localities model workingmen's homes were erected side by side with the homes of rich men, and the great classes of society were learning to live together as one people. As one writer said, the rich should not live in one quarter and the poor in the other. There should not be a place for those who eat jam, and another for those who eat bread.

He thought that the Gospel of Jesus Christ was the only solution of the problems of a nation, and it should be the life of men.

Rev. Dr. Ross, of Rev. James Livingstone, seconded, in eloquent tributes to the worth of Bishop Ingram, a hearty vote of thanks to his lordship. It was carried with great enthusiasm.

Those Present.

Amongst those present were the following: Charles Jenkins, Rev. Canon Brown, Archdeacon Richardson, Archdeacon Mackenzie, F. A. P. Chadwick, T. J. Murphy, John Ransford, Professor W. J. Patterson, J. H. Black, W. C. Fitzgerald, H. B. Elliott, Edward Weld, W. F. Cockshutt, M. P., W. C. Furness, L. Gibson, John C. Butler, R. V. McDonald, L. J. Walker, M. W. Rossie, R. M. Burns, Walter Bartlett, C. B. Edwards, C. E. German, C. W. McGuire, F. Temple, Wm. Ward, E. J. MacRobert, C. B. Chapman, Rev. D. S. Hamilton, E. R. Wilson, C. R. Somerville, W. T. J. Ross, Rev. James Rolfe, Rev. G. B. Lane, James Macdougall, Wm. Wyatt, R. McDermid, Stephen Grant, Rev. R. S. W. Howard, W. G. R. Bartman, George Hodge, Hadley Williams, F. L. Burdon, S. Baker, Dr. D. L. McCrae, Dean Davis, Matthew Wilson, Thomas Coffey, J. M. Young, A. Parfitt, Vivian Reeve, John A. Nelles, Arthur White, George C. Phelps, Victor Gibson, J. D. Omond, Fred C. Wright, Walter G. Wright, W. D. I. Wright, H. E. Gates, George T. Brown, Dr. Woodward, Charles White, C. O. Ermatinger, Thomas Blakeney, George Jackson, John Loughlin, A. A. Campbell, H. S. Blackburn, W. H. Chittick, E. W. M. Flock, Lieut.-Col. Fred Macquenn (Woodstock, Ont.), C. O. Whitman, F. E. Perrin, John S. Moore, M. P. McDonagh, C. W. Belton, Cameron Brown.

LIPTON'S CHALLENGE.

Dublin, Sept. 18.—It is believed that the conditions of Sir Thomas Lipton's challenge for the America cup, sent to the New York Yacht Club on the steamer Umbria, involve racing under the new American rating and rules. If the new conditions are accepted Sir Thomas will build two boats. One is to be designed by William Fife, but the designer of the second has not yet been chosen. Milne may be selected, but the biggest boat this designer has yet built does not exceed 45 feet in length, and the new boats are to be about 82 feet long, according to the international rating rules. Experienced yachtsmen here believe that under the conditions suggested Sir Thomas' chances are excellent.

"SECOND STORY" THE LATEST HAT

Milliners in Convention in Chicago Exhibit Some of Latest Designs.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 17.—Enter the "second-story" or "flat building" hat—Dame Fashion's latest decree for the adornment of the eternal feminine. It does not surprise, but is rather a variation of the "mushroom" shape that came into vogue last spring, and its outlines have caused some milliners to dub it the "double mushroom."

The pioneers of the "second-story" hat were on display at the semi-annual convention of the National Milliners' Association, which opened yesterday in the drill hall of the Masonic Temple. Each had superstructures, or hurricane decks, of imposing height placed upon the brim. One had a faint resemblance to a captive balloon while another suggested a volcano peak towering above a flat island.

Useful and Ornamental.

It was suggested by Madame Hunt, president of the association, that the capricious second-stories might be put to some practical as well as ornamental function, for women are on the march to economical in small matters to let such a vast area of storage room go to waste.

The madame thought the idea feasible, so it is probable that the "second-story" hat will supply woman's long-felt want—a pocket in her full-dress attire.

Powder bags, handkerchiefs, make-up boxes, purses, and shopping lists might easily be tucked away in the upper compartment of a "flat building" bonnet. Thus the hands would be left free to carry home from bargain counters many more packages than are now possible, even to women of the wide gray.

Mme. Hunt agreed that the new hat opened up possibilities almost unlimited. For instance, it will be much easier to carry a roll of bills in a "flat building" hat than in the location at present most favored by the gentler sex. Dealers in leather goods are troubling lest the "second-story" hat should sound the knell of the hand bag.

Two Others Show Designs.

Mrs. Edward Francis Keefe, of Denver, and Mrs. M. H. Allen, of Chicago, were among the exhibitors of the "second-story" millinery. Mme. Hunt declared that the creations stamped the makers as true artists.

Speaking technically upon the "second-story" and other large hats for the fall, Mme. Hunt said:

"They are very appropriate and becoming for a small and picturesque face, but are only suited to this style of beauty. They are not practical for street wear, and are unsuitable for utility hats, and they are of no place upon a crowd of the thoroughfare. Few can afford to wear these extremes, because they call for display of feathers and trimmings beyond the reach of limited means."

The convention will continue today and tomorrow.

BOOM IN WARSHIPS MAKES BRITONS HAPPY

London, Sept. 18.—British shipbuilders are experiencing quite a boom in contracts for warships.

Brazil has recently given contracts to Messrs. Armstrong, Whitworth & Co., and Messrs. Vickers, Sons & Maxim for the building of three battleships and two cruisers.

Japan has ordered two submarines of the Holland type from Messrs. Vickers, and the Argentine Government two powerful cruisers from Messrs. Armstrong.

The Vickers Company has also secured an order for two battleships for China, which country is also in the market for twenty shallow-draught gunboats for patrol service on the Yangtze Kiang, the announcement being made that tenders from British firms will receive favorable consideration.

Tenders are also out for the 33-knot destroyers, provision for which has been made in this year's naval estimates, and shipbuilders on the Admiralty list have just been asked to tender for the construction of the torpedo boats which are to form the basis of the new Australian navy, but as a hitch has occurred in the negotiations there will probably be some delay in placing them.

FOR LIFE OR FREEDOM

Russ Refugees Jump Overboard To Escape Military Service.

Cardiff, Sept. 18.—The Greek steamer Euterpeia Coups arrived at Cardiff a few days ago with two young Russians on board, who had been picked up at 5 o'clock that morning in the sea off Start Point.

Each of the rescued men floated in the water by the aid of a life belt, and they were both in a very exhausted state. None on board the Greek vessel could understand the men's language, and the rescuers naturally came to the conclusion that a wreck had occurred. But on arrival at Cardiff interpreters were found, and it transpired that the men were stowaways, who had jumped from the Russian steamer Alconce, on a voyage from Libau to Rotterdam.

They had sought this means of escaping Russian military service. They had been discovered on the Alconce. They were told that they would be taken to Rotterdam, and from there sent back to Russia. The terrified fugitives preferred to risk their lives in the sea in the hope of being picked up by passing craft. They had been tossed about in the sea for some hours when rescued, and could not have survived much longer.

But in spite of all they went through for the sake of freedom they are not likely to find safety under the British flag. The intention of the local authorities, so far as could be determined, is to hand them over to the Russian consul.

A keen agitation in their behalf is likely to arise to prevent this step.

PLATON ARRIVES.

New York, Sept. 18.—Archbishop Platon, the new head of the Orthodox Russian Church, of North America, who comes to succeed Archbishop Tikhon, arrived today on the steamer Moskva from Libau and Rotterdam.

SHREWD GAME OF DIPLOMACY

French-German Transactions Regarding Morocco Have Many Esoteric Turns.

London, Sept. 18.—For those who are interested to know how the game of diplomacy is played there is a striking object lesson in the attempt now being made to secure the agreement of the European powers on a policy for dealing with the Morocco crisis.

It is obvious to anybody that the limited powers given to France and Spain by the Algeiras agreement to police the coast towns without any interference with the sovereignty of the Sultan are utterly inadequate for meeting the present emergency.

It is clear to the meaneast intelligence that expensive military action is necessary to suppress anarchy and restore some semblance of order. It seems simple enough to obtain general consent to the adoption of these measures under proper restrictions and guarantees. The need of prompt action is pressing because the season of bad weather is close at hand and as soon as the storms come the warships which are anchored off Casablanca and other points must leave for the harbors exist in name only.

Do Not Fear Land Forces.

That is the opportunity for which the fanatical Moors are waiting. They know that the powers within the range of the ships' guns, but they have little to fear from the small land forces located at most of the coast towns.

France and Spain, after consulting with Great Britain, soon agreed that the only thing to be done was to send a sufficient force to each town to hold it against attack without the use of warships. This plan was then submitted to Germany for approval, her consent being the only point in doubt. Now diplomacy never gives anything for nothing. That, at least, is one of the first principles of the game as played in the old world.

Germany's answer was very disappointing to France. It was not a refusal. There was indeed full approval of the proposed policy provided the situation was as represented. But Germany seriously questioned the French plans, quelling her consul at Tangier, and other authorities, that serious danger did exist. Now Germany is on better terms with France today than at any moment since the war of 1870.

Wants All She Can Get.

Moreover, she wants to make her relations still more friendly. She has other important negotiations pending with Paris, and she particularly desires to have her funds dealt in on the Paris bourse. She also wants French assistance in certain Persian loans and in building the Bagdad Railway.

Why then should she be willing, apparently, to risk a massacre this winter in Morocco, and also to offend France by her recalcitrant attitude? Really she has no intention of doing either. She is perfectly willing that France shall have a free hand in Morocco. She is simply trying to get the most she can out of the cards she holds.

Under these circumstances, and when other points pending between the two governments have been quietly talked over, it may be expected that Germany will gracefully give way, France will get what she wants, Germany will have gained a point or two in her diplomatics, and everybody will be happy. Such is diplomacy up to date.

TOO MUCH COMPETITION AMONG THE RAILWAYS

Lord Brassey Advocates State Ownership of Railway Systems.

Liverpool, Sept. 18.—Presiding at a meeting of the Associated Chamber of Commerce here today, Lord Brassey appeared in a new role, that of an advocate of the state ownership of railroads. He referred to the growing demand that the railroads should be managed solely in the interests of the public service and not for the benefit of the shareholders, and declared that if a change of policy was seriously proposed there could hardly be a doubt that it would receive the support of Parliament. In continental Europe, he added, where the railroads were the property of the state the requirements of the public were fully met, and the results to the treasury were satisfactory, while in Great Britain competition was carried to excess, an immense amount of capital was wasted, shippers were dissatisfied with the burdensome rates and the employees were discontented with their wages and hours of labor.

ARRIVED IN A BALLOON

Frenchman Makes First Step Toward Domestication of the Airship.

Paris, Sept. 18.—A few years ago a New York artist who was credited with being old-fashioned and unprogressive used to look out of his studio window, below Fifty-third street, and say that it would be only nine years before they would see people stepped out of windows into airships to make calls. France at any rate will fulfill the prophecy soon at the rate of progress she is making.

Perhaps not the most spectacular, but certainly the most earnest, step made in the direction of the domestication of the airship was by M. Deutsch de la Meitheid, who invited a number of his friends to hunt on his estate. He fixed the rendezvous and said he would arrive there by balloon.

The guests assembled at the appointed hour, and saw a balloon approaching. When it arrived over the rendezvous it descended easily, and M. Deutsch, attired in hunting costume, dismounted. The balloon, in charge of his engineers, then ascended amid enthusiastic acclamations.

Some time later word came to the hunt that M. Deutsch's airship had returned safely to his point of original departure.

WOULD ABROGATE TREATY

Trades Congress Takes Definite Stand as to Asiatic Immigration.

Winnipeg, Sept. 17.—The Trades and Labor Congress today passed a resolution calling upon the Governments of Canada and Great Britain to abrogate the treaty at present in force between Great Britain and Japan, and which permits the residence without restriction of Japanese on British territory. The resolution passed unanimously.

NEW SECRETARY OF LORD'S DAY ALLIANCE

Rev. W. G. Hanna, Mount Forest, Succeeds Rev. Mr. Moore.

Toronto, Sept. 17.—The Rev. W. G. Hanna, of Mount Forest, has been appointed to succeed the Rev. T. Albert Moore as secretary for the Ontario Lord's Day Alliance. Mr. Moore having been appointed general secretary.

Mr. Hanna is looked upon as one of the best and ablest of Canada's Presbyterian preachers. He is a native of Huron County. He was educated at Princeton and has been stationed at Tara, Uxbridge and Mount Forest. At the latter place he has been pastor for eight years and his congregation there hold him in the highest possible regard, and lose him with regret.

FIRST FOOTBALL ACCIDENT

Byron Simmons Kicked in the Face at Practice Game.

The first football accident of the year locally occurred last night when Byron Simmons, of South London, received a severe kick in the face while playing a game of the old style scrum game rugby in the lecture room of the Southern Congregational Church. Simmons was playing with a number of other young men, when in a mixup he was accidentally kicked over the eye. Dr. H. A. Stevenson attended the injured young man, and placed four stitches in the wound, which was several inches long.

THE CRAZE TO GET THIN

Eminent English Physician Denounces the Prevalent Fad.

London, Sept. 18.—Sir James Crichton-Browne, in delivering the presidential address at the annual meeting of the Sanitary Inspectors' Association at Llandudno, referred to the English meat supply, and urged the abolition of private slaughter houses and the providing of abattoirs and a central office for market inspection. Then people no longer would find Christmas beef absolutely filled with generalized tuberculosis. He added:

"If Chicago has its jungle, London has its dismal swamp."

In another part of his address the eminent physician denounced what he described as the prevalent craze for getting thin. On all hands, he said, the cry is that we eat too much.

HAMILTON INCREASE OF 4,000 IN POPULATION

Assessment Goes Up \$2,000,000—Not So Much Ahead of London's Figures.

The Hamilton Times says: An increase of over 4,000 in population and nearly \$2,000,000 in assessment is what officials of the department hint will be shown when the returns are made public next month. This would give Hamilton a population of over 65,000. There are a good many citizens who are quite confident it exceeds 70,000. The big surprise this year, though, is promised in the assessment increase, resulting, it is said from the statements frequently made that for years a great deal of property has not been assessed.

It will be a general increase this year of 10 per cent. This will not apply to as high as it should have been. The property below the bridge, which, it is stated, has not increased in value in proportion to other districts, or to that portion west of Locke and below Cannon street. In the central districts, however, the increase will be felt. The assessment department is working overtime to get the tolls completed within the limit specified. The London figures, which have been completed, show an increase of about 3,000 in population and a million and a quarter on the assessment.

AGRARIAN TROUBLES.

Rome, Sept. 18.—Agrarian troubles have broken out again in Southern Italy. The troops present are insufficient to cope with the rioters, who already have done much damage. There have been frequent conflicts among the strikers, the non-strikers and the troops, in which the soldiers have used their bayonets freely.

Tiverton has the oldest waterworks in any English town. They were made by Amleth, Countess of Devon, in 1240, and presented to the town. The water is brought from a distance of five miles.

Catarrh

Whether it is of the nose, throat, stomach, bowels, or more delicate organs, catarrh is always debilitating and should never fall of attention.

It is a discharge from the mucous membrane when kept in a state of inflammation by an impure, commonly scrofulous, condition of the blood.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Cures all forms of catarrh, radically and permanently—it removes the cause and overcomes all the effects. Get Hood's.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

From	Reported at	From	Reported at
Roanoke	New York	Marseilles	New York
Grosvenor	New York	Bremen	New York
Europe	New York	Genoa	New York
Kaiser Wilhelm	New York	Bremen	New York
der Grosse	New York	Antwerp	New York
Heligoland	New York	Copenhagen	New York
Roma	New York	Naples	New York
Calcutta	New York	Bombay	New York
Numidian	Glasgow	Boston	New York
Patrician	Plymouth	New York	New York
C. P. Teigen	Copenhagen	New York	New York
Scotonia	New York	New York	New York
Kronland	Antwerp	New York	New York
Konig Albert	Gibraltar	New York	New York
Genoa	New York	New York	New York
Cagonia	New York	Liverpool	New York

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

Reported by C. N. Spencer, Stockbroker, Market Lane, for The Advertiser.

Month	High	Low	Close
September	95	94	94
October	99	98	98
November	105	104	104
December	105	104	104

STOCK MARKETS.

H. C. Becker, stockbroker, received the following by private wire from Bartlett, Frazier & Carrington, today:

New York, Sept. 18.—Renewed heavy buying of Northern Pacific imparted a strong tone to the rest of the market, good advances being scored in U. P., A. C. P., Reading and Smelters.

A setback was encountered when Steel Common declined on heavy selling by a house which is credited with doing business for insiders. It has been noticeable that Steel Common has been heavy for some days, and that although the borrowing demand for it has diminished materially, there have been no evidence of shorts covering.

Monday the stock went flat and at a slight premium, whereas today it was freely offered at 1 1/2 and 2 per cent. Easier strongly entertained that next dividend on Northern Pacific will reflect the increased dividend which was declared on Chicago, Burlington and Quincy. One assertion that an extra dividend of substantial proportions will be declared. Call money has been loaned at 4 per cent, and the borrowing demand seems to be larger than it was at the end of last week. Sales to noon, 262,000.

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TORONTO.

Toronto, Sept. 18.—The market was firm today, on a parity with Winnipeg. Deliveries of grain are small. Flour prices are higher. Prices range as follows:

Wheat—Manitoba steady; No. 1 northern, 81¢; No. 2 northern, 80¢; Ontario, 80¢; No. 3 white or red, 79¢; No. 4 white or red, 78¢; No. 5 white or red, 77¢; No. 6 white or red, 76¢; No. 7 white or red, 75¢; No. 8 white or red, 74¢; No. 9 white or red, 73¢; No. 10 white or red, 72¢; No. 11 white or red, 71¢; No. 12 white or red, 70¢; No. 13 white or red, 69¢; No. 14 white or red, 68¢; No. 15 white or red, 67¢; No. 16 white or red, 66¢; No. 17 white or red, 65¢; No. 18 white or red, 64¢; No. 19 white or red, 63¢;

LOCAL MARKET.

London, Wednesday, Sept. 18.
Hay sold yesterday, today being 23 loads offered, and were disposed of as soon as weighed; prices were firm, at \$15 to \$16 per ton.
Straw sold at \$6.50 per ton.
One load of new oats were offered, which sold at \$1.47 per cwt.

WEEKLY REVIEW.

Owing to the Western Fair, which was held last week, the attendance of farmers and the amount of business transacted was not up to the average. Prices as a rule were firm in nearly every line.
Grain—Oats not coming in very plentifully, and prices as a result are higher, at \$1.46 to \$1.49 for new oats and \$1.32 per cwt for old oats. Wheat is firm at \$2.00 per bu.

Hay and Straw—Hay is firm, as the amount offered is not sufficient for the demand; sales are made at \$15 to \$16 per ton. Straw sells at \$6 and \$6.50 per ton.
Butter and Eggs—Butter is firm, the quantity offered being hardly sufficient for the demand; sales are made at 22c to 23c for choice crocks and 23c for pound rolls, in basket lots; creamery butter is scarce, at 25c to 26c per lb wholesale. Eggs are higher in price than a week ago, at 15c to 15c per dozen wholesale for crates and basket lots.

Potatoes—The demand is fair, at 50c to \$1.10 per bag; most of the sales are made at \$1 per bag.

Apples—Sales are slow, the quality being below the standard, at 50c to \$1 per bu.
Poultry—The dealers are offering 10c per lb for spring chickens, suitable for broiling, and 12c per lb dressed; turkeys are held at 12c dressed and 12c alive; old fowl are lower, at 6c alive and 6c dressed; ducks, 8c per lb alive and 9c dressed.

Dressed Hogs—The supply is exceedingly tight; prices are firm, at \$8.50 to \$8.75 per cwt.

Live Hogs—The prices for next Monday's shipment will be about the same as a week ago, namely, \$6 per cwt for select and \$4.50 for fat sows; small pigs sell at \$5 to \$7 per pair.
Carcasses—Meat—Beef is selling at \$4 to \$6 per cwt; lamb, 12c to 13c per lb by the butcher; veal, \$2 to \$3 per cwt; mutton, \$7 to \$9.

DAIRY MARKET.

SIMCOE.

Simcoe, Ont., Sept. 17.—At the meeting of the cheese board today 15 factories bore out, 1,445 cwt of cheese; sales, 400 at 12 1/2c; bids of 12 1/2c and 12 3/4c.

CAMPBELLFORD.

Campbellford, Ont., Sept. 17.—Nine hundred and twenty cheese offered; sales, Alexander 28c, 12c; balance refused.

OIL MARKETS.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., Sept. 17.—Credit balances, \$1.78.

COTTON MARKET.

NEW YORK.

New York, Sept. 17.—Cotton—Spot closed quiet, 5 points higher; middling uplands, 12.50; middling low, 12.35; sales, 100 bales. Futures closed steady. Closing bids: September, 11.02; October, 11.09; November, 11.15; December, 11.22; January, 11.29; February, 11.34; March, 11.39; April, 11.44; May, 11.48; June, 11.50; July, 11.54.

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STOCK MARKETS.

MONTREAL.

Canadian Pacific	165 1/2	165 1/2	165 1/2
Dominion	65 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
Dom. Steel	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Dom. Steel, pfd.	57 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2
Halifax Railway	100	95 1/2	95 1/2
Havana Electric	100	95 1/2	95 1/2
Havana, pfd.	77	77	77
Illinois, pfd.	82	82	82 1/2
Woods, com.	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
Woods, pfd.	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
W. Paper, pfd.	104	104	104
Mackay, com.	65	63 1/2	63 1/2
Mackay, pfd.	65	63 1/2	63 1/2
Mexican L. & P.	43 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Min. & S. P.	103	98 1/2	98 1/2
Montreal Power	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Montreal Railway	183 1/2	183 1/2	183 1/2
N. S. Steel & Coal	66 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
N. S. Steel, pfd.	110	111	111
R. & O. Navigation	66	65	65
Rio Janeiro Tram.	43 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Sao Paulo Tram.	111 1/2	111 1/2	111 1/2
Toledo Railway	19 1/2	21	21
Toronto Railway	101	99 1/2	99 1/2
Tri-City, pfd.	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
Shawinigan	160	160	160
East. Town. Bank	160	160	160
Merchants' Bank	161	161	161
Bank of Montreal	237 1/2	237 1/2	237 1/2
Royal Bank	230	225 1/2	225 1/2
Bank of Toronto	212 1/2	212 1/2	212 1/2
Union Bank	138	138	138
Textile, pfd.	85	85	85
Montreal Cotton	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
Bell Telephone, bds.	106 1/2	106 1/2	106 1/2
Dom. Cotton, bds.	91	92	92
Dom. Steel, bonds	75	73 1/2	73 1/2
Mex. Electric, bds.	72	71 1/2	71 1/2
Mex. Power, bds.	72	71 1/2	71 1/2
Price, bonds	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2
Rio, bonds	73	72 1/2	72 1/2
Sao Paulo, bonds	93 1/2	92	92
Textile bonds, A	85	85	85
Textile bonds, B	85	85	85
Textile bonds, C	85	85	85

Afternoon Sales: Montreal railway, 25 at 187 1/2, 50 at 187, 25 at 186; Toledo railway, 50 at 195, 50 at 20; Toronto railway, 10 at 100, 11 at 99 1/2, 29 at 99 1/2; Power, 6 at 92 1/2, 25 at 92 1/2, 10 at 92 1/2, 25 at 92 1/2; MacKay, preferred, 30 at 64, Woods, common, 10 at 65, 15 at 64, preferred, 15 at 64 1/2; Iron, common, 10 at 22 1/2, 5 at 23, 25 at 22 1/2, 100 at 22 1/2, 4 at 23 1/2, 125 at 23 1/2, do, preferred, 50 at 37, Woods, bonds, 1,000 at 105; Iron, bonds, 1,000 at 74; Bank of Montreal, 45 at 237.

TORONTO.

Canadian Pacific	166 1/2	166 1/2	166 1/2
St. Catharines	75	75	75
Rio Janeiro	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Sao Paulo Tram.	114	113	113
Toronto Railway	101	99	99
Twin City Railway	91	90 1/2	90 1/2
Winnipeg Railway	130	130	130
St. Lawrence Navigation	127	127	127
Northern Nav.	90	90	90
Bell Telephone	127	127	127
General Electric	112	112	112
City Dairy, com.	37	37	37
City Dairy, pfd.	90	90	90
Consumers' Gas	126	126	126
Dom. Coal, com.	44	40	40
Dom. Steel, com.	24	22	22
Dom. Telegraph	112	112	112
Woods, com.	79	79	79
Mackay, pfd.	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
Mexican L. & P.	43	43	43
N. S. Steel, com.	67	66 1/2	66 1/2
Bank of Commerce	160	161	161
Union Bank	238 1/2	238 1/2	238 1/2
Bank of Montreal	217	217	217
Mexico Bank	205	205	205
Bank of Montreal	205	205	205

THE SULTAN WARS
IN ODD FASHION

Over a Hundred Women of the Imperial Harem Travel With Army.

London, Sept. 17.—It is little wonder the French laughed when the Moorish Sultan, Moulay Abd-el-Aziz XIV., begged them to leave to him the chastizing of the tribesmen, outside Casablanca. For his Sheregan majesty's military methods, while unquestionably magnificent, are decidedly not war. For one thing, money has been lacking. Today all that is available, far from the imperial treasury is whatever may be left for the customs revenue after the French have taken their 60 per cent. And even such remnant is in large measure stolen by the native administrators in all the ports between Tangier and Mogador.

Formerly when the Moorish Sultan needed money he merely sent his demands to all his khalids or provincial governors, from the Rif coast to the mysterious and little known Soos country in the Great Atlas. Of late years the Sultan's tax gathering has been the simple, rather than the harvest, from returning with their booty, and indeed have never come back, and those who followed in their footsteps were shocked to behold their heads above the great gates of tribal castles in the hills.

Clearly, then, the Sultan is obliged to go to the army often to chastise rebellious tribes. And since the imperial army is a mere rabble of adventurers, that live by looting, a call for volunteers is the first step in the formation of a mahalla or expeditionary force.

Feudal System in Vogue.

Each feudal lord is required to furnish so many hundred horsemen, and as a result perhaps 40,000 warriors of all grades are assembled in a vast tented camp on the hills outside the walls of Fez. Among them you will find tribes that bear deadly animosity toward each other, and yet are sent for the moment to sink private quarrels in view of the loot to come when castles, villages and even walled cities shall be sacked by the Lord of the World. The strange thing is the absence of any "Hassid" of the devil," says the Moorish proverb. Two years ago, when Morocco's finances were in a desperate state, and a swift move on the Bahama rebels was imperatively necessary, Abd el Aziz waived fully two months' pay to witness the arrival from Constantinople of some Circassian ladies he had bought for his harem at a figure approaching \$15,000.

The moral effect exerted by the mere idea of the Sultan of the warpath is supposed to strike terror into the fierce, lawless tribes that make up the bulk of the troubled empire. But the days when this was so have passed away. Today the tribes are armed with modern weapons, and the mandate of the Maghzen, or cabinet, goes little further than the walls of Fez.

For this reason a serious rebellion or intertribal fight may last for months before the Sultan's army can be sent to restore order. That army is supposed to have a sprinkling of French, Italian and Spanish officers under Kaid Sir Harry Maclean, but these are quite helpless in the face of the lawless hordes nominally under their command.

Years ago batteries of quick-firing guns were ordered by the Sultan's British commander-in-chief from Krupp's and Armstrong's. These weapons have been described as "the Sultan's" and are in a museum. The small machine guns and fifteen-pounders are hopelessly rusty, and their breeches jammed. The only object in taking them along at all is that the Sultan's harem ladies are seen well and securely guarded by the moral force of the Sultan's army.

Magnificent, indeed, is the sight when the thousands of tents are struck and packed upon camels and mules, and the army moves forward—by easy stages, but it is understood, perhaps ten miles a day, with long halts for rest and prayer.

is the Sultan's comfort which must be considered rather than the expeditions success.

Harem in the Field.

Over a hundred ladies of the imperial harem travel with the army. When camp is struck the chief eunuchs are seen well ahead, mounted and driving a flock of mules, on each of which is balanced an easily a shapless bundle of snow-white wool and silk. These are the ladies of Moulay Abd el Aziz, and not a man of the mahalla may mount until they are an hour or two ahead.

But if this be absurd, the arrangements at the next halting place are more so. First of all high dignitaries seek for a likely site for the imperial tent, and in the Bible, it must be a high place, while the rest camp in the valley below.

The hill found, the next point is to locate the camels and mules bearing different sections of the vast white canvas koubur, or imperial pavilion. To find these beasts and unpack them is a matter of some hours.

Meanwhile dozens of tribal princes and high court officials have gathered around, each anxious for the honor of halting on the tent ropes of the Sultan's temporary abode. And however long the construction of this may take, not a soul in the entire army may attempt to pitch camp until, with cries of joy and reverence, the big golden knob surmounting the central pole of the koubur is reared on high.

The Sultan's private camp is a village of big canvas structures, the whole surrounded by a fine-foot wall of the same material. And it is a dead-end approach, whether through ignorance or mere coquetry. On a hill close by are pitched the tents of cabinet officers, the secretaries and such Europeans as march with the army.

All settle down as though on a pleasure trip. Even the most despairing appeals for aid from a beleaguered city full of loyal subjects are disregarded or waved aside with a placid "Wait and see how we shall eat the dogs when we cast our nets about them."

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STRATHROY UNION FAIR
UP TO HIGH STANDARD

Annual Exhibition Brings Out Fine Showing Along Most Lines—Results of Speeding Contests.

[By Our Own Reporter.]

Bad roads had no terrors for the farmers of Westminster, Adelaide, Lobo and Metcalfe Townships yesterday and they swarmed to the Strathroy Union Fair in groups that made glad the heart of the fair directors, who feared that the bad weather of the preceding night would have a deterrent effect on intending visitors.

No novelties were noted at the exhibition, but that fact seemed to bother the large crowd not at all. As one farmer who has attended the Union Fair since he was a youngster, remarked, "When people come out to Strathroy at fair time they expect to have a good time, and they are never disappointed."

The exhibits in Crystal Palace, where the fine arts, ladies' work, and domestic manufacturing products were shown, were away above par.

Fine Exhibition of Sheep.

In the live stock department, too, noticeable improvement was marked over exhibits of previous years, and especially in reference to the sheep exhibits. Not only was the exhibit larger but the quality was better.

The quality of horses shown was fairly good, but the number of entries was rather low, while the poultry exhibit was almost a complete failure. In reference to the poultry, however, it must be stated that at least three very prominent exhibitors of previous years, Messrs. J. Bogue, G. Bogue and W. G. Murray, all of Strathroy, were missing quantities.

These gentlemen have at diverse times shown at such places as Washington, D. C., and Philadelphia, Pa., and it can be readily realized that their absence would make a considerable vacancy in a show the size of the Strathroy affair.

Few Swine Shown.

The exhibits of hogs were the scantiest in years, and the directors of the fair are of the opinion that in time there will be no prizes offered at all for swine. The chief reason for the apparent apathy on the part of former exhibitors in that line is said to be the high prices offered on the markets nowadays for pigs six and seven months old. In other words it pays better to market the hogs than to hold them over for exhibition purposes.

Horses and Cattle.

Among the chief exhibitors of horses and cattle were John Stewart, & Son, Springbank P. O.; Thomas Steadman, Wyoming; Thomas Bogue & Sons, Strathroy; Alex. K. Campbell, Strathroy; Oscar Watt, Kerwood; McCugan Bros., of Poplar Hill; D. A. Graham, Ivan; T. Douglas & Sons, Strathroy; A. M. Campbell, Komoka; Sheep & P. Morgan & Son, Kerwood; Duncan Campbell, Strathroy; J. G. Clarke, Burwell Road; William Stonehouse, Wyoming; James McEwen, Kerch; Wm. A. Bryant, Kairn; Downer, Knapperton; Hugh McLean, Wyoming; D. A. Graham, Vanstead; Forest & N. Dymont, Clappison; W. Bolley, Knapperton; Frank Inch, Kerwood; Wm. Bryant, Kairn; and Oscar Watt, Kerwood.

Speeding Contests.

The horse races attracted a great deal of attention and a large number of prominent horsemen were on hand to witness the sport. Among those noted from London and other places were: Messrs. Geo. McCormick, R. J. Wood, Jas. McCartney, Geo. McCartney and Wm. Collins, of London; Dr. Routledge, of Lambeth; A. S. Turner of Toronto; R. J. Paisley, of Kairn; W. Pringley, of Strathroy; K. Lucas, and Justin Hare, of Middlemeads.

But one accident marred the sport of the day, and that did not result seriously, although for a moment it looked as though one or more people were going to meet their death or be badly hurt.

It was in the second heat of the 2:30 trot that the accident took place. Bella Mac, driven by George McCartney, of London, and Della K. F. J. Paisley's fast mare, collided on the turn coming into the stretch on the last lap of the second heat, and the latter horse went down. McCartney's horse going right over the top of her, and almost turning a complete somersault.

JURY BLAMES THE TRAIN CREW

Verdict Over a Victim of the Fatal Wreck at Caledon.

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"We find that the wreck was caused by criminal negligence of the said George Hodge and Mathew Grimes. It is our opinion that the C. P. R. is to blame for putting incompetent and inexperienced men in charge of a passenger train running on such a dangerous piece of road."

The above was the verdict of the coroner's jury today into the death of Richard Bell, one of the victims of the Caledon wreck.

Mr. Jamieson's Remains Found Near Bad River

The Last Act of Sad Tragedy of the North Woods.

Parry Sound, Sept. 17.—A tug arrived here today from French River, bringing the news of the finding of the body of Cyril Reginald Jamieson, the brilliant young Presbyterian missionary, who was drowned in the Bad River on Saturday, Sept. 7.

From the news received, it is known that on Saturday morning Mr. and Mrs. Jamieson and a lady visitor who was staying with them, started out from French River village in a motor boat, intending to make the circuit of the two rivers and return home the same evening. The Bad River is one of the off-shoots of the main French River, and empties into Georgian Bay some miles west of the main river.

By ascending a rapid just above the village, and sailing around a large island, the head of the Bad River is reached, then down this river, some distance is another rapid, very difficult to navigate. Reaching this rapid, Mr. Jamieson put his wife and his lady friend ashore and attempted to run the rapid with the launch, which turned broadside to the current (and rolled over. Mr. Jamieson clung to the boat, and tried to guide it to the foot of the rapid, but it broke from him and was dashed to pieces against a rock.

Mr. Jamieson reached shore and joined the ladies, where they remained without food or shelter until about 10 a.m. Monday, or a little later, when Mr. Jamieson decided to leave the ladies and swim ashore to seek aid. The ladies were found about 11 o'clock Monday, a short time after Mr. Jamieson left them, but the most careful search failed to discover any traces of Mr. Jamieson until his body was found on Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Jamieson, father of the deceased, passed through here today on his way to French River to bring the body of his son home.

TERRIBLE TOLL OF BIG STORM

Many Barns and Crops Destroyed in the Vicinity of Strathroy.

Strathroy, Sept. 18.—The terrific electrical storm which swept through this vicinity Monday night left a trail of disaster and ruin in its flight. No less than seven fine barns were struck by lightning and totally destroyed, while in North Elfrida a valuable horse was struck by a bolt and instantly killed.

One of those who suffered most by the ravages of the storm was Mr. Neil Galbraith, former warden of the county, who resides at Appin. In his barn, which was totally destroyed, were 45 acres of oats, 50 loads of hay, and 50 bushels of wheat just threshed. The destroyed property and produce was valued at about \$2,000, and was partly insured.

The barn and produce of Mr. Henry Smale, of Caradoc, was also totally destroyed by lightning. Damage, \$1,000.

Thomas Logan, of Brooke Township, suffered a loss of about \$1,000, partly covered by insurance.

A farmer by the name of McLeish, in West Williams, suffered the loss of several barns.

Mr. Adam Remely, of North Elfrida, lost a horse valued at \$200, and other nearby farmers are said to have lost numerous heads of cattle.

HEAD SMASHED BY FLYWHEEL

J. C. Rowe Instantly Killed in a Factory at Meaford, Ontario.

Meaford, Sept. 17.—J. C. Rowe, a young man, was killed in the Seaman Kent factory here early this morning. No one witnessed the accident, but it is supposed that in oiling the engine Rows went too near the flywheel, which struck him on the side of the head, this being smashed in, and one arm was also broken. Rows was a son of Reeve Rows, of St. Vincent Township.

IS SERIOUSLY ILL

Pettibone May Not Survive Operation for an Ulcer.

Boise, Ida., Sept. 17.—George A. Pettibone was unable to appear in the district court today to have his case set for trial.

An affidavit of the attending physician states that Pettibone is suffering from ulcer of the bladder, which unless soon checked will prove fatal. It says an operation may be necessary, but fears the patient will be unable to survive it.

A STIFF SENTENCE

Fourteen Years for the Abduction of a 14-Year-Old Girl.

New York, Sept. 17.—Theodore D. Hess, a New York policeman, who abducted Elizabeth Grady, aged 14, was today sentenced to serve fourteen years and five months at hard labor in Sing Sing prison.

INSANE WOMAN'S AWFUL DEED; KILLS CHILDREN AS SACRIFICE

Midale, Sask., Sept. 17.—On Saturday afternoon Mrs. John Anderson, wife of a farmer residing about a mile from Midale, on the Soo line, took her three children, all boys, to the potato patch and there knackered them on the head with a hammer, after which she cut them up in a horrible manner with a draw knife.

She had not shown any signs of insanity before, but had been ill, and it is supposed the murder was due to religious mania. She is probably thirty-five years old. The police of Weyburn were notified of what had taken place and Constable Ing arrested the woman.

TORONTO'S MAYORALTY

Three Conservative Candidates Are Already in the Field.

Toronto, Sept. 17.—Mr. Miles Vokes, hardware merchant, has announced his intention of running for mayor of the city next year, and says he is in the field to stay. This makes three candidates mentioned, the other two being Mayor Coadworth and Ald. Geary. All are Conservatives, and so far no Liberal has been mentioned as a likely candidate.

MEAFORD PHONE STRIKE.

Meaford, Ont., Sept. 17.—There is a strike on in the Bell Telephone office here, all the operators having walked out for higher wages. The trouble is strictly local, however.

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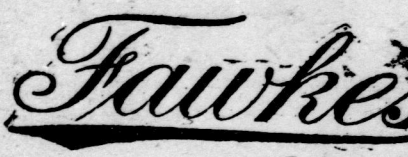
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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Miss Josephine Primeau, of Chatham, has returned after visiting friends here.

—Miss Gertrude Bell, Woodstock, has returned after spending a week with friends in this city.

—Mr. Charles Cave has returned to Windsor after spending a week with his parents in this city.

—Mr. Percy Young, of the firm of R. J. Young & Co., London, is now in Woodstock on business.

—Mrs. R. Hodgins, of 132 Simcoe street, and her niece, Miss Laura Hodgins, leave tomorrow for a visit to Chicago, Ill.

—Secretary A. M. Hunt, of the Western Fair board leaves for Ottawa tonight where he will spend a couple of days looking over the Ottawa Fair.

—Robert D. Emslie, National League umpire, is home in St. Thomas for a few days. He resumes work at Chicago, having come from Cincinnati.

—W. Beech, of this city, is in Chatham this week, the guest of R. A. Cunningham. Mr. Beech raises some of the best fancy fowls in this section.

—Mr. S. J. Radcliffe, formerly principal of the London Collegiate Institute, has entered upon his duties as assistant principal of the Normal School.

—Mrs. (Rev.) H. C. Speller and daughter Velma were passengers on the Huronic Monday on their way to their future home at Moosejaw, Sask. and Miss Speller have lately been visiting friends in Sarnia and vicinity.

—F. D. Cumminford, Windsor, has been appointed food inspector for the inland revenue district, comprising the counties of Brant, Norfolk, Oxford, Wellington, Waterloo, Middlesex, Lambton, Elgin, Essex and Kent.

—Woodstock's shade trees are threatened with destruction unless immediate and concerted action is taken to prevent further ravages and spread of the borers, which have already killed some of the maples and attacked many others.

—This afternoon the funeral was held from the family residence, 102 Albion street, West London, of June Belle, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Quigley. Rev. G. B. Wallin officiated. Interment took place in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

—The death occurred recently at Wishaw, Scotland, of Mrs. Helen Young, relict of the late John Lindsay, of that place. Deceased was in her 80th year and is survived by two sons, John Lindsay, of Glasgow; and Rev. William Lindsay, of Rutherglen, Scotland; and four daughters, Miss Walter Bell, of Oxford street, city; Mrs. James Cook, of Montana, U.S.A.; and Christina and Helen, of Wishaw, Scotland.

—The funeral took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Legg, 513 King street, of their infant and only daughter, Dorothy who died the preceding day. The service was conducted by Rev. F. B. Clark, pastor of All Saints Church. There were very many beautiful wreaths. Interment took place in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

G. T. R. Starts Action.

The Grand Trunk Railway Company has begun an action against the Western Ontario Portland Cement Company of the village of Atwood, Perth County, claiming \$411 61 under a certain agreement between the parties.

Auto Caused Runaway.

A horse belonging to Mr. Wilson, a bill posted of Paris, took fright at the auto of Mr. D. H. Gillies, of this city, which was running through Paris on a trip east yesterday. Mr. Wilson caught hold of the lines as the horses dashed away, and at what is known as the upper town bridge, he was thrown to the ground with great violence, and was also crushed between the iron work of the bridge.

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and the wagon. It is alleged that Mr. Gillies, who was in the auto, settled with Mr. Wilson in regard to the damage done, but Chief Macfarlane, of Paris, declares he will prosecute the London man for his alleged failure to blow the horn.

Embroid Old Boys' Reunion.

Next year will be the fiftieth anniversary of the incorporation of Embro as a village, and a movement is favored to commemorate the event by a reunion. Next year will see the completion of the railroad of East Oxford, which is regarded as important in the history of the community. Embro and Zorra boys and girls are scattered all over the continent, and it is certain that a first-class celebration certain that a first-class celebration

Call to Lucan Pastor.

At a special session of the Hamilton Presbytery yesterday at St. Catharines, the call of Rev. Thos. Paton, of Lucan, a former pastor, was sustained, and he will go to Meriton, Ont., where the induction was not set. Rev. Dr. Radcliffe, the interim moderator, will preside; Rev. Dr. Ross, Hamilton, will address the people. Dr. McDonald will address the minister, and Mr. Harper, of Drummond, will preach.

Very Appropriate.

An exchange says: In a local church last evening, a ripple of amusement was caused by an odd coincidence. The pastor chose for his topic, "Wanted—a man," the last hymn was "Why do you wait, dear brother?" and the solo sung by the soprano soloist, "O Happy Day!" Strangely enough the very suggestive series was not due to previous arrangement.

Quarantine Lifted.

The quarantine on the residence of Mr. Nesbitt at Eastwood was raised yesterday by Dr. McKay, medical health officer for the township of East Oxford. The family has been confined to the house since the fourth day of August, a period of five weeks, owing to the presence of smallpox. The disease, however, has at last been completely eradicated, and after thoroughly disinfecting the premises and occupants, the M. H. O. gave the family their liberty.

Anxiety Over Lost Lad.

M. C. R. officials were caused some anxiety on Saturday, trying to discover the whereabouts of a 10-year-old Aylmer lad, who went to London last week and returned on the late train. He was not noticed after the train left Kingsmill and the officials feared he had fallen off. A search was made along the tracks and every effort made to locate him, it finally being discovered that he had stepped off the end of the train at Aylmer depot and taken a short cut through the fields for home.

Death of Dean McGee's Mother.

Rev. Dean McGee, of St. Joseph's Church, Stratford received a letter yesterday announcing the death of his mother at Castlecow, Ireland, which took place on Sept. 4, at the advanced age of 95 years. One of the objects of the dean's visit to Europe this summer was to visit his mother. He found her in the enjoyment of as good health as could be expected in a lady of her age and although not expecting to ever see her in this world again, he did not anticipate so early a call. It was a great joy to the old lady to see her son again and to know that his life was devoted to such noble ends as his priestly office called for, and this sense of satisfaction was no doubt a great solace for her dying hours.

Going to British Columbia.

The Woodstock Sentinel-Review has the following in regard to a well-known newspaper man. Mr. S. N. Dancy, formerly editor of the Woodstock Express, leaves this afternoon for Pictou, his old home. He expects to leave in a few days for British Columbia with a view of taking up both journalism and politics. He has had about ten years' experience with newspaper work in Ontario—in Pictou, Belleville, Guelph, Brantford, St. Marys and Woodstock—and is now naturally desirous of going into business for himself. He has had several inducements to go west, and if present expectations are realized he will be in the thick of the political

fight out there before long, and in a couple of years may be contesting a riding of his own account. He is a young man with plenty of energy and courage and ought to make good. Mr. Dancy was secretary of the local Conservative Club, and was also prominently connected with all manner of sport.

Hair to Fortune.

Yesterday Chief Macfarlane, of Paris (who is well-known in London) received word from Paisley, Scotland, from the solicitors of his late parents as to the disposition of the estate. The personal estate amounted to \$66,850, of which the chief and any family he might have will get one-fifth share. The real estate business of his father was disposed of, however, some time ago to the Dyer's syndicate of Great Britain, the chief's father owning a large industry of that kind in Paisley, for \$250,000. In this amount Chief Macfarlane has been left nothing and he, being the youngest, is now taking steps to contest the validity of the will.

Band Concert.

By kind permission of Lieut.-Col. F. A. Reid, commanding, and the officers, the band of the Seventh Regiment will perform the following programme in Victoria Park this evening, commencing at 8 o'clock:

The Maple Leaf
Two-Step—Love in Black and White
The Seventh Regiment
Overture—Popular Minstrel Medley
Dance Characteristic—The Prospector
Head—Pauline B. Storey
Soloist—The Bohemian Girl
Waltz—Dolores
Chinese Characteristic March—Pekin
Peeps
Herman Avery Wade
Gavotte—Weymouth Chimes
J. S. Howgill
Selection—Scott's Gems
J. H. Sibold
Barn Dance—Pompey
Thos. Bidgood
Galop—With Steam
Strauss
The British Grenadiers
God Save the King
Albert W. Slater, bandmaster.

Ackerman—Anderson.

A very pretty event took place last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bridgeman, 639 Wellington street, when Mrs. Bridgeman's sister, Miss Nellie May Anderson, of Detroit, was united in marriage to Mr. Wm. K. Ackerman, of the Reliance Motor Works, Detroit.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Wm. Lowe, rector of St. Matthews' Church, in the presence of only immediate friends of both parties.

The bride was becomingly attired in a gown of ivory silk with over tulle trimmed with Irish lace, and was given away by her uncle, Dr. W. F. Roome. She carried a beautiful bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley. She was unattended.

Miss Helen Bridgeman acted as flower girl and ring-bearer, and looked very pretty carrying a bouquet of roses. She was dressed in silk, trimmed with Valenciennes lace.

After a dainty wedding breakfast, congratulations were expressed, and later Mr. and Mrs. Ackerman left to spend their honeymoon in points west. They will take up their residence in Detroit.

The guests present were from Windsor, Glenora, Sarnia, Toronto, St. Thomas and Detroit. The presents were numerous.

Amusements

One of the most elaborate spectacles ever presented on the American stage will be the attraction at the Grand Opera House tonight, "The Top of the World," an American extravaganza of a type which has always been a great favorite with theatergoers, but it is said to be decidedly novel and original in its story and in its scenic presentation.

Miss Isabel Irving will appear at the Grand tomorrow evening surrounded by a company of performers of exceptional ability in the Clyde Fitch play, "The Girl Who Has Everything." This dainty play probably has no equal in this country in comedy roles. "The Girl Who Has Everything" is a Fitch comedy, fresh in its presentation, without a few and telling strokes and this play is no exception.

Manager Bowers' offering for the Grand Friday evening is the ever-welcome comedy production, "Slide Tracked." The principal figure in the play is a tramp, through whose persistent efforts a mysterious crime is eventually cleared up. The tramp provokes a great deal of fun. He is constantly getting into trouble, but in the end proves the truth that a noble heart of beats beneath a ragged coat.

There are four acts in the play, each one seeming funnier than the one preceding, and the audience is continually kept laughing.

The attraction to be presented at the Grand Saturday, matinee and evening, is Langdon McCormick's comedy drama, "Jessie Left the Village," which will give lovers of dramatic situations and thrilling climaxes the opportunity of a most enjoyable evening.

"Mittenhand Bros' Amusement Company (Inc.) have spared no expense or labor, and the play is produced with elaborate scenic and electrical effects. "Jessie Left the Village" is a play of absorbing interest, with a startling mystery, a well-sustained, original and complicated plot. A unique feature of the production is the Green Corners Symphony Band.

Where do all the girls go, After they have seen the show? Ask the soda fountain man. He will tell you if he—

Has time, but he won't have a second to spare. You can see him, preparation running down his cheeks as he runs the length of the long marble slabs from one end to the other, his ear close to a nodding ostrich plume, or a feather from some other kind of bird, or if not near a feather, then an auto veil.

He's the busiest chap in town—the soda fountain man—and you will catch him in all his glory somewhere between 4:30 and 5:15 o'clock in the afternoon. That's when the matinee girls make the same kind of a rush for the downtown soda fountain

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stands that some other people make for some other stands where the drink fountains aren't decorated with silverware or large cut glass tumblers filled with crushed strawberries, mashed pineapple, lemon meat, and so and so on.

Just how many hundred gallons of ice cream are melted in the mouths and please the tastes of the feminine patrons of theaters during a week, no distributors of goods will say.

It was formerly an incident; it's now a fact. To be a real, thorough and through, out and out recognized matinee girl you must have your ice cream, soda, or sundae, or something to make a climax for the afternoon performance.

Go into any of the downtown soda fountains any afternoon after the matinees. There you will see her—a few hundred "hers" in every block. They are richly clad, for to be a real matinee girl is distinct type—you must wear the matinee dress. They are different, but they are all designed for afternoon performances, so the dress-makers say.

Then there is as much variety in the drinks and the various dopes ordered as there is in dress, and there are hardly two in the soda fountain row that will deem it proper to order alike.

And the chatter and the things they talk about! It runs something like this—but it would take a week to tell it.

ST. THOMAS BUNGLED RE THE AGREEMENT

Privileges Secured by the Southwestern Traction Company.

A clash between the St. Thomas City Council and the street railway commissioners of that city seems imminent over the agreement made with the Southwestern Traction Company, of London, for the right-of-way over the street railway tracks in St. Thomas. The members of the board claim that the council has acted without consulting them, and have made an arrangement that is very unsatisfactory. A new strand wire will have to be erected on Talbot street there, to support the new wires, at a cost of \$200. The city will have to pay that and all the other expenses. No agreement as to the repairing the wires has been made.

The contest for authority will take place at the next meeting of the council, when the matter will be discussed. The commissioners are determined to find out the limit of their authority.

IN SUNNY ALBERTA

Cold, Cheerless Weather Prevailed Recently—Sleet Did No Damage.

The Phoenix (Saskatoon) of Sept. 13 says:

The weather has taken another backward turn and chronic pessimists and wheat buyers alike, satisfied. The temperature, last night touched freezing point for the first time this season in the Saskatoon district. The frost was not severe enough to hurt grain, but it was accompanied with an alarming fall of sleet which threatened at one time to develop into an unseasonable snowstorm.

It is just four weeks past on the 12th since a heavy fall of snow occurred in September. On that occasion in Manitoba it lay in many places over a foot deep. Fortunately harvest was over at the time, and although the shocks were loaded with snow no damage was done and after it melted a fine spell of Indian summer weather prevailed till the end of October. Many people had that storm in mind this morning when the eye rested on the whitened landscape.

But faith dies hard in the west and nowhere does one hear from men deeply interested even one note of alarm. There is a natural anxiety, but it is accompanied with a belief that bad as the weather may be at the moment it is but an accidental and the sun will come out in all his glory again in his own good time.

It is fortunate that the sleet did not last long enough to load down the growing crop. Farmers coming in from the trails today report that in odd places there are patches of grain laid over which will require to be cut one way, but that on the whole things are looking all right yet. Given a few days of bright weather the crop will be completely out of danger.

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