

40TH YEAR, NO 184.

LONDON, ONTARIO, MONDAY, MAY 5, 1902.

WHOLE NO. 16578.

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

DIED.
SUMMERS—In this city, on May 3, 1902, Jessie Summers, aged 75 years and 2 months.
Funeral from her late residence, No. 187 Richmond street, on Tuesday, 6th inst., at 2:30, service at 2 o'clock.
Funeral private.
NICHOL—On May 5, 1902, Elizabeth Nichol, aged 77 years and 6 months.
Funeral will leave the residence of James Murray, lot 12, con. 6, on Tuesday, May 6, at 2 p.m., to Pond Mills Cemetery.
ROUTLEDGE—On Sunday, May 4, 1902, Annie A., beloved wife of Elmer Routledge, aged 31 years and 3 months.
Funeral will leave the residence of township of Westminster, near Lambeth, on Tuesday, May 6, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.
FRALIGH—At Arva, on Sunday, May 4, 1902, Mary, beloved wife of George Fraligh, aged 65 years.
Funeral on Tuesday, 6th inst., at 2 p.m., to St. John's Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

NEW GRAND TONIGHT

The latest musical novelty.
Alphonse & Gaston.
Everything brand new.
75c, 50c, 25c, 10c.

TOMORROW EVENING

First appearance here of the eminent stars.
CLARA MANN & LIPMAN.

In their remarkable comedy, "ALL ON ACCOUNT OF ELIZA."
\$1.50, \$1.00, 75c, 50c, 25c, 10c.

F. B. CLARKE, AGENT ALLAN LINE

Richmond street, next Advertiser.
Tunisian sails Saturdays, May 10, Monday to Liverpool. Clarke's arrangements first-class; fares low.

F. B. CLARKE, RICHMOND STREET

next Advertiser, agent Cunard Line.
Lancania sails Saturdays, May 10, Monday to Liverpool. Clarke's arrangements first-class; fares low.

DANCING CLASSES THIS WEEK

Beginners, advanced, Wednesday evening. Private tuition any hour. Strictly private parties can be arranged for. Clayton & McCormick.

MEETINGS.

REMEMBER THE McALL MEETING in St. James' Presbyterian Church this evening. Speakers: Mrs. Cowan, Toronto, and Rev. J. H. Moorhouse.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GENERAL servant; highest wages; no washing. Apply 429 King street.

WANTED—SHOP GIRL FOR EVENINGS. Apply Boomer's Confectionery.

WANTED—A GOOD HOUSEMAID AT once; references required. Apply to Mrs. Hume Cronyn, 550 Dundas street.

GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK; family of three. 38 Evergreen avenue.

WANTED—GOOD SKIRT AND WAIST makers; also assistant skirt finisher. Smallman & Ingram.

WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Apply 15 St. Andrew's street, West London.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—GOOD cook. Apply Mrs. Denison, Wolsey Barracks.

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT and nurse. Apply Mrs. J. R. Elliot, 26 Horton street.

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST in housework. Apply Mrs. W. Masure, 72 Elmwood avenue, South London.

GIRLS WANTED AT REASON'S Paper Box Works, 80 Dundas street.

GIRL WANTED FOR GENERAL housework; sleep at home. Apply Mrs. Dunn, 41 King street.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED HOUSEMAID. Apply Mrs. McDonough, 223 Dufferin avenue.

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT, with best references; no housecleaning, no laundry; good wages. Apply immediately, 26 Dufferin avenue.

WANTED—GIRLS. APPLY LONDON Corset Company, Spencer block.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GENERAL servant; highest wages. Apply 31 Wharfside road, corner Riverview avenue.

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT, at once; references required. Apply at 238 Dufferin avenue.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED DINING-ROOM GIRL. Apply Cook Bros., Richmond House.

FIFTY GIRLS WANTED. Apply Superintendent, D. S. Fernin & Co.

WANTED—COOK AND KITCHEN GIRL. Apply Mrs. W. S. Hodgins, Hodgins House.

GIRLS WANTED. APPLY MCCORMICK Manufacturing Company, 427.

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—LADIES AND GENTLEMEN everywhere to copy letters evenings; good pay; steady work. Address (in closing stamp) Manager, A. O. Box 144, Cleveland, Ohio.

BROKERS.

FOR SALE—LONDON LOAN STOCK. John Wright, stock broker, London, Ont. Phone 685.

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A Handsome Upright Haines Piano for

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Only a Short Time in Use.

Fully Guaranteed.

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188 Dundas Street.
62 years established.

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WANTED AT ONCE, BY WHOLESALE firm—Stenographer. Address Box 62, Advertiser.

JUNIOR SHOE SALESMAN—WITH some experience. Apply Box 62, Advertiser.

WANTED—GOOD, ACTIVE CARPENTER, at once. Apply at J. C. Woods' new store, 10 W. H. Elliot.

MAN WANTED TO MAKE HIMSELF generally useful. McCormick Manufacturing Company.

WANTED—BOYS. APPLY J. NICHOLSON, superintendent of department, McClary Manufacturing Co., 741.

TRAVELERS WANTED—MEN AND women to sell goods. Health Food Company, Colborne and Fall Mall streets.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED COACHMAN, by 10th May; must thoroughly understand the care of horses. Apply George C. Gibbons, 257 Dufferin avenue, after 6 p.m.

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BUSINESS CHANCES.

GOOD STORE—EXCELLENT STAND for retail or office. Dundas street, near Wellington. Apply W. M. Spencer, 232 Dundas street.

TO RENT—BAKE SHOP, COAL OVENS and barn, all in first-class repair. Corner Stanley and Wharfside road.

HOUSES, ETC., TO LET.

TO LET—COMFORTABLE COTTAGE, seven rooms, large garden; Central avenue, second house east of Adelaide street. Apply 238 Adelaide.

FURNISHED HOUSE IN GOOD LOCALITY, at nominal rental to responsible parties. Apply at once, Box 64.

TO LET—2 ASKIN STREET, LOW rent, possession at once. Fraser & Moore, barristers.

TO LET—COTTAGE, NO. 258 SOUTH street; rent, \$6 per month. Apply 252 South street.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—NEW BRICK house, eight rooms, very convenient, with small workshop in rear. \$1000 cash. Apply 230 Wellington street.

TO LET—HOUSE, 34 PRINCESS AVENUE; has bathroom and closets; possession at once. Apply to Fraser & Moore, barristers.

TO LET—NO. 1,008 LAURA STREET; large house, barn and four lots, making fine garden. Rent, \$5. Apply to J. H. McMichael, 26 King street.

TO LET—\$12 PER MONTH—Two story brick, 455 Piccadilly street. Apply J. W. Cunningham, 334 Dundas street.

FOR SALE—TWO STORY BRICK AND small brick cottage, on Dufferin avenue, near Colborne. New 1½ story brick, with bathroom, near King street, brick, Matland, near King. Last two have all improvements, and all are close to J. P. Sangster, 112 Masonic Temple.

TO LET—UNION FURNITURE VAN. Furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Cathcart and Bruce, South London, late of London Furniture Company. Phone 310.

MOVING VANS—STORAGE WAREHOUSE, 97 Carling street. Phone 1362 and 1367.

ARTICLES FOR SALE.

F. S. ONN, DEALER IN ALL KINDS of fresh, salt and smoked fish. Your patronage solicited. Satisfaction guaranteed. Phone 1266.

FOR SALE—CHEAP—100 FEET 2½ inch iron pipe, suitable for boulevard. Apply Lion Spice Manufacturing Company.

FOR SALE—REFRIGERATOR, 6 FEET high, 24 inch wide, nearly new, fine plate glass front, in sections, can be placed anywhere; original cost, \$125; \$25 cash sale. Apply Johnston Bros., 262 South street.

NEW RIVER COAL—THE BEST COAL there is for kitchen range or stove; no smoke, no smell, no cinders; kindles quick; is better and cheaper than hard coal. Green & Co., William street and G. T. R.

SUMMER WOOD—PER LOAD, \$3 cash. Also coal and hard wood. Buchanan's, 833 Colborne. Phone 1098.

LARGE SIZE DRUMMERS' YARNS, 10 cents. Late novels, 5 and 10 cents. Red Star News Company, 30 Dundas street.

MILLIONS OF STAMPS FOR COLLECTION—Lists free. Wm. R. Adams, 49 Yonge street, Toronto.

THE NOBIEST THING IN GO-CARTS and Baby Carriages ever seen in London, at Keene Bros., 157 King street.

WOOD FOR SALE—WE CAN SUPPLY summer wood at \$1.25 a cord. D. H. Gillies & Co., 572 Bathurst street, leading east and west yard. Phone 1312.

SNAP—GOOD PIANO, ROSEWOOD case, 7-13 octaves; in first-class condition, and guaranteed for 5 years. Only \$100, on easy terms of payment. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas street, corner Clarence.

IMPERIAL BICYCLES, STRICTLY high grade. Easy terms. Large stock new tires, \$2.50 pair and upwards. J. H. Cunningham, 654 Dundas street.

ECLIPSE GASOLINE ENGINES AT lowest prices. Manufactured by D. McKenzie & Co., 238 Richmond street, London, Ont.

REFRIGERATORS, GASOLINE stoves, and all kinds of stoves, ranges and furniture, new and second-hand, at

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we provide for any little irregularities, any slight peculiarities. It can't be done except in custom tailoring. Our ability along this line permits us to supply the perfect-fitting suits in spring fashions at about the same price you'd pay for ordinary clothes.

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Tailors and Drapers,
393 Richmond Street.

LOST AND FOUND.

DOG LOST—BLACK AND TAN COLLIE, bob-tail. Finder rewarded. Address: J. McLaughlin, Poplars, Hill.

LOST ON FRIDAY—POX TERRIER; Reward at Dr. Hodge's, 234 Queen's avenue.

WANTED.

COME AND SEE OUR NATURAL Pompadours. They are perfect. Combs wanted. Miller's Hair Store, 223 Dundas street.

BUSINESS CARDS.

HODGSON & HOWARD, PAINTERS, paper-hangers. Estimates free. 110 Horton street. Orders promptly done.

WATSON & CO. HOUSE MOVERS—Steam boilers and safes a specialty. 134 Hamilton road. Phone 1231.

PARCEL DELIVERY.

CITY PARCEL EXPRESS—OFFICE removed to 157 Carling street. Parcels called for and delivered to any part of city. Telephone 1255. C. H. Anderson.

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LILLEY'S LIVERY—NO. 619 DUNDAS street, East London, Ont. Telephone 666.

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MOORE & HENRY—ARCHITECTS, LAND SURVEYORS, CIVIL ENGINEERS. John M. Moore. Frederick Henry.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED—OF F. Adams' Jewelry Store, East London. No witnesses required.

LICENSES ISSUED BY THOMAS GILLEAN, jeweler, 402 Richmond street.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY W. H. Bartram, 99 Dundas street.

OFFICIAL ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, C. D. Johnston, 123 Dundas street. Residence, 34 Fall Mall.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED AT Strong's Drug Store, 134 Dundas street. Residence, 238 Dufferin avenue.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY John J. Jepson, druggist, 210 Wellington street. Residence, 21 Fall Mall. Phone 370.

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THREE LARGE ROOMS, SUITABLE for gentlemen and wife; also smaller rooms; nicely furnished; modern conveniences. 442 Waterloo street.

YOUNG COUPLE WANT BOARD in private family; modern conveniences. Box 61, Advertiser.

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FOR SALE—FRAME HOUSE, STORY and half; seven rooms; very convenient, with small workshop in rear. \$1000 cash. Apply 230 Wellington street.

FOR SALE—TWO STORY BRICK RESIDENCE, modern. 455 Piccadilly street.

FOR SALE—BUILDING LOTS AND residential property. Golding's survey, corner York and Rectory streets. Reasonable terms. Inquire A. N. Udy, 421 Richmond street, or H. Golding, Ingersoll.

THE PROPERTY OF ROBERT SMITH, corner Ridout and King streets; store and five dwellings for sale privately. Also houses Nos. 555 to 551 Bathurst street. These are good investments. Apply to G. N. Weekes, Hiscoc building, corner King and Richmond streets.

FOR SALE—CHOICE BUILDING LOTS, north part of city; one-fifth cash, balance yearly installments, 5 per cent. Fraser & Moore, barristers.

FOR SALE—BUILDING LOT ON GROSVENOR street, cheap. Casey & Morrow, 90 Dundas street.

FARM FOR SALE NEAR STRATHROY—35 acres; good buildings and water. G. M. Haldane, Strathroy.

AGENTS WANTED.

A BRIGHT AGENT, WITH AMBITION, looking for a permanent agency, with salary and expenses, \$200 per year and upwards from the start, according to ability. Apply to Cooper, P. O. Drawer 531, London.

THE LIQUOR LICENSE ACT—To whom it may concern: The liquor license act, public notice is hereby given that a meeting of the board of liquor commissioners will be held on Tuesday, the 13th day of May, at 4 p.m., to consider an application made by James Ward for removal of shop license from No. 471 Simcoe street to premises known as street No. 123 on the south side of King street, in subdivision No. 4 in ward No. 1. Any petition against the removal of said license, signed by duly qualified electors of the polling subdivision in which said premises sought to be licensed are situated, must be lodged with the undersigned at least four days before the day of meeting. R. HENDERSON, Inspector License Commissioners' Office, 623 Talbot street.

Asphalt Pavement.

TENDERS FOR REPAIRS TO THE asphalt pavement will be received at this office up to Thursday, May 15.

Specifications and form of tender on application. A. O. GRAYDON, City Engineer.

ALD. NEIL COOPER, Chairman No. 2 Committee. 75c-zxv

Pasture to Rent

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT this office (where particulars may be obtained) up to Thursday, May 8, for the pasture on the

SEWERAGE FARM, the property of the city. Good water and the best of pasture. A. O. GRAYDON, City Engineer.

ALD. NEIL COOPER, Chairman No. 2 Committee. 85c-zxv

COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF ROBERTS NOW UNDER FIRE

British War Office Ways Again Attacked.

"Roberts' Ring" Declared Worse Than the Previous Ones.

Oom Paul Skeptical About the Conclusion of Peace—Lays and the Ex-President Confer.

London, May 5.—There are signs of a renewal of expressions of discontent at the war office's methods and the new regulations for volunteers. The latter have caused considerable dissatisfaction, especially as they rendered it impossible for many volunteers to remain in the service.

It was urged that the volunteers must be made a thoroughly efficient body, and must be thoroughly trained in field tactics in open order, and not merely in drill halls and on parade grounds. Lord Stanley, when asked in parliament whether the war office was taking steps to secure open spaces for the London volunteers, who are a large and fine body of men, replied that the cost of securing such places in the immediate vicinity was prohibitive.

It is generally demanded that the volunteers shall have the use of Richmond Park, which is kept up at public expense, and is admirably adapted for these purposes. The members of the cabinet, however, are making the excuse in parliament of the fear of "injuring wild birds, especially herons." Other people, who are less charitable, suggest that the government is sacrificing the volunteers to the pheasant preservers.

ABUSE OF ROBERTS. The press is protesting vigorously against this example of refusing the means which it professes to advocate of securing efficiency. The Saturday Review in a savage article under the heading, "The Roberts' Ring," declares that things in the army are worse than ever, and influence is now more than ever the only sure road to success. The Review accuses Lord Roberts of pointing the finger at his own failures.

He may sometimes merely acquiesce, but some of the worst cases of jobs in the army are certainly due to his personal initiative, and the impression thus created is confirmed by many officers who served under him when he

held the Indian command. In a word, his character is conspicuously lacking in fairness."

KRUGER TALKING.

A telegram from The Hague to Neue Wiener Tageblatt is quoted by the Times. It corresponds of the London Times. It says that the Belgian pro-Boer deputation, declared peace would not be concluded without his approval. Kruger added that the English reports representing peace prospects as favorable were mere maneuvers to hoodwink the British people in view of the coronation of King Edward.

A Brussels dispatch to Vienna Neue Presse states that the chairman of the committee of the league of peace has drawn up a project for reconciliation between Great Britain and Boers, which will be submitted to the council of international union at Bern early this month.

The correspondent says these attempts to mislead continental opinion on the part of Boer press agencies in Holland and Belgium, as well as other attempts to revive anglophobia, are fruitless. The great powers are sufficiently occupied with the economic crisis and their own profound dissensions and mutual suspicions.

Dr. Leyds, the Boer representative in Europe, arrived at The Hague Saturday evening and proceeded to Utrecht for a conference with Mr. Kruger.

Peace Near at Hand.

BOERS BELIEVED TO HAVE DECIDED.

There is authority for saying that the main factor which has determined the Boer leaders to decide for peace, for there is no doubt that they made that decision, was the concession concerning Cape rebels.

These men were liable to death or imprisonment, confiscation of their property and deprivation of their constitutional rights. The extreme punishment that can be meted to them now, according to the promise formerly made by Lord Milner, is confinement and disenfranchisement, which, after all, is not a very serious matter, inasmuch as nine-tenths of them are younger sons of old farmers, who are at home in order to save their property, while the boys, with full parental approval, went into the commandos.

In addition to this concession, informal promises have been given that the banishment proclamation issued by Lord Kitchener will not be rigidly enforced, and that general amnesty will not be unduly delayed.

There has never been any difficulty in regard to rebuilding the farmsteads that have been destroyed and restocking the farms. The general confidence that is felt here in the issue is shown by the fact that the Boers are considering a form of special thanksgiving service for the restoration of peace.

ROSBIE BOOTE HAS A SON.

London, May 5.—English society and the theatrical world were interested to hear that the Marchioness of Headford, formerly Miss Rosbie Boote, of the "Florodora" company, who was married to the Marquis of Headford, second lieutenant of the First Life Guards, April 11, 1901, has given birth to a son, and that both are doing well.

DON CARLOS' DAUGHTER ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

A dispatch to the Central News from Rome says Princess Beatrice de Borbone, daughter of Don Carlos, the Spanish pretender, attempted suicide by throwing herself into the Tiber, but was rescued. Private troubles are supposed to have prompted the act.

BRITISH SHIPPING MAY BE SUBSIDIZED.

It is reported in Liverpool shipping circles that the British government has intimated its willingness to subsidize British shipping in the event of the Atlantic shipping combine proving really harmful to the mercantile marine of Great Britain.

TROUBLE IN PORTUGAL.

Advices from the Portuguese frontier indicate that the situation in Portugal is becoming extremely grave in consequence of the excitement caused by the bill, which passed the chamber of deputies approving the calling of a convention of Portugal's foreign creditors for the purpose of converting the foreign debt. Officers of the Portuguese army and navy are coming to join in the popular protests. Two hundred naval officers, who petitioned King Charles against the convention, have refused to withdraw the protest.

STREW HIS ASHES IN THE OCEAN

How a Pittsburg Widow Will Dispose of Her Late Husband's Remains.

Pittsburg, May 5.—The Dispatch says: When Mrs. Frederick H. Werle passed for Eugene, she will start on the saddest journey of her life. With her she will take her children (possibly more, and in their custody will be all that remains of her husband's ashes, which she has been obliged to carry with her on her journey to Europe. And this in accordance with explicit instructions in the will of the dead husband.

Frederick H. Werle was a well-known local druggist, and died March 21. His remains were buried to ashes in Samson's crematory. Werle had a horror of the grave. His instructions to the above articles which have undergone the process of manufacture or

Iron Makes Rich Blood...

Now is the time your system needs plenty of iron. Blood gets sluggish and laden with impurities. Appetite "goes back on you." Feel "all played out."

Boef, Iron and Wino, with Quinine, drives out the impurities in the blood—makes the blood rich and ruddy. It soon gets you to eating three good meals a day—and enjoying what you eat.

It helps the digestion wonderfully gives tone and vim to the entire system.

Sold in 50 cent bottles by CAIRNCROSS & LAWRENCE, Prescription Chemists, 216 Dundas Street.

preparation in the United Kingdom, in which imported grains are used, for the amount of the duty paid on such foreign grains. Articles deposited in bonded warehouses for use in ships' stores are entitled to drawbacks.

THE STEAMSHIP COMBINE.

What Henry Labouchere in Truth describes as "the neurotic condition over the supremacy" continues. The newspapers and members of parliament are discussing day after day the menace of the American shipping line and fidgeting over the prospect of having the British commercial marine put under the command of Captain Morgan and the food supply left dependent upon the caprices and avarice of American millionaires and speculators.

Practical men in the shipping and food import trade take a more sensible view. They assert that the steamship lines have been compelled to build faster and more expensive ships until the business has become unprofitable for half the year, and that subventions and mail payments made by the British Government have been organized for the maintenance of remunerative business. They add that Mr. Morgan, with all the talents in the world as an organizer, could not have brought the lines together if there had not been an urgent necessity for the avoidance of destructive competition and the readjustment of freight and passenger rates.

Telegraphic Briefs.

New York city's revised budget calls for expenditure of \$98,619,000.

It isn't what a man is, but rather what he pretends to be, that makes him ridiculous.

President Roosevelt sent the nomination of H. Clay Evans to be consul-general at London to the senate.

The Western Implement Manufacturing Company has been organized at Winnipeg with a capital of \$60,000.

Detective Pat Duffy, of the Chicago stockyards station, was shot and killed yesterday by one of two young men who had been creating a great nuisance and whom he had attempted to quiet.

A mad man ran amuck at Emergency Hospital, Detroit, and it required the services of seven policemen with doctors and other attached institution to conquer the unfortunate patient.

The United States Department of Agriculture is preparing to fight the ravages of the San Jose scale throughout the country with its natural enemy, the lady bug brought from the interior of China.

Friends of Miss Josephine Holman, who was once engaged to Wm. Marconi, of wireless telegraph fame, have received the announcement of her coming marriage to Eugene Borros, of Budapest, Hungary.

Sergeant Bugler Gopus (Windsor) of the 21st Essex Regiment, has been reduced to the ranks by order of Col. Guillot, on the charge of insubordination and conduct unbecoming a non-commissioned officer. Corp. Bugler Gross succeeds him.

Alexander Campbell, of Kincaid, who for over a quarter of a century, has been inspector of public schools for West Bruce, recently resigned his office on account of impaired health. The teachers of his district have presented to him a handsome memorial.

Arthur Moyer, a 19-year-old Lowell, Ind., lad, has confessed that he killed his employer, Douglas Pratt, a farmer, on April 18. Moyer acknowledged that he had shot himself in the arm to strengthen the impression that his employer had tried to murder him.

TO BOOM THE HORSE TRADE.

Toronto, May 5.—Prof. Day, of the Ontario Agricultural College, and A. P. Westervelt, of the Provincial Live Stock Association will accompany F. W. Hodgson and other members of the Dominion Live Stock Association to Calgary and through British Columbia, in an effort to further increase interprovincial horse trade.

Mr. Penman, of Paris, has given \$6,000 towards the erection of a Y. M. C. A. building there to cost \$12,000, providing the directors can raise the other \$6,000, and will provide for carrying on the work for five years.

LUNCHING IN WESTMINSTER

Dining-Room To Be Fitted Up in the Abbey.

Peereesses Must Rise Very Early on the Day of the Ceremony.

High Prices Demanded for Seats on Coronation Parade Streets—Place for 2,000,000 Spectators.

WHISKARD'S

THREE BUSY STORES,
228, 230, 232 Dundas Street, London.

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REMEMBER OUR RULE: "When we get bargains you get them."

Plenty of Bargains on hand just now.

HANDKERCHIEF DEPARTMENT.

35 dozen of Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, special, 10c, 12½c, at 5c each.

Special line of Jap Silk Handkerchiefs, in white, hemstitched, regular 30c, our price 20c each—large sizes.

LACE CURTAIN DEPARTMENT.

Special purchase of Lace Curtains, regular \$4.50, very fine goods, our price \$2.50 pair.

Another special in Lace Curtains; regular \$4.50, very fine goods, our price \$2.50 pair.

PRINT DEPARTMENT.

1,000 yards of Fine Prints, in indigo blue, spots, stripes, floral patterns, also white ground, spots, stripes, shirt waist patterns; regular 12½c, our price 8c yard.

RIBBON DEPARTMENT.

Beautiful line of Silk Taffeta Ribbons, 2 inches wide, in pink, blue, cardinal, white and cream, 15c, for 10c yard.

A very fine Taffeta Silk Ribbon, wide width, in all the best shades, at 10c and 25c yard.

CRINKLED SILK CHIFFON.

Regular 75c, our price, special 15c yard.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

New Shapes coming in nearly every day. Ready-to-wear Hats, nicely trimmed, 50c, 75c, \$1 each.

Children's Lace Straw Hats, beautifully trimmed, only 37 cents each.

Splendid line of Ladies' Black Jumbo Straw Sailors, wide silk band, only 45c each.

Boxes of Flowers of all kinds; regular 15c, 20c, 25c, for 5c bunch.

Nearly 3,000 yards of good embroidery, just in, our price 3c, 4c, 5c yard.

Embroidery, 8 inches wide, very special, at 7c yard, new patterns.

Special, 12 bunches White Tape, all sizes, only 8c.

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT

Just in, Cream Lustres, special, 50c yard.

Special line of Cardinal Cashmere, very fine goods, 50c yard.

Baby Blue Cashmere Dress Goods, beautiful quality, 50c yard.

Come to the "Three Busy Stores" for Genuine Bargains.

STEYN SENDS FOR FAMILY

Recalled From Europe After Peace Conference.

Burying-Ground in the Transvaal—Land Expropriated for Interment of Both British and Boers.

Pretoria, May 3.—It is stated that ex-President Steyn, of the Orange Free State, recalled his wife from Europe after the peace conference at Klerksdorp. She and her children started for South Africa a week ago.

FIGHT AT ROCKFORT. One dispatch states that an engagement occurred on April 29 at Rockfort, in which a field cornet was killed, another wounded, and one Boer captured.

BUYING GRAVEYARDS. London, May 2.—A Pretoria dispatch reports that proclamations have been issued making provision for the expropriation of land for the purpose of burial grounds for members of the imperial and colonial forces and the forces of the late republics of the Orange Free State and the Transvaal who died from wounds or otherwise during the campaign.

For sending a congratulatory telegram to the Kaiser on his birthday, several sergeants of a Prussian infantry regiment were placed under arrest for five days.

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A LARGE BOTTLE, 25c.

MRS. PATRICK'S DEEP DEVOTION

"I Shall Work for My Husband's Freedom Until Nails Fall From My Fingers," She Says.

New York, May 5.—The World says: Mrs. Albert T. Patrick, who was Mrs. Francis until her marriage in the Tombs to the convicted man, fairly declared as she stood in the front porch of her home, No. 315 West 88th street, and declared that she would yet prove the innocence of her husband. A new inspiration had come to her, she said, with her marriage to the condemned lawyer. Her face flushed with the vigor of her declamatory remarks. She gesticulated in forcible manner as she exclaimed in a loud, shrill tone:

"My husband is not a guilty man, and I shall live to prove it. God has given me the power. I have the ability. I have evidence of his innocence, and there is more to come in his favor. I shall not tell you the nature of this evidence. It shall all be known in time. I can prove a thousand things—yes, a thousand things, all of which will prove the innocence of the man I am married—yes, honored—to call husband."

"I have known Albert T. Patrick for several years, and I know that he could not have perpetrated the killing of old man Rice without my knowing. He could not have engineered such a scheme of murder and conspiracy without my knowledge. I can prove that."

"But I do not dwell on appearances to clear Albert T. Patrick. I have discovered something more tangible and more convincing—something that can be brought before a judge and jury; evidence of a most convincing character."

"If Prosecutor Osborne was in this room now I would scratch his very eyes out of his head. I would teach him that he cannot send every innocent man to a murderer's cell and escape the wrath of a woman who loves the man through whose conviction he, as a prosecutor, obtains glory and is credited with being a clever lawyer. I am not at all excited. I am quite cool. But I cannot help expressing my contempt for Osborne."

"I have made up my mind and have sealed the resolution with prayers uttered at my bedside. I shall work for Albert T. Patrick's exoneration until I have worked my nails from my fingers or my body into the grave."

19 BARGES SENT TO THE RIVER BOTTOM!

Another Mishap on the Ohio—Steamer Becomes Unmanageable.

Memphis, Tenn., May 3.—Because of an accident to the gearing of one of the engines of the towboat B. B. Finley yesterday the vessel drifted about the barge in the river in the vicinity of Priors Point, Miss., carrying destruction in her path. The vessel was the most uncontrollable, and sank 19 of the 38 coal barges in tow, including the model barge Texas, which was heavily laden with steel rails. The heaviest loss is a total loss. No lives were lost.

WILHELMINA LIKELY TO DIE

Her Majesty's Condition Is Very Critical.

The Anxious Watchers at Her Bedside Had No Sleep Sunday Night.

The Hague, May 5.—It was announced from Castle Loo at midnight last night that Wilhelmina had been prematurely confined at 6 o'clock Sunday evening. At 11 o'clock Sunday evening the condition of her majesty was described as critical and small hope for her recovery was entertained.

A message from Castle Loo, sent at 7 o'clock this morning, says Queen Wilhelmina is still alive. None of the doctors attending her majesty left the palace last night, and neither the queen mother nor the prince consort went to bed.

POTTER PALMER DEAD

For Fifty Years One of Chicago's Prominent Business Men.

Chicago, May 4.—Potter Palmer, for nearly half a century one of Chicago's most prominent business men, died tonight at his residence on Lake Shore Drive. His fortune is estimated at \$25,000,000.

Helena, Mont., May 5.—Hugh McQuaid dropped dead of heart disease in the lobby of the Cosmopolitan Hotel Saturday. McQuaid was an early settler and reported the latter massacre for the Associated Press. For many years he was editor of the Helena Independent.

New York, May 5.—Capt. Hiram Pugh, who has just died at Bridgeton, N. J., had not slept in a bed since he returned from the Civil war. When he was taken ill some weeks ago his doctor ordered him to bed, but he resisted all efforts to make him obey the order and died "with his boots on."

Toronto, May 5.—William Langford, youngest son of Rev. Dr. Langford, of Owen Sound, died at his father's home at 6 p.m. yesterday. Deceased was in his 31st year. He was a brother of Prof. Langford, of Victoria College.

AN OCEAN LINER

DAMAGED BY FIRE.

Steamer Forest Home, of Home Line, Scorched at Montreal—Loss Amounts to \$200,000.

Montreal, May 5.—A destructive fire started shortly before 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon in the steamship Forest Home, of the Home Line. The vessel arrived in port last Saturday with 26,000 boxes of lemons, 5,000 boxes of oranges and 5,400 bags of sulphur. The lemons and oranges had been safely landed, and the men were unloading the sulphur when fire was discovered by some seaman in No. 2 hold, which was loaded with sulphur.

The damage by the fire is estimated at \$200,000.

PRISONER PARE DEAD

Passed Away in Prison—In Three Days His Term Would Have Expired

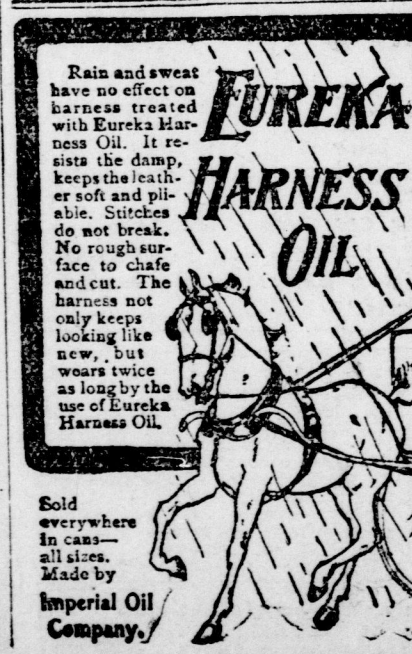
Kingston, Ont., May 5.—On Saturday afternoon Pate, the leader in the attack some years ago on the Dominion Bank, Napanee, and who afterwards turned Queen's evidence and got off with three years in Kingston penitentiary, died in the prison hospital within three days of the expiration of his sentence, a victim to gangrene. Last year, as a result of a hurt contracted by a fall while escaping from Napanee jail, Pate had his left leg amputated at the knee. He recovered, and was about for some time when the affection asserted itself in his other limb. His strength was speedily sapped and he grew weaker and weaker.

It is said that he bequeathed all his money, of which he possessed considerable, to his sister residing in Montreal. During his incarceration Pate was a good, willing prisoner, and did his work well. For a year or more he was quite sickly, and confined more or less to the hospital.

The friends of the deceased prisoner have been notified, and a reply has been received that his remains will be claimed by parties who will reach the city on Monday.

PAINS, LIKE THE POOR, are always with us.—That portion of man's life which is not made up of pleasure is largely composed of pain and to be free from pain is a pleasure. Simple remedies are always the best in treating bodily pain, and a safe, sure and simple remedy is Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. You cannot do wrong in giving it a trial when you are in pain.

When a boy gets too lazy to dig fishing worms there is no earthly hope for him.



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SUNLIGHT SOAP

REDUCES EXPENSE

PREMIER ROSS COMING WEST

To Enter on a Week of Campaign Work.

Begins With Address to the Electors of Sarnia—His Tour So Far Very Satisfactory.

Toronto, May 5.—Premier Ross will today enter upon a week of arduous campaigning, which will doubtless be steadily maintained until polling day. As already announced, he will speak tonight at Sarnia in the interests of Mr. F. F. Pardue, ex-M.P. for West Lambton; tomorrow night at St. Catharines, in support of Mr. D. J. McKinnon, in Lincoln; on Thursday night at Cornwall, where Mr. W. J. McCarroll is the Liberal standard-bearer, and on Friday afternoon at Alexandria, in the interests of Mr. D. M. McPherson, in Glengarry.

The premier's tour thus far has been most satisfactory. A very large audience has greeted him in every instance, and the enthusiasm has been most gratifying to the well-wishers of Liberalism. The physical part of the campaign, while very trying, has not impaired Mr. Ross' brilliancy and convincing force; in fact, his addresses seem to gather weight and sparkle as the campaign progresses.

NOMINATIONS. Prince Edward County Liberals have nominated Dr. Morley O'Brien for the Legislative Assembly, in place of Mr. James A. Clapp, who was compelled by serious illness to retire. Conservative nominations: North Waterloo, Dr. H. G. Lackner; Prescott, Mr. S. R. Poulin.

A NEWFOUNDLAND LETTER

Unbounded Gratitude for a Remarkable Cure Prompts the Writer.

Burgeo, Newfoundland, May 5.—Mr. Joseph Strickland, of the town of Burgeo, is the following letter to the Doctor's Medicine Co.:

"I was a great sufferer for two years and could find no remedy. Besides the doctors I had tried all the medicines I could hear of. The doctors told me I had an abscess on the liver. I could not tell night from day, the pain was so great. Life did not seem worth living. I had to endure such suffering and pain. 'Eight boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me, and I have not had an ache or pain since.'"

STUDENTS JOKED MRS. CARRIE NATION

A Thousand Ann Arbor Boys in Her Audience—Grued the Woman Unmercifully.

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 5.—Carrie Nation gave an open-air performance at a hack on the corner of the Campus Saturday morning, and nearly a thousand students heard her. She invited the students to send up whiskey bottles to be smashed against a plank labeled whiskey, which really contained sulphurated hydrogen, which has the aroma of rotten eggs. Carrie smashed it on the hack wheel, and the smell that arose scattered the crowd temporarily.

The students gazed the Kansas agitator unmercifully and gave the nine 'rahs whenever she mentioned a name. Mrs. Nation visited several saloons today, but did not attempt any destruction of property.

THRESHER COMPANY WILL NOT MOVE

Battle Creek, Mich., May 5.—Our citizens were surprised upon receiving the metropolitan dailies to read an Associated Press dispatch that the Advance Thresher Company, of this city, would remove their plant to Battle Creek. There is no truth in the report. The Advance Company employs 500 men, and cannot now begin to supply the demand for threshing machines. From the fact that the Advance Company and the Minneapolis Engine & Thresher Co. of Minneapolis, have bought the John Abell Threshing Machine and Agricultural Works, of Toronto, where they will manufacture their threshers in order to avoid the payment of Canadian duties.

VERDICT FOR GRAND TRUNK

Port Huron, Mich., May 5.—In the suit of Riggs against the Grand Trunk Railway Co. for \$10,000 for the death of Engineer Riggs, killed in a tunnel yard mix-up two years ago, Judge Law has rendered a verdict for the defendants.

NEW GOLD FIELDS IN NATAL

Durban, Natal, May 5.—Coinciding with the announcement of the extension of the Rand main reef through Natal's pany and a Durban company have secured a great number of farms and options of others. Thorough tests of these holdings will be made. There is no doubt that a gold field has been discovered, but whether it will pay or not remains to be proved.

At a meeting of the South African Club of Winburg at the armory Saturday night, Lieut. A. E. Paddon was elected president for the coming year. Lieut. C. Beers vice-president, and Quartermaster-Serg. E. Craig secretary.

Suit has been brought for \$250,000 against the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company by the executors of the estate of William Leys, of New Rochelle, who was killed in the Park avenue tunnel wreck.

Humors of all kinds are prolific of worse troubles, which may be entirely expelled by a thorough course of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

THIS ADVERTISEMENT CHANGES EVERY DAY.
176-178 Dundas Street, London, Monday, May 5, 1902.



TUESDAY'S 5c, 10c and 15c BIG BARGAINS.

And still they come—the Big Bargains that have brought the people in crowds to this store ever since the big 5c, 10c and 15c sale commenced. Many lines are entirely cleaned out, but there are lots here yet, just as good, some better.

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China.	Tinware, Etc.	Glassware.
Fancy Platters, rose pattern, Tuesday at 8 a.m. each ... 15c	30 only Painted Slop Jars, with cover, Tuesday at 8 a.m. ... 15c	Pretty Vases, 9-inch size, Tuesday at 8 a.m. ... 15c
Fancy Bread and Butter Plates, floral and gilt designs, Tuesday at 8 a.m. ... 15c	Cuspidors, Tuesday at 8 a.m. ... 15c	See our table of 5c, 10c and 15c Glassware.
Pretty Salad Bowls, Tuesday at 8 a.m. ... 10c	Large Steel Frypans, Tuesday at 8 a.m. ... 15c	Washboards, Tuesday at 8 a.m. ... 10c
Fancy Cake Plates at 8 a.m. ... 10c	Galvanized Pails, Tuesday at 8 a.m. ... 15c	Brooms.
Fancy Cups and Saucers, Tuesday at 8 a.m. 5c, 10c and ... 15c	Pretty Wash Basins, Tuesday at 8 a.m. ... 10c	Good Brooms Tuesday at 8 a.m. ... 15c
	Tin Dishpans, 10-quart size, Tuesday at 8 a.m. ... 15c	Scissors, Etc.
		Good Scissors and Shears, Tuesday at 8 a.m. for ... 15c

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Pure Silk Taffeta Ribbons, 4 inches wide, in about 17 different shades, washable, Tuesday at 8 a.m., yard ... 15c

Cushion Covers.	Great Specials in Copyright Novels.	Towels.
About 5 dozen Cushion Covers, tinted, and some stamped, regular 25c, 35c, 45c and 50c, Tuesday at 8 a.m. each ... 15c	25c Each. All the latest copyright novels—The Colonial Love, The Red Chancellor, The Last of the Knickerbockers, A Drone and a Dreamer, Puppet, Crown, On Peter's Island, Mark Everhard, The Silver Skull, Graustark, and others, regular 65c and 75c, Tuesday at 8 a.m. each ... 25c	Linen Damask Towels, 23 by 45 inches, Tuesday at 8 a.m. each ... 15c
Center Pieces.	Papeteries.	Corset Covers, 20c. Corset Covers, made of fine Lonsdale, V and square neck, embroidery trimmed, over-stitched seams, Tuesday at 8 a.m. ... 20c
Stamped Linen Centerpieces, regular 25c, Tuesday at 8 a.m. ... 10c	Bohemian Girl Envelopes, 24 envelopes, 24 sheets of paper, in pretty box, Tuesday at 8 a.m. ... 5c	Chemises, 20c. Made of fine Lonsdale, neck and sleeves, trimmed with lace, Tuesday at 8 a.m. ... 20c
Protection Collars.	Crepe Paper.	Maid's Aprons, 20c. Made of Lonsdale, trimmed with strap over shoulder, strap fastened at back, pipe embroidery bib, Tuesday at 8 a.m. ... 20c
Stamped Protection Collars, regular 10c, Tuesday at 8 a.m. each ... 5c	Crepe Paper, all colors, Tuesday at 8 a.m. roll ... 5c	Bonnets, 20c. Embroidery Bonnets, lace ruch round face, deep fluted frill, muslin ties, Tuesday at 8 a.m. ... 20c
Tray Cloths.		
Stamped and Hemstitched Tray Cloths, regular 30c, Tuesday at 8 a.m. ... 15c		
Embroidery Silks.		
Embroidery Silks, Tuesday at 8 a.m. 2 skeins for ... 5c		

Down Go the Candy Prices Lower Than Ever.

McCormick's Famous Victoria Creams, regular 20c lb, Tuesday at 8 a.m. 14-lb ... 4c	Sugar-Coated Gum Drops, Tuesday at 8 a.m. 14-lb ... 4c	Perrin's Cocoa Bonbons, strawberry flavor, Tuesday at 8 a.m. 14-lb ... 5c
McCormick's Raspberries, regular 15c lb, Tuesday at 8 a.m. 14-lb ... 4c	Perrin's Cocoa Bonbons, chocolate flavor, Tuesday at 8 a.m. 14-lb ... 5c	Perrin's Chocolate Wafers, gan, harmony and singing, Tuesday at 8 a.m. 14-lb ... 4c
McCormick's Cream Dates, regular 20c lb, Tuesday at 8 a.m. 14-lb ... 4c	Perrin's Cocoa Bonbons, vanilla flavor, Tuesday at 8 a.m. 14-lb ... 5c	Pan Taffies, Tuesday at 8 a.m. 14-lb ... 4c

See Our Line of 5c Wall Papers.

THE G.T.R. LIKELY TO BUY ANOTHER ROAD

Has Option on Milwaukee, Benton Harbor and Columbus Line.

Niles, Mich., May 5.—The Grand Trunk Railway Company has secured an option on the Milwaukee, Benton Harbor, and Columbus Railway, running from Buchanan to Benton Harbor, and it is announced that the G. T. R. will be extended from Edwardsburg through Niles to Buchanan, a distance of 17 miles, thence to Benton Harbor, over the M. B. H. and C. The M. B. H. and C. is said to have been a white elephant on the hands of owners, who have been ready to sell it at a discount for some time.

NEURALGIA

THIS DISTRESSING COMPLAINT IS DUE TO IMPROVED BLOOD.

When the blood becomes thin and watery, as a matter of course you become weak, vitality gets down low, and there is but little power in the system to ward off disease and pain. Neuralgia is due to a weak spot, and it is hard to drive out. But by using the proper remedies it can be driven from the system, never to return. To obtain immediate relief, first apply to the painful parts a good quantity of Polson's Nervine, and then bind on a hot flannel cloth. This local treatment will be found very efficacious, but must be followed by a course of Ferrozone treatment. Ferrozone is a blood food, and a blood purifier, and quickly strengthens the system so that further attacks may never be feared. It makes the rich red kind of blood that gives strength and vigor to weak constitutions and puts them in good shape to resist neuralgia attacks. This combined treatment of Nervine and Ferrozone in Neuralgia, Sciatica, and Rheumatism, is marvellously effective, and cures after all else has failed. Because of the unique success of these remedies we have no hesitancy in recommending their use to our readers. All druggists sell them.

Rotterdam is building the biggest excavated dock in the world. Its area is 150 acres, with a depth of water of 14 feet, which will be dredged out later to 23 feet. The earth dug up has been used to build up the surrounding quays and to raise the level of neighboring streets.

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS is the best known remedy for dyspepsia, constipation and biliousness, and will cure all blood diseases, from a common pimple to the worst scrofulous sore.

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London, Monday, May 5.

A Business Campaign.

The Provincial elections are only a little more than three weeks distant, but there are no surface indications of any great excitement on the part of the public, despite Mr. Whitney's frantic beating of tom-toms. The upheaval of opinion which he predicted would confront the Government when it went to the country must be non-existent, or working so quietly that even politicians with their ears on the ground cannot hear it. His attempt to create a moral issue is regarded as mere political melodrama, and his perverted appeals to "clergymen and all good people" excite a mild hilarity, as he is so plainly stultified by the record of his party. If Mr. Whitney were less violent in his language he would be taken more seriously, even by his own followers. The people of this Province refuse to believe they have been governed by a set of scoundrels, or that public virtue is entirely bound up with the success of any one party.

The absence of excitement in this campaign is explained by the simple fact that there is nothing to get excited about. In other elections attempts have been made to inflame sectarian passions, and a good deal of heat was engendered, but happily appeals to religious prejudice have been dropped by the Opposition, for the present at least. The issue now remains a purely business one, which is not calculated to raise any profound emotion in the human breast, though Mr. Whitney is laboring hard to pump up a strong feeling of some kind. The contrast between the vehemence of the language, and the cool matter-of-fact character of the questions before the electorate is ridiculous. The staunchest Conservatives must confess to themselves that Ontario has been well governed for the last 30 years; that the administration of the finances has been clean and without scandal, and that no serious indictment can be brought against the Government on its record. The campaign resolves itself into the question, Which party is better fitted to carry on the affairs of the Province at the present juncture? On the one side is a party with experienced men at the head, who have performed and are performing the work satisfactorily. On the other hand is a party without experience, and to be candid, without any considerable talent in its parliamentary ranks. Apart from Mr. Whitney, Mr. Foy, and in a pinch, Mr. Mismacbell, can anyone point to a single member of the Opposition qualified for a portfolio in even a Conservative administration? The Ross Government has been making a special effort to colonize New Ontario and attract industry to its natural resources. Now that the development plans for both the older and newer portions of Ontario are becoming matured, and are yielding splendid results, the people of this Province will hardly choose this as a time for making an experiment in government at the risk of unsettling present and unformed direction of new men at the head of affairs. As we said before the issue is a business one, and the electors will take a business view of it and let well enough alone.

Womanly Sweetness.

[Philadelphia Press.]
Tess (after telling a joke)—Why don't you laugh? Don't you consider that funny?
Jess—Oh, my, but that joke is old.
Tess—Is it really, dear? Of course, you ought to know.

They Did It.

[Bellefonte Intelligence.]
One of the church choirs last night sang the anthem, "Make a Joyful Noise." People who heard them say they carried out their instructions.

The Lover Finds a Way.

[Town Topics.]
I'm on a year's probation.
We're both too young, they say,
And I must go away.
So here I'm on the brink,
Bound for some horrid spa,
By burg remote and tiny,
To please Pauline's papa.
I could drop a line each night—
But, no! He said I mustn't write.
Today we're due at Queenstown;
A short week off my vow,
I wish it were Pauline's town,
The time, a year from now!
Dear up! I'm quite unable!
I've tried—yet just to say,
I love you, dear, by cable,
Would drive those blues away,
But—always the old story—
I promised her I wouldn't wire.

Excessive Mileage.

[Pittsburg Dispatch.]
Cashier—I've been dabbling in stocks, old chap. Could you lend me five thousand dollars to carry me over?
Friend—Five thousand dollars. Why, you can get to Canada or Cuba for fifty.

Not to His Taste.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]
"Your husband seems to have a pas-

sion for editions de luxe," said Mrs. Oldcastle as she was glancing through the magnificent library of her new neighbors. "Oh, no," the hostess replied, "them's nearly all printed in English. Josiah tried French for three weeks once by a new system, but gave it up, and went to takin' Turkish baths."

Rubaiyat of the Old Red Moving Van.

[Exchange.]
Look at the moving vans about us—Lo,
The whole world seems to be upon the go;
We have the little tins we have and move
To larger woes whereof we do not know.

The splendid hopes we set our hearts upon
Turn ashes when we settle down anon,
And having tacked our carpets fast we sit,
Regretting the good things from which we've gone.

The neighbors that we left were not our style;
We didn't like the noise they made, but still
Bet forty dollars the new neighbors, too,
Will make us weary in a little while.

Alike for those who move today to where
High walls of masonry loom in the air,
And those who go to humble quarters all
Must eat cold grub and sleep where floors are bare.

What by the brawny teamster hurried whence?
Our goods jammed in the van and hurried hence?
There's many an earnest protest answered by
The big red-whiskered mover's insolence.

For I remember stopping by the way
To watch a fool let fall a cut glass
And as I poured my feelings out to him
He murmured, "Gently, brother, gently, pray."

And has not such a story from of old
Down men's successive generations rolled?
We pitch our tents and then pull up again,
And move to where new beauties may unfold.

A little halt, a little peace of mind
And then we push along to find
New disappointments—thus through life we move
And leave our streaks of rubbish stretched behind.

Bobbie's Reason.

[Ohio State Journal.]
Little Bobbie—Willie Smith wanted to fight me, maw, an' I wouldn't do it.
Proud Mother—That was perfectly right, Bobbie.
Little Bobbie—You bet! I did fight with him wuncet an' he licked me.

A Few Points.

[Philadelphia Record.]
Thermometers are getting stuck up. The best trust refuses to be cowed. The mint julep crop is one that never fails.

The oyster is making his farewell appearance. The man who is born to rule should never get married.

In the game of bridge you don't always have a walk-over. Apparently the only plot that a rustic drama needs is a grass plot. It is well to put off till tomorrow the unkind things you might do today.

The labor agitator and the baseball pitcher should have striking personalities. It isn't necessary to weigh some people in the balance to find them wanting.

Many a fellow who can read a menu in French hasn't the price of the dinner. Every good girl has her good points and that's why a fellow gets stuck on her.

The man who first said that figures never lie evidently never saw a burlesque show. Some people have an idea that to be brilliant they must cast reflections on others.

An Indolent Fantasy.

[Washington Star.]
I wish dar was a money tree,
De money'd grow like pine,
But 'tain't enough to satisfy
Dese preb'n' needs of mine.
A tree whose leaves was dollar bills;
Whose fruit was coins of gold—
I tell you what would be fine
To watch dem buds unfold.

I'd be dar 'fore dar all de June;
I'd lie dar 'til July;
I'd never quit dat shady spot
Till summe' wint' by.

I'd doze an' dream an' take my ease,
I'd loaf an' never stop,
A waltz' foh dem leaves to fall
An' foh dat fruit to drop.

Extravagance.

[Washington Star.]
"What is the best thing for a black-eye?" asked the man of pugilistic tendencies.
"Oh, a small piece of raw beefsteak."

"Yes, but supposing you are not a millionaire?"
"That's a very disreputable neighborhood. It always has been and it always will be."

"Oh! I think you are mistaken about that. I believe it is a very respectable neighborhood."

"No, I ain't, I know, because I used to live there myself."

Helped to Make It.

[Philadelphia Press.]
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Changed the Text.

[London Chronicle.]
Dr. Talmage, during his visit to England in 1879 had been engaged to preach in a church in one of the large towns of England. On arriving at the building he found it besieged by a throng of from 15,000 to 20,000 people. Naturally, he expected the place would be crowded inside; instead of this he was surprised to find it only moderately full. "Why," he demanded of the pastor, "don't you let this crowd of people come in?" "Oh, said he, "each person inside has paid four shillings to get in. Dr. Talmage had intended to preach from the text, "Without money and without price." He changed his subject.

GOOD HEALTH IS IMPOSSIBLE without regular action of the bowels. Laxa-Liver Pills regulate the bowels, cure constipation, dyspepsia, biliousness and sick headache.

DAILY PICTURE PUZZLE.



"AUNTIE, DO YOU SEE THE BIRD?" WHERE IS IT?
SOLUTION FOR SATURDAY'S PUZZLE—With the upper part of the picture as base, the dog may be found towards the left in the foliage.

THE FOURTH CONTINGENT

Officers Recommended by the
Minister of Militia.High Positions for Three Well-
Known London Men.Dates Named for Departure of the
Three Transports That Will Take
the Men to South Africa.

Ottawa, May 5.—The transport Cestrian, which sails from Halifax on the 8th, will have the Third Regiment and two squadrons of the Fourth Regiment, under Major O'Farrell, the Winifredian, which sails on the 15th, will have the Sixth Regiment and the headquarters and two squadrons of the Fourth Regiment. The Corinthian, which sails on the 20th, will have the Fifth Regiment on board.

OFFICERS OF THE CONTINGENT.
The list of officers of the fourth contingent, Canadian Mounted Rifles, as forwarded by the minister of militia for the approval of the war office, is as follows:

Third Regiment—In command, Lieut.-Col. V. A. S. Williams, R. C. D.; second in command, Major D. J. Eaton, R. C. P. A.; adjutant, Capt. T. Vanstrubben, R. C. D.; quartermaster, Lieut. W. P. Butcher, R. C. D.; medical officer, Capt. S. R. Ray, A. M. S.; veterinary officer, Capt. W. J. Neil, 45th Regiment; captains, W. Henderson, 48th; S. A. Mackenzie, 5th E. B.; W. W. Nasmyth, 6th; G. C. Arnold, 2nd F. B.; lieutenants, H. Staples, 45th; Hector Reid, 46th; F. N. Gibbs, R. O.; C. G. Barker, 13th; Allan Butcher, 1st P. W. Fusiliers; C. H. Hill, R. C. R.; W. R. Kingsford, 30th; A. G. Shaw, 3rd R. O. Dragoons; B. C. White, 6th; A. H. Pett, cadet, R. M. C.; V. B. Patterson, cadet, R. M. C.; J. G. Armstrong, corporal, Strathcona's Horse; Jesse Carl Biggs, lance corporal, 2nd R. C. R.; George S. Sparkes, private, Strathcona's Horse; Victor W. O. Alwin, private, 2nd Battalion; R. C. R.; W. Gordon Bishop, private, R. C. D.

Fourth Regiment—In command, Lieut.-Col. T. L. Boulanger, D.S.O.; adjutant, Capt. E. F. Mackie, D.S.O.; C. M. R.; quartermaster, Lieut. C. E. Elliott, R. M. S.; veterinary officer, Vet. Capt. A. D. Harrington; captains, J. E. G. Boulton, 1st Regiment, C. A.; W. C. Good, 10th F. B.; O. L. Pope, 15th; T. Dunsmuir, 42nd Fusiliers; lieutenants, J. J. F. Winslow, 1st; W. Lawlor, 12th F. B.; L. A. Roy, 1st Battery; D. V. Papineau, 55th Regiment; W. A. Cook, 8th R. Rifles; G. L. Boulanger, 1st B. B. W. L. Savary, 15th F. B.; H. Metzler, 74th; W. A. Simpson, 63rd; A. Dawson, 61st; Lorne Stewart, sergeant, 2nd R. C. R.; C. F. Pooley, sergeant, 2nd R. C. R.; P. Sulley, private, R. C. D.; A. Wilkins, H. A. Dickey, H. H. Cameron, sergeants, D. Battery, R. C. F. A.

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Sixth Regiment—In command, Lieut.-Col. J. D. Irving, D. C. O.; No. 9 military district; second in command, Lieut.-Col. W. D. Gordon, D.O.C.; No. 5 military district; adjutant, Capt. F. P. Unice, R. C. R.; quartermaster, Lieut. James Hamilton, 22nd Regiment; medical officer, Surgeon Capt. D. M. Anderson; veterinary officer, Veterinary Captain, S. Hawken; captains, P. B. Ross, 13th Regiment; J. M. Calmes, 5th F. B.; G. B. Motherwell, 2nd C. A.; A. S. A. M. O. McCrimmon, 1th; Ashley Cooper, R. O.

BARBARITY IN PHILIPPINES

Atrocious Beeds of Natives and
U. S. Troops.Further Testimony Regarding Appli-
cation of the "Water Cure" and the
Destruction of Villages.

Washington, May 5.—L. E. Hallock, of Boston, Mass., formerly a sergeant and then a private in Company I, 26th Volunteer Infantry, testified on Saturday before the senate committee on the Philippines, concerning the practice of the "water cure" in the Philippines.

Hallock told of the infliction of the cure upon a dozen natives at the town of Leon, Province of Panay. He said they were captured and tortured in order to secure information of the murder of Pte. O'Herne, of Company I, who had been not only killed, but roasted and otherwise tortured before death ensued. Capt. Cienza, in charge of a scouting party, had first secured a confession of participation in this crime from one native, who implied that the others were doing worse death ensued. Capt. Cienza, in charge of a scouting party, had first secured a confession of participation in this crime from one native, who implied that the others were doing worse death ensued.

Hallock said that he witnessed the torture, but did not take part in it. "Did Capt. Grogg know of the torture?" Senator Rawlins asked, and I don't see how he could have helped knowing.

"What was the effect of the punishment?" The stomach would swell up, and in some cases I witnessed blood come from the mouth.

When asked what became of the Philippine prisoners to whom the "cure" was administered, he replied that they were placed in a guard-house, 20 to 25 feet in size, in which there was one window and in which at times 15 men were confined. The twelve prisoners were kept for four or five months and then they tried to escape. The effort was successful on the part of some of them, but five or six fleeing prisoners were shot and killed.

"Were all the prisoners who did not escape killed?" With one exception; I think one was given his freedom."

Hallock stated that he had also been present when a village of 8,000 natives, supposed to be the occupants of the houses had not had time to carry out their furniture.

Senator Lodge brought out the details of the murder of Pte. O'Herne. The witness said that in June, 1900, O'Herne, with two other members of the company, was sent to Iloilo for mail, and on their return on June 30, they were ambushed by 100 natives and O'Herne made a dash to get away, and after escaping from the attacking party, fell in with other natives, supposed to be friendly. Instead of proving to be so, they had devoted the entire next day to his torture and death, beginning at daylight by cutting him with bolts and then roasting him all day by a slow fire, not finishing up until night. All these details, the witness said, were gathered from the confessions of the men to whom they had given the "cure."

Answering other questions, he said that he had not known anyone to die under the water cure. The prisoners were generally fed on rice and coffee, with an occasional meal of hard tack. He said they were all "fat." He also said that he understood that the orders were to treat the natives well.

The committee went into executive session, and Senator Lodge laid before it the cablegram from General Chaffee, concerning Major Gardner, which was afterward read in the senate. The committee decided not to request the apprehension of Major Gardner, pending the investigation in the Philippines.

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A LOCAL BUDGET.

—Mr. J. L. Johnson, of this city, arrived home today from Halifax.

—Messrs. W. H. Pugsley and Chas. Bailey left London yesterday on a trip to New York.

—Mrs. R. Munro will be at home to her friends Thursday and Friday afternoon, May 8 and 9, at 100 Stanley street.

—The hearing of the Gilmore-Luckhurst dispute before Squire Lacey has been adjourned till Thursday, owing to Mrs. Gilmore's illness.

—Rev. Hector McKay, B.A., of Montreal, preached an excellent sermon in St. George's Presbyterian Church, London Junction, yesterday.

—Squire Lacey has adjourned till Friday next the hearing of the case against the men charged with crap shooting in London township.

—Rev. J. H. Moorhouse, of this city, and Mrs. Cowan, of Toronto, will speak at the 24th meeting this evening in St. James' Presbyterian Church.

—Mr. Alf. E. Treblecock, of Detroit (formerly of this city), is spending a week in London. He will assist the St. John A. C. in their three minstrel performances this week.

—Dr. J. William Fischer, house surgeon of St. Joseph Hospital, has left for his home in Waterloo with his parents. Dr. Fischer will resume his duties on the 1st of June.

—Rev. D. R. Drummond, M.A., B.D., of Knox Church, St. Thomas, occupied the pulpit at the First Presbyterian Church yesterday. Rev. W. J. Clark took Mr. Drummond's pulpit at St. Thomas.

—The Berlin Telegraph says: "The many friends of Mr. J. William Fischer, son of Mr. John Fischer, of this town, will be pleased to learn that he has been successful in passing his final examination in medicine at the Western University, London, and is now a full-fledged doctor. Out of nine subjects Mr. Fischer received honors in six subjects, viz., medicine, obstetrics, therapeutics, gynecology, children and ophthalmology. We congratulate Mr. Fischer upon his good showing."

A WEEK OF ANNIVERSARIES.
The week upon which we have entered has some rather interesting anniversaries. Napoleon I. died at St. Helena 81 years ago today, in his 52nd year, while the man who recently wrote a story of his life, Lord Rosebery, was born 55 years ago on Wednesday next. John Stuart Mill died 21 years ago come Thursday, and 45 years ago today Saturday saw the outbreak of the Indian Mutiny.

ENTERTAINMENT AT NORMAL SCHOOL.
The first regular meeting of the Normal School Literary Society, since the election of officers was held in the assembly hall on Friday evening. Features of the programme were an address by Dr. Tamblin, of the Western University, on "Thackeray," which was both interesting and instructive; a reading by Miss Myrtle Wilson, who has already attained a reputation as an elocutionist, and a piano solo by Miss Edith Johnson, a pupil of Prof. Evans. The other numbers were: Solo,

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A GOLDEN WEDDING.
The 50th anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson, concession A, East Nissouri, was fittingly celebrated last week, when nearly a hundred of the couple's friends gathered at their residence and passed an enjoyable evening. Congratulatory addresses were delivered and a musical programme carried out. A dainty supper was first partaken of, after which the programme was introduced by Mr. Hope Webster, of this city. Those who provided the entertainment were Misses Henderson, and Day, Mr. Conliffe, Messrs. A. Pattullo, M.P.P., and G. R. Pattullo, of Woodstock; D. R. Calder, of Ingersoll; Rev. Mr. Lindsay, of Kintworth; Dr. McWilliam, of Thompson; Mr. Somerville, of London, and others gave addresses. Guests were present from St. Marys, London, Woodstock, Thamesford and Ingersoll. Among numerous presents contributed were a pair of gold spectacles and a Bible. All members of the family, excepting one son, were present.

ALVINGTON MAN'S SUCCESS.
Alvinston Free Press: News of the pleasing success of Mr. R. E. Stewart, of 45 Byron avenue, London, and formerly an Alvinston boy, has reached us. Mr. Stewart, who was for a time operator on the G. T. R. at Jarvis, but who resigned this position for a more lucrative one as operator on the C. P. R., about 70 miles east of Rat Portage, has again been advanced. Mr. Stewart has been promoted to the position of agent on the same line at Renne, Man. This is one of the busiest places on the C. P. R., between Port William and Winnipeg, being the shipping point of the surrounding great grain-producing district, and hence involving a great responsibility on Mr. Stewart, who, as agent, has necessarily the supervision of the entire traffic. Ernest reports himself exceedingly well pleased, both with his work and location. Ernest certainly deserves credit for his pluck and enterprise, and, considering his success, we join with all his old Alvinston friends in extending to him our best wishes for the successful future undoubtedly in store for him.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

"ALPHONSE AND GASTON."
The big farce comedy, "Alphonse and Gaston," which comes to the New Grand this evening, is said to be one of the best of the new musical comedies on the road this season. The comedy will be interspersed with a brilliant collection of sparkling music, dancing, singing, solo and duets, and will be presented with entirely new costumes and scenery. "Alphonse and Gaston" is fascinating from beginning to end and nothing but fun.

"ALL ON ACCOUNT OF ELIZA."
"All on Account of Eliza," as presented by Louis Mann and Clara Lipman, seems to have made one of the most remarkable hits of the past few years. Players will have an opportunity to see this fresh combination of fun at the New Grand tomorrow evening. They will not, however, like anything like "The Telephone Girl," from Paris, or "The Telephone Girl," from Paris, or "The Telephone Girl," from Paris.

French connections in which Mr. Mann and Miss Lipman won signal honors. Instead, they will find a comedy, clean and wholesome, and with a few clever players at their best, and supplying entertainment so delightful and refreshing in quality that there will be no room for cavilling.

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of the season should greet Mr. Mills and his associates on Friday evening. Miss Paronitz, the eminent Polish pianist, who comes with Mr. Mills, has been received everywhere with the greatest of enthusiasm. Mr. Owen A. Stanley, Canada's leading entertainer, needs no introduction to a London audience. He will contribute two clever sketches.

WESTMINSTER ABBEY CHOIR.
The Westminster Abbey Choir, Glee and Concert party, which is now enjoying a most successful tour in Canada, will appear at the New Grand shortly. The party is composed of the eight leading lay vicars of the choir, who are well-known London artists, and the six finest boy sopranos in England. The principal boy, Percy Phillips, has a voice which, the London Daily News says, resembles in its upper notes Madame Alban's, who appeared in the same programme with him at the first production of Coleridge Taylor's cantata, "The Blind Girl."

"ON THE SUWANEE RIVER."
The Clover Leaf Quartet in "On the Suwanee River" is very popular with admirers of that play. Their portion of the play's programme contains some excellent singing and dancing, a real rooster fight and a whole lot of hearty laughter. The production will be seen at the Grand shortly.

AN EPISODE IN THE CAREER OF THE LATE DR. BUCKE

In Which the Driver of a Certain Bob-Tail Car Figures Among Others.

In 1863 Walt Whitman lived in Washington. He roomed with a young fellow named John Burroughs; and in the same house, stored snugly in the garret, were Maurice Bucke and Peter Doyle.

Maurice and Walt were nurses in the army hospital. John was a clerk in the treasury department, and Pete drove a bob-tail car on Pennsylvania avenue. Pete made more money than all three: he got a hundred dollars a month.

In way of recreation Walt used to ride back and forth with Pete on the bob-tail car. The line ran then just from the White House to the Capitol and no further. Walt would stand out in front and hold himself with his foot on the dash and watch the motor power, which was a mule, and the procession; and sometimes Pete would give Walt his stool to sit on.

One fine day as Walt was riding out there in front, Pete said to Walt (who rode on an annual-and-bob-tail—issued by Pete), "Walt, I've just got my month's pay, a hundred dollars. You better take care of the money; I don't get off until seven, and there is a bad crowd around the barns."

Walt took the roll, promising to take care of it.

The next crossing Walt stepped inside and made his way through the crowded car for the purpose of alighting. Several passengers were hanging on to the car.

One of these, a drunken fellow, bumped into Walt. Profuse apologies followed. Walt excused the delinquent, and the car went home. As he climbed the stairs he felt in his pocket for the roll of bills.

The money was gone. Soon Maurice came in, and Walt told his tale of woe.

Then John arrived, and listened to the story. John took the roll boldly by the horns, and proposed that they all chip in, making good the loss, and never let Pete know. They emptied their pockets on the table. The total sum realized was nine dollars and twenty cents.

Maurice and Walt had no income, and John would not pay the bill for three weeks. In the meantime Pete might demand his money, or part of it. They all had goose-flesh. For four days there were spasms of alarm, followed by chills and fever. They watched Pete with stealthy gaze; they sought to divert him, to amuse him; they told jokes in a way that bordered on hysteria, and related pathetic things that happened in the hospitals. But one day they all decided that Pete was about to ask for fifty dollars. All signs pointed that way. The issue must be met.

Maurice volunteered to tell Pete frankly the plain and simple truth. When Pete came in, Maurice coughed—and his heart failed him.

"You tell him," said Maurice to John. "What's the matter with you three fools?" demanded Pete. "Here you have all been acting for a week like a mule that was loaded—out with it!"

"We lost your money!" yelled the three men in one voice.

"Oh," said Pete. "I thought something had happened. Is supper ready?"

Walt and Maurice are sleeping their long sleep.

John lives up at Slabside, raises celery and writes books about birds and things.

Pete is a baggage man at the Grand Central station, New York. Pete goes up to see John once in a while, but does not stay long; it is too quiet at Slabside. He wants to hear the rush of traffic, the roar of tramping feet and the hiss of the steam. He was always in the transportation business; he used to drive a bob-tail car on Pennsylvania avenue—Edmund Hubbard, in Cosmopolitan Magazine.

TEMPTATION'S GREAT VALUE

The Subject Presented at St. Andrew's by Rev. Dr. McVicar.

Montreal Preacher Speaks of the Beneficent Results of Severe Trials Overcome.

Rev. Dr. McVicar, of Montreal, preached at St. Andrew's Church yesterday, and was heard both in the morning and evening, by large congregations, by whom his excellently prepared and well-delivered sermons were greatly enjoyed. In the morning he spoke of salvation and the part which man has in securing his own salvation. The subject of his evening sermon was "Temptation," the experience of Abraham being the inspiration of his remarks.

Dr. McVicar said that temptation came to try, test and prove a man, but he showed that temptation and sin are distinct. We might be tested by sin, without yielding, and then would come out truer, purer and better able to resist again. Temptation resisted was the best discipline of Christ.

Dr. McVicar spoke of the value of temptation to all men. It brought them face to face with God, and tested their power for saying yes or nay. He spoke of the time when we most feel the strength of temptation. Abraham and Christ were tempted when alone, and it would be so with us, coming when we have no friends nor sympathy to give us courage. We should therefore always surround us with God, so that when temptations come, we should have developed the strength to resist it. The test, he said, would be hard, but he grasped the higher truths, Dr. McVicar said, our desires and God's commands would be reconciled.

MR. C. H. BEVINGTON GOES TO NEW ROAD

G. T. R. Official Here Begomes Superintendent of Vanderbilt Line.

Mr. C. H. Bevington, who has for the past year held the important position of master of transportation at London, has been appointed superintendent of the Rutland Railway, and leaves London within a week to assume his new duties. The Rutland Railway is a portion of the Vanderbilt system between Boston and New

York, and Mr. Bevington's selection for so important a post is sufficient proof of the estimation in which he is held in official railway circles. Mr. Bevington has been with the Grand Trunk for four years, and occupied several positions of trust and responsibility before coming to London. His departure will be regretted by the many friends he has made here. Mrs. Bevington and the family will not leave London for some weeks.

OLD BOY MOVEMENT DOWN BY THE SEA

Strong London Old Boys' Association Formed at St. John, N. B.

A recent issue of the St. John (N.B.) Telegraph contains the following item: "A number of the young men in this city who hail from London, Ont., gathered last evening at the residence of Rev. Dr. Morrison and formed a St. John branch of the London Old Boys' Association. These associations flourish in nearly all the large cities of Canada, and the United States within reasonable distance of the home city. Once every two years the Old Boys of London visit the Forest City in a body, the railroads providing excursion rates. They come from far and near and bring a host of friends. They are given during their stay the freedom of the city, and are viewed with the greatest of esteem by the home management committee. London was the first city to take up this plan, and since the first organization it has had wonderful development. Last evening J. J. Foote was appointed president, W. F. Jarvis vice-president, Rev. Dr. Morrison honorary president, and C. L. Armstrong secretary-treasurer. The following committee were appointed: Transportation, H. G. Beresford, W. H. Minihnick, G. J. Clarke, A. J. McNeil, H. M. Stagg, Geo. H. Evans, and T. P. Charlton; fraternal, F. Page, W. Scarcliffe, A. Beal, F. Pickard, R. Little and W. Mullins. It was decided that there be an outing on June 28, to be arranged by the transportation committee."

Simply Hutch.
"You know, old chap, there was a time when I couldn't enjoy these little refreshments as I do now. I had a very bad stomach, began to get accustomed to a pain there. Felt some sharp agony until I became cured. What did the trick? Hutch—old fellow, simply Hutch. It gave me almost instant relief, and now I can take in the most wonderful medicine going."

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Job had a great many trials; so has the wealthy criminal.

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SISTERS REUNITED AFTER FORTY YEARS

Romantic Reunion of Orphans in Saginaw City, Mich.

Saginaw, Mich., May 5.—A romantic reunion of sisters separated from each other for many years took place in this city on Saturday.

In the year 1862 three little girls were left orphans and found a temporary asylum in the Protestant Orphan Home at Detroit. The family name was Blankets, but the sisters were in the home only a short time when they were adopted, one by a family named Atkins, another by a family named Poole, and a third by a family named Ferris. Mrs. George Hughes, of the south side, was the child adopted by the Atkins family, and in some manner remembered her name of Blankets when it was recalled to her when meeting a family by that name who reside in Saginaw. She instituted inquiries finally, and

engaged the services of F. L. Eaton, of this city, to assist her.

It was found that the records of the orphan's home had been destroyed by fire, but the names of the families who had adopted the children were finally ascertained, and in this way trace of the two sisters were found. They are Mrs. William Barrett, of Iona, and Mrs. E. Beaman, of Ontario. They reached here Saturday and are gathered in a family reunion.

ADVERTISING CANADA

Grand Trunk Railway Traveling Picture Exhibit a Strong Factor in Bringing Tourists to Canada—Thousands of People Being Educated to the Beauty of the Northern Resorts.

The Grand Trunk Railway's traveling picture exhibit which is meeting with such a favorable reception in all the cities at which it is being displayed, is also receiving eulogistic words of praise in the press of the Southern and Middle States. The Springfield (Ohio) Sun of April 22, in speaking of this collection, says: "The exhibit establishes a precedent in railroad advertising, possessing sufficient merit in itself to justify anyone in taking the trouble to view the display. It is one of the best advertisements that Canada has ever had for her summer resorts, and it is expected that the results will justify all the good words that have been spoken of it. A heavy influx of tourists into Canada during the coming season is assured. The exhibit is composed of over 100 large photographic views 40x50 inches, in addition to one of the finest collections of stuffed and mounted fish, including specimens of the gamey species of the fishy tribe native to Canadian waters, and including maskinonge, black bass, pike-perch (Dore), brook trout, land locked salmon and other specimens; as well as reproductions of many of the wonderful engineering feats that are located on the Grand Trunk system in the way of tunnels and bridges.

The collection has been shown this year at fifteen different cities, and up to the present time nearly 40,000 people have viewed the display. It is one of the best advertisements that Canada has ever had for her summer resorts, and it is expected that the results will justify all the good words that have been spoken of it. A heavy influx of tourists into Canada during the coming season is assured. The exhibit is composed of over 100 large photographic views 40x50 inches, in addition to one of the finest collections of stuffed and mounted fish, including specimens of the gamey species of the fishy tribe native to Canadian waters, and including maskinonge, black bass, pike-perch (Dore), brook trout, land locked salmon and other specimens; as well as reproductions of many of the wonderful engineering feats that are located on the Grand Trunk system in the way of tunnels and bridges.

Salt rheum, or eczema, with its itching and burning, is cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. So are all other blood diseases. Many a man's ship turns out to be a raft.

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