

STRIKE OF THE TELEGRAPH OPERATORS SERIOUSLY AFFECTS THE LOCAL OFFICES

Commercial Messages Taken by London Managers "Subject to Delay"—Detroit, Buffalo, and Other Points Are Off London's List.

Local Operators Are All Union Men and Will Refuse to Handle Dispatches From Non-Union Men—Looks Like Trouble.

London telegraphers have not yet gone out on strike, but it is within the probabilities that they will drop their keys today, and refuse to work. The local telegraphers are bound to do what the Toronto tickers do, and they will await their move. Some definite action is expected shortly.

Associated Press dispatches were for a time held up this morning, and Advertiser news from this source was cut out. Later the A. P. and its employees patched up a provisional agreement, and the day-men returned to work. Then the dispatches came through in a hurry. Local operators do not believe the Associated Press trouble has been finally settled, and they look for a complete suspension of the keys tonight.

Connection Was Broken.

The points of connection are Buffalo and Detroit, and both these cities are completely isolated. The operators in the two cities mentioned last night received the order to quit, and at 7:30 every man ticked "30" to the story in hand and refused to work. Not another word came over the wire. The Detroit papers did not receive a story after that hour, and nothing came over the wires until the agreement was patched up this morning.

The Canadian operators are satisfied, and if they go out it will be merely a sympathetic strike, brought on by their refusal to handle messages from non-union men. The wages received are satisfactory, and while the nine-hour shift is in vogue in Canada, and they would like to have the eight-hour shift as in the States, they refuse to make that a cause for a strike. The operators are a unit in declaring that they will not handle non-union messages, and as the telegraph companies declare that they will not make a settlement, serious trouble is anticipated.

Commercial Men Out Also.

Commercial telegraphers are also out. Commercial wires are idle, and a great loss of business is entailed. But few operators at either Buffalo or Detroit will handle a business wire. Some messages are being sent through from Port Huron and other smaller towns, but the large centers are completely tied up. Telegraphers, either union or non-union, are very scarce, and it will be difficult to fill the strikers' places.

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Master Barbers and the Strikers Disagree as to Park Band Concert

Employees Object to the Council "Taking Sides" by Allowing Collections at Gates.

The barbers' strike has reached the city council, and is causing that body some difficulty. Yesterday afternoon, Acting-Mayor Stevely was interviewed by a committee of the strikers asking for the use of Victoria Park Thursday evening to hold a band concert for the benefit of the striking barbers, a collection to be taken up at the gates.

The petition presented was signed by a majority of the aldermen, and as the park had previously been granted for similar purposes during the year, the request was granted. The master barbers heard of it and they interviewed Ald. Beattie, who is acting mayor today. Mr. Charles Brennan was spokesman for them, and they asked Ald. Beattie to countermand Ald. Stevely's action. This he refused to do, as he had no power either to grant or refuse. And so the matter stands. The barbers will hold their concert tomorrow evening, although the master barbers are protesting vigorously against this action.

"I do not think it is a fair thing," said Mr. Brennan. "The master barbers pay taxes and are responsible citizens, and I do not see why the council should take sides in the matter. The park is for the citizens of London and not for any organization that comes along and asks for it. It is not fair to us."

The barbers have precedent on their side, and claim that they are within their rights. This matter of giving the park to every organization that asks for it is getting to be a regular nuisance. Almost every other night the citizens have been practically barred from their own park. It has become a veritable nuisance this year, and I will guarantee that next year if I am in the council, Victoria Park will not be given for any such purposes. The line cannot be drawn this year, but it will be drawn next year."

MR. ESSERY'S SENSATIONAL ADDRESS AT ORANGE MEETING IN E. MIDDLESEX

Mr. Beck Was There and Heard Ontario Govt. Attacked.

Speaker Also Assails Federal Ministers for Dining With Pope.

An Orangemen's celebration on a large scale was held at Dorchester yesterday, when the lodges of East Middlesex assembled to celebrate the closing of the gates of Derry. The morning was given over largely to athletic contests, all the events being keenly contested. A life and drum band competition was also held, which, by the way, the Putnamville band brandished a broom, evidently was rather a clear sweep for the lodge of that place.

In the afternoon speeches were the order of the day. Among those who spoke were: Rev. Mr. Lowe, chaplain of the Grand Lodge of Western Ontario; Hon. Adam Beck, M. P., London; Mr. Robert Birmingham, Conservative organizer for the Province; Mr. Peter Elson, Conservative member for East Middlesex; Rev. Mr. Mahon, formerly of Dorchester, and Mr. E. T. Essery, of this city.

Mr. Essery Speaks.

Mr. Essery made the sensational address of the day, hitting hard at anything which, in his judgment, needed a knock. First he assailed a Conservative newspaper calling it a "dirty, yellow sheet," and said it had refused to publish a letter which he had written to correct an erroneous statement in its columns. He denounced the attempt to compel the people of London to drink filthy river water "in which our very shirts have been washed."

Mr. Essery then attacked both the Dominion and Provincial Governments. He warned the latter that year carried forward is \$9,339,000.

The Orangemen demanded decent treatment. "We helped to put Whitney into power," he said, "and we can send him back into the obscurity which he enjoyed before the last general election."

Mr. Essery also made some scathing remarks about two of the Dominion cabinet ministers "who lately sat at a banquet where the Pope's health was drunk before that of His Majesty King Edward VII."

"We've had some hard things said about us," said Mr. Essery, "but we've never yet been accused of dishonesty. This is a British country, and we must teach traitors that they cannot thus come into our country and insult our sovereign."

C. P. R. DIVIDEND

Montreal, Aug. 12.—At a meeting of the directors of the Canadian Pacific Company today dividends of 2 per cent on the preference stock and 3 per cent on the common stock for the period ending June 30 last were declared.

An additional payment of one-half of 1 per cent on the common stock will be paid thereon at the same time out of interest on the proceeds of land sales.

The results for the fiscal year to June 30 last were: Gross earnings, \$72,217,526; working expenses, \$46,914,219; net earnings, \$25,303,309; net earnings of steamships in excess of the amount included in monthly reports, \$723,649; income from other sources, \$1,640,832; total net income, \$27,667,790; deduct fixed charges, \$8,511,756; surplus, \$19,156,034; deduct amount transferred to steamship replacement fund, \$700,000; deduct contribution to pension fund, \$80,000; net revenue available for dividends, \$18,376,034. After the payment of all dividends declared for the year the surplus for the year carried forward is \$9,339,000.

Telegraphers Violate Law

Ottawa, Aug. 13.—So far no application has been received by the department of labor for the appointment under the terms of the industrial disputes act of a board to investigate the present strike of telegraphers in Toronto and Montreal. By going on strike the telegraphers have violated the act, and have rendered themselves individually liable to the penalties provided, namely, a fine of from \$10 to \$50 per day for every day they refuse to work. A charge for violation of the act may be laid by any person, and the penalties imposed according to the regular proceedings of the criminal courts.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

TELEGRAPH STRIKE HITS TORONTO

G. N. W. Men Walk Out in Sympathy With the Western Union Employee.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 13.—The strike of Western Union telegraphers has hit Toronto and this morning the G. N. W. is to all intents and purposes tied up. Several operators who refused to take messages last night that were dispatched by non-union operators in the States were promptly laid off by General Manager McMichael, and this morning nearly the entire staff, some 50 men and women, went out in a body and held a meeting in Labor Temple. The C. P. R. is not yet affected. Their operators apparently are fairly well satisfied with their treatment at the hands of that company, and will not strike unless they are ordered out by union headquarters in a sympathetic strike. C. P. R. operators who did not want to take non-union dispatches last night were told that they did not need to, consequently there was no friction. Stock exchanges and brokers' offices apparently are not seriously affected.

There is no question at issue locally, the action of the G. N. W. men being entirely out of sympathy with the Western Union men.

FOUR THOUSAND MOORS ATTACK CASABLANCA

Tangier, Aug. 13.—Four thousand Moors attacked Casablanca yesterday, but were repulsed. Siboukber, governor of Casablanca, has been dismissed for having abetted the massacre of Europeans at that place. Siboukber is now a prisoner on board the French cruiser Gloire.

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Ex-Mayor Dr. Wilson Condemns Partizan Action of School Board

The Injustice Done to Vice-Principal of Collegiate Brings Down Censure.

"The appointment of Mr. McCutcheon as principal of the Collegiate Institute over the heads of older and more deserving men is another illustration of the principle I have denounced for some time," said ex-Mayor Dr. John D. Wilson, one of the most prominent Conservatives in the city of London, to an Advertiser reporter this morning. "It is a shocking thing, and makes London once more a laughing-stock."

"Mr. Little is an excellent teacher and deserving of the place. It was his by right of service and ability. I do not know anything about Mr. McCutcheon, and I do not discuss him personally. It is the principle I am contending for. All things being equal, the teachers should be promoted. That is a recognized fact. Business-men recognize it, and they are not slow to promote deserving men in their employment. Why should not the city do the same with its employees? It is the only fair thing to do. If I had spent many years' service for a company, and if I were superseded by a young man with no more ability I certainly would feel annoyed, to put it mildly. I think the board of education made a serious mistake."

A Vicious System.

"This illustrates the viciousness of the system I have opposed for some time," continued the doctor. "We have too much politics altogether for the city's good. Good men irrespective of politics should be given positions when they deserve, and a much better government would result. I warned men in authority that they would make fools of themselves if they continued this political meddling, and I think that I did not make a mistake when I said it. Government of the city by politics has not done the city any good—in fact, it has done it much harm. That is not only true of London, but of other cities. I hope that the citizens will rise above party considerations and elect only men who will govern the city from the citizens' standpoint—not from a party standpoint."

Time for a Change.

"Every mayor, if he would confess the truth, would tell you that if he had to do many things over again he would disavow the party demands and elect only the best men for positions. But being party nominees, they were forced to listen to the party's call, and to do things they knew were wrong and not in the interests of the citizens as a whole."

"Our educational affairs especially should be kept out of the party arena. Untold harm will result if this is continued much longer. In fact, I am convinced that such actions will force the people to put an end to a system that only causes embarrassment. I am sure the good judgment of the people will come to their rescue, and stop this sort of thing. It is an intolerable condition."

London Collegiate Master Offered It

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Aug. 13.—W. C. Ferguson, B. A., of London Collegiate Institute, was recommended for the position of head of the modern language department at the new Riverdale high school.

THREE KILLED IN BELFAST RIOTS

Mobs Cut the Gas Mains—Reinforcements Being Hurried to the Scene.

Belfast, Aug. 13.—During the rioting last night a woman and two men were killed. A recurrence of the disturbance is expected tonight. Captured rioters are taken before the magistrates at the point of the bayonet. Reinforcements are coming here. Some of the streets were strung with wire to entangle the cavalry and the gas mains were cut last night.

EDITOR FATALLY INJURED

Mr. Fred Nye, of the New York World, Run Down by Street Car.

New York, Aug. 13.—Fred Nye, an editor on the Sunday World, was struck by a Lexington avenue trolley car last night and received probably fatal injuries.

Mr. Nye is well-known as a newspaperman and a writer of clever verses. Last winter he wrote the libretto for a comic opera, "The King and the Broker," which was produced in the west.

RIOT AT ST. JOHN, N. B.

St. John, N. B., Aug. 12.—A murder-riot took place in the Assyrian colony shortly after 6 o'clock this morning, in which a number of men and women suffered severe injury. The police were summoned and seven men were arrested, while a woman will be arrested as soon as her injuries will permit her removal from her home. Business rivalry is said to be the cause of the trouble.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—FINE.

Toronto, Aug. 13—8 a.m.

Today and Wednesday—Fresh westerly to northerly winds; fine and a little cooler.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations.	8 a.m.	Min.	Weather.
Calgary	40	38	Clear
Winnipeg	70	42	Fair
Park Sound	66	58	Clear
Toronto	68	54	Clear
Ottawa	68	50	Fair
Montreal	68	60	Clear
Quebec	68	66	Clear
St. John	64	44	Rain
Halifax	54	44	Rain

The first column records the temperature at 8 o'clock this morning, and the second column records the minimum temperatures during the 24 hours previous.

WEATHER NOTES.

The depression which was in the Ottawa Valley yesterday morning has now reached the Gulf of St. Lawrence, giving some showers and local thunderstorms in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces; whereas in Ontario the weather keeps nearly everywhere unusually dry. In the Western Provinces fine conditions prevail generally, although somewhat cool.

YESTERDAY'S TEMPERATURES.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: London, 68-82; Dawson, 42-76; Port Simpson, 50-58; Kamloops, 42-74; Edmonton, 40-50; Prince Albert, 42-62; Calgary, 40-66; Swift Current, 46-68; Winnipeg, 46-66; Port Arthur, 54-70; Toronto, 64-84; Montreal, 70-86; Quebec, 60-72; Halifax, 50-60.

MANAGER M'GUIGAN DENIES THAT HE STRUCK JIM HILL

Was in London This Morning and Spoke of Many Interesting Things to the Advertiser—Has Been a Good Friend to London.

Mr. Frank H. McGuigan, last first vice-president and general manager of the Great Northern Railway, with headquarters at St. Paul, Minn., passed through this city this morning at 11 o'clock in his private car of the Great Northern. Mr. McGuigan was accompanied by his wife and son, and his private secretary.

At the depot an Advertiser reporter had a half-hour's interview with Mr. McGuigan, who made some very interesting statements, though of his prospects he would say nothing.

"I am on my way to Portland, Maine, with my wife and family," he said, "to enjoy the first rest I have been able to take in 30 years."

Denies Story of Fight.

"Is it true," the reporter asked him, "that Mr. James J. Hill and yourself came to blows in the offices of the

Great Northern Railway in St. Paul?" Mr. McGuigan answered, "for it is absolutely untrue in every detail. I did not strike Mr. Hill, nor did we come to blows. I have not been treated fairly by that dispatch."

"Have you anything to say as to why you left the Great Northern?" the reporter then asked.

"Nothing. Positively nothing. I have sent in my resignation to take effect the 1st of September. Beyond this, I have nothing to say."

As To Grand Trunk.

"What are your plans for the future?" "I have nothing to say in that regard."

"It is said you are going back to the Grand Trunk?" the reporter ventured.

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A Floating Procession Of Carcasses in the River

Boathouse Man Doesn't Want River Water to Drink—A Nuisance Removed.

Those who take pleasure out of the river in the summertime are very much pleased to learn that the carcass of a cow which had been allowed to lie in the water near the cove, but in the main stream, for a week or more has at last been buried.

A week ago Monday morning boatsmen along the river near the cove caught sight of the carcass of a dead animal floating in the river. Investigation proved that the floating thing was a dead cow. The stench from the carcass was described as terrible, and the rowers made haste to hide themselves to other parts. All week long the decaying animal lay in the river near the cove bridge, and would probably still be there had not someone living nearby notified High Constable Hughes, who had the carcass taken from the water and buried.

Boatmen along the river were the chief sufferers from the incident inasmuch as people refused to take boats out for fear of running across the dead beast, the stench from which constantly grew worse.

Plenty of Dead Animals.

The day before yesterday Mr. Whit, Lancaster and one of his men discovered a large bag floating beneath the Dundas street bridge. They fished it out and found that it contained a number of dead cats.

"It is a common occurrence," said (Continued on Page Nine)

G. T. R. Engineers Have Agreed

About a dozen local contractors yesterday sent in tenders to the Grand Trunk Railway for the addition which is to be built to the Grand Trunk works in East London, mention of which was made in The Advertiser some time ago.

It is understood that the tenders vary between \$55,000 and \$60,000. The building is to be of brick.

The addition to the shops will mean the doubling of the facilities for the

building of freight cars, and the employment of fully 100 more men at the works.

The G. T. R. shops are already one of London's chief industries, and when the addition is completed, they will mean vastly more to the people of London.

It is expected that the announcement of the successful tender will be made this week, as the tenders were sent to Toronto, and not to Montreal.

Youthful Runaways Nabbed in London

The youngest pair of runaways seen in London for many a day were two boys, one of them the son of Mr. W. Foulkes, of Belleville, who were caught at the Grand Trunk depot last night by a couple of their relatives as they stepped off the International Limited, shortly before 8 o'clock.

The lads appeared to be about 10 years old, and they were well dressed and well cared for.

It was quite evident that they were out to see the world, having found dear old Belleville too slow for young men of such mature years.

As the train pulled in two well-known citizens could be seen pacing

the depot, with eyes peered for something. In the coaches might also have been seen two juvenile faces peering out and looking for trouble.

Suddenly one of the men caught sight of the faces, and he started for the car. At the same instant the two lads raced for the other end of the coach and tumbled out onto the platform. But they almost ran into the arms of the other gentleman—their uncle, it is understood—and in a jiffy there was a foot race in full tilt.

The world-seers were not in the game for a minute, however, and in less time than it takes to tell it they were taken in charge.

The Children's Aid Society will see that the two boys are either returned home or cared for here.



THE DISASTER AT ESSEX—REAR VIEW OF NAYLOR'S GRIST MILL—THE RUINS OF McDUGALL'S CARRIAGE WAREHOUSES TO THE RIGHT

WOODS' FAIR

English Newspapers and Magazines

We have just added to our stock a department composed entirely of English newspapers and magazines. English people can from now on be supplied weekly with the paper they were in the habit of reading at home, giving you all the news.

Lloyds Weekly News.
The People.
Reynolds's Newspaper.
News of the World.
Weekly Dispatch.
Forget Me Not.
Weekly Illustrated.

Magazines

Pearson's.
Answers.
Tit-Bits.
Chips.
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New Postcard Albums, with space for 100 cards, nicely bound with beautifully illustrated covers. Special price, each 25c
Thousands of new and up-to-date Postcards, just received, from to up to 10c each

J. M. THOMSON.

MOTHERS LOVE
HIGH AND LOW

THE GERM IS IN THE LOWEST OF CREATURES.

Physical in Some, But Becomes Ethical as the Scale of Life Ascends.

Is mother love with all its sublimities mere physiology and biology—chemical affinities and botanical tropisms and tactisms?

Somewhat says yes, none less than Dr. Alfred Giard, of the Sorbonne, Paris. But his yes is yes with an if. Mother love, he argues, rises to great heights, but it begins at great depths, and some of the things we think are its heights often more properly are its depths.

Love in many of the animals, in many of the human race, evidently is much of a physical phenomenon. It resembles the process by which two chemical substances combine. In a great number of acts where some have seen preferences, antipathies, and so on, there only are physico-chemical laws in play. They have much in common, in fact with movements that take place in inorganic matter, with the phenomena of atoms, the processes of crystallization and so on, although vivid imagination may see the expression of feeling and emotions of a high degree.

Dr. Giard wants to reject all imagination and anthropomorphic sentimentalism when studying mother love in animals.

See a mother crab carrying about a mess of eggs. Touch one of them and the creature protests with vigor. She becomes angry and opens her huge claws to repel the aggressor. Shall we say that mother love is quite evident here? But a mother crab who is carrying about a parasite instead of eggs acts exactly in the same way. The probabilities are that the eggs and the parasite occasion identical sensations, and that touching either is equally disagreeable to the crab. Ergo, there is no mother love in this.

MOTHER LOVE OF ANIMALS.
Among the higher animals many pretty tales have been told of the animals adopting the little ones of other races than their own whose parents have died or been removed. Lionesses have adopted puppies, cats, rabbits, or even rats. These cases are counted by the hundreds. In many of them the adopted child belongs to an animal race which lives on bad terms with the race of the mother.

So we sing our praises of the strength of the maternal instinct. We think our simple creature desires to be a mother at any price. Her maternal love has undergone perversion, but its existence is much in evidence. But the new naturalists regard the adoptive mother's zeal as more selfish than altruistic. They say she seeks her own advantage rather than that of her adopted children. What she wants of them is a service—the relief they give by taking the over-supply of milk.

Does this mean there is nothing but egotism, animalism and physiological action in mother love, and in all other love by extension? Nay, nay, nay. Even with the lowest of brutes there is something besides simple involuntary and mechanical movements of the same nature as physical and chemical reactions. In addition to these there is an element non-existent in the metal and the chemical salt—a vague consciousness.

Higher up in the animal scale it is certain that there is something beyond the physiological movements that determine numerous acts interpreted as altruistic. A more elevated consciousness begins to develop, which in the human race reaches a still loftier plane, and which in future may rise higher yet, although it remains evident that at the bottom there is egotism, material necessities, physiology, animality. Of all these sure signs remain even in the highest organisms.

LOVE LASTS THROUGH LIFE.
There is a vast difference, as notes



Nothing you can wear costs you so little in real comfort, real service and real satisfaction as

**Pen-Angle
Guaranteed
Underwear**

Wanted to say by the dealer, by the maker to him, from-failed for comfort's sake, won't stand, at various prices, in fine-fine and so on, men and children. Trade-marked in red as above.

FRENCH TO OUST
CANNIBAL KING

To Depose Thauk-Thai From the Throne of Annam.

TORTURED WIVES TO DEATH

Seated on Throne in 1889, This Monarch Was a Monster of Cruelty for Eighteen Years.

Paris, Aug. 12. The French Government has at length been aroused to the necessity of abolishing once and for all the atrociously cruel reign of Thauk-Thai, the King of Annam, in Cochinchina. It is officially announced that the French resident at Hue, the capital city of Annam, has interned the king in his palace there, and has established a regency, consisting of the Council of Ministers, under the presidency of the minister of justice.

Since last spring, when the king was declared insane, a few months after the murder of seven of his wives, and a cannibalistic feast on the remains of one, at which he compelled his courtiers to partake under pain of death, his activities have been curtailed, but he has been allowed some authority. The incessant clamor of the oppressed subjects has at last resulted in the action of the French resident.

The kingdom of Annam has been a French protectorate since 1889. In that year the ruler, Horn Nghi, was deposed for the massacre of the French residents of Hue and Thauk-Thai. Thauk-Thai was established in his place.

The king is at present only 28 years old, and the sudden acquisition of power turned his head completely. It was not long before he began a series of brutalities that horrified France and his own nation. The king is held in religious veneration by his subjects, and no one dared to attempt to curb him.

He "Out-Heroded Herod." The list of his barbarities give him the distinction, shared by but few rulers, of being able to "out-Herod Herod."

The interference of the French Government was first exercised when Thauk-Thai subjected several of his attendants to unspeakable tortures for the gratification of a passing whim. Some of them he murdered. The French resident at the head of the gendarmes garrisoned at Hue forced an entrance to the palace to save the lives of the remaining attendants.

That was several years ago. Last August Thauk-Thai summoned seven of his four hundred wives before him and calmly directed some of his guards to put six of them to death, and subjecting them to atrocious mutilation.

A few hours later, the seventh was boiled to death in oil and served at a royal feast, to which the noblest courtiers of the kingdom had been summoned. At the threat of instant death they were forced to eat at the ghastly banquet.

When the French authorities entered the palace they found the king sitting in a room that looked more like an abattoir than a throne room. Some of the women had been strung up to the ceiling by prongs and pincers fastened to their tongues cut out. Others had their tongues cut out, and two were still running about the room shrieking in agony. In one room two of the wives lay boiling in oil vats. Some had been caged with lions and other wild animals and torn to pieces.

Aged Prince Shot Down. It was but a few days before this that he had shot down without cause one of the oldest princes of the kingdom.

An example of the absolute authority of the king is the rule which he has several times enforced, that anyone found wearing yellow clothes—the color of the royal garb—be put to death.

The six million subjects whom he ruled were powerless to prevent the cannibalism, and there were loud appeals for aid from France.

A few months after the murder of his wives he was examined for insanity by a Dr. Dumas, sent by the French Government, and confined for a time.

Last late year the king expressed a wish to visit France, as had King Sisowath of Cambodia, which is near Annam. Such were the protests of the French press, however, that he was prohibited from making the journey.

The directors of the State Bank, New York city, have declared a dividend of 900 per cent on a capitalization of \$100,000. The directors also declared the usual semi-annual dividend of 50 per cent. The large surplus the bank amassed became unwieldy because of its small capitalization, and in order to obviate this the directors decided to distribute the surplus in the form of a dividend. It was also decided to increase the capitalization of the bank from \$100,000 to \$1,000,000.

A CURE FOR FEVER AND AGUE.—Par-meleo's Vegetable Pills are compounded for use in any climate, and they will be found to preserve their powers in any latitude. In fever and ague they act upon the secretions and neutralize the poison. They have found its way into the blood. They correct the impurities which find entrance into the system through drinking water or food, and if used as a preventive fever is avoided.

According to the Kobe Herald, George Washington and Abraham Lincoln rank even Admiral Togo as popular heroes in Japan. The Herald says that Dr. Yamakawa, formerly president of Tokyo University, offered to present a picture of a famous man or woman to the Iriye primary school, Hirogo, and asked that a vote of the children be taken to choose the subject of the portrait. The 243 boys and girls of the school were asked to write down the name of their favorite great man or woman. Washington and Lincoln came out at the head of the list, with 69 and 52 votes, respectively, while Togo came third with 24.

Safest Medicine for
Women's Complaints

Women certainly do neglect themselves. They work too hard—over-tax their strength—and then wonder why they suffer with diseases peculiar to their sex.

Most cases of female trouble start when the bowels become inactive—the kidneys strained—and the skin not cared for. Poisons, which should leave the system by these organs, are taken up by the blood and inflame the delicate female organs.

Fruit-a-lives

remove the CAUSE of these diseases. "Fruit-a-lives" sweeten the stomach—make the bowels move regularly every day—strengthen the kidneys—improve the action of the skin—and thus purify the blood. "Fruit-a-lives" take away those distressing headaches, backaches and bearing-down pains, and make women well and strong. "Fruit-a-lives" are fruit juices, intensified, with tonic and antiseptic added. See about it for \$2.00. At all druggists—or from Fruit-a-lives Limited, Ottawa.

PRISON IS "IMPROVED"

Stolypin Turns Schlussemburg Castle Into a Torture Chamber.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 12.—A worse fate than Siberian exile now awaits the "political" prisoner. The terrible fortress-prison of Schlussemburg, closed by the czar's ukase of October, 1905, has been reopened, enlarged and "improved" by Premier Stolypin.

This sinister place is on an island in the Neva, 20 miles from St. Petersburg. Escape therefrom is well-nigh impossible, for besides the waters of the Neva it is girt about with high ramparts, around which is posted a strong military guard.

A new wing has been added to the prison, consisting of two ranges, each having the lower level, so that the cells are constantly cold and damp. The prisoners made sick by these unhealthy conditions are attended only by one aged chemist, who is the only medical attendant for 200 convicts.

Each cell has a small, high window, an iron bed and an iron table, both clamped to the wall. Throughout the ranges of cells run iron bars, close to the ceiling, from which hang chains attached to each prisoner. The prisoners are roused from sleep three times every night by mechanical pulls at their chains. This fiendish contrivance has no utility but to break into the prisoner's only solace—their sleep.

Meanwhile the older part of the prison is being got ready for the reception of more "politicals," and before long all the old horrors of Schlussemburg will be revived as if the czar had never issued his famous ukase.

HOSPITAL STANDS IDLE

London Has No Scarlet Fever Convalescents.

London, Aug. 12.—The ratepayers of London are in the agreeable position of owning a brand-new hospital for 800 patients, with no patients to occupy it. The hospital stands in its own grounds at a cost of \$100,000 a year to build, it will cost \$100,000 a year to maintain, and it represents a total capital sum of about \$1,250,000.

It has been erected as a convalescent home for scarlet fever patients by the metropolitan asylums board—a body consisting of nominees of the various London boards of guardians and of the local government board. Although the hospital has been standing for months, the city can find no use for it, and a few weeks ago it was decided to let it stand empty for another year, and at the end of that time to "try again."

John Burns will be asked in the House of Commons whether the local government board cannot find some useful work for this idle hospital to do. It is suggested that it should be used by permission of the local government board, as a "convalescent" home for patients from the London infirmaries. Such a home in this country is said to be greatly needed, as pure air is difficult to find in the neighborhood of many London infirmaries.

Unless the local government board intervened and converted the hospital into a consumptive convalescent home, there is no doubt that it will stand empty for another year, unless an unusually heavy scarlet fever epidemic visits London in the autumn, which is the scarlet fever period.

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Skirts and Shirtwaist Suits

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Millinery, 95c
The balance of lot of Trimmed Hats which were reduced to \$1.95, now on one table to clear at, each.....95c

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Don't forget sale of TOURIST COATS commences today. 82 pretty Tourists at half price.

Also a few exclusive Black Embroidered Dress Patterns in voile and silk grenadine, 1/3 off, 8 and 9 yards in each.

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\$2.75 and \$3.25 Skirts.....\$1.98

Now on sale. Take elevator.

Millinery, 10c

One table of Untrimmed Shapes which were reduced to 25c each; the balance of these to clear at, each.....10c

Summer Specials--Lace Curtains

\$2.50 Lace Curtains For \$2.10 Per Pair

Three styles for your selection in our regular \$2.50 Nottingham and Cable Net Lace Curtains, white and ivory. Your choice now for, per pair.....\$2.10

52 inches By 3 1/2 Yards Cable Net Curtains. \$3.50 Per Pair

Some new styles in Cable Net Curtains. Very lacey and serviceable net. Special value, 52 inches wide by 3 1/2 yards long, at, per pair.....\$3.50

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TOO LITTLE LOVE FOR \$34

Match-Making Cut Irish Breach of Promise Award Down.

Dublin, Aug. 12.—Because it was an artificial match, not the natural kind that comes from love, Justice Wright, at the Mayo assizes, cut down to \$4 8s a county court judge's award of \$34 in a breach of promise case. His lordship decided there had been too little love to imply any great damage.

Mary Flatley, the plaintiff, an elderly lady, stated that a Mrs. Morley came to her house and asked her if she would like to marry Michael Kilkenny, and on the following day Mrs. Morley called again and brought the defendant with her. He said he had come to see if the witness would marry him, and she consented. He then asked her how much money she had, and she told him. Mrs. Morley went away, and the defendant then went out and came back with a ring. The priest was notified, and a dispensation was obtained, as it was Lent.

On the morning of the day for which the wedding was arranged, the defendant came to the church and the plaintiff gave him the ring for the ceremony. He then said, however, that he would not get married at all, and went away.

Michael Kilkenny, the defendant, an old man, said he had been a widower since last October. He had seven children, five of whom were in the workhouse. He broke off the match because he had heard it alleged that the plaintiff had once been in the asylum. He would not marry any woman who had been in an asylum, not if she had a thousand pounds.

HE REFUSED TO SERVE

Pitiful Tale of a French Reservist With Five Children.

Paris, Aug. 12.—The Socialist and anti-Militarist papers are making the most of a case-martial. A reservist, earning \$5 a week, had been ordered to undergo a four-weeks' period of training. On the \$5 a week he supported a wife and five children. If he obeyed the call to the colors, his wife and little ones were doomed to starvation, so he paid no attention to the order, was arrested and brought to trial.

Before the court-martial he explained his melancholy position. His wife, who was present with her five children, one a babe in arms, also addressed the court. In a voice broken by sobs, she told of her poor husband's distress and of the struggles he had had before he determined to pay no attention to the order. "I implore you," she cried, "not to condemn my husband severely. Since his arrest we have all been dying of hunger, and I ask you, what will become of us if he is sent to jail?"

When she had finished there was not a dry eye in the court, and a major, who acted as prosecutor, stated briefly that he would drop the case. "In case of war," cried the woman, "I would, of course, be different; then we would all be glad to die. Is it not so?" she asked of her husband. His only reply was, "Vive la France!" The officers then took up a collection.

INDUCED THE FRENCH TO WALK.

The celebrated Dr. Tronchin, friend of Voltaire, Rousseau and Diderot, whose biography has just been published, was the inventor of walking.

In France until his epoch (1709-1781) the leisured class never walked either for health or recreation. Walking was only practiced by the Tiers Estate, who walked to work, and to another simply because they possessed neither coach nor sedan chair. Dr. Tronchin, an initiator in many other respects, induced "les elegants et les elegantes," writes a historian, to take what is now called a constitutional.

To stroll abroad was named tronchiner, after the inventor, and for their sittings both sexes had special costumes and shoes, the latter being more especially necessary. The verb tronchiner, by the way, has not had the fate of our "to hock," having passed into disuse long ago.—Westminster Gazette.

PHOTOGRAPHY IN COLORS.

London Times: At the London Provincial Association last week, Mr. Child Bayley, the editor of Photography, exhibited for the first time in this country color photographs by the Lumiere starch grain process. The process is an entire revolution in color photography, making it easy for any amateur to obtain, with any trouble, more perfect color photographs than the most skilled experts up to the present had been able to obtain. He exhibited every plate he had exposed, together with most of the originals, for comparison. Professor Haddon said that it was most difficult to foresee the outcome of so remarkable a step, he had never seen more perfect color photographs, and he congratulated Mr. Bayley on having brought up the actual things photographed so that there could be no doubt about the remarkable fidelity of the colors. Mr. Leslie Clift said that in spite of the fact that these results were those of a complete beginner at this particular process, every one of whose exposures had been shown, he nevertheless surpassed in fidelity the best results of the most skillful three-color workers that had been exhibited. Mr. Child Bayley stated that the essence of the new photography was that it was a beginner's process, making color photography even simpler than the making of an ordinary print, and very much quicker also, and that there was no room for personal error. The instructions were of the most elementary character and quite definite, and those who carried them out succeeded in obtaining perfect finished color photographs within half an hour of exposing the plates. The plates are known as the "autochrome plates," and the manipulations merely ordinary development with pyro.

and the reservist with his wife and five children was sent on his way rejoicing.

WARSHIP A HEAP OF IRON.

A pile of 1,200 tons of scrap iron in the hold of the dismantled bark Wildwood, which has arrived at St. John, N. B., from Bermuda in tow of the ocean tug Gladstone, is all that remains of the old British man-of-war Viper. The Viper was one of the English-made warships with which the confederacy proposed to destroy the United States navy during the civil war, but the British Government learned of the use intended for the warship and she was confiscated and later sent to Bermuda. A Boston merchant purchased the Viper, together with the bark Wildwood, at Bermuda for junk, and disposed of both vessels to St. John parties.—Boston Transcript.

RECOGNIZED BY A SONG.

A short time ago there was a tenor in an Italian restaurant of the Bohemian sort in New York, a handsome Neapolitan, whose poetical sad face often excited comments from the feminine visitors. They all wondered what had brought such an indifferently weary look to the brown eyes. One night a large, rather coarse-looking man came in with a beautifully dressed companion. She was of a gorgeous Italian type, but she looked like an orchid that had been cruelly treated. There were dark circles under her eyes and where the rouge did not cover her skin she was pitifully white. She seemed patient and resigned, but, oh, so tired! They were ushered to a table and began their dinner. It came time for the tenor's next song. It was a little Neapolitan melody, and he sang it with a far-away look as he lightly touched his guitar.

"Light of my soul, be true, be true, And wait a little longer—"

came the words, but in his liquid Italian it sounded much like the first note the woman started and looked toward the singer.

"The flowers still bloom, the sky is blue, My love grows ever stronger."

"What's the matter with you?" asked the man. But the woman only grasped the table tighter, with a light in her eyes such as he had never seen there before.

"The storms of earth may break o'er us, And try our peace to scatter—"

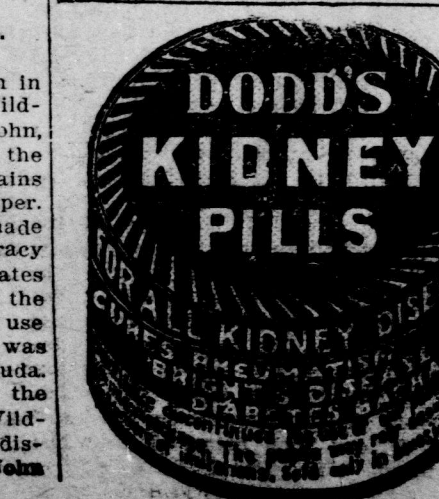
went on the tenor. The woman stood up.

"I'll wrap you in my faith and trust And naught our bliss can shatter."

She staggered toward him with streaming eyes. "Luigi!" she cried. "Luigi!" The voice of the singer ended and his guitar dropped to the ground. "Gianetta," he said, "Gianetta, carissima mia!"

I don't know what became of the man who had brought her there, but Luigi and Gianetta were married that night, and on the following Saturday took ship for Napoli, the Napoli of their childhood.—The Bohemian.

The schooner yacht Livonia, which raced for the America's Cup in 1871, and whose owner, James Ashbury, made much trouble, through disputes over conditions, has been wrecked at Mosquito Point, Newfoundland. She was sold some time after her race for a cargo schooner.



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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS.

MARRIAGES.

WILLIAMS-ROBINSON—On Aug. 10, 1907, at St. James' Church, South London, by the Rev. Dean Davis, Clara E. daughter of W. H. Robinson, to Don D. Williams, of Detroit, Mich.

LONG—At his late residence, 173 Hamilton road, on Monday, Aug. 12, Conrad Long, beloved husband of Catherine Long, died at 9:30, interment at Union, Ont. St. Thomas papers please copy. 16a

AMUSEMENTS LECTURES, ETC.

Springbank Theater

Tonight Stoddart Stock Company Presents "The Girl of the Golden West" Thursday, Friday and Saturday "Damon and Pythias."

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At lowest rates via C. P. R. Line, Allan, Dominion, Cunard, American, Atlantic Transport, Red Star and other lines. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Bank of Commerce.

DETROIT AND RETURN \$1.60

Good for three days. Saturday, Aug. 17. Chosen Friends' excursion, via Grand Trunk Railway, to Detroit, and return, 7:30 a.m. ship. Everybody welcome. 17c

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Excursions via the steamer DUNDON and Merchants' Line, via Hamilton, Toronto and the St. Lawrence River. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Bank of Commerce.

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Largest and coolest amusement house in the city. Electric fans in every room. GRAHAM & MARTELL, Props. 195 King.

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REGULAR MEETING, ST. JOHN'S LODGE, No. 20, in Masonic Temple, 8 o'clock this evening. Visitation welcome. M. D. Day, secretary. St. John's Lodge, No. 20: Hugh McIntosh, W. M.

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WANTED—OLD SOFA, MAHOGANY or walnut. Apply Box 100, Advertiser. b

A LADY WITH ONE CHILD WOULD LIKE

position as housekeeper, good worker; references. Apply Box 97, Advertiser. 16c

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horse; must be safe, good looking and cheap. Address Box 40, Melbourne. 15c

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WANTED AS SECOND—A GIRL OF 17 OR 18, for general housework. Apply 309 Dundas street. 15c

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LOST—SMALL OPEN-FACED GUNNETT watch, with chain but attached. Reward at Advertiser office. 17c

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set with eleven amethysts. Reward at Nordheimer's piano store. 15c

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Apply W. R. Wilson, lot 20, con. 16, London Township, or Bedford P. O. Owner may have same on proving property and paying expenses. 15c

LOST—82 REWARD—LAST WEEK

Waterman fountain pen, holder engraved in gold. Return to Advertiser office. 15c

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of the undersigned, about July 30—a heavy bay horse. Owner may have same on paying expenses. Walter Lewis, Mooreville P. O. 15c

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ton road; about two acres ground; 1 1/2 miles from market; good business place. Occupation, Sept. 1. Apply Buchner & Gunn, 83 Dundas street. 15c

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TWO CARPENTERS WANTED. APPLY R. M. Smith, 15 Brighton street. 15c

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NOT TOO LATE TO DO JUSTICE.

It is within the power of any one of five members of the school board to undo a great wrong.

A motion to reconsider the board's decision in the matter of the principalship of the Collegiate Institute, coming from one of those who aided Mr. MacRobert, would have this effect.

Messrs. Graham, McCormick, Granger and Fitzgerald were importuned on personal and party grounds to vote as they did. They allowed their judgment to be outweighed by the claims of friendship and the dislike of giving offense to a colleague who is always an uncomfortable yok mate, unless he can have his own way. At least two of these trustees made no concealment of their belief that Mr. McCutcheon's candidature was presumptuous. Their change of front is a testimony to the strength of the pull to which they were subjected by a past-master in the art.

Either of the four trustees named would be honored by the whole community if he would frankly admit that he had been betrayed into an act of injustice through the influence of a dominating colleague. There would be no loss of party prestige, for all fair-minded Conservatives repudiate Mr. MacRobert's right to use the party organization for his own purposes. It would be an act of manliness that would do a great deal to infuse a better and broader spirit into municipal affairs.

Who will make the move?

WESTERN FUEL OUTLOOK.

Unless steps are speedily taken by the Provincial Governments of Western Canada to meet the fuel situation it is to be feared there will be suffering among the widely scattered settlers. Last year some of them were brought face to face with a danger of the gravest kind. The depth of snow rendered it difficult to obtain fuel even where there was an abundance of wood, and if the approaching winter should prove as severe as last, the consequences may be even more serious. It may be taken, as stated, that there is a larger quantity of coal on order than ever before, but the demands of the country have also increased, owing to the growth of railway mileage and industries, and the substantial additions to the population, and there is no guarantee that the accumulated stocks in North America, which were practically exhausted last winter, will amount to more than an ordinary when the next cold season opens. Moreover, coal is largely taken the place of wood in the west, owing to the scarcity and high price of the latter. It is true that Western Canada is dotted with coal mines; yet it is not self-sustaining in the matter of fuel. If, as has been estimated, there will be 100,000 tons in store along the C. P. R. west of Winnipeg by the beginning of winter, the situation will be somewhat better than last year, but whether that is a sufficient reserve is open to doubt.

Frank B. Smith, a mining engineer, has been examining the coal prospect in the Eagle Creek district, 125 miles west of Saskatoon, and in his report to the Government of Saskatchewan he says he has interviewed many of the settlers on his trip, and they are unanimously of the opinion that they cannot stay in there in the winter unless there is a solution of the fuel question either by mining or railway transport. It takes the settler, on an average, from two to five days to make the round trip for wood to the sixty-mile bush, and many of them even buy it from the half-breeds, who are cutting it. The sections which will be in the worst situation the coming winter are those along the Canadian Northern Railway, where practically no coal is being accumulated.

The Winnipeg Free Press sounds a note of warning in this connection, and urges the Manitoba Government to follow the lead of the Saskatchewan authorities and bestir itself. To be prepared, it says, is the only way to combat the uncertainties of the climate, over which humanity has no control, and neglect of this important matter will, in the end, give the country a bad name. It is on Pittsburgh that Winni-

leg depends for its coal, and there are said to be good stocks at the lake ports. No great quantities have gone through as yet, however, and the longer it is detained at Port William and Port Arthur the more difficult it will be to move it west. It is, therefore, in the interest of the people that they get their cellars filled before the railways get busy handling the wheat crop, and the fuel question becomes overshadowed in the anxiety to get the grain to market.

CHERISH OUR SPRING WATER.

The Advertiser dissents from the proposition that it is the duty of the ratepayers of today to settle the water question for the ratepayers of 2000 A. D.

Why should the people of London drink river water for the next 50 or even 25 years, because citizens 50 or 25 years hence may be compelled to resort to the river?

You, citizen of London, if you can enjoy pure spring water for the rest of your life, why shouldn't you do so? The advocates of the filtration scheme would have you believe that if it is adopted now there will be no more expenditure for waterworks plant. This is not the case. When the capacity of the 3,000,000-gallon sand filter became exhausted the plant would have to be enlarged at considerable expense.

Under the independent system the filtration process could be annexed if it ever became necessary to resort to the river for drinking purposes, and the expense would be no greater than duplicating a filtration plant which might be erected at the present time.

But the day when the city will be forced to have recourse to the river for drinking need not concern the people of this generation. Those who have traveled in any extent know the difference between river and spring water in palatability, purity, and temperature. Take a poll of the commercial travelers and you will find them to a man in favor of the retention of London's unequaled spring water. It is one of the reasons why they are always glad to return home on Friday nights.

A river in a settled country grows more turbid. Spring water remains the same.

This would be a convenient time for telegraph editors to take their summer holidays.

Ralsult has given Kaid McLean his liberty. He will know better than to grab a Scotch thistle again.

The filtration doctors are still silent as to why they forbid the cutting of ice from the "springs" of the north branch.

The telegraph wires have been called the nerves of the modern world. There is a bad case of nervous prostration across the line.

They say that the names of the applicants for the post of clerk of the crown look like the roll-call of the Middlesex Law Association.

A Disgusted Observer put in epigrammatically in last night's edition when he said that London teachers must henceforth climb to promotion on the wire-ladder. They know who pulls the wires.

OUR WONDERFUL LANGUAGE.

[W. D. Nesbit, in Chicago Post.]
Eight rowers stood up in a row,
The boat was all ready to go,
One said he would show them all how
The rowers broke up in a row.The captain said: "Come, let us row."
And silenced the ones that said "No."
And then from the stern to the bow
The rowers went on with their row.A man tried to speak, and he spoke:
The bold rowers crept
And robbed as I slept
I'd vengeance to wreak, and I wroke.They wanted to steal, and they stole,
One thought he should squeal, and he squealed.
He told me the facts
Concerning their acts—
What he could reveal he reveled."I dared them to fight, and they fought;
My dog tried to bite, and it boughed;
It ran them away—
This tale of the fray
I wanted to write, so I wrought.""Hence, thus you may see, as I saw,
That what I would be I have been,
The robbers cried: 'Poooi!
Our robbing shall cease
If you will agree.' I agreed.""I've wanted to sing, so I've sung
A tribute to our mother tongue
Which runs in such ways—
The tribute of praise
I wanted to bring I have brought."A stranger sat under a bough
And thought it was pleasant enough,
Until with a cough came a cough,
Whose hide was a beautiful bough.The stranger leaped up on the bough,
And cried for the cow to go through
The cow, who was in a moult—
The cow ambled on with a "Mough."

MODE OF ENTRANCE.

[Harper's Bazar.]
Stella—How do you get into your suit?
Bella—It buttons up the back.

AN OLD STORY.

[Answers.]
Her face fell suddenly, and she gave an exclamation of surprise.
But it was too late to repine.
Her whole body accompanied her face.
She had stepped on a banana peel!

NEW USE FOR THE GRAMOPHONE.

[London Chronicle.]
Near Amsterdam a traveler who does not know a word of Dutch—perceiving the announcement "English spoken" entered a shop. "English, sir?" asked a youth behind

the counter. "This he placed up a cylinder, placed it in a gramophone, and the instrument duly sang out—but in German: 'Sir (or Madam), the proprietor, who speaks German, will be pleased for, and will return to the establishment in less than five minutes. Will you please be seated?' The tourist, who knows German, seated himself. In came the principal, who speaks excellent English. The stranger asked why the gramophone did not talk English. The explanation was: 'This my stupid assistant. I have a cylinder on which is recorded the message in English; he used the wrong one. There is no excuse for him; my English cylinder is tinted red at the ends, and the German one blue. Lucky for me, sir, that you know German, else I might have lost an esteemed patron.' After all, that horrible engine has its sor did use!

HE HAD HAD SOME.

[Cleveland Leader.]
Mr. Justcott—Why, what are you crying about, dear?
Mrs. Justcott—Oh, George, the mice have got into the pantry and eaten up a beautiful custard pie I made myself.
Mr. Justcott—There, there! Don't cry over a few mice.

THEATRICAL WISDOM.

[Whitney's Bulletin.]
Many a man thinks he is a bird because he wears duck pants.

JUDGED BY RESULTS.

[Cleveland Leader.]
"How did Jones make all his money?"
"Judicious speculation."
"And how did Brown lose his fortune?"
"Dabbling in stocks."

MODERN SUBSTITUTE.

[New York Sun.]
Knicker—Does he build castles in the air?
Becker—No; he reads auto magazines.

NO SHOP TALK.

[Washington Star.]
A Washington educator is telling a story about a young medical friend of his who is interested in insanity symptoms, and is a sort of amateur alienist. The other day the student got a chance to visit one of the wards in the asylum for the insane, and having heard that there was a man confined there who labored under the hallucination that he was God, the student asked that he be allowed to see this patient first, as he appeared the most promising for investigation. He was taken to the ward where the lunatic was confined, and the following conversation ensued:Student—Are you the one who overlasted I am he.
Student—Well, I've been looking for you for a long time. I have a question to ask you. How do other nations view the doctrine of predestination and free will?

The lunatic drew himself up to his full height, and giving the medical a scornful glance, replied: "My dear sir, I never talk shop."

GOOD PLAN.

[Pole Mela.]
"How can I prevent the flies getting into my sugar basin?" wrote "Constant Reader" to a journal.
"Fill the sugar basin with salt," was the laconic reply.

GOOD FOR McILROY.

[Ottawa Journal.]
"The true patriot," said Rev. W. A. McIlroy, of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, "will not raise the race cry with a view of promoting his own political ends," and added that though Jesus was a Jew, he did not assent other nationalities who by so doing he could have popularized himself with his race. "It is a sin to hate one's own country; it is also a sin to hate another country." Such sentiments must arrest attention and result in broadening the sympathies of true patriots. In giving expression to these views, Mr. McIlroy has shown himself a preacher for the times.

HOW HE CATCHES THEM.

[Judge.]
"How does it happen that you are retained in so many divorce cases?"
"Well," replied the lawyer, "seeing that you are not in my line, I'll tell you. I look over the marriage licenses every morning, and send my card around to the contracting parties."

THE LONDON ASYLUM.

[Ridgeway Dominion.]
The report of the lunatic asylums for the Province of Ontario for 1936 lies before us, and as the London asylum is the most interesting to this section, we give the following statistics regarding it: There were 1,000 persons there last year, 597 males and 403 females, of whom 20 were discharged as cured and 6 as improved. The total admissions since the opening of the institution were 5,461, of whom 1,269 were Methodists, 1,294 Presbyterians, 994 Episcopalians, 907 Catholics, 460 Baptists, 46 individuals and the balance of other denominations. In nationalities, 3,250 were Canadians, 718 Irish, 663 English, 429 Scotch. Hereditarily, business troubles, nervous and temperamental causes were the principal causes of insanity, and between 40 and 50 years of age are the most frequent admissions.

WILLIAM THE SILENT.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]
He—I never talk about things that I don't understand.
She—I should think you would be afraid you might lose the use of your vocal chords.

PRINCE RUPERT'S "FIRST FAMILIES."

[Prince Rupert (B.C.) Empire.]
Of Prince Rupert's permanent residents, the ladies take precedence after the children. Their names are given below, not according to age or good looks, but according to length of time they have resided in the town. Mrs. W. P. Anderson heads the list. She arrived here on Dec. 11, 1906. The following are Mrs. Tremayne, Mrs. Witcomb, Mrs. Pepin, Mrs. Creech, Mrs. McIntosh, Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. Barrow, Mrs. Viereck, Mrs. Craig and Mrs. McKay (arrived the same date), Mrs. Du Verney and Miss Du Verney. The two named arrived on July 1. The first lady who lived on the town site was Mrs. Moore, whose husband has charge of a G. T. P. engineering party. She came in October, 1906, but is now with Mr. Moore, whose camp is at some point on the Skeena.

STUNG!

[Ottawa Citizen.]
The London Advertiser says that the Ottawa Old Boys' reunion was a fiasco, and adds that Ottawa in the days is no drawing card. Our contemporary should not be misled by the fact that the Old Boys feature of the carnival was a fiasco into supposing that the carnival was not a success. The carnival was a success both financially and in point of attendance. It is doubtful if over such large crowds were seen on the streets of Ottawa. Incidentally, we may remark that there is no more delightful city to reside in during the dog days than this same city of Ottawa, with its three rivers, its charming parks and beautiful suburbs. And to be criticized by a set little town like London—it is too much!

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THE MAPLE LEAFS DRUB NEWARK

Toronto, Aug. 13.—The spectacle of Newark tearing up the Blasons over on their scrap heap spurred the Leafs on to determined effort. They were in each of the first seven and sixth, and scored out fourteen good bingles, mostly singles, from the line of benders, of which they delivered their sacrifice, something particularly gratifying in winning while Buffalo loses, because the lead seems to stack up so much faster, and this morning the Torontoes are 28 points to the good.

Familler was a pipe. The boys reached him safely in every inning but the sixth, and what followed in the seventh was enough to atone for the slight oversight. Larry Hesterer bent the white alley all around the plate, and induced the Skeeters to stab at it until they were exhausted and bewildered. They got one safety in each of the first seven and sixth, and accumulated the remaining three in the seventh. McCarthy, who was umpiring the bases, fell asleep at the switch and failed to see Merritt doubled out at first base. He afterward scored on singles made with two down. The other Skeeter run was taken off in the sixth, when a hit, an error and a wild pitch let Bean and his grin across the pan. Merritt hit a liner to left field which got away from Thoney, and allowed him to get to second bag. Both of Jersey City's runs were therefore the outcome of the foul-out. The ball, which evaded Thoney, took a bad bound as the feet left fielder was endeavoring to field it.

It was in the first and seventh that the Leafs made Pannmiller loop. The loop, four hits and a steal of third by Thoney, Schaefer, Schaefer, and Schaefer, enabled Toronto to get a pair of earned runs. The Skeeter pitcher was hit safely once in the second, third and fourth without anybody getting home, but two hits and an error gave Toronto another in the fifth, and the leaders were in the frame. In the sixth Kelly's Krew drew a blank but in the seventh, with Thoney and Schaefer gone, Kelley knocked the fence-boards loose in left field with a swipe that went for two bags. Phyle dopped a tantalizing Texas Leaguer near third, and Carney hit a smash-ding drive about ten feet in the air, and second that sent Kelley and Phyle home. The ball was relayed to Pannmiller and he made a wide throw to the plate, which allowed the sturdy third-sacker to dodge Butler. Flynn laced a pretty single and Carrigan rambled home. Phyle's and Carrigan's basesmen sneaked to second ahead of Butler's throws and the three runs which scored were all earned. Frick flew to Clement.

An accident happened in the eighth inning on the pennant race. The day had lined out his third hit of the day and was dancing around first base in an attempt to draw a wild throw from Pannmiller. While getting back to the base when the twirler threw to get him he dislocated his shoulder and had to retire from the game. Welder's casual took his place. The injury may result in a protracted lay-off for Thoney, but if it is not any worse than is now anticipated he may be back in the fight in a day or two. The score:

Team	A.B.	R.	H.	E.	P.O.	A.	E.
Jersey City	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Clement	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Beane	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Curtis	1	0	0	2	0	0	0
Hanford	1	0	0	2	0	0	0
Harrett	1	0	1	2	0	0	0
Harrett	1	0	1	2	0	0	0
Keister	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Keister	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Butler	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Butler	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Pannmiller	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	32	2	6	24	11	1	0

Team	A.B.	R.	H.	E.	P.O.	A.	E.
Thoney	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Weidensaul	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schaefer	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Schaefer	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Carrigan	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Phyle	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Phyle	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Frick	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Wetzel	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hesterer	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	24	6	14	27	9	2	0

Runs by innings—
Jersey City 0 0 0 1 0 2 0 0—6
Toronto 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0—2Hits by innings—
Jersey City 1 1 1 0 2 0 4 1—14
Toronto 1 1 0 0 0 1 3 0—6

Summary: Two-base hit—Kelley. Stolen bases—Phyle, Schaefer, Flynn. Struck out—Toronto 7, Jersey City 5. Time of game—1:55. Umpires, Conway and McCarthy. Attendance, 3,000.

Ants are extraordinarily fond of liver, and may be exterminated by laying raw liver near their haunts. The liver, when covered with insects, should be thrown into boiling water.

James R. Garfield, of New York, has purchased a big farmhouse on Prudence Island, in Narragansett Bay, where he will establish a hospital for crippled children.

The president of the world game is the president a rousing reception.

TURF.

WINNERS YESTERDAY.

At Fort Erie—Ben Stille 1 to 2, Ab-bacy 1 to 2, Showman even, Mollere 7 to 10, Lizzie McLean 2 to 1, Doubt 1 to 2.

At New York—Cornob 3 to 5, Paprika 3 to 1, Nimbis 1 to 4, Dreamer 1 to 3, Missouri Lad 3 to 5, Magazine 5 to 1.

A Berlin periodical has printed the opinions of over 100 authors on the effect of alcoholic drinks on brain work. A large majority of them pronounce it injurious.

IMAGINARY LIGHTWEIGHT PUGS ARE WELTERS

(Continued from page seven.)

makin' the weight any day. Tommy Sullivan wants to fight Abe again "for the title." Where does Tommy come in? He can't make a pound under 130 to save his life. Perhaps, by this time, he can't make that.

Then there is Tommy Murphy. Tommy is always introduced as the

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Today's feature is our

Half-Price China Sale

Royal Vienna Vases, with gold handles, and floral and portrait decorations, fancy shapes, ranging in price from .50 to \$20.00 each, selling at exactly half-price.

Fancy Royal Saxe Tankards, with floral and painted decorations, at exactly half-price.

Fancy Plates, including Dutch Plates, Grill Plates, in fancy portrait, floral and Dutch decorations, assorted sizes, ranging in price from 50c to \$3.00, at exactly half-price.

44-piece Tea Sets, four decorations, floral and gilt decorations, \$7.00 set, for... \$4.50
Semi-Porcelain Cups and Saucers, to clear at... 5c

Afternoon Tea Sets, in royal Vienna, 15-piece set, very handsome. Crown Derby pattern and decorations, regular \$20.00 per set, at exactly half-price... \$10.00

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Venetian Glass, in Bonbons, Fruit Bowls, Flowered Vases and Flowered Baskets, to clear at half-price, ranging in price from \$1.50 up to \$6.00 in the regular way.

Jardiniere, assorted sizes and decorations, from 25c to \$5.00, selling at half-price marked.

Special Sale of Majolica Cuspidores, worth and regularly sold at 35c. On sale at, each.....10c

Above are only a few items as suggestions. We will show you many other China Bargains, and a visit to this department will prove very profitable. See display in east window, which will give you some idea. Then come inside. The prices should influence every woman to buy for present and future needs.

Special Purchase of Black Chiffon Neck Ruffs Just Arrived From New York

Good full ruffling, with edging of chiffon ribbon, according to latest styles, at... \$2.50, \$3.50, and \$5.00
White Canvas Bags, envelope style... 25c
Embroidery Chemises, may be used for robes; new and dainty designs. Special for this Clean-Sweep Sale... \$2
Mourning Handkerchiefs 1/4 inch black stripe, hem-stitched... 2 for 25c
Children's Embroidery Collars: one dozen only; worth 25c, at 15c or 2 for 25c.

Continuation of Sale of Fine Waists in the Clean-Sweep Sale at Half-Price

Surely an inducement to supply your present as well as future needs in Shirts and Waists. These waists represent all of the best mid-summer styles—chic, nobby, prettily trimmed models. The following descriptions hardly do these numbers justice. They must be seen to be appreciated: \$1.50 for... 75c

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Clean-Sweep Prices in Carpet and Housefurnishings Department

Wonderfully successful has been our Five Days' Sale in this department. This sale started Saturday last, and continues to-day, Wednesday, and Thursday. Every year we plan in making this a great money-saving event.

Travelers' Sample Rugs—A special purchase for this sale of 185 rug samples; all kinds of goods. Tapestries, Wiltons, Axminsters, and Moquettes. Worth \$1.75 to \$12, selling at exactly half price.

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We went back to the Idle Hour, all four together, Diana apparently in high spirits, though her lips were tight and her eyes hard even while she smiled. "Give me ten minutes some time today, for heaven's sake," Sir George managed to whisper, as he helped me at the steps.

Before I could answer, Lady Forth came out, laughing, and claiming tribute of our lilies. They were just what she wanted for table decoration, she declared. It was so nice of us to take so much trouble, all for her.

Somewhat, the chance to give those ten minutes which Sir George had asked did not come. Exactly how it happened—whether by design or accident—one could hardly have said; but we were always interrupted if we drifted near each other. Sometimes it was Captain Weyland, Diana's slave; sometimes Lady Dunbar, but oftentimes Diana herself, who intervened.

Henry, on a house boat, with a big and merry party of people who knew each other well, is not the most convenient place for a tete-a-tete, no matter what the magazine story-tellers may say when they have a topical "society tale" to grind out for the first week of July.

Lady and Lady Forth had hosts of friends, none of whom were absent from the regatta; and besides the house-boat party there was generally a crowd of outsiders on board, lunching or chatting under the pink awning, and pretending to watch the races.

Late bedtime came that night, and Sir George and I had not had one minute together, much less ten; and though I did not fail to stab myself with the suggestion that perhaps he had not cared very much after all, I could not honestly believe that it had been his fault.

A hundred times I went over the words that he had said, but it was only just as I was sinking into sleep at last that I started awake with the remem-

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brance of some which, if not forgotten, had not till now held a separate, distinct significance in my mind.

What had he meant by the preface that there was "something he must confess"?

CHAPTER XVII.

The Masked Singers.

It was our third night at Henley, and nothing had happened. That is, much had happened by way of entertainment, but, selfishly speaking, nothing that was of intimate importance to me, or perhaps to Sir George Scarborough.

There was a dinner party on board the Idle Hour, but we had dined early on account of the illuminations and the fun of the last evening of the regatta. The late summer twilight still lingered in the sky when the men joined us on deck, and the soft blue dusk jeweled by the colored lights that glittered along the line of house boats, or sparkled up from the small craft that crowded the river like a flock of tropical aquatic birds.

The delicate lap, lap, of the water against the side of the boats was drowned by the sound of laughter, the buzz of talking, and the tinkle of banjo and mandolin in the hands of the river minstrels. Here and there a sweet voice rose, carrying some popular air of the moment, or a negro song that floated up with soft melancholy through the falling night; and as the men appeared, a punt occupied by masked minstrels who had proved themselves particularly skilled came on from a neighboring house boat to pause before the Idle Hour.

The pair were a man and woman, elaborately dressed in Japanese costume, and masked, so that their faces were entirely concealed. The man played a violin, and the woman sang, with so rich a contralto that I listened in dreamy pleasure as they began the Mexican "La Paloma," little dreaming with what a rude shock I was presently to be roused.

So many guests had come on board for dinner tonight that the deck of the Idle Hour was almost crowded; but presently I was conscious, though I scarcely looked round, that Sir George had found his way to me and was standing close behind me. On my other side was Diana. He might have occupied a place beside her, which she had been keeping with some finesse, if he had chosen; but he had ignored the opportunity, and with a just perceptible, petulant movement of her pretty shoulders Diana left Captain Weyland all the vacant place.

"Oh, I wish they would give us something else," I cried, when the musicians had finished.

Diana and Captain Weyland were the only others who applauded with enthusiasm, for Sir George had started from a reverie at my words.

"Do you wish it?" he asked. "Then they shall," and he clapped his hands with a vigor so contagious that everyone on board turned from their own conversation to the music, which was beginning again.

Not only were our own people ready to listen to the song which should come next, but those on all the adjacent house boats and the occupants of the little boats within hearing distance. The fact was that the Idle Hour had been the most admired house boat of the season, and as many of her party were well known in society anything that happened on her deck at once attracted attention.

I could even hear, sometimes, comments on my own appearance, stage whispers regarding my popularity, or information as to my name and place of residence. He had become too thoroughly accustomed to that sort of thing by this time to be much disconcerted.

The air which the masked minstrels had selected for their encore was a new one, with a certain impudent swing and lilt about it, as the man played a few bars on his violin before the woman began to sing.

Then she lifted her voice, and it rang out far more clearly than before, each word pronounced with a singular distinctness:

"Little Miss Nobody climbed up to a throne,
Though she hadn't a penny to call her own.
She wore fine feathers and lived on the best,
Oh, trust, Cinderella to feather her nest.

The lies that she told made the air quite blue,
So where she came from few people knew.
Who would have thought that, down Peckham way,
She'd taught in a nursery day by day?

But Miss Cinderella kept it all still,
For fear that the tradesmen would send in their bill.
She wanted to pose as an heiress rare,
For smart men won't marry a pauper fair.

She says her prayers, throws her line for a duke;
She'll get one, too, by hook or by crook—
Or else she'll feel that the game's in vain,
And go back to Peckham to hide her pain.

CHORUS.
Poor Cinderella sits and sighs;
Naughty Miss Nobody, she tells lies;
Painted Miss Nobody makes hearts ache;
Sly Cinderella takes the cake."

"Will no one stop those wretches, for goodness' sake?" broke in Diana shrilly, as the chorus rose and fell, and I stood helpless, agape, frozen with shame and astonishment. Duty I wondered why Diana, of all others, should be the first to come to my rescue. "Surely, Sir George," she went on in a lowered tone, "surely, you might do something to keep them from openly insulting Miss Brand, for all the world to hear?"

"How absurd!" he answered coldly and clearly, his voice almost as wide as the river, "they are singing and dancing for it had stopped now, and the masked minstrels were hurrying their punt away among the crowd. "How absurd, and how—if you had not been the speaker, I should have said—how malicious! As if anyone in his senses could possibly connect a vulgar doggerel verse with a lady—with the lady whose name you mentioned, of all people!"

"Nevertheless, she was the one meant, without doubt, and everyone will know it," went on Diana, undaunted by his reproach. "It will be all over London by tomorrow, for there has been so much curiosity and gossip. Everybody's heard the story about Peckham, of course. I should have thought it would be best to stop those creatures. Fancy verses being written on the subject! But, then, poor dear little Consuelo's such a celebrity that—"

I knew now why she had hastened to break in upon the singers, and why no one else had interrupted. I had been too horrified, too struck by the lightning flash of shame, to be logical at first; but I realized at last that silence, not loud championship, was the part of a true friend. Everyone except Diana had bravely striven to show that they had drawn no inference from the verses, that no moral had been pointed by them, no gossip tale adorned.

It had been left for Diana to raise the storm, and she had had no mercy. Mercy? I believed now, when I began to think again, after the blow which had numbed me, that Diana had planned the whole scene. A little money, a little ingenuity, and plenty of malice would have been the sole ingredients needed for the prescription; and she had had them all.

There are a number of fools and scandal-mongers in the world, I admit, said Sir George fiercely, before Diana could finish; "but I don't think you seem to fancy them, Miss Brand. That being the case—here agrees with me—we can do no better than to drop the subject once and for all. A couple of mountebanks have squallied a musical hall song. They may attach some obscure meaning to the words; but to those in a different class of life they can seem nothing but doggerel, neither worth talking of nor worth thinking of."

"Miss Nobody" is Consuelo's nickname, though, you know that, and "My Lady Cinderella," Diana stolidly insisted, though her face was marble white in the blue dimness. "She must have heard that herself, so she can't mind my repeating it, for I wouldn't be ill-natured for the world."

"I have never heard it," said Sir George. "Women do hear extraordinary things sometimes, to be sure, because they don't knock each other down for insulting their friends, as the right sort of men do. I should have thought, if a name were wanted in this case, 'Miss Everybody' would have been more appropriate; for when one is fortunate enough to have Miss Brand for a companion, it always seems as if one had secured everybody who was really worth thinking of."

"Oh, please, please, let us say no more about it!" I implored, in a queer little choked voice, that would sound as if I were stifling a sob. I had not felt like crying before—not when the spiteful words of the song were piercing their way to the most sensitive penetralia of my nerves; not when Diana had brought them home to me still more forcefully. Yet when Sir George spoke for me at last, the tears rose, and would hardly be kept down.

"If anyone speaks a kind word to me now I'm lost," I thought desperately; "for I shall howl, and disgrace myself, before them all, and before Diana, too."

But I was saved from that ordeal. The crisis was past; people found their tongues, and forced themselves to break the shocked silence. They had the tact to begin laughing and talking of other things—a ridiculous darky with a red wig and a tall collar, picking up a banjo; the first rocket of the evening shooting comelike across the sky.

Lady Forth drew near, and put her arm round me in a pretty motherly way, though she was not many years my senior, and hurried into a comical account of an accident which had happened to the Idle Hour during last year's regatta.

Five minutes after the masked minstrels had vanished no one would have dreamed that our peace had been for an instant disturbed. But my heart was thumping against my side like the strokes of a hammer, and the calm seemed to me only that which comes before a storm.

To Be Continued.

CLANRICARDE BECOMES COMMONS TANGLED; LIKE A GHOST LORDS WORKING

Ireland's Most Hated Landlord Appears Suddenly Before the Peers:

Contrast Between the British Houses Gives the Popular Branch Bad Name.

London, Aug. 11.—In the midst of the debate in the House of Lords on the Irish evicted tenants' bill, a measure which attempts the complete establishment of agrarian peace in Ireland, Lord Aikinson, long known in the lower house as attorney-general for Ireland, was making his maiden speech, and just had remarked that in Ireland all human virtues were supposed to concentrate in a man directly he refused to pay his rent, when a shriveled figure, with a weakened face, passed spectral-like, from behind the woolsack to an empty bench in full view of the house.

"What was it?" older peers whispered. "Clanricarde?" For the last quarter of a century the Irish land baron has been a household name and alleged misdeeds of Lord Clanricarde, but for twenty years he has been a figure of mystery. He has been the evil genius of the Irish Nationalists for a generation, and a man whom patriots exorcised. His name has been a byword in Irish agrarian agitation for the last quarter of a century. He had so often figured as a bogey in Irish speech that younger and many members of the House of Commons had become accustomed to regard him as a myth or a political flying Dutchman, "a being they never expected to see in the flesh, but whose existence they were so sure to feel."

Only a few weeks ago a prominent member of the House of Commons humorously professed his grave doubts as to whether the Marquis of Clanricarde was not purely a mythical person, but he was actually in the House of Lords—a little shrunken gentleman, with scolding shiners and emaciated body, on which a reedy suit of antique cut hung loosely and limp. His figure was frail, but in his face one could see no weakness of resolution.

Other members of the House seemed to shrink from Clanricarde as from an apparition. He perched himself primly on a corner seat on a bench below the ministerial gangway, and his appearance suggested some ghoul, whom Rip Van Winkle had left on the Catskill Mountains, but who had crept back to fall in with the mid-Victorian style, over the back of his coat. His features were sharp and delicate, his eyes deep-set and inscrutable, and his closed mouth and stubborn chin were fringed with a dusty gray mustache and beard.

For awhile this weird figure looked neither to the right nor to the left, but sat with a fixed and stony stare at the woolsack. Then the ministerial gangway, where he was seated, was crossed by a man in a dark suit, who was looking at him with a keen interest. The man in the dark suit was the Marquis of Clanricarde, and he was looking at the man in the light suit with a keen interest.

The whole speech of this old man of 75 was a scathing denunciation of the plan of campaign and the insatiable character of the Irish land legislation, but it was not his words which riveted attention so much as his gray shadow from which they proceeded.

When Clanricarde sat down the whole house looked at the figure as though they expected it to fade away in the mist, and with a fixed and stony stare at the woolsack. Then the ministerial gangway, where he was seated, was crossed by a man in a dark suit, who was looking at him with a keen interest.

Not a sound had interrupted his speech. It was, indeed, not that a single peer ventured to say word or utter a sound in support of Lord Clanricarde. Even Lord Lansdowne, leader of the Opposition, did not dare oppose the second reading of the bill.

MAHLER FOR AMERICA.

Vienna, Aug. 12.—Gustav Mahler, the famous director of the Vienna Imperial Opera House, will in a few months introduce himself to the musical public of America, Manager Conductor of the Metropolitan Opera House of New York. The prospective departure of Herr Mahler has created a distinct sensation in musical circles, as he has established a reputation for surpassing genius as a conductor such has not been known in Vienna before.

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London, Aug. 12.—In the beginning of the present session of Parliament there was much grave talk about the Premier, with his immense majority, ending, mending, or "bending" the House of Lords. At the end of the session we find the peers seriously at work, and accomplishing much in a very few hours each day, while the House of Commons is sitting day and night in a state of partial paralysis.

For ten days past members of the House of Commons have been going home with the milkman, and they will continue to do so until the prorogation about three weeks hence. That reasonable men who manage their private affairs with a sense of sagacity deliberately should doom themselves to what is often a species of slow suicide is scarcely credible. A man, especially when he has reached the age when most men enter Parliament, cannot live in defiance of the first laws of nature without paying for it. It is certain that old and middle aged gentlemen in the House of Commons do not lengthen their days by "stealing a few hours from the night."

Bad Temper in Commons. A majority of the members are complaining that they feel jaded, and bad temper seems to be the order of the day. In the small hours of the morning many angry words are flung across the floor of the House. They are as a rule semi-articulate sounds, in which most unparliamentary adjectives predominate. There are long wrangles, varied by motions of adjournment or motions to report progress and then, when the bulk of the members are fairly worn out, some forty or fifty orders of the day are run through in three or four minutes and the welcome cry of "Who goes home?" sounds like a melancholy dirge passing through the palace of Westminster.

Millions of money are voted without discussion in order that the wearied, jaded and sleepy legislators may get to bed. There are rumors that labor men, sick of the whole business, intend next year to insist on a parliamentary eight-hour day, and that they will not listen to the old argument against any interference with the present arrangements, namely, that it would exclude men of business, especially lawyers, from the House of Commons.

House of Lords Critical.

This is the British House of Commons, which wants to reform the House of Lords who generally finish a "good day's work" in a few hours. The strain upon the best men in the House of Commons is tremendous, especially at this expiring period of the session, where they are chosen to act on select committees which meet at 11 o'clock in the day and they return home between 2, 4 or 5 o'clock in the morning. It is easy to understand the severity of such attacks upon a man's strength.

The lords have become critics, and are saying that work done under such conditions cannot be well done, and pointing out that the branch of public business which suffers most from "all night" legislation is the work of voting money for the business of the nation. The House of Lords has no control over money matters. The House of Commons is the guardian of the public purse, and the lords are asking how guardianship is to be effectively exercised at daybreak and after a twelve or fourteen hour sitting.

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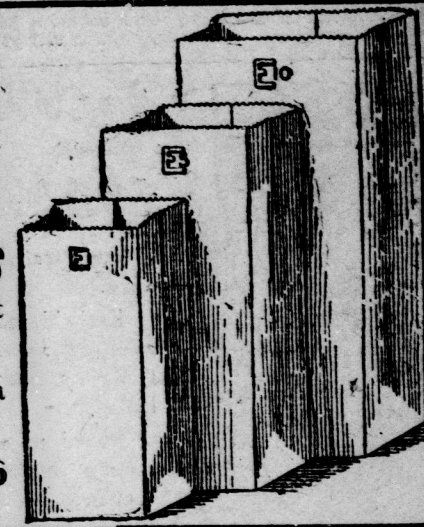
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THE PSYCHOLOGY OF THE HAT.

The hat in its psychological aspects forms the subject of a careful study by Prof. H. Gross, in a book, noticed in the British Medical Journal, on criminal psychology recently published at Leipzig. He has made a number of observations on the way of wearing the hat in its relation to character, and has formed conclusions of the accuracy of which he has satisfied himself by a long experience. He holds that a hat worn exactly perpendicular to the vertical axis of the head is a sign that a man is upright, but a pedant and a bore. The wearing of the hat very much on one side is said to be a mark of insolence and swagger; while wearing the hat on the other side of the head may be taken as a proof of recklessness, and being in debt; the further back it is, the nearer to bankruptcy is the wearer. This may be a useful piece of information to members of the stock exchange. If the hat is worn over the forehead, it indicates a man of difficult and sulky temper. Prof. Gross seems to have omitted the style of the hat itself, which our medical contemporary thinks is also an index of the mental constitution of the wearer. Unless one is known to be wealthy, the mere fact of wearing a bad hat is a proof of strength of character. Then there would seem to be a relationship between strictness of morality and breadth of brim; while extra curliness of the brim suggests rakishness. To the study of the science of the footgear Dr. Gross has also devoted much labor. Thus he has observed that a man who wears down the heels of his boots equally may be safely put down as an energetic man of business or a trusted official. If they are worn down on the outer side, the owner is of an adventurous spirit; if they are worn down on the inner side, he is weak and undecided in character.—Westminster Gazette.

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IN THE WORLD OF SPORT

LATEST LOCAL AND TELEGRAPH NEWS
BASEBALL—RACING—BOWLING—BOXING
LACROSSE—RUNNING—QUOITING—TENNIS

Umpire Smith won't officiate in the St. Thomas game here tomorrow. "That bunch is troubled with the sour-grapes habit," said he Saturday. "Home talent is relished in the railroad village for some reason or another. Anyway I expect to be working at Guelph on Wednesday—and I'm glad of it."

Sporting Editor Advertiser.—The old Irish baseball team of Lucan desires to arrange two games of ball to take place at home on Labor Day with some good London nines. State terms to C. W. Hawkshaw, Lucan.

St. Thomas-Stars at Tecumseh tomorrow. Members of the choir will kindly turn out en masse, and bring their song books with them.

Note: War-whoops, original "roots," etc., will not be out of place.

To-day there is not a spit-ball pitcher in the land holding his own. That's pretty broad, but let's see. Jack Chesbro, the king of them all, is having the worst jolt of several years. Stricklett, the inventor of the spit ball, is not firing off any red fire in Brooklyn. Harry Howell is not winning a large majority of his games. Walsh finds that he is becoming more effective by using his regular curves, and he is shaking the spitter as fast as he can. Dornier, of Boston, has given up the "saliva slant," and any others that you might mention are shaking the pesky curve as they would a fan who wants to talk over the game.

There must be a reason for this. There are only two plausible explanations, and it must be one or the other. Either the batters are getting on to the curve, or it never was so strong from the start. Ball players will be quoted about anything except each other, and we can't blame them at that, for they often have to sleep together. Baseball, like politics, makes strange bedfellows. But to back up a minute.

A well-known player told me less than a month ago that in his opinion the spit-ball had little to do with Jack Chesbro's wonderful record of four years ago, when he won forty-two games. According to his idea, and that of many others, Jack made his great record because he was at his zenith as a pitcher, and used his natural strength and brain toward success.

As proof of this, look over Chesbro's record the following years, and this season as well. He can still pitch the spit-ball as well as ever, but still he can't win. What is the trouble? The answer would naturally be that he is not as strong physically as he was, or that the batters have found him out. Of course, luck cuts a big figure, but Jack goes nicely for four or five innings, and then they nail him, the spit-ball to the contrary notwithstanding.

Another theory which bears considerable force is the one advanced by McGraw three years ago. You know the Giant manager would never let his men use the spitter. He has always insisted that the curve would ruin a pitcher's arm. May be he is right. Anyway, the king spitters are on the to-boggan, and the fellows who stick to the old line goods are in the saddle.

When the Giants faced the Athletics in the world's championship series they had to go against the spitter, and it did not bother them in the least. The Cubs, though beaten by the White Sox last year, were not beaten by the spit-ball. The pitchers who were the most successful against them only used the slippery curve occasionally.

The spit-ball is not used so generally in the National League as in the American, and the board of strategy at Chicago doped it out that the spitter would be the thing to down the Cubs. They tried it out on the second day, and the White Sox were beaten.

Mordcau Brown, one of the most insistent winning pitchers the game ever knew, does not use the spit-ball, and neither does Christy Mathewson.

The ounce of prevention, which is more beneficial than the pound of cure, could be applied with good results to the baseball situation in Chicago. There is no axiom more true than the one which proclaims that the evil effects which betting invariably has on the honesty of sport of any kind. Baseball is the great sport of unquestioned honesty today simply because the betting element has been kept out of it as far as possible, and because there are strict laws in the organized ranks against betting of any kind in connection with the games or on the grounds of clubs belonging to organized leagues. It would be impossible for two league clubs, for instance, to play a series of games for a widely advertised "side bet," as it is claimed two local independent clubs started playing last week. Many persons interested in baseball doubt the existence of that "side bet." There are many more who believe the wager actually hinges on the result. It matters little whether the "side bet" is in real or press agent money. It serves the purpose of connecting baseball with gambling in the minds of a considerable part of the public, and immediately arouses in the minds of the suspicious doubt as to the honesty of the contests. Probably nothing can be done by the forces of organized baseball to prevent the frequent instances where independent teams, representing rival towns, play series for alleged wagers, as in the case of the local clubs. But so long as such series are played in the smaller cities or on independent parks they attract too little attention to have serious effect on the game's reputation.—Chicago Tribune.

It is said that the steeplechase jumps at Saratoga are too stiff for the porch climbers from Fort Erie. This is a hopeful sign. We are progressing towards the period when steeplechase jumps will be a mile high, with spikes set the wrong way of the course on top of them.

You may think this is a fancy yarn, but it isn't. A Wichita (Kan.) paper has it on the authority of "a prominent Wichita fan" that Fielder Jones, of Chicago, is only making a bluff at retiring from the game at the end of the present season; that he is simply framing up an excuse to quit the world's champions, and join the Wichita team. Nor is this all. Altkrock, too, and a few others of Comiskey's outfit are seriously considering offers to join out with Isbell, and shed their luster on Wichita grounds. Great stuff, that.

THE TENNIS TOURNEY

Scores in First Round Singles and Doubles of Rowing Club.

The scores of the London Rowing Club tennis tournament up to date are as follows:

Singles—First Round.

Mathewson defeated Dann, 6-4, 6-3.

Willgoose defeated Weld, 6-4, 6-3.

Fraser defeated Sage, 6-2, 6-4.

Harrison defeated Dawson, 6-3, 6-2.

Lind drew a bye.

Singles—Second Round.

Willgoose defeated Dale, 6-0, 6-2.

Boucher defeated Harrison, 6-3, 6-2.

Doubles—First Round.

Smith and Boucher defeated Weld and Woods, 6-3, 6-3.

THE WELL TO KNOW A GOOD THING.—Said Mrs. Surface to Mrs. Knowell, when they met in the street. "Why, where have you been for a week back?" "Oh, just down to the shore for a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil," said Mrs. Surface, who had been there. "But she remembered, and when she contracted a week back she was another customer for Electric Oil."

TIGERS ARE NOW
IN SECOND PLACE

Waddell Was in His Best Form and Won Opening Game.

Detroit, Aug. 12.—Saturday it looked like a return of the old Tiger hoodoo when Bill Donovan was beaten 1 to 0. Yesterday, at the opening of this home series, in which the Tigers hope to clinch a lead for the pennant, Detroit dropped into second place. And it was before a record crowd. Bill Donovan's one-run defeat and big crowd days have always been a source of worry to the Tigers. Yesterday a record crowd, close to 12,000, packed the park to its capacity, and the Tigers lost, 7 to 3.

While the crowd did hamper the Tiger outfielders in going after balls that they could have gotten on a clear field, they would have lost anyway. Rube Waddell was right.

That alone tells the story of the game. George Edward robbed the Tigers of their batting eyes as he used to when he was a terror to the home lads. Several times he either fanned the batter or forced him to roll to the fielders. No club can beat the freak when he is right, and especially when his teammates can keep his nerve up by batting in a few runs early in the game.

These things were able to do. The many right-hand batters on the Philadelphia club seemed to have their batting clothes on, for they pounded Siever hard. Waddell had little to worry him after the third inning, as the Athletics had secured a lead of three runs. As the Rube never quits unless his club is behind, Connie Mack felt sure of a pocketed game.

At that, the Tigers gave him a bad scare in the ninth inning. He had Plank and Dygert warming up, for the locals were getting to the crazy one with such painful regularity that it looked as though they might tie the score. The Reuben one, however, managed to pull out of a tight hole, aided by good luck and good pitching, and Ban Johnson's records show one more against the Tigers.

Brass bands, mighty crowds, wild enthusiasm never were conducive to good play by the Tigers as an opener of a home series. Play was more or less ragged on both sides. The Tiger fan had but one thing to gloat over—the desperate try that failed in the ninth inning.

Connie Mack's crowd got to Siever in the third inning, and Killian, who succeeded him, was likewise hit hard, but errors helped him. Waddell, who hit three in the third in the third by hitting. Nichols drew a base on balls and Seybold sacrificed. Davis got a lucky double into the right field. Nichols scored. Murphy singled to center and Davis scored. Murphy made second on the throw-in by Crawford, and went to third on Collins' fly to Cobb. Oldring's double past third scored Murphy.

It looked as though the Rube would blow in the Tiger half of the very same inning, but he bore a charmed life. O'Leary was safe on Nichols' lead throw to Davis and Charlie trotted to second as the ball bounded into the crowd. Donovan batted for Siever and died to Hartel. But Jones walked and Coughlin got a scratch hit to Collins. With Crawford and Cobb up the fans were happy, thinking they had him clinched. But Crawford fouled out. Jones at third, and Cobb fouled out. Jones' force-out, however, let in one run.

In the fifth Philadelphia added to its lead, when Killian granted Murphy a base on balls. He went to second on Collins' infield out and scored on Oldring's single to left. In the sixth they added still another, when with one out Hartel singled. Nichols tried to steal the score. Murphy was sent to bat for Killian and struck out. Jones hit to Waddell, and the Rube nailed Payne at the plate. Coughlin sent another to the Rube, and was out at first, ending the game. The score: Detroit, 7; Philadelphia, 3.

Then came the ninth for the Tigers, when they made their desperate stand. Downs doubled, and Payne singled. O'Leary doubled and Downs scored. Waddell was plainly up in the air. Despite the lead the Athletics had, every loyal fan expected the Tigers to beat a run to Waddell, but it went for a sacrifice. Nichols threw out Jones, and O'Leary scored. Coughlin popped to Davis, ending the inning.

Philadelphia clinched the game in the eighth, when Hartel singled. Nichols attempted to sacrifice, but Rossman booted the ball into the crowd. Hartel made third and Nichols scored. Hartel scored on Seybold's fly. Davis walked, and "was" forced by Murphy, Nichols scoring.

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The Holder of the Tin Vessel—Be so pardon, Miss, but this 'ere receptacle would just do for that goblet.

Seneca Wins Second Race. Bitter Feeling Shown Between Yachtsmen in Cup Contest.

Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 12.—The Canada's cup defender Seneca today won the second of the international yacht races, distancing the Canadian boat by a mile in a 12-knot breeze.

Charlotte, N. Y., Aug. 12.—The depth of the ill-feeling between the Royal Canadian Yacht Club and the Rochester Yacht Club is remarkable. To say that the relations are strained is to put it mildly. Yesterday at the Rochester Yacht Club ill-feeling developed itself to a degree. Rochester yachtsmen from Commodore Pritchard down are incensed because the Canadians held out for the weighing of Seneca. And they say that the R. C. Y. C. was making a senseless kick upon a technical point of no importance, and by their persistence cast aspersions upon the honesty of the Rochester club officials, to say nothing of Herreshoff.

"I hope they take the cup back, and if they do we will never challenge again for it," said a prominent member of the Rochester club. "There has been so much bickering, that I would favor abandoning the sport."

Evidence of Feeling. The feeling which prevails was made plain yesterday when Commodore Pritchard, on behalf of Seneca, claimed that Adele had fouled her on the start on Saturday, and stated plainly that the only reason he protested was because the Canadians had been "so blamed technical" that they were going to take advantage of the Rochester people had nothing to gain from such a protest, except that if it were allowed the race would be doubly assured to them—once on Seneca's own win and the other by the committee's own judgment.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

Club	W.	L.	P.	C.
Philadelphia	59	38	628	
Detroit	58	38	624	
Chicago	58	40	585	
Cleveland	58	40	547	
New York	45	53	459	
Boston	45	56	434	
St. Louis	41	57	412	
Washington	29	66	335	

EASTERN LEAGUE. R. H. E.
At Rochester—10001010—3 9 3
Rochester—24304000—13 13 2
Batteries—Burroughs, Toren, Hardy and Byers; Pappalau and Doran. Umpire, Sullivan.

At Buffalo—00020000—4 13 0
Buffalo—10010200—5 13 1
Newark—21010110—6 14 2
Batteries—Cleary and McAllister; Pardoe and Shea. Umpires, Kelly and Cusack.

At Toronto—02000000—2 6 1
Toronto—21010110—6 14 2
Batteries—Pannillier and Buller; Hester and Carrigan.

At Providence—00001000—2 7 4
Providence—110100210—7 10 3
Batteries—Mack and Peterson; Stanley and Clarke.

NATIONAL LEAGUE. R. H. E.
At Pittsburgh—00201000—3 8 2
Pittsburgh—00201000—3 8 2
Batteries—Hoffard and Gibson; Mathewson and Brennan.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

Club	W.	L.	P.	C.
Chicago	59	38	628	
Pittsburgh	59	38	624	
New York	58	40	585	
Philadelphia	58	40	547	
Brooklyn	47	56	456	
Cincinnati	45	58	439	
Boston	38	62	380	
St. Louis	29	66	335	

WOULD RACE LONGBOAT

Poston, of Quebec, Would Run at the Exhibition.

Toronto, Aug. 12.—The executive of the National Exhibition has under consideration a proposal to have a Marathon race at the exhibition. Already one prominent citizen has offered \$100 towards a \$1,200 cup to be competed for from year to year.

Manager Orr this morning received a challenge from George E. Poston, champion long distance runner of Quebec, offering to race Longboat or any other long distance runner in a race to be run at the exhibition.

Strathroy Once More

Defeats Petrolia at Lacrosse by Score of 3 to 0.

Strathroy, Aug. 12.—Strathroy defeated Petrolia in a fairly fast game of lacrosse by a score of 3 to 0. The local team has not been defeated on their own grounds in three years.

The line-ups: Strathroy—Goal, Farr; point, Small; coverpoint, Newton; first defense, E. Small; second defense, White; third defense, Newton; center, Dell; third home, Cardiff; second home, McKee; outside home, McDade; inside home, Calvert.

Petrolia—Fisher, English, Broderick, McElroy, McRae, Smith, Yerkes, Stettin, Knight, McPhail and Peat.

BASEBALL. BOTTLES FOR THONEY.

Toronto, Aug. 12.—From so virtuously indignant a city as Buffalo when some youngsters threw cinders at Rochester here recently, comes the tale that Saturday the Toronto team was treated to a small shower of pop bottles on the field and on the street. Jack Thoney had to step about very lively to avoid extra well aimed missiles in left field. He flew a Union Jack from the top of his boot on top of the bus to help matters along after the games. The series saw the bitterest struggle in the league this year, and a great deal of hard feeling was let loose. No one was hurt.

BRANTFORD MOB
HAMMERS REFEREE

Didn't Like the Beating They Were Getting From St. Kitts' Lacrosse Team.

Brantford, Aug. 12.—The C. L. A. League contest between St. Catharines and Brantford turned into a riot before the close of the second quarter. It proved one of the roughest ever played in this city, culminating in an exhibition of rowdism of the most disgraceful character. Referee Donald Hall, of Oshawa, towards the close of the second quarter, when the score stood 3 to 1 in favor of the visitors, was threatened with assault by spectators who rushed on the field. He immediately stopped play and awarded the game to St. Catharines. Thereupon hundreds swarmed on the field, making deliberate attempts on Referee Hall and Field Captain McIlwain, of St. Catharines, both being mobbed and struck repeatedly in the face and body.

To the credit of the local players and some of the spectators, it should be said, they made valiant efforts to protect the visitors, surrounding them and beating back the assailants until they were landed in the dressing-rooms. The referee was hurried away and all the players kept under lock and key.

Throughout the game and at the time of the assaults there were no police on the field. Later the police arrived and protected the visitors. Although efforts were made to assault them, they were rushed to the station in covered vans.

The game itself was brutally rough, and the players, particularly among the visitors, were frequently laid out. The Brantford men laid on the hickory in the most approved manner, and, in consequence, decorated the fence for extending periods.

The referee was strict and impartial. Brantford made an attempt to play Ollie Davidson, of the Tecumsehs; Taylor, of Toronto, and Whitehead, of Tecumsehs, but St. Kitts objected to their playing, even if the match were regarded as an exhibition game, and local men were substituted.

In the first quarter Brantford got one, but St. Kitts two, one of which was disallowed. The visitors had scored two more to the call of time in second.

Many fights occurred among the players. The better element of sportsmen here greatly regret the entire proceedings, which seemed to be provoked by the old-time rivalry and friction between Brantford and St. Catharines.

The crowd was large, numbering 2,000.

HIGHBALL DRAWN FOR THE SEASON

Will Not Be Seen on the Race Track Again This Season.

Cleveland, Aug. 12.—Highball, 2:06 1/4, that great trotter of which so much was expected this year, will not be seen again on a race track this season. That was the declaration made by Frank G. Jones, of Memphis, owner of the horse.

Mr. Jones, while pleased with his three victories at the matinee here, Saturday, was downcast when asked about Highball.

"I am afraid," said Jones, "that Highball is through racing for this year. He is lame and cannot do himself justice. He is entered all the way down the Grand Circuit, but he will not start. He showed that in Cleveland, when Mr. Geers put him on the track. Highball is a great horse, a wonder, and I do not intend to race him until he is right. He may stay with Geers through the circuit or he may be sent back to Memphis and turned out for the season. I do not think he will take part in another race this year. He is too valuable a horse to take unseemly chances with."

On Friday evening last an enthusiastic meeting of the junior members of the Y. M. C. A. was held in the boys' parlors and a baseball league was formed to continue the rest of the season.

Four captains, Jack Hamilton, Tom Chatto, Chester Parkinson and Everett Glen, were chosen, and the following schedule was drawn up, all Saturday games taking place at the C. P. R. diamond and the Wednesday games at Queen's Park.

Saturday, Aug. 10—Chatto vs. Glen.

Wednesday, Aug. 14—Hamilton vs. Parkinson.

Saturday, Aug. 17—Chatto vs. Parkinson.

Wednesday, Aug. 21—Hamilton vs. Glen.

Saturday, Aug. 24—Hamilton vs. Chatto.

Wednesday, Aug. 28—Parkinson vs. Chatto.

Saturday, Sept. 1—Glen vs. Chatto.

Wednesday, Sept. 4—Parkinson vs. Hamilton.

Saturday, Sept. 7—Parkinson vs. Chatto.

Wednesday, Sept. 11—Glen vs. Hamilton.

Saturday, Sept. 14—Chatto vs. Hamilton.

Wednesday, Sept. 18—Glen vs. Parkinson.

Saturday, Sept. 21—Glen vs. Parkinson.

Wednesday, Sept. 25—Parkinson vs. Chatto.

Saturday, Sept. 28—Hamilton vs. Glen.

Wednesday, Sept. 3—Parkinson vs. Chatto.

Saturday, Sept. 6—Hamilton vs. Glen.

Wednesday, Sept. 9—Parkinson vs. Chatto.

Saturday, Sept. 12—Glen vs. Parkinson.

Wednesday, Sept. 15—Hamilton vs. Chatto.

Saturday, Sept. 18—Chatto vs. Hamilton.

Wednesday, Sept. 21—Glen vs. Parkinson.

Saturday, Sept. 24—Hamilton vs. Chatto.

Wednesday, Sept. 27—Parkinson vs. Chatto.

Saturday, Sept. 30—Hamilton vs. Glen.

Wednesday, Oct. 3—Parkinson vs. Chatto.

Saturday, Oct. 6—Hamilton vs. Glen.

Wednesday, Oct. 9—Parkinson vs. Chatto.

Saturday, Oct. 12—Glen vs. Parkinson.

Wednesday, Oct. 15—Hamilton vs. Chatto.

Saturday, Oct. 18—Chatto vs. Hamilton.

Wednesday, Oct. 21—Glen vs. Parkinson.

Saturday, Oct. 24—Hamilton vs. Chatto.

Wednesday, Oct. 27—Parkinson vs. Chatto.

Saturday, Oct. 30—Hamilton vs. Glen.

Wednesday, Nov. 2—Parkinson vs. Chatto.

Saturday, Nov. 5—Hamilton vs. Glen.

Wednesday, Nov. 8—Parkinson vs. Chatto.

Saturday, Nov. 11—Glen vs. Parkinson.

Wednesday, Nov. 14—Hamilton vs. Chatto.

Saturday, Nov. 17—Chatto vs. Hamilton.

Wednesday, Nov. 20—Glen vs. Parkinson.

Saturday, Nov. 23—Hamilton vs. Chatto.

Wednesday, Nov. 26—Parkinson vs. Chatto.

Saturday, Nov. 29—Hamilton vs. Glen.

Wednesday, Dec. 2—Parkinson vs. Chatto.

Saturday, Dec. 5—Hamilton vs. Glen.

Wednesday, Dec. 8—Parkinson vs. Chatto.

Saturday, Dec. 11—Glen vs. Parkinson.

Wednesday, Dec. 14—Hamilton vs. Chatto.

Saturday, Dec. 17—Chatto vs. Hamilton.

Wednesday, Dec. 20—Glen vs. Parkinson.

Saturday, Dec. 23—Hamilton vs. Chatto.

Wednesday, Dec. 26—Parkinson vs. Chatto.

Saturday, Dec. 29—Hamilton vs. Glen.

Wednesday, Jan. 1—Parkinson vs. Chatto.

Saturday, Jan. 4—Hamilton vs. Glen.

Wednesday, Jan. 7—Parkinson vs. Chatto.

Saturday, Jan. 10—Glen vs. Parkinson.

Wednesday, Jan. 13—Hamilton vs. Chatto.

Saturday, Jan. 16—Chatto vs. Hamilton.

Wednesday, Jan. 19—Glen vs. Parkinson.

Saturday, Jan. 22—Hamilton vs. Chatto.

Wednesday, Jan. 25—Parkinson vs. Chatto.

Saturday, Jan. 2

THE MATINEE RACES

List of Entries Promises Good Sport For Wednesday.

The starters in the matinee races tomorrow at Queen's Park will be as follows:

Class 1—Skidoo, Belle Mac, Mishap, Assiniboia.

Class 2—Rolloe Rex, Daily Bread, Assiniboia.

Class 3—Grocery Boy, Ruby K, Prince Patrick.

Class 4—Dan, Billy H., Organette, The Elk.

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

—The Grove Epworth League will picnic at Port Stanley on Thursday of this week.

—The Maccabees are holding their annual picnic at Springbank this afternoon.

—Miss E. Waterworth and Miss M. Larche are spending their vacation at Locust Nook, Port Stanley.

—Tomorrow at Victoria Park another of the popular series of band concerts by the Twenty-sixth Regiment Band will be given under the direction of Bandmaster Pococke.

—The many friends of Mr. Ray Ramage, of Tillsonburg, who has accepted a position with Brownlee & Co., wish him every success in his new work.

—Mr. William J. O'Neill, a pioneer of Dorchester Township, died last night at Victoria Hospital after a long illness. He was 76 years of age, and widely known.

—His fellow-members of the Twenty-sixth Regiment Band recently presented Mr. F. W. Wilkinson, cornet solo player, with a very beautiful mantel clock, he having been married some time ago. Bandmaster Pococke read an address, and Secretary Perrin made the presentation.

—Through the prompt generosity of kindhearted people, Mrs. Tilley will require no more money for sending the sick English girl to her mother in Swansea, South Wales.

—Miss May Breen, of the Grove, is the guest of Ena and Mabel Meek, of 527 Piccadilly street.

—The employees and their friends numbering about twenty-five, of the Fred H. Crabb Company, picnicked at Springbank yesterday afternoon and spent a very enjoyable time. An exciting game of ball was played, after which they dined by the riverside, and held quite a theater party in the evening.

—The Labatt baseball team would like to hear from any shop team in the city. Mann's Brass Works, Empire Manufacturing Company, London Brass Works preferred. Game to be played at any place or any time. Address all challenges to G. Loughrey, care Labatt Manufacturing Company, Bathurst street, London.

—Miss Winifred Sanborn is visiting Master Harold Heath, Bayfield.

—Miss Regina Kress, of Durham, is the guest of Miss Lizzie Chatto, Richmond street, city.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hamilton and niece, Miss Sybil Robson, have returned home after spending a pleasant holiday in Part Stanley.

—Miss Ella Barnes, of Coldstream, is the guest of Mrs. Richard Arcott, of Teeswater.

—Mrs. L. Barton, Nelson street; Miss A. Middleton, Hill street, and Mrs. C. R. Pugh, of Pine Bluff, Arkansas, have returned after spending two weeks at the lakeside.

—Miss Gardiner, of Glasgow, Scotland, also Mr. and Mrs. Dunbar and Mrs. (Dr.) Dales, of Dunbarton, are visiting Mrs. Gibson, of Waterloo street.

Will Rebuild at Once.

The board of directors of the Southwestern Traction Company is holding a meeting this afternoon to discuss business in connection with the fire of Saturday last. The matter of rebuilding the barns will be taken up, and it is quite likely that it will be decided to rebuild at once.

Hand Smashed.

Mr. John Caravella, 344 Dundas street, had his hand smashed at the McCleary works yesterday afternoon. He was taken to Victoria Hospital where his hand was dressed. He was then taken to his home.

Tomorrow's Line-ups.

The line-ups for tomorrow's big game at Tecumseh Park between the Stars and St. Thomas will be as follows:

St. Thomas—Nethercott, catcher; Carr, pitcher; Humphrey, first base; McDonald, second base; Delaney, third base; Bertram, shortstop; Turner, left field; Wheeler, center field; Oar, right field.

Stars—B. Jeffries, catcher; Clark, pitcher; Tierney, first base; Graham, second base; O'Rourke, third base; C. Fitzmaurice, shortstop; Wilson, left field; Fitzmaurice, center field; Gatecliffe, right field.

The Weekly Concert.

By kind permission of Lieut.-Col. Welch, the band of the Twenty-Sixth Regiment, under Bandmaster Pococke will render the following programme in Victoria Park tomorrow evening, Wednesday, Aug. 14:

March—Seventy-first Regiment. Boyer Overture—Barber of Seville. Rossini Selection—The Isle of Spice. Jerome Cornet solo—The Palms. Faure.

Mr. C. C. Irwin.

(a) Intermezzo—Heart-Strings. Castro (b) Romance—Simple Aven. Thorne From Floral Suite, "Lilies". Bendix Selection—When Johnny Comes Marching Home. Edwards Waltz—La Baigneuse. Bucalossi Two-Step—The Metronome. Frize.

Heed God Save the King.

Graft often goes about disguised as a business opportunity. Experience teaches us how to make other kinds of mistakes.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

YOUTH WANTED: TO LEARN CUTTING. Apply English Woollen Mills Company, 200 Clarence street.

Strike of the Telegraph Operators

(Continued from Page One.)

Manager Bowen, of the C. P. R. telegraph office, is accepting messages for all points, but messages for places where trouble is on are taken subject to delay, and the company refuses to be held responsible if they are not put through.

The Effect on the G. N. W.

Mr. W. C. Furness, manager of the Great Northwestern Telegraph Company's office in London, was seen by The Advertiser this morning and he stated that as yet he is unable to say just what effect the strike of the operators in other cities will have upon his office. So far as he is able to observe, only the larger offices are likely to be affected—perhaps only Toronto, Hamilton and Montreal.

Messages are being accepted from Buffalo and points east, as well as for Detroit, and certain points west, subject to delay. Messages for southern points are being accepted, but the managers will not pretend to say when the messages will be delivered.

"We sent messages to Chicago and Winnipeg yesterday," Mr. Furness said to The Advertiser, "and we experienced no delay whatever. As to other points, however, we can say nothing."

Mr. Furness said also that the strike of the men in Toronto and Montreal had not seriously affected business at these points as many operators are still at work there. Messages for both cities are being accepted.

The Last Strike in London.

The last strike of commercial operators in London took place in 1882.

"We had the only telegraph office in London then," Mr. Furness continued, "and I had about 40 men here. All dropped their keys one night and walked out, leaving me with only the chief dispatcher to help me out."

One of the men who quit work that night was Mr. Chris J. Fitzgerald, the racing star, who went to New York, and also a member of the shoe firm known as the Cook-Fitzgerald Company. Since that time things have changed, for Mr. Fitzgerald now holds a position in New York City which brings him \$10,000 a year, and he is under contract for ten years.

The men lost this strike.

At present the local men are simply awaiting news from other places, and they may quit at any moment.

The Canadian Situation.

Mr. C. E. Hill, of Toronto, a C. P. R. operator, the Canadian representative on the international executive of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union, was interviewed today, and gave out the following statement:

If the telegraphers of Toronto go out on strike it will be simply because they don't want to handle dispatches sent by non-union operators in the United States. It will be a sympathetic strike.

"The men here have no special grievances and have made no demands on the companies, although they would like to get the eight-hour day instead of the nine-hour day now in vogue."

That is the true situation, affects London operators. Mr. Hill passed through the city last night on his way to Chicago, where a meeting of the international executive will be held to discuss the strike. He further stated in the interview that the strike would, if not speedily settled, reach very large proportions.

Wishes To Avoid Trouble.

"The strikes in the American cities have not been properly authorized," Mr. Hill continued, "and if a settlement can be made between the men and the companies that will end it. That may be a difficult problem, however. If a general strike is declared it is quite probable that orders will be sent to Toronto, London and other Canadian cities for the men to go out, and in that case they will almost sure to do so. They are well organized and the feeling of sympathy is very strong."

"I am doing all I can to keep our men at work until a definite order is sent to bring them out. They will hardly be called out for a couple of days, in any case, so that a chance may be had to reach a settlement of the trouble in the United States. If no settlement can be arranged over there, there will be only one result in Canada."

New York, Aug. 13.—While the striking telegraph operators claim the strike against the telegraph companies will be successful, the officials of the Western Union and Postal Telegraph Companies state today that they are handling their business rapidly and that numbers of men are returning to work. No disorders have been reported by the police. Officials of both telegraph companies said today that they had sufficient operators at work last night to attend to the dispatching of telegrams, and that they would make every effort today to fill the places of the strikers.

All during last night pickets of the strikers patrolled in front of the buildings of the telegraph companies, and sought to turn back strike-breakers. Their methods were orderly.

Everything Orderly.

The police reserves from several stations are on duty during the night, but had nothing to do.

There was a gathering of striking operators in City Hall Park late last night, but the crowds soon dispersed. Over 50 of the Western Union operators were housed during the night in the main buildings, and food was provided for the company. The women operators were sent home at 9 o'clock.

Night Chief Operator Robinson said today that the company usually employed between 250 and 300 men during the night, and that last night more operators were at work than usual. The business at the branch offices, however, he said, was hampered by the strike. Mr. Robinson declared that the charges that the companies were placing dummies at the keys were false. Nearly a hundred operators worked through the night at the Postal Telegraph Company, so the officials said today, and they were making good progress in handling business. The company furnished coats and food for those operators who desired to remain in the building all night. The women operators did not remain on

duty all night. Many clerks in both companies, who had not worked an instrument in years, remained at the offices last night.

The Union Side.

The office of the local union swarmed today with striking operators, who were told to create no trouble, and that if they remained out the companies would be forced to meet their demands. It was said that the operators employed by brokerage houses will not be affected by the strike, but that they would be assessed to help the strike fund. Deputy President Thomas said today that the companies were so badly crippled that they were unable to handle the business.

The striking telegraph operators privately admit that the function of union treasury is not sufficient to finance a prolonged strike, but are depending on aid from allied labor unions.

The Associated Press started its through west wire to Chicago and intermediate points at the regular hour today, and was moving a full report. This condition also prevailed on the Associated Press east circuit from New York to Boston.

Little Tragedies.

There were some affecting scenes at the strikers' local union headquarters today. Old gray-haired veterans were broken-hearted at the turn of events. Several had forfeited their rights to a pension fund, while others felt that it would be difficult for them to find employment again because of their advanced years.

Railroad companies reported today that the strike had not affected them, and officials of the Railway Telegraphers' Union said that no sympathetic strike of the railroad operators would be called.

The railway telegraphers said that when they went on strike in the past, the commercial telegraphers did not go out in sympathy with them.

Large mercantile houses say today that the telegraph office has not affected their business, and wherever urgent business or orders are necessary the long-distance telephone is being used. Officers of the United Press Association said that their operators were working on their leased wires, and that the transmission of news was proceeding uninterrupted.

MARKET SQUARE FOUNTAIN

The Humane Society to Start Its Erection At Once.

At a meeting of the Humane Society held in Inspector Sanders office, city hall, this morning, it was decided to go ahead with the installing of the proposed fountain in the Market Square.

"Permission, of course, must be secured from the city council and the water commissioners," said Mr. Sanders this morning, "but we have assurance that the permission will be granted for the asking."

BEAR VISITS ROOSEVELT

Boldly Invades Sagamore Hill and Escapes When Pursued.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 13.—A live bear, of whom no one claims ownership, has taken up his home in the woods on Sagamore Hill, and in the early foggy hours this morning he paid a visit to the residence of President Roosevelt.

The tramping of the underbrush near the edge of the cleared knoll on which the President's summer home is situated, roused the secret service guard to activity. While the sleuths went into the woods the bear came boldly into the clearing.

When the guard returned to his post after a vain search for the cause of the noise, he was given another start by seeing scratching on the roof of a lean-to in the rear of the President's house. Upon the roof went the guardsman, but what he saw caused him to stop and pinch himself, and rub his eyes. As he was doing this the bear made the ground and ambled off toward the woods again.

The secret service men hastily organized the household dogs and stablemen into a hunting party. For three hours the hunt lasted—from 3 until 6 o'clock—but the bear got away. His tracks have been carefully guarded, and present the only real evidence to substantiate the story.

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BULB FARMS OF MARSHLAND.

The vast industry hitherto associated almost exclusively with Holland is gaining a foothold in Great Britain that is promising for the agricultural depression there. It is said that the climate of Holland is just like the climate of England, only worse.

In the fen district of Lincolnshire there are many acres of land devoted to the growing of narcissi, and so successful has the industry become that several Dutch growers have paid England the compliment of buying their stock bulbs in that country, while others are said to have considered seriously the advisability of purchasing stock in Lincolnshire for the growing of bulbs so as to compete with the Englishman in his own land.

An acre of wheat or potatoes in England is worth from \$30 to \$100, but an acre of choice daffodils or narcissi may be worth anything from \$250 to \$2,000 and more.—Chicago Tribune.

THAW'S NEXT TRIAL.

New York, Aug. 13.—Margaret W. Littleton, who is now chief counsel for Harry K. Thaw, called yesterday at the district attorney's office to see about the next Thaw trial. Mr. Jerome has not made up his mind when the trial will begin.

Advertiser Correspondence

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

The recent action of the school board repeats the lesson for the ratepayers that it is most men to retain they too long in office. Of course, there are exceptions. Our two trustees, Messrs. McRobert and Fitzgerald, are examples of the rule. The first year that either of them held office, and that is long ago, he doubtless would graciously have explained to an ordinary elector, let alone a public journal, his reason for his public action. But now these men regard any such inquiry as impertinence. They have been in office so long that they own the business. Can't they do as they please with their own? Bureaucratic is it impertinent to ask them for reasons. The public duty is to pay taxes and ask no questions. Such men make far better officers if they are kept on summer fallow off some half the time.

T. H. S.

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Frank Rockefeller's startling arraignment of his brother came out as a result of a chance remark by Dr. H. E. Bigger, of Cleveland, the Rockefeller family physician, who said a few days ago that John D. Rockefeller, now 68 and "actually husky," should outlive his present age of 84.

These words of Dr. Rockefeller's doctor definitely established the fact that Wm. A. Rockefeller, father of the richest man in the world, is alive. The question arises, Where is he?

His Father Kept in Hiding.

Only four persons hold the secret of old Wm. A. Rockefeller's place of concealment—his children, John D., Will, Frank, and Mrs. Mary Ruddy—and they absolutely refuse to reveal it.

There is reason to believe that many years ago William A. Rockefeller changed his name, turned his back upon wife and family, and somewhere in the middle west established a new home. In this place it is certain his identity as the father of John D. Rockefeller is unsuspected.

Grave Reasons for Secclusion.

Early in the search Frank Rockefeller, John D.'s youngest brother, in an interview, stated that his father was not only alive, but in good health, that his whereabouts was a secret, and that there were grave reasons why this secret must not now be divulged. But Frank Rockefeller went further. He spoke of a "time coming" when the world would make public simultaneously the true life history of his brother, John D., and the secret of his father's condition and whereabouts.

Throughout the interview, containing denunciations of John D. and hints at mysterious reasons for the concealment of their aged father, Frank Rockefeller kept these two ideas closely linked.

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The interview with Frank Rockefeller then went on:

"My father is alive and well," said he. "He is dependent upon no man. He would scorn the prospect of financial aid from John and would not take it from me. He has means of his own, ample for all his needs. But there is a reason why I cannot at this time tell you where he is. In a few weeks or months I will be ready to tell the whole world."

"No one yet knows that I am writing the story, the real history of John D.'s life. I finished it secretly here in my office several months ago, but there were imperfections in the work, and I am doing it all over again. Rest assured that it will be right this time."

Brother Vows To Expose John D.

"Yes," he continued, in a bitter tone, "when I make John D.'s true life history public and explain the fact about father, this country will be too warm for its richest citizen. Go ask John D. where our father is; tell him that I sent you and that I dare him to answer."

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"Why not explain about your father now?" the reporter asked.

"No, not," was the sharp reply. "I must consider the consequences carefully to follow a publication of the facts. This secret must not be revealed. No shield would be done by publicity now, and much unmerited suffering would be caused. But it will all come out in good time. It will surprise the whole world to see the real John D. unmasked for the first time."

Says Oil King Is Inhuman.

"Strange talk for a brother, isn't it?" asked Frank Rockefeller, pausing. "You're talking from one brother about another, but what I say is literally true. John D. is not a human being. He is a monster; merciless in his greed, pitiless in his cold, inhuman passions."

"I have been vastly amused," continued Mr. Rockefeller, "by what you have told me of your hard search for my father in Cedar Valley. I can tell you a fact: I have reason to know that John D. himself inspired the false tip that took you to Iowa. From private sources of information I learn that he has started several other misleading clues to father's case."

Says His Piety Is A Mask.

"Why does he do it? Because he is as mad for publicity as for money. He knows father is absolutely safe from discovery, and he takes malicious pleasure in playing with the public. Behind his mask of piety and kindness he laughs at all humanity. He is literally a madman who believes that he is a god who cannot sin."

"This is absolutely true," said Mr. Rockefeller in closing the interview. "And you will find it out. With the malice of a fiend he has wrecked my business career again and again, but I have ferreted out every secret of his terrible life, and his end is not far off. Once exposed, he must literally flee the country."

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LONDON AND DISTRICT
 —The London Hunt Club has issued invitations to many farmers of Middlesex to join the club at dinner on August 30, in the City Hotel.
 —Messrs. James Tytler and Ben Fanning, Capt. Walter Smith and Assistant City Engineer Kirkpatrick, are taking a trip with Dr. Hutchinson in his yacht, "The Nancy."
 —The Wesleyan Male Quartet: Mr. J. Chapman, Mr. H. Janney, Mr. H. Boyce and Mr. E. Janney, gave three numbers in a very artistic manner in the Wellington Street Church Sunday evening.
 The funeral of the late Martin Piper, a young Englishman from Ingersoll who died at Victoria Hospital on Sunday, took place yesterday from Stewart's undertaking parlors to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

The Bridge Fell In.
 A bridge that spans the Catfish Creek near the Mapleton cheese factory, proved too light to bear a traction engine and separator which attempted to cross it on Saturday and as a result Mr. James Dunsford, of Belmont, who was on the engine, had to jump and sustained a badly sprained ankle. The machines were badly smashed. Mr. Dunsford intends suing the Township of Yarmouth for the amount of damages.

THE LATE MOSES POLOCK
 Impressive Funeral Services Were Held on Sunday.
 The funeral of Mr. Moses Polock, the father of Mr. Louis Polock, of the London Metal and Rag Company, took place from the home of his daughter, Mrs. Salaway, Clarence street, at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The deceased lately arrived from Cleveland, Ohio, with the intention of making his home here. During his short stay he made many friends among the Jewish citizens who are sorry to learn that he was so suddenly taken away. He also left a large circle of friends.

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in Cleveland who will be sorry to learn of his death.
 At the time appointed for the funeral all the Jewish citizens of this city congregated at the home of the deceased where they paid their last tribute to the dead. The funeral procession marched from the home to the Synagogue of the Children of Moses, Son of Judah, situated on the corner of Colborne and Horton streets, where the ceremonies of the Jewish faith were performed by the chief rabbi, Rev. L. Sheffield, assisted by Rev. S. Kenter, of the same synagogue.
 From there the funeral procession marched to the Synagogue of the Children of Israel, on the corner of Simcoe and Richmond streets, where the ceremonies were completed by the chief rabbi, Rev. L. Sheffield, assisted by Rev. P. Phillips, of the latter synagogue. Then the large procession proceeded to the Jewish burying grounds on Oxford street, where the remains were interred.
 After the solemn proceedings, the mourners returned to the late home of the deceased to express their condolences, after which they dispersed.
 The deceased was 62 years of age, and left a wife, three sons, and two daughters to mourn his loss.

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TWINS BOWLED AND HAD A GOOD TIME
Ald. Stevely and Mr. Stanley Williams Had Birthday Party Yesterday.

Ald. Sam Stevely and Mr. Stanley Williams had birthdays yesterday, and the "twins" celebrated by challenging each other to a game of bowls. As each confessed to having just passed his "twenty-fifth" year, the teams chosen were all young men. It was a game to be remembered. Sam Stevely was the demon skip, and some of his draws beat mustard plasters some miles. But his four won. Harry Buttery played third, when he could be located, and did some exquisite work. He had the weight all the time, but his direction was sometimes north-northeast, when he was bowling west. He occasionally got one near the kitty. Charley Abbott played his usual good games, full of splendid running shots, and occasional draws. Jeff Wood, "the champion of champions," who is making a rare collection of trophies and such, was the great lead. It was owing to the fact that he got one within six feet of the kitty every once in a while that the Stevely stalwarts were able to win. Skip Stanley Williams was on the job every minute. He bowled well, but was unfortunate. At that, he made it a heart-breaking finish, not one of the spectators knowing what would happen next. Bert McBride was third and generally took what was coming his way. Harold Biddler, from Cleveland, the town John D. Rockefeller made famous, was not much accustomed to bowling, but he was willing. A new panel will have to be put in the fence. Billy Fulton led well, and countered some also. He did some rare speed work, and was called the speed marvel. After the bowling game, the "twins" entertained their friends to lunch in the Travelers' Club, where a very interesting half hour "was spent in speeches and songs. They were voted the best shots in the world.

The score of the bowling game was as follows:
 Stevely's Stalwarts. Williams' Wonders.
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BRASSWORKERS HAD A VERY FINE TIME
 Those Who Won the Prizes Offered in the Sports Programme.

The brass workers had an enjoyable picnic at Port Stanley on Saturday. The firms whose employees took part were the London Brass Works, Empire Manufacturing Company, Labatt Manufacturing Company and the Mann Brass Company. The programme of sports resulted as follows:
 Children's race, under 5 years — Misses Trudell, Gled, Dear, Rodgers.
 Girls' race, under 10 years—Misses Trudell, Bassett, Dear.
 Boys' race, under 10 years—Bainford, Gled, Dear.
 Girls' race, 10 to 15 years—Misses T. Hill, McGriger.
 Boys' race, 10 to 15 years—Trudell, Stone, Barr.
 Single ladies' race, 50 yards—Misses Stincomb, Pratt, Pugsley.
 Married ladies' race, 50 yards—Mrs. J. Langley, Bentley, Parker.
 Single men's race, 100 yards — W. Wilson, R. Brown, W. Hancock.
 Married men's race, 100 yards — H. Lake, B. Bassett, S. Short.
 Standing jump—R. Brown.
 Fat men's race — G. Walters, L. Rychman.
 Blind pig race, couples—Dean and Taylor, Eggett and Irene Hill, Culver and Culver.
 200 yard dash, open—J. Langley, H. Lake, W. Wilson.
 Pie race, couples, 50 yards and return—Mayne and Langley, Garside and Culver, Bentley and Conley.
 Wheelbarrow race, 25 yards and return—Jeffery and Eggett, Carrol and Dean.
 Spinners' race, comic costume—W. O'Brien.
 Committeemen's race, 100 yards — Culver, Brown, Wilson.
 One mile race—J. Langley, E. Gardner, J. Jackson.
 Catching greasy pig—Garside.
 Prize waltz—W. Wilson and Miss Brown, Mr. and Mrs. H. Garside.
 Prize two-step—Mr. Atkinson and Miss Oakley, Mr. and Mrs. Culver.
 The committee was composed of the following gentlemen—Messrs. J. Porter (chairman), W. O'Brien (secretary), F. Wright (treasurer), Parker, Templar, Gled, Brady, Marsh, Atkinson, Bryanston, Culver and Wilson.

PORT STANLEY NOTES

A Plague of Fish Flies Making Things Uncomfortable.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
 Port Stanley, Aug. 12.—The village and its surrounding summer beaches are infested with large lake flies. The winged creatures started to arrive from the south on Saturday evening, and now there isn't a building, sidewalk, or lawn, but what is literally covered with them. Early this morning the cement walk on Bridge street was as slippery as it ever is with ice, and the fishy odor coming from the crushed flies was almost unbearable. It is expected that by tomorrow night the pests will have disappeared.
 The steamer City of Montreal arrived yesterday morning with a large cargo of freight for the Pere Marquette and London.
 Locust Nook guests are Miss Ethel Holmes, Miss Alta Smith, of Aymer, Misses Larsh and Waterworth, Mr. John Grant and son Cameron, Miss Maud Walsh, Miss Emma Stinton, Miss Foss, Miss Millie Quick, Miss Ella Parker, and Miss Bernice Campbell, of the nursing staff of the asylum, and the Messrs. Rawling, all of London, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Reath of St. Thomas.

The large catenary Marquette, and

Bessmer, No. 2, has had a fine searchlight installed. Last evening as she was leaving for Conneaut, she made things brilliant in the village by throwing her powerful light over it.
 Guests at The Fraser: Thomas Martin, A. J. Norris, H. M. Rumball, A. Roberts, C. Green and wife, H. M. Graydon, J. Sing, M. Riley, H. C. Hersey, London; Mrs. Graydon, London; M. O'Neill, St. Thomas; Miss Brady, Chicago, Ill.; G. W. Graydon and wife, Buffalo; Mrs. Arthur L. Amys, Annette Amys, Loftus Amys, Boston; Miss G. M. Ince, Cleveland, Ohio; E. K. Pierce, Chicago, Ill.; G. H. Green and wife, Brantford; Charles McKay, Toronto; G. W. Lillie, J. O. Gallow, Toronto; Edna J. Horseman, Pearl Horseman, Mrs. E. Horseman, Detroit; Miss Hotson, Detroit; Miss Jean Cecil, Detroit; A. Smith and wife, New York; L. Allen and wife, Chicago; L. Hamby, London; Mrs. Kitty, Mrs. M. P. Marshall, of Baltimore.
 Mr. and Mrs. Gray and family, of St. Thomas, and Miss Casey, of Fingal, are spending the warm days in the village.
 Miss Ila Hopkins and mother, of St. Thomas, have rented rooms at Fort Ryan for the balance of the season.
 Miss Katharine Smith, of Shady Nook Cottage, New Orchard Beach, entertains her young friends from 4 to 9 p.m. tomorrow.
 Mr. and Mrs. Austin Roache have returned to their home in Detroit, after spending a couple of weeks with his brother, Mr. Gilbert Roache, at Port Stanley.

GOOD TIMES AT GRAND BEND
 Movements of the Campers and Cottagers—Summer School Opens.
 [Special to The Advertiser.]
 Grand Bend, Aug. 12.—The party of Brussels young ladies who for the past two weeks have been occupying Linger Longer, left on Saturday for their homes.
 Mr. Taylor, of Wyoming, is spending a few days here.
 Mrs. R. Stokes, and family, Parkhill, are in camp at Buena Vista.
 Extra Norfolk, of Stratford, is spending his holidays here.
 Mr. McK. Millman, of London, who has been holidaying here for the past two weeks, returned home on Saturday. Mac will be much missed.
 Miss Florence Bartlett, of Windsor, who has been the guest of Miss Westland at Rev. de Stee, has returned home.
 Mr. Parkins, of Sarnia, is spending his holidays here.
 Mr. Norris Dight, of Theford, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Clarke, at Dew Drop Inn.
 Mr. McCombs, of Lucan, is holidaying here at Barney Castle, the guest of Mr. T. Webb.
 Mr. and Mrs. Dent, of Mitchell, who have been at Templeman since early summer, have returned home.
 Mrs. George Willis, of London, who has been the guest of Mrs. McCallum, at Pinecroft, returned to her home on Saturday.
 Mr. Douglas Wilson, of Montreal, is at Maple Grove, the guest of Mr. C. R. Somerville.
 Dr. and Mrs. Robinson, of Detroit, returned home from Maple Grove, after visiting at Rev. Mr. Newton's.
 Miss Emma Glass is entertaining a house party of six young ladies at Maple Grove.
 Mr. Fred Waud, of London, is the guest of Mr. Tait at The Retreat.
 Miss Edith Williams, of Toronto, has returned home from Maple Grove after spending some time with Miss Newton.
 The young ladies at Happy Nook gave a very enjoyable taffy-pull on Saturday night. About thirty guests were present and all report a pleasant evening.
 Mr. Gillies, of London, accompanied by Miss Edna Gillies, Mr. George Henry and Mr. Partridge, motored in to spend the week-end.
 Mr. George Fraser, of London, is spending his holidays here.
 Mr. Laurie Gillies has returned to his home in London after a pleasant vacation at Sunny Vale.
 Mr. W. E. Saunders, Mrs. Saunders, Miss Muriel Saunders, and Miss Edith Raymond motored in from London and spent Sunday here at the Imperial.
 The Exeter district summer school opened on Sunday, Aug. 11, at 11 a.m., when service was held in the large

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tent which has been erected on the Exeter side for the use of the school, during its stay here. The Parkhill choir was present, and rendered some fine music. During the offering Miss Fernie Allen, of Parkhill, sang a solo very sweetly. Mr. J. E. Holmes, of Lucan, opened the service, and Rev. Walter Russell, B. A., of Toronto, conducted the session throughout. The text was taken from Acts, i, 8, and from it Mr. Russell preached very eloquently. The afternoon session at 2.30 took the form of Bible study conducted by Mr. Russell. In the evening at 7 service was opened again by Rev. J. E. Holmes, of Lucan. Rev. Mr. Russell spoke from I. Corinthians, ix, 24. During the collection Miss Maude Robinson, of Parkhill, sang a solo in her usual sweet way. Rev. Mr. Copeland, of Watford, closed the meeting. These meetings will be continued all during the coming week.

SMELLS OUT LUNATICS
 London Doctor Says Crazy Men Emit Strong Odor.
 London, Aug. 12. — A leading physician, Dr. Harabayashi, has just revealed an interesting discovery made by him regarding lunatics. He asserts that lunatics emit a noxious odor which is peculiar to themselves. This odor, although it comes from the waste products of the body, does not exist in sane beings, and Dr. Harabayashi thinks it is either due to the curious change in the perspiration which issues from the pores or to the presence of certain acids which exist in greater quantities in the bodies of lunatics.
 The physician says he once knew a young man, aged 31 years, who had lost his reason two years previously. This patient was particularly clean, and insisted on having his bath daily, but would never bathe with others. Yet the water in which he bathed had a most offensive odor. As the man recovered this smell left him, and when he was discharged from the asylum he emitted no odor whatever.
 The doctor says that the gravity of a case of insanity can be tested by the intensity of the smell emitted by the lunatic.

WILL DIG UP BERGERAC
 Parisians After Tomb of Long-Nosed Cyran

Paris, Aug. 10.—It has been decided to search for the remains of Cyran de Bergerac, the famous poet. The decision has been taken by the Commission of Ancient Paris, and the remains are to be sought for in the soil on which formerly stood the church of the convent of the Dominicans de la Croix in the Rue Charonne, where it is known that the hero of Edmond Rostand's great drama was buried.
 The convent was erected in 1641 by Charlotte Marie Ruzé d'Effiat, the sister of Cinq-Mars, and the last vestiges of it were removed about a year ago in consequence of the law abolishing religious communities.
 Savinien de Cyran de Bergerac, who was born in Paris in 1613, died at the house of his brother, Abel de Cyran, near Melun, in 1655. His body was brought back to the capital and interred in the convent of the Dames de la Croix by his aunt, Katherine de Cyran, who was a nun known as the Rev. Mother Marguerite de Jesus, of

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