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Births, Marriages, Deaths.

MARRIED. SHILLINGTON-CAMPBELL. At the residence of the bride's mother...

DECEASED. HAYSTEAD. In this city, on Sept. 17, 1902, Elizabeth, relict of the late David Haystead...

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC. TONIGHT. GRAND Matinee. At 8:15. GRAND Saturday Evngs. Big hit - Immense Success...

Coming Sept. 25

The Augustin Daily Musical Company in

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The best of all musical comedies. b

The "LONDON" Tonight BLOU COMEDY COMPANY.

"Under Two Flags" Bright, new specialties, between acts. Popular prices: 10c, 20c, 30c, 50c.

GRAND PARADE OF PRIZES TODAY (WEDNESDAY) AND THURSDAY COMMENCING AT 1 O'CLOCK. WESTERN FAIR.

INAUGURATION ORGAN RECITAL. Memorial Church, Monday evening, Sept. 22. Tickets, 25c.

FULL ATTRACTIONS AND FIREWORKS EVERY NIGHT, INCLUDING FRIDAY NIGHT, WESTERN FAIR.

\$25-LONDON TO DETROIT AND RETURN, every Saturday and Sunday. President Roosevelt visits Detroit Monday, Sept. 22. P. B. Clarke, next advertiser.

VOICE CULTURE-MISS EVA N. Robyn, soprano soloist, Dundas Center Methodist Church, directress Vocal Department, Alma College, St. Thomas, and the Krane Conservatory of Music, Chatham, Ontario, 22 Dundas street, Phone 1,270.

SULPHUR SPRINGS BATHS-OPEN 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Plunge now open. Single bath, 5c. Five tickets, 25c. & Edmonds. xtvt

CAN YOU DANCE? IF NOT, LEARN this season. Beginners' classes open at Palace Academy, Sept. 29. Call at Academy any evening. Dayton & McCormick.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED. Apply to Mrs. J. R. Elliott, 38 Hinton street, 917.

WANTED-EXPERIENCED SALESLADY for the dry goods; also two young girls to learn. Apply Whitehead's, Dundas street, London, Ont. 917.

WANTED-STRONG YOUNG GIRL to help with household work and with children. Apply 106 Cheapside, 90c.

WANTED-NURSE GIRL, 12 or 14 years of age. Apply Mrs. J. Goodge, 474 Dundas street, 90c.

TWO SALESLADIES WANTED. APPLY personally at Bay's, 172 and 174 Dundas street, 90c.

WANTED-FIRST-CLASS STENOGRAPHER and typewriter for hardware office. None, but experienced hands need apply. X. Y. Z., this office, 90c.

WANTED-A GENERAL SERVANT: three in family; no children. Apply 302 Wolfe street, 85c.

WANTED-GIRLS FOR BINDERY. Apply Lawson & Jones, 850.

GENERAL SERVANT-NO FAMILY: good wages. Apply McCormick Manufacturing Company, 5917.

GENERAL SERVANT. APPLY Mrs. Jeffery, 518 Ridout, 85c.

BISCUIT PACKERS AND GIRLS for icing department wanted immediately; good wages. D. S. Perrin & Co., Lhaifed.

GIRLS WANTED IMMEDIATELY FOR biscuit and baking department and caramels. Apply McCormick Manufacturing Company, 5917.

GIRLS WANTED REASON'S BOX Works, 30 Dundas street, 84m.

WANTED-GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Apply Mrs. Frank Low, 622 Wellington street, 8017.

GIRLS WANTED FOR FACTORY. Apply D. S. Perrin & Co., Limited, 5917.

TENDERS WANTED-SEALED TENDERS for supplies for Aged People's Home, will be received up to 20th September, 1902, for one year from Oct. 1, 1902. Groceries, provisions, drugs, ice, coal, etc. Lowest tender not necessarily accepted. M. M. Pattullo, 43 Talbot street, 85c-xtv.

DENTAL CARDS.

McDONALD & CUNNINGHAM, DENTISTS, 124 Dundas street, Phone 722.

DR. G. H. KENNEDY, DENTIST-Successor to the late Dr. Davidson. Speciality, preservation of natural teeth. 173 Dundas street, Phone 975.

DR. WESTLAND, DENTIST-CHICAGO post-graduate in Crown, Bridge and Porcelain work. Removed to first floor, Masonic Temple, Richmond street.

WOOLEVENTON & BENTLEY, DENTISTS, 316 Dundas street, next Eddy Bros. over Catroness & Lawrence, druggists. Telephone 22.

Those interested in the purchase of a piano, will find it to their advantage to inspect



Fine displays of these superb instruments at the Western Fair and London Warerooms, 188 Dundas Street.

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED-THREE STRONG BOYS for work in soap factory; steady job. London Soap Company.

WANTED-A MAN AT 100 CHEAPSIDE street, tomorrow.

BOY WANTED-ONE WHO HAS HAD experience in running press preferred. Apply to A. Talbot & Co., Clarence street.

GOOD HORSE-SHOER WANTED. APPLY at once, D. Fraser, 311 Dundas street, city, 917.

WANTED-MAN FOR LIVERY stable. Apply Lilley's Livery, 90a.

WANTED-DELIVERY BOY; ONE used to horses. Apply J. Goodge, 474 Dundas street, 90c.

CARRIAGE WOOD-WORKER WANTED at Campbell's carriage factory, 90c.

WANTED-STOUT BOY. APPLY Lawson & Jones, 850.

BOYS WANTED DURING FAIR week. Apply Red Star News Company, 92 Dundas street.

WANTED-BOY FOR THE DRYGOODS. Apply Whitehead's, Dundas street, 85c.

WANTED-BOYS FROM 15 TO 18 years of age. Apply McCormick Manufacturing Company, 5917.

PORTER AND BELLBOY WANTED. Apply City Hotel, 87c.

ARTICLES FOR SALE.

SNAP-GOOD MILCH COW; ALSO pony, cart and harness. Apply Newman's grocery, South London, 91c.

FOR SALE-STICKING MACHINE, zig-saw (foot power) and builder's crib, also lot, carpenter's tools and barn doors. Apply to Frank Scott, 718 Talbot street, 91u.

FOR SALE-SLOT MOVING PICTURE machinery, can be seen on Exhibition grounds. Full particulars can be had from the Canadian Mutoscope Company, P. O. Box 890, Montreal, Canada, 81k.

PONY, CART, SLEIGH, HARNESS. For sale. Apply 322 Queen's avenue, city, 90c.

FOR SALE-PEDIGREE JERSEYS, surplus stock, Hazelton herd. A few good milkers also. Young stock. Apply James Goodall, Hazelton Farm, lot 25, con. 1, London Township, opposite Springfield, Byron P. O., 81k.

GREEN & CO. HAVE REMOVED their coal and wood yard to Maitland street and Grand Trunk Railway Station's old yard. A good supply of all kinds of hard and soft wood on hand at the lowest cash price. Phone 1201.

FOR SALE-ECLIPSE IMPROVED gasoline engine, manufactured by D. McKenzie & Co., 299 Richmond street, 81k.

SUMMER WOOD-FER LOAD, 1 1/2 CASH. Also coal and hard wood. Buchanan's, 422 Colborne, Phone 1,090.

KEENE BROS. ARE HAVING A SPECIAL sale of springs and mattresses. It will pay you to get one or more now.

WOOD FOR SALE-WE CAN SUPPLY summer wood at \$1.25 a load. D. H. Gillies & Co., 672 Bathurst street, leading east end wood yard. Phone 1,312.

STOVES, BASEBURNERS AND Ranges of all kinds for wood and coal; second-hand furniture; cheap; at P. Keene's, 141 King street.

30-GENTLEMEN'S GOOD SECOND-HAND wheels, with new tires; clearing sale of heavy wheels; easy terms. J. H. Cunningham, 664 Dundas street.

SNAP-GOOD PIANO, ROSEWOOD case, 4 1/2 octaves; in first-class condition, and guaranteed for 5 years. Only \$100, on easy terms of payment. Heinrich & Co., 217 Dundas street, corner Clarence, 81k.

FOR SALE-SET SINGLE HARNESS (new and hand-made). Apply at London Box Factory, 541.

BIG REDUCTION IN SUGAR-CURED hams, breakfast bacon, lard and choice butter for the Fair, at G. Park's, corner Market Lane, 80n.

HOUSES, ETC., TO LET.

TO LET-TWO-STORY BRICK RESIDENCE, 10 rooms, all conveniences; No. 52 Elmwood avenue. Rent moderate. 81k.

TO LET-DWELLING HOUSE AND store attached, No. 774 Waterloo street, city. This store is well located. Meredith & Fisher, 74 Dundas street, 67n.

TO LET-WELL-FURNISHED COTTAGE, on Princess avenue. Rent moderate. Apply this office, 817.

BRISTOL & STERLING HOUSE MOVERS, 244 1/2 Richmond, Brick buildings a specialty. All orders promptly attended to.

TO LET-UNION FURNITURE VAN. Furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Cathcart and Bruce, South London, 141 Dundas street, London Furniture Company, Phone 315.

TO LET OR FOR SALE-POSTAGE, NO. 75 (111) street. Immediate possession; rent by the year, \$5.00 per month, including water rate. For particulars call up 362 South street, 76f.

STORE, DWELLING AND STABLE-Good location, suitable for any business. Apply 625 Wellington street, 817.

AGENTS WANTED.

WANTED-BOOK AGENT TO SELL A quantity of new books. Box 83, Advertiser office, 817.

AGENTS EVERYWHERE-SEE OUR greatest money-maker for buyer and seller, goods guaranteed, free samples prepaid. Cooper, 324-5 Clarence street, London.

We Give You a Fair Chance

We never take advantage of a customer-never give them cause for looking on us with suspicion. We deal honestly with all-give them honest things at living prices.

Deeks & Munson, Tailors and Drapers, 383 Richmond Street.

LOST AND FOUND.

DOG LOST-COLLIE, YELLOW, WITH white collar, answer to name "Scottie." Return to J. R. Elliott, 38 Hinton street, 917.

THE LARGE BRASS EXHIBITION fly taken from John Law's exhibit, machinery hall, Western Fair, must be returned, or the police will call for it, 85c.

REAL ESTATE.

FARM FOR SALE-WEST HALF LOT 25, con. 8, East Nissouri, Oxford County, known as the farm of the late William Roberts. This farm is in a first-class state of cultivation, and has up-to-date buildings and surroundings, all in good condition. Will sell farm, with or without implements. For further particulars apply on premises, or write to Montreal, or to J. R. Elliott, 38 Hinton street, 917.

FOR SALE-BRICK HOUSE, NINE rooms, bath; Queen's avenue. Owner leaving city. Apply 489 Grosvenor street, 917.

100 ACRE FARM-TWO MILES FROM Lambton, No. 78, spring creek; fine new brick house; good outbuildings and orchard. Wm. Baker, Lambton, 81k-xt.

FOR SALE-MR. MILLS' RESIDENCE, on the corner of Ridout and Bruce streets, London South, 90a.

FOR SALE-20 ACRES OF GARDEN land, pavilion and house, opposite Springbank theater. For particulars apply John Pockock, 140 Dundas street, 90c.

FOR SALE-10 ACRES; NEW HOUSE, orchard and small fruits. If not sold by Oct. 1 will be leased for term of years. B. L. Bissell, 260 St. James street, 8017.

HOUSE FOR SALE OR TO LET. Three blocks from Victoria Park. Apply Francis Love, police court, 8017.

FOR SALE OR RENT-43 DUFFERIN avenue. Apply R. K. Cowan, 67m.

FOR SALE-TWO-STORY BRICK RESIDENCE and barn; half-acre land; 83 Elmwood avenue. Apply James Hartfield, Fanshawe P. O., or for inspection to A. S. Loyal, next door, 85n.

FOR SALE OR TO LET-STORE, 80 Richmond street. Apply Buchner & Gunn, 83 Dundas street, 85g.

FOR SALE-GOOD TWO-STORY BRICK residence; gas fixtures, furnace, also all in good shape; only \$1,200, 50 days' balance. For particulars apply to J. P. Sanster, 112 Masonic Temple, London, 81k.

FARM FOR SALE-NEAR STRATHROY-75 acres good buildings and water. G. M. Haldane, Strathroy.

Daniel Matthews, a farmer near Waterloo, committed suicide by taking arsenic.

LAKEHURST CANAL.

Notices to Contractors. SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, and indorsed "Tender for Locks No. 1 and No. 2, at entrance to Lakehurst Canal, Montreal," will be received at this office by 10 o'clock on Thursday, the 2nd October, 1902.

Plans and specifications can be seen on and after the 15th September, 1902, at the office of the Superintendent Engineer of the Quebec Canal, Royal Insurance Building, Montreal, where a tender can be obtained.

In the case of firms there must be attached to the tender, the actual signatures of the full name, the nature of the occupation and residence of each member of the same; and further, an accepted bank check for the sum of \$5,000 must accompany each tender. This accepted bank check must be indorsed over to the Minister of Railways and Canals, and will be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the work at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer submitted.

The accepted checks thus sent in will be returned to the respective parties, whose tenders are not accepted. The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest tender. By order, L. K. Jones, Secretary.

Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, 9th September, 1902.

Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid for it. 80i-zxv.

AUCTION SALE

Household Furniture, Piano, Etc.

J. W. Jones has been instructed by Mr. R. C. Lees to sell at his residence, 423 Horton street (near corner of Burwell), on Monday, Sept. 22, at 11 a.m., his household effects, comprising grand upright piano, parlor suite in odd pieces (overstuffed), easy chairs, rockers, center tables, pictures, hall stand, 52 yards Wilton carpet, sideboard, dining-table and leather chairs, six shades, oilcloth, bedroom suites, mattresses, springs, toilet sets, lounge, curtains and blinds, square baseburner, Student stove, McClary range, cupboard, kitchen companion, kitchen utensils, etc. The above are all in oak. This advertisement has been used a newest device. J. W. JONES, Auctioneer.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP. Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, 88 builders at London, Ontario, in the City of London, Ontario, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to Edward Martin, at London aforesaid, and all claims against the partnership are to be settled by him. This advertisement is published in the "LONDON ADVERTISER" of the 17th day of September, A. D. 1902. JAMES GREENLEAF, 81k-x.

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If you take a Laxa-Liver Pill at night, it will work while you sleep without a gripe or pain, curing biliousness, constipation, dyspepsia and sick headache.

WHAT THE WESTERN FAIR REALLY REPRESENTS.



Today is "Farmers' Day" at the Western Fair, and the occasion provides some food for thought. The extent, the wealth and the power of the Middlesex farmer is scarcely realized until one has visited the Western Fair. Let us see what the fair would be without the farmer. The above picture, drawn to a scale, accurately represents the relative size of the agricultural community and the urban community of Middlesex County, London, of course, is not included in the calculation. But even were London's 40,000 people added to the urban population of the county, the latter would still be dwarfed by the agricultural community by nearly 2,000 souls. According to the census returns of last year the rural population of Middlesex County is 65,065, while the dwellers in towns and villages number only 23,545. If London's 40,000 were added to these last figures, the total urban population would still be less than the rural. Great is the Middlesex farmer. Without his presence the Western Fair could close its gates; its usefulness would be to a great extent gone.

THOUSANDS OF OUT-OF-TOWN VISITORS ATTEND THE WESTERN FAIR TUESDAY

Veterans' Day Was Marked by One of the Largest Crowds in the History of the Exhibition.

Train Service Inadequate to Handle People.

ALL DEPARTMENTS COMPLETE

Grand Stand Attendance Yesterday Was Unusually Large and the Attractions Excellent.

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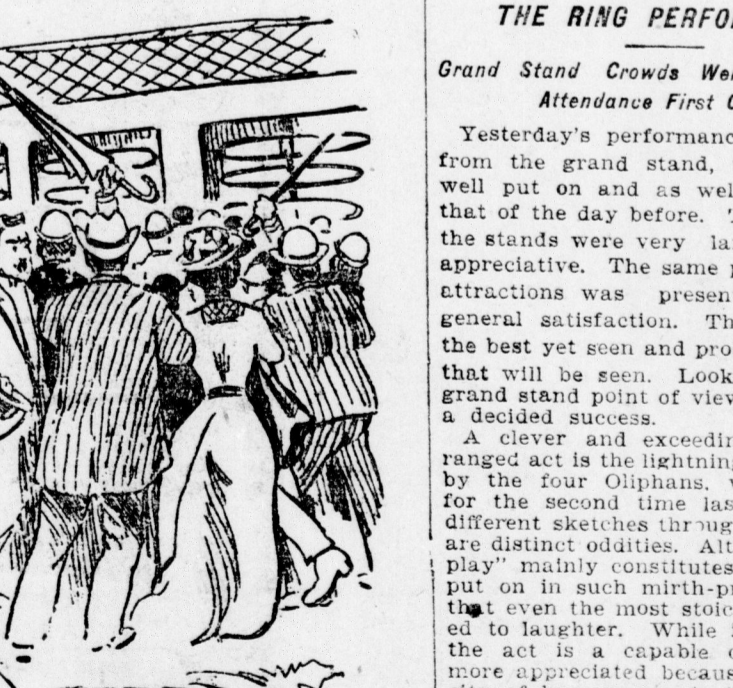
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Park last evening was so great that they were handled only with great difficulty. Through some stupid misunderstanding, the big gates of the exhibition grounds were not opened immediately upon the conclusion of the evening performance, the result being that thousands of people were caught in a dangerous jam at the turnstiles. The turnstiles are an excellent device for handling the crowds entering the grounds, but a very poor means of egress. Last night's crush should convince the directors of the disadvantage and danger of leaving the big gates closed a minute after the grand stand performance is concluded.

Today is "Farmers' Day," the banner day of the big fair; the day on which the exhibition is at its best in every respect. The attendance this morning was unusually great, according to the directors, and if the weather, which has been ideal, continues as at present, there will be a new record to chalk down on the books of the Western Fair board.

THE RING PERFORMANCE

Grand Stand Crowds Were Large and Attendance First Class.

Yesterday's performance, as viewed from the grand stand, was quite as well put on and as well received as that of the day before. The crowds in the stands were very large, and very appreciative. The same programme of attractions was presented and gave general satisfaction. The races were the best yet seen and probably the best that will be seen. Looked at from a grand stand point of view the day was a decided success.

In the evening, Prof. Hand's fireworks fittingly concluded the performance. Many new ideas were brought forth by the expert pyrotechnist since last fair, and this year's fireworks are the best ever viewed from the big grand stands. Prof. Hand tried a new experiment last night, which worked satisfactorily. It was a representation of a Boer war camp, being attacked by an armored train, and was most realistic, and probably the best arranged set-piece ever put on at the Western Fair. Many of the performers who watched the fireworks last night said they were the best they had ever seen.

The Seventh Regiment Band, under Bandmaster Hiscott's direction, furnished excellent music at both performances.

THE RACES.

Capt. Brino, 2:07 1/2, son of Wildbrino, experienced a bad defeat yesterday by

THINK IT OVER

before you buy Baking Powder, isn't it better to use "Purity" Baking Powder and get general satisfaction than to purchase a questionable article that gives no satisfaction, even the baking and making impure, inferior, heavy biscuits or cake? "Purity" is always pure, reliable, satisfactory, economical. It has upheld its reputation as the best, purest and strongest of all baking powders. Only 20 cents pound.

CAIRNCROSS & LAWRENCE, Chemists and Druggists, 216 Dundas Street.

Paddy R., Captain Brino got his mark on an American track last year and won many good races, so that it was expected that he would "clean up" on a bunch of horses, such as were entered in the free-for-all. Paddy R., by Sir John, went into the race, and by dint of good piloting at the hands of his driver, and good work on his own part, the race in great fashion, the first heat.

The mixed race went to Gay Rex, a pretty little horse, who won in straight heats and practically outdistanced the rest of the field. The race was tiresome owing to the large field and the numerous scorings which were necessitated.

The results: Free for all, trot or pace, mile heats, best 3 in 5: Paddy R., Thomas Roche, Watford, 2 1 1 1

Prince Vale, E. R. Swartz, 1 2 3 3

Geodolfin, Brino, Harrison, 3 2 2

Walkerton, Wm. Collins, 3 3 2 2

Noni Wilkes, H. Sewles, Lis-towel, 4 4 4 4

Princess Vale, Wm. Collins, London, 5 ds

Tommy A. P. W. Treadgold, London, 5 ds

Mixed race, mile heats, best 3 in 5: Gay Rex, N. E. Hicks, Harwich, 1 1 1 1

Miss Mary, E. Lowe, Plover, 2 2 2 2

Geary, John Bros., London, 3 2 3

Grace Darling, George La Motte, 4 3 5

Sister Jane, Wm. Collins, London, 5 6 4

Maek, Wm. Marshall, Moore, 6 4 6

Sally Morton, William, 7 6 7

Rodney, 7 6 7

Thomas, 8 8

Tom Wood, W. W. Barnes, Glen-coe, 8 dr

Time-2:37 1/2, 2:38, 2:39 1/2

The attractions (with the fireworks added) were repeated in the evening before several thousand people.

TODAY'S SPEED PROGRAMME

The races today will be for farmers' horses. A trot and pace and a run are on the programme, and the entries are as follows:

Farmers' trot and pace, 1 mile heats-Little Minnie, Thomas Kablflesh, Maplewood; Angle B. C. Barrett, Parkhill; Red Star, William Chambers, Blair; Tom Plover, Wilson; Skinner, Ridgetown; St. Kit, W. T. Hopkins, London Township; Election, "Wilkes, Galt; Darkey Boy, James McKay, Woodstock.

Farmers' run, 1/4 mile heats, 2 in 5: Highland Billy, M. J. Hurley, Eastwood; Donnybrook, E. Kilbourne, Dorchester; Whitley, Jun., O. O. Wilson; Wingham; Yellow Jacket, A. E. Clay; Glencoe; Solid Sam, P. Davis, Oron-daga; Miss Philist, T. Cornish, Oron-daga.

FLOWER EXHIBITS MAGNIFICENT

Horticultural Building Never Had More Gorgeous Displays.

The horticultural building is this year a veritable garden of beauty, with its banks of palms and flowering plants and tables laden with cut flowers of every description, to say nothing of the masses of glowing autumn fruits.

The chief exhibitors of cut flowers are Mrs. Burns, of St. Mary's; John S. Welch, A. J. Roberts and Thomas Dawes, of Stratford; and J. C. Mills, Miss Partridge, E. Wells and Richard Fletcher, London.

Taken as a whole the display of cut flowers is unusually fine, better, indeed, than it has ever been before, although some kinds of flowers are not quite as plentiful this year, owing to the cool, wet weather. This is the case with the gladioli, which are not as good as last year, and is true also of the sweet peas, although the latter are remarkably good, considering the time of the year and the kind of weather we have had. But 'tis an ill wind that blows nobody good, and the weather that has been hard on the sweet peas has been very beneficial to the pansies. [Continued on page 5.]

Watch Sale Extraordinary.

Ladies' Special 16-Jewel Watch, Bosc, 14k,

THE COAL BARONS IN CONFERENCE

Meet in President Baer's Office in New York.

NO CONCESSIONS TO BE MADE

Markle, After Meeting With Morgan, Says Their Position Is Unchanged.

New York, Sept. 17.—A conference of the leading anthracite coal interests was held this afternoon at the Philadelphia and Reading Company's offices.

The precise subjects of the conference could not be learned, but it was stated in advance of the meeting that no concessions would be granted, and that recent anthracite coal strikes would not be seriously considered.

Following a meeting with J. P. Morgan, John Markle made this statement: "I do not think it necessary to repeat that all talk of concessions on the part of the operators is foolish, and is certainly not our position."

Our position now is the same as when Mitchell made his original proposition, and no different than when the strike began.

"We said then that we would make no concessions and we repeat it now. There is just one way to end the strike—by the men returning to work, and every day they remain away from giving willing ear to Mitchell's specious promises will only entail further loss and suffering to them."

Conditions are improving daily; more men are returning to work and more coal is being mined.

So far as recent attempts at settlement are concerned, it is only necessary to add that every effort from Senator Hanna's down has been futile. We have never altered our position and will maintain it."

GOMPERS' STATEMENT. Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 17.—When the conference between Samuel Gompers and President Mitchell adjourned for dinner yesterday, Mr. Gompers was the only one who would talk of the deliberations.

He said the strike situation was discussed in all its phases; the finances were found to be in good condition; the relief funds were coming in promptly and there was no reason why the strike should not be kept up without indicating any hardship on the strikers.

He was asked whether it was proposed to levy an extra assessment in order to help the miners. He declined to answer the question. He also refused to say whether the American Federation of Labor will be convened in extra session to take action on the strike.

COST OF THE COAL STRIKE. New York, Sept. 17.—At the end of the eighteenth week of the coal strike the estimated losses are as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Category and Loss. Includes items like Loss to operators in price of coal, Loss to strikers, Loss to business men, etc.

Pension Came Too Late. Muskegon, Mich., Sept. 16.—For many years John Long, a farmer living near here and a prominent G. A. R. man had tried to get a pension. Finally he gave up all hope.

Long died at his home, and the first rural route delivery Friday morning brought him his pension of \$12 per month and back pay for many years.

FREE TO MILLIONS

A Valuable Little Book Sent Free for the Asking. Medical books are not always interesting reading, especially to people enjoying good health, but as a matter of fact scarcely one person in ten is perfectly healthy, and even with such freedom or later sickness must come.

It is also a well-established truth that nine-tenths of all diseases originate with a breaking-down of the digestion, a weak stomach, languor, nervousness, insomnia, palpitation, constipation and similar symptoms to some other cause than the true one.

Get your digestion on the right track, and the heart trouble, lung trouble, liver disease or nervous debility will rapidly disappear.

This little book treats entirely on the cause and removal of indigestion and its accompanying annoyances.

It describes the symptoms of Acid Dyspepsia, Nervous Dyspepsia, Slow Dyspepsia, Anacid Dyspepsia, Catarrh of Stomach and all affections of the digestive organs in plain language easily understood and the cause removed.

It gives valuable suggestions as to diet, and contains a table giving length of time required to digest various articles of food, so that every person with weak digestion should know.

No price is asked, but simply send your name and address plainly written on postal card to the E. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich., requesting a little book on Stomach Diseases, and it will be sent promptly by return mail.

A BOODLE ROMANCE

Man Takes the Place of His Friend in Jail at St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 17.—A Damon and Pythias friendship developed in the boodle scandals here on Monday. Charles A. Gutke, one of the five former members of the house of delegates, confined in the city jail on charges of bribery and perjury, was informed of the death of his 11-year-old son, who had been sick for some time. The father broke down and wept at the news.

When informed of the boy's death, a friend, Delegate Edmund Bersch, out on bonds aggregating \$45,000, volunteered to go to jail in place of Gutke for a few days, that the latter might be at home until after the funeral of his son. Judge Douglas gave his consent.

Gutke was released and went home, sobbing like a child.

HACKED WITH A CELAVER

Drink-Crazed Pole Attacks His Wife and Daughter.

The Girl Nearly Killed—Capture of the Assailant.

Detroit, Sept. 17.—In a drunken frenzy, Ernest Mansfield, a Polish painter, aged 32, on Monday night attempted to murder his whole family with a meat cleaver at their little home, Canfield avenue east. His 14-year-old daughter Mary, the first attacked, he hacked four times about the head and shoulders with the terrible weapon, and she is now at Harper Hospital in a serious condition. The madman's wife was rescued just in time to escape death.

Pursued by her husband after his attack on the little girl the mother ran into the front yard. Just as she was about to open the gate the would-be murderer reached her and struck her a blow on the shoulder with the weapon that cut through her clothes and felled her bleeding to the ground.

A neighbor, Leo Furst, reached Mansfield just in time to prevent him from committing murder.

Mansfield then took to his heels, but was later arrested and is now held on a charge of attempted murder.

LITTLE BENNIE'S STORY. Bennie, the little 10-year-old son of the murderous parent, escaped injury by hiding. The little fellow, still trembling from terror, told in his childish way this evening of the drunken frenzy of his father.

"Pa came home," said he, "just before I was going to bed at 9 o'clock. He was awful cross and he said to me and Mary that he was going to kill them and me, and after he killed us he was going to kill the priest."

"Ma didn't think he would hurt us and Mary didn't either, but he said he was going to kill me, and I was so scared that I ran out doors and hid behind the back fence."

True to his word, after sharpening the old razor, Mansfield stepped into the house and proceeded to carry out his murderous intentions.

He started for his wife first, but the daughter attempted to reason with her parent, and was assailed first by the frenzied man. She tried to run, but was struck repeatedly, and fell unconscious to the floor.

Thinking he had killed the child, Mansfield went for the mother, and but for the arrival of help would no doubt have killed the woman.

WESTERN ONTARIO.

Mr. Arthur W. Deacon, formerly of Stratford, has been transferred to the Tara branch of the Merchants' Bank to the London office.

William Siddals, who pleaded guilty at Chatham to the three counts against him for burglary, has been sentenced to three years in Kingston penitentiary.

Percy Murray, of Ingersoll, has accepted a position on the staff of the Merchants' Bank, and Mr. Adams has been promoted to the ledger-keeper's desk.

Mrs. Laurent Beaulieu, 86 years of age, of Amherstburg, died yesterday morning of bronchitis at the home of her son, Mr. McLean S. Windsor, at Amherstburg, where she had been visiting for two weeks. The remains will be removed to Amherstburg for burial.

Odette & Wherry, of Windsor, are making arrangements to run a daily steamboat service between Amherstburg and Amherstburg to carry both passengers and freight. The steamer, Winona, of Port Stanley, has been engaged. The first trip will be made on Saturday next.

The following transfers of bank clerks have been made in Essex County: Mr. Tom, seller in the Merchants' Bank at Bothwell, has been removed to Wingham. He is succeeded at Bothwell by K. M. Taylor, of Perth. R. P. Howden, of the Western Bank Tilsonburg, has been transferred to Whitby.

John J. Lonely, 12 years old, while attempting to slide a heavy case of staves down a steep bank at Margaret's book store, Windsor, on Friday, lost his footing and fell to the bottom. The case of staves followed and struck the boy, breaking his thigh bone and causing other injuries. Dr. Samson attended him.

Montreal Herald: Mr. Lionel Dohak, of "The Iron Works," has returned to Montreal from Berlin, Ont., where he has spent several months. Mr. Dohak has been undergoing a course of treatment for stammering under Dr. W. J. Amott, of Berlin, who has been successful in this case, and an absolute cure has been effected.

There passed away at his home where the other day a respected resident of Oxford County, in the person of Mr. W. H. Emerson, father of Mr. R. Emerson, of Ingersoll. Deceased had attained the ripe age of 83 years. Besides a widow, Mr. Emerson is survived by the following family: Richard, of Ingersoll; Emma, Anna and Emily, at home; Mrs. Emma, Meta, of Ingersoll; Mrs. M. V. Vanling, of Ingersoll; Mrs. M. V. Vanling, of Ingersoll; Mrs. M. V. Vanling, of Ingersoll; Mrs. M. V. Vanling, of Ingersoll.

STEARNS ARRIVED. Sent to the following ports: From Berlin..... Father Point..... London Balfour..... Father Point..... Glasgow Balfour..... Liverpool..... Montreal Kron Prinz Wilhelms..... Bremen Hoboken..... New York..... Bremen Laurentian..... New York..... Glasgow Lake Megantic..... Belle Isle..... Liverpool Oceanic..... Liverpool..... New York Desland..... Antwerp..... New York Kaiser Wilhelm..... Bremen New York Bohemian..... Liverpool..... New York Westland..... Owenstown..... Philadelphia Mosha..... London..... New York

Work is to be started immediately on a 25-mile railway to connect Gwelo and Saluwa, Rhodesia.

NEW BATTERIES AT KINGSTON, JA.

Britain Strengthens Her West India Stations.

VICTORIA'S CRISIS CONTINUES

Martial Law in Cape Colony Repeated—French Minister of Marine Makes a Fiery Speech.

London, Sept. 17.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Kingston, Jamaica, says the construction of a new battery of 6-inch guns has been commenced at the eastern extremity of the harbor there. This forms part of the general scheme for strengthening the British naval station at Port Royal in anticipation of the completion of the Panama canal. Another battery the dispatch says will be constructed on the Fallades sand spit.

The British authorities are exhibiting unusual activity in connection with fortifications in the West Indies, with the view to strengthening the strategic positions there against any eventualities consequent upon the construction of the Panama canal.

These efforts are not only confined to the improvement of the defenses on British islands, but include a careful inspection and analysis of the fortifications of other powers who have territory in the Caribbean Sea.

REPEALED MARTIAL LAW. Cape Town, Sept. 17.—John Gordon, Sprigg, prime minister of the colony, officially announces the repeal of martial law and the proclamation of the peace reservation act, which enables the Government to control the possession, importation and registration of all arms and ammunition.

An order has been placed in England, says a Johannesburg correspondent, for 104 coaches, 33 engines and 250 steel coal trucks for Central South Africa.

PELEE IS QUIETER. Martinique, Sept. 17.—Growth from Mount Pelee are finally diminishing. The volcano is still in eruption, but its activity is now insignificant. All necessary measures to assist the sufferers have been taken by the Government.

The native population is calming down. It is the opinion of cool observers that Fort-de-France is in no way menaced, even if the dreaded tidal wave comes.

THE AUSTRALIAN CRISIS. Melbourne, Victoria, Sept. 17.—Following the dissolution of the Victorian Parliament, in consequence of an adverse vote on the Government's schemes for retrenchment, Premier Irvine issued a manifesto appealing to the electors to prevent their own servants from paralyzing the administration. He said that in order to avoid a serious deficit, the Government decided on a graduated reduction of the salaries of public servants, and that thereupon the mass of the state employees became rebellious, a strike on the state railroads was openly organized and in consequence of the pressure brought to bear on them by the malcontents, the assemblymen voted against the Government.

A PIERY FRENCHMAN. Bizerta, Tunis, Sept. 16.—M. Pelletan, the French minister of marine, made a remarkable speech at an entertainment at Munich yesterday evening. After pointing out the importance of Bizerta as a bulwark of France, M. Pelletan proceeded: "We do not say we want to make the Mediterranean a French lake. We have been cured of the dreams of the great man who wished us to dominate the world. But part of the Mediterranean is French, and will remain French. With this powerful rampart, so well situated for defense and also for attack, and with Corsica and Toulon, we can hold the open door between the two halves of the Mediterranean, in spite of Malta and Gibraltar. Certainly I do not desire a conflict of peoples against England any more than against Italy; but as we do not know what others are doing, it is part of our duty to prepare for the holy war, the French fatherland against its enemies, whoever they may be. I am convinced, thanks to the fellow-workers with whom I am surrounded, that we can face every eventually. Security hardly exists any more for the civilized world. At the end of the nineteenth century, after the defeat of France by the barbarism of old Germany, we saw an offensive return of the law of brute force, the whole world seemed to be dominated by the maxim, 'might before right.' We must then devote all our efforts to keeping intact that focus of justice and right—French genius."

WILHELMINA OPENS PARLIAMENT. Queen Wilhelmina opened the States General in person yesterday at The Hague. She appeared to have completely recovered from her illness. She was accompanied by her husband, Prince Henry, and the queen mother. The Queen's reference to foreign affairs in the speech from the throne was confined to the statement that the relations of the Netherlands with foreign powers continued very friendly.

TURNED ON THE PRETENDER. Madrid, Sept. 17.—Senor Adelantado, the Carlist leader, who was recently

disowned by Don Carlos, has turned on the pretender to the Spanish throne, and in an open letter declares that everything he did with the view of organizing a Carlist uprising was authorized by Don Carlos, whose behavior is disgracing him after using him, Senor Adelantado, indignantly denounces.

MANEUVERS CLOSED. Kursk, Russia, Sept. 17.—The Great Russian army maneuvers closed yesterday. The czar, the grand dukes, and four thousand officers subsequently lunched together on the maneuver ground. His majesty toasted the troops who participated in the operations.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

"SAN TOY" NEXT WEEK. In "San Toy," which is to be presented at the Grand next Thursday by the Augustin Daly Musical Comedy Company, the first setting represents a street in Pynka, Pong, a supposed city in China, and the second a hall in the Emperor's palace at Peking. Both of these scenes offer unlimited scope for the scenic artist, and it is said that this advantage has not been neglected.

FASTS SEVEN DAYS. Athlete Lives and Works on Diet of Water Only for a Week. Louisville, Sept. 17.—Louis Kiefer, a Louisville athlete, has just completed a fast of seven days with no ill-effects. A gallon of water a day was his only stimulant. Kiefer is 29 years of age and a salesman for the J. M. Robinson-Norton Company. He is a member of the Young Men's Hebrew Association.

Kiefer says he has been studying physical culture and made up his mind that if Bernard McFadden, editor of Physical Culture, could fast for a week, so could he. The second day he was very hungry, but the third day the gnawing in his stomach was entirely gone, though he suffered from dizziness. However, Kiefer continued at work each day and at night until 10:30 o'clock.

STRAW HATS ON 'CHANGE. The Brokers' Annual Raid on the Trappings of Summer. New York, Sept. 16.—Straw Hat Day, Sept. 15, historic in stock exchange annals, but which has in some years of warm September weather failed of observance, was celebrated with all its old-time vigor yesterday. More than 50 specimens of summer headgear, ranging from "genuine Panama made under water on the isthmus," to trophies which had cost a dime and come from push-carts, were taken from the members that wore them and destroyed. About an equal number of light summer office coats were torn into strips, and a lot of fun while the destruction was in progress.

H. P. Frothingham, who probably has loaned more money in Wall street than any other man, lost a linen duster and a straw hat.

B. M. Baruch lost a hat and nearly got fined by the chairman.

J. A. Eliot lost a coat and Henry S. Sternberger lost a hat and had his coat torn off, exposing to view what looked like a red and white pajama blouse.

STRIKE—FRANCHISE LOST. Flon Falls Trustees Annual Railroad Company's Franchise. Flon Falls, N. Y., Sept. 17.—President Yarter and Trustees Taylor and Carpenter, a majority of the board of trustees of Sandy Hill, held a special meeting Monday and annulled the franchise of the Hudson River Valley Railway Company for having violated its provisions in not having run cars for more than two weeks. One car containing 50 officials and deputy sheriffs ran from Stillwater to Fort Miller, and then, like the king's army, ran back again. There was no opposition at any point, but no other attempt was made to operate the road.

The management is rapidly losing public sympathy because of its failure to attempt the operation of the road. Nearly as many deputies have been sworn in as there are strikers, and, with the strike-breakers on hand, outnumber them.

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 17.—Several cars were started on the Hudson Valley Railway, running to Schuylerville, Watertown, Stillwater, Saratoga and Ballstown. There were no deputies on hand. Each car was manned by deputy sheriffs. The strikers expect to win in court on the question whether the road can be operated by inexperienced men.

Baby Drowned in a Tub. Amrion, Ont., Sept. 17.—Bessie, the 1½-year-old daughter of Horace Wilson, of this town, was drowned yesterday morning by falling into a tub of water while playing in the yard.

Age 103 Years. Guelph, Sept. 17.—Mrs. Smith, relict of the late George Smith, one of the pioneers of Eramosa, died here at the age of 103.

Monkey Brand Soap cleans kitchen utensils, steel, iron and tinware, knives and forks, and all kinds of cutlery.

The number of churches in Chicago, according to the city directory for 1902, is 668.



Here's a Warm Bargain—A specially large White Wool Blanket, size 66x86, nice soft finish, pink or blue borders. In reality the best blanket we have ever offered at \$2.50 the price. Now is your time. Per pair only..... \$2.50

New Swell Fall Dress Goods Novelties, Rare Silks, Stylish Jackets, Etc., Etc.

OUR almost complete display of attractive new fall goods is now ready, awaiting your admiration and very enthusiastic reception. Without hesitation we pronounce it the most magnificent showing of reasonable goods we have ever invited you to see, including as it does an immense line of the most popular novelties and best staples—an exposition of fashionable goods that will be admired by all who have a liking for beautiful things. We do not remember a time when new goods have been so decidedly attractive—the weaves so unique—the color combinations so handsome—nor when it was more difficult to picture in words their real beauty. AND NOTE—It is not the business policy of this satisfactory store to advance the price of goods because they are new and novel, but rather to be satisfied with less profit and thus give a greater number of people the satisfying pleasure of what is strictly new, stylish and attractive.

We Extend a Pressing Invitation to Call and Inspect These Good Things.

Beautiful Camel Hair Zibiline for Autumn Dresses. At 65c yard—Elegant Camel Hair Mottled Goods, dashed with white, in beautiful shades of rose, veseda, gray, brown and blue. Our very low price..... 65c. At 75c yard—Beautiful Zibiline in soft finish and all the seasonable colorings. You'll be surprised at the good value for only..... 75c. At \$1.00 yard—Camel Hair Zibiline, invisible stripe effect, newest goods shown in the land; in colors of green, gray and brown. Don't fail to see it. Great value at..... \$1.00. At \$1.00 yard—Beautiful Heavy Zibiline in great variety of makes, and all the seasonable colorings. The low price marked on these lovely goods will please many..... \$1.00. At \$1.00 yard—Just in a special line of new Canvas Weave Goods, very fashionable, make up handsomely, are good weight; seasonable colorings and our low price is only..... \$1.00. At \$1.25 yard—Zibiline of extra fine make for jacket suits; in gray, blue and two shades of brown. For values see this swell piece at only..... \$1.25

Values in Ladies' Woven Underwear. Ladies' heavy Cotton Vests, long sleeves, suitable for fall wear, extra value at 12½c and..... 15c. Ladies' Pileed Cotton Vests, open front, long sleeves, in white and natural, only..... 25c. Ladies' Fancy Trimmed Union Vests, open front, long sleeves, in two shades, drawers to match..... 50c. Ladies' fine All-wool Vests (Health Brand), long sleeve. Our low prices, 75c and..... 90c. Ladies' Natural Wood Vests, unshrinkable, with drawers to match..... 85c. Also a full line of light-weight Wools, in white or natural, sleeveless and quarter sleeve, high or low neck, each 40c, 45c, 50c, 65c and..... 50c. A special line of Ladies' Black Tights, regular 35c quality, for, the pair, only..... 50c. We are clearing a heavier line of these Black Tights at only, the pair..... 50c. Those desiring special underwear should not fail to see our full range of Dr. Diemel's Linen Mesh, also the Knit-to-Fit Suits, which are sure to please.

Store Closes Every Night at 6 O'Clock. SMALLMAN & INGRAM, 149, 151 and 153 DUNDAS STREET.

TODAY--FIFTH DAY OF The Great Land Sale of building lots in the new survey.

Home-Hurst Sale Positively Ends Saturday, Sept. 27. The Prices of All Lots for the First Seven Days Only Will Be \$112 to \$187 on Installment, \$4 to \$7 Down, Balance \$3 to \$6 Per Month Without Interest.

A real estate sign is usually a finger-board to wealth. It points out the way clearer than anything else can. The man who misses this opportunity to secure a lot in "HOME-HURST" at first cost and easy terms, fails to read "The Signs of the Times," which indicate a sharp advance in real estate values; and in this locality lots must double in value in two years. Why? Look at all the factories in the immediate vicinity, and more building. Get on the ground. Look and study the surroundings. It's the greatest chance you ever had to make money without any risk. The only sure investment is in real estate.

Title Perfect—Free Copy Registrar's Abstract—Free Deeds—No Taxes for 1902—No Notes—No Mortgages—No Interest.

Agents on the Grounds Every Day of the Great Land Sale from Noon Until Dark to Locate Lots.

Remember there are only 68 lots, and \$4 down secures one. Hence, if you want to be sure of getting one, you had better act at once.

A. A. CAMPBELL, Dealer. The Realty OFFICES—The Peoples Building, No. 428 Richmond Street, London, Ont. OPEN EVERY EVENING OF THE GREAT LAND SALE FROM 7:30 TO 9 O'CLOCK.

Advertisement for The Coldest Corner and The "Sunshine" Furnace. Includes an illustration of a furnace and text describing its benefits: "is not too cold to be quickly heated with a 'Sunshine' Furnace. No other heater will extract so much heat from the same amount of fuel, and few others have dampers to which the fire is so obedient. The 'Sunshine' Furnace is simple to operate, easy to clean, needs very little attention, has self-acting gas dampers, and is in every way a modern heater. Sold by all enterprising dealers. Write for catalogue. McClary's London, Toronto, Montreal, Winnipeg, Vancouver, St. John, N. B.

WM. STEVELY & SON, Agents, LONDON. ADVERTISE in the ADVERTISER

Advertisement for Sunlight Soap. Includes an illustration of a soap box and text: "Washed out"—that soon is the verdict where common soap is used in the laundry. SUNLIGHT SOAP REDUCES EXPENSE. Ask for the Octagon Bar.

WHISKARD'S Three Busy Stores 228, 230, 232 Dundas Street QUALITY IN DRYGOODS

If everyone were a judge of what is good and what is not good in merchandise, a great many drygoods stores would be out of business. Don't always trust the price; it is very often misleading. If you are a judge of merchandise, look at the goods first, then the price. We are willing that you should try the "Three Busy Stores" that way.

Silk Velvet Department.

We are offering 5 pieces of Black Silk Velvet. We won't say what it's worth. What will interest you will be the price. Note, 25 cents yard.

Gents' and Boys' Underwear

Swings into line this week. These chilly nights and mornings remind you that it is time to change from the lighter weights to the warm, comfortable sorts. We are ready to help you make the change at prices we are sure will please you. 50 dozen of GENTS' and BOYS' SHIRTS and DRAWERS, wool fleeced lined, regular 50c garment, or \$1 the suit; our price will be 20c for each garment, or 60c the suit. ALL SIZES IN BOYS, FROM SMALL TO LARGE, 60c the suit. SEE THEM IN OUR EAST WINDOW.

Fur Department.

If you want to buy furs right, buy them at the "Three Busy Stores." Cut prices on all lines. Gray Fur Boas, worth \$3 00, for \$1 50. Electric Seal Capeline, worth \$3 00, for \$1 50. Gray Fur Collarette, worth \$3 00, for \$1 50. Black Thibet Ruff, worth \$5 00, for \$3 39. Electric Seal Capeline, worth \$3 00, for \$1 50. Gray Opossum Capeline, worth \$6 50, for \$3 58 each.

Special Prices For FALL MILLINERY.

Leave your orders. Our work room in full working order.

BATH TOWELS. 20 dozen, regular 12 1/2 cents, for 10 cents each. Black Moire Skirting, 40 inches wide; you pay 50 cents for this; our price 25 cents yard.

A PERFECT STORE SERVICE.

ARE YOU A PRISONER? THOUSANDS of men are prisoners of disease as securely as though they were confined behind the bars. Many have forged their own chains by the vices of early youth. They feel they are not the men they ought to be or used to be. The vim, vigor, and vitality of manhood are lacking. Are you nervous and despondent? Tired in the morning? Have you to force yourself through the day's work? Have you little ambition and energy? Are you irritable and excitable? Eyes sunken, depressed and lagging? Memory poor and brain fagged? Have you weak back with dreams and lousiness at night? Deposit in urine? Weak sexuality?—you have Nervous Debility and Seminal Weakness. Our NEW METHOD TREATMENT is guaranteed to Cure or No Pay. 2 1/2 years in Detroit. Bank Security. Beware of quacks—Consult old established reliable physicians. Consultation Free. Books Free. Write for Question Blank for Home Treatment. Drs. Kennedy & Kergan, 140 CHELSEA STREET, DETROIT, MICH.

IMPERIAL LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA The average rate of interest earned by the Imperial Life in 1901, on its invested assets, was 5.39 per cent. First and Paramount—Absolute Security to Policy-Holders. GEO. R. HAMILTON, Manager Western Ontario, LONDON, ONT.

Visitors to the Western Fair ARE INVITED TO SEE The Cowan Company's Exhibit in the Main Building, and taste their choice Cocoa. GOWAN'S PERFECTION COCOA Is Absolutely Pure. Advertise In The Advertiser

RAPID TRANSIT TUNNEL Has Cost to Date \$21,000,000 and Twenty-Four Lives. Structure Estimated To Be Bt Three-Fifths Completed.

New York, Sept. 16.—After an expenditure of \$21,000,000 and the sacrifice of 24 human lives, the rapid transit subway, under construction in this city, is, according to the World, exactly three-fifths completed. This statement of the stage of progress is based on data compiled in the office of Chief Engineer Parsons.

It is estimated that the task will occupy another year at least. The men in charge of the work say that after millions of people have been walking, driving and riding in street cars for two years on the brink of an excavation extending for miles through the city, and thousands of men have been employed in hazardous underground work, the wonder is that the list of victims is not much larger.

BEGGAR HAD BIG ROLL Paid \$5 Fine From a Roll of Bills Amounting to \$250.

Detroit, Sept. 16.—John Mulholland, who says his residence is nowhere in particular, was before Justice Whelan this morning on a charge of disorderly conduct. He was found on Magnolia street begging bread. He is a big, hearty man, and in nearly every place was given the icy hand. When searched at this morning he was found with a roll of bills amounting to \$250.

IN BAD COMPANY A New York Millionaire and Diplomat Fatally Hurt in a Brawl. New York, Sept. 16.—Nicholas Fish, millionaire, diplomat and descendant of one of the best known American families, died at the Roosevelt Hospital early this morning as the result of an injury received in Erhardt's saloon, 205 West 34th street yesterday. Whether he was murdered or fell, the police have not determined.

TEARFUL Trembling, frightened, she knew not why. Between her sons she tells her husband of her misery. It is not enough for the husband to comfort the wife in this condition, she needs help. In those early days when the shadow of maternity first begins to fall upon the woman she is often nervous, sleepless, without appetite, and full of vague fears.

Alleged Cattle Thief Caught. Flint, Mich., Sept. 16.—Chief Carton arrested Fred Butler, of Strathroy, Ont., charged with cattle stealing. The prisoner admits his guilt, and says he will go back without a requisition. Western Wheat Crop. Winnipeg, Sept. 16.—The weather this morning is generally cloudy and cool. Advice from the West show that the crop returns a heavy yield. Labor is very scarce. Quebec Bye-Elections. Montreal, Sept. 17.—Three bye-elections will be held in the Province of Quebec on Oct. 5. Nomination of candidates will take place Sept. 25. The elections will be in the counties of Soulanges, Stanstead and L'Islet. At the last election the constituencies returned supporters of the present Government. Hon. F. G. M. DeLoche, who represented L'Islet, was minister of Agriculture; Mr. Woodville represented Stanstead, and Mr. Avila G. Bourbonnais, Soulanges. In each case the vacancy was caused by death.

WHITE GLOVES FOR JUDGE There Were No Criminal Cases at Essex Fall Assizes.

Windsor, Sept. 16.—The Essex fall assizes opened yesterday afternoon at Sandwich before Chief Justice Falconbridge. As there were no criminal cases on the docket Sheriff Hill, as is the usual custom, presented the chief justice with a pair of white gloves. In the case of Henry vs. Ward, E. S. Wigley, solicitor for the defendant, claimed that he was not ready and asked that the trial be laid over. The court decided that the case was listed at the last court to come up at the present sittings and that it was not necessary for plaintiff to give the usual notice of trial. He will try the action and the defense will have to get ready or pay all expenses incurred by plaintiff.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS. A meteor was seen at Stratford and other western points at 6 o'clock Sunday morning. A mad soldier in a theater in Malaga, Spain, shot and killed seven persons before being himself killed by the police. The coal bunkers and briquette factory of the Tesla Coal Company, Puzos, Misal, has been destroyed by fire. Loss, \$300,000.

ODDFELLOWS' OFFICERS R. E. Wright, of Altona, Pa., Elected Deputy Grand Sire. Des Moines, Iowa, Sept. 17.—R. E. Wright, of Altona, Pa., was yesterday elected deputy grand sire by the Sovereign Grand Lodge of Oddfellows in session here. He was chosen after a spirited contest, defeating W. S. Nye, of Minneapolis. E. S. Conway, of Chicago, and Massena Bullard, of Helena, Mont.

PEARY HEARD FROM The Explorer Is on His Way Home—All on Board Well. New York, Sept. 16.—Herbert Bridgman, secretary of the Peary Arctic Club, has received a dispatch from Lieut. R. E. Peary, the Arctic explorer, dated Chateau Bay, Labrador. Lieut. Peary says in the dispatch that he is on his way home on the relief ship Windward, and that all on board are well. Peary sailed with his expedition to the north pole July 4, 1898. Mr. Bridgman left Lieut. Peary at Cape Sabine on the 29th of August, 1901.

SWEATING OF THE FEET "Foot Elm" Checks the Excessive Perspiration and Destroys the Disagreeable Odors. A good many people suffer from excessive perspiration of the feet, armpits and other parts of the body. Not only is the perspiration an inconvenience in itself, but on account of the musty and sour odor that results, it is a source of great distress and discomfort. "Foot Elm" dusted in the shoes, or wherever the perspiration is troublesome, allays the excessive activity of the sweat glands, prevents disagreeable odors, cools, soothes and sweetens. Price, 25 cents a box at all druggists or by mail.

HEALTH UNDERWEAR stamped on every garment, insures you genuine health underwear. The most perfect, most healthful, most delightfully comfortable underwear made. Endorsed by physicians. For Men, Women and Children. See the advertisement in this issue. Do not take a substitute.

THE YUKON GOLD FIELD Has Produced \$80,000,000 in the Past Five Years.

Botanical Survey of the District—Growth of Dawson Exceptional. Toronto, Sept. 17.—George Anderson, trade commissioner of the Canadian Government to the Yukon, says: "The output of gold during the five years since it was first discovered, amounted to about \$80,000,000. It is estimated by the best authorities of Dawson that the production this year will be from \$11,000,000 to \$12,000,000, which is \$5,000,000 less than last year. I am not at all pessimistic," says Mr. Anderson, "about the future, as, with the improved methods of mining which have been introduced, the output from the placer mines will continue for a considerable period, and if gold-bearing quartz should be discovered, of which the best men in Dawson are very hopeful, will give permanency to the camp, and a great impetus to the business of the district."

VEGETABLES IN YUKON. Ottawa, Sept. 16.—Prof. John Macoun, chief Dominion botanist, has returned from the Yukon, where he made a special botanical survey of the district. He says the climate is little understood in the east. The growth of the plants in the Yukon is exceptional. All vegetables grown in the east grow in the Yukon except potatoes and onions. As yet potatoes have grown large but not good, and onions have been a failure. As regards the future of the country, Prof. Macoun says the day of individual placer mining is passing away, but the day of the large quantity of low grade deposits which capital can develop is just beginning.

EDUCATIONAL THE MISSES WESTCOTT'S SCHOOL, 441 Ridout street, London, opens Sept. 8. Board and tuition, music and French, total annum, \$35. MARRIAGE LICENSES LICENSES ISSUED BY THOMAS GILLEAN, Jeweler, 402 Richmond street. MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY W. H. Bartram, 99 Dundas street. OFFICIAL ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, C. D. Johnston, 148 Dundas street, residence, 281 Dundas street. MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY John J. Jenson, druggist, 49 Wellington street, residence, 24 Pall Mall, Phone 579.

MUSICAL INSTRUCTION. G. B. SHIPP, ORGANIST AND CHOIR MASTER, St. Paul's Church, East London. No witnesses required. MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED AT Strong's Drug Store, 184 Dundas street, residence, 285 Dufferin avenue. ST. JOHN HYTTENRAUCH-PUPILS received for piano, harmony, sight singing, history. Residence, 431 Richmond, or homes of pupils. CHARLES E. WHEELER, ORGANIST and choirmaster, St. Andrew's Church, teaching resume, piano, organ, harmony and singing, 60 Wellington street, Phone 1527.

HOTEL CARDS. HOTEL NORMANDY, 43 AND 43 1/2 Richmond street, corner of Queen and cigars, T. F. Lewis, proprietor. OFFICE HOTEL AND RESTAURANT—Excellent lunch counter, only one in city. W. J. Wright, proprietor. ROYAL HOTEL—OPPOSITE G. T. R. depot. Central location. First-class in every respect. Louis Risk, proprietor. THE ST. LAWRENCE HOTEL, MONTEAL—Centrally located, first class in every respect. H. Hogan, proprietor.

Lee Hing Laundry Telephone 1344, 467 Richmond Street. SHIRT COLLARS IRONED STRAIGHT so as not to hurt the neck. Stand-up collars ironed without being broken in the water. Ties done to look like new. Give me a call. If you are not suited, no pay. Washing returns to the laundry. Hand work. Best in the city. Parcels called for and delivered.

THIS ADVERTISEMENT CHANGES EVERY DAY 176-178 Dundas Street, London, Wednesday, Sept. 17, 1922. Choice Candies, 5c Half Pound.

Fresh, choice, delicious Candies, about 47 different varieties; in fact, every Candy on our Candy counter, and the counter is just laden with them. Well, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week selling for 5c half pound. See them in our window. Here are some of the kinds: Chocolate Drops, Myrna Figs, Persian Creams, Maple Walnut Topp, Wafers, Cherry Top Bonbons, Cream Almonds, Walnut Comforts, Grecian Jellies, Chocolate Walnut Creams, Starlight Creams, Mapietinas, Creams, Cream Crest, Cream Dates, Peppermint Creams, Cocoa Bonbons, Variegated Jellies, Peppermint Creams, Peppermint Fruit Dips, and about 27 other different varieties, including a big line of fine Chocolate Candies, and best of all, the price is only 5c half pound. Boodle Bags for the children, at each 1c

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HANDSOME PILLOW SHAMS, 49c EACH. Beautiful Roman Embroidery Pillow Shams, usually sold at 65c each. See other lines of Fancy Goods in our window.

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A Lesson from Australia.

The state of Victoria, Australia, is facing a crisis, in which other governments may find a lesson. The ministry, in their attempt to make reductions in civil service expenditure, found the opposition in the Legislature so strong that they resolved on a dissolution and an appeal to the people. This is the culmination of the spendthrift policy pursued in all the Australian colonies. The Government of Victoria has been excessively paternal and disposed to lend crutches to a good many enterprises, which in other countries would be left to the unaided individual. One effect, undoubtedly, has been to cultivate a popular habit of looking to the state for aid or employment. The railways are owned and operated by the Government, a good principle, but liable to grave abuses in practice. It has created a large civil service, which has been able to wield a powerful influence in shaping legislation affecting its own interests. Many unprofitable extensions of the railway system have been made to placate small municipalities, the Government, of course, having an eye to votes. While the country was prosperous, public funds were spent freely, and there was no general grievance. But these are hard times in Australia, and the Government of Victoria is feeling the pinch. The sober opinion of the state realizes that the era of extravagance must be closed, but against any policy of retrenchment is arrayed an overgrown civil service, acting as a unit, and throwing its weight into the political scale. So far it has succeeded in blocking the way in Parliament, but the ministry is firm, and will not doubt be vindicated in the next election. The result will have a deep interest for all English-speaking communities, as the Australian colonies have been the pioneers in socialistic legislation, by the success or failure of which other countries may profit. Victoria has landed in difficulties, but it is too early to pronounce upon an experiment until it has been thoroughly worked out.

Soft Coal for the Furnace.

Many householders are laying in supplies of soft coal to guard against a hard coal famine. There is no likelihood of such a thing—the present situation cannot last much longer—but the price of anthracite, while it will probably fall when the mines resume, will remain sufficiently high to cause soft coal to be largely used as a substitute. Soft coal ignites very quickly, dies down with equal facility, and needs constant maintenance even a measurably constant fire. In these respects it more resembles wood than anthracite, but it burns very nearly as well in an anthracite range as in one built for a market where only soft coal is used as a domestic fuel. In an anthracite heating furnace, soft coal needs to be treated very differently from anthracite, but the difference consists in the management of draughts and checks. In the feed door of every furnace there is a slide damper to admit air over the fire. When anthracite is used this is opened only if it is desired to deaden the fire and lower the temperature of the house. With soft coal it must be left open all the time. The great volume of gases evolved from it in the cooking process, which is the first stage in its combustion, calls for more air than can be had through the body of fuel, and unless this is supplied above the fire the greatest value of the fuel is lost up the chimney in unconsumed gases. Too much air for good combustion can be admitted over the fire, but it is not likely to be the case if the slide damper in the feed door of a furnace built for anthracite is left wide open all the time. The draught opening in the ash pit door, on the other hand, needs to be less widely and continuously open than for anthracite. With the same amount of bottom draught which it is customary to give hard coal, soft coal would simulate the combustion in a blast furnace and call for constant stoking. The householder must also remember that the check draught in the smoke pipe, which with anthracite is usually kept open in moderate weather, cannot be opened much if any, with soft coal, or the house will fill with smoke. The best way is to leave it closed altogether. With the attention to these details, which reverse the customary practice with anthracite, a furnace may be run on bituminous coal so as to keep a house entirely comfortable. It will be found difficult, if not impossible, to keep either a range or furnace fire over night with soft coal unless one has a watchman on duty to look after it. As an offset to this, however, we have the ease with which a fresh fire of soft coal may be lighted, and its almost instantaneous response in heat-imparting efficiency. It kindles nearly as easily as shavings, and the coke of the previous fire does not have to be removed from the fire pot. All that is necessary is to shake down the fine ash, and make the new fire upon what remains. With a little judgment, one having a small supply of anthracite available, may run his furnace through the day and evening with soft

coal, and by adding anthracite at night have a fire in the morning. But with no anthracite at all, he can, with a little more trouble than he is accustomed to, keep his house comfortable with soft coal.

A Growing Sentiment.

A significant straw on the current of American politics is the decision of Hon. D. B. Henderson, speaker of the House of Representatives, not to reoffer as a congressional candidate for the third district of Iowa, although renominated by acclamation. In a letter yesterday to the district Republican committee, Mr. Henderson, who is opposed to a revision of the tariff, says:

"Since my return to the district I have made a careful study as to the sentiment in the district and state and I believe there is no little sentiment and a growing sentiment, among Republicans, that I do not truly represent their views on the tariff question. Believing this condition to exist and knowing that I do not agree with many of my people's trusts, to which I am and have been opposed, can be cured, or the people benefited by free trade, in whole or in part, I must decline to accept the nomination so generously and enthusiastically made."

This is supplemented by an interview in which he says: "You cannot kill the trusts by applying free trade without killing our industries. The foreign trusts are fighting the American trusts, and I don't believe, for the purpose of controlling American trusts, we should make a market for foreign trusts, thereby crushing out industries of this country."

Mr. Henderson has been in Congress for 20 years. He is one of the foremost Republicans and public men of the country, as his selection for the speakership attests. He would become President of the United States in the event of Roosevelt's death, which, by the way, nearly happened in the trolley collision a few days ago. When a man of such eminence declines to risk a contest in a strongly Republican district and state, it may be taken for granted that tariff reform sentiment is all-powerful there. The Republican state convention of Iowa declared that it favored "any modifications of the tariff schedules that may be required to prevent their affording a shelter to monopoly." But the Republican bosses refuse to take the handwriting on the wall, and it is safe to predict that the tariff will not be touched to any extent so long as there is a Republican majority in the senate. The congressional elections this fall will turn largely on this question and the Democrats are counting on heavy gains.

The weather is still with us. This would be a good day to take London's census.

Mr. Tarte has energy to burn and he's burning it.

The coal strike is a typical case for compulsory arbitration.

The Kaiser must be a great soldier. In the German army maneuvers, the corps that he headed beat the enemy every time.

The Ontario Municipal Association is considering the proposal to fund the debts of the municipalities, so as to secure better (?) terms in the money market. This might be a bonanza for a town paying 5 or 6 per cent. on its debentures, but what about London, Toronto, Ottawa and Hamilton? The association was on less debatable ground in declaring for the compulsory arbitration of street railway labor disputes.

The Toronto Star calls attention to the group of Canadian writers furnishing some of the best current magazine literature. It includes Bliss Carman, Charles G. D. Roberts, Theodore Roberts, Peter MacArthur, Arthur Stringer, Arthur Homing, Harvey O'Higgins, B. C. White, B. Cory Killip, Arthur McFarlane and Norman Duncan. Arthur Stringer and Harvey O'Higgins are London boys and Peter MacArthur's home is Appin. There is no more brilliant literary colony in New York than the Canadian.

A "Sure Thing."

[New York World.] Mrs. Shortmoney—I wonder what the dressmaker's convention will do? Mr. Shortmoney—Do? I know. They'll do a lot of us unsophisticated poor husbands, as they always do.

No Precedent.

[Washington Times.] Sunday School Teacher—Why, Willie Wilson? Fighting again? Didn't last Sunday's lesson teach you that when you are struck on one cheek you ought to turn the other to the striker? Willie—Yes; but he hit me on the nose, and I've only got one.

Marigolds.

[Bliss Carman.] The marigolds are nodding; I wonder what they know? Go, listen very early; You may persuade them so. Go, be their little brother, As humble as the grass, And lean upon the hill wind, And watch the shadows pass.

Put off the pride of knowledge, Put by the glare of pain; You may be counted worthy To live with them again.

Be Darwin in your patience, Be Chaucer in your love; They may resent and tell you What they are thinking of.

Unmistakable Signs.

[Hamilton Times.] With snow at Mount Brydges, Ont., and frost in Saxony, it needs no reference to the hedge-hog or the goose bone to decide that an early winter and a big coal bill are coming.

"It's Wuth It."

[New York Times.] The venerable Bishop Williams of Connecticut, for many years presiding bishop of the Episcopal Church in

Poems the World Has Read.

The Country Parson.

[Oliver Goldsmith.]

Near yonder copse, where once the garden smiled, And still where many a garden flower grows wild; There, where a few torn shrubs the place disclose, The village preacher's modest mansion rose. A rustic was to all the country dear, And passing rich with forty pounds a year. Remote from towns he ran his godly race, Nor e'er had changed, nor wish'd to change his place; Unpractis'd he to fawn or seek for power, By doctrines fashion'd to the varying hour; More skill'd to raise the wretched than to please, His house was known to all the vagrant train; He bid their wanderings, but relieved their pain; The long remember'd beggar was his guest, Whose beard descending sweep'd his aged breast; The ruin'd spendthrift, now no longer proud, Claim'd kindness there, and had his claims allowed; The broken soldier, kindly bade to stay, Sat by his fire, and talk'd the night away; Wept o'er his wounds, or tales of sorrow did his eyes incessantly convey; And thus his sorrows, and his woes, and pains, A kinder cure than medicine he did gain; His pity gave ere charity began, Thus to relieve the wretched was his plan; And when his fallings lean'd to virtue's side, But in his duty prompt at every call,

He watch'd and wept, he pray'd and felt for all; And, as a bird each fond endearment tries To tempt its new-fledged offspring to the skies, He tried each art, reprov'd each dull mistake, Allured to brighter views, and led the way; Beside the bed where parting life was laid, And sorrow, guilt and pain, by turns oppress'd, The reverend champion stood. At his control Despair and anguish fled the struggling soul; Comfort came down the trembling wretch to raise; And his last faltering accents whisp'ring said, At church, with meek and unaffected grace, Hee'st adorn'd the venerable place; Truth from his lips prevail'd with double force, And souls who came to seek remain'd to pray. The service past, around the pious man, With steady gaze, each honest rustic ran; E'en children follow'd with endearing wile, And pluck'd his gown to share the good he taught; His ready smile a parent's warmth express'd; Their raptures pleas'd him, and their cares distress'd; To them his heart, his love, his griefs he gave, But all his serious thoughts had rest in heaven; As some tall cliff that lifts its awful form, Swells from the vale, and midway leaves the storm; Though round its breast the rolling clouds are hurled, Eternally it settles on its head.

CELEBRATION AT ST. JOHN'S

Harvest Festival Was an Enjoyable Affair.

Church Decorated With Products of Orchard and Field.

The harvest celebrations at St. John's Church, London township, have been this year particularly happy and successful. The beautiful parish church, through a generous supply of harvest products, in the form of elegant flowers and rich fruits of the field and orchard, was profusely and tastefully decorated by several willing hands. The services on Sunday were largely attended and joined in heartily. Rev. W. J. Taylor, rector of St. Mary's, was preacher, and delivered two eminently practical and able discourses, full of wholesome lessons suggested by the occasion. Miss Kate Powell sang very effectively a sacred solo at morning and evening services, and the singing of the choir generally was excellent. Liberal thank offerings were made for local church purposes. On Monday evening a harvest musical festival was given by Mr. George Simpson and the splendid St. Paul's Cathedral choir. No less than 50 members, consisting chiefly of men and boys, with a good support of ladies, were present and took part. In addition to hymns, responses, and canticles, which were sung with untold precision, and sweetness, were four anthems—"O Saviour of the World" rendered with fine expression; "But the Lord is mindful of His Own," in which Rev. H. H. Hancock took solo parts remarkably well; "O Give Thanks into the Lord," a pure harvest song and given in right tones, and "The Sun Shall be No More Thy Light," admirably joined in by the whole choir. Besides these were such sacred solos as "Adele with Me" by Mr. Danko; "The Plains of Peace," by Mrs. Hungerford; "Lead, Kindly Light," by Mrs. Sippl; and "Face to Face," by Mr. Hungerford, all much appreciated for their beauty. The duets, "The Lord is My Shepherd," was sung by Mrs. Sippl and Mrs. Hungerford, and encourages marked attention from the large and reverent congregation. The festival closed with Faber's grand hymn, "Hark, Hark, My Soul," in which the congregation joined with the choir. The members of St. John's choir afterwards treated their honored guests to refreshments in the town hall. The fruits and other products used on the occasion were afterward sent to the Home for Aged People.

FLY IN THE OINTMENT.

[Detroit Tribune.] Prosperity is on us. The politician hollers. What difference does it make if coal's ill.

Prosperity is on us— Its blessings we extol; But what's the use of money, When there ain't no coal?

ON AN EQUAL FOOTING.

[Washington Times.] "Yes," boasted an Englishman in the West, "I have Tudor blood in my veins from my mother's side of the family, and Plantagenet blood from my father's."

"Is that so?" said a citizen. "My blood is a little mixed, My grand father was a Jersey tenderfoot and my grandmother was a Digger Indian squaw. We're both half-breeds, stranger. Shake!"

LOOKING UPWARD.

[S. E. Kiser.] Black mourns because he hasn't more: "If I'd as much as Brown," Says he, "I'd be the gladdest man That ever struck this town."

Brown grieves because his income's not: "As large as that of Gray," While Gray is sad because he can't Have what White stacks away.

And thus it is from him who toils Down in the soil, to where The sycophants are ranged around The multimillionaire.

Each fancies he would be content And full of worthy pride, With what the one who's just above Is ever satisfied.

FOR CAUSE.

[Philadelphia Press.] Tess—He said if I didn't accept him his blood would be upon my head. Jess—And so you're content? Tess—Yes, My hair is so light, you know, it would look awful.

THE INEVITABLE RESULT.

[Kingston Whig.] The Standard Oil Trust, whose wealth is the greatest in America, is giving of its means to the formation of a sugar trust. So it goes. The trust idea develops. There may be only one trust eventually, and it may own the earth and all that it contains. That would be Morgan's conception of concentration.

MULOCK'S LEVEL HEAD.

[New York American.] Natural ownership of the nation's highways and the country's natural resources, like coal on which all must live; municipal ownership of street railways, waterworks and lighting plants—all of this in principle is socialistic, in precisely the same way that public ownership of the postoffice, the parks, the streets, the schools is socialistic. And who in this day complains of that kind of socialism?

The socialism that looks to government ownership of all industry, of everything, and the registration of the human race, is a dream, and not an alluring one, to the individual and energetic American.

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WEEKLY REVIEW. The attendance at the market here during the past week has been up to the average for this period of the year.

Butter and Eggs—Butter is coming in more freely, a lot of the offerings are of an inferior quality, prices ranged from 14c to 15c for creamery butter...

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AMERICAN MARKETS

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—Grain trade today was irregular. In the main conditions were against prices. The line wheat market about steady...

TOLEDO.

Toledo, O., Sept. 16.—Wheat—Dull but steady. Corn—Dull and easier. Oats—Dull but steady.

OIL MARKETS.

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SUGAR MARKETS. NEW YORK. Sept. 16.—Sugar—Raw steady, refined, 3c. Centrifugal, 9c. Molasses, 2 1/2c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,500. Including Texas and 4,000 western. Native westerns low; good to prime steers medium...

FINANCIAL STOCK MARKETS.

Table with columns for Stock, Price, and Change. Includes entries for Ontario, Dominion, and various bonds.

EXCELLENT EXHIBITS.

E. Leonard & Sons, Engine and Boiler Manufacturers. Our engine and boiler makers of this city, are running the machinery hall with one of their new PEERLESS SELF-OILING AUTOMATIC ENGINES...

TO PROVE TO YOU THAT CHASE'S OINTMENT IS A...

Chase's Ointment is a certain and absolute cure for each and every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles. The manufacturers have guaranteed its effectiveness in the daily press and ask your neighbors what they think of it.

THOUSANDS OF OUT-OF-TOWN VISITORS ATTEND THE WESTERN FAIR TUESDAY

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which are exceptionally fine. Never was there a better showing of these hardy and beautiful plants than there is this year. The phlox, stocks, zinnias, petunias and dianthus pinks are average in quality and quantity.

There is a very small quantity of made-up work, although Messrs. J. Gammage & Sons have some very beautiful designs, a dinner centerpiece being particularly worthy of notice.

The Sylvester Manufacturing Company was organized for work in Western Ontario under the management of Mr. J. R. Sproule, only three years ago, but in that short time the excellence of their goods has won for them a high reputation among the farmers of this section of Canada.

BUTTER-MAKING COMPETITION

Interesting Feature of Fair Which Attracted Much Attention. The room in the dairy building in which the butter-making competition took place proved quite insufficient to accommodate the number of people who desired yesterday to see the best butter-makers in Ontario operate their churns.

There were seven competitors yesterday: Mrs. Green, Loyal, Miss Heintzman, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Hodder, Mrs. Rogers, Kinsdale, and Mrs. Weeks. The contest was continued this morning and afternoon under the same conditions, and will be further continued. The names of the prize-winners will be made known directly after the close of the competition on Thursday.

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Carriages Attract Attention.

A magnificent array of carriages and cutters of all kinds is shown by Messrs. John Campbell & Sons, of the well-known manufacturers, of the city. Their display includes coupes, epaves, surreys, light and heavy, a full line of traps—Lennox, King Edwards, boulevards and Kennilworths—Mikados, phaetons, atticles and spindlers. Among the latter they show speeders, Gladstones, solid comforts, and piano box sleighs.

Comfort Soap Exhibit.

This year a splendid exhibit centrally situated in the main building. The large number of people attracted by their display join in pronouncing it one of the most interesting on the grounds. This company have for some years offered handsome premiums for a specified number of their soap wrappers.

Nordheimer's Fine Pianos.

Nordheimer & Co. undoubtedly have one of the handsomest exhibits at the fair. Such is the verdict of the thousands of people who yesterday and today saw the beautiful display of this well-known company. The people do not express their opinion in words only, but yesterday the Nordheimer Company sold three of their beautiful instruments, while the Chase and Baker piano player, which was on exhibition, was sold to gentleman from Windsor.

Thousands Were Refreshed.

During the course of the exhibition yesterday thousands of people called at the tastefully decorated booth of Messrs. Cowan & Co., Toronto, in the east end of the building and were refreshed with a delicious cup of hot chocolate. The number of people who desired yesterday to see the best butter-makers in Ontario operate their churns.

Heintzman's Fine Pianos.

"Ye old time of Heintzman" is to the folks here, as ever, with their famous pianos of the most elegant design and workmanship. The Heintzman piano is sought to both east and west, and is the most popular piano in Canada and by all the best musicians in London.

James Wright & Co.

An extremely attractive and well-arranged exhibit is made in the transportation building by one of the most enterprising of London's houses, the James Wright & Co. This firm are wholesale dealers in carriage hardware, etc. They occupy a large space at the south end of the hall, where they are glad to meet their old friends and make new ones.

Blue Ribbon Tea is welcome morning noon and night. Are you drinking it?

Put up Black Mixed & Ceylon Green

Metal may not be deformed repeatedly without at last breaking down, and this is just what has happened with smaller balls. The difficulty herein described, which is inevitable with all ball bearings under weight, whether large or small, is successfully remedied by the bearing shown by the Toronto Roller Bearing Company, in which the bearing surface is made proportional to the weight to be carried.

The directors of the firm include such prominent men as V. H. Lever, of the meeting of the board which was held last evening was taken up with a small quantity of routine work, the awarding committee presented their report, which was adopted. After making a very careful investigation, they decided upon the most meritorious exhibits, and awarded them the gold medal cards, silver medal cards and diplomas.

COULD HARDLY STAND UP

Smith's Falls, Ont., Sept. 15.—(Special)—"For over three years I was afflicted with Kidney Trouble which finally developed in Bright's Disease. My urine was very dark and I lost considerable blood. I kept on getting weaker and worse until at last I was so weak I could scarcely stand."

TO ADVISE DOUKHOBORS

Immense bales of prairie hay form the doorway to the exhibit, and along the railing the vegetable and fruit are arranged, the chief samples being citron, carrots, beets, winter radishes and turnips, all grown in the Northwest, and all very large and perfect specimens.

Peculiar To Itself

In what it is and what it does—containing the best blood-purifying, alterative and tonic substances and effecting the most radical and permanent cures of all humors and all eruptions, relieving weak, tired, languid feelings, and building up the whole system—is true only of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

SENT FOR A CENT

A postcard with your address on sent to John Labatt, London, will bring you in return an interesting booklet about ALE and STOUT, of vital importance to consumers.

Advertisement for Labatt's Ale and Stout, featuring a large illustration of a bottle and the text 'ASK FOR Labatt's (LONDON)'.

Carling's Trade Mark logo and text: 'on Ale, Porter or Lager is an absolute guarantee of purity, age and quality.'

F. H. BUTLER, STOCK BROKER. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions Bought and sold for cash or on margin.

TODAY'S MARKETS

Table of market prices for various commodities including Wheat, Corn, Pork, Lard, and Oil. Includes sub-sections for 'OTHER MARKETS ON PAGE 5' and 'STOCK MARKETS'.

Strong's Baking Powder advertisement. 'Experts Declare This Year's Exhibit Is the Best They Have Yet Seen.' 'Defies all honest competition.'

WEATHER BULLETIN. Probab. Thursday: Fair and Warm; Showers. Includes temperature forecasts for various cities like Toronto, Montreal, and London.

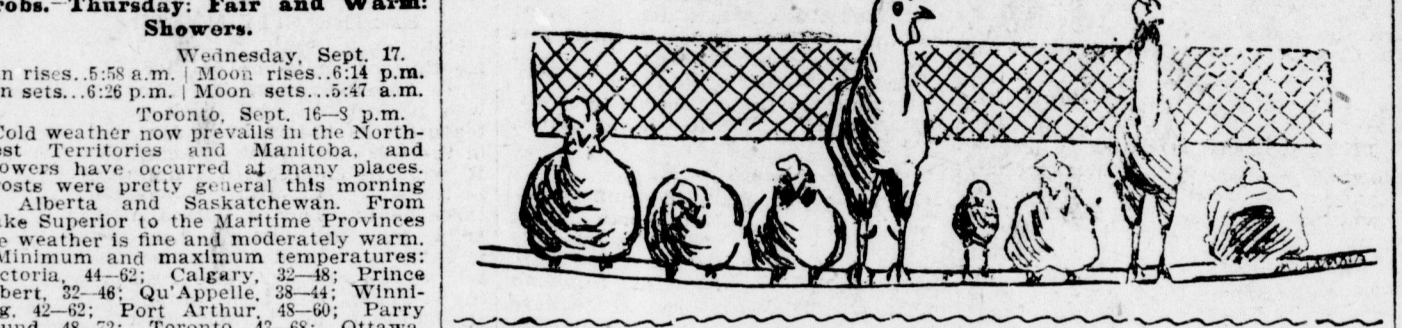
TALES OF LONDON TOWN. Detective John Murray, of Toronto, is in the city. Major J. J. Mason, of Hamilton, is well known in this district.

BEAUTIFUL FUR DISPLAY. Something About the Extensive Stock of Spittal, Sabine & Co. Visitors to the Western Fair who have seized the opportunity to make winter purchases.

BEACHAM'S Pills advertisement. 'Impaired Digestion is quickly corrected by these wonderful pills—One trial will show you the reason for the big sales of Beecham's Pills.'

Fair Visitors 5c Each. ADKINS' Jewelry Store, EAST LONDON. Store near Fair Grounds.

WESTERN FAIR POULTRY OF VERY HIGH QUALITY. Experts Declare This Year's Exhibit Is the Best They Have Yet Seen. The departments of the Western Fair this year are all in advance of those of any previous year.



Dr. Carman Is Still General Superintendent. Rev. G. J. Bond to Edit the Guardian—Mission Representatives. Winnipeg, Sept. 16.—The Methodist General Conference disposed of a large amount of business today.

GOOD WORK AT THE GRAND. "Le Voyage en Suisse" Went Off Smoothly—Bijou Co. at the London. Through the kindness of Mr. T. McCormick, the children of Mount St. Joseph Orphanage spent a most delightful afternoon at Springbank last Thursday.

DEATH OF AN OLD RESIDENT. Mrs. Eliza Haystead, relict of the late David Haystead, died today at the age of 77 years.

IN AND OUT OF TOWN. Mr. C. W. Brown, of Chicago, is visiting his brother, Mr. Jos. Brown, 3 Horn street.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR. A CORRECTION. To the Editor of the Advertiser: Will you kindly allow me space to correct a statement made in yesterday's Advertiser to the effect that on Sunday evening last I issued a challenge to the atheist of the city.

DEATH OF MRS. ARMITAGE. Mrs. Carrie May Armitage, wife of Mr. John Armitage, of the Petrolia barrel works, died yesterday at her residence, Hamilton road, after a short illness.

Victim of Baby Tosser. Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 17.—The 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Richey, of 226 Arch street, died yesterday of spinal meningitis.

INTERRED AT MOUNT PLEASANT. The funeral of the late Mrs. Ann Edwards took place this afternoon to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. The pastor of the Central Methodist Church conducted the service.

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VALUABLE PROPERTY SOLD. Mr. T. F. Kingsmill Purchases Store and Property Vacated by James Wright & Co. The store recently occupied by James Wright & Co., who are moving into their new warehouse, was sold by auction yesterday.

ANOTHER JEWELRY STORE. Mr. Charles R. Sumner Opens Up a Place of Business at 280 Richmond Street. Mr. Charles R. Sumner, a well-known jeweler, who has been connected for nearly fifteen years with Mr. Thomas Gillean, the Richmond street jeweler, has opened up a business stand for himself at 280 Richmond street.

ADDRESSES FOR THE DEFENSE. Mr. Meredith, on behalf of Miss Mayo, began his address to the jury shortly before 11:30. He opened by referring to the course pursued by the crown prosecutor as one fair to both the prisoners. He took issue with Mr. Clute's statement that the British method of choosing a jury was the most perfect on earth.

CASE GOES TO JURY. The case went to the jury about 2:00. The many friends of Miss McNaughton will be pleased to learn that she has returned to the city and will resume business in the parlors formerly occupied by her at Bayley's drugstore, 172-174 Dundas street.

NEW CASES OF CHOLERA. New cases of cholera have developed on the United States transport Sherman. Nearly 6,000 cases have occurred in the Philippines. Hon. John Dryden will go to Brockville today to attend the opening of the fall fair there.

Rich's recompense.

"Thank you, dear," she said, heartily, "I shall arrange these matters and keep them on a souvenir of this day."

ARGONAUT ROWING CLUB TO SEND CREW TO LONDON

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What is CASTORIA

Advertisement for Castoria medicine, describing its benefits for infants and children, including relief from diarrhea and colic.

THE FAC-SIMILE SIGNATURE OF

Advertisement for Dr. C. A. MacDonald Electric Co., featuring a facsimile signature and a list of ailments treated by their electric belts.

Given Away Free!

Advertisement for Dr. C. A. MacDonald Electric Co. offering a free electric belt to subscribers.

IS NOT TAKEN SERIOUSLY

British and Germans Laugh at Pelletan. His Bizerta Speech Classed With "After-Dinner Indiscretions."

RIP VAN WINKLE AROUSED

His Picturesque Bit of Forest Has Been Cut Down. New York, Sept. 17.—The Journal says: A picturesque bit of forest, carefully preserved for many years by Joseph Jefferson, the veteran actor, on his homestead at Hokokus, N. J., has been cut down.

IT MEANS OSTRACISM.

Foul Breath and Aversion. Thousands of People Objects of Aversion. Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder Relieves in 10 Minutes and Cures.

CHAPTER XIII.

When Rich returned home that evening he found Miss Waldemar much better. After he had nursed her for some time he went back to his room and related all that had transpired during the day.

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THE TURF.

AT GRAVESEND. AT KENILWORTH. AT ST. LOUIS. Windsor Race-track, Ont., Sept. 16.—Weather clear; track slow. Results: First race, maiden 3-year-olds and over, 6 furlongs—Hand, Vice, 103 (Ellis), 15 to 1; Little Rock, 104 (Irvin), 2 to 1; Rhine Wine, 102 (H. Wilson), 2 to 1; Time, 1:17.

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O. B. GRAVES, 222 Dundas St.

A Pointer. Have you a headache? Do your eyes trouble you? If so, we can relieve you. Globe Optical Co., 227 Dundas St.

J. Ferguson & Sons UNDERTAKERS. Phone 548 and 573, 180 King St. Reasonable Charges; Personal Attention; First-Class Equipment.

A QUESTION OF LIGHT. Is no trouble to solve when you wire your house for Electric Light. What trouble is saved is soon realized after you get your lights to use it. Ask for estimates. Phone 968.

London Electric Co., 359 Richmond Street.

Expert Advice. Is at your service when purchasing from us. Not only have we a stock of fine Wallpapers of greater range and completeness, but we also tell you how best to use these—a feature just as important as the other.

H. & C. COLERICK, 443 Richmond Street.

INCREASE YOUR BUSINESS by having EFFICIENT TELEPHONE FACILITIES. We will quote you rates on a Private-Branch Exchange System in your Office, Warehouse or Factory.

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USE HUNT BROS.' DIAMOND FLOUR. Ready for use—requires only heating.

R. K. COWAN, BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, ETC., County Bldg., next Court House, London.

H. C. McBRIDE, Architect and Surveyor, 213 Dundas St.

W. S. LOCKHART, House Decorator, Painting, Paperhanging, Residence, Beacomfield, Ayrview.

DON'T BE CARELESS about your plumbing. Sickness and death have often resulted from pipes being out of order. In nearly all cities and towns there are laws enacted to protect citizens from deception, but in London we have none. It is therefore left to your interest to have your work done by responsible parties. Plumbing, Heating and Jobbing. Phone 65.

Smith Bros. & Co., 265 Dundas Street.

FACTS FOR BUSINESS MEN. There is one great point which is more important than any other in advertising, and that is the necessity of keeping at it. Every announcement has some point which will attract attention, but every announcement leaves something to be said afterward. It is important to say that one thing today which is most important for the good of the business, but is equally necessary to say the thing tomorrow which will follow up the saying of today and which will help the business to hold the position already gained or help the establishment to grow a little in the business it is capable of controlling. If the great purpose of the promoter of the business is kept constantly before the attention of the consumer, the one who is pushing the business will realize the advantage of his persistence and get satisfaction from what he is attempting. The business is worth pushing and the promoter of it realizes how necessary it is for him to keep at it. With the work of each day, therefore, the good of tomorrow must be considered; and the merchant will get the best value from his business hustle by pushing in a way that will show people how important a feature of the city's growth that business has become and how necessary it is to have the thing earnestly considered by all. The persistence of the manager will give enthusiasm to all about him, and the good of the establishment will be conveyed by the enthusiasm and persistence in every department.

Perennial Phlox. We have a fine collection of field-grown plants now ready for your garden. GAMMAGE & SONS.

THE CANADA TRUST CO., MANAGED IN CONNECTION WITH THE HURON AND ERIE LOAN AND SAVINGS CO.

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Correspondence and interviews invited. GEORGE A. SOMERVILLE, Managing Director, 442 RICHMOND ST., LONDON.

35c XXX Whitevine Vinegar Per Gal. XXX Cider Vinegar. PURE SPICES. You want nothing but the best for your pickling. We have a full supply, and you can rely on prompt delivery.

THE MARKET GROCERY H. T. JOHNSON, King Street.

OUR NEW COAL AND WOOD YARD. We are now located in our new yard, at G. T. R. AND WILLIAM ST. Will be pleased to see all our customers at the new premises.

WM. HEAMAN & SON Get an INGERSLL WATCH for Your Boy for 80c

C. R. Sumner's Jewelry Store, 380 RICHMOND STREET. Fine watch repairing.

London Advertiser. Phone 1024.

Franco-American SOUP. Ready for use—requires only heating.

HARRY RANAHAN, 515 Richmond Street.

LONDON AND DISTRICT. The Michigan Central carried about five hundred people from St. Thomas to London yesterday.

The Kenwick Male Quartet, of this city, sang Monday night at the C. O. F. garden party at Stratford.

St. Thomas Journal: City coal dealers this morning advanced the price of coal to \$8 per ton, and say that they cannot get a supply even at that price. The stocks in all the yards are very low, with little prospect of immediate replenishment.

LAMOND—HOWDEN. A pretty home wedding took place yesterday at the residence of Mr. S. B. Howden, Watford, when his daughter Gertrude was united in marriage to Mr. James Lamond, of London. Rev. Mr. Downie performed the ceremony in the drawing-room, which was simply beautiful with a profusion of flowers. The bride, who wore a pretty gown of white Persian lawn, was assisted by Miss Mae Armstrong, of Watford, who was also prettily gowned in white. Mr. John C. Elliott, of London, supported the groom. At the conclusion of the ceremony a dainty wedding breakfast was served, after which Mr. and Mrs. Lamond left on a trip to eastern points.

Doctor With 1,500 Patients. At an inquest held on an old man who was found dead in bed at the Renfrow road workhouse, Lambeth, the medical evidence showed that the man had died some seven or eight hours before being discovered. Dr. Easton said there were 1,500 inmates, and he was the only medical officer. The night nurses, each of whom had 300 persons under their care, went through the wards once every two hours. The coroner said: "I cannot see how one medical officer can examine such a large number of inmates. There seems to me to be a false sense of security." The jury expressed the hope that the press would make "this disgraceful state of things known."

Peter Benoit, the Flemish composer, will have a statue in Antwerp.

Cook's Cotton Root Compound. It is especially used monthly by over 10,000 ladies. Safe, effective. Ladies ask your druggist for Cook's Cotton Root Compound. It is a safe, effective, and reliable remedy for all menstrual troubles. Price, No. 1, 10c; No. 2, 15c; No. 3, 20c; No. 4, 25c; No. 5, 30c. Cook's Compound is recommended by all responsible Druggists in Canada.

THE WAGONER LADDER CO., LIMITED. These ladders continue a center of attraction for applemen, farmers, painters, tanners, etc., as well as to all householders. They are unequalled for apple-picking and general use. Firemen and members of fire companies should not miss seeing this company's light fire ladders and fire ladder trucks, probably the best yet produced for towns and villages.

PASSED 15 WORMS. I gave Dr. Lewis' Worm Syrup to my little girl, two and one-half years old; the result was that she passed fifteen round worms in five days.

AMERICAN STANDARD EDITION OF THE REVISED BIBLE. New stock of Bibles just opened out. Great values. St. Andrew's, 183 Dundas Street.

ANDERSON'S 4 PER CENT DEBENTURES. The Ontario Loan and Debenture Company, OFFICE: Cor. Dundas St. & Market Lane, London.

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First Prize Honey. We have secured the exhibit of FIRST PRIZE HONEY at the Western Fair, consisting of over half ton of Sections and Extracted, in all size glasses, and 5 and 10 pound Tins. Honey is very scarce this year, so secure some while our assortment is complete. To be delivered Saturday. Telephone 317. T. A. ROWAT & CO., 234 Dundas Street.

Gold From Africa. New York, Sept. 17.—Fully \$1,000,000 of the gold obtained by the National City Bank from South African sources will leave London today for this port on the steamer Majestic. The balance will follow shortly. Officials of the bank decline to make any explanation of the mechanism by which this gold was diverted from its original destination, except to say that the transaction is a profitable one and without "special features. Intentions from an authoritative quarter indicate that the South African consignments will amount to more than \$2,500,000.

Justice Lount Refuses to Dismiss Graham Case. Think Case Against Dr. Graham Is Weak, However. Dr. James MacArthur, who was also called in by Dr. Graham, gave similar testimony. He was satisfied that the wound on the child's head was caused at the time of delivery. Miss Patricia Murray, formerly lady superintendent at Victoria Hospital, and Miss Mary McVicar and Miss Agnes McDougall, nurses at the same institution, gave evidence as to the birth of the child, the treatment of Miss Kilbourne.

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LABOR CONGRESS AT BERLIN. Decides to Bar Out Knights of Labor—The Reason Why. Berlin, Sept. 15.—The only business transacted this morning at the Dominion Labor Congress was the appointment of the standing committees and the consideration of the report of the special committee on revision of the constitution. They recommended a change in section 3, article 1, to be in force Jan. 1, 1909, from congress representatives from Knights of Labor assemblies. The Knights and their friends put up a strong defense, but the recommended clause was adopted, and being opposed to dual organizations.

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