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THE MANITOBA SCANDAL.

MR. DAFOE CHARGED WITH CRIMINAL LIBEL.

Editor of The Winnipeg Free Press Arrested, but Secures Bail—Provincial Secretary McFadden's Denial—The Free Press Sticks to the Charge.

Winnipeg, June 29.—The leading topic of the past week in the Manitoba election campaign has been The Free Press' charges against members of the Roblin Government, who were accused by the paper with having held up money for the purpose of paying over \$5,000 before they would pay over money due Macdonnell on the Boyne marsh drainage contract. The incident culminated Saturday in the arrest of Mr. John W. Dafoe, editor of The Free Press, on the charge of criminal libel, preferred by Hon. D. H. McFadden, Provincial Secretary.

Mr. Dafoe was found at his desk, appeared before Magistrate Baker, and was released on bail of \$2,000. The case comes up for preliminary trial during this week.

Hon. Mr. McFadden, the Provincial Secretary, gives an emphatic denial to the charges in two interviews. He says: "I emphatically deny that the Hon. C. H. Campbell ever suggested to me that Manning & Macdonnell or either of them should pay \$5,000, or any other sum, either in connection with the passing of his estimates or in connection with any other matter; and I further deny that I stated to Mr. Macdonnell that he had done so. I also deny that I ever told Mr. Macdonnell that Manning & Macdonnell, or either of them, ever saw me in connection with this matter, or represented that Macdonnell was not in a financial position to meet the alleged demand for \$5,000. I further deny that any lawyer or any other person gave me his undertaking that the \$5,000, or any other sum, would be forthcoming if the said estimates were passed."

Dealing with these interviews, The Free Press says editorially: "The attention of the public is specially drawn to the fact that in this statement, which had evidently been carefully drawn up, there is no denial of The Free Press' charge that \$5,000 passed from Mr. G. H. Macdonnell to the party funds. Mr. McFadden comes out strong in his denial that he used his official position for his personal advantage. This may be quite true. The Free Press does not know, positively, what was done with the \$5,000 after it was paid; presumably it went into the funds of the party. We do not think it would be at all difficult, if an investigation by a proper tribunal should be secured, to trace the money from the time it left Mr. Macdonnell's unwilling hands until it reached the parties for whom it was intended."

"Mr. McFadden expressed the hope that The Free Press will withdraw its charges. The Free Press regrets its inability to do so. It did not make them lightly in the first instance. It satisfied itself before making them that they were true. It asserts again that \$5,000 passed from Geo. H. Macdonnell, the Government contractor on the Boyne marsh, to the Conservative party funds in September, 1900, and that this money was extorted from him substantially as already stated in these columns."

DEATH IN A MINE.

Explosion Kills Twenty-four Miners and Injures Fifty.

Barratoeran, Coahuila, Mexico, June 29.—Twenty-four miners were killed and about fifty others injured in an explosion of gas that occurred Thursday night in Las Esperanzas coal mines, the property of the Mexican Coal & Coke Company. The disaster was caused by the ignition of the gas by the flame of a defective lamp. One hundred men were in the mine. After the shock of the explosion those who were able to move rushed for the exits, but the falling earth and debris carried many down to death. Fully fifty miners escaped with broken limbs and scorched flesh.

DROWNED IN THE RAPIDS.

Two Sons of Ex-Mayor Michaud of Ste. Anne de Bellevue, Que.

Montreal, June 29.—Two young sons of ex-Mayor Michaud of Ste. Anne de Bellevue, aged fifteen and seventeen, were drowned Saturday while attempting to run the rapids in the Ottawa River, near the C. P. R. bridge. There were four boys in the boat, and when it was hurled against the abutment of the bridge two of the occupants escaped, but the others were carried away by the current and drowned.

Mistook Him For a Deer.

Sprucedale, Muskoka, June 28.—Sandy Reid was shot on Friday evening about dark by Colin Stewart, who mistook him for a deer. The accident took place about six miles south of Sprucedale in the township of McMurich. Reid, who is still living, is a farmer with a large family.

DR. WELLS DEAD

The death occurred at the mineral bath house yesterday morning of Dr. Minnie Wells, who came here last July. Mrs. Wells came to Chatham from Los Angeles, California, and was in poor health at the time. Her death was not unexpected yesterday, as she had been sinking very fast.

Deceased was a sister of the late John Dunkley, of Dover, and the Dunkleys in the city are relatives. August Wells, son of deceased, arrived in the city Saturday night from Kansas City and the remains were removed to Exeter, Ont., where the parents of the deceased lie in Exeter cemetery.

Geo. W. Sulman and J. Milton Pike are executors of the deceased's estate, which is valued at \$35,000.

SCALDED TO DEATH.

Mr. Wm. Steer of London the Victim.

London, Ont., June 29.—An engineer, William Steer, was most horribly scalded in the engine room of the Power Equipment Company of this city, and died after more than three hours of awful agony. He was formerly an engineer on the Grand Trunk, but for some time had been night engineer at this establishment. One of his regular duties had been to strip the boiler—that is, let the hot water out, the steam escape, and then take off the cover of the manhole. Steer must have attempted to take this cover off before he had let the water out, or the steam pressure down. The bolts of the manhole cover having been loosened, the cover was blown off, and Steer was caught in the rush of boiling water and escaping steam. His entire body was scalded in an indescribable manner. He did not lose consciousness, and was able to get down the ladder from the top of the boiler. There he might have lain until death came had it not been for an astonishing call that was received at the central fire station. The building in which Steer was dying is equipped with an automatic fire alarm and sprinkler system, which the intense heat of the escaping steam set in motion. The sprinkled water revived the injured man, and the electric alarm that sounded in the fire hall brought the firemen to his aid. The accident occurred between 1 and 2 o'clock this morning, and Steer died at 5 o'clock.

A NEW TURBINE STEAMER.

Fast Time Made by the Queen Alexandra—No Vibration.

London, June 29.—There was initiated in the English Channel the latest development of turbine ideas as applied to marine architecture. The new turbine steamer, the Queen, made her final trip before being placed in commission, and her builders, the inventor of the turbine engine, and her owners expressed themselves well satisfied with the result. The vessel made the journey from Dover to Calais, twenty-five knots, in one hour and ten minutes, the flood being favorable. The return journey against the flood and without any attempt to break records occupied one hour and thirty minutes. There was hardly any vibration, in fact the deck felt as substantial as a board walk on land. Those on board predicted a turbine Atlantic liner within two or three years, and Hon. A. C. Parsons, the inventor of the turbine marine engine, expressed the opinion that a full knot per hour could be clipped off the best transatlantic record by a turbine liner.

NO CHARACTER REQUIRED.

Canada is the Country For People Without a Reputation.

London, June 29.—At the Middlesex County Council scholarship examinations the candidates were asked what were the advantages of emigrating to Canada. One replied: "When a man has lost his character, he should go to Canada, where he will not want one."

THE LATE C. W. TAYLOR.

Funeral on Saturday Was Largely Attended.

Toronto, June 29.—Although it was announced that the obsequies of the late C. W. Taylor were to be private, many hundreds of citizens and friends from points outside Toronto attended the funeral on Saturday afternoon to pay their last tribute of respect and regard for the late Business Manager of The Globe. The funeral proceeded from the family residence, 42 Wilcocks street, to St. James' Cemetery, the body being interred in the family plot there.

PIERCE RIOT AT ARKLOW.

Police Compelled to Charge Nationalists Who Created a Disturbance.

London, June 29.—During the unveiling at Arklow, Ireland, of a monument to the rebels who fell in the battle of Arklow in 1798, at which ceremony 30,000 Nationalists were present, the latter collided with a band of street police, one of whom narrowly escaped death at the hands of the mob. The house in which he took refuge was wrecked. Several hundred policemen were obliged to charge the Nationalists, and stones were thrown, batons freely used, and many persons were injured before the mob was mastered.

MURDERED HIS WIFE.

WOMAN'S BRAINS BEATEN OUT BY CRAZY MAN.

Shocking Tragedy at Cloyne—Victim Had Refused to Have Her Husband Removed to an Asylum.

Napanece, June 29.—On Saturday morning a shocking murder was committed at Cloyne, a village fifteen miles from Kaladar, and fifty from Napanece. The perpetrator is Gideon Butts, a laborer, and the victim his wife. Butts pounded his wife's brains out with a stone, and when he had committed the awful deed he went to Constable Cuddy's house, about half a mile away, saying "Come and see the devil I have slain." The constable was horrified to find the remains of the poor woman almost unrecognizable. The man was taken before Police Magistrate John A. Carscallen of Northbrook, who committed him to Napanece jail. An inquest was not deemed necessary. The man is without doubt insane, and says the Lord commanded him to slay. Butts is of English origin, and was married to his wife about eighteen years. He has lived in Prince Edward County and in the rear of the township for a number of years. The day before he committed the deed neighbors proposed taking him to the asylum, but his wife would not hear of his being arrested, and stated that he was perfectly harmless.

CRITICIZED THE UMPIRE.

Buffalo Pastor Says Decisions Showed Lack of Self-Control.

Buffalo, N. Y., June 29.—Last evening the Rev. E. H. Helms of the Linwood Avenue M. E. Church held services which had been advertised as for the especial advantage of baseball players and their friends. Front seats in the middle aisle were reserved for the players of the Buffalo and Jersey City teams, but if they were in the church they were too modest to take them. Mr. Helms, in his sermon, criticized the work of an umpire in the local game on Decoration Day between Buffalo and Toronto. The decisions of the umpire, he said, showed that he lacked self-control. There were two umpires that day—Thomas Brown and Arlie Latham—both men of some repute in the National League. The preacher did not explain which one he deemed to have been at fault.

On the day referred to there were two games, Buffalo winning the first by 5 to 1, Toronto the second by 12 to 8.

HOG CHOLERA AT RIPLEY.

Dr. Tennet Had 350 Diseased Swine Destroyed.

London, Ont., June 29.—Dr. Tennet, V. S., Government inspector, has returned from Ripley, whither he had been called owing to a fresh outbreak of hog cholera. Dr. Tennet, before leaving Ripley, ordered the destruction of 195 hogs, making a total of 350 that had to be killed. The inspector says the outbreak was due to the bringing of a car of infected hogs from Essex to Ripley.

Died on His Yacht.

Port Dalhousie, June 27.—Last evening M. Harragan, proprietor of the Austin House, while out sailing on the harbor in his yacht, was taken suddenly ill and died on board the boat.

THROUGH SLEEPING CAR SERVICE.

If you are contemplating a trip to New York, Boston, or points east, bear in mind that the Wabash-West Shore route has through sleeping car from Chatham without change. See Mr. Rispien, King street, for particulars.

Experience is the germ of power.

TERRIBLE RAILWAY WRECK.

Ninety People Killed and Many Injured.

Madrid, June 29.—Fourteen bodies and fifty injured persons have been taken from the wreck of the Bilbao train which overturned at Nejerilla River last night. According to information ninety persons were killed and it is estimated a hundred others seriously injured. Many of the latter will die. Of the three hundred passengers on the train it is stated that only six escaped unhurt. The train, which was composed of two engines and sixteen coaches, was crossing the bridge when the couplings between the engines broke. The second engine left the track and fell, followed by the entire train, into the bed of the river. Fortunately the water was low.

St. Catharines Fire.

St. Catharines, June 29.—The extensive plant of the Empire Carpet Company was discovered on fire about 12 o'clock to-night, and is now burning fiercely, and will be a total loss. The loss will be between \$30,000 and \$35,000, with insurance of \$23,000. The building and stock will be a complete loss. Cause of fire unknown.

Some people are expert artists when it comes to drawing on their imaginations.

A SPLENDID SHOE.

"A grand shoe for the money" is the verdict of every one we show our line of

MISSSES' SHOES AT \$1.25

These goods are all strictly solid leather and up-to-date style.

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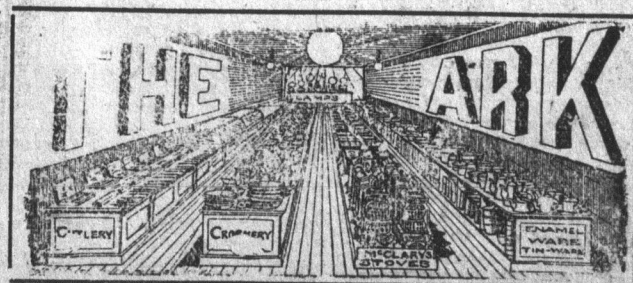
3 Papers in Package, 5c.

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And you will not be troubled.

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The East End
Drug Store....



A belated shipment of JUNE WEDDING GOODS

from the celebrated S. Filding & Co's Potteries, England, just opened out. These goods are beautifully decorated with gold and tinted in various shades, consisting of 10 piece Toilet Sets, Vases, Plates, Jugs, Celery, Salad, Cheese, Honey, Bacon, Melon and Pickle Dishes, Chocolate Pots, Jardiniere, Jumbo Cups and Saucers, Bread Plates. You will find pieces in this assortment from 25c. up to \$5.00. Even if you do not wish to purchase any of these pieces, come in and see the goods. You may see something you want in The Ark. Low Prices; best goods.

H. MACAULAY. Phone 159.
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**Boils were so painful
could not sleep
at night.**

**APPEARED ON NECK, LEGS
AND ARMS.**

Burdock Blood Bitters

CURED THEM.

It is well-known to all that bad blood is the direct cause of all skin diseases and it is necessary for the blood to be cleansed before the eruptions will disappear. For this purpose there is nothing so equal as Burdock Blood Bitters as the thousands of testimonials we have on hand will testify.

Mr. Willard Thompson, McNeill's Mills, P.E.I., writes us as follows: "I wish to state to you what Burdock Blood Bitters has done for me. Some time ago my blood got out of order and many boils appeared on my neck, legs and arms. They were so painful that I could not sleep at night. After having tried many different remedies without any success, I finally decided, on the advice of a friend, to use Burdock Blood Bitters. Before I had quite used two bottles the boils had completely disappeared, and I wish to emphasize the fact that I think Burdock Blood Bitters the best blood purifier on the market to-day."

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**FOR SALE—FARM AND CITY PRO-
PERTY.**

Brick house, two stories, 7 rooms, lot 40 feet front by 208 feet deep, \$1100.00.

Frame house, 8 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 208 ft., good stable, \$1100.00.

House and lot, 9 rooms, \$1050.00.

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Farm in Township of Raleigh, 50 acres, all cleared. Good house and barn, \$3100.00.

Farm in Township of Harwich, 200 acres. Large house, barn and out-buildings, \$12,000.00.

Farm in Township of Raleigh, 40 acres. Good house, new stable and granary, \$2250.00.

Two acres in suburbs of Chatham, \$1500.00.

Valuable suburban residence, 11 rooms; with seven acres of land. Good stable, \$6000.00.

Apply to
W. F. SMITH,
Barrister.



THE STEAMER

City of Chatham

will commence her regular trips on Monday, May 11th, and will make a round trip from CHATHAM to DETROIT every

Monday, Wednesday and Saturday.

Leaving Rankin dock, South Chatham, at 7:30 a.m., and returning leaves Detroit (foot of Randolph St.) at 3:30 p.m. Detroit time, or 4:00 a.m. Chatham time.

ONE-WAY TRIPS

Leaves Chatham for Detroit on Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock, and leaves Detroit for Chatham on Friday morning at 9:00 a.m. Detroit time or 9 o'clock Chatham time.

FARES.

ROUND TRIP. 60c

SINGLE TRIP. 30c

Thursday Tickets good to return Friday.

Children under 12 years, half-fare. Tickets good for day of issue only.

Agents—Stranger & Co., Chatham, Odette & Wherry, Windsor; John Stevenson, Detroit.

JOHN ROURKE, Captain.
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The Hot Wash Tub.

For a lady to stand and drudge over a wash tub hot clothes this weather is both disagreeable and unhealthy. Call up **phone 199**, and we will call for your washing and deliver it back in as good order as we receive it, and cleaned as cheaply as you can do it yourself.

CHATHAM STEAM LAUNDRY.

Radley's Cough Cure

25c per Bottle

Is the best preparation on the market for Coughs and Colds.

WHEN BOYS WERE MEN

By John Habberton.
Author of "Helen's Boy," "George Washington," Etc.
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"If I find you some right here without stirring, will you promise to leave me a little of it?" asked Brainard.

"Of course I will," said the guard softly. "But how—Shol! Quit your fooling."

"I'm not fooling," said Brainard.

"You promise, too, not to wake your friends to help drink it all? I don't believe in whisky except for sickness, and your friends don't look or act as if they had any bad feelings."

"Stranger," said the guard hoarsely.

"I'd promise anything, except to be a Yank or to let you git out, for one drink of whisky."

"All right," said Brainard, taking the captain's canteen from my neck, drawing the cork and holding it out to the guard.

What Brainard was up to I could not imagine, and I closed my eyes as the guard stepped toward him. I feared Charley had some desperate idea of seizing the man's gun as he passed the canteen. In such case discretion would be the better part of valor for the rest of us. But there was no scene. The guard quickly resumed his seat, and out of a mere slit of my eye I could see he had his gun ready for us with one hand while he raised the canteen to his mouth with the other.

"All I want, you said?" he whispered after he had ascertained that it really was whisky.

"All you want," was the reply, "so you leave me a little in case of sickness."

How that canteen did gurgle for a full minute! When the drinker was compelled to stop for breath, he held the canteen in front of him with a "you have saved my life" expression of countenance that was really touching. Then he began again and drank for a full minute longer, it seemed to me. As he breathed a long sigh of content he placed the canteen at his feet and said:

"Stranger, you're a gentleman. Nobody ever done me so much good before."

"I'm glad to have been of service," said Brainard. "My friend here helped your friend there to a good drink of coffee about three months ago, and I'm glad to be about even with him."

"You're a gentleman. I say it again, an' I'll say it again."

Finally whisky really was the medicine he needed, for he began to be quite happy, though quiet. Then he fixed his eyes on something on the floor. He appeared to go into a brown study. Finally he closed his eyes and loosened his grasp on his gun, which fell softly across his knees. I looked toward Brainard to wink, but to my horror I saw him loosening the strap at his feet and motioning me to do likewise. Then he rose softly, took the guard's gun, handed it to me and proceeded to tie the fellow's feet.

Then I understood what Charley was up to, and, although I was so frightened that I was afraid I would drop the gun, I covered the sergeant and my rebel friend with it. I wasn't going to be outdone in appearance of bravery by any five-foot ex-student of theology, even if he happened to be my particular friend. Nevertheless as I stood there with that gun I devoutly prayed that the slumbers of the recumbent Johnnies might continue to be very sweet.

Meanwhile Brainard carefully unbound the two other men of our own party. I wondered why he didn't wake them and tell them to loosen themselves, but I offered no suggestions. I don't believe I could have spoken had I tried. With the belts taken from our boys Brainard softly bound, or hobbled, the feet of the sleeping graycoats. Then he cut the sling strap from our captain's canteen and bound their hands also. They became somewhat restive under this operation, and the sergeant suddenly opened his eyes. The fire that shot from those eyes when the sergeant saw me with his gun at a point made me tremble, and when he strained at his bonds I recalled the story of Samson.

"We're awfully sorry, sergeant," said Brainard, "that it had to be done, but duty is duty, you know."

The sergeant was speechless. Perhaps 'twas just as well, for I learned afterward that he was a member of the church. He did, however, arouse my old acquaintance by nudging him with his tied feet, but when that matter of fact fellow grasped the situation he ejaculated, "Well, I'll be—"

Charley took one of our boys and went out of the hut. They came back in about half an hour and said they had the boat ready. In the interval my old acquaintance had exclaimed about once in five minutes and each time apparently after profound thought, "Well, I'll be—"

I finally told him I hoped not, and it wasn't his fault we had turned the tables on him.

"Test tell me how you done it all," said he, "an' I won't ask no more."

"We didn't do it," said I, thinking to get off a practical temperance lecture that might be repeated after the war.

"We didn't do it; whisky did it." Then I added suggestively toward the guard who had wanted medicine.

"Whisky?" exclaimed the questioner, with a wide-eyed look. "An' you didn't offer me a toothful?" Then he looked reproachfully and remarked, "I wouldn't hev thought it of you."

AT THE TOP.

It is a laudable ambition to reach the top of the ladder of success. But many a man who reaches the top position finds himself in a position of a triumph. He has sacrificed his health to success.

A man can succeed and be strong if he heeds Nature's warnings. When there is indigestion, loss of appetite, ringing in the ears, dizziness, spots before the eyes or palpitation of the heart, any or all of these symptoms point to weakness and loss of nutrition.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the medicine to turn to.

\$3,000 FORTUIT will be paid by the World's Dispensary Medical Association, Proprietors, Buffalo, N. Y., if they cannot show the original signature of the individual volunteering the testimonial below, and also of the writers of every testimonial among the thousands which they are constantly publishing, thus proving their genuineness.

"For about two years I suffered from a very obstinate case of dyspepsia," writes E. E. Second, Esq., of 13 Eastern Ave., Toronto, Ontario. "I tried a great number of remedies without success. I finally lost faith in them all. I was so far gone that I could not for a long time bear any solid food in my stomach; felt melancholy and depressed. I had derived so much occupation. Some four months ago a friend recommended your 'Golden Medical Discovery.' After a week's treatment I had derived so much benefit that I continued the medicine. I have taken three bottles and am convinced it has in my case accomplished a permanent cure. I can conscientiously recommend it to the thousands of dyspeptics throughout the land."

"The 'Common Sense Medical Adviser,' 1008 large pages in paper covers, is sent free on receipt of 31 one-cent stamps to pay expense of customs and mailing only. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y."

This made me feel so bad that I hastened to say:

"I didn't do it. I never thought of the whisky. 'Twas given to me to use in case we got a soaking. I wouldn't have thought of it again. I haven't tasted whisky three times in my life."

The poor fellow looked at me searchingly and finally said: "I've got to believe you. I do believe you. But, say, what was you drunk up?"

"Score one for the north," said I to myself, as I shortly answered, "York state."

"Now, gentlemen," said Brainard, "we'd better move before any of your friends drop along and upset our plans. Two of us will first take the sergeant and the firearms across the river."

As the sergeant didn't demur Brainard loosened his feet and took him down to the skiff, the other boys staggering under all the weapons except the gun, which I held. In about 15 minutes one came back with the boat, and the remainder of us crossed, the disembarkation being covered in the starlight by Brainard and a Confederate double-barreled gun.

Then we sat, or stood, on that river bank until dawn began to break, Brainard having whispered to me that it would not be safe to approach camp in the dark. We did not dare to make a fire, and as we had not worn our overcoats when we started the morning before we were chilled to the bone. I suggested we should try to warm ourselves with single sips of the whisky, if any was left, but Brainard objected, saying it was no time for experiments. As for the Johnnies, they dropped upon the ground and slept as peacefully as if nothing unusual had occurred.

At the first streak of dawn Brainard ordered the prisoners into the boat, two of them in the stern and one in the bow, while he sat amidships and rowed, first cautioning our two boys to keep along the bank abreast of him and fire on any prisoner who chanced to change his position. He suggested that I, being the commander of the expedition, should hurry on in advance and report, so that the prisoners should not be fired at on suspicion that they were coming on a business errand.

I acted upon his suggestion, and as I hurried along it occurred to me that although I officially was in command Brainard had been doing all the planning and work. Why hadn't I instead of being thought of that stupid fellow drunk and thus prepare the way for our escape. Instead of accepting our fate and dropping unquestioningly to sleep? Brainard's head had been alert, mine in a daze. That was the only difference, but it was enough to make me feel uncomfortable. Still, "honor to whom honor is due." I would see to it that Charley got full credit. I could be glad, too, that the man who had been smarter than I was my dearest friend.

I entered the camp without being fired at, and the captain was as glad to see me and hear the story as if I had been his own son. I told everybody the news, got them all on the river bank as a reception committee and got Hamilton to propose "three cheers for Brainard." Charley himself loosed the bonds of the Johnnies as our boys crowded around. My own special Johnny no sooner found his hands free than he whispered something to Brainard.

"Yes; certainly. Thank you for reminding me." Then he shook the captain's canteen inquiringly and handed it to the prisoner, who swallowed some of its contents and passed the remainder to the sergeant, saying as he pointed indignantly to the third prisoner:

"Don't leave none for him, damn him!"

"You've done handsomely, corporal," said the captain to Brainard.

"'Twasn't I, captain," Charley replied, with a salute; "'twas your whisky that did the business."

To Be Continued.

The skies are never so bright as when they have been washed by a shower.

Mine's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

CRUELTY TO HORSES.

Strong Protest Again Made Against the Overdraw Check.

Horses, as a general rule, cannot read fine print, or they would rejoice to know that the Humane Society is interesting itself in a matter which is very important to them.

The campaign against the overdraw check, waged for many years with spasmodic vigor, is about to be renewed, and a fresh protest made against the use of this cruel device, says The Toronto Mail and Empire.

To keep an overdraw check on a horse that is working all day is little short of inhuman and indefensible from any point of view. The animal tires hours sooner under this treatment, the neck and shoulders and muscles become numbed, and general exhaustion follows. For a long road or a heavy load, a horse needs no check but that applied by the driver's hand on the reins. With his head held up in an unnatural position, it is impossible for him to put his strength into the work. He is in agony. Well may the Humane Society say a word for him. Those who are advocates of this check-line declare that by its use a horse is enabled to recover himself should he stumble. Nothing is more absurd. The contrary is the case. A horse will not only stumble more frequently in a tight check, but his head is not free to help him regain equilibrium without coming to his knees.

It is urged that the overdraw is more stylish-looking than the ordinary rein, and that it makes the horse keep his head in the proper position. Regarding the latter contention, Chinese mothers may advance the argument in reference to shoes their daughters should wear. As for the stylishness—why is it not used on hackney horses, the most stylish of the equine family? It must be said, however, that for short, swift journeys the overdraw check is harmless. The simple reason is that it does not come into operation. A horse trotting at speed will keep his head up, so that the check does not inconvenience him. The only real defence of the device is that it keeps a hard-mouthed horse from getting his head down on his chest, and becoming unmanageable, and that it discourages kicking and applying one to the ordinary side check, which was designed to answer just this purpose. It may be noted, however, that a loose overdraw check does not cause greater misery than a tight side check. Any tight checking of a working horse's head is cruelty that should be stopped by law, and if the Humane Society can bring this to pass, it will have added another jewel to its crown.

A Tragedy of the Spring.

Spring brings tragedies. I am watching a fading life, an old man who gazes at the renewal of the world, while his powers, mental and physical, know no renewal. But nature, even when cruel, is kind, and those failing powers only let him dimly realize the tragedy that we can see so clearly. It was only last spring that he was out rejoicing, as only those who live close to nature do, in the revival of what for months had lain dead. As people grow older they take a tremendous interest in the miracle of resurrection. I think, deep down in the heart, they must almost unconsciously cherish the belief that the miracle will extend to their own falling lives. But it does not on this side of the bar, at all events. What the real process is after death, who can say? Meanwhile for those who stand between the very young and the very old the tragedy is so apparent. As the whirl and bustle of the modern world increases, the tragedy of old age keeps growing, the spirit of busle and struggle renders it difficult for us to find those who are content to stand aside and tend the feeble, either very young or very old. Trained nurses cannot do it. Hired tenderness is a small substitute for the genuine article which they crave for when entering or passing from this world. The feebleness of the babe appeals where the feebleness of old age often repulses. The transformation of the parent who has guided into the dependent, for whom all has to be arranged, brings about an almost unnatural state of mind in the adult who is in the prime of life.—Lally Bernard, in The Globe.

The Statue to Governor Simcoe.

Governor Simcoe goes down in the pages of history as the man who saw. He spent barely five years in Canada, and but half-a-dozen of his recorded acts are of importance. But those half-dozen were the acts of one who, at a critical moment, had prophetic fore-knowledge of the destiny of the colony. He brought the capital of the Province to this city, says The Toronto News. He carved out Yonge street as a trade route, and gave the right direction to the traffic of the colony for many decades thereafter. He planned and commenced Dundas street, which, but for the incapacity of his locum tenens, would have been an even greater thoroughfare.

His coming to Canada was of itself an evidence of a vision of things to be. Had he come merely as a soldier to serve the King in such place and for such time as duty bade, he would never have thrown himself into the erection of Castle Frank. An English gentleman of independent means, a brilliant soldier and a prominent member of Parliament, he was yet prepared to spend the best of his life, if not his life, in a new, wild, dangerous but promising colony. There is not a doubt that he went to San Domingo with regret, regret which will be shared by all who mark his work in this young province.

A Mine for Water Storage.

At Rosland the question of the water supply is important. Storage room is needed and the town has hit on the ingenious idea of utilizing some of the worked out mines. One mine, which has not been worked for three years, would contain 700,000 gallons of water.



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Phone 317.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

BORN.
On Monday 29th inst the wife
of W. R. Landon of a son.

TO-NIGHT.

Western City Lodge meets to-night
at 8.
City Council, Harrison Hall at 8
o'clock.

Full parade of the 24th Regiment
at 8 o'clock.

Junior Lacrosse Club practice, Tecumseh
park at 6.15.
Lacrosse Club practice, Tecumseh
cunseh Park at 6.

Local Briefs

Thomas Farley, K. C., St. Thomas,
is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Manson Campbell will
leave for England on Thursday next.

Wanted, a boy about sixteen to
learn bookbinding. Apply at this office.

Miss Eva Moore left this morning
to spend a month with friends in
Detroit.

The funeral of the late Miss Jessie
Galloway who was drowned at Brieau
last Friday evening takes place to-
day in Thamesville.

W. J. Burrows and son Herbert,
London, England, and Mr. and Mrs.
F. C. Burrows, Toronto, are the guests
of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stephens.

For to-morrow E. P. P. Queen
street, will sell choice mutton at five
cents per pound that cost them eight
cents. This is being done because
Wednesday will be a holiday.

A meeting of the Football Club was held
Saturday night. All accounts for the
season were ordered paid. It was decided
to accept the proposal of the Peninsular
fair to play Darrell at the fair under Peninsular
League rules. The manager was instructed
to collect the sweaters. The boys have
after paying all expenses about \$30 in the
treasury, besides the \$100 put up towards
the Bungalow benefit.

For Dominion Day excursions W.
E. Rispin will issue return tickets
for all points in Canada, on June 30th
and July 1st, good to return July
2nd, at single fare, and for Independence
Day to either Detroit or Buffalo
on July 3rd and 4th, good re-
turning July 6th, at single fare. Call
at office, 115 King street. W. E. Ris-
pin City Passenger Agent, Phone
112.

NOTICE

We have several decided bargains to
offer for the balance of June.

House and Lot, in good location,
parlor, dining room, kitchen, pantry,
three bedrooms, closet, city water,
cistern, gas, lot 45 ft. by 160 ft.

Two story house on Adelaide St.,
over the creek, price \$750.

Thirteen acres near the city, with
house and barn, for sale at a bargain.

DUNN & MERRITT,
Fifth St. Box 52.
Money to loan at 4 1-2 per cent.
Interest on productive real estate.
No mistake.

New Stock of Bu-Ju.

We have a new stock of Bu-Ju, the new Kidney Pill,
and are making a display of them in our King Street
Window.

These prices are very highly recommended for Kid-
ney Troubles and Rheumatism.

Price, 50c. Box, 6 Boxes for \$2.50

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PORTER AND MONEY GONE

**W. R. Peck Suffers Serious
Loss—Is Robbed of \$1075
in Cash.**

**Left his Safe Unlocked—Night
Man and Money Vanished—
Thief Seen at West Lorne.**

W. R. Peck, proprietor of the Rankin
Hotel, is minus \$1075. The safe was left
in such a condition on Saturday night that
all the night porter had to do was to turn
the crank on the safe door and the money
was waiting his disposal. It seems the
porter was wise on the subject. At any rate
the safe door was discovered open at 4
o'clock Sunday morning, and Harry Hall, a
fellow of 25 years, who had been night por-
ter for a only a few days, was nowhere to
be seen.

Mr. Peck seems to have intended to make
another deposit in the safe before retiring
and had left it partly locked. He forgot
however to make the other deposit, conse-
quently the combination was not turned.

The police were notified of the robbery at
6 o'clock yesterday morning, and W. R. Peck
and P. C. James Dodson drove round
through the country in search of the cul-
prit but met with no success.

Chief of Police Holmes has notified the
police of the border towns and cities and
all the places in the district.

As usual in such cases there are a great
many clues suggested. Probably the most
substantial one is that Hall took the 2.38
a. m. train Sunday morning to Thames-
ville, drove from there to Rodney, and from
there to West Lorne, where he purchased a
ticket for Chicago.

Pennaford, the proprietor of the hotel at
Rodney, called up Mr. Peck this morning
to tell him that a man answering the de-
scription given called at his hotel, where he
changed an American \$20 bill, with a blue
pencil mark on it.

Mr. Peck remembered having an Ameri-
can bill of that denomination and having
accidentally put the blue pencil mark on it.
Pennaford said the man told him he had
been working for a company and had been
paid off and was going to Chicago. He
drove from Rodney to West Lorne.

W. J. Kitchen, livery man near the
market, rented a horse and rig to two men
known to the police here as Nash and
Lonsdale, to go to Dresden on Saturday night.

The two men with the rig in Wallace-
burg Sunday morning at four o'clock in
company with a third man. It is thought
this third man may be the missing porter.
The two men with the rig were again seen
in Wallaceburg at seven o'clock this morn-
ing, when they were taking the town line into
Chatham.

A man who knows the horse pretty well
reported to Mr. Kitchen about noon to-day
that he had seen his horse tied up at
Oungah a few miles out the town line
between nine and ten o'clock this morning.

The following is the description of the
thief:

Harry Hall, age about 25; weight about
140 lbs.; height about 5 ft. 10 in.; medium
complexion; dark blue eyes; clean shaven;
nose slightly hooked and twisted to right
side; is inclined to be bald on each side of
forehead, which has a high appearance; one
or two front teeth missing from upper jaw;
a slight impediment in speech; is stooped
shouldered and has a downcast look; long
black hair, dressed in dark clothes; wears
hard black hat, and has a turn down collar
about 3 in. deep. Says he has worked as
porter in hotels at Toronto, Milton and
Halifax; was employed in a Chatham hotel
as night porter.

A reward of \$100.00 will be paid for the
arrest and conviction of the thief and re-
covery of the money or a proportionate part
of the reward according to the amount
recovered.

Mr. Peck received another telephone
message from Mr. McKeough of Blenheim,
who was in Thamesville yesterday, stating
he had seen the man and gave the same
description as Pennaford of Rodney.

The case has been placed in the hands of
Detectives Camp and Mahoney, who ex-
pect to land their man before to-morrow
night.

The men who hired a rig from W.
J. Kitchen arrived in the city at noon to-
day. The horse was in a very bad
condition. The police interviewed the
men and believe they know nothing
about the case.

MR. GAMEY, M. P. P.

**Interesting Interview with the
Member for Manitoulin—His
Constituents Opinion.**

"What I would say to the good people
of Kent is just what I will say to the
good people of Manitoulin—
and to the people of the whole pro-
vince. It is this. Tell them that they
are the only judges to whom I submit
—by their judgment alone must my
charges be passed upon and by their
verdict I am prepared to stand or fall."

So spoke Robert R. Gamey, the "man
from Manitoulin," in an interesting
interview with a representative of
The Planet at the Legislature build-
ings Saturday morning, in response
to the request for any message to the
people of the western peninsula, who
had followed his recent course with
such keen and absorbing attention.

Mr. Gamey had just left the legisla-
tive chamber at the conclusion of the
prorogation ceremonies. The Planet
representative was introduced by
Findlay Macdonald, the eloquent
young member for West Elgin, and the
Manitoulin man cheerfully con-
sented to be interviewed.

"I first knew The Planet through the
late Rufus Stephenson," he com-
mented. "I met him many years ago
when he was the Ottawa representa-
tive of your constituency—and a fine
man he was."

Chatting as he walked, he led the
way down the corridor to a commit-
tee room.

And this was Gamey! The man
man whose name has been in the
mouth of the people from one end of
the Dominion to the other for weeks
past—the hero or the villain, accord-
ing to the political proclivities of the
people. The man from Manitoulin has
a most prepossessing personality.
Tall, inclined to slightness with the

exception of a massive pair of shoul-
ders, neatly and quietly dressed, he
seemed perfectly at home and at ease.
There was nothing about him to re-
veal the great strain under which he
must have labored. He was appar-
ently in excellent health and spirits.
The most distinctive feature that
strikes one are his eyes—a greyish
blue, very clear and occasionally un-
pleasantly penetrating. When talk-
ing he looks his companion very steady-
ly in the eye. He has an exception-
ally large hand and in greeting gives
a grip that makes one wince.

As a conversationalist Mr. Gamey is
at his best. He gives strongly the im-
pression of sincerity and seems to de-
emphasize his words with his eyes. One
would scarcely regard him as impul-
sive—rather as a man of strong will
and indomitable reserve force. In
talking he uses considerable emphasis
but rarely makes any gesture.

Speaking of his charges against Mr.
Stratton and the Government, Mr.
Gamey said:—

"The matter is apparently at an end
so far as the legislature is concerned—
it is now before the great and prop-
erly the people of the province.
It is their verdict which will count
and it is their decision only that I
fear. It is such a farce to see \$4,450
declared himself innocent and
whitewashing himself by his vote and
those of his confederates, and to see
him trying to prove my own charges
on him and the matter is now in the
hands of the rightful judge."

"I regret Mr. Stratton did not re-
sign. I believe it was the proper
course for us both when the charges
were made—I as accuser, he as ac-
cused. Had he resigned at any time,
I would have done so also, for I want
the people to pass upon me and I am
not afraid of their verdict."

"No one is more conscious than I
am," continued Mr. Gamey leaning
over the table, "of the unfortunate
errors and blunders I have made—
and I am not always sure I have the
right to act as I have done. I have
acted in the interests of right and
I have no fear of the ultimate out-
come. Time will tell, as surely as
there is a heaven above us, and eventu-
ally right and justice will be done."

When that time comes—it will come.
I must triumph—I feel assured
that many of the honest Liberal
people of the province, whose party
sentiments are just now controlling
them, will understand my position bet-
ter and be less generous in distrib-
uting unpleasant epithets upon me."

"I may not always have given the
right way about but I have endeav-
ored throughout to do the right. And
I know the time will come when the
right will be vindicated."

As Mr. Gamey was talking an ex-
ceedingly pretty incident occurred.

The doors swung open and Mr.
Smyth, member for Algoma, came
followed by an old hoary-haired vet-
eran.

"Ah, here you are, Gamey, he ex-
claimed. "A constituent of yours to
see you."

The old gentleman grasped the
member's hand most warmly.
"Bob," he declared, addressing him
almost as a father, "Bob, you're a
brick. My but you're the lad. You've
got them all wriggling and squirm-
ing like a fish on a spear. Good boy,
Bob, we're proud of you on the island
at home."

It was easy to see how Mr. Gamey
had gained his popularity on the
island. With the entrance of the
white-haired lumberman his whole de-
mior changed. He gave the old
man a hearty handshake and the per-
sonal magnetism of the man was evi-
denced. Eager questions about his
daughter and grandchildren, "the
boys" and the "doings at home" fol-
lowed, with an invitation to the visit-
or to be his guest in Toronto.

The veteran was delighted. Gar-
rulously he chattered with his
"Good boy, Bob," and his greetings
from the boys.

"Why, Bob," he declared, they're
going to give you the biggest banquet
go in when you come back. They're
all proud of you."

"And they say that man's a dead
one," quoth Mr. Smyth to The Planet,
nodding in the direction of the frater-
nal pair. "I'll tell you something.
We bet the man who gets up in
those Manitoulin lumber districts to
lambsat Bob Gamey."

It is very striking to note the ex-
cellent appearance and apparent good
health and spirits of both Messrs.
Stratton and Gamey after the many
weeks of strenuous existence they
have experienced. Stratton is polish-
ed, smiling, debonair, everywhere
shaking hands, everywhere cracking
jokes. To The Planet he said he
"never felt better in my life—
why shouldn't I? Gamey is much
quieter—except when awakened by
some such incident as the visit of his
fellow countryman—but certainly
wears an air of complaisance
and confidence, perhaps remarkable in
a man who has recently experienced
so much governmental abuse. "No,
I'm not contented yet," he said smil-
ing, "I must live now for a little time
for the future. But a fellow can eas-
ily experience a few temporary un-
pleasantnesses when he knows he's in
the right and eventually right must
triumph."

MEDAL WINNERS.

The medals were generously given
by Mrs. Elizabeth McKeough, wife
of the late Wm. McKeough, for com-
petition at McKeough school, have
been won by the following:

Room three to four, Robert Stone;
room four to five, Miss May Dyer;
room five to six, Jerome Eberts;
room six to seven, Miss Mary Beaton;
room seven to eight, Miss Clara
Wright; room eight to nine, Miss
Ina McArthur; room nine to ten, Miss
Cora See. The winner of room ten
medal will not be known until the
entrance examination results are out.
The silver medal donated by Jas.
Brackin for the winner of most ath-
letic sports goes to little Stuart
French. Stuart is a bright little
chap and quite an athletic and was
quite deserving of the success he at-
tained. He is a son of assessor Thos.
French.

In the list of those who kindly
donated prizes to the McKeough
school sports, the names of Verlyn
Lamont and school trustee George
Heyward were inadvertently omit-
ted.

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June has brought large economies to many tasteful women through this
sale of white, but June is passing and the special garments though originally
vast in quantities, are now largely distributed. While an immense variety still
remains, lots are small, and some lines will be cleared out daily. Purchases
should be made promptly or you will miss the great benefit of this occasion.

Here are items in good supply to day:

NIGHTGOWNS

At 50c.—Mother Hubbard nightgowns,
finished with ruffle around the col-
lar and down the front.

At 75c.—Two styles, plain yoke or trimm-
ed with tucks and insertion, finish-
ed around the neck and down the
front with ruffles or embroidery.

At \$1.00.—Of cambric, five styles, square,
high or V neck, trimmed with lace
or embroidery, with insertion to
match.

At \$1.25.—Of muslin, low round the neck,
trimmed with narrow hemstitched
frills with beading and ribbon.

CORSET COVERS

At 25c.—Of cambric, three styles, full or
fitted, trimmed with embroidery.

At 50c.—Of cambric, tight or full front,
trimmed with lace or embroidery
and insertion.

At 75c.—Of muslin, full front, trimmed
with four rows of lace insertion
down the front with edging to
match.

CHEMISES

At 25c.—Of cambric, trimmed with tor-
chon edging.

At 50c.—Of cambric, with yoke of inser-
tion and finished with narrow
ruffles.

PETTICOATS

At 75c.—Of cambric, two styles with deep
lawn hemstitched ruffles or wide
frill of embroidery.

At \$1.00.—Of cambric trimmed with lace
insertion, frill of deep embroidery
or deep lawn ruffles with hem-
stitched tucks.

At \$1.50.—Three styles with deep flounce
of open or blind embroidery.

DRAWERS

At 25c.—Of cambric with deep hemstitch-
ed ruffle with hemstitched tucks.

At 50c.—Four styles with deep ruffles of
embroidery or of fine lawn nicely
tucked.

At 75c.—Of cambric or muslin trimmed
with lace or embroidery with inser-
tion to match.

The Rarest Furniture ..Bargains..

Yet offered are the attractions of our July sale, which has been inaugurated to
enliven business during the coming warm days. These sales are designed to
introduce new customers to the sterling attractions of our store and to familiarize
old patrons with the new features which we are adding each day, and to acquaint
everyone with the superior advantages of the AUSTIN STORE, where quality
reigns supreme. To keep the store in your minds we would impress upon you
that our daily offerings are the finest furniture in the latest styles and designs at
prices, quality for quality being considered, which are the most liberal in the
city. Take elevator to second floor and keep pace with furniture, fashion and
style.

EXCELLENT Sorts of Hosiery At Easy to Pay Prices.

Here are splendid values in Hosiery for present wear,
for women and children, that would, if exploited elsewhere, be
celebrated as bargains.

We are willing to let them stand on their own merits,
as to quality-for-price, as examples of what this Hosiery store
can offer as regular merchandise.

Children's Stockings.

Children's fast black ribbed cotton
stockings, double knees, heels and toes,
5 to 7, at 10c. a pair; 7 1/2 to 9, at 12 1/2c

Children's Stockings.

Children's fast black cotton hose, full
fashioned, special value, our price 10c.

Women's Stockings.

Women's fast black cotton hose, full
fashioned, sizes 8 1/2, 9 and 9 1/2, our price
10c.

Women's Stockings.

Women's 40 gauge Hermsdorf fast
black cotton hose, spliced heels and toes,
full fashioned, sizes 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2, our price
12 1/2c.

Good Linens.

**Kinds Always Wanted at Prices Rarely
Found.**

Match the regular Bargain Centre Prices
on linens and you've found a bargain. Secure
such reductions on them as are announced be-
low and you've saved more money than you
think. June's a lucky month for linen buying
if you secure a share while these offerings last.

TOWELS.—At 8c from 10c, bleached Scotch Huckaback Towels,
plain white borders, fringed ends, ready for use, we have only 10 doz. of these
towels so first comers get the snaps Saturday and Monday 8c each.

TABLE LINEN.—At 35c worth 50c, Bleached Irish Table Linen,
66 ins. wide, bright satin finish, heavy quality, choice design, only 50 yds., to
clear Saturday and Monday per yard 35c.

TABLE NAPKINS.—At \$1.00 per doz. worth \$1.25, \$1.35 and
\$1.50, 20 doz. pure bleached table napkins, 20x20 and 22x22 inches, pure linen
goods, choice patterns. The reason for this very low price is the napkins are
most of them slightly soiled, Saturday and Monday \$1.00 a doz.

PATTERN TABLE CLOTHS.—At \$1.35 worth \$1.50, 18 only
pure bleached pattern table cloths, size 67x88 inches, assorted, choice designs,
border all round, bright satin finish, special \$1.35 each.

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Special per G. N. W.

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Bicycles for hire at Brisco's. If see the pretty stocks and ties at Thibodeau & Jacques.

Two new lines of American straw hats for this week at The 2 T's.

Remember Tuesday, July 7th, is the date of Victoria Avenue Methodist Sunday school excursion to Belle Isle.

Mrs. Albert Owens and Mrs. William Owens have returned from a visit to Mount Clemens.

The annual meeting of the Manson Campbell Manufacturing Company is being held to-day.

Messrs. Houston, Stone & Soane have removed their offices to the new Sheldrick Block, opposite H. Malcolmson's grocery.

To-morrow only, good roasts of good mutton at 5 cents per pound. E. Putnam, butcher, Queen street.

The name of A. F. Falls, of this city, is among those who have passed the chartered accountant examinations.

J. W. Browett, the optician at McCall's Drug Store, went to Woodstock Saturday night. He will move his family to this city.

Come with the C. M. B. A. and St. Joseph Parish Excursion to Detroit, June 30th. First class music provided.

Miss Mae Smith, Queen street, arrived home this morning from Chicago. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. McColg, of Chicago.

Mrs. And. Dittmar, of Detroit, and Mrs. Chas. Dauphin, of Ridgeway, are in the city to attend the funeral of their sister, Mrs. John Doyle, to-morrow.

Be sure you don't miss the chance of going on Victoria Avenue Methodist Sunday school excursion to Belle Isle on Tuesday, July 7th, by steamer City of Chatham.

Lost, on Saturday afternoon, an envelope containing pension papers of Michael Jones; of no use to any one else. The finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office.

Reserve Tuesday, June 30th, for the C. M. B. A. and St. Joseph Parish Excursion to Detroit. First class orchestra in attendance. 701w.

Mrs. Pickering was walking around a head of hay Saturday morning on Forsyth street when the man on the load unintentionally threw the binding pole on her head. A physician was called and the patient is doing nicely.

"The attention of the Lake Erie should be drawn to the bad condition of the railway platform at Centerville, Rond Eau," said a citizen this morning. "If it is not repaired soon the road will have a case of damages on their hands."

At a meeting of the Trustee Board of Park street Methodist church the following gentlemen were added to the Board: C. Austin, A. Westman, Dr. Thornton, D. Jordan, W. Taylor, W. M. Drader, W. T. Piggott and W. H. Westman.

The Western Ontario Dental Association will meet in Chatham to-morrow in the I. O. O. F. auditorium. The program is one of the best. Men are expected here from Buffalo, Toronto, Detroit, London, Woodstock and every town and village in Ontario will be represented. The President of the Association, Dr. Thornton, will occupy the chair.

"If Mr. Fellows is going to rent boats to people who cannot swim," said a citizen in speaking of Friday night's drowning affair, "he should have appliances ready for use in cases of drowning, with directions as to how to use them. If no doctors had been present Friday evening, there would have been no one around there who understood how to attempt to revive the girl. As it was, fortunately, everything possible was done to try to save her life."

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RIPPED THE BAND

Col. Rankin said Musical Organization of 24th was disgraced to the Regiment.

The last Sunday church parade till Fall of the 24th Kent Regiment was held yesterday morning, when Chatham's crack battalion marched to Holy Trinity church and heard an excellent sermon by the Rev. T. Beverley Smith. The popular pastor of Holy Trinity church delivered an excellent discourse upon the kind treatment of dumb animals. His text was a long one, but particularly appropriate to the subject. It was—"The wolf also shall dwell with the lamb and the leopard shall lie down with the kid; and the calf and the young lion and the falling together; and a little child shall lead them."

"They shall not hurt or destroy in all my holy mountain, for the earth shall be full of the knowledge of the Lord as the waters cover the sea."

"For the earnest expectations of the creature waiteth for the manifestation of the son of God."

Isaiah had given a prophecy of the coming of Messiah and restoration in the animal world of the conditions that had once existed. There would be a regaining of Paradise. There was a striking contrast between the conditions that existed to-day and the conditions that the prophet Isaiah forecasted would be. The wolf and the lamb would lie down together and a little child would lead them. It was not that the wild beasts were to be domesticated, but they were to be tamed. One could not believe that the animal world was to be destroyed because animals were so much of a benefit to mankind and mankind to them. The course of conflict and the distrust between fellow creatures was all due to man's sin. Brutes would not put their trust in man till convinced of man's sincerity.

The hardest work trainers of wild animals found was in convincing them of man's sincerity. One of the weaknesses of boasted civilization was the cruelty protested on dumb animals.

To prevent this cruelty there had to be organization. In most cities and towns they had Humane Societies and organizations. The history of Humane Societies was short, and, if humane sentiment was not so porous as with the formation of Humane Societies, then the sentiment was less than 100 years old. Lord Erskine brought the necessity for the formation of a Humane Society, before the House of Lords in 1841, but he was met with jeers in 1852 Mr. Martin brought in the first bill providing for the prevention of cruelty to animals. Four years later the first Humane Society was organized. Since many had been organized. Their purpose was to enforce the laws framed to prevent cruelty to animals and secure the passage of more. The Humane Society was organized to speak for the animals because they were not able to speak for themselves, but must endure. The horse suffered from the malignant anger of its driver, making no audible complaint, but the eye and quivering flesh showed it. The same helpless beast left out in the icy blast, with cheek rein taut, was more to be pitied than the human being suffering from poverty. One could speak, the other could not.

The docking of horses tails was an outrage which Mr. Smith could not bring himself to discuss even if those present could hear it. He would spare them the details of this cruel custom. The stock trains on the railways were often a means of cruelty being practised. Then there were the sportsman of the lily-livered class who shot at tame pigeons, leaving them in torturing agony to slow death.

Mr. Smith hoped that the reason that there was no Humane Society in this city was because the good work done by the officer appointed rendered it unnecessary.

The choir of Holy Trinity church is steadily improving under the leadership of W. Stanley Ball. The excellence of their singing added very materially to the impressive service yesterday. The beautiful quartette, "I lay my sins on Jesus," was sung, unaccompanied, by Miss Kathleen O'Hara, Miss Rose W. Stanley Ball and Mr. Polson. Miss O'Hara took the solo part.

On the return to the drill shed, Col. Rankin addressed the soldiers. "The band this morning is a disgrace to the Regiment," said the Colonel. "Of 32 members, only nine are present. Six of the bandmen had to drop out at the church to go home and get their breakfast. This is the first time I have had to reprimand the band, and I want to do it strongly. Either the band is going to run this Regiment or I am. If the band is going to run the Regiment, I will resign. I won't have a repetition of to-day. The attendance of the soldiers in the military companies was bad and, if the commanding officer had been present to-day he would have ordered the disbandment of the Regiment. It could not have stood inspection. One section of B company had three men in it, others less. I am going to find out who is at fault and, if the non-commissioned officers are to blame, I will have them reduced to the ranks."

June Flood of Bargains

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Still they come, like the rain, only more acceptable are our special offers for this month in **Lace Curtains, Wrappers, Skirts and Ladies' Tailored Suits and Rainproof Coats**, stylish, seasonable, sensible and profitable. Have you the needs and the needful? It will profit you to buy of us.

At \$4.90—The noblest line of Cravenette Raincoats ever offered in our city; they are what every woman want, last for years, and are as good for dusty driving as in a driving rainstorm.

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At 69c. and up, a Bargain Table of Women's Wrappers, Muslin, Print, Percale and Fleece back, sizes 32 to 44, well made, neatly trimmed, 69c., 89c., 99c.

June Sale All Wool Ladies' Suitings, all the leading colors, 50c. goods at 36c. New Japanese Silk Waistings, figured and fancy, washable, 49c. yard.

Japanese Corded Silk Waistings in Black and Cream, 36c. yard. Mohair Lustres, 54 in. Black a June bargain, at 50c.

Bargain Table of Rainy Day Unlined Skirts in Serges and Homespun, at \$1.39. Bargain Table of Working Men's Smocks and Overalls, at 39c.; Shirts, 25c. and 50c. Men's \$1 Pants, 50c.; Little and Big Boys' Bib Overalls and Knee Pants at 25c.

MIDSUMMER MILLINERY—Charming White Hats for charming young ladies. Hand-made Chiffon Hats, Gainsborough effects, splendid White Plumes. Special attention given Children's Hats.

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LADIES OF HOME

The regular monthly meeting of the ladies of the Home of the Friendless was held in the council chambers Friday afternoon. Those present were Mesdames Ferguson, Fleming, Scane, Laird, McDonald, Tasman, Stevens, Sheldon, McLean and Brady and Misses Kingston and C. Ryan. The visiting committee reported that there were 19 inmates at the home. Mrs. Scane and Mrs. R. G. Fleming were appointed the wardrobe and purchasing committee. The treasurer's report showed a balance in the bank of \$603.92.

Dominion Day Excursion to Detroit, Wednesday, July 1st; Str. City of Chatham. Fare 50c. 5d

BREAD TO COST MORE

The price of bread is due to rise. At least that was the report in circulation this morning. It is understood that the bakers will hold a meeting this evening to decide the matter. A raise of a cent a loaf has been hinted at for some time. The bread makers claim that the high price of flour and fuel is forcing them to the move.

CHICAGO MARKETS

Reported by L. J. Atwater, Broker, Northwood Block, Chatham, June 29, 1903.

Wheat	OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
July	80	80	79	79 1/2
Sept.	77 1/2	78 1/2	77	78 1/2
Corn				
July	49 1/2	50 1/2	49 1/2	50 1/2
Sept.	49 1/2	50 1/2	49 1/2	50 1/2
Oats				
July	39 1/2	39 1/2	39	39 1/2
Sept.	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Pork				
July	1520	1580	1520	1580
Sept.	1520	1600	1520	1600
Lard				
July	817	827	817	825
Sept.	825	845	825	845
Ribs				
July	862	875	862	875
Sept.	855	880	855	880

Hurrah for a sail to Belle Isle with Victoria Avenue Methodist Sunday school on July 7th.

NEW TELEPHONE DIRECTORY

The Bell Telephone Company of Canada will issue a new Subscribers Directory for the District of Western Ontario, including Chatham exchange within a few weeks.

Orders for new connections, changes of firm names, and changes of street addresses should be placed at once to ensure appearance in this book. FRANK D. LAURIE, Local Manager.

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Good Rubber Rings for fruit jars, 5 cents per doz.
1/4 Gal. Fruit Jars, 95c. per doz.
Quart " 80c "
Pint " 68c "

20 lbs. Redpath Standard Granulated Sugar for \$1.00.
25 lbs. bright yellow sugar for \$1.00

1000 Parlor Matches, 5c.
1 lb. fresh ground Coffee, 15c.
1 lb. tin Sunlight Baking Powder 10c

2 lbs. Evaporated Apples, 25c.
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P. H. Kieffer, Strawberry Point, Ia., read a paper at the meeting of the National Creamery Butter Makers' association, in which he told what he learned in the six months' educational test. He said:

I have learned that in order to make butter that possesses the required keeping qualities it is necessary that one pay particular attention to the milk when it is received at the creamery and reject all poor milk. It has been my experience that that is the best way of improving the quality of milk. The creamery and dairy papers have done a great deal for us in this respect, and I am satisfied that the milk received at the creameries nowadays is much better than it was a few years ago. The starter should be carefully watched and never allowed to become overripe and then use from 10 to 25 per cent in the cream. The cream should be ripened to the required acidity according to the amount of butter fat in cream and churned at a temperature of from 50 to 55 degrees according to the season. When the butter is taken out of the churn, it should have a mild, clean flavor, which you will find to improve in four or five days after the butter is made.

I also learned that in order for one to improve in butter making it is necessary to accept of the experts' criticisms on the butter in a good spirit and endeavor to overcome the faults and get the butter in as high a grade as possible.

From Grain to Grass.
Every owner of a cow welcomes the time when the animal can be turned out to pasture. In changing from dry feed to grass it is well to go somewhat slowly, especially if the flow of milk is large, says Dairy and Creamery. The young, immature grass, especially in early spring, as is well known, contains a large amount of water, a condition commonly called "wasby." Wheat and rye pastures are of the same nature. The dry feed ration should therefore be continued and be gradually reduced for two weeks or more after the grass is large enough for feeding.

A Dairy Fable.
They organized and built a creamery, hired an expert, made fine butter, sold all they could make and were making money. The son of the principal stockholder got the idea that he would like to be a boss butter maker. He knew nothing about making butter, and his idea was based on his ignorance. Influence was used, the expert was "resigned," and pa's boy took his place. At once things went. Purchasers returned the alleged, not "gilt edged," butter and wrote, "When we want axle grease we will let you know." In a month pa's boy's butter had ruined the reputation of the creamery. The other stockholders then kicked pa and his boy out, hired the expert back, and prosperity returned with him. Moral:—The "pull" may generally be depended upon to sprain the business that is subjected to it.—New York Farmer.

Accounted For.
From time to time during the past winter complaints have been made that the butter from the northwest dairy districts was of poor flavor, even bitter in many cases. The manufacturers have intimated that the cause was the poor quality of the corn, both fodder and grain. A lot of butter of pronounced bitter flavor was received by a Chicago South Water street firm. They notified the butter maker. He at once came to examine the butter. After examining he stated that the corn and fodder fed the cows from whose milk the butter was made were bad and actually had the flavor found in this butter. As this condition in the corn exists throughout a large portion of the northwest dairy district it may account for the large amount of off butter that has been produced.—Dairy and Creamery.

Clean the Stables.
Where cows are kept up a good part of the time the stable should be cleaned at least twice a day. Cows are the neatest animals in the world if they have a chance to be. They do not enjoy the bad odors from unclean stables and will contract disease if compelled habitually to inhale them.

English Butter Laws.
The Mark Lane Express reviews the various measures adopted or brought before the English parliament to do away with fraudulent practices in the butter business. The latest measure under consideration is sweeping. One of the most difficult matters which the English board of agriculture has to deal with is the so called "blended" butter, made by working in large quantities of moisture, which of course the consumer pays for at butter rates. The new bill makes it unlawful to make, sell or import any butter or butter mixture containing more than 20 per cent of moisture under penalties of \$100 for first offense, \$250 for second, \$500 for third. Anything but pure butter must be marked plainly on every package in letters at least half an inch long with the designation "Margarine" or "Adulterated Butter," as the case may be. None of the marks previously used, such as "milk blended butter," will be allowed. This is a hard blow, as it is not likely that many buyers will care to use a product plainly marked adulterated.

Corn Ensilage as Milk Feed.
Corn as ensilage or dry cured is not by itself a perfect food for dairy cows. It does not contain enough protein, and more protein they must have if we are to get a good flow of milk.

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Many attempts have been made at various times to use solar heat as a source of power. A century or more ago great burning glasses were constructed both in France and England which developed a heat intense enough to melt iron, gold and silver. At the Paris exposition of 1878 an exhibit that attracted much attention was a sun engine which furnished the power for a printing press.

At last a practical solution of the problem seems to have been reached. There has been set up on Edwin Cawston's ostrich farm at Pasadena, Cal., a contrivance which performs its work regularly and with certainty. From one hour and a half after sunrise to half an hour before sunset it drives a ten horse power engine, raising fourteen hundred gallons of water twelve feet per minute. This is enough to irrigate about 500 acres of deciduous trees or 300 acres planted with orange trees.

The solar motor is in shape like a section of a huge umbrella of very substantial construction, having a diameter of twenty-three feet at its widest part and of fifteen feet at its narrowest. The whole inside surface is covered with mirrors, each two feet long by three and one-half inches wide. Nearly 2,000 of these long, narrow mirrors catch the sun's rays and reflect their heat upon a slim boiler just where the handle of the umbrella would be.

The great reflector is set like an astronomical telescope. It is so nicely adjusted that one person can easily move it in either direction. The boiler is thirteen and one-half feet long and holds 100 gallons of water. When the reflector is not working, the boiler is quite inconspicuous, but when the concentrated heat from the mirrors is focused on it it glazes like polished silver. In a little while it becomes so hot that a stick held against it smokes and bursts into flame. In about an hour steam is generated and is conveyed through a flexible metal pipe to the cylinder of the steam engine, being thereafter used in the ordinary manner.

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THE SINGING BULLET.

If You Hear It Whistle, You May Be Sure It Won't Hit You.

"Don't be afraid of a bullet that you've heard whistle," said an old soldier. "If it sings in your ear rest assured that it will never harm you. It is a fact, as any old soldier will tell you, that you never hear the bullet which hits you. It is a problem of 'windage,' as the boys in the army called it. In other words, the bullet which you hear sing has already sped past you and the bullet which hits you has missed in the ear of some other fellow in passing before it got to you. It is a simple proposition, after all. The singing of the bullet is the atmospheric vibration which is created and the resist ance which the air offers to the progress of the bullet. This cannot be detected by the ear until the bullet has crossed a parallel line with the ear. It may sail over your head or whiz close to the ground, but if it passes you at all the ear will catch the sound of its flight. To the soldier of many battles the voice of the bullet is music. He knows that he need have no dread of the bullet that sings in his ears. It is the bullet that he does not hear that must be feared, and it is this bullet which always brings harm to him. No soldier ever heard the bullet which inflicted a wound on him."

Nerves and the Breakfast Table.
The longer I live the more convinced I am that breakfast is the real cause of more domestic friction than can be accounted for by mere incompatibility of temper. It is not in human nature to be amiable in the early morning. The patriarchal system by which four or five different branches of a family live under one roof could not possibly continue abroad were the various families obliged to submit to the breakfast test. Your father-in-law, your mother-in-law, your brother-in-law and his wife, your sister-in-law and her husband contemplated over a dish of poached eggs in the early morning would be impossible, but by midday we have buried our savage instincts, assumed once more the Christian virtues and are prepared to face the world of relations-in-law with resignation and perhaps even the semblance of appreciation.—A Countess on English Customs.

Little Faults in Social Life.
A fault in the young is to form some feverish admiration for one or two particular friends, often of a so called superior social standing. These are referred to constantly. They are held up as patterns, oracles and patrons. In private circles and public places their names are loudly mentioned in the hope and desire of impressing bystanders. At bazaars, in the lobbies of theaters, at railway stations, in railway carriages and, indeed, wherever the company may be described as mixed this distressing form of what is known as brag is very much in evidence. The shouting of nicknames and Christian names at moments when in ordinary intercourse one would not be addressing anybody is also done in order to advertise some small degrees of intimacy with the well known.—Success.

Forrest's Great Power.
An effeminate young man, an intense admirer of Forrest, enlisted among the "cypers" so as to be nearer his idol. At the end of Forrest's most effective speech, then on, the new actor was so overcome that he fainted. The incident so pleased the "old man" that he called him to his dressing room, where, after a few remarks, he presented him with a dollar as a memento of the occasion. On rejoining his fellow cypers, five in number, the happy recipient spoke of his good fortune, dilating upon the cause thereof. At the next performance Forrest kept his eye on him to see if he could again so overcome him as to cause him to faint. When he reached the scene and climax his astonishment can be imagined when six of the cypers fell over in a dead faint.

Pain is a Relative Term.
"Pain" even in the human subject is purely a relative term. It expresses a very real sensation, but it does not express its degree. And so far as mankind is concerned the sense of pain, in the intensity in which it can be felt, depends very largely indeed upon two great factors. The first of these is civilization, and the second factor is that of education.—London Magazine.

Styles of Architecture.
In their architecture the Moors strove for the negation of the weight altogether; the Egyptian placed the weight firmly on the ground; the Greek lifted it up in the air with an assertion of graceful power; the Roman confused weight and support; the Byzantine represented weight without support; the Moor suggested that there was no weight at all.

Pickled Statues.
The marbles in Westminster palace are treated to a bath once a year. They are first sponged off with water and then "pickled." This pickle consists of a solution of soft soap and sulphur, which removes the incrustations due to the smoke laden atmosphere and is said to do the marble no harm.

No Familiarities.
"I suppose you are familiar with John Ruskin, Miss Tootles?" "Indeed I am not! I never allow myself to become familiar with men, Mr. Pearson. I have not even met the person you refer to!"

The fellow who sits down and waits for his rich relations to die must consider that they are worth their wait in gold.—Philadelphia Record.

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The transfer books will be closed from the 26th to 30th June inclusive. By order of the Board.
S. F. GARDINER, Manager.
Chatham, June 4, 1903.

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FRUIT & FLOWERS

THE STRAWBERRY PLANT.

Not So Cold Blooded After All—Result of Heavy Mulching.

The figure from Rural New Yorker shows a strawberry plant which T. C. Kevitt of New Jersey dug on Jan. 10. Mr. Kevitt claims that this plant is a strong argument in favor of his plan of mulching before the ground is frozen. He put on a heavy coat of stable manure before a crust formed on the soil.

WHEN ROOTS ON AN EARLY MULCHED PLANT.

This prevented the ground from freezing solid, and the plants kept on growing. Of course this has been an unusual winter, and the soil would have frozen solid in most seasons, yet the early mulching will keep the soil open for some weeks in any season.

The strawberry is called a "cold blooded" plant because it endures much hard weather, but that is no sign that long continued freezing does it any good. The old idea was to mulch so as to keep the frost in the ground and prevent the heave and settle which go with freeze and thaw. It is pretty evident that considerable damage will be done by the light freezing in autumn before the ground freezes solid. By putting the mulch on early we prevent this.

A Beautiful Mixed Border.

A mixed border provides an excellent manner of obscuring the view of a vegetable garden and at the same time giving a brilliant and always interesting aspect to a garden walk. Gardening describes one such border as follows: The back row in the border is of tall growing canna, such as Florence Vaughan, Charles Henderson, Kate Gray, Italia, Austria and Crimson Bedder. Next in front of the canna come Salvia Bonaria, Penstemon rupellii and Abutilon Souvenir de Bonn, planted in masses. Phrygnium variegatum, Centaurea gymnocarpa, acalypha, irises, archyranthus and geraniums in variety comprise the third group, while the immediate foreground is made up of low growing subjects, such as Ageratums Blanche and Blue Perfection, Begonias Vernon and Erfordii, Zinnia haageana, Centaurea candidissima and sweet alyssum. Abundant watering and constant trimming, weeding, etc., are of course indispensable.

The penstemon above mentioned is worthy of more general cultivation. Seed may be sown in January in shallow boxes, transplanted into two inch pots and planted out of doors in May.

The San Jose Scale.

The Irish potato beetle when left alone will soon eat up every green potato in the field. But with as simple a remedy as paring there is no occasion for allowing this to occur. Still the potato beetle has been poisoned, killed and picked for over twenty-five years in the United States, but it is still with us and is here to stay. The same will probably be found true with the San Jose scale. It will be hard to exterminate completely without at the same time injuring the trees, but with persistent effort it can be controlled.

The Dying of Sweet Pea Foliage.

An aphid sometimes attacks the foliage of the sweet pea early in the season, beginning at the base of the vines and working its way up, entirely defoliating the stems. Spray with soap and water, a quarter of a pound of ordinary pure white household soap to a pail of water. Begin early. Prevention is easier than cure.

Flowers For Easter.

It is high time plants were under way for Easter. Lilies should be above the pot. Dormant roses can be flowered in pots. Geraniums should have a shift and be given more room. They will make fine plants for Easter.

Horticultural Notes.

A perpetual blooming form of the popular Crimson Rambler rose is reported from France.

The American Rose society's next exhibition will be held in Philadelphia March 24-28.

Queen of Elegy and Mrs. Oliver Ames are listed for the first time among varieties of roses for which prizes will be awarded by the American Rose society.

It is expected that the horticultural exhibit at the St. Louis world's fair will be the most extensive and best ever made at any exposition.

The new rose Ideal is a bright, clear pink, a sport from La France.

Acalypha bicolor compacta is said to be an exceedingly handsome new budding plant, with unsurpassed color and markings.

ENGLISH UNIVERSAL.

Why It Must Become So—Upon What International Character of a Language Depends—Languages in Competition.

Judging by the report of the discussion at Belfast on an international language, Sir F. Bramwell and his friends imagine that the adoption of one particular language for international purposes is a matter of will, not of circumstance. Prince Bismarck thought so once. He wrote a despatch to the Russian Government in German. The reply came in Russian. He did not repeat the experiment nor the offence. It was not a matter of choice that Latin was the foremost vehicle of diplomacy, but of circumstance—that circumstance being the fact that Latin was the speech of ecclesiastics throughout Christendom, and that they were the statesmen and diplomatists of the nations. Nor was it the fact of Louis XIV. that brought French into the succession, but the fact that he, Le Grand Monarque, had secured ascendancy in the councils of Europe.

That being so, it is evident that the coming universal language must be English. Long ago two such servants, though otherwise very different men as Grand Allon, the hutionist, and Vambury, the amateur dervish, came to that conclusion.

The international character of a language does not depend on politics, but on trade, and in that respect English takes the lead. Many languages are dead. Not to mention inferior Asiatic, African and Indian tongues, the beautiful Italian and French are on "the down grade." Auguste Comte, like Sir F. Bramwell, thought that Italian would become international, and for this reason, that the speech which Dante spoke had never been associated with disgrace or defeat. But what business man would regard the knowledge of Italian as a part of his business equipment? And, for the same reason, French is being displaced as the international language, as precedent for the more of English in preference to French was established by the Bering Sea court of arbitration, which sat in Paris, where the whole of the proceedings were conducted in English. In the colonization of the world again, where is French? In the days of Cartier and Champlain, the English have been reasonably prophesied that French would in the course of the ages dominate the new world from the St. Lawrence to Louisiana, and from the great lakes to the Gulf of Mexico. But to-day, out of the Province of Quebec, and in less degree, the Province of Manitoba, it is known as a vernacular on all that vast continent.

The only European languages in competition with English for world-wide ascendancy are Russian and Spanish, but the weakness of their cases makes it only the more obvious that English will ultimately hold the field. It is true that Russian is the national speech of the millions which the Czar rules from the Danube to the Yellow Sea, but it is in itself an inadequate tongue for military, political and business purposes, other languages having been requisitioned for the expression of many ideas. Even in Central Asia the Russian Government recognizes the utility of English, and has determined on the substitution of English for German as an obligatory subject of instruction in certain high schools. As to Spanish, there was a time when it was the language of every port, as English is now. Following in the wake of Cortez and Pizarro, Spanish became the vernacular of the South American continent, but to-day it does not hold its own everywhere. Lima, Callao, Valparaiso, Buenos Ayres and Rio Janeiro it is insufficient for business purposes, English in addition being essential.

And how aggressive everywhere is English! It has driven out French along the great waterway of the Mississippi and the Knickerbocker Dutch from the eastern States; and it absorbs, in the second generation, the German, Dutch, Russian, Scandinavian and Latin immigration of the whole United States and of the Dominion of Canada. It is practically universal in the southern seas, in Egypt, on the Red Sea and the Persian Gulf, in India, the Straits Settlements and the ports of China and Japan.

It is circumstance and opportunity which are making English dominant throughout the world, but it is in inherent qualities—force and purity—which render it aggressive. In the instinct of morality Shakespeare and Bunyan, to take two typical classic writers, were one. In all their dramatic depictions and their psychological unveilings they ever showed that right-duties were only good. Moreover, the language contains the literary wealth of all the world and all time. That which is refined and beautiful in Greek, mystic and reverent in Latin, and forceful in the Teuton tongue, all go to form "the speech ye speak yourself."

And what will universal knowledge of English mean to the world? Access to all that is best in the literature of the old world and the modern from Isaiah to Homer, from Dante to Shakespeare, and from Milton and Bunyan to Wordsworth, Tennyson and John Ruskin. The free thought, pure poetic energy and moral and intellectual force which are embodied in English are destined to recreate the whole family of man. No, neither Italian nor any other language current on earth, can displace English as the coming universal language. And doubtless there is a Divine Providence in the fact, for "thus the thoughts of men are widened with the process of the suns."—Sydney Robjohns in London News.

Why He Faid.

Lord Alvanley in the first part of the last century had a duel with a political opponent, but nobody was hurt. His lordship was so pleased at returning without injury that he paid his adversary's coachman with a literary treat which surprised the latter and on the man remarking that it was more than his due for driving him that distance Lord Alvanley replied, "It is not for carrying me there, but for bringing me back."

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Puzzle of the Camels.
There was once an Arab who had three sons. He died, leaving behind him a will in which he stated that his property, consisting of seventeen camels, was to be divided between his three sons. The first was to have one-half of the camels, the second one-third and the third one-ninth. As they could not halve seventeen camels they went to a neighbor and told him of their difficulty.

He loaned them a camel, so that they had eighteen to divide. So—
The first son took one-half..... 9
The second, one-third..... 6
The third, one-ninth..... 2
Total..... 17

They had divided equally and yet were able to give back the camel which had been loaned to them.

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Return tickets will be issued at Single First Class Fare between all stations in Canada, also to Buffalo, Suspension Bridge, N. Y., Detroit, Pt. Huron, Mich., etc., good going June 30th and July 1st, valid returning from destination on or before July 2nd, 1903.

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HOBO MUST GO

Attorney-General's Dept has Ordered that They be Summarily Dealt With—Effort to Rid Ontario of a Nuisance

Police Magistrate M. Houston is in receipt of the following communication:

Toronto, June 18, 1903.

Dear Sir,—The murder of an innocent child at Collingwood has again called the attention to the danger arising from tramps and vagrants roaming about the country unchecked. Most of the burglaries and other crimes of violence committed in various parts of the Province have been the work of tramps of the class that usually work along the railways and camp in barns in the outskirts of cities and villages. It is desired that these men should be driven out of the Province, and it is thought that the best way to attain this result is for the magistrates, before whom any of these tramps are brought on charges of vagrancy, to impose the term of imprisonment in the Central prison, allowed by law. The practice of giving them the option of a fine, or of leaving the municipality in a few hours, has produced very unsatisfactory results. The department, therefore, desires you when any of these men are brought before you, to administer the law strictly and rigorously, and the more so, as good results have followed from the action taken several years ago along the line indicated. The railway authorities are co-operating with the department, and I have to ask you at all times to assist the railway constable who may be acting in the case mentioned.

Yours truly,
I. A. CAREWRIGHT,
Deputy Attorney General.
M. Houston, Esq.,
Police Magistrate,
Chatham.

"The department should bring the stealing of rides on trains under the vagrancy act," suggested Judge Houston this morning.

MURDER AS ESQUIMALT.

Fred J. Bailey Shot By Alfred J. Frith.

Victoria, B. C., June 29.—A terrible tragedy occurred at Esquimalt on Saturday. Fred James Bailey, first-class storehouse man at the naval yard, was shot and instantly killed by Alfred James Frith, who is in custody at the Provincial police station charged with murder. The crime was committed about 8 o'clock and the body was found shortly afterwards. As far as can be learned, the particulars of the affair are as follows:—Frith went to Bailey and asked him for a packing case. They proceeded to the store together, and Frith selected the case he wanted. It was placed outside, and then both men returned inside. After locking the door, Bailey is reported to have said, "What is the trouble between you and me?"

The other replied that there appeared to be some misunderstanding going on. Bailey then, it is claimed by the prisoner, picked up a club and said, "If you say I am undermining I will fix you."

NEGLECTED ITS DUTY.

Rev. S. G. Bland's Criticism of the Methodist Church.

Ottawa, June 29.—In a sermon on John Wesley's greatness Sunday in connection with the bi-centenary celebration Rev. S. G. Bland said that if the Methodist Church had paid less attention to harping on such minor questions as amusements and devoted more attention to attacking real evils there would not be the dishearteningly rotten state of affairs revealed in Ontario politics to-day—a Province supposed to be one-third Methodist.

MANITOBA SCHOOLS.

Premier Roblin's Reply to a Catholic Deputation.

Winnipeg, June 29.—A deputation of Roman Catholics waited upon Premier Roblin at the Government building Saturday afternoon to ask redress from the operation of the existing school law in this Province, as regards separate schools. That is the law of 1890 as modified by the legislation of 1897. Mr. Roblin, in reply, contended that the agreement of November, 1890, came to be representatives of the Dominion and the Province, having been marked "a final agreement," the Province has no longer any power to appeal. "This leaves the Province no option in the matter," says Mr. Roblin.

REVOLT IN CROATIA.

Number of Peasants Killed and Wounded.

Vienna, June 29.—Fresh disturbances of remarkable extent are reported from Croatia. After a fight between armed peasants and gendarmes near the village of Kulovec on Wednesday, in which four persons were killed and seven others seriously wounded, about 180 persons were arrested and taken to Wersadin, where they were placed in prison. The arrival of the prisoners at Wersadin caused much excitement among the inhabitants, and a crowd quickly surrounded their place of confinement with the intention of releasing them. According to unconfirmed reports received here a fight ensued between the military and the crowd during the progress of which several persons were killed.

SAFE-CRACKERS FOILED.

Unsuccessful Attempt at Robbery at Killarney, Man.

Killarney, Man., June 28.—Burglars attempted to blow open the safe in Young & Buck's mill here last night. The safe was drilled and a charge of powder exploded, without any result other than partially destroying the safe. It was evidently the work of professionals, but the doors, not being air tight, destroyed the effectiveness of the explosion. Five hundred dollars cash and the books in the safe were intact. The burglars apparently were scared off, as an exit was made by forcing one of the office windows.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The Court of Appeal will sit in two divisions in September.

A rumor that the Pope was seriously ill was officially denied.

The session of the Legislature prorogued on Saturday was the longest since Confederation.

The Moroccan War Minister lost only 600 men in battle against the Pretender, not 8,000, as at first reported.

The congregation of the Jarvis Street Baptist Church unanimously decided to invite Rev. J. J. McNeill of Winnipeg.

A boy named William Traynor got beyond his depth while bathing in the reservoir at Regina and was drowned.

The freight depot of the Midland Railway, one of the largest warehouse buildings in London (Eng.), was destroyed by fire.

Owing to the increased cost of raw material most of the cotton mills in Lancashire, Eng., have closed down for some days.

John King of Toronto, who was found dead in a hotel stable at Guelph, had his neck broken, and the authorities are investigating.

The new White Star Line steamer, Arabic, similar in type to the Cedra, started from Liverpool for New York on her maiden voyage.

Rudolph Hett, who was sent to jail for one year for fraud in connection with the St. James' (Montreal) election, has been released, after serving nine months.

The Canadian tug Davis, owned by Davis & Son, Ottawa, was seized at Ogdensburg, N.Y., in connection with a suit against sub-contractors to the firm named.

THE MULLAH'S FLIGHT.

STORY OF BRITISH DEFEAT IS DENIED.

A Sensational Despatch From Paris Disproved by Official Message From Headquarters in Somaliland.

London, June 29.—The War Office has received a telegram from Somaliland enabling it to contradict the French report of a British disaster.

The War Office despatch received was sent by General Manning from Bohotle, June 26, and announced his arrival their unopposed. He captured a number of the Mullah's camels and sheep while on his way to Bohotle. The General said the Mullah, with his fighting men, had crossed the British line of communications, half way between Damot and Bohotle. The Mullah's move was due to the British hold on the Mudug district and to the pressure of the Abyssinians, who are advancing from the south.

Gen. Manning added:—"This flight of the Mullah would have been turned into a rout if it had been possible to send a column of sufficient strength from Bohotle. The prisoners captured say the tribesmen are disorganized."

aParis, June 29.—A despatch (referred to in the foregoing War Office announcement) from Jibuti, Abyssinia, says the Mad Mullah has destroyed five British posts between Burao and Bohotle, in Somaliland.

Thirty-nine British officers out of forty-two white men were killed in the engagements. Two thousand native soldiers were made prisoners.

BRITISH POLITICS.

The Government's Success is Only Temporary.

New York, June 28.—Mr. Isaac N. Ford, the London correspondent of The Tribune, cables to that paper in part as follows:—"The Government by an artificial compromise succeeds temporarily. The Irish land bill has been saved by concessions so large that Mr. Wyndham is accused by the men of his own party of surrendering unconditionally to the Nationalists. The effect of the amendments cannot be stated with precision, but the gift of £12,000,000 has not been increased to £20,000,000, as the Nationalists had demanded. Borrowing operations have been enlarged, however, from £100,000,000 to £150,000,000. The Nationalists, who are the best politicians in the Commons, are jubilant, and the Ministerialists are relieved, and the rapid passage of the land bill now seems assured. Taxpayers will be freely bled, but the Government will have credit for dealing in a large way with a most troublesome and intricate question. The Ministers can also wind up the session promptly and postpone the general election until the new fiscal policy has been cut and dried."

There is cumulative evidence that Mr. Chamberlain has raised a question which cannot be settled without exhaustive discussion and appeal to the general electorate. It is already a stock theme for the leader writers of the press, and every July review has a symposium on the tariff. Lord Goschen following up his weighty speech in the House of Lords with an incisive article in The Monthly Review, and a score of controversial writers taking up the cudgels on one side or the other. The appearance of J. A. Bright on a Liberal platform at Rochdale as the opponent of Mr. Chamberlain's fiscal revolution is an incident that recalls Mr. Cobden's movement. There has been a great stir among the dry bones of the Cobden Club, and that organization is gaining scores of recruits among the prominent members of both political parties. The free trade Unionists, like Lord Hugh Cecil and Winston Churchill, are asking the Liberals whether arrangements cannot be made by which their seats will not be contested at the general election. The formation of a new political group of Unionist seceders, with a separate organization, but prepared to act with the Liberals in defence of free trade, is probable, and Sir Michael Hicks Beach will be the natural leader and The Spectator the chief organ. Even the industries and trades are organizing in the House of Commons for the presentation of the fiscal question. The members connected with the iron and steel manufactures and machinery have formed committees for directing the attention to foreign cartels and trusts, and obtaining defensive measures for the general tariff movement. The whole country is pulsating with interest in Mr. Chamberlain's new policies.

A WATCHMAN'S SUICIDE.

Found Dead With a Bullet Through the Neck.

Montreal, June 29.—Joseph Cassavant, fifty years of age, night watchman for the Simplex Railway Supply Co., was found dead at the warehouse on Sunday with a bullet wound in the neck. A revolver lay near by. It is believed that he took his own life. No cause is known. He leaves a widow.

Hugh J. Macdonald ill.

Winnipeg, June 28.—Hon. Hugh John Macdonald, who has been ill for the past ten days with an attack of pleurisy, is reported very low late tonight.

Drowned at Regina.

Regina, June 28.—Wm. Trainor was drowned in the reservoir here on Friday morning. He and a companion undertook to swim across. The latter reached shore, and, looking back, saw Trainor struggling. He tried to reach him, but could not.

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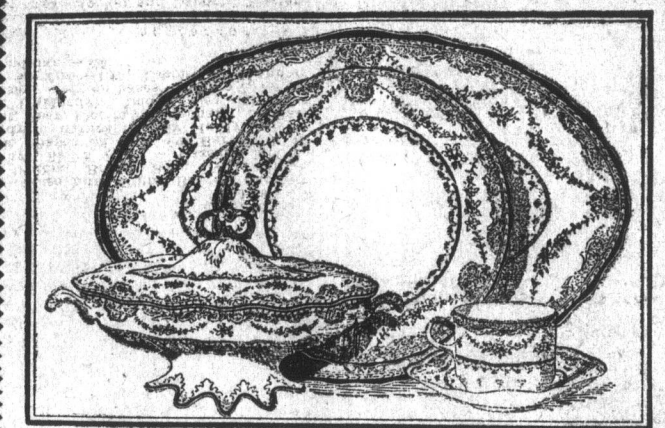
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BASEBALL

Max Fraser's pets went after the Stars in great style Saturday evening on Tecumseh Park and defeated them by a score of 8 to 0. Grant, who did the slab work for the pets, was always in the game and allowed very little batting. The Stars going down in one, two, three order in almost every inning.

Douglas for the Stars was batted quite freely, but his support was not the best. The opposing teams composed:

Pets—Cartier, Grant, Fraser, Sowerby, Robert, Philip, Geo. Smith, Graham Smith, Stegman.

Stars—Moore, Douglas, Barrett, Elliott, McGarry, Avichouser, Duff, Head, McNaughton.

Toronto 10020001-5
Jersey City 00000100-3
Two-base hits—White, Brodie; Sacrifice hits—Kuhns, Brodie, Bean, Wild; Pitch—Hardy; Bases stolen—Cassidy; McCormick. Bases on balls—Or Barret 3, 05 Hardy 1. Struck out—By Hardy 5 (Clement, Bean, Doulin, 3; Graham, by Barrett 1 (Hardy). Double play—Miller to Massey. Left on bases—Toronto 7, Jersey City 6. Time—44. Umpire—Shannon. Attendance—4,800.

Buffalo 00200000-6 2
Newark 00000000-0 4 1
Batteries—Hooker and Laporte; Hester and Shea. Umpire—Kelly. Attendance—3,500.

Worcester 100000100-2 1
Rochester 00000000-0 2 1
Batteries—Falkenberg and McCauley; Leary and Lilly. Umpire—Latham. Attendance—371.

Baltimore 300000000-3 8
Providence 00201011-4 7 1
Batteries—Gettig, White and Fuller; Vian and Diggins. Umpire—Brown. Attendance—1,225.

Rochester 00050102-3 11 4
Worcester 002000000-2 5 4
Batteries—Becker and Steelman; Pappas and McCauley. Umpire—Latham. Attendance—380.

EASTERN LEAGUE STANDING.

President Powers has decided that the Toronto-Providence game of June 18, for which Providence failed to reach Toronto in time, shall not be counted a default, as awarded by the umpire. The delay in reaching Toronto was caused by a railroad breakdown. The game will be played some time to be agreed on, and the standing is amended by omitting this game, which had been credited in the Toronto winning list. The standing is:

Won. Lost. P.C.
Buffalo 24 15 61
Jersey City 22 15 59
Toronto 25 21 54
Newark 25 21 54
Baltimore 23 28 45
Worcester 17 29 36
Rochester 17 31 35
Providence 16 33 33

Saturday's National League games:—Pittsburg 4, New York 3; Cincinnati 5, Brooklyn 3; Boston 3, Chicago 1; St. Louis 7, Philadelphia 4.

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DRESDEN

June 27.—Mrs. L. J. Reynolds, of Ridgetown, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Switzer.

W. Tape has had a telephone placed in his livery office.

The ladies of Christ Church Parsonage Guild intend serving lunches on July 12th.

On Saturday, June 27th, the wife of Mr. G. A. Miller of a daughter, Thos. Carscadden, M. P. of Napas, is the guest of his brother here.

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