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CYCLONE HITS THE CAPITAL HAVOC BY RAIN AND BOLT

Terrific Storm Follows a Sultry Day at Ottawa and Does Immense Damage.

[Special to the Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Aug. 5.—A cyclone struck Ottawa at 5 o'clock tonight and left thousands of dollars of damage in its wake. The day was fearfully hot and towards 6 a funnel-shaped cloud swooped over the city with awful force accompanied by a torrent of rain, much damage being done to goods in windows. Part of the roof of St. Jean Baptiste Church was picked up and blown across the road a considerable distance, while part of the tower of St. Andrew's Church went tumbling to the ground. Trees were uprooted and branches were broken off, and through the air like shavings. During the height of the storm lightning struck the house

of Mr. John Davis, Clarence street, and before the fire was subdued the family was burned out. The loss was \$1,000, covered by insurance.

Barnum & Bailey's circus had just reached town, and the storm struck the horse tent with great force, inflicting much damage, estimated at \$5,000. All sorts of alarmist stories were going tonight. Convents and hospitals were reported burned, and many drowned, but there was no truth in them. The storm hit Lake Deschen hard and many boats were upturned. For a while there was some anxiety of some of the residents. It is not possible to get news from the surrounding district, but it is thought the force of the storm did much damage to the city.

CANCER IS DUE TO CIVILIZATION POURING IN BY THE HUNDREDS

Dr. Senn Returns From Trip Through Africa With a New Theory on Disease.

Chicago, Aug. 5.—Dr. Nicholas Senn has returned from an extended exploration in the heart of Africa, and has brought back with him the results of discoveries which it is expected will throw light on the treatment of cancer.

"After closely observing the condition of health in Africa and comparing the conditions found with those I had observed while on my polar expedition, with Peary, I am convinced that cancer is purely a disease of civilization," said Dr. Senn.

"There is absolutely no cancer among the natives, who are as pure and simple. From that I am led to assume that if we in America had natural mothers, and were allowed to be brought up on the plainest food, the spread of cancer among Americans would be quickly checked. My investigations showed that cancer is not a parasitic disease, but is merely erratic tissue growth, and when we have found a method to ripen the undeveloped tissue, which is a cancer, the cure will be sure and absolute."

Dr. Senn spent three months in the heart of Africa. The conclusion of his travels and studies from an ethnological standpoint is that the African is nearly an unimpaired hamitic race. He is purely animal, and subject to none of the diseases of civilization except pneumonia. The pygmies, he believes, are genuine aborigines, who through centuries of oppression, have lost their speaking tongue and express themselves in the "Click" language, which is understood by the monkeys among which they live.

FIRST FARMER MISSIONARY

Presbyterians Send Him to Work Amongst the Wheels of India.

Toronto, Aug. 5.—C. McKay, of Pictou, N. S., was ordained at Victoria Presbyterian Church, Toronto Junction, tonight, to assume the industrial side of mission work among the wheels of Central India. He is a graduate of the Ontario Agricultural College, and was specially selected because of his knowledge of farming, and the fact that he is the first farmer missionary sent to the foreign field by the Presbyterian Church.

ATTACKED IN EAST END

Young Man Informs Police He Was Hammered Without Good Cause.

About 10 o'clock last evening P. C. McDonald and Taylor, who were on duty at the east end, met a young man who complained that when he was coming out of the King street gate of the Queen's Park, two men came up to him, and one of them struck him a blow with his fist. The policemen did not take the young man's name, but knew him to be a local telegrapher. He claimed that he did not know either the men, and could think of no reason for the assault.

TARRED AND FEATHERED.

Kingston, Aug. 5.—Thomas Hareley, Perth road, living with a woman alleged to be his wife, was seized by a crowd of farmers, tarred and feathered and ordered to leave the neighborhood or suffer further indignation.

A REAR-END COLLISION.

Montreal, Que., Aug. 5.—A rear-end collision between two freight trains took place near Yaudreuil, on the Grand Trunk this morning. A considerable portion of the track was torn up and four cars were demolished. No one was injured.

THE STRANDED MONTAGUE.

London, Aug. 5.—Salvage operations on the British battleship Montague, which stranded on Lundy Island, have been abandoned.

The Japanese have raised the Russian cruiser Novik, which was sunk during the war.

DEATH IN THE ALPS

Five Climbers Meet Death Within the Last Few Days.

London, Aug. 5.—Telegrams from Grindelwald, Innsbruck and Grenoble, announce the deaths of four Alpine climbers and the disappearance of a fifth within the past two days.

WADED INTO LAKE

Deliberate Suicide of Poorly Dressed and Unknown Man at Toronto.

Toronto, Aug. 5.—An unknown man, apparently 38 years of age, poorly dressed, about 5 feet 8 inches in height and weighing about 160 pounds, waded into Lake Ontario this afternoon, and deliberately drowned himself. The body was recovered shortly afterwards. Late tonight deceased had not been identified.

QUEEN'S ENDOWMENT FUND

Expected That the \$200,000 Mark Will Be Reached by the Fall.

Kingston, Aug. 5.—Queen's endowment campaign, being carried on steadily in Western Ontario, but no report as to the present size of the fund has yet been given. It is expected that the \$200,000 will be reached by the fall. Queen's trustees will meet about the 1st of September to appoint a new professor of Latin to succeed Prof. Hick. An assistant professor of history is to be appointed.

A MIX-UP IN ORDERS

Trolley Cars Collide and Two May Die of Injuries.

Worcester, Mass., Aug. 5.—Two of the heavy inter-urban cars of the Worcester and Holden line collided at a state highway crossing, six miles from Worcester, about 9:30 o'clock today. Mrs. Campbell, of Boston, a passenger, and Carroll Adsit, the motorman, may die, as the result of their injuries. The accident was due to a mix-up in orders.

MRS. TOM LAWSON DEAD

Wife of the Boston Broker Passes Sudden Away.

[Special to the Advertiser.]
Egypt, Mass., Aug. 5.—Mrs. Thomas W. Lawson, wife of the Boston broker, died at "Dreamwood" this morning of heart trouble.

Mrs. Lawson was taken ill on June 26, and for a time her condition was considered dangerous. About the middle of July her health improved so much that she appeared to be out of danger, and of late she seemed to be convalescing rapidly. So, however, the physicians of her recovery that Arnold Lawson the oldest son, started yesterday with his bride on a honeymoon cruise aboard the schooner yacht Cygnus.

THE KIRKOVER CUP

Semi-Finals and Finals of the Golf Tourney at Niagara.

Niagara-on-the-Lake, Aug. 5.—The match played by the ladies of the Niagara Golf Club for the Kirkover cup, which was presented by Mr. Harry Kirkover, of Buffalo, finished Saturday. There were four rounds, 16 players starting. In the semi-finals Mrs. Watters, Cleveland, 111, defeated Miss M. Garrett, Niagara, 113; Mrs. Sivenko, Buffalo, 112, defeated Mrs. Hunter, Toronto, 124; in the finals Mrs. Watters, 119, defeated Mrs. Silvertowne, 126.

'T WAS A GREAT GAME

Ten Thousand Witness Shamrock-Montreal Game at Montreal.

Montreal, Que., Aug. 5.—Nearly 10,000 people witnessed the senior championship lacrosse match on the Shamrock grounds on Saturday afternoon, between the Montreals and the Shamrocks, and they had the satisfaction of seeing one of the finest games ever seen in this city. It was fast and exciting from beginning to end, and until the close it was nip and tuck as to which team would win. At the end of the fourth quarter the score was tied, each team having scored seven goals. It was decided to play off, and Montreal took the deciding goal amidst great excitement, thus winning by 8 to 7.

A SERIOUS CHARGE

Alleged Assailant of Little Girl Placed Under Arrest.

Last night about 9 o'clock Mr. Chas. Eggett, who resides on Central avenue near English street, heard a child scream. He rushed out onto the street and there found the little 11-year-old daughter of Mr. George French, who resides at 580 English street. The child was crying, and told him that a man had caught hold of her. Mr. Eggett immediately commenced to search, and a little further down the street found a man whom he knew by the name of Bowers, in a suspicious condition. Eggett notified the child's father, who immediately swore out a warrant for the arrest of Bowers.

Bowers is under arrest and will come up for trial tomorrow morning at the police court.

Civic Holiday in London; How Day Will Be Spent

Forest City Is Advancing With Giant Strides—Some Side- lights of Local Interest.

THE MAYOR AND THE HOLIDAY.

"The city of London is prosperous, contented and well behaved," Mayor Judd said to the Advertiser last night.

"We have much to be thankful for in this holiday and much reason to be proud of the city we call home, for among all the cities of Canada, she is recognized as progressive, beautiful and prosperous. Her public men are doing their share toward the government of the country, and in their own best way her civic representatives are doing what they can to assist in her material and moral progress."

"Much might be done toward furnishing attractions to keep the people at home on holidays, and I believe that the Canadian Club will accomplish this feature by the next civic holiday."

TODAY IN LONDON.

Maccabees' excursion to Detroit, 7:30 a.m., via Canadian Pacific Railway.

Springbank theater matinee and night—"A Woman's Sacrifice," produced by the Lyceum Stock Company.

Moving pictures, Alexandra Park, amusement center of Southwest.

Baseball, Tecumseh Park—Rockets vs. Stars, 10:30 a.m.; Champions vs. Seventh Regiment, 3:30 p.m.

Regular excursions to Port Stanley via the Pere Marquette Railway. Single fare for round trip to all points in Canada touched by all railways entering London.

Civic Celebration.

This is Civic Holiday—the one day of the year when the city of London sets aside to herself as distinctively her own.

There appears to be nothing of special importance attached to the observance of the holiday other than that

COULDN'T STAND HIS AFFLICTION

A Young Blind Man of Quebec City Suicides by Hanging.

Quebec, Que., Aug. 5.—The lifeless body of Louis Goupil, a blind man, was found hanging from a beam in a barn at his home, St. Charles. It is supposed the victim, who was 21 years of age, was discouraged and tired of life as a result of his infirmity, and committed suicide, as the rope which was used had been missing for some time. The deceased had attended a school for the blind in Montreal and was very intelligent.

RUNAWAY GIRL CAUGHT

Guelph Lassie Says She Could Not Get Along With the Folks.

Galt, Aug. 5.—Last evening, Chief Gorman received a telephone message from the police authorities in Guelph asking him to endeavor to ascertain the whereabouts and cause the arrest of a 15-year-old girl who had run away from home in Guelph, and was thought to have journeyed to Galt.

The chief at once set to work on the case, and by 10 o'clock he had located the girl at the home of a Galt family in the northern section of the town.

In answer to the chief's questions, she admitted that she had run away from home, as the result of some trouble with her parents. Being acquainted with a girl in Galt about her own age, she came here, intending to stay with her friend until she could secure work.

The girl offered no resistance on being escorted down town by the chief. The latter, not wishing to lock her up in the cells, allowed her to spend the night in the police office.

The girl is bright and apparently well educated. She said she just couldn't get along with the folks at home, and consequently ran away.

The girl was taken back to Guelph this afternoon.

THE WEATHER

TODAY—MOSTLY FAIR.

Toronto, Aug. 5.—3 p.m. The weather has been very warm today in all parts of Canada, except near Lake Superior, where the temperature has been about 70°. Local thunderstorms have occurred in Ontario.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Minimum—Edmonton, 50-60; Qu'Appelle, 50-60; Winnipeg, 52-73; Port Arthur, 62-70; Parry Sound, 64-82; Toronto, 66-82; Ottawa, 60-80; Montreal, 72-86; Quebec, 64-84; Halifax, 64-78.

FORECASTS.

Moderate to fresh northerly to westerly winds; mostly fair, a few local showers or thunderstorms; cooler by night.

WRECK INJURED ARE DOING WELL

Express Messenger Watkins Most Seriously Hurt.

RESPONSIBILITY NOT PLACED IS DUE TO THE NEW RULES

Dead Fireman Goodhue Was About to Give Up Railroad—P. M. Engine a Total Wreck.

All the injured in the wreck at St. Thomas Saturday morning are doing well. George Watkins, the M. C. R. express messenger, is the most seriously injured. His right cheek bone was broken, he has a severe scalp wound, his nose is broken and one bone in his wrist is also fractured. His shoulders are badly bruised by the jolt he received.

George Hemphill, one of the deceased firemen, who would have been 61 years of age at the end of this month, was one of the oldest firemen in the employ of the Michigan Central Railroad. He had been employed on that road for almost 30 years as fireman, and was a careful, capable man, well liked by all the employees. He was a member of Port Stanley Lodge, A. F. and A. M., and of the A. O. U. W., being insured in the latter organization. Mr. Hemphill was also a veteran of the Fenian raid. Besides his widow, deceased leaves four daughters: Mrs. Proctor, of Kingston, who was visiting at the parental home on Hines street; Mrs. Ramer, Mrs. Fred Jewell, and Mrs. Irvine, all of St. Thomas. Mrs. John McKnight and Mrs. Waddell, of this city, are sisters, and his brothers are John and Charles, of St. Catharines, and Fred, of Grenville, Mich. Deceased was a Conservative in politics, and had a wide circle of friends.

Goodhue Intended to Quit.

Arthur Goodhue, the deceased fireman of the Pere Marquette, was a man 29 years of age. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. George Goodhue, of Port Stanley. He had been living with his wife and three children in Walkerville, contemplated removing with his family to St. Thomas shortly, where he had purchased a butcher business. It had been his intention to give up railroading very soon. Besides his parents, widow and three children, Mr. Goodhue leaves three sisters, Mrs. O'Brien, Station street, St. Thomas; Mrs. Arthur Clark, Spence, and Miss Mary Goodhue, at home; also three brothers in law, Mr. Albert, Charles and Benjamin, the latter being night watchman at that place for the Pere Marquette, and one brother, William, at Ripley.

Who Was to Blame.

The responsibility for the wreck will not be placed until the inquest is held. The M. C. R. had orders to run to St. Thomas, and the Pere Marquette should have waited. It is said, whether the conductor should have run his train out without making certain of the arrival of the Michigan Central train, or whether the operator in charge should have allowed the train to depart will have to be decided. In all probability the accident would never have happened had the train from Port Stanley got a hundred yards further on its way. That would have brought them near the Kettle Creek bridge, but they both would be on a straight stretch of track, and they would have been able to pull up without any serious consequences, especially as it was in the daytime.

Cars Badly Smashed.

When the condition of the cars, especially the Pere Marquette cars, was seen, it was a wonder that any person escaped serious injury. Everyone of them was more or less smashed, but one of two of them were in extremely bad shape. The one next to the engine was a sorry wreck. The tender of the engine was lifted off the trucks, and jammed half-way down the car. There were no passengers in this car, else certainly they would have been killed. The other cars were badly smashed also.

TOP OF HEAD TORN OFF

Young Man Sits Down and Talks of His Approaching Death.

Lafayette, Ind., Aug. 5.—With the top of his head torn off by contact with a bridge while he was riding on top of a passenger coach on the Youngstown Railroad, James Jennings, a young man of Clinton, Mass., sat at the railroad station here today, and calmly discussed with bystanders his approaching death. Although he was alive at midnight, surgeons say he cannot possibly live more than a few hours. A witness saw him here were surprised at his remarkable exhibition of nerve and gameness.

A LABOR CANDIDATE.

Montreal, Que., Aug. 5.—Joseph Ainsley was today nominated by the executive of the Labor party as the Labor candidate in St. Mary's division for the seat in the House of Commons.

Mr. Ainsley is president of the Carpenters' Union.

BRITISH GOVT. HAS DONE MUCH

Made Fine Record for Work During the Session.

IS DUE TO THE NEW RULES

No Important Measure Left Over As Heretofore—All Ready For the Fall.

London, Aug. 5.—If nothing sensational was achieved or no great reputations were won or lost, the new Liberal Parliament which adjourned yesterday distinguished itself as a working Parliament, and the ministers have every reason to be satisfied with the solid amount of legislation done during their first session.

This was largely on account of revised rules adopted early in the session, which proved invaluable from a time-saving viewpoint.

Besides passing the principal measure before it, the education bill, almost all the measures promised in the King's opening speech either were passed or reached an advanced stage in committee which will allow of their being finished at the autumn session, when the Government will propose to appropriate all the time of the House to Government business.

The Irish laborers' cottages bill, the colonial marriages bill, T. P. O'Connor's musical copyright bill and a large number of minor bills were passed, and the trades disputes bill, the workmen's compensation bill, and the merchant shipping bill are all in an advanced condition.

Thus the Government was not in the position so often seen in recent years of being forced at the last moment to throw overboard important measures promised at the beginning of the session.

The Scotch crofters' bill, which, with the Irish laborers' cottage bill, probably will form the basis for a coalition dealing with the land question in England, also was introduced only at the close of the session, and it is hardly likely that it will be proceeded with further until 1897. It goes to greater lengths in the reform of land legislation than even the Irish bills and will be keenly contested by the Unionists.

The feature commanding interest in the autumn session will be the struggle just opened between the House of Lords and the House of Commons over the education bill, and it may prove a historic struggle, for Lord Lansdowne, Lord Alington and other peers are determined to throw out the bill on its third reading if the House of Commons declines to accept the amendments made to it in the House of Lords.

The Government's naval and military programme came in for much diverse opinion, and strong criticism, and much credit is given the ministers for their able handling of the difficult subjects.

Perhaps the men who have obtained the greatest prominence in the public eye during the session just ended are Mr. Asquith, Mr. Churchill, under secretary for the colonies, and Augustine Birrell, president of the board of education. Mr. Birrell, especially, displayed unexpected qualities of parliamentary ability.

As was anticipated, the Government's enormous majority for the session did not show great cohesion, and several times was reduced to dangerous proportions through the attitude of the labor section, and the disposition to divide itself into groups still remains one of the greatest dangers threatening the existence of the ministry.

SAGE ESTATE \$150,000,000

Additional Securities Worth \$50,000,000 Found by Executors.

New York, Aug. 5.—It was stated today that the executors of the estate of Russell Sage were amazed in proceeding with the inventory of his estate to discover \$50,000,000 in securities, the existence of which had never been suspected. It was stated that the estate now amounted to \$150,000,000.

The discovery of an estate in the will may result in delaying the settlement of the estate for many years. The striking out of the "1900," while not regarded as important considered by itself, opened up a wide range of possibilities, which authorities said could not result otherwise than in placing the executors on the defensive, and compelling them to explain why the date was expunged, instead of an entirely new testament being written.

KILLED HIS FRIEND

Birthday Celebration Starts Carousal and Ends With a Murder.

[Special to the Advertiser.]
Vineland, N. J., Aug. 5.—Alexander Cordella, 50 years old, a prominent farmer of East Vineland, shot and instantly killed his neighbor and friend, Nicholas Bert, aged 30 years, early this morning. There had been a birthday celebration at the home of G. Beloni, and Cordella was an invited guest, arriving there just before the party broke up, somewhat under the influence of liquor. Bert volunteered to take Cordella home. When Cordella arrived at his home he suddenly said to Bert: "You came here to fight me, didn't you?" Bert answered in the negative, and turned to leave the yard, when Cordella crept the barn door, and, seizing a shotgun, fired the full charge into Bert's neck, killing him instantly.

The House of a Thousand Candles

BY MEREDITH NICHOLSON. (Copyright, 1905, by Bobbs-Merrill Co.)

I did not know who this girl was, her home, or her relation to the school, but I knew that her life and mine had touched strangely; that her eyes were blue, and that her voice had called to me twice through the dark. I felt a mockery once and in warning another time, and that the sense of having known her before, of having looked into her eyes, haunted me. The youth in her was so alluring; she was at once so frank and so guarded, — breeding and the taste and training an ampler world than that of Annandale were so evidenced in the witchery of her voice, in the grace and ease that marked her every motion, in the soft gray tone of her dress and gloves, that a new mood, a new hope and faith came to me. The sweet heartache I had known as a boy, when mountains sent the first snows singing in joy of their spring first warmed the Vermont hillsides and the release down through the Brooksheds and into the awakened heart of youth.

"She met my eyes steadily. "If I thought there was the slightest chance of my ever seeing you again I shouldn't be talking to you here. But I thought, I thought it would be good fun to see how you really talked to a grown-up. So I am risking my pleasure of these good Sisters just to test your conversational powers, Mr. Glenarm. You see how perfectly frank I am."

"But you forget that I can follow you; I don't intend to sit down in this hole and dream about you. You can't go anywhere but I shall follow and find you."

"That is finely spoken, Squire Glenarm! But I imagine you are hardly likely to go far from Glenarm very soon. It isn't, of course, any of my affair; but I feel perfectly safe from pursuit—and she laughed her little low laugh that was delicious in its mockery."

I felt the blood mounting to my cheek. She knew, then, that I was virtually a prisoner at Glenarm, and that for once in my life, at least, I was ashamed of my folly that had caused my grandfather to hold and check me from the grave, as he had never been able to control me in his life. The whole countryside knew why I was at Glenarm, and that did not matter; but my heart rebelled at the thought that this girl knew and mocked me with her knowledge.

"I shall see you Christmas Eve," I said. "wherever you may be."

"In three days? Then you will come to my Christmas Eve party. I shall be delighted to see you—and I shall think of throwing away a fortune to satisfy one's curiosity! I'm surprised at you, but gratified, on the whole, Mr. Glenarm!"

"I shall give more than a fortune. I shall give the honor I have pledged to my grandfather's memory to hear your voice again."

"That is a great deal—for so small a voice; but money, fortune! A man will risk his honor readily enough, but his fortune is a more serious matter. I'm sorry we shall not meet again. It would be pleasant to discuss the subject further. It interests me particularly."

"In three days I shall see you," I said.

"She was intensely grave. "Not please do not try. It would be a great mistake. And, anyhow, you can hardly come to my party without being invited."

"That matter is closed. Wherever you are on Christmas Eve I shall find you," I said, and I felt my heart leap, knowing that I meant what I said.

"I think my spiritual welfare is in jeopardy. I need counsel—a spiritual adviser."

"I'm afraid that's beyond me, sir."

"I'd like to invite Mr. Stoddard to dinner so I may discuss my soul's health with him at leisure."

"Certainly, Mr. Glenarm."

"But it occurred to me that probably the terms of Mr. Glenarm's will point to my complete sequestration here. In other words, I may forfeit my rights by asking a guest to dinner."

He pondered the matter for a moment, then replied:

"I should think, sir,—as you ask my opinion,—that in the case of a gentleman in holy orders there would be no impropriety, Mr. Stoddard, as a final gentleman, I hear your late grandfather speak of him very highly."

"That, I imagine, is hardly conclusive in the matter. There is the executor."

"To be sure; I hadn't considered him."

"Well, you'd better consider him. He's the court of last resort, isn't he?"

"Well, of course, that's one way of looking at it, sir."

"I suppose there's no chance of Mr. Pickering's dropping in on us now and then."

He gazed at me steadily, unblinking, and with entire respect.

ODD FINDS IN MUMMY CAVES

Treasures in the Waste Paper of the Ancients.

UNEARTHED BY DR. GRENFELL.

Extraordinary Perfection of Organization of Official Life in Egypt in Ptolemaic Days.

London, Aug. 5.—W. St. Chad Boscawen has the following interesting article on the human interest in the life of centuries bygone, in the London Tribune:

The exhibition of the Graeco-Roman branch of the Egypt exploration fund, which forms the second portion of the society's exhibition at King's College, is one which will be found of the greatest interest to all lovers of literature. The work of Drs. Hunt and Grenfell in the Fayoum has resulted in bringing to light a totally undreamt-of wealth of literary material from the rubbish-heaps or waste-paper baskets of Graeco-Roman Egypt.

Although this year we do not find any such grand find as the "Sayings of Jesus," there's a number of fragments of the greatest interest to the classical scholar and historian. These fragments come chiefly from Oxyrhynchus and from El Hibet near Beni Suef, the majority of the papyrus from the latter having been taken from the cartonnage of mummy cases of the Ptolemaic age. Among the classical fragments are portions of "Iliad" or "Odyssey" of Homer, of works of Pictor and Euripides and several unknown authors. In this section of literature one fragment of especial value is a treatise on musical criticism, which with reasonable certainty may be attributed to Hipponas. It is a most scathing attack on the pedantic school of Damon the Aelianian. In biting sarcasm it is equal to any produce of modern journalism, as the following extracts will show:

It has often been a surprise to me, men of Hellas, that certain persons who make displays foreign to their own arts should pass unobserved. They claim to be musical and select, and compare tunes, bestowing indiscriminate praise on some, blame on others. They assert that certain tunes make us temperate, others wise, others just, others cowardly, etc.

But, as is often the case, the sting of the criticism is in the tail: Such is their confidence that they waste all their tunes upon the strings, harping worse than the worst harpers, singing worse than the worst singers, making comparisons worse than the worst rhetoricians, and, in fact, doing everything worse than anyone else.

This is certainly a gem of criticism worth rescuing from the packing of a mummy case.

Passing to documents of a more general character, we have of considerable historical value. It relates to the process regarding the theft of a temple seal by a certain Chemesenis and his son. The high priest who makes the charge accuses the robbers of having taken the seal in order to use it for the letters of a certain Manetho; from the indications of the high position of this latter person and the date 241 B. C., it would appear that we have here a reference to the great Egyptian historian and chronologist.

Another document comes as a surprise as showing the perfect organization of official life in Ptolemaic times, being dated 255 B. C. It is evidently the day-book of the registered letter office of the postoffice of Fayoum. In it are recorded the day and hour at which certain letters for the King or Government officials reached the office. Here we have the name of the postman who brought them, the official who received them, and in the case of letters containing money or orders, for money or corn bills, the name of the money carrier by whom they were dispatched. As Dr. Grenfell says: "The day-book of a modern postoffice could be no more accurate in its entries."

Among the documents of more human interest are letters for money receipts for rent, records of the payment of the police tax, and the tax for the district medical man. The labor question was then to the fore, and we have the letter of an agent to the governor of the district complaining of a strike of quarrymen and asking for their arrest. The housekeeping accounts of a steward to his master are full of quaint items: Milk for the children, oil for lamps, medicine, string and vegetables. Then several documents relating to the beer and wine trade, and a curious calendar of the Saite nome, which is of considerable value as a test for the wandering year. The collection is one which serves to show the immense literary activity in Egypt, and the perfect bureaucratic organization in the centuries immediately preceding and following the Christian era.

Washington is practically the only national capital that has no slums at all, but Berlin runs it close in this respect.

The prairie dog is one of the most dainty of animals. It makes for itself a fresh bed of straw every night.

WOULD RESTRICT SUNDAY TRADING

A Joint Committee of British Houses Issues Report—Law Not Properly Enforced.

London, Aug. 4.—A joint committee of the House of Commons and House of Lords has issued a report on Sunday trading. The committee says it is convinced of the great importance of maintaining Sunday as a day of rest, not only on religious and moral grounds, but as necessary to the preservation of the health and strength of the community.

The committee is satisfied that Sunday trading is likely to continue to increase unless prevented. It recommends the payment of small costs for a second conviction and a fine of £25 for a third and subsequent conviction. If Parliament should pass prohibitive legislation the committee recommends the exemption of certain refreshments and also of newspapers, magazines, medicine, milk and cream.

On the subject of by-laws the committee is of the opinion that the sale of bread, fish, fruit, vegetables, meat, and ice should be allowed during part of the day, and that dealing in tobacco, etc., should be restricted to the hours in which the sale of liquor is allowed. Jews should be allowed to sell Kosher meat and Jewish bread till midday.

The committee, in conclusion, says it believes that were the Sunday closing law, as it now exists, effectually enforced, and the many shops now illegally open were closed, it would constitute protection to many who are virtually compelled to work on Sundays.

SHOOTS FROM WINDOW

Clemenceau, French Minister of Interior, Leads a Strenuous Life.

Paris, Aug. 5.—George Clemenceau, French Minister of the Interior, practices the strenuous life. He is physically the most powerful minister in the cabinet, and his daily routine reflects the energy of his nature.

Rising every morning at 5, he is at work before Paris is awake. M. Clemenceau's garden is a fine one, and in summer he has his window open, commanding a view of the flower beds. He keeps a loaded revolver handy, to shoot at rats and other vermin which attack his rose bushes or his poultry. Should he, on glancing out of the window, see a rat, he puts a bullet into it with unerring aim, for he is the deadliest shot in Paris.

The minister's two dogs have learned to jump out of the window on hearing the revolver speak, and retrieve the "game."

THE FALL EXHIBITIONS

Dates of "Western" and Other Noted Fairs.

THE WESTERN Sept. 7-15.
Stratford (Ont.) Aug. 8-9
Canadian National (Toronto) Aug. 27-Sept. 1
East Elgin (Aylmer) Sept. 8-7
Central (Ottawa) Sept. 7-15
Central (Guelph) Sept. 11-13
Stephen & Osborne (Exeter) Sept. 17-18
Strathroy (Strathroy) Sept. 17-19
Stratfordville Sept. 19-21
Woodstock Sept. 19-21
Petrolia Sept. 20-22
West Lambton (Sarnia) Sept. 24-26
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Delaware Oct. 3
Forest Oct. 4-5
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Secretaries of Ontario associations should send to The Advertiser as early as possible, the dates of the fairs in their section of the country, and give notice of any change or correction in the dates given above.

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FLORY—At his late residence, 256 Grosvenor street, on Saturday, Aug. 4, 1906, Samuel Flory, aged 73 years and 4 months.

MCCANDLESS—In Hyde Park, on Aug. 4, 1906, John McCandless, aged 70 years.

ROBERTSON—In this city, on Aug. 4, 1906, Curry Robertson, beloved husband of Mary Robertson, aged 75 years and 6 months.

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LONDON, MONDAY, AUG. 6.

This is London's civic holiday. It is a compliment citizens pay themselves in their corporate and collective capacity, and it makes an appeal to the pride they should feel in the place they designate as home. The municipality of London is nothing more or less than the citizens of London, but it may be doubted whether all of them appreciate this distinctly. Too many are prone to regard "the corporation" as something extraneous, which merely exists to collect taxes and spend them in providing light, water, fire protection, sewers, pavements and other necessary services. They feel no special or personal concern in civic affairs unless their taxes are higher than usual or they have some real or imaginary grievance. There are many things that would be done a great deal better if there were a keener sense in the community of the privileges and duties of citizenship.

The citizens of London, and hosts of her sons and daughters scattered far and wide, are proud of her beauty, her growth, her proud position as the metropolis of the most favored portion of Ontario. This pride and affection originated the home-coming movement, which has since spread over the continent. The first London "old boys" reunion was the precursor of all gatherings of this nature. But there is room for a greater spirit of combination, a keener co-operation in promoting the welfare of the Forest City and a more intelligent interest in municipal problems. The city is beautiful, and grows more beautiful, not because the foresight which planned it on so generous a scale has been followed by only enlightened and continuous civic policy, but because the average citizen has taken a pride in his own premises. He has planted shade trees and likes a well-kept lawn, and in London every householder may have these things.

The people of London have a special interest in the London and Port Stanley Railroad—it is their own—and naturally the excitement over Saturday's calamity was somewhat out of proportion to the extent of it. In the matter of accidents, the record of the road compares very favorably with that of other railway systems. The responsibility for Saturday's collision will be fixed by official inquiry, and there will be less likelihood of such a mishap occurring again, as any defects in the dispatching system will be remedied, and the train hands will be doubly careful in future. It was the first accident of the kind and it need not prejudice the road in the minds of the thousands of Londoners who regularly go to the lake-side, especially during the present month.

The weakness of the water pressure during the hours when the lawn services are in use is a warning that the question of the water supply cannot be much longer postponed. The rate-payers in January rejected the proposal to build a second main, regarding it as placing the cart before the horse to spend a large amount of money for that purpose before the supply of water at Springbank had been increased. Doubtless they were ready to vote money to make certain of finding the extra supply. They had the assurance of engineers that sufficient water could be obtained in the neighborhood of Springbank to meet the city's demands for many years. Probably we shall some day have to resort to river water for fire, street watering, and industrial purposes, but before that happens the resources of Springbank should be exhausted. These are now being tested, and it is to be hoped the water commissioners will soon be able to lay data before the citizens so that they may vote more intelligently than in January last.

Every now and then some politician or newspaper revises the story that the eastern division of the new transcontinental railway will never be built, or if built, will never be operated by the Grand Trunk Pacific. Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson gives this story its quietus in an interview at Quebec. The scheme as at first conceived was to build a railroad in the Northwest and connect it with the Grand Trunk system in the east. "Sir Wilfrid Laurier, with his usual sagacity, saw a much larger enterprise that would benefit the whole Dominion of Canada," said Sir Charles. "He proposed the larger scheme, and from that moment the Grand Trunk Railway and the Dominion Government became partners in the larger undertaking. We mean to carry out our share of the contract in an honorable manner. The eastern sections of the Grand Trunk Pacific are altogether in the hands of the Government to build and finish. So far only two sections are under way from Winnipeg to Lake Superior. The only thing that will retard the Govern-

ment work from Winnipeg to Quebec will be the scarcity of labor. We are under a heavy lease in regard to the eastern section, therefore the great bulk of the traffic and trade that we will handle for the Northwest must go over the eastern section.

"It is childish," Sir Charles added, "to bring up the port of Portland in discussing the future Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. We are under obligations to carry the trade of the Canadian Northwest through Canadian ports, and the great bulk will come over the eastern lines and find their terminal exists at Quebec in summer, St. John, N. B., and Halifax, N. S., in winter, and if we do not consider the heavy lease we are under we would be only doing ourselves injury. We mean to be loyal to the Government and to our obligations."

From several points in the Province come reports of women being on the hunt of runaway husbands, who left them in the old country, and have since neglected their homes and families. The number of such cases is apparently very large, and if a census could be got of the grass widows it would surprise most people. Magistrates are not disposed to look with leniency on offenders of this kind when brought before them, but many a hard working, faithful wife has no remedy, and her rascally spouse goes unpunished in this new land, while she has to wrestle with the problem of supporting herself and children, often under the most disheartening of circumstances. The only thing that can be done in this country is to make it hot for the delinquents when they are discovered.

The best point made against the use of tobacco by juveniles is the statement of the select committee of the House of Lords that there are no signs of physical deterioration among girls, because girls are entirely free from the tobacco habit. It causes no surprise therefore that the Lords committee propose to make it a penal offense for any boy under 16 to use tobacco.

The member of the Dominion railway commission who got locked into his office by the janitor, and the Cabinet Minister who was similarly imprisoned in the Parliamentary library, had a bad half hour before they were released. Perhaps they will lay the lesson taught to heart, and in these dog days, at any rate, strive to obey the rules of the union which do not favor long hours, even in the civil service.

Toronto authorities have resolved to put down the footloose conduct of men who persist in carrying children on the handles of their bicycles. It should not be necessary to have a bylaw to prohibit so dangerous a custom. A man's common sense should warn him against a practice which might result in his being sent to the penitentiary for a long period for manslaughter.

MARRIED LIFE.

[New York Sun.] Mrs. Knicker—So she has settled down to prosaic realities?

Mrs. Bucker—Yes, she has found it is harder to get a jewel of a cook than a solitaire.

LIFE IN ARGENTINA.

[Washington Post.] At the National is W. S. Blackburn, of New York, a capitalist who recently returned from a business trip to Argentina.

"Because Argentina occupies about the same relative position south of the equator that the United States occupies north of the equator, Buenos Ayres has the same climate as Charleston, S. C.," said Mr. Blackburn. "During four months out of the year the million inhabitants of the city amuse themselves at the races. They do not have so good a breed of horses there, but the sport is just as good and is well patronized. Some of the Spanish women I saw there were as beautifully gowned as any women I have ever seen. The national sport is cricket, which has been taught the people of Argentina by the English. They play it a great deal. The hours of work are about the same as ours. The food is very good. The meat is the best in the world."

CAUTIOUS.

[Milwaukee Sentinel.] "Young man," said the old lady with eyeglasses in the drug store, "be you a regular clerk here?"

"Yes, ma'am; I'm a regular clerk."

"Be you registered?"

"Yes, ma'am."

"Know all about putting up prescriptions?"

"Yes, ma'am."

"Never make no mistakes?"

"No, ma'am."

"Well, I guess I'll trust you. Gimme five cents' worth of camphor."

HOW JAPAN WAS SAVED.

[North American Review.] Had America not willingly joined hands with England in the spring of 1904, when Japan made the first attempt to secure foreign loans for the purposes of the war, an appeal which, until America showed its willingness, even eagerness to co-operate, was met in England not over-enthusiastically, and had the two nations not so readily opened their money markets to every succeeding Japanese war loan, nothing could have averted the financial and economic ruin of Japan at a comparatively early stage of the struggle.

QUITE THE REVERSE.

[Punch.] First Friend (on deck of ocean steamer, to sea-sick companion): Have you dined, old man?

Second Friend (faintly)—On the contrary!

THE DIAMOND YEAR.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]

Last year \$25,000,000 worth of diamonds were imported into this country. In 1897 the imports were slightly less than \$2,000,000. Nine years of prosperity mean seventeen times as much money spent for this article of luxury. Here is a whole history of American spending money in a nutshell.

Diamonds make up normally from two-thirds to seven-eighths of our imports of jewelry. Last year the jewelry imports reached a total of a little over \$40,000,000. In the early '90s they ranged somewhat under \$15,000,000 a year. In the hard times they fell to as low as \$3,500,000. Since 1898 they have been steadily climbing upward from \$10,000,000 to the present record figure.

The Kafirs in the diamond mines of South Africa get \$1.20 a day. There are five mines in the rich territory that yield from \$17,000 to \$42,000 worth of diamonds a day. The price of diamonds is "boosted" 5 per cent several times each year. The people of the United States in prosperous times buy upward of nine-tenths of all the diamonds bought in the world. The more they have the more they seem to want.

The sermons in stones have not ceased to be available.

HE COULDN'T GET OUT OF IT.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]

"Quite a lavish display of wedding presents, isn't it?"

"Yes, I don't know that ever saw so many beautiful ones before."

"Idiotic, though. What do the people who gave them care for the bride and groom?"

"Present merely did so for the purpose of showing off. If the cards of the people who gave these things were not attached to them I'll bet you nobody would have brought anything more lavish than a 50-cent spoon. They don't get me to make a fool of myself in that way. Why should these young simpletons who are getting married be stocked up with enough stuff to start a jewelry store? Did you give 'em anything?"

"Yes, I gave them that \$500 check over there. You see, I am the girl's father and couldn't very well get out of it."

WICKED ALL THE WEEK.

[Philadelphia Press.]

Mrs. Nexdore—Yes, we consider piano playing wicked on Sundays.

Mrs. Peppery—Glad to hear it. That's what we consider your daughter's on week days.

FINANCE.

[Catholic Standard.]

"Say," began Borrowings, "lend me a fiver, will you?"

"See here," replied Markley, "if you would only save your own money you wouldn't have to borrow from your friends."

"But by borrowing from my friends I do save my own money."

HIS SUBLIME NERVE.

[Chicago Tribune.]

"Excuse me fur askin' ye, ma'am," said Tufford Knutt, removing his tattered remnant of a once glorious hat, and making his best bow, "but hev ye been away on yer summer vacation yit?"

"No," answered the woman of the house. "What do you want to know that for?"

"Cause, ma'am," he rejoined, stiffening up and bringing to view the dejected remains of a shirt collar, "we've do go away fur de summer yit!"

"Want somebody of good moral character to take keer o' yer house, an' I'd like to apply fur de job."

EITHER WOULD FIT.

[Philadelphia Ledger.]

"They asked that expert a hypocritical question about a column long."

"You mean 'hypocritical,' don't you?"

"Well, it may have been that, too."

MEETING PEOPLE.

[Baltimore American.]

"Did you run across anybody in that automobile tour?"

"We ran 'em down first and then ran across 'em."

HER WIDE EXPERIENCE.

[Cleveland Leader.]

Dottle—I wonder if a blonde is more attractive to men than a brunette?

Lottle—Ask Tottle; she's been both.

MUTATIONS OF POLITICS.

[Montreal Star.]

When Mr. Winston Churchill, war correspondent, slipped over the prison wall in Pretoria, a trifle over a half-decade ago, and began his adventurous journey through the jungle to the coast, it is not at all likely that his Boer guards who lamented his escape so loudly dreamed that in less than half a decade after the close of the war this same Mr. Winston Churchill, as the Under Secretary for the Colonies in a Liberal Government, would be conferring a representative parliament upon the Transvaal in which Boer and Briton would have votes of equal value.

When Lord Randolph Churchill, as the leader of the Fourth Party between 1880-1885, taught his more or less docile follower, Mr. Arthur Balfour, the high value of strong language in opposing the proposals of any Government—and especially of a pacific one—and installed in him a contempt for the moderation of the then "front bench" of the Conservative Opposition, neither did he dream that this same Arthur Balfour would one day apply this lesson as the titular leader of another Conservative Opposition by denouncing as a "reckless and audacious experiment" a proposal made from the Liberal "front bench" by no less a person than Lord Randolph's own son.

Politics bring some odd transformations of the kaleidoscope. To Lord Randolph, the most sinister influence in the then Liberal party was Mr. Chamberlain and the Birmingham "caucus." Gladstone was an old man, but Chamberlain was a coming force. To Winston Churchill, Chamberlain and the Birmingham "caucus" are still the most sinister and powerful influences which he has to fight; but both the Churchills and the Chamberlains have crossed the House. The Churchill speaks from the Liberal benches, and the Chamberlain from the Conservative.

GRAND DUKES'

BLACK RECORD

Vladimir the Most Reactionary, Alexis a Drunkard, Boris a Rouse—Cyril's Romance.

Paris, Aug. 2.—Vladimir is the most reactionary of all the grand dukes, and is no doubt the strongest character among them. None of his brothers or cousins have his ability or his nerve or determination, and he made a military reputation in the war with Turkey, where Gen. Frank V. Greene, of the United States army, now living in Buffalo, was one of his aides-de-camp.

Vladimir resigned the command of the army last fall, when his son Cyril was cashiered and banished by the czar for marrying Victoria Molloy, the divorced wife of the Grand Duke of Hesse, brother of the Czarina. Cyril had not been forgiven, and is not likely to be as long as the Empress and M. Pobledonosteff, procurator of the Holy Synod, have anything to say on the subject, and present they are perhaps the most influential persons at court. Although the marriage was performed by an Orthodox priest at Munich, and the bride was admitted to the communion of the Greek Church, upon confession before the ceremony, the Holy Synod at Constantinople's instigation, has decreed that the canonical law of the church was violated, and the Czarina is not likely to permit the divorced wife of her brother to appear at court. The couple are now living at Coburg, Germany, where Cyril has purchased a estate. They will not suffer anything more severe than social privations, however, because Cyril has an income of nearly \$150,000 a year, and his bride has at least \$25,000 more.

It was a long love-story. The Princess Victoria is the daughter of the Duke of Edinburgh and a grand-daughter of Queen Victoria of England. She and Cyril were lovers when they were children; they were engaged for several years, but their marriage was forbidden on both sides because her family are Protestants. She was married, by the usual arrangement among royal families, to the Grand Duke of Hesse, a boor, gambler and rouse, from whom she obtained a divorce three years ago. As soon as she was free Cyril again wanted to marry her, but was forbidden, and went to the Japanese war as an aide to Admiral Makaroff, commander of the Russian fleet, who was drowned when his flagship, the Petropavlovsk, was sunk by a Japanese torpedo, April 13, 1904. You will remember that Cyril was on the bridge at the time the ship struck, escaped by swimming, and was rescued by a Russian torpedo boat. He returned home a popular hero, and shortly after joined the Princess Victoria on the Riviera, where she was the guest of the ex-Empress Eugenie. There the marriage was arranged, and Victoria went to Munich, where there is a Greek congregation, to receive religious instruction and admission into the Orthodox Church.

After the marriage Cyril came to St. Petersburg to ask the benediction of the czar, but did not obtain it. By a ukase, which was published in the Official Gazette in October, 1905, and sent to every government in Europe, he was deprived of all rank, titles and honors, and perpetually banished from the Russian Empire. He is the eighth prince of the house of Romanoff who has suffered the same penalty for the same offense.

The morals of the grand dukes as a rule are very bad, but it does not seem reasonable or just to punish them for marrying the women that they should marry. Vladimir, the father, has a reputation that is known to everybody in Russia, but it is not as bad as that of his brother Alexis, who is entirely discredited as a drunkard, a rouse, a gambler and a generally worthless fellow. The Grand Duke Boris, the second son of Vladimir, who visited Chicago several years ago, is following the footsteps of his uncle, Alexis, but Andre, the third son, is well spoken of as an honorable gentleman of high principles, good habits and a brave soldier. The only daughter is the Crown Princess of Greece, who for several years before her marriage gave the gossips of the court plenty of topics to talk about.

MAY BURN HER TREASURES.

Threatens Expensive Bonfire Unless Somebody Stops Foreclosure.

Paterson, N. J., Aug. 4.—The troubles of Mrs. John Bailey Miller, of Hoboken, have reached such a pass that she threatens to take all her expensive furniture, bric-a-brac and pictures, which she has been collecting for the last 25 years, into a field adjoining her home, and set fire to them, unless someone come to her aid and prevents the foreclosure of a \$15,000 mortgage on her home.

Mrs. Miller was related to the late Jay Gould, and she is well known for her eccentricity. She owns the Jefferson homestead at Hoboken. Her husband refused to back her in her expensive tastes for fads, and the outcome was a suit for divorce which is pending. Mr. Miller pays his wife \$60 a week. She is also suing her husband's brother, David S. Miller, and his sister, Mrs. Wm. Noyes, widow of the Rev. William Noyes, former pastor of St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Haledon, for \$100,000. She says they are responsible for the alienation of her husband's affections.

The mortgage on the Jefferson farm is in Mrs. Miller's name. She had an understanding with Joseph Jefferson that there would be foreclosure of the mortgage while the actor was living. The farm is worth \$24,000. The house on the place is more than 100 years old, and is surrounded by 50 acres of good land, on which Mrs. Miller has housed a score of cats and many dogs, foxes, raccoons, Belgian hares and a flock of Muscovy ducks. There are a dozen buildings on the place.

The house is filled with valuable tapestries, furniture and rare household goods and decorations. Not over two months ago Mrs. Miller was offered \$25,000 for the furniture alone. She believes she is the victim of persecution by her husband's family, and will not sell any of her effects to pay the liabilities of the farm. The mortgage is due on Aug. 15.

J. H. CHAPMAN & CO

August Opportunities Throughout This Big Economy Store.

Right in the heart of summer is the time when we do our most delightful business campaigning. It's the time when we feel more like opening wide the throttles of this big store. The reason we are delighted to do business at such a quickstep now is because we can contribute to the comfort of the people perhaps more than at any other time through the year.

There are cool things, such as wash goods, waists, the cool underwear and the cool outerwear—all these things go to contribute to the happiness of the human world during the extended heated period.

The mental attitude of this store towards the midsummer period is one of anticipated pleasure and entertainment. This store is entertained when it serves the people to such good purpose. This store is delighted when it is in position to bring comfort and economy at the same time to its purchasing public. If you miss a single one of these advertisements during the next three weeks you will be the loser, because there will not be a single one of these published reports of what is going on at this big store but will contain something that will be of interest and profit to you. That's an absolute fact. Tomorrow will be one of those elegant exploitations of midsummer merchandise at the popular economy prices this store is celebrated for.

Come tomorrow, and if you have any friends who may have been spending the holiday with you bring them along and take a look over our counters and bargain tables. You are welcome to look or buy as you please.

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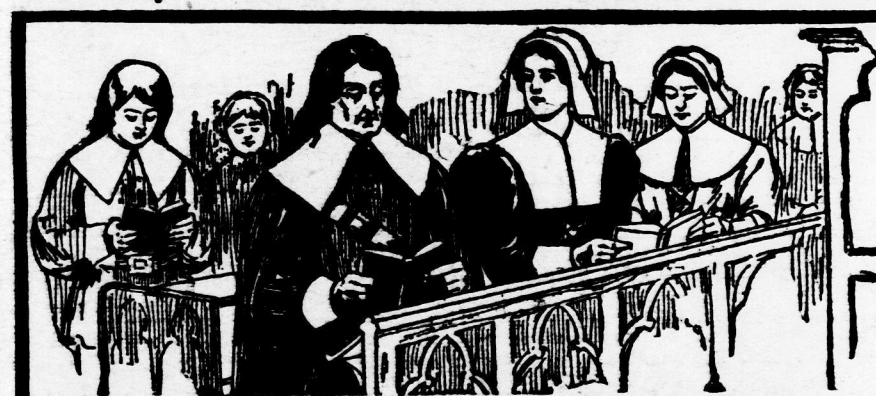
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Old Dr. Cascaret goes directly after these Bowel-Muscles. He wakes them up just as a cold bath would wake up a lazy person.

Then he works them (through the nerves) till they get so strong from that Exercise that they don't need any more help to do their duty. But Dr. Cascaret wants to brighten the spot, in your Pocket or Purse, where he can regulate these Bowel-Muscles all the time, in health, and out of health.

Because, even the strongest Bowel-Muscles may be overworked.

Heavy dinners, late suppers, whiskey, wine, or beer drinking, nervous excitement, sudden exposure to cold or heat, and a dozen other every day likelihoods tire the Bowel Muscles.

In such cases a little Cascaret in time is worth fifty dollars worth of Treatment later on, to say nothing of the suffering, discomfort, loss of Business Energy, and loss of Social Sunshine it saves.

Old Dr. Cascaret carried constantly in your Vest Pocket, or in "My Lady's" Purse is the cheapest kind of Health-Insurance, and Happiness - Promotion, that ever happened.

Little thin enamel Cascaret Box, half as thick as your watch, round-cornered, smooth-edged, and shaped so you don't notice its presence.

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THAW IS HAPPY DESPITE PRISON

Assisting Attorneys to Prepare His Defense.

LEARNS MUCH ABOUT THE LAW

Counsel Decides That No Promiscuous Attacks On White's Character Will Be Made.

New York, Aug. 4.—The happiest, busiest man in the cells of "Murderers' Row" of the big Tombs Prison today was Harry Kendall Thaw, who is charged with the murder of Stanford White. Having by sheer force of will brought all the members of his immediate family to believe in the possibility of acquittal on the ground of justification, he is helping his new attorneys joyfully in the preparation of his case.

Young Thaw knew little or nothing of legal matters before the most sensational act of his life, but he has been proved to be an apt pupil. The seriousness of his position seems to have sobered him and given him a concentration that no one would have believed possible.

He does not jump at conclusions, as was his habit in the past. He argues logically in favor of any course he deems to take and weighs any objections offered. When he has made up his mind on a point, however, all of his old willfulness comes to the fore, and the life-saving game in which the Thaws are engaged comes to a halt until the others are off his mind.

His pretty young wife was the first to accept his ideas of the defense. She fully realized that such a defense would involve the exposure of her past life and mean agonizing hours on the witness stand. She has always shirked responsibilities, but Harry convinced her of the impossibility of doing so in this case, and she has developed into an ardent assistant.

She visited her husband at the Tombs this morning as usual and expressed her willingness to tell the whole story of her experience with White. Since it has developed that the defense of Thaw involves an "impelling" motive in some alleged overt act of Stanford White on the very day of the shooting, this little wife is more important than ever to the defense, and her testimony may be even more sensational.

Mrs. William Thaw is seeing that every cog in the defense-building machinery that her bank book has set in motion works to perfect harmony.

Mrs. George L. Carnegie Thaw's sister, who kept away from the prisoner when she returned from Europe, is now one of Thaw's regular visitors. She watches over the health of Thaw's mother, driving her to and from the Carnegie country home at Roslyn, Long Island, which is necessary for her to visit the city.

Clifford W. Hartridge, Thaw's chief counsel, although little known to the criminal bar, seems to be handling Thaw's case with skill. He is a young southerner, of powerful build and full of determination, which the seriousness and difficulty of the task of securing an acquittal has not weakened.

He took a stand today that brought relief to many clubmen who are friends of Stanford White, and who had attended the studio reveals for which the set was famous. He has decided that there will be no promiscuous "mud slinging" and that there will be no effort to blacken White's character by bringing up matters that have no direct bearing on the case. To that end he has dismissed a dozen prospective witnesses who were anxious to testify.

PURSUE RICH NURSE

Adventurers Would Share An \$80,000 Legacy With Her.

New York, Aug. 4.—Although the possessor of \$80,000 in stocks and bonds through the recently-probated will of Jacob Rhodes, of Hempstead, it was said yesterday that Esther Marvin, of Rockville Center, will continue her profession as a nurse. Her good fortune will make no difference in her mode of living, as she comes of an old Long Island family and has a horror of display.

Three years before Rhodes' death Miss Marvin, just out of the training school, was introduced to the Rhodes family to attend Mrs. Rhodes, and when she recovered the nurse was urged to remain with them. She did so, and then Mrs. Rhodes died, followed after a short interval with the death of Mr. Rhodes. Both were old.

The young nurse is a woman of medium height, gray eyes and a most attractive personality. Since her good fortune has become known, she has been besieged with offers of marriage, and has been making a list of eligible men, all the way from Montauk Point to Kalamazoo, together with propositions to invest her money in gold mines, carpet factories, cattle farms, hair stimulants and one scheme for the manufacture of teeth.

HORNET BREAKS UP COURT

Alights On Nose of Justice and Drives Him From Bench.

Williamsburg, O., Aug. 5.—Seated under an old apple tree in his front lawn today, Squire Armstrong paused during the decision in a case against William N. Seward, charged with setting his property on fire to defraud the insurance companies, while a large hornet disrupted the proceedings. In all the dignity of shirt sleeves "Squire Armstrong listened gravely to the prosecutor's impassioned speech until the hornet lighted on the squire's nose. The gravity of the law was forgotten as the squire bounded into the air and the prosecutor ejaculated "stung." But the hornet, dazed by the confusion, forgot his powers and the justice escaped unscathed.

JEWS ANGRY WITH MENDELSSOHN

Denounce Bankers Who Sustain Russian Credit.

BANKING HOUSE IS GUARDED

Firm Is Convinced That Conditions in the Empire Are Not Nearly as Bad as Reported.

Berlin, Aug. 5.—Not without reason the Jews of Russia and Poland are furious at the great Jewish banking firm of Mendelssohn & Co., who have once more prevented the big drop in Russian securities, which they had hoped would follow the dissolution of the Duma, but if the Jews are angry at the treason against their race, the Russian revolutionists are even more so, and have made all kinds of threats against the firm.

As a result of this the office of the bankers is now carefully guarded, not only by the Berlin police, but by more than a score of Russian detectives, paid by the Czar.

A member of the firm said today that although he personally felt great sympathy with the people of his race in Russia, he thought that they were not entirely without blame, as they had repeatedly refused the assistance of the Russian Government to emigrate to other countries.

"We lend money to Russia," he said, "because we have reliable information that conditions there are not nearly as bad as newspaper reports lead you to believe."

"Most of the telegrams you see in the daily papers dated St. Petersburg are fictitious on their face, as the Government would never allow them to be sent. They may come from correspondents who are really at St. Petersburg, but in that case they have certainly been sent by mail, or written right here by the journalists, who know what their readers want to see."

"We consider it absolutely safe to lend money to the Czar, and, although it is not true that far as well informed on Russian affairs as we are, we will do so in the near future."

In sharp contrast to this optimistic view stands the opinion of a Copenhagen paper which is usually well informed on Russian affairs.

In a leading article it said the other day: "It is greatly worrying the relations of the Czar at court, that it has proven impossible to stop the smuggling of arms into Finland. It is dangerous to have that enormous quantities of rifles and ammunition have been landed on the Finnish coast during the last four months, and from the secret depots in that Russian province whole shiploads of them have been sent down to the Volga river as far as Caspian. And all this goes on so quietly and peaceably as if it were a perfectly legitimate commercial affair."

"The Russian Government knows about it, but it is powerless to interfere. A violent revolution is brewing along the Finnish coast, and the ports are guarded, but the influx of arms does not diminish."

"The present quiet in Russia is only the calm before the outbreak, and many people here who have learned to love the Czar for his many really good qualities are exceedingly anxious for the nephew of King Frederick."

Kaiser and Socialism. The Kaiser evidently thinks that the backbone of Socialism in Germany is so completely broken that it is no longer necessary to use diplomacy in dealing with this is a remarkable order, just issued by Dr. Studt, the minister of education, in directing all local authorities in Prussia to refuse permission to any Social Democrats to teach gymnastics, either privately or professionally, on the ground that the fact that a man is a Social Democrat proves him to be morally unsuited to teach anything to the young.

There is no doubt that the minister is acting as the mouthpiece of the Kaiser in these instances of reactionary administration.

The shopkeepers of Vienna are up in arms against the new industrial bill, which has already been adopted by the Lower House of the Reichsrath and is now before the Upper House. The bill is a political move, on the part of the Christian Socialists, and was introduced by them with the object of catching the votes of the small tradesmen at the next election. The principal clauses of the bill prohibit shopkeepers from making costumes, clothes or boots to order, and even from making any requisite alterations in ready-made clothing, and from undertaking repairs of boots unless in all cases the owner of the business is a member of one of the various trade organizations, which somewhat resemble the ancient guilds. The shopkeepers in a large way of business declare that the passing of the bill will mean ruin, while the small tradesmen assert that it is impossible for them to make a living in face of the competition by the big firms. The meeting was broken up by a crowd of small tradesmen, who created such a disturbance that the police had to clear the hall.

Unlucky Ghostly Work. A peasant named Francis Ogrodowski has been sentenced to seven years' penal servitude at Roheim, in the Province of Posen, for a particularly atrocious form of grave desecration.

Ogrodowski opened a number of graves in the Jewish, Roman Catholic and Protestant cemeteries, and removed the heads, and sometimes the limbs from the bodies from motives of superstition.

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His Prospective Future. The baby, Prince Wilhelm, who was only born on the 4th of July, has already had his future mapped out for him by his autocratic grandpapa, the Kaiser.

The Emperor has commanded that his first grandson shall be brought up on Spartan principles. He is not to be coddled, and as soon as possible, he is to begin an open-air life. No doubt the little prince will be put in uniform as soon as he is out of petticoats.

Resenting deeply her father-in-law's interference, the crown princess is said to have expressed a wish that her first-born had been a girl, so that she might have been permitted to raise it in her own way.

Pepys-like diary, candid and self-denying, was the chief evidence against Major Von Zander, who has been fined \$75 for grafting in connection with commercial undertakings. The major entered in his diary all his fears and scruples about his honesty, as well as details of his transactions, which were very shady.

The entries showed how he had used his influence as an officer, formerly in high command, to procure decorations for his business friends, and received large sums for mysterious services rendered to them. He received a gift of \$1,500 from one man for permitting his son to associate with his (Zander's) family.

"Always the Best of Everything for the Least Money"

Shrewd Buyers Should be After These Big Bargains In Wash Goods Tuesday.

Tuesday is the day we've set apart for a stirring cleanup of Wash Goods. Odd and broken lines and remnants have been brought to the pruning knife, and you should see how different the prices look now. If it wasn't for the goods right before your eyes you'd hardly believe the prices were meant for the goods—so really amazingly low are they.

We can't begin to go into details, but this list of suggestions will show you in a measure what good buying inducements are waiting here for you, tomorrow.

Table No. 1 holds a collection of muslins, ginghams, cotton delaines, white vestings and lace striped muslins. A great chance to provide material for a waist or dress at a very small outlay. Regular value 15c, Tuesday clearing at..... **10c**

Table No. 2 has for its drawing magnet pretty, lightweight cotton voiles, challies and muslins. Regular price 10c, Tuesday clearing at..... **5c**

Remnants of muslins, embroidered chambrays, colored satens. Lengths from 2 to 10 yards. When we tell you they're half price, aren't you eager to get here? **½ Price**

Remnants of prints and flannelettes. Every piece is a bargain and everybody will be delighted with every piece they buy.

Remnants of table linens. ½ to 2½ ends. Tuesday we will sell them at **Greatly Reduced Prices.**

150 Dundas and Carling.

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THE ART CRITICS SCORE MORGAN

Is Ignorant of Art and Puts a Fictitious Value on Treasures.

New York, Aug. 5.—Reports from the European art centers have it that patrons and lovers of art are accusing J. Pierpont Morgan of trying to trump up a lasting fame for himself by posing as a connoisseur when in reality he knows nothing about the subject. Three art critics in the last three months. That he is placing a fictitious value on pictures and rarities all over Europe is the universal cry. The extravagance which has aroused special indignation is the price paid by the millionaire for Sir Thomas Lawrence's famous "Portrait of Miss Farnham." For this portrait \$200,000 was given by Mr. Morgan. It first sold for \$444, and in 1897 for \$11,500.

An American correspondent in an interview with a London art expert who knew Mr. Morgan well asked whether the New Yorker really knew anything about art values. "Mr. Morgan has neither knowledge nor taste in art matters," was the answer. His acquisitions are made in exactly the same spirit that "netted his countryman, Barnum, to search for freaks. Mr. Morgan bears that such a picture is the best by a master who is the fashion and he instructs a dealer to purchase the picture for him. Everywhere in the art world his methods are well known. He finds out what is the highest price ever paid for the picture and then offers a much bigger one. If Morgan were a man who loved pictures one could sympathize with his riotous expenditure. But once he has gotten possession of a work of art his interest in it dies.

"If all his worldly fortune depended upon it he couldn't tell the difference between an object of the Louis XV. and the Louis XVI periods. His prodigality has utterly disorganized the art market by placing values on an absurdly high basis."

It seems that King Edward is anxious to count Mr. Morgan among his entourage and has asked permission to view his collection, but that the American millionaire make, but the response to the advances of the British monarch.

Ritter Fitzgerald, writing in the Philadelphia Item, says: "It is an interesting fact that artists have used women as models from which to paint men and men as models from which to paint women. One of the most striking instances is the well-known picture 'Napoleon on Board the Belle-rouph.' A woman friend of the painter was the model for the 'Little Corporal.'"

Landseer's famous picture "The Naughty Boy" was really painted from a little girl, little Lady Rachel Russell. Wilkie's "Blind Fiddler" which created a furore when it was exhibited at the Royal Academy, furnishes another instance, for the artist actually sat to himself for the model of an old woman. One day Banister, the actor, called and was shown in while Wilkie was sitting on a low seat dressed as a woman with a looking glass before him performing the part of a model to himself. Wilkie not being the sort of a man easily perturbed, said: "I know who you are but can't rise to greet you for fear I'd spoil the folds of my petticoat. For the present I'm an old woman."

The Sultan of Turkey is said to possess a fire screen, 200 years old, made from the tanned skins of twelve faithful slaves who rescued a former sultan from a blazing palace at the cost of their own lives.

Vienna is to have the largest and most illuminated fountain in existence. The illuminating power will equal 600,000,000 candles. It includes 77 immense reflectors capable of giving 70 variations in light effects every seven seconds.

FIRE DREW FORTH 229 FEET OF SNAKE

Veracious and Sober Campers in Pike County, Pa., Have a Weird Experience.

Port Jervis, N. Y., Aug. 4.—There was not a bottle of liquid bait in the family party whose remarkable experience with snakes is about to be told. This fact is important.

The party has just returned from camping at Promised Land Pond, Pike County, Pa. There they occupied an ancient log house, vacant for two seasons. Arrived there the women went to sweeping and unpacking the camping outfit, the men went into the woods, carried back loads of pine knots and cones and soon had a roaring fire in the old-fashioned fireplace.

As the warmth spread through the log house a terrible hissing mingled with the fire's crackling, then a big snake dropped from the chimney and into the fire. The women fled, shrieking, the men armed themselves with clubs and the fray grew hot.

Snakes of all kinds, colors and sizes, garter snakes, adders, rattlesnakes, black snakes, milk snakes, unwound themselves, crawled from crevices, fell from the rafters, wriggled up from beneath the floor, hissing and squirming. As many more dropped down than could be counted. The smoke and odor of frying snake filled the atmosphere.

Some of the infuriated snakes attacked each other. The men laid about vigorously with their clubs. After half an hour only dead snakes strewn the floor. These the men gathered up and carefully counted and measured. By actual count there were 75 snakes, their aggregate length was 229 feet. Not during the weeks they were at Promised Land Pond did the campers see another snake.

TORPEDO BOATS ARE BEST

Ideal For Defending Ports, Say Frenchmen, After Experiments.

Paris, Aug. 5.—Admiral Fournier, commanding the navy, addressing the officers today at the close of extensive maneuvers in the Mediterranean Sea, in which torpedo boats defeated attacks made by heavily armed ships on Marseilles and Toulon, said:

"The results demonstrate that the ideal defense for ports is the torpedo boat in all forms, particularly the surface torpedo boat at night and submarine boats by day. We are therefore able to proclaim with patriotic satisfaction that France's coast protection in the future will be her numerous flotillas of torpedo boats and submarine boats."

"While powerful warships are required for offensive tactics in the open sea, torpedo boats assure the destruction of an enemy's fleet approaching our ports."

ALWAYS WASH OUT MOUTH

French Physician Says Consumption Is Thus Avoided.

Paris, Aug. 5.—Dr. Maurice Lelutic appeals to the Parisian population to take the following elementary steps as a safeguard against tuberculosis:

"Every person should make it a duty never to sit down at the table without washing the hands, no matter how clean they may look. The lips also should be washed and the mouth rinsed before eating. In this manner the dust which may have lodged on the lips and hands and which generally contains germs of tuberculosis is got rid of, and as it has been proven that tuberculosis is communicated through the intestines you are pretty safe if you don't swallow dust."

INTREPID SCOTSMAN DRIVES HIS AUTO UP STEEP MOUNTAIN SIDE

Hill-Climbing Feat Which Awe—Swims Eighteen Miles to Bagpipes.

Glasgow, Aug. 4.—Of automobile hill climbing feats in Scotland there appears to be no end, but probably the most interesting one of the series is that just accomplished by T. B. Murray, of Scotland, and his 24-horsepower. Last Easter he endeavored to climb the famous Beattoch Hill, in Ross-shire, and run down the other side into Applecross—a feat which is generally understood had never been carried out by any self-propelled vehicle without horse assistance. Indeed, it is said that up till that period only two motor cars had ever entered Applecross. Unfortunately the presence of heavy snowdrifts at the summit of the hill prevented Murray from carrying out his project at Easter.

Not daunted, however, he made another attempt the other day and his effort was crowned with complete success. With four persons aboard he steered his car up the rough mountain track, which rises 2,64 feet above sea level over a distance of 6½ miles. It was a most noteworthy performance, for the road, which has an average gradient of one in fifteen with parts one in five and one in eight, is not only one of the worst in Britain as regards its surface, but it has many narrow and dangerous twists, while for some distance it lies right alongside a huge yawning precipice. Reaching the summit in 26½ minutes—wonderful time considering the difficult nature of the climb—Murray ran down into Applecross, where he was warmly welcomed by his Gaelic-speaking people, to whom a motor car is a most awesome and mysterious piece of mechanism.

Jabez Wolfe, of Glasgow, is receiving great honors, having just defeated the swimming record of Capt. Webb between Dover and Ramsgate. Wolfe started from the lighthouse moored off Dover at 9:15 a.m. and swam along the coast, a distance of 19 miles, and arrived at Ramsgate at 3:50 p.m. The distance was thus covered in six hours and 35 minutes. Wind and weather were eminently favorable with the exception of occasional piercing rays of hot midsummer sun. Sustenance was provided in the form of hot chicken broth, which the swimmer found very refreshing. While making his way across Pegwell Bay he experienced some difficulty in negotiating the currents, and after he reached the mouth of the harbor nearly an hour and a half elapsed before he could get inside. This was owing to the cross tide. Wolfe left the water in good condition.

Such a swim has not been accomplished since 1875, when Captain Webb covered the course in some eight and a half hours.

In the boat that accompanied Wolfe on his swim was a Scottish friend, who gave selections on the bagpipes during the performance.

William Ballantyne, a native of Bigger, when living in the State of Indiana, figured in a scene altogether unprecedented in American history, viz., commanding United States troops in the uniform of a British officer, a thing that has never happened before, and has never happened since on the American continent. His old friends in Bigger and throughout Lanarkshire, where he is well known, will be interested in reading the account of such an unwonted event.

At Gen. Grant's funeral the veterans of the army called the "G. A. R.," that is, the Grand Army of the Republic, held funeral services on the day Gen. Grant was buried. To make arrangements for this service, the post of the town where Ballantyne then resided, held a meeting the night before. Considerable wrangling took place. At last a voice called out: "Mr. President, to settle this thing, I move that we request Col. Ballantyne."

to act as marshal tomorrow." "But he is an alien," shouted the opposition, "and a Britisher at that." "No matter," was the rejoinder, "we all know him as a man." All then gave in, and a deputation called at Ballantyne's house and stated the object of their visit. Ballantyne felt that he must accept the invitation. As soon as the deputation left, he got out his military accoutrements, which he had brought with him from Scotland, brushed the old sword, and brushed the glengarry, doublet, plaid and trowsers. The streets were crowded with thousands of spectators. Not only the townspeople turned out, but the farmers and their families for many a mile around came in to see the parade, and whatever else might be going on. As Mr. Ballantyne rode through the streets with his fine military bearing, and in the military uniform of his native land, no small sensation was produced.

Glasgow had tramways owned by a private corporation up to 1884. Then the city took hold. They charge you by distance there, and not a set price for a single ride on the cars, no matter how long. A ride of a half-mile costs you a cent; you pay two cents for a ride of two and one-third miles, and three cents for three and a half miles.

Here is how it averages up. In 1905 the average rider paid 1.9 cents for his ride, while the average fare charged per mile was nine-tenths of a cent. Of the 156,000,000 passengers carried, 30 per cent paid one cent, 40 per cent two cents and 10 per cent of the total number carried paid more than two cents.

The city not only reduced fares, but it also increased the wages and reduced the hours of the employees. It gives free uniforms to the employees, and it gives each of them five days' holiday every year with pay.

Furthermore, the tramways turn over to the city an enormous profit each year. In 1905 it was \$1,852,555.

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Glasgow does other things. It gets a good income from the sale of sludge, composed of its sewage; it runs several farms, on which it uses its street refuse as a fertilizer, and has a net income of \$3,000 a year for them. The city fire department builds its own apparatus, and the tramway department its own cars. Some time ago it asked for bids for the construction of a sewer. The lowest was \$600,000. The city suspected a combine, and built the sewer itself. The cost was \$375,000. Glasgow provides model dwelling houses for the poor, and makes a profit out of them. It gives really fine concerts—admission free, two cents. It has acquired fine public buildings, and has a splendid art collection.

It offers no franchises whose values run into the millions as a tempting measure to gamble for. There are no privileges to corrupt the council, no big financial interests to unite the rich and influential, the press and the bar, the club and the church on one side, and leave democracy, untainted and unled, blindly to carry the burdens of self-government.

DOWIE NOT A CANDIDATE

Only Two Want Office of Overseer of Zion Church.

Chicago, Aug. 5.—Two candidates filed 1906, then the general average was about 20,000,000 acres were planted in cotton and the yield was about 3,500,000 bales. During the year there were exported from India to other countries over 2,125,000 bales of raw cotton at a value of over \$3,000,000, the four countries, Japan, Germany, Belgium and Italy, in the order named, being the largest purchasers, they together buying nearly 1,500,000 bales of Indian cotton, while Japan alone took nearly 500,000 bales.

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GIANTS BEAT
AMBITIOUS SPUDSMatthewson Driven to Woods
Pittsburg Loses—Athletics
Going to Front.

NATIONAL.	
Saturday's Games.	
At New York.....	R. H. E.
Chicago.....	01000000-0 5 3
New York.....	01000000-1 5 2
Batteries—Taylor and Kling; White, Mathewson and Breunhan. Umpires, Emelle and Johnstone.	
At Brooklyn (first game).....	00000000-0 3 1
Cincinnati.....	00000000-0 3 1
Batteries—Taylor and Kling; White, Mathewson and Breunhan. Umpires, Emelle and Johnstone.	
At Brooklyn (second game).....	00000000-0 3 1
Cincinnati.....	00000000-0 3 1
Batteries—Taylor and Kling; White, Mathewson and Breunhan. Umpires, Emelle and Johnstone.	
At Boston.....	00000000-0 5 1
Pittsburg.....	00000000-0 5 1
Batteries—Willis and Gibson; Young and Newham. Umpires, Klem.	
At Philadelphia.....	01000000-0 7 2
St. Louis.....	01000000-0 7 2
Batteries—Kling and White; Spack and Donovan. Umpire, Conway.	
NATIONAL STANDING.	
Chicago	Won. Lost. P.C.
Chicago	30 63 .324
New York	29 64 .314
Pittsburg	28 65 .304
Philadelphia	27 66 .294
Cincinnati	26 67 .284
Brooklyn	25 68 .274
St. Louis	24 69 .264
Boston	23 70 .254
EASTERN.	
Saturday's Games.	
At Jersey City (first game).....	R. H. E.
Newark.....	01000000-0 5 3
Jersey City.....	01000000-0 5 3
Batteries—Fertsch and McAuley; Moskin and Butler.	
At Jersey City (second game).....	00000000-0 3 4
Newark.....	00000000-0 3 4
Batteries—Fertsch and McAuley; Moskin and Butler.	
At Baltimore (first game).....	01120000-0 9 1
Baltimore.....	01120000-0 9 1
Batteries—McCloskey and Barton; Burck and Byers.	
At Baltimore (second game).....	01000000-0 6 2
Baltimore.....	01000000-0 6 2
Batteries—Cronin, Jocelyn and Crist; Adams and Byers. Umpire, Phinney.	
At Rochester (first game).....	00010000-0 6 1
Buffalo.....	00010000-0 6 1
Batteries—Kling and White; Spack and Donovan. Umpire, Conway.	
At Rochester (second game).....	01000000-0 6 2
Buffalo.....	01000000-0 6 2
Batteries—Kling and White; Spack and Donovan. Umpire, Conway.	
At Montreal.....	02000000-0 9 1
Montreal.....	02000000-0 9 1
Batteries—McCauley and Woods; Whalen and Raub. Umpire, Kelly.	
Sunday's Games.	
At Newark (first game).....	R. H. E.
Jersey City.....	01000000-0 5 3
Newark.....	01000000-0 5 3
Batteries—Mack, Moran and Butler; Fardoe and McAuley.	
At Newark (second game).....	00000000-0 3 4
Jersey City.....	00000000-0 3 4
Batteries—Mack, Moran and Butler; Fardoe and McAuley.	
At Montreal (first game).....	01000000-0 6 2
Montreal.....	01000000-0 6 2
Batteries—McCauley and Woods; Whalen and Raub. Umpire, Kelly.	
EASTERN STANDING.	
Buffalo	Won. Lost. P.C.
Buffalo	28 66 .294
Jersey City	27 67 .284
Newark	26 68 .274
Philadelphia	25 69 .264
Cincinnati	24 70 .254
Brooklyn	23 71 .244
St. Louis	22 72 .234
Boston	21 73 .224
AMERICAN.	
Saturday's Games.	
At Detroit.....	R. H. E.
Detroit.....	01000000-0 5 3
Batteries—Nelson, Hoyer and McGuire; Austin and Schmidt. Umpires, Sheridan and Evans.	
At Cleveland.....	01012000-0 8 2
Cleveland.....	01012000-0 8 2
Batteries—Dyckert and Schreckengost; Hess and Kittredge. Umpire, Connolly.	
At Chicago.....	00000000-0 6 2
Chicago.....	00000000-0 6 2
Batteries—Wagner and McGuire; Patterson and Sullivan. Umpire, O'Loughlin.	
At St. Louis.....	00000000-0 6 2
St. Louis.....	00000000-0 6 2
Batteries—Patten and Wakefield; Powell and Ricker. Umpire, Hurst.	
AMERICAN STANDING.	
Philadelphia	Won. Lost. P.C.
Philadelphia	29 64 .314
New York	28 65 .304
Cleveland	27 66 .294
Chicago	26 67 .284
Detroit	25 68 .274
St. Louis	24 69 .264
Washington	23 70 .254
Boston	22 71 .244

GOOD GAMES TODAY

There promises to be two good games at Tecumseh Park today. In the morning the Stars and the Rockets clash, and the latter think that it is about time they broke up the Stars string of wins. They will have a strong team on. In the afternoon the Champions meet the Seventh Regiment, and as Manager Smith thinks he has his team keyed up to championship form, there should be some doing. The morning game is at 10:30 and the afternoon game at 3:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pault and family, of Chicago, are visiting friends and relatives in the city.

George Ward, the young lad who made his escape from Inspector Sanderson while on their way to Mimico, where Ward is to serve a sentence for stealing, was captured by High Constable Hughes on Saturday. He will be removed to Toronto shortly.

Terribly Distressing

Nothing can cause more pain and more distress than a pile. No wonder many pile sufferers say their lives are burdens to them. Ointments and local treatments may relieve but cannot cure.

Dr. Leonard's Hem-Roid is guaranteed to cure any case of piles. If Hem-Roid will cure you, you save your money.

Hem-Roid is a tablet taken internally, thus removing the cause. \$1.00 guarantee goes with every bottle.

A month's treatment for \$1.00, at all druggists, or the Wm. Fyle Co., Limited, Niagara Falls, Ont.

JOHN CARROL'S
FEATURE AT FT. ERIEEasily Wins From Good Field
—Peter Sterling, Derby
Winner, Also Ran.

Fort Erie, Aug. 4.—John Carrol won the feature event here today from a good field. Peter Sterling, the Derby winner, could not get up. Zulu Young won the steeplechase. Summary:

First race, 6 furlongs—King Pepper, 9 to 2; Blue Coat, 6 to 5; Willowdene, 5 to 2; 8. Time, 1:16 4-5.

Second race, 5 1/2 furlongs—Attention, 8 to 5; 1; Charles L. Stone, 6 to 1; 2; Beatrice H., 10 to 1. Time, 1:11 4-5.

Third race, full course, steeplechase—Lulu Young, 3 to 1; 1; Gipsy, 7 to 5; 2; Sigmund, 8 to 1. Time, 4:38 3-5.

Fourth race, 1 1/16 miles, handicap—John Carrol, 6 to 5; 1; Alma Dufour, 6 to 5; 2; Crowshade, 6 to 1. Time, 1:49 4-5.

Fifth race, 5 furlongs—Renaw, even; Timothy Wren, 4 to 1; Reina Swift, 3 to 1. Time, 1:04 3-5.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs—Orderly, 12 to 1; Oleas, 3 to 1; 2; Richard, Jun., 15 to 1. Time, 1:16 3-5.

Seventh race, 1 1/16 miles—Bon Mot, even; Edwin Ginn, 8 to 1; 2; Scarecrow, 3 to 1. Time, 1:51.

STONE NOW LEADS
AMERICAN HITTERSThe Raven Slugger Is Now a
Good First—Lajoie and
Elberfeld Fall Off.

Detroit, Aug. 4.—George Stone, the St. Louis club's hard hitter, has at last taken the post of honor among the leaders in the batting. Elberfeld, who, since the season opened, has practically led all the others, began to lose his batting percentage when he rejoined his team, so that when this report closed he was hitting at .355 against .373 for Stone. Lajoie and Chase both fell off somewhat during the week, as they had respectively .355 and .350 last week.

Among the locals there have not been many changes during the week. Jones, after a nice string of hits, fell off. Schaefer gained three points, as did Coughlin and O'Leary. Lindsay did about the best hitting he has done for the past six weeks.

T.P.	300 Hitters	G.A.B.R.	H.Ave.
Player			
Stone, St. Louis	92	346	55
Elberfeld, New York	89	342	54
Lajoie, Cleveland	88	342	54
Chase, New York	87	340	53
Seybold, Athletics	81	293	37
Cobb, Detroit	82	293	37
Clark, Cleveland	80	288	36
McGuire, New York	81	288	36
McGuire, Wash.	78	288	36
Keeler, New York	77	288	36
Reuter, Athletics	74	281	36
Clark, Cleveland	72	281	36
H. Davis, Atl.	71	246	30
Grimsbach, Boston	65	221	27
Turner, Cleveland	62	221	27
Lord, Athletics	61	221	27

HOW THEY STAND

The Stars still have an unbroken record in the City League, and as the season is not a long one they will have to be stopped soon or the championship will be theirs in a walk. The Champions seem to be the only team dangerous at present, and a great deal will depend on the outcome of the next game. The Tigers are hustling, and may cap that station. The Wortmans are second now, and are playing good ball.

CITY LEAGUE.	Won. Lost. P.C.
Stars	9 0 1.000
Champions	2 1 .666
Regulators	2 2 .500
Seventh	2 4 .333
EAST END LEAGUE.	
Somerville	Won. Lost. P.C.
Somerville	9 4 .682
Wortmans	4 4 .444
Tigers	5 7 .416

ENGLAND LEADS IN
GREAT RACE HORSES

New York, Aug. 4.—Prophecy of ill omen who have been predicting the decadence of the British turf and the coming bankruptcy of British breeders of thoroughbreds and scant comfort in the recent sale at Newmarket. When one breeder sells part of his stud for \$420,000 and has some of his best animals left, and a week's sale approaches the \$750,000 mark, it can hardly be said the business is languishing to any appreciable extent.

Then, when horses of exceptional merit bring from \$125,000 to \$150,000 each, pessimism seems absurd.

A fact which demonstrates that England still is in the van in the breeding of race horses is that representatives of practically every racing country were present at the Newmarket sales and bid high for good lots. There has been the usual outcry because some of the best horses went to foreigners. The Sporting Times, however, voices the philosophic spirit in which the breeders view the foreign buying. It says:

"We see no cause for the alarm that is expressed. We are allowing the foreigner to take the risks while we are making a deposit abroad on which we can draw in the future if necessary. We saw the same outcry when Muskiet was sold from the Glasgow stud to go to Australia in 1877, with his best son, Carbine, has come back to us. Have we suffered by letting Flying Fox go to France? This clamor about the depletion of our thoroughbred stock is very illusory, and we fail to see how

by improving the horses of another country, we have ever brought calamity upon our own. Should the breeders in Europe or in the Argentine be successful with the mares and stallions which they have bought, the pick of the product will certainly find its way back in some form or other to England, and in the meantime the foreigners are finding the working capital. If it were not for the foreign market, our breeders would not be able to pay the stallion fees that are now demanded, and many would have to give up altogether.

FROM VALET TO OWNER

It's a big leap from an attendant for a jockey to an owner of a big string of race horses worth \$40,000, but Charles Ellison, of Chicago, has made it successful, and is now one of the richest horse owners in America.

Less than twelve years ago, "Big Blonde Charley," as he is called by turfmen, was looking after the boots and riding tackle of Tommy Burns, the jockey. He was officially that rider's valet, but in reality he was more of a companion than Burns' "man." He held the position only because it brought him into close touch with owners and opened up an avenue to learn their secrets regarding the speed of their horses.

This information Ellison eagerly sought, for he was a plunger by inclination, even if his resources at first consisted of his insignificant salary. He was not long before he had a big account. Burns was lucky in those days and rode many a winner on the race tracks of the south and west. Aware of the quality of Burns' mounts, Ellison backed them heavily and soon had more money to his credit than his jockey employer.

Long before this time he had ceased to look after Burns' boots and riding breeches, and hired a boy to do the polishing and cleaning. When he reached this stage he bought a few horses. They proved to be winners, and "Blonde Charley" soon had not only plenty of money in the bank, but a fine stable of thoroughbreds. He has raced in the east for several years, and is well liked because his horses run true to form.

A CORNER
FOR THE FANS

There is a deal on between St. Louis and Cincinnati for the exchange of first basemen Beckley and Barry. Philadelphia would also like to have Beckley.

Fraser has been pitching good ball since he joined Hanlon's staff, but he has not been winning many of his games until late for some unaccountable reason.

Christy Mathewson says he is thirty pounds under weight this season. This fact alone can explain why he is not pitching the same quality of ball as he did last season.

Cle's pitchers are down to form and every man on the staff is handing out as good ball as he ever did in his life.

Chicago fans have already begun to curse the day when Seymour was sent to the penitentiary. It is said that the reason for Seymour's desire to quit Cincinnati was because Haglin insisted on a new batting style for the slugger.

Joe Corbett is playing first base with the San Jose club of the California State League.

Up to July 21 Irving Young, of Boston, had lost 14 games out of the last 17 he had pitched.

Three college players are on Pittsburgh's team—namely, Lynch, McIlveen and Dutch Meler.

John McGraw says he could find no players in the minor leagues who could help out the Giants.

Seymour last played with New York in 1898, and afterward was with Baltimore and Cincinnati.

Connie Mack says that he considers Chase, the Highlanders' big baseman, the best all-round find of the year among the newcomers working in the daily games.

Manager Griffith will add another twirler to his staff as soon as Bobby Keefe, who is now with Montreal, regains his health. He was recently operated on for appendicitis.

The Boston club has an option on First Baseman Flynn, of Toronto, formerly of Holy Cross, for next season. Flynn is also a catcher and will doubtless be tried in that department.

It is doubtful if a more loyal fan can be found than President Gordon, of the New York team. He sits in the midst of the howling mob and seems to forget his connection with the team.

Jimmy Collins is back with his Boston team, and is to be treated by Dr. Crooke, a Boston specialist, who will try to get his knee in shape again. In the meantime Stahl will remain at the helm.

It is years since Kelley has played as good an all-round game as he is putting up for the Red Sox. He is developing into a valuable utility man. He plays best at an infield position.

Sandow Mertes has strengthened the Cardinals materially, his all-round work being a feature of the game.

Clark Stahl is playing better ball this year than any of the Boston vets. He never covered so much ground, and his batting is improving all the time.

"B" is a hoodoo letter for Cleveland this trip. Bay, Bemis and Bradley have all been disabled. It looks as if the Naps' annual run of hard luck had started.

The St. Louis club has released Catcher McCarthy and he has gone to Syracuse.

It is rumored that Brooklyn is negotiating with Cincinnati for Tommy Corbett.

Clark Griffith proposes to give Kid Nichols a trial if the latter can get in perfect condition. Griffith is looking for pitchers in view of a punishing finish.

Lajoie, the "Batting King," hasn't as yet made a home run this season.

Almost every member of the Athletics' pitching staff is a college man.

RECTOR ST. MAN
WON THE WATCHGiven by the Springbank Theater
Management—Matinee Today
—Performance Tonight.

The watch given away by the management of Springbank theater was won by John Bradley, of 400 Rectory street, who held the lucky coupon when the drawing took place on Saturday night.

Half a dozen numbers were called before one was found, which was held by a person present. The management laid down the rule that the holder of the winning coupon must be in the house when the drawing was held.

The Lyceum Stock Company will present for the first three nights of this week the best of comedy-dramas, "A Woman's Sacrifice," with special matinee today.

Matinee on Wednesday and Saturday.

Coupons will be given away every night for the special prize to be given away Saturday night.

WALKED ON THE WATER

Invents Shoes in Which He Covers a
Mile On Cayuga Lake.

Ithaca, N. Y., Aug. 5.—Jose Antonio, Ostos, a Mexican student in the department of mechanical engineering in Cornell University, walked on the water of Cayuga Lake this afternoon in a pair of shoes designed by himself. He covered over a mile and shot along at a good clip. The surface of the lake was smooth and he had no difficulty in turning about at will.

The shoes are constructed of tin, 5 feet 3 inches long, 14 inches wide, and 3 1/2 inches deep. Each shoe contains four separate air chambers and an additional compartment for the foot. The shoes closely resembled small boats, but were equipped with collapsible fans to prevent slipping backward. A large cork witnessed the test.

Mr. Ostos is a prominent athlete in the university, rowing in the freshman crew at Poughkeepsie in 1903. His chief object in having the shoes made is to start a new form of water sport at Cornell, a sort of water lacrosse. He hopes to introduce the game at other universities if it proves a success here.

GREAT EXODUS
FROM CHINATOWNHundreds of Inhabitants of New
York's Celestial Quarter
Are Moving Out.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

New York, Aug. 5.—The pessimists and prophets of Chatham Square are lamenting the passing of Chinatown. They don't say that it's going to be wiped off the map like the Chinese quarter of San Francisco, but nevertheless, that it is going. Paddy Flaherty, mayor of the Bowery, who is the chief statistician and guide of the district, said today that the population of Chinatown consists now of about 6,000 pigstails and 60 white women, who are the wives of Chinamen. A few days ago there were more than 12,000 Celestials in the quarter. The exodus began with the rioting of the Tongs. Peaceful Chinamen, fearing being involved in the closed eye pistol practice, generally fatal to the innocent, drifted off to near-by cities or to Philadelphia. The Chinamen found that he could get better accommodation for less money in Harlem and in Williamsburg. The rumor spread among the rumor-loving Celestials that there was to be another Chinatown in Williamsburg. The rumor was accentuated by the investment of the Say Kee brothers, the three richest merchants of Chinatown, in two blocks of Williamsburg property, which Paddy Flaherty says eventually will be utilized exclusively for the Chinese, who are flocking from Manhattan. Another cause of the dispersion of Chinatown is a place of pleasure is the activity of the police there.

Fantastic playing, in fact gambling of all kinds, has been, in large measure, suppressed, even opium smoking, except by the Chinese themselves must be hidden under cover. The police are not sorry that the Chinese are going, as, in times of the murderous clashing of the Tongs, it has been impossible to fasten guilt on anybody. The mayor of the Bowery says so, indicated by the fact that he is moving out, mostly to Williamsburg, and that he believes that there will be finally only business houses in the district. He says that it always will be Chinatown, but no longer the wicked Chinatown of old. Only a small number of employees of the merchants will sleep in the neighborhood, but it will be the great Chinese business quarter of the east.

—Mrs. Ralph C. Duncan, of Winnipeg, sang "The Way of Peace" in splendid voice last night at the Wellington Street Methodist Church.

DR. J. D. KELLOGG'S Dysentery Cordial is a speedy cure for dysentery, diarrhea, cholera, summer complaint, sickness and complaints incidental to children teething. It gives immediate relief to those suffering from the effects of indigestion in eating unripe fruit, cucumbers, etc. It acts with wonderful rapidity and never fails to conquer the disease. Get the full strength of the extract is secured in this form, and do their work thoroughly.

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IN LONDON

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work on the bars which now obstruct the boats, so long as the teamsters were not compelled to pay extra for its gravel because of longer hauls.

Up to date, however, the teamsters have kept away from the sand bars as though they were afraid their wagons were ships which might be wrecked on the shoals, and the boatmen have received no satisfaction.

It is probable that the boat owners of London will now appeal to the Canal Club to do what it can toward having the river improved, so that splendid programmes of aquatic sports may be pulled off a short distance west of the forks.

Prosperous London.

The present civic holiday finds the city of London more prosperous than ever before.

There are nearly two thousand more people in London than there were a year ago.

The are about six thousand more people in London this year than there were in 1903.

Fully fifteen hundred new residences went up in London within the past three years.

The assessed value of the city is about four millions greater than it was three years ago.

Every factory chimney in London is smoking.

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Deserves a Holiday.

Wages are higher than ever before. Merchants never before knew such prosperity. Farmers from the surrounding country, the garden of Canada, spend their money in thousands in London's handsome, well-stocked stores every day in the week.

London deserves a holiday. She has been working overtime the past few years. For a time the wave of prosperity which followed 1896 only toyed with the hem of her progress. Now she is caught in the full strong blast, and she is forging ahead and building up one of the finest cities in Canada.

She has her hands on new industries and will number them among her own ere long.

All is going well with London.

This is her day. All honor to her's today.

PILGRIM FATHERS GRAFTERS

John D. Long Causes Sensation at
Plymouth Church Tercentenary.

Plymouth, Mass., Aug. 5.—The halo usually accorded the Pilgrim fathers was rudely shattered today by John D. Long, former secretary of the navy, who gave a distinct shock to his hearers by declaring that they were no better than they ought to be and that some among them were the equals of present-day grafters.

Mr. Long's remarks were part of an address delivered at the tercentenary of the First Church of Plymouth. Among other things he said:

"The saints in Plymouth colony can be counted on the fingers. Some of the very elect were false to their trust and used their positions to feather their own nests—false to the trust than any president of a modern insurance company. Within the first decade social vices infected the community; drunkenness, bickering, slander, licentiousness and even crime against nature were rampant. All this took place in a community of very limited numbers. No New England village of today need fear comparisons with the early Plymouth colony."

SEVERAL ONE FINGER.

Wilkesbarre, Aug. 5.—Michael Davinick, aged 15 years, cut off one of his own fingers when bitten by a rattlesnake, near Milesville today.

The finger began to swell and fearing death, he told a boy friend to hold his knife across the lower joint. Then striking it with a stone, he drove the blade through the finger, cutting it off.

BURST FROM QUININE.

Morrisville, Va., Aug. 5.—John Jacob died last night in agony as the result of a severe drenching after a large dose of quinine.

Having heard somebody say that quinine was good in cases of malaria, Jacobs took at one dose the entire contents of a quart bottle. He then went into the woods, where he encountered a heavy rain. He was found on a river bank the next day.

Physicians were hurried to the scene, but they arrived too late. Jacobs' lungs, eyes, and the drums of his ears had burst.

The wise young man keeps both eyes on the small boy with whose big sister he wants to face the parson.

Perhaps you may have noticed that when people promise you big things they always qualify them with a bigger "if."

LONDONERS KNOW
LITTLE OF LONDONIgnorant as to Historic Spots
in the Metropolis.WRONG IDEAS ABOUT TOWER
Executions Took Place Outside the
Building—What Has Become of
Tyburn Prison?

London, Aug. 5.—A motor car filled with American tourists pulled up at the side of the pavement near the Marble Arch, and one of the occupants asked a question of a policeman:

"Which is the way to York?"

An astounding question to ask near the Marble Arch and one which would puzzle 100 Londoners would respond to by directing the inquirer to King's Cross Railway station. But the officer was equal to the question and replied promptly:

"Second turning to the right, and keep straight on."

Another of the occupants asked how long the journey would take. Another, whether the route lay through Peterborough. Both these questions were promptly and correctly answered; then another of the tourists, encouraged by the encyclopedic knowledge of the constable, put a question that floored him:

"We have been trying to find the lead statue of James II. by Grinling Gibbons—it used to be at Whitehall. Can you tell me where it is now?"

But there were only six statues that the policeman knew, four in Trafalgar Square, one in front of St. Paul's and one at the junction of Cannon and King William streets.

"What strikes you about London?" was a question put to Mr. William Jennings Bryan, the distinguished American politician.

"The fact that no Londoner knows anything about London."

An American tourist who asked a bewildered clerk in Fleet street to direct him to the place where the great Pembroke, brother-in-law of King John and Regent to Henry III., was buried, suggested at random Westminster Abbey, but Pembroke is really buried a stone's throw from Fleet street, in the Temple Church. Questions about the tower are a constant pitfall for Londoners.

The general impression is that all executions occurred within the walls of this historic building. As a matter of fact, in the majority of cases they took place outside at a spot marked today by a plate, Whitehall is yet another place about which Londoners know little or nothing. The unpretentious gray building that faces the Horse Guards is to the majority of citizens a dull kind of exhibition where, after a short stay, one might see a number of naval and military relics.

Yet here was Anne Boleyn married, and here lived "Bloody" Queen Mary; here, too, Latimer preached, and Cromwell and Milton were in this building. The middle window that faces the road, one still January morning in 1649, Charles "the martyr" stepped out on the scaffold.

The American who asks the Londoner the exact position of the Adelphi, will very properly be directed to the theater of that name, and not to the quaint locality where Garrick died and the King of the Sandwich Islands lived and died, and where Peter the Great was for some time in residence.

THEIR ESTATES ARE VAST

Dukes of Britain Rule On Domains
From Sea to Sea.

London, Aug. 5.—There are some vast estates among the ducal domains of Great Britain, but the statement made apropos of the King's visit to Alnwick Castle, that the Duke of Northumberland owns more acreage in England from sea to sea without leaving his own land, is an exaggeration.

The duke owns 180,000 acres of Northumberland, 5,000 acres of the north riding of Yorkshire and a smaller estate in Durham. In the south of England he owns a valuable land in Middlesex and Surrey.

The Duke of Sutherland, however, is in a position to ride across Scotland on his own land. He owns 1,500,000 acres, and the country is so indicated by the sea that it is possible to take by the Duke's route from the North Sea to the Atlantic, keeping to the Sutherland domain the whole journey.

Owning some 460,000 acres, the Duke of Beaufort is also able to perform the feat.

MADE HIM HUMAN TORCH.

Corry, Pa., Aug. 5.—Harland Knowles, aged 70 years, a prominent citizen of Findlay Lake, was literally roasted to death in a horrible accident at his home last night.

Knowles, who was subject to dizzy spells, fell while carrying a lighted lamp and the oil covered his body and ignited, making a human torch of him. The flames were finally extinguished, but the aged man died today.

Naturally, the man who hands a street car conductor a quarter and accepts of a cent change doesn't think the world is growing better.

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METHYLATED SPIRITS
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Ottawa, Aug. 4.—The inland revenue department announces a reduction of nearly twenty per cent in the price of the methylated spirits that is prepared under Government supervision. Hereafter No. 1 grade has sold at \$1.10 per gallon, and No. 2 grade at \$1.50 per gallon, but beginning this month the rates will be cut to 90 cents and \$1.25 respectively. Those who will immediately benefit by this reduction will be the manufacturers using methylated spirits, the largest users being the varnish manufacturers. The Minister of Inland Revenue is also having experiments with the object of securing denatured alcohol that can be sold at still lower prices, and if these are successful a further reduction will be announced. There is an agitation both in the United States and Canada for a kind of alcohol at rates low enough to permit of its use as a fuel in place of coal oil or gasoline in automobiles, stoves, lamps, etc., but the Minister of Inland Revenue regrets that this is impossible in Canada until our distillers are in a position to greatly reduce the cost of the spirits that they supply the department. When they do that Canada may be able to grow its own fuel and be independent to a large extent of the coal fields of Pennsylvania.

Prices must go down over 50 per cent before its use as a beverage can be prevented by its use as a beverage, can be furnished for fuel purposes. In the evidence taken by the congressional committee in Washington it was conclusively shown that alcohol can be made in certain districts of the United States at a cost below 25 cents a gallon and there seems no good reason why it cannot be produced in this country equally cheap. At present the alcohol that the department of inland revenue buys from the distillers for the manufacture of methylated spirits costs 49 cents per gallon. In the preparation of methylated spirits this is mixed with a wood alcohol which costs \$1.25 a gallon, and cost, up till eighteen months ago, \$1.40.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—The next holiday is Monday, Sept. 3, Labor Day.

—Despite the heat of Sunday, local pastors report the church attendance to have been very satisfactory.

—The arts and divinity men of Huron College meet this afternoon in Convocation Hall to elect members of the senate of the college.

—The city council should have met tonight, but owing to the holiday, the meeting will not be held until Tuesday night at the usual hour.

—Fire Chief Clark has had all the fire alarm boxes in the city painted a bright red. The improvement to the alarm system is very noticeable.

—Ald. Stevenson left last week to attend the convention of Canadian municipalities which opens in Halifax this week. Mayor Judd and the other delegates from the city council will leave Tuesday.

—Sunday the heat was most intense. As far as known no prostrations occurred. The rainstorm of the afternoon, although very brief, served to cool the atmosphere materially.

—Rev. E. E. Shields, of Kincardine, preached for his brother, the pastor of Adelaide Street Baptist Church, yesterday. Rev. F. J. Scott, of Peterborough, will occupy the Adelaide Street Church pulpit next Sunday.

SENT TO LONDON.

Brantford Expositor: This week Mrs. Roy, whose age is probably between 80 and 90 years, was sent to London at the expense of the city. She has relatives there with whom she will stay in future. The old lady was in a very feeble state and the city officials were almost afraid to let her go on the cars. They are rather anxious to hear whether she has arrived safely or not.

DEATH OF MR. C. ROBERTSON.

Mr. Curry Robertson, of Empress avenue, who had been in poor health for some months, died on Saturday at 1 o'clock, aged 75 years. Mr. Robertson lived for two years on Oxford street west, in London Township, and for about eight years in the city on Empress avenue. He was a good citizen, and was respected by all. He leaves a widow, but no family.

MR. STRINGER'S NEW BOOK.

Arthur Stringer's new novel of action and adventure, "The Wire Tappers," seems to be meeting with success in portions of the Empire other than Canada. Arrangements have just been made for the publication of a special edition in Australia, and Werner Laurie, the London publisher who has purchased the English rights to the story, is now bringing out the book in the old country. Besides this Owen Davis, the well-known dramatist, is at present hard at work in New York converting Mr. Stringer's story into a play. The dramatic rights having been contracted for the first week after the publication of the book in Boston.

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A VISITING MINISTER.

Rev. F. Carruthers, of Detroit, who is spending a few days at the home of Mr. H. H. Wallace, Talbot street, occupied the pulpit of the First Congregational Church last evening, and preached a very forceful sermon from John xii., 42-43, on the suspension of moral conviction. Mr. Carruthers is an easy speaker and was listened to with interest throughout his discourse.

A GREAT SEASON FOR PLAYGOERS

New Management at Grand Promises Big Things For Londoners.

Mr. John B. Fitzpatrick, of New York, who, with Mr. John R. Stewart, of this city, has leased the Grand Opera House in London for the next five years, has set aside all doubts as to who will control the house the coming season by producing a contract with the Grand Opera House Company, which states that Fitzpatrick and Stewart are masters of the situation.

So far the bookings are of independent attractions, but it is understood that some of the syndicate attractions will be seen here the coming season, as the lessees are advertising that they are open to play all legitimate attractions.

Mr. Fitzpatrick was seen by The Advertiser at the Grigg House last night, and he assured the reporter that the coming season will be one of the finest Londoners have ever been treated to.

Mr. Fitzpatrick is an old newspaperman, who has been identified with legitimate theatricals for a long time.

Mr. Stewart is known to most Londoners as the affable treasurer of the Grand here for five years, and who is now associated with Mr. Cahn, of New York, in the control of the Springbank theatre.

It is expected that the house staff for the Grand the coming season will be announced shortly.

Mr. Stewart takes over the management himself, while it is rumored that Mr. Keith Hammond will be treasurer. There is also Mr. Wm. Thompson, being chief usher, but, of course, nothing has been settled, and Fitzpatrick and Stewart refuse to say anything as to the staff at present.

Mr. A. J. Small, of Toronto, who has held the house for the past five years, has retained control of the theatre from the let of June last by reason of a clause in the agreement which stated that unless the house was kept open his lease would expire on the 1st of June.

However, he must vacate the premises by the 1st of September, when Fitzpatrick and Stewart will assume control.

All the talk of a new theatre turns out to have been so much mere gossip.

With Bennett's Vaudeville Theatre in full blast and with the Grand playing first-class attractions, there is no room for a third house in London.

The Dramatic Mirror and New York Clipper of last week contain the following rather warm notice regarding the change in the control of the Grand: "Attraction managers who think they are booked to play the Grand Opera House, London, Ontario, Canada, should read their contracts. We are the lessees of the Grand Opera House, the only house in the city, and are now booking it. It is not necessary to make other Canadian points to play London, for it is located on the main line (short jumps), between Buffalo, Michigan, Ohio, and Middle West towns. You can play this live city and pass on to other good fields. In the past, in order to play London, you were compelled to take several 'graveyard' towns, the scenery in the theatres of which is made from the shrouds of managers who were forced to play them. In the past if you refused to play the morgues, the shrouds of the depot were ominously exhibited. That day has passed. The London Grand Opera House is independent, and its motto is 'Equity.' Its books are open to all managers who have a meritorious attraction. We will pay the duty on your printing and send it to all Governmental matters. Labor Day, which is good for two thousand to twenty-two hundred, is open, as is also other good time. Write to Fitzpatrick & Stewart, Suite 1138-39, 40, Knickerbocker Theatre building, Thirty-ninth street and Broadway, New York."

Although the wreck on the Pere Marquette spoiled to a certain extent some of the picnics at Port Stanley on Saturday, the London Printing and Lithographing Company's annual picnic was a success, and in every way an enjoyable event. Owing to the track being blocked, it was late in the afternoon before the picnickers got to Port, and consequently the time for sports was short, but everything was in tip-top order, so that a couple of hours decided the winners, and made the athletic "dolms" a thing of the past.

The following was the programme of sports:

100-yards dash (boys under 17), 4 prizes, 75c, 50c, 35c and 25c—G. Parkinson 1, A. Hynd 2, W. Spry 3, C. Ash-ton 4.

100-yards dash (apprentices), 4 prizes, 75c, 50c, 35c and 25c—G. Rudd 1, G. Garfield 2, Knight 3, S. Chamberlain 4.

Nail-driving contest (ladies), 3 prizes, 75c, 50c, 25c—Mrs. Hynd 1, Mrs. H. Wright 2, Miss M. Flannery 3.

100-yards dash (single men), 2 prizes, \$1.50, 1.00—J. Davis 1, J. Davis 2.

Jockey race, 1.50—half way and change, 2 prizes, \$1.50—G. Rudd and J. Davis 1, S. Chamberlain and R. Dear 2.

Partnership race, lady to select partner, 3 prizes, 75c, 50c, 25c—Miss Fairburn and S. Chamberlain 1, Miss Dalton and C. Broughton 2, Miss Flannery and J. Inwood 3.

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Grand Trunk Is Successful Re-improvements East and West of City.

A regular meeting of the council of the township of London will be held at St. Johns at 10 o'clock this morning.

It is understood that the Grand Trunk Railway will submit plans to the council outlining the improvements which have been made on the company's roadway in the township, and also plans of the two bridges which are to be constructed.

One of these will be over the company's line at Hyde Park, and the other over the line which crosses the Gore of London, a mile or so east of the city.

Last week representatives of the township and the company visited the places under discussion, and an agreement was practically come to.

It is expected that when the plans have been received the municipality and the railway company will be ready to sign the documents.

ACCIDENT CAUSES PEOPLE TO WORRY

Springbank Service Was Most Inadequate on Saturday

Saturday night the people of London appeared anxious to visit Springbank en masse.

The heat in the city was intense, and Londoners longed for the breath of the verdant woods which stud the line all the way from the Wharncliffe bridge to Springbank.

On every corner large crowds congregated and almost fought to board the cars. They could not understand why the cars were so long in running.

They did not know that early Saturday morning an accident befell the power house machinery which left the street railway company with scarcely any power to work its cars.

Manager King was out of the city, but Treasurer Benson made the best of conditions and operated all lines with a slightly reduced number of cars.

The Springbank line came out in the small end of the horn. All Mr. Benson dare place on the line were two of the big picketers and one of the ordinary city cars.

These conveyances did good work, and one of the largest crowds of the season was in the show at Springbank. It was quite evident that had all cars been running the crowd at the park Saturday evening would have been a record breaker.

The crush coming back from the park was very great, but all passengers reached the city shortly after midnight.

The machinery has been repaired, and everything will be in working order for today.

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THEIR HIGH INDORSEMENT

The Journal of the Merchant Tailors Makes Its Bow to "Semi-Ready."

In the Sartorial World, the highest authority in merchant tailor's journalism, the following item appeared in the July number:

"W. T. Peace & Co. will open a large tailoring establishment on Portage avenue in Winnipeg, under the name of 'Semi-Ready, Limited.' It will contain all the equipment of a first-class place, and we predict great popularity for the firm."

Another paragraph tells of Messrs. Peace & Co. selling their established business to take up the Semi-ready agency.

PERSONAL MENTION.

P. Boug, of this city, is the guest of his brother, Walter Boug, at Windsor.

Miss Verna M. Taylor, of Queen's avenue, is visiting friends in Mossdale.

Rev. H. C. Speller and family, formerly of this city, are holidaying in Muskoka.

Miss Florence M. Mackay, of Central avenue, is visiting friends in Stratford.

Miss Mary Henderson, of this city, is visiting at her home on Buller street, Woodstock.

Miss Jenny McDonald, of this city, is the guest of Mrs. Hugh McPherson, Stanley street, St. Thomas.

Miss Lily Short, of 275 King street, is spending her holidays in Toronto and other eastern points.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Hayward, of Ingersoll, have left for London and Aylmer to spend their holidays.

Dr. and Mrs. Gilbert E. Frank, of Bannister, Michigan, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Raymond, 442 King street.

Mr. Wm. Ashman, of Rebocka, while backing a wagon down the gangway in his barn on Saturday, was struck on the knee by the tongue of the wagon, and sustained injuries which will prevent him from working for some time.

President Hadley, of Yale University, contributes to a current magazine an interesting view of the question, now a matter of serious thought to parents, as to whether it is wise for college men to be liberally supplied with money. He explains the strain of poverty as well as of wealth upon the morals of men in colleges and draws the conclusion that it is about equal, all things considered.

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