

KING AND KAISER EMBRACE AND MAKE-UP; BIG CROWDS CHEER MEETING OF MONARCHS

His Majesty and Suite Arrive at Cronberg and Is Cordially Welcomed by Emperor
—Tentonic Press Sees End to Misunderstandings.

Cronberg, Hesse-Nassau, Prussia, Aug. 15.—King Edward arrived here on a special train from Frankfurt at 8:45 a.m. today. Emperor William and Prince and Princess Frederick Charles, of Hesse-Nassau, met him at the railroad station. The Emperor assisted the King in alighting and they kissed each other on both cheeks. The meeting was very cordial. The King wore a black Prince Albert coat, and a silk hat. The Emperor had on the uniform of the Posen Jaeger regiment, with a steel helmet. King Edward was accompanied by Sir Charles Hardinge, permanent under secretary of the foreign office, Major General Sir Stanley Clarke, chief equerry, and Major Frederick E. G. Ponsonby, equerry to his majesty.

Sir Frank Lascelles, the British ambassador to Germany, and the British consul general, Francis Oppenheimer, joined the royal party at Frankfurt.

After introductions had been exchanged the royal party and their following proceeded to Friedrichshof in automobiles. The streets were profusely decorated with evergreens, flags and streamers. Their majesties were heartily cheered by the crowds and school children, who were lined up all along the route. Many Englishmen from surrounding watering places were also present.

The press of all sections treats King Edward's visit to Emperor William from the standpoint of being a sign of improved relations between him and the Emperor, and the belief and hope are generally expressed that the visit will have a beneficial effect on the peoples of both countries, besides putting their political relations on a better footing. The papers, however, avoid all extravagant hopes in this direction, evidently trying to keep within the safe minimum of practical results. Nobody expects positive political arrangements, but the Cologne Gazette, which usually reflects the views of the foreign office, expects the rulers to discuss all political questions concerning Germany and Great Britain, and also the general position of European politics. The Post, which also maintains a close connection with the foreign office, cherishes the "glad expectation that much of the ill-feeling and many of the misunderstandings may be removed by a frank face to face talk."

A tone of sincere admiration for the King pervades all the leading articles. The Cologne Gazette greets his majesty with feelings of reverence, the National Zeitung calls him a practical statesman of the first rank, and the Neue Nachrichten, while complaining that the King's policy has been to isolate Germany, pronounces him a "political artist."

After reaching Friedrichshof the royal party breakfasted and then the Emperor and King spent some time together. At about 11 o'clock they, with Prince and Princess Frederick Charles, took a drive to see the monument erected in honor of Emperor Frederick in the Schloss Park. After lunch, at the King's wish, a visit was made to Homburg and the Roman camp at Saalburg.

A programme of sight-seeing and drives has created the impression among those surrounding their majesties that they wish to avoid prolonged political discussions.

OFFERED TO MR. BASTEDO

Can Have Management of Annuity Company in This Province.

Toronto, Aug. 15.—Word comes from Winnipeg that S. T. Bastedo, of this city, formerly provincial deputy commissioner of fisheries, has been appointed Ontario manager for the Annuity Company of Canada.

This company was organized under a federal charter recently, and has a capital of \$1,000,000. The promoter and managing director is Mr. G. J. Lovell, of Winnipeg.

STRUCK A BRIDGE

Close Call for Excursionists on the G. T. R. at Chatham.

Yesterday, while C. P. R. train No. 819, in charge of Engineer Leslie Robling, was making up with a number of other cars full of excursionists from Windsor and points west, the engine struck the bridge just east of the city and nearly ran into McGregor Creek. The train struck the abutments on the west side of the bridge and stopped in time. The force of the impact threw stones weighing several tons into the creek. The track was torn up and the engine truck damaged, as were some freight cars between the truck and the passengers. A temporary track was constructed and the passengers went east, several hours late. The wrecking crew from Toronto were summoned, as the wrecking apparatus from this city was found to be not heavy enough.

BOWLERS AT GUELPH.

Guelph, Aug. 15.—The British bowlers arrived here from Brantford this morning at 10:40, and were met by the local bowlers. They are being taken around the city and O. A. C. this morning and then will have luncheon at the college.

What Will They Discuss?

London, Aug. 15.—The strictest silence is maintained in official circles as to the subjects to be discussed by King Edward and Emperor William at their meeting at Friedrichshof. Up to the last moment it was not admitted at the foreign office here that Sir Charles Hardinge, permanent under secretary of the foreign office, would accompany the King. He had been away on a holiday and broke it up to join the royal party on the continent. His presence adds significance to the meeting, for as the permanent under secretary of the foreign office he is really the man who carries on the foreign affairs of the country, and the fact that he is attending King Edward leads to the belief here that the discussion between their majesties will be of the widest range, taking in all questions outstanding between the two countries, and those likely to come up in the future.

Undesirable Immigrants Becoming Public Charges

Local Board of Health Takes
Up the Matter—The Milk
Supply Discussed.

The board of health held a regular meeting yesterday afternoon and incidentally discussed the undesirable class of immigrants which are being shipped to this country by shipping agents and societies in the old country. Inspector McCallum brought up the matter, by drawing the attention of the board to a recent case in point.

A short time ago a woman and a family of several children arrived here from Manchester. A few days after their arrival, she was taken ill, and it was necessary to admit her to Victoria Hospital, as she had neither money nor friends. An examination of the patient by Dr. MacGregor, bacteriologist, revealed the fact that she was suffering from tuberculosis.

She admitted that a few weeks before she sailed from England, her husband had died of consumption.

The children were then examined, and it was found that a couple of them were also affected with the disease. One of the children is now in a local orphanage.

The board thought that something should be done to avoid such a class of immigrants being allowed to enter Canada, where they become a charge on the public.

Careless Bottling of Milk.

The board also dealt with the matter in which milk is bottled and sold in London. One of the members said that he had been informed that some of the milkmen are not overly particular as regards bottling, and that they often neglect to rinse the bottles from day to day.

Chairman English was authorized to interview the city solicitor with a view to having a new bylaw which will cover this matter, drawn up at once.

Uncleaned Closets.

Mr. McCallum reported that he has had difficulty in compelling property owners to clean closets which are a danger to the public health, and the board will ask the council for power to clean the closets and charge the cost to the property.

A number of accounts were passed.

City Engineer Graydon has written the board of works in regard to the complaint lodged by the property owners of Maitland street, between Hill and South streets, re the sewer charges on a sewer put down last fall.

It seems that the estimate furnished the people was 10 cents a foot, but now they are being compelled to pay 23 cents a foot.

Mr. Graydon says that his estimate was based on the cost of sewers built on South street, Colborne and Nelson streets, all in the immediate vicinity, none of which, including side drains, exceeded 10 cents per foot.

The contractors, however, got wind of the fact that a vein of quicksand and water underlaid Maitland street, and they figured high so as to cover the extra work they felt they would encounter.

Contractor Leathorne, who secured the job, being the lowest tenderer, lost \$300 even at the extraordinary figure. He had fifteen men on the job, and some days he found it impossible to pour more than two third of a ton of concrete, the water and sand rushed in as fast as it could be pumped out.

Another Royal Tour.

Copenhagen, Aug. 15.—It is reported that King Frederick will visit Emperor William at the beginning of October, and subsequently go to London to see King Edward.

THREE WARDS SHOW INCREASE OF TWELVE HUNDRED PERSONS

The Official Figures Given Out
by Assessment Commissioner Grant.

As announced in yesterday's Advertiser the assessment and population of ward 3 show great increases.

Today Mr. Grant gave out the official figures.

The assessment is shown to be \$4,813,465, as compared with \$4,017,539 a year ago, or a gain of \$795,926.

The real assessment of the ward is shown to be \$3,929,561, a gain of \$297,384; business assessment, \$908,885, a gain of \$11,655, and in come assessment \$81,049, a loss of \$13,102.

Mr. Grant says that No. 3 ward gained about \$120,000 at the expense

of No. 2, being the assessment on railways and wires and salaries of street railway officials, all of which are assessable at the office of the company. The gain for the ward for growth and improvement is about \$175,000.

The loss on income is due to the increase in exemption from \$400 to \$600 on non-householders, which he believes was a step in the right direction, as it places this class of assessment on a more permanent basis.

The total gain for the three wards thus far assessed is \$762,153, and the total gain in population is 1,192.

The population increase in ward 3, is given as 600, not 700, as stated yesterday, but this increase is most gratifying.

With ward 4 yet to be heard from, there is no room to doubt that London will be able to boast of 45,000 population this year.

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MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP SCHEME FOR LONDON

A Report That Seems to Have Originated in the Heat.

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NEW WAREHOUSE FOR DRUG MERGER

A \$25,000 Building Will Be
Erected on King Street
Near Richmond.

The National Drug and Chemical Company has taken out a building permit for a warehouse, three stories and a basement, 100x45, to be erected on York street, on the Fraser lot, across from the Grand Trunk depot.

The building will be a very fine one, and will cost \$25,000.

It is to be ready by the 1st of November, when the present premises of the drug company on Dundas street, near Talbot will be vacated, and the company will take possession of the new warehouse.

A SHORTAGE OF \$1,165

Auditor Finds It in Books of North Colchester Township.

Colchester, Aug. 15.—Accountant Scott, who has completed a Government audit of the books of Colchester North, township books, reports he found a shortage of \$1,165.

The shortage occurred during the incumbency of a former treasurer, not the present one. Mr. Scott recommends, among other things, that the township officials be paid better salaries to induce them to give their duties better attention.

A YACHTING FATALITY

Mother and Child Drowned While
Landing in a Canoe.

Bele, Que., Aug. 15.—The yacht "L'Etiole De Mer," from Bele Des Bacons, on the north shore of the River St. Lawrence, arrived here last evening, and her passengers, including Capt. Bouchard, Miss Bergeron, J. N. Dugald, Mrs. Dugald and baby in arms, left the yacht to come ashore in a canoe. When about 150 feet from the shore the canoe upset, and Mrs. Dugald and her baby lost their lives. The bodies were recovered.

VETERANS OF CIVIL WAR

Grand Army of the Republic Holds Its
Fortieth Annual Parade.

Minneapolis, Minn., Aug. 15.—For the fortieth time since their work was finished and their glory won the men of the Grand Army of the Republic were in line today. The parade was notably well handled and the old soldiers passed for miles between buildings gorgeously decorated.

The line of march was wired off throughout the entire distance and for an hour before the scheduled time for the start, the streets were filled with spectators.

Czar's Crack Guards

Torture Young Woman

Carry Her to Barracks and Ply
Lash Because of Flippant
Remark.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 15.—Intense popular indignation has been created here by the brutal treatment of Mile. Smirnov, a refined young woman, at the hands of the crack Chevalier Guards. While a squadron of these guardsmen was passing along the Nevski Prospect yesterday, Mile. Smirnov, who was accompanied by another young lady, remarked: "They are as gay as if they had captured Port Arthur."

Podestrians, hearing the remark, repeated it, and quite a crowd collected and joined in the jeering. The commander of the cavalymen suddenly wheeled his squadron and gave the command to charge with drawn whips. The troops then charged the crowd, laying about the right and left. Mile. Smirnov and her companion, who in the meantime had passed on down a

side street, were pursued. They tried to escape into a doorway, but were caught. Under the direction of an officer they were forced to enter a cab, and were driven to the guards' barracks, where they were taken before Col. Stenbockfener. The latter was disposed to turn Mile. Smirnov over to the police, but other officers interfered, and the girl finally was taken to the courtyard, where troops, in the presence of two officers, administered to her 27 lashes with their whips. The girl's clothing was cut as if by knives by the wire thongs of the whip, and the flesh was horribly lacerated.

The papers are demanding the trial both of the officers and men who participated in the affair. Reports of both police and private surgeons are printed, describing in detail the extent of the wounds inflicted. The girl's back is so swollen that it is impossible as yet to ascertain whether any of her ribs are broken. No action on the part of the military authorities has yet been announced. The Twentieth Century, which printed another story of the case today, has been confiscated.

TRANSFERS AT PAR

Chicago Bank Makes Change to Accommodate the Western Bankers.

Detroit, Aug. 15.—The National Bank of the Republic, Chicago, has made arrangements with Canadian banks to make transfers at par and without cost at practically all banking points of the Canadian Northwest, acting on a desire to benefit bankers in the central and western states, from which section a large amount of money is still moving to Western Canada. The bank transfers from \$1 to \$10,000 without charge.

HARVEY GREENWAY'S DEATH

Son of ex-Premier of Manitoba Passes
Away at Crystal City.

Crystal City, Man., Aug. 15.—Harvey Greenway, principal of the school here, and fifth son of Hon. Thomas Greenway, died last night, succumbing to an attack of inflammation.

\$50,000 IN GEMS LOST TWO YEARS;
DYING MAN TELLS WHERE HIDDEN

Jewels Stolen from Employer,
Hidden in Wall of St. Louis
World's Fair.

St. Louis, Aug. 15.—Acting under instructions cabled from England, John P. O'Brien, a laborer employed in the wrecking of the World's Fair buildings, has unearthed an alligator bag containing jewels valued at \$50,000, which were stolen from Mr. and Mrs. P. Henry Clayton, of Devonshire, England, during a visit to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition two years ago. The jewels were stolen from a trunk and they were not missed until the Claytons had returned to England after a tour around the world. They then had no means of knowing where the

Bread Should Sell for More Money Pres. Bredin Says

Master Bakers Elect Officers—Certificates Not Necessary for Those in Charge of Engines.

The business session of the master bakers' convention was brought to a close in the city hall at noon today, when the delegates elected officers for the ensuing year. The nominating committee, after an absence of half an hour, brought in the following recommendation, and it was unanimously adopted:

President—Mark Bredin, Toronto.

First Vice-President—E. K. Barnsdale, Stratford.

Second Vice-President—F. J. Harris, Hamilton.

Third Vice-President, W. West, London.

Fourth Vice-President, A. H. Shoulton, Ottawa.

Secretary—H. E. Trent, Toronto.

Treasurer—A. H. Carrick, Toronto.

Executive Committee—M. Ewing, Zeph Hill, John Turnbull, Wm. Pratt and past president.

Honorary Member—James Acton.

President Bredin's Inaugural Address.

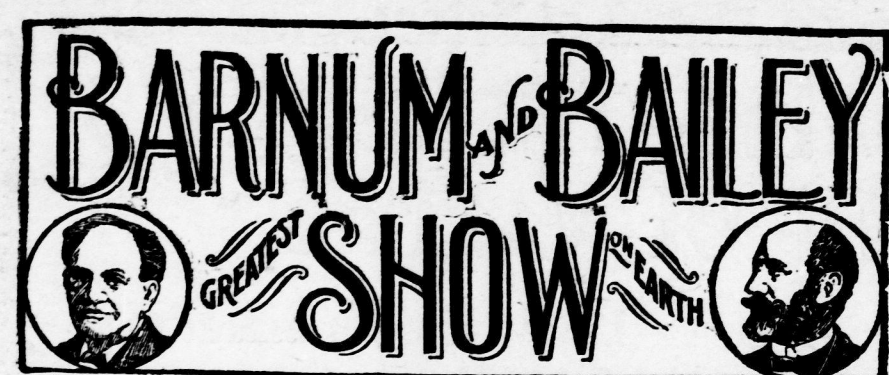
Mr. Bredin, in his address, thanked the members for the honor conferred upon him—a tribute, he said, to the young men of the association. (Applause.) Continuing, he said that in the food tests which

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

LONDON, THURSDAY, AUG. 16

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All the World's Most Startling Thrillers. The Newest, Latest, Most Stupendous Sensation—The Furious, Flashing, Fire-Creating Flight,

THE DIP OF DEATH

A YOUNG LADY LOOPING THE GAP IN AN AUTOMOBILE, UP-SIDE-DOWN, AN ACT THAT COSTS \$100 A SECOND, AND IS WORTH IT.

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Aerial Somersaults by Two Daring, Death-defying Wheelmen. The Latest Parisian Sensation—The Highest-Prized Bicycle Act in the World.

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First Time of the Resplendent New Military and Allegorical Spectacles

Founded on the Russo-Japanese War. Introducing Hundreds of Gorgeous, Appareled Soldiers, Sailors and Mythical Characters. Scores of Richly Caparisoned Horses, Elephants and Camels, and Gold-Illuminated Tableau Cars, in the Most Superb Display of Pageantry Seen in Modern Times.

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There will be no Street Parade. Incidentally a Splendid and Sensational Free Show will be given on the Exhibition Grounds at 11 a. m., and 3 p. m. daily.

TWO EXHIBITIONS DAILY, AT 2 AND 8 P. M. DOORS OPEN ONE HOUR EARLIER.

Admission, with a Seat, 50 Cents. Children Under 10 Years, Half-Price.

Private Box and Reserved Seats Extra, according to Location.

All reserved seats numbered. Private Box and Reserved Grand Stand Chairs on sale at the Grounds at the opening hours, and during the day at the down-town ticket office.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

MARRIAGES.

FAWKES-STEWART.—On Aug. 14, 1906, at the home of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Stewart, Komoka, by the Rev. Dr. Nixon, Margaret Robina Stewart to Mr. Thomas M. Fawkes, of London.

DEATHS.

COVENYEN.—In this city, on Aug. 14, 1906, Beatrice, eldest daughter of James Coveny, in her 17th year.

Funeral from the residence of her aunt, Mrs. George Oumette, 141 Waterloo street, on Thursday, Aug. 15, at 8:30, to St. Peter's Cathedral; Requiem High Mass at 9 a. m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. 50

HOLT.—In this city, on Tuesday, Aug. 14, 1906, Annie Holt, aged 55 years, wife of David Holt.

Funeral from her late residence, 990 Waterloo street, on Thursday, at 1 p. m. Toronto papers please copy.

MALE HELP WANTED.

GOOD PLASTERERS AND LABORERS wanted. Apply H. Stratford, 427 Water-100.

WANTED—THREE GOOD STOUT rivet boys. Apply E. Leonard & Co., 60

MAN WANTED BY THE MONTH to clean office daily. Grand trunk city office.

WANTED—GOOD WINDOW TRIMMER, with general knowledge of drygoods, under 47 years of age; for the west. Reply with full particulars, Box 15, London Advertiser.

APPRENTICE WANTED TO LEARN lithography. Apply, with samples of drawing, to Lawson & Jones, Clarence street.

JOB COMPOSITOR WANTED. Lawson & Jones, Clarence street.

BOY WANTED. Apply Catholic Record.

BOY ABOUT IS WANTED TO LEARN stained glass business. Apply Hobbs Manufacturing Company, corner Ridout and G. E. B. 10.

WANTED—BOY TO MAKE HIMSELF generally useful. Apply Advertiser office.

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN TO ASSIST in office work; must write a good business and figure correctly; references required. Apply in writing to A. B. C., Advertiser office.

PATTERNMAKER WANTED—STEADY job for capable hand. Box 20, London Advertiser.

BARBER WANTED IMMEDIATELY. Apply E. Dunn, opposite Normal School, Detroit, Mich.

CARPENTERS WANTED. SCARROW, 32 King street.

GOOD SMART BOY WANTED for printing press department. Southern Printing Company.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED OFFICE boy; knowledge of shorthand and typewriting necessary. Apply Monarch Fire Insurance Company.

ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON can earn good income at home in spare time corresponding for newspapers; no canvassing; experience unnecessary. Send for particulars. Press Syndicate, London, N. Y.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN. About 18 years old, for factory. McCormick Manufacturing Company.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

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LEGAL CARDS.

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FAULDS & CAMPBELL, BARRISTERS, etc., Robinson Hall Chambers.

ARTICLES FOR SALE.

\$150 WILL BUY 3/4 HORSEPOWER Eclipse gasoline engine. D. McKenzie & Co., 228 Richmond street.

GOOD SECOND-HAND HOT AIR FURNACE, with jacket, pipes, etc., for sale cheap. Apply William Skelly, plumber, 243 Dundas street, London.

FOR SALE—THREE YEAR-OLD horse and outfit; cheap. Apply Box 17, Advertiser.

STRONG, CHEAP WORK HORSE, SUIT- able for single or double teaming. The London Stock Company.

FINE LUMBER, 114; BRITISH COLIM- BIA shingles, \$2 40; cedar posts for 20c. Scarrow, 32 King.

24-H. P. TOURING CAR, FOUR-CYLIN- DER, double-chain drive; terms reason-able. C. Barton Electric Company, 19 King street.

SHEPHERD PONY AND CART FOR sale. Apply B. Batchelor, Brantford.

LADIES' OWN MATERIAL MADE INTO suits. Southcott Suit Company, over Knox's, entrance 12 Market Lane.

FRESH FISH NOW ON SALE—SEE PRICE, 125. F. S. Orr, Fish Market, Phone 125.

FOR SALE—PIANO, BARGAIN FOR cash. Apply 384 Rectory street.

GAS AND GASOLINE ENGINE PARTS and repairs. Horton's, 431 Richmond.

SHOES OF STYLE AND QUALITY, also repairing. William Paxman, 28 Dundas, Phone 1886.

LATEST FURNITURE, REFRIGERA- TORS, carpets, art squares and linoleum. Eddy terms at M. Hornstein's, 290 South street.

STOVES, RANGES AND FURNITURE at Keene's, 141 King street. New and second-hand.

FOR SALE—A FEW FIRST-CLASS second-hand buggies and phaetons. J. W. Smith.

A THREE-H. P. GASOLINE ENGINE for sale. McKenzie & Co., 228 Richmond street.

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Five quality and cheap, good for shed or barn siding and fencing. I'm enthusiastic about their goodness, but I'll be glad to have your verdict. GEORGE H. BROWN, 1000 Dundas street, just north of Grand Trunk Railway.

FEW GOOD SECOND-HAND BICYCLES may be seen. Another shipment English and American bikes, mostly new, early. J. H. Cunningham, East London.

NO CREAMERY BUTTER BETTER than Macleod's. Clean, pure, reliable. 42 Dundas street. B. Leach, Market, furnishes the trade.

ALL KINDS OF FURNITURE AT LOW EST prices in city. Patten the Upholsterer, next to Vaudeville.

SPECIAL—TWO FINE SQUARE PIANOS (guaranteed five years), at \$50 each, payable \$10 per week. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas, corner Clarence.

NEW BALL-BEARING RAYMOND Sewing Machine, best attachments, ten-year guarantee, clean, durable. Second-hand machines. 228 Dundas. H. Clark, manager.

UPHOLSTERING AND REPAIRING AT 278 Dundas street, opposite McCormick's. You get the best and cheapest.

D. H. GILLIES & CO., COAL AND wood dealers. Wood our specialty. Try our coal. Subscriptions, Daily, 50 a month, 52 yearly. Sample copy sent on application.

WE HAVE MOVED OUR STORE TO 29 King street. Wallpaper cheaper than ever. Scarrow, 32 King.

SPRINGS, MATTRESSES AND IRON beds. Special low prices this week at Keene Bros., 125 and 127 King street.

SINGLE CURE DANDRUFF AND promotes the growth of hair. Guaranteed. J. C. Gleason, manufacturer, 631 Dundas street.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—BRICK COTTAGE, 24 DUF- FURN avenue; three bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen, summer kitchen. Apply 106 Adelaide street.

FOR SALE—NEW BRICK VENEER house, seven rooms; lot 60x150; Carlton avenue, half block from street car. Apply 106 Adelaide street.

HAVE BLOCK OF STOCK PAYING 6% would be willing to exchange part of my holdings for city real estate or farm property. Box 14, Advertiser office.

COTTAGE FOR SALE. APPLY A. E. Burdick & Son, 644 Dundas.

BRICK COTTAGE, SEVEN ROOMS, bath, w.c., etc.; large lot, fruit trees; close location. 77 Maitland.

317 PALL MALL, 312; 311 PALL MALL, 314; 307 Waterloo, 316. Houses for sale on monthly payments. Scarrow, 32 King.

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SUNNY ALBERTA—300 ACRES LAND for practically nothing, that in three years should be worth at least \$25 per acre. Can you see that 150 acres at \$25 per acre—\$3,750. Men who are renting farms, day laborers and the work-ers class, this is a great opportunity. The above has been done by many—why not you? Get a home of your own, and in a few years be comfortably settled. Write me and I will tell you where this can be done. Don't delay. Address F. A. Adams, Yellow Grass, Sask.

20,000 ACRES OF LAND FOR SALE IN the Vermilion Valley. "The Garden of the Edmonton District," close to the C. N. R. and C. P. R. The G. T. P. will also pass through the district. From \$6 to \$12 per acre, in lots from 100 acres upwards. Terms: Quarterly cash, balance in ten yearly payments if necessary. For full information and particulars apply to W. J. Ovens, Box 130, Calgary.

FOR SALE—FARM, 18 ACRES, AT GOOD village and railway station, brick house, seven rooms, good barn, brick stables, orchard, never-failing spring, brick and tile yard, machinery, good done, etc.; very cheap; easy terms to good man. Must be sold. J. F. Sangster, 112 Masonic Temple, London.

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LANGLEY, MY VALET—CLEANING, pressing, repairing. 233 Dundas street. Phone 1721. Wagon calls.

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W. A. BLEUTHNER, TEACHER OF piano and harmony. Studio, Nord.

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CHARLES E. WHEELER, ORGANIST. St. Andrew's Church—Piano, organ, harmony, singing. Studio, 429 Waterloo, Phone 1886.

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LONDON, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 15.

THE LABOR FAMINE.

The cry for labor comes from all parts of the continent. It is literally true that the harvest is great but the laborers few. The labor famine extends to the wheat lands, the orchards, the fisheries, the lumber camps, the railways, the mines and even the factories, if we are to judge by the circular recently issued by the Canadian Manufacturers' Association. In Ontario many farmers are desperately in need of help, and cannot be expected to view with complacency the exodus of thousands of able-bodied young men from this Province to the western wheat fields. A farmer's wife or daughter—all honor to her!—seated on a reaping machine is a frequent spectacle from a car window in this neighborhood. In the west the problem is said to be more acute, in spite of the influx of harvesters from the east. The railroads there are competing with the farmers for labor. Sir William Van Horne says the situation is so critical that the only relief will be the importation of Asiatics. Unless this is done, he said, Canadian railway extension must be abandoned, and a serious setback given Canadian development and prosperity.

The crisis extends to the Pacific coast, and to every productive industry there. Cannery say that if there had been a heavy run of fish one-half the cans would have remained unfilled for want of men. They are grumbling at the \$500 head tax on Chinese immigrants, which is virtually prohibitory, and they say that it has given a labor monopoly to the few Chinese in the province, who are saucy, independent and lazy. They exact an advance of \$50 per man before doing a stroke of work, and will do nothing that is not specified in their contracts. The cannery owners contend that they cannot get white labor at a price which would leave them any profit in their business.

Fruitgrowers in some sections must let their fruit rot because they cannot handle it. Girls cannot be got for domestic service, and the Chinese servants fix their own price.

In the United States the same scarcity of unskilled labor everywhere prevails. The Pacific coast states require 50,000 men to gather the field and fruit crops. The rebuilding of San Francisco has created another large demand for labor, skilled and unskilled, and wages are soaring. A peculiar situation has arisen, also, in the Isthmus of Panama. The United States Government, in face of the protests of the American Federation of Labor, has resolved to permit the importation of Chinese laborers under contract to work on the canal. The Government is doing what the laws of the United States will not allow an American citizen to do on the smallest scale. It is being done, too, at a time when the British Government is gradually abolishing a similar system of coolie labor in South Africa which has been denounced as semi-slavery.

The British Columbia papers report an influx of Hindoo laborers, who have mostly found employment in the saw-mills. The Vancouver World says they are strong, active and intelligent. The Grand Trunk Pacific is not allowed to employ aliens in construction work, but the East Indians are British subjects and may come in freely. The proposal to remove the Chinese head tax, even temporarily, would be strongly opposed by the labor organizations, and it is doubtful whether the Federal Government would sanction it. The country will probably pay for its attitude toward Oriental labor by a slower development, but a large admixture of the yellow races is a heavy price for greater material progress.

A HAPPY OMEN.

Despite Kipling's superheated verse, and Balfour's hysterics, and the caterwauling of newspapers in this country which know no more about South Africa than the man in the moon, but echo English Tory sentiments for the same reason that a valet imitates his master, the new constitution for the Transvaal has been accepted calmly by the English-speaking element of the Transvaal. The governor of the colony, the Earl of Selborne, a Unionist, and a son-in-law of the late Marquis of Salisbury, has given his approval, and will do his share in making the measure workable. The Boers, also appear to be fairly satisfied with the arrangement. The spirit shown by all parties in South Africa promises well for the success of the experiment.

The pabed version of Mr. Churchill's address, explaining the new constitution, gave a very imperfect idea of it. Contrary to the impression conveyed by the cable dispatches, the elective chamber is to come into existence at once, not five years hence. There will

be a second chamber during the first parliamentary term, but this is only a provisional arrangement. Its members will be nominated by the crown, and it will be a counterpoise to the popular chamber during the early, formative, and perhaps critical, stage of the working of the new system. At the end of the term the second chamber will permanently disappear. The popular assembly will consist of 60 members, and the seats will be so distributed that it will be in the power of the British to secure a majority in the first election. This is regarded as a fair arrangement, because there are more British voters than Boer voters in the colony. Mr. Churchill, however, expressed the hope that the new assembly would not be divided upon racial lines, but that the Government would be a coalition one, with some moderate leader acceptable to all parties. Responsible government will not for the present be granted to the Orange River Colony, but there will be no unnecessary delay.

It is an immense advantage that all parties are in the mood to give the Transvaal constitution a fair trial. It is also an agreeable surprise, for the people of Great Britain had been warned that a grant of self-government at this juncture would be the signal for an explosion of race passion. It is earnestly to be hoped the British and Boers will join harmoniously in the great work of reconstruction, which has been entrusted to them by generosity of the Imperial authorities.

Demonstrations of the unemployed are taking place at Cape Town. Why not run a harvesters' excursion to Canada from the Cape?

According to the cable dispatches the destiny of nations hangs on today's meeting between King Edward and the Kaiser. The Kaiser may have illusions of that sort, but Uncle Edward has no such bee in his bonnet.

One of the Toronto World's daily recreations is nominating a new leader of the Liberal party in Ontario. Its latest choice is Rev. D. C. Hassack. But Mr. Hassack's only connection with the Liberal party was his habit of chasing it for jobs.

Mr. Goldwin Smith celebrated his 83rd birthday at Toronto this week, and congratulations were poured upon him from all parts of the English-speaking world. He is a great thinker; he says what he thinks; and he says it better than anyone else.

John Oliver Hobbes (Mrs. Craigie), was one of the numerous colony of anglicized American writers and artists. She was amazingly clever in a final way. Her novels appeal to a limited, though cultured, constituency. They are brilliant in style, but somewhat thin in substance, and lack the elemental and universal touch which characterizes the great masters. But as literature they are infinitely above most of the modern fiction.

PRIDE.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]
"They say Bronston is threatened with nervous prostration as a result of being held up the other night."
"Why, I didn't know that the thugs had injured him."
"They didn't; but every newspaper in town mentioned the fact that the robbers got only 30 cents."

WHERE WOMEN FAIL.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]
A Kansas lady insists that woman can never hope to be man's equal until she is able to open a telegram as calmly as she is able to open a can of corn. Why not give her a chance? Let her have equality as soon as she is able to open a telegram as calmly as a man opens a can of corn.

WOULD SHE?

[San Francisco Bulletin.]
The average woman would rather have her husband pat her cheek than give her a thousand dollars.

WHY THE DEVIL LAUGHS.

[New York Herald.]
How the devil must laugh this morning.
Here is a great people, proud of its wealth, its humanitarianism, its organized charities and its 150,000 preachers—barring those on vacation—who are at this moment holding birth on the Golden Rule "or words to that effect," while that unfortunate young Syrian leper on this Sunday morning is left upon a desolate West Virginian mountainside, rejected and shunned by all his kind. State officials, courts, health boards, populace, federal government, all panic stricken, helpless, antagonistic—the mere chuckle could not express the feelings of his satanic majesty; must be uproarious, shrieking laughter.

A SUBSTANTIAL LOSS.

[Rochester Herald.]
An excited individual ran up to a porter at a railway station and asked: "Have you seen a parcel I left on this seat?" The porter replied that he had not. "Oh, what shall I do?" exclaimed the excited passenger. "It contains three poems I have written." "Can't you write them again?" asked the porter. "Yes, I can do that, but," hesitatingly, "there were two sandwiches in the parcel as well."

GOLDEN AGE EVER Distant.

[Charleston News.]
Every country fixes upon some period of its past history which it delights to call its "Golden Age," but it is always some time so remote that nothing is known of it with certainty and around it myths and legends accumulate until all its events are seen through the glorifying mists of poetry and romance. No one has ever the courage to say "we

try," however much he may realize the fact that it is far better than any period which has gone before it. With the good he sees intermingled so much evil, which he fancies to be incompatible with the highest prosperity, that he hesitates to speak of it with much enthusiasm. Did he but know it in the Golden Age so much lauded by the poet and romancer, evil was far more rampant than it is today and there was far less of what is admirable to counterbalance it.

REQUIRES SMARTNESS.

[Pittsburg Post.]
"Jinks is a smart fellow."
"Smart nothing. He just married a millionaire's daughter, that's all."
"That's all? Did you ever try to marry a millionaire's daughter?"

CRUEL GIRL.

[Philadelphia Press.]
Miss Mugley—I'm thinking seriously of taking up the auto race.
Miss Knox—Clever idea! It certainly would be becoming to you.
Miss Mugley—Becoming?
Miss Knox—Yes; you know, you can wear a mask in an auto.

LIVE WITHIN YOUR MEANS.

[New Bedford Citizen.]
The quiet, honest citizen who lives well within his income, having what he needs in the way of comfortable living, adequate feeding, tasteful dressing, with some relaxations and pleasures, all in such proportion as his means justify, stands as a neighbor who earns no more, but who makes a deal of show with what he has and what he does and doubts his own ability to manage. But the difference is not so much apparently in ability to make a given sum of money go its fullest length as of willingness to incur debt and forget it.

POST-PRANDIAL.

[Denver Republican.]
Swiss hotelkeepers have established a rate of ten per cent tips. But what else could be expected of a nation that invented a cheese that is ten per cent holes?

FACE.

[Puck.]
She started, recoiled, and then bent anxiously nearer her mirror.
"A wrinkle, as I'm alive!" she exclaimed.
She was of a buoyant temper, however.
"I suppose I'll have to put a good face on it!" she said, reaching forth with for the necessary materials.

THE SOLUTION.

[Toronto Telegram.]
Manitoba is shy many thousands of harvest hands, but it need not be if the Winnipeg politicians and real estate agents would only stop talking and go to W-O-R-K.

COMPETITION USELESS.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]
The manager of the "East Lynne" Company threw up his hands in despair.
"What's the matter?" asked the leading man.
"There's no use of our expecting to draw a crowd here tonight. I've just learned that the rival house is to have a show with a chorus composed entirely of girls who have been mixed up in murder cases."

SAGE AND HIS MAXIMS.

[Chicago News.]
Russell Sage bequeathed the public nothing but a bunch of maxims that nobody could follow but himself.

JOHN MORLEY AND HENRY DRUMMOND.

[Westminster Gazette.]
The Rev. E. B. H. Macpherson told that he was some years ago a guest with Mr. Morley in a house in Scotland. The conversation turned on Henry Drummond. "How was it?" asked Mr. Morley. "That your church tolerated Drummond?" His views of things were surely not the views that are held by the Free Church?" "No," was the answer; "but we never took him seriously as a thinker. No one ever believed that he would seriously influence the theological opinion of the church. We regarded him rather as a religious influence." "Ah, yes," Mr. Morley replied, "you are quite right; he wasn't a thinker." For a quarter of an hour or so the talk was of other matters. Then Mr. Morley returned to Drummond. "You said a little while ago that Drummond was a religious influence. How did he show that?" "For one thing, he cleansed Edinburgh University life for several years." "Ah, did he? That's better than being a thinker."

LOOKING FORWARD.

[New York Sun.]
"She promised to marry him if he would take the pledge."
"Does he drink?"
"No; but she feels sure he will after the ceremony."

THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE.

[London Chronicle.]
The poverty of the English language is exemplified by a circular which is making the round of a suburb and inviting subscriptions to a testimonial to the stationmaster. It comes from one who styles himself "the longest resident," the said physical fact being that he is probably the shortest, although in bulk and rotundity he makes up for the inches he lacks in height. Here is a case in which the very clumsiness of the German language for them this gentleman could quite correctly describe himself "for the longest time herein residing," or even, perhaps, "the for the longest time herein residing" individual. Those compound adjectives of the Teutons may be awkward, but they express what the user means and insure accuracy.

A COUPLE OF IRISH BULLS.

[New York Press.]
They were looking over beautiful Woodlawn Cemetery, O'Connell's, filled with admiration, said to his friend and guide: "This is the spot, the very identical spot, where I intend being laid; if I am spared."
Of course, it was an Irishman who said to his physician: "Doctor, yer stuff me so much with drugs 'O'm sick a long time after Ot git well."

WOMEN SWIM
SEINE AT PARISThousands Line River's Banks
to View the Exciting
Contest.

Paris, Aug. 15.—Thousands of people lined the banks of the Seine to see the great seven-mile swimming race in which the little English art student, Miss Herzheimer, the Australian, Miss Kellerman, and the Austrian, Miss Frauentorfer, were competitors. Thirteen men also took part, but they were mere incidentals in the eyes of the spectators.
The immense crowd cheered itself hoarse as the three ladies lined up on the pontoon at Bercy and threw off their white robes. Miss Kellerman was in black, her long hair streaming loose over her shoulders. She was eating the wing of a chicken. She ate three birds, by the way, during the course of the swim.
Miss Frauentorfer who was in black also, had hidden her fair hair under a red rubber cap.
Little Miss Herzheimer's plump pink face beamed at the crowd, and she costume of dark blue. She is only 18, but she looked a mere child beside the other two magnificently proportioned women.

Her curly black hair was tied up with a ribbon, but that disappeared with the first dive, and was carried off as a trophy by an enthusiast.

The three took the plunge together, and after Miss Kellerman had received another piece of chicken from her father, who rowed in a boat alongside, she took the lead. She and Miss Frauentorfer soon left Miss Herzheimer far behind. Indeed, it was apparent from the start that the child had no chance against the two expert women. But she pluckily swam the seven miles, and received a great ovation when she finished at Auteuil.

Miss Kellerman and Miss Frauentorfer swam neck and neck all the way, Miss Kellerman finally beating her rival by six inches. They did the seven miles in a minute under the four hours when they were cheered to the echo when they came out of the water. Miss Kellerman got extra round of applause for insinuating on removing Miss Frauentorfer's red cap, arranging her hair and kissing her before they climbed out of the water.

Five of the men did not complete the distance, which English (winner) covered in 8 hours 6 minutes 2 seconds. He is a boy of 18, who only learned to swim three years ago. Billington, the Englishman, was a second after, and Greasley third, his time being 3 hours 12 minutes.

EVER VISIT MARS?
THIS MAN DIDPsychical Research President,
Going 282,000,000 Miles in
40 Minutes, Saw Signs.

Syracuse, N. Y., Aug. 15.—Sackville G. Leyson, of this city, president of the Society for Psychical Research, says he recently paid a visit to Mars, and although the distance is 141,000,000 miles, his spirit went there and back in forty minutes, while his body was in his residence, No. 131 South avenue. In describing his visit he said:

"When I approached Mars it looked like a big globe of fire and it seemed as if I was about to plunge into a molten mass. It was surrounded with blood-red clouds, mixed with others of a greenish hue."

"There are two tribes of people on Mars, one so large that I only came up to their knees, and the other as small that they only came up to my knees. None were clothing and all were covered with hair."

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Lord Cromer has warned the Government in the gravest language of the consequences of lack of firmness or the appearance of it. No one knows the true inwardness of the situation better than the British minister, and the impressive tone of his dispatches recommending the increase of the army of occupation was received with delight by European residents.

The natives hold a high opinion of Lord Cromer—the man who has made Egypt what it is—but if his advice be disregarded it will appear in their eyes to be a sign of weakness in the once-dreaded and powerful Great

Britain, and a spur to the campaign engineered by Mustapha Kamel Pasha and other preachers of sedition to strike a blow for national independence.
It is firmly established that a certain number of the officers of the Egyptian army are imbued with revolutionary sentiments, and would give expression to them on the first opportunity, and should continue to preach the expulsion of Christians.
In the same degree Pan-Islamism and fanaticism are expanding and bringing nearer a crisis which will, in the words of Sir Edward Grey, compel "extreme measures — unconstitutional measures which Great Britain will be bound to take in an emergency."

THE TORONTO STRIKE.

Toronto, Aug. 15.—It is expected that today there will not be single carpenter at work in the city. Agents appointed by the union visited the various works where non-union men were employed and warned the workers that they must throw up their jobs and join the strikers or take the consequences.
It was reported that the paper hangers were also going out on strike, but up to the present they have taken no decided step.

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THE LABOR FAMINE.

The cry for labor comes from all parts of the continent. It is literally true that the harvest is great but the laborers few. The labor famine extends to the wheat lands, the orchards, the fisheries, the lumber camps, the railways, the mines and even the factories, if we are to judge by the circular recently issued by the Canadian Manufacturers' Association. In Ontario many farmers are desperately in need of help, and cannot be expected to view with complacency the exodus of thousands of able-bodied young men from this Province to the western wheat fields. A farmer's wife or daughter—all honor to her!—seated on a reaping machine is a frequent spectacle from a car window in this neighborhood. In the west the problem is said to be more acute, in spite of the influx of harvesters from the east. The railroads there are competing with the farmers for labor. Sir William Van Horne says the situation is so critical that the only relief will be the importation of Asiatics. Unless this is done, he said, Canadian railway extension must be abandoned, and a serious setback given Canadian development and prosperity.

The crisis extends to the Pacific coast, and to every productive industry there. Cannery men say that if there had been a heavy run of fish one-half the cans would have remained unfilled for want of men. They are grumbling at the \$500 head tax on Chinese immigrants, which is virtually prohibitory, and they say that it has given a labor monopoly to the few Chinese in the province, who are saucy, independent and lazy. They exact an advance of \$50 per man before doing a stroke of work, and will do nothing that is not specified in their contracts. The cannery men contend that they cannot get white labor at a price which would leave them any profit in their business. Fruitgrowers in some sections must let their fruit rot because they cannot handle it. Girls cannot be got for domestic service, and the Chinese servants fix their own price.

In the United States the same scarcity of unskilled labor everywhere prevails. The Pacific coast states require 10,000 men to gather the field and fruit crops. The rebuilding of San Francisco has created another large demand for labor, skilled and unskilled, and wages are soaring. A peculiar situation has arisen, also, in the Isthmus of Panama. The United States Government, in face of the protests of the American Federation of Labor, has resolved to permit the importation of Chinese laborers under contract to work on the canal. The Government is doing what the laws of the United States will not allow an American citizen to do on the smallest scale. It is being done, too, at a time when the British Government is gradually abolishing a similar system of coolie labor in South Africa which has been denounced as semi-slavery.

The British Columbia papers report an influx of Hindoo laborers, who have mostly found employment in the saw-mills. The Vancouver World says they are strong, active and intelligent. The Grand Trunk Pacific is not allowed to employ aliens in construction work, but the East Indians are British subjects and may come in freely. The proposal to remove the Chinese head tax, even temporarily, would be strongly opposed by the labor organizations, and it is doubtful whether the Federal Government would sanction it. The country will probably pay for its attitude toward Oriental labor by a slower development, but a large admixture of the yellow races is a heavy price for greater material progress.

A HAPPY OMEN.

Despite Kipling's superheated verse, and Balfour's hysterics, and the caterwauling of newspapers in this country which know no more about South Africa than the man in the moon, but echo English Tory sentiments for the same reason that a valet imitates his master, the new constitution for the Transvaal has been accepted calmly by the English-speaking element of the Transvaal. The governor of the colony, the Earl of Selborne, a Unionist, and a son-in-law of the late Marquis of Salisbury, has given his approval, and will do his share in making the measure workable. The Boers, also, appear to be fairly satisfied with the arrangement. The spirit shown by all parties in South Africa promises well for the success of the experiment.

The cabled version of Mr. Churchill's address, explaining the new constitution, gave a very imperfect idea of it. Contrary to the impression conveyed by the cable dispatches, the elective chamber is to come into existence at once, not five years hence. There will

be a second chamber during the first parliamentary term, but this is only a provisional arrangement. Its members will be nominated by the crown, and it will be a counterpoise to the popular chamber during the early, formative, and perhaps critical, stage of the working of the new system. At the end of the term the second chamber will permanently disappear. The popular assembly will consist of 60 members, and the seats will be so distributed that it will be in the power of the British to secure a majority in the first election. This is regarded as a fair arrangement, because there are more British voters than Boer voters in the colony. Mr. Churchill, however, expressed the hope that the new assembly would not be divided upon racial lines, but that the Government would be a coalition one, with some moderate leader acceptable to all parties. Responsible government will not for the present be granted to the Orange River Colony, but there will be no unnecessary delay.

It is an immense advantage that all parties are in the mood to give the Transvaal constitution a fair trial. It is also an agreeable surprise, for the people of Great Britain had been warned that a grant of self-government at this juncture would be the signal for an explosion of race passion. It is earnestly to be hoped the British and Boers will join harmoniously in the great work of reconstruction, which has been entrusted to them by generosity of the Imperial authorities.

Demonstrations of the unemployed are taking place at Cape Town. Why not run a harvesters' excursion to Canada from the Cape?

According to the cable dispatches the destiny of nations hangs on today's meeting between King Edward and the Kaiser. The Kaiser may have illusions of that sort, but Uncle Edward has no such bee in his bonnet.

One of the Toronto World's daily recreations is nominating a new leader of the Liberal party in Ontario. Its latest choice is Rev. D. C. Hassack. But Mr. Hassack's only connection with the Liberal party was his habit of chasing it for jobs.

Mr. Goldwin Smith celebrated his 83rd birthday at Toronto this week, and congratulations were poured upon him from all parts of the English-speaking world. He is a great thinker; he says what he thinks; and he says it better than anyone else.

John Oliver Hobbes (Mrs. Craigie), was one of the numerous colony of anglicized American writers and artists. She was amazingly clever in a final way. Her novels appeal to a limited, though cultured, constituency. They are brilliant in style, but somewhat thin in substance, and lack the elemental and universal touch which characterizes the great masters. But as literature they are infinitely above most of the modern fiction.

PRIDE.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]
"They say Bronston is threatened with nervous prostration as a result of being held up the other night."
"Why, I didn't know that the thugs had injured him."
"They didn't; but every newspaper in town mentioned the fact that the robbers got only 30 cents."

WHERE WOMEN FAIL.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]
A Kansas lady insists that woman can never hope to be man's equal until she is able to open a telegram as calmly as she is able to open a can of corn. Why not give her a chance? Let her have equality as soon as she is able to open a telegram as calmly as a man opens a can of corn.

WOULD SHE?

[San Francisco Bulletin.]
The average woman would rather have her husband pass her cheek than give her a thousand dollars.

WHY THE DEVIL LAUGHS.

[New York Herald.]
How the devil must laugh this morning!
Here is a great people, proud of its wealth, its humanitarianism, its organized charities and its 150,000 preachers—barring those on vacation—who are at this moment holding birth on the Golden Rule for words to that effect, "while that unfortunate young Syrian leper on this Sunday morning is left upon a desolate West Virginian mountainside, rejected and shunned by all his kind. State officials, courts, health boards, populace, federal government, all panic-stricken, helpless, antagonistic—a mere chuckle could not express the feelings of his satanic majesty; it must be uproarious, shrieking laughter."

A SUBSTANTIAL LOSS.

[Rochester Herald.]
An excited individual ran up to a porter at a railway station and asked: "Have you seen a parcel I left on this seat?" The porter replied that he had not. "Oh, what shall I do?" he exclaimed the excited passenger. "It contains three poems I have written." "Can't you write them again?" asked the porter. "Yes, I can do that, but," hesitatingly, "there were two sandwiches in the parcel as well."

GOLDEN AGE EVER DISTANT.

[Charlotte News.]
Every country fixes upon some period of its past history which it delights to call its "Golden Age," but it is always some time so remote that nothing is known of it with certainty and around it myths and legends accumulate until all its events are seen through the glorifying mists of poetry and romance. No one has ever the courage to say "we

try," however much he may realize the fact that it is far better than any period which has gone before it. With the good he sees intermingled so much evil, which he fancies to be incompatible with the highest prosperity, that he hesitates to speak of it with much enthusiasm. Did he but know it in the Golden Age so much lauded by the poet and romancer, evil was far more rampant than it is today and there was far less of what is admirable to counterbalance it.

REQUIRES SMARTNESS.

[Pittsburg Post.]
"Jinks is a smart fellow."
"Smart nothing. He just married a millionaire's daughter, that's all."
"That's all? Did you ever try to marry a millionaire's daughter?"

CRUEL GIRL.

[Philadelphia Press.]
Miss Mugley: I'm thinking seriously of taking up the auto fad.
Miss Knox—Clever idea! It certainly would be becoming to you.
Miss Mugley—Becoming?
Miss Knox—Yes; you know, you can wear a mask in an auto.

LIVE WITHIN YOUR MEANS.

[New Bedford Standard.]
The quiet, honest citizen who lives well within his income, having what he needs in the way of comfortable living, adequate feeding, tasteful dressing, with some relaxations and pleasures, all in such proportion as his means justify, stands as a neighbor who deals in no more, but who makes a deal of show with what he has and what he does not doubt his own ability to manage. But the difference is not so much apparently in ability to make a given sum of money go its fullest length as of willingness to incur debt and forget it.

POST-PRANDIAL.

[Denver Republican.]
Swiss hotelkeepers have established a rate of ten per cent. tip. But what else could be expected of a nation that invented a cheese that is ten per cent. holes?

FACE.

[Puck.]
She started, recoiled, and then bent anxiously nearer her mirror.
"A wrinkle, as I'm alive!" she exclaimed.
She was of a buoyant temper, however.
"I suppose I'll have to put a good face on it!" she said, reaching forth for the necessary materials.

THE SOLUTION.

[Toronto Telegram.]
Manitoba is shy many thousands of harvest hands, but it need not be if the Winnipeg politicians and real estate agents would only stop talking and go to W-O-R-K.

COMPETITION USELESS.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]
The manager of the "East Lynne" Company threw up his hands in despair.
"What's the matter?" asked the leading man.
"There's no use of our expecting to draw a crowd here tonight. I've just learned that the rival house is to have a show with a chorus composed entirely of girls who have been mixed up in murder cases."

SAGE AND HIS MAXIMS.

[Chicago News.]
Russell Sage bequeathed the public nothing but a bunch of maxims that nobody could follow but himself.

JOHN MORLEY AND HENRY DRUMMOND.

[Westminster Gazette.]
The Rev. E. B. H. Macpherson tells that he was some years ago a guest with Mr. Morley in a house in Scotland. The conversation turned on Henry Drummond. "How was it," asked Mr. Morley, "that your church tolerated Drummond?" His views of things were surely not the views that are held by the Free Church? "No," was the answer; "but we never took him seriously as a thinker. No one ever believed that he would seriously influence the theological opinion of the church. We regarded him rather as a religious influence. 'Ah, yes,' Mr. Morley replied, 'you are quite right; he wasn't a thinker.' For a quarter of an hour or so the talk was of other matters. Then Mr. Morley said a little while ago that Drummond was a religious influence. How did he show that?" "For one thing, he cleansed Edinburgh University life for several years." "Ah, did he? That's better than being a thinker."

LOOKING FORWARD.

[New York Sun.]
"She promised to marry him if he would take the pledge."
"Does he drink?"
"No; but she feels sure he will after the ceremony."

THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE.

[London Chronicle.]
The poverty of the English language is exemplified by a circular which is making the rounds of a suburb and inviting subscriptions to a testimonial to the stationmaster. It comes from one who styles himself "the longest resident," the said physical fact being that he is probably the shortest, although in bulk and rotundity he makes up for the inches he lacks in height. Here is the case in which the very clumsiness of the German language would be an inestimable help, for them this gentleman could quite correctly describe himself "for the longest time herein residing," or even, perhaps, "the for the longest time herein residing." Individual, those compound adjectives of the Teutons may be awkward, but they express what the user means and insure accuracy.

A COUPLE OF IRISH BULLS.

[New York Press.]
They were looking over beautiful Woodlawn Cemetery, O'Connell's, filled with admiration, said to his friend and guide: "This is the spot, the very identical spot, where I intend being laid, if I am spared."
Of course, it was an Irishman who said to his physician: "Doctor, you stuff me so much with drugs O'm sick a long time after O'it git well."

WOMEN SWIM
SEINE AT PARISThousands Line River's Banks
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Paris, Aug. 15.—Thousands of people lined the banks of the Seine to see the great seven-mile swimming race in which the little English girl, Miss Kellerman, the Australian, Miss Fraenderfer, and the Austrian, Miss Kellerman, were competitors. Thirteen men also took part, but they were mere incidentals in the eyes of the spectators.

The immense crowd cheered itself hoarse as the three ladies lined up on the pontoon at Bercy and threw off their white robes. Miss Kellerman was in black, her long hair streaming end over end. She was eating the wing of a chicken. She ate three birds, by the way, during the course of the swim.

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Little Miss Kellerman's plump pink face beamed at the crowd over a cloud of dark blue. She is only 18, and she looked a mere child beside the other two magnificently proportioned women.

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Movement to Wipe Out British Influence Rapidly Spreading.

Cairo, Aug. 14. — The wave of Pan-Islamism which is sweeping over Egypt is a factor in politics which cannot be seriously interpreted by the Imperial Government.

It was stemmed by the firmness of Great Britain over the Tabah incident, and by the execution of the murderers of Sir Edmund Grey, the British foreign minister, uttered in the House of Commons, that extreme measures may in contingencies be necessary, has lost its effect.

Lord Cromer has warned the Government in the gravest language of the consequences of lack of firmness or the appearance of it. No one knows the true inwardness of the situation better than the British minister, and the impressive tone of his dispatches recommending the increase of the army of occupation was received with delight by European residents.

The natives hold a high opinion of Lord Cromer—the man who has made Egypt what it is—but if his advice be disregarded it will appear in their eyes to be a sign of weakness in the once-dreaded and powerful Great

Britain, and a spur to the campaign engineered by Mustapha, Kamel Pasha and other preachers of sedition to strike a blow for national independence.

It is firmly established that a certain number of the officers of the Egyptian army are imbued with revolutionary sentiments, and would give expression to them on the first opportunity, and sheikhs continue to preach the expulsion of Christians. In the same degree Pan-Islamism and fanaticism are expanding and bringing nearer a crisis which will, in the words of Sir Edward Grey, compel "extreme measures — unconstitutional measures which Great Britain will be bound to take in an emergency."

THE TORONTO STRIKE.

Toronto, Aug. 15.—It is expected that today there will not be single carpenter at work in the city. Agents appointed by the union visited the various works where non-union men were employed and warned the workers that they must throw up their jobs and join the strikers or take the consequences. It was reported that the paper hangers were also going out on strike, but up to the present they have taken no decided step.

One employer said that the men had absolutely nothing to complain of, and if they went out it could only be out of sympathy with the carpenters.

The House of a Thousand Candles

BY MEREDITH NICHOLSON. [Copyright, 1905, by Bobba-Merrill Co.]

"No," she smiled slightly—"I thought I believe I have said this to you before—I am a gentleman. I really did, Mr. Glenarm. I must say it to justify myself. I relied upon your chivalry; I even thought, when I played being Olivia, that you had a sense of honor. But you are not the one and haven't the other. I even went so far, after you knew perfectly well who I was, as to try to help you—to give you another chance to prove yourself the man your grandfather wished you to be. And now you come to me in a shocking bad humor—I really think you would like to be insulting, Mr. Glenarm, if you could."

"But Pickering—you came back with him, he is here and he's going to stay! And now that the property belongs to you, there is not the slightest reason why we should make any pretense of anything but enmity. When you and Arthur Pickering stand together I take the other side of the barricade! I suppose chivalry would require me to salute you, so that you may enjoy at once the spoils of war."

"I fancy it would not be very difficult to eliminate you as a factor in the situation," she remarked icily.

"And I suppose, after the unsuccessful efforts of Mr. Pickering's allies to assassinate me, as a mild form of elimination, one would naturally expect me to sit calmly down and wait to be shot in the back. But you may tell Mr. Pickering that I throw myself upon your mercy. I have no other home than this shell over the way, and I beg to be allowed to remain until—at least—the bluebirds come to sing. It will not embarrass you to deliver the message."

"I quite sympathize with your reluctance to deliver it yourself," she said. "Is this all you came to say?"

"I came to tell you that you could have your house, and everything in its hideous walls," I snarled. "To tell you that my chivalry is enough for some situations and that I don't intend to fight a woman. I had accepted your own renunciation of the legacy in good faith, but now, please believe me, it shall be yours tomorrow. I'll yield possession to you whenever you ask it, but never to Arthur Pickering! As against him and his treasure-hunters and assassins I will hold out for a dozen years!"

"Nobly spoken, Mr. Glenarm! Yours is really an admirable, though somewhat complex character."

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"My character is my own, whatever it is," I blurted.

"I shouldn't call that a debatable proposition," she replied, and I was in her mind suddenly become so hateful. She half-turned away, so that I might not see her face. She thought that she should countenance Pickering in any way tore me with jealous rage.

"Mr. Glenarm, you are what I have heard called a quitter, defined in common American as one who quits! Your blustering here this afternoon can hardly conceal the fact of your failure—your inability to keep a promise. I had hoped you would really be of some help to Sister Theresa; you quite deceived her—she told me as she left to really felt that her fortunes were safe in your hands. But, of course, that is all a matter of past history now."

Her tone, changing from cold indifference to the most severe disdain, stung me into self-pity for my stupidity in having sought her. My anger was not against her, but against Pickering, who had, I persuaded myself, always blocked my path. She went on:

"You really amuse me exceedingly. Mr. Pickering is decidedly more than a match for you, Mr. Glenarm—even in humor."

"She left me so quickly, so softly. That I stood staring like a fool at the spot where she had been, and then I went gloomily back to Glenarm House, angry, ashamed and crestfallen."

While we were waiting for dinner I made a clean breast of my acquaintance with her to Larry, omitting nothing—rejoicing even to paint my own conduct as black as possible.

"You may remember her," I concluded, "she was the girl we saw at Sher-ry's that night we dined there. She was with Pickering, and you noticed her—spoke of her, as she went out."

"That little girl who seemed so bored, or tired? Bless me! Why her eyes haunted me for days, Lord man, do you mean to say—"

A look of utter scorn came into his face, and he eyed me contemptuously.

"Of course I mean it!" I thundered at him.

He took the pipe from his mouth, pressed the tobacco viciously into the bowl, and swore steadily in Gaelic until I was ready to choke him.

"Stop!" I bawled. "Do you think that's helping me? And to have you curse in your backguardly Irish dialect! I wanted a little Anglo-Saxon sympathy, you fool! I didn't mean for you to invoke your infamous gods against the girl!"

"Don't be violent, lad. Violence is reprehensible," he admonished with maddening sweetness and patience.

"What I was trying to inculcate was rather the fact here. In upon me through years of acquaintance, that you are—to be bold, my lad, to be bold—a good deal of a damned fool."

The trilling of his r's was like the whirling rise of a flock of quails.

"Dinner is served," announced Bates, and Larry led the way, mockingly chanting an Irish love song.

CHAPTER XXIII.

The Door of Bewilderment.

We had established the practice of barring all the gates and doors at nightfall. There was no way of guarding against an attack from the lake, whose frozen surface increased the danger from without; but we counted on our night patrol to prevent a surprise from that quarter. I was well aware that I must prepare to resist the militant arm of the law, which Pickering would no doubt invoke to aid him, but I intended to exhaust the possibilities in searching for the lost treasure before I yielded. Pickering might, if he would, transfer the estate of John Marshall Glenarm to Marian Devereux and make the most he could of that service, but he should not drive me forth until I had satisfied myself of the exact character of my grandfather's fortune. If it had vanished, if Pickering had stolen it and outwitted me in making off with it, that was another matter.

The phrase, "The Door of Bewilderment," had never ceased to reiterate itself in my mind. We discussed a thousand explanations of it as we pondered over the scrap of paper I had found in the library, and every book in the house was examined in the search for further clues.

The passage between the house and the chapel seemed to fascinate Larry. He held that it must have some particular use and he devoted his time to exploring it.

He came up at noon—it was the 29th of December—with grimy face and hands and a grin on his face. I had spent my morning in the towers, where he was beastly cold, to no purpose and was not in a mood for the ready acceptance of new theories.

"I've found something," he said, filling his pipe.

"Not soap, evidently!"

"No, but I'm going to say the last word on the tunnel, and within an hour. Give me a glass of beer and a piece of bread, and we'll go back and see whether we're sold again or not."

"Let us explore the idea and be done with it. Wait till I tell Stoddard where we're going."

The chaplain was trying the second-floor walls, and I asked him to eat some luncheon and stand guard while Larry and I went to the tunnel.

We took with us an iron bar, and axe and a couple of hammers. Larry went ahead with a lantern.

"You see," he explained, as we dropped through the trap into the passage, "I've tried a compass on this tunnel and find that we've been working on the wrong theory. The passage itself runs a straight line from the house under the gate to the crypt; the ravine is a rough crescent-shape and for a short distance the tunnel touches it. How deep does that ravine average—about 30 feet?"

"Yes, it's shallowest where the house stands. It drops sharply from there on to the lake."

"Very good; but the ravine is all on the Glenarm side of the wall, isn't it? Now when we get under the wall I'll show you something."

"Here we are," said Larry, as the cold air blew in through the hollow posts. "Now, we're pretty near that sharp curve of the ravine that dips away from the wall. Take the lantern while I get out the compass. What do you think that C on the piece of paper means? Why, chapel, of course. I have measured the distance from the house, the point of departure, we may assume, to the chapel, and three-fourths of it brings us under those beautiful posts. The directions are as plain as daylight. The passage itself is your N. W., as the compass proves, and the ravine cuts in close here; therefore, our business is to explore the wall on the ravine side."

"Good; but this is just wall here—earth with a layer of brick and a thin coat of cement. A nice job it must have been to do the work. And it cost the price of a tiger hunt!" I grumbled.

"Take heart, lad, and listen!" Larry began pounding the wall with a hammer, exactly under the north gatepost. We had sounded everything in and about the house until the process bored me.

"Hurry up and get through with it!" I jerked impatiently, holding the lantern at the level of his head. It was sharply cold under the posts and I was anxious to prove the worthlessness of his idea and be done.

Thump! thump!

"There's a place here that sounds a trifle off the key. You try it!"

I snatched the hammer and repeated his soundings.

Thump! thump!

There was a space about four feet square in the wall that certainly gave forth a hollow sound.

"Stand back!" exclaimed Larry, eagerly. "Here goes with the axe."

He struck into the wall sharply and the cement chipped off in rough pieces, disclosing the brick beneath. Larry paused when he had uncovered a foot of the inner layer and examined the surface.

"They're loose—these bricks are loose, and there's something besides earth behind them."

I snatched the hammer and drove hard at the wall. The bricks were set up without mortar, and I plucked them out and rapped with my knuckles on a wooden surface.

Even Larry grew excited as we flung out the bricks.

"Ah—lad," he said, "the old gentleman had a way with him—he had a way with him!" A brick dropped on his foot and he howled in pain.

"Bless the old gentleman's heart! He made it as easy for us as he could. Now, for the Glenarm millions—red money all piled up for the case of counting it—a thousand pounds in every pile."

"Don't be a fool, Larry," I coughed at him, for the brick dust and the smoke of Larry's pipe made breathing difficult.

"That's all the loose brick—bring the lantern closer!" and we peered through the aperture upon a wooden door, in which strips of iron were deep-seated. It was fastened with a padlock, and Larry reached down for the axe.

"Wait!" I called, drawing closer with the lantern. "What's this?"

The wood of the door was fresh and white, but burned deep on the surface, in this order, were the words:

THE DOOR OF BEWILDERMENT.

"There are dead men inside, I dare say! Here, my lad, it's not for me to turn loose the family skeletons," and Larry stood aside while I swung the axe and brought it down with a crash on the padlock. It was of no flimsy stuff, and the remaining blows crumpled me, but half a dozen blows broke it off.

"The house of a thousand ghosts," chanted the irrepressible Larry, as I pushed the door open and crawled through.

Whatever the place was, it had a floor, and I set my feet firmly upon it and turned to take the lantern.

"Hold a bit," he exclaimed. "Someone's coming," and bending toward the opening I heard the sound of steps down the corridor. In a moment Bates ran up, calling my name with more spirit than I imagined possible in him.

"What is it?" I demanded, crawling out into the tunnel.

"It's Mr. Pickering. The sheriff has come with him, sir."

To be Continued.

WINE SIXPENCE A GALLON

German Scientists May Reduce Present Price of Mere Nothing.

London, Aug. 15.—It is quite possible that in the near future good Rhine wine will be bought wholesale in London at six pence a gallon, though the efforts of the German scientists to make Rhine wine in England, while successful to a certain extent, have so far proved a financial failure.

"Last year," said a leading wine importer, "a well-known wine firm in Mainz sent to England a number of barrels of unfermented grape juice which came through duty free. It was stored at Berrondsey, and when the right time arrived was made into Rhine wine."

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Township Councils.

LONDON.

London Township Council met in the town hall, Arva, Monday, Aug. 6. Present, Hamilton Needham, reeve; S. Frank Glass, James H. Hodgins, George E. Hudson and W. A. Langford, councillors. The following communications were read:

From W. W. Farncomb, re boundary of Mount St. Joseph property at the 4th concession line, also account for survey. Referred to G. E. Hudson.

From C. W. A. Woodburre, manager Dominion Office and Store-Fitting Company, asking permission to lay a sewer from their premises to connect with the city sewerage system. The matter was referred to Councillors Glass and Langford, with power.

From R. White, Antler, Sask., fled.

From Mrs. Tancock, asking for a reduction of \$100 in her assessment. No jurisdiction.

From S. C. Brooks, re water on lot 22, concession 1. Referred to S. F. Glass.

From the Ontario Municipal Association, inviting a delegation of the council to their meeting at Toronto on Aug. 29 and 30. Filled.

From A. D. Cartwright, secretary of railway commissioners, Ottawa, stating that they have consented to the building of a siding to the premises of the Dominion Office and Store-Fitting Company, by the Grand Trunk Railway Company. Notice accepted and communication filed.

Messrs. Smallman and King, president and manager of the London Street Railway Company, addressed the council, asking permission to put in a "Y" on Dundas street and Ashland avenue, in place of at Nightingale avenue, as provided for by the bylaw giving permission to the company to put in their line to Potteryburg. After a full discussion it was moved by W. A. Langford, seconded by George E. Hudson, that, whereas the street railway company make a request as to a "Y" on Dundas street, this council first ask their assurance that they will fill in their road allowance along the Proof Line road as per agreement and defray towards expenses up to the present of repairing road along "Y" at the Hamilton road. Carried.

The following letter was presented by Mr. King: "In response to your resolution regarding the proposed 'Y' on Dundas street, requesting assurance that the tracks on the Proof Line road be filled and that we pay for certain work adjacent to the 'Y' at the Hamilton road and Egerton street, I beg to say that these matters are amply covered by respective bylaws, and that the street railway company will take care of them as required by said bylaws, respectively. The London Street Railway Company, by C. B. King, manager."

Moved by S. F. Glass, seconded by James H. Hodgins, that the request of the London Street Railway Company to build a "Y" near the western terminus of the road, in accordance with section 21 of bylaw No. 391, on condition that it be agreed by them that the said "Y" shall be built at the intersection of Ashland avenue with Dundas street, instead of at Nightingale avenue, and that it be agreed on the part of the London Street Railway Company to maintain the "Y" and all approaches to it in a condition satisfactory to the township council and the engineer. Carried.

A motion asking for a grant of \$150 to grade and repair Cameron's sideroad was laid over.

John Peaseketh addressed the council re drain at lot 7, concessions 6 and 7. Referred to the reeve with power.

Mr. C. E. Crowley, representing the Grand Trunk Railway Company submitted plans of proposed overhead bridge at Hyde Park Junction, which were accepted as satisfactory.

A petition signed by George Connor and 54 other ratepayers, asking the council to take action in the matter of the Proof Line road leading to arbitration in the question of the present condition of said road, was laid over for consideration. In connection with this matter it was voted to instruct the clerk to notify the provincial engineer to make a thorough examination of this road and that the necessary steps be taken to remedy this grievance, taking the solicitor's advice on same.

Mr. Walsh and Mr. Yeo addressed the council re approach to Vauxhall bridge. Referred to W. A. Langford, with power to obtain the opinion of the county engineer and to obtain an estimate of the cost of the necessary repairs, and to report at next meeting.

Bylaw No. 496 to impose the sum of \$75 for license for a circus, menagerie, or other such like show, within the municipality, was read three times and passed.

Mr. P. J. Thompson, public school inspector for East Middlesex, addressed the council, explaining the recent amendments to the education act.

Mr. Powell, assessor, returned the council re school charges for 1906.

It was decided to pass a bylaw for the protection of a road allowance of nine feet wide on each side, used as a sidewalk, from the traffic of vehicles and from the driving of any animals over such a walk, and from animals running at large along certain township roads, said description of roads to be given in bylaw.

The reeve reported the bridge opposite lot 11, concession 9, in a very bad condition. It was decided that Mr. Needham be instructed to have concrete abutments built for this bridge, and that he also advise for tenders for the construction of a steel bridge to carry a plank floor; also for one to carry concrete floor, same to be submitted at next meeting of the council, plans to be prepared by Charles Talbot, county engineer.

The following accounts are ordered paid: Mount St. Joseph, \$6; A. A. Langford, court of revision, \$19; Advertiser Printing Company, \$2; William Ford, road repairs, \$4; Victoria Press, \$250; F. H. Logan, repairs, \$1; E. Bavin, drain, Huron street, \$230; Free Press Printing Company, \$2; Thomas Hodgins, repairs to bridge, \$4; R. Crowley, \$41.37; William Blinn, repairs to culvert, \$2; William Knibb, cement, \$35; Edmond Monteith, culvert, etc., \$4.25; Abe Summers, bridge repairs, \$4.50; D. Walde, bridge repairs, \$38.68; Thomas McCartney, culvert, \$4.26; E. Bavin, culvert, \$12; Thomas Blinn, bridge and repairs, \$2; E. North company, tile, \$22; D. Brimblecomb, road repairs, 50 cents; D. Kim-

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SADDENED YOUNG QUEEN

Wilhelmina of Holland Broken-Hearted and Aging Prematurely.

The Hague, Aug. 14.—Every day brings fresh proof that the sympathy of the civilized world goes out to Queen Wilhelmina. Apart from the fact that she is the last of her race, that all Holland is in a state of mingled despair and rage at the idea of the now too probable German succession, the young queen has longed passionately for a child for its own sake. Those who are near her say that she is simply heartbroken over the loss of her last hope, and that it is her splendid constitution, not her desire, that now keeps her living. Her married life, unfortunately, has fallen much short of the ideal and the cares of state press hard, while the knowledge that she has disappointed her people is a grief that cuts deep. She is a sad-faced woman, older than her years, instead of the radiant girl, idol of a nation, of a few short summers since.

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SNAP-SHOTS AT VARIOUS SPORTS

The White Sox have not lost an extra inning game this year. This bit of dope speaks well for the staying qualities of the Chicago pitching staff.

This is the fourth day since a bank manager has robbed the vault to play the races.

Two pennants for Chicago is the desire of the Windy City fans. Hogtown is there with the grab.

A year's rest seems to have done Angus Pointer a world of good, and it is predicted that he will burn up the Grand Circuit this year. The Canadian gelding is very fast, there's no doubt about that. The other sensations down the line last year are not repeating, nearly all of them being away off.

Fall fairs and tourist hockey players will soon be in our midst.

Noah Brusso has been matched again. This is about the ninety-ninth time.

Toronto has played the most consistent ball of the season—consistently bad.

Seagram's two Watercross colts, Purslane and Babbling Brook, are the talk of the Saratoga race track followers. It is to be hoped that he lands the Futurity with one of them.

Five hundred Goldfield, Nev., women have joined in the demand for the Gans-Nelson fight. Society must be amused and things have been dull since the last lynching.

In telling a story of a freak fight he witnessed in England, Jim Corbett says it would probably never have been heard of had he not run across it in his diary. Without raising any question of veracity, we want to hazard the opinion that Jim's diary was a hard working fight scribe with a good imagination.—Chicago Record.

They're coming pretty easy when a prizefighter can get a match for a \$30,000 purse, two-thirds of it to himself, win or lose. Nelson is good—sure.

It is doubtful if a 2-year-old can be much of a champion in January and then repeat in August. Horace E.'s showing at Saratoga is hardly to be wondered at.

Minoru Fujii, of the University of Tokio, is said to have vaulted 12 feet 1 inch, and to have run 100 yards in 19.2-5. What American university will get him?

No sooner had A. H. Brenner's New Moon Hay won the third race today than the stewards put their heads together, and after a long consultation, announced that Jockey Romanelli had been suspended for the remainder of this meeting and his case would be referred to the Jockey Club. One of the stewards said that the punishment was administered because of Romanelli's suspicious ride on Tew Moon Hay a few days ago, when his work was so "raw" that hundreds declared he rode her to lose.—Exchange.

One hardly stops to realize the wonderful development of speed in harness horses that has come within the last decade, until one reads of an experience like that of the veteran Ed. Geers at Buffalo, last Thursday, when he drove nine heats in better than 2:10. He drove three horses to as many victories in straight heats, and every one of them lower than the magic figure that 20 years ago made people greatly excited. In fact, there was not a single heat driven in Buffalo last Thursday slower than 2:09, and there were 20 heats in all. The 2:10 horse today is a comparatively slow one, and the mark of wonderment has gone down to two minutes flat. In ten years from now who can say that there will not be plenty of them and that the mark will then be lowered to 1:57?

W. D. Love, son of P. M. Love, of Winnipeg, successfully defended his right to hold the Meredith Challenge Cup at the tennis courts Saturday afternoon, when he met and defeated J. P. Hancock, of Minnedosa, who had on Friday won out in the finals of the men's singles in the Brandon tennis club tournament. Hancock played a good game, but Love played a more consistent game, and won out quite handsily in three straight sets, 6-4, 6-1, 6-4.

COVERPOINT.

ONE SHOT WINS FOR WILLIE HOPPE

He Tells of a Shot That Won for Him the Billiard Championship from Vignaux.

William Hoppe, the young champion of the world at 18-inch balk-line billiards, one shot in, and holder of the world's record run of 307 for 18-inch balk-line, two shots in, was asked, the other day what shot, if any, he considered the most momentous of his career.

In January last Hoppe defeated Maurice Vignaux in Paris, and wrested the 181 title away from the veteran Frenchman. He told of a shot in that game which came as near as anything to being a turning point in his struggle for premier honors. It was the winning of that game that brought him from the short-stop class up to the masters' class—ranked him among the top-notchers.

"The most important shot, to me, of that game," said Master William, "was at the beginning of the second inning of the second half of the contest. In Paris there is a recess when one of the players has reached the half-way mark in points. The game was close enough when the second half began to be either man's. For the shot I am telling you about the balls were lined up, extending diagonally out from the side rail. The cue ball was furthest from the rail and outside the other two. The cue ball went from the first object ball to the side rail and then to the second ball, catching the ball on the far edge. The shot gave me position, and I ran 33.

"If I had missed I would have left position for Vignaux, and the chances are that he then would have gotten his stroke first instead of me. A great deal depended on which of us got his stroke first, and I consider that shot the most important in the game. Anyhow, he did not play well after that, and he told me after the game that that shot beat him.

"How long did it take me to run 307?" repeated Hoppe. "About forty minutes, I should say. I did not feel much like playing before the game began, but the further it went the better I felt. Sometimes a man plays well when he doesn't think he is going to, and vice-versa. That's one of several things about billiards that is hard to explain. I was a little tired when I reached the hundredth count of the run, but not after that. When you get to the 270 mark in a run you feel you can make anything, and that's the way I felt in that run."—Philadelphia North American.

ROWDYISM AND ITS CHIEF EXEMPLIFIER

McGraw and Oliver Tebeau Created Spirit of Rowdiness on Ball Field.

Every lover of square sport, whether he lives in New York or on the trails which follow the sun to the Pacific Coast, hopes that the National League will make the sternest example of Muggsy McGraw, ball field grouch, scrapper and unfair player.

The outrageous treatment of Umpire Johnstone justifies the worst the magazines may do.

This Muggsy fellow represents the kind of baseball playing which wins in pugilism by pasting a man away below the belt. The sporty crowd at a prize fight has no use for the cheap skate, and it's only the blatherskites which cheer on the ruffianism of a McGraw.

These peculiar tactics of the diamond—this rowdiness—was born in the National League. The fathers of scrappy ball-playing were Oliver Tebeau, one-time manager-captain of the old Cleveland, and Muggsy himself. Back in the early nineties, when Baltimore and Cleveland were rivals for the championship, "scrap" playing" all around the circuit of league clubs.

A game between Baltimore and Cleveland was about as nearly a prize fight as one might see outside of the roped arena, and laughs in the home crowd went to the grounds carefully instructed in the course of the game were to pursue to overawe the out-of-town players and the arbitrator. Plants on the field were frequent. Suspect and fines of Tebeau and McGraw were frequent. McGraw's first professional engagement was at Olean, N. Y., in 1890. The next year he was with Baltimore, and then he was with the New York Nationals. McGraw is 34 years old, weighs 150 pounds or so, and is 5 feet 7 inches high. Detroit News.

TENNIS GAMES AT THE BARRACKS

Alisa Craig Players and the Officers Enjoy a Number of Friendly Games.

The fine tennis grounds at Wolseley Barracks were the scene of enjoyment yesterday afternoon, where a goodly party gathered to see the tennis match between Alisa Craig players and the officers of the regiment. The visitors came down from their home town in autos and were entertained to dinner at the barracks by the officers on the grounds in front of their quarters. Following are the scores made in the singles:

Stuart (Alisa Craig), beat St. Ledger (Barracks), 2-6, 7-5, 7-5.
Harrison (Barracks), beat McLedey (Alisa Craig), 6-1, 6-1.
Lang (Alisa Craig), beat Dann (Barracks), 6-4, 5-7, 6-4.

Perdu (Barracks), beat Morgan (Alisa Craig), 6-2, 7-5.
Parker (Alisa Craig), beat McBeth (Barracks), 6-2, 6-2.

White (Alisa Craig), beat Thompson (Barracks), 6-3, 9-7.

The doubles were as follows:
St. Ledger and Harrison (Barracks), beat Stuart and McLedey (Alisa Craig), 6-1, 6-3.

Dann and Perdu (Barracks), beat Lang and Morgan (Alisa Craig), 6-8, 6-2, 6-7.

Thompson and White (Alisa Craig), beat Thompson and McBeth (Barracks), 5-3, 4-6, 6-2.

TOURNAMENT AT SOUTHAMPTON

Southampton, L. I., Aug. 14.—In the tennis tournament at the Meadow Club today, Beals C. Wright, of Boston, the national champion, defeated A. Dabney, of Boston, 6-2, and 7-5. Robert Leroy, Columbia, defeated R. Sard, 6-3, and 6-2. F. J. Sulloway, Boston, defeated C. F. Watson, Jun., 6-4, 6-2. Karl H. Behr, Jun., of York, defeated M. B. Register, of Philadelphia, 6-2, 6-4.

NEW TRACK RECORD BY ANGUS POINTER

Canadian Horse Surprises the Wise Ones at Grand Circuit Meet.

Poughkeepsie, Aug. 14.—Angus Pointer, the speedy son of Sidney Pointer, after working out on the half-mile tracks, made his first start of the season in the Grand Circuit meet at 2:04 pace at the Hudson River Driving Park this afternoon, winning in straight heats of 2:03 1/2, and 2:03 1/2, which makes a new race record for the track, and is the fastest two heats paced this season next to The Broncho's three heats of 2:03 1/2, 2:03 and 2:03 1/2.

Angus Pointer has been considered fast since he started as a green horse two years ago, and got a mark of 2:04 1/2, but he was hardly believed to be capable of the speed which he showed today. He made the last quarter of the first heat in 23 1/2, going under the wire a length and a half ahead of Baron Grattan.

Conservative observers believe that he could have made the mile in 2:02 1/2 if he had had a harder pressed. He made the first half in the second heat in 1:02 1/2. Angus Pointer sold for \$100 at \$100 to \$64. The 2:11 pace was easy for Rudykipp, it being his third victory of the season. Calculating on the record, the talent made him favorite at \$100 to \$50 for the first heat.

Prince Hal and Pearl Tipping fought out the first heat to the last eighth mile, where Rudy went up from third place, and Aintree slipped in a close second. The second heat was a repetition of the first so far as it concerned Rudy, but Muggsy made most of the way and took second place in a whip-finish with Aintree. Brilliant Girl's Cleveland performance made her favorite for the 2:28 trot at \$100 to \$50, but the talent found a surprise in Cleveland, of Cleveland, and a winner at Wind-sor, but not reckoned a dangerous factor for the Grand Circuit. Allie Jay found no compeer in the crowd, and won with comparative ease in straight heats. Summary:

2:11 class, pacing, purse \$1,500, 2 in 3:
Rudy Kiel, br. h., by McEwen, 1
By Browne Hal (Murphy) 1
Antire, b. g. (Cox) 2
Mercy Me, b. m. (A. Thomas) 10
Princess, b. g. (Snow) 3
Pearl Tipping, b. m. (Walker) 4
Capt. Derby, b. g. (Eldridge) 4
Fred N., b. g. (Mc) 6
Blackbird, b. g. (James) 8
The Judge, b. g. (Dickerson) 11
Billy Waters, Jun., b. g. (McCargon) 11
Miss Abbell, b. m. (McKinney) 15
Time—2:03 1/2, 2:03 1/2.

2:28 class, trotting, purse \$1,500, 3 in 5:
Allie Jay, b. m., by Jay Hawker, 1
Brilliant Girl, br. m. (Kenney) 1
The Phantom, b. h. (Curry) 2
Lucretia, br. m. (Thompson) 2
Jessie Benyon, b. m. (Benyon) 3
Czarina Dawson, b. m. (McCargon) 5
Del Magregor, b. m. (Murphy) 4
Zest, b. g. (Cox) 10
Silence, b. m. (McCarthy) 15
Direct, b. m. (McCarthy) 15
Time—2:10 1/2, 2:10 1/2.

2:04 class, pacing, purse \$1,200, 2 in 3:
Alisa Pointer, b. g., by Sidney Pointer, by Grant's Hambleton-ions (Sunderlin) 1
Baron Grattan, b. g. (Geers) 2
Nervolo, b. h. (Murphy) 4
Maud Keswick, b. m. (James) 4
Time—2:03 1/2, 2:03 1/2.

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BRITISH BOWLERS KEEP ON WINNING

Defeated Paris Yesterday by 22 Shots—They Took in Brantford as Well.

Paris, Ont., Aug. 14.—The British bowlers played here today, defeating Paris by 22 shots. They were given a grand reception and a drive around the town this morning. In the afternoon large crowds were present to witness the game. Following are the results:

British. Paris.
Baillie Watson, J. Smiley, 16
P. Hay, skip, 9 skip, 16
W. McCall, R. Thompson, 17
W. McCall, skip, 15
Total.....70 Total.....43

At Brantford.

Brantford, Aug. 14.—The British bowlers arrived here this morning at 9 o'clock and proceeded to the Kirby House. At 10 o'clock they were taken in carriages around the city, also to view the Old Mohawk Church and Tutela Heights, the home of the Bell telephone, returning to the city shortly after 1 o'clock. They lunched at the Kirby House, after which a match was started on the Brantford club grounds, the Britishers winning by 26 shots.

Tonight the visitors were entertained at the Brant Club's new apartments, George street.

CRICKET.

FOREST VS. BARRACKS TEAM.

The Forest cricket team will play the barracks team on Carling's Heights tomorrow. This will be one of the best games of the season and will be worth attending. The public is cordially invited.

CHICAGO NOW IN THE LIMELIGHT

Wonderful Work During Past Three Weeks by Both League Teams.

Detroit, Aug. 14.—Right now the principal baseball interest is in the work of the two Chicago clubs. Each leads in its league. It is an illustration of the peculiarities of baseball that each holding the same position, these two clubs are the extreme of baseball. The National team is one of the best hitting clubs in the game, and this, with a fine pitching corps, makes it almost invincible. The Sox, on the other hand, hit more weakly than any team in the American league. By the side of the Sox, the Tigers are a team of sluggers. Good pitching, fine fielding, and a long series at home explain the position of Comiskey's men.

The records of the two Chicago clubs have been dwelt on previously. Of the fifteen games played by the Sox, on this home stand thirteen have been won, one lost and one tied. Boston alone beat Chicago, winning 3 to 1. No club has made more than three runs off the Sox in this home series. Twice Boston was shut out, and twice the same fate befell the Athletics. This is a great record, but that of the Cubs is even better, because made away from home. On this road trip the Nationals have played sixteen games, losing but two of them, one each to Philadelphia and New York. Not including the forfeited game at New York, the Cubs won no less than seven shut-outs.

Comiskey's chances depend largely on what the club does on its present trip. After finishing in the east, Chicago has six or eight games to play in this city and Cleveland. On September 9 it will be at home for the long closing series, with twenty-three games to play on its own lot. If it can start this run not only will the games behind the leader, nothing but the crippling of his regulars can keep Comiskey from snatching the flag.

LEFT-HANDERS LEAD AMERICAN; CUBS' PITCHERS VERY CONSISTENT

Heart-sided pitchers have the call in the American, nearly every leading pitcher in any club being a left-hander. The leader of the league is Eddie Plank, of the Athletics, a southpaw, and his closest rival is a great side-wheeler from the White Sox, White. Plank will lead the American pitchers by a good margin. Sliever is still the leading Detroit pitcher, and he seems to be pitching the most consistent ball of the bunch. The great spurt of the Sox has been largely due to the magnificent work of White in the box by Walsh, White and Owen. Chesbro, of the Highlanders, has been doing better work this year than last, although far from his record of two years ago.

AMERICAN LEAGUE PITCHING.

G. W. L. P. C.
Plank, Athletics.....23 19 4 .326
White, Chicago.....13 6 .75
Rhoades, Cleveland.....13 6 .834
Joas, Cleveland.....21 14 .767
Feltz, Chicago.....20 13 .750
Newton, New York.....9 6 .697
Orin, New York.....27 10 .620
Patten, Washington.....20 13 .650
Sliever, Detroit.....16 10 .625
Waddell, Athletics.....20 12 .600
Feltz, Chicago.....15 9 .600
Hogg, New York.....12 8 .600
Duckson, New York.....12 8 .600
Donahue, Detroit.....11 7 .556
Owen, Chicago.....21 12 .571
Atrock, Chicago.....22 13 .565
McGinity, New York.....22 13 .565
Kendler, Athletics.....23 12 .545
B. Smith, St. Louis.....12 7 .538
Cesbro, New York.....28 13 .500
Coombs, Athletics.....4 4 .500
Townsend, Cleveland.....10 5 .500
Walsh, Philadelphia.....23 11 .522
Bernhard, Cleveland.....17 8 .500

ROD LICENSE PRESERVES FISHING

So Writes A. Kelly Evans to American Fishermen Who Object to License.

More or less controversy has arisen of late regarding the rod license fee charged for non-resident anglers. A number of Americans have been somewhat disgusted with the regulations, and declare they will no longer fish in Canada. Recently Mr. A. Kelly Evans, secretary-treasurer of the Ontario Fish and Game Protective Association, received a letter from Mr. Stephen Stone, secretary of the Yan-Kan-Uck Fishing Club, which has a privilege at Moon Run, Ont., asking for information respecting license fees, the exportation of fish, etc., to which Mr. Evans replied as follows:

THE CLINTON BOWLERS TRIM WOODSTOCK TEAM

Clinton, Aug. 14.—One of the most interesting friendly games of the season was played here yesterday on the Clinton bowling green between Woodstock and Clinton, resulting in a score of 54 to 38 in favor of Clinton. The following were the players:

Clinton. Woodstock.
G. F. Parkes, T. W. Greig,
J. Hunter, A. J. McIntosh,
J. Fair, A. G. Wallace,
G. D. McTaggart, A. Gardner,
J. L. Courtois, J. M. Mahon,
W. Graham, F. J. O'Ro,
W. Jackson, A. K. Kerr,
Dr. Agnew, C. R. Clapp,
J. Taylor, R. T. Whitelaw,
D. A. Forrester, W. H. Jenkins,
W. Brydson, F. Millman,
H. Wiltse, Rev. Mr. Smith,
E. M. McLean, J. Ross,
W. J. Stevenson, J. Pascoe,
W. Spaulding, J. A. Bain,
skip.....19 skip.....17
Total.....88 Total.....54
Majority for Clinton, 34 shots.

BASEBALL.

The North End Stars defeated the North End Rockets in a good game of ball last night by a score of 5 to 2. The battery work of the Stars, of the Stars, was the feature.

The score by innings is: R. H. E.
Stars.....0 10 1 0 1 1—5 10 2
Rockets.....1 0 0 0 1 0 0—5 10 2
Batteries—W. Storie and F. Storie; T. Munhall and J. Munhall.

BOTHWELL DEFEATS CHATHAM.

Bothwell, Aug. 14.—The Bothwell baseball team defeated Chatham in a warmly contested game of baseball here yesterday. Score 11 to 2.

A BLACKLIST.

Cincinnati, Aug. 14.—The National baseball commission today issued a list of players that are ineligible to play in a national agreement clubs. The list includes:

Buffalo—Badel.
Baltimore—L. D. Wiltse, Stephen Griffin.
Toronto—Fred Crolius.
Utica—Outfielder Marshall.
Binghamton—Jack Messerly.

THE TURE.

YESTERDAY'S WINNERS.

At Saratoga—Belleville 39 to 1, Cary 29 to 1, Pope John 9 to 10, Dandelion 4 to 1, Momentum 9 to 10, I told you 19 to 1.

At Fort Erie—Gallith 3 to 1, Elastic 3 to 1, Manzanito 4 to 1, Sizz Rocamora 2 to 1, Pedro 8 to 5, Jack Adams 24 to 1.

\$3,000 MEETING AT AYLMER.

Aylmer, Aug. 14.—The race meeting here last week so marked a success, it is said the turf association is arranging for a \$3,000 meeting, to be held some time in September.

The King will take himself to Marlborough, and the remainder of the gay and brilliant throng will scatter to the various thermal resorts on the continent, the country houses in England, and to castles and shooting boxes in Scotland.

New inventions are being made in electrical appliances than in all other industries combined.

COWES REGATTA A ROYAL EVENT

Last Week's Yachting Spectacle Was an Exceptionally Brilliant Affair.

London, Aug. 13.—This year the so-called Cowes week proved exceptionally brilliant, owing to the presence of the young King and Queen of Spain on board their steam yacht Giralda, and the gathering of beautiful pleasure craft on the Solent, was exceptionally large.

What distinguishes the race week at Cowes from all others is its exclusiveness, and the absence not merely of the general public, but likewise of all those hangers-on who may be described as the fringe of society. The royal yacht squadron, the premier organization of the kind in the world, is to all intents and purposes in control of everything at Cowes during the regatta week. It dominates society there, which defers to its dictations, the name by which the club house and grounds of the squadron are known. The club blackballs most unmercifully candidates which in its eyes do not possess the high and breeding requisite to render them congenial associates. It pills them even when they are the King Lipton and others, sponsored by the King himself, and it is extremely chary about according the privileges of the club temporarily to strangers.

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One of the rules of the royal yacht squadron which keeps lots of people from becoming members, is that which requires that candidates for election should be practical yachtsmen, should hold diplomas as sailing masters, and be capable of sailing their own boats. King Edward has on several occasions endeavored to have this regulation amended, so as to admit the election of men, who, while not yachtsmen in the technical sense of the word, have, nevertheless, by the ownership of yachts, and by the devotion of large sums of money to the construction of racing craft, contributed in an important and effective manner to the promotion of this branch of sport. But the club has never been willing to give way to him in the matter, realizing that if there is one thing that more than anything contributes to its prestige, it is the reputation which it enjoys throughout the sporting world for exclusiveness—the very exclusiveness which renders people so extremely anxious to belong to it.

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"Among the reasons for the imposition of a rod-license fee is: (1) That such will provide the Government with statistics as to the number of persons coming each year to our country to fish, and thereby show the importance of maintaining good sport; (2) such fees will form an annual revenue naturally gradually increasing in size, and which can be devoted by the Government toward the expenses of forming and keeping up a more efficient corps of fishery overseers and game wardens than now exists, and thereby gradual improvement of the fishing throughout the Province generally. You state in your letter that your club has invested \$10,000 near the Moon River. Does it not occur to you that if the fishing in your neighborhood is greatly improved your buildings and real estate there (assuming you have such) must increase in value and also that your members will enjoy better sport?"

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ANGLERS GOING TO GET BUSY

London Fishermen Will Protest Against Wholesale Depletion of Streams.

The Thames River Angling Association will meet tomorrow night to appoint delegates to the convention that meets in Toronto next month. They will also formulate their complaints to the Government. They are dissatisfied with the present method of doing things, and think that the fisheries of the country should be carefully protected. The convention will be held on Aug. 31 and Sept. 1, and will be the biggest affair of its kind ever held.

This is the convention of the Ontario Association for the Protection of Fish and Game, and will be held at Toronto, Aug. 31 and Sept. 1, and the meeting tomorrow night is of the Thames River branch of the association.

One of the specific complaints that will be formulated at the local meeting, is to be presented at the convention, is one that residents of Warton claim that the streams are being depleted in that district through the prevention by American fishermen of bass coming to their spawning grounds. Those interested in this are Messrs. C. A. Hall, A. G. Greston, John Graham, J. I. A. Hunt, Thos. Smart, John Callard, J. Dillon, Frank Jewell, Fred Hammond and others of the Snake Island Fishing Club.

It is also expected that Messrs. Gillies, Scandrett, and Ferguson, and others from other districts, will formulate complaints. The complaint will be in shape for tomorrow's meeting.

A HAMILTON FIREBUG.

Hamilton, Aug. 15.—There has been a suspicion for some time past that the fires which have occurred from time to time at the Hamilton Brass Company's works on North James street were the work of an incendiary. That suspicion has been confirmed in the minds of some, it is believed that a discharged employe has been doing the firebug act. It is also thought he is demented, and believes he has a grievance against the company. The man is known, and is being watched by the authorities. Ernest Carroll, of the company, was asked if he knew about the matter, and said he had heard nothing about it.

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STRANGELY DISAPPEARS

Toronto Lady Starts for Hamilton but Fails to Turn Up.

Hamilton, Aug. 15.—Considerable anxiety has been created in this city by the unaccountable disappearance of a Toronto woman, Mrs. Alex. Wright, Queen street. She is a sister of the late Peter Brant, architect, of this city.

On Saturday she left Toronto for this city, boarding the 5:15 boat. She intended to pay a short visit to her sister-in-law. Nothing has been seen of her since she boarded the boat at Toronto.

Her father, Mr. Leslie, who works at

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Yesterday afternoon, received a telephone message from this city, stating his mother had been killed in an accident. He came to the city, but learned there was no accident.

It is not known where she can be, and the police have been asked to trace her.

A STENSLAND CLEW

Police Think Bank Absconder May Be in Nelson, B. C.

Chicago, Aug. 15. — Determined to overlook no possible clew to the whereabouts of Paul O. Stensland, the fugitive president of the Milwaukee Avenue State Bank, the police wired yesterday to Nelson B. C. A small red-bound book which was found in Stensland's desk contains explicit directions for reaching Nelson. The directions are in the handwriting of President Stensland.

"By way of Spokane," reads one direction. Another is "Soo line and Canadian Pacific, thence by steamer."

TORONTO'S CANADIAN CLUB

Annual Report is of the
Association in London.

The report of the proceedings of the Toronto Canadian Club for the season of 1905-06 has just been issued, and it forms a valuable and interesting work, containing, as it does, a discussion of many important subjects by men of prominence in literary, commercial, educational, financial and political ad-

The Canadian Club of Toronto was founded in 1887, and during the past season 394 members were added to the roll, making the total membership 1,118 — a slight increase over last year.

Of a list of 21 speakers who addressed the club, 12 were from the United States and 2 from England.

In his annual report Mr. A. E. Huestis, secretary, states that it is to be regretted that there is not in the club a dining hall, and that the club has been unable to comfortably on special occasions at least half of the club's membership.

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Brooklyn Transit	109
Chicago	1093
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Chicago, Ill.	618
Colorado Fuel & Iron	551
Edison	708
Elgin	708
Illinois Central	1767
Indianapolis	708
Kansas & Texas, pld.	708
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