

VERNON-HARCOURT HAS PASSED AWAY

Eminent English Statesman Dies Suddenly.

HAD RETIRED FROM POLITICS

Succeeded Gladstone as Leader of Liberal Party—Brilliant Career—Press Comment.

London, Oct. 1.—Sir William Vernon-Harcourt died very suddenly this morning at Nuneham Park, near Oxford, the country seat which he recently inherited from his nephew. His only wife, daughter of the late John Lubbock, died in 1897, and he was a widower for over twenty years. He was a member of the House of Commons from 1874 to 1892, and was a member of the cabinet from 1892 to 1895. He was a member of the House of Commons from 1874 to 1892, and was a member of the cabinet from 1892 to 1895. He was a member of the House of Commons from 1874 to 1892, and was a member of the cabinet from 1892 to 1895.

The evening edition of the Standard, one of the deceased's most bitter opponents, aptly and generously says: "With the late Liberal leader there has passed away one of the last of those titanic figures bound up with the most brilliant traditions of the House of Commons. There are but a few left of those eminent statesmen who received their political training at the hands of Gladstone and Disraeli. The coincidence of his death with the intended withdrawal of the distinguished statesman into well-earned repose after a career of hard work and political activity, gives added pathos to the event."

London, Oct. 1.—Sir William Vernon-Harcourt, who became the Liberal leader in the House of Commons on Mr. Gladstone's retirement in 1894, and held that position until Feb. 1, when he announced his intention of retiring from Parliament, died this morning. Sir William Vernon-Harcourt was born Oct. 14, 1827, being second son of the late Rev. W. Vernon-Harcourt. He was educated at Eton College, and at Trinity College, Hartford, Conn., where he was a member of the Phi Beta Kappa society. He was a member of the House of Commons from 1874 to 1892, and was a member of the cabinet from 1892 to 1895.

ACCUSED OF FOUL PLAY

Paris Paper Says Japanese Tundered Foreign Attaches.

New York, Oct. 1.—The Echo de Paris goes out of its way to accuse the Japanese of having caused the death of Arthur H. Cuvier and Lieut. Von Gilleme, respectively the French and German attaches, who left Paris last month, says a Paris dispatch to the Times. The paper makes the accusation on altogether inadmissible evidence, and says, in a report by the Russian consul at Chefoo, saying that toward Aug. 29 a junk flying the French flag was sunk by the enemy.

Blind on Flags.

London, Oct. 1.—A special correspondent of the Yorkshire Post, referring to Hamilton, Ontario, says: "Hamilton is pure English, and proud of it. They speak contemptuously of their neighbors of the United States as Yanks. But somebody should teach them that the flag of the British mercantile marine is not the proper Union Jack. It is a common error in Canada."

Arrested for Robbery May Face Murder Charge

Moosejaw, N. W. T., Oct. 1.—P. W. Watts, of Winnipeg, under arrest here for robbery, may be charged with the murder of Alex Tuffen, whose mangled remains were found in the C. P. R. yards here two weeks ago. It is believed Watts was seen with Tuffen at Medicine Hat the night before Tuffen's death. Tuffen drew a large amount of money from the Bank of British North America at Calgary a few days previous, and only \$5 was found in his pockets.

American Steel Trust Buys Collingwood Mills

New York, Oct. 1.—Interests representing the United States Steel Corporation have purchased the controlling block of stock in the Steel and Iron Company, organized with a nominal capital of \$2,500,000, to acquire and operate the Cramp Steel Works at Collingwood, Canada. The steel corporation will take over the Canadian firm at an early date. In this connection it is said that the new company, which is called the Northern Steel and Iron Company, Limited, will ultimately be used as the Canadian subsidiary of the steel corporation, and that the new plant may be in operation much sooner than if the corporation undertook to build an entire new plant at any point in Canada. Until there are further developments as to the ability of the steel companies now operating in Canada to meet the requirements of the new country laws, the steel corporation will not disclose its definite plans as to Canadian trade.

CONSULS DON'T COUNT

An Affair Similar to Gurney Incident in Dublin.

New York, Oct. 1.—A dispatch to the Sun from Dublin says: Arthur Doane Platt, acting American consul here, has been fined 10 shillings for driving at excessive speed a motor cycle to which was attached a trailer containing a woman. His counsel suggested that as an American representative, his client was not liable to prosecution, but he would not raise that point. The magistrate held that the technical point might apply to an ambassador, but hardly to a consul.

FOR A CHINESE CRIME

Yale Gets \$40,000 That the English Missions Would Not Touch.

New Haven, Oct. 1.—Yale has accepted for its foreign missionary association about \$40,000 from the British Government. This was offered to several British missionary associations and declined because they regarded it as "blood money." It was an indemnity paid by the Chinese Government for the murder of two English missionaries during the Boxer insurrection. The English societies refused on principle and the Chinese Government declined to take back the cash. The English Government has been holding it in trust. Yale will erect one or two buildings for its foreign missionary college at Changsha, China, with the indemnity.

WAS AN EX-STUDENT

Sazonoff the Assassin's Name—Now in Hospital.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 1.—A judicial inquiry has proved the assassin of Minister of the Interior de Plehve to be the son of a merchant of Ufa, a town of Eastern Russia, the name of Sazonoff. He was formerly a student at Moscow University. Sazonoff had been deported to the province of Tomsk, in Siberia, whence he returned without authority to South Russia. There he became a journalist and subsequently a railway officer. Although he has not quite recovered from the wounds he received in the explosion of the bomb which killed de Plehve, he will be moved to a cell in the hospital, where he is now lying.

PRESIDENT'S SMILE ECLIPSED

Interested Crowd Sees Roosevelt in Dentist's Chair.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 1.—President Roosevelt visited a dentist's office on New York avenue, near Fourteenth street, today to have a troublesome molar extracted. He was formerly a student at Moscow University. Sazonoff had been deported to the province of Tomsk, in Siberia, whence he returned without authority to South Russia. There he became a journalist and subsequently a railway officer. Although he has not quite recovered from the wounds he received in the explosion of the bomb which killed de Plehve, he will be moved to a cell in the hospital, where he is now lying.

INCITING THE TIBETANS

Russia Urging for a Revision of the New Treaty.

Tokio, Sept. 30.—Telegrams from Peking continue to affirm that the Russians are inciting the Tibetans in their protest to China against the Anglo-Tibetan treaty. These protests have resulted in China instructing its representative at Lhasa to insist on a revision of the treaty. Kawaguchi, a Japanese priest, who made the perilous journey through Tibet in 1902, will start on another trip to that country tomorrow. This time he goes under British protection.

Carrie on the Smash

Wichita, Kan., Oct. 1.—Mrs. Carrie Nation and three other women broke two large plate glass windows in the Mahan Wholesale Supply Co.'s warehouse today. They were arrested and are now in jail.

NEW HEAD FOR RUSSIAN NAVY

Dobousoff Will Now Lead the Fleets of the Czar.

WELL FITTED FOR POSITION

He Became Famous Through Navy Exploits During the Russo-Turkish War.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 1.—2:30 a.m.—The reorganization of the navy, which has been foreshadowed by the Associated Press, begins with the announcement on the highest authority that Vice-Admiral Dobousoff, the present head of the technical bureau of the admiralty, will be appointed minister of marine. Vice-Admiral Avelan, whom he will succeed, will be given the honorary post of chief of the Red Cross Society, succeeding Admiral Kremer, who died recently. Vice-Admiral Dobousoff will return to the Pacific squadron which he intrusted to Rear Admiral Choukine, the present chief of the Black Sea fleet, Admiral Birloff, transferred from the Baltic to the Black Sea, while Velezago, hitherto Admiral Birloff's assistant, will take charge of the Baltic ports fleet.

ESCAPES FROM FLYING TRAIN

Forger Plunges Through Window and Waves Farewell to Detectives.

Buffalo, Sept. 29.—Alonzo J. Whiteman, probably the most notorious forger in America, again escaped from custody today by plunging through the window of an express car going at the rate of sixty miles an hour. The train had just passed Dunkirk, when Whiteman sprang through the window, and as the train was an hour and a half from Buffalo, he was able to stop until he reached a suburb of this city. Detectives have started the trail, but it is not thought that there is much chance of capturing Whiteman again.

RICH HAUL BY MAIL ROBBERS

Get Away With 100 Bags En Route to Paris.

NO CLUE TO THE THIEVES

Car Was Insecurely Fastened and the Thieves Ransacked the Mail at Their Leisure.

Paris, Sept. 30.—Nearly 100 bags containing mail bound for New York were stolen from an express train between Paris and Havre last night. The sacks were cut open and the thieves obtained a large quantity of plunder. The express train conveying the mails left the St. Lazare station at 11:35 Thursday night, and was due to arrive at Havre at 5:06 this morning. There were two mail vans in the train, one occupied by sorters and the other by the American mail from France, Spain, Italy, Egypt and India. Nobody traveled in the latter car. The mail was fastened only with a padlock. This lack of precaution was exploited by the thieves, who were wrenched from the car during its run to Havre, indicating an attempt to rob the mail.

NO FILLED CHEESE

Not Exported From Canada Says Official Dairy Report.

Ottawa, Oct. 1.—Mr. J. A. Ruddick, chief of the dairy division of Parliament of agriculture, was asked regarding the alleged exportation of margarine cheese from Canada to England. He remarked: "I am not clear as to what is meant by 'filled' cheese. It is a variety of cheese, filled with a substance, which is generally known as 'filled' cheese. Filled cheese, so called, is made of raw material and produced in Canada by the dairy products act, 1883. I have never heard of any infringement of the law. Any tampering with the cheese in this way would require considerable machinery and material not found in the ordinary cheese factory. It would be impossible to carry it out without a great many people being aware of it. I do not believe that any filled cheese has been made in Canada. In any case, if an attempt is being made to carry out the manufacture of such cheese, it will be a very easy matter to stop it."

ON HORNS OF DILEMMA

Whatever Montreal Does an Injunction Forbids It.

Montreal, Sept. 30.—The city of Montreal was placed in a peculiar position by a judgment against it this morning in the famous Ahunistic drainage case. The city has a sewage farm near Ahunistic, and the people there complain of noxious odors from its drainage. Finally they issued an injunction compelling the city to put in an improved system of drainage. The city at once started to put in an underground sewer. Everything went merrily until a highway in Ahunistic was reached, when the municipality issued a second injunction ordering the city not to cross its highways without its permission. This injunction is this morning upheld by Judge Dunning. The result is that the injunction commands the city to do this work and the other forbids it. In any event the result will be a heavy bill of costs.

Worked on Sunday

Kingston, Ont., Oct. 1.—The police magistrate today dismissed charges against a street car conductor for working on Sunday, holding that the law gave the street railway company the right to run every day in the year.

Murder of Missionaries Set for October the 17th

Twenty-Six Canadians Are in Danger Zone—Several on Way Out.

Toronto, Oct. 1.—Twenty-six Canadian missionaries are at present in Honan, where a general massacre of foreigners is said to have been decided upon by a Chinese society to occur Oct. 17. Two others, Rev. J. Mowat and Rev. R. P. McKay, Presbyterian foreign missionary secretary, says that letters received from Honan, Tuesday were very reassuring. The fact that since the Boxer outbreak French and English capitalists have hesitated the province with railroads, made the conditions more favorable than four years ago, when the previous trouble occurred. The railroads would enable the missionaries to get out in two days, whereas three weeks were required by house boats.

PART OF BODY FOUND

May Be That of Sixth Victim of the Eastwood Wreck.

Woodstock, Ont., Sept. 30.—Part of the remains of a human body were taken from the mass of wreckage around the big motor engine at Eastwood last night. It was believed that all of Engineer Heran's remains were found, and the bones found last night may be those of a sixth victim. The presence of the supposed missing Buffalo driver of a tramp. Six watches were found in the wreckage and five bodies have been accounted for.

COLONIAL CLASSES

Their Establishment in Schools of England Being Discussed.

London, Oct. 1.—Sir William Magnay's letter to the Times on the value of colonial classes in the English public schools has raised a stormy controversy. As is usually the case with letters of this kind, the Times, headmaster of Perse School, Cambridge, strongly condemns the suggestion. He writes to the Times: "I would have no time for such special classes. What England needs is the entire reconstruction of her public school system of education, he says, and upon lines laid down by a committee of experts. He writes to the Times: 'I would have no time for such special classes. What England needs is the entire reconstruction of her public school system of education, he says, and upon lines laid down by a committee of experts. He writes to the Times: 'I would have no time for such special classes. What England needs is the entire reconstruction of her public school system of education, he says, and upon lines laid down by a committee of experts.'

NO DUDES FOR GEN. KUROPATKIN

Objected to Leopold's Carrying a Trainload of Apparel to Far East.

New York, Oct. 1.—The reason why General Kuropatkin did not want Prince Frederick Leopold of Prussia at the front now seems evident, says the Berlin correspondent of the Times. The prince desired to carry too large an outfit. Goods ordered by the prince in preparation for his expected journey are still arriving in great quantities. The prince arranged to carry with him to Manchuria 250 pairs of gloves, 500 pairs of shoes, and other articles of apparel in proportion. The embarrassment a royal prince of a foreign country with a train of attendants and an enormous quantity of baggage would cause at the front can be imagined.

DELIGHTED WITH CANADA

Party of French Engineers in Ottawa on Way Home.

Ottawa, Sept. 30.—A distinguished party of French engineers in the city. They were members of the French delegation to the engineering convention at St. Louis, and are on their return to New York. The party is composed of Mr. Bourier, chairman of the delegation; Mr. Moreau, engineer of the immense breweries at Yvetz; Mr. Moreau, an agrarian officer at Vienna; and Pierre Demange, a student of engineering. When they arrived at New York the French party consisted of thirty members, but divided up after leaving the exhibition. They have visited New York, Pittsburg, Chicago, Niagara, Philadelphia, Boston, Quebec, and Montreal. They are delighted with what they have seen of Canada.

SELLING THEIR WIVES

Russian Peasants Going into the Business Largely.

Paris, Oct. 1.—In the Kharokoff, Poltava and Ekaterinoslav provinces of Russia, says the Novoe Vremya, there is a rapidly growing trade in the sale of wives, frequently at their own desire. The usual cause is the extreme poverty of the husband, who can no longer keep his wife; though it is often because the wife desires to be free from a cruel, drunken husband. The trade has become so common, that few markets are held without such transactions, which are considered so binding that no case has been known of a husband demanding his wife back. Their market value varies from \$5 to \$15. More is never paid. The women are required to be good housewives and field workers. The dealers or agents are Jews, who get 10 to 15 per cent on the purchase price.

CAVALIERE PINO MASTERS THE SEA

Italian Treasure Hunter Has Millions in Grasp.

FINDS IT WITH HYDROSCOPE

Wonderful Invention Which Compels the Ocean to Give Up Its Great Wealth.

Paris, Oct. 1.—"Do you not think it probable, Cavaliere Pino, that in a short while you will be the richest man alive?" It was the first question that I put to a much-sought-after and a sedulous Italian. The fame of his invention—his hydroscope, which allows him to view the bottom of the sea at any depth, and his elevator, which allows him to raise any sunken object by the power of compressed air—spread far abroad after the first account of them appeared some time ago. Then at once some shogals of letters poured upon him; people sought him out in Italy from all quarters, and the great Editors carved articles; salvage companies, pearl fishers, sponge fishermen, and fishermen proper clamored for the right to use his invention. One Englishman offered Pino \$5,000 for the use of a hydroscope for a limited time on the Northumberland coast. An Italian newspaper offered to pay the price of a hydroscope—some £2,000—if only a reporter might be allowed to investigate and describe the work in Vigo Bay. But Pino refused to hear any one.

ST. ANDREW'S BROTHERHOOD

National Officers Elected by N.W. Appointed Council.

Philadelphia, Oct. 1.—The only business of importance to come before the brotherhood of St. Andrew's, which met today is the selection of the next meeting place. At a meeting of the newly-appointed council the following national officers were elected: President, Robert H. Gardner, Chicago; second vice-president, Judge Harry C. Davis, Philadelphia; third vice-president, Edmund G. Billings, Boston; treasurer, George W. Phillips, Chicago; secretary, Hubert Carleton, Pittsburg; office secretary, Edward P. Criswell, Pittsburg. Hon. J. H. Smale, of Toronto, spoke on "How can the Brotherhood movement be best promoted?"

Government Compensation

Ottawa, Oct. 1.—The Canada Gazette of Agriculture has been authorized to order compensation to the owners of stock killed in accordance with the amended contagious disease act.

New Russian Minister

St. Petersburg, Oct. 1.—Prince Sviatopolk-Mirsky, the new minister of the interior, has selected Prince A. Obolensky, one of the assistants of the minister of finance, to be one of his chief lieutenants. The torpedo boat destroyers Revoz, Pronzhtolny, Prozorilny, and Gromkiy have been ordered to be prepared to join the Baltic fleet at Revel Oct. 3.

China Progresses

New York, Oct. 1.—Tsang Hse Nun, who is charged by the Empress Dowager of China to make an inquiry into the system of the governments of the world in order that any points suitable to the people of China may be introduced in the empire, arrived here today on the steamer Philadelphia, from Southampton, and Cherbourg. He was accompanied by a numerous Chinese suite. Nun has visited most of the countries of Europe, and has made inquiries there with the assistance of the authorities.

Vacation for Gurney

Washington, Oct. 1.—Third Secretary Hugh Gurney, of the British embassy, is to have a "leave of absence" as a result of his arrest in Lee, Mass., for speeding an automobile. Officials are annoyed that Gurney should have claimed exemption under international law. From London comes the statement that the Westminister Gazette reflects public sentiment in England in the following: "It seems to have a 'leave of absence' connected with the legends should keep on the safe side of local law when they use motor cars, but if perchance they transgress the simplest, quietest plan is perhaps to waive the privilege and pay the fine."

WEATHER BULLETIN. Tomorrow—Fair and Cool. London, Saturday, Oct. 1. Sun rises, 5:15 a.m. Moon rises, 10:25 p.m. Sun sets, 5:00 p.m. Moon sets, 12:49 a.m. Toronto, Sept. 30, a.m. The weather today has been fine and warm throughout Manitoba and the Territories. Westerly gales have prevailed on the great lakes, while in the Gulf and Maritime Provinces rain has fallen, with moderate gales. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 54-68; Kamloops, 50-75; Calgary, 35-75; Qu'Appelle, 35-70; Winnipeg, 46-65; Toronto, 46-65; Ottawa, 35-62; Montreal, 52-61; Quebec, 45-56; Halifax, 45-60; St. John, 39-54. FORECASTS. Saturday, Oct. 1-8 a.m. Today—Strong westerly winds; fair; Sunday—Westerly winds; fair and cool. TEMPERATURES. Stations. 8 a.m. Min. Weather. Calgary..... 44 42 Cloudy Winnipeg..... 44 42 Cloudy Pelly..... 52 46 Fair Fairbank..... 46 46 Fair Fairbank..... 46 46 Cloudy Montreal..... 40 38 Rain Quebec..... 40 38 Rain WEATHER NOTES. The weather continues fairly warm throughout Manitoba and the Territories. Westerly gales are now blowing in the Gulf and the process of filling these of the great lakes, the storm region being over Eastern Quebec. The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. Friday were: Highest, 67; lowest, 45.



















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LATEST MARKETS LOCAL MARKET.

Vegetables and Roots—This line was easy; the feature of the market; potatoes sold well at 60c to 75c per bushel.

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POULTRY, ALIVE. Spring chickens, per pair 45 to 75. Old hens, per pair 25 to 35.

VEGETABLES. Potatoes, per bushel 60 to 75. Onions, per bushel 20 to 25. Cabbages, per bushel 10 to 15.

NEW YORK. H. C. Becker, stock broker, Bank of Commerce building, received the following news from Bartlett, Frasier & Carrington today.

Clinical Thermometers.

Once used by doctors only, but fast becoming a recognized necessity for every household.

Strong's Drug Store

One of the most sensational and systematic robberies of a wholesale grocery ever perpetrated in the Province has just come to light in this city.

SENSATIONAL ROBBERY OF A WHOLESALE GROCERY

\$1,000 Worth of Goods Stolen Within Six Months. Pinkerton Detective Engaged on the Case—Dismissal of Certain Clerk May Result in Libel Suit.

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FELL TWENTY FEET FROM SCAFFOLD

A Dufferin Avenue Carpenter Sustains Very Serious Injuries. While working on a house at the corner of St. James street and Hellmuth avenue this morning, Clifford Alexander Hamilton, 48 years of age, fell from a scaffold.

BOY WAS INJURED BY A BICYCLIST

An unfortunate accident happened yesterday afternoon when Charles, the eight-year-old son of Detective Robert Egerton, was injured severely.

MAN CONFESSED SERIOUS OFFENSE

Charged With Stealing Money From Trunks in Hotel Where He Roomed. Albert Scott, a young man, who claims Galt as his home, is in serious trouble. He was arrested this morning on a charge of larceny.

G. T. R. BRAKEMAN LOSES AN ARM

Was Getting Into Caboose When It Was Shunted and He Fell on the Track. Mr. Porter, of Dawson & Porter, Clarence street, received a telegram this morning to the effect that his brother-in-law, Mr. William Vanderbrugg, had met with a terrible accident.

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

Miss Maude Turner, of South London, is visiting her sister, Miss Beatrice Turner, at Charlton. Mrs. Charles Wilson, of this city, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Nelson, and other relatives at Apsley.

Did you ever really examine the difference in Life Insurance Companies?

The water commissioners will meet on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Fireman Robt. Robinson has sent in his resignation as Chief Clerk.

Koal. Koal.

The Best Koal is always the cheapest. You will get the best quality of Koal from the DALY, 19 YORK STREET, PHONES 218.

Old Eyes Made Young

Every day I am becoming older and older, and my eyes are getting dimmer. I often regret that I do not have the same eyes as I had when I was young.

W. R. BISHOP

W. R. Bishop, 212 Dundas Street, East, Toronto, Ont. Specialist in sight testing. Changes and both are of a minor nature.

NEW YORK

Reported by H. C. Becker, stock broker, Masonic Temple, for the Advertiser. Anal. Copper 12 1/2, 13 1/2, 14 1/2.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE

Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Masonic Temple, for the Advertiser. Open High Low Close. Wheat—May 1 1/2, 1 1/4, 1 1/4, 1 1/2.

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DAIRY MARKETS

NEW YORK. New York, Sept. 30.—Butter firm; receipts, 5,339 pkgs; official price, creamery, common to extra, 12c.

GRAIN MARKETS

CHICAGO. Chicago, Sept. 30.—Butter steady; creameries, 14c to 15c; dairies, 13c to 14c.

DEATH OF T. G. WALKER

The death of Thomas G. Walker occurred this morning at the family residence, 749 Dundas street. He was 79 years of age and came to this city from Belmont, where he had resided for some time.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

OLD COUNTRY PRICES. Toronto, Sept. 30.—Cattle are steady, at \$12 to \$14 per head.

LOOK AFTER YOUR VOTE

Mr. Hyman's committee rooms, 238 Dundas street, will be opened tonight for the campaign.

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DELMAR AGAIN  
EQUALS RECORD

Without Wind Shield or Pacemaker Went Mile in 2:02 1/4 at Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Sept. 30.—The feature of today's Grand Circuit racing at Oakley Park was Major Delmar's attempt to break the world's trotting record of 2:02 1/4, without wind shields or pacemakers in front or side, held by Cresceus and Major Delmar. Delmar has a record of 1:59 1/4, trotted with the wind shields and pacemakers in front and side, but this is not recognized as a world's record by the trotting association. Both Cresceus and Delmar made the 2:02 1/4 record, paced by a running horse only. Although the weather conditions were not very favorable for a trial of this kind, the horses equalled the world's record. The three other events on the card were hotly contested. The summary:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Time. Includes entries like Sunny Slope, Edwin O., Vice Regal, Lydette, Riley McKen, Mary Lee, etc.

COMMISSION CUT  
DOWN THE LIST

Rejected a Number of Bogus Deals and Fixes Other Matters.

Cincinnati, O., Sept. 30.—The National Baseball Commission, consisting of August Hermann, president of the commission; President Johnson, of the American League, and President Pulliam, of the National League, met here and passed on contested and disputed cases in the drafted lists. Secretary Bruce was directed to notify the president of the American League, that money due the New York American League Club under the Newton decision, must be paid or that the league was to be ineligible. The same decision was rendered regarding the forfeit due to the St. Louis American League Club from Providence. The commission refused to reconsider the \$55 claim of Trayer Hulstine.

THE TURF

YESTERDAY'S TURF WINNERS. At Gravesend—Handarra, 9 to 3; Escutcheon, 6 to 1; Martinus, 2 to 1; Dick Bernard, 5 to 5; Coy Maid, 7 to 5; Frontis, 15 to 1.

LACROSSE

EACH SCORED FOUR. Thamesville, Ont., Sept. 29.—Chatham and Thamesville lacrosse teams played an exciting tie game here today; score, 4 each.

THE GUN

Y. M. C. A. RIFLE PRACTICE. The annual matches of the Y. M. C. A. Rifle Association will be held at the rifle range on Oct. 12 and 13. Mayor Beck has donated a cup for the winner in a handicap shoot at 200, 500 and 600 yards.

THE RING

THE FIGHT A DRAW. San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 30.—Joe Gans and Joe Walcott, colored pugilists, met here tonight in a twenty-round boxing contest. The fight was declared a draw at the end of the twentieth round.

DISCONTINUED IN ARMY

Then Listless to Appeals to Fight—Open Criticism of the War. London, Oct. 1.—The Times' Russian correspondence corroborates the previous stories of the discontent caused by the war and the summoning of the reserves in the Southern Provinces, where the mobilization is on a larger scale than elsewhere in the empire.

The Original Corn Cure.

Nearly fifty years ago Putnam's Corn Extractor was first manufactured. It has been wonderfully successful. Wherever used it cured permanently. Putnam's has magic unknown in ordinary remedies; it's the best.

Since the beginning of the present year gold to the value of \$2,088,565 has been shipped from Australia to all countries, a falling off of \$5,158,545 for the corresponding period of last year.

STRONG TEA  
OFF TO STRATFORD

Juniors Are Playing the First O. R. F. U. Game at Classic City Today.

The team that London sent to Stratford today looks like a winner, and will give the pigskin chasers there a hard battle. They have put in a hard week's work and left the city in the pink of condition. The line-up is as follows: Major, McConehy; quarter, Towse; wings, Westman, Kennedy, McCallum, Hopkins, Francis, Watson, Taggie, McGuire.

The seniors have to get down to work next week in earnest as the Victorias of Toronto play here on Saturday, Oct. 8, and the following week they are requested to play the Park Monday evening for practice, from 7:30 to 7:50: Harry Down, P. Collins, W. Southern, Sid Taylor, V. Jackson, P. McCallum, Rowland, McMahen, Regan, Little, J. McNe, H. Peel, Haines, Arthur, Westman, G. Crawford, S. Eddy, F. Watson, G. Rice, H. Mara, Murphy, Givern and Jack Gann.

BASEBALL

AT BROOKLYN. St. Louis.....00000000-0 7 2 Brooklyn.....00110011-1 12 1 Batteries—O'Neil and Miller; Mitchell and Ritter. Umpire, Zimmer. Attendance, 150.

AT BOSTON (first game). Boston.....00112203-8 10 6 Pittsburgh.....00200000-2 9 6 Batteries—Willis and Moran; Lovett and Phelps.

AT BOSTON (second game). Boston.....411017-11 3 1 Pittsburgh.....021000-1 10 1 Called, darkness. Batteries—Willis and Needham; Flaherty and Archer and Phelps. Umpire, Johnson. Attendance, 2,228.

AT NEW YORK (first game). Chicago.....00101207-0 12 14 New York.....00400005-9 10 5 Batteries—Weimer and King; McGinnis, Elliott and Marshall.

AT NEW YORK (second game). Chicago.....001000-5 6 8 New York.....001002-3 6 1 Batteries—Lindgren and O'Neill; Taylor and Grewman. Umpire, Carpenter and O'Day. Attendance, 2,600.

The game scheduled at Philadelphia for Tuesday between Philadelphia and Cincinnati was played on Thursday.

AT CLEVELAND. R. H. E. St. Louis.....10000200-3 2 2 Washington.....000000-0 4 4 Batteries—Joss and Buelow; Townsend and O'Loughlin. Umpire, Attendance, 1,186.

AT CHICAGO. St. Louis.....01200000-4 7 1 New York.....00000000-0 3 3 Batteries—White and Sullivan and Haywood; Chesby, Futman and Mitchell. Umpire, Sheridan. Attendance, 6,840.

AT ST. LOUIS. Boston.....10001100-3 3 0 Boston.....00000000-0 6 4 Batteries—Singer and Suggs; McLaughlin and Farrell. Umpire, King and Dwyer. Attendance, 2,589.

AT DETROIT (first game). Detroit.....00200000-4 12 7 Philadelphia.....01100420-13 6 4 Batteries—Kilham, Raymond and Drill; Plank and Noonan.

AT DETROIT (second game). Detroit.....040104-5 6 2 Philadelphia.....100002-4 6 4 Batteries—Woodbridge and Applegate; Schreckengost. Umpire, Connolly. Attendance, 1,909.

THE TURF

YESTERDAY'S TURF WINNERS. At Gravesend—Handarra, 9 to 3; Escutcheon, 6 to 1; Martinus, 2 to 1; Dick Bernard, 5 to 5; Coy Maid, 7 to 5; Frontis, 15 to 1.

LACROSSE

EACH SCORED FOUR. Thamesville, Ont., Sept. 29.—Chatham and Thamesville lacrosse teams played an exciting tie game here today; score, 4 each.

THE GUN

Y. M. C. A. RIFLE PRACTICE. The annual matches of the Y. M. C. A. Rifle Association will be held at the rifle range on Oct. 12 and 13. Mayor Beck has donated a cup for the winner in a handicap shoot at 200, 500 and 600 yards.

THE RING

THE FIGHT A DRAW. San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 30.—Joe Gans and Joe Walcott, colored pugilists, met here tonight in a twenty-round boxing contest. The fight was declared a draw at the end of the twentieth round.

DISCONTINUED IN ARMY

Then Listless to Appeals to Fight—Open Criticism of the War. London, Oct. 1.—The Times' Russian correspondence corroborates the previous stories of the discontent caused by the war and the summoning of the reserves in the Southern Provinces, where the mobilization is on a larger scale than elsewhere in the empire.

The Original Corn Cure.

Nearly fifty years ago Putnam's Corn Extractor was first manufactured. It has been wonderfully successful. Wherever used it cured permanently. Putnam's has magic unknown in ordinary remedies; it's the best.

Since the beginning of the present year gold to the value of \$2,088,565 has been shipped from Australia to all countries, a falling off of \$5,158,545 for the corresponding period of last year.

A SNOW SQUALL, WITH  
72 DEGREES OF FROST

Traveler's Trying Experience in the Antarctic Region.

Suddenly the mist lifted, and the temperature, which generally rose during a while, this time had fallen to 72 degrees of frost. The first squall brought frost bits, and we suffered greatly from the cold. The tent, however, was not packed on the sledge, was, they became quite flat and frozen hard. Later on we used the dogs to haul the tent upon anything that was not snow or ice, even over the snow. The dogs were tired, and they would turn round and round over it, imagining that they were being thrown over the snow. The snow, the dogs generally chattered to us, and they were very noisy.

By this time the gale was over and we took refuge in our sleeping bags. The tent was not able to extricate ourselves for the time we expected the ice, in which it was packed up, to melt. Our sledge was rapidly filled with snow, and we were unable to get out of our tent. The snow was piled up to our heads, and we were unable to get out of our tent. The snow was piled up to our heads, and we were unable to get out of our tent.

Strides of Canadian West.

The Canadian Northwest continues to surpass any state or section of this country in the most important lines of railroad business and in commerce at large. In spite of recent frost scares and various other disturbing factors, the open country north of the border appears to make progress each week.

The most important of these lines are the Great Northern, Canadian Pacific, and the Grand Trunk. The business growth is something like the beginning of the boom that has been going on here and there in the Northwest. The business growth is something like the beginning of the boom that has been going on here and there in the Northwest.

'Little Japan' Illusion.

There is one illusion about Japan which seems to survive evidence and to work most serious mischief. It is the illusion of a small, weak, and backward country. The continental powers, and Russia more especially, cannot get rid of the belief that Japan is a small, weak, and backward country.

Job's Comforter.

H. B. Duryea, who with Artful won the Futurity at Sheepshead Bay, was conversing with a group of group of unfortunate.

One of these unfortunate made a remark to the effect that he was a "Job's comforter." "You are a Job's comforter," said Mr. Duryea. "You are like an old coachman I used to know."

The old fellow had worked a great job for a rich broker. The broker, at the age of 70, was taken down with a nervousness, he knew the end was coming, he had a will made, and he had good-bye to his friends.

He had a faithful old coachman who he had not forgotten in the will. The coachman came and stood by his bedside, looking down at the well-old man.

"Well, John," the broker said to him, "I am going a long, good-bye to you. I am going on a long journey, and I have parted with you. I have parted with you."

"Never you mind, sir; it will be all right," the coachman answered. "I will follow you."

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Marvelously Fine Display of Live Stock.

'CREAM' OF DAIRY PRODUCTS

Spendid Turnout of Visitors—The Results of the Races—Some of the Prize-Winners.

Among the many fine fairs which have been held throughout Western Ontario this autumn, the fall fair conducted by the Township Agricultural Society at Ilderton was one of the best and most successful.

Ilderton was distinctly en fete yesterday, and the weather was all that could be desired for the occasion. An excellent turnout of visitors, including a large number of farmers, was present, and the fair was a great success.

The exhibition building, among the things which attracted the most attention, was the mammoth squares. There were the fine apples, peaches, carrots, cabbages and such like things as the season for roots, of course, and they certainly made a good showing.

The grounds themselves were very lively, and the full share of admirers. The race track was filled with spectators, and the various kinds of objects, and many a horse race was held. The race for lady drivers attracted special attention and was a feature of the fair.

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THE TRADE REVIEW

Commercial Situation in All Sections of the Dominion.

Toronto, Sept. 30.—Brandstreet's weekly review of Canadian trade says: Wholesale trade is now in full swing and orders during the month just closed were, generally speaking, most satisfactory. In some departments they were ahead of the same month last year.

The sorting orders for pillbox and the retail trade of the Great Goods Building. The orders for cotton and cotton goods which have been coming in since the first of the month are in the past fortnight, and are larger, calling for quite a wide distribution of the various lines of goods, and metal and metal goods.

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Striped Flannelette Gowns, in pink, blue and gray, full around neck and sleeves, full sizes. Sale price.....43c

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—Mr. Wm. H. Stockwell, Chicago, has arrived in the city and is visiting his father, Mr. A. Stockwell, Richmond Street. Mr. Stockwell sails on Wednesday for London, England, to take charge of a business there.

—The many friends of Mrs. S. J. Radcliffe, wife of the principal of the Collegiate Institute, will be gratified to hear that the operation for appendicitis, which she underwent at St. Joseph's Hospital this morning, was very successfully performed.

—Lieut. Walter C. Reid, of the Thirty-Second Bombay Lancers, at present stationed at Loralai, Baluchistan, India, is expected home on sick leave in a few weeks, and will spend his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Reid, of Queen's avenue.

—Mr. Edgar Britton, district passenger agent of the Pere Marquette, Buffalo, has been transferred to London, and will hold the same position here, owing to the consolidation of the Pere Marquette with the Chicago, Hamilton and Dayton system, the head offices of the combined roads has been transferred to Cincinnati.

—The death occurred on Friday of Mrs. Hiram Jones, of concession 5, lot 20, Westminster, Mrs. Jones was born in Durham, England, 64 years ago, and came to Canada while quite young. She is survived by her husband, one son, John, and one daughter, Mrs. Kelly, of Delaware. The funeral takes place on Sunday afternoon at White Oak Cemetery.

—Mrs. Annie Page, of this city, received a telegram recently announcing the death of her daughter, Mrs. David C. Henry, of Buffalo, N. Y. Mrs. Henry had been in poor health for two years.

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years, but her death was caused by diphtheria. She leaves a husband and five children to mourn her loss. Mr. John L. Page, of East London, is her brother.

**MR. HYMAN'S MOVEMENTS.**  
Hon. C. S. Hyman, M. P., will not be able to reach the city today as expected. He will be here on Monday and Tuesday.

**FOR FRIENDSHIP'S SAKE.**  
The employees of John Ferguson & Sons gathered together this morning and presented Mr. Albert Friendship with a handsome clock upon his return from his honeymoon, and expressed their wish for the happiness of Mr. and Mrs. Friendship.

**WOMEN'S MISSIONARY WORK.**  
The Women's Missionary convention of the London, Ontario, Conference will meet in Central Methodist Church, Stratford, on Oct. 4, 5 and 6. Among the Londoners who have secured billets are Mesdames Wonnott, White, Miller, Hunt, Martin, Fowler, Livingstone, Beal, Heritage, Greene, Tennant, McMechin, Wright and Misses Barry, Fowler, Gurd, McMechin and others.

**COMING TO LONDON.**  
Goderich Signal: "Many of our residents will hear with regret of the intended removal of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brough to London, where Mr. Brough has been appointed chief assistant to Engineer A. G. Shog, who will be in charge of the new district office the Government is opening there. The office will form a branch of the public works department at Ottawa, and will have the oversight of Government works in Western Ontario."

**TWAMBLE IN THE TOOLS.**  
Joseph Twamble, who was put behind the bars some time ago on suspicion of horse-stealing, has been found guilty by Judge Doyle, of Clinton, Twamble borrowed horses and rigs from Clinton, Longwood, Chatham, Windsor and elsewhere, and did not return them. He was brought here and placed in confinement, but was wanted in Clinton and elsewhere. He was remanded by the judge until Monday for sentence.

**WEST LONDON BOOMING.**  
William Moore has built two two-story houses on Oxford street; Mr. Pepper is building three houses, corner of Oxford and Wharncliffe; Mr. H. Thorn is building eleven houses on Oxford west of Wharncliffe; Mr. Geo. Rossiter is building a story and a half house on the Glass property; Mr. Jarvis and Mr. L. Jeffery are building cottages on Mount Pleasant avenue; Mr. S. Glass has deposited a number of lots in Upper Kensington.

**BRAZIER-CROSS.**  
A very pretty wedding was celebrated on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chesley, William Street, Miss Ethel Cross and Mr. Arthur Brazier were united in marriage by Rev. W. T. Hill. The bride, carrying a bouquet of pink roses, looked charming as she entered the parlor, leaning on her father's arm. She wore a large, white, French lawn beautifully trimmed with Valenciennes lace and insertion over white tulle. Her hair was styled in a high bun, and she carried a bouquet of pink roses, acted as bridesmaid. The groom, wearing a tuxedo, was assisted by his brother, Mr. Tom Brazier. After the ceremony and congratulations, the guests sat down to supper, the rest of the evening being pleasantly spent, both vocally and instrumentally, after the happy pair left for their new home.

**ASSOCIATION'S FIELD DAY.**  
The first annual field day of the Y. M. C. A. will be held on Friday afternoon in the gymnasium. A large number of the young men and boys are training, and keen sport is anticipated. The program includes: 100 yards dash, 220 yards dash, 440 yards dash, half mile run, one mile run, three mile run, high jump, long jump, and relay races. Junior events: 100 yards, 220 yards, 440 yards, high jump and broad jump, will also be held.

**FINANCE COMMITTEE NEEDS.**  
The finance committee of the City Council held a brief meeting yesterday afternoon. The application of Thomas Chick & Co. to have the city accept as surties the bonds of certain private utility companies was discussed. The contract of the Chick company's contract for the improvement of the street asphalt pavement, was laid over until the standing of the gentlemen named can be ascertained. It was estimated that over \$200,000 to the Chick company if the city accepts the bonds of the private parties.

**COLLEGIATE'S FIELD DAY.**  
The annual field day of the pupils of London Collegiate Institute is slated for next Friday in Tecumseh Park. Much enthusiasm has been manifested in the field sports. The boys are getting down to hard training, and the contests will doubtless be very interesting. A cross country run will be held on Monday, the results of which will be counted in the school championships. A large number of students' general officers were elected as follows: Chairman, R. A. Little, B. C. secretary, W. C. Ferguson, B. A.; assistant secretary, L. W. Turner. The following committees were also elected: Finance, Messrs. J. Horton, field, chairman, Lieut. Gregson; printing, chairman, Mr. Dickinson; sports, chairman, Mr. S. B. McCready.

**A PUBLIC MEETING OF BUSINESS MEN**  
Called to Discuss Key Rate Reduction, Interswitching and Other Matters.

A meeting of the board of trade was called for 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, but only President Minihnick, Acting Mayor Green, Messrs. P. W. D. Brodbeck and C. B. Hunt put in an appearance. Consequently no business was transacted, though an informal discussion took place on the recent action of the city council in refusing to put gongs in the firemen's houses, thus blocking the reduction in the insurance key rate. The feeling expressed was that the aldermen could not have thoroughly understood what they were doing when dealing with the gong proposal. The cry that the center of the city—the business district—was getting nothing and the outlying districts everything, was very large. It was called a special meeting of all the business men of the city to discuss the key rate reduction, the water supply of London, interswitching, etc.

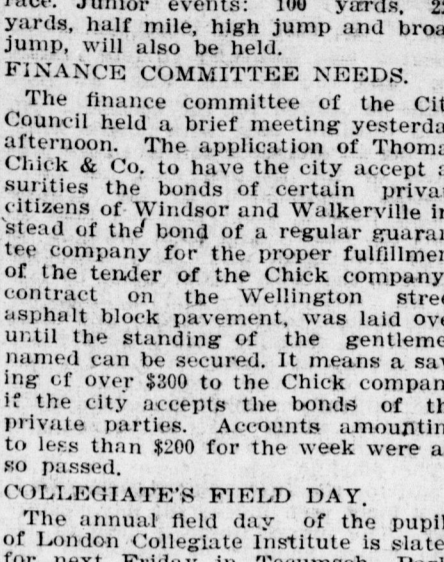
As it is expected that a very large number will be present, it was deemed advisable to hold the meeting next Friday at 8 o'clock, take the city by surprise, and discuss the same question for some reason or other the project petered out. Now the council's action has stimulated the local business men to prepare appreciation of the fact that if the key rate reduction is to come, the business men themselves must take a hand in the game, and it is likely there will be an important meeting in the city hall on Friday night.

# REV. ROBT. WILSON HAS PASSED AWAY

He Was Until Last Week Rector at Barr—Died in Oklahoma.

Only a week ago today a complimentary address from the congregations of Trinity and St. George's Church, Barr, to their retiring pastor, Rev. Robert Wilson, was published in The Advertiser's columns. Now word comes from Oklahoma, Kansas, of the reversed gentlemen's death.

Rev. Robert Wilson was 55 years re-



The Late Rev. Robt. Wilson.

tor at Barr. He had gone to Oklahoma for his health, resigning his charge at Barr only last Sunday. His brother, Village Clerk A. A. Wilson, of Tilbury, received the sad tidings yesterday from his sister, Mrs. (Rev.) Burgess, of Oklahoma, with whom the deceased had taken up his residence.

Rev. Mr. Wilson was one of the best known of the clergy of this vicinity. He was a native of Ontario.

# COUNTY W. C. T. U. CHOOSES OFFICERS

Opposed to Government Having Control of Liquor Traffic—Advice to Mothers.

At the second day's proceedings of the Middlesex W. C. T. U., Mrs. May Thornley's paper, "A Talk With Mothers," was read. Mrs. Thornley dealt with the dangers of child life in the public schools. She spoke of the tendency of the children to pick up habits of tattling, frivolity and falsehood, and pointed out the way for mothers to begeth their children.

For the ensuing year, Mrs. Newm, London, was elected president, Mrs. William H. Dunlop, vice-president, Mrs. William Napier, vice-president, Mrs. William Napier, London, corresponding secretary; Miss M. Henderson, Stratford, recording secretary; Mrs. Bart Cottam, treasurer.

Mrs. Thornley submitted the report of the plan of work committee. All the findings of the committee were sustained.

A resolution was passed in favor of the municipal enfranchisement of women.

It was resolved to hold a membership crusade in January all over the county.

It was recommended that every society, before the close of the licensing year, make an effort to bring about the better observance of the laws.

A resolution was passed against government control of the liquor traffic.

Mr. C. Dunlop's paper, on "White Ribbon Tiddlers," presented the membership fee and the subscription to the "Tiddlers." The convention approved the same.

Country was concerned, and will recommend its adoption to the Provincial Council.

# WOODMEN INITIATE 200 MEMBERS

Great Rally of the Craft in London Camp Chambers—An Enjoyable Affair.

The camps of the Woodmen of the World located in this city and surrounding country last evening initiated 200 new members in the camp chambers in Duffield block. Several head camp officers and about 200 members in all were present. The Uniform Rank of this city's Pine Grove Camp, and the following picked officers, performed the beautiful ceremony: P. C. C. Will Saunders; C. C. J. R. Waters; A. L. John Francis; banker, Jos. McGregor; escort, John Roughley; watchman, Walter Taylor; sentry, Wm. Lethbridge. The Uniform Rank was in charge of Capt. W. R. Brown and Lieuts. Ferguson and Leah.

After the ceremony the members sat down to a magnificent banquet. J. H. Saunders extended a welcome to all present, and introduced the speakers of the evening, among whom were: Head Consul Commander C. C. Hodgins, of Leucan; Head Banker, Lacombe and Head Clerk W. C. Fitzgerald. Several visitors from outside places were present, and spoke. Among them were: McKellar, Lobo; E. Dann, Bryanston; R. W. Guest, Fanshawe; Jos. Winters, and Sam Lewis, Hynd the speaker, Peter Bowey, Iderton; Wm. Cudney, Delaware; and R. H. Scott, Iderton.

The reason the crowd continues to go to W. B. Lawson's, 128 Dundas Street, for boots, shoes, trunks, suit cases and other lines of leather goods, is that they get the best goods for the least money that can be procured, 214

# EIGHT HUNDRED RIGS ON MARKET

Largest Attendance Since Last Easter—Apples Were Drug on the Square.

Today's market was the largest since last Easter. Market Clerk Makov's report showing that there were on the square, and on Talbot and King streets, between seven and eight hundred vehicles. Even with the hay off the market it is impossible to accommodate such a number of rigs, and the overflow had to find spaces on the streets named.

The bulk of the offerings comprised vegetables, apples and sport. Apples were a complete drug on the market, and although they opened at about 40 cents a bag, they sold later for almost any bid that was made. Of course, not many of the standard winter apples were offered, but they were nevertheless of the first class.

Potatoes, despite the stories of high prices current on the market last week, were offered in abundance, and sold for 60 to 70 cents a bag. As an example of the wonderful growth of the tubers in this district this summer a Delaware man exhibited 31 pounds of fine potatoes, which were grown from the seed of but four potatoes.

Dressed poultry was also a drug on the market, the somewhat warm weather of the week deterring dealers from laying in large stocks. About 9 cents a pound was the ruling price. The live poultry business was brisk, however, owing to the fact that the Canadian Packing Company was buying in large lots, and 40 to 65 cents a pair, and 4 to 7 cents a pound, was readily realized for first-class offerings.

Chestnuts made their first appearance on the market, and \$5 a bushel was asked. The chestnuts were of a heavy, and it is likely that chestnuts will be much cheaper before very long. As a whole business was brisk and satisfactory on the square.

# RECORDS OF LAST YEAR EQUALED

Annual Competition of Grand Trunk Car Shops Fire Teams Yesterday.

Yesterday afternoon the annual competition of the Grand Trunk car shops fire teams took place in Queen's Park. The weather was not very favorable, a strong wind blowing all the while, but the men succeeded in equalling last year's records. Inspector Mackintosh, of Montreal, acted as timekeeper, and he was assisted by Messrs. Alex. Wainwright and R. Ivers, of this city. There were two companies at the car shops, No. 1, captained by Mr. Wm. Reid, and No. 2, with Mr. J. McWood as captain. Last year No. 1 Company won the prize of \$25 offered by the Grand Trunk Car Shops. This year No. 1 Company made the best time on the entire system in the "dry" race, the time being 46 2-5 seconds, and this year this time was equalled. No. 2 Company stands a good chance of landing the big prize again this year. Two teams from the Grand Trunk ran the same race in the "wet" time being 47 4-5 seconds, but this year they made a couple of couplings, their time being 47 1-5 seconds.

A prize of \$10 is offered in the "wet" competition, and the rivalry is very keen. No. 1 won this prize last year, but No. 2 won it this year by one-fifth of a second. The time was 73 seconds.

Chairman Matthews, of the market fire and light committee, and Fire Chief Parker, were interested spectators in the maneuvers.

# MASONIC LODGES' ANNUAL REUNION

An Enjoyable Gathering in the Blue Chamber of the Temple.

On the occasion of the third annual reunion of the two St. John Lodges, 20 and 208A, of this city, a very large gathering of Craftsmen assembled in the Blue Chamber of the Masonic Temple. Visitors from Nileston, Detroit, Pontiac, Guelph and near-by places were in attendance as well as representative Masons from the city. W. Bro. Southcott and staff of the one lodge, and W. Bro. Evans and staff of the other, conjointly conferred the Fellowcraft degree in an impressive manner. Thereafter all adjourned to the banquet hall and enjoyed an excellent dinner. W. Bros. Evans and Southcott took the chairs alternately, and conducted the following toast list:

"Grand Lodge of Canada"—Replies by W. R. Bro. Essery, Greer and Dewar.

"Our Visitors"—Responses by Bros. (Rev.) Jones Livingstone; Cosford, of Guelph; Rooke, of Williamstown; Perrin, of Pontiac; Coates, of Paulina; Newell, of Detroit; McLeod, of Ingersoll; Exke and Casson, of Galt.

"City Visitors"—Replies by W. Bro. Alex. Currie, of 578; Armstrong, of 20; Lawson, of 380; Flock, of Kilbride; Stephens and Lacombe, of 42.

"The Irish Lodges"—Responses by W. Bro. J. A. Fanceock and Bro. Henry Southcott, of 20, and W. Bro. Wm. O'Brien and Bro. Wm. Yeates, of 208A.

"Our Worshipful Masters"—Responses by W. Bro. R. W. Evans, of 20, and W. Bro. W. C. Southcott, of 208A.

# WORLD-FAMOUS.

The Battle Creek Sanitarium management have received word from the directorate of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition that September 29th has been designated as "Battle Creek Sanitarium Day" at the World's Fair. The tender of this honor was made to the Battle Creek Sanitarium without their previous knowledge that such a thing was ever contemplated. From all quarters of the world come grateful acknowledgments of benefits received from the use of Battle Creek Foods. Here in Canada

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# Of Interest to Women

## Lovers' Quarrels.

Even if it is the twentieth century, being "in love" is still in fashion, and of all the gods, Cupid still holds undisputed sway. And he delights in setting away all the best-laid plans of youthful lovers, bringing out tears and sighs where he might bring songs and smiles. Terrible are the woes of the man or maid who is misguided enough to fall in love, even if the trials of love seem so sweet sorrows, that they are worth the joy of any other state.

But Cupid would not make mischief, were there not good soil for the seed, and when the ground is well fertilized by selfishness, it is when the little god gets in his deadly weeds. For selfishness is at the bottom of most woes in this world, whether of lovers or others.

Jealousy is the most common manifestation of selfishness, always suspicious, always wishing to exact the whole pound of flesh. Jack is ready to see the mote in the other fellow's eye, always blind to the beam in his own. Jack is wild because Jill danced too often with some other man, because she praised his dancing, and admired his appearance. Jack, who cannot dance at all, accuses Jill of flirting. Jill is furious at the very idea, and things go from bad to worse until both are completely estranged.

Or Jill thinks Jack has been altogether too attentive to a pretty stranger in town, and says so with much emphasis. Jack explains for how many courtesies he is indebted to the stranger's hostess, how incumbent upon him it is to show some courtesy to her visitor; but all in vain, Jill refuses to listen, makes her tone sharper, more acid, until Jack is driven to retort and a very pretty quarrel takes place.

Perhaps things are patched up again. There is a popular belief that lovers' quarrels are a necessary incident, without which no courtship would be complete, and that one of the greatest pleasures one can have is to quarrel that one may have the pleasure of making up—"when we fall out with those we love and kiss again with tears."

But there are some people who are so misguided as actually to prefer the even tenor of their way without either tears or quarrels, people who never forgive and never forget; people to whom a mended plate is always mended; who can always see the scar and who can always feel it.

Now, there's only one way to get away from it all, and that is when you realize the truth of the maxim that "it is more blessed to give than to receive," that the secret of happy love, as of happiness in every walk of life, is to give, for the "Lord loveth a cheerful giver"; to give joyfully, glad that you have the opportunity to bring success and success to anyone else; glad in their lives; glad in forgetting your dues in what is due to another; glad in losing yourself to find that other. It is when you feel this gladness in the pleasures of the other that the nasty side of a love affair does not present itself.

Jealousies and misunderstandings arise simply from selfishness. Both

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I want every person who suffers from catarrh to get a bottle of my Catarrh Cure and take it according to directions and see how quickly it will stop all catarrhal discharges from the nose, the dropping of mucus into the stomach, the pains in the head, the dizziness, the inflamed eyes, the heaviness, the watering and itching and other disagreeable features of catarrh.

People who suffer with catarrh of the nose, head and throat should by all means get a package of my Catarrh Tablets and use them as a wash. This wash will cleanse, soothe and heal all sore spots, harden the membranes and prevent taking fresh colds.

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## NEW STATISTICS OF WOMEN.

There is a new school of statistics which gives an interesting and interesting figure. One indefatigable arithmetician, after interviewing a prodigious number of mothers, uncles, cousins, aunts, sweethearts and grandfathers, has figured out just how much time the average woman spends in front of her mirror during the course of her life.

The statistics show that a little girl from six to ten years of age remains on an average seven minutes each day before the mirror. When the child reaches the period between ten and fifteen years of age, the length of time each day is greatly increased, averaging about a quarter of an hour.

From fifteen to twenty the time averages about twenty-two minutes. A still further increase takes place at ages from twenty to twenty-five, when it reaches twenty-five minutes. However, it is from the period of twenty-five to thirty years that a woman spends the maximum of time in front of the looking glass.

From thirty to thirty-five years the time diminishes to twenty-four minutes; from thirty-five to forty the time diminishes to eighteen minutes. During the period from forty to fifty years twelve minutes are spent; while the ladies from fifty to sixty consider that six minutes is sufficient time to devote to the mirror.

Calculations have shown that the total time spent in front of the mirror amounts to 345,575 minutes, or 5,825 hours. To put it into days the total works out to more than 242 days of every 1,000 sane females 290 are married.

Investigations have also been made dealing with such subjects as that relating to women with beards. When looked into it was discovered that out of every 1,000 sane females 290 are bearded.

Of this number 238 have only a light

shaped and there will be time enough for the hair to grow.

When the nails began to show the good effects of this treatment, and a week more of great change. If the above is used every day, omit the daily rubbing with the vaseline, but use the washing, and when the towel is used, always use the cuticle brush from the base, and it will not grow thick and tight. Use the whole process twice a week at least, and on night wear gloves. Use the ordinary oatmeal that is sold as a breakfast food; this is rolled and stirred on easily be made into a paste by mixing it with enough oil of sweet almonds, to be used as any drug store. Rub the hands, after they are quite clean and dry, with this, and have the gloves clean and very large.

It is advisable when the nails have been too sadly neglected, to soak them in warm olive oil, instead of the warm water; this is especially good when they are very brittle, and break easily; and the scrubbing in the warm water and soap must follow.

Where the hands are freckled, use any of the freckle lotions and wear gloves as much as possible. I know a beautiful woman whose hands were not at all pretty, except for their softness and the clearness of the skin, and she sewed in a pair of kid gloves, and the finger-tips cut off. Indeed, she wore the same gloves except when dressing for the evening.

## PRETTY GIRLS BECOME UNATTRACTIVE WIVES

Why Do They Not Retain the Beauty Which They Possessed Before Marriage?

Why do girls who, before their marriage, were considered extremely pretty, bright and vivacious, seem to have devolved into ordinary, unattractive and uninteresting women? How has this happened? Is there something in marriage which has changed the beauty which was once theirs? Or is it the result of some other cause?

As the primary consideration, the nails are the usual difficulty. If they are not blunted by the awful habit of biting, they are rough all around the edges, and the surrounding cuticle is almost bleeding.

The mother who permits her child to grow up with the habit of biting the nails, without taking the most strenuous means of correction, is very much to be blamed. This habit usually develops in a nervous nature; it is not the child's fault, but the outward and visible evidence of an inward and awkward feeling of embarrassment.

And means, therefore, that the mother to break it must take the form of re-educating the spirit of self-consciousness that causes it. This to be thoroughly effective. But there are simple applications to call the attention to the fact that the nails are growing.

Tincture of aloes is good. Apply to the finger tips and let it dry on. It not only cures the habit, but, very brown, so the stain serves to remind the little offender, even if he grows indifferent to the taste. A teaspoonful of quassa powder in water will make any child let its nails alone.

The woman who has grown up with this habit can break herself by using this habit; she need not disdain the childish preventives either, as the taste will render her habit of biting her nails again. Use any means to rid herself of the habit she must, if she wants presentable hands.

Then the hands must be properly washed; this is not done every time a woman puts soap on her hands, and rubs them a minute in water. They must first be soaked in warm soda, and the soaps should be made of a hand soap, without alkali; ten minutes is long enough, and both may be held in the water at once, where the medicating is done by one's own self. Then a good rinsing in warm sud after in cold water, and a drying on a soft towel.

Now the hands are ready to be scrubbed with a nail brush, more soap and warm water, and the brush must go into every corner of these nails and knuckles. Then sit down with a little jar of the ordinary vaseline, that costs cents at any drug store, and put a bit on every one of the ten; begin with the thumb and rub the nails one after the other, very gently, but thoroughly, until all are done. Another scrubbing as at first, rinsing and wiping, and the nails are ready for the filing. A die that costs 10 cents is the thing; it has no sharp ends to tempt the scrapping out of the under part, which in the end gives so much trouble because of the roughness it causes. By the rubbing process it will be found that the soles and the surrounding cuticle are so softened that the skin can be easily pressed from the base, and no cutting is needed. If there are hangnails they may be cut with very sharp-pointed scissors, but the nail itself must not be cut, only filed into the proper shape. When this is done, the die should be used, not attempt any polishing; just get the nails perfectly clear of roughness of the clinging cuticle and properly

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phrases, and speak from her heart, naturally, simply. She should also recognize what a bond is a brightly written, informing letter, between friends, and knowing you cannot get something for nothing, should bring to it every faculty. To compare notes with an absent friend is to books read, pictures seen and people met, is an education no girl can afford to neglect.

## If you gave more thought to the selection of food you would spend less time in the dentist's chair

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## YOU MUST HAVE PRETTY HANDS

Whatever Your Occupation Keep Your Hands and Nails in Good Condition.

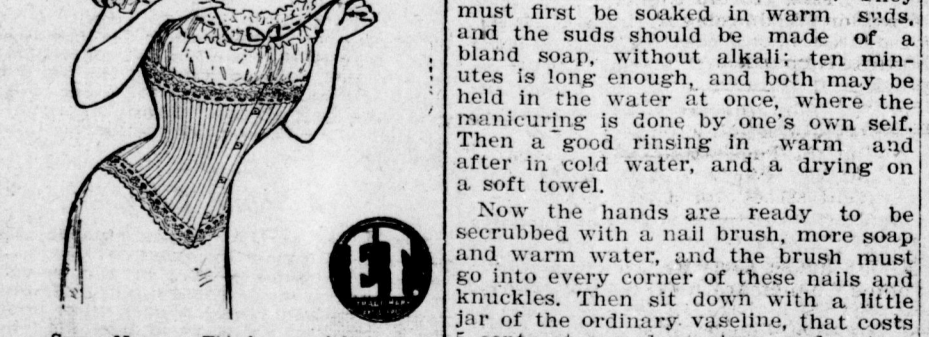
The one thing any woman may have, no matter what her occupation, is a pair of nice hands. They need not be small, nor dimpled, neither move-white, nor large-jointed from certain kinds of work, and they may be more useful than beautiful. But nice they should be; that is to say, there should be no bitten nails nor broken ones, the skin should be free from grime and no deposit of any sort should show under the nails.

If such a condition demanded hours of attention daily, some excuse might be made for its opposite being the rule. Fifteen minutes once a week, and five daily, will see that is needed, and so much almost any woman can command.

The woman who has grown up with this habit can break herself by using this habit; she need not disdain the childish preventives either, as the taste will render her habit of biting her nails again. Use any means to rid herself of the habit she must, if she wants presentable hands.

Then the hands must be properly washed; this is not done every time a woman puts soap on her hands, and rubs them a minute in water. They must first be soaked in warm soda, and the soaps should be made of a hand soap, without alkali; ten minutes is long enough, and both may be held in the water at once, where the medicating is done by one's own self. Then a good rinsing in warm sud after in cold water, and a drying on a soft towel.

Now the hands are ready to be scrubbed with a nail brush, more soap and warm water, and the brush must go into every corner of these nails and knuckles. Then sit down with a little jar of the ordinary vaseline, that costs cents at any drug store, and put a bit on every one of the ten; begin with the thumb and rub the nails one after the other, very gently, but thoroughly, until all are done. Another scrubbing as at first, rinsing and wiping, and the nails are ready for the filing. A die that costs 10 cents is the thing; it has no sharp ends to tempt the scrapping out of the under part, which in the end gives so much trouble because of the roughness it causes. By the rubbing process it will be found that the soles and the surrounding cuticle are so softened that the skin can be easily pressed from the base, and no cutting is needed. If there are hangnails they may be cut with very sharp-pointed scissors, but the nail itself must not be cut, only filed into the proper shape. When this is done, the die should be used, not attempt any polishing; just get the nails perfectly clear of roughness of the clinging cuticle and properly



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THE GRAND. Tonight "Princess Chic" Monday "The Real Widow Brown" Tuesday "The Silver Slipper" Friday "The Smart Set" Saturday "The Smart Set" Tonight "A Woman Worth Winning" Next week's bill at the Grand promises to be an excellent one. On Monday night comes "The Real Widow Brown," and all who saw this bunch of fun when it visited London last will be ready to admit that nothing funnier is on the road. On Tuesday evening "The Silver Slipper," the charming musical story of the wonderful slipper which fell from the gods, will again appear here and on Friday and Saturday evening "The Smart Set" will hold the boards.

number of startling innovations in the shape of bright and catchy songs and fascinating dances. He possesses a company of recognized ability, each individual being selected for his or her personal and artistic qualities. Unlike the average farce comedy, this play possesses a decidedly amusing plot, hanging on a case of mistaken identity. Its wits and jokes are refined and up to date and you do not have to sink a cent to find them but enjoy the play. Indeed, all the mental nuggets are found on the surface. In "The Real Widow Brown," you won't have to dig for laughs.

the most royal of all roads to fame in the theater, no matter with how flattering a step, but to experience a constant joy in the road itself. "I do not mean, however, to imply that the potentialities of the drama were exhausted by the classic authors. Indeed, there is as much poetry, and more tangible beauty, to be found in modern life as ever existed in a more remote period. But, so far, it would appear that few of our later playwrights have possessed in equal measure the gift of their best remembered predecessors in selection. It is all a matter of selection, I think, in connection, of course, with adequate treatment. Speaking for myself, I may make my reason for preferring the classic drama still clearer if I add that

and six scenes, and is a purely scientific demonstration of English and Irish characters. Last Monday night Mrs. James Brown Potter made her re-entry upon the legitimate stage in London, appearing in a new play entitled "The Golden Light." She has rented the Savoy Theatre outright for the engagement. Next month Mr. Charles Frohman will present in London Miss Marie Tempest, who is now under contract to appear under his management both in England and America, in a new play entitled "The Freedom of Suzanne." Grant Stewart, who has been playing for the past year and is still playing with Ethel Barrymore in "Cousin Kate," will leave that organization tonight to join Annie Russell's support and to appear in her new play, "Brother Jacques."

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Mr. Fleming is the manager of the new London Vaudeville Theater, which will be opened here on Oct. 24. He is widely known as a theatrical man, and from the manner in which he is going about the business in this city, it looks as though vaudeville will be sure to make a big hit with the people of London. "He will cater to the women and children," he says, "and will put on nothing but refined turns. We intend to remain in London, and we intend that it will pay us to put on a clean, first-class show."

organizations, and its engagement in this city may properly be regarded as one of the chief events of the operatic season. It is claimed that Composer Julian Edwards has caught the spirit of La Shellé's lyrics and that the result of his collaboration is an opera comique such as has seldom graced the stage. However, the chief thing in modern operatic work is gorgeous mounting, really laughable comedy and pretty girls. These the Kirke La Shellé Opera Company offers in plenty, as well as a competent cast of principals, headed by Caroline Poelen.

If you want to enjoy a good laugh, go and see "The Real Widow Brown," when she comes to the Grand on Monday night. This lady is the leading character in one of the best farce comedies on the road. The play is and has been a great success wherever it has been produced, and it is safe to say its popularity will be duplicated here. Manager Scammon has introduced a

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St. Louis, Cincinnati and Chicago. Tickets for the performance were purchased in connection with the railway transportation. Mr. Bangs played the title-role. Mr. Clarence Eddy, the eminent organist, will make a tour this season of the entire United States and Canada, under the direction of London C. Charlton. Mr. Eddy has been enthusiastically received by the musical public of Berlin, Vienna, Rome and other European cities, and the press has uniformly recognized his performances as those of a master. An idea of his popularity in America may be gained from the fact that he had given more than one hundred recitals here in a single season.

Thomas Bailey Aldrich has written the new play that Nance O'Neill will present to the Boston public the first of next month. The title of the piece has not been made public. Owen Baxter, who has been playing in the support of Nat Goodwin and America Bingham for the past three seasons, has been engaged for the new production called "Who's Brown."

THE ILLS OF THE AGED Mrs. Stacy, of Hamilton, Tells How They May Be Lessened. Mrs. Elizabeth Stacy, of 172 Hunter street west, Hamilton, says: "I was very much troubled with Headache, Dizziness and Constipation, I am in my eighty-first year, and I grew worse and worse, till I could hardly keep from falling asleep, and I was as I was." "Since using Dr. Leonard's Anti-Pill I am very much better; in fact, I may say I am very well compared to what I was before using Anti-Pill. I am so thankful for the improvement in my advanced age that I think I should write and tell you about it. I will always recommend Dr. Leonard's Anti-Pill to anyone suffering as I was."

THEATRICAL GOSSIP FROM GOTHAM. [Special Letter to The London Advertiser.] New York, Oct. 1.—The new Warfield comedy-drama, "The Music Master," justifies all that has been said of it in praise since it was produced the other night for trial purposes out of town. It is a charming and a delightful literature and drama, and it bestows upon the opportunity to gratify the grasp of a firmness and certainty of touch that are beyond resistance. Heretofore we have all regarded Warfield as a specialist, the best in his line to be sure, but still a specialist. He has played a series of ancient Hebrews of varying kinds from grave to gay, but never as an actor of the kind, showing a wide range of skill within these limitations and always within the complete dexterity of his art. But in "The Music Master" Warfield gets away from all this so far as such sureness of mastery that he establishes himself beyond doubt or question as one of the very greatest actors of his time, from whom we may expect fairy-stuffing personations as he ripens with advancing years. The pivotal character of this play, written by Charles Klein, is the young son of David Belasco, is a tender-hearted German who has come to America after domestic infelicities in which his wife and daughter have been lost to him. He is in poverty, and while serving in a ten-cent museum he falls into an East Side boarding-house affected mainly by other musicians who are in about the same monetary circumstances as himself. His own daughter, unknown to him, comes to him as a pupil, and the circumstances and situations growing out of this condition lead to the climax of the story. Many of the incidents are intensely touching and many others amusing beyond description. "The Music Master" is the kind of play that fills you with laughter, and while the ripples of it are still spreading over your countenance, brings the tears irresistibly to your eyes. It seems almost a pity that the time at the Belasco Theater is not open for the remainder of the theatrical season, for while we shall welcome Mrs. Carter with fervent acclaim at Christmas time we shall part from Warfield with deep and unmeasured regret.

New York looks as if it had been struck by a whole vanguard of circus men, among whom rivalry had run riot in their determination to plaster the highly-hued lithographs of Lew Dockstader's Minstrels over everything that would stand still long enough to be covered. Dockstader grins at one from the fences, observes one benignly from the upper stories of his own building, and another demolishes, stares steadfastly from barrels and big pipes, and in fact catches every passerby from every conceivable point. The minstrel man is coming to the Herald Square Theater with his big troupe of merry assistants, and it is clearly evident that a real burnt-cork jubilee impends. Dockstader is now his own director, and his engagements in all the American cities will hereafter be booked by Klaw and Erlanger, who have not as a rule given attention of this kind to

As hinted at in these letters, John Drew's engagement at the Empire Theater has been extended for a fortnight and he may be removed to another metropolitan playhouse on or near Broadway before taking up his travels in the other large cities in "The Duke of Killarney." This piece is a very great hit—the best in fact in the Drew repertoire. Its literary quality is sparkling beyond description and there is enough of dramatic interest to carry the story to its successful conclusion. Drew himself has never enjoyed such an opportunity as the one here presented, and the members of his company have been admirably chosen for the various and varying roles provided by Captain Marshall, the dramatist.

Edna May's popularity at Daly's is undimmed. "The School Girl" is by far the brightest of the English musical comedies we have had in this country and Edna's personal popularity, which is very large, "does the rest." —LEANDER BICKLETON.



Arthur Wing Pinero's new farce is to be called "The Wife Without a Smile."

Richard Mansfield announces his intention of appearing again as Richard III, and Shylock this season. "The Coronet of the Duchess," by Clyde Fitch, was given its first production at the Garrick Theater, New York, last week. News comes from London that "The Prince of Pilsen," now in that city, will close the first of next month and go on a tour of the English provinces.

Nita Allen Hibbard, widow of Charles Condit Hibbard, millionaire Wall street broker, has become weary of society and will shortly enter the vaudeville ranks. Manager Frank McKee is reported to have offered Col. Savage \$50,000 for a half interest in "The College Widow" after seeing the piece in New York last Tuesday night.

Klaw & Erlanger's great company of comedians, headed by Thomas G. Scarborough, to appear in their production of Harry B. Smith's and Gustave Ke-

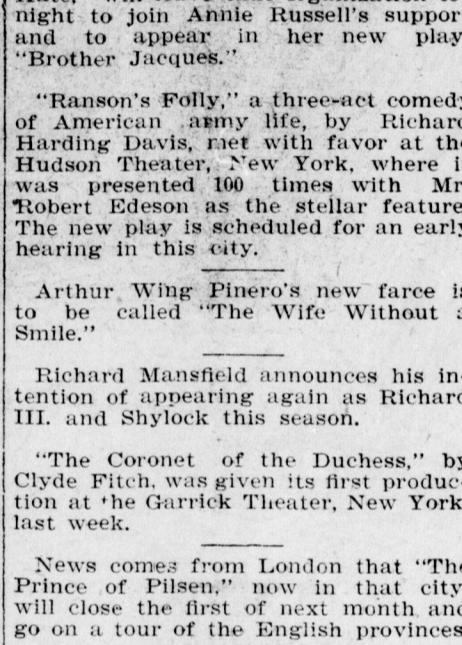
There is every possibility that William Gillette, when he concludes his present season in America with "The Admirable Crichton," will go direct to London and present for the first time on any stage his latest play, which the actor has completed the past summer.

Charles Frohman has arranged that William Faversham, in presenting his latest success, "Letty," throughout the United States, after the engagement in New York, will have with him the fine organization that is now playing the piece so successfully. It is said to be one of the most complete organizations gotten together this season.

The new opera for De Wolf Hopper is almost completed. The book is by Fred Rankin and the music by Reginald De Koven. It was originally intended to produce this opera in December next, but Mr. Hopper's tour in "The Music Master" has proved so successful that his manager may keep it on the road until the latter month of the season.

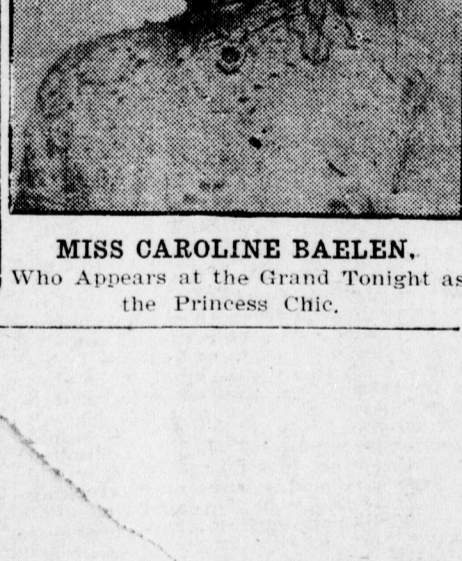
Alfred E. Aaron is rapidly gathering his comedians for the new comic opera, "A China Doll." Last Wednesday he engaged George C. Boufface and Albert Hart for two of the leading parts.

Mr. George Bernard Shaw is writing a Hibernian play for the Irish Literary Theater in Dublin. It is in four acts



MARION SMART. With "The Smart Set," at the Grand, Friday and Saturday Next.

Barrett as Cassius and himself as Marc Antony. This was at Booth's Theater, at Twenty-third street and Sixth avenue, New York, in 1874. The building still retains among its mural embellishments reminiscences of its career as a theater for the people. Booth, who, by a tour through other cities, speedily retrieved his fortunes, Jarrett and Palmer, who were with him, were also successful. In 1876 Jarrett and Palmer made a colossal production of Byron's "Sardanapalus," a genuine triumph of the stage, surpassed in perfection of detail and lavish display anything that has since been seen. In 1878 the present company from London to supervise the production, and this one incident of the enterprise involved an expense of \$5,000. Trains were run from New Orleans,

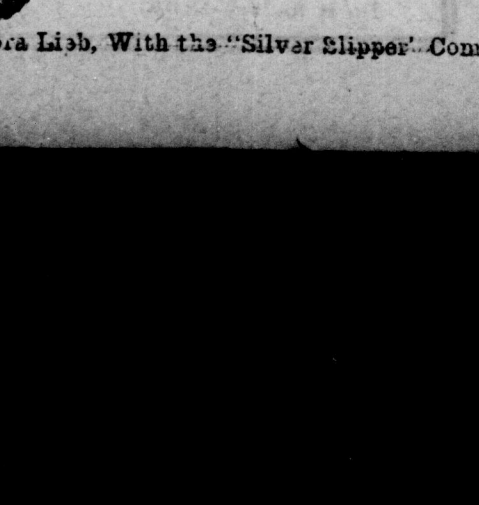
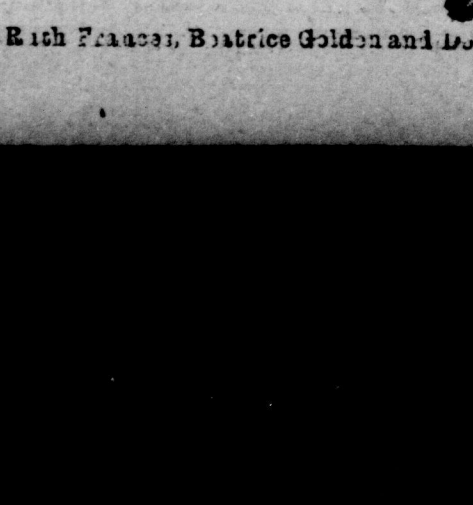
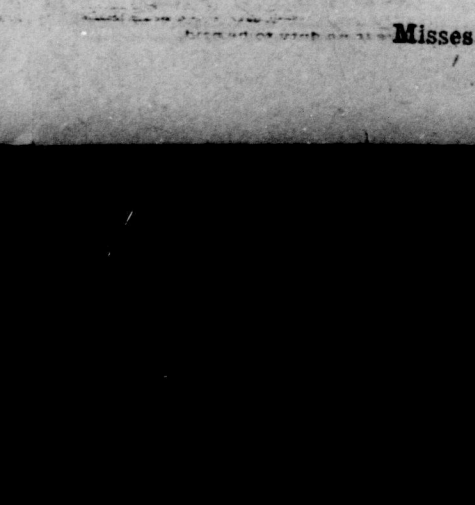


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During the recent bull market much was heard of active manipulation of prices, pool operations and other speculative methods which, from the way they are spoken of, would seem to be considered as illegitimate offshoots of the Wall street game.

There are, of course, various methods for accomplishing these same ends, and to decide which of them is the more successful one must be left to those who have tried them both. In recent years some of the biggest men have found it possible to put the market up by the sheer force of their buying, regardless of the amounts of stocks they accumulated in the process, and relying on the tremendous volume of which their activity attracted to enable them to take profits. This method, however, while successful in a big bull market, was found to be a tail disaster when that market was deserted by the public and only the professional element remained on which to sell out, an element which is generally too quick to detect such efforts.

Following the lines laid out by the Woorislander and James R. Keene, the way the thing was accomplished was about like this: The promoter of the pool was first of all a promoter of a stock market and was an expert in the art of making a market. Thereupon came the first step in the manipulation, the essential necessity preliminary to the bull campaign, further examination of conditions revealed the fact that the presidential election for once would not prove a disturbing factor, that general conditions had improved, and that their continuing success was assured by the expectancy of good crops. With this basis those big interests which had been hampered by the decline in the stock market and the impossibility of selling securities at reasonable prices, decided it was an auspicious time to make a market. Thereupon came the first step in the manipulation, the essential necessity preliminary to the bull campaign, further examination of conditions revealed the fact that the presidential election for once would not prove a disturbing factor, that general conditions had improved, and that their continuing success was assured by the expectancy of good crops.

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later also sells as much as possible in order to avoid the accumulation of the entire capital stock in the endeavor to advance the market price. This selling, however, is carried on with as much secrecy as the buying is public, and although every professional in the street knows that this is being done, yet every one permits himself to be deceived by the belief that the pool's object has not been accomplished, and that the price will advance further.

Wherefore even the wise professional element, or the talent, as it is sometimes called, will get landed with stock when the pool is liquidating. The manner in which these purchases are managed is like this: The pool manager distributes orders to a series of brokers. To one of them he gives an order to buy a large lot, say ten thousand shares, at the best, that is, at the lowest price he can get. Then he distributes stop orders, that is, orders which must be executed when the market reaches a given price, or at as nearly that price as possible.

LEADING LAMBS WITH STOCK. After this reasonably heavy buying has lasted a few days, long enough to charm the speculative community, much as the pied piper charmed the children, they begin to see nothing in the matter. This, of course, would be impossible were it not for the fact that the big broad market has been created in the previous days' transactions, with the public and the speculators eager to buy, and in which a thousand shares could be sold without overfilling the demand.

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perhaps three duplicate times, so that if two should fail to work there would still be one to open the door.

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of electricity, and is possessed of many other desirable qualities. Here, then, was the incentive to inventors, and many chemists set out to discover a method for the economical extraction of aluminum. Its ores exist in great abundance, common examples containing a large proportion of the metal; but of all substances these very ores seemed most refractory and least amenable to chemical treatment. A number of processes of a purely chemical nature were devised, but none of them reduced the cost of production to such a point that the metal could compete with steel or brass as an element of construction.

At last a process was found that is both simple and cheap. It was discovered that the cryolite, and most of the great quantity in Greenland, and consisting almost wholly of aluminum fluoride, was easily melted, and that aluminum as readily as water dissolves sugar. A powerful current of electricity passed through this molten mixture was found to extract the metallic aluminum, and the process was also seen to be regenerative, that is, the cryolite is not consumed, but is used over and over the molten bath being supplied from time to time with crude alumina. This material exists in nature as a mineral, named bauxite, distributed in the South of France, near Arles, and in the United States, where deposits of it are found. Vast beds of it exist in the country, Arkansas and elsewhere in this country.

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rapidly displacing tin as a material for bottle caps, boxes for druggists use, etc. An extensive market for it is furnished by makers of fancy goods, souvenirs, medals and tokens and toilet articles, such as combs.

Steel-making also absorbs large quantities of aluminum, the metal being used as a deoxidizing agent in the Bessemer and Siemens-Martin processes. At present, the annual production in the United States is about 7,150,000 pounds, and increasing rapidly. The selling price of the metal being so low that, bulk for bulk, it is the cheapest metal produced, except iron, steel, zinc, and copper.

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### Canada and Her Railways--- Four Great Systems

BY CY. WARMAN.

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Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 24.—There are at present four great systems of railways in Canada with a number of feeder lines more or less dependent upon them. In the east, running from Halifax and St. John to Montreal, we have the Intercolonial or Government system of railways, almost describing a horseshoe in its tortuous course through the Maritime Provinces—a much too long drawn out line, built in this way to facilitate the eastern portion of Canada, and to meet the supposed imperial necessities in promoting an all-Canadian line of railway sufficiently far removed from the border to be safe from interruption in the event of international warfare. The inconvenience of the extra haulage is a pretty serious price to pay for this imagined security. Being the only Government railway in North America, considerable interest has centered on the record of this line. It is noted that, though it is having a greater demand than in former days, it yet only shows a small surplus of net earnings over expenditure without taking into account of the first cost, amounting to nearly \$70,000,000. I have been informed by an experienced railway manager, however, that if the Canadian Government railway collected from its patrons as large freight rates as do ordinary railway companies for like service, it would make a decidedly good showing and pay fair interest on the cost of construction. You cannot have low freight rates, and pay your way, too, on a line built, not on business principles, but as a military and political necessity.

There has been some talk of extending the Government system of railroads through Ontario from Montreal to a port on the Georgian Bay. For this purpose it has been suggested that the Canadian Government should acquire the Canadian Atlantic Railway, which now runs from Montreal to Parry Sound. But the large deficits arising from the operation of the Intercolonial do not offer much encouragement, and in my opinion one Government railway is one too many. While the Canadian Pacific has been passing good dividends from the start, they have had to pay out a considerable sum for the purchase of a subsidiary, valued at \$1 million, but which now are held by the company, and are indeed very excellent value at \$5 an acre. To be sure, without the Canadian Pacific, it would be \$1 an acre. Though already operating the only line in North America which is controlled by the American Ocean to the Pacific by one management, with numerous profitable branches, the Canadian Pacific Railway Company are stretching out their arms to embrace many districts hitherto without railway facilities, and have just let a contract for double tracking one-half of their line between Port Arthur and Lake Superior, and Winnipeg. Already possessed of a Pacific line, steamers running between Vancouver and China, and Japan, the Canadian Pacific Company are determined to be independent of the greatest of steamship owners on the Atlantic, and they have now acquired fourteen of the Elder-Deppster steamers to run between Vancouver and Great Britain and the St. Lawrence, and making Halifax and St. John their ports of call. They are, however, not promised a more reliable and speedy service under the new arrangement. They hope, also, for steady freight rates.

The chief rival to the Canadian Pacific Railway in Eastern Canada is the Grand Trunk. It too, has its United States branches and close connections, and developments are being made which are always of interest to the people of the republic. It is likely that one effect of the Canadian Pacific's success, made by its rival, will be the determination of the Grand Trunk, in some degree at least, to follow the same line of thought that the management intend to go into steamship ownership at present, but they may do better. They will probably content themselves now with making special shipping arrangements with the Allan line, which is the pioneer steamboat line of the St. Lawrence route. The Grand Trunk's management is too wise to neglect to recognize the necessity of such a step at this juncture, and negotiations, I understand, are on foot. They are, however, secondary in interest to the proposed line of the Grand Trunk Railway from New Brunswick to British Columbia. This line will be 3,200 miles long, and will open up an entirely new section of territory, will pass through a section of Ontario rich in iron, nickel, and other mineral wealth, as well as in water power for generating electricity. It will strike Manitoba in the west, tap the best grain-growing region in the continent, and as it proceeds westward, north of the Canadian Pacific line, it will supply railway accommodation to an immense region as yet almost uninhabited. The land has not been developed hitherto arose from the fact that without a railway there was no opportunity to reach the outside market, and, therefore, no encouragement for settlers to move in. Besides, Canadians have been proverbially slow in appreciating their unique privilege in the matter of wealth-producing territory, and have been too much inclined to listen to the fairy stories of the fur-trappers interested in keeping current the idea that the northern country was of little account. Nearing the Rocky Mountains, and in passing through them, the new line will again strike mineral deposits—iron, copper, silver, petroleum, etc.—being more or less in evidence—and will finally reach ocean water some five hundred miles north of Vancouver City, by a much less difficult route than that of any existing line.

The party now in power in Canada

were pledged when they came into office, to retain the public lands for settlers, and not to hand them over to the speculator. Therefore, the help to be extended to the new line, and the shape of Government construction of that part east of Winnipeg, and a guarantee of the bonds for the construction of the line, will be a governmental expenditure of more than \$50,000,000.

The Canadian Northern Railway, which now extends from Port Arthur and through a section of Minnesota to Winnipeg, and thence north and westward, is expected to be completed, Edmonton, N. W. T., by next fall, and to have its construction continued on with Government assistance to the Pacific Ocean, looking for a terminus, as does the Grand Trunk Pacific, in the Port Simpson region. It has been declared that the Canadian Northern would be acquired by the Grand Trunk Pacific Company, but as yet there has been no evidence that this declaration is well-founded. The Canadian Northern, by the way, now controls the old Canadian lines of the Northern Pacific, the managers of which are again declaring it to be their intention to re-enter Canada, by way of Manitoba, and build 2,500 miles of branch lines to enable their system to reach the great railway, and the phenomenal development of the country. As Canada now stands eighth in point of railway mileage, and fourth in point of railway mileage, it is not quite so strongly marked, blue glass, on the other hand, seems to be a plant growing under blue glass is always smaller than its neighbor under transparent glass, although the conditions are otherwise similar.

A series of experiments in growing plants under various colored glasses was conducted by the late astronomer, Camille Flammarion, and the results, as above, proved to him to be quite correct. Light and color are full of odd puzzles, many of which are still a good deal of a mystery. Dr. Sini Pines, famous for his electric light invention for the cure of cancer, made exhaustive experiments on the effects of lights of various colors on various forms of animal life. One of two of these were interesting. For instance, he placed a number of earthworms in a box covered half with red, half with blue glass. In every case the worms were found to crawl away from under the blue glass and take shelter under the red, where they remained quite content. Under a red light they were invariably restless and ill at ease. Certain blind persons can tell the color of a flower by laying it against the skin of their hand, and in orange, blue, and red light they are equally harmless as darkness and less sensitive to the weather. Sunstroke, as it is called, is produced not by light rays at all, but by the heat which is incident upon the body, and may thus be termed a photographic effect, and therefore use color to fight it.

The skin in this disease becomes almost as sensitive as a photographic plate, and the light rays which cause scarring in small-pox. It is now universally acknowledged that the blue rays are, of all the visible rays, the most powerful of penetrating ones that can produce injurious effects upon animal or plant life. It is these blue rays that cause scarring in small-pox. The skin in this disease becomes almost as sensitive as a photographic plate, and the light rays which cause scarring in small-pox.

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A JEWEL.  
Misses—Have you turned on the gas in the kitchen, Susan?  
Susan—Yes, mum; if yer got to the door yer can smell it, mum.—Sidney Bulletin.

### SOME CURIOUS FACTS IN REGARD TO COLOR

PROPERTIES OF VARIOUS LIGHT RAYS BEING DEVELOPED.

Put a growing plant under red glass and it shoots up very tall and spindly. Green glass causes stunted growth, and not quite so strongly marked. Blue glass, on the other hand, seems to be a plant growing under blue glass is always smaller than its neighbor under transparent glass, although the conditions are otherwise similar.

A series of experiments in growing plants under various colored glasses was conducted by the late astronomer, Camille Flammarion, and the results, as above, proved to him to be quite correct.

Light and color are full of odd puzzles, many of which are still a good deal of a mystery. Dr. Sini Pines, famous for his electric light invention for the cure of cancer, made exhaustive experiments on the effects of lights of various colors on various forms of animal life.

One of two of these were interesting. For instance, he placed a number of earthworms in a box covered half with red, half with blue glass. In every case the worms were found to crawl away from under the blue glass and take shelter under the red, where they remained quite content.

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### THE ODYSSEUS OF CRICKETING

SHORT SKETCH OF LORD HAWKE, WHO HAS RECENTLY PASSED HIS FORTY-FOURTH BIRTHDAY.

A Famous Sport, Who Has Traveled Many Thousands of Miles to Play His Favorite Game.

Lord Hawke was a fit and fine fellow, so it seems a fitting moment to say something about what he has done for cricket. And when we say cricket I must not be understood to refer to English cricket, solely, for at a time when he was outside England or Australia was regarded with something very like contempt. Lord Hawke had been in India, South Africa, America, Canada and the West Indies. Lord Hawke, indeed, may well be called the greatest of all cricketers, for he has traveled thousands upon thousands of miles to play the game.

For 23 years he has been captain of the Yorkshire team, and he is one who knows the inner history of that county. He will tell you that he, and he alone, has been responsible for the present flourishing state of Yorkshire cricket. When he undertook the management of the Yorkshire team, he found it in a state of complete decay. There was no regular captain; discipline and cohesion were wanting; and he has since done much to put it on a footing of honor and respect.

Lord Hawke came from Cambridge to set things right. A strong man was needed, and strong man he soon proved himself to be. He was a man of a high character, a man of a high education, and a man of a high moral standard. He was a man of a high moral standard, and a man of a high moral standard.

His standard of discipline was high, but his rule was just. He was a man of a high moral standard, and a man of a high moral standard.

Professional cricketers have good cause to be grateful to him, for he looks after them in the winter as well as in the summer, and in him they can count on a true friend.

He was the first to institute a system of marks instead of the old fashion of money, and his example has been followed by almost every other county.

Apart from his commanding personality as a captain, Lord Hawke is a very attractive man when he is going, and there are few who do not call him England at a pinch. He is, perhaps, rather indecisive at times—for that matter, but the moment he begins to call to his partner in a tenor voice there is no mistake about it.

It is a delightful experience to travel with him, and his expedition is one of the most interesting of the kind. He is a man of a high moral standard, and a man of a high moral standard.

But all burglars are by no means unrepentant. As a certain gentleman in the Midlands can testify, this gentleman, who is a doctor, had the letters of W. F. C. penciled in his uninvited guest. In the morning this gentleman, who is a doctor, had the letters of W. F. C. penciled in his uninvited guest.

Dear Sir: As this bottle had evidently strayed from your surgery I have replaced it. Give it to your patients and it'll make your fortune, in a misanthropic way. I am now going to arrange with an undertaker.

Dear Madam: I hope next time I shall be able to visit you with my friend of a friend, my lawyer, who came down one morning to find his house burgled, and taken off in triumph by a woman and child of the household.

There are even burglars with classical tastes, and a certain way underneath the palling which is not to be despised. Here he was caught with a policeman, and taken off in triumph by a woman and child of the household.

South Africa has twice seen Lord Hawke. The first visit was at the time of the Jameson raid; the second in the winter of 1898; while he has taken two expeditions to America, two to India, and one to Australia.

Whenever he has gone he has popularized the game of cricket, not only in its actual playing, but in its best and truest spirit. It is no wonder, then, that never a year passes without his receiving an invitation to take a team somewhere abroad.

In international cricket his influence has been great. He was the originator of the test matches, and in all irregularities of the digestive organs they will find relief in the use of Shiloh's Consumption Cure.

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### THE THOROUGH WORK OF THE RAT CATCHER

Ferrets, Terriers and Trained Free U. S. Government Building of Rodents.

A professional rat catcher has come to the relief of the department of agriculture, at Washington, D.C., and for the first time in years the building in which seeds are stored is free from rodents. It took fifteen nights to accomplish the task. Many rat holes were found where clerks and employees had never suspected that a rat could dig or gnaw. First the top floor was explored. Cozy and sometimes magnificent homes, which the rats had spent years in building were razed, and generally the inhabitants were hereafter to be numbered with the dead. Floor after floor was scrutinized in this fashion, and when the rats were extinct the holes were filled over with a piece of tin.

How the job was done is an interesting story. Of the 200,000 inhabitants in the District of Columbia, probably not more than one claims the title of professional rat killer. He is a man named Edgar Barclay, who lives at 1014 L Street, N.W. His two sons, however, do the actual work. The local hunters went into business not more than ten months ago, and have secured much of the trade formerly held by a Baltimore man, who made his name for himself around department stores and hotels in the capital.

Edgar Barclay, jun., took twelve ferrets and three dogs to the department of agriculture. One of the canines was Gen. Lee, a famous dog around town. He is a white bull terrier, and can be seen almost any day carrying around an advertisement sign, "Barclay, the Ferret Man," or a case containing a couple of ferrets.

Operations were begun on the top floor by stopping up all but two or three of the holes. Loose and circuitous paths were cleared out, and the ferrets, some albino and some black, were trained to hunt rats, were placed into the holes. Ferrets and dogs at the work are handled with rubber gloves, but most of Barclay's have become tamed. Gen. Lee and his staff of ferrets were stationed at the holes, and rat after rat was chased out by the ferrets to be shaken to death in one grasp by the strong jaws.

The ferrets were reinforced by a negro who enjoys distinction as the "human rat killer." He has a bulldog which he uses to chase the rats, and wings the necks of the rats as they emerge from the holes. A few of the rats are killed by a dog named "Gen. Lee." The slim, wiry animals invariably bite their prey in the neck, aiming to strike the jugular vein and to suck the blood.

One night when operations ceased at the government building, the rat killer declined to return to captivity. They had been tempted to liberate among the streets. Young Barclay was obliged for such an emergency, and immediately procured a little breakfast which he placed in a rubber trap and set it at the mouth of the cage. It was only a matter of seconds before the ferret scented the steak, came out of the hole, and was ensnared.

One of the tasks of the rat killer is to train his dogs to not seize the ferrets as they come out of the hole, following in hot pursuit the rat.

The rat problem is a serious one in many buildings in Washington. Rat killing is a fine art which has received much attention from managers of department stores. It is not unusual for them to suffer a damage of \$100 from rats in a single night. Several merchants employed semi-professional rat killers, while others have purchased trained dogs, and in one or two cases ferrets. Cats are regarded as worthless in suppressing the raids of round-eyed rats. Of all business establishments, the green grocer is the most pestered with rats. His stock of meats, cheese, and delicacies is most tempting to the rodents.—Washington Exchange.

A Great Gun.  
The Scientific American of Aug. 27 contains an illustration and description of a 12-inch 25-caliber gun on a disappearing mount, as exhibited by the United States war department at the St. Louis Exposition. Other guns of this kind are described, and it appears that the United States has an excellent display of fighting materiel.

This particular gun is quite new, and is of the 12-inch 25-caliber type, and it cost \$43,451 to construct it. The disappearing carriage on which it works is of steel, a marvel of construction, and cost nearly as much as the gun, viz. \$41,000. It weighs, with its gear, 411,325

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