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## SUNDAY IN LONDON

### What Is Going On in the Leading Churches of the City

ADELAIDE STREET BAPTIST Church—Pastor, Rev. T. S. Johnson. Services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 2:45 p.m.

ASKIN STREET METHODIST CHURCH —Rev. J. W. Holmes, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

CENTENNIAL METHODIST CHURCH —Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by the pastor.

CHALMERS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH —Rev. Walter Moffat, pastor, 11 a.m., 7 p.m. 3 p.m., Flower Service; Rev. Dr. Bethune. Communion at morning service.

COLBORNE STREET METHODIST Church—Rev. A. K. Birks, pastor, will conduct both services.

DUNDAS CENTER METHODIST Church—The pastor, Rev. C. T. Scott, B.A., will preach at both services. Morning—Anthem, "O Worship the Lord" (Michael Watson); solo and chorus, "God is the Refuge of His People" (Bradbury). Evening—Anthem, "Holy is the Lord" (Handel); solo, "Abide With Me" (Liddle); anthem, "Come Unto Me" (Gounod).

EMPRESS AVENUE METHODIST Church—Rev. T. E. Harrison, pastor. Rev. T. W. Cosens, of Westminster, will preach in the morning and the pastor in the evening. All welcome.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST (SCIENTIST)—Services Sundays, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Wednesdays, 8 p.m. David S. Robb, C.S.B., First Reader.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH—CORNER Wellington street and Dufferin avenue. Public services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. The pastor, Rev. George J. Bishop, will preach in the morning, and Rev. J. J. Smith, of California, in the evening.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. W. J. Clark, pastor. Services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by pastor. Communion at morning service. Sunday School and Society for Bible Study, 3 p.m.

HAMILTON ROAD METHODIST Church—The pastor will preach. Morning, "Our Belief." Evening, "Faithful Service."

MEMORIAL CHURCH, CORNER OF Queen's avenue and William street—Rev. C. C. Owen, B.A., rector. Rev. R. W. Woodroofe, assistant. Morning service and Holy Communion at 11; evening service at 7. Sunday School at 3, and Bible Class 3:15.

KING STREET PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. Thomas Wilson, pastor, will preach morning and evening. Communion in the morning. Strangers welcome.

MAITLAND STREET BAPTIST Church—Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

NEW ST. JAMES' PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. A. J. MacGillivray, M.A., pastor. Rev. George Gilmore, Blenheim, will conduct services; 11 a.m., 7 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class, 3 p.m.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. Robert Johnston, D.D., pastor. The pastor will preach at both services. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at the morning service. 3 p.m., Sabbath School and Pastor's Class.

ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL—MORNING —"Venite" (Tomlinson), "Te Deum" (Hutchinson), "Benedictus" (Langdon). Preacher, Rev. Canon Dann, B.A. Evening — "Magnificat" (Bunnett); "Nunc Dimittis" (Bunnett); anthem, "The Radiant Morn Hath Passed Away" (Woodward). Preacher, Rev. Canon Dann, B.A. Holy Communion after morning service. Collection for poor fund.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, SOUTH LONDON—Ven. Archdeacon Davis, rector. The Lord Bishop of Huron will preach both morning and evening services.

TALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH —Rev. A. T. Sowerby, Ph.D., LL.D., pastor. 11 a.m., "A Shocking Offense"; 7 p.m., annual flower service; addresses and presentation of plants. All welcome.

WELLINGTON STREET METHODIST Church—Children's floral service in the morning; evening sermon to parents. Pastor, Rev. R. D. Hamilton, both services. Morning—Anthem, "My Soul Longeth" (Marston); solo, "Way of Peace" (Lloyd). Evening—Anthem, "Oh for a Closer Walk With God" (Forster); solo, Mr. Garthwaite.

### FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED — GENERAL SERVANT; small family. Apply after 6 p.m., 423 Dufferin avenue. 98c

GIRLS WANTED AT ONCE. LONDON Fluff Rug Company, 423 Clarence street. 98u

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A PLAIN cook. Apply Ontario House. 98c

WANTED—A GENERAL SERVANT; must be a good cook; no washing. Apply 423 Colborne street. 98c

WANTED IMMEDIATELY — GOOD general servant. Apply 88 Becher street. 97c

WANTED—LADY SKIRT DESIGNER and cutter; must be first-class. Apply, stating experience and reference, to Box 91. 98n

WANTED—CART AND HARNESS FOR small pony. Box 92, Advertiser office. 98c

WANTED AT ONCE—GENERAL SERVANT, or young girl, to do light housework. Mrs. Wm. D. Mills, 371 Central avenue. 97tf

DINING-ROOM GIRL WANTED AT once. Apply Ontario House. 94i

WANTED — EXPERIENCED DINING-ROOM girl, at once. Fraser House. 94tf

GIRLS FOR ICING ROOM AND OTHER departments; also paper box makers. D. S. Perrin & Co., Limited. 83tf

GIRLS WANTED. APPLY McCORMICK Manufacturing Company. 43tf

### BUSINESS CHANCES.

BLACKSMITH SHOP, HOUSE AND stable for sale; good stand; no opposition. Charles Postt, Nairn, Ont. 98i

BICYCLE AND GENERAL REPAIR shop; doing good business; best reasons for selling. Address Box 89, Advertiser. 97c

TO RENT—BAKE SHOP; COAL OVENS and barn, all in first-class repair. Corner Stanley and Wharncliffe road. 54tf

### BUSINESS CARDS.

FOR SALE—STORE AND BAKERY, IN good part of city; cheap for cash. Address Box 85, Advertiser. 96n-wty

HODGSON & HOWARD, PAINTERS, paper-hangers. Estimates free. 410 Horton street. Orders promptly done.

WATSON & CO., HOUSE MOVERS—Steam boilers and safes a specialty. 104 Hamilton road. Phone 1,224.

SOLD ONLY BY POCOCK BROS.

Men's Shoes for $2.50. They Appear Like $4 Shoes.

**Big Shoe Offering for Men**

Vici Kid, Box Calf and Patent Leather, with genuine Goodyear-welted soles. Perfect fit and wear guaranteed.

$2.50

**Pocock Bros.**

In Trunks and Valises we do the trade. Our prices must be right.

### Births, Marriages, Deaths.

**DIED.**

DUNN—In this city, at 78 Stanley street, on May 30, 1902, Frederick James Dunn, aged 34 years and 2 months.

Funeral from the family residence, No. 74 Stanley street, on Monday, June 2, at 4:15 o'clock; services at 3:45. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation. 97u

### AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

**SPRINGBANK**

NEXT WEEK

THE CROTTY TRIO
SINGING AND DANCING

JOHN C. LEACH
MONOLOGUE.

MAT FARNAM
IRISH COMEDY SPECIALTY.

CHAS. AND EVA PARCOR
EUROPEAN PANTOMIMISTS.

BESSIE BANS
SINGING COMEDY, AND THE

BIOGRAPHET
WITH A CHANGE OF VIEWS.

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**NEW GRAND** MONDAY, JUNE 2.

**"FLORODORA."**

CHORUS, 76. OUR OWN ORCHESTRA. FAMOUS BEAUTY SEXTET.

Prices, $1.50, $1, 75c, 50c, 25c. Seats on sale. 94n

SULPHUR SPRINGS BATHS—OPEN 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. Plunge bath now open. Single bath, 25c; five tickets, $1. Cole & Edmonds. zxvt

PASSENGERS WHO MAY BE TRAVELING to Old County for first time, or ladies traveling alone, will find it to their advantage to call on F. B. Clarke, next Advertiser. Arrangements for my clients' comfort first consideration.

DANCING—CLASSES THIS WEEK: Beginners, gentlemen, Monday; ladies, Tuesday; advanced, Wednesday evening. Private tuition any hour. Strictly private parties can be arranged for. Dayton & McCormick.

VOICE CULTURE—EVA N. ROBLYN, Soprano Soloist, Dundas Center Methodist Church. Director vocal department, Alma College, St. Thomas. Studio, 328 Dundas street. 'Phone 1,270. xt

### MALE HELP WANTED.

BOYS WANTED AT ONCE. LONDON Fluff Rug Company, 423 Clarence street. 98u

WANTED—GOOD STEADY MAN, AT once. Apply at Hueston's Livery, Wellington street. 98c

BEVELERS KEEP AWAY FROM TORONTO. Strike on. b

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED YOUNG man to feed and look after Gordon presses; none but steady man need apply. Reid Bros. & Co., Clarence street. b

FARM HAND WANTED—MARRIED or single; steady position. Apply Box 87, this office. 98c

BOYS WANTED—TO LEARN THE business; good pay from start. Lion Spice Manufacturing Company. 98c-tyw

DO YOU WRITE ADS?—SEND ADDRESS today on your business stationery for invaluable information free. Harper Syndicate, Columbus, Ohio. 38tf-wty

WANTED—FOR ONE DAY, OR TWO half days, each week during season, first-class gardener, to attend flower and vegetable garden. Apply evenings, 6 to 8, 233 Horton street. 94c-ywt

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, ABOUT 17 or 18 years old, to learn sign painting. Glen Bros., 276 Dundas street. 97tf

PAINTERS WANTED. APPLY W. S. Lockhart, 32 Wortley road. 97c

WANTED—SEVERAL GOOD LEAD glaziers; steady employment. Detroit Mirror Works, Detroit, Mich. 96c

WANTED—LABORERS, AT ONCE. Apply to Foreman, City Gas Works. 96tf

FARM HAND WANTED — GOOD wages. Apply R. Dart, 555 Richmond. 96n

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS PATTERN makers. Steady work. Wages, $2.75 per day. Apply Box 561, Toronto, Ont. 95k

BOYS WANTED. McCORMICK MANUFACTURING Company. 85tf

WANTED — BOYS FOR FACTORY; also one or two active men. McCormick Manufacturing Company. 94tf

WANTED AT ONCE—GOOD, STRONG kitchen girl. Apply Olympia Restaurant. 93n

WANTED—MEN TO LEARN BARBER trade; only eight weeks required; constant practice, expert instructions, lectures, etc.; can earn your way through; scholarship, board, tools, transportation; catalogue and particulars mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill. 93n

WANTED — BOYS FOR SHIPPING room, receiving room and factory. D. S. Perrin & Co., Limited. 91tf

### HELP WANTED.

CANVASSERS—LADIES AND GENTLEMEN; good positions; salary no object to experienced canvassers. Apply Box 249, city. 98c

**ROSS'**

**Balbriggan Underwear....**

Special line of Fine Egyptian Balbriggan Underwear at

**75c Per Suit.**

*J. & D. ROSS,*
*196 Dundas Street.*

### MEETINGS.

A. O. U. W.—THE PICNIC COMMITTEE of the several lodges in London district will meet at Star Lodge room, Tuesday, June 3, at 8 p.m. Arthur Carrothers, secretary of committee. 98u

NOTICE—THE GENERAL ANNUAL meeting of the shareholders of the London and Southeastern Railway Company will be held in the Board of Trade rooms, Richmond street, in the City of London, on Tuesday, the 24th day of June, 1902, at 4 o'clock p.m. J. W. Little, secretary and treasurer. London, May 23, 1902. 98k-t

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE EAST Middlesex Farmers' Institute, at the Court House, London, Tuesday, June 3, at 1 o'clock p.m. Excursion to Guelph, June 17. E. Nicholson, president; R. H. Harding, secretary. b

### LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—SATURDAY, BETWEEN MARKET and Fraser House, lady's silver watch. Reward at this office. 98u

LOST—BETWEEN IVAN AND PROOF Line, on 10th concession, gold-rimmed glasses. Finder please leave at Advertiser office. 98u

### WANTED.

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

### ARTICLES FOR SALE.

FOR SALE — SMALL FIRE-PROOF safe, suitable for small business or private use. Address Box 93, this office. b

FOR SALE OR TO LET—FURNISHED cottage, Fraser Heights, Port Stanley; 6 bedrooms. Apply J. R. Shuttleworth, 338 Clarence street. 98k-tyw

A LARGE REFRIGERATOR, WITH glass front; Happy Thought range; stoves of all kinds, and furniture. J. Brown, house furnisher, 398 Talbot street. b

FOR SALE—A HANDSOME YOUNG road mare, buggy and harness. Apply 768 Dundas street. 97n

FIRE ENGINES—HAND, CHEMICAL, steam; ladder trucks, hose wagons, reels, repairs, fire department supplies, and full equipment. THE CANADIAN FIRE ENGINE COMPANY, Limited, London, Canada. t

GAS AND GASOLINE, STATIONARY and marine engines, all sizes; gasoline launches complete. Address 116 Bay street, Toronto, for prices and catalogues. The Gasoline Engine Co., Limited, of Toronto Junction. 56bu-t

FOREST CITY POULTRY YARDS, 33 Briscoe street, London—Eggs from thoroughbred White Wyandottes, Golden Wyandottes, Barred Rocks, Black Minorcas, rose and single-comb Brown Leghorns. Golden Wyandotte cockerels for sale. xt

CHEAP SHINGLES, $1.40; PINE AND hemlock lumber, $12 per thousand; lath, posts, doors, sashes. Call at Sutherland's yard, Pall Mall street, opposite C. P. R. freight sheds, city. t

CHOICE CROCK BUTTER, 16c LB; best 1 lb rolls, 16c; creamery, 18c lb; good cooking butter, 14c to 15c lb. New cheese, 13c lb; medium old cheese, 14c lb; two-year-old cheese, extra quality, 15c lb. T. A. Faulds, 13 Market House. 'Phone 151. ywt

HAVE YOU TRIED MIRACLE WASHING COMPOUND? It has no equal. Free sample at G. Marshall & Co.'s tea store. wt

SNAP — GOOD PIANO, ROSEWOOD case, 7 1-3 octaves; in first-class condition, and guaranteed for 5 years. Only $160, on easy terms of payment. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas street, corner Clarence.

ECLIPSE GASOLINE ENGINES AT lowest prices. Manufactured by D. McKenzie & Co., 298 Richmond street, London, Ont.

CHEAP WOOD—16-INCH SAWMILL slabs, mostly hard wood, only $1.50 load. Try New River Coal for your kitchen range. It is better and cheaper than hard coal. Green & Co., William street and Grand Trunk Railway.

SUMMER WOOD—PER LOAD, $1.35 Cash. Also coal and hard wood. Buchanan's, 633 Colborne. 'Phone 1,096.

HORSE FOR SALE—SOUND, HANDSOME and good driver. Apply 330 Burwell street. 87bu

VALUABLE DREAM BOOK—NEW work shows true meaning of dreams. Price, 10 cents, worth dollars; supply limited. Red Star News Company, 92 Dundas street.

THE NOBBIEST THING IN GO-CARTS and Baby Carriages ever seen in London, at Keene Bros., 127 King street.

WOOD FOR SALE—WE CAN SUPPLY summer wood at $1.25 a load. D. H. Gillies & Co., 673 Bathurst street, leading east end wood yard. 'Phone 1,312.

$35—IMPERIAL BICYCLES, STRICTLY high grade. Easy terms. Large stock new tires, $3.50 pair and upwards. J. H. Cunningham, 664 Dundas street.

MILLIONS OF STAMPS FOR COLLECTORS—Lists free. Wm. R. Adams, 401 Yonge street, Toronto. 379.

### PERSONAL.

YOUNG WOMAN, AGED 22, JUST COME into possession of $12,000, wishes to correspond with honest, intelligent man who would appreciate good wife. Box 17, Hensall, Huron county, Ont. 80n-t

### BOARDING, ROOMS, ETC.

TO LET — FURNISHED COTTAGE, Port Stanley. Apply 442 King street. 98c-tyw

GENTLEMAN WANTS NICE FURNISHED room; must be central. Apply Box 90, Advertiser. 97u

### LEGAL CARDS.

STUART & GUNN, BARRISTERS, ETC. Office, 112 Masonic Temple. Alex. Stuart, K.C.; George C. Gunn.

T. W. SCANDRETT—BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, etc., 98 Dundas street, London.

GREENLEES & BECHER—BARRISTERS, etc., Canadian Loan Company building, Richmond street, London. Private funds to loan. A. Greenlees, B.A.; H. C. Becher.

PURDOM & PURDOM, BARRISTERS, solicitors, etc. Office, Masonic Temple Building, corner Richmond and King streets, London, Ont.; Thomas H. Purdom, K.C.; Alexander Purdom.

TOOTHE & FAULDS—BARRISTERS, etc., Robinson Hall Chambers, opposite Court House. Money to loan.

T. H. LUSCOMBE, BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, etc., 169 Dundas street, near Richmond. Money at lowest rates.

MAGEE, McKILLOP & MURPHY—Barristers, solicitors, notaries, etc. Office, corner Richmond and Dundas, London, James Magee, K.C.; J. B. McKillop; Thomas J. Murphy; Philip E. McKenzie, LL.B.

GIBBONS & HARPER—BARRISTERS, etc., London. Office, corner Richmond and Carling streets. George C. Gibbons, K.C.; Fred F. Harper.

HELLMUTH & IVEY, IVEY & DROMGOLE, Barristers, etc., Over Bank of Commerce.

JARVIS & VINING — BARRISTERS, etc., 101 Dundas street. C. G. Jarvis; Jared Vining, B.A.

McEVOY & PERRIN, BARRISTERS, solicitors, Robinson Hall Chambers, opposite Court House. Money to loan.

BUCHNER, CAMPBELL & GUNN, barristers, etc., 83 Dundas street, London. Telephone 99. Money to loan at lowest rates.

E. H. JOHNSTON, NOTARY PUBLIC, Barrister, etc., 87½ Dundas street. 'Phone 1,401.

W. H. BARTRAM—BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, etc. Office, 99 Dundas street.

### MEDICAL CARDS.

DR. BAYLY HAS REMOVED HIS office to 211 Queen's avenue.

DR. C. C. ELLIOTT, AT DR. HODGE'S, 234 Queen's avenue.

DR. N. R. HENDERSON, 238 QUEEN'S avenue. Eye, ear, throat and nose only.

DR. E. PARDEE BUCKE HAS REMOVED to 300 Queen's avenue. 'Phone 504.

H. A. KINGSMILL, M.D., M.R.C.S. (England), has resumed practice. Office, 443 Park avenue. 'Phone 200.

DR. MEEK, QUEEN'S AVENUE, LONDON. Specialty, diseases of women. Hours, 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

DR. ANGUS GRAHAM—OFFICE AND residence, 463 King street. 'Phone 609.

DR. McLAREN, 193 QUEEN'S AVENUE, five doors east of Richmond street.

DR. McLELLAN, EYE AND EAR SURGEON—Graduate New York Eye and Ear Hospital, 1889. Cataracts removed, cross eyes straightened. Office, 497 Talbot street.

HADLEY WILLIAMS, M.D., F.R.C.S., England. Specialist (surgical diseases only). 439 Park avenue. 'Phone 324.

DR. JOHN D. WILSON, OFFICE AND residence, 360 Queen's avenue. Special attention paid to diseases of women and children. Office house, 12:30 to 6 p.m.

J. B. CAMPBELL, M.D., 389 DUNDAS street. Hours, 12 to 4, 6 to 8. 'Phone 522.

R. OVENS, M.D., 225 QUEEN'S AVENUE. Eye, ear, nose and throat.

R. W. SHAW, M.D., L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., England. Office, 287 King street. Telephone 839.

### DENTAL CARDS.

McDONALD & CUNNINGHAM—DENTISTS, 183½ Dundas street. 'Phone 702

DR. W. S. WESTLAND, DENTIST—Post-graduate in crown and bridge work, Chicago. Edge Block, Richmond street. 'Phone 960. Residence, 287 Queen's avenue. 'Phone 420.

DR. G. H. KENNEDY, DENTIST—Successor to the late Dr. Davis. Specialty, preservation of natural teeth. 170 Dundas street. 'Phone 975.

WOOLVERTON & BENTLEY, DENTISTS, 216 Dundas street, next Edy Bros., over Cairncross & Lawrence, druggists. Telephone 228.

### HOTEL CARDS.

HOTEL NORMANDY, 489 AND 491 Richmond street—Choice wines, liquors and cigars. T. F. Lewis, proprietor.

OFFICE HOTEL AND RESTAURANT—Excellent lunch counter, only one in city. W. J. Wright, proprietor.

THE IROQUOIS, TORONTO, CANADA—Popular hotel. Popular prices. Newly fitted and refurnished. G. A. Graham, proprietor, late Imperial Hotel, Galt.

ROYAL HOTEL—OPPOSITE G. T. R. depot. Central location. First-class in every respect. Louis Risk, proprietor.

THE ST. LAWRENCE HOTEL, MONTREAL—Centrally located and first-class in every respect. H. Hogan, proprietor.

### MUSICAL INSTRUCTION.

ALICE CALDER STOCK — SOLOIST First Methodist Church. Voice culture. 254 Queen's avenue. Concert engagements accepted. 23tf

CHARLES E. WHEELER (ORGANIST and choirmaster St. Andrew's Church), has resumed teaching. Piano, pipe organ, harmony and singing. Both advanced and elementary tuition given. New address, 640 Wellington street.

### DRESSMAKING.

DRESS-CUTTING SCHOOL—GARMENT cutting lessons daily. Pupils instructed until satisfied. Call or write for terms. 233½ Dundas street, London.

### BROKERS.

FOR SALE — BRITISH COLUMBIA Coal Company's unassessable treasury stock; $1 shares, 25 cents. John Wright, stock broker, London.

### ARCHITECTS.

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

### MONEY TO LOAN.

$100 AND UPWARDS TO LOAN ON real estate at 4½ to 5½ per cent. Apply J. W. G. Winnett, barrister, 420 Talbot street. ywt

MONEY TO LOAN—$500,000 PRIVATE and trust funds, on first mortgage, at 5 per cent; also on notes and other security. Tennent & Coleridge, barristers, solicitors, notaries, etc., 78 Dundas street. ywt

PRIVATE AND TRUST FUNDS TO loan at 4¾ and 5½ per cent on real estate security, in sums to suit. No commission charged. T. W. Scandrett, solicitor, 98 Dundas street, London. street London.

PRIVATE FUNDS TO LOAN—LOWEST rates. Buchner, Campbell & Gunn, 83 Dundas street.

PRIVATE INDIVIDUAL HAS MONEY to loan on farm property. Large loans preferred. Write Box 88, Advertiser. 1012

### REAL ESTATE.

1c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

DWELLING AND STORE, NO. 774 Waterloo street, in the City of London, now occupied by Charles Clarke, for sale or to let. Possession to be given 2nd July, 1902. Apply to Messrs. Meredith & Fisher, 74 Dundas street, city. 98k-tyw

FOR SALE BY TENDER—PRESBYTERIAN Mission, corner Colborne and Oxford streets. Can buy building and remove, or can purchase property as it stands. Key at Harding's grocery. Tenders close June 26. Address Box 86, this office. 98c-t

FARM FOR SALE—100 ACRES, LOT 4, con. 13, Lobo township; clay loam, never-failing well; school, church and postoffice convenient; good outbuildings. Apply Neil McLachlan, Bowood. 80bc-t

DUNDAS STREET EAST—A VERY choice building lot, suitable for store or residence. Inquire for particulars. Great chance. A. A. Campbell, Molsons Bank buildings, London, Ont. 92c-tyt

THE PROPERTY OF ROBERT SMITH, corner Ridout and King streets; store and five dwellings for sale privately. Also houses Nos. 505 to 511 Bathurst street. These are good investments. Apply to G. N. Weekes, Hiscox building, corner King and Richmond streets. 50tf-tzx

FOR RENT—COTTAGE, EIGHT ROOMS, furnace and bath, in northern part of city. Apply J. W. G. Winnett, barrister, 420 Talbot street. ywt

FOR SALE—GOOD FRAME HOUSE, on large lot, for price of land; bargain for builder; central. Also a new two story brick, in fine location; good value. J. F. Sangster, 112 Masonic Temple.

FOR SALE OR RENT—LARGE STORE and dwelling in Emo, center of the great agricultural belt; no better stand in Ontario; come and inspect. F. W. Stuart, Fort Francis, Ont. 84bc

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

FOR SALE — THAT COMMODIOUS house on the north side of Queen's avenue, between Colborne and Maitland streets, known as No. 434; may be viewed Monday and Tuesday each week. A. Greenlees, solicitor, London, Ont. 79tf

HOUSE FOR SALE OR TO LET—Three blocks from Victoria Park. Apply Francis Love, police court. 80tf

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

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

### REAL ESTATE.

The values of all commodities are increasing in price, and necessarily real estate values must also increase. The shrewd investor is now quietly buying property. Have you bought yet? If not, probably some of the properties in the list given below will suit your requirements:

COTTAGES.

Argyll street—Brick cottage, containing 7 rooms, good repair; also stable; corner lot, containing quarter acre; a great snap. Price, $1,300.

Wilson avenue—Brick cottage, containing 6 rooms; large lot. Price, $1,000.

Dundas street, nearly opposite Rectory street—One and a half story frame house, lot 66x204 feet in depth; good property for business.

Piccadilly street—Commodious frame cottage, brick foundation, 7 rooms. Price, $1,100. Must be sold.

Elias street—Frame cottage, 6 rooms; lot 33x150 feet. Price, $750.

Elias street—One and a half story frame, brick foundation, 7 rooms; lot 40x120. Price, $1,350.

Queen's avenue, near Princess Rink—Frame cottage, lot 37x165 feet; very central location. Inquire.

RESIDENCES.

Dundas street—Two story brick, 9 rooms, modern conveniences; corner lot. Suitable for physician.

Waterloo street—Two story and attic brick, contains 10 rooms; all modern conveniences; corner lot.

BUILDING LOTS.

Very choice building lots in all parts of the city, ranging in prices from $100 to $5,000.

LOANS.

Money advanced in sums of $100 and upwards to complete purchase price, build (money advanced as building progresses), remodel the old house and pay off old mortgages.

A. A. CAMPBELL,
Real Estate, Loans and Investments,
Molsons Bank Buildings,
London, Ont.
C. H. ARMITAGE, Field Manager.
74tf Telephone 642.

### P. Walsh's Bulletin.

Piccadilly street—A new two story brick residence, 10 rooms, modern improvements; lot 42x130 feet. Price on application.

Queen's avenue—Two story brick residence, 10 rooms, modern improvements; handsome grounds. Price, $5,000.

260 Talbot street—A large two story frame house, on brick foundation, 11 rooms, in good order; lot 50x110 feet. At a reduced figure.

76 Albert street—A two story brick residence, 10 rooms, all modern improvements; large lot. Price, $2,600.

Cheapside street—Two story brick store and dwelling, doing a satisfactory business. Price on application.

St. James street—A new two story brick house, 9 rooms, modern improvements; frame barn; corner lot. Price, $2,400.

474 Colborne street—Two story brick house, 10 rooms, modern improvements; lot 33x110 feet. Price, $2,700.

Smith street, south of the Hamilton road—One and a half story frame house, 7 rooms, in good repair; one acre lot; outside city taxes. Price, $1,300. Inspect at once.

366 Grosvenor street—A large frame cottage, 7 rooms; frame barn; half acre lot. Price, $1,200.

582 King street—Two story frame house, 10 rooms, in good repair; frame barn; lot 56x175 feet. At a bargain.

555 St. James street—One and a half story frame house, 6 rooms, in good order; lot 50x132 feet. Price, $700. A snap; owner leaving the city; inspect at once.

A splendid lot on Piccadilly street, near Waterloo street. Four cheap lots on Grosvenor streets, $225 each. Two lots on Richmond and Oxford streets.

P. WALSH,
'Phone 1,021. 110 Dundas St.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED—OFFICE Adkins' Jewelry Store, East London. No witnesses required.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED AT Strong's Drug Store, 184 Dundas street. Residence, 289 Dufferin avenue.

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

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

OFFICIAL ISSUER OF MARRIAGE licenses, C. D. Johnston, 198 Dundas street. Residence, 394 Dundas street.

MARRIAGE LICENSES — SHUFF'S Drug Store, 540 Dundas street, corner William. No witnesses. ywt

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY John J. Jepson, druggist, 249 Wellington street. Residence, 241 Pall Mall. 'Phone

**Drink GranoCereal Coffee**

### MISCELLANEOUS.

LADIES—USE OUR HARMLESS, RELIABLE remedy for delayed or suppressed period; it cannot fail. Trial free. Paris Chemical Company, Milwaukee, Wis. 74n-t

### AGENTS WANTED.

A BRIGHT AGENT, WITH AMBITION, looking for a permanent agency, with a chance for advancement; salary, $400 per year and upwards from the start, according to ability. Apply to Cooper, P. O. Drawer 531, London.

AGENTS WANTED—100 PER CENT clear profit guaranteed on red-hot sellers; send 10c for sample of our Magic Polisher and particulars of our splendid prize offer. Send at once to the Standard Specialty Manufacturing Company, Box 529, St. Thomas, Ont. 80k-t

### HOUSES, ETC., TO LET.

MODERN TWO STORY BRICK, ON Dundas street, 7 rooms and bath upstairs; double parlors, dining-room, summer and winter kitchens, china closet and pantry downstairs; furnace and all improvements. Rent, $20 per month. Apply R. Darch, 564 King street. 98tf-tyw

TO LET—A NUMBER OF NEW SUMMER cottages at Kettle Point, on Lake Huron. The beach is hard sand and perfectly safe for boating and bathing. Good fishing, perch, pickerel and black bass. Particulars apply to R. Ovens, M.D., 225 Queen's avenue, London. 86n-t

TO LET, BY JUNE 1—THIRD HOUSE over Victoria bridge; two story brick, all modern coveniences; No. 32 Ridout street. Apply on the premises or address H. Frank Whetter, City Post-office. 90tf-wty

TO LET—NICE TWO STORY HOUSE, No. 185 Lichfield street. Apply A. N. Udy, 421 Richmod street. 92k-tyw

TO LET—TWO STORY BRICK HOUSE, 136 Queen's avenue. Apply next door east. 97n

ONE HOUSE AND TWO ACRES OF land to let; $5 per month. Apply to W. T. Westby, 109 Dundas street. 96n

FOR SALE OR TO LET—NEW BRICK house, seven rooms, every convenience; good location. Apply 625 Wellington street. 70tf

HOUSE TO RENT—NEAR CORNER York and Burwell; moderate rent. Apply 350 Burwell street. 87bu

TO RENT—FURNISHED COTTAGE, Fraser Heights, Port Stanley. Apply Strong's Drug Store. 84tf

TO LET—92 ASKIN STREET. LOW rent, possession at once. Fraser & Moore, barristers. 73 tf

TO LET—HOUSE, 341 PRINCESS AVENUE; has bathroom and closets; possession on 15th May. Apply to Fraser & Moore, barristers. 70tf

TO LET—$13 PER MONTH—TWO story brick, 455 Piccadilly street. Apply J. W. Cunningham, 834 Dundas street. 66tf

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

### VETERINARY SURGEONS.

J. H. TENNANT, VETERINARY SURGEON—Office, 137 King street. Residence and infirmary, corner King and Wellington. Treatment of dogs a specialty. 'Phones 278 and 688.

### LIVERY STABLES.

LILLEY'S LIVERY—NO. 613 DUNDAS street, East London, Ont. Telephone 666.

### PARCEL DELIVERY.

CITY PARCEL EXPRESS—OFFICE removed to 154 Carling street. Parcels called for and delivered to any part of city. Telephone 1,295. C. H. Anderson.

### INSURANCE.

**Queen Insurance Co.**

Funds available for security of Queen policy holders, $64,000,000.
J. A. NELLES, Agent,
422 Richmond Street.
'Phone 343. ywt

## TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the City Gas Company, London, Ontario, until

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4, PROX., AT 3 P.M.,

for the excavation and construction of a Brick Gasometer Tank, about 100 feet diameter and 30 feet deep. Plans and specifications can be seen at office of City Gas Company, London.

Tenders to be addressed to the Managing Director, and marked "Tender for Tank Construction."

No tender necessarily accepted.

J. C. DUFFIELD,
Managing Director.
London, May 27, 1902. 95k

NOTICE—SEALED TENDERS WILL be received at the County Clerk's Office, London, until noon on Wednesday, June 4, 1902, for the Coal required by the County of Middlesex for use in Jail, Court House and County Buildings, in this city, until June 1, 1903. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. All parties tendering to furnish the names of two solvent persons as sureties for the due fulfillment of the contract. T. E. ROBSON, County Clerk; CHARLES TALBOT, County Commissioner. London, May 27, 1902. 95u-xt

### LONDON REAL ESTATE AGENCY.

Great Chance—Unfinished brick house, Waterloo street, near St. James, 9 rooms; no cash required down if house is finished. $325 buys fine building lot, Oxford street. Villa residence, Woodward avenue "Highlands," West London; 8 rooms, barn and trees, $1,500. Labatt Estate, Grey street, fine substantial brick residence and ample grounds; $3,000 buys. Modern brick cottage, nearly new, 857 Adelaide street; must be sold. Splendid building lots, Waterloo street, near Piccadilly street, cheap. Shanly Estate, Piccadilly street, at a great bargain. 426 Piccadilly street, beautiful home; cheap. W. D. BUCKLE.

### GOOD INVESTMENT—CITY PROPERTY.

NEIL COOPER, AUCTIONEER, WILL offer for sale on premises, Tuesday, June 3, 3 o'clock, two frame cottages, corner Central avenue and Maitland street, in good repair and always rented; also lot adjoining. Terms announced at sale or on application to undersigned. JOHN PANNELL, Esq., proprietor; GRAYDON & GRAYDON, solicitors for vendor. 97c

### Agricultural College, Guelph.

By an Act of the Ontario Legislature, every county in Ontario is entitled to have at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, during all college terms, one student in attendance without the payment of any tuition fee. There is now a vacancy for such a student at the college, and candidates for this vacancy are requested to send applications, which will be considered at the June sessions, to

T. E. ROBSON,
County Clerk.
County Buildings, London,
May 30, 1902.

**SWEET VIOLETS**

The ever fresh and always popular odor, and the fashionable one for this season.

Our stock is complete from the best English and French makers. Any quantity you desire.

**Violet Perfumes**

Violette Reine,
Vera Violetta,
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Italian Violettes,
Valley Violets,
Violet Sachet Powders.

FLORODORA—The newest perfume; very dainty, fragrant and lasting.

CAIRNCROSS & LAWRENCE,
Chemists and Druggists,
Corner Park Ave. 216 Dundas St.

**Executor's and Chattel Mortgage Sale by Auction at Jones' Auction Room, Tuesday, June 3rd, at 10:30 a.m.**

PIANOS, ORGANS, MELODEON, 3 pieces silk-covered drawing-room set (cost $200), lady's saddle, parlor suites, easy chairs, bookcase and desk in oak, 8-day clock, bookcases, hall stands, 4 carpets in Brussels and Tapestry, English cradle and basket, bedroom suites, gun case, baby carriages, sideboards, sewing machines, high chair, center tables, dining-tables and chairs, hanging lamp, night commode, bureaus, bedsteads, refrigerators, wardrobes, lounges, folding beds, mowers, stone roller, gas and gasoline stoves, etc. Auction room full. Goods open for inspection.

b J. W. JONES, Auctioneer.

TO THE MAN WHO WANTS TO BUY: If you want to buy through us you will pay a fair price, but you will not pay a dollar more than the property is worth. Our continual aim is to make sales that are as advantageous to the buyer as to the seller, and vice versa. Our list is continually changing, but it is at all times sufficiently large, so that we are likely to have just the property you want. If interested, write for one of our lists.

THE WESTERN REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE,
78½ Dundas Street, London, Ont.
Telephone 696. b

## TO SECURE PEACE FOR ALL THE WORLD

### The International Arbitration Conference at Lake Mohonk, N. Y.

Lake Mohonk, N. Y., May 31.—The second day's session of the conference of international arbitration was opened with an address by Edwin D. Mead, of Boston, in which he made a plea for a more active educative propaganda in favor of world-wide peace. S. R. Thayer, formerly minister to Holland, told of great difficulties yet to be overcome in the promotion of international peace. He spoke of the arbitration proposals formulated by the Pan-American conference in Washington in 1890, which failed of adoption. Holland, he said, was the only European nation that gave its adhesion to these proposals.

President W. W. Birdsall, of Swarthmore College, drew attention to the expansion of educational facilities in recent years through college and university extension, the enlarged interest in scientific investigation, and new and better methods of teaching economies, all this tending, in his opinion, to promote unity among men, solidarity of interest, and a more general recognition of natural rights and obligations.

The Rev. F. B. Allen, of Boston, criticised a primer on patriotism, which, he said, the Grand Army of the Republic had circulated in the public schools of Massachusetts, and which he thought inculcated erroneous ideas on the subject.

Dr. Herrick Johnson, who was introduced as a man who had been fighting for peace in the Presbyterian denomination for years, and had just won the victory, said that achievement had been brought about by quiet, persistent discussion and education in public and private, going on during the last five years. He believed a similar effort should be made in the promotion of international peace.

## CORONATION CORPS GATHERING AT LEVIS

### Many of the Men Have Arrived—Premier Ross Sails June 14.

Quebec, May 31.—The mobilization of the coronation contingent at St. Joseph de Levis has already commenced. Major Fager has been appointed O. A. A. G., and took command at once. Some 50 men from Halifax and other points of the Maritime Provinces arrived and went under canvas, and it is expected by Sunday over half the regiment will be mustered.

Toronto, May 30.—Some 150 men of the coronation contingent gathered from western points and Toronto, left tonight for Montreal, where the contingent will mobilize. Col. Pellatt went to Montreal tonight and will organize his command there tomorrow. The local men were played to the stations by the Queen's Own and 48th Highlanders' bands, and the Queen's Own buglers. The buglers, who will also form part of the contingent, will leave Toronto on Wednesday next.

THE PREMIER'S DEPARTURE.

Premier Ross last night announced his early departure for the coronation in accordance with the invitation received some months ago. He will sail from New York on June 14 by the steamship Etruria.

If it is asthma, bronchitis, croup, or any such trouble, use Vapo-Cresolene. All Druggists.

## ELECTED

Pupils who take a course in Shorthand and Typewriting at The Western Ontario Shorthand Academy, 76 Dundas street, are sure of being placed in a situation when competent.

Every pupil receives individual instruction from experienced and practical teachers.

Mr. Oliver Sipple, who took a three months' course, has been placed with James Wright & Co. Pupils may join classes at any time. School continued during summer.

WM. C. COO, C.S.R.,
Principal.

**SPECIAL---** Large-Sized Bottle of French Florida Water Monday for... **15c**

*THIS ADVERTISEMENT CHANGES EVERY DAY.*

176-178 Dundas Street, London, Saturday, May 31, 1902.

WOODS' FAIR

## Special Sale of ...Horse Whips

150 Extra Good Horse Whips, regular 25c and 35c each, Monday clearing at, each.....**15c**

**SAVE $1.00 ON RUBBER HOSE.**

30 lengths of ¾-inch 3-ply Rubber Hose, 50 feet long, with couplings and nozzle complete; would regularly cost you $5 50; Monday, our price ..... **$4 50**

**WOODENWARE.**

Good Pastry Boards, Monday, each .....**35c**
Genuine Globe Wash Boards, Monday, each ..... **15c**
Handy Clothes Horses, 5 feet, 12 bars, Monday ..... **50c**

**LUNCH BOXES.**

Good Lunch Boxes, Monday, for, each ..... **10c**
Larger size, Monday, each .. **15c**
Steel Meat Pounders, Monday, each ..... **10c**

**GLASSWARE,**

Fruit Sets, in plain and fancy, different designs, all new goods, Monday, up from, per set .. **25c**
Gas Globes, new patterns, special, Monday, each ..... **10c**
Fancy Vases, special, Monday, each ..... **10c**
Jackknives, a fine assortment, Monday, up from **10c**

New Tin Watering Cans, Monday, up from.....**15c**

**Beautiful Pictures Reduced.**

6 only, Beautiful Colored Large Pictures, different sizes, in gold leaf frames, brass corners; subjects, like The Easter Song, The Letter, Trodden Roses, Twilight, etc. These pictures sold for $2 95 each; Monday, choice, each .....**$1 60**

**New Papeteries, 15c Each.**

In six different styles of fancy box, gray, blue and cream paper, and envelopes; 24 of each in box, special, Monday sale, each .. .. **15c**

**TOILET PAPER.**

Packages at 5c each.
Cottage and Princess.
Rolls at 5c each.
Scotia and Star.
Packages at 8c, 2 for **15c.**
Crusader and Waldorf.
Rolls at 8c, 2 for **15c.**
Dixie and Purity.

**DRESS SHIELDS.**

All washable kind, Monday, at (pair), 8c, 12c, 15c and .. .. **20c**

**NECK RIBBONS, 15c YARD.**

Taffeta Silk Neck Ribbons, 4 inches wide; in old rose, pink, tuscan, salmon, blue, Nile, mauve, black, white, etc., Monday, special, yard .. .. .. ..**15c**

**CHILDREN'S ORGANDIE BONNETS, 69c.**

In cream, cardinal and blue, with puff crown, deep double frill around face and lace ruching; organdie ties; special Monday, each .. **69c**

Visit Our Wall Paper Department. **WOODS' FAIR.**


## THE CORONATION

*Things Worth Noting—A Popular House for Curtains.*

The date having been fixed for June 26, every town, city, village and hamlet will hold its rejoicings. The house will have to be thoroughly gone through with the usual spring cleaning and the Lace Curtains and other fancy goods will have to be selected. Also Ladies will be specially engaged in the selection of those personal adornments such as Blouses, Collarettes, Capes, Scarves, etc., of all kinds which are so fashionable this season.

We have before us one of S. Peach & Sons, Nottingham, Illustrated Catalogues, which is the most complete and comprehensive List issued, it is full of choice, artistic but inexpensive goods and shows the great advantage of buying direct from the looms. We advise our readers to send for one of these Lists which are sent gratis.

For the past 45 years Messrs. Peach & Sons have been supplying the public in all parts of the Empire direct from the looms and have thus gained experience which enables them to suit all tastes and to meet the growing demand for their goods. We feel sure their efforts this Coronation Year will be Crowned with Success.

Messrs. Peach & Sons' goods are reliable in every way and any Lady may order through the post feeling confident that her instructions will have best attention. The elaborate Price Lists containing photographs of Curtains, their own registered designs, and other Lace Goods renders the selection quite easy, every make in Nottingham Lace Curtains is included also Real Swiss, Guipure d'art, Madras Muslins at most reasonable prices.

Sideboard Covers, Table Centers, Tray Covers in hand-made and embroidered Lace are also shown. Two leading lines of Blouses might be mentioned, Creme Silk Slip with Lace insertion at 9s 6d each and Black Silk Blouses trimmed tucks 11s 9 each, both of which are very fashionable and useful. All kinds of Laces are also stocked including Real Torchons, Valenciennes, Fancy Creme Laces, etc. Black Silk Trimming Laces in all widths at special prices, Black and Creme Dress Nets in large variety, patterns of these are sent, Embroidered Lace Robes, etc., etc. New Duchesse Roller Blinds and also the well-known make of stand hard wear Nottingham Loom Hosiery for Ladies and Gentlemen. Damask Table and Household Linens qualities such as only a firm with their reputation to uphold would send out are inexpensive and very durable.

For the past 25 years this firm have advertised their Popular Parcel (21s) which contains for 1902: One pair of drawing-room curtains, 4 yards long, 3 yards wide; 2 pairs handsome dining-room curtains, 3½ yards long; 1 pair of pretty bedroom curtains, 3 yards long, 50 inches wide; 1 pair fashionable sash curtains; 1 pretty table center and 1 handsome set of duchesse toilet table covers. All the Curtains are new elaborate designs for this season. The lot is sent carriage paid for 21s.


**The Cause of Nervous Headache.**

This most distressing and common malady doubtless has its origin in some unbalanced condition of the nervous system. Probably the simplest, safest and most efficient remedy is Polson's Nerviline. Twenty drops in sweetened water gives immediate relief, and this treatment should be supplemented by bathing the region of pain with Nerviline. To say it acts quickly fails to express the result. Sold everywhere in large 25c bottles.


**STEAMERS ARRIVED.**

| May 30. | Reported at | From |
|---|---|---|
| Brazilian | London | Montreal |
| Tritonia | Father Point | Glasgow |
| Potomac | Father Point | Antwerp |
| Crescent | Halifax | Bermuda |
| Buenos Ayrean | Halifax | Glasgow |
| Lucania | New York | Liverpool |
| Columbia | New York | Hamburg |
| Pretoria | New York | Hamburg |
| Vaderland | Antwerp | New York |
| Auguste Victoria | Cherbourg | New York |
| Graf Waldersee | Plymouth | New York |
| Rhynland | Liverpool | Philadelphia |


## COLLAPSE OF THE NERVES

Strange, Dizzy Feelings, Sleepless Nights, Head Felt as Though It Would Burst, Thought She Would Lose Her Mind—A Remarkable Cure by

## DR. CHASE'S NERVE FOOD

If you have been discouraged in seeking a cure for nervous exhaustion or prostration, the case of Mrs. C. H. Jones, of Pierceton, Que., will interest you. Hers was a severe case, but is a fair sample of what thousands of women are enduring, with the belief that they can never be cured.

Mrs. Jones describes her case as follows: "For several years I had been gradually running down in health, and growing weaker and weaker. I did not know exactly what ailed me, for strange, dizzy feelings would come over me. I got a terrible fright, and it so unsettled my nerves that shaking spells would come over me, and I could not keep my feet still, and finally I had to keep the bed most all the time.

"The doctor said I had nervous prostration, and though I took his medicine from fall till spring, I did not improve in health and could not read or sew. I would lie awake at nights, and often would not get more than five or six hours' sleep in a week. My head felt as though it would burst, and I thought I would go out of my mind.

"An uncle from New York visited me at this time, and told me of what an awful time he had gone through with his nerves. He said that he always had more faith in Dr. Chase than in anl other physician, and was cured by the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. I began using this preparation, and improved from the first. Altogether I used five boxes, and it has done me more good than I ever thought medicine could do. My health is better in every way than it has been for many years, and my nervous system is strengthened and invigorated."

"I might add that I have also used Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, with excellent results."

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food cannot fail to benefit any man, woman or child who is pale, weak or nervous. It contains in condensed form the most potent restoratives of nature. It does not stimulate or give false hope, but gradually and thoroughly builds up the system and effects permanent cures. Like Dr. Chase's Ointment and Kidney-Liver Pills, this preparation has the indorsement of physicians and people alike in all parts of this continent. It is the standard treatment for weakness of blood and nerves. 50 cents a box, 6 boxes for $2 50, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto. 2


## ENGINEERS OPPOSE STRIKE

### But President Mitchell Will Not Rescind the Order.

**Management of the C. P. R. and the Telegraphers Come to Terms.**

ENGINEERS OPPOSE STRIKE.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., May 31.—The committee representing engineers of the Lackawanna and Wyoming Valleys were at President Mitchell's headquarters here yesterday, bearing a request from engineers employed at many collieries of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, the Delaware and Hudson, the Erie and other companies, to the executive officers of the United Mine Workers, that the strike order issued by the executive committee last week, ordering out all the engineers, firemen and pumpmen be rescinded. The committee say the men they represent opposed striking.

District Presidents Nicholls, Fahey and Duffy were at the headquarters, but they declined to receive the committee or take any action until the arrival of President Mitchell, who is expected here tomorrow. It can be stated positively that the order will not be rescinded.

Chicago, May 30. — President John Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers of America, reached Chicago today, from Indianapolis. He saw no members of the Civic Federation, and said that the anthracite strike seemed as far from settlement as ever.

SYMPATHETIC STRIKE.

Toronto, Ont., May 31.—Following the failure to come to a settlement of the structural ironworkers' strike, the Federal Building Trades Council has decided to take a hand in the fight. Yesterday about 45 men were called out on a sympathetic strike from the new works of the Canadian Foundry Company, at Toronto Junction.

The men called out comprise carpenters, tinsmiths, painters, bricklayers and plumbers. A number of non-union ironworkers were working on the job, and it is with these that the union men of other trades refuse to work.

SETTLED.

Montreal, May 31.—"The dispute between the Canadian Pacific Railway Company and the telegraphers has been settled." Such is the official announcement made by the management. No details are given, but the company state that while the full demands of the men were not conceded, certain increases have been agreed to, and with these the men have expressed themselves satisfied.

STRIKES AND STOCKS.

New York, May 31.—The weekly circular issued by Henry Clews & Co. says:

"The coal strike and the holidays—the latter involving a three days' suspension of business on the Stock Exchange — acted as a decided deterrent upon stock market operations. A confident undertone appeased owing to the strong support developed on every recession, but speculative activity seemed inclined to wait for more favorable opportunities. Much depends upon the coutcome of the strike. If a prolonged struggle should result the effect would be unfavorable to the general market. If, on the other hand, an early cessation of hostilities should happen the market would be relieved of a weight which bears on no other than the coal stocks. One thing is certain, public opinion will not indefinitely endure with patience a struggle which threatens to temporarily deprive them of one of the necessaries of life. Interruption of our coal supply is a menace to various industries that will not be quietly accepted, to say nothing of private hardships that may be enforced by a prolonged shut-down • • When the coal strike approaches a settlement we may look for a more active market; and if this is followed by good crop reports and easy money we may look for better prices."

## LADIES AT CORONATION

### Six English Gentlewomen Who Will Entertain.

**Lady Warwick's Indefinite Lease of Beauty and Power.**

The brilliancy and success of the present coronation season in London rests wholly on the shoulders of the fashionable English hostess. The King may provide the glitter and grand shows, but it is "up to" the feminine leaders of society, so to speak, to second his efforts and satisfy the many hundreds of thousands of foreigners with the sort of hospitality that lingers warmly in the memory of strangers. As long ago as last autumn some of the women, who have already assumed leading positions as entertainers, began to set their huge Park Lane and South Kensington houses in order for this spring's campaign.

The grand city mansion belonging to the Duke of Westminster was, for example, done over from top to bottom for the exceedingly handsome young duchess, whose marriage made such a social stir a year ago, and who promises to become the most powerful hostess in English society. This lady is the second daughter of Mrs. William Cornwallis-West, who was a famous beauty in the days when Mrs. Langtry first appeared. The duchess' elder sister is the beautiful Princess of Pless, and is one of the great ladies and leading beauties of Emperor William's court. All things considered, however, Miss Constance Edwina Cornwallis-West made a more brilliant alliance than her sister when she married the richest of the English dukes.

His grace of Westminster met with sharp family opposition when he announced his desire to marry Miss Cornwallis-West. He is even now only 23 years of age, his wife's junior by five years, and his stern, simple old grandfather, whom he succeeded, was bitterly opposed, not only to such an early marriage, but also to an alliance with a family whose achievements and ambitions have been no more strenuous nor intellectual than those of a flock of butterflies. The young duke has, nevertheless, followed the inclinations of his heart, and, though his wife may not be a marchioness of Salisbury for brains, she is a beauty of the first class, a lady of wit, ready tact, great enterprise and blessed with the looks and the gifts that will give her the leadership among the queenly hostesses of this regal season.

LADY GREY-EGERTON.

The Americans now in London take an infinite pride and interest in one of the smart hostesses who hails from the United States, and who does the land of her birth every credit. This is Lady Grey-Egerton, who, as Miss May Carolyn Cuyler, married Sir Philip Grey-Egerton in 1893. Lady Grey-Egerton's beauty of feature and coloring is beyond criticism, and she has all the crisp wit and sweet friendliness of manner typical of the well-born American woman. Usually she lives at her husband's country seat, Oulton Park, near old Chester, but last winter she rented and set in order a splendid old house in Berkley Square that is said to be quite incurably haunted, and for this coronation season she is going to entertain her American friends especially. Very often this fair lady has been seen of late driving in Hyde Park, accompanied by her remarkably beautiful twin sons, whose romantic names are Philip de Malpas and Rowland le Belward. These boys were born in 1895, and have inherited their mother's features and coloring.

THE COUNTESS OF WARWICK.

Another lady whose personality is of intense interest to London's visitors is that blonde and enterprising social favorite and hostess, the Countess of Warwick. Though her eldest son, Lord Brooke, was sent out to South Africa a year ago, and though her only daughter, Lady Marjorie, is just about to make her debut at one of the court receptions, Lady Warwick is as fresh as a girl, and maintains her youth as marvelously as does Queen Alexandra. So hospitable is this countess, and so pleasing her manner, that it is said she wins first the acquaintance and then the friendship of every person worth knowing who visits England. She even persuaded the unsociable Cecil Rhodes to visit her at Warwick Castle; the critical Marie Corelli adores her, and Lady Warwick boasts that she never saw the American whom she could not win to complete friendship in half an hour. Lady Warwick is no respecter of money or blue blood as a claim to her liking and hospitality, and her tiny London drawing-room is filled with people whose clever minds, interesting achievements or charming personality have recommended them to her favor.

THE COUNTESS OF AN AGED EARL.

Lady Annesley is an Irish beauty, whose dinner invitations are regarded in London society as though they were prizes. She is the young wife of the aged Earl of Annesley, one of the few rich Irish peers, and socially she is most ambitious and successful. She is one of the few close friends of Queen Alexandra, and, unlike Lady Wimborne and the Marchioness of Londonderry, the other two most famous dinner hostesses, she never gives what are called "great spreads." Her guests are rarely more than twelve in number, and her menus are short but very wonderful.

UNTITLED HOSTESSES.

Two of the most potent and popular ladies in London society whose entertainments are as carefully chronicled as the hospitalities dispensed by royalty itself, are lacking both in titles and in great city homes. Mrs. George Keppel and Mrs. Cecil Powney are possessors of small houses, crammed, however, with objects of art, and they are both the friends of royalty. The King himself stood godfather to Mrs. Keppel's little boy, and under the new and exclusive regime Mrs. Powney is invited to court quite as though she was a duchess. Mrs. Powney, as is now the fashion for specializing among hostesses, gives the most perfect little musical entertainments in London. She is herself an accomplished violinist, and Jan Kubelik, Jean de Reszke, etc., come to dine or breakfast and play and sing afterwards, quite in a friendly way.

Mrs. Keppel's specialty is for lions of the first magnitude. She knows more famous folk and more royal men and women than any other woman in England. She does not assume to be witty, particularly wise, nor beautiful, but her grace of manner is said to be so irresistible that crowned heads unbend in her presence, and her popularity is so great that even in critical, gossiping, envious society she has few, if any, enemies.—Washington Star.


## Will You Spend a Penny

### For a Sick Friend?

Here is my proposition: I have written the six books shown below. I want no money. I simply desire the privilege of sending the book needed to someone who is not well; I will do more: To prove my faith in my newly found principles of curing the sick, I'll send you an order on your nearest druggist for six bottles of Dr. Shoop's Restorative. I will let you or your friend take it for a month; and if it succeeds he will charge you $5 50 for it. If it fails your druggist will send the bill to me. I will tell him to trust to your honesty, leaving the decision to you. You will know then what my Restorative can do. My Restorative will gain your goodwill and indorsement under such a trial.

No physician ever has nor ever will, I believe, make an offer like this—my remedy is the only prescription yet found to stand a test like this.

And I do exactly as here stated. No catch. No deceit You deal with your own druggist, who may be your own neighbor, and a stranger to me. The plan protects you absolutely.

You will see this offer published in every high-class magazine and widely circulated paper in America, and here lies the proof of my success. My records show that 39 out of each 40 who accepted the six bottles paid for them. They paid because they were cured—there are 39 chances in 40 that I can cure you. Is not this a remarkable offer? Is not the record of cures even more remarkable? I fail sometimes, but not often. A few of these diseases arise from causes like cancer, for which, as yet, no man knows a cure.

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## IS DEATH NOT INEVITABLE?

### Question of Loss and Repair of Physical Tissue

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"There is absolutely no physiological reason why people who escape disease and accident should die at all. Those who gradually wear out and die of old age, succumb to a long course of food which was not exactly what their body required. Comparison of the human body with any machine serves to prove this statement. Both the body and a saw, for example, wear out by their daily work. No art can replace the particles removed from the saw, and so a time arrives when it is completely worn out. But in the body, the moment a particle of brain, nerve, or muscle is worn out, it is replaced by a perfectly new particle. As a rule, this new particle is exactly similar to, and quite as good as the old one. If this was so in every case, then our bodies would be immortal. But it is not so in every case. Now and again a defective brick replaces a sound one in the human edifice, till at length so many defective bricks are intercalated that the whole edifice collapses. . . . A healthy blood vessel is very elastic and allows the blood to flow freely through it. But in old age the vessels become hard and unyielding, their bore is diminished and the blood stream is lessened. This results from the presence in their walls of lime and the consequence is that neither brain nor muscles, liver nor lungs, receive sufficient nourishment without oil.

"The classification of the arteries occurs very slowly, for the blood has the power of absorbing the pure water only and rejecting the lime. But now and again it lets a small quantity in by accident, and a gradual accumulation occurs in all the tissues of the body.

"The exact requirement for this work is a process that will separate the necessary elements from those of a deteriorating nature. The human body when under the control of a mind which is consciously expressing its natural power, is a perfect machine for this separating process. Each of us possess at the present moment the machinery which is capable of perpetually renewing the body. An immortal body is therefore possible.

"The loss of the physical body is occasioned by failure to co-operate with the forces of renewal. So ignorant has mankind been of this law, that the mind has actually resisted the process of renewal. Even those who have actually taught the fact of physical renewal have failed to realize that as a consequence of this renewal, their bodies are continually made new. In violation of all logic, they made the passing years indicate in their consciousness the age of the body.

"Let a skilled hypnotist place a light burden upon the back of his subject. It may be so light that he can walk freely, scarcely conscious of its presence. Then let the operator suggest that the burden is gradually growing heavier 'It is becoming very heavy—heavy like iron. You can no longer support it, but sink beneath the heavy load, suggests the operator. No actual weight is added, yet under the influence of mental suggestion, the subject can be made to sink down exhausted by the imaginary load.

"Let us apply this illustration to the question of bodily age. Failing to recoginze the renewed condition of the body, we suggest continually that the body is gradually growing older. This is not merely an occasional suggestion. The race consciousness is always in this attitude. What is the result of this? The inevitable result is that the vital forces sing beneath the imaginary load of an ever-aging body. Very soon the delicate equilibrium of the physical system is destroyed. New and perfect atoms fail to be substituted for the old ones. The system is then unable to dispose of those substances that clog the system and bring old age.

"Through the beautiful processes of nature, we are continually made new. Were we fully conscious of this newness throughout our entire being—this complete absence of physical and mental age, our sytem would always be able to cast away the dross that would otherwise accumulate and clog the machinery of the body. The scavenger and the builder are at work in the body. Death, the scavenger, is removing the old and constant rebirth is building the new.

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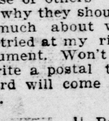
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# COSTLY CORONATIONS!

## Historic Royal Events of Other Days Recalled.

**Economy Observed When Queen Victoria and King William Ascended the Throne.**

"What," wrote Horace Walpole to Sir Horace Mann, after seeing the coronation of George III., "is the finest sight in the world? A coronation. What do people most talk about? A coronation. What is the thing most delightful to have passed? A coronation." While agreeing that nothing is so delightful as a coronation, we may add that there is no event on which so much money is spent, and spent freely by all ranks, from the peers who assist at the actual ceremony to the humblest individual who celebrates the occasion by the consumption of liquid refreshment. Very little inquiry has been made in parliament as to the estimated cost of the forthcoming coronation, and no particulars were furnished until the civil-service estimates appeared, with the sum of £100,000 entered as the probable cost, but no details are given. Therefore we await with a certain amount of interest Mr. Balfour's promised remarks on the subject. Yet by looking at the accounts of previous coronations we can form some idea how the money will be spent. Before the last coronation there were many questions asked in the House of Commons as to the scale on which the arrangements were to be made, and their general tenor suggested that the old features should be revived, particularly the banquet. But Lord Melbourne replied that the ceremonies in Westminster Hall appeared to be useless, idle and tended to create ridicule. Then, the expense was out of all proportion to its utility, and the most weighty reason of all was that the Queen was too young to go through the ordeal of the banquet after the fatiguing ceremonies in the Abbey. The sum voted was £70,000, and how careful was the estimate is indicated by the return issued in 1839, which shows that £69,421 was spent. The lord chamberlain's department heads the account with £14,024 12s 6d, and out of this were paid the salaries of the hundreds of people engaged for the day as attendants and servants, and their splendid liveries. The master of the horse's department, which included the royal carriages, spent £9,800, and the mistress of the robes follows with a not extravagant sum of £3,163 12s 6d, the cost of the royal vestments and robes of estate, while the earl marshal, who had charge of the procession, was responsible for £1,455 9s 3d. The heralds' fees, considering how gorgeous a creature a herald is, seem very small at £307. Gold and silver medals supplied by the master of the mint cost £5,000, but by far the largest item in the bill was £30,213 2s 10d, the expenses of the commissioners of woods and forests for fitting up Westminster Abbey. Illuminating public buildings is a small item of £804 16s 6d. The display of fireworks which was given in Hyde Park from a carefully barricaded inclosure and lasted from 11 till 1, cost £1,492 8s 3d, and the opening of theaters, and other amusements, which included the fair in Hyde Park, finishes the account with £3,116.

WILLIAM IV.'S CORONATION.

William IV.'s coronation was on a still more economical scale, £45,000 being the estimate, and the actual expenditure £43,159 11s 6d. The account is much more concise than Queen Victoria's, and the headings of the charges are somewhat different, £22,-234 10s 3d covered the expenses in the several departments of their majesties' household, an item that corresponds to the accounts of the lord chamberlain's and the earl marshal's departments mentioned above, and included the cost of the robes of both King William and Queen Adelaide. The office of arms received £1,478 3s 9d for heralds and pursuivants, and the cost of fitting up the Abbey was only £12,-085 15s 4d. The item for medals was £4,326 4s 6d, and the £3,034 18s 7d for fireworks and opening of theaters is not much less than the sum afterwards spent in 1838.

When we turn to George IV.'s coronation we see a contrast which accounts for the economy practiced at the two succeeding reigns. The total amount, £238,238 0s, 2d, is probably the largest sum ever paid for one day's entertainment, but it was, from all accounts, the most splendid pageant ever witnessed in the Abbey and Westminster Hall. The sum originally voted by parliament was £100,000, and to make up the deficiency £138,238 0s 2d was appropriated from the money received from France on acount of the pecuniary indemnity under the treaty of 1815. The first item in the account is the lord steward's expenses attending the banquet, £25,184 9s 8d. Then follows the sum of £111,172 9s 10d in the lord chamberlain's department for the furniture and decorations of Westminster Hall and the Abbey, for providing the regalia, and for dresses, etc., of the persons attending and performing various duties. The small sum of £118 18s 6d sufficed for the charger of the champion, provided by the master of the horse; £24,704 8s 10d represented the cost of the king's robes and vestments, and the surveyor of works spent £50,367 9s 1d in fitting up Westminster Abbey and Westminster Hall. The secretary to the great chamberlain received £2,500. Hire of theaters accounted for £3,504 15s. The master of the mint's charge for supplying medals was £4,770 7s 4d. Expenses in the earl marshal's department amounted to £2,500, with a further sum of £3,000 towards the publication of the ceremony, which is now a valuable and scarce work. The deputy earl marshal's fee was £800, the expense of police £981 18s 10d, and messengers and doorkeepers received £173 2s 6d. But the strangest and most extravagant item in the account is that of Messrs. Rundell & Bridge for snuff-boxes for foreign ministers, £8,-205 15s. It concludes with £254 7s 7d paid to the Earl of Kinnoul on account of the pursuivants and heralds in Scotland.

WORK OF FITTING UP THE ABBEY.

It will be seen from the foregoing acounts that the cost of fitting up the Abbey is one of the heaviest items, and the view now taken by the executive committee is that accommodation shall be provided for as many spectators as is possible without extensive alterations in the fittings. At the jubilee services of 1887 the Abbey was closed from the 3rd of May, and stands were erected for 6,000 persons with practically no damage to the structure—a contrast to the absolute destruction of the interior for George IV's coronation. The preparations for this event were commenced on May 24, 1820, and the whole of the wainscoting, seats, stalls, etc., and the organ and altar-piece were removed, and the refitting was such a lengthy business that the Abbey was not again opened for regular service until the 24th of March, 1822. Some of the contemporary prints which are on view at the printshops in London give us a good idea of the manner in which every nook and corner was filled. The best of them is a mezzotint engraving by Charles Turner, after a drawing by Frederick Nash.

Another expense that is no longer incurred is the fitting up of Westminster Hall for the feast. It was prepared by clearing out everything it before contained, and a new boarded floor was laid up the middle and covered with matting. On each side of the hall three large galleries were built, the highest of which was supported by the beams. Between the first gallery and the floor were erected on each side large closets or pantries, with double doors, answering the purpose of sideboards and cellarets. A platform ran up the middle of the hall to where the king dined, and between the platform and the pantries those dined who had not the honor to be seated with the king. Light was supplied by 52 large chandeliers that liberally bespattered wax upon the costly dresses of the spectators. A curious and expensive erection was the platform which at most of the coronations, ending with that of George IV., ran from the upper end of Westminster Hall, where the procession commenced, and continued through New Palace Yard, Parliament street, Bridge street, into King street, and so on to the west door of the Abbey, on to the choir, where the king was crowned. The platform along which the procession passed was all the way railed in and covered with blue cloth, and was raised about one foot, upon a floor standing three feet high and fourteen feet wide, where the guards were placed, while the officers stood within the rails.

THE BANQUET OF THE PLANTAGENETS.

In the times of the Plantagenets the cost of the banquet was reduced by sending precepts to the several counties enjoining them to assist the royal purveyors in procuring oxen, sheep, fowls, etc., in quantities proportionate to the extent of their districts. Some of these letters may be seen in that wonderful repository of state documents known as Rymer's "Foedera." For the supply of wine, which was always used in great profusion on these occasions, our earlier kings had recourse to their fertile duchy in the South of France, and a writ is preserved in the record office directed to the Seneschal of Gascony and the Constable of Bordeaux commanding them to buy a quantity of good wine and forward it in time for the coronation. After the feast, and when the nobility had departed, it was customary to throw open the doors of Westminster Hall, and then the mob came in with a rush and cleared everything movable—victuals, cloths, plates, dishes and glass. The custom was followed for the last time at George III.'s coronation.

EXPENSIVE CHARGES DISCONTINUED.

Many other expensive charges have been discontinued, such as the 305 ounces of gilt plate and two large gilt chased basins to the lord almoner for the day, the gold cup and cover to the lord mayor, which contained twenty ounces of pure gold, and many other pieces of plate presented to the holders of customary manors; but we may expect that the lord great chamberlain, when the result of the struggle for the much-coveted office is decided, will demand the historic forty yards of velvet, even if he foregoes the privilege of claiming the furniture of the room in which the king passes the night before the coronation, as well as his wearing apparel, shirt, towels, etc., all which were formerly allowed. It will be readily seen, from the examples we have given of expenditure on previous occasions, and considering the fact that the price of material and labor has enormously advanced during the last 60 years, that the £100,000 asked is not an extravagant sum, even if we leave out items such as the hire of theaters, which is manifestly impossible now, and the cost of the medals that used to be scattered broadcast. But whether anything in the way of public entertainment will be attempted, such as a fair or fireworks, as in 1838, we cannot say, although a rumor has been circulated that a surprise is in store for us when the oracle speaks. —Manchester Guardian.


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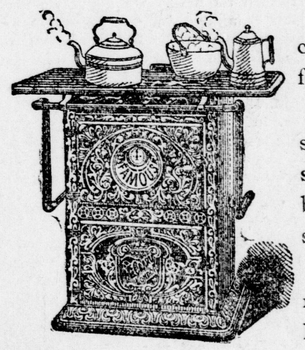
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## The Political Situation.

The latest returns give the Government a clear majority of four. Manitoulin has gone Conservative, making three seats for the Opposition in New Ontario. It may seem surprising that Sault Ste. Marie, the center of the Clergue operations, should have gone against the Government, when the Opposition had tried to check the policy which has so greatly promoted the development of that district. The explanation is that Mr. Miscampbell, the Conservative member-elect, is in the service of the Clergue syndicate, and while he may not have had the open and active support of the Clergue interests, their influence was not arrayed against him. It is gratifying to note that both the Nipissings have been loyal to the Government, despite Mr. Whitney's desperate bid for the settlers' vote, by promising them the pine on the land.

Coming to older Ontario, it is found that Lennox and North Grey, which were somewhat doubtful, have gone Liberal. These are the only constituencies in which a recount may adversely affect the Government, while a scrutiny of the ballots in North Perth, where Monteith is given only two majority, may deprive the Opposition of a seat. Hon. G. W. Ross, Hon. Richard Harcourt, Hon. J. M. Gibson, Hon. Frank Latchford and Hon. J. R. Stratton are elected by very large majorities, and the other members of the Cabinet, Hon. John Dryden and Hon. E. J. Davis, have a comfortable margin to the good. Mr. Whitney, like Mr. Ross, doubled his own majority and lost none of his lieutenants. The net result shows that the Liberals gained twelve seats—Lennox, West Durham, Stormont, Prince Edward, East Simcoe, Center Simcoe, South Perth, North Grey, Port Arthur and Rainy River, West Nipissing, East Middlesex and North Wentworth—and the Conservatives fifteen seats—Algoma, North Waterloo, North Norfolk, South Oxford, South Wellington, West York, North Essex, London, East Northumberland, West Lambton, North Perth, Sault Ste. Marie, Center Bruce and Manitoulin. There is no indication in this of any reaction against the Government. The so-called Conservative tidal wave of 1900 was merely the natural operation of the gerrymander. Had the provincial boundaries of the constituencies governed then, the parties would have broken pretty evenly in Ontario. We may expect a redistribution before the next Dominion election, when the municipal boundaries will be restored for Dominion purposes.

There were a few surprising reversals on Thursday. In Stormont a Conservative majority of 179 was converted into a Liberal majority of nearly 400. North Wentworth went Conservative by 333 in 1898, and is now redeemed by the Liberals. Prince Edward, Conservative by 357 in 1898, now goes Liberal by 200. In North Norfolk, West Lambton, South Oxford and North Essex, all considered safe for the Liberals, there was a pronounced flop to the other side. Kingston, Brantford and Brockville are the only cities standing by the Government. Toronto is incurably Conservative. In East Hamilton, Carscallen's majority dropped from 880 to 140, and in West Hamilton the Conservative majority was cut in half. In Ottawa Mr. Lumsden was defeated by petty parish politics. In London the Prohibitionists did the trick.

Taking it all in all, the Government is in a stronger position than after the election of 1898. The majority then was the same as now—four or five—but two Ministers had lost their seats. When the House met in August, 1898, the Government had six to spare on the first division, with one Liberal absentee. The majority showed an increase at each session, owing to by-election gains, and reached thirteen before dissolution. It is probable the new Legislature will not meet till February next, and in the meantime there may be one or more bye-elections. As these invariably go with the Government, the strong probability is that Mr. Ross will have as large a margin as Mr. Hardy had in his first session.

## More Cant.

The pure aims and correct political practices of the Conservative party in London.—London Free Press.

When did these "pure aims" and "correct political practices" prevail?

In the old days when kegs of beer were rolled down voters' cellar stairs?

In the first Hyman-Beattie election, when men were debauched and imprisoned in the Conservative club?

In the election just closed, when ballot-stealers helped to manage Mr. Beck's campaign?

## The Daly Vote.

The Free Press says the Tories had nothing to do with bringing out Mr. Daly. This child-like and bland assertion must amuse Ald. Winnett, Dr. Roome and other supporters of Mr. Beck, who pulled the ropes. Ald. Winnett, one of Mr. Beck's scrutineers and workers, canvassed his temperance friends for Daly when he suspected they leaned toward Leys. It is for such strategy as this that we gave the Conservatives credit. What Mr. Daly's supporters think of it might not make comfortable reading for Ald. Winnett. A good many of them are wiser today than they were on Thursday. But there is this to be said for the Liberal prohibitionists: they pledged themselves to Mr. Daly and they kept their pledge. The Conservatives, having buoyed him up with promises, betrayed him.

Far better to lose London than lose the Province.

Will South Oxford please rise and explain?

East Middlesex pronounced it time for a change.

It seems that Ross is as much a fixture as Mowat was.

New Ontario gave the Opposition far more than it got from them.

At any rate, Mr. Daly did not spoil Mr. Hazlegrove's chances of election.

London township is not wedded to its idols so closely as it used to be.

Both the Liberal Whips were whipped. And neither of them deserved it.

The Government's majority is a healthy youngster of four. It will grow.

The charge that Dr. Routledge owed his election to bribery and corruption is the veriest Cry-Baby twaddle.

The Free Press today gives up its heroic attempt to elect whitney by doctoring the returns.

The most disappointed people in London Thursday night were not the Liberals, but the hungry office-seekers.

The wires got somewhat tangled Thursday night. Our readers must excuse the inaccuracy of some of the returns. It really wasn't our fault.

Congratulations to Brother Graham, of the Brockville Recorder. He is a pillar of strength to the Liberals in the East and the party needs pillars down that way.

Toronto seems to be Tory from mere force of habit. Three of its members betrayed the city in the Temiscaming Railway question, and any other city would have kicked them out.

At the Opera House Thursday night, Mr. Essery appointed himself license commissioner and Mr. Beck minister of agriculture. The appointments are not yet officially confirmed.

In one column this morning the Free Press accuses the Scotch Grits of getting everything. In the adjoining column it accuses Registrar Dignan of unfairness.

Carscallen, of Hamilton, who plays soubrette parts in Mr. Whitney's show, was nearly frightened off the stage by Dr. Griffin. As a footlight favorite Carscallen has made his farewell appearance.

We predicted on Wednesday that Mr. Beck's picture would be turned toward the wall. We admit we were mistaken, and we still expect to see the picture in the Free Press on the slightest provocation.

We forgot to include Mr. T. H. Preston, M.P.P., of the Brantford Expositor, in the list of journalists elected. He is one of the brainiest men in the Liberal contingent, and deserved his splendid victory in South Brant.

We must apologize to Mr. W. H. Taylor, M.P.P., for publishing his political obituary, under the impression that he was among the slain. However, Mr. Taylor is one of the few men that live up to their obituary notices.

Mr. Pattullo was subjected to a heavy cross-fire in North Oxford, but came through it with flying colors. The Conservatives lured a prohibitionist into the field and then put up a candidate of their own. The same game worked in London, but the Liberals of staunch old North Oxford were too

A Glencoe correspondent complains indignantly of the swearing of a well-known young farmer at Mosa school house by the Conservative scrutineer. He asks what the law is on the point. It is necessary that scrutineers should have the power of requiring voters to be sworn and there is no remedy when it is exercised merely to insult an elector, as seems to have been the case at the school house.

### THE CONDOR'S FATE.

Victoria, B. C., May 30.—Indian of Hisquoit, on Vancouver Island coast, found a bottle containing the following message:

"Midocean, Jan. 5, 1902.—H. M. S. Condor; ship sank; all lost except first officer and two middies, who escaped in small boat. We at sea's mercy.—(Signed) A. S. Rogers."

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## MONDAY TO RIVAL MAFEKING DAY!

### Should Peace Be Announced As Is Expected.

### PEACE DINNERS ARE ORDERED

**Kitchener's Star in the Ascendant, Lord Roberts' Is Declining—Memorial Tablet to Forbes.**

London, May 31.—If a definite announcement of peace in South Africa is made on Monday, as expected, that night will rival the celebration which occurred when the relief of Mafeking was officially announced (in May, 1900). Throughout London arrangements have already been made for numerous peace dinners. The aristocracy

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on no small scale, and doubtless the denizens of Whitechapel and the various east end quarters will invade the Strand and other thoroughfares with their wild exultation.

Already the wiseacres are saying that Lord Kitchener will be made an earl, and receive thanks of parliament, accompanied by a substantial grant of money.

One of the most curious features of the war is the remarkable way in which he has deepened the awesome respect, akin to fear, with which the British nation regards him. His laconic reports, and his utterly independent prosecution of the campaign in South Africa has hugely heightened his military reputation. Yet, he is universally admitted to have next to nothing in common with his countrymen, or their government.

PASSING OF ROBERTS.

As Lord Kitchener's star has ascended, so has Lord Roberts' declined. The genial optimism of the now commander-in-chief grates so bitterly upon a people severly over-taxed for the war which he so long ago declared finished, that the spontaneous popularity which made him the hero of the jubilee procession, will not be repeated at the coronation. Lord Milner may or may not have played an important part in the peace negotiations; but popular and political opinions assign to the ex-sirdar of the Egyptian forces the bringing about of the present negotiations. This feeling is by no means confined to outsiders. Great financial magnates, whose information regarding the conditions in South Africa has often been better than the government's, declare that Lord Kitchener is THE SAVIOUR OF HIS COUNTRY.

Field Marshal Lord Wolseley unveiled a memorial tablet today to Archibald Forbes, the war correspondent (who died March 30, 1900), in the crypt of St. Paul's Cathedral. Lord Wolseley paid a high tribute to the correspondent.

RHODES' WILL.

Cecil Rhodes' executors have decided that the probate of the will should be taken out in South Africa, and this will be done after the return of Dr. Jameson and Mr. Michell to the Cape. Nothing definite is yet known as to the extent of Mr. Rhodes' fortune, but so far as has been ascertained it will amount to $25,000,000 or $30,000,000. His educational scheme has been gone into by the executors, but it will be some time before the arrangements can be completed. It is hoped, however that the first Rhodes' scholars will enter Oxford University at the October term next year. Dr. Jameson and Mr. Michell have been authorized to represent the executors in South Africa.

The Chinese government proposes to bestow a decoration on Charles Goodnow, the United States consul general at Shanhai, in recognition tf his services in maintaining peace in the central provinces in 1900.

BOXERS AGAIN ACTIVE.

The Shanghai correspondent of the Daily Mail cables that the Boxers are active in th ieropnaefevxzfffffffffffff active in the Province of Sze Chwan. They have warned the officials of Yang Hsien of their intention to exterminate the foreigners and they have destroyed the Catholic and Protestant churches, killed and robbed people, and are enrolling members in every village. Troops have been dispatched to repress the rebellion.

THE COTTON TRADE.

Montreal, May 31.—At the annual meeting of the Canadian Colored Cotton Company, it was shown in the annual statement that goods to the value of $2,750,000 had been manufactured during the year, which is $350,000 less than the previous year. There was, however, $150,000 more goods sold, stock having been reduced to that extent. The profits for the year were $221,000, out of which were paid $111,000 interest on bonds, $108,000 in dividends to shareholders.


# Last May Saturday!

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The above prices rule in this week's bargain list. Towelings, 4½c; Muslins, 5c; Pineapples, 8c; Hemp Carpet, 8c; Lemons, 8c doz.; Satins, 19c yard, and so on down the list. Read the items carefully and come early for best choice; they may not last to go around.

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**Dress Muslins, 5c**
300 yards Colored American Lawn Muslins in light stripes, new goods, in blue, pink and all light colors, regular 7c and 8c, Friday and Saturday ..... 5c

**50c Colored Satin, 19c**
179 yards Colored Satins and Crinkle Silks, for waists and fancy work, cushions, etc., light and dark, regular 50c goods, to clear, Friday and Saturday ..... 19c

**50c Stripe Jap Silks, 25c**
300 yards, balance of lot, Japanese Wash Silks, the last chance of the season at this price for such quality of silk, to clear, Friday and Saturday ..... 25c

**Ladies' 90c Blouses, 69c**
Percale Blouses, in all new shades and stripes, regular 85c and 90c, to clear, each ..... 69c

**Boys' 25c Hose, 14c.**
Boys' Heavy Ribbed Hose, cotton, fast black, regular 25c, to clear at, per pair ..... 14c

**$1.50 Corset, 79c**
Fine White Batiste Corsets for summer wear, well steeled, regular $1 50, to clear ..... 79c

**$1.50 Parasols, 75c**
6 only, Colored Silk Parasols, regular $1 50 lines, to clear, Friday, each ..... 75c

**25c Leather Belts, 8c**
Ladies' Leather Belts, special 25c lines, Friday and Saturday .. 8c

**Men's 45c Balbriggans 25c**
25 dozen Double-Thread Balbriggan Underwear, shirts and drawers, 32 to 44-inch, regular 40c and 45c, Friday and Saturday, each..... 25c

**Men's 25c Cashmere Socks, 15c.**
8 dozen only Men's Black Cashmere Socks, all wool, spliced heels and toes, seamless and fast dye, 10½ and 11, on sale Friday and Saturday, per pair ..... 15c

**Men's $1.50 Pants, 79c**
13 pairs Men's All-Wool Canadian Tweed Pants, regular $1 25 and $1 50 lines, balance of our stock of these lines, while they last.... 79c

**50c Tucked Lawn, 29c**
2 pieces only 27-inch Tucked Lawn, for shirt waists, regular 50c, Friday and Saturday, to clear .....29c

**18c Silk Ties, 12½c**
Children's Plaid Silk Windsor Ties, regular 18c, to clear.....12½c

**15c Applique, 9c.**
60 yards White Embroidered Applique Muslin, regular 15c, to clear ..... 9c

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**8c Toilet Soap, 5c**
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**15c Shoe Polish, 10c**
Quick Shine Luster Oil Shoe Polish, regular 15c a bottle, special Friday and Saturday, per bottle .... 10c

**Grocery List**
24 lbs. Granulated Sugar for.....$1 00
500 tins Corn and Beans, 5 for..... 25c
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150 dozen Choice New Bright Lemons, dozen ..... 8c
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3½-yard White Lace Curtains, fine quality, excellent designs; regular $1, for ..... 75c

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## Her Emphatic Opinion.

There were plenty of vacant seats up forward in the open car, but the hatchet-faced woman with the baggy umbrella and the faded reticule didn't want to see them. The conductor, with his hand on the bell strap, motioned her with the other hand to one of the forward seats, but she didn't want to see the conductor either. So she deposited herself and her baggy umbrella and her faded reticule in the next-to-the-last seat, alongside a short, squat man with a bristly reddish mustache and a fixed stare right ahead. The individual was puffing industriously on a raveled, pale olive-hued cigar, that gave forth eccentric clouds of brownish smoke that looked as if it might be issuing from a burning out flue.

No sooner had she taken her seat than the hatchet-faced woman began to glare at the man with the freak smoke. The man, however, kept right at his work of puffing, never seemingly taking his eyes from the back of the motorman's neck straight ahead.

"Ugh!" ejaculated the hatchet-faced woman when she found that her glares weren't relieving the situation any. "Ugh!"

The man with the eccentric fumer pulled harder than ever, and continued to regard the back of the motorman's neck as if fascinated by that spectacle.

"Some folks' manners, if I must say it," snapped the woman with the baggy umbrella, wriggling in her seat and continuing to direct vitriolic glares at the reddish-mustached man.

The latter removed the cigar from his mouth, gazed at it in a contemplative, affectionate sort of way, dampened some of the many loose ends of the thing with a forefinger, replaced it in his mouth and continued to fill the air with deep, brown smoke.

"No more respeck for ladies than so many rabbits, some of 'em, I do declare!" exclaimed the hatchet-faced woman, fetching the ferule of her bulgy umbrella down on the car floor with a bang.

The squatty man with the piece of burning, raveled rope, crossed his legs and continued to smoke with great obvious enjoyment, although he was still interested in the general contour of the motorman's neck.

"Blowin' their filthy see-gar smoke right in the face o' ladies old enough to be their grandmothers, an' never so much as apologizin,' neether!" went on the woman with the faded reticule, while the other men in the rear seats, none of whom happened to be smoking, snickered and glanced at each other grinningly.

But the man with the hempen article only redampened some more of the loose ends of his smoke and went on pulling on it with even more enjoyment than before.

"An' y' might jes' as well talk t' some swine as I could tell of as t' so many cobblestones!" continued the hatchet-faced woman, raising her reticule from her lap and putting it back there with a jolt.

The conductor happened to be passing on the sideboard just then, and he smiled as he said in a courteous tone to the hatchet-faced woman:

"Lady, these seats are reserved for smokers—move up in front at the next stop and you won't be bothered." shot the conductor a look of the most overwhelming scorn as she made her reply:

"They ain't no sich thing as reservin' no seats an no cars nowhere for hogs, an' you know it, young man, as well as I do."

The conductor shrugged his shoulders and passed on forward.

But the man with the blazing bit of cauliflower had never turned his head either to right or left during this colloquy, nor did he show by any indication, by any expression of his face, that he was even aware of what was going on.

"Th' very idee o' ladies 'bein' ast' t' change their seats in cars f'r th' sake o' lettin' common, every-day cattle make noosances o' themselves!" sniffed the hatchet-faced woman.

Just at that moment a man with a singularly plastic countenance climbed into the vacant seat on the other side o fthe man with the raveled smoke. The two recognized each other instantly, and instantly they began a quick exchange of conversation—with their hands, deftly and swiftly going through the ever-interesting and ever-mystifying language of the mutes.

The expression that swept over the sharp features of the woman with the baggy umbrella could never be described.

"Well, I swan!—he never heard a word I said!" she ejaculated, and then she signaled the conductor to stop the car at the next crossing and there debarked, while the men in the rear seats chuckled aloud and the two mutes went on, all unconsciously, with their language of the hands.—Washington Star.


**YOUR BUMP OF CLEANLINESS** will doubtless cause you to interest yourself in these few statements about HUDSON'S DRY SOAP.

Soap of some kind is a necessity, consequently you have got to have it.

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## REAL MEAT FAMINE THREATENS CHICAGO

**As a Result of the Stock Yard Teamsters' Strike—Drivers Carry Pistols.**

Chicago, May 31.—Chicago has begun to realize that a meat famine is imminent. Butchers who have bought of the packers fighting the striking stock yards teamsters lost their ice supply. Restaurants were in straits to procure choice meats. The commodity rose in price, and many shops shut down in different parts of the city.

Holiday crowds blocked wagons and cheered the strikers.

President Albert Young, of the Teamsters' National Union, declared that the strike would be backed by union labor and won if it took five years. Butchers have practically abandoned the hauling of meat from the yards.

Meat is now delivered to hotels and restaurants by armed drivers. This is one of the results of attacks made on teamsters in the employ of Irwin Brothers. This firm has equipped its drivers with revolvers.

# Distress After Eating

Nausea between meals, belching, vomiting, flatulence, fits of nervous headache, pain in the stomach, are all symptoms of dyspepsia, and the longer it is neglected the harder it is to cure it.

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# THE MARKETS.

### THE LOCAL MARKET.

London, Saturday, May 31.

| | |
|---|---|
| Wheat, white, per bu | 83⅔c to 83⅔c |
| Wheat, red, per bu | 83⅔c to 83⅔c |
| Corn, per bu | 61c to 62c |
| Oats, per bu | 46¼c to 46⅜c |
| Peas, per bu | 75c to 90c |
| Barley, per bu | 53c to 60c |
| Beans, per bu | 70c to 80c |

There was a fairly large atttendance at the market this forenoon. Still, there was not nearly as large a crowd as that of two weeks ago. The bulk of the offerings was small produce of the farm. The market gardeners were well represented, and their offerings as a rule were of an excellent quality.

The frost of this week did not do as much damage as was expected.

Grain—Six loads of wheat sold at $1 38 per cwt. Twenty-five loads of oats sold at $1 38 to $1 39 per cwt; only a couple of loads brought the last-named figures.

Hay and Straw—About a dozen loads of hay on sale, selling mostly at $9 per ton; sales were good. Straw is scarce, at $6 per ton.

Butter and Eggs—Butter was plentiful, with prices steady, at 13c to 15c for crocks and 14c to 16c for pound rolls; grass butter is now coming forward, and the quality is much improved. Eggs are steady in price, at 12½c for crates, 13c for basket lots, and 13c to 14c by the single dozen.

Vegetables—The farmers are marketing their supply of potatoes, and the amount offered was large, at 80c to 85c per bag by the load and 90c by the single bag. Asparagus sells at 40c to 50c per dozen bunches.

Poultry—Considering the season of the year, the supply was large; spring chickens sell at 65c to 75c per pair, according to size; last year's birds sold at 65c to 80c per pair, and live ones at 50c to 65c; turkeys are held at 9c per lb.

Dressed Hogs—Very few on sale, at $9 per cwt; the same price is being offered for a limited number of next week's deliveries.

Butchers' Meat—Steady, with the exception of 'mutton, which is lower, at $7 per cwt.

Wool—Slow of sale, at 12c for washed and 6c for unwashed wool.

Quotations:

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| **GRAIN.** | | | |
| Wheat, white, per 100 lbs | $1 38 | @ | $1 39 |
| Wheat, red, per 100 lbs | 1 38 | @ | 1 39 |
| Oats, per 100 lbs | 1 36 | @ | 1 37 |
| Peas, per 100 lbs | 1 10 | @ | 1 40 |
| Peas, per 100 lbs | 1 20 | @ | 1 20 |
| Barley, per 100 lbs | 1 10 | @ | 1 25 |
| Beans, per bu | 70 | @ | 80 |
| **HAY AND SEEDS.** | | | |
| Hay, per ton | 8 50 | @ | 9 00 |
| Straw, per ton | 6 00 | @ | 6 00 |
| Clover seed, red, per bu | 4 50 | @ | 5 00 |
| Clover seed, alsike, bu | 9 00 | @ | 9 50 |
| Timothy seed, per bu | 2 50 | @ | 3 50 |
| Hungarian seed, per bu | 60 | @ | 70 |
| Millet seed, per bu | 60 | @ | 70 |
| Apples, per bag | 1 25 | @ | 1 50 |
| Apples, dried, per lb | 5 | @ | 6 |
| **DAIRY PRODUCE.** | | | |
| Butter, per roll, baskets | 14 | @ | 16 |
| Butter, crock, per lb | 13 | @ | 15 |
| Eggs, doz, basket lots | 12½ | @ | 13 |
| Eggs, doz, new-laid | 13 | @ | 14 |
| Honey, strained, per lb | 11 | @ | 12½ |
| Honey, in comb, per lb | 14 | @ | 15 |
| **POULTRY.** | | | |
| Ducks, per pair | 65 | @ | 90 |
| Turkeys, per lb | 13 | @ | 13 |
| Geese, each | 70 | @ | 90 |
| **MEATS.** | | | |
| Dressed hogs, per cwt | 8 75 | @ | 9 00 |
| Pork, by the quarter | 8 | @ | 10 |
| Beef, by the carcase | 5 00 | @ | 8 00 |
| Beef, by the quarter | 6 00 | @ | 8 00 |
| Veal, quarter, per lb | 5 | @ | 6 |
| Mutton, carcase, per lb | 6 | @ | 8 |
| Spring lamb, per lb | 9c | @ | 11 |
| **LIVE HOGS AND CATTLE.** | | | |
| Hogs, selects, per cwt | 6 75 | @ | 6 75 |
| Hogs, small, per pair | 5 00 | @ | 7 00 |
| Stags and sows, cwt | 2 00 | @ | 4 00 |
| Fat cattle, per cwt | 4 50 | @ | 5 60 |
| **HIDES AND SKINS.** | | | |
| Wool, unwashed, per lb | 6 | @ | 7 |
| Wool, washed, per lb | 12 | @ | 12 |
| Tallow, rough, per lb | 3 | @ | 3½ |
| Tallow, rendered, per lb | 5 | @ | 5½ |
| Hides, No. 1, per lb | 6½ | @ | 6½ |
| Hides, No. 2, per lb | 5½ | @ | 5½ |
| Hides, No. 3, per lb | 4½ | @ | 4½ |
| Sheepskins, each | 60 | @ | 65 |
| Lambskins, each | 60 | @ | 65 |
| Calfskins, No. 1, per lb | 9 | @ | 9 |
| **VEGETABLES.** | | | |
| Potatoes, per bag | 80 | @ | 90 |
| Cabbage, per doz | 75 | @ | 1 00 |
| Celery, per doz | 35 | @ | 50 |
| Beets, per bag | 50 | @ | 60 |
| Lettuce, per doz | 20 | @ | 30 |
| Green onions, per doz | 20 | @ | 30 |
| Green rhubard, per doz | 20 | @ | 25 |
| Green parsley, per doz | 20 | @ | 30 |
| Radishes, per doz | 30 | @ | 40 |


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### TORONTO HAY MARKET.

TORONTO HAY 5for8½, T7..⅛, 6......

Toronto, May 30.—Baled hay—The market is firm, with fair demand; timothy, $10 75 to $11, the latter for No. 1.—Straw—The market is quiet; car lots on track are quoted at $5 to $5 50, the latter for No. 1.

### AMERICAN MARKETS.

A HOLIDAY.

Buffalo, May 31.—Yesterday was Decoration Day in the United States, and the various stock and produce exchanges were closed.

### DAIRY MARKETS.

NEW YORK, May 29.—Butter—Steady; receipts, 8,888 pkgs; creamery extras, per lb, 22¼c to 22½c; do, firsts, 21½c to 22c; do, seconds, 20½c to 21c; do, lower grades, 20c; state dairy tubs, fancy, 21½c; do, firsts, 20½c to 21c; do, seconds, 19½c to 20c; do, thirds, 18½c to 19c; state dairy tins, etc., 18½c to 21c; western imitation creamery, choice, 20c to 20½c; do, lower grades, 18c to 19½c; western factory, firsts, 19c; do, seconds, 18¼c to 18½c; do, thirds, 17c to 18c; renovated, fancy, 20c to 20½c; do, common to prime, 18c to 19½c; packing stock, 17c to 18c. Cheese—Receipts, 8,626 boxes; irregular; new state full cream, small colored, choice, 10½c; do, fair to good, 10c to 10¼c; do, white, choice, 10¾c; do, fair to good, 10c to 10¼c; do, large colored, choice, 9½c to 9¾c; do, white, choice, 10c; do, fair to good, 9c to 9¼c; light skims, small choice, 8¾c to 9c; do, large choice, 7¾c to 8¼c; part skims, prime, 7½c to 7¾c; do, fair to good, 5½c to 7c; do, common, 4c to 4½c; full skims, 2½c to 3c. Eggs—Firm; receipts, 11,882 cases; loss off, western regular packings, 17½c to 18½c; at mark, state and Pennsylvania, fancy selected white, 19c; do, average prime, 17½c to 18c; western, storage selections, good to fancy, 17c to 18c; do, regular packings, graded, 17c to 17½c; do, ungraded, 15½c to 17c; Kentucky, 14½c to 16c; southern, 14c to 15c; dirties, 14c to 15c; checks, 12c to 14c.

### LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

TORONTO.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, May 30.—Thirty-nine loads in today, including 758 hogs, 340 sheep and lambs, 20 calves and 9 horses. Export cattle, choice, $6 25 to $6 50; export cattle, medium, $5 80 to $6 15; export cows, medium, $4 25 to $5; export bulls, $4 30 to $5 25; butchers' cattle, picked lots, $5 40 to $5 75; butchers' cattle, medium, mixed, $4 25 to $4 80; butchers' cattle, common, $3 50 to $4; feeders, short-keep, $4 75 to $5 40; feeders, medium, $4 30 to $4 65; stockers, medium, $2 75 to $3 75; milch cows, each, $30 to $50; export ewes, $4 to $4 65; export rams, $3 50 to $4; yearlings, $5 to $5 60; spring lambs, each, $2 50 to $5; calves, per head, $2 to $10; hogs, singers, $7; lights and fats, $6 75, off cars. Trade good.

LONDON, May 30.—Cattle here are quoted at from 13½c to 15c per lb, dressed weight; sheep are selling at from 14c to 15c per lb, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is 11c per lb.

NEW YORK, May 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,221 head; 29½ cars on sale; steers slow to 10c lower; bulls and cows generally steady; all sold; steers, $5 30 to $7 12½; bulls, $3 25 to $5 80; cows, $2 50 to $5 12½; latest cables quoted live cattle steady, sheep and yearlings selling at 14c to 15c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef at 11c per lb; shipments, none; tomorrow, 760 cattle and 4,500 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 1,001 head; 1,060 on sale; market 25c lower; 25c to 50c lower than on Wednesday; all sold; veals, $4 50 to $7; mixed calves, $5 25; city dressed veals, 8½c to 11c per lb. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,688 head; 26 cars on sale; prime sheep and yearlings steady; other grades slow to lower; spring lambs, 25c to 50c off; sheep, $3 to $5; few extra, $5 50; culls, $2 50; yearlings, $5 to $7; spring lambs, $5 50 to $8 50. Hogs—Receipts, 947 head; one carload on sale; market steady; state hogs, $7 25; mixed western nominal.

EAST BUFFALO, May 30.—Cattle—Good to fine finished steady; common lower. Veals—Receipts, 500; steady; tops, $6 75 to $7; good, $6 to $6 50; common to light, $5 to $5 75. Hogs—Receipts, 7,400 head; active, strong and 5c higher; heavy, $7 40 to $7 50; mixed, $7 25 to $7 35; Yorkers, $7 10 to $7 20; light do, $6 90 to $7 05; pigs, $6 90 to $6 85; roughs, $6 60 to $6 75; stags, $4 75 to $5 25. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 10,600 head; sheep slow; lambs steady; very common stock here; top lambs, $7 10 to $7 25; fair to good, $6 50 to $7; culls to common, $4 to $5 50; yearlings, $5 50 to $6; sheep, top mixed, $5 to $5 50; fair to good, $4 50 to $5; culls to common, $2 50 to $4.

### SUGAR.

MONTREAL, May 30.—Following are the prices of sugar, f.o.b., **Montreal:**

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| Paris lumps, 50-lb boxes | $4 40 |
| Paris lumps, 100-lb boxes | 4 30 |
| Redpath's granulated | 3 70 |
| St. Lawrence granulated | 3 70 |
| Acadia granulated | 3 65 |
| Phoenix sugar | 3 70 |
| Cream sugar | 3 55 |
| Coffee sugar | 3 35 |
| Yellow sugar | 3 05 |

### ENGLISH MARKETS.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

London, May 30.—At the wool auction sales today 11,123 bales were offered. Scoured grades were keenly competed for by the home and continental buyers. Merinos were in brisk demand. American operators caused great animation, and fine cross-breds were in good demand by both home and American representatives. The following are the sales in detail: New South Wales, 3,500 bales; scured, 3½d to 1s 11½d; greasy, 6¼d to 1s ½d. Queensland, 1,100 bales; scoured, 10½d to 1s 8d; greasy, 5¼d to 10½d. Victoria, 700 bales; scoured, 7d to 1s 3d; greasy, 5¼d to 1s ½d. South Australia, 200 bales; greasy, 6¼d to 10¼d. Tasmania, 100 bales; scoured, 7d to 1s 1½d; greasy, 5½d to 9½d. New Zealand, 3,100 bales; scoured, 6½d to 1s ½d; greasy, 4¼d to 10d. Punta Arenas, 1,100 bales; greasy, 4d to 7¼d. Falkland Islands, 900 bales; greasy, 6¾d to 7½d.

LIVERPOOL, May 31—Closing.

Wheat—Spot dull; No. 1 California, 6s 4½d; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 1½d. Futures nominal; May nominal; July, July, 5s 11⅞d; Sept., 6s 1½d.

Corn—Spot, American mixed, new, quiet, 5s 9d; American mixed, old, steady, 5s 9½d. Futures nominal; July, 5s 3⅞d; Oct., 5s 2¾d.

Peas—Canadian steady, 6s 10d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter firm, 8s 9d.

Hops (at London)—Pacific coast firm, £4 15s to £5 5s.

Beef—Dull; Extra India mess, 98s 9d.

Pork—Steady; prime mess western, 76s.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 53s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, steady, 51s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, steady, 52s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, steady, 52s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, steady, 51s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 25 lbs, steady, 52s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 52s 6d; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, quiet, 38s.

Butter—Nominal.

Cheese—Steady; American finest white, old, 56s; do, new, 52s; American finest colored, old, 59s; do, new, 53s.

Lard—Quiet; prime western, in tierces, 51s 7d; American refined, in pails, 51s 9d.

Tallow—Prime city firm, 30s 9d; Australian (in London) dull, 33s 9d.

Turpentine spirits—Firm, 35s 3d.

Rosin—Common steady, 4s 1½d.

Petroleum—Refined steady, 7½d.

Linseed oil—Firm, 33s 6d.

Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, spot firm, 26s 9d.

# FOOLING WITH A RIFLE!

## Boy Accidentally Shoots and Kills a Young Woman.

**Conductor Bently, of Smith's Falls, Found Dead on the Track.**

Ruthven, Ont., May 31. — Mr. Gore Lane's eldest boy, Norman, while fooling with a rifle last evening, accidentally shot and killed Miss Carrie Cantwell, daughter of Mr. Wm. Cantwell. The girl was taking care of Mr. and Mrs. Lane, who are both quite ill at present.

DEAD ON THE TRACK.

Smith's Falls, Ont., May 31.—Conductor George Bentley, of Smith's Falls, was killed this morning at Dalhousie Mills. He was the conductor of a freight working on the line between Smith's Falls and Montreal, and at an early hour this morning his body was found alongside the track at Dalhousie Mills. He is supposed to have fallen from his train. Bentley leaves a wife and eight children.

# DEATH RECORD

**Famous Guide Stricken While Getting on Trolley Car—Other Deaths.**

Simcoe, Ont., May 31.—Dr. James Hayes, for a great many years a practicing physician in this town, died suddenly this morning. Dr. Hayes was at one time mayor of the town. He was for many years chairman of the school board, and had filled many other offices in connection with the working of the town. He was a native of Simcoe and graduate of McGill.

Welland, Ont., May 30.—John O'Donnell, better known as "Jack, the Guide of Niagara Falls," is dead. O'Donnell entered a trolley car at Berry and Buchanan streets, Niagara Falls South. It was noticed that something was wrong with him, and as he rose to leave the car he reeled and clutched for support. The conductor caught him, and with the help of the motorman carried him to the Queen's Park Hotel. Medical aid was summoned, but before the doctor arrived Jack breathed his last. He was over 70 years old, and was one of the best-known characters about Niagara Falls.

Scranton, Pa., May 31.—John Jermyn, the millionaire coal operator, died at his home in this city, aged 75 years.

Portland, Ore., May 31.—Sylvester Pennoye, ex-governor of Oregon, died suddenly yesterday of heart failure.

INTERNATIONAL POLO.

London, May 31.—The Americans won the polo match by 2 goals to 1. The score at the end of the third period was: America, 2; England, 0.

YAQUIS VS. MEXICANS.

Nogales, Ariz., May 31.—An outbreak of Yaqui Indians has occurred, a fight took place 30 miles from Hermosillo, in which eight Yaquis and two Mexicans were killed. The Yaquis retreated in a southeasterly direction, and another fight is expected. The disaffected Indians number about 400, of whom 100 are fighting men. These Yaquis have heretofore been peaceable. They are not hostile to Americans.

TEAMSTERS' STRIKE SPREADS.

Chicago, May 31.—The teamsters' strike today spread to the department stores. Eighty-nine men working for the fair struck. The Department Store Teamsters' Union was recently formed, and is affiliated with the national organization on the same footing as the one at the stock yards. The men make the same demand as do the packers' teamsters, for better hours, higher wages and recognition of the union.

Police were called to guard the fair.

The teamsters left a large guard of pickets to look after their interests.

# PREMIER ROSS CONGRATULATED

## Preparing for Early Departure to Witness the Coronation.

## RECOUNT IN NORTH PERTH SURE

**Late Figures Modify Some of the Majorities—Complete Returns Are Still Lacking.**

Toronto, May 31.—Premier Ross was early at his office yesterday morning, where he received the congratulations of many friends both by personal call and by telegram. A sheaf of telegraph messages was received during the day.

So well satisfied is Premier Ross with the result of the election that he yesterday announced his early departure for the coronation, in accordance with the invitation received some months ago. He will sail from New York on June 14, by the steamship Etruria, which will land him in London in good time for the celebration. The ocean voyage, in addition, will afford a pleasant rest after the exacting and tiring work of the recent campaign.

FOUR MAJORITY.

Late figures produce no change in the list of members announced as elected yesterday, nor in the standing of the parties. The new house, therefore, stands 51 Liberals and 47 Conservatives, giving the government a majority of four.

RECOUNT IN NORTH PERTH.

Stratford, May 30.—Complete returns from all divisions of North Perth give Mr. J. C. Monteith a majority of two votes over Mr. John Brown. The contest was a very close one and there will certainly be a recount. In one divisitn, in Hallet ward, two ballots were rejected for Mr. Brown because the cross was in the number compartment of the ballot, while in another division, in Hallet ward, two ballots counted for Mr. Monteith. In several cases ballots marked for Mr. Brown with a written "X" instead of a cross were rejected, whereas in various recounts they have been held to be perfectly good. It is possible that the official count on Monday may change the result.

WEST HURON'S VICTORY.

Goderich, May 30.—The Liberals of West Huron are rejoicing with a great rejoicing over the victory that has been won in the election of Mr. M. G. Cameron, and also the return to power of the Liberal Governnment of the province. A monster meeting was held last night in the opera house to receive the returns, and when it was known that Mr. Cameron was elected the enthusiasm knew no bounds. The member-elect was sent for, and upon his appearance was received with a tremendous ovation, lasting several minutes. As soon as he was able to make himself heard, Mr. Cameron thanked his friends for their magnificent reception, and also for the noble and unselfish work they had performed for him throughout the campaign. Speeches were made by Mr. A. Saunders, chairman of the Goderich Liberal Association; D. McGillicuddy, W. Proudfoot, M, A. Macdonald, C. Seager, T. M. Elliott and J. C. Martin, and "The March of the Cameron Men" was appropriately sung by Mr. James F. Thomson, West Huron is sending to the legislature a young man who, it is confidently expected, will make his mark in the house and will be a fitting successor to the late Hon. A. M. Ross and the Hon. (now Mr. Justice) J. T. Garrow, in the representation of the riding. The majorities by municipalities are:

| | Mitchell. | Cameron. |
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| Wingham | 113 | .. |
| Goderich township | 117 | .. |
| Ashfield | .. | 66 |
| West Wawwanosh | .. | 12 |
| West Wawanosh | .. | 12 |
| Colborne | .. | 5 |
| Hullett | .. | 52 |
| Goderich town | .. | 63 |
| Blyth | .. | 1 |
| Clinton | .. | 26 |

Majority for Cameron, 65.

COMPLETED RETURNS.

Toronto, Ont., May 30.—South Norfolk complete returns give Charlton (Lib.) 76 majority.

Prescott, with 4 polls to hear from, gives Evanturel (Lib.) 1,626, and Poulin (Con.) 1,064. Evanturel's majority, 562.

Lanark, complete returns give Caldwell (Lib.) 87 majority.

Addington—Reid's total majority so far is 623, with 4 or 5 more places to hear from.

MR. GRAHAM'S MAJORITY.

Brockville, May 30.—Complete returns give Mr. George P. Graham, the Liberal candidate, 376 majority, just double what he had in 1898. He carried every municipality in the riding.

SOUTH TORONTO RETURNS.

Toronto, May 31.—Mr. Spencer Love, the returning officer for South Toronto, yesterday afternoon made his official declaration of the result of the polling in South Toronto. The figpres are:

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| Foy | 5,072 |
| Rogers | 4,342 |
| Corner, (Soc.) | 163 |
| James, (Soc.) | 100 |

Foy's plurality over Rogers, 730.

In the other Toronto seats declarations will be made today or Monday.

DEATH OF MEMBER-ELECT MUNRO.

Pembroke, Ont., May 31.—John W. Munro, Liberal M. P. P.-elect for North Renfrew, died here this morning of blood poisoning after a short illness. Mr. Munro was returned by a majority of 465 on Thursday last over P. White, jun. (Con.). His death is a great loss to Pembroke and vicinity.

OFFICIAL DECLARATION.

North Perth declaration of election at 2 p.m. Monday next. Frontenac returning officer's official statement will be made Wednesday noon, June 4.

Toronto, May 31.—Official figures were declared this morning in the East Toronto election. The totals are: Pyne (Con.), 3,136; McBrady (Lib.), 2,214; Simpson (Socialist), 375; Kemp (Socialist Labor), 75. Pyne's majority over McBrady, 922.

*Government.*

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|---|---|
| Brant, N.—W. D. Burt | 165 |
| Brant, S.—T. H. Preston | 343 |
| Brockville—G. P. Graham | 376 |
| Bruce, N.—C. M. Bowman | 280 |
| Bruce, S.—R. Truax | 42 |
| Durham, W.—W. Rickard | 110 |
| Essex, S.—J. A. Auld | 562 |
| Fort William and Lake of the Woods—D. C. Cameron | 237 |
| Grey, N.—A. G. McKay | 10 |
| Haldimand—J. W. Holmes | 193 |
| Halton—Barber | 16 |
| Hastings, E.—S. Russell | 100 |
| Huron, E.—A. Hislop | 530 |
| Huron, W.—Cameron | 65 |
| Kent, E.—John Lee | 250 |
| Kent, W.—T. L. Pardo | 385 |
| Kingston—E. J. B. Pense | 157 |
| Lambton, E.—H. J. Pettypiece | 82 |
| Lanark, N.—W. C. Caldwell | 87 |
| Lennox—M. S. Madole | 2 |
| Middlesex, E.—Dr. G. Routledge | 28 |
| Middlesex, N.—W. H. Taylor | 202 |
| Middlesex, W.—Hon. G. W. Ross | 567 |
| Monck—Hon. R. Harcourt | 353 |
| Muskoka—S. Bridgland | 89 |
| Nipissing, E.—Dr. James | 300 |
| Nipissing, W.—Jos. Michaud | 130 |
| Norfolk, S.—W. A. Charlton | 76 |
| Northumberland, W.—S. Clark | 203 |
| Ontario, S.—Hon. J. Dryden | 156 |
| Oxford, N.—A. Pattullo | 900 |
| Parry Sound—Milton Carr | 144 |
| Peel—John Smith | 135 |
| Perth, S.—Valentine Stock | 67 |
| Peterboro, E.—W. Anderson | 370 |
| Peterboro, W.—Hon. J. R. Stratton | 1,200 |
| Port Arthur and Rainy River—J. Conmee | 194 |
| Prescott—Hon. F. E. A. Evanturel | 1,000 |
| Prince Edward—Dr. Currie | 109 |
| Renfrew, N.—Munro | 465 |
| Renfrew, S.—F. R. Latchford | 900 |
| Russell—O. Guibord | 784 |
| Simcoe, C.—David Davidson | 50 |
| Simcoe, E.—J. B. Tudhope | 200 |
| Stormont—W. J. McCart | 395 |
| Welland—J. F. Gross | 148 |
| Wellington, E.—J. M. Gibson | 500 |
| Wentworth, N.—Thompson | 29 |
| Wentworth, S.—John Dickenson | 308 |
| York, E.—John Richardson | 195 |
| York, N.—Hon. E. J. Davis | 184 |
| Total | 51 |

*Opposition.*

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|---|---|
| Addington—James Reid | 365 |
| Algoma—Smythe | 169 |
| Bruce—C. Clark | 7 |
| Cardwell—E. A. Little | 394 |
| Carleton—G. N. Kidd | 1,000 |
| Dufferin—Dr. Barr | 1,200 |
| Dundas—J. P. Whitney | 413 |
| Durham—E. Preston | 995 |
| Elgin, E.—C. A. Brower | 112 |
| Elgin, W.—F. Macdiarmid | 508 |
| Essex, N.—Dr. J. O. Reaume | 279 |
| Frontenac—J. S. Gallagher | 28 |
| Glengarry—W. D. MacLeod | 460 |
| Grenville—R. N. Joynt | 863 |
| Grey, C.—I. B. Lucas | acclamation |
| Grey, S.—Dr. Jamieson | ... |
| Hamilton, E.—Henry Carscallen | 140 |
| Hamilton, W.—J. S. Hendrie | 152 |
| Hastings, W.—M. B. Morrison | 339 |
| Hastings, N.—J. W. Pearce | 200 |
| Huron, S.—Henry Eilber | 53 |
| Lambton, W.—W. J. Hanna | 24 |
| Lanark, S.—Lieut.-Col. Matheson | 892 |
| Leeds—Walter Beattie | 289 |
| Lincoln—Dr. E. Jessop | 713 |
| London—Adam Beck | 141 |
| Manitoulin—Gamey | 350 |
| Norfolk, N.—Dr. F. S. Snider | 27 |
| Northumberland, E.—Dr. Willoughby | 349 |
| Ontario, N.—W. H. Hoyle | 136 |
| Ottawa—C. B. Powell | 622 |
| Ottawa—Dennis Murphy | 541 |
| Oxford, S.—D. Sutherland | 141 |
| Perth, N.—J. C. Monteith | 2 |
| Sault Ste. Marie—A. Miscampbell | 809 |
| Simcoe, W.—J. S. Duff | 576 |
| Toronto, E.—Dr. R. A. Pyne | 880 |
| Toronto, N.—Nesbitt | 232 |
| Toronto, S.—J. J. Foy | 791 |
| Toronto, W.—Thos. Crawford | 1,527 |
| Victoria, E.—J. Carnegie | 220 |
| Victoria, W.—S. J. Fox | 110 |
| Waterloo, N.—Dr. H. G. Lackner | 262 |
| Waterloo, S.—W. A. Kribs | 98 |
| Wellington, S.—J. P. Downey | 244 |
| Wellington, W.—James Tucker | 103 |
| York, W.—J. W. St. John | 412 |
| Total | 47 |


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Lucas County,

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & CO., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

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{SEAL} A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

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Fine Black India Linens, for ladies' dresses, at, yard ....20c and 25c

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Fine Chambrays, in pink, blue, gray and oxblood, at, per yard ....12½c

New Black Homespun Skirts, with deep, tucked flounce; this Skirt we sell a great many of; only each ....$5 00

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## COUNTERFEIT FIVES ON MOLSONS BANK

**West End Merchants in Toronto Victimized—Suspect Arrested.**

Toronto, May 31.—Charles Edwards, a printer (no address), was arrested last night on a charge of passing bogus $5 bills of the Molsons Bank. He came up this morning and was remanded till Tuesday. A number of west end merchants have been victimized, and it is evident that rather carefully forged $5 bills of the Molsons Bank are abroad.


## A WARNING

**Careless Indifference and Neglect May Bring Lifelong Misery.**

**The Importance of Immediate Attention To, and Cure of Dyspepsia—If Not Corrected Stomach Troubles May Lead to Death.**

The actual pain and distress caused by Dyspepsia is in itself troublesome enough to make the victim wish to be cured, but this is not the most serious side.

An unhealthy Stomach can do much to lay the foundation of very many serious if not fatal diseases.

The failure of the digestive organs to properly digest and assimilate the food weakens the body, and the weakened body is an inviting receptacle for almost any disease.

When strong and vigorous and properly nourished, the body can easily stand off the attacks of disease, but when weakened and impoverished by bad digestion it falls an easy prey to almost any malady that may present itself.

It is therefore of the highest importance, that the Stomach be kept in a perfectly healthy condition and the very first symptoms of Indigestion, Heartburn, Sour Stomach, Bloating or any other forerunner of Dyspepsia should be promptly checked.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets are the very best treatment known to Science for any and every form of Stomach Trouble (except cancer).

This remedy gives almost immediate relief, and if a full treatment is taken will absolutely and permanetnly cure the most severe case of Chronic Dyspepsia.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets have cured thousands of Dyspeptics, and they will cure you if you give them a chance.

Don't put off taking a treatment for your Stomach, for delays are dangerous, and delay in the case of Dyspepsia often means a very serious illness if nothing worse.

Get Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets today. Your druggist keeps them—they are 50c a box, six boxes for $2 50.


The Northwest Mounted police coronation contingent left Regina last night under command of Inspector Cartwright.


SOMETHING THAT SHOULD BE RUBBED IN.—Whenever pain is felt in the limbs or back, take Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil; pour a little in the hand and applying it to he surface beneath which the pain lies, rub briskly. If the first application does not afford relief, which is not usually the case, keep rubbing. The Oil will gradually penetrate to he affected part and relief will come.


## *Rival Cities.*

Melbourne has always been the largest city of Australia, says the New York Sun. In its phenomenal growth it can be compared only with Chicago and San Francisco. In 1835 it had a name and fourteen inhabitants; in 1896 it contained 451,000 persons. Gold made Melbourne. For ten consecutive years the gold mines from 60 to 100 miles to the north and northwest produced over $50,000,000 of gold every year. The many thousands of men required to mine this treasure bought their supplies in Melbourne and spent their money there. The city faced to the north where the mines were; its back door was on the sea.

But the gold mines of Victoria have lost their old importance. They are still productive, but their yield is far inferior to that of the desert mines of Western Australia. Melbourne is slowly losing the largest resource that made her great, and the wool and wheat trade is not likely to fully compensate her for the declining mining interests. The city was said in 1891 to have 490,896 population, including the suburbs. Five years later only 451,000 persons were counted in the city and its environs.

The decline in population is probably only temporary, for Victoria is a very rich little state. Many miners have been drawn away by more flattering prospects elsewhere, but they will gradually be replaced by permanent settlers.

The great city, however, seems destined soon to lose its pre-eminence. Sydney is steadily increasing in population; by the last census it was only 42,000 under Melbourne's figures. Sydney is growing while Melbourne is scarcely holding her own. There are a number of reasons why Sydney will probably forge ahead and permanently maintain its lead among Australian cities.


**Slowly Dying From Catarrh.**

Thousands are in this terrible condition, but don't realize their danger. If you have the slightest taint of catarrh would it not be wise to commence Catarrhozone treatment now and be perfectly cured in a short time? This pleasant remedy cures without the use of drugs, atomizers or snuffs. You inhale the medicated vapor, which spreads to all parts of the breathing organs, kills the germs and heals the inflamed surfaces. Catarrhozone clears the throat and nose instantly, and never fails to cure the most obstinate catarrhal, lung and throat troubles. A trial will demonstrate the value of Catarrhozone, which sells for $1; small size, 25c. At druggists or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

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Mrs. Kate Berg, Secretary Ladies' Auxiliary of Knights of Pythias, No. 58, Commercial Hotel, Minneapolis, Minn., After Five Years Suffering Was Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Whatever virtue there is in medicine seems to be concentrated in **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.** I suffered for five years with profuse and painful menstruation until I lost flesh and strength, and life had no charms for me.

Only three bottles of your Vegetable Compound cured me, I became regular, without any pains, and hardly know when I am sick.

Some of my friends who have used your Compound for uterine and ovarian troubles all have the same good word to say for it, and bless the day they first found it."—MRS. KATE BERG.

**$5000 FORFEIT IF THE ABOVE LETTER IS NOT GENUINE.**

When women are troubled with irregular, suppressed or painful menstruation, weakness, leucorrhœa, displacement or ulceration of the womb, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, backache, bloating (or flatulence), general debility, indigestion, and nervous prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, faintness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues, and hopelessness, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy. **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** at once removes such troubles. Refuse to buy any other medicine, for you need the best.

**Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health. Address Lynn, Mass.**



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# TODAY'S MARKETS.

### MONTREAL STOCKS.

MONTREAL, May 31.

| | Ask. | Off. |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Pacific | 140¾ | 140¼ |
| Canadian Pacific, new | 134½ | 134¼ |
| Duluth, common | 17½ | .. |
| Duluth, preferred | .. | .. |
| Winnipeg Electric | .. | .. |
| Montreal Street Railway | 282 | 281½ |
| West India | .. | 23¾ |
| Toronto Street Railway | 124 | .. |
| Halifax Street Railway | 110 | .. |
| St. John Street Railway | .. | .. |
| Twin City Transit Railway | 121¾ | 120 |
| Richelieu and Ontario | 115 | .. |
| Commercial Cable | 170¾ | 169¾ |
| Montreal Telegraph | 170 | .. |
| Bell Telephone | .. | .. |
| Dominion Iron and Steel, com. | 57 | 56½ |
| Dominion Iron and Steel, pref. | .. | .. |
| Montreal Heat, Light & Power | 104½ | 104 |
| Nova Scotia Steel, common | 63 | 62 |
| Laurentide Pulp | .. | .. |
| Montreal Cotton | .. | 63 |
| Dominion Cotton | 62 | .. |
| Canada Colored Cotton | .. | .. |
| Merchants' Cotton | .. | 20 |
| Payne | 22 | .. |
| Republic | .. | 14 |
| Virtue | 15 | .. |
| North Star | .. | .. |
| National Salt, common | .. | 140¾ |
| Dominion Coal, common | 141½ | .. |
| Dominion Coal, pref | .. | .. |
| Bank of Montreal | 260 | 259 |
| Ontario Bank | .. | 135 |
| Molsons Bank | 210 | 206 |
| Bank of Toronto | .. | 240 |
| Merchants Bank | .. | 145 |
| Royal Bank | 120 | .. |
| Bank of Nova Scotia | .. | .. |
| Quebec Bank | .. | 117 |
| Union Bank | .. | 123 |
| Bank of Commerce | .. | .. |
| Hochelaga | .. | .. |
| Northwest Land, pref | .. | .. |
| Dominion Iron and Steel Bonds | 92¼ | .. |

SALES: C. P. R., 775 at 140, 25 at 139¾, 50 at 139⅝, 25 at 140, 150 at 139¾, 250 at 140, 100 at 140¼, 25 at 140⅜, 150 at 140½, 25 at 140⅜, 100 at 140½; C. P. R., new, 50 at 134, 25 at 133¾, 25 at 133⅜, 185 at 134, 35 at 134; Winnipeg Electric, 25 at 140¾; Merchants' Bank, 3 at 147, 7 at 149; Montreal Telegraph, 75 at 170; Toronto Railway, 100 at 124, 25 at 123⅞, 300 at 124, 75 at 123⅞; Steel, 25 at 57, 50 at 56⅞, 100 at 56⅝, 200 at 56½, 34 at 56⅝, 100 at 56¾; Montreal Street, 177 at 283½, 275 at 282; Steel bonds, 6,000 at 92¼; Molsons Bank, 1 at 211; Montreal Street bonds, 100 at 106½; Bell Telephone rights, 4 at 7; Bell Telephone, 3 at 166; Dominion Coal, 200 at 140½, 135 at 141, 150 at 140⅞; Power, 1,125 at 104, 25 at 104¼, 125 at 104, 50 at 104¼, 25 at 104½, 100 at 104¾; Twin City, 75 at 121, Hochelaga, 131 at 124; Dominion Cotton, 100 at 62½; Commercial Cable, 50 at 170½; R. and O., 150 at 115, 10 at 114½, 25 at 115¾, 25 at 115½, 100 at 115, 50 at 115⅝, 25 at 115¼, 25 at 115, 10 at 115¼, 81 at 114¾, 6 at 114½; Halifax Railway, 25 at 109¾, 25 at 110.

### TORONTO STOCKS.

TORONTO, May 31.

| TORONTO, May 31. | Ask. | Off. |
|---|---|---|
| Montreal | .. | .. |
| Ontario | 133 | 130 |
| Toronto | 243 | 241 |
| Merchants | .. | 145 |
| Commerce | 155 | 154¾ |
| Imperial | .. | 239½ |
| Dominion | 245½ | 244 |
| Standard | .. | 238 |
| Hamilton | 238 | 229 |
| Nova Scotia | 230 | .. |
| Ottawa | .. | 215¾ |
| Traders | .. | 117 |
| British America | .. | 101 |
| Western Assurance | 102 | 101 |
| Imperial Life | .. | 147½ |
| National Trust | 142 | 139¾ |
| Toronto General Trusts | .. | 168 |
| Consumers' Gas | 214 | 209 |
| Montreal Gas | .. | .. |
| Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land | .. | 165 |
| Canada Northwest Land pref | 91 | 89½ |
| Canada Northwest Land com | .. | .. |
| Can. Pacific Railway Stock | 141 | 140¾ |
| Toronto Electric Light | .. | 154 |
| General Electric | 215 | 214 |
| London Electric Light | .. | 105 |
| Commercial Cable | 171 | 170 |
| Cable Coup. Bonds | 98 | .. |
| Cable Reg. Bonds | 98 | .. |
| Dominion Telegraph | .. | 118 |
| Bell Telephone | .. | .. |
| Richelieu and Ontario Nav. Co. | 115 | 114¾ |
| Hamilton Steamboat | .. | .. |
| Toronto Railway | 121½ | 121¾ |
| London Street Railway | .. | .. |
| Halifax Electric Tram | .. | .. |
| Ottawa Street Railway | .. | .. |
| Twin City Railway | 121½ | 121¾ |
| Luxfer Prism, pref | 80 | .. |
| Cycle and Motor | .. | .. |
| Carter Crume | 107 | 106 |
| Dunlop Tire, pref | 108 | 107 |
| Dominion Steel, com | .. | 56 |
| Dominion Steel, pref | 98 | 94¾ |
| Dominion Steel Bonds | 99¾ | .. |
| Dominion Coal, com | 142 | 140¾ |
| Nova Scotia Steel, com | 110½ | 109 |
| Nova Scotia Steel Bonds | .. | 110 |
| W. A. Rogers, pref | 107 | 106 |
| War Eagle | .. | 14 |
| Republic | 12 | 10 |
| Payne Mining | .. | .. |
| Cariboo (McKinney) | .. | .. |
| Virtue | .. | 10½ |
| Crows Nest Coal | .. | 480 |
| North Star | 27 | 65 |
| British Canadian L. and I | .. | 107 |
| Canada Landed and Nat. Inv | .. | 121 |
| Canada Permanent | .. | 121 |
| Canadian Savings and Loan | .. | 135 |
| Central Canada Loan | .. | 70 |
| Dominion Savings and Invest | .. | .. |
| Freehold L. and Savings | .. | .. |
| Hamilton Provident | .. | 129 |
| Huron and Erie L. and S | .. | 185 |
| Imperial L. and Invest | .. | .. |
| Landed Banking and Loan | .. | .. |
| Lon. and Can. L. and A | 122 | .. |
| London Loan | .. | 114¾ |
| London and Ontario | .. | .. |
| Manitoba Loan | .. | 65 |
| Ontario Loan and Deb | .. | .. |
| People's Loan | .. | .. |
| Toronto Savings and Loan | 123 | .. |
| Toronto Mortgage | .. | 93 |

SALES: Imperial, 37 at 240; Dominion, 5 at 244½, 25 at 244; Western Assurance, 50 at 101; Canadian General Electric, 156 at 214¾, 10 at 214¾; Cable, 139 at 151; Bell Telephone, 115 at 8, 50⅞ at 7¾; R. and O., 50 at 114½, 175 at 114¾, 75 at 115; Northern Navigation, 50 at 154, 25 at 154½; Toronto Railway, 200 at 123⅝, 25 and 75 at 123¾, 225 and 50 at 123⅞, 50 and 25 at 124; C. P. R., 172, 540 and 25 at 139⅞, 125 at 140⅛, 500 and 375 at 140¼, 150, 150 and 175 at 140½, 625 at 140⅜, 175 at 140⅝; C. P. R., new, 200 at 134, 286 at 134¼, 100 and 40 at 134⅜, 125 and 115 at 134½; Superior, 25 at 120⅜; Twin City, 75 at 121¾, 75 at 121, 20 and 25 at 121⅝, 50 at 121¾; Sao Paulo, 5 at 102; Coal, 15 at 140¾, 50 at 141, 25 at 140¼, 25 at 140½; War Eagle, 1,000 at 14.

### AMERICAN MARKETS.

BUFFALO, May 31.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 77½c, car loads. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 86c. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 68¼c; No. 3 yellow, 67¾c; No. 2 corn, 67¼c, on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 48¼c; No. 3 white, 47¾c, through billed.

DETROIT, Mich., May 31.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 83c; No. 2 red, cash and May, 83c; July, 75¼c; Sept., 77c.

NEW YORK, May 31.—Butter—Steady; receipts, 9,739 pkgs; creamery extras, per lb, 22½c to 22¾c; do, firsts, 21½c to 22c; do, seconds, 20½c to 21c; do, lower grades, 20c; state dairy tubs, fancy, 21¾c; do, firsts, 20½c to 21c; do, seconds, 19½c to 20c; do, thirds, 18½c to 19c; state dairy tins, etc., 18½c to 21c; western imitation creamery, choice, 20c to 20½c; do, lower grades, 18c to 19½c; western factory, firsts, 19c; do, seconds, 18¼c to 18½c; do, thirds, 17c to 18c; renovated, fancy, 20c to 20½c; do, common to prime, 18c to 19½c; packing stock, 17c to 18c. Cheese—Dull and heavy; receipts, 4,245 boxes; new state full cream, small colored, choice, 10½c; do, fair to good, 10c to 10¼c; do, large colored, choice, 9½c; do, white, choice, 10c; do, fair to good, 9c to 9¼c; light skims, small choice, 8¾c to 9c; do, large choice, 7¾c to 8c; part skims, prime, 7¼c to 7¾c; do, fair to good, 5½c to 6¾c; do, common, 4c to 4½c; full skims, 2½c to 3c. Eggs—Firm; receipts, 16,703 cases; loss off, western regular packings, 17½c to 18½c; at mark, state and Pennsylvania, fancy, selected white, 19c; do, average prime, 17½c to 18c; western storage selections, good to fancy, 17c to 18c; do, regular packings, ungraded, 15½c to 17c; Kentucky, 14½c to 16c; southern, 14c to 15c; dirties, 14c to 15c; checks, 12c to 14c.


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Not everyone can be beautiful, but the plainest face is made attractive by a clear, pure skin.

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a toilet lotion of great excellence, removes all blemishes caused by cold winds, hard water and exposure. Rough, red and hard skin made soft and white.

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## WEATHER BULLETIN

**Sunday: Generally Fair.**

Toronto, May 30—8 p.m.

The pressure remains low in the Northwest, accompanied by local showers, while a marked anti-cyclone has moved into Ontario and Quebec from the northward. Showers were fairly general during the early part of the day from the lakes to the Maritime Provinces, but the weather has now cleared.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 44—68; Calgary, 38—50; Qu'Appelle, 58—84; Winnipeg, 52—88; Port Arthur, 42—60; Parry Sound, 44—52; Toronto, 47—62; Ottawa, 44—66; Montreal, 44—62; Quebec, 36—50; Halifax, 40—56.

London, May 21—8 a.m.

| STATIONS— | TEMPERATURE. 8 a.m. | Min. | WEATHER. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Calgary | 36 | 28 | Fair |
| Winnipeg | 70 | 60 | Fair |
| Parry Sound | 66 | 46 | Fair |
| Toronto | 56 | 44 | Clear |
| Ottawa | 52 | 38 | Fair |
| Montreal | 46 | 36 | Clear |
| Quebec | 42 | 32 | Fair |
| Father Point | 42 | 38 | Cloudy |

FORECASTS.

Today—Moderate to fresh easterly to southerly winds; fine.

Sunday—Generally fair, with stationary or a little higher temperature.

WEATHER NOTES.

Decidedly high pressure extends from the lake region to the Maritime Provinces, accompanied by fine and somewhat cool weather.

Fine weather is at present indicated, and the temperature is likely to rise slowly:

Local temperatures—Friday: Highest, 80°; lowest, 53.5°.

## LATE LOCAL ITEMS

—Col. Little has gone to Winnipeg on a business trip.

—The London lacrosse team left by the C. P. R. this morning for Toronto, where they play the Tecumsehs.

—Miss Blanche Teeple, the 11-year-old contralto, of Brantford, will sing in the First Methodist Church tomorrow.

—A valuable horse, belonging to the Watson Box Company, dropped dead on Wellington street yesterday morning.

—Mr. James Maher and family wish to thank their many friends for their kind sympathy tendered them in their recent bereavement.

—Inspector Sanders today sent one of his charges at the Children's Aid Society Shelter to a foster-home in Oxford county.

—Venerable Archdeacon Davis, a graduate of Huron College, has been appointed Dean of Montreal, to succeed Dean Carmichael.

—Mr. Ernest Millar has returned from Woodstock College to spend the summer vacation at his home, 70 Elmwood avenue, South London.

—Mr. M. T. Culbert, government geologist, left town on Saturday for the Rainy River district, to take charge of the geological work in that section.

—Mr. George Taylor will leave on Monday for East Nipissing, where he has extensive business interests. He will remain there probably until November.

—The condition of Walter Campbell, the unfortunate boy injured on the 24th of May, and whose leg was amputated yesterday, was very critical today.

—Miss Frances Rankin, late head nurse of St. Joseph's Hospital, has been appointed head nurse of Victoria Hospital, and will commence her duties June 1.

—Mrs. T. A. Mara, accompanied by her daughter and son, left yesterday for California. They will return via British Columbia and visit Mrs. Mara's son, Dr. Clifford Mara, dentist, at Calgary.

—Mr. J. B. McAuliffe, manager and proprietor of the McAuliffe Stock Company, accompanied by his wife and daughter, will spend the summer holidays in the city, where his parents live.

—Mr. Joe Paladino, treasurer of the Lyceum Theater, Cleveland, is spending the summer at his home on Queen's avenue. Mr. Paladino has not yet recovered from the fracture of his leg, which occurred several months ago.

FIRST BAND CONCERT.

The first free band concert of the season will be given in Victoria Park on Tuesday evening next.

NEXT WEEK'S ATTRACTIONS.

The list of attraction announced for next week at Springbank Park comprises a variety of entertainment that will be sure to please. The bill is as follows:

TO INSPECT CADETS.

The annual inspection of the London Collegiate Institute Cadet Corps will be made by Lieut.-Col. Peters, D.O.C., at Carling's Heights, Monday, June 2, at 3:30 p.m. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to be present.

AT OSGOODE HALL.

In the high court of justice—London Life Insurance Company vs. Molsons Bank.—J. H. Moss, for plaintiffs, appealed from order of local judge at London. I. F. Hellmuth, for defendants, contra. Reserved.

WEEKLY HIGH COURT.

A sitting of the weekly high court was held this morning before Mr. Justice Meredith. One motion was heard, that of Coursey vs. St. John. It was a motion to continue an interim injunction. The motion was enlarged until trial of action. Flock & Flock for Coursey, R. G. Fisher for St. John.


**Minard's Liniment Is Used By Physicians.**

The Vancouver fund for the relief of the Fernie sufferers exceeds $2,000.

Lever's Y-Z (Wiso Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder is better than other soap powders, as it also acts as a disinfectant.


## REV. W. H. SALLMON'S POST

### Talented Clergyman Head of Minnesota College.

**Declined Tempting Offers to Accept the New Post.**

In an interview with the Bridgeport (Conn.) Morning Telegraph Union the other day, Rev. W. H. Salmon, who has accepted the presidency of Carleton College, Northfield, Minn., and who is well-known and highly esteemed in this city, gave the following description of the new field of labor which he is about to enter:

"Yes, it is true that I have accepted this call and that I have declined the call of the South Church to continue as its pastor from July, 1902, to July, 1903, at an increase of $1,000 a year in salary. But I shall continue to preach at the South Church until I leave to begin my duties at Northfield.

"Carlton College is 40 miles south of Minneapolis, and has at present 340 students and a faculty of 23 instructors. It has 36 acres of campus and six buildings. It is co-educational, and is the only large college in Minnesota outside the university.

"President Northop of the University of Minnesota predicts for it a great feature. It has a large amount of invested funds, and last year added $150,000 to its endowment through the donation of $50,000 from D. K. Pearsons, of Chicago, who is spending his fortune in endowing colleges.

"The trustees are chiefly prominent business men of Minneapolis and St. Paul. One feature of Carlton is the Goodsell observatory which has one of the largest telescopes in the Northwest. From this observatory the time is given daily to all the railroads of the Northwest.

"The country there is suggestive of New England. It is a rolling country, and Northfield is a town of 3,500 inhabitants. The Great Cannon River flows through it.

"I shall go there early in January to take up my duties as president. This leaves the three great educational institutes of Minnesota in the hands of Yale men. President Northrop, of the university, is a graduate of Yale, and a man who has a wide influence throughout the entire Northwest. President Tucker, of the State Agricultural College, is a Yale graduate, and is a strong man. Both those men are personal friends.

"As to my relations with the South Church, I have recommended that the church take early action toward securing a successor to the pastorate that there may be no break between our ministries. It was understood when I came here to the South Church that I should have the privilege of accepting any of the many calls that have come to me should I decide it best to do so.

"I have declined the presidency of Oahu College, at Honolulu, at $4,500 a year, have declined a call to the administrative and teaching department at Yale the past year, and have also declined a call to the presidency of Taber College. I shall continue with the South Church the rest of this year at a salary of $2,500 per annum."

## A DISGUSTED LIBERAL!

### Mr. H. C. Green Was Tricked Into Voting for Mr. Daly.

**He Is Now Told the Object Was to Defeat Ross.**

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

The provincial elections came, and are past. Most of those elected are the choice of the people. There have been gains and losses. The city of London traded a colonel for a mayor, and East Middlesex a captain for a doctor. I think the latter made a good exchange. Some of the leaders of the temperance people lent themselves to conspiracy, and joined the Conservatives in trying to overthrow the Ross Government. They hoodwinked about 600 good Reformers of this city into voting for Daly, led by those whose duty it was to preach righteousness and brotherly love. They acted as wolves in sheep's clothing, their Tory proclivities predominating over their temperance principles. Today I communicated with one of them, and expressed regret that we temperance men had been instrumental in defeating a candidate of the Ross Government. The reply was that the defeat of the government was desired, virtually saying that we preferred Whitney and whisky, to Ross and temperance. But the Ross Government lives and flourishes.

I am ashamed to say I voted for Daly, virtually voting against the Ross Government, as seems to have been the object of the temperance leaders; but if the Lord forgives me, I will never be caught in such a trap again. I believe in temperance, but not in prohibition. It is over 50 years since I took a glass of liquor, and never expect to take another, and I am always ready to do my share in any good work, but do not like to be in company with those who put party ahead of principle. If more whisky is wanted, join the Whitney ranks, if the evil of the liquor traffic is to be curtailed, support our present leader. When the children of Israel were on the borders of and ready to enter into the Promised Land, a few of their leaders committed such a great sin that it took 40 years to recover what, through sin and unbelief, they lost; and no doubt it will take as long to regain what Ontario has lost through the teaching of a few of its temperance leaders in the present election. Every law that has been passed in Ontario in the last 50 years for the uplifting of humanity, has been passed by the Reform Government, and any change in our rulers must be for the worse. I hope the Reformers of the province, and especially of London, will never be caught in the same kind of a trap. I hope those who are working for the good of the country will not be ensnared by those who work for party.

H. C. GREEN,
William street.

London, May 30, 1902.

## THREE YEARS' GOOD WORK

### Church Regrets Rev. J. W. Holmes' Departure.

**His Work Highly Appreciated by Congregation.**

The retirement of Rev. J. W. Holmes, pastor of the Askin Street Methodist Church, after completing the full term of three years, is causing profound regret. The sentiment of the congregation toward Mr. Holmes is best expressed in the following statement, made by Mr. J. F. Wilson, the recording steward of the church:

The official board of Askin Street Methodist Church, at a recent meeting, attested heartily their gratitude and appreciation for the ministry and work of their pastor, Rev. J. W. Holmes, during the pastoral term of three years just closing.

Feeling references were made to the various experiences in which as pastor and people they have met in close relationship; the times of spiritual uplifting and the times of sorrow and bereavement, when his sympathy and prayers have proved to be of the kind that comforts and sustains.

Rev. Mr. Holmes' teaching of "sound doctrine" and "things which become sound doctrine" will be remembered in the years to come, and will remain in the hearts of many as the foundation upon which the superstructure of Christian faith may safely rest.

His utterances from the pulpit have ever indicated a deep insight into spiritual truths, as well as great reverence for the subjects which he endeavors to impress upon his hearers, but, though having to an eminent degree the mind of the theologian and fluency of language to convey his thoughts, his strong personality has often been obscured by the message, for which he designs all prominence to be attached.

The financial statements for the year closing reveal a most encouraging condition. The congregation have raised during the year, for all objects and funds combined, the handsome sum of $4,530, a gratifying increase over last year for connectional purposes being noticeable. During the three years the church debt has been reduced $1,500.

Taking into account the flourishing Sunday school and Epworth League, the church has reason to anticipate for the future a continuance of prosperity, both in spiritual and temporal things.

## OFFICIAL RETURNS WILL BE BULLETINED

**Returning Officer Began the Count at 4 O'Clock.**

The official count in this city was started by Returning Officer Dignan at 4 o'clock this afternoon. As soon as the result is known, it will be bulletined in front of The Advertiser office.

## TRAGIC CIRCUS ACT NOT DOWN ON BILLS

**Fierce Battle Between Horses and an Escaped Tiger.**

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., May 31.—A two-year-old Indian tiger was killed in a fight with horses on a circus train while en route from Goshen to Poughkeepsie, early yesterday.

The tiger, which had been recently imported, escaped from its wagon den while the train was in motion. It crawled over the tops of four wagons and entered a car containing 20 draft horses.

A fierce battle ensued, the panic-stricken horses plunging and kicking at the savage intruder. When the train reached here the tiger was found dead and mangled under the hoofs of one of the horses. Six of the horses were badly scratched and bitten.


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## VETERANS OF FENIAN RAID MAY CELEBRATE RIDGEWAY

### Suggestion for Big Re-Union and Camp Fire at Springbank.

It has been suggested by a number of veterans of the Fenian Raid, in this city, that the anniversary of the battle of Ridgeway, which occurs next week, should be celebrated by a camp-fire reunion at Springbank, preferably on the evening of Tuesday, June 3.

The festivities might include a parade of all the veterans in the city and a big camp-fire at the river park, with fireworks and plenty of military music.

In Toronto, the Veterans of '66 Association are making great preparations for the anniversary of Ridgeway on Monday. They will place wreaths on the Ridgeway monument and on the graves of their comrades. The navy veterans, Northwest veterans and South Africa veterans will also assist in the ceremony.

If all the veterans in London united in a celebration, as in Toronto, the affair would doubtless be a success.

## DR. ROUTLEDGE IS SAFE!

### Returns From East Middlesex Complete.

**Missing Division Gives Routledge a Majority of 4.**

At a late hour yesterday, the missing division in East Middlesex—No. 8, Dorchester—was heard from. The division gave Dr. Routledge a majority of four, making his total majority 39.

## A HIGH HONOR FOR MR. HEWLETT

**New Degree Conferred on Well-Known Musician.**

The degree of Bachelor of Music was conferred upon Mr. W. H. Hwlett, organist of Dundas Center Methodist Church by the convocation of Trinity University in Toronto yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Hewlett's many friends in London will feel elated at this new evidence of his rapid advancement in the world of music.


## MATCHES!

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**STEAMERS ARRIVED.**

| May 31. | Reported at | From |
|---|---|---|
| Parisian | Martin River | Liverpool |
| St. Paul | New York | Liverpool |
| Lucania | New York | Liverpool |

New York, May 31.—The steamer Lucania, of the Cunard Line, arrived today from Liverpool and Queenstown, with a large number of passengers. On Wednesday, May 28, Mrs. J. A. McArthur, a cabin passenger, who had been ill a long time, died. Her body was brought to port and will be taken by her husband, Dr. J. A. McArthur, who was with her, to their home in Canada.

## WILHELMINA'S OUTING!

### Convalescent Queen Appears in Castle Loo Park.

**Emperor William Reviews Potsdam Garrison.**

The Hague, May 31.—Queen Wilhelmina took her first outing today since her recent serious illness, and spent some time in the Castle Loo park.

KAISER AND SHAH.

Potsdam, Prussia, May 31.—The parade of the Potsdam garrison took place in the Lustgarten this morning. Emperor William, accompanied by Admiral Prince Henry of Prussia and other princes took up a position opposite the statue of King Frederick William I., for the march past. The Shah of Persia witnessed the military display from a window of the Stadt Schlos.

OPPOSED TAX ON OATS.

London, May 31.—A deputation representing the owners of half a million horses interviewed the chancellor of the exchequer, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, today, and strongly protested against the tax on oats and maize.

The chancellor, however, informed the delegates that it was impossible to give up the general tax on grain, or especially oats or maize. There was no greater reason, he pointed out, for the exemption of horse food than there was to exempt wheat or other grains used by humans. If the alleged increase in the cost of horses and food was due to the war, with the expected peace there would be a fall in prices considerably greater than the amount of duty. In the meanwhile, horse owners could make the public pay the duty.

SUIT FOR $25,000 AGAINST THE GRAND TRUNK.

Montreal, May 31.—The South Shore Railway has entered an action against the Grand Trunk, claiming $25,000 for alleged breach of contract for the running of trains over the G. T. R. from St. Lambert to Montreal.

HAS RESIGNED COMMAND.

Brantford, May 31.—Major Leonard has resigned the command of the Dufferin Rifles. The stars have been handed to the senior officer, Capt. Cameron.


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## THREE CASES OF MURDER!

### Winnipeg Man To Be Tried on Charge of Killing His Wife.

**Fatal Quarrel Over a Will—Woman Commits Murder and Suicide.**

Winnipeg, May 31.—Gustave Mueller was committed for trial on the charge of murdering his wife. The prisoner had nothing to say, but his counsel protested strongly, saying that while from the evidence death might have ensued before the body was run over, there was not the slightest evidence to connect Mueller with the case.

FATAL QUARREL.

Saratoga, N. Y., May 31.—Albert Porter was killed by John Woodward, near Wilton, this county, last night, in a quarrel over a will. Woodward was arrested.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

New York, May 31.—Mrs. Rose Fleginow, wife of a newsdealer, killed her 6-year-old daughter, Bertha, by gas asphyxiation, and then committed suicide by taking carbolic acid. The woman had been a sufferer from a nervous disease for several years, and it is supposed she was temporarily insane.

## STRIKE SITUATION IN THE COAL REGION

**Pump-Runners Likely to Respond to Strike Order on Monday.**

Wilkesbarre, Pa., May 31.—There is every reason to believe the pump runners will respond with practical unanimity next Monday to the order to strike unless granted an eight-hour workday, and other conditions prescribed by the Shamokin convention. That the operators will not yield is evidenced by the high fences and barbed wire they have placed around the collieries. Hundreds of extra coal and iron policemen have been employed, armed principally with revolvers. They are back of the fences and barbed wire.

President Mitchell is expected here late today or tonight.


**Drink Grano Cereal Coffee**


## NOTED DYNAMITER NOW IN CUSTODY

### Surrendered to the British Forces a Few Days Ago.

### HAS HAD A STRANGE CAREER

**The Only Man Who Succeeded in Stealing Anything From Oom Paul Kruger.**

Pretoria, May, 31.—Jack Hindon, the train-wrecker, who surrendered a few days ago, has had a strange career. There are many stories about him, some of which he himself contradicts.

For instance, it is said that he was a British private, and fought with Sir George Colley at Majuba. He was then Private Madden, and belonged to Galway, with another Boer officer, "Colonel" Arthur Lynch, was elected for, but does not represent in parliament. The story goes that when the British were retreating he turned his rifle against his own comrades, and killed some of them. He then became a Boer, and has remained one up till now.

Hindon denies that he ever served in any British force. During the present war he served a British officer, who was wounded and captured by the Boers, a good turn. Hindon was his guard. It was reported that the British had captured and shot a Boer, and in revenge the commando decided that the British officer should be shot. But Hindon got him away in a wagon. To this officer Hindon stated that he was a Scotchman and a naturalized burgher.

Hindon had another name—Menton, which also brought him considerable notoriety. He was, according to Cape Town advices, the notorious Jack Menton, governor of the Johannesburg jail, called Mentonville.

He is credited with having boasted that he was the only man who succeeded in stealing anything from ex-President Kruger. He stole two of Kruger's horses. Two years later he was pulled out of the flooded ingogo by a Boer who recognized him as the horsethief. The Boer wanted to put Hindon into the stream again, but on certain representations by the latter changed his mind. They went to a neighboring hotel, and became so friendly that Hindon tells how he sold the Boer a watch without any works in it for a sovereign.

He has had a successful career in train-wrecking. He engineered the wrecking of the train to Pietersburg on the occasion when a German servant girl was shot by the Boers, who afterwards burnt the carriages. More than one expedition was told off to secure his capture, but he proved as elusive as Dewet, though he has had several narrow escapes. He only got out of Johannesburg before the British entered by the skin of his teeth.

DEATH OF JOCKEY PAT MEAGHER

Toronto, May 31. — Jockey Patrick Meagher, who was crushed beneath St. Sulpice, the horse he was riding in the Thorncliffe steeplechase at the Woodbine yesterday, died early this morning. St. Sulpice took a jump before he was up to it, and, stumbling, rolled over on Meagher. Meagher's death was due, however, to concussion of the brain, caused by the fall. He was a Toronto boy.

Oaths were constantly heard in society in London a hundred years ago. With the introduction of golf they are again becoming fashionable.

Five kittens, thetir mother and two young pigeons are sharing in perfect unity teh occupancy of a pigeon-box at Weston-super-Mare, England.

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## Mates.

In an old deserted cabin by the sea in Nome there live an old blind Alaskan dog and his little mate. Only last year, says the Seattle Times, he trod the weary trail down from Dawson, but the load he drew was just a trifle too heavy, and soon afterward darkness fell upon him.

He had been a peculiarly faithful beast of burden, and the city council of Nome passed an ordinance taking him under its protection, but the little mate, with a fine instinct for legislative delays, formed a ways and means committee of one, and put her own plan into immediate execution.

She it was who found a warm nest in the deserted cabin by the sea. There is shelter, and there also is food, for when the waters are angry plenty of tomcod are laid at their very door. But on sunlit mornings, with the tip of the blind dog's ear held gently between her teeth, his mate leads him around to a little nook in Front street, in the center of activity, gives a little bark when just the right spot is reached, and he lies contentedly down.

While he rests there in the sun she goes on her mission of love. First to the Butte restaurant, where she stands patiently just outside the door. They seem never to forget her, and with one sharp little cry of thanks she hurries back to her old blind mate and lays the offering at his feet.

A similar visit is made to each of the other restaurants in turn. If one is a trifle slow in responding she tries another, and the fruits of every pilgrimage are laid on the same altar.

Occasionally some ill-bred Mahlemute attempts to steal a morsel from her store, but he seldom repeats the offense, for the rebuke he receives is both swift and vigorous.

When the shadows grow long and the sun is lost behind the hills, the old blind dog is gently led to the hut by the sea, and the little mate lies wearily down, her labor of love over for the day.

Devotion is a fine thing in beast as well as man, and this touching instance brings to mind Martin Luther's recognition of his good little dog Hans. "Don't grumble," said the great divine. "Thou too, in the resurrection shall have a golden tail." Surely, if Hans wags a golden tail hereafter, the little dog of Nome and her old blind mate will be equally exalted.

# CANADIAN WON BIG EVENT AT THE HARLEM REGATTA

## Scholes Defeated the Yankee Oarsmen With Utmost Ease.

## London Lacrosse Team Will Tackle the Tecumsehs Today.

THE SUPREME JOY.

Talk about the sounds we loved in childhood,
And the patter of the rain upon the shingle—
That's not in it, for a single minute,
With the patter of the base hit and the bingle!
Those old sounds were highly pleasing, often joyous,
But, in fact, they'd no comparison at all,
With the joy felt when you hear the crashing, whacking,
Of the willow bat against the rotund ball!
—Sporting Life.

### THE OAR.

CANADIAN WON SINGLE EVENT.

New York, May 31.—Thousands of spectators witnessed the races of the Harlem Regatta Association, held on the one mile speedway course, Harlem River, yesterday. The water was in fair condition all day, although the wind was a little too strong for the shells during a few of the races. The honors were evenly divided among the local and Philadelphia clubs, and the oarsmen as a whole were satisfied with the results of the first open regatta of the season. The refereee, Gordon S. Carrigan, of Philadelphia, had a difficult task on his hands with protests, but his decisions gave general satisfaction. The association single event proved to be a comparatively easy race for Scholes, of Toronto, who had no trouble to get a lead a few feet after the start, and was never headed. In the senior single race, the star event of the day, Titus got away before the others at the start. Juvenal, the Philadelphian, fell back after the quarter, and was outclassed. Bond, another Philadelphian, was soon back with Juvenal. At the half Titus had a lead of a length, but after the half seemed to be up to his limit, while Scholes, the Canadian, had plenty of grit left and gradually closed up. At the three-quarters they were on even terms, and Scholes gradually drew away and won by a length and a half. Budrew, the Bohemian sculler, was a close third. Summary:

Intermediate double sculls—Walkover for Mulcahy and Kafky, Atlanta B. C., New York.

Association junior sculls — Won by Louis Scholes, Toronto, Ont.; F. Veselly, Bohemian, N. Y., second. Time, 5:42½.

Junior pair-oared shells — Won by Harlem R. C., Moore and Bochert, New York, on a foul.

Junior single shells, final heat—Won by A. Frazer, Columbia University; D. A. Clery, Nassau B. C., New York, second. Time, 6:32.

Senior single sculls—Won by Louis Scholes, Don R. C., Toronto, Ont.; C. S. Titus, Union, New York, second. Time, 6:17.

Junior double sculls, final heat—Won by G. T. Johnson and Harold Scrymser, Staten Island B. C., New York; John Geiger and H. B. Hoffman, Vesper B. C., Philadelphia, second. Time, 6:27.

Junior quadruple sculls — Won by University Barge Club, Philadelphia; Nassau Boat Club, New York, second. Time, 6:10½.

Junior four-oared gigs—Won by Bohemian Boat Club, New York; Nonpareil B. C., New York, second. Time, 5:29.

Intermediate single sculls—Won by D. A. Clary, Nassau B. C., New York; O. J. Butler, Harlem, New York, second. Time, 6:52.

Senior double sculls—Won by R. J. Lockwood and J. B. Juvenal, Vesper B. C., Philadelphia; Wm. Mulcare and J. F. O'Connell, Atlanta, New York, second. No time taken.

Naval Reserve twelve-oared cutter race—Won by crew of Second New York Naval Reserve. Time, 6:32.

Junior eight-oared shells, final heat—Won by New York A. C.; Columbia University freshmen, second; Atlanta B. C., third. Time, 4:36½.

Senior four-oared shell — Won by Vesper crew of Philadelphia; Atlanta, of New York, second. Time, 4:55.

Senior eight-oared shells—Won by Harlem Rowing Club, New York; Columbia University, second; New York A. C., third. Time, 4:34.

Intermediate four-oared gigs—Won by Bohemian B. C., New York; Nonpareil, New York, second. Time, 5:10¼.

In winning the intermediate four-oared gig race the Bohemians carried off the honors of the day, as the same crew won the junior race.

### LACROSSE.

LONDONS AT TORONTO.

The London lacrosse team left for Toronto this morning, where they will try to wallop the much-talked of Tecumsehs. The team which plays in the Queen City today will be composed of the following players: Mooney, goal; Reddy, point; Tierney, cover; Bretz, Kerrigan, Kelly, defense; Lawlor, center; O'Brien, Sarney, Douse, home field; West, outside home; Graham, inside home; Buckley, spare home; Hawkshaw, field captain.

Y. M. C. A. IN THE GAME.

The Y. M. C. A. has decided to enter the local lacrosse field, and an executive committee, composed of Messrs. Sydney Ash, Gordon McConnechy and Wm. Marshall, has been named to perfect details of organization. The team will practice on the old Y. M. C. A. grounds now leased by the Southam team.

TORONTOS RETURN.

Quebec, May 31.—The members of the Toronto lacrosse team, or the most of them, with their spare men, etc., returned on the steamship Lake Simcoe yesterday from their unbroken tour of success throughout England and Ireland, the pictures of health and the embodiment of good spirits. One and all were simply bubbling over with enthusiasm regarding their trip and the treatment they received on the other side, and they are also delighted with the reception accorded them at the hands of the steamship and C. P. R. authorities, as well as the customs officers. The trip, they say, was one of continual ovation, only the kindest sentiments being expressed regarding Great Britain's premier colony and the exponents of its great national game. The party were met upon the wharf by President Rutter, of the N. A. L. U., and President Howard, of the Toronto Lacrosse Club, who, with Mr. J. W. Currie, were the committee in charge of the British tour, and its members were greatly surprised and gratified at seeing them. All formalities over, the jolly crowd made its way to the Chateau Frontenac. They proceeded home by a special car on the C. P. R. last night, and arrived today at 7 p.m., in time for the civic reception.

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LACROSSE NOTES.

Motreal Witness: Mr. P. Leddy, the clever point player of the champion Shamrock team, has left the city to reside in Lodon, Ont. Mr. Leddy has received a lucrative position in the western town, and as he was desirous of improving his position he accepted the offer of the London people. Naturally his loss to the Shamrocks is a severe one, but it will have to be overcome. Mr. Leddy, during last season, proved himself a most reliable defense player on the champion team, as his presence at point was always a guarantee of strong protection to the Shamrock nets. It is expected he will turn out with the London team, and there is no doubt but that his work for that aggregation will be strong and determined. He is a valuable man, and the Ontario club is fortunate in securing his services.

### BASEBALL.

NEW DANGER IN BASEBALL.

In the news columns of our last issue mention was made of the fact that on May 4, at Syracuse, a player was shocked to death by contact with a grand stand screen. Since then the following particulars have been received of an accident of peculiar interest to everybody connected with baseball:

"The champion season of the Syracuse City League opened yesterday at Athletic field with a fatality. Captain J. G. Shultz, of the Erminies, a semi-professional team, was shocked to death by an electric current. Two games were scheduled, the second to be between the Erminies and Pasttimes. During the progress of the first game, Schultz with a number of players was seated directly back of a wire screen in the grandstand back of the catcher's position. Schultz touched the screen and fell back dead, his arms being badly burned. An examination of the screen showed that it was charged with electricity, the current being conveyed to it by two disconnected telegraph wires which had fallen across a heavily charged trolley feed wire half a mile from the grounds. The game in progress was stopped immediately and was postponed, as was also the other game."

This adds a new and terrifying danger to baseball, inasmuch as 99 out of every 100 grand stands in baseball parks contain wire netting to protect spectators from foul balls. In view of what happened at Syracuse, and to prevent repetition, it would be well for club managers everywhere to give their wire screens an occasional inspection.—Sporting Life.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Morning Games.

At Brooklyn— R. H. E.
Boston ..........0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1 9 3
Brooklyn ..........0 1 0 0 4 0 0 2 *—7 9 1

Batteries—Pittinger and Moran; Kitson and Farrell.

At New York—
Philadelphia .....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 2—5 12 3
New York .......3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—4 9 0

Batteries—Duggleby and Jacklitz; Mathewson, Evans and Bowerman and Yeager.

At Pittsburg—
Chicago ...........1 0 0 0 0 0 5 0 0—6 12 3
Pittsburg ..........0 0 0 4 0 3 0 1 *—8 10 1

Batteries—St. Vrain and Kling; Doheny, Chesbro and Smith.

At St. Louis—
Cincinnati .........0 0 0 2 0 1 0 1 4—8 11 3
St. Louis ..........0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0—2 10 2

Batteries—Hahn and Peitz; Popp and O'Neill.

Afternoon Games.

At Pittsburg— R. H. E.
Pittsburg ..........0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 7 2
Chicago ...........0 0 0 0 0 4 0 0 0—4 10 2

Batteries — Phillippi and O'Connor; Menefee and Chance.

At New York—
Philadelphia .......0 0 2 0 0 1 3 0 0—6 12 3
New York ..........0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 4 2

Batteries—Frazer and Dooin; Taylor, Evans and Bowerman and Yeager.

At Brooklyn—
Boston ...........0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—3 9 2
Brooklyn .........2 2 1 0 2 0 0 3 *—10 11 1

Batteries—Hale and Kittredge; Donovan and Ahearn and Farrell.

At St. Louis—
St. Louis .........1 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 *—3 7 2
Cincinnati .........0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—1 6 4

Batteries—Dunham and O'Neill; Ewing and Bergen.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Morning Games.

At Baltimore— R. H. E.
Cleveland .........2 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0—4 8 3
Baltimore .........0 0 0 1 2 3 5 1 *—12 15 5

Batteries—Wright and Bemis; Howell and Robinson.

At Washington—
Chicago ...........1 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0—3 11 4
Washington .......0 1 3 3 0 0 0 2 *—9 13 3

Batteries—Garvin, Griffith and McFarland; Carrick and Clarke.

At Philadelphia—
St. Louis .........0 2 0 3 3 1 2 0 0—11 18 4
Philadelphia ......1 2 2 0 1 0 0 0 1—7 11 6

Batteries—Sudhoff and Sugden; Plank and Schreckengost.

At Boston—
Detroit ...........2 1 0 0 2 0 0 1 4—10 15 2
Boston ...........1 1 0 2 1 0 0 0 0—5 12 3

Batteries—Milled and McGuire; Demininger, Mitchell and Warner.

Afternoon Games.

At Boston— R. H. E.
Boston ...........0 0 1 4 3 1 0 3 *—12 15 1
Detroit ...........0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 5 2

Batteries—Young and Criger; Mercer, Cronin and Buelow.

At Philadelphia—
St. Louis .........0 0 0 0 0 2 0 1 1—4 9 3
Philadelphia .....0 0 3 1 0 2 2 3 *—11 12 1

Batteries—Powell and Sugden; Husting and Powers.

At Baltimore—
Baltimore .........4 3 0 0 2 0 1 0 *—10 11 4
Cleveland .........1 0 0 1 0 0 3 0 2—7 14 4

Batteries—Hughes and Robinson; Moore and Bemis.

At Washington—
Washington .......0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—2 7 1
Chicago ..........0 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—3 10 1

Batteries—Patten and Clarke; Callahan and Sullivan.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

Morning Games.

At Buffalo— R. H. E.
Buffalo ...........0 0 0 2 0 0 1 3 5—11 11 3
Toronto ...........0 0 0 0 0 7 0 2 1—10 12 4

Batteries—Amole, Gray and Shaw; Scott and Toft. Umpires, Murphy and Snyder.

At Rochester—
Rochester .........2 0 2 0 0 0 2 0 2—8 11 4
Montreal ..........1 1 2 0 1 0 0 1 3—9 15 4

Batteries—Becker and Phelps; Lee and Raub and Diggins.

At Worcester—
Worcester .........2 0 0 0 0 3 0 1 0—6 8 4
Providence ........1 0 1 1 0 0 3 0 0—6 6 2

Batteries—Hastings and Crisham; Conn and McAuley. Umpire, Kelly. Game called to allow time to catch train for Providence, where they play in the afternoon.

At Jersey City—
Newark ...........2 0 0 0 0 1 0 2 0—5 7 2
Jersey City .......0 0 0 0 0 2 2 0 0—4 9 3

Batteries — Hemming, Moriarty and Jope; Pfanmiller and Clark. Umpire, Egan.

Afternoon Games.

At Buffalo— R. H. E.
Buffalo ...........0 0 0 1 1 0 1 0 0—3 6 7
Toronto ...........0 0 0 6 2 1 0 0 2—11 15 3

Batteries—Hawley and Shaw; Briggs and Toft. Umpires, Murphy and Snyder.

At Jersey City—
Newark ...........2 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0—4 6 3
Jersey City .......1 0 1 0 0 2 0 0 1—5 12 4

Batteries—Stricklett and Jope; Thielman and Clark. Umpire, Egan.

At Rochester—
Rochester .........0 4 3 0 0 0 0 1 0 *—8 11 1
Montreal ..........0 0 0 1 2 0 1 0 0—4 12 8

Batteries—McFarlan and Phelps; Johnson, Mills and Diggins. Umpire, Rinn.

At Providence—
Worcester ........0 0 0 2 0 1 0 0 0—4 12 2
Providence ........1 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0—3 4 2

Batteries—McFall and Crisham; Fertsch and McAuley.

## Facts to Tickle the Fans' Fancy

The Pittsburg club officials have decided to stop public betting in the grand stand. Recently officers arrested several young men on the charge.

Billy Lush is the thrower par excellence.

The Pittsburg club has released Pitcher Merritt.

Pitcher Joss, of Cleveland, looks like the real thing.

Cleveland is supporting a losing team with unusual loyalty.

A few good base hits now and then are relished by the best of men.

Ham Iberg, the Phillies California pitcher, is ill with malaria.

Cy Young leads the American League pitchers in strike-outs.

Elberfeld is the only right-hand batter among Detroit's regular fielders.

Hale, the California pitcher, does not seem to be holding his own with Boston.

Roy Evans is pushing Christy Mathewson hard as New York's premier pitcher.

First Baseman and Change Catcher Shreckengost has been released by Cleveland.

The Oakland infield—Streib, Mohler, Deveraux and Francks—is the fastest quartet in the league.

It is said that the New York club is angling for Catcher Maloney, of St. Louis, with a $3,300 offer.

Lauder leads the National League players in base running and comes pretty near leading all of the third basemen playing the position.

Manager Armour, of Cleveland, will give Pitcher Lundboom another trial. He believes that the big blacksmith is a comer.

Thoney, the utility infielder of the Cleveland club, is one of the youngest players in the major leagues. He is 19 years old.

Casey, captain of the Detroit team, has been playing a fast game at third base, and has been doing some effective work with the willow.

Lauder leads the first fourteen best base runners in the National League, and four of the members of the Boston Nationals are among them.

Pittsburg rooters are raving over the work of Doheny. When the Giants released him last year many thought that he was destined for the minors.

Kihm, Indianapolis' dummy first baseman, is a most valuable player. He covers the sack like a Comiskey and wallops the leather like a Burkett.

Greminger, the Boston third baseman, made his first error of the season on the 10th inst. For a big, ponderous fellow, he plays third base splendidly.

The Chicago infield makes double plays in every game. There is a snap and speed about the way the ball is handled that stops the hostile runners all the time.

Manager Strobel, of the Toledo club, is thinking of letting out Frank Schiebeck, the shortstop, as Burns is doing good work. Outfielder Geyer has been returned to Milwaukee.

Cincinnati does love to have a bunch of Germans on the team. Peitz, Bergen, Beckley, Beck, Steinfeldt, Swormstedt, Hahn, Heisman and Stimmel—wouldn't that lot jar the beer?

Congalton, the ex-Canadian player, now of the Chicagos, is making a brilliant showing in the field and hitting the ball hard. Last year Hugh Duffy expressed the opinion that he would not do for the Milwaukee team.

Detroit Free Press: Pitcher Ed. Siever arrived in the city yesterday, and was doubly sorry to find that it would be necessary for him to stay here perhaps two or three days. Mrs. Siever is so dangerously ill that her physician was unable to assure the player that he might safely return to the team, and Siever, who counted on working two games at Boston, may possibly be forced to remain here until Saturday. In case there is any improvement that will warrant his departure, Siever will leave this morning. Boston is his lucky town, and the team will be just as sorry over his enforced absence as the pitcher himself is.

Horace Fogel, manager of the New York team, has aroused a general feeling of anger among the players by an indiscreet and unwarranted attack on Matthewson, the former Bucknell College pitcher. In an interview in one of the Cincinnati newspapers Fogel is quoted as saying: "Mathewson has not pitched the ball this year that he is capable of. He seems to be laboring under the impression that the reputation he established last season will carry him through the remainder of his career whether he pitches winning ball or not, but in this he is greatly mistaken. I notified him this morning that he would have another chance to 'make good' in Pittsburg this week, and that unless he pitched good ball he would be asked to occupy the bench until he was ready to do justice to the team." When the interview appeared in public Fogel realized its import, and immediately denied as false that he ever had said he intended to suspend Mathewson. He followed it by saying that he intended to use four pitchers regularly, and unless Mathewson improved, he would not break in with the four, but declared that he never as much as intimated that Mathewson was not doing his best. When Mathewson read the interview he was so much wrought up that he shed tears, and desired to leave the team at once to present his case to Andrew Freedman, in New York city. He also asked Manager Fogel for his release.

## With the Amateurs.

L. S. HURONS WON.

The London South Hurons defeated the London South Anchors yesterday by 19 runs to 15. The Anchors made 5 hits and the Hurons 15.

### THE TURF.

AT THE WOODBINE.

Toronto, May 31.—The racing at Woodbine yesterday was marred by what will probably be a fatal accident, the victim being P. Meagher, who rode G. W. Beardmore's St. Sulpice in the Thorncliffe steeplechase. In taking one of the jumps St. Sulpice stumbled and fell on the jockey, crushing in his chest. The injured man is also suffering from concussion of the brain, and his recovery is quite doubtful. There were only three horses in the race and Mattocks took St. Sulpice over the balance of the course, but on weighing it was found four pounds short of the required weight. There was a good attendance, many Decoration Day visitors coming over from Buffalo. The public got the money today, the winners having all been heavily backed. Following are the results of the day:

First race, Gimcrack purse, for 3-year-olds, 6 furlongs—P. F. Meyer's Taxman, 107 (Blake), 1 to 2, 1; George M. Hendrie's Circus Girl, 97 (Wainwright), 10 to 1, 2; T. Clare's Floret, 102 (Lorenz), 6 to 1. 3. Time, 1:18. Mattie Spence, Jigger, Lucrusta, The Mirage, Impressive and New Amsterdam also ran.

Second race, Kingston purse, for 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs—Wm. Hendrie's Cantilever, 108 (T. Walker), even, 1; Fox & McDowell's Boittie, 106 (McQuade), 30 to 1, 2; N. Dyment's George Perry, 105 (L. Thompson), 4 to 1, 3. Time, 1:04¾. Skulpin, Semper Primus, Eddie T. and Malabar also ran.

Third race, Aberdeen purse, for Dominion-bred and owned horses that have never won a race, 6 furlongs—J. Duggan's Crestfallen, 105 (Flint), 30 to 1, 1; R. Davies' Opuntia, 114 (McQuade), 2½ to 1, 2; N. Dyment's Revelstoke, 108 (L. Thompson), 4 to 1, 3. Time 1:18½. Doonside, Golden Crest, Oneiros, Rosana, Ten Below Zero and Queen's County also ran.

Fourth race, Thorncliffe steeplechase for qualified hunters, 2 miles—T. P. Phelan's Higbie, 185 (Mr. Hendrie), 1 to 2, 1; Dr. K. Smith's Athol, 142 Gallagher), 7 to 1, 3. Time, 5:11¼. St. Sulpice also ran, but did not finish.

Fifth race, Hamilton purse, 4-year-olds and up, 5½ furlongs, selling—McTyerie & Terrett's Carrie I., 107 (Wainwright), 9 to 5, 1; Carruthers & Shields' Andrattus 107 (A. Jones), 9 to 5, 2; Lady Berkeley, 111 (L. Thompson), 4 to 1, 3. Time, 1:10. Laurentian, Flaneur, Mango Drogheda and Tasker also ran.

Sixth race, National Club purse, selling, 1 1-16 miles—N. Dyment's La Gazelle, 86 (Perry), 4 to 1, 1; E. Moore's John Potter, 95 (Wainwright), 3 to 1, 2; G. W. Graydon's Jack McGinn, 107 (T. Walker), 4 to 5, 3. Time, 1:53. Whiskey and Princess Otillie also ran.

Seventh race, purse $400, selling, 1 mile—R. F. Meyer's Obstinate Simon, 110 (Blake), 11 to 10, 1; R. P. Dodson's Annie Lauretta, 100 (M. Johnston), 4 to 1, 2; M. Stowe's Honey Wood, 105 (T. Walker), 6 to 1, 3. Time, 1:44. Tip Gallant and Medford also ran.

DECISION FAVORED LONDONER.

In the divisional court at Osgoode Hall, Mr. Justice Morson was regaled yesterday with a long argument on the rules and regulations governing the entries of horses in the saddle horse exhibitions at the Toronto Fair. The Saddle and Carriage Breeders' Association donated a prize, valued at $50, for the best saddle horse, in a certain class. On the day of judging, Nelson Victory, a horse owned by Mr. Llewellyn Meredith, of London, and entered previous to the date announced for closing entries, viz., Aug. 3, was given the "reserve" or second place, while Mr. Pepper's horse, Duke of York, put in on a "post entry," on the day of judging, secured the first place and the prize. Mr. Meredith took exception to the award on the ground that the Pepper horse, to be eligible, should have been entered previous to Aug. 3, according to the catalogue. After hearing the evidence, Judge Morson decided against the exhibition people, holding that the "listed" or catalogued date for closing the entries must be conclusive. He considered it a violation of faith and implied contract to receive entries after the date mentioned in the catalogue, unless specific arrangement is made for "post entries." This means that the association must pay over a second prize for the same event, with costs, unless Mr. Pepper feels disposed to return the prize money.

RACES AT ORANGEVILLE.

Orangeville, Ont., May 31.—Following is a summary of the races here westerday: 2:50 trot or pace, pure $200—1, Dandy Hall, J. Wood, St. Catharines; 2, Nellie D., A. Davison, Mitchell; 3, Cooksville Boy, F. Hopkins, Toronto; 4, Re-Elected, M. E. Gray, Barrie. Time, 2:29½, 2:29¼, 2:26½, 2:26½. John A. also ran.

2:22 trot or 2:25 pace, purse $225—1, Dora, McClarty Bros., Owen Sound; 2, Birdie Hayes, H. Leadly, Cookstown; 3, Lewis L., J. W. Laird, Mono; 4, Birdie J., H. Hulse, Bradford. Time, 2:27, 2:26, 2:26.

Four and one-half furlongs run, purse $150—1, Wilfrid Laurier, F. Smith, Southcote; 2, Demanto, H. Johnson, Belleville; 3, Farsight, F.Elwood, Toronto. Rathlina, General Buller and Logan Lendanan also ran. Time, :58, 57½.

## Yesterday at the Big Race Tracks.

AT ST. LOUIS.

First race, 1 mile, selling — Lillian, 102 (Bell), 11 to 2, 1; Precisely, 101 (Donegan), 16 to 1, 2; Has Gift, 91 (Helgeson), 10 to 1, 3. Time, 1:42½.

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Second race, 5 furlongs, selling, 2-year-olds—Grand Shot, 107 (Singleton), 5 to 2, 1; Maltoferin, 102 (Helgeson), 18 to 5, 2; Ed Layson, 107 (O'Neil), 3 to 1, 3. Time, 1:02¼.

Third race, steeplechase, about 1½ miles—Choice, 130 (A. Johnson), 9 to 2, 1; Imperialist, 132 (Dupee), 5 to 1, 2; Torreon, 142 (Slater), 9 to 2, 3. Time, 2:58.

Fourth race, Memorial handicap, 5½ furlongs — A. D. Gibson, 117 (Beauchamp), 16 to 5, 1; St. Cuthbert, 116 (Dominick), 8 to 1, 2; Okla, 94 (Helgeson), 8 to 1, 3. Time, 1:07½.

Fifth race, 7 furlongs, selling—Lou Hazel, 93 (J. O'Connor), 7 to 1, 1; Lynch, 93 (Helgeson), 7 to 1, 2; W. B. Gates, 104 (Donegan), 90 to 5, 3. Time, 1:29¼.

Sixth race, 1 mile and 20 yards, selling—Brewer Schorr, 100 (Beauchamp), 5 to 2, 1; Nearest, 109 (Bell), 3 to 4, 2; Johnnie McCartney, 103 (Helgeson), 4 to 1, 3. Time, 1:46¼.

Seventh race, 7 furlongs, selling — Semicolon, 112 (Dominick), 8 to 5, 1; Guide Rock, 106 (O'Neill), 4 to 1, 2; Sam Lazarus, Esq., 112 (Dupee), 15 to 1, 3. Time, 1:28¾.

AT HAWTHORN.

First race, five furlongs—Air Light, 102 (Ransch), 13 to 2, 1; Princess Tulane, 102 (Coburn), 11 to 10, 2; The Don, 113 (T. Knight), 5 to 1, 3. Time, 1:01¾.

Second race, six furlongs—Dodie S., 90 (T. Meade), 9 to 1, 1; Imp. Judicious, 100 (Miller), 3 to 1, 2; True Blue, 111 (Knight), 16 to 5, 3. Time, 1:41¾. Moabina finished second, but was disqualified for fouling.

Third race, 4½ furlongs—Flo Carline, 105 (O'Brien), 9 to 5, 1; Impetuous, 105 (Coburn), 3 to 1, 2; Lampoon, 105 (Mathews), 2 to 1, 3. Time, :56.

Fourth race, six furlongs, Flight Stakes — Toah, 103½ (J. Winkfield), 6 to 1, 1; Burnie Bunton, 104 (Mathews), 7 to 1, 2; Imp. Marta Santa, 106 (Miller), 9 to 2, 3. Time, 1:13¾.

Fifth race, steeplechase, handicap, short course — MacLaren, 148 (Wilson), 3 to 1, 1; Farrell, 134 (Taylor), 25 to 1, 2; Precursor, 132 (Downs), 8 to 1, 3. Time, 3:00.

Sixth race, Premier stakes, one mile—J. V. Kirby, 104 (Winkfield), 6 to 5, 1; Abe Frank, 122 (Coburn), 2 to 1, 2; Harry New, 122 (Knight), 5 to 2, 3. Time, 1:42½.

Seventh race, six furlongs — Pretorious, 92 (Walsh), 3 to 1, 1; Max Bendix, 109 (Winkfield), 5 to 1, 2; Cherries, 102 (Coburn), 9 to 5, 3. Time, 1:14.

AT GRAVESEND.

First race, Highway handicap, about 6 furlongs—Demurrer, 131 (J. Woods), 4 to 1 and 2 to 1, 1; Price, 115 (Booker), 7 to 1 and 5 to 2, 2; Busch, 115 (H. Cochran), 8 to 1 and 3: to 1, 3. Time, 1:10.

Second race, 1 mile and 70 yards, selling—Five Nations, 85 (Shea), 7 to 10 and out, 1; Agnes II., 105 (Booker), 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, 2; H. L. Coleman, 88 (Redford), to 1 and 3 to 1, 3. Time, 1:45.

Third race, the Bedford stakes, for 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs—Africander, 105 (T. Burns), 7 to 2 and 7 to 5, 1; Cinquevalli, 106 (O'Connor), 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, 2; Blue Baner, 100 (H. Cochran), 7 to 1 and 2 to 1, 3. Time, 1:02.

Fourth race, the Parkway handicap, 1 1-16 miles—Contend, 103 (H. Cochran), 3 to 1 and even, 1; Water Cure, 108 (L. Jackson), 15 to 1 and 5 to 1, 2; The Regent, 100 (Brien), 15 to 1 and 4 to 1, 3. Time 1:46⅗.

Fifth race 1 mile and 70 yards—Col. Padden, 114 (Shaw), 7 to 2, and 6 to 5, 1; Carbuncle, 111 (Odum), 12 to 5 and 9 to 10, 2; Namtur, 107 (Bullman), 8 to 5 and 7 to 10, 3. Time, 1:44⅗.

Sixth race, 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs—Lady Albercraft, 114 (Bullman), 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, 1; Mamie Worth, 109 (T. Burns), 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, 2; Pride of Galore, 104 (L. Jackson), 6 to 1 and 5 to 2, 3. Time, 1:01⅕.

AT LATONIA.

First race, 6 furlongs, selling—Hohenstauffen, 99 (Lindsay), 6 to 1, 1; Tom Embry, 104 (J. Martin), 6 to 5, 2; Bobbaker, 100 (Gormley), 40 to 1, 3. Time, 1:15½.

Second race, 1 mile, selling—Chorus Boy, 108 (McInerney), 2 to 1, 1; Lavator, 104 (L. A. Jackson, 7 to 1, 2; St. Hara, 93 (J. Hicks), 7 to 10, 3. Time, 1:42¼.

Third race, 5 furlongs—Dr. Carr, 105 (Gormley), 9 to 2, 1; Barca, 105 (Dade), 9 to 5, 2; Kite Star, 110 (R. Williams), 40 to 1, 3. Time, 1:03¼.

Fourth race, 1¼ miles, the Decoration handicap—Adalante, 92 (J. Hicks), 8 to 1, 1; Wain-a-Moinen, 103 (McInerney), 7 to 2, 2; Jessie Jarboe, 105 (Gormley), 15 to 1, 3. Time, 2:08¾.

Fifth race, 5 furlongs—Grand Mary, 106 (Gormley), 7 to 5, 1; Gerda, 102 (McInerney), 11 to 5, 2; Enfala, 106 (Lindsay), 3 to 1, 3. Time, 1:02¼.

Sixth race, selling, 6 furlongs—Arachue, 99 (Castro), 8 to 5, 1; Lizzie A., 99 (Minder), 20 to 1, 2; Jim Gore II., 99 (Martin), 4 to 1, 3. Time, 1:15½.

### FOOTBALL.

BLYTH THE WINNER.

Blyth, Ont., May 31.—Blyth intermediate football team defeated Wingham here last night. Score, 2 to 1 in favor of Blyth.

L. C. I. AT WOODSTOCK.

The London Collegiate Institute football team are trying to make amends for their defeat of a week ago at the hands of Woodstock. The team, under the charge of Mr. R. A. Little, B.A., and accompanied by many admirers, left last evening for the Baby City. The line of battle will be as follows: Goal, Lipsette; backs, O'Grady, Crawford; half backs, McGuffin, Sadler, Cameron; forwards, Garrett, Stone, Percival, Rowntree, Kennedy.

### THE TRIGGER.

HYDE PARK SHOOT.

Following are the scores made at the regular shoot of Hyde Park gun club, Wednesday, May 28:

J. H. Sewart ...........1 1 0 1 1 1 1 0 0 0—6
W. Hodgins ...........0 0 1 0 1 1 0 1 0 0—4
N. Routledge ..........1 0 1 0 1 1 0 0 1 1—6
S. Lewis .............0 1 0 0 0 1 1 1 0 1—5
J. Armitt ............1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 0—7
J. Harrison ..........1 0 0 0 1 0 1 1 1 0—5
R. Morris ............0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0—2
A. Prince ............1 0 0 0 0 1 1 1 1 0—5
J. Challoner .........0 1 0 0 1 1 0 1 1 1—6

### BOXING.

LAVIGNE DEFEATED.

San Francisco, May 30.—Jimmie Britt, the California lightweight, won last night from George Lavigne in the eighth round of a scheduled 20-round contest. It was given out that Lavigne's left arm was broken in the fifth round, but he was out-classed and beaten all the way by his agile opponent. Lavigne fought the last three rounds practically with his right arm alone, his left being heavily bandaged. He was taken to his dressing-room and doctors were summoned. The physicians stated that the fighter's left forearm had been sprained and possibly fractured. Lavigne disabled himself four months ago, and he says he should not have gone into the fight with his arm in this condition.

"YOUNG" CORBETT VS. DAVE SULLIVAN.

Denver, Col., May 31.—Articles have been signed for a fight between Dave Sullivan and "Young" Corbett, to take place June 20. The men are to weigh in at 127 pounds at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Five hundred dollars have been deposited by each as a forfeit for weight, and the Coliseum Club has deposited a like amount as guarantee that the fight will come off.

### ATHLETICS.

BROKE ALL PREVIOUS RECORDS.

New York, May 31.—During the trials in the 16-pound hammer throw at Berkeley oval yesterday J. R. Dewitt, of Princeton, broke all previous intercollegiate records with a throw of 164 feet 10 inches.

### WRESTLING.

JENKINS AGAIN WON.

Cincinnati, O., May 31.—The wrestling match between Tom Jenkins, of Cleveland, and Charlie Wittmer, of this city, at the Cincinnati National League baseball park here yesterday, resulted in a victory for Jenkins. The contest was at mixed styles. Wittmer won the Graeco-Roman in 24 minutes; the second bout, at catch-as-catch-can, was won by Jenkins in 13 minutes, and the third, at the same style, in 19 minutes.

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UNION LABEL

## A LOCAL BUDGET.

—The regular midsummer session of the county council will begin on Monday next at 2 p.m.

—Mrs. W. J. Stirton left Thursday to spend a month with her mother at Watertown, South Dakota.

—The Bishop of Huron is announced to preach both morning and evening at St. James' Church, South London, tomorrow.

—Rev. D. S. Hamilton, of the First Congregation Church here, will preach tomorrow evening in Lake Shore Congregational Church, Bosanquet township, during the day at Forest.

—Mrs. Fred Sibley, of New York, who is convalescent after an attack of inflammatory rheumatism and pleuro-pneumonia, intends spending the summer in the city with her mother, Mrs. Pitt.

—A machine at the Parisian Steam Laundry exploded yesterday, and a young man named named Anderson, who was working it, received a severe cut on his leg. He was removed to the hospital.

—Dr. J. William Fischer, house surgeon at St. Joseph's Hospital, has returned from a visit to Waterloo.


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BIG ASSORTMENT FOR BOYS.
For 25c, 35c and 50c.
MEN'S FINE AND STYLISH SHAPES
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What better way can you build up that weak constitution than by drinking

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Realizing the truth that
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Lightly turns to thoughts of love,"
and that love, if not watched, will very often result in marriage, we are making a specialty of Engagement and Wedding Rings, also Brides' Presents. See our stock before you buy. We have saved others; let us save you.

WARD, The Jeweler, 374 Richmond street.


HIS LEG AMPUTATED.

The left leg of Walter Campbell, the young lad who was so severely hurt by a trailer on the 24th of May, was amputated Thursday at Victoria Hospital. The operation was necessary to save the lad's life.

DEATH OF FORMER LONDONER.

The San Diego (Cal.) Sun, May 20, contains a very sympathetic notice of the death of Mrs. Mary A. Smith. Mrs. Smith, who died after a very long and painful illness, was a sister of Mrs. A. M. Gunn, of this city, and a native of this vicinity. She went in 1888 to San Diego, California, where her sons were engaged in business: The local paper says: "Her many graces of character gained her a large circle of warm friends and acquaintances, who knew of her suffering, and followed her in spirit through her long illness."

CORNER-STONE CEREMONY.

The corner-stones of the new Methodist Church at Birr will be laid on Monday next, June 2, at 2:30 p.m. Two of the corner-stones will be laid by Mayor Beck and Mr. R. G. Fisher, of this city, and the third—the Epworth League stone—by Miss Annie B. Shaw-Wood, of Woodholm.

## BRIEF SESSION OF NO. TWO

### Board of Works Does Very Little Business.

**Damages Asked for Horse Killed on Market Square.**

No. 2 committee held a brief session last night. Little business was taken up and less was carried through.

The members present were: Ald. Cooper (chairman), Dreaney and Gerry, and Assistant Engineer Kirkpatrick, who acted as clerk.

Thos. Yerex, a drayman, asked the committee to reimburse him for the loss of a horse, which was frightened by the steam roller on the market square, and which was killed in the runaway which followed. The matter was laid over.

Cement walks on the north and south sides of Maryboro' Place will be advertised.

A petition for a cement walk on the north side of South street from William to Maitland, was filed.

The petition of Alex. McLean, et al., against the construction of a sewer on Queen's avenue, between Elizabeth and English streets, was filed.

The bylaw to regulate the width of wagon tires was laid over.

The pay sheet totalled $298 34.


A Healthy and Sound Body Will Enable Us to Battle Against the Wrongs and Injuries of Our Enemies.

PAINE'S CELERY COMPOUND

Banishes Disease, Establishes Health and Gives Us Physical Strength to Maintain Our Place in Life's Conflict.

Many of us find life hard and full of pain. While we cannot well avoid the sufferings that result from wrongs and injuries, we can keep ourselves from the pains and ravages of bodily ailments and diseases, and maintain that full measure of health that will enable us to meet the wrongs that assail us from day to day.

If you are run-down, fretful, despondent, irritable, sleepless, be assured you are becoming physically impaired and weakened. If the relaxed and sluggish action of the excretory organs has loaded the blood and body with poison, producing headache, rheumatism, neuralgia, kidney and liver troubles; then disease is encircling you in its chains.

Prompt use of Paine's Celery Compound will save the weakened parts of the body from yielding to disease. The great medicine saves weak and enfeebled nerves from prostration and removes every feeling of exhaustion and despondency. It cures and saves those who are bound by disease and suffering and gives them a new lease of life. Mrs. J. H. Pierce, King street, St. John, N. B., writes thus:

"I suffered terribly from constipation, weakness, nervousness, kidney and liver troubles; I was also subject to those tired, weary feelings, and had a slight touch of skin disease. The first dose of Paine's Celery Compound relieved me; and now, after having taken three bottles, I feel much better. I am not constipated, I have no weak feelings, and I can eat and sleep well. It is a grand remedy, and I hope all who read this may benefit by my recommendation."


PLUMBERS' STRIKE IN MONTREAL ENDED.

Montreal, May 31.—The plumbers' strike is practically at an end, through the efforts of the conference committee, most of the firms having agreed to the increase. The men say they have not received one cent of aid from their International organization or any of its local unions, and claim that this is the only victory that has ever been secured in Montreal by an International union, without receiving financial assistance.


PERFECTION BREAD!

Who bakes it?

*The Parnell-Dean Co.*

LONDON'S SANITARY BAKERY.

Two-thirds of the public say so by their daily patronage.

Have our wagon call.


The demand of the union was to bring the scale of wages up to a standard. Before May 1 the men were being paid different wages, and no two shops alike. The men are now all on the same basis at 25 cents an hour, or $2 25 a day.


HONEST DOCTOR

Speaks of Coffee Drinking.

About coffee drinking, Dr. Hewet says, "I have the best of reasons for naming coffee as among the most dangerous of slow poisons. My own personal experience outside of the general experience gained by my practice has taught the truth.

"At about 16 I became a member of a young people's society whose pledge barred the use of all intoxicants, tobacco, tea and coffee, until the age of 21. I kept my pledge and early temperate habits were formed. Up to about my 30th year I was an athlete; no one had better health or spirits.

"A short time after passing 30 I began the use of coffee at breakfast with an occasional cup at evening parties. The first symptoms of ill health I remember came soon and later, sore mouth and stomach trouble. Finally well marked dyspepsia supervened. My bowels sympathized, of course, also my nervous system became impaired. Dizziness attacked me, and tremulant hands rendered writing exceedingly difficult. My diet had to be restricted. Experienced medical advisers forbade all fruits.

"Several attacks of gastritis troubled me and bowel complaint became quite frequent. The shadow of melancholia menaced me and caused me to wonder why a man of my lineage, strength and endurance and temperate habits should be thus afflicted.

"Eminent specialists named it 'miasm,' others as noted said, 'microbes.' I now say, 'coffee arabica.' Why? Because for the first thirty years I did not drink coffee and enjoyed good health, the second thirty years coffee drinking became a habit and illness more than kept pace with the indulgence.

"I am now past 60 years of age. About 18 months ago I saw a shrewdly written statement of Postum Cereal Coffee. I gave it careful reading and thought, and as an experiment substituted Postum for Java and Mocha. For the first three days of the change I felt, keenly, the loss of the stimulant, after that the nutrient quality of the drink more than compensated the deprivation, and an astonishing change came in recurring hunger three times daily; I could scarcely wait for meals, a sensation I had not had for more than 30 years.

"Now my health is excellent. I eat fruits of all kinds and food as my appetite demands. I am regaining my nervous tone and my strength is increasing daily. Except my change from coffee to Postum I have made no change in my mode of living.

"Do you wonder that I name coffee as among the most dangerous of slow poisons?

"I believe there are thousands suffering as I suffered with a better excuse for ignorance than I can offer." A. C. Hewet, M.D., 491 W. Adams street, Chicago, Ill.


## NEW BANK TO OPEN HERE

### Branch of Dominion Bank Will Be Established.

**Institution Is in Excellent Financial Position.**

An important addition to London's financial institutions will be made shortly, as the Dominion bank has secured premises here and will soon open a branch for the conduct of a general banking business. An idea of the excellent financial position in which this bank stands can best be gained by a perusal of the report of the 31st annual meeting of the stockholders of the bank. This shows that the bank's net profit for the year ending April 30 was $353,172 54; the balance of profit and loss account was $100,482 10, and the premium received on new capital stock was $59,708 12, making a total of $513,362 44. The reserve fund is $2,500,000. The following directors were elected: Messrs. A. W. Austin, W. R. Brock, M.P., T. Eaton, J. J. Foy, K.C., M.P.P., Wm. Ince, Wilmot D. Matthews and E. B. Osler, M.P. At a subsequent meeting of the directors, Mr. E. B. Osler, M.P., was elected president, and Mr. W. D. Matthews, vice-president, for the ensuing term.

## TRANSACTED ONLY ROUTINE BUSINESS

**Unimportant Meeting of Finance Committee Yesterday.**

The finance committee of the city council met yesterday afternoon.

A petition from residents on the north side of Elmwood avenue, between Cathcart and Edward streets, against paying two-thirds of the cost of a cement sidewalk on their block, instead of one-half, was referred to the auditor for a report.

Bandmaster Pococke, of the 26th Regiment band, asked for an equal share in the money provided for band concerts in Victoria Park. All the members were citizens, he said, who paid taxes and who had as good a right to a share of the concerts as members of the 7th Regiment band. A representative of the 7th band was not present and the matter was laid over till the next meeting.

Treasurer Pope was authorized to call for tenders for $54,000 waterworks debentures.

The agreement between the city and the street railway company, re laying tracks on Railway street, will be submitted to the council for the signatures of the mayor and clerk.

W. T. Groom asked to be exempted from payment of personal property tax for 1901. Filed.

PASSED THE RAPIDS.

Montreal, May 31.—The Richelieu and Ontario Company's new steamer Montreal, the largest river steamer ever built in Canada, arrived in the port of Montreal last evening, having safely got through the big Lachine Rapids. There was some doubt as to whether the steamer, owing to her size, could be got through the rapids, and two of the best pilots on the St. Lawrence were placed in charge, and will receive $1,000 each for navigating her down. The Montreal is intended for the Montreal and Quebec route.

## News in Brief.

The grand stand and paddock and betting ring at Hawthorne race track Chicago were destroyed by fire Friday evening half an hour after last race of the day had been run. The loss will exceed $100,000. One man was killed during the fire and several badly injured.

The Manning mait house, Buffalo, together with a quantity of grain damaged in the fire at the Wells elevator a few weeks ago, was burned Friday, loss estimated at $150,000; partially covered by insurance.

The corner-stone of the Wiarton sugar factory will be laid by James Mills, Esq., M.A., LL.D., president Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, at 2:30 o'clock on June 5 next.

G. Coleman, of Montreal, has been appointed assistant to Superintendent Tiffin, of the northern division of the Grand Trunk, with headquarters at Allandale, Ont.

The American schooner Arthur M. Binney put into North Sydney, C. B., Friday to land one of her crew suffering with smallpox. The authorities refused to allow the man to land, and the vessel has gone into quarantine.

The meeting of the Montreal and Quebec boot and shoe manufacturers has been adjourned for three months, owing to the absence of several leading manufacturers. The scheme proposed is that manufacturers shall specialize, and thus make their work more profitable.

It seems propable that the proposed purchase of the Canada Atlantic Railway by Dr. Webb and his associates is going to fall through. The option which he secured expires on Monday.

The consolidation of the First National Bank and the Metropolitan National Bank at Chicago has been formally approved by the stockholders, and Monday morning Chicago will have open for business its first $100,000,000 bank.

A telegram from Tucson, Ariz., says: The Yaqui Indians are again on the warpath. On Tuesday a band of Yaquis visited La armen, a hacienda near Hermosillo, and killed the governor of the ranch and a servant, besides carrying off the provisions and taking away the best stock on the place. Another band visited the ranch of Don Juan Mayorena, near Guaymas, and raided it.

Counting the immigrants on board steamships due to arrive at New York today and tomorrow, the immigration for the month will reach the record-breaking total of 88,500.

## MUSIC AND DRAMA

"FLORODORA" ON MONDAY.

"Florodora" is to be given at the New Grand on Monday next by the same company that has been presenting it in all the large cities. Fisher & Ryley's great eastern organization consists of nearly 100 people, with the famous double sextet as one of the features, and a cast of principals including such well-known names as Isador Rush, R. Peyton Carter, Maude Lambert, Sydney Deane, Guelma Baker, Alf. C. Whelan, Frances Tyson and Donald Brine. An orchestra is carried by the company. Seats are selling rapidly.


Of Special Interest to Ladies

Unsightly warts can be removed in a few hours by Putnam's Painless Corn and Wart Extractor. Reliable, safe and sure. Try "Putnam's."


DAILY PICTURE PUZZLE.



WHERE IS THE GOAT-HERD?

SOLUTION FOR YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE—The rabbit is at the very bottom of the picture, one dog in the carrot top, and the other near the top rabbit's nose.


DR. PITCHER'S TONIC TABLETS

A FULL SIZED BOTTLE FREE

Make New Blood, Impart New Life, Give Brain Power, Nerve Force, and Bodily Vigor to Every One Using Them.

Dr. Pitcher's Tonic Tablets are the product of many years' careful study and research, and in hundreds of instances have demonstrated their health-giving restorative powers in the case of weak, nervous, anaemic persons of both sexes and of all ages.

They give richness and redness to the blood, impart to the nerve cells electric energy, and vitality, correct all irregularities of the heart-beat, and tone and strengthen the heart muscle.

Dr. Pitcher's Tonic Tablets send new life to every part, producing in tired, distressed, worn-out women, despondent, weak and nervous men, that strong, vigorous, healthy feeling that makes life worth living.

DELICATE, DISTRESSED WOMEN.

There is no remedy so effectual for pale, weak, run-down, nervous women as Dr. Pitcher's Tonic Tablets. They correct female irregularities, cure leucorrhoea, delayed or irregular periods, suppression of the menses, catarrh and ulceration of the womb, and allied troubles.

By using these Tablets faithfully according to directions, nervous prostration, pallid cheeks, sleeplessness, loss of appetite, heart palpitation, mental depression and exhaustion will become things of the past, and weak, emaciated bodies be strengthened, and pale, haggard, careworn faces glow with good health and happiness.

WEAK AND SICKLY CHILDREN.

Young girls just budding into womanhood who are tired, listless, heavy-eyed, easily startled, pale, weak and drooping, should be given special care. A course of treatment with Dr. Pitcher's Tonic Tablets will make them rosy cheeked, bright eyed, and full of bounding health.

Boys who don't seem to thrive as they should, are growing too fast, or from one cause or another are not as healthy and rugged as they should be, will get fat and strong and full of life and ambition by taking Dr. Pitcher's Tonic Tablets.

BROKEN DOWN DESPONDENT MEN.

On every man's shoulders is a great weight of responsibility, often so great as to wreck the nerves and shatter the health. Do you find yourself with your health broken down? Are you a sufferer from any of the following ills? Lack of ambition, nervous exhaustion, ideas easily confused, irritability of temper, impairment of memory, despondency, general debility, impotence, emissions, early decay, loss of vital powers.

Whether such troubles arise from overwork, worry, excessive indulgence or indiscretions of living, Dr. Pitcher's Tonic Tablets can cure you.

TEST THE TONIC TABLETS FREE.

Dr. Pitcher is desirous of having every reader of this paper who suffers from blood or nerve troubles or who is weak and run-down in health test for themselves his Tonic Tablets, as he is confident that those who try this new treatment for the Nerves and Blood will derive so much benefit from it that they will continue its use until perfectly cured.

To prevent persons who are simply curious or those who are not really in need of the remedy imposing on Dr. Pitcher's generosity, we ask you to send ten cents in stamps or silver as a guarantee of good faith, when a regular full-sized bottle of Tonic Tablets will be mailed you promptly, in plain wrapper.

Accompanying the bottle of Tablets will be a coupon good for ten cents on your next purchase, so in fact you get the first bottle ABSOLUTELY FREE.

This coupon will be accepted by your druggist as good for ten cents on the price of a bottle of Dr. Pitcher's Tonic Tablets, or you can send it in to us and we will accept it.

Remember it is a regular, full-sized 35 cent bottle of Dr. Pitcher's Tonic Tablets we give you and not a sample. Send at once if you need this remedy. Write your name and address plainly, and mention this paper. Address, The Dr. Zina Pitcher Co., Toronto, Ont.


## The Dominion Bank

### Proceedings of the Thirty-First Annual General Meeting of the Stockholders.

The thirty-first annual general meeting of the Dominion Bank was held at the Banking House of the Institution, Toronto, on Wednesday, May 28th, 1902.

Among those present were noticed: Col. Mason, Messrs. William Ince, William Spry, E. B. Osler, M.P., W. D. Matthews, William Ross, M.P., A. W. Austin, Thos. Walmsley, Timothy Eaton, Dr. J. F. Ross, W. G. Cassels, David Smith, G. W. Lewis, A. R. Reynolds, A. R. Boswell, P. Leadlay, Richard Brown, G. N. Reynolds, A. Foulds, V. H. E. Hutchinson, W. R. Brock, M.P., J. J. Foy, K.C., John T. Small, Anson Jones, F. Wright, David Aldd, William Davies, H. L. Stark, H. Gordon Mackenzie, J. Gordon Jones, W. Crocker, A. N. Roy, George D. Scott, George B. Sweetnam, J. F. Kavanagh, H. B. Hodgins, Ira Standish, A. E. Webb, John M. Bond, Charles Cockshutt, John Stewart, H. M. Pellatt, T. G. Brough and others.

It was moved by Mr. William Ince, seconded by Mr. W. R. Brock, that Mr. E. B. Osler do take the chair, and that Mr. T. G. Brough do act as secretary.

Messrs. A. R. Boswell and W. G. Cassels were appointed scrutineers.

The secretary read the report of the directors to the shareholders, and submitted the annual statement of the affairs of the bank, which is as follows:

To the Shareholders:

The directors beg to present the following statement of the result of the business of the bank for the year ending 30th April, 1902:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Balance of profit and loss account, 30th April, 1901 | | $100,482 10 |
| Premium received on new capital stock | | 59,708 12 |
| Profit for the year ending 30th April, 1902, after deducting charges of management, etc., and making provision for bad and doubtful debts | | 353,172 54 |
| | | $513,362 76 |
| Dividend 2½ per cent, paid 1st August, 1901 | $61,400 10 | |
| Dividend 2½ per cent, paid 1st November, 1901 | 61,900 60 | |
| Dividend 2½ per cent, paid 1st February, 1902. | 62,488 00 | |
| Dividend 2½ per cent, paid 1st May, 1902 | 62,500 00 | |
| | $248,288 70 | |
| Transferred to reserve fund | 59,708 12 | |
| | | $307,996 82 |
| Balance of profit and loss carried forward | | $205,365 94 |

RESERVE FUND.

| | |
|---|---|
| Balance at credit of account, 30th April, 1901 | $2,440,291 88 |
| Transferred from profit and loss account | 59,708 12 |
| | $2,500,000 00 |

Branches of the bank have been opened during the past year in Gravenhurst, Ont., Wingham, Ont., Stanstead, Que., and in Toronto at the corners of Bloor and Bathurst streets and Queen and Teraulay streets.

Premises have been secured in London, Ont., and a branch will shortly be opened there.

All branches of the bank have been inspected during the past twelve months.

E. B. OSLER,
Toronto, 28th May, 1902. President.

Mr. E. B. Osler moved, seconded by Mr. W. D. Matthews, and

Resolved—That the report be adopted.

It was moved by Mr. John T. Small, seconded by Mr. Thomas Walmsley, and Resolved—That the thanks of this meeting be given to the president, vice-president and directors for their services during the past year.

It was moved by Mr. William Ross M.P., seconded by Col. Mason, and

Resolved—That the thanks of this meeting be given to the general manager, managers, inspectors and other officers of the bank for their efficient performance of their respective duties.

It was moved by Mr. Anson Jones, seconded by Mr. B. Cumberland, and

Resolved—That the poll be now opened for the election of seven directors, and that the same be closed at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, or as soon before that hour as five minutes shall elapse without any vote being polled, and that the scrutineers, on the close of the poll, do hand to the chairman a certificate of the result of the poll.

The scrutineers declared the following gentlemen duly elected directors for the ensuing year: Messrs. A. W. Austin, W. R. Brock, M.P., T. Eaton, J. J. Foy, K.C., William Ince, Wilmot D. Matthews and E. B. Osler, M.P.

At a subsequent meeting of the directors, Mr. E. B. Osler, M.P., was elected president, and Mr. W. D. Matthews vice-president for the ensuing term.

**General Statement.**

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Notes in circulation | | $ 2,228,166 00 |
| Deposits not bearing interest | $ 2,510,764 28 | |
| Deposits bearing interest | 18,351,795 45 | |
| | | 20,862,559 83 |
| Balance due to London agents | | 393,282 18 |
| Total liabilities to the public. | | $23,484,008 01 |
| Capital stock paid up | | 2,500,000 00 |
| Reserve fund | $2,500,000 00 | |
| Balance of profits carried forward | 205,365 94 | |
| Dividend No. 78, payable 1st May | 62,500 00 | |
| Former dividends, unclaimed | 141 25 | |
| Reserve for interest and exchange | 180,793 70 | |
| Rebate on bills discounted | 66,762 39 | |
| | | 3,015,563 88 |
| | | $28,999,571 89 |

ASSETS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Specie | $1,018,767 44 | |
| Dominion Government demand notes | 1,402,826 00 | |
| Deposit with Dominion Government for security of note circulation | 100,000 00 | |
| Notes of and checks on other banks | 1,031,526 06 | |
| Balances due from other banks in Canada | 705,503 39 | |
| Balances due from other banks elsewhere than in Canada and the United Kingdom | 686,794 69 | |
| Provincial Government securities | 96,624 22 | |
| Canadian municipal securities and British or foreign or colonial public securities other than Canadian | 712,735 38 | |
| Railway and other bonds, debentures and stocks | 2,610,913 16 | |
| Loans on call secured by stocks and debentures | 3,012,094 83 | |
| | | $11,377,784 05 |
| Bills discounted and advances current | $17,101,052 08 | |
| Overdue debts (estimated loss provided for) | 18,891 46 | |
| Real estate, other than bank premises | 44,060 41 | |
| Mortgages on real estate sold by the bank | 13,371 19 | |
| Bank premises | 435,133 40 | |
| Other assets not included under foregoing heads | 9,278 70 | |
| | | 17,621,787 24 |
| | | $28,999,571 29 |

T. G. BROUGH,
General Manager.
Toronto, 30th April, 1902.


Drnik Grano Cereal Coffee

# THE BIRTHDAY OF KING EDWARD VII

## Celebrated May 30 Instead of the 9th of November.

## NEW COLORS FOR IRISH GUARDS

**Strathcona Opposed to Colonial Representation for the Present—Hicks-Beach Will Not Retire.**

London, May 31.—The birthday of King Edward (who was born, Nov. 9, 1841) was officially celebrated yesterday, it having been decided, as announced in the Official Gazette, April 15, that his majesty's natal day was to be celebrated in London and on the home stations May 30, as being the most suitable time for a military display. On the other hand, foreign stations will celebrate it on the

NINTH OF NOVEMBER,

the actual anniversary of his majesty's birth.

General interest in the celebration was, apparently, not seriously diminished by the expectations of the greater of the series of events surrounding the coronation. The towns throughout the kingdom were gaily decorated and beflagged, and the shipping at the various ports made the gayest display of bunting.

The day was observed at all the home military and naval headquarters with parades and salutes.

The chief celebration of the day was the ceremony of "trooping the colors" on the Horse Guards parade here, and the presentation of colors to the new Irish Guards. Stands covered with crimson cloth were erected on three sides of the parade grounds, and were occupied by thousands of privileged spectators. Thousands of other people were grouped closely around the lines of sentries.

THE MILITARY DISPLAY.

The troops taking part in the ceremonies were battalions of the Irish Guards, Grenadier Guards, Scots Guards and detachments of the Life Guards.

Tremendous cheering greeted the appearance of the King and his brilliant escort, which included many notabilities. His majesty, who rode between the Prince of Wales and the Duke of Connaught, wore the uniform of colonel of the Irish Guards. Lord Roberts, the commander-in-chief of the forces, who led the procession, also wore the uniform of colonel of the Irish Guards. Queen Alexandra and other members of the royal family viewed the scene from the windows of the Horse Guards.

The crowd present bared their heads while his majesty proceeded to the saluting point. After an inspection of the line of troops and the presentation of the colors, the ceremonies ended with a review of all the troops on the ground. The King during the afternoon presented colors to the King's company of the Grenadier Guards. The weather was wet and raw.

BIRTHDAY HONORS.

King Edward invested the Duke of Marlborough and the Duke of Bedford with the insignia of the Order of the Garter at Buckingham Palace in the afternoon. The ceremony was more imposing than any similar events which had occurred for years past, it being the King's intention to revive all the old time pomp which formerly distinguished the ceremonies connected with this order.

A notable company of Knights of the Garter, including the Prince of Wales, the Duke of Connaught, the Marquis of Salisbury, the Marquis of Londonderry and the Duke of Norfolk, attended the garter investiture.

CANADIANS CELEBRATE.

The King's birthday was loyally celebrated at the Canadian Government offices, which were illuminated last night. The Canadian coronation arch at Whitehall is proceeding rapidly.

Canadian cheese is fairly steady on paucity of supplies, but the demand denoted arrivals and improvements. The arrival of new makes is having an adverse effect. The finest old colored and white, 58 to 60 shillings; new, 54 to 56 shillings, Liverpool quotations are the same as London. Butter, Canadian, nominal; supplies are practically exhausted.

COLONIAL REPRESENTATIONS.

Lord Strathcona, writing in the Empire Review for June, opposes the representation of the colonies in the Imperial Parliament, at any rate until a truly imperial parliament is established. Dealing with imperial affairs, he says the colonies would seriously consider any authoritative proposals to contribute to the cost of the army and navy. No such proposal has been made. But he warns Englishmen that the proposition affects the whole problem of imperial unity and representation, and says the empire must pay greater attention to the development of imperial trade. He sees no internal reason against regarding the domestic trade of the empire more favorably than the relations of the empire. The commercial relations of the empire should be put on a family footing.

THE GRAIN DUTIES.

Talk of the abandonment of the wheat and flour duties has subsided. If the war ends now the income tax will probably be reduced. The monthly reviews deplore the opposition of Lord Rosebery and the Liberal imperialists as likely to discourage the ministry from attempting a customs union of the empire at the coronation conference.

FALSE REPORT.

There is no truth in the report published in the United States that the chancellor of the exchequer, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, will resign after the coronation, owing to the persistence of the colonial secretary, Joseph Chamberlain, in the retention of the grain tax as preliminary to his zolliverein scheme.

LORD PAUNCEFOTE'S SUCCESSOR.

Hon. Michael Henry Herbert, who is nominally secretary to the British embassy at Paris, will probably be the next British ambassador to the United States, in succession to the late Lord Pauncefote. Mr. Herbert's appointment to this post will probably not be announced until the remains of Lord Pauncefote arrive in England. The only question in regard to Mr. Herbert's selection for the Washington post is the approval of King Edward.

LEROY MINING COMPANY.

A meeting of the shareholders of the Leroy Mining Company (a concern of which Whitaker Wright and the late Lord Dufferin were directors) appointed a committee to investigate the past and present management of the company and the present position of affairs. The meeting was uproarious, and the management was hotly criticised. Some of the shareholders charged that there had been official leakage of information, from which someone had benefited.

There was another uproarious meeting of the shareholders of the Leroy Mining Company on Aug. 30 last, and after much commotion, a mining engineer, R. J. Frecheville, was appointed a director, and it was resolved to send him to British Columbia to examine into and report upon the whole business, after which other directors were to be appointed, to take the place of those (including the late Lord Dufferin and Mr. Wright) who had resigned.

CABLE NOTES.

Earl Cadogan's term of office as lord lieutenant and viceroy of Ireland is now near its close, and he talks of resigning.

Great Britain is strengthening her fleet in Asiatic waters. Two torpedo boat destroyers are to leave the dockyard at Victoria, B. C., today.

The pope on Friday received in audience Bishop Charles McDonnell, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

# MR. HICKS' HOROSCOPE

## Rev. Gentleman's Weather Predictions for Month of June.

**A Stormy Period Is On the Programme for the First Five Days.**

Rev. Mr. Hicks' forecasts for June are as follows:

The regular Vulcan storm period is central on the 1st, extending to the 5th. The presence of the Mercury disturbance will prolong the Vulcan period, causing cloudy, threatening and rainy weather, perhaps, into the reactionary storms central on the 6th and 7th. The moon will be in perigee, or nearest earth, on the 5th, and at the north extreme and new moon on the 6th. These facts are sure to increase the tendency to high temperatures, fluctuating barometric pressures, storms and very likely seismic unrest in many parts of the earth.

Not only June, but the whole summer of 1902 will be characterized by alternations of great warmth and phenomenally cool, intermingled with many more electrical storms, and attended with more precipitation than last summer. The annual tendency to electric and seismic disturbances from about the 10th near the end of June will be increased this month by the causes enumerated above.

At the Vulcan storm period, central on the 13th, and covering the 9th to 16th, an excess of lightning with many thunder squalls, solstice downpours of rain in many limited localities, with scattering tornadic storms and seismic disturbances, ances, will be most natural. We caution our readers against taking refuge from thunderstorms under trees and similar places at this and all other periods, especially in June.

Heavy hailstorms, and marked, sudden changes to very cool, may be regarded as certainties in many sections, especially in the central, western and northwestern parts of the country, from about the 11th to the 15th, centering on and next to the 13th, the date of the moon's passage over the celestial equator. A few days and nights of much cooler weather will follow the storms of this central Vulcan period.

During the 19th to 21st, inclusive, marked storm conditions will return. The temperature will rise to high reading, the barometer will fluctuate and fall, cloudiness and humidity will increase, and more storms of rain, thunder and wind will pass eastward over the continent.

All through this part of June there will be an abnormal tendency to constant and startling displays of lightning. As evenings come on great banks and cones of summer clouds, black, brassy, leaden and snowy, will hang all round the horizon, each point of the compass being a regular magazine of nervous lightning, far into and through the nights. Let no one conclude that all this beautiful display portends danger and disaster. As a rule these solstice displays of electricity are harmless.

Under the combined influences of the Venus equinox and the June solstice, thundershowers and hailstorms will most likely repeat themselves for several days in succession, so that the reactionary storms, beginning about the 19th will most probably run into the regular Vulcan storm period, covering the 22nd to the 27th. This Vulcan period, which is central on the 24th, promises to be one of the most active, if not violent periods in the month.

We name Monday, the 23rd, to Friday, the 27th, as a period of severe and prolonged perturbations, during which days the daily thunderstorms, beginning about the 20th, in most parts of the country, will reach their culminating stages in many storms of rain, hail, wind and thunder. Some of the greatest downpours of rain for the summer, amounting to cloudbursts in many quarters, may be reasonably looked for about this time.

Continued showers, with local waterspouts, probable here and there, will entail great inconvenience and loss upon harvesters, while exposed structures and properties along narrow defiles and valleys are liable to severe loss and damage.

**Alive, Yet Half Dead.**

Feeling miserable. This is the condition of thousands of growing girls and women. Can't eat enough to be truly alive. Digest so little of what they do eat, as to scarcely know what life really means. Miserable? Of course. Eat more, digest more, then feel streaming through life's renewed current, the buoyancy, the strength, the hopefulness of youth. Simply done if you'll just take Ferrozone, the wonderful blood maker, nerve strength and brain vigor. Mr. Strong, druggist, knows all about it. Call and ask him about it.

IGNORANCE IS A CURSE.—"Know thyself" is a good admonition, whether referring to one's physical condition or moral habitudes. The man who is acquainted with himself will know how to act when any disarrangement in his condition manifests itself. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is a cheap and simple remedy for the eradication of pain from the system and for the cure of all bronchial troubles.

IN NATURE'S STOREHOUSE THERE ARE CURES.—Medical experiments have shown conclusively that there are medicinal virtues in even ordinary plants growing up around us, which give them a value that cannot be estimated. It is held by some that Nature provides a cure for every disease, which neglect and ignorance have visited upon man. However this may be, it is well known that Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, distilled from roots and herbs, are a sovereign remedy in curing all disorders of the digestion.

# BRITISH SUCCESS AWAKES JEALOUSY

## Among the More Extreme Clericals in Austria.

## PEACE SECURED IN AFRICA

**Settlement To Be Signed in the Names of Former Citizens of the Two Republics Now in Europe.**

London, May 31.—The Vienna correspondent of the Times says that the extreme clericals are exasperated over the triumph of the British arms and their increased prestige through the turn of African events. The Vaterland declares the causes of the inaction among Britain's enemies during the war were the desire for the peace of the world, and the hope that Britain would be permanently weakened with neither the means nor the desire for fresh enterprise.

The Vaterland is now dismayed and finds that Britain has been gaining influence in Arabia, where, it says, recent disturbances are the consequence of persistent British intrigue. The Vaterland quotes a Munich paper's opinion that Britain has secured the predominance in Asia as well as in Africa, through the capabilities of Lord Curzon.

PEACE IN AFRICA.

It is said in Brussels that the Boer delegates in Europe now admit that peace in South Africa has been secured and that the settlement between the Boers and Great Britain will be signed in the names of the former citizens of the two South African republics, who are now in Europe, including Mr. Kruger, thus preventing the irreconcilables from continuing a guerilla warfare on the pretext that they are obeying the orders of the Boer delegates in Europe.

THE CRISIS IN SPAIN.

A decree suspending the sittings of the cortes during the present session has been published in the Official Gazette, and it is expected that the suspension of the sittings will remain in force until next October. With the exception of the government organs all the newspapers unanimously condemn Senor Sagasta's policy in obtaining the consent of King Alfonso to the issuance of the decree.

THE SHAH AT BERLIN.

The military parade yesterday at Berlin was unusually interesting. Thirty thousand troops, twice the usual number, took part in it for the edification of the Shah of Persia, a fat, round-shouldered man, who divided with Emperor William the attention of the crowd. The Tempelhof field, splashed with the red, blue, yellow and white of the different regiments, looked like a vast tulip bed, amid which sparkled countless points of light, from bayonets, lance heads, helmets and cuirasses.

The Shah of Persia was in an open carriage, drawn by four horses, and the Crown Prince of Siam, Chowfa Maha Vajiravudh, attended on horseback. Emperor William led the 2nd Regiment of the Guards past the Shah, who acknowledged the compliment by standing up in his carriage.

THE WAR IN COLOMBIA.

Gen. Victor Salazar, the governor of the Department of Panama, has received news that the revolutionists fled on the approach of government troops, leaving many valuable war munitions at the Punta Pinas camp. The whole of the Chiriqui Grande and Bocas del Toro districts, it is added, are now clear of revolutionists, hence the business of the American banana companies will not be interfered with.

CENSORIZED.

It is announced in a dispatch to the Paris Patrie from Madrid, that Senor Sabino Arana, leader of the Biscayan Nationalist party, sent a long cable message to President Roosevelt, congratulating him on the establishment of the republican government in Cuba, and that the Spanish censor suppressed the message. It is further asserted that the Spanish Government ordered the prosecution of Senor Arana, and that President Roosevelt has "instructed the United States legation at Madrid to ask for explanations."

ALPINE CLIMBERS KILLED.

The first fatality of the mountaineering season occurred in the Semmering range of the Alps yesterday, when Dr. Brezzina and Herr Payer were both killed while attempting the ascent of the Rax Alp, the highest point of the range. The Rax Alp is notoriously dangerous, and claims its victims every year. The Alpine associations have issued warnings against early mountaineering, because the protracted cold renders the mountain paths perilous by reason of snow and ice.

CUTTING UP THE TERRITORY.

The United States commission has passed an act of the civil government by which the adjoining provinces of Lepanto and Bontoc are divided into three sub-provinces, under one governor and two lieutenant-governors.

UNTRUE.

The statement published by the London Daily Mail of May 29, that at the consistory to be held in the Vatican on June 9, the pope will nominate Archbishop Keane, of Dubuque, Iowa, to succeed the late Archbishop Corrigan, of New York, is without foundation in fact. It appears now to be extremely improbable that the pope will depart from his customary practice of appointing an archbishop's successor from among the clergy of the diocese in which the vacancy occurs. It is expected that the three candidates will be Bishop O'Donnell, Auxiliary Bishop John M. Farley, of New York, and Vicar-General Joseph F. Mooney, or Chancellor Charles H. Colton, Bishop of New York.

THE GAYNOR-GREEN CASE.

Quebec, May 31.—The case of Gaynor and Green again came up Thursday before Judge Andrews at the court. The writ of certiorari was subsequently argued, and the case was taken en delibere, and postponed till next week.

CANADIAN SOLDIERS ILL.

Ottawa, May 31.—Lord Minto has received the following cable from the casualty office: Dangerously ill, enteric fever, Elandsfontein, 28th May, 2nd Regiment, C. M. R., 623 Parker Eliss, 305 William Bell, 322 Clement Guest.

SENATOR CLEMOW'S FUNERAL.

Ottawa, May 31.—The funeral of Hon. Senator Clemow took place yesterday afternoon. The services at Christ Church Cathedral was conducted by Rev. Henry Kittson and Rev. W. M. Toucks. The honorary pallbearers were Sir Henry Strong, Mr. Mackenzie Bowell, Hon. R. W. Scott, Senator McMillan, W. G. Ahearn, president of Ottawa Electric Company; John Coates, president Ottawa Board of Trade; W. H. Rowley, of E. B. Eddy Company, and Alex. Burritt, city registrar.

OFFICERS OF THE ROYAL SOCIETY.

Toronto, May 30.—The Royal Society meeting came to a close yesterday after a very successful meeting. officers were elected as follows: President, Sir James Grant, Ottawa; vice-president, Lieut.-Col. G. T. Denison, Toronto; secretary, Sir John Bourinot, Ottawa; treasurer, Dr. James Fletcher, Ottawa.

# THE ERUPTIONS CONTINUE

## Martinique Volcano Is Still in Active Operation.

**People on the Island Alarmed by the Outbursts of Smoke and Ashes.**

Washington, D. C., May 31.—Secretary Moody has received a number of dispatches concerning conditions at Martinique. Commander McLean, commanding the Cincinnati, cables from Fort-de-France, under date of May 29 as follows:

"Eruptions volcanic continue. Occasional great outbursts at intervals of few days. Mostly columns and masses of clouds of steam, smoke and ashes, shooting up quickly to great heights. These alarm the people, but no serious damage is being done outside of the district where the devastations occurred. Plenty of supplies here. French admiral, with three ships, arrived. Two more expected daily. Cordial, grateful, and say able to manage everything without assistance. The Cincinnati goes to Castries on the morning of 30th."

In another dispatch, Commander McLean says that George Kennan, the writer and lecturer, is safe, and was heard from on May 29, traveling up the country. Commander Berry, commanding the Dixie, cables from St. Lucia today that he is going to Martinique and unless otherwise ordered thence to New York.

COVERED WITH ASHES.

New Orleans, May 31.—The British steamer Louisianan, of the West India Line, which has arrived here from Trinidad and Colon, passed through the storm of ashes precipitated by Mont Pelee, being covered several inches deep with them. The atmosphere was so thick with clouds and a strange haze that it seemed as if night sad set in. Captain Edwards took observations, and found that he was about 107 miles from Martinique.

VISITED BY AN EARTHQUAKE.

East Hampton, Conn., May 30.—Many residents of the southern part of this town felt what they believed were earthquake shocks last night. The disturbance occurred at 9:50 o'clock, awakening sleepers, jarring buildings and rattling dishes. It lasted only about 20 seconds.

REMARKABLE PHENOMENON.

Toronto, May 31.—A remarkable phenomenon was seen in the sky last night in the form of a series of dark ribbon-like clouds that traversed the sky in rapid succession, moving from southeast to northwest at a great altitude. The citizens, many of whom were apprehensive of a cyclonic disturbance, were attracted in thousands to their doors to watch the passage of the clouds just before dark. The authorities at the observatory have no theory to offer as to the phenomenon, but they had nothing to do with the recent volcanic eruption.

# FALLEN HEROES HONORED

## Decoration Day Observed in the United States

**With Naval and Military Demonstrations and Religious Services.**

Washington, May 31.—Decoration Day was observed here yesterday perhaps more generally than ever before. The local arrangements were in charge of the department of the Potomac, and included a parade of all the G. A. R. and other patriotic organizations, the decoration of monuments and graves, the addresses by the president and other men prominent in the affairs of the government. The principal exercises were held at Arlington, where a huge crowd gathered, including thousands of veterans, and where the president spoke. At 12 o'clock a national salute was fired by the 4th Battery, United States Field Artillery. Music was rendered by the Marine Band and the Memorial Choir. The graves of the Union and Confederate dead were then decorated. Appropriate exercises were held at other places throughout the city.

AT CHICAGO.

A parade participated in by veterans of both the civil and the Spanish war, was the feature of the Memorial Day demonstrations in this city. Business was generally suspended and services were held in many churches. Owing to the perfect weather thousands of people visited the cemeteries.

AT MANILA.

The military forces observed Decoration Day as a holiday. There were impressive services at the American cemetery, though the bodies of only a few soldiers are now buried there. The American Club decorated the graves of the civilians. It was thought inadvisable to declare the day a public holiday.

AT NEW YORK.

Decoration Day was observed impressively in this city. Crowds attended all the exercises, the weather being fine. There was a parade of G. A. R. Posts, National Guard regiments, United States regular troops and blue jackets and marines from the navy yard. A soldiers' and sailors' monument, said to be one of the costliest of its kind in the world, was unveiled in Riverside Park.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

The feature of the Decoration Day exercises here was the unveiling of the memorial bronze bust and pedestal erested to the memory of President McKinley by the Philadelphia letter-carriers and postoffice employes. Ex-Postmaster-General Charles Emory Smith delivered the oration. The bust and pedestal cost over $20,000 and stands in the postoffice building.

# PASSENGER CARS CRASH TOGETHER

## A Dozen Persons Received Very Severe Injuries

## AN AERONAUT FELL 800 FEET!

**An Ottawa Child Scalded to Death in a Pail of Water—Other Casualties.**

A DOZEN PEOPLE HURT.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., May 31.—A car carrying 40 passengers and a freight car collided on the New Paltz and Poughkeepsie Electric Railway two miles from the Highlands yesterday afternoon, and a dozen passengers were badly hurt. The ends of both cars were crushed in, and some of the passengers were caught in the wreckage. Motorman Emory Ayer had both legs broken and four young women sustained fractured legs and severe cuts in different parts of their bodies. The accident was caused by one of the cars neglecting to remain on a switch until the other had passed.

AERONAUT KILLED.

Kingston, N. Y., May 31. — Harry Hicks, an aeronaut, was killed at Kingston Point, a summer resort, yesterday. He had been engaged to make daily balloon ascensions, and the afternoon was booked for his first exhibition. When the balloon had reached an altitude of about 2,000 feet. Hicks commenced the descent by means of a parachute, coming down slowly to about 800 feet above the Hudson River. For some reason Hicks lost his hold and fell, striking headfirst on a sandbar in the river. Hicks was a nephew of Chas. Kabrick, well-known as a balloonist.

SCALDED TO DEATH.

Ottawa, May 30. — The four-year-old son of Nunzio Liberty, fruit dealer, Dalhousie street, was scalded to death in a bucket of water yesterday. The mother was engaged in the family washing, and had emptied a boiler of hot suds into a bucket on the floor. The little fellow was playing about the room. From an adjoining apartment where the mother had gone she heard screams a moment later. Rushing back to the kitchen she discovered her child writhing in agony on the floor. In her absence it had run against the bucket of scalding water and fallen in. Assistance was summoned but the unfortunate child succumbed to its fearful injuries in the evening.

MYSTERIOUS DEATH.

Toronto, May 31. — The authorities are seeking to strip the death of Edward Wilkinson, a property man at the Grand Opera House, of the mystery surrounding it. Wilkinson, who was 40 years of age, and lived alone, was found in a dying condition in his room, 133 King street east, yesterday, with a great wound in the back of his head. Friends say they believe Wilkinson had a fall on the street on election night, and afterwards was seen to go home, but if this is the case, it is somewhat remarkable that a man injured as he was could walk and find his home.

STILL ANOTHER VICTIM.

Lacrosse, Wis., May 30.—Chief Engineer Purdy, who was injured in the wreck on the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Road at Alma, yesterday, died today, making two deaths as the result of the collision between gravel trains.

COULDN'T SWIM.

Dunrea, Man., May 31.—Walter Street was drowned seven miles north of here Thursday night. He thought he could swim and jumped out of the boat into deep water, drowning before his two companions could help him.

Winnipeg, Man., May 30.—Philip Thomas was drowned at Grand Maraise, on Lake Winnipeg, while crossing a ford. His horse dropped into a deep hole and he was thrown off.

BOTH POISONED.

New York, May 30.—Two men, both poorly dressed and bearing every symptom of abject poverty, hitting side by side on a bench in Central Park, were found last night by a policeman. He thought they were asleep, but discovered that both were dead. On the walk at their feet lay two empty whisky flasks. It was found they died of poison. On the body of one was found discharge papers from the United States army, bearing the name of "Barney Dolan." On the same paper was the name of "Wm. Downey." On letters found in his pockets was the address of Wm. Downey, Woodbury, Conn. In the clothes of the other man were found letters addressed to Frank J. Schwartz, of this city, and twelve pawn tickets bore the same name. It would appear that the men were poverty-stricken, and decided to end their lives at the same moment.

FATAL COLLISION.

Alma, Wis., May 30.—One man killed and four others seriously injured, some probably fatally, is the result of a disastrous wreck on the Burlington Road at Alma yesterday afternoon. A gravel train, on which were two head officials of the road, including Superintendent Cunningham, was going on a switch, when another gravel train coming from the north crashed into it with fearful results. Superintendent Cunningham is in a precarious condition, and the gravest doubts is entertained for his recovery. Dead—E. J. Blake, consulting engineer, Burlington system, headquarters, Chicago. Injured—S. D. Purdy,, roadmaster, both legs cut off, will die; D. Cunningham, superintendent northern division, leg cut off, may die; W. L. Breckenridge, chief engineer of system, seriously injured; J. B. Bessler, general superintendent of system, seriously injured.

# *Pistol and Lamp Combined.*

Shooting in the dark and hitting the object it is desired to bring down will be easy when a combination revolver and dark lantern, just patented by a man in Seattle, comes into general use.

The Seattle inventor's pistol is one of the most curious devices which have reached the patent office at Washington recently. Below and in the line with the barrel, and slightly less in diameter, is a small incandescent lamp in a reflector tube, connected with a battery in the handle of the revolver. A slight pressure of the trigger connects the electric wires between lamp and battery. The moment the pistol is fired the connection is severed, leaving the user again protected by darkness.

The idea in that a householder, say, suspecting that there is a burglar in the house, can use his revolver as a dark lantern and insure taking good aim before he fires. Incidentally, however, the combination might be equally useful to the burglar.—New York Sun.

# CANADIAN TRADE OUTLOOK IS GOOD

## The Crop Prospects Are Also Generally Encouraging.

## SITUATION ACROSS THE LINE

**Money Markets Easy—Crop Outlook Favorable, and a Feeling of Confidence Prevalent.**

Toronto, May 31.—Bradstreet's Canadian trade review:

Wholesale trade at Montreal is active. The improved prospects for trade, the good employment of labor at fair wages, the large railway traffic returns and the increased demands from the west have all contributed to impart a feeling of great confidence in trade circles. Country remittances are fair for this season and city payments are good.

In Toronto this week, while the cooler weather has not helped to increase the demand for seasonable goods, there has been a good steady demand for summer lines, owing to the belief that the hot weather would again presently begin to affect the retail demand. The markets in staple manufactures and other lines are in a very satisfactory position. Stocks are not excessive. The outlook is for an expanded demand the present year, and the general feeling in regard to the future is one of great confidence. Country remittances, which are never very prompt at this period, are nevertheless fairly satisfactory.

At Quebec business during the past week is reported satisfactory, although the wet weather tended to decrease sales in retail circles. Shoe manufacturers, as a rule, are reported quiet, and the outlook is not over sanguine. The shipment of chilled beef from this port has proved a success.

In Winnipeg there has been a moderate amount of activity in wholesale trade circles. The improved crop prospects are encouraging, while the large increase in the number of settlers coming into the country, compared with previous seasons, is encouraging to the trade interests of the province.

At Pacific coast trade centers there is a better feeling among business men. The placing of the canning industry on a sound business basis is regarded as a feature which will add to the prosperity of the country. Payments are rather better.

Dun's review: Although only moderate activity is reported this week at St. John, the volume of jobbing sales thus far in 1902 exceeds the two preceding years. Higher prices in the British lumber markets are a hopeful influence in Canada.

Halifax reports activity in groceries and hardware, but unseasonable weather interferes with sales of drygoods and millinery.

Building operations are brisk at Sydney and general trade is steady.

Metals and hardware are exceptionally active at Montreal, but cool weather affects business in drygoods and clothing. A sharp decline in cheese has affected the export demand.

Cool, wet weather, has hampered some lines of trade at Quebec, but helped others, and collections are somewhat improved.

Wholesale trade is quiet at Toronto, and cold weather has interfered with retail business. Mefals are active, and wheat prices are the highest of the season.

Vancouver reports increased trade, and at Victoria activity in building continues, but the weather is unfavorable for retailers.

IN THE UNITED STATES.

New York, May 30.—R. G. Dunn & Co.'s weekly review:

Ease in the money market, favorable crop prospects and confidence abroad are the encouraging factors which outweigh the disturbing elements of labor conflicts and unseasonable weather for retail trade at many points. Confidence is expressed that with the resumption of work and normal temperature there will be a return to the liberal distribution of merchandise. Uncertainty as to the coal strike may end on Monday, when the first crisis in the contest will be reached.

Despite the short crop last year, the large yield of wheat and high prices for both resulted in the greatest value for the two crops ever recorded, which means that the agricultural sections are prosperous, and other industries must share the good fortune by increased sales of products. There is no cessation of activity at the iron and steel mills, and finished products are forwarded to importune consumers as rapidly as possible.

No improvement is reported at New England boot and shoe centers, where the shops are still running only about have time. There is a little more activity in the grades that declined last week, but no indication of recovery in prices, and other varieties tend downward. Recent advances in leather are maintained, with belting butts freely purchased. Imported hides are scarce and strong, but domestic packer hides are more quiet.

Stocks of textile fabrics are not accumulating, although the markets are extremely quiet. Domestic jobbing trade is fairly satisfactory, but exports of cotton goods are small.

Print cloths are dull and unchanged, with the situation unsettled as to new prints for the fall.

Clothing manufacturers are purchasing woolen goods in moderation only and larger deliveries by the leading company increases the disposition towards conservatism.

Grain quotations made a decided advance early in the week. Subsequently the gain was lost in option trading, although cash corn was firmly held.

Liabilities of commercial failures for May thus far, amounted to $6,573,897, against $6,396,111 last year and $21,135,166 two years ago. Of this year's liabilities $3,358,347 were in manufacturing and $3,146,093 in trading lines. Failures for the week numbered 194 in the United States, against 148 last year and 20 in Canada, against 27 a year ago.

TRERE ARE CASES of consumption so far advanced that Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup will not cure, but none so bad that it will no give relief. For coughs, colds and all affections of the throat, lungs and chest, it is a specific which has never been known to fail. It promotes a free and easy expectoration,

# MARKET BASEMENT A CITY DISGRACE

## Alderman's Opinion Expressed in Committee.

## MORE POWER TO CHIEF ROE

**Tax for Billposters—Amendments to Plumbing Bylaw—More Lights Wanted.**

The awarding of tenders by No. 3 committee last night for the whitewashing of the market basement incidentally called forth from one of the aldermen the utterance that the whole place was "a disgrace to the city." The floors in the meat market above are so defective that the sawdust spread over them drops onto the butter and other provisions in the basement beneath. The basement, however, retaliates by sending its foul odors through the floor above to taint the meat hanging in the market. Ald. Campbell said he would favor the closing of the basement altogether. The other important feature of the evening's session was the preparation for submission to the council of a bylaw giving Fire Chief Roe increased powers in the suspension and dismissal of firemen for infraction of the department's rules. A quantity of other business was transacted. The following members were present: Chairman Winnett, Ald. McMechan, Abram and Campbell, Inspector McCallum, Chief Roe and Secretary Bell.

Chairman Winnett brought in a report on the proposed bylaw to give Chief Roe more power in dealing with offenses on the part of officers and men of the fire brigade. In addition to the power to suspend for various offenses, which the chief already possesses, he would, under the bylaw, have power to summarily dismiss members of the brigade for intoxication while on duty, the bringing of liquor into fire halls, a conviction by any court for intoxication or disorderly conduct, whether on or off duty, and other offenses. The chief's action would be subject to an appeal to No. 3 committee.

Ald. Campbell suggested that appeals go to the council, and that it require a three-fourths vote to overrule the chief's action.

It was decided that appeals go to the committee, and that it require a three-fourth vote of committee to sustain them.

A deputation appeared to ask for an electric light at the corner of Elmwood avenue and Edward street. Ald. Wray, on behalf of the deputation, explained that the street, while one of the prettiest in the city, was wretchedly lighted, so much so that it was dangerous for children and others to cross the street at night, as the trees make the road very dark.

The committee promised to view the street and take action accordingly.

Mr. A. J. Morgan, 1,000 Wellington street, asked that the electric light at the corner of Waterloo and Regent streets be moved to the corner of Wellington and Regent. The committee will inspect the site.

Applications were received from the following for the position of market clerk, left vacant by the death of the late Jos. M. Wilson; E. A. Christian, Alex. Sutherland, Geo. Webb, Luke Parkins, Jonathan Ardill, Thos. Lloyd, Jas. S. Elson, Wm. McCracken, Wm. Saddler, Frank Russell, Chas. McMullan, T. J. Taylor, Wm. Knapton, W. Mason, F. J. Westlake, Henry Smith, M. Baldwin, W. C. Maker, R. Wigmore, John Bailey, Wm. Marriott, Thos. P. Hobbs. They were referred to council.

James Campbell and George Stinson applied for appointment on the fire brigade. The applications were laid over.

The sanitary plumbing bylaw, referred back from council, was taken up. Dr. Campbell submitted two amendments which were adopted. One provided that plumbing may be done by either a master plumber or his assistant working under his direction, and the other provided that nothing in the bylaw should give an official of the city power to enter any house to inspect plumbing without consent of the householder.

Two tenders were handed in for the whitewashing of the market basement. They were: R. S. Duncan, $35, and John Anderson, $29. The latter was accepted.

Engineer Graydon reported that the cost of changing the present archway in the fish market into a stall would be from $150 to $175. One of the present tenants will rent the new stall if the change is made. The matter was laid over.

The committee decided to recommend to council the passing of a bylaw to impose a license fee of $25 per year on bill-posters.

The extension of the fire limits was laid over.

# *Pitless Peaches.*

A horticultural achievement of the near future is likely to be the pitless peach—a novelty which is sure to be popular enough to secure for its originator a large fortune. Nor is the expectation of this desirable fruit to be regarded as remote, inasmuch as the stoneless plum is already an accomplished fact, having been recently evolved.

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## Doubly Blest

Max obeyed, possessed himself of the history which Mrs. Walton had written, and retired to the same chair that his mother had occupied while reading it, while Mrs. Remington, twining her arm about Agnes' neck, drew her closer to her and whispered:

"My daughter! It seems too good—too wonderful to be true. And your eyes are like your father's as she said; your hair, too, and the shape of your forehead; I wonder I never thought of it before. But I did not dream that my darling lived; I have always supposed that some dreadful fate must have been yours before they found your father dead in that forlorn place."

Agnes clung to her convulsively and wept.

Now she understood why she had experienced that strange thrill that went vibrating through her nerves when, long years before, this beautiful woman had stooped over her as she lay upon the platform at the station at Elgin, where she so nearly lost her life, and kissed her upon the forehead. It was the unerring instinct of her nature which had gone out to meet, yet could not recognize, a similar yearning in the heart of the mother. She could now understand, too, why, within these few last months, she had been so strangely drawn toward her; she had even taken herself to task during the week that she had spent with her for allowing her heart to go out to her in such a strong and ever-increasing affection, for it had seemed almost like disloyalty to the woman who she had always supposed to be her mother. She remembered also, though never before had she been able to account for it, how restful and content she had felt—how a sense of peace and security had seemed to surround her when, after her long illness in the —— Hotel, she had suddenly roused to the fact that Mrs. Remington was beside her. It did not seem so wonderful after all that she should have addressed her as "mamma," and now every fiber of her being was vibrating to the music of those two words that she had so thrillingly spoken —"my daughter!"

Neither could say much; the moment was too sacred for many words, but they clung to each other with a clasp that was far more eloquent than language.

Max, sitting by the window, was much too deeply absorbed to pay them any attention. The story which he was reading held all his senses spell-bound for the time, and he was oblivious of all else.

He, of course, knew all the circumstances of Mr. Remington's sad death and the loss of the beautiful little girl, which had so nearly cost his mother her reason, and he could readily understand what connection this written history had with those events.

He finished it at last and laid it down with a wondering sigh.

"Well, this is surely a strange romance in real life!" he exclaimed, rising and going to Agnes' side.

She lifted her face, all wet with grateful tears, and tried to smile at him; but the effort was too much for her strength; she broke down utterly again, and, winding her arms about Mrs. Remington's neck, she sobbed out:

"Mother! oh, my mother!"

She had always called Mrs. Walton "mamma," and Mrs. Remington smiled fondly at the peculiar emphasis which she had laid upon the word "mother."

Max himself was nearly overcome by this touching scene, and had to struggle a moment before he could speak.

"Let me see the chain," he said, presently.

Mrs. Remington passed it to him, and he examined it curiously and critically.

"You recognized the relationship by this?" he said, inquiringly.

"Yes. I myself purchased it and had it marked with the letters 'A. R.,' which stand for Adele Remington, her father having insisted that she should be named for me; and the 2d of Sept. 18— is the date of her birth," Mrs. Remington explained.

"And this clothing?" Max continued, pointing to it.

"Every article is as familiar as can be," replied his mother, laying her hand tenderly upon it. "I took so much pride in having my baby prettily dressed—I suspect every mother does, especially the first one. This flannel was embroidered by a lame girl, who took in such work because she was not able to do anything else, and she was very expert with her needle, as you can see—it is beautifully done. This little undervest I, in a fit of extravagance, gave three dollars for—see how I can remember even the price! The shoes were bought in Philadelphia, just before we went to the springs at St. Louis. But the little cap I made myself. Ah! how cunning she looked in it, with the little rings of golden hair peeping out beneath the frill and just shading her pretty blue eyes. Can it be possible, Agnes, that you are the baby grown to womanhood? And to think that you are going to marry my dear boy! How wonderful it all is!"

Max flushed with pleasure at this mention of himself, for it told him that, in spite of the fact that his mother had found the child whose place in her heart and home he had held for so many years, he was her "dear boy" still.

They continued to talk over the wonderful revelation for some time longer, and then they felt obliged to complete their work, for the day was fast waning and there was considerable yet to be done.

With Max's help they finished their packing within a couple of hours, and then Agnes bade a final farewell to the cozy home where, for a few months, she had been so happy with the woman who had given her a mother's care all her life, and where, too, by her unvarying sweetness, she had won the heart and fortune of the eccentric millionaire.

Mr. Trowbridge was no less astonished than our other friends had been upon learning of the romantic revelations of the day.

"Well, somehow, it seems kind of natural after all," he remarked, as they were discussing the matter during the evening. "Did you ever notice, youngster, that little trick Agnes has of folding her hands when sitting still? Look at her now, and then look at your mother."

Max glanced from one to the other, and, sure enough, their attitude was exactly the same.

"Then there is another thing," continued the observant old man; "when either of them is listening intently, she turns at a peculiar angle a little to the left. I've noticed that many a time."

Yes, now that his attention was called to it, Max remarked it also; a certain tone in Agnes' voice, too, was like his mother's, and he had sometimes been deceived by it.

It was not difficult for Agnes to call Mrs. Remington "mother," her heart had long yearned to bestow the affectionate title upon her, and she had often congratulated herself, of late, that she would soon have the right to do so—that when she was Max's wife it would be expected of her. But now she would not need to wait for that, and almost involuntarily she at once dropped into the habit of addressing her as such.

The days lengthened into weeks, and these, slipping rapidly by, the wedding-day of the young couple drew near. But during all this time nothing had been heard or seen of Laura; she had moved from the place where Mr. Trowbridge had called upon her, and the family often wondered what had become of her.

Agnes often thought of her, with sympathy and regard for her lonely condition; at times she felt almost guilty to be so happy—to have so much of this world's prosperity, while the poor girl had no friends, no money, no home.

Several times she had been upon the point of asking Mr. Trowbridge to settle something upon her—to continue to allow her at least a portion of the income which he had previously given her mother, but somehow her lips were always sealed when she attempted to do so.

She knew that he had no patience with, no sympathy for the girl, for he never heard her name mentioned without betraying his displeasure, and she feared that her plea would be a vain one, even if she could muster the necessary courage to present it.

One day she went to a noted photographer's to sit for some pictures, for Mrs. Remington had insisted that she must have some taken before she went away upon her wedding trip.

After she had decided upon the style of picture she would have, and given her address at the office, she was shown to a toilet room to make whatever change she might wish in her dress before going to the operating room.

She had not much to do; she simply rearranged her hair a trifle, and then sat down to wait until she should be summoned to sitting.

She had waited perhaps five minutes, when some one knocked upon the door.

Arising to open it she found herself face to face with—Laura!

Both girls started and flushed.

Then Laura entered the room and closed the door after her.

"So it is you!" she began, in an insolent, overbearing tone. "Well, how fares it with the old bachelor's heiress?"

"I am quite well now, Laura, thank you," Agnes returned, sweetly, and thinking it best not to notice her bitter sarcasms.

"Have you been sick?" was the quick query.

"Very sick—very near to death."

Laura's eyes glittered with a strange fire, and she might almost have said she wished that she had died, so plainly was it indicated in her manner.

"It seems to me," she continued, after a moment, as she ran her quick eye over Agnes's elegant dress—a beautiful new black silk—"that he isn't quite so opposed to 'folderols' on you as he is when others wear them. I wonder by what clever trick you managed to wheedle him out of his money."

"Trick!" repeated Agnes, drawing herself up a trifle. "I do not know what you mean."

"You needn't tell me that," retorted Laura, angrily. "That wretched old miser would never have opened his money-bags to the extent that he has unless some remarkably strong influence had been brought to bear upon him. Now, I'd just like to know how you did it, for it is a burning shame that you, a stranger, whom he never heard of until last fall, should get all his money; while I, who have a life-long claim upon him, should be curtly told to go and earn my own living. I could strangle you both when I think of it, and of his buying you that elegant place and furnishing it like a palace, and—I declare, if you haven't a lot of genuine diamonds on, too! Where did you get them?"

"They were a birthday gift," said Agnes, evasively.

"Yes, very likely; but who gave them to you?"

"Uncle Archibald——"

"'Uncle Archibald'!" sneered Laura, with a coarse laugh. "Who'd ever think of calling such a guy as he is 'uncle'? He's getting sentimental in his old age, isn't he? Why, he'll be giving you a carriage and a pair of bays next! So you've come to have your picture taken, and you, the heiress, find me an humble servant here to wait upon you! You look very pretty and you will take sweetly; but"—a fierce look of hate sweeping over her face as she thus gave full rein to her bitter jealousy—"I should like to stamp every trace of beauty out of your face, and then see how my noble Maxwell would like you!"

"Laura! Stop just where you are! You have gone far enough."

The words rang out clear and authoritative, but, for all that, sweet as a silver bell.

Laura stopped involuntarily, and stared in astonishment at her companion.

Agnes seemed to have suddenly become three inches taller, and there was an expression in her great blue eyes, as they looked fully into Laura's, that awed the girl, in spite of her insolent bravado.

She admitted, long afterward, that she could never understand what power Agnes seemed to possess over her, but for the time she was actually cowed and rendered speechless.

"I have stood here and listened in silence," Agnes continued, never removing her glance from Laura's face, "to your scorn, your sneers, your insolence. This is plain talk, but you know that I do not deserve any of the abuse that you have just heaped upon me. I have never injured you by so much as a thought. When we were at Mrs. Remington's I believed in you, trusted you as a friend, honored you as such. How you repaid that confidence I do not need to recapitulate. As for my relations with Mr. Trowbridge, they have been as open as the day. He engaged my mother as housekeeper, and we lived with him for a number of months. During that time I did my utmost to make his life pleasant. When he was ill I waited upon him, and performed many little services for him, such as I would have rendered my own father had he been living, and never suspected during this time that he was a rich man. I thought him in moderate circumstances, and mamma and I both strove to make his expenses as light as we possibly could——"

"That's it! That's what caught him!" interposed Laura, looking suddenly enlightened.

"So you perceive," Agnes went on, without noticing the interruption, "that I have been guilty of no trickery. I have simply lived my own natural self—have only tried to do my duty as a Christian. Do not interrupt me, please," she said, as Laura seemed about to speak again. "I want you to hear me out. I intend that you shall thoroughly understand me, once for all. I do not doubt that you feel very bitter toward me, for I can realize that, after having been the recipient of Mr. Trowbridge's kindness for so many years, it does seem hard to have it transferred to one who, until recently, was a stranger to him. But, Laura, it is no one's fault but your own. You might have had all this wealth, you might have won Mr. Trowbridge's affection, if you had only taken the right way to do it; and, to be frank with you, I should be happier if I could share with you what he has bestowed upon me."

"What! Do you mean that you would be willing to surrender any of your recently acquired wealth to me?" Laura demanded, skeptically.

[To be Continued.]

## TWO ROBINS' HOUSEHOLD

### Six Weeks From Home Building To Independence.

**Some Housekeeping Operations in Which No Human Hands Played a Part.**

While April was yet young a pair of robins, bent on housekeeping, chose as the site of their home a spot just beneath the eaves of a suburban cottage. Their choice of this particular spot spoke ill for the intelligence of the pair, for they built the nest on top of a shutter which was held back against the wall of the house by a temporary stay, and might at any moment be swung round so as to bring down the nest. When what the robins had done came to the knowledge of the household, orders were given that on no account should the shutter be moved, and the new housekeeping arrangements went on undisturbed.

The nest, which looked from the ground like a rudely-shaped mass of sticks and dry grasses, was neatly rounded within, and deep enough to insure the safety of the coming small occupants. Looking upward from the window the human inhabitants within the house could see the little robin wife on her nest, that is, could see her head and tail as they projected beyond her tiny habitation. Precarious as the perch seemed, the spot was perfectly defended against rain and the attacks of enemies. The taller children of the human household, by standing on the broad stone window-sill, could peep into the nest.

By the 20th of April there were two blue eggs in it, and a few days later there were four. The robins were absent much of the time, so that the children were able to watch the progress of the prospective family without seriously disturbing the birds.

On the 4th of May there were three tiny young birds in the nest, blind, bare little creatures, nothing more than wide-mouthed digestive sacs. Whenever anyone looked into the nest three yellow mouths were opened their widest to receive the expected worms. A day later the fourth little bird had broken the shell, and the parents were busy bringing worms to keep filled those seemingly insatiable maws.

Oddly enough the parents showed little or no distress when the nest was visited by their human neighbors. Long association with men had made them trustful of their good intentions. Everybody took care, however, to avoid the nest when either parent was actually upon it.

In a few days the naked nestlings began to be covered with coarse bluish pen-feathers, and in a little while, with their astonishingly rapid growth, the nest was full to overflowing. Much of the time an observer from the ground could see two or three yellow bills thrust up beyond the side of the nest.

In the very middle of May one of the human neighbors was horrified to see a little bird apparently fall from the nest. The observer attempted to rescue the little bird from seeming danger, but the next moment all the fledglings came fluttering down, and it was plain that this was the first attempt at flight. Father Robin sat on the apple tree in a passion of excitement, calling wildly to his young, while Mother Robin hopped back and forth on the tulip tree hard by, vociferating instructions.

From time to time during the day the parent birds were seen skimming the ground in low flight by way of instruction to the young. At night the fledglings were found in some way to have got back into the nest. Next day they were out again, and by the third day the nest was definitely abandoned.

The stupid youngsters were seen about the lawns, chipping in alarm at the approach of every human being, and betaking themselves to heavy, uncertain flight when the danger seemed imminent. They were fully fledged, so far as outward show could indicate, save that their tails were ridiculously short. The short tails and round, fluffy bodies led a sagacious young person to remark their resemblance to small owls. The parents still fed the little ones, and watched over them day and night.

Thus, in less than six weeks from the building of the nest, the young were hatched, fledged, taught the rudiments of flight, and set upon the high road to independence. Before the summer is over only a close observer will be able to distinguish them from their parents. The difference in size between old and young will hardly be noticed, and only a person acquainted with the characteristic markings of the young robin will be struck by the difference of parents and children in the matter of plumage.—New York Sun.


**Are You a Sufferer From Kidney Disease?**

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The Irish witness very often contributes to the gaiety of the court-room, and not infrequently, as in the case of one whom the Baltimore Sun quotes, by mixing some truth with his wit.

It was a suit brought by an installment house to obtain payment for some furniture. The defendant, an Irishman, was asked if he knew what "quartered oak" meant.

"Sure, sor," was the quick reply, "it means that it's thra-quarthers polne."


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## Literary Notes.

"The Englishman in Canada" is a series of eighteen humorous cartoons by Mr. A. G. Racey, of the Montreal Star. They picture a young man, a native of the motherland, preparing to embark on a voyage to Canada, which to him is a land of adventure, of Indians and wild animals, and a land with a climate of Arctic severity. He purchases his outfit of furs, guns, ammunition and snowshoes, and starts on his quixotic mission. Much to his bewilderment and indignation, upon his arrival at Montreal, he is taken in tow by a policeman. From that time his education follows in the school of surprises and hard knocks, until finally we have him acclimated to his new surroundings, an enthusiast of the enthusiasts in his praises of the land of his adoption. The inhabitants of Great Britain are slowly becoming alive to the fact that Kipling's somewhat poetic but untruthful phrase, "Our Lady of the Snows" is a libel upon the Dominion. It is to be hoped that Mr. Racey's series of object lessons will attain the end he has sought, namely, to "impress upon the English people in England the advisability of learning something about the kind of country the Dominion beyond the seas really is and what manner of people live there."

The book of cartoons bears the imprint of the Montreal News Company, Montreal, Canada.

The Youth's Companion some time ago arranged with characteristic enterprise to have the picturesque coronation ceremonies in England described in its columns by no less an authority than the Duke of Argyll, husband of Princess Louise. The article appeared in the Companion's issue of May 15, and is illustrated with fine portraits of King Edward and Queen Alexandra. The duke speaks of some of the quaint customs peculiar to a British coronation, and describes the elaborate ritual which precedes the placing of the crown on the King's head by the Archbishop of Canterbury.

It is significant of the feeling of warm friendship existing between the two great English-speaking peoples that the brother-in-law of England's King should be a regular contributor to America's most representative family paper.

In the Century's group of papers on city and village esthetic improvement Sylvester Paxter will contribute to the June Century an illustrated paper called "A Great Civic Awakening in America," recounting what is being done by American societies arganized to create and preserve beauty in public places. The record of achievement in this direction by one association alone, the American Scenic and Historic Preservation Society, is said to be a surprising one, calculated to stir the reader's pride and public spirit. A unique gift to a community is cited in that of Mr. Moses Richardson, a Boston merchant, who presented an inn to his native town of Templeton, Mass.

The Smart Set for June opens with a novelette by Gertrude Lynch, entitled "The Fighting Chance." This story is as interesting as it is valuable. It presents a vivid picture of a phase in the life of an honest statesman, and the theme is treated with great skill by an author whose personal experiences enable her to write luminously of department life in Washington. The love-interest in the story is fascinating, while the plot is absolutely distinctive, as original as it is satisfying. Veyond all this there is the charm of very clever dialogue which permeates the novelette. The short stories are of great variety, but all very human and all of the very best literary standard. A notable story of the most romantic type is "The Tree of Love," by Justus Miles Forman; "An Indiscreet Divorce," by Walter E. Grogan, is a most diverting bit of humor, while "Madame Bo-Peep, of the Ranches," by O. Henry, is a pure love story, altogether delightful; there is also a most strjking story by John Regnault Billyson, entitled "A Swirl of Dust." Caroline Duer contributes a remarkably clever play in one act, "Mr. Shakespeare at School," and there are articles that entertain and inform In equal measure: "The Troubles of the Prince," by Alfred Henry Lewis, and "The Power of Woman," by Henry Collins Walsh.

Again, The Smart Set is distinguished Josephine Preston Peabody, Theodosia Garrison, Susie M. Best, Clinton Scollard and Galett Burgess.

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The June Atlantic Monthly offers an unusually long and varied line of seasonable contents. The series of out-door papers, which began in the May number with the article on "Modern Chivalry," is continued with a paper on "Golf," by W. G. Brown. Domestic and social topics include "The Newspaper Industry," a tranchant paper by Brook Fisher.

Besides these, are papers on more academic subjects. Irving Babbitt contributes a careful and scholarly article on "The Humanities," and Miss Scudder, in a paper on "Democracy and Education," continues her valuable series on Democracy.

The Engineering Magazine for June opens with a sketch of Lord Kelvin—His Work and Influence, by Prof. F. B. Crocker, of Columbia University. It is not a biography, but a personal interpretation of the individuality of the man and the characteristics of his genius. These are pointed out to be the rare combination of scientific insight with practical, executive business ability. The estimate is the more interesting because Professor Crocker himself is of those who "do things."

A seasonable topic, and one of growing industrial importance, is discussed by E. W. Roberts in a remarkably finely illustrated article on Motive Powers for the Modern Launch. Mr. Ackermann compares English and American coal-mining methods, showing how machinery reduces the cost of coal getting; Mr. Carpenter continues his series on Money-Saving Management for the Workshop.—The Engineering Magazine, New York.


## A SKEPTIC CONVINCED

**Didn't Believe It Could Be Done, But Found Out Something Worth Knowing.**

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## FRUIT.

Ye shall know them by their fruits.—St. Matthew, vii., 16.

If we wish to get at the man who hides inside of the man and find whether he is well tempered steel or only poor iron, we must listen to his actions rather than his speech.

Talking is a good deal easier than doing, and one naturally paints a fair picture when describing himself. But if you look at the cold facts of a man's daily life you see at a glance whether he is a saint or a sinner, for deeds have a habit of telling the truth without favoritism.

If we could be saved by what we believe, or what we profess to believe, we should forge our way into heaven without any great difficulty. But that is not the law. We must work our way there, or not get to heaven at all. In a word, we must earn heaven before we can enjoy it. No one can make us a present of it. We must win it by deserving it. My creed will not buy it, but my life will. We must take to the Lord the deeds we have been doing during these years of temptation, and they will decide our future, as they are now deciding our present. You can't get something for nothing in the spiritual any more than in the physical world.

And it is unsafe to depend upon what is called deathbed repentance, which is well enough in its way, because it is better than no repentance at all, but a very poor substitute for an honest life. I do not believe you can have God's approval by simply saying you are sorry for what you have done when the time comes that you can have your own way no longer. It is wise to look at things in the strong light of common sense and refuse to do wrong rather than do it and then see that you have made a mistake.

What I call religion, therefore, is rather a serious thing. You cannot do as you please in any such world as this. There is a law which will not be blinked out of sight. Neither can it be bribed to look on you more favorably than on others. Build on sand, and the house falls; build on a rock and it stands. A child once asked me if two and two always make four. I answered: "Yes, my son, and if you never forget that fact you will be saved many a regret."

Religion must not be mistaken for a frothy sentimentalism which operates in some magical way to swing the pearly gates wide open. On the contrary, it is sturdy, muscular and athletic, giving you in the autumn the result of your labor in the spring and summer. Its purpose is to so educate and develop your soul that you will be happy and contented in whatever planet you find yourself, because you have earned the right to be contented and happy.

Religion is not primarily an emotion, but rather a thought, a conviction, a faith. It is like a bridge that is new to you. You try it doubtfully at first, not knowing whether it will bear your weight or not. But the further you go the more you trust it, and at last you feel sure that it will conduct you to the other shore. there are many things in religion which we do not understand, some which puzzle us very greatly. But the things we see clearly lead us to have confidence even when we cannot see at all. I do not understand the mariner's compass, but experience teaches me to put implicit faith in it even in the storm and tempest.

But some one will remind me that men and women have led the purest lives and still repudiated Christianity. I know of a marble quarry which would be very valuable were it not for the iron rust which has percolated through it. Nevertheless I have seen several large blocks of marble from that quarry which were as white as December snow. The quarry, however, will not pay for the working.

Christianity is a series of the highest possible thoughts, and we have learned that noble thoughts make noble lives. The thought of God, of immortality, of duty, of obedience to law, are creative thoughts. They cannot enter your guest chamber without making the whole household radiant. The sun shines in every life where these thoughts dwell. The natural fruitage of faith in them is a harvest rich in good grain, and, on the other hand, the natural fruitage of doubt is discontent. The farmer who prefers poor seed to good is not wise, and why should he choose the lesser good rather than the greater?

Religion brings peace, resignation, happiness. Therefore we want it. The Master leads in the smoothest road from earth to heaven. Therefore we follow him. If religion gives us the grace to live and the grace to die, comfortable in the thought of eternity and reunion, then we call for it, as we call for food when we are hungry.—George H. Hepworth, New York.

# VERY STRANGE MAINE VILLAGE

### Inhabitants Get Along Without Minister or Priest.

### Queer Community Is Kept Isolated From Outside World for Business Purposes.

Among the strange and primitive communities of people who live in the deep woods of Northern Maine, none is more worthy of note than the farming and lumbering settlement which has been in existence at the junction of St. John River and Chementicook Stream 61 years. The village is in that part of Aroostook county which is known on the map as township 16, range 12.

The families are a mixture of Nova Scotia Scotch and Montreal French, and although the two races have held opposing religious faiths many years, the residents of township 16 have made an agreeable compromise by having no religion of any kind, and get along happily without minister or priest.

Nearly a century ago a few families in Scotland came to Northern Maine, and took up meadow lands along the Allegash, having a patent from the King of England to hold as much territory as they could inclose inside the span of a big moose hide, cut into thin strips and fastened end to end. They killed a huge bull moose, and all of one winter the women spent their leisure time in paring and stretching the strips of skin, so as to make them reach as far as possible. Then the men went out on the crust, in March, to survey the land to which the deed of gift entitled them. They made the shredded moose skin encompass 96,000 acres of land, equal to four full townships of 66 square miles. Then they built a village of logs, cleared up land, and began farming.

All went well until 1840, when Edward Kent, the Whig candidate, was chosen governor of Maine, to succeed Reuben Fairfield, the Democratic incumbent of the office. A hot presidential fight was in progress at the time, and the Democrats, wishing to redeem their state in November, called a special session of the legislature, and organized a new form of municipality, to which they gave the name of plantations, every one of which was given the right to vote in state and national elections. It was hoped that, as the inhabitants of these plantations were strongly Democratic, their vote, added to the regular party vote in the towns and cities, would stem the tide of Whiggery, and redeem the state, but when the November returns came in, and Maine was found to have cast its electoral vote for Harrison, nearly every Democrat in Allegash resolved to become a Whig, out of spite, and those who would not change their politics were compelled to emigrate from the plantation.

Three families packed up their goods and moved west to township 16, range 12, where they have resided until now. Though they cannot vote under a township form of government, every man of voting age is a Democrat, while at the election held at Allegash two years ago the entire vote of 53 was cast for the Republican nominee.

Allegash has a stage line, a post-office, and a root and herb doctor to give a semblance of civilization to its acts, but township 16, range 12, is still in primitive innocence. The nearest doctor, lawyer, or clergyman lives at Fort Kent, 60 miles to the east. There is no church, postoffice or store of any kind within the town. A two-acre plot on a warm hillside serves as a common burying place for the village dead, whose graves are surrounded by a strong stump fence. Every resident is a farmer or lumberman. The crops grown are hay, oats and potatoes, all of which are sold at high prices to the lumbering firms who send crews into the woods. During six months after April and three months in midwinter goods for the use of the families are brought from Fort Kent by canoe or sleds. In the other three months the place is as inaccessible as the moon.

The ruler and supreme dictator of township 16 is Alexander Castleton, who is the richest man in the village, and who, among other property, owns a farm of 1,500 acres, which yields 2,000 tons of hay every year. This is sold to the lumbermen, from the stacks, for $18 a ton. "King Castleton," as he is caled, fixes the amount of money or labor every resident must pay for roads, schools and contingent expenses. He makes the assessments, and his subjects pay without questioning his decisions.

Jean Boyer, who is of French origin and who does a large business in cutting timbers and putting them into drives for the Fort Kent mills, having no sons to assist him, has trained his three daughters to his calling, and takes them to camp every winter, where they have charge of different crews. They are skilled in walking on snowshoes and can handle an axe or a cant dog better than most men.

The company which has bought the land, instead of objecting to having the squatters clear up farms and cut off such wood as they need, is pleased to favor the villagers and do everything possible to make them contented with their lot. Their presence is not only a safeguard against forest fires, which frequently do great damage, but, by raising food for horses and men, the community enables the company to save many thousands of dollars in transportation expenses every year. Hence it is the policy of the company to keep the queer little village as much isolated from the outside world as possible.—Boston Herald.

# The Reward of the Faithful.

The dusty black face bent over the posthole into which the iron digger dropped with power, was as wooden as the oaken handle of the tool itself, but the impassive exterior was but as the ashes that choke the mouth of the volcano—there were fires of emotion within.

Ben's blue check sleeves were wet from shoulder to wrist in the vehemence of his exertions, but his hands could not keep pace with the rush of his thoughts.

Herein lay his trouble: Lurinda, laundress at Locust Hill, going home from "meetin'" the evening before had scornfully refused (for the third time) to name the day she would take him as her second husband—and he had loved Lurinda, with the faithful love of a dull man long before she married Shay Beazley — yellow-faced Shay — with whom she had led anything but an easy life until a combination of whisky and pneumonia made her a widow.

"Lurindy," Ben had pleaded, "whuf fuh yuh keep puttin' me off dat way? I's wait en' wait all de seben yeah yuh mah'ed tuh Shay. Now Shay been dead en' gone tuh glory dese two yeah, whuf fuh g'wine mek' me wait any longuh?"

And Lurinda, tall, stern and gaunt as a bear in spring, but to faithful Ben all that was lovely and desirable, had looked down from her superior physical and mental heights to answer:

LURINDA'S REASONING.

"I's ain' g'wine fuhgit my duty tuh de dead tuh gratify de lub o' no libin' —naw suh—I ain' nigh got de slab obeh Shay, nuh yit de coffin roun' him paid fuh—an' 'twell dey paid fuh, tuh de las' cent, I ain' g'wine let mahin' come in my hade."

Ben looked at the set jaw of his betrothed with a sinking heart. Well he knew it would be many a day before Lurinda could spare enough from her hard earnings to complete the payment on the casket and the oaken slab over Shay; she had the rent to pay and the five children to feed. Yet he dared not offer to help her, for had she not said, time and again, that she would never marry another man who could not give her a home, and was he not depriving himself of everything but the bare necessities to make slow payments on the house with the crooked chimney at the outskirts of Little Mason?

He said no more, but in humility and dejection bade Lurinda good-night at her door.

"I'se waited longah fuh Lurindy dan Jacob fuh Rachel!" he mused as the iron cut into the yellow clay. "En' Lawd knows how much longuh I's got tuh wait wid de poss'bil'ty o' a fine 'oman lak huh uh gittin' uh bettuh chanst den me."

The fence the heavy-hearted lover was building lay between the highway and a sloping pasture-field, in the upper corner of which next the road was the negro cemetery, protected by a tumble-down "worm" fence from the encroachments of the yellow Jerseys in the grass field. The railroad lay, hot and shining, in the Indian summer sun across the southern end of the field. A long freight train, weighted with gray building stone, tore by, leaving a stream of sparks and smoke in its wake.

Ben wiped away the sweat drops as the stifling air grew hotter, but it was not until the two Jersey cows, with bellows of fright, ran by him in a frantic rush for the great ponds which lay beside the fence at the foot of the upward slope, that he observed that the long, dry grass, inflammable as tissue-paper, was a wall of flame.

THE RESCUE OF THE SLAB.

His heart leaped in his throat. Shay's grave with its unpaid-for wooden marker was in the rude cemetery on the hill, close by the tumble-down fence with its corner heaped with dry leaves and dead growth of goldenrod and "everlasting." If that slab was burned—good-bye to his hopes of Lurinda! He threw one quick glance at the coming fire-cloud, then looked toward the graveyard on the hilltop. Could he make it?

Before three seconds were gone he had dipped himself in the pond, and with his ragged cap running rivers of waters and his dripping coat in his hand, was running like a mad thing up the road. The hot air burned his cheeks and took his breath when he reached Lurinda's mound, but with the energy of desperation he wrenched the oak slab loose from its foundation block and wrapped his wet coat about it just as the fire leaped through the fence and caught the everlastings and the short grass on Shay's grave.

The stinging smoke choked and blinded him—the scorching flames licked at his hands, but he clasped his precious burden hard and stumbled into the road. Happily a dozen hurried steps brought him to the great pond with its waters of safety.

After a time Ben crept painfully up the road to his cabin. A gaping crowd of neighbors came to exclaim over him and minister to his needs. Old Aunt Jinny, Ben's best friend, was loud in condemnation of his foolhardy feat.

"Lawd, Ben, you is sho' crazy!" she exclaimed as she bound up his blistered hands and bathed his scorched face—"Dat nigguh Lurindy ain' wuth no sich strivin' as dis, no way en' no how! Now some you niggahs stay heah en' teck keer o' Ben while I go fine Lurindy ez fas' ez my ole feet kin tote me ober de groun'! I g'wine fahly put dat wench tuh shame!"

In the gathering dusk, Lurinda, with withered water-soaked hands and suds-sprinkled dress, made her way humbly to Ben's home.

Ben's eyes brightened up as the angular form of his beloved appeared in the doorway.

"Lurindy," he said thickly, pointing with one cotton-swathed hand to the tall slab leaning against his bed—its splendor untarnished—"Lurinda, I save it fuh yuh!"

THE CONQUEST OF LURINDA.

The tears streamed down Lurinda's dark face—Aunt Jinny had done her work well, and the sight of Ben's bandaged hands was an added prick to her conscience.

"Yuh mout uh buhnt up, Ben," she quavered between sobs. "Yuh mout uh died savin' dat piece o' wood—en' den da' wouldn't been no use o' me livin'! O Ben, I ain' g'wine let dat ole debt stan' between me an' you no moah! En I's ready tuh mah'y yuh now—righ now—ef dat'll mek' yuh any happluh!"

Ben's eyes widened with hope—incredulity—joy. He looked at the downcast fact of Lurinda, then at his useless hands, and opened and shut his mouth helplessly.

"Why, Lurindy, gal," he stammered at length, "I won't be able tuh wuck fuh yuh, fuh uh long time! En' I ain' got de house paid fuh yit," he added, weakly.

"What dat mattah?" Aunt Jinny spoke in a tone of command. "Shet up dat mouf o' youh'n, Ben! Ef Lurindy willin' teck yuh now, don' yuh try tuh puh huh out'n de notion! Can't some yuh niggahs go git de preachuh?" she asked, turning to the other open-mouthed guests.

Volunteers were not lacking, and a little later, Ben, leaning on the arm of Lurinda, with the light of love and the fruition of hope illuminating his countenance, walked down the road to her cabin. A broad shaft of light from the open door fell on the coal-ash path, and five little woolly heads were thrust out to welcome "Mammy."

"Chilluns," announced Lurinda, proudly, as she led Ben in, "I's fotch you uh new Pappy! Breng de cushion' cheer, Smyrna Ann, en' Ned, yuh cn' Zecky ken teck dis dime an' go tuh de stoah en' git some reesins while Loueezy en' Calline sets de fiah in de stove. We g'wine hab reesin cake fuh suppuh. Yo' Pappy pow'ful fond o' reesin cake."—New York Post.

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# Herbert Spencer, or Heart Versus Head.

"For years past, when watching the unfolding buds in the spring, there has arisen the thought: Shall I ever see the buds unfold Shall I ever again be awakened at dawn by the song of the thrush? Now that the end is not likely to be long postponed there results an increasing tendency to meditate upon ultimate questions."

In these words of Herbert Spencer, taken from the preface to his last book, "Facts and Comments," there is that to make us all think.

Mr. Spencer is now in his 83rd year, and from early manhood up to the present time the great man has been engaged in studying and in writing about "ultimate questions"—God, the soul and immortal life.

It is well known to every one who has kept track of Mr. Spencer's writings that he has not been over-optimistic in his conclusions regarding these high problems.

After 50 years of close application to the study of these problems he comes to us with the conclusion that religion was born in the vagaries of savage minds. As for God, he is the "Great Unknowable"; and so far as immortality is concerned, it is a dream, a fancy born in the ghost-crazed brain of some primitive barbarian.

Such, in substance, is the "philosophy" of Herbert Spencer, the greatest thinker since Aristotle.

But there is one thing that Herbert Spencer cannot get away from, and that is himself. With all of his philosophizing there is one thing that Herbert Spencer is unable to do—he cannot dehumanize himself, he cannot hush the mighty motions of his human heart or bring to a pause the deliverances of his "prophetic soul."

In his 83rd year the grand old man is fulfilling the poet's couplet:

"The soul's dark cottage, battered and decayed,
Lets in new light through chinks which time has made."

Intellectually Mr. Spencer is the same man that he always was, but as the sunset approaches and the evening shades begin to prevail the intellect gracefully retires into the background, and in the presence of death the humanity of the man claims the right to have a word; the heart comes in for a bit of testimony; the man, as distinguished from the mere thinking machine, demands that it shall be heard.

The old man watches the unfolding buds of spring and wonders if he will live to see them fully unfolded. Catching the exquisite note of the thrush, he asks himself the question: "Shall I ever hear that sweet song again?" The end is at hand—it can be postponed but a little longer at most, and what then? Is there a tomorrow of death? The ultimate questions!—how shall they be answered?

It is to be observed that there is no philosophy in all this—no science, no theology. It is human nature, pure and simple. It is Herbert Spencer the man, feeling as a man, speaking as a man. It is the old eternal humanity of the man asserting itself in spite of all that science and philosophy may have to say by way of a protest.

Herbert Spencer the philosopher, scientist and logician, cannot prove what Herbert Spencer the man feels, but the man Spencer is at last triumphant, and, regardless of what is proved or not proved, rises up to assert itself and to voice its sovereign claims.

And this is what the man Spencer says: "I am sad. I love the sight of yonder budding trees, and that thrush, singing and swinging on the hawthorn bush, fills me with gladness. I am old, but I love the budding spring and the singing bird as much as ever. Beauty, love, friendship, truth are as sweet to me today as ever they were. And it is almost the sunset time. In a little while all will be ashen gray and silence and oblivion.

"The intellectual man, who occupies the same tenement with me, tells me that I am but a piece of animated clay, equipped with a nerve system, and in some mysterious way connected with the big dynamo called the world, but that very soon now the circuit will be cut and I will fall into unconsciousness and nothingness. Yes, I am sad, unutterably sad, and I wish in my heart that I had never heard of the intellectual man with his science, philosophy and logic."

In the evening melancholy of the greatest thinker since Aristotle there is much to encourage us. It shows us how absolute nature is, and how, in spite of the flights of philosophy and the asservation of logic, it persists in holding its ground to the end.

Mr. Spencer has overthrown a great many things, but he has not overthrown human nature; and, take my word for it, a thousand years from now human nature will be found trusting as it has always trusted, that it will see the buds unfold and continue to be charmed by the song of the thrush.

The belief in immortality and in a moral order of the universe will never perish from the human consciousness; and ten thousand years from now, as has been the case from the beginning, humanity will chant the song of the larger life.

And in the meantime here is human nature, asserting its deathlessness, proclaiming its perpetuity, smiling serenely at the scientist's "facts" and logician's "conclusions," secure within itself, satisfied and happy with its own dreams.

Herbert Spencer, profound philosopher, mighty logician, deepest thinker of the ages—you have wrought well and your name will not soon perish from the memory of men; but in all thy philosophy, in all thy logic, in all thy thinking, there is nothing so beautiful, so bright, so helpful as the sight of those spring buds, as the sound of that bird song which quickened once more within thee the heart which had so long been asleep.—Rev. Thomas B. Gregory in New York Journal.



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# RED HAWK.

Red Hawk was what they called him in the tepee village over the north slope of the Big Horn. At Rawsons he was just "Pete's Kid," and had been ever since the day he had been found on the front stoop of the store with Bones beside him. A cub Shoshone, as Pete said, thin, ugly, dirty, and a yellow cur pup, ugly, skinny and half-starved. Both sad-eyed and indifferent, both used to kicks and curses, but all the world to each other.

Pete adopted both in the eyes of the fort, at least they had full permission to sleep under his front stoop and take whatever scraps of food French Louis, the cook, chose to toss to them from the kitchen door. It was not a pleasant course of civilizing for either, but they accepted it as one of fate's little ways and grew and thrived, and were recognized as permanent fixtures at the fort.

When Jack Ellis came over the range ten years later, and told stories on Pete's stoop one summer night, the Hawk and Bones stood over near the door among the shadows, and the following morning, when Ellis took the road again, he had two unsought comrades.

He had come up from below the lakes, he told the men at Rawsons, from somewhere down in Indiana. Business! Nothing special. Just drifting. Wouldn't mind striking something good if it came his way. People? None of his own exactly. There had been a girl.

Rawsons held its peace and smoked in silence over the hesitation. There had been so many girls.

"Going over the line?" Pete asked finally.

"Maybe. Going to hunt something or other."

The following morning, when they had passed the fort and were out on the clear stretch of prairie, Ellis looked his companions over quietly, speculatively, standing knee-deep in tall, yellow prairie grass that bowed lazily in waves and ripples as the breeze brushed by. The Hawk stood motionless, taking the survey as a matter of course. Bones sat down and snapped idly at a bee on a yellow daisy.

"Shoshone or Rapahoe?" asked Ellis.

"Don't know. Little French, little Canuck. Mother all full-blooded Shoshone."

"Where did you come from before Pete's?"

"Kicked out tepee village. Bones and me."

"Why?"

"Bones steal rabbit. Jim Bad Eye throw Bones in fire."

The boy paused with closed lips, and eyes that looked far away over the Big Horn.

"Jim planted over yonder somewhere. I threw knife at him."

"Come on, kid," he said shortly. "You're all right."

So the three passed on, drifted, as the leader said, over the Canadian line, up through the moose country, up through the wilderness northward, taking their time, hunting only enough to supply food.

"It don't pay to shoot things just to see them die," Ellis said. "I don't like the look of dead eyes when I've done the killing."

There was little conversation between the two. They would sit together at night, hour after hour, beside a campfire. Ellis lying over on a heap of pine boughs, smoking moodily; the Hawk, a lean, gaunt, half-clad young animal, sitting in the glow of the flames, with Bones stretched peacefully at his feet, snoring restfully, until a spark from a rosined knot would make him start and growl sleepily. At midnight Ellis would look at his watch. It was not a handsome one. Merely an old silver-plated open-face, but in the back case there was a picture of a girl laughing. One night the two had been sitting thus for hours. All at once Ellis handed the watch to the boy.

"That's her," he said. The Hawk looked at it long and dispassionately.

"Got yellow hair?" he asked as he handed it back.

"You bet she has, kid," replied Ellis under his breath. "Soft, warm, yellow, like prairie grass in August."

"I saw a woman shot in Rawsons," said the boy after a pause, as he pushed Bones' head away from the fire with his foot. "Yellow hair."

Ellis was silent. He never showed the picture again, but he always felt that the Hawk knew his weak point, and respected him accordingly.

When they reached Forty Mile Creek it was an outpost of the world, an odd corner of earth where the last of the old miners made a final stand against the onrush of modern civilization. It was a pleasant corner, and they rested there. Then one day someone happened to find the root of all evil lying loose in the everlasting hills, and in a month all the world below was shouting Klondike.

Ellis built his shack near the first trench that was sunk.

"We'll get in on the ground floor, kid," he said grimly. "Lowrie sold out for fifteen thousand yesterday what can't be bought for half a million next week. And there's a girl down in Indiana."

While he worked and fought and planned down in the trenches that were slashed like great wounds in the breast of the mountain the Hawk and Bones remained in the shack, cooking and caring for everything, and worshiping as master the tall, deep-chested boy from Indiana.

"It's up to a quarter, kid," he would say at night. "When it's a million straight we'll go out."

Two men came up the river from St. Michaels one day. One had been sick all the way. They buried him decently and divided his pack. In two weeks Dawson had smallpox, and the other stranger took a tumble in front of Ellis' shack. He was a clean, well-bred young fellow, and Ellis liked him. The Hawk and he gave battle to death, and one day the stranger was sitting up outside the shack, and all was well. The mountains were aflame with red and gold, and an amethyst haze hung around the river distances.

"It's awfully pretty up here," the stranger said dreamily.

"Bet your life it is," responded Ellis, warmly. "Wrap that blanket round you, though. You don't want the damp curling up your bones. Going to plant here?"

"I think so," said the other dreamily.

"Come up on business?"

"Yes, a little private business."

"All right. Needn't tell if you don't feel the spirit moving you. Only I like you. Stay right here, where God or the devil dropped you for me to take care of. Any good reason why not?"

The stranger smiled. He had a smooth face, white and clear skinned as a girl, but his eyelids had a trick of narrowing ever so slightly as he looked at one, and when he smiled his lips drew tight across his even white teeth.

"Laughs like ground dog," the Hawk told Bones, and he did not seek the stranger's favor.

But Ellis liked him. He was a clever, brainy fellow, brimful of the latest lore of the world below, not particularly ambitious to all appearances, yet he entered heart and soul into Ellis' plans, and ideas. The shack became his permanent home, and while the stranger shared the firelight with Ellis, the Hawk and Bones sat outside, looking up at the stars, and pondering over many things.

"You have a queer chap in that Shoshone," Hardy, as he called himself, remarked casually one day. "Where did you pick him up?"

"Over the state's line one day. We had a mutual grievance against the world," laughed Ellis grimly.

They were coming up the narrow path that ran like a thread through the woods, up the mountain side to the shack. Hardy glanced sideways at his companion.

"You've seen trouble, Jack, somewhere," he said. "It's the way with nearly all who come up here."

"You, too?" Ellis shot the question at him point blank.

"Nothing special," replied Hardy. "Fight over a girl."

Ellis drew a long, deep breath and stepped nearer to his companion.

"That's me, too. Over a girl with yellow hair."

"Murder?" The other man's tone was light and disinterested, but Ellis caught himself up with a laugh.

"Not as bad as that. We fought fair, only I happened to be the stronger. He knew it, and so did I; only I had a little difficulty in making the world believe it—afterward."

Hardy looked out over the hills to where the Yukon turned into the embrace of the distant mountains, and he was silent. That night he wrote a letter, and sent it out by Cy Danvers, who was going down to Seattle. The Hawk saw him give it to Danvers, but he did not tell Jack. After that, when the two went to Ellis' claim in the morning, Bones and the Indian followed leisurely and watched. So passed a year, and still nothing had happened. The friendship between the two men had become a byword in Dawson, and Ellis had prospered. One night up at the shack, when the leaves were stained again with the frost king's colors, Ellis rose suddenly from his seat beside the table where Hardy sat figuring.

"It's enough," he said, under his breath, walking with quick, nervous steps to and fro, while the small, dark eyes of the Hawk watched him from the corner. "Hardy, I'm going down."

Hardy smiled up at him through the torn, ragged smoke wreaths from his pipe.

"Why not?" he asked lightly.

Ellis frowned. He had forgotten all save the man before him.

"You know what I told you one day last year," he began, "about that girl, and the man I fought fair? Well, they don't exactly take my view of the matter down there. They're waiting for me, do you see? It's free up here."

"But you want to see what she thinks about it?" said the other musingly.

"That's it," cried Ellis earnestly. "That's just the point. She knows I hadn't any bad feeling toward him only so far as she was concerned, and she hadn't promised either. We just made up our minds to fight it out and let the best man have her. And we didn't try any dirty work, either, knives or guns, just took the weapons God gave us and went to work one night after a dance. We were coming home through the woods." He paused and rested one booted foot on the chair he had vacated, as he leaned forward toward Hardy. "There's a big jagged bluff this side of town, and there isn't anything but rocks and river below. It was clear of trees on top, though, and Bob said to end it there. I didn't know it, Hardy. I swear I didn't know he was dead until I felt him go all limp from my arms. Something had snapped. I didn't know what until I tried to wake him up."

"Well?" asked Hardy interestedly.

"That's all. The neck was broken."

"What made you throw him over the bluff, then?"

Ellis shuddered.

"Did I say I threw him over"

Hardy's slim white fingers closed suddenly, and he bit his under lip.

"Yes, you told me before," he returned.

"I didn't remember. Some devil put it in my head that maybe they'd find him down there on the rocks, and think that was how it had happened. So I dropped him over easy." He looked over Hardy's head to where the firelight played a witch game of tag with the shadows. "The eyes wouldn't shut," he added under his breath. "They looked at me as he went over."

"And, of course, some one had seen you fight, and told," concluded Hardy lightly. "Jack, old man, you're a fool. Such a thing isn't a crime. It's an episode in a man's life. Forget the eyes and don't get sentimental. You're a millionaire. Go down to Indiana, and get the girl. I'll go too."

In a week the shack was empty. Two men and an Indian and a yellow dog took the south trail.

"It's too long by the river," Ellis had said. "We'll go to Juneau and take the steamer down to Seattle."

Hardy had kicked against the company of the Hawk and Bones, but it was useless. Ellis had ordered them back, but the next day found them keeping steadily to the trail, and Ellis laughed, and said he wouldn't go back on old chums. The way was long and tedious, and as they neared Juneau his nerve began to leave him. In every posible way Hardy urged him on. It was nearly five years, he argued. He had changed wonderfully. If necessary he could take another name until he found how the land lay. And there was the girl, perhaps waiting for him. But Ellis wavered.

"It was equal, but we each meant to kill if we could," he said again and again. "That's murder. That's what they'll call it if they get me."

The climax came twenty minutes from Juneau. It was dawn and they were breaking up camp. The splendor of the sunrise glorified the whole waking world, and there was the sharpness of the frost in the air, and the touch of its silver on every blade and twig. Ellis stood looking at the eastern sky, when suddenly he turned to the other.

"I can't go any further, Hardy," he said, determinedly. "I'm going back. You go on. The Hawk and I will go together."

Hardy had been on his knees strapping up the blankets. His lips closed in a straight line as he drew his knife and severed the rope from the knot. Then he rose and faced Ellis, strong, young and sinewy, and there was a new look in his eyes.

"You'll not go to Seattle?" he repeated quietly.

"No."

Ellis turned his head from the sunrise and looked into the barrel of a revolver.

"You shall go," said Hardy, between his teeth, "for I intend to take you. We happen to be on good American soil once more. John Ellis, I arrest you for the murder of Robert Kerwin, and if you move your hand I'll put a bullet through your head."

Ellis never moved a muscle, but kept his eyes on the man before him, and a great, terrible weight seemed to press upon his breast as he realized what the meaning of it all had been. A whole year of close, faithful comradeship, partners and friends. He thought of how he had taken the stranger into the little old shack on the mountain side, and nursed him through the battle.

"Did you mean to do it all the time, Hardy?" he asked huskily.

"That was the little private business I came up on," returned the detective curtly. "The other fellow died, you know. That was why two were sent. I took his place. Sit down there on that log. I can cover you easier. In about an hour the party we passed last night will come up and help me. I half expected this ever since we crossed the boundary and kept in their way."

Ellis seated himself on the fallen tree, and again his eyes sought the sunrise.

"You have done your work well," he said, after a time. "I suppose it's right, but, Lord, Harry, it's hard. Why, Hardy," his voice softened, "I'd rather swung for it than had you the man. You don't know how I liked you."

"That girl married another man," interposed Hardy, keeping the revolver in position and reaching for his pipe with his left hand. "I meant to tell you before, but it seemed to be the only thing that would bring you out."

Ellis glanced suddenly at the tree trunk against which he had leaned his rifle. It was gone. There was a tightening of the long sinewy frame, a second's hesitation, then he sprang forward like a panther for the throat of the detective. Halfway a bullet struck him and he fell forward his face buried in the damp thick leaf mold. Before Hardy could move, before the smoke had curled away from his revolver, a second shot crashed through the bushes behind him and the head of the Hawk rose above them, with Ellis' rifle leveled. The second body lay beat to boot with the first, when the Indian stole out into the open space and Bones gave a long, quivering howl as he lay down at his master's side and licked fearfully at one upturned hand. The Hawk stepped lightly past the detective and raised Ellis' head. There was a flask of whisky in the latter's pocket and he uncorked it and forced some between the close-shut teeth, then felt for the heart. It was beating softly.

The minutes passed. Silent and expressionless as a graven image the Hawk sat between the two bodies, his knees drawn up tent-wise, his rifle resting on them as he watched the trail ahead. Once or twice he bent over Ellis and gave him more of the whisky until at length he opened his eyes and looked up at the patch of blue sky shining through the tangled branches overhead. Bones whined, and crept closer to him, and the Indian nodded his head toward what lay on the other side of him.

"Dead?" whispered Ellis, moistening his lips with an effort.

The Hawk bowed grimly. There was a long silence, and the full glory of day had spread over the mountains. The autumn sunlight lay warm and pleasant where the frost had been an hour before, and somewhere off in the hills a bird was singing madly.

Ellis turned his head and looked at the hard, ugly face of the boy.

"Hawk," he whispered, finally, "take my hand, will you? You're white, all right. If he hadn't said she was married——"

The Hawk looked down in his face a minute after and laid the corner of a blanket over it. When the party Hardy had waited for came down the trail it was sunset again, and they were laughing and singing, for the long tramp was nearly over, and each had a pile, and the thought of the one at home to cheer. At the turn of the path they stopped, and the music died away at sight of the picture there. Two stark, silent forms lay side by side and an Indian and a yellow dog kept watch beside the dead.


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It is difficult to say that one is more beautiful than the other, but it almost seems as if the cherry-blossom party must excel in grace and beauty the chrysanthemum function; while nothing can exceed the effect produced by the display of the magnificent and varied coloring of that favored flower of Japan, the cherry trees, by their masses of delicately tinted pink and white bloom, lend a charm to the soft green of Mother Earth and the misty atmosphere, never to be forgotten.

The spring garden party takes place in a park attached to the palace of the crown prince, which skirts the shores of Yeddo Bay, and which is laid out in a most wonderful combination of true Japanese landscape gardening and pretty bits of an English park. Side by side can be seen the traditional little mountain, the small lake, with its diminutive stone bridge, flanked on either side by artistically carved stone lanterns, with the velvet-like turf of a rolling English lawn dotted here and there with goodly sized trees.

HOW AN INVITATION IS OBTAINED.

In order to obtain an invitation to one of these delightful functions, it is necessary to present in person one's credentials to the accredited representative of one's own country, who, after a careful consideration of the papers, forwards to the minister of the household a request that an invitation be sent to the applicant in care of the legation. As the number of guests is limited, each country receives only so many, and the rivalry to obtain the coveted bits of pasteboard is often very amusing to the members of the diplomatic circle. The victors are generally those who for political or social reasons must be looked after by the different legations.

After this, the most important part of all has been disposed of, the next step is to secure a carriage of some sort, for the number of these is so limited that the belated guest, if not provided with one, will be forced to content himself with a jinrikisha, the ordinary conveyance of the natives.

The livery of the coachmen and the footmen is most peculiar to European eyes, and when one first notes it, as the various carriages of the diplomats and foreigners dash by, it causes one to stop involuntarily and follow in the direction they have taken. The trousers and foot covering are in one piece, and end in a heavy linen sole, which forms the shoe. The whole garment is so tight that one feels the wearer must be molded into it. The coat is a loose blouse belted in at the waist, with a strong leather belt with a big brass or steel buckle. This blouse is trimmed with a broad band of some bright contrasting color, passing around the neck and down the right side of the blouse, and crossing over to the left. The sleeves, wide and flowing, are also trimmed at the hands with the same bands; a straw hat, covered generally with dark blue cloth, looking for all the world like a mushroom, and white cotton gloves complete this extraordinary dress.

The invitation requests that the guests assemble in the garden a half hour before the arrival of their imperial majesties, and as we drive through the streets we notice that the crowds are already beginning to gather in order to obtain a view of the court as it passes along the route.

THE ARRIVAL AT THE GARDEN.

At the entrance a smiling official of the household in a gold-bedecked European uniform bows to us in the profound manner of the Japanese, and relieving us of our cards of invitation, waves us within the gates to the care of some gorgeously attired servants, who point out to us the proper path to take.

It is an ideal place, and as we wander through its well-kept lawns shaded by maple trees, ever and anon we catch a glimpse of the sparkling waters of Yeddo Bay. One never sees outside of Japan such vivid shades of green in foliage and grass. This is due, probably, to the excessive rainfall. There side by side are the tender delicately tinted leaves of the fresh maples and the bright green of the young bamboo shoots, and towering over them a few cryptomerias, hoary with age, display a dark color, velvety in its richness.

While waiting we have an opportunity to study the evolution of the silk hat, which was evidently introduced into Japan by Commodore Perry, so varied in shape and texture are those worn. At these two festivals the Japanese must appear in frock coat and silk hat, and as they are only used on such occasions, the most of them are hired for the event. The old-fashioned rough beaver, with broad curling brims, is just as much in evidence as the narrow silk hat of modern times.

APPROCH OF THE EMPEROR.

But hark! the faint sounds of the sweet but plaintiff notional hymn are at last heard, now rising, now falling, now slowly advancing, and we know that it is heralding the approach of the imperial party. There! do you see them. Look at the top of that small hill. Just watch the grove of grand old cryptomerias and you can distinguish faintly the light frocks of the women amid the darker hue of the men's attire.

All the men about us immediately remove their hats and bow very low, while the women courtesy as best they can in the limited space allotted to them. The Japanese keep their eyes fixed on the ground until the passing of the court, but the more inquisitive foreigners gaze upon their imperial majesties directly after bowing. And what do they see? A man of medium height, rather inclined to embonpoint. Like all other Japanese, his feet turn in, giving him rather an ungainly carriage. His forehead is well shaped and his eyes, rather larger than those of the average Japanese, are very clear and show a surprising degree of penetration. His hair, moustache, and the beard which sparsely covers the chin are jet black, and in good keeping with his pale, almost sallow complexion. He wears the uniform of a French general, which is not especially becoming. He walks alone, and a few feet behind him comes the empress, also unaccompanied, in a wonderful French creation of pale mauve brocade, lace and pearl passementerie. She wears a little white toque and carries an elaborate white parasol, returning with stiff little nods of her head the salutations of the assembled guests.

THE IMPERIAL LEVEE.

The emperor enters the pavilion and rests for a few minutes, and then the levee begins.

The mikado makes to each one a complimentary speech, which is returned by the recipient, both being done, however, through the medium of an interpreter; then they pass on and bow to the empress, she also bowing. A few distinguished travelers are then presented, and the levee is over. We proceed to one of the many little tables and seat ourselves, while the men of our party procure for us refreshments from the bountifully supplied buffet. As it is for Europeans, one finds the same sort of a collation that would be offered on a similar occasion at any European court, and the quality and quantity of champagne supplied leave nothing to be desired.

While we are still chatting with our friends, the notes of the national hymn warn us that the imperial procession is again forming, and we take our positions, as before, on either side of the path courtesying and bowing to their majesties as they pass us.

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## Great Earthquakes.

Besides the Charleston earthquake of 1886, in which 41 lives were lost and about $5,000,000 worth of property was destroyed, there have been two other notable earthquakes in the United States within historic times—one near the head of the Mississippi delta in 1811-12, and one in the Inyo Valley, California, in 1872.

The former, known as the New Madrid earthquake was remarkable for the length of time which its phenomena covered. There were several shocks at short intervals for several months, and the while series of shocks lasted for about two years.

The country was sparsely settled and no scientific records were made, but it is related that the alluvial land of the river bottoms was traversed by visible waves, which rocked the trees to and fro and uprooted many. Huge fissures were opened and lakes were drained by the escape of their waters into them. The largest sunken area is said to have been 60 or 80 miles long and nearly half as broad.

The Inyo valley earthquake was caused by a renewed movement along the great fault plain at the eastern base of the Sierra Nevada. The chief shock lasted only a few minutes, but others of less value continued for two or three months.

A tremendous fissure was formed along the base of the mountain range for about forty miles. The land west of the fissure rose and the land east of it fell, several feet.

Owens River was temporarily swallowed up, in the village of Inyo all the houses were thrown down and one-tenth of the inhabitants were killed.


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