

Births, Marriages, Deaths

DIED.
EARLE—In this city, on July 11, John Earle, father of P. Earle, of the G. T. R., in his 88th year.

Funeral will leave the residence of his son-in-law, W. Lillierup, 48 Hill street, on Wednesday, at 3 p.m.; services at 2:30. Friends please accept this intimation.

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Meetings.

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ST. JOHN'S LODGE, NO. 30, A. F. AND A. S. M. G. R. C.—A regular communication of the above lodge will be held this evening, at 7:30, in Masonic Temple, visitors welcome. John Jones, W. M.; M. D. Dawson, secretary.

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CLOSE CONTEST

The British Columbia Election Returns Show a Tie.

G. N. W. Special to The Advertiser.
Vancouver, B. C., July 12.—The latest election returns give the Government and Opposition 17 seats each. Cariboo (two) yet to be counted, and the election in Cassiar (two) has not yet taken place.

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A feature of "Society Journalism" in Kansas is the publication, along with a list of wedding presents, of a list of young men who have been refused by the bride.

Dr. Chase Cures Catarrh After Operations Fail.
Toronto, March 16, 1897.
My boy, aged 14 has been a sufferer from Catarrh, and lately we submitted him to an operation at the General Hospital. Since then we have resorted to Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure, and one box of this medicine has made a prompt and complete cure.

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Flying the White Flag!

Shafter Says Quiet Reigned at Santiago,

While the Enemy Was Considering Surrender.

American Forces Surrounded the City, But the Line Was Thin.

Surmise That Santiago Has Been Evacuated by the Spaniards.

Gen. Miles at the Front—Results of the Preliminary Operations on Monday—Effect of the U. S. Warships' Shells on Cervera's Ships.

Washington, July 12.—Gen. Shafter, in a dispatch probably written yesterday afternoon, says everything is quiet, and that a flag of truce was up while the enemy was considering the surrender. He reported that he had the town surrounded, but the line was thin, and would be strengthened in the morning.

Washington, July 12.—The following dispatch was received here at 9:30 a.m.: Playa del Este, via Hayti, July 12.—Headquarters of the army corps.—It has been quiet, but little fighting. A flag of truce was up since 2 o'clock; considering proposition for surrendering. Now that I have the town surrounded on the north. Lines were completed at 6 p.m. by Gen. Ludlow right down to the bay. The line is rather thin, but we will have it strengthened in the morning by Gen. Henry's corps, which has just arrived at headquarters. Only three or four casualties. No one killed so far as I can learn. Expect to have two of the new batteries in position tomorrow. Great deal of suffering among the people who have gone out of Santiago. Am doing my best to relieve it, but not entirely successful. (Signed) SHAFER.

SCHLEY AND CERVERA.
On the day of Admiral Cervera's departure for the United States as a prisoner of war, the following conversation passed between the Spanish admiral and Commodore Schley regarding the destruction of the Spanish fleet: "If we could have passed the Brooklyn, and I believe we could," said Admiral Cervera to Commodore Schley in the cabin of the Iowa, "I could have got away. My orders to concentrate fire on the Brooklyn were carried out, but your ship has a charmed life, sir, and the sad-faced admiral, with tears in his eyes, added: 'My career is ended. I shall go back to Spain to be killed or die in disgrace.'"

Commodore Schley put out his hand and rested it on Cervera's shoulder. He speaks perfect Spanish, and said: "Admiral, you are a brave man, and coming out as you did, in the face of a superior force, is but an exemplification of that bravery. Your country can do no honor."

MANILA'S INSURGENT MARINE.
Madrid, July 12.—5 a.m.—An official dispatch from Iloilo, Philippine Islands, says Aguinado, the insurgent leader, is patrolling the coast with a squadron of marines. Two bands of insurgents at Cebu have been defeated, and three insurgent leaders have been captured and shot. The official dispatch says there is no news from other parts of the island.

A Query.
HAVE THE DONS SKIPPED?
Under date of June 10, the London Times correspondent telegraphs from Santiago: "Either the Spanish have moved out of the city, leaving a few men to cover their retreat, or they have withdrawn into the city and are waiting behind barricades. This means a street-to-street fight, or a continuation of the bombardment."

In another dispatch the correspondent says: Major-General Shafter believes that the main body of the Spanish army has abandoned Santiago, and that it is now fleeing to the westward. It is expected as I write that the American army will be in full possession of the city by noon tomorrow. A joint attack by the army and navy was made upon the city late this afternoon, and much destruction must have been wrought by the American guns on land and sea. To this attack the Spaniards made only a feeble reply. The United States loss was insignificant. No really earnest attempt to reduce Santiago was made today. It was a plan merely to give the Spaniards an idea of what they might expect when the American land and sea forces make their final attack in the morning. During today's fighting, however, the dynamite gun did great damage in the city, as did the shells fired from the fleet from a position off Agudora. There is little question in

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auxiliary cruiser Yale, with Gen. Nelson A. Miles, and the United States cruiser Columbia arrived. Rear-Admiral Sampson visited Gen. Miles immediately on his arrival, and then the Yale went to Siboney. Gen. Miles and his personal staff landed in a pouring rain.

CERVERA'S SHATTERED SHIPS.
The board of survey, appointed to examine the wrecks of the Spanish ships, reports that only one can possibly be saved. She is the Infanta Maria Teresa, the former flagship of Admiral Cervera. The hull of the Cristobal Colon shows she was only hit six times, and then only by shells of 8-inch, 4-inch and six-pound caliber. This verifies the story that the command of the Cristobal Colon surrendered because he saw she could not get away from the Brooklyn and the Oregon, and to continue the battle meant sacrifice of life. It was found that the brass plugs of the large guns and the bolts and locks of the small arms had been thrown overboard. The Vizcaya showed she had been riddled by the Brooklyn and Oregon. She had not been struck by projectiles larger than eight inches. Her upper works were riddled by one and six-pound shells. Nearly all of these shells exploded inside the superstructure, and must have driven the men from the guns. This confirms the story of Capt. Eulate, that the Brooklyn's secondary battery fire was so terrible that the men deserted their guns. A singular fact noted on the four ships is that all the guns were trained forward, and the story that they were all directed to fire on the Brooklyn is thereby shown to be true.

A DISCOVERY.
The shells on the ships exploded, and the result was to blow up the decks and not completely pulverize the hull or turn the keel up, as was the case of the battleship Maine. This is looked upon as being important.

A BLOCKADE RUNNER FITTING OUT.
Capt. Bianco is making desperate efforts to get in supplies through the American blockade lines. He is now causing a steamer to be loaded at a Mexican port with the intention of running the blockade and taking food and ammunition to the beleaguered capital. This is a large ship of about 2,500 tons, and she has already taken on a bountiful supply of food and is expected to load 2,000,000 cartridges. The craft is believed to be the steamer Montevideo, now at ex'ra Cruz, and protests have been lodged with the Mexican Government by the American consul there against the clearance of the vessel.

From Madrid.
ALLEGED DEMANDS OF THE UNITED STATES.
Madrid, July 12.—It is asserted that the United States makes the following demands as conditions of peace: 1. The possession of Cuba and Porto Rico, with a port in the Canaries. 2. An indemnity of \$48,000,000 (about \$24,000,000). 3. The retention of the Philippines as a guarantee of the payment of the indemnity. These terms are regarded as impossible.

Washington, July 12.—Secretary of State Day, on entering the cabinet today, authorized the statement that no peace overtures of any kind have been made.

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WITH A MOWER

Terrible Accident to a Guelph Township Farmer

His Horses Ran Away, and He Became Entangled in the Machine.

Guelph, July 12.—A terrible accident with a mowing machine occurred on the farm of Mr. Alexander McIntosh, Wilson's Corners, Guelph township. On Saturday afternoon his son Alexander, aged about 17, was mowing hay with two of their heaviest horses, considered the quietest span of horses on the farm. Owing to some defect in the large wheel of the mower, it collapsed, and the young man was thrown off his seat and was caught on the axle. The horses ran away, dragging the unfortunate man twisted round the axle of the mower for fully a quarter of a mile before they were stopped by coming in contact with some obstruction, when the mower was upset on top of McIntosh, and the horses on top of the mower, cutting them badly.

At this stage a neighbor, who had seen the accident, ran to the rescue, and jumped on to the horses' heads to keep them from kicking the young man to death. A woman also lent assistance by throwing her skirt over the infuriated animals' heads. Further assistance came, and the horses were removed. McIntosh was wound round in the action in such a manner that his clothes had to be cut from his body. He was taken home in a state of collapse, and remained so for hours. He sustained a compound comminuted fracture of the left leg below the knee, both bones being shattered and exposed. The right leg, though much torn, was not fractured. There are minor cuts and scratches on the head, face, and all over the body. It is hard to tell as yet whether there are any internal injuries or not, or whether the leg will have to be amputated. His recovery even is a question.

JUDGE MUIR

Resigns the Wentworth County Junior Judgeship.

Hamilton, July 12.—Judge Muir's resignation as Junior Judge of the county of Wentworth has been forwarded to Ottawa, and will take effect on July 15. He was appointed to office while a member of the law firm of Crerar, Muir & Crerar, in July, 1887, and his resignation after ten years of service leaves to him a substantial allowance, provided by statute.

Judge Muir was compelled to practically retire from active work three years ago, owing to ill-health. It is thought that Mr. J. F. Monk will succeed him.

CARS BURNED.

Hamilton, July 12.—There was a fire in the west end of the Stuart street car in the west end of the Stuart street yard of the G. T. R. Sunday evening. One box car was burned and two more cars were damaged considerably. The burned car belonged to the C. P. R. and was worth about \$400. It is thought that tramps set the cars on fire.



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The Premier and His Cabinet Hand in Their Resignations.

A Canadian War Correspondent Imprisoned at Porto Rico—Netting That Will Resist Attacks of Torpedo Boats.

NEW TORPEDO DEFENSE.
London, July 11.—The battleships of the channel squadron have just been fitted with a new torpedo defense net that is impenetrable against any torpedo, even when the latter is armed with a cutter. Each net is 25 feet wide, and 23 feet deep, weighs 17½ cwt., and contains 16,000 wire meshes. Each mesh is secured by six small rings, and these, combined with the small size of the mesh, render it practically impossible for a cutter to make any impression upon the net. All the new battleships and first-class cruisers are to be given the new net defense.

TELEPHONE IN ENGLAND.
London, July 12.—A committee of the commons has been sitting for several weeks for the purpose of finding whether it is advisable to give municipal corporations power to establish telephone exchanges and carry on a telephone business. This country is divided between the postoffice and the National Telephone Company, and as the managers of the latter are smart business men they have all along got the better of the red tape bureaucrats. The result is that the government has the unprofitable work and the company most of the profitable business. To give the municipalities the power sought would hit the company's monopoly in lucrative local exchanges, and it is moving heaven and earth to prevent it. The evidence given to the committee so far favors the transfer for the entire telephone business to the government.

FREEMAN HALSTED.

London, July 12.—The parliamentary secretary for the foreign office, Mr. Geo. N. Curzon, replying in the House of Commons to a question on the subject of the arrest of the Canadian war correspondent, Freeman Halsted, who was arrested at Porto Rico and sentenced to nine years' imprisonment for taking photographs of the fortifications at that place, said that recent reports showed the conditions of Halsted's imprisonment had been altered, as they were threatening to seriously affect his health. The British ambassador at Madrid, Sir Henry Drummond-Wolfe, had therefore been instructed to make representations to Spain with the view of securing more humane treatment for the prisoner, and he had expressed the hope that the latter's sentence of years' imprisonment would eventually be mitigated.

SPAIN'S CRISIS

The Premier and His Cabinet Resign—Sagasta's Counsel to the Queen Regent.

Madrid, July 12.—The Official Correspondence confirms the report of the cabinet crisis. A minister is quoted as saying that the crisis would be the reason for the whole ministry resigning in a body.

At 4 p.m.—It is understood that Premier Sagasta has submitted to the queen regent a question of confidence in the cabinet. It is said that Capt. Gen. Blanco has cabled to Madrid, declaring that the volunteer army in Cuba wishes the war to continue as the troops hope to secure victories.

SAGASTA DROPS OUT.

London, July 12.—The Madrid correspondent of the Times, telegraphing Monday, says: Senor Sagasta went to the palace today and tendered his resignation and that of the cabinet. It is said that he advised the queen to appoint a new cabinet, largely consisting of the military element, which would not necessarily mean the adoption of a warlike policy, but probably the reverse. It is generally expected that the resignation will be accepted, but the result may possibly be a mere partial reconstruction of the cabinet.

THE GALLOWES

Guillemain, the Murderer of His Uncle, To Be Hanged Sept. 12.

St. Hyacinthe, Que., July 12.—Guillemain was sentenced yesterday by Judge Teller to be hanged at 9 a.m. on Sept. 12. Guillemain's marvelous nerve still abides with him. A moment after learning his fate Guillemain, surrounded by a curious throng, began to write autographs. Two motions were asked for a reserved case on the question of the legality of the prisoner's confession to have amounted to upwards of \$4,000. The statistics published by the Instituto Geografico y Estadistico of Spain show that the population, according to the occupation in 1889, was as follows: Agricultural, 4,864,742; industrial, textile and mineral, 248,997; commercial, 194,752; arts and trades, 823,310; domestic servants, 409,548; merchant marine, 115,764; professional, legal, medical, etc., 94,159; public employees, 97,257; asylum inmates, 91,226; religious, Catholics, 72,077; private and railway employees, 49,565; teachers, 38,136; leisure classes, 23,918; hotelkeepers, 14,449; pupils at schools and colleges, 1,719,955; not stated, 8,723,519, or a total of 17,266,599.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

SPAIN'S POPULATION.

According to official returns the population of Spain in 1897 was 16,945,786. There were in Spain at that date 42,395 resident foreigners, the most of these being in the provinces of Barcelona, Cadiz, Gerona and Madrid. The Basques in the north number about 400,000, and differ materially from the rest of Spain. There are 100,000 Moriscos in the south, 60,000 gypsies and a small number of Jews. In 1700 the population was estimated at 8,000,000; in the fourteenth century it is believed to have amounted to upwards of 24,000,000. Statistics published by the Instituto Geografico y Estadistico of Spain show that the population, according to the occupation in 1889, was as follows: Agricultural, 4,864,742; industrial, textile and mineral, 248,997; commercial, 194,752; arts and trades, 823,310; domestic servants, 409,548; merchant marine, 115,764; professional, legal, medical, etc., 94,159; public employees, 97,257; asylum inmates, 91,226; religious, Catholics, 72,077; private and railway employees, 49,565; teachers, 38,136; leisure classes, 23,918; hotelkeepers, 14,449; pupils at schools and colleges, 1,719,955; not stated, 8,723,519, or a total of 17,266,599.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

IN A TUNNEL!

Eleven Men Killed by an Explosion

That Occurred at the Cleveland City Waterworks

No Witness Lives to Tell How the Terrible Accident Occurred.

The Bodies Lie 6,000 Feet Out Under the Lake.

Cleveland, July 12.—The lives of eleven men were snuffed out in the twinkling of an eye last evening in the big waterworks tunnel that is being constructed under the bottom of Lake Erie, as a result of an explosion of gas. The tunnel is an immense affair being projected to extend outward from the shore for a distance of four and a half miles, and it has been under construction for more than a year. The work has been attended with great difficulty. About six weeks ago there was an explosion of gas in the shore end of the big hole, which killed eight men and injured a number of others. Soon afterward a big pocket of quicksand was struck, and work was stopped for some time. The contractors then asked for permission to deflect the course of the tunnel from the route fixed by the city engineers, but it was refused. Work was finally resumed and had progressed uneventfully until last evening when this latest and most horrible accident came.

The explosion occurred at a few minutes before 7 o'clock last evening, but nobody will ever be able to tell what caused it, or how it happened, for

EVERY WITNESS IS DEAD
and the bodies of all 11 men lying where they fell, 6,000 feet out under the lake. The only man in the tunnel who escaped death is Con. O'Donnell, a look tender, who was stationed 3 or 4 feet from the shore. He heard the explosion, or series of explosions. He says there were

TEN OF THE SHOCKS.

and the concussion was something terrible for it threw him off his feet, and for four hours he was in such a dazed condition that he could scarcely remember what had happened. He finally groped his way out and told what had occurred.

Two men, Patrick Varner and Martin McCauley, were the first to venture in the tunnel after the accident occurred. They made their way to a lock 5,200 feet from the shore, but were there

OVERCOME BY THE GAS.

and fell to the floor. When they failed to return a young man named James Clements, son of one of the men who was killed, and who was employed as a male driver, risked his life to rescue them. He found them almost unconscious, lying over a mule car, and succeeded in helping them to the well at the shore end of the tunnel. The would-be rescuers say that all the lights were out beyond the 5,000-foot lock and that they could not go any further.

A DEATH PIT.

"When we got out 5,100 feet we found the electric lights were not burning from there on out. Gas and smoke were terrible. We had wet handkerchiefs over our noses and mouths, and went 200 feet further into the pitchy darkness, but the gas and smoke almost overcame us and we were forced to return. Nothing can be accomplished in the way of getting the bodies until the tunnel is lighted, and the sulphur gas and smoke are cleared out. It is sure death to try to reach the bodies now. As far out as we got, the case of the tunnel was covered to the depth of a foot with substance resembling snow in appearance."

Names of the dead: John Parks, foreman, 32 years old and single; James Parks, brother of John, 30 years old and single; John Pray, an Italian, 22 years old and single; Tony Brunette, Italian, 22 years old and single; John Emerson, 18 years old and single; James Smith, 44 years old, married; John McCauley, 21 years old, married; Wm. Tucker, colored, 28 years old and single; Cut Watts, 28 years old, wife and several children; Frank Clements, married, with several children; Frank Haney, married, aged 22.

THE SENSIBLE GOVERNMENT.

The government of Belgium has issued an order that every newspaper in the country is entitled to the free use of every railroad. The business of news-gathering the government regards as of so much importance to the development of the nation. The governments following the sensible and up-to-date view will find a free press of even more use than a standing army.—Baltimore American.

No one need fear cholera or any summer complaint if they have a bottle of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial ready for use. It corrects all looseness of the bowels promptly, and causes a healthy and natural action. This is a medicine adapted for the young and old, rich and poor, and is rapidly becoming the most popular medicine for cholera, dysentery, etc., in the market.

The number of sheep in the world is estimated to amount to 550,000,000, of this number between one-third and one-half are believed to be merinoes.

Didn't Know His Wife.

When T. Coleman, a Brantford traveler, left on a three weeks trip his wife was a yellow faced, fagged out looking woman. When he returned he didn't know her. Her eyes were bright and her skin clear, and she walked differently. Merrill's System Tonic did it. 50c for 60 doses. Sold at Strong's Drug Store.

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In the third lot we have 36 Suits—only one and two of a pattern; made from the very best Tweeds and Worsted; actual value \$13 50, now for

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For the fourth lot we have 42 Suits—all shades and sizes; your size may be here. Actual value \$10 and \$12, now

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IDENTIFIED BY A MATCHBOX.

Rochester, N. Y., July 12.—On May 27 an unknown man was found drowned in the Thames at London, England. In his pocket was a match safe bearing the name and address of W. G. Au-miller, 37 Prior street, Rochester, N. Y. Harry Organ, who lives near Lincoln Park, told the police that he found a match safe such as the one described, and gave it to his father, who shortly left for England to visit a brother. He has not heard from him since, and as the description of the unknown tallies with that of his father, he thinks it must be his father who was drowned.

When a fish has lost any of its scales by a wound or abrasion, they are never renewed.

"He that stays in the valley will never get over the hill." Don't delay, but try Blue Ribbon if you want to enjoy good tea.

London Advertiser.

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Managing Director John Cameron

London, Tuesday, July 12, 1898.

The British Columbia Elections.

The British Columbia elections have resulted in a deadlock for the time being, though the Opposition may claim moral victory in wiping out the Government's majority.

Premier Turner and most of his colleagues are Conservatives, but political lines were not drawn tightly as in other provinces. The issues were purely local, and hinged chiefly on the Administration's financial policy, which the Opposition denounced as vicious and extravagant. It pointed to the growing debt as a menace to the future of the Province. Bribery by public works was also charged. The Government raised the cry that British Columbia was not obtaining its due proportion of federal funds, and was very vociferous in asserting the province's rights so called. The natural rivalry between Vancouver Island and the mainland was projected into the contest. The Premier was accused of partiality for Victoria, as the capital, and it is probably due more to sectional feeling than anything else that the island went solidly for Turner, while Vancouver city and most of the mainland ridings went against him.

Personalities were rife, and were flung about with true western vigor. Hon. Joseph Martin ex-M.P., formerly of Winnipeg, was one of the Opposition leaders, and was vehemently attacked by the Government press. Among other things he was stigmatized as an annexationist, though without sufficient reason. He was one of the four Opposition candidates elected for Vancouver. Premier Turner was also assailed in the canvass for alleged complicity in some doubtful deal, which is now before the courts.

As our fellow-countrymen in the Gold Province appear to like their politics hot, the prospect of being kept on the gridiron for a while may console both sides for the absence of a decisive victory.

Health on the Bicycle.

Much has been written about the bicycle in an entertaining strain. It is usually treated in its social aspect, and it is literally the vehicle of a good deal of cheap wit, but it has a hygienic and physiological side, which must not be overlooked. It is interesting to find it discussed seriously from this standpoint by an authority in the Contemporary Review, Dr. E. B. Turner. He is friendly to the bicycle. There are few exercises, he says, more healthful to the ordinary individual than bicycling in a moderate and discreet fashion. It combines the maximum of fresh air and change of scene with the minimum of injurious effort. He goes on to point out some of the pitfalls which bicyclists should avoid.

The writer says that seven years is the earliest age at which a boy or girl may be allowed to mount a wheel, and even then great care is necessary to see that the machine is in every way fitted to the child. The reach must be carefully adjusted to the length of the leg; the saddle must be accurately adapted to the rider; the crank should not be too long—four to five inches is sufficient; and the gear should not exceed 62 inches. Young growing tissues are easily distorted, and it is important that the handle-bar be raised to such a height that the rider can easily sit upright; otherwise a permanently humped spine may be the result. Excessive distance is bad, excessive speed is worse, and excessive hill-riding is worst. If after a ride a child is found to refuse his food, and to be feverish, restless and sleepless at night, it is a sure sign that he has done too much.

There are some instances, says the writer, where men who have passed the allotted three-score years and ten have learned to cycle, and are living instances of the benefit of it, but any veteran who has passed a sedentary existence should count well the cost before he risks the over-strain which might easily result from a new and unaccustomed pastime. This applies with double force to women of a mature age in whose youth the only exercises considered "ladylike" were dancing or a mild walk. No old man or elderly woman should, therefore, begin to cycle unless pronounced sound. Those who are already expert cyclists, however, may look forward to a continuance of their cycling through a green old age.

As a broad rule it may be laid down that those of any age who are unsound or delicate should not commence to ride except under the advice of a competent physician. There are some ailments in which, cycling, properly regulated, acts like a charm in restoring

health. It does most good in functional diseases, and in such as arise from insufficient exercise. It prevents and assists in the cure of such diseases as gout and rheumatism, and few regular cyclists are troubled with indigestion. In the bloodiness of young girls it sometimes does more good than pills of iron drops, though in such cases moderation is most essential until the heart is well drilled in its new work, and very few instances of pure "nervousness" survive a regular course of bicycle rides. No person, however, with any organic disease, especially if the heart be affected, should attempt to cycle, except under the direct orders of his physician.

With regard to the saddle, each person must suit himself or herself. "One man's saddle is another man's blister," it is most necessary to be careful about the adjustment and position. It should be placed just so high that when the rider is sitting at ease he can touch the pedal with his heel when it is at its lowest point. This will give him perfect command over the wheel and allow him to use his ankles in pedalling to the best advantage. If the saddle be too low it is impossible to use the full power of the muscles of the leg, as the knee must always be kept bent. If the saddle be too high the danger of losing control of the machine in an emergency is doubled, as the guiding power of the feet on the pedals is lost for about half a stroke. Some are able to do better with the saddle well forward, and some with it in a backward position; but extremes should be avoided. If a plumb line be dropped from the peak and fall about four or five inches behind the crank axle, the most suitable place will have been discovered. The saddle should be sufficiently broad at the back to allow of the rider sitting fairly and squarely upon it and using the bones intended by nature to support the weight of the body. The peak should cause no undue pressure anywhere. The springs should be adapted to the weight of the rider.

All underclothing should be of wool, with a thickness regulated according to the temperature; shoes always; boots never should be worn; and no garment should be at all tight. For women the skirt should be well cut and not too large round the hem; three yards will be found sufficient, and it should clear the ground by about four inches when the wearer is not on her machine. Knickerbockers should take the place of the petticoat, and thin woolen stockings should be worn by those who mean to ride more than a mile or two. The writer agrees that "rational dress" and the diamond frame wheel are safer and more convenient for women, but beyond the proto-martys and pioneers of the movement it does not seem that many, in America at least, will adopt the new fashion. The looking-glass forbids.

As for food, a mixed diet and regular meals are the best. It is unwise for anyone to start riding directly after food, and stimulants between meals, even in the case of fatigue, must be bad. Their effect soon passes off, and the reaction leaves the rider worse than he was before. Bicycle racing and violent athletics should be subject to two stringent rules: One, that no person should take part in any competition unless he be properly trained and fit; the other, that no person organically unsound should, under any circumstances, be allowed to commence training.

The American troops in Cuba find quinine a better ally than General Garcia.

Evidently the crews of French steamships are not taught the Birkenhead drill.

Cervera was sure of being well treated in the United States, anyway. He is a real live marquis.

The golden orb of conquest has quite eclipsed the silver dollar as a political issue over the border.

Emperor William is about to tour the Holy Land. It is to be hoped he will have the propriety to leave his mailed fist behind.

Strange to say, Great Britain's first cash profit from the war came from Spain, not the United States. Camara paid it in Suez Canal tolls.

The Spanish sailors captured off Santiago have been clothed in American navy uniforms, but no one can accuse the poor fellows of being turncoats.

Hugh John's thrust at Sir Charles Tupper must have put Sir Mackenzie Bowell in a reminiscent mood, with particular reference to the spring of 1896.

While the Opposition press is multiplying the failures of Laurier, the people of Canada notice with pleasure that

commercial failures show a diminishing ratio.

Orthodox political economy is against state paternalism as a rule, but not the kind practiced by the Ottawa Government in determining to protect the Crow's Nest Pass laborers.

The survivors of La Bourgoigne's crew blame all the fighting and inhumanity on passengers. Considering the proportion of the crew that escaped, it must be admitted that they defended themselves well.

Cervera hints that the money intended for big guns for his ship went into the pocket of the chief of ordnance. It is notorious that nearly every Spanish official acquires a competence. Perhaps this accounts for the incompetence of the rest of the crew.

Ald. Greenlees will have public support if he brings in a reasonable bicycle bylaw. No one will endorse it more heartily than sensible cyclists, who need as much protection against the reckless bicycle element as do pedestrians.

The bylaw should entitle wheelmen to the right side of the road when passing rigs in opposite directions. Some drivers are boorish enough to refuse them this. A local judge has decreed that a bicycle has no privileges on the highway, but the city council will doubtless show more justice and common sense.

We observe that some of our contemporaries have been commenting on a report that Mr. George E. Casey, M.P., was likely to be selected at an early date as Deputy Minister of Agriculture. We have no doubt that Mr. Casey would prove a very competent person for that position, but we are not aware that Mr. Scarth is about to be retired. The Minister of Agriculture is away in England at the present time, and it is hardly likely that the subject of the appointment of his deputy would be taken up by his colleagues in his absence. Mr. Casey has been a member of Parliament since 1872. He is a graduate in arts of Toronto University, and is possessed of good abilities, but it may well be that neither Mr. Casey nor the Minister of Agriculture desire any change during the continuance of the present Parliament.

AN ECONOMIC QUESTION. [Washington Star.]

"Hit do happen," said Uncle Eben, "dat a man's hand puzzled whethuh ter pay \$2 tax on 'is watchdog or spend de money foh sumpin wuf watchin'."

CONSERVATIVE HARMONY. [Belleville Sun.]

What's this? Hugh John Macdonald cannot fully endorse Sir Charles Tupper's policy as leader of the opposition! How the old party is working in harmony, to be sure!

A DAILY NECESSITY. [Chicago Times-Herald.]

The dependence of the public on the daily newspaper never was demonstrated better than it has been in this city since the stereotypers placed their embargo upon the publication of the news. The people know it now, if they never knew it before, that the daily newspaper has become one of the necessities of life.

HOW TO PRONOUNCE SPANISH. [Pittsburgh Dispatch.]

The principal requirements for accurate Spanish pronunciation is to thrust out the lower jaw one inch, stiffen the muscles which operate it, close the throat to a falsetto, use the continental "a" look imbecile, and lip at the proper moment. The habit is easily acquired by all those who are born in Spain.

PASSING PLEASANTRIES.

MAUD MILLER. [San Francisco Argonaut.]

Maud Miller, in the summer heat, Raked the meadow thick with wheat.

The judge rode slowly down the lane, Smoothing his horse's chestnut mane.

"With wheat at a dollar per," said he, "This maid is about the size for me."

Then he smiled at her and she blushed at him, And over the meadow fence he clime.

"Will you marry me, sweet maid?" he said, And she told him "Yes," and they were wed.

Alas for maiden, alas for judge, For old designer and wheat-field drudge.

Lord pity them both and pity us all, For Maud didn't own the wheat at all.

And the judge remarked when he learned the cheat, "Don't talk to me about dollar wheat!"

THE WARSHIP MAN.

Hot, hot, hot, In these warships, on the sea; But I wish that my pen might tell you What hotter than hottest can be.

Ah, well for the ice-cream seller, As he twirls his freezing can; All right for the root-beer doctor, And the red-napped bold iceman.

But these broiling ships grill on In the blistering sun until I sigh to sit on a ton of ice. And melt it down at my will

Hot, hot, hot, In these red-hot ships on the sea, But the cooling click of ice in a glass Will never be heard by me.

—Marvin R. Clark.

The Fly is a bald-headed fact.

AMERICA'S FIGHTERS

How Uncle Sam Feeds His Soldiers and Sailors.

The meals that the government provides for the army and navy, known in the services as rations, are really scientific combinations of food and drink. They are not hastily improvised affairs, like many busy-day dinners at home, but are the result of experimenting with staples, condiments, and other articles, extending over many years. They have been thoroughly tested in peace and war, in the camp and on the march, and are sanctioned by the highest medical and hygienic authorities.

The service ration of the army consists of a pound and a quarter of beef, or three-quarters of a pound of pork, eighteen ounces of bread or flour, and at the rate of ten pounds of coffee, fifteen pounds of sugar, two quarts of salt, four quarts of vinegar, and four ounces of pepper for every 100 rations.

Long ago, when the army was still a small body, the ration was furnished to enlisted men at cost price, in quantities not exceeding sixteen shaves per month.

The navy ration is slightly larger and more varied than the army ration, because the sailor does not have the same opportunity as the soldier for purchasing extras and delicacies. It consists of the following daily allowance to each man: a pound of salt pork, with half a pint of beans or peas; or one pound of salt beef, with half a pound of flour and two ounces of dried fruit; or three-quarters of a pound of preserved meat, with half a pound of rice, two ounces of butter, and one ounce of desiccated mixed vegetables; or three-quarters of a pound of preserved meat with two ounces of butter and two ounces of desiccated potatoes; together with fourteen ounces of biscuit, one-quarter ounce of tea, or one-quarter ounce of coffee or cocoa, and two ounces of sugar; and a weekly allowance of half a pint of pickles, half a pint of molasses, and half a pint of vinegar.

TOBACCO HEART. HERE'S HOW IT CAN BE CURED.



things become too serious. Here's what Mr. John James, of Caledonia, Ontario, has to say about them: "I have had serious heart trouble for four years, caused by excessive use of tobacco. At times my heart would beat very rapidly, and then seemed to stop beating only to commence again with unnatural rapidity. 'This unhealthy action of my heart caused shortness of breath, weakness and debility. I tried many medicines and spent a great deal of money since I became aware of my condition, but could not get any help. Last November, however, I read of a man, afflicted like myself, being cured by Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. I went to Loper's drug store and bought a box. When I had finished taking it I was so much better I bought another box and this completed the cure. My heart has not bothered me since, and I strongly recommend all sufferers from heart and nerve trouble, caused by excessive use of tobacco, to give Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills a fair and faithful trial." Price 50c. a box or 8 boxes for \$1.25. All druggists. T. Milburn & Co., Toronto, Ont.

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Ladies' five-gored Skirts, worth \$3, Wednesday morning for \$2.

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THE MARKETS.

Local Market.

London, Tuesday, July 12.

Wheat, white fall, per bu. 81c to 81c
Wheat, spring, per bu. 81c to 81c
Peas, per bu. 52c to 54c
Oats, per bu. 30c to 33c
Corn, per bu. 28c to 30c
Barley, per bu. 38c to 43c
Rye, per bu. 38c to 39c
Beans, per bu. 40c to 40c

Only a few loads of oats came in. They sold at 35c to 36c. One load of wheat sold at 81c. No other kind of grain offered. The only alteration in the value of fruits occurred in cherries and raspberries, which were 1c up. Hay sold at 36c to 37c, and was slow. Meats show no change. Quotations:

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Wheat, red fall, per 100 lbs. 1.35
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs. 1.35
Oats, per 100 lbs. .90
Peas, per 100 lbs. .90
Corn, per 100 lbs. .80
Barley, per 100 lbs. .80
Rye, per 100 lbs. .80
Beans, per 100 lbs. .80
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs. .80

PROVISIONS.

Honey, comb. 9
Honey, extracted. 11
Cheese, per lb. wholesale. 11
Eggs, single. 11
Eggs, dozen. 11
Butter, per lb. retail. 11
Butter, per lb. wholesale. 11
Butter, per lb. foreign. 11
Lard, per lb. 11
Chestnuts, per pair. 11
Ducks, per pair. 11
Turkeys, per lb. 11
Hens, per lb. 11

LIVE STOCK.

Young pigs, per pair. 3.00
Cows, each. 2.00
Hogs, per 100 lbs. 3.00
Pigs, young, per pair. 3.00
Hogs, per 100 lbs. 3.00
Sows, per 100 lbs. 3.00
Ducks, per pair. 3.00
Turkeys, per lb. 3.00
Hens, per lb. 3.00

HAY AND SEEDS.

Hay, per ton. 6.00
Straw, per load. 2.00
Clover seed, red, per bu. 0.00
Clover seed, white, per bu. 0.00
Hungarian, per bu. 0.00
Millet, per bu. 0.00
Rye, per bu. 0.00

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.

Strawberries, per quart. 5
Raspberries, red, per quart. 5
Raspberries, black, per quart. 5
Currants, red, per quart. 5
Currants, black, per quart. 5
Cherries, per quart. 5
Gooseberries, per quart. 5
Potatoes, new, per 100 lbs. 1.00
Rhubarb, dozen bunches. 1.00
Asparagus, per dozen bunches. 1.00
Beets, per dozen bunches. 1.00
Beans, per dozen bunches. 1.00
Peas, per dozen bunches. 1.00
Lettuce, per dozen bunches. 1.00
Onions, per dozen bunches. 1.00
Radishes, per dozen bunches. 1.00

MEAT, HIDES, ETC.

Red, quarters, per lb. 14c
Button, quarters, per lb. 14c
Veal, quarters, per lb. 14c
Lamb, quarters, per lb. 14c
Dressed hogs, 100 lbs. light. 6.00
Dressed hogs, 100 lbs. heavy. 5.50
Hides, No. 1, per lb. 7c
Hides, No. 2, per lb. 7c
Hides, No. 3, per lb. 7c
Calveskins, green. 0.10
Calveskins, dry. 0.10
Wool, washed, per lb. 0.10
Wool, unwashed, per lb. 0.10
Sheepskins, each. 15c
Lambskins, each. 15c
Felts. 35c

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Oil Markets.

PETROLIA, July 12.—Oil opened and closed at 31.00.
PITTSBURG, Pa., July 12.—Oil opened 31.00.
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CHICAGO, July 12.—The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat, 70c; Sept. 68c; Dec. 67c; Corn, July 34c; Sept. 33c; Dec. 32c; Oats, July 22c; Sept. 21c; Dec. 20c; Pork, July 22c; Sept. 21c; Dec. 20c; Lard, July 22c; Sept. 21c; Dec. 20c.

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Dec. 6.4

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