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LONDON, CANADA, THURSDAY, AUGUST 9, 1900.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

DAY-In this city, on Wednesday, Aug 8, 1900, George Day, aged 73 years. Funeral from his late residence, 47 Ever-green avenue, South London, on Friday, Aug. 10, at 3 o'clock; services at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this inti-Detroit papers please copy.

Amusements and Lectures 10c per line, or 2c per word, each inser-



ROYAL BLACK Knights of Ire-land picnic to Spring-bank, Saturday, Aug. 11. Orangemen of Divisions Nos. 1 and 2 are cordially invited. Games and races for which prizes will be given. Public invit-ed. Sir Knight Robt. Aikens, chairman of committee. Sir K.

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THE FRASER," PORT STANLEY—
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Meetings.

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WANTED - GENERAL BLACK-MITH, good shoer. E. A. Procunier, Belmont. 320

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I OST-FOXHOUND-JULY 20; GENERAL color white: dark head, white face, dark spot at root of tail; on left side large dark spot bebind foreleg, and smaller spot higher up and about middle of body. Liberal reward on return or for information to J. Maopherson, Barrister, 67 Dundas street, or 65 Bruce street. 300

I OST-FOXHOUND-JULY 20; GENERAL shop and tools, business of the late William Sherry. Apply 270 Wharncliffe road, West London.

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FOR ADOPTION-FEMALE CHILD-3 THE MISSES WESTCOTT'S RESIDENT weeks old. Apply 24% Palacestreet. 32c and Day School, 441 Ridout street, reopens Sept. 10.

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TO LET OR FOR SALE-BLACKSMITH shop and tools, business of the late William Sherry. Apply 270 Wharncliffe road, West London. All tenders to be addressed to R. LEWIS, Chairman Hospital Trust, and to be in by the 10th inst. For forms and

particulars apply to J. D. BALFOUR, Superintendent.

Road to Pekin Probably Open

As a Result of the Allies' Victory on Sunday.

feet and pocketbooks with equal Che Foo Reports That the Russians Lost 500 Killed in the Taking of Peitsang-Text of the Imperial Edict for Removal of the Legations to Tien Tsin-More Indian Troops Sent to China-Chinese Destroying the Russian Railroad in Siberia.

> Che Foo, Aug. 7 .- During the en- , escort of the ministers from Pekin to gagement on Sunday, which preceded Tien Tsin, is given out at the Chinese legation, and says in part: "In view of the existence of hostilities between allies, the Russians lost 500 killed, and the British 50. The Germans and lers, caused by the anti-Christian feelings of the Chinese people, we have afforded reasonable protection to the Japanese also lost heavily.

> The road to Pekin is supposed to be legations letters of inquiry and pro-

THE GERMAN COMMANDER.

Berlin, Aug. 9.-The German foreign office says Count Von Waldersee's appointment is to the command of the German forces in China, and that the question as to whether he will command all the international forces has

The foreign office has received the following dispatch from Herr Below, first secretary of the German legation at Pekin, dated Tsin An:

"Since July 21, the situation has been town and neighborhood for a reinholder; tor buggies or farm wagons; sample for 12c in stamps. Apply quick, R. P. Hall. Walker attacks by the troops en masse upon tille Canada. us, nor shell fire, only desultory rifle

FIRST-CLASS AGENT WANTED. \$20 Beyond the official news given out yesweek. Cooper, Drawer 531, London, Ont. terday, the morning papers contain no

The edict of Aug. 2, authorizing the

Houses, Etc., To Let.

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TO LET-TWO-STORY BRICK DWEL-LING, 559 Central avenue, \$8 per month. A. N. Udy, 421 Richmond street. TO RENT-424 PARK AVENUE. ALL modern conveniences. Immediate possession. Apply to J. C. Trebilcock, 235 Dundas

TO LET-OFFICE IN ODDFELLOWS Hall. Apply to R. K. Cowan, Barrister, County Buildings. To LET-ON WESTON STREET, NEW

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TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the council of the Township of Caradoc, up to 6 o'clock p.m., Saturday Aug. 11. for repairs to bridge at Clark's Mill, Caradoc. Plans and specifications can be seen at office of Township Clerk, Mount Brydges. All tenders to be addressed to the undersigned at Mount Brydges, and indorsed "Tender for Clark's Bridge." The lowest or any tender will not be accepted unless satisfactory to the council.

30 k C. H. LOCKWOOD, Township Clerk.

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avoid apprehension of further attack from the rebels before the complete restoration of peace and order in the capital. We have now, on the advice of Li Hung Chang and Liu Kun Yi, to authorize Yung Lu to escort them to Tien Tsin. If there be any rebels en route trying to endanger the safety of the party, the officials have to destroy the rebels at once.' The Chinese legation believes that the members of the foreign legations have not yet left Pekin, but thay they will do so, and declares that the edict would not have been issued had not the foreign ministers signified a willingness to accept the escort. FRICTION.

certain Chinese rebels and foreign pow-

foreign representatives in Pekin, and the Tsung Li Yamen has sent to the

posals for their safe conveyance, un-

der escort to Tien Tsin in order to

The Shanghai correspondent of the LOCOMOTIVE Daily News, writing yesterday, says: "United States Consul Goodnow strongly opposes Admiral Seymour's intention to land 3,000 troops, on the ground that such an act would not 42c FOR A LARGE BICYCLE FOOT
Wanted out at once. All kinds of repairing.
D: McKenzie & Co., 288 Richmond street, one direct, one direct information of importance from China. Thanks to the dispatches of Sir Claude Macdonald and Rear Adtiser.

**The Austrians also The Austrians Austrians The Austrians Austrians Austrians The Austrians T will do likewise. The Austrians also vention of the Brotherhood of Locomowill land men. My personal opinion tive Engineers opened yesterday afterise that the landing of troops here at noon in Association Hall, about 150 engineers opened yesterday aftering the state of the state

mistake. A Shanghai dispatch says: Vice- of importance to transact. Winnipeg Admiral Seymour has arranged with will likely get the next convention. The the viceroy of Nankin for a British brotherhood delegates were tendered a occupation of the foreign settlements reception in the evening, when adat Shanghai.

arrived at Tien Tsu from Apia. "YELLOW NEWS." Daily Chronicle, commenting acter of Chinese "news" printed in some of the London dailies, admits that the charges are only too true traditions of British journalism. It joins in the American protest against trashy sensationalism. Almost all the news in this morning's papers upon which credence is placed comes either

from Washington or direct from British officials.

ostensibly bound for Pekin.

NOT IN IT. Washington, Aug. 9. — The navy dequite a celebrity, for he was nominated partment has received the following for the United States labor commission cablegram from Admiral Remey: "Che by President McKinley. Foo, Aug. 8.—Bureau of Navigation, Washington: Taku, Aug. 6.—Chaffee reports Japanese took Peitsang morneer of the Brotherhood of Locomotive ing of 5th. Engagement over before Engineers.

Americans arrived. Movement probably continued .-- Remey. following cablegram from Gen. Chaf-fee: "Che Foo.—To Adjutant-General, most severe cases of yellow fever here Washington.-Aug. 5.-Peitsang handsomely taken early this morning by seem to improve wonderfully, and pa-Japanese troops, supported by English tients are quickly relieved of black and Americans. Japanese loss considerable; English slight; Americans none. Ground very limited. In the morning American troops occupied a rear position, which was to form a turning movement, but were unable to form in We will cross the Pei Ho to the left bank tomorrow morning and move on Yang Tsun. Consul at Che Foo furnished a copy of dispatch from Tsung Li Yamen on July 30, which he has cabled. (Signed) Chaffee." periment would soon be made in London.

Vienna, Aug. 3.-The commander of the Austrian gunboat Zenta, now in Chinese waters, cabled that Peitsang was captured by the allied forces Aug. 5, and that the Chinese troops fled. He adds that there were no casualties among the 60 men from the Zenta who were engaged.

ENEMY RETREATING. London, Aug. 8.—The British consul at Tien Tsin, under date of Monday, Aug. 6, announces that the Chinese have been expelled from Peitsang and that they are in full retreat.

VERY GRAVE.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 9.-The Chi-

nese situation is considered very grave by the authorities in Washington. receipt of the message from Minister Conger last night, which indicated a continuation of the firing upon the legationers' and the Chinese government's insistence that the ministers should leave Pekin, which Mr. Conger considered would mean certain death, brought matters to an acute stage. As a result of several consultations among cabinet ministers it was announced officially, at the close of the day, that a message to the Imperial Government at Pekin had been delivered to Minister Wu for transmission to his government. The message, according to the best information obtainable, informs the Chinese Government that

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established between this government and its minister in China, and therefore the demands made in the president's reply to the emperor has not been acceded to.

GEN. MILES' VIEWS.

New York, Aug. 9.-Gen. Miles, dlscussing the Chinese situation, said that he regarded it as very serious. "China," he said, "is a bad country for troops to move through. Serious obstacles are to be encountered in forwarding munitions of war and general supplies. I see a force of 15,000 Chinese soldiers are reported to be within a day's march of Tien Tsin, so that it is possible that they will strike in the rear of the rear column and threaten its line of communication. It would be a serious matter were the column out off, as there is no supporting force to rush to its aid." He said the United States should be able to get 5,000 troops into China within a month.

CHINESE DEPREDATIONS. St. Petersburg, Aug. 9.-War office elegrams received here from Eastern Siberia show the Chinese have cam-aged the railroad in several places, interrupting the passage of through trains. Repairs are proceeding. The Cossacks now guard 2,000 versus of the frontier railroads.

ENGINEERS

the present moment would be a grave gineers, with their wives, being in attendance. There is very little business the Shanghai.

The German warship See Adler has and others. This morning the delegates go to Niagara Falls by special train, and in the evening they will be ban-queted by the local division.

upon American criticism of the char-acter of Chinese "news" printed in hood meting, with Mrs. Murdoch, of

Fulton, Ill., presiding. and that the practice of certain papers the whole of America, for its members The brotherhood covers practically in this respect are opposed to the best have satisfactory contracts with 99 per cent of the railway companies of the continent. Since its organization it has paid out \$9,000,000 in benefits, besides having given away in charity, largely to non-members, and in many cases to persons having no claim upon the funds, TO LET-BRICK HOUSE-No. 66 KING INDIAN TROOPS FOR SHANGHAI. almost \$1,000,000, making a grand round, street; \$10 per month. Apply P. Waish, Hong Kong, Aug. 9.—Two detach-benefit of mankind. It has a ladies' ments of Indian troops here have been auxiliary, of which Mrs. W. A. Murnotified to proceed to Shanghai. About doch, of Fulton, Ill., is grand president. notified to proceed to Shanghai. About doch, of Fulton, Ill., is grand president. 3,000 Black Flags left Canton today Mr. F. P. Sargent is grand master of the International Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, a kindred organization. He belongs to Peoria, Ill., and is

> The war department has received the ANTIDOTE FOR YELLOW FEVER. being treated with Bellinzaghis serum vomit and revive from their lethargy.

IN SHELDON'S STEPS. New York, Aug. 9 .- The Rev. C. M. Sheldon, who arrived on the Teutonic yesterday, said, when asked whether he had observed any tendency to conduct British newspapers on the lines of his venture in Topeka, that he had reason to believe that such an ex-

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War Loan, They Say, Should Not Have Gone Out of the Country.

British Canadian Trade Still on the Increase-Movements of Royalty-King Humbert's Funeral,

CREATES COMMENT.

London, Aug. 9 .- The bond issue continues to create comment. The Daily Chronicle quotes Lord Rothschild as saying: "The thing is done and cannot be undone. The government has got the money, and all the argument in the world about the means will not alter the fact. The mistake that government made was in not letting the public know all the facts of the case." After quoting from a finan-cial expert the Daily Chronicle says: "Of course, the stock brokers are furious, because it means the loss of a great deal of money to them. They cet 25 shillings per thousand on allot-ments, and on £10,000,000 that means a

between the Bank of England and the Americans to the effect that payment shall be made in gold. We do not believe that any such agreement has been come to, but we understood that as a matter of fact, over a million will reach London during the next fortnight. If another million or so arrives during the subsequent fortnight, an adequate addition will have been made to the bank's reserve, provided of course, there is no foreign drain.

M. P.S. WROTE TO KRUGER. London, Aug. 9.—"There is reason to believe," says the Standard, in reference to the papers found at Pretoria, "that a communication, signed by certain Liberal members and others, was sent to President Kruger last Septemurging him to concede a five years' franchise, without artificial re-strictions, and assuring him that, if he did so, they would do all they could to assist him in maintaining the independence of the Transvaal. It is believed also that some letters writ-ten by Michael Davitt were discov-ered."

THE ROYAL FUNERAL. Rome, Aug. 8. - The funeral train, bearing the remains of King Hum-bert, left Monza at 4:28 p.m., accom-

Oporto. At 4:45 p.m., the train reach-BRITISH-CANADIAN TRADE. London, Aug. 9 .- Board of trade re-

turns for the month of July show that the imports from Canada include 15,-676 cattle, value £277,383; sheep and lambs, 5,867, valued at £9,731; wheat, 692,300 cwts, £250,424; meal and flour. 139,300 cwts; £67,367; peas, 50,400 cwts, £16,191; bacon, 64,983 cwts, £133,696; hazns, 3,002 cwts, £67,231; butter, 24,694 cwts, £115,306; cheese, 256,064 cwts, £639,127 eggs, 565 great hundreds, £102; horses, 530, £14,587 total imports, £2,836,536; exports, £578,-

The increase in imports from Canada for the seven months of the present year, ending July, were: Cattle, £40,000; wheat, £341,000; oats, £267,-000; bacon, £20,000; hams, £30,000; cheese, £400,000; eggs, £7,000; fish, £108,000. The decreases in imports are: Sheep, £9,000; wheat flour, £141,-000; maize, £204,000; butter, £81,000; hewn wood, £24,000; sawn wood, £100,-The increase in British exports to Canada are: Sait, £14,000; shirts, £17,000; wool, £17,000; cotton piece goods, £107,000; jute piece goods, £12,000; linen piece goods, £20,000; wooden tissues, £102,000; worsted tissues, £51,000; carpets, £46,000; pig fron, £24,000; tin plate, £58,000; wrought steel, £175,000; apron and slops, £15,000; cement, £18,000; seed oils, £30,000; railway iron, decrease, £18.000

ROYALTY'S MOVEMENTS.

Rome, Aug. 9. — King Victor Emmanuel III. and Queen Helena arrived here yesterday. They were received by the ministers, the presidents of the Senate and Chamber of Deputies. many senators and deputies, and all the civil and military authorities. The sovereigns went immediately to the Quirinal. During the passage through the streets the crowds present uncovered their heads.

Monza, Aug. 9.-The widowed Queen Margaret, Princess Maria Pia, the former Queen of Portugal, the Duchess of Aosta, the Duchess of Genoa, Duchess of Oporto and Princes Ferdinand of Genoa and Victor Napoleon left here by special train for Rome yes-

Cower, Isle of Wight, Aug. 9 .- The gloom overhanging Cowes was emphasized yesterday, when the Prince of Walse, who, with the Duke and Duchessess of York and others, arrived here from London today, steamed through the long lines of yachts on board the Victoria and Albert, on which a signal was flying, requesting that no salutes be fired. The royal yacht came silently to anchor, and the fashionable crowd present waited in vain for the prince's appearance at the Royal Yacht Club. His royal highness boarded a launch in the afternoon and went direct to Osborne. It is estimated that Amerlcan yachts worth a million sterling are riding at anchor in view of the club

BRITISH TRADE. London, Aug. 9.-The statement of the board of trade for the month of July shows increases of £328,800 in imports and £1,354,600 in exports.

AMARCHISTS ACTIVE. Antwerp, Aug. 9 .- Autographic placards have been found posted on the walls of public edifices here, notably on civic holiday, exclusive of transfers,

propaganda continues. says Anarchists, many from London, on their way to Paris, have passed through this city shadowed by Eng-

BOER DELEGATES AT BERLIN. Berlin, Aug. 9.—The Boer delegates and Dr. Leyds arrived here yesterday.
They will be received today at the foreign office by Herr Von Der Enhal, Count Von Buelow's representative. It is understood that the purpose of their visit to Berlin and also to St. Petersburg, where they will go next, is to induce Germany and Russia, when peace comes, to try to get some measure of independence for the Boers. CABLE NOTES.

The number of immigrants for Canada from British ports during July was: English, 2,144; Irish, 129; Scotch, 117, and foreign, 5,130.

Canada's History in The English Schools.

In a letter to the London Daily Chronicle, Lord Strathcona refers to the study of Canada in English schools. The letter is as follows:

Sir-The Canadian government very desirous of encouraging the study of the history, geography and re-sources of Canada in the schools of the United Knigdom, and with this object in view has had prepared two books for use in schools-one an Atlas, and the other a Reader about Can-

The books will be supplied in sufficient numbers to schools prepared to take the matter up after the summer holidays. The offer will be confined, The Times says: Rumors are cur- in the first place, to schools in rent that a definite agreement exists rural districts, and in the small rural districts, and in the smaller towns and villages-the centers of agricultural neighborhoods.

It is intended to present a bronze medal for competition in each school. The medal will be given to the boy or girl who proves to be the most proficent in the subjects when the schools close for the Christams holidays. An examination should be held about the time specified and the best two papers in each school forwarded to me, when I shall decide, as soon as posible after they are received, to which of the papers the medal is to be awarded.

The adoption of the proposal cannot fail to be of advantage from an imperial as well as from a Canadian point of view; and nothing but good results can follow a better knowledge of Canada among the rising genera-Both directly and indirectly it ought to be beneficial in a commercial sense, in making the products of Canada better known than at present; and again, the more the rising generation know about Canada and the colonies the more likely are those of them who day. may decide upon emigration in the future to remain within the limits of

I shall be glad to hear from schoolmasters who view the suggestion favpanied by the Duke of Aosta, the orable, and will furnish them with At-Count of Turin and the Duke of lases and Readers, on learning the number required, and the date on which they will be required. The ap-plications will be recorded in order of priority, and will be dealt with on the lines mentioned, until the available supply of the books is exhausted. I am, sir, your obedient servant,

STRATHCONA Office of the High Commissioner for Canada, 17 Victoria street, London, S. W.

ENGINEER GRAHAM.

Of Montreal, Cured of Diabetes by

Dodd's Kidney Pills. Montreal, Aug. 6.-Proof positive and

convincing has been already given in Montreal that Dodd's Kidney Pills are the only sure cure for that dread disease Diabetes. And day dread disease after day fresh evidence comes light, to make the proof more emphatic and convincing. Engineer James Graham, 50 Victoria

square, says: "I suffered with Diabetes for six years. One of our best doctors told me I could not be cured.
"I read of Dodd's Kidney Pills and decided to try them. Three boxes made me well, and I have not suffered from Diabetes since.

Such proofs as this prove the efficacy of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

AT POINT FARM, GODERICH. Among the visitors at the Point Farm, Goderich, who have registered within the past few days are the fol-lowing: Miss Marion D. Fairbairn, Miss Jessie E. Flaherty, Miss Clara M. Flaherty, Mrs. J. C. Buckley, Master Neil, D. Rowen, Miss B. V. Mott, Mrs. K. W. Raper, Detroit; Mrs. Arthur Ardagh, Miss Ottie Ardagh, Mrs. A. Petersen, Miss Gracie Petersen, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dalley, Toronto; Mrs. M. K. Means, Steubenville, Ohio; Stephen Blackburn, Glencoe; A. D. Campbell, Buenos Ayres, South Amerca: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reid. Miss Elma Reid, Master Arthur Reid, Miss Helen and nurse, Miss Mary Macfie, Miss Helen Macfie, Miss Jean Macfie, Miss F. Somerville, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Fraser, Miss Fraser, Miss F. Fraser, A. G. Fraser, Bruce Fraser, A. G. Calder, T. C. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Smithson, Master Earl, Mrs. Carpenter, Baby Shirley and nurse, W. J. Blackburn, A. B. Caswell, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Duffield, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Cowan, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Nicholson, Gordon C. Hunt, W. W. Hunt, London; Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Brock, Miss Eve-lyn, Miss Kathleen, Miss Phyllis, Baby Millicent and nurse, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Heyd. Baby Constance and nurse, Mrs. Wm. Brock, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Waterous, Miss Martha, Master Don-ald, Miss Nellie Ashbury, Mr. and Mrs. James Harley, Miss Annie Master Archie, Master Ewart, Mrs. L. T. Whitehead, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mc-Laren, Miss Annie McLaren, Baby Skinner, Miss Marion Skinner, Miss Greta Crowe, E. H. Harland, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Griffin, Master Campbell, Miss Nora, Baby Jean and nurse,

The number of passengers carried by the Toronto Street Railway Company on the palace of the king and the was 155,000, or 11,000 in excess of last home."

THE ENEMY

Goes On,

Baden-Powell Relieved, But Eland's River Garrison Probably Captured.

Gen. Hutton Praises the Canadians' Good Work-Indications That the Boys Will Soon Be Coming Home.

London, Aug. 8-11 p.m.-Lord Roberts fears that the Elands River garrison has been captured after ten days' resistance. The war office has received the following dispatch:

"Pretoria, Aug. 7. - Delarey, hearing of Ian Hamilton's approach toward Irwin and Hannahson officiating. Rustenberg, and seeing that he had no chance of capturing Baden-Powell. hurried off to Elands River. Hamilton reported that firing in the Elands River direction ceased yesterday and that Lieut.-Col. Hoare's garrison has evidently been captured.

"Hamilton left Rustenberg this morning, 'bringing Baden-Powell's slowly from pneumonia. force with him.

"Dewet commenced crossing the Vaul River yesterday. Kitchener is families picnicked at the lake on Monnow moving in pursuit. Methuen, on the right bank of the Vaal, has evidently come into contact with Dewet's advance guard, as his guns were heard by Kitchener this morning."

GEN. WARREN SENT HOME. The following dispatch from Lord Roberts has been received at the war of-

"As Warren has pacified the western districts of Cape Colony I am allowing him to return home, and am placing the whole of the troops in the

colony under Forestier-Walker." Lieut.-Gen Sir Charles Waren, the former commander of the fifth division cation. of the South African field force, has been severely criticised by Lord

Gen. Sir Charles Warren, recently appointed administrator of Bechuanaland. sailed from Cape Town for England to-

IN TOUCH WITH THE ENEMY. The war office has received a dispatch from Lord Roberts showing that Gen. Carrington, with his mounted infantry from Rhodesia, is now in touch with the Boers in the center of the Transvaal. At the same time the guerrilla war goes on, and while Gen. Dewet is still at large, small parties of Gen. Botha's men are harassing the out-posts, capturing stores and driving in patrols in the vicinity of Pretoria it-

PRAISE FOR SOLOMON.

Cape Town, Aug. 9. - The speech of ex-Attorney-General Solomon in the Cape Parliament yesterday, explaining his course during the war, and his sup-port of the measures proposed by the Sprigg ministry, is universally praised. Even the One Land, the Dutch newspaper, admits that he justified his atby being consistent throughout. The Ons Land today has another attack on ex-Prime Minister Schreiner, who, it says, has betrayed himself and his party.

The Canadians.

DEAD AND DISABLED London, Aug. 8.-Advices from Cape Town give the following respecting the Canadian soldiers:

Capt. McDonald-Released. No. 514, Parker-Killed, Aug. 2. No. 402, Arnold-Severely wounded.

No. 339, Sandercock, and No. 8,183, Smith—Dangerously ill at Cape Town. No. 216, Crone-Died of enteric fever at Johannesburg, on the 5th. The death of Pte. Crone is confirmed by a cable from Sir Alfred Milner. Pte. D. J. Crone belonged to the Can-

adian Mounted Rifles, and was formerly a member of the 27th Battalion. St. Clair Borderers, with headquarters at Sarnia. Pte. G. G. Arnold had been serving with A squadron of the Strathcona

He enlisted at Cookstown, near Barrie. The official list states that Pte. Sandercock enlisted with D Field Battery, but does not give his address in Can-

Capt. McDonald is a battalion adjutant with H company, first Canadian There is no No. 514, Parker, given in the official list. There are about eight men of that name on the list, but No. 514 gives J. Squires, of E Field Bat-tery. The nearest approach to the number is 547, G. Parker, 10th Field Battery, who has been serving with E Field Battery. There is no Smith, No. 8,183, given on the official list, although there are a great many of that name serving with the contingent.
R. M. L. Vanluven, A squadron,
Canadian Mounted Rifles, formerly of the 4th Hussars, has been invalided to

WILL SOON SAIL FOR HOME. Ottawa, Aug. 9.-It will not now be many days before the first contingent starts for home. This is the construction to be put upon a statement made by Capt. S. Maynard Rogers in a letter to Capt. J. E. Hutcheson, just re-Douglas and nurse, Brantford; S. S. ceived here. The letter, which is dat-Fuller, Stratford; Mrs. George H. ed Johannesburg, July 3, says: "Many, ed Johannesburg, July 3, says: "Many, many thanks for your kind letter and inclosed illustrations of the awful fire. As six weeks of our mail was captured by Gen. Dewet and burned, we only had very meager rumors of the ter-rible catastrophe. * * I am now on my way south to collect our sick and wounded, and take them down to

> BRAVE BOYS. Ottawa, Aug. 9.-Gen. Hutton sends a letter, dated July 2, to Lord Minto, with Col. Evans' report of the fight at Horning Spruit, in which the second battalion, Mounted Rifles, was engaged, and in which the Pincher Creek boys were killed. Gen. Hutton says: Gen. Hutton says: 'The whole incident narrated Lieut.-Col. Evans reflects the greatest credit upon all concerned, but the gallantry and devotion to duty which were shown by the small party composing the Cossack post in particular was of a very high order."
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> Again he says: "The men of the

Northwest Mounted Police have been repeatedly conspicuous in displaying the highest qualities required of a British soldier in the field."

Gen. Hutton continues: "I have the tonor to submit to your excellency the

for their conduct in the engagement, which I had especially brought to the notice of the commander-in-chief: Lieut. H. J. A. Davidson, superintendent N. W. M. P.; Lieut. W. M. Inglis, late captain Berkshire Regiment, wounded; Corp. Fred Morden, wound-Fighting in South Africa Still sequently killed; Lance-Corp. (now Sergt.) Thomas Miles, wounded; Pte. Kerr, wounded and subsequently killed; Pte. Mills, wounded."

From Near-By Places.

ARKONA.

Arkona, Aug. 9. — The Methodist Church and Sunday school picnic will be held at Hillsboro grove on Wednesday, Aug. 15. Everybody welcome, and those who have room to carry one or two scholars please call at the church

early, Miss Irwin has gone to Petrolia to visit Mr. and Mrs. Macdonald. Miss Edna Britton, of Watford, is visiting Arkona friends.

Rev. and Miss Baldwin, who have been camping at the lake for some time, returned home on Friday. Miss Hamilton, of Toronto, is vis-iting her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Boyd.

The funeral of Claude, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McDonald, took place here on Tuesday at 11 a.m., Rev.Messrs.

Mrs. German and son, of Sarnia, are visiting at Wm. Martin's. Rev. Mr. Hartley, who has occupied the Baptist pulpit in the absence of Rev. Mr. Baldwin, has returned to his home in St. Thomas.

Miss Susie Waterman is spending her vacation in Sarnia and Watford. Miss Lila Hunter was in Parkhill a few days this week visiting her aunt. Miss Clara Spillane is recovering

The Baptist Sunday school will picnic at Gustin's grove on Aug. 15. Rev. Messrs. Hannahson, Irwin and

The berry and harvesting season are nearly over now.

The lawn social on Thursday evening was a grand success. The Willing Workers reaped the benefit of \$25. Civic holiday, Wednesday, Aug. 15. Dr. Watson, of Parkhill, was in town

BELMONT.

on Tuesday.

Belmont, Aug. 9.-W. H. Odell sends 80 head of yearling steers to Buffalo, N. Y., on Friday next. Rev. John Currie is away on his va-

Mrs. (Rev.) Robert Laird, of Brockville, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Odell. Edward Tooley, of the militia and defense department, Ottawa, is visit-

ing at his maternal home. Miss Hogarth, of Tilsonburg, is vis-iting at Mr. J. W. Snyder's. Miss Smith, of Winona, is a guest of Miss Pettit, of South Dorchester.

Miss Hooper, of Buffalo, N. Y., is visiting at Mrs. Tooley's. John McNicol is preparing to ship a car load of hogs for the Ingersoll Packing Company. Price paid, \$5.70

NILESTOWN.

Nilestown, Aug. 9 .- A very severe accident has befallen Mrs. W. R. Puck-ridge. Upon going to go down cellar Monday morning, she caught her heel and fell headlong to the bottom. She sustained the fracture of both arms (one was badly broken), cut her nose open, requiring several stitches cut her lip, and was bruised in the head. It is not known just how badly this latter injury may turn out to be. Mrs. Puckridge, as well as the family, have the sincere sympathy of the community, who all hope for the lady's speedy

EGMONDVILLE

A Hint to Families Who Visit Farmers in the Harvest Season.

Egmondville, Aug. 8.-Mr. William

with his sister, Mrs. Frank A. Cole, and other relatives. Miss Jennie Baird, law clerk, of St. Paul, Minn., is visiting friends in our

village. After a long and painful illness, caused by cancer of the tongue, Mr. Robert Bristow died on Sabbath evening last. Mr. Bristow was a tanner by trade, and for many years faithfully worked for Mr. E. Jackson, of this village. He leaves a widow and family of eight children, most of whom are grown and able, for some years, to provide for their own needs and contribute to the comfort of their parents.

On Monday Mr. Joe Collie went to London to take a situation in the wholesale house of Elliott, Marr & Co. We regret to part with Mr. Collie, as he is one of our finest young men in every way, and we congratulate the firm on securing the services of such a worthy helper.

Mr. John Beattie, of Beattie Bros. grocers, is spending a few days in the city and with relatives at Pond Mills. At the late entrance examination eight pupils of our school wrote, seven boys and one girl. Of these two boys passed. Rather a low percentage; perhaps in some measure to be accounted for by too much attention to football and lacrosse.

Miss Anderson, of Marine City, Mich., who had been spending some weeks with relatives here, left for home on Saturday last. She was accompanied by her cousin, Miss Nell McDougall, who goes over to spend some time with

Mr. Geo. Stut, of Saginaw, is holidaying with his parents and other relatives here at present. Street Commissioner McMurray has a gang of men at work this week put-

ting things in order. They are having a hot time of it. Mr. Charles Pitrie is still on the sick list and making but little progress healthward. His familiar form is much

in early life may mean all the differmissed on the streets. The visiting fever is on in full force. Is is not strange that the most trying season for housekeepers, especially Cape Town, preparatory to returning among farmers, should be the one when most demands are made on their strength and patience. Those who think their presence so welcome in the heated harvest season at the "farm" would be miserably undeceived

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could they look behind the scenes.

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CULTIVATE A LOVE OF EXCELLENCE

The Formation of a Strong Character and Ability of High Order Lies in This Secret-The Habit of Incom-

A writer in the August Success says: If I could give but one word of advice to those who are trying to get on in the world I should say, "Constantly cultivate a love of excellence." It is surprising how the mind and character expand and grow upward by the

application of this stimulus. Nothing has more to do with form-Hills, accountant in Reid & Wilson's ing a strong character and ability of hardware, is holidaying at Hampton high order than constant cultivation of a love of excellence, a determination to do to a finish whatever we undertake. It is not enough to do a thing pretty well; it should be done as well as it can be done. "Oh, that is good has been the unsafe stone in enough!" the foundation of many a life which has caused the building to topple.

A habit of incompleteness when young is the secret of innumerable failures. Cultivating an upward tendency in all that we do, and holding steadily a high ideal in the mind, is a perpetual stimulus to do things better and better, a daily incentive to

a love of excellence.

A habit of half doing things, or of doing them in slipshod manner, soon leave its demoralizing mark on the character. The mind soon becomes accustomed to low ideals, and little by little the finer edge of conscience is

blunted.

The world wants your best, and you should resolve early in life never to give anything but the best of which you are capable. Put your thought, your best work, your best energy into everything you do. Make up your mind that you will never do anything by halves, no matter what others Your life is worth too much to be thrown away in half doing things, or botching anything you un-

There is a great satisfaction in doing things just right, It is a perpetual tonic to feel each night that you have not been slurring things during day, that you have done everything have attempted to do just as well as it could be done. This sense of completeness, of things well done, has a most salutary influence in strengthening the character and bringing all the faculties into harmony, in qualifying us for better and higher work. I should advise a youth starting out in life to adopt the motto, "Perfection to the finish." This should be the motto for the young, for its adoption

ence between success and failure. People laughed at Stradivarius for spending months and months in making a violin. They thought he was throwing his time away. But today a Stradivarius, wherever found, is worth from five to ten thousand dollars, or several times its weight in gold. Everything that has immortality stamped upon it has been done in the most

painstaking and careful manner.

If the characters of criminals, of tramps, of the great army of unemployed and side-tracked people were to be analyzed it would be found that most of them have been accustomed to half-do things. It is very seldom that a person who does whatever he undertakes to do as well as it can be done, who does not slur over his work, is out of a situation, unless he possesses some other serious character defect. It is a fact that, although there are hundreds of thousands out of employment, every great concern in this country is constantly on the lookout for better employes, better

clerks, more careful bookkeepers, bet ter stenographers, better everything. It is more difficult than one would imagine to find employes who are thoroughly conscientious in their I who do everything they attempt to do to the best of their ability, and who

are resolute in their determination not

to slight anything.
When an employer wishes to promote any of his clerks he always looks for the one who does his work in the most complete and satisfactory manner. This is unusually the great test of fitness. Every employer dislikes slipshod and slovenly methods. He wants orderly, systematic, painstaking em-

Doing things as well as they can be done is not only the quickest way to advancement, but it has a very great influence on one's character and selfrespect, we should never allow ourselves to get into the habit of halfdoing things.

If we were to ask employers all over this country what, in their opinion, is the greatest impediment to the advancement of young people, I believe the majority of them would say, the habit of half doing things."
This is a slipshod age. Poorly done,

half done, done in a careless manner, is written all over modern life. Buildings fall down almost before they are completed, clothing comes to pieces before it is half worn out, because not half made, and all through mercantile and professional life the same slipshodness is visible.

The man who is never quite sure of anything-who thinks, guesses or imagines, about the amount of the distance-who comes somewhere near, but never is quite certain of anything -rarely gets very far in this world. It is the accurate man, the painstaking man, who is exact, who attains the highest success.

The boy who half learns his lessons. who skims through his examinations, who is slovenly in his habits, lacks system and order, who does things in a half-hearted way, is almost sure to be a failure in life. The habits formed in boyhood characterize the man. He is continually looking for something, and never knows exactly where any-He never knows where he thing is. stands. His books are inaccurate, and he cannot tell whether he is solvent or not. He is a little late at the bank, his paper goes to protest, and he loses his credit; and so he goes on, blundering through life. Such a man is not only a failure, but he demoralizes everything and everyone about him. His employes fall into his slovenly ways, and never think it worth while to do anything just right, because their employer does not do so himself. ecome careless, inaccurate and habitually negligent. These defects and weaknesses permeate the whole establishment, until, finally, the man's busi-ness goes to ruin. Then he is unable to trace the blame to its true source, but bemoans himself as a victim of ill luck.

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His first avowal, months before, I'd treated with disdain, And laughed at him the while he swore He'd surely try again.

The second time that Jack proposed I never said a word, Though to assent I'd grown disposed-

I simply overheard By accident his earnest plea. While in the waltz's whirl; The second time 'twas not to me, But to another girl!

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- 52. Three pieces Black Dress Goods, regular 50c, Friday 35c. SILKS Plain and Corded Silks, \$1 and \$1.25 lines, Friday 48c
- yard. A number of Silk Velvet Ends; Friday, to clear, 15c yard. Two pieces of Black and White Silk, regular 38c yard, Friday
- 25c yard. Men's Colored Shirts, two collars separate, in dark and light colors, regular price 75c, Bargain Day 6oc.
- Men's Colored Shirts, stiff bosom, two collars and cuffs separate, regular price \$1, Bargain Day 75c.
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- 59. Day 45c. Men's Colored Shirts, sizes 15, 16 and 17, regular 75c, \$1 and
- \$1.25, Bargain Day 35c, or 3 for \$1. Men's Colored Cotton Socks, regular price 10c, Bargain Day 5c. 61. Men's All Wool and Black Cashmere Socks regular price 20c,
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Batteries-Dunkle and Leahy; Mur-

Lohbeck, who was Port Huron's

backstop in the International League,

Detroit News: As a result of the trip to Canada Manager Stallings has wired in a claim for three players, one

from London and two from Hamilton.

The International League became the

Canadian League when the Michigan cities quit, and this enabled London

and Hamilton to hang on to the play-

ers. Now the survivors have gone out

of business and Stallings thinks he is

first in at the death. However, there

had his ankle broken Tuesday while playing with a Michigan team.

Batteries-Garvin and Chance; Orth

is used, and instead of a bat a broom-

much time in the water as out, are

playing water baseball.

This year all the young yachtsmen

In the ninth, Barnes won

Heffron was out in the sixth for in-

baseman.

he is "safe."

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BASEBALL.

AILSA CRAIG VS. SARNIA.

Ailsa Craig, Aug. 6.—The Stars defeated the Sarnias by one run with one man out in the ninth inning. With where pitcher and catcher also stand, where pitcher and catcher also stand. one man out and two on bases, Charley Barnes made a home run, with a beautiful curving fly well over the head of the right fielder, clearing the bases, but as only one run was needed to win the last two runs were not count-Jamieson made a clever catch of a hot liner at third. Summary: AILSA CRAIG STARS.

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37 10 12 27 8 8 SARNIA. A.B. R. B.H. P.O. A. E. 2 4 0 12 3 1 1 1 39 9 12 25 8 9

Stolen bases-Edwards 3, Kennedy 3, Barnes, Mahler, Campbell, Watson, Thompson, Brandimore. Two-base hit— McKay. Home run-Barnes. Sacrifice hit-Edwards. Double plays-Edwards to Finan to Jamieson, McKay to Bachus. Bases on balls-Off Finan 4, off Murphy 7, off Thompson 1. Hit by pitched ball—By Finan 2, by Murphy 2, Oy Inompson 1. Struck out—By Finan 10, by Murphy 8, by Thompson 3. Left on bases—Stars 9, Sarnias 8. Umpire, Bowlon. Scorers, Smith and McCart.

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ment was bound to lead to, Preesident Stroud refused to pay the London club for the games of Friday and Saturday last until assured of London's intention. Failing to get any assurance, the money is still held, and the announcement is given out that the London club has disbanded. THE TURF. YESTERDAY'S WINNERS. At Detroit-George Tebor, Bard of Avon, Tortugas, Momentum, Lady of

civic holiday, Monday next. Seeing clearly what London's breach of agree-

the West and Free Advice. At Chicago-Natural Gas, Rosa Diah, Globe II., The Unknown, Hansford and

At St. Louis, Mo.-Iris, Wild Pirate, Bridgeton, Malay, Pinochle, Apple Jack and Necklace. At Brighton Beach, N. Y.—Spoke, Marschan, Operator, Voter Heliobas

and Alsike. At Saratoga, N. Y .- Ring Leader, Splash, Queen of Song, Warning and Trillion.

ENGLISH EVENTS.

London, Aug. 8.-At the Brighton August meeting today the Sussex plate (handicap) of 300 sovereigns, was won by Mr. J. A. Drake's chestnut horse, Royal Flush, ridden by L. Reiff. The Ovingdean plate was won by Tovaros, on which L. Reiff also had the mount.

RACES AT QUEEN'S PARK. The third weekly matinee races at Queen's Park yesterday afternoon were attended by a smaller crowd than usual. The results were as fol-

lows: 2:35 class, half-mile heats-Medium Jack, R. H. Reid 1 1 1 Lord Roberts, Fred Horn2 2 2

Time-1:20, 1:19, 1:17. 2:20 class, half-mile heats-Bonnie Pacer, W. Collins 1 1 1 Tommy H. R. Hueston 2 2 2

Time—1:10, 1:12¼, 1:22. Running race, half-mile heats-Aleddeer, R. H. Reid2 Donnybrook, J. Kilbourne3 3 Time-:53. :54.

WINDSOR RACES. Windsor, Ont., Aug. 8.-Weather clear; track fast; attendance good.

Results: First race, 5 furlongs, 2-year-olds —Quibo won in a drive, by a length, line from Lynden to Brantford for fast Pine Chip 2, Dr. Grace 3. Time, 1:03½. Grand Trunk trains. The plans under Second race, one mile, for 3-year-olds selling-Waterwick won, pulled up by ten lengths, Mrs. Hudson 2, Round O.

3. Time, 1:431/4.
Third race, for 2-year-olds, maidens, 5 furlongs-Queen Victoria won easily by four lengths, Horsa 2, Willard J. 3. Time, 1:031/2.

Fourth race, for 3-year-olds and upwards, selling, 1 1-16 miles—Prince Zeno won by a head, King Elkwood 2, Fantasy 3. Time, 1:48½. Fifth race, for 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs-Innovator won easily by four

lengths, Expelled 2, Triune 3. Time, Sixth race, 8-year-olds and up, selling, 7 furiongs—Northumberland wom driving by a nose, Flop 2, Acushla 3. Time, 1:29.

Fort Erie Race Track, Ont., Aug. 8 The third day of the Grand Circuit trotting meet was a fine day, but for a heavy gale blowing down the stretch, which prevented any very fast time. There was an enormous crowd pres-

FORT ERIE RACES.

terference of Coacher Hart with third ent. Summary: 2:06 class, pacing; purse \$1,200: Ace, b. h. 5 3 1 1 1 Cheral, b. m. 2 5 3 3 3

James Shevelin, br. g. 3 2 1 1 1 Major Greer, s. h. 2 3 2 2 3 Cantonian, b. g. dis

Third race, 2:09 class, pacing; purse Hetty G., b. m. 1 1 1 Connor, blk. g. 2 4 3 Harry O., blk. g. 6 3 2 Riley B., blk. c. 5 2 4 Sidney Pointer, b. h. dr sick Time—2:06½, 2:05¼, 2:07½.

Samba, driven by A. E. Perren to a road wagon, went an exhibition mile

The fourth race, 3-year-olds, pacing, purse \$1,000, a two-horse race, was von by Onoto in three straight heats. Baroness Evelin was distanced in the second heat. Time, 2:20½, 2:13¾,

TENNIS.

Boston, Aug. 8.-America has led off two matches in the first contest for the Batteries—Phillipi and O'Connor; Wil- Davis international tennis trophy. Whitman and Davis both won over the English team this afternoon at Longwood. Summary: D. F. Davis (America) beat E. D. Black (England), 4-6, 6-2, 6-4. D. Whitman (America) beat A. W. Gore (England), 6-1, 6-3, 6-2. THE WHEEL.

TWO CYCLISTS INJURED.

New York, Aug. 8.-Frank Starbuck, of Philadelphia, and W. J. Wilkinson, of Baltimore, cyclists of national reputation, were seriously hurt at Baltimore last night, says a special from that city. They aer at the Johns Hop-kins Hospital, and Starbuck will lose a leg. The accident occurred at the Coliseum Bowl in the second heat of the meteor race, when a collision caused the machine of Starbuck to dash

YACHTING.

Cowes, Isle of Wight, Aug. 9.-Mr. A. F. Finn's vawl-rigged Columbine, 81 tons, won the race for the German Em-

New London, Conn., Aug. 8.—Steered by her owner, Wm. K. Vanderbilt, jun., the 70-foot sloop Virginia was the first yacht to cross the finish line in the 39-mile race from New Haven to this port today.

ATHLETICS.

Utica, N. Y., Aug. 8.-Tom Davies, of San Francisco, was defeated in a handicap wrestling match here tonight, by George L. Barber, of this city, Davies agreeing to win three falls in an hour. He won the first in 161/2 minutes, and lost the second in half that time. LACROSSE.

The London club have arranged games with Brantford, and will resume practice at once, beginning at 6:30 this evening.

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THE CANADIAN NORTHERN ROAD

Mr. Mackenzie Talks About the Work Under Way-Bonds Floated-Railway Notes.

Ottawa, Aug. 9.-William Mackenzie, who was in England in connection with the Canadian Northern Rallway, returned here yesterday, and will pro-ceed to Toronto as soon as he disposes of some business he has got with the government. Mr. Mackenzie said that he had succeeded in moating very successfully the bonds of the Canadian Northern. Work on the road was progressing. In a couple of months there would be 100 miles of the road built from Port Stanley toward the Atikokan fron mines. The line would reach the mines this fall. This will be a distance of 145 miles westward from Port Arthur. In about two months there ill be about 150 miles built from Winnipeg southeast to the mouth of the Rainy River. This will leave about miles to be completed next year. It should be mentioned that the Canadian Northern embraces from Port Arthur to Winnipeg. to Saskatchewan River, by

NOTES.

Recently the Aberdeen Express left London at 8 p.m., and arrived at Aberdeen at 4:32 a.m., or a total of 8 hours and 32 minutes for the whole distance of 540½ miles. The average rate an hour for the whole distance, including the time lost for stoppages, was 631/4 miles, the greatest speed attained being 74.4 miles, between Pen-

rith and Carlisle. The largest station in Great Britain is the Waverly, at Edinburgh, covering 23 acres. Liverpool street station, London, covers 22½ acres. Next to the new Nottingham Central, now the largest in the provinces, comes New street, Birmingham, covering 10% acres. All of these stations are of the most substantial pattern, being constructed entirely of stone, brick and iron. It is understood that General Superintendent McGuigan, Roadmaster

Jones, and an engineer spent some time last week going over the proposed route of the much-talked-of through Grand Trunk trains. The plans under discussion are said to have included a branch from Lynden to a point on the Buffalo and Goderich line, not from Cainsville, and a double from that point right into Brantford. The construction of a new station close to Market street and the removal of the Grand Trunk sheds from their present position.

PTE. CRONE'S DEATH

Causes Deep Sorrow Among His Sarnia Friends and Acquaintances.

Sarnia, Ont., Aug. 8. - There was deep sorrow here last evening when the news of the death of Private D. J. Crone, of the Canadian M in South Africa, came nd. An unofficial dispatch was ed during the afternoon that Private Crone had died of enteric fever, but some doubt was entertained as to its au-The worst fears were thenticity. realized later on, however, when an from Sir official dispatch, Alfred Milner at Cape Town to Lord Minto was received, stating that Private Cheral, b. m. 2 5 5 dr sk Indian, b. g. 3 1 2 dr sk was received, stating that Private Was received, stating that Private Crone, No. 216, of the 27th Battalion, Sarnia, died of enteric fever on Aug. Time—2:14, 2:03½, 2:10, 2:10, 2:14.

5 at Johannesburg. The sad news Second race, 2:28 class, trotting; traveled fast, and on the streets on every side could be heard expressions of sorrow and regret. During the evening friends of the family drove out to the home of Private Crone's parents in Sarnia township, and broke the sad a young man of sterling qualities. He was aged about 23 years, and prior his leaving for South Africa with the Canadian Mounted Rifles was in the employ of the C. P. R. Telegraph and Express Company. When the Mounted Rifles were being organized for service in South Africa, he was among the first to offer his services.

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compare the London that is with the ong the English-speaking electors of hands will have a protracted experi-London that used to be, and if the Ontario and the other English provsigns of prosperity for Canada which inces, and the other for circulation appear to be clear are correct, the among the French-speaking electors, happy homes in Canada will be many chiefly in Quebec Province. But it is times multiplied in the near future, and not only in language they differ. They perhaps some of those who left Can- differ also as much as night does from ada or their children will return to day in their subject matter. In the Enshare it and make again their home glish pamphlet the Laurier Governbeneath the folds of that old flag whose ment is held up to the execration of protection is ample and whose power is the British and Protestant element, growing greater every day. Whether because it did not manifest enough neighboring republic our best wishes for the Queen in South Africa, because go with them for health, prosperity and it was not British and loyal enough; happiness.

The future of the London Old Boys' Association is of course unknown. The tion of the French Canadians for besuggestion has been made that it might take largely the form of a great | for sacrificing the lives of Canada's annual band and musical festival, to sons in England's foreign wars! which all Western Ontario might come. it might ultimately become as celebrated as the great yearly Western

A Remarkable Speech.

There has come to hand from South Africa a report of a really remarkable restored to power their grievances will speech by Mr. Advocate Wessels, which is well worth noting, for, as the Hon. J. Tudhope, late Colonial Secretary of the Manitoba issue, practically giving partments of public policy by the Cape Colony, says, in giving some ex- it to be understood that it has been Laurier Government, for they keep tracts from it in the British Weekly: "It will both instruct and interest, giving, as it does, a view of the Transvaal question from the standpoint of shameless duplicity and hypocrisy than duction, by the way, which his predean enlightened Dutch colonist, who has this. In other words, the Conservastudied it in all its aspects." "This gen- tive leaders are going to the country tleman is a genuine Afrikander, and is with two faces under one hood, with proud of his descent, but is essentially two distinct and different programmes a man of broad and liberal principles, suited to the prejudices of the different and is not content with the narrow elements of the population in the difoutlook which is taken by so many of ferent parts of the Dominion. Their his descent and surroundings. Mr. intention is clearly to deceive and Wessels was addressing a meeting of mislead and they should be treated acthe Loyal Women's Guild." The mem- cordingly by the people, whom they bers of that guild intend to teach their design, if possible, to make their dupes. children that it is an honor to be a If any one is going to "get left" it member of the British Empire. The should be them-the same old persons. speaker rejoiced in this, and said "he who concealed themselves too long for would not for one moment suggest this country's good under the mask that it was a disgrace to be an Afrikander. On the contrary, he would ask their gain in the trade upon racial them to be proud of being Afrikanders, and other prejudices. and never attempt to pose as English, because when Afrikanders tried to do that they only rendered themselves contemptible. Two cardinal principles he would ask them to bear in mind and teach their children. One was that an Afrikander was every whit as good as an Englishman, and the other, that an Englishman was every whit as good as an Afrikander." This, we think, is the right spirit, both for Africa and Canada. Only on the basis of equal rights and mutual respects can members of the same race or of different races work together. The speaker said he was proud of the Dutch, French and German blood in his veins, and for that reason he respected the Englishman's pride of race. His statements may be briefly summarized as follows, and, coming from one not of English blood. born and bred in South Africa, they should have some special weight:

1. The young Afrikanders had given way to conceit. They thought that benause they and their fathers could hit a bottle at 200 yards, it was the be all and end all of virtue. "To tell the Kruger oligarchy that it was impossible to prevent an intelligent and active portion of the community from obtaining a voice in government, was enough to proclaim oneself an ass."

2. The Bond wanted to rule, not only Came Colony, but the whole of South N. W. T., Leader. Africa; but the members of the Bond had not the sense to see that the high-

est freedom possible for them is to be Country. Having known how treachindependence, the country "would come exhibits "unity" in disunion. into possession of any naval power that pounced down on it, and we might have the shrieking members of the Bond subjected to an Asiatic power like Japan." "He held that the greatest republic in the world was the sentimental side of life. They have British Empire. If the name of come and gone. We hope they are bet- republic meant an oligarchy, he would say: 'Heaven defend us from a repub-He.' " The speaker declared that no one regretted the war more than he did. old citizens to step aside from the ord- "He had many friends and relations on inary ways of life, to unbend. In what the side of the Transvaal. They had other place, and under what other cir- been misled by Kruger, but most of cumstances, would one be likely to see all by that arch-traitor, Leyds." "The the mayor, the police magistrate, the people who in their conceit and ignorpostmaster, the master-in-chancery, the ance thought that shooting straight division court clerk surrounded by civil they would make the British Empire dignitaries, members of parliament to totter, only succeeded in overthrowand sedate business men acting as ing two republics." He regretted the lockeys and wipers at a burlesque loss of those republics, as they might horse race, and grandly doing a cake with freedom and fair dealing have walk. Their fancy must have taken been happy, progressive and prosperthem back to the days when together ous. He honored those who had fought they "slid down Old Grimes' cellar for the republics, and rejoiced that door." There was a graceful setting to they were not cowards, but he could It by the presence of Sir John Carling not understand the rebels of Cape Coland Mr. Nicholas Wilson at the public ony, and was indignant at those who meeting and banquet. Both these gen- had led them to destruction. But even tlemen had a warm welcome from the in Cape Colony he had some respect visitors, and the visitors had a "High- for the men who had actually gone out ing felt by the merchants in the loland welcome" from the citizens gen- and risked their lives; but for those who had skulked behind the British These annual gatherings spring from lines of defense, and urged their counone of the best sentiments. We possess trymen to continue the struggle, he the corner stone of all true life, the had nothing but loathing and contempt.

The Double Face.

Our contemporary, the Quebec Telegraph, gives a timely warning with the methods by means of which Sir porary, two specimens of the cambegun to flood the provinces. They are in the shape of pamphlets, one in These reunions enable the visitors to English, intended for distribution ameater every day, are in Canada or the of zeal in sending our boys to fight while in the French production it is held up to the scorn and condemnaing too British, and too Imperial, and

In the pamphlet, printed for the perusal of French speakers, also, the Government is violently denounced for its alleged unsatisfactory settlement of the Manitoba school question and a sort of promise is held out to Catholies that if Sir Charles Tupper is be fully redressed.

On the other hand, the English pamphlet is as silent as the grave about definitely settled and that it is not shouting to go faster. the intention to undo it in any way.

It is difficult to conceive of more of religion and who have ever found

The Wiser Part.

"If, in the face of all I have shown him; if, in the face of the goods transferred to the free list; if, in the face of duties reduced from over 50 per cent to 25 and 26 per cent; if, in the face of 140 items in the general tariff reduced; if, in the face of the 25 per cent reduction under the preferential tariff; if, in the face of all light and all reason he insists upon saying that this is the old national policy; then I shall borrow the remark of the Minister of Customs, and say that if this is the national policy, then the people of Canada will say: Better leave it in the hands of men, like the present Government, who can get some good out of it, than to put it into the hands of men, who, though they claim to have invented the machine, evidently never knew how to manage it."-Hon, W. S. Fielding, Dominion Minister of Finance.

Canada is well satisfied with Laurier.

Mr. Lake, who was nominated by the Conservatives to contest East Assiniboia, refuses to accept Sir Charles Tupper as leader or to stand as a Conservative candidate so long as Sir Charles retains the leadership.—Regina

No wonder the Opposition leader, in name, is hurrying home from the Old

found in the British Empire. Britain erous the "nest of traitors" proved to does not, like Germany or Russia, try Sir Mackenzie Bowell, he must be natto destroy the nationality of its sub- urally suspicious of such conduct as ject peoples. Then as to the cry for is here set forth. The Tupper regime

> Laurier, a united Canada, and a united Empire.

Scotch railway companies have increased the fares because coal went up in price last year by \$1 20 a ton. There has been an increase in the price of coal on this continent, but 7 nothing like that.

Many of the Chinese Boxers, who have been fighting against the British and their allies near Pekin, are redheaded. Why is there no red-headed Chinaman in Canada? Did anybody in the Dominion ever see a red-headed Chinaman?

The petroleum industry in Japan, according to the United States viceconsul at Yokohama, is being rapidly developed. There are at present, it s announced, over thirty companies working the oil district of Echigo. Some of these possess a capital of over 1,000,000 yen (\$498,000), the aggregate capital amounting to 12,000,000 yen (\$5,966,000). In consequence of the increasing activity of the industry, the cality and by those having business connections with the place. With the object of affording better facilities in this direction, the First and Yasuda Banks, in Tokyo, and the Sumitomo ation the establishment of branches either in Nagaoka or Kashiwazaki. The proposed scheme to construct a pipe line from the seat of the petroleum wells in Echigo to Tokyo, for the rapid and convenient transportation of kerosene, is now assuming a practical shape, and it is expected that the work will be begun at no distant date. Several Canadians have been employed as experts.

A Pacific Province View.

[Vancouver, B. C., World.] If the Federal elections are brought on this fall, the present tranquility of the political sea can hardly be expected to continue. The outlook for those ence at the pumps.

Introduced Into the Postal Service of Canada by Mr. Mulock.

The Conservative Party Without a Policy-Interests of the Canadian Farmer and How They Are Looked After by the Department of Agriculture-Cheaper Oil for the Con-

[From our Ottawa Correspondent.] Ottawa, Aug. 9.-Everyone who has traveled in an express train or by other means of rapid locomotion has experienced the exhibaration of the swift movement, and the same effect appears to be produced upon the Conservative politicians by the rapidity with which development and reform is

When the postmaser-general, for example, announced a substantial reduction in the imperial letter rates a reed to be impracticable, the Conservative press commenced clamoring for further reductions in domestic rates, which they knew right well would be accorded as quickly as the exigencies of the revenue would permit. When it was proposed to reduce the postal rates on newspapers the Conservative Senate even went so far as to throw out the bill under the plea that it did not go far enough, though of course no one

was fooled by this pretense. Marvelous improvements have been introduced by Mr. Mulock in the celerity with which the mails are handled, collected and delivered, particularly in the larger centers of population, and the improvement in the mail service generally in this respect through out the country have been immeasurably greater in the last two or three years than in the previous two de-cades, and yet the Conservatives, who did not even attempt any things during the long period in which they had the chance, are now clamoring for a free rural mail delivery similar in some degrees to the system which is being developed with Considerable promise of success in the republic to the south.

It is very pleasant, of course. notice this streak of useful activity in the opposition, for it is a much better expenditure of superfluous energy than working up fake charges against the government and wasting the time of parliament hunting for mares'



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Ladies' Drawers, good cotton, trimmed with embroidery and tucks, very special, Friday...... 25c Ladies' Fine Lonsdale Drawers, frill trimmed with tucks and lace edging, special per pair..... 65c Ladies' Plain White Skirts, good quality, trimmed with tucks, deep

Ladies' Short Corsets, made on French model, good filling, special Friday 50c Ladies' Fine Corset Covers, edged round neck with embroidery, perfect fitting, special each 15c Ladies' Fine Lonsdale Corset Covers, trimmed with embroidery, regular 35c, special Friday 25c Ladies' Gowns, good cotton, trim-

med with embroidery, all sizes, very special, Friday each...... 45c Ladies' Fine Gowns, trimmed with torchon lace and insertion, very fine, regular \$1 25, special Friday. 85c Ladies' Fine Lonsdale Gowns, Hubbard style, trimmed with tucks. embroidery and insertion, very fine, to sell special Friday \$1 25

Blouses

10 only, Ladies' Fine Lawn Blouses, tucked and hemstitched all over, regular \$1 50, special, each 69c Ladies' Fine Lawn Blouses, fronts embroidered in white, pink and blue, regular \$2 50, to sell, halfprice \$1 25 Ladies' Fancy Muslin Blouses, shirsleeve, regular \$2 50, special halfprice\$1 25 Ladies' Colored Blouses, with embroidery yoke or insertion, were

Corsets

Ladies' Long Waist Summer Corsets, heavy net, sateen bands, model, heavy net, trimmed with and ribbon, very short, special, per pair 75c

Men's Shirts

Dozen Only, sizes 141/2 to 161/2, Men's Fancy Check Neglige Shirts, cuffs attached, neat dark patterns and fast colors; also Boys' Percale Soft Shirts, sizes 13 and 131/2 only, regular 65c, Friday 50c

Children's Tams

Dozen Children's Washing Tams, white drill, white and fawn pique. khaki drill, all sizes, regular 50c, Friday, to clear

Men's Crash Coats and Vests

Men's All-Linen Coats and Vests, all sizes, 36 to 40, dressy, garments, regular price \$2 50 and \$3, for\$1 95

Boys' Two-Piece Suits 15 Only Boys' Two-piece Suits, light gray tweed, with pleated coat and well-lined knickers, sizes 22. 23, 24, 25, 27, 28 only, regular \$2

and \$2 50, Friday bargain\$1 50 Ladies' Summer Shoes 70 Pairs Ladies' Oxford Shoes and Trilby Shoes, fine Dongola kid,

kid-lined and tipped and box calf Oxford Shoes, all sizes in the

assortment, some were \$1 50, Friday\$1 00 Shoe Polish Another lot of fine Raven Black

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Smallwares

6 Dozen Palm Leaf Fans, our regular 5c fan, special, 3 for ... 5c
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tains, 300 ends, 11/2 and 2 yards long, to clear at

Skirt Department

Ladies' Linen Skirts, blue bands, sertion, special, each\$1 25 \$3 50 Pique White Skirts for \$3 00 \$4 25 White Pique Skirts for \$3 50

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No. 4 Envelopes, white or cream laid, regular 5c per package, for .. 3c Special line in Papeteries, one box 15c

Laces

5 pieces White All-Over Lace, regular 50c yard, special 25c 8 pieces New Cream Guipure Lace, suitable for yokes, per yard, 85c, \$1 00, \$1 25, \$1 40, and\$1 50 2 pieces, Black All-Over Lace, spe-inches wide, per yard\$1 50

Hosiery

Boys' Ribbed Cotton Hose, fast black, special 10e Ladies' Fine Cotton Hose, fast black, tan and fancy stripes; regular 25c and 35c, special Ladies' Plain Cotton Hose, Hermsdorf dye, spliced feet; regular 25c, special20c

Undewear

Ladies' Cotton Vests, short sleeves, unbleached, short sleeves, special,

Grocery Department

18 lbs of Redpath's Standard Gran-Tea, for, lb. 25c
6 Ibs of Hard Soap for 25c
Cowan's Soluble 25c Cocoa for 15c 1 lb-tin of Cook's Delight Baking Powder, good value at 20c, for, lb, 15c

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nests. But there is a ring of insincerity in this unwonted anxiety for the public weal, for the experience of the past unanimously goes to show that while the Conservative in opposition should be done, the Liberal in office is a vastly greater success in actually doing it.

MORE HIGH POLITICS.

Having come through an unusually long session without securing one single coign of advantage, and being now within measurable distance of a general election without any definite policy or a decent campaign cry, it is not altogether surprising that the Conservative party is discontented and out of temper. When a man loses his temper he often gets abusive, and this appears to be true of the politician also, both individually and collectively. It is unfortunate though, and it is greatly to be feared, that the country at large will suffer in prestige, in personal esteem, and in the esteem of others, if the approaching campaign is to be run upon the lines indicated at the initial meeting in this province, held at Hespler, a few days ago. At that meeting personal abuse of the most offensive kind was hurled at ministers of the crown. The speakers were par ticularly careful to make no definite charges, but simply to deal with generalities and miserable insinuations, to which it is impossible to nail them.

A DEPARTMENT WITH A HUSTLE Notwithstanding the vast amount of additional work thrown upon the department of agriculture by the extensive and most creditable display which Canada is making at the Paris Exhibition, there has been no abatement in the regular routine work of the department, and in its ever-extending labors in the interests of the Canadian farmer. Each year under the present progressive minister has witnessed notable expansions in its sphere of usefulness and labor, and one little incident last week is an excellent illustration of the phenomenal development of this work. Prof. Robertson, of the staff of the Experimental Farm. has gone east to attend to various departmental matters, but in addition thereto he is charged with the establishing of manual training schools, the gift of Sir W. C. McDonald, of Montreal, at five centers in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces. He will also arrange for chicken fattening illustration stations in these provinces, examine into agricultural affairs generally, visit the government creameries in Prince Edward Island, and also inquire into the cold storage system esablished by him in Prince Edward Island for preserving herrings caught in the spring of the year for use as bait in the summer for cod fishing.

This innovation is reported by the Fishermen's Bait Association to be working admirably. As a result of the constant supply of balt thus provided

many more people are enabled to en-gage in this industry, and a new era

in cod fishing is predicted. The fish-

to the best methods of curing and pre-

serving their take. These are all matters that have been either inaugurated under Liberal auspices or have been put into practiis a splendid hand at suggesting what cal working order under the present minister.

IT IS ALREADY DONE. An opposition humorist "sarkastik-

cheap binder twine it might improve its chances in the country by cutting down the price of coal oil before the egislation or to departmental administration, has been in the direction of removing restrictions and lessening does. the price of oil. The duty on imported oil, which existed under the late gerous man to cross in debate, but the government has been reduced. Burdensome regulations existing under that government with respect to inspection of oil, which could only take place many an unhappy man was driven to after it had been put in barrels, have tilt against his shield. It was delicious been abolished, thus facilitating cheap and convenient methods of handling the oil. The number of points at which oil can be imported in bulk in tank cars has been increased. Permission has been given to us tank wagons. The former regulation forbidding the use of tank ships has been repealed, thus giving along the line of water communication the opportunity to receive oil by cheap transportation. When railway companies increased their freight rates on oil in such a manner as seemed likely to prevent competition in the oil trade, the government, on the advice of the railway committee of the Privy Council, disallowed the increase and ordered the restoration of the former rates. In short eyeglasses, and, turning to the audievery step taken by the present government in relation to the oil business has been for the purpose of removing burdensome restrictions, reducing the cost of handling the oil, and cheapening the article to the consumer."

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HECKLING IN ENGLAND. The man who asks question and in-

sists on their being answered is a familiar presence at all party meetings. One of England's many debts to Scotland is the loan of the expressive word used to describe him. He is known as the heckler. The speaker is not allowed to disregard him. If a statement ly" suggests that now the government is disputed it is the orator's place to has succeeded in giving the farmer make it good. Any member of the audience may rise to his feet and shout out a contradiction whenever he feels like it, and by the custom of English elections came on. As Mr. Fielding remarked in the House last session: make some reply on the spot. He is "Every step taken by the present not, of course, bound to, but unless government, whether with respect to he has forgotten all the impromptus that shrewd men carry about with them for such emergencies he usually

> Mr. Chamberlain was always a danpersonal feeling against him was so bitter for years after his withdrawal from the ranks of the separatists that many an unhappy man was driven to to watch Mr. Chamberlain's handling of the situation. He would pause when the interruption grew serious and give the heckler a chance to make himself well heard. "Now, if you will allow me, I will ask that gentleman to get upon a chair, that we may all have the pleasure of seeing him." A dozen anxious hands would hoist the objector into unwelcome prominence. "Now, sir," came the clear, passionless voice, "will you kindly speak up? I should be sorry if any one missed what you have to say.'

The heckler, now quite unnerved, would stammer out something, and Mr. Chamberlain, listening with a ious smile, would quietly readjust his ence, fling out a reply-cool, cutting, and decisive.-Harper's Magazine,

CHOLERA MORBUS, CRAMPS and kindred complaints annually make their appearance at the same time as the hot weather, green fruits, cucumbers, melons, etc., and many persons are debarred from eating these tempting fruits, but they need not abstain if they have Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial, and take a few drops in water. It cures the cramps and choling Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great era in a remarkable manner, and is sure to check every disturbance of the



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THE MARKETS

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Wheat, white, per bu
Wheat, red, per bushel60c to 66c
Wheat, spring, per bu66c to 69c
Oats, per bu
Peas, per bu
Cora, per bu 430
Barley, per bu381/23
Rye, per bu 560
Buckwheat, per bu60c to 65c

The receipts of grain were very light today. Two loads of wheat offered and sold at \$1.92 to \$1.10 per cental. Two loads of oats at 95c. No other grain offered. Hay, \$7 to \$8 per ton. Quotations:

GRAIN

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Cern per 100 ibs	90	0	95
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Here per 100 lbs	1 00	60	1 00
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	1 00	(00	1 20
Beans, per bu	100	@	1 35
PROVISIONS			
Cheese, perlb	12	a	13
Eggs, single dozen	13	a	11
Eggs, fresh, basket, dozen	12	100	13
Butter, lb, large rolls or crocks	18	3	20
Butter, pound rolls, retail	21	(40)	23
Lard, perlb	8	(1)	10
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WHOLESALE DEALER	S PI	RICE	
Eggs, store lots, doz	11	0	111/2
Butter, pound rolls, baskets	19	(2)	21
Butter, creck	18	(0)	20
Butter, rolls, store lots	16	(3)	17
LIVE STOCK			
Beef, per lb	3	@	4
Hogs, light, per 100 los	5 50	. @	5 50
Logs, singers	5 50	(4)	5 60
Hoge, heavy, per 100 1bs	3 00	(ce	5 60
Pigs, young, per pair	3 50	(4	5 50
Sows, per 100 lbs		(3	3 00
Ducks, per pair		0	90
Chickens, spring, per pair	59	(00	80
Hens, per pair. VEGETABLE	30	@	60
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Potatoes, per bag		60	50
Turnips, new, per bag	20	a	30
Gabbage, per dez		(0)	50
Beets, per bag	30	(4	40
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Artichokes, per bag	75	00	1 00
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Parsley, per doz.	20	(0)	30
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Hides, No. 1, per lb	7	(0)	8
	6	(4	5
Hides, No. 2, per 15	5	(0)	5
Hides. No. 3, per 1b	8	(4)	6
Calfskins, green	45	(4)	45
Lambskins	35	@	35
Pelts			16
Wool, washed, per lb	15	0	111%
Wool, unwashed, per lb	9 5	0	
Tallow, rendered, per lb	-	6	5
Tailow, rough	4	(0)	.4
Turkeys, per ib	8	(A)	10
Geese, each	59	G	75
Geese, each FRUIT.			
Dried apples, per lb	41/2	1	5
Apples, per bbl	1 50	6	2 25
Apples, se bag	70	(0)	1 00
HAY AND SEE		-	1000
Hay, per load	6 50	0	7 00
Straw, per load	3 00	(0)	3 50
Straw, per ton	6 00	(0)	6 00
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St. Thomas Market.

St. Thomas, Aug. 8.-Wheat, old, per bu, 65c; wheat, new, per bu, 65c; oats, per bu, 32c to 34c; peas, per bu, 80c to 90c; barley, per bu, 25c to 40c; rye, 60c; feed corn, per bu, 50c to 53c; flax seed, per cwt, \$2.45 to \$2.50; timothy seed \$1.25 to \$1.75.

The Oil Market. PITTSBURG. Pa., Aug. 9.—Oil spened at \$1 27; closed at \$1 27. Oil. CITY. Aug. 8.—Oil—Credit balances, \$1 27; certificates, no bids.

English Markets

The following table cental at inverpo	e si	for	s the	ne q	rec	atio	ns ev	per
market days. In prices are given.				ug.				
WHEAT- Red Winter No. 1 Non Spring	0	0		0	6	31/2	6	0
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Red Winter		0		0	6	31/2	6	6
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Walla	6	1	6	1	6	1	6	1
No. 1 Cal	6	21/2	6	21/2	6	314	6	31/2
July	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.
Sept		1	6	05%	6	2	6	416
Dec	6	2	6	134	6	31/8	6	236
CORN-	1					100	14	
New	3	10%	3	10%	3	11	8	1114
Old	4	134	4	1	4	1	4	1
Feb	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
March	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sept	3	11	3	10%	3	113%	3	111%
Oct	3	113%	3	1034	3	1134	3	1174
Nov	3	1117	3	11%	4	1	4	0
Flour		0	20	034	20	0	18	9
Peas		61%	5	6	ó	71%	0	0
Pork, prime mess		0	70	0	70	0	70	0
Lard		0	35	0	35	0	35	0
Tallow	25	0	25	0	25		25	0
Bacon, light	41	6	41	6	41	0	41	6
Cheese, white	47	0	47	0	47	6	48	6
Cheese, colored		0	147	0	147	0	18	6

American Markest.

CHICAGO, Aug. 8 .- All markets dropped today from the lack of interdue to excessively warm weather. Wheat closed at a decline of %c. Corn %c to %c lower. Oats. closed %e to %c lower, and provisions a shade to 10c lower. Northwest receipts were 200 cars, 20 of contract Aggregate receipts at primary points were 1.242.000 bushels, compared with 535,000 a year ago. Atlantic port clearances of wheat and flour amounted to 130,000. Estimated 190 cars; receipts Thursday-Wheat, corn, 283; osts, 400; hogs, 24,000 head.

Corn, 283; os \$ 400; hogs, 24.000 head.

The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat
—Aug., 74½c; Sept., 75½c; Cot., 76%c. Corn—
Aug., 37½c; Sept., 21½c; Cot., 27½c; Oct., 87½c.
Oats—Aug., 21½c; Sept., 21½c; Oct., 22c. Mess
Pork—Sept., \$11 77½; Oct., \$11 50. Lard—Sept.,
\$6 82½; Oct., \$6 87½; Jan., \$6 70. Short ribs—
Sept., \$7 15; Oct., \$7 10; Jan., \$6 70. Short ribs—
Sept., \$7 15; Oct., \$7 10; Jan., \$6 10. Cash quotations—Flour, quiet. No. 3 spring wheat, 69c to
73c; No. 2 red, 75c to 77c. No. 2 corn, 30c.
No. 2 white oats, 23½c to 24½c; No. 3 white,
23½c to 24½c. No. 2 rve, 49½c. Fair to choice
malting barley, 37c to 43c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 32;
No. 1 Northwest, \$1 32½. Timothy seed, \$3 20
to \$3 25. Pork, \$11 75 to \$11 50. Lard, \$6 20
to \$5 2½. Short rib sides, \$7 10 to \$7 40. Dry
salted shoulders, 6½c to 7c. Short clear sides,
\$7 65 to \$7 7. Sugar, cut loaf, \$6 85; granulated, \$6 32; confectioners \$4, \$6 23; Off \$4, \$6 13.

Cloversecd, eld, \$5 40; new, \$9. Eggs, firm, 21e. RECEIPTS—Flour, 25.000 barrels: wheat, 250,000 bushels; corn, 249,000 bushels; cata. 122.-000 bushels; rye, 5,000 bushels; barley, 24,000 bushels.

SHIP ENTS-Flour. 15,000 barrels: wheat, 361,000 barrels; cats, 183, 600 bushels; barley, 3,000 bushels.

Live otcok Markets.

NEW YORK, Aug. &-Beeves-Receipts, 2,671; 10c to 15c lower for all kinds; steers sold at \$4.85 to \$5.75; oxen and stags, \$4 50 to \$5 15; bulls, \$2 50 to \$4; cows, \$1 75 to \$4; European cables quote United States cattle at 11½0 to 121/2c per 1b; refrigerator beef, 10c; exports, 5,500 quarters of beef. Calves— Receipts, 3,609; opened firm, but closed weak to 25c lower; veals, \$5 to \$7 50; buttermilks, \$3 50 to \$4; grassers and yearlings, \$2 50 to \$3 50; city dressed veals, 8½c to 11½c per lb. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 6,730; sheep steady to firm; tambs, 15c to 25c higher; sheep sold at \$3 to \$5; lambs, \$5 to \$7 15. Hogs

-Receipts, 5,106; firm. EAST BUFFALO, Aug. 8 .- Cattle-Market unchanged; calves, light supply; active demand and higher; choice to extra, \$6 50 to \$6 75; good to choice, \$6 to \$6 50. Sheep and lambs—Offerings light; lambs easier, but common ewes were in bad position; sheep were in active demand, and sold strong and higher; lambs, choice to extra, were quotable at \$4 90 to \$5 15; wethers, \$4 90 to \$5 15; yearlings, \$4 90 to \$5 15; ewes, \$4 25 to \$4 50; mixed, \$4 50 to \$4 80. Hogs opened active; heavy, \$5 50 to \$5 55; mixed, \$5 60 to \$5 65; Yorkers, \$5 90; pigs, \$5 90; roughs, \$4 90 to \$5; stags, \$4 to \$4 25. The close was dull and 5c to 10c lower.

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 15,000; good to prime steers, \$5 50 to \$6 05; poor to medium, \$4 75 to \$5 40; selected feeders, \$4 to \$4 75; mixed stockers, \$3 to \$3 75; cows, \$3 to \$4 30; helfers, \$3 20 to \$5; buils, \$2 60 to \$4 50; calves, \$5 to \$6 75; Texans, receipts, 600; do grass steers, \$3 25 to \$4 25; bulls, \$2 50 to \$3 40. Hogs-Receipts, 22,000; opened 5c higher; closed easier; top, \$5 57½; mixed and butchers, \$5 25 to \$5 50; good to choice, \$5 20 to \$5 57½; rough heavy, \$5 to \$5 15; light, \$5 20 to \$5 57½; bulk of sales, \$5 30 to \$5 45. Sheep—Receipts, 14,000; weak to 10c lower; good to choice wethers, \$4 30 to \$4 50; fair to choice mixed, \$3 75 to \$4 20; western sheep, \$4 30 to \$4 50; Texas sheep, \$3 15 to \$4 30; native lambs, \$4 15 to \$5 50; western lambs, \$4 75 to \$5 50.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, Aug. 8.-Here and at Liverpool United States cattle are a shade better at 11½c to 12½c per lb, dressed weight. Sheep sell at 11c to 13c per lb, dressed weight; refrigerator beef firmer at 10c per lb.

Dairy Markets.

MONTREAL, Aug. 8.-Cheese, 9c to 10c. Butter-Townships, 19c to 20c; western, 16c to 17c.

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—Butter firm; creameries, 15c to 20c; dairies, 14c to 17c. Cheese dull, 91/2c to 93/4c.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—Butter steady; creamery, 17c to 20c; factory, 14c to 15%c; imitation creamery, 15c to 18c; state dairy, 14c to 19c. Cheese firm; large, colored, 9%c to 9%c; small, colored, 101/2c; large, white, 9%c to 9%c; small, white, 101/4c.

PETERBORO, Ont., Aug. 8.-At the heese sale held here today about 4,500 colored cheese were offered, being the ast half of July make. The whole was disposed of in 30 minutes, all selling about the same price. The salesmen were more than pleased at the high ving sales Whitten took about 1.000 at 10 7-16c, and 180 at 10%c; Bailey took 700 at 10 7-16c; Rollins, 900; Fitzgerald, 500; Kerr, 1,000, all at 10 7-16c. The poard adjourned for two weeks.

RUSSELL, Ont., Aug. 8 .- Russell cheese board, 600 cheese boarded, of which 150 were colored, 10%c offered;

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Aug. 8.—At the regular meeting of the cheese board held here today 20 factories offered 3,645 boxes: 1,165 white, balance color-The sales were: 75 at 101/4c; 662 at 10%c: 305 at 10 1-16c. The bidding was brisk, with ten buyers present. The unsold cheese was held for 101/c. PICTON, Ont., Aug 8 .- At our cheese board today 18 factories boarded 1.150 boxes, all colored. Highest bid, 10%c;

STIRLING, Ont., Aug 8 .- At Stirling cheese board today 800 white boarded. Alexander bought 215, and Watkins 185 at 9 9-16c; Hodgson, 400 at

TOASTED CHEESE!

Blaze in Quebec Causes & Loss of \$50. 000-1,300 Boxes of Cheese Murned.

Quebec, Aug. 8. - The Chouinard building, Dalhousie street, was reduced to ashes last night. The losers are O. Jacques, produce merchant; P. G. siere & Co., flour merchants; Harold Kennedy, steamship broker; the Monreal pilots' office, J. C. Kaine and E. Hudson & Co., manufacturers' agents. Mr. Jacques had sold 1,300 boxes of heese a few days ago, and was to ship them today. These boxes are worth \$6 50 each, upon which there does not seem to be any insurance. The lossess caused by the fire are estimated at

Hamilton, Aug. 9.-Fire visited the beach again yesterday, and destroyed the two best cottages on the north shore-those of John T. Irwin and Wm. Ainslie. The furniture was saved. Men and women worked diligently with buckets and prevented the fire spreading, but the two houses were completely

STORM 40 FEET WIDE

New Rochelle, N. Y., Was Visited by a Severe One.

New York, Aug. 9 .- New Rochelle, N. Y., was visited by a tornado Tuesday light and the damage done along the path of the storm, about 40 feet wide and four miles long, was serious. The

and forir miles long, was serious. The rain fell in torrents and there was much lightning. Several houses were struck and two buildings were burned down. The high wind blew men down in the street, and others were hit by flying debris. The damage will amount to \$40,000.

TOTALLY DEAF.—Mr. S. E. Crandell, Port Perry, writes: "I contracted a severe cold last winter, which resulted in my becoming totally deaf in one ear and partially so in the other. After trying various remedies, and consulting several doctors, without obtaining relief, I was advised to try Dr. Thomas Electric Oil. I warmed the oil and poured a little of it into my ear, and before one-half the bottle was used my hearing was completely restored. I have beard of other cases of the struck and the previous witness to James Armstrong, of Birr, who had accompanied the previous witness to Joseph Sifton's house on the morning of June 30, gave corroborative evidence as to the visit to the barn. Later witness saw Ger id. and the latter told witness that his father had been hurt so badly that he would not recover.

To Mr. Mered witness stated that the boy put to you through with the axe he is town on the ground, but the well witness had not discussed with anxone what he had seen and noticed that day.

At this point court adjourned till 2 used my hearing was completely restored. I have heard of other cases of deafness being cured by the use of this medicine."

The Chicago Band will be at Springbank Friday and Saturday, afternoon and evening.

Absolutely Denies the Story That He Accepted \$1,000 From Gerald Siften.

Witness Was Not Suspicious of Joseph Sifton's Death.

Mrs. (Dr.) McNetl Called to the Stand-The Sifton Examination Resumed.

The preliminary examination of Gerald Sifton and Walter Herbert, charged with the murder of Joseph Sifton, was resumed at the court house this morning after the adjournment from Friday last. The attendance was somewhat sparser than on the previous sittings, owing probably to the excessive heat. Mrs. Gerald Sifton and

Mary McFarlane were again in court. The defense announced that they did not wish to cross-examine the last witness of Friday hast, Rev. W. H.

Cooper. In accordance with Dr. NcNeil's expressed desire, he was first called to the stand in order that he might deny under oath the alleged statement of Gerald Sifton that he had to give Dr. McNeil \$1,000 to avoid the holding of an inquest. Before the putting of any questions to the witness, Mr. Hellmuth objected to the recalling of the witness, as he submitted that Dr. McNeil had already given his version of the giving of the burial certificate, and that it was not evidence to deny Mr. Cooper's statement of Gerald's alleged conversation with him. The objection was noted, and Mr. Magee then asked the doctor if on the day of the granting of the certificate there had been any talk of money, or promissory notes for mo-ney, or if three notes for \$1,000 had been given the witness by Gerald to prevent an inquest. The doctor re-plied that he absolutely denied that such a thing had happened, and that there was no foundation whatever for GRAND TREASURER'S FIGURES.
the statement. The conversation with Gerald had not lasted two hours, but only 15 or 20 minutes, Cross-examined, witness said it was untrue that he told Rev. Mr. Cooper that Jack and Al Sifton were pressing for an investigation, and that they and a hired man were suspicious, and on this point witwere suspicious, and on this point witJan. 1 to July 23, and there is now a ness took issue with Rev. Mr. Cooper. Witness thought John and Alfred Sifton were suspicious because of remarks he heard them make about Gerald and Mrs. Gerald Sifton. Witness had asked Joseph Winter, a farmer, to press for an inquest if he heard any suspi-cious circumstances. Witness himself was not suspicious of any wrongdoing in connection with Joseph Sifton's

death.

Gerald had remarked that he had strychnine to put his father out of pain, but he was not suspicious of Gerald in connection with the injuries to his father. Witness had first seen Edgar Morden after Joseph Sifton's on July 22. Morden asked where Mary McFarlane was, and if Gerald didn't keep her pretty close. Edgar said he had something to tell Edgar sald he witness, but didn't know whether he could trust him with it, and witness replied that if Edgar did not wish to trust him he had better not, so Edgar did not tell him. Witness never told Gerald not to tell Rev. Mr. Cooper that witness was in the house, nor did he ever know Rev. Mr. Cooper had been in Gerald's house at the same time as witness was. Witness never asked for or received one cent from Gerald Sifton, for professional services or other-Witness did not think his own wise. suspicions were sufficient to warrant him in laying the case before the crown. Witness told his wife of Gerald's remark about strychnine. Witness had spoken to Constable Corsant about the matter on the Monday lowing the death, and asked him to report to witness any suspicious circumstances, and Constable Corsant had reported to him the following Thursday. Mr. Magee objected to the admission as evidence of what Constable Corsant had reported to witness. The magistrate sustained Mr. Magee's objection. It was untrue that witness kept out of the way of Rev. Mr. Cooper from the time of the death until after the funeral. Witness had not burned any papers having any

To Mr. Meredith witness said that

connection with the Sifton case. Mrs. McNeil, wife of the previous itness remembered the day of Joseph Sifton's death. On the following day about 9:30 Gerald Sifton came to the house. Gerald was in the house with witness' husband a short time, ten minutes or so. Witness was at break-. fast when her husband left the table to attend to Gerald, and was still at breakfast when her husband returned. To Mr. McEvoy witness said she did not know of her own knowledge what Gerald's business there was. She heard her husband say to Gerald that if any new fact came out there would be an inquest,

RICHARD LAMBOURN.

Richard Lambourn, of Birr, was the next witness called. He was at Jos. Sifton's house early on the morning of the injury. Witness went around to the barn. Walter Herbert came round, looked up to the end of the barn, and said, "There's where he fell from. He and Gerald were up there knocking off boards, and Gerald says, 'There he Herbert then picked up the axe and showed them how Sifton fell on the axe. Herbert was crying, and seemed down-hearted. When asked where he (Herbert) was at the time, he answered, "I was down in the mow." Witness saw two separate marks of blood on the ground, and blood on a piece of brick

Mr. Meredith's - cross-examination failed to bring out anything new from this witness

At this point court adjourned till 2 p.m.

Take trolley rides to Springbank for that tired feeling. Doctors prescribe one dose daily. Pleasant to take. Even the children like it, and cry for it.

ODDFELLOWS

Opening Session of the I.O.O.F. Grand Lodge.

Some 25,000 Members Represented-Interesting Figures.

Hamilton, Aug. 9.—The 46th session of the Grand Lodge, Independent Orner of Oddfellows, opened yesterday in the court house. Over 400 delegates were in attendance, representing more than 25,000 members.

The mayor of Hamilton and warden of Wentworth county welcomed the delegates to the city, and J. B. Turner, D.D.G.M., welcomed them on behalf of Hamilton district, No. 9, I. O. O. F. Dr. McLurg, of Woodstock, grand master, replied for the order.

The morning business was principally of a routine nature. There will be a determined effort made on the part of the local brethren to have the Oddfellows' Home located in or near Hamilton. The graded scale of dues will come up for consideration. Guelph and St. Thomas are both out for the grand lodge convention for 190f.

INTERESTING FIGURES.

The total expenditure of the order in Ontario, for all its departments, for sick benefits, relief of widows and orphans, funeral benefits, death indemnity, and special relief since 1856, and including the year ending Dec. 31,

1899-43 years—includes:
Paid by subordinate lodges.
Sick benefits, relief, etc...\$1,395,785 05
Paid by subordinate en-tion, death claims paid ... Oddfellows' Relief Associa-tion, disability claims..... Mutual 'Aid Association, 15,400 90 London, death claims paid 1.261 90

Funeral Aid Association, Lincoln and Welland, death claims paid 6,265 00

Total assets\$1,080,777 26 Less due on buildings and landsOther liabilities 15,660 47

Total liabilities \$81,499 83 Assets over liabilities.... \$999,277 43 The report of the grand treasurer, the year ending Dec. 21, 1899, of \$13,395 73, and disbursements amounting to \$12,662 91, leaving a balance of \$12,662 91, leaving a balance of entrance examinations—together, and were ready for the Collegiate Instireceipts of \$16,794 83 for the period from tute.

general balance of \$7,147 03. The Oddfellows' Relief Association had 11,038 members at the end of 1899, paid out \$90,500 in death claims, and \$2,000 for disability claims, and its receipts amounted to \$145,656 56.

INCREASES IN MEMBERSHIP. An abstract from the returns of lodges for the year ending Dec. 31, 1899: Number of lodges, Dec. 31, 1899.. 281 Membership, Dec. 31, 1899......23,590

RELIEF FOR YEAR 1899. Number of brothers who re-ceived sick benefits Amount paid, sick benefits....\$56,854 53 Amount of surgeons' fees.... 6,560 80 Nursing sick brothers...... 1,591 10 Special relief and charity 3,724 43 Burying brothers' wives..... 381 00

Total\$90,669 85

DAUGHTERS OF REBEKAH. Hamilton, Aug. 9.-The Daughters of Rebekah wound up the business of their assembly yesterday. item of business at the closing session was the consideration of the recommendation to establish a sick and funeral benefit fund, so as to be on the same footing with the Grand Encampment. A resolution to this effect was lost, the vote being somewhat

THE LEAVING **EXAMINATIONS**

List of Those Who Passed in All Subjects and Those Who Passed in Grammar, Arithmetic and History in London and Middlesex.

Following are the results of (a) Part I. junior leaving or public school leaving examinations:

(b) The commercial diploma Part II.

examinations. (c) The commercial specialists' examinations. In the Part I. junfor leaving lists that

follow, the symbol P. 6 indicates that the candidates referred to have passed in all the five subjects of the examination, while the symbol P. 9 implies that the candidates referred to have passed in grammar, arithmetic and history. Certificates and statements of marks will be forwarded to principals and inspectors (in no case to candidates). within ten days. The results of the other July examinations will probably be issued towards the end of next week:

London .- P. 5-Carson, Cleugh, Fox. Grant, Grover, Howden, R. B. Kil- two-year-old bull last night. bourne, McKone, Page, Robinson, Sharp, E. A. Brown, Campbell, Chapman, Childs, Cooper, M. Corcoran, Craig, Cushman, C. M. Dunkin, Durocher, Elliott, Forsyth, Gray, Hamilton, Hay, Hillier, Holmes, Hurkett, Hurley, Jackson, J. Johnston, Justin, Kay, D. M. Kilbourne, Legg, Lewis, McBride, McColl, Mackenzie, Macpherson, Madden, Mat-thew, Maver, Mills, C. Munroe, Neely, Pigot, Powell, Rowlands, Snell, Spittal, F. Steele, N. M. Steele, Stewart, Tanton, Turner, Vining, I. Walker, S. S. Walker, Watson, Webster, Westman, Windsor, Needham. London, East.-P. 5-E. P. Anderson,

Dow, G. Garrett, Irvin, Johnstone, Kilbourn, Longfield, Murray, Oliver, Rath, Shipley, Short, Smith, Steele. P. 3-Calvert, Cawthorpe, Elliott, M. Garrett, Goodall, Kalser, Maclean, Mann, Rob-

Lucan .- P. 5-L. M. Braithwaite, J. McNair, L. McNair, Bunn. P. 3-Laura Brathwaite, Downing, Dopevan. R. E. Fox, M. Fox, Guest, Guilfoyle, W. Hodgins, Lintott, McIntyre, Miller, Mor-kin, Plerce, Stanley, Stewart, Wilkin, Strathroy, P. 5—Alway, Ball, L. W. Barolay, Callahan, Cameron, Cuddy, C. Fisher, F. Fisher, Janes, E. C. John-

ker, Rogers, Smithrim, M. E. Stewart, Wilson, P. 3—Brown, Buttery, Calvert, E. D. Campbell, M. E. F. Campbell, Clarke, Cutler, Evans, Fletcher, Folins-

"If/you

see a thing too often you no longer see it; if you hear a hing too often, you no longer hear it." Perhaps you've seen and heard so much of "Pearline" that it makes no impression upon you Then it's time to wake up and look about and see what Pearline is doing for other women. Pearling gives the easiest,

quickest, most economical washing and cleaning.

Saunders, G. S. Stewart, Wyatt, Sara McLeish (passed in history).
Glencoe.—P. 5 — Beattie, Ferguson,
Leitch (honors), E. S. McLauchlan, Mc-Leod. P. 3—D'Arville, Johnson, Wal-ker, Campbell. Belmont.—P. 5—Roberts. P. 3—Buch-

anan, Campbell.

NUMEROUS DROWNINGS

Two St. Catherines Youths Lose Their Lives in Learning to Swim.

Lad Met Death in the Same Mine Where His Parent Lost His Life-Other Casualties.

TWO BOYS.

St. Cacharines, Ont., Aug. 9. - A very sad drowning accident occurred here yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock. Two boys-Foy McTavish, aged 17, son to 94°. of D. D. McTavish, and Joseph Smith, aged 14, son of Jacob Smith - went down to Malpass pond, which joins the old Welland Canal, for a bath. They were learning to swim and got too far out in the deep water, and both were drowned. The boys were playmates, and went down to the pond alone, so no immediate assistance was at hand. The bodles were recovered at W. J. McCormack, showed receipts for ter. Both boys were bright, included the year ending Dec. 31, 1899, of \$13,the year ending Dec. 31, 1899, of \$13,amounting citizens. They had just passed their together. 7 o'clock in about twelve feet of wa-

AT DUNNVILLE. Dunnville, Aug. 9. - Harold, son of lenry W. Fisher, of the Pittsburg Henry W. Underground Cable Company, of Pittsburg, was drowned at noon today while bathing off the pier at Port Maitland.

FELL OVERBOARD. Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 8 .- When the steamer North King arrived at her dock at Charlotte yesterday morning, the passengers aboard reported that Chas. Marshall, aged 20 years, of Kingston, accidentally fell overboard near Deseronto and was undoubtedly drowned.

SWIMMER DROWNED. Hamilton, Aug. 9.-Tuesday afternoon, Michael Manion was drowned while in swimming near Browne's wharf at the foot of Macnab street. He took cramps. The unfortunate man was a coremaker, employed in the G. T. shops and formerly lived in Dundas. He was about 35 years of age.

A JAPANESE GIRL Toledo, Aug. 9.-Miss H. O'Kabe, daughter of Prince P. H. O'Kabe, of Tokio, Japan, was drowned at Cedar Point, near here, on Tuesday,

DROWNED WHILE BATHING. Toronto, Aug. 9.—William Ware, aged 20 years, of 17 Olive street, son of a widowed mother, was drowned yesterday afternoon while bathing at waterworks wharf. He had left a pet dog to guard his clothing and his bicycle, and it was the actions of the animal that attracted the attention of

DIED AS HIS FATHER DID.

Scranton, Pa., Aug. 9.-William Gilbert, aged 15 was killed, and Andrew Davis, another boy, was seriously injured yesterday, when a portion of the roof of the Mount Pleasant coal mine fell on them. Young Gilbert's father was killed in the same mine last March, and the boy had just begun work there.

DIED FROM FRIEND'S BLOW. Michael Hayes died yesterday in the Hoboken Hospital from the effects of a blow received two weeks ago. John Hekker, a Hollander, a life-long friend of Hayes, is under arrest. The two men were looking over an evening paper's war news in South Africa. Hayes remarked that 5,000 Dutchmen had surrendered. Hekker replied that it was too bad it was not 5,000 Irishmen. That started the quarrel and Hekker Hayes with his fist, knocking

BUNTED BY A BULL

Mr. R. B. Macklem Fatally Injured by a Vicious Brute.

[Special to Advertiser per G. N. W.] the ground, knocked him senseless lem, clerk of the division court, died moned, and the negro was taken to this morning of injuries caused by a jail.

L. Smith, Wickham. P. 3-Allison, Balem, who was milking in his yard. Mr. or any summer complaint if they have con, Baker, Bell, Bricklin, B. S. Brown, Macklem attempted to drive the ania bottle of Dr. J. D. Kellog's Dysentery mal away, when it turned on him, Cordial ready for use. It corrects all knocking him down and bunting him. Mr. Macklem was hurt internally, and causes a healthy and natural acand died at 5 o'clock this morning. He tion. This is a medicine adapted for leaves a wife and six children.

> SIR CHARLES TUPPER'S PLANS. Kingston, Aug. 8 .- Today's Whig "A prominent Conservative stated this afternoon that Sir Charles Tupper would be the Conservative candidate in Kingston at the coming Dominion elections. He had been communicated with in a quiet way, and had cabled that he would visit

Dr. R. T. Walkem, Q.C., president of the Kingston Conservative Association, was asked about the rumor, and he stated that he knew nothing of it. If Sir Charles had any notion of contesting Kingston he would certainly have told him about it.

MESSRS. NORTHROP & LYMAN Co. are the proprietors of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, which is now being sold in immense quantities throughout the Dominion. It is welcomed by the suffering invalid everywhere with emotions of delight, because it banishes pain and gives instant relief. This valuable specific for almost "every ill that flesh is heir to," is valued by the sufferer as more precious than gold. It bee, M. V. Hill. E. E. Hill; Langford, is the elixir of life to many a wasted Lenfesty, Maude McKenzie, Milliken, Pannell, W.F.Parker, Patterson, Sands, able, and it should be in every house.

Many Lives Scorched Out by the Fierce Heat.

Toronto Swelters Under a Temperature of 980 in the Shade - Nine Deaths in Chicago Yesterday From the Heat-1,000 Horses Prostrated.

98 DEGREES IN TORONTO. Toronto, Aug. 8 .- The hot spell still continues in Toronto, and has contpelled most of the leading foundries to shut down. The men find it impossible to work with the thermometer at 98° in the shade, and it is estimated that over 1,000 men are idle from this cause. They will remain in enforced idleness until a cool spell comes. Some of the foundries have been closed since Friday last.

IN ST. THOMAS.

St. Thomas. Aug. 8.—The temperature at Webster & Co.'s greenhouses today at 11:30 a.m. was 96° in the At 12:15 p.m. it had dropped shade. HOT TIME IN CHICAGO.

Chicago, Aug. 8.—This is the fifth day in which the temperature reached over 90°, and numerous prostrations

were reported. NO LETUP. Chicago, Aug. 9.-All past records for long-continued hot weather in Chi-cago have been equaled during the present week, and when today's tem-peratures have been taken it is more

above the 90° mark, and with no relief in sight, the weather official predicts that it will again soar above that fig-

ure today. Yesterday there were NINE DEATHS and 30 prostrations. The poor people in the tenement districts suffered terribly, and in some sections whole families secured their night's rest on fire escapes, steps, porches and sidewalks. ONE THOUSAND HORSES PROS-

TRATED. More horses were killed by the heat than during any other day this sum-mer. The officers of the Humane Society estimated the number of pros-

trations at 1,000. HARD ON THE LITTLE ONES. Milwaukee, Aug. 8.-The health authorities of this city report the death;

of eighteen infants within the past 24 hours, owing to the intense heat. Today's maximum temperature was 92° DEATHS AT PITTSBURG. Pittsburg, Aug. 8.—Two additions were made today to the death roll in this city from the effects of heat. They are James Donnelly, aged 50 years, and Jacob Kress, aged 86. There were also

ten prostrations. The maximum temperature was 96°, making Pittsburg the hottest spot in the country today. IN TOLEDO. Toledo, Aug. 8 .- Two deaths from

heat were reported today. Michael Gunning, a railroad conductor, and Jers Lerkison, a laborer. Three or four other prostrations were reported. IN DETROIT.

Detroit, Aug. 9 .- At 5 p.m. yesterday the thermometer marked 94° in the shade. An hour later it registered 92°, and at 8 o'clock was down to 87°. PRETTY WARM. Saginaw, Mich., Aug. 8 .- The ther-

mometer registered from 94° to 100° in the shade today, and everything is paralyzed by the excessive heat. DEAD FROM HEAT. Imlay City, Mich., Aug. 8 .- David Still dropped dead from heat prostra-

tion this afternoon. He was a well-

known figure around town. It is the

first death from that cause ever known

here. FOUGHT WITH KNIVES AND

PITCHFORK. Saratoga, Aug. 9 .- John E. Madden, the Kentucky horse owner and breeder, narrowly escaped serious injury at him the hands of a discharged negro stable hand last evening. The negro went to his ex-employer's stable and attacked Madden with a bowle knife. Madden warded off the blow, which was directed at his heart, with his left arm, the knife striking a glancing blow on the hand, lacerating the flesh om the thumb for several inches. Madden grappled with his assailant, and after throwing him with much force to Brighton, Ont., Aug. 7.-R. B. Mack- with a pitchfork. An officer was sum-

The bull was bothering Mr. Mack- NO ONE NEED FEAR CHOLERA lem, who was milking in his yard. Mr. or any summer complaint if they have NO ONE NEED FEAR CHOLERA the young and old, rich and poor, and is rapidly becoming the most popular medicine for cholera, dysentery, etc.,

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Western Assurance	100
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Northwest Land Company, pref. 501/4	1813/4
Canada Pacific Ry, Stock 1614	\$65%
General Electric	1603/
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Commercial Cable Company166	164
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TRUSTS-				
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Leather				
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Sugar 12134	122	12234	1211/2	
Federal Steel 33	323/4	331/4	3234	331/4
Rubber 291/2	2834	283/	271/2	2734
Steel and Wire 33	331/2	6,6,7/	*3.3	991/
Tobacco 93%	931/6	931/2	931/2	931/4
Continental 25%	253/	25%	253/3	253/8
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English Markets

Liverpool, Aug. 9.—Glosing.

Wheat—Spot firm; No. 1 Cal., 6s 3d to 6s
34d; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 4d; No. 2 red
western winter, 6s 3½d; futures, quiet; Sept.,
6s 2d: Dec., 6s 3d. Spot, firm. American mixed, new, 3s

11d: do. old. steady. 3s 114d: futures, quiet, Sept., 3s 114d; Oct., 4s; Nov., 4s 4d.
Flour-St. Louis fancy winter, firm, 8s. Pose - Canadian, 5s 614d. Beef - Extra India mess, dull, 72s 6d; prime

Beer - hatra india mess, dun, 728 bu; prize bess, dull, 648 9d.

Pork - Prime mess, fine western, firm, 70s.

Lard - American refined in paila, dull \$56 6d; prime western, in ticroes, steady, 35s.

Hams - Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 48s.

Conviscional and 128 to 20 lbs, steady

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 48s.
Bacon—Gumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, steady,
Bis; short ribs, 18 to 22 lbs, dull, 43s 6d; long
slear middles, light, 30 to 36 lbs, dull, 41s 6d;
long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, dull,
41s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, steady,
50s; clear belifes, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 40s.
Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, steady, 34s.
Tallow—Prime city, firm, 25s; Australian
in London, steady, 26s 6d.
Gettoseed oil—Full refined, Aug., steady. Cottonseed oil-Hull refined, Aug., steady,

22s 3d. Cheese - American finest white, firm, 48e

61: do, colored, firm, 48s 6d.
Turpentine spirits—Dull, 30s 6d.
Roein—Common, dull, 4s 9d.
Linseed oil—35s 3d.
Butter—Good, 80s; finest American, 94s.

Toronto Froduce Market.

Toronto, Aug. 9 .- Wheat dull; old red and white are quoted at 70c asked and 68c bid west; new is quoted at 67c to 68c west. Manitoba wheat is firmer; No. 1 hard is quoted at 91/2c, grinding, In transit; 83c to 841/2c affoat, Fort William; 87c, Toronto, and west, and 85c, Midland. Flour steady; sales, \$2 70 to \$2 75, 90 per cent patents, in buyers' bags west; \$4 20 for cars of patents, and \$4 20 for strong bakers here, Mill feed quiet; cars of shorts are quoted at \$14 50 to \$15 and bran at \$11 to \$11 50 Too k Branachie to Chatham From west. Barley steady; new No. 3 extra 1s quoted at 34c, and No. 2 at 32c to 88c west. Rye steady; new is quoted at 51c east and west. Corn steady; Canada yellow is quoted at 40c west; No. 3 American is quoted at 461/2c. Oats are steady at 26c to 261/2c for old white west; offering at 25c west. Peas steady at 590 to 60c west. Eggs steady at 12c to 121/2c. Butter-Receipts moderate; fair demand; steady at 19c to 20c for good dairy pound rolls, asked, to 17c inspector has been hustling on other for good tubs; creamery steady at 20½c business. A few weeks ago he went to to 21c for prints, and 191/2c to 20c for Indianapolis and prepared a case for tubs. Dressed hogs-Small receipts; steady at \$7 75 to \$8. Live hogs-Re- hte extradition of William Branachie, celpts today, \$2 50; prices unchanged a glass blower, wanted in Chatham, and steady at 6%c for choice bacon. Ont., on several charges of theft. When



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Chicago Exchange. CHICAGO. Aug. 9. Following are the fluctuations on the Chicag

0		e. Phon High	Low.	
Wheat-Aug				743/4
Sept				753/8
Oct				
Corn-Aug	385/3	385%	37.7/3	3773
Sept	381/2	3814	3778	373/4
Oct				
Oats-Aug	211/2	215%	2114	211/4
Sept	21 7/8	22	213/4	2134
Pork-Sept	11 85	11 85	11 70	11 72
Oct	11 85	11 87	11 77	11 80
Lard-Sept	6 85	6 85	6 80	6 82
Oct				
Ribs-Sept	7 15	7 17	7 12	7 15
Oct		7 15	7 07	7 10

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For Two More Days the Pullman Band Will Be in London.

giment (Pullman) Band has been one Old Boys' stay here. Owing to the of the features of the Old Boys' re- large demand coin collectors are placunion. No other musical organization ing a price on these pieces. that has come to this city has taken son ran away from the Bernard House so firm a hold upon the affections of this morning about 11 o'clock. A two-Londoners in general. Mayor Rumball wheeled cart, in which sat a little girl presentative than when he read that on to Dundas street, from Talbot, and ran into a cab. The little girl was saved appreciative address last night. Every-one was sorry, indeed, to think that Smith, of the firm of Clarke & Smith. the Chicagoans were going away so The horse broke loose from the cart soon. Their music was so excellent that it is little wonder that the door of a store on Dundas street, where it was stopped. crowds were demonstratively appreciative; in fact, they were almost sel-

The Street Railway Company saw in this popularity a splendid opportunity to please the people, but there were in Chicago are recognized almost as a street Railway Company saw in States, especially Chicago, is remarkable. The large number of Canadians in Chicago are recognized almost as a street Railway Company saw in States, especially Chicago, is remarkable. difficulties to be overcome. had already exceeded the intended Harvester Works, where labor of every time, and several of the members could class is employed, preference is alway clear to stay. However, money talks, and the loquacity seeking positions, and in that estabof the amount offered by the company lishment, outside of their own Ameriwas an unanswerable argument. sequently this magnificent musical or- jority. ganization will stay here two more days, Friday and Saturday. Enter-prise of such a commendable character speaks for itself; the public is bound to appreciate it, and there is no doubt that while the band is there immense crowds will leave the blistered city streets and saunter and rest cool shade of the river park's

grand old trees.

The Chicago band has mastered more than 2,000 compositions, many being its exclusive property, and Bandmas-ter Hostrawser has chosen for these concerts the very best among them, while so varied are his selections that all tastes will be sated.

The pleasantest thing imaginable on these sweltering days, when "Whew!" is the most used word in all vocabularies, is to lazily lie on the river-swept sward at Springbank, and with halfclosed eyes listen to such music. programme given below is for Friday afternoon. In tomorrow's paper Saturday's programme will be given: Programme by First Regiment (Pullman) Band, J. F. Hostrawser, director, for Friday afternoon, Aug. 10, 1900, at

Springbank Park: 1. March—"Onward, Christian Soldiers" Sullivan
2. Overture—"The Barber of Second

ville" Ross
3. Pastorale and Polka—"Twittering .. Rossini Birds" Morand
4. Excerpts from Opera—"The Bo-

6. Solo for Euphonium (selected)... R. Densmore.

7. (a) Intermezzo—"Babbilage".... (b) Negro Pastime—"Levee Revels" ... Hall

8. Cavatina for Clarinets ... Gassner

9. Valse Caprice—"Flirtation" ... Stecx

10. Descriptive—"A Hunting Scene" Bucolossi

INSPECTOR MURRAY

During the Interim in the Sifton Case Indianapolis.

Toronto World: Chief Inspector Murray of the Ontario Department of Criminal Investigations, returned to Toronto yesterday at noon. Since the late government. adjournment of the preliminary inquiry into the Sifton murder case, the 5%c for heavy fat and 5%c for light the Sifon case was adjourned the other day the inspector straightway went to Indianapolis and got his man He was landed in Chatham jail safe and sound on Tuesday. The inspector will go to Buffalo in a day or two to get another man wanted in Canada. This is Bradstreet, alias Ryan, against whom there are numerous charges of theft in Elgin county. The papers have already arrived from Washington ordering his extradition. In the meantime the inspector is looking after the crown's interest in the Sifton case, and goes to London this morning to be present at the inquiry.

No smoke, no dust, no cinders, going to Springbank on the electric cars.

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Latest Probabilities.

Toronto, Aug. 9-10 a.m.-Probabilities for the next twenty-four hours for the lower takes region: Moderate to fresh westerly to southerly winds; fair and very warm; local thunderstorms. Friday-Fresh southerly to westerly winds; very warm until night, with numerous thunderstorms.

-Will Henderson, of Chicago, is one

-One drunk was discharged at the police court this morning. -The London observatory thermometer marked 93° in the shade at 2 p.m.

-Miss G. Street, of Toronto, is spending her holidays with her parents at 254 Talbot street, city.

-St. Thomas Times: W. H. Winnett, of London, was in the city yesterday negotiating for the purchase of property fronting on the M. C. R., in the rear of Lindsay Bros.' block.

-Sarah Jane Johnston, a colored woman, was lodged in jail last night charged with drunkenness and vag-rancy. She was remanded till Aug. 10 by Squire Harry Edwards, of Westminster township.

-Mr. I. F. Hellmuth, of the firm of Hellmuth & Ivey. has entered the firm of Kingsmill, Saunders & Torrent, Toronto, solicitors for the Michigan Central Railway. He is not severing his connection with the first-mentioned firm, but will divide his time and attention between the two. His family will remove to Toronto.

died yesterday at his late residence, No. 47 Evergreen avenue. Mr. Day was born in England, and came to Canada 30 years ago. For the past five years the had been an invalid. He was twice married, and leaves three sons and three daughters by his first wife, and two sons by his second wife. The funeral will be held tomorrow to Oakland cemetery.

-It is astonishing the remarkable Will Give Concerts at Spring bank To- demand there is at present for the morrow and Saturday-Has Bean large Canadian penny, or two-cent Secured at Considerable Expense- piece; not for its value as a scarce coin, but for its size and oddity. A Will Play Their Finest Selections great many Americans seek this coin when they come over to Canada, and frequent requests for them have been The great popularity of the First Re- made by visitors to London during the

-In conversation with Mr. Ed. O. fish in making so many importunate the city, he stated to an Advertiser demands upon the band's lavish gener-Canadian help in all parts of the The band colony by themselves. In the Deering ways shown to Canadians who are Con- can help, the Canadians are in the ma-

-The Advertiser has already an-Enter- nounced the names of its graduates who accompanied the Old Boys from different sections of the continent. There is probably no other concern in the city which can show such a list of its old employes returning on this occasion. From all parts of the United States and Canada former members of our staff and mechanical deparments attended the reunion, and most of them called to pay their respects to their old-time associates in our office. The Advertiser is an institution that has graduates in every city represented in the Old Boys' As-

THE IRISH PICNIC.

An immense crowd went down to Port Stanley this morning. Apparently the Irishmen are determined to maintain their reputation of having the largest picnic of the season. Three long, heavily-laden trains left the city this morning. The warm weather favored the excursion in one way, for hundreds of people joined it to get away from the heat of the city and enjoy the breezes of the lakeside. The committee secured a splendid attraction by getting the Chicago band to remain over and accompany them to port. They paraded the downtown streets this morning. The Seventh and Musical Society bands are also at

GOVERNMENT JOBS

Contracts Let Building the Windsor Drill Hall and Picton Post Office.

[Special to Advertiser per C. P. R.] Ottawa, Aug. 9.-The contract for constructing the new drill hall at Windsor, Ont., has been awarded to Messrs. Sullivan & Langton, and contractors in each case will have to abide by the fair wage resolution, which compels the payment of the current rate of wages, and will not permit of non-residents of Canada being employed. As the contractors will have to pay the rate of wages in the district, there would be no interest in their looking for cheaper labor elsewhere, as was customary under the

BASEBALL. EASTERN LEAGUE STANDING. Rochester 51 38 Providence 55 41 Springfield..... Toronto 41 Montreal 39 Syracuse 36 Syracuse.....

THE TURF

AT PORT HURON. The Port Huron banner race meeting is to be held Aug. 14, 15, 16 and 17. The association are giving \$5,200, the largest purses ever offered, and have expended over \$3,000 on their track and grounds, and President H. C. Knill, jun., and other good judges claim that the recent improvements to the track have made it the fastest and finest half mile track in the state, and they have the largest and best fields of horses ever entered at a race meeting. They expect to see the record broken of the state for the fastest time ever made over a half mile track. Every heat will be a race,

THE C.P.R. STRIKE PAINTS and O

Appears Likely to Extend Its prices, having bought before the advance. Influence.

Organizing the Ontario Labor Bureau-Female Labor in Demand.

Winnipeg, Man. Aug. 8.—The most startling development in the strike situation today was the announcement that the inspectors, car repairers, cleaners, etc., on the Pacific and Western divisions will go out on strike if the C. P. R. does not accede to certain terms which they are laying before the management. The car inspectors, etc., allege that scandalous conditions are now imposed upon them, which will startle the public when revealed. General Superintendent Osborne and they have not been approached these men yet, and do not know of any

grievance which they have. Mr. Whyte states that special constables were put on the C.P.R. yards, not to prevent violence on the part of the strikers, but to protect the company's property from marauders and thieves, who would seize the opportun-

ity to steal and do damage and throw the blame upon the strikers. The men now on strike have not as yet approached the management, but it is said that they will lay their case before Mr. Whyte very shortly, thus opening the way for a settlement of the difficulty.

ONTARIO LABOR BUREAU. Toronto, Aug. 9. - The office for the labor bureau has been selected, and in a few days Mr. Robert Glock--Mr. George Day, aged 73 years, ling, the secretary of the bureau, will take possession. The rolected is in the center of the building, on the same floor as the department of public works, under which the bureau has been placed. A into a saloon at Air Line Junction, a stenographer and typewriter will, suburb of Toledo, and on being rewith the secretary, form the staff for fused drinks by Saloonkeeper Nathan. the present. Early next week the bureau will commence operations.

FACTORY WORK PREFERRED. Miss Margaret Carlye, one of the Ongrowing scarcity in female labor, al- general of posts in Cuba, has disallowthough owing to the rapid progress of ed accounts amounting to \$250,000, manufacturing during the past three which include "stuffed" pay rolls. years wages are at the top figure, The French Line steamship Mont girls in small towns especially making Blanc, on her way down from Montreal from \$6 to \$10 per week at factory to the sea, went ashore Wednesday work. Many girls are forsaking the saleswoman's desk for the factory as a result, and in one factory in Toronto two ladies who are medalists of To-ronto University are engaged at remunerative salaries, preferring the work to that in stores.

CHASING DEWET

Methuen Has the Job-The Disastera Eland's River-Dispatches From Roberts.

London, Aug. 9 .- The following re-

received from Lord Roberts: "Kitchener was informed yesterday by an escaped British prosoner that Dewet's wagons had crossed the Vaal. Afterwards I heard the sound of guns, which I think must have been Meth-uen's, as I directed him to take up a wet's Drift. Kitchener is crossing the spaired of. Arrests will be made.

en route for Cape Town. Three guns and 4,000 horses were captured, and ten wagon loads of ammunition and 195,000 rounds of ammunition were de-

"The garrison of Eland's River, which I fear has been captured, consisted of about 300 Bushmen and Rhodesians. I had hoped that Carrington had been in time to withdraw the garrison; but it seems that Delarey, learning of Ian Hamilton's approach to Rustenburg, hurried westward and surrounded the garrison before Carrington arrived.

"Methuen telegraphs that he engaged a part of Dewet's force yesterday near Benterskroon. He drove the enemy off a succession of hills, which they held obstinately. Our casualties were seven men killed or wounded, including four

DYING BY SCORES.

Philippines for Lack of Medical Aid.

New York, Aug. 9. - The World prints the following as coming from field gun.
a staff correspondent in Washing-"I am enabled to state on the howitzer. authority of one of the highest government officials that the war depart-men has suppressed for three weeks an appeal for help from Gen. MacArthur. Gen. MacArthur says that our men are dying at military stations all over the islands for want of medical aid.

"Several thousand are down with wounds, tropical fevers and other diseases, and utterly without the medical supplies or anyone of skill to attend them. Eight per cent of the entire force is incapacitated for service. This the contract for the Picton, Ont., post-office goes to Robert Cameron. The a little later, in which Gen. MacArthur called for at least 100 doctors and 300 medical attendants. The advertisement for 100 doctors, recently issued by the war department, was the result of this sent. call for aid."

BRYAN AND STEVENSON. Indianapolis, Aug. 9.-W. J. Bryan, of Nebraska, and Adelaie Stevenson, of Illinois, were notified yesterday in Military Park of their nominations for the offices of president and vicepresident of the republic. Thousands of people witnessed the ceremonies. SUICIDE IN PRISON.

Auburn, N. Y., Aug. 2 — William Gleason, a New Yorker, serving four years and six months in Auburn prison for burglary and larceny, committed suicide by hanging himself in his cell last night. Gleason was a transfer from Sing Sing and had served about a year of his term.

SO HOMEL KE!

[From the Sylacule Rerald.]

The fender on the car caught him amidships.

First he was hurl feet in the air.

In landing he fell to him.

Finally he rolled down a coal pit.

They carried him to the hospital, and after an hour or so he opened his and after an hour or so he opened his

eyes. "That was like home," he sighed "Home!" cried the physician, "Where the deuce are you from?"

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A Chinese Defeat.

Che Foo, Aug. 9.-Signals, Washing-Manager Whyte, however, state that ton, Aug. 6 .- Yang Tsun captured today. Wire us. Need own transportation.

The rate of discount of the Bank of Bengal was raised from 3 to 4 per

was blown up with dynamite Tues-Judge Henry, of Kansas City, decid-

A street car in North St. Louis, Mo.,

ed that telegraph companies must furnish grain market quotations. Robert L. Brophy, 42 years old, a grocery clerk, of Syracuse, N. Y., committed suicide this (Thursday) morning by shooting. He had been out of

employment, and was despondent. pounded him into insensibility. He will

Deputy Auditor Lawshe, who has been investigating the accounts of E. factory inspectors, reports a G. Rathbone, the deposed director-

night at the Richelieu Rapids. steamer Lord Stanley, with a gang of men to lighter the vessel, left Quebec for her assistance

Western Untario.

Sewing is to be taught in Windsor schools.

The St. Thomas city council has de-

The seventh annual Scotch picnic at Erieau will be held on Tuesday, Aug.

cided to submit a bylaw to the ratepayers on Sept. 6th to raise \$3,000 to build an addition to the Amassa Wood port, dated Pretoria, Aug. 8, has been Hospital. The members of Apple Grove Grange will hold a memorial service, owing to

the death of their late sister Josephine Wardell, in the Grange Hall, Middlemarch, on Sunday evening next. During a carousal in Bedford town-

Vaal with cavalry and mounted in- Mrs. N. Oatman and Mrs. F. Oatman and the Cline family, all of St. "Hunter reports that he made 4,140 Thomas, are alleged to have fallen heir prisoners in the Bethlehem-Harrismith to a large dowery in Pennsylvania. It district, a majority of whom are now consists of 100 acres of peach orchards, \$5,000,000 and 500 acres of coal mines.

Dr. Sanderson, of Sparta, met with serious accident Tuesday morning. He was coming out of his office, carrying a bundle of papers in one hand and a chair in the other. While descending the steps in front he stumbled and fell to the bottom, and when picked up he was in a precarious condition, one of his legs being broken, his shoulder badly dislocated and other parts of the body severely bruised.

SUPPLIES OF WAR

Enermous Quantities of Goods Sent to South Africa by Great Britain.

Some idea of the cost of the South African war may be derived from the amount of war material sent out. It appears from an article in the Edin-American Soldiers in Bad Plight in the burgh Review that 170 millions of small-arm ammunition have been forwarded. The following figures give the corresponding provision of artil-

lery ammunition: Over 105,000 rounds for the 12-pounder H. A. gun. Over 330,000 rounds for the 15-pounder

Over 30,000 rounds for the 5-inch Over 20,000 rounds for the 5-inch

gun.

Nearly 21,000 rounds for the 4-7 gun. Nearly 380,000 rounds for the "pom-The clothing statistics are as fol-

Drab suits, much over 200,000. Khaki suits, about 80,000. Boots (pairs), over 370,000. Woolen drawers, over 400,000. Jerseys, over 200,000. Worsted stocks, over 850,000. Flannel belts, over 400,000. Flannel shirts, over 500,000

Besides this, some 18,000 tents, 420,000 blankets, 300,000 waterproof sheets, and other such general stores have been

As regards food, though much has been collected in the country itself, the exports have been gigantic; 80 million pounds in weight of the fifty-eight items (meat, bacon, cheese, pea-soup, etc.), having been dispatched. The difficulties of package may be imagined from the estimate that 662,000 bottles of different kinds were included in these supplies. Interesting items are 10 million pounds of jam and marmalade, 27 million pounds of biscuits, 1½ million pounds of tobacco, 20½ million Of forage. pounds of preserved meat. 000 tons were sent from English, and 154,000 tons from foreign and colonial ports.

KING HUMBERT'S FUNERAL. Rome, Aug. 9.—The remains of the late King Humbert were buried today, with imposing ceremonies. His body was interred in the Pantheon. DEATH OF MR. JOHN KEATING. Cornwall, Aug. 9.-Mr. John Keating. for 17 years principal of the Cornwall a shrill outcry: separate schools, died here yesterday, "Stop us, Mr. Smith, stop us We're separate schools, died here yesterday, aged 48 years. Mr. Keating ranked among the foremost teachers in Ontario, and at the teachers' conventions his papers were always eagerly looked for. He was born at Caledonia, Ont. The Catholic Order of Foresters, of which deceased was a member, will attend the funeral on Friday morning, as will also the supils and ex-pupils of

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[Chicago Inter-Ocaen.]

Hundreds of Kansas girls now have a pocketbook full of new, crisp money as a result of three weeks' work in the harvest fields this summer. them have earned enough to buy their winter clothes. There is no way to tell the exact number of girls who were employed in the wheat fields this year, but from the numeroues notices of town girls going out to do harvest work, as contained in the local newspapers of the state, it is believed that no less than 500 women were thus employed. The work is easy, and the pay is \$2 per day. They can sit on a binder or mower, shock wheat or rake hay, just as the old farmers may wish. The day's work is from sun to sun, and the men treat them with great respect and courtesy. But the girls will not allow the men to relieve them of their share of the work.

Eighteen young women from McPherson this year went into the fields and earned enough money plowing and harvesting to take them on a trip to the Atlantic coast, at which place they are now. Other girls have earned amough to send them to school this winter, and many more have spent their money for fine clothes and jewelry. daughters of the farmers do not work carousal in Bedford town-some men got into a con-girls, who go out during the summer Lindique, where he could intercept the enemy, who crossed the river at Deharvesting is now over, but many girls may be seen running plows. In some parts of the state they help thrash the wheat, but women at that work are not seen near Wichita.

> THOUGHT IT WAS A SCORPION. He was a brawny Hibernian and a gentleman, and he offered his seat to a stylish young woman who entered

> the car and reached for a strap.
> "Take me sate, lady!" he said, rising, and her smile of thanks caused the youth opposite to wonder why he had not offered his seat. Presently the Hibernian chanced to

glance down. Then his face assumed the expression of a man who finds a rattlesnake emerging from his pocket For a minute he stood in motionless horror; then his rough hand besan to ascend slowly. The next moment it came down on the young woman's shoulder like a mallet. She screamed and the men in the car grabbed the Hibernian.
"What is all this?" inquired the con-

ductor, swinging around. "Why, this man is either drunk or crazy," said one of the men. "He deliberately struck this young lady." The Hibernian held up his hand. "Howld on! Lit me ixplain!" "That's what we are waiting for,"

said the conductor.
"Th' lady had a tirrible scorpion crawlin' on her nick, awn Oi troid to kill it before it stung her. Thor's th ugly riptile!" They all gazed down and there was a green head peeping out from the

black lace beneath the young woman's

stock. It had been quicker than the Hibernian's hand. "You dear little thing! sail its fair owner, caressing the little green head, and then she looked up at the Hillernian. "The idea of your trying to kill pet! Looks like a scorpion, does Well, you should study natural history. Can't you see this ting gold chain? I wear him in place of a breastpin. Brother sent him to me

from Cuba. Poor little thing!" She ran her fingers over the chameleon's lithe body and the passengers smiled. But the Hibernian made a silent vow never to move a finger if he saw a rattler circling the neck of a woman.-Chicago News.

SUBJUGATED.

The word subjugated is of Latin origin-sub jugum-under the yoke. Although oftenest used in a figurative sense, it might have been applied in all literainess to a certain Maine boy whose singular experiment with a calf. as described by the Lewiston Journal, may recall to our readers the recently published story of "Bub and Broad." This farmer lad had always taken a special interest in oxen, and delighted to brandish the goad-stick over his father's good-natured pair. His great ambition was to own for himself a pair

of steers. Last summer he became the proud possessor of half a pair; in other words, his father gave him a young calf. Of course the steer could not be yoked up by itself. What did the youthful Cincinnatus do, therefore, but place one end of the voke round his own neck, and fasten it there: The result may be imagined. The

other half of the team started, and pretty soon a passing neighbor heard

running away!" The neighbor came to the rescue, and was attempting to unyoke the boy, when he called out: "Tother one, Mr. Smith, 'tother one! I'll stand!"

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A FATEFUL... DIAMOND

He knew what her answer would be, for there could be no mistaking the light on that fair, beautiful face, and he drew her into a fond, close em-brace, laying one hand lovingly, yet nervously, upon her golden head, his whole being thrilling with the mighty love that filled his heart.

And she? She stood for one minute thus encircled, then she lifted her little Miss Houghton thinks so, too." tender face to his, while tears trem. Arthur scowled, hitched uneasily in wondrous joy which this grand, in-spiring love had called to her eyes. "Louis! Louis!" she murmured, and disquiet, and finally fell into a reverie that lasted a long time. trayed an affection as deep and true

as his own. There was no need of words; each knew that each belonged to the other for all time. Aye, and if in the misty future wedded souls could belong to each other, for all eternity too.
"From the moment of our first

meeting, love-from that hour when you thrust this dear hand between the iron bars of your father's gate and dropped this little coin in the dust at my feet-you have been the lodestar that has drawn me onward and upward toward an honorable manhood. toward success, and-yourself," Louis said a little later, when both had become more familiar with the new, great happiness that had come to

Ah Louis, you must have been already somewhat charged with honor and manliness, else you could have been drawn neither upward nor onthe lips that had given utterance to the tender words.

"Margaret," Louis said, suddenly and very gravely, "I am afraid I have done wrong in not telling you before this what I know of my history; there is one blot upon my life which may make you hesitate to give yourself to

"A blot upon your life?" she repeated, lifting her startled eye to his face and growing slightly pale. "Well, not exactly that, perhaps; but blot upon a life connected with

'Ah, that is different!" she said, with a sigh of relief. "So long as you are good and true, what others may have

cannot affect you." Tears sprang to the strong man's eyes at these words, for nothing could be more touching and beautiful than

this pure, unselfish love that he had won for his simple worth alone. But he told her all his story, not omitting the fact that his father was a man of whom he had reason to be ashamed, and with whom he could never be associated in any way, except to relieve his necessities if he

should ever need such relief. "What he has done or what he is cannot affect you personally, dear," she said, with tender sweetness when he had concluded; "it is Louis Dun-Opening i

For answer the young man bent for- bracelets and brooch ward and touched those sweet, red lips with his own. He had no language with which to answer her words of exclaimed, almost awed by their splensimple faith and noble trust.

CHAPTER XVI.

"I imagine that young Dunbar, to able. whom Mrs. Houghton introduced me this evening, is a fine fellow; he has a grand head, a noble, earnest face, and there was something about his eyes that impressed me very strangely, as if I must have seen him before."

These remarks were made by Mr. Forest to his nephew, as, after their

return from the opera and their meet-ing with the Houghton party, they were seated in their private parler, smoking their fragrant Havanas and talking over the events of the even-"He has a fine position; if that can

make a fine fellow, I suppose he may one," Arthur sneeringly replied.
"What is his position?" asked Mr.

"He is general manager of the telephone interests in this country." "Indeed? That is a responsible position for a young chap like him. He must be wonderfully smart."

"He's smart enough to feather his own nest pretty well. I am told that he is getting rich fast," replied the young man, moodily. "How old is he?"

"Twenty-three or four."
"Who is he? Where does he come from? Dunbar is a familiar name." 'He was brought up until he was twelve years old by a poor woman in Boston. About that time he came out to our place and worked for a farmer named Brown, sticking closely to his employment in the summer, and going school in the winter, for three or four years; after that he went back to the city as office boy for a lawyer, and I never saw him again till I met

him here.' "He is an orphan, then?" "Yes-or, at least, he always passed himself off as one." "You do not seem to like him very

"I! He is nothing to me!" Arthur hastened to assert, somewhat scornfully. "But-"

"But what?"
"I have no faith in him; he was up to all sorts of things when we went school together, and I believe these old tricks, particularly if they are mean ones, will cling to a boy all his life," Arthur responded; and, verily,

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****** we believe that he knew whereof he "Oh, I don't know about that; all boys are full of mischief, and I reckon he was no worse than others," Mr.

Forest remarked, charitably. "Well, you can judge for yourself," returned his nephew, and then he proceeded to relate that story of the lost coin with which we are familiar, coloring it to suit himself, and making Louis out to have been a veritable little thief in his earlier days. "He does not look like a chap of that

character; I think his face a fine one Arthur made no reply, but his lips

curled, showing his teeth in a disagreeable smile. "I imagine also," pursued the gentleman, shooting another searching glance at his companion, "that your pretty

bled upon her golden lashes-tears of his chair, impatiently threw away his cigar, and suppressed an oath. Mr. Forest appeared not to heed his

> The following morning he informed Arthur that he was obliged to run down to Havre for a few days on business, but he must try to enjoy himself as well as he could during his absence. His traps, he said, he would leave to his care, although he supposed there was no danger of anything hap-

But that night found Arthur Aspin-wall "enjoying himself" in a remarkably strange manner.

Every door leading to his uncle's room was locked, and the portieres were closly drawn over them, window was closed, and the shades drawn down, and the heavy draperies drooped over them, while the young man might have been seen sitting before a strong, iron-bound chest, trying

numerous keys in its massive lock. He was certainly "looking after" his uncle's traps in a most literal manner. been drawn neither upward not been drawn neither upward not ward." Margaret replied, with such dendness that he could not resist benext moment he had lifted the lid of the chest—a mysterious article that His efforts were at last rewarded; had attracted and excited his curiosity the first time he had seen it-and its contents were at his mercy.

An examination of these revealed valuables of various kinds. There were trinkets and curiosities from different countries, boxes and bundles of papers relating to business transactions, account books, bank books, notes and bonds. There were packages of beautiful goods, silks, satins, em-broideries, gloves, handkerchiefs, etc., evidently intended for friends at home —perchance for Arthur's own mother, his uncle's sister, whom now he would never see in this life.

Every package and box, book and paper, was thoroughly examined, and before morning Arthur had been through this wonderful treasure chest, and could have told almost as much regarding his uncle's business and the amount if his possessions as Mr. Forest

The clock on the manter struck five, and he had examined everything save a narrow tray which was built into one side, or end, of the chest, and securely

He, however, finally succeeded in opening it with one of his smaller keys, and, lifting the cover, the first thing that caught his eye was a large Opening it he was dazzled by the

bar whom I love and whose wife I hope glitter of a set of diamonds fit for a queen—necklace, tiara, ear-pendants, "Where on earth dld he get these, and for whom are they intended?" he

> dor and priceless value.
>
> Another small case or box contained a variety of unset jewels, very valu-

There remained now only a small mother-of-pearl case, fastened with a golden clasp. Something made Arthur Aspinwall

hesitate before opening this; he seemed to realize for the first time that he had been guilty of a mean and un-worthy act in thus prying into the secrets of another.

But curiosity again prevailed over the small stock of honor that he pos-sessed; he unfastened the golden clasp, turned back the velvet-lined lid, and found himself looking into the face of one of the loveliest women he had ever

The picture was painted on porcelain, and the tints were exquisitely soft, the outline charming.

Lovely brown eyes, large, liquid and intense in their expression of love and confidence, gazed up at him with a look so strangely familiar that every nerve in his body began to thrill, as if from some electric shock, and his own face suddenly blanched with an undefinable fear.

The low, white forehead gleamed pure as a pearl through graceful waves of nut-brown hair, which were drawn back from the delicately veined temple, and coiled in a careless knot at the back of her pretty head.

The nose was small and slightly retrousse; the mouth one of wondrous sweetness, its scarlet curves perfect and beautiful beyond description; the round, white chin, like molded wax, curving away into the graceful neck. [To be Continued.]

Light and Shade.

The proprietor of the bicycle repair shop had a boil on the back of his neck, and was feeling ugly. When, therefore, somebody rung him up and asked him-

"Are you open after six o'clock?" He replied: "I'm never open. Do I look like a sign-of-the-zodiac man? Ring off!"

Mr. Kawdle-I wish you wouldn't interrupt me every time I try to say something. Do I ever break in when you are talking?" Mrs. Kawdle-No, you wretch, you

The Maiden-Mr. Courtwell, before I answer you, what is your politics? The Ardent Lover-I am a rock-

bottom Democrat. The Maiden (with a sigh)-Well, I'm a Middle-of-the-Road Populist. can't fuse, Mr. Courtwell.

She walked the hot and barren sands. And yet she was in clover, And was engaged to three young men Before the stay was over.

"Didn't it require a lot of nerve to stand up and face the enemy in battle?" asked the interested listener.
"Yes'm," said the old soldier, and it took a whole lot of muscle when the bloody beggars charged on us."

"If you'll walk slowly across the floor again," the photographer said. "I'll try another snap shot. This one shows you with your foot in the air." "That's all right," replied the prominent citizen. "I'll send it to my daughter's young man."

"That measly cad from Yankeeland I'll now proceed to crush," And on the face of the Prince of Wales There came a royal flush.

MANGANESE

MINING

Latest Enterprise of the Czar of Newfoundland.

Operations en a Gigantic Scale-A Sturdy Scotchman Who Seems to Be Bigger Than the Colonial Gov ernment-He Owns All the Public Works and Transportation Lines of the Island.

When Robert G. Reid, the Scotch millionaire, went to St. John's, N. B., ten years ago and by virtue of a contract With the colonial government obtained control of a tract of land covering thousands of square miles in the eastern part of the island, he little thought that he had become the owner of a large deposit of a valuable mineral seldom found in the western hemisphere. The investor had operated mines of many kinds throughout his vast territory at different times and until recently was of the opinion that the possibilities of his possessions in that direction were well nigh exhausted. Two members of Mr. Reid's staff of prospectors returning from a trip along the shores of Conception bay brought with them pieces of rock chipped from cliffs jutting out into the water. These specimens, they said, showed traces of manganese which although accompanied by the usual number of alloys could be extracted at a moderate cost. The principal vein of the ore was

found to start from the face of a rugged ledge at a point several inches below the high water mark. For a short period every day the incoming waves render work impossible, but the miners do not remain idle, as several smaller pockets of the mineral have been brought to light in nearby places, where the delvers after nature's hoarding may continue their labor. A large but gloomy and forbidding cave has been formed by the digging of the mine. The sides dotted with green and yellow blotches, indicating the presence of copper and other metals, while from the low ceiling incrusted with the flaky deposit of the salt spray water drips continually upon these below.

Mr. Reid intends to confine the traffic in the product of his manganese mines to this side of the Atlantic. The foreign market for the commodity is supplied from mines scattered throughout the whole of Eur-

The successful manner in which Mr.



MINE AT HIGH TIDE.

Reid has opened and extended the manganese mine is typical of his methods in connection with many other projects. Before coming to Newfoundland he contracted for and built some of the largest bridges in 1,400,000 bound books and 900,000 America. He erected the first international railway bridge across the Niagara river, the one at Eagle Pass between Mexico and Texas, the Lachine bridge entering Montreal and several on the line of the Southern Pacific railroad.

It was in August, 1890, when the capitalist arrived in the island to enter into competition for the building of a government railway through the trackless interior. He carried the day and constructed 250 miles of road from St. John's to Notre Dame bay at \$15,600 a mile payable in the colony's 31/2 per cent. bonds. When the work was finished, Mr. Reid was asked by the gobernment to continue the line to Point au Basques, the other extremity of the island. This was a distance of 350 miles more, and he agreed to do it on the same terms. As he was closing this contract a third proposition was made The road when completed would revert to the colony. It ran through a country without a settler. It could earn nothing to help pay its way, and to finance it from the colonial treasury would impoverish the taxpayers and beggar the is-Therefore it was suggested that Mr. Reid undertake its operation for ten years. He was not unwilling in consideration of a subsidy of 5,000 acres of land for each mile

The colonial government agreed to the proposition and passed an act providing that the ownership of all minerals found on this island, even when sold by Mr. Reid to farmers, lumbermen or others, should still vest in him and be workable by him. Finding himself with 3,000,000 acres of land, Mr. Reid sent a small army of trained officials over the island, and wherever they found arable sections, timber areas, mineral belts or lakes and streams with likely water power they promptly "selected" these lands for their employer.

Mr. Reid launched a new plan in the fall of 1897. With the aid of A. B. Morine, a brilliant lawyer, a providing for the transferring to Reid of every actual and potential asset of the colony in return for a cash payment of about \$1,500,000 was prepared and placed before the legislature. The lawmakers favored it, and to-day "Czar" Reid, as he is called, owning all public works and transportation lines, has more to say in local affairs than the highest of the island's officials.

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Springfield, Sept. 28, 29. N. Perth, Stratford, Oct. 2-3. South Waterloo, Galt, Oct. 2-3. East Lambton, at Watford, Oct. 2-3. North Dorchester, Oct. 3. W. Kent, Chatham, Oct. 9-11. North Norwich, Norwich, Oct. 12-13. Norfolk Union, Simcoe, Oct. 16-18. Owen Sound, Owen Sound, Oct. 16-18. Secretaries of Western Ontario Fair Associations are invited to send the dates of their local fairs to The Ad-

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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Aug. 8, 8 p.m.-The great heat continues in Ontario and over the larger portion of the United States, and it has now spread as far east as Montreal. Toronto again records the highest temperature in Canada, 96 degrees. Some local thunderstorms have occurred in Ontario, and rain has fallen in many portions of Quebec. Minen in many portions of Quebec. Min-imum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 52-70; Kamloops, 50-70; Cal-gary, 40-70; Qu'Appelle, 50-78; Winni-peg, 60-86; Port Arthur, 56-82, Toronto, 72-96; Ottawa, 64-84; Montreal, 66-80; Quebec, 62-80; Halifax, 60-70.

Local temperatures.—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Wednesday, Aug. 8, were: Highest, 93°; lowest, 72.5°. Today (Thursday) the sun rose at 5:15 a.m., and sets at 7:31 p.m. The moon rises at 6:27 p.m., and sets at

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The Summer Vacation.

Subscribers leaving the city to enjoy their summer holidays can have the Daily Advertiser regularly mailed to their address without extra expense.

If I should run for office I should git so dreadful scared. I know that I'd furgit the various speeches I prepared, An' when they got to callin' names the whole affair I'd drop; I'd jes' start in a-runnin' an' I'd run an' never stop.

-Miss Ethel Holcombe is visiting her parents in Seaforth. -Mr. H. Edwards is spending his

holidays in Seaforth. -Mrs. Anderson, of Lorne avenue, has returned from a three weeks' visit to friends in Hamilton.

-Miss Marguerite Warmington, this city, is the guest of Miss Mae Warmington at St. George. -Miss Bacon's class of the Memorial Sunday school, had an enjoyable out-

ing at Queen's Park yesterday. -Mrs. Whitehouse and son, of Hamilton, are visiting her uncle, Mr. Amor. of 736 Queen's avenue, London East. -P. C. Robert Weir is enjoying his holidays. He leaves tomorrow Cleveland, where he will spend a week. -Mrs. K. Bowden and her two sons, of Chicago, are visiting her brother, Mr. Amor, of 736 Queen's avenue,

London East. -Clarence Jackson, the boy who had his skull fractured by a baseball bat on Gerry's flats on Monday, has materially improved at Victoria Hospital. -Arthur Dowell, an employe of the London Electrical Construction Company, ran into a street car on Dundas street on Tuesday, and had two fingers

broken. -Galt Reformer: Two thousand machinists from Toronto, Hamilton, Dundas, Brantford, St. Thomas and London will picnic at Idylwild two weeks

from today (Monday). -The L. E. and D. R. R. laid down a spur over one of the streets of Chat-ham to the Manson Campbell fanning mili factory. The council ordered it

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taken up, and now the Campbell Company say they will move to Walkerville, where they have been offered a free site.

-Charlotte Seaton, the patient who escaped from Victoria Hospital Tuesescaped from Victoria Hospital Tuesday night, was found by the police about midnight sitting on the river bank in the vicinity of the institution.

—Mr. George Johnston, late of the Lohnston Company, Lohnston Company, Concert Company. -Mr. George Johnston, late of the firm of Watson, Johnston Company, is leaving the city, having severed his connection with said firm. He has accepted a position with the John White Company, Woodstock.

-The South African correspondent The South African correspondent of the Montreal Herald, writing from the Springs on July 2, says: "Major Denison, A. D. C. to Field Marshal Lord Roberts, who was sick with enteric fever at Bloemfontein, has recovered and resumed duty at Pretoria. Capt. Barker, of C company, who has been in hospital with enteric fever at Bloemfontein, has been sent to Cape Town. Lieut. Mason, who was wounded at Paardeberg, is still at Cape Town, and will not rejoin the regiment here, as no more officers or men are being sent up."

-The wedding of Miss E. Adams, youngest daughter of Mr. George Adams, of 1,035 Laura street, and Mr. John H. Back, only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Back, formerly of Toronto, was solemnized in St. James' Church, South London, Tuesday morning. The ceremony was performed at 8 o'clock by Ven. Archdeacon Davis. The bride, who wore a traveling suit of pearl Adams, her sister, and little Miss Bertie Adams was maid of honor. Mr. R. J. Adams was maid of honor. Mr. R. J. Stevenson, of Stratford, assisted the groom. After the wedding breakfast, served at the bride's home, Mr. and Mrs. Back left on a trip east.

allowed to camp in the orchard adjoinmorning train, and when the rest of the company arrived in the afternoon they found the tents up, blankets served, and everything in the best of order. The strictest discipline was maintained throughout the whole outing. The quietness of Port Stanley was disturb-ed by the Bugle Band of the Seventh Fusiliers, under Sergt. Bell. They played excellently on all the parades they turned out. Bath parades were held at reveille both mornings, and every officer, non-commissioned officer and and will be delighted to show you our complete stock of was attended on Sunday morning, and the camp was besieged all day Sunday by visitors, one and all expressing themselves pleased with the order maintained and the cleanliness of the camp. The company returned home on Monday morning, and from the enthusiastic way in which they all speak of the outing, it was an undoubted success. This is an entirely new departure from the old system of entertainment which companies have been in the habit of giving. Generally an annual dinner has been given, but in-stead of spending the money in that way, D company decided to hold a camp. CLOSE OF THE FLOWER SHOW.

The flower show, given by the London Horticultural Society, in the city hall, was brought to a close last night, and was one of the most successful shows of its kind ever held in the province. The attendance yesterday afternoon and evening totalled over 3,000 persons. The crush was so great in the evening that many of the foliage plants had to be removed to increase the floor space. The directors of the society are delighted with the success of the exhibition, it having far exceeded their fondest expectations. There were in the neighborhood of 1,500 vases of the choicest blooms. Judge R. M. Meredith made a splendid showing of sweet peas, having no less than 50 varieties on exhibition.

Next year the exhibition will be held in the drill shed, as the city hall was found too small, many fine blooms being so crowded together that they could not be shown to advantage.

The Horticultural Society are to be congratulated upon the outcome of their undertaking.

2.000 PEOPLE

In Attendance at the Annual Picnic, Cook's Church, Caradoc-Splendid Programme.

Some two thousand people attended the annual electric light picnic of Cooks Church, Caradoc, on Tuesday evening, and were delighted with the splendid programme. The affair took place on the mammoth school house grounds. The place was brilliantly illuminated, and this accompanied, with handsomely decorated booths, made the scene a very pleasing one. There was music galore by the bands, and vocal and instrumental selections. The 26th Regiment Band played the following programme in an exceptionally pleas-

ing manner:
March—The Flag of Victory.Von Blous
Grand Value—Wedding of the Irish Valse—The Angel's Whisper

ng and Dance—Sweet Little Daisies F. R. Seltzer March—Annie Laurie MacKie Valse—D'AmourBoettger Waltz—The Rounders...Victor Herbert Two-Step-Jasper Jenkins...H. P. Vogel Waltz-Sweet Rosie O'Grady...Fischer Cakewalk-Darktown Is Out To-

The following additional entertainment was given, Rev. Mr. McIntyre, of St. Thomas, filling the chair to the general satisfaction: Overture.....26th Regt. Band, London Address.Rev. W. A. Wylle, Hyde Park

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OLD BOYS' REUNION

Majority of the Visitors Have Departed From the City.

The Gathering of 1900 Brought to a Close-Presentation to Bandmaster Hostrawser, of Chicago.

The London Old Boys' reunion of 1900 is now a thing of the past, and the majority of the visitors have departed for their homes, happy in the recollection of pleasant meetings with old friends and the viewing of old scenes. gray, was assisted by Miss Barbara | They carry with them the kindliest wishes of every citizen of London, and Mrs. Back left on a trip east.

—A correspondent writes: "Owing to the kindness of Mr. Wm. Fraser, D company of the Seventh Fusiliers were allowed to camp in the orchard addition."

To the committee who labored so ining the Fraser House, a perfectly ideal spot for camping. A section under union the highest praise is due, and if Sergt. Insley went down on the early anything were needed to induce the Old Boys to favor the city with their presence to an increasing extent each year, it is the fact that the local committee has been found so ready and anxious to plan and carry out so successfully the many details necessary to insure the comfort and happiness of the visitors.

Yesterday morning four special cars filled with visitors made the circuit of the street railway system. The trip was tendered them by the management of the company. The visitors all man attended them. Divine service was attended on Sunday morning, and the camp was besieged all day Sunday delighted at the many evidences of the city's improvement which they with the camp was besieged all expressing. nessed. The Chicago First Regiment Band accompanied the excursionists.

In the afternoon a band concert was given at Springbank by the First Regiment Band and the Seventh Regiment Band of London. A large number of citizens enjoyed the feast of music provided. In the evening the Chicago band tendered a complimentary concert to the citizens from the balcony of the Tecumseh House. An immense concourse was present, and each number was enthusiastically received. At the close of the concert the local committee, to show their appreciation of the manner in which Bandmaster Hostrawser had placed himself and his band completely at their disposal, presented him with the following address: To T. H. Hostrawser, Esq., band-

master of the First Regiment Infantry Band of Chicago, Ill., U. S.: At the close of the occasion of the most agreeable visit of the London Old Boys from Chicago and elsewhere, we deem it a fitting opportunity to express our pleasure and appreciation of the successful exertions of your band in supplying our citizens and numerous visitors with the most delightful music that it has ever been their lot to listen to in the city of

No band, whatever its pretensions may be, has ever furnished more excellent or agreeable music than has your band on this successful occasion. We cannot help thanking you for that music, and for your ready and cheerful kindness in at all times responding when requested for more by the admiring listeners.

We also desire to congratulate you on the excellent discipline of the band under your highly successful leader-Their conduct and yours has been such as to stamp them as a band of thorough gentlemen, led by one. We feel that the Chicago Old Boys are to be congratulated and thanked in having made such a happy choice in securing you and your grand band. We are sorry you are going. We will be happy to meet you all again. will not soon forget your visit, and delightful and appreciated efforts, and trust our old friends from Chicago will be enabled to secure your attendance here on every similar occasion, and that we may have many such delightful reunions as the one just brought to

On behalf of the local London Old Boys, P. McPHILLIPS, President, FRANK LOVE, Vice-President,

JAMES T. BELL, Secretary. The address was read by Mayor Rumball, and the recipient made a in the treaty ports, for the simple reasuitable reply. The address will be son that the publishers feel safer engrossed and forwarded master Hostrawser, at Chicago.

The Chicago Band will be at Springbank Friday and Saturday, afternoon and evening.

REALIZED \$48,000 ON SHORTHORNS Hamilton Times: Mr. W. D. Flatt's sale of pure-bred Shorthorn cattle in Chicago yesterday was a great suc-He took over 60 head of cattle cess. from the Trout Creek herd, and sold them at auction. There was a good attendance of buyers, and the prices obtained were quite satisfactory. 60 head were sold, bringing the large total of \$48,000, which is an average of \$800 for each animal. The highest price obtained for any individual beast was \$2,600, for a heifer 13 months

old. Take trolley rides to Springbank for Address M. McGugan, M.P. that tired feeling. Doctors prescribe song J. H. Cameron, Toronto one dose daily. Pleasant to take. Even Drennan's Concert Company...... the children like it, and cry for it.

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WAYS OF THE CHINESE PRESS

Only Newspaper in Pekin is the Oldest in the World.

In Treaty Ports There Alone Is Freedom. With Foreigners as Figureheads-Fond of Quotations.

Dr. Carl Witte, formerly interpreter of the Germany embassy in Pekin, contributed to the Koelnische Zeitung a series of sketches concerning China, of which a recent one is relative to journalism in China. According to this sketch, the Pekin Gazette—If the title of the publication is freely translated —is the oldest newspaper in the world. The date of its first publication is placed somewhere during the reign of the Tung dynasty (970-1366). The paper is not an official gazette in the strict meaning of the term, but a publication authorized by the government, which acquaints the country with imperial edicts and ordinances of the higher authorities, without any editorials or

eagerly read by all intelligent Chinese in every part of the great empire. Thousands of scribes in the provinces find employment in copying parts of the publication for such readers as are unable to pay the regular subscription for the entire paper. subscription price is about \$6 per an-The paper is printed by means of wooden types, which, like the modern metal types, are distributed again subsequent use, and consists ordinarily of from ten to twelve sheets of thin, light-brown tissue. Red lines divide each page into seven columns, and each of the latter contains fourteen characters.

ORDERS OF THE MANDARINS. A semi-monthly issue is devoted to orders promulgated by the mandarins. One of these issues-of Jan. 4, 1897cites ten cases of higher military and civic officials who were guilty of glaring neglects of duty. The civil governor of Kirin placards in this issue not less than five higher officials. One of them, a general stationed near the frontier, is accused of having commitbrutalities against peaceable habitants and of having embezzled the pay for a number of soldiers who figured only on paper, and never existed in reality. A civil commissioner who was detailed to investigate this case never appeared upon the scene. A colonel of the same district is accused not only pursuit of robbers who pillaged a village, but to have tolerated the sacking of houses by his soldiers. A third military official is charged with having appropriated repeatedly a number of guns and sold them, so that his men had neither sufficient arms for drill nor for the suppression of gangs of robbers infesting the district. This same official also carried a number of

men on paper and appropriated their pay. For the conduct of these three military mandaring the emperor had no stronger condemnation than that it was "undignified," and their punishment was the striking of their names from the rolls. The same issue charges a general and a major with cowardice. They were ordered to attack a mountain stronghold of the robbers. First they delayed the march in an alto-gether indefensible manner, and finally they did not dare to proceed to the attack. These two officers were also dishonorably discharged, "as a warning to others." PRESS OF THE TREATY PORTS.

All other Chinese newspapers bethe Pekin Gazette are published there than anywhere else from arbitrary persecution by the viceroys and other high mandarins. These publishers frequently employ, for the sake of a freer expression of opinion, Europeans at a fixed salary, who simply furnish their names as responsible editors. A number of foreigners are also employed on newspapers printed in the Chinese language. These papers are all published in the foreign quarters of the treaty ports.

The first of these provincial papers appeared about 40 years ago in Shanghai, and two others followed soon afterward in Tien Tsin and Canton. They are nominally published by foreigners, but, as a matter of fact, owned by Chinese. Since that time, and parti-Chinese. Since that time, and parti-cularly since the war with Japan, the struck by lightning." number of Chinese newspapers has "What rapidly increased. The "Shen Pao," ploye. rapidly increased. or Shanghai Gazette, is the most important, and it has an instructive history. This leading Chinese newspaper has undertaken the task to expose and to fight official abuses. It is particuthe children like it, and cry for it. larly bent upon opposing the horrors of the torture inflicted by courts and and evening.

officials, and more than one case is on record in which the courageous atti-tude of the Shanghai Gazette caused the revocation of provincial sentences by the central government in Pekin. During its career of more than 30 years this newspaper has always been in the van of reform movements, and on this account it is the most influential Chinese publication.

More than once the Shanghai Gazette confronted the danger of being suppressed. An energetic effort in this direction was made by the governor of She Kiang province, who was attacked by the paper for having decreed a judicial murder. The governor applied to Prince Kung, who was then president of the Tsung Li Yamen, for an order to suppress the paper, but Prince Kung, adulates the paper, but Prince Kung called the governor's attention to the risk involved by the suppression of a newspaper published under the protection of a foreign flag in a foreign settlement. Moreover, he added, much to the chagrin of the governor: "We in

Pekin like to read such things."

Besides the Gazette there are in Shanghai twenty other Chinese newspapers and periodicals, while before the war with Japan there were but four. The influence of Occidental culture is also noted in the line of purely advertising mediums. The Chinese merchant, shrewd as he is by nature, quickly realized the value of advertising, and uses this medium of success quite extensively. Advertisements appear on the front page of the newspapers, after the English style of such other comments. The latter are strictly prohibited. Moreover, they are not necessary, because the government accompanies all orders for rewards or punishment with explicit arguments. The "leader" of this publication is always an imperial edict, even if it rewards or the interesting telegrams from Engways an imperial edict, even if it reways an imperial edict, even if it re-fers solely to some petition, which in-cerdit to the source. This latter credvariably accompanies the imperial ut- itable act, however, is probably The Pekin Gazette appears daily, and to any inherent sense of honesty. ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

The column "Answers to Correspondents," is one of the most important features of the Chinese newspapers. It follows immediately after the exhaustive editorial leader, which is the principal feature of the paper, and its di-versity of subject speaks well for the intelligence of the readers. There is also a smattering of "foreign news," and quite a display of domestic news from various parts of the empire. The "local page" is fairly well filled with accidents, fires, personal matters and the like, but municipal affairs are scarcely ever mentioned. Public advertisements are fairly plentiful, particularly in the line of "stolen children," for kidnapping seems to be the employment- of many miscreants in the

big cities of China. Journalists in China must be well read in the classics. Originality of style appears to be of far less importance to the native newspaper writers than the ability to produce the greatest number of quotations germane to the subject treated. In this respect Stewart Lockhart says in his "Manual

of Chinese Quotations": "One may well say that quoting and style are of equal importance with Chinese writers. Quoting is one of the first conditions of literary art, and a Chinese writer who does not understand to intersperse the report of the of having neglected to send soldiers in commonest affairs with phrases from the books of ancient times is on about the same level with the Occidental writer who is weak in grammar and orthography."

FOMENT HATRED OF FOREIGN-ERS.

In the line of jingoism and hatred of foreigners some of the Chinese news-papers produce the most astounding things, and at least a part of the present troubles, which threaten to involve the existence of the empire, must be ascribed to this part of the press Those Chinese papers which are rabid in the baiting of foreigners and foreign institutions are run in part or altogether with European capital. The Hu Pau, a Chinese humorous newspaper, published weekly in green covers, is the leader in the agitations against foreigners. Each number contains from twelve to twenty pages of illustrations, chiefly caricatures, and a few pages of letterpress. The illustrations are designed in no mean style, and the imprint upon their rice paper is excellent. They relate mostly to scenes between Chinese and Europeans, the latter always distinguished by the silk hat, known as "stove-pipe." Of course, the foreigners are invariably made the

laughing-stock. At the upper rim of the Chinese newspapers is the stereotyped request: "Please be careful of printed This appeal is generally heeded by the Chinese readers. Newspapers are preserved and read and reread again until they almost fall to pieces. Then comes an employe of the publishers and carfaded papers to the "Wen Miao," the literary temple, where they are cremated in ovens constructed for this purpose,-Chicago Tribune.

IN NO DANGER.

"Well, sir," said the observant passenger, after watching the conductor collect eight fares and ring up five. "Why not?" asked the trusted em-

"Because," said the observant passenger, "it is evident you are not a good conductor."

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