

Good-Bye!

Gladstone's Farewell to His
Midlothian Constituents.

The Great Majority of Reforms
Due to the Liberal Party.

Queen Victoria's Wealth Said to Ex-
ceed \$175,000,000.

How the Afghan Guests Ruined
Dorchester House.

Japan is to Get 238,800,000 Mexican Sil-
ver Dollars as War Indemnity
From China.

WORSE THAN WARFARE.

Spezzia, Italy, July 3.—While the tor-
pedo boat Aquila was undergoing
trials today her boiler exploded. Five
men were killed and thirteen injured.
The other six men aboard of her es-
caped injury. The vessel was badly
damaged.

BULGARIA WARNED.

London, July 3.—The Standard will to-
morrow publish a dispatch from Berlin
stating that the powers have warned
Bulgaria against raising the Macedon-
ian question and so stirring up a danger
to herself with which she would be
unable to cope alone.

THE JAP-CHINESE WAR INDEM-
NITY.

According to a dispatch received
from United States Minister Denby at
Peking, the exact amount of the war
indemnity to be paid by China to Japan
under the provisions of the Shimonoseki
treaty amounts to 238,800,000 Mexi-
can silver dollars.

NEW BRITISH COINS.

London, July 3.—The new bronze
coins of Great Britain will include the
Queen's title Empress of India. The
effigy of the Queen will be surrounded
by the inscription, and the obverse side
will represent Britannia, trident in
hand, seated on a rock in the sea. The
coins will be the penny, halfpenny and
farthing.

FIGHTING IN MADAGASCAR.

Paris, July 3.—General Duchesne, the
commander of the French troops in the
Island of Madagascar, telegraphs from
Majunga, via Port Louis, Island of
Mauritius, that several thousand rebels
recently attacked the French troops at
Zarasoetra, but were repulsed with
great loss. The French captured 470
tents, the standard of the Queen of
Madagascar, a number of pieces of ar-
tillery and a quantity of ammunition.

STARTLING REVELATIONS.

I understand the Queen is vexed
about the revelations made in a book
which has been printed for private cir-
culation by the executors of a man
who, for many years, was a special
accountant to the royal family. A pa-
per has in the worst of taste published
all particulars, from which it would
seem that the Queen possesses nearly
25,000,000, as nearly as it can be es-
timated. The figures are tabulated in a
strikingly concise and clear way, and
the whole statement bears the impress
of truth, for it is so bald and em-
broidered that it must have been written
by an utterly unimaginative man.

ILL-BEHAVED VISITORS.

A correspondent of the New York
Press says: I am told on excellent au-
thority that the condition in which the
Afghans will leave Dorchester House
will astonish its owner. One of the
favorite devices of the Shahzade's suite
for killing time has been to throw
knives at a small circle marked out on
a door. This door is no common or gar-
den deal portal. It is of tulip wood and
is covered with richly engraved fruit
and flowers. The young Prince is so
delighted with his visit that he will
prolong it for eight weeks, at the end
of which time if the royalties deputed
to amuse him are not all dead or mori-
bund I shall be much surprised, for if
ever the reigning family laid itself out
to "kill" it has been on this occasion.

GLADSTONE'S FAREWELL.

Edinburgh, July 3.—At a meeting of
the Midlothian Liberal Association this
afternoon a letter of farewell was read
from the Right Hon. W. E. Gladstone,
who has represented Midlothian since
1880 in the House of Commons. Mr.
Gladstone, in his letter to his Mid-
lothian constituents, says: "The im-
pending dissolution of the House of
Commons brings into practical force the
prospective farewell I addressed last
year to the electors of Midlothian. I
now repeat it with sentiments of grati-
tude and attachment for the treatment
I have received during fifteen happy
years which can never be effaced. I
then ventured to express good wishes
for the excellent candidate, Sir Thomas
Carmichael, who aspires to represent
the county on principles conformable
to the striking manifestation of 1880 and
subsequent years. Though in regard
to public affairs many things are dispu-
table, some belong to history, and have
passed out of the region of contention.
For example, it is, I conceive, beyond
question that the century now expiring
has exhibited since the close of its first
quarter a period of unexampled activi-
ty, the changes of which, taken in the
mass, have been in the direction of
true and beneficial progress. An over-
whelming proportion of the reforms
within this period has been effected by
the direct action of such statesmen as
Peel and Cairnes, who were ever ready
to meet odium or to forfeit power for
the public good. In all of the fifteen
Parliaments in which I have served the
people of Scotland have decisively ex-
pressed their convictions in favor of
this wise and temperate policy, and I
trust that the electors of Midlothian
will continue to lead the people of Scot-
land in the future as they have in the
past."

THE QUEEN CHANGES HER MIND.

London, July 3.—Her Majesty the
Queen is playing fast and loose with
her engagements in a fashion which is
exasperating to some of her attendants.
When she upset everyone by announc-

ing that she intended starting for the
North a fortnight before the usual time
that was voted bad enough, considering
that the young Shahzade was hourly
expected, but when she eventually did
so it was to stay for six weeks. Yet she
returned at the end of the third week
in June, having simply gone up to Bal-
moral, as far as can be gathered, to
admire the new church of Crathie.
No one can form any idea of the
inconvenience which everyone in the
court entourage suffers when the Eng-
lish monarch changes her mind in this
sudden and inexplicable manner. First
of all, the arrangements for various
changes in the Ministers in attendance
have to be made. Nearly 40 tons of
luggage have to be packed and unpacked.
Women are kept hard at it in the
laundries and ironing rooms all night.
In fact, if a middle class man multiplied
by about 300 times the inconvenience
that would attend these unexpected
orders and countermands in his own
home, some slight notion may be form-
ed of what a change of royal mind
means.

FATAL BALLOON EXPLOSION.
Berlin, July 4.—A military balloon ex-
ploded today in the shed of one of the
barracks. Three soldiers were injured,
and one of them has since died.

VESUVIUS BREAKS OUT.

Naples, July 4.—A fissure has appear-
ed in the northwest side of the great
cone of Vesuvius, and a dense stream of
lava is flowing down the mountain side.

MONEY TO FIGHT WITH.

Madrid, July 4.—The Minister of the
Colonies, Senor Abarzuza, has arranged
with the Bank of Spain to advance the
funds with which to prosecute the cam-
paign against the insurgents in the
Island of Cuba.

MRS. CRAIGIE GETS A DIVORCE.

London, July 4.—Mrs. Pearl Craigie,
the authoress, better known by her pen-
name of John Oliver Hobbes, has been
granted a divorce from her husband, a
clerk in the Bank of England, on the
ground of cruelty and unfaithfulness
on his part.

MYSTERIOUS TRAGEDY.

Five Persons Arrested for Robbery
and Murder.

But the Corpse of the Alleged Murdered
Man Cannot Be Found.

Omaha, Neb., July 4.—Five badly
frightened individuals occupying mur-
derers' cell at the police station, a resi-
dence resembling in many respects a
slaughter house, and the unexplained
absence of John Zeljan, are the fea-
tures of a peculiarly mysterious tra-
gedy which is engaging all the Omaha
police and detectives. Zeljan is the
supposed victim, while the five men
Mate Makin, Anton Buckovitz, John
Urkian and John Druboltz are the pris-
oners. Robbery is the presumed object
of the crime, but the feature most con-
fusing to the police is the unexplained
absence of the corpse. No. 1250 Pierre
street, a boarding house, is the scene
of the crime. A hasty examination of
the bedroom in which the man suppos-
ed to have been murdered slept showed
signs of a bloody conflict. A great pool
of blood was located near the head of
the bed, and the bedclothes were satu-
rated in several places with blood.
Bloody footprints were found on the
bed quilts and pillow. The floor casing,
wall and floor were stained in several
places with blood. A razor, a pocket-
knife and an iron crowbar were found
in the bedroom. The tenement was in-
mates of the house was such as to
prompt the detectives to place them un-
der arrest. Several of the persons had
blood on their clothes. All concerned
are Police. Several residents of the
neighborhood say Zeljan had a large
amount of money yesterday, and that
he said that he had received it from
the old country. One of the men who
was arrested told one of the officers
that Zeljan had got \$1,000 from the old
country. To obtain this money, the
crime, it is thought, was committed.

ARRIVAL OF THE GRAYS.

New York, July 3.—On board the
Clide line steamship Algonquin, which
reached here at 12:30 o'clock this morn-
ing, were Thos. Gray and his wife,
Hattie Gray, charged with the murder
of David Scollie at Peterboro. They
were brought from Omaha, Neb.

EVERY SALOON SHUT UP.

Atchison, Kan., July 3.—For the first
time in five years there is not an open
saloon in Atchison. The board of police
commissioners, acting upon positive
instructions from Gov. Morrill, ordered
all saloons to close at 12 o'clock last
night and remain closed thereafter.

DECLINE IN EMIGRATION.

Ottawa, July 3.—Mr. A. M. Burgess,
Deputy Minister of the Interior, testi-
fied before the agricultural committee
yesterday that there was a large falling
off in the number of immigrants to this
country for the past five months of the
current year, as compared with a cor-
responding period last year. This he
attributed to the low price of wheat.

FITZSIMMONS FREE.

Syracuse, N. Y., July 3.—Fitzsimmons
is free. Shortly after 8 o'clock tonight
the jury filed in before a crowded court
room and announced the verdict "Not
guilty." Immediately a tremendous
cheer went up. Fitzsimmons dealt his
opponent a fatal blow during a
boxing exhibition. The trial started
nine days ago.

BIG FIRE IN NEW WESTMINSTER.

Vancouver, B. C., July 4.—Fire last
night destroyed Brunett's sawmill and
Laidlaw's salmon cannery at Westmin-
ster. The barges Kundalee and North-
west were leading lumber and the for-
mer was cast adrift and the escaped
flames, but the latter caught fire
and burned almost to the water's edge.
The loss is estimated at \$100,000. The
insurance about \$70,000. The destruction
of the mill throws 200 men out of work.

NORTH OXFORD NOMINATION.

Woodstock, July 4.—The press dis-
patches referring to the Patron-Prohi-
bition meeting on Saturday are some-
what misleading. They state that Mr.
Hugh McDonald's candidature was
ratified, while, as a matter of fact, it
was impossible to do so on account of
the Patrons present not being sent as
official delegates from their lodges. The
meeting of the meeting was taken by
vote, and all expressed themselves in
favor of Mr. McDonald's candidature.
Another meeting is called for July 27,
when the nomination will take place.

Great wedding sale of furniture now
going on at Keene Bros. We are of-
fering great inducements to new begin-
ners, biggest values ever offered in Lon-
don. Don't forget the place. KEENE
BROS., 127 King street, opposite Mar-
ket House.

Omens at Ottawa

Of a Crisis that Will Disrupt the
Cabinet.

The Remedial Legislation Problem
Proves a Puzzler.

Minister Foster Advised to Abandon the
Rotten Party Hulk—"The Chance
of His Life"—Other Members
of the Crew Ready to
Swim Ashore.

(Specially telegraphed by our own re-
presentative.)

Ottawa, July 3.—A Conservative mem-
ber of Parliament is authority for the
statement that the Tory whips have
all day been making an individual can-
vass among members of the party with
a view to ascertaining where they stand
with regard to remedial legislation.

It was pointed out that the most ac-
curate way to secure the desired infor-
mation would appear to be a party can-
vass. "Oh, no," he remarked, "that
would at this moment only accentuate
the dividing lines and intensify the dis-
turbing elements."

FOSTER ADVISED TO RESIGN.

From what is gathered in usually
well-informed quarters, a strong effort
is being made by the friends of Mr.
Foster to induce him to resign if Pre-
mier Bowell decides on bringing down
remedial legislation. York the county
that Mr. Foster has elected to run for
in New Brunswick, it is pointed out, is
ultra-Protestant, and such being the
case he would stand about the same
chance of being elected there if he sup-
ported remedial legislation as Sovereign
Grand Master Clarke Wallace would
were he to run for Vercheres, where
there is but one Protestant vote.

"THE CHANCE OF HIS LIFE."

A New Brunswick member pointed
out that it would be the chance of Mr.
Foster's life to put himself straight to
the front as the leader of the Conserva-
tive party by voting against the Govern-
ment, if they attempted remedial
legislation, and it is said that at this
very moment Foster is taking this
phase of the situation into his most seri-
ous consideration.

A FORLORN HOPE.

As matters look tonight we may be
prepared for many surprises within the
next ten days. Talk with Ontario Con-
servatives, and you leave them almost
convinced that the Government's only
chance of pulling through lies in the
refusal of Sir Mackenzie Bowell to
bring down remedial legislation, while
the French members say it will only be
a question as to how large the majority
will be against the Government if leg-
islation for the Catholic minority is laid
over.

READY TO QUIT.

The friends of Haggart, Montague,
Wood and Wallace say they stand ready
with their resignations written to lay
in the hands of Sir Mackenzie the mo-
ment he says remedial legislation must
prevail.

"ALL AT SEA."

It may safely be said that up to date
the Government, as regards the Mani-
toba schools, has no policy. That policy
has yet to be formulated. An attempt
will be made at the special meeting of
the Cabinet called for tomorrow morn-
ing to reach some conclusion, but judg-
ing from the talk about the corridors
tonight that is hardly possible.

We may call it a crisis, a deadlock,
or anything we like, but the position of
the Government today is one of grave
uncertainty.

FIVE BOYS—"ALL WELL."

City of Mexico, July 2.—Near Sillao a
woman gave birth to five boys, all liv-
ing and doing well.

THE VICTORY IN VERCHERES.
Montreal, July 3.—Hon. W. Laurier,
C. A. Geoffrion and other leading Lib-
erals are to speak at a political picnic
to be held at Vercheres on July 21 to
celebrate the Liberal victory in that
constituency.

A MORNING OF FATALITIES.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 3.—This was a
morning of fatalities. Inside of an hour
Corner Kenny had four cases reported
to him, as follows: Mrs. Joseph Clark,
burned to death; Christy Fryer, drown-
ed; unknown boy, drowned; Wojciech
Szalecki, heart disease.

The Electric Car

Will take you within a block of our green-
houses, where you will find the greatest as-
ortment of bedding plants in the city. We
grow only those varieties which give general
satisfaction, and as cheap as any florist in the
city. Car fare deducted from all purchases of
\$1 and upwards. GREENWAY, Florist, London
West.

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street, will soon be located at 224 Dun-
das street, but before moving she will
sell her entire stock of millinery and
fancy goods at cost. Ladies will do
well to bear this in mind.

LONDON SEEN BY A CASUAL.

Queer Views of This City Entertained
by a Yankee Visitor.

Police, Postmen, Waiter Girls and Others
Fen Photographed.

An individual named Charles Theo-
dore Murray has been writing some
curious things about London and its
inhabitants in the Pittsburgh (Pa.) Dis-
patch. Of his views regarding this
and other places in Canada, he says:
"It is Canada from a car window—from
a hotel bed—from meals taken with a
cup of coffee in one hand and a time
table in the other. There will be
nothing profound or conclusive, there-
fore, in what is here set down, it being
but the superficial observations of an
un-commercial traveler." Truth to
tell, his estimate of us, though some-
what amusing, is decidedly superficial
and far from just. He tells us that
London is widely different "from any-
thing in the United States. I almost
say America, for I cannot as any state
realize that this is part of America.
We speak of home as America between
ourselves along the road, as if on an-
other continent. There is nothing
American here, as we understand it.
Outside of the tourist towns, and ex-
cepting those who are here for health,
pleasure or to keep out of jail, there
are no people from the United States.
We run over the leaves of the hotel
register curiously, for six weeks back,
without finding but a single man from
the Republic. This was a man from
Boston.

"The clerk noted our comments, and
said: 'That man lives here. He repre-
sents a Boston shoe house, and always
registers from Boston.'

"I have examined the registers all the
way through to Montreal, and find the
same thing."
"At the sleepy old town of Brantford
the hotel clerk said as to this: 'People
from the United States scarcely ever
come here—and when a Canadian goes
away to your country he never comes
back.'

"Seeing this country through my eyes
I certainly cannot blame him, or either
of them, for that matter. This section
is intensely English. The Scotch form
a stiffening. Here in London is the
London 'bobby' of the older and greater
city across the water. He wears the
same uniform, the closely-buttoned,
short-tailed military frock, with the
red stripes on the left sleeve, and the
helmet with its throat latch falling just
below the lower lip, and goes without
a club during the day. The postman
goes his rounds in a military uniform
like that of the Prussian soldier. The
guards about the station, the porters,
the messengers, the railway officials,
big and little, have the signs of a
paternal government written in their
faces and painted on their clothes. The
station itself, with its 'luggage' rooms
and 'parcel' rooms and waiting rooms
and smoking rooms—as are all other
stations along the route—is thoroughly
English."

This traveler does not like the hotel
cooking or serving, though he asserts
they are better than is to be found in
the large hotels in Montreal and To-
ronto. "In the dining room," he says, "are
the rule in every dining room. Men
seem to be scarce in mental em-
ployments; for the elevator boys are
under-sized and must carry baggage
up and down the stairs, which is char-
ming for those who happen to want to go up or down
during that time." He does not like the
waiter girl, as must be evident from
this extraordinary statement: "I could
write ten of the waiter girls, but I
as I have found her, and never tell all
I learned about her. The one who wait-
ed on me at dinner in London blew
on my pie before serving it—but
whether it was to keep the crumbs off
or for luck I don't know. It re-
minded me of boys fishing—we used
to spit on the bait for luck. But if this
maiden had any such superstition it
didn't work this time, for I didn't bite.
I neither ate the pie nor 'coughed up'
the customary tip. The woman who
blows on my pie must do it in the
kitchen if she expects any luck. But
I haven't eaten any pie since, so, per-
haps, after all, she did me an estimable
service. The waiter girl hums off a
long list of dishes without rhyme or
reason, and about as intelligently as
the average trainman calls the sta-
tions on the New York elevated road.
Meanwhile you strain your intellectual
muscles in the vain attempt to catch
on to some particular dish. If you are
lucky enough to succeed you give your
order while she looks out of the window
or surveys a distant table of com-
mercial travelers. It is just the same,
for she goes and brings you anything that
occurs to her as the most convenient.
Being somewhat hard of hearing my-
self, I have some additional difficulties
where there is no bill of fare. My habit
of watching the movement of the lips
intently, not infrequently lifts the
waiter girl's feet, so to speak. I
was alone in an Adrian dining room
for a late breakfast, when a red headed,
pasty-faced young woman with an
expression that would sour milk, came
up and rattled off her repertoire. I
turned to look at her, and to my
great amusement, she moved about ten
feet, glancing back toward the
kitchen door, as if to see whether the
coast was clear for retreat. When I
smiled sweetly and told her how harm-
less I was and asked her if she wouldn't
please come a little nearer and give
me an encore she ran away and brought
back three other girls, who giggled in
the doorway while she tried me again,
carefully keeping the table between us.
Then she got a broom and swept the
dining room all over me while I ate my
frugal breakfast.

"The whole country through which
we have come seems to be one great
grass farm, broken here and there by
occasional crops of grain and the ugly
unpainted villages of the farmers. The
extraordinary keenness of the field
and clearing and farmhouse is something
for which I was unprepared. Ohio,
Indiana and Illinois look like the old
country by the side of these regions.
And yet this is the oldest and most
thickly settled portion of Canada along
the St. Lawrence—and the small cities
have a metropolitan air unknown to
cities of twice the size in the United
States."

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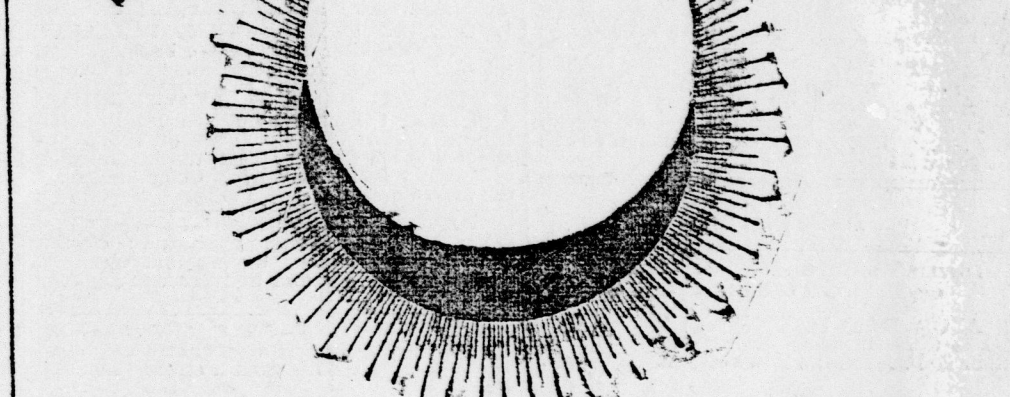
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Bright as a new tin pan;
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Of bread and cheese to man.

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FOR A SONG.

We Can Throw You in
the Shade

When the summer sun becomes
more of a nuisance than a bless-
ing, and with our fine stock of
Parasols we are in a position to
do it in the latest and most im-
proved fashion.

SERVICE

Fast Colors for Faded
Prices.

Our prices have faded with the
progress of the season, and our
profits have wilted to their pre-
sent ludicrous shape, but the
quality of our goods is stamped
with the guarantee "Non-
shrinkable."

A Parasol for a Penny.

The difference between winter and summer is a comparison all too poet
to justly describe our immense range of Sun Shades in quality and price. We
have not anticipated a demand for penny parasols exactly, but we have, never-
theless, a range running from 12½¢ to as many dollars. Look at a few
samples, earnest of rare chances:

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- 6 Fancy Figured Sun Shades, reduced from \$1 45 to \$1
- 7 Fancy Sun Shades, reduced from \$2 60 to \$1 95.
- 2 Fancy Sun Shades, reduced from \$5 40 to \$3 50.
- 2 Fancy Sun Shades, reduced from \$6 25 to \$4 25.
- 2 Fancy Sun Shades, reduced from \$9 to \$6.
- 17 Fancy Sun Shades, reduced from \$6 94 to \$4 50.
- 6 Fancy Black Sun Shades, reduced from \$10 75 to \$6.

SEE OUR WINDOWS.

Parachute drops are always popular, but the kind indicated in these few
lines is one which will be welcomed by all as the choicest coin-clincher of
the city.

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"THE FAST ATLANTIC SERVICE."

The grant of \$750,000 a year for the fast Atlantic service is part of the Intercolonial scheme, though it had previously been proposed by the Canadian Government. Its object is to place a line of steamships on the ocean between some port in the United Kingdom and some port in Canada, with a speed of twenty miles per hour, in the hope that with such a service freight and passenger traffic between Europe and America may in a large measure inure to the benefit of Canada. There have been for many years two lines of steamers on this route, the Allan and the Dominion, but both are slow, and neither have made much money for their owners. The friends of the fast service say, however, that these lines have not been successful because they have been slow, and that for half the year the western termini of the lines have been in the United States. Why they do not come to Montreal in winter is obvious enough, for the St. Lawrence is then frozen over; and why they do not start from Halifax or St. John instead of Portland or Boston is that they could not get freight at paying rates because of the heavy charges by rail to the former ports.

But it is reasonable to expect that boats capable of making a speed of twenty knots per hour can attain that speed on the northern course. The Allan has an experience of some 40 years to go upon, and their records should have great value to the Government in determining the question. We believe the fact to be that no vessel, no matter how fast she may be, can make twenty knots an hour over a large part of the course. There are two difficulties in the way; and, as far as human skill has yet been able to determine, both are insuperable. One is the fog on the Newfoundland Banks, which is probably a consequence of the collision of Gulf Stream and Arctic currents. The other is that relic of icebergs known as the "floater." It is ice, charged with earth and rock, and carried down to the sea by the parent glacier, and having a specific gravity about the same as that of the ocean, and floating along at the water's level it is imperceptible to the look-out, so that the vessel may run into it without receiving a note of warning. There is an ingenious way known to sailors whereby the village of "floaters" may be indicated, by observing the changes of temperature in the waters along the course, but no observation, however careful, can accurately locate a "floater"; and so a boat must go slow in the presence of such a danger, no matter what her speed may be. These facts we have no doubt are known to Mr. Foster. They must be known to every maritime member of Parliament who takes an interest in ocean navigation; and still better to Mr. Foster, whose business it is in all matters of important policy to get information and advice from the best authorities.

If, then, the facts are as we believe them to be, why should Canada assume an obligation of \$750,000 a year to promote an enterprise which can never realize expectations? And why should the Government of Canada, by a system of bonusing, which it can ill afford, attempt to cripple other steamship lines which for many years have been endeavoring to establish a service on the basis of commercial enterprise?

The man who promises to establish the fast line upon the Government terms is not wholly unknown in Canada. Mr. Huddart figured before the Intercolonial Conference at Ottawa, and he is the reputed owner or promoter of the Pacific line of steamers which run between the western termini of the Canadian Pacific Railway and ports in Australia and New Zealand. This is the way in which he is spoken of by the editor of the Investors' Review, whose editor, if we are not mistaken, is also the commercial editor of that high-class Tory journal, the London Standard.

Mr. Huddart, it appears, is the "managing director" of an obscure company, which is said to own two steamers—the Miowera, 3,345 tons gross, and the Warrimoo, 3,320 tons gross—both at one time engaged in the Australian trade with Canada. Mr. Foster described these steamers in the Canadian House of Commons, when urging forward this scheme, as a line of steamers which "runs with regularity—it is a good line and most excellent in all its appointments—and it makes regular and speedy trips between Australasia and Canada, with a constant accretion and accumulation of freight, carried both ways; and what is equally gratifying, a constant and large increase of passenger travel across our continent, going to the Old Country largely." The Canadian Finance Minister was doubtless told this fine story and swallowed the whole. But a look at the trade statistics of this country would have shown him that the country would have shown him that the freight portion of it could not be true, and an inquiry at any shipping agency might have revealed to him the fact that these steamers were not even constantly on the Australian route at all.

Unless we are much misinformed, the Miowera has been engaged this last summer in conveying Cook's tourists to and from Norway, and has not been in the Pacific these many months back. In one of these Norway trips the ship went aground. Still pursuing his investigations, Mr. Foster might have found out that the two ships in question are now, and have for the past two years been, mortgaged to their builders for nearly \$750,000—their full value probably—at 6 per cent. interest. These and such like facts Mr. Foster might have found out had he cared to, but such was plainly not the object of his Government. It had a job on hand, and meant to perpetrate it at all costs.

There is very much more to be said on this ocean subsidy subject, which occupied some time of the attention of Parliament the other night, when a renewal of the proposal for the Atlantic service was made by Mr. Foster. But there is amply sufficient to condemn it in these three facts.

First, that a speed of 20 knots per hour from a Canadian to a British port is not attainable, owing to physical difficulties which no art of man can remove or overcome.

Secondly, that in Canada's financial condition she ought not to assume an additional expenditure of \$750,000 for such an object.

And thirdly, that the project, if carried out, would do a serious wrong to companies already in the business.

A BIG PAPER

Though an increasing number of residents in the country districts now take a daily paper, the overwhelming proportion of the agricultural community find that a good weekly paper meets their wants. Probably no accomplishment of civilized existence has improved so much in the last 20 or 30 years as the weekly paper. In former years, \$2 or more was charged for a 4-page paper. Today, and every Thursday throughout the year the "Western Advertiser" is issued from this office, with 96 columns of live reading packed into sixteen pages, and the yearly price is only \$1. Only by printing and circulating many thousands of copies throughout the Province—and more particularly in the Western section—is it possible to print a paper of such magnitude for the money.

POINTS.

According to the Hamilton Herald, it is the promise of office at the close of the present Parliament which alone keeps kicking Conservative members from deserting Sir Mackenzie Bowell. These men know that they cannot face their constituents and justify their votes, and they will not return for re-election. It is time to decree a change when the business of the country is carried on in this indefensible manner.

Our cousins in the United States have their national holiday today. It will be much more noisy than ours of four days ago. Canadian juveniles expend their energies on fireworks and crackers on the Queen's Birthday, and are contented to picnic on Dominion Day. Over the border, they have fireworks, crackers, and picnics all rolled into one on July 4. It is too much.

Mexico has a Presidential election next year. President Diaz, who has about completed four terms, will be put up for a fifth. When they get a really good executive head in Mexico, they keep him. They have no dread of the effect of third terms, such as is entertained in the United States.

With what thrills of delight does the school pupil see his name in print for the first time!

The man who devises an effective means for overcoming the wild mustard crop will be voted a patriot worthy of substantial recognition at the hands of his countrymen.

The Guelph Herald has been ten years under its present management. It signals the reaching of this milestone by donning a new dress. The Herald is a live journal, and serves its constituency well.

The Parliamentary committee on the criminal code, sitting at Ottawa, has added a clause to make it an indictable offense, punishable by six months' imprisonment, for anyone to secure a ride on a street car by false tickets. With seven and eight tickets for 25 cents, as secured by the agreement with the street railway company of this city recently signed by Mayor Little, there should not be much temptation to break so stringent a law as is now provided.

An article in this week's Christian Guardian, organ of Canadian Methodism, says: "The Presbyterian and Methodist churches in Canada, which have been happily united within themselves by divine providence, are in the best condition, spiritually and practically, for closer affiliation and co-operation."

What will be Joseph Chamberlain's future?

Not a few paragraphs in some of our contemporaries are now credited to "An Exchange." How it would take much more space to credit the journal from which the information is taken, openly and honestly, it is difficult to see.

BRITISH RADICAL DEMAND.

Sir Charles Dilke, Mr. Henry Labouchere and other British Radicals are very moderate in their demands in the manifesto issued to influence the coming British elections. They ask that needed reforms shall be effected in the registration and franchise laws, so that one man will have only one vote. This system is in force in Ontario Provincial elections, and has worked admirably. They also demand payment of members of Parliament, and reform in Parliamentary procedure, so that the House of Lords will not be able to engage in willful obstruction of the business of the country. The last-named reform may not be got immediately, but there is no reason why the masses should not insist on the other reforms, and support the party committed to bring them about, even if a revolution in the constitution of the hereditary chamber is somewhat delayed. He is a foolish man who goes on strike against a political party with which he is in the main in accord merely because he cannot have his way immediately with regard to the programme that he deems best for it to maintain. Canon Wilberforce, at a recent gathering in England, told a story about this class of men. He said there was a hen that was sitting on eleven eggs, nine eggs all of them, but she would not be content; she got off those and sat on top of a crate which held a hundred dozen eggs. Of

course, she hatched nothing, and so, as Canon Wilberforce pointed out, it is with those "all or nothing men," who are determined to have their own way, and to defeat their best friends, if not every item of policy their views are not carried out. In Britain it has been learned that effective campaigning against the forces of monopoly, privilege and reaction cannot be undertaken with the "all or nothing man" in command.

MORE REMARKABLE SHOWERS.

The recent sensational happenings in Dorchester township have, according to a telegraphic dispatch, been duplicated in McKean county, Pennsylvania.

There is this difference: While red-hot stones are alleged to have come from the sky in Dorchester, in the Pennsylvania county it was fish that fell. The country was pining and praying for rain to put out the forest fires, when a thunder and rain storm swooped down on them, bringing with it thousands of fish—some of them ten inches long—which were cooked as they fell on the parched earth and among the burning embers of the forest. The explanation is that the fish were caught up in a whirlwind from a neighboring creek and carried up the valley. Such happenings have before now been chronicled. But that theory does not explain the intermittent showers of stones in Dorchester, which, it is asserted, still continue. Here is a field for the scientific investigator.

House and Lobby

Mr. McCarthy Brings Up the Manitoba School Question—Caron Cornered—The Office of Third-Class Clerk Abolished—How Certain Government Officials Had a Good Time in Chicago at the People's Expense—Military Mismanagement.

(Specially telegraphed by our own Representative.)
Ottawa, Ont., July 3.—Mr. McCarthy brought up the Manitoba School question in the House on the orders of the day by asking whether they could expect a remedial bill. He thought that the information should be forthcoming as the session was far advanced.

Mr. Foster thought Mr. McCarthy rather persistent, inasmuch as the answer of Manitoba had only been received yesterday, and was this morning for the first time laid before the members of the council. They could not legislate quite as fast as was implied in the question.

Mr. Brodeur, rising with the post-office inspector's report in his hand, demanded why the other papers in the Loiseleur case were not included in the return. Sir Adolphe had said that they were lost in 1892, but he read a letter from Sir Adolphe, dated Feb. 21, 1892, to Mr. Brodeur, stating that the lost record had been recovered, and promising to lay it on the table. Sir Adolphe Caron explained in a rather shame-faced way that a portion of the papers were still lost, and could not be brought down. He was still of the opinion that the inspector's report should not have been brought down. Finally Mr. Brodeur forced him to say that the other papers would probably be brought down. Mr. Brodeur then stated that the papers were not lost, and seemed to think that the Postmaster-General, having kept back the inspector's report for three years, intended keeping back the other papers for another three years.

In reply to Mr. Martin, Mr. Foster said it was the intention shortly to fill the office of Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba, but he declined to say whether Hon. J. C. Patterson was to be the appointee.

On the second reading of the bill amending the Civil Service Act, by providing that temporary writers shall hereafter be employed in lieu of third class clerks, Mr. Laurier moved the six months' hoist, because it represented permanent employees, and that the Government of the day. The motion was lost and the bill put through.

In committee on the bill chartering the International Railway Company, which proposes to cover Western Ontario with a network of electric railways, Mr. MacLean, of East York, moved a clause fixing the minimum passenger rate on the road at 2 cents a mile.

Mr. Edgar moved in amendment "that the powers hereby conferred by this bill shall be subject to the provisions of any general act that may be hereafter passed by Parliament relating to electric railways."

Mr. Mulock supported Mr. MacLean, while Messrs. Masson and Cockburn opposed him.

Mr. Haggart deemed it inexpedient to apply such a restriction to a particular road. It was a fair subject for general application to all railways. No bill applied to the railways. In the direction of Mr. Edgar's motion, to electric railway companies that a general law would be passed to which they would be made subject. It had become the fashion to pass over the Local Legislatures and come here because they secured larger powers.

In supply, on the item of \$85,000 for the Military College at Kingston, Lieut.-Col. Denison made a strong criticism of the management and an attack on the commandant, Major-General Cameron, who is a brother-in-law of Sir Charles Tupper. He had heard complaints and referred to the Plummer incident of last summer. In his opinion the time had come to change a man thoroughly in touch with the army, and not a retired officer. Since 1889, when General Cameron was appointed, the attendance had diminished, and was now only 54. He therefore moved that the vote be reduced by the sum of \$3,163—the amount of the commandant's salary. This would leave the college without a senior officer could easily act pro tem.

Col. Amyot and Mr. Mulock thought the college was not filling the purpose for which it was established. The Minister of Militia, Dickey said he intended to reorganize the board of visitors of the Military College, and they would be prepared to investigate any charge laid against Gen. Cameron. If he was found unworthy he would be dismissed. He opposed Col. Denison's amendment. Speaking of the militia generally, he regarded the drill and training as essential, and saw no reason why the whole force should not be drilled every year, though whether it was possible or not he could not say.

Sir Richard Cartwright very emphatically stated that the standard of the college had been lowered, and that Gen. Cameron's appointment was a first-class mistake. At 1 o'clock, after much discussion, Col. Denison's amendment was defeated by 8 to 23.

Mr. Mills, of Bothwell, saw no reason why this company should come here at all for incorporation. Mr. MacLean's two-cent motion was lost and Mr. Edgar's carried. The hour devoted to private bills expired, however, before the bill was reported. On the motion to go into supply, Mr. Martin drew attention to a return brought down respecting pedlars whose great discredit on the Department of Immigration. Mr. Pearce, one of the Ministers' officers, had warned the department to guard against assisting persons of this class, but notwithstanding this 300 or 400 of them were sent to Calgary. Mr. Martin declared that the return confirmed everything he had charged about these immigrants. He quoted from the report of Mr. Pearce, of the Department of Immigration, which stated that they would never make good settlers; that they were Polacks, and were liars and robbers. There was not a line to show that any of these people had taken up land or settled in the Northwest. Upon a report that a number of persons in Chicago would make good settlers, Captain Holmes was sent to Chicago to investigate. This was at the time of the World's Fair, and it appeared to be a famous opportunity for a holiday at the public expense, so a brother of the Minister of the Interior and a brother of the Secretary of State, and Mr. McBeth, of the department, all Schomacher, of the department, all spent four or five months in Chicago during the Fair, drawing their salaries and \$4 or \$5 a day for expenses. Mr. Martin considered the incident one which reflected disgrace on the immigration branch of the department.

Mr. Daly, in reply, said that not more than 20 or 40 persons were brought in from Chicago, and of these only three or four were of the class complained of. The person who got into jail only joined the party at Winnipeg. The object of the movement was to settle Germans in the Northwest, and the only sum paid out on their account was between \$200 and \$400. The department should have taken advantage of the opportunity. When they were warned by Mr. Pearce, they selected about twenty of the best families. This matter did not occupy the agent at Chicago more than a few weeks, but they remained there distributing literature and doing good work. Mr. Daly claimed credit for the immigration branch, as shown by the results of the recent police census of the Northwest.

The matter dropped and the House went into supply.

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Friday Bargain Day.

July 5th.

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3rd—5 pieces Fancy Broche Lustre, lovely goods, worth 50c, for 35c.
4th—3 pieces Fine Twill Dress Goods, double width, regular price 25c, for 15c.
5th—7 pieces 42-inch Union Cashmere, colored, worth 25c, for 12 1-2c.
6th—3 pieces Black Broche Lustre, worth 25c, for 15c.
7th—9 pieces Pongee Silk, a snap for Friday only, 15c.
8th—4 pieces Double Width Art Drapery, worth 25c, for 15c.
9th—10 pieces Black Lace Dress Goods, worth 15c, for 5c.
10th—20 pieces Dark Challie, worth 20c, for 12 1-2c.
11th—5 pieces White Spot Muslin for curtains, worth 25c, for 15c.
12th—6 pieces Light Colored Lining, double width, worth 10c yard, for 5c.

Staple Department.

- 13th—4 pieces Cream Ceylon Flannel with pink and blue dot, worth 25c for 12 1-2c.
14th—Wide Width Scotch Chambray in gray, pink and blue, worth 10c, for 6 1-2c.
15th—Bleached Sheeting, Plain or Twill, 2 yards wide, worth 25c for 20c.
16th—Bleached Table Damask, wide and very fine quality, worth 75c for 57c.
17th—India Flannel Shirting, silk and wool, worth 50c, for 29c.
18th—Unbleached Sheeting, full yard wide, worth 6 1-2c, for 5c.
19th—White Quilts, very large, with or without fringe, worth \$2, for \$1 69.
20th—Cotton Delaines, wide width, fast colors, worth 12 1-2c, for 8 1-2c.
21st—Best Quality Feather Ticking, worth 25c, for 18c.
22nd—Fine Flannelette Shirting, in checks and stripes, worth 20c, for 12 1-2c.
23rd—Strong Wool Tweed for Boys' Suits and Pants, light and dark colors, worth 38c, for 29c.
24th—Damask Linen Towels, large size, red border, worth 12 1-2c for 10c.
25th—Pink and White Striped Chambray, worth 8c, for 5c.
26th—Bleached Twill Cotton, 36 inches wide, worth 13c, for 10c.
27th—Art Table Covers, 2 1-2 yards long, worth \$1 25, for 98c.

Smallware Department.

- 28th—Ladies' Fast Black Cotton Hose, double heel and toe, worth 25c, for 18c.
29th—Ladies' Fast Black Cotton Hose, double heel and toe, very durable, worth 20c, for 15c.
30th—Boys' Extra Strong Ribbed Cotton Hose, double heel and toe, worth 25c, for 13c.
31st—Ladies' Black and Colored Lisle Gloves, worth 20c pair, Friday for 10c.
32nd—Cream and White Dress Laces, worth 8c yard, Friday for 3c.
33rd—Fancy Colored Shot Silk Parasols, worth \$2 50, for \$1 75.
34th—Ladies' Colored and White Chemisettes, worth 25c, for 19c.
35th—Ladies' White Muslin Blouses, embroidery trimmed, worth \$1 25, for 85c.
36th—Colored Silk Windsor Ties, worth 25c, Friday for 15c.
37th—Colored Border Hemstitched Handkerchiefs worth 8c, on Friday 7 for 25c.
38th—White Embroidered Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, worth 10c, Friday for 5c.
39th—Colored Garter Elastic, worth 8c yard, Friday for 5c.
40th—Children's Fancy Colored Parasols, worth 25c and 30c, for 20c.
41st—Fancy Folding Fans, worth 40c and 50c, for 25c on Our Bargain Day.

Gents' Furnishing Department.

- 42nd—Men's Fancy Colored Shirts, grand goods, worth \$1, for 50c; snap, for 4 for 25c.
43rd—Men's Heavy Cotton Socks, seamless and ribbed top, worth 12 1-2c, for 4 for 25c.
44th—Men's Elastic Suspenders, good goods, worth 40c, for 25c.
45th—Men's Fine Black Cashmere Socks, worth 35c, for 25c.
46th—Men's Fine Natural Wool Socks, regular price 40c, for 25c.
47th—Men's Reversible Wash Silk Ties, four-in-hand, worth 25c, for 15c.
48th—Men's Fine French Balbriggan Underwear, worth 50c, for 37 1-2c.
49th—Men's Fine Cambric Shirts, all sizes, worth 75c, for 60c.
50th—Men's All Wool White Sweaters, worth \$1 25, for 75c.
51st—Men's Extra Quality Unlaundered Shirts, worth 75c, for 48c.

Ready-Made Clothing Department.

- 52nd—Men's Light Weight Summer Suits, worth \$7, for \$5.
53rd—Men's Fine All Wool Suits, worth \$9, for \$6 75.
54th—Men's Fine Colored Worsteds Suits, worth \$12, for \$10.
55th—Men's Unlined Tweed Coats and Vests, worth \$4, for \$2 75.
56th—Men's Black Lustro Coats and Vests, worth \$4 for \$2.
57th—Men's All Wool Pants, worth \$2 50, for \$1 50.
58th—Men's Fine All Wool Pants, worth \$2 75, for \$2.
59th—Men's Fawn Serge Blouse Suits, worth \$2 50, for \$1 50.
60th—Boys' Blue Serge Suits, worth \$1 75, for \$1.
61st—Boys' Three Piece Tweed Suits, worth \$4 25, for \$3 25.
62nd—Boys' Summer Tweed Suits, worth \$4, for \$3.
63rd—Boys' English Worsteds Suits, worth \$3 50, for \$2 85.

Ladies' Suit and Wrapper Department.

- 64th—Ladies' Delaine Wrappers, worth \$2 50, for \$1 75.
65th—50 only Ladies' Print Wrappers, worth \$1 75, for \$1 40.
66th—Ladies' Duck Suits, Silk Vests to match, worth \$4 50, for \$3 75.
67th—Ladies' Cambric Suits, worth \$4, for \$3 25.

Millinery Department.

- 68th—Fancy Bonnets, mixed jet and straw, worth \$1 25, for 75c.
69th—Millinery Ribbons, fine assortment, worth from 35c to 75c, for 25c.
70th—Leghorn Hats, a few slightly damaged, worth \$1 for 25c.
71st—One table of Black and Fancy Straw Hats today 5c.
72nd—White Muslin Embroidery Bonnets, worth from 50c to \$1, for 40c.
73rd—Straw Bonnets, worth \$1, for 50c.
74th—100 Ladies' Tweed Mantles (upstairs) worth \$5, on Friday only \$1 each.

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Summer Sports.

Third and Last Day of the Racing at Hamilton.

Toronto Takes Another Game from the Buffalos.

Sound Advice to Wheelmen by a Noted Physician - The Foolish and Cruel Practice of Some Cyclists.

NATIONAL LEAGUE SCORES-WEDNESDAY.

At Brooklyn—
Boston..... 10 12 3
Brooklyn..... 6 7 2
Batteries—Stivetta and Gangel; Gumbert and Grim. Umpire—McDonald.

At New York—
New York..... 4 10 2
Baltimore..... 5 11 3
Batteries—Rusie and Farrell; Hemming, Esper and Robinson. Umpires—Emmie and Tuttle. Ten innings.

At Washington—
Washington..... 11 12 1
Philadelphia..... 10 15 3
Batteries—Maul and McGure; Lampe and Clements. Umpire—Reidher.

At Cleveland—
Cleveland..... 4 8 5
Pittsburgh..... 5 8 5
Batteries—Jordan and Sugden; Cuddy and Zimmer. Umpire—Jovan.

At Louisville—
Louisville..... 15 18 0
Cincinnati..... 6 8 6
Batteries—Phillips and Murphy; Inks and Warner. Umpire—McDonald.

EASTERN LEAGUE SCORES-WEDNESDAY.

TORONTO VS. BUFFALO.
Buffalo, July 3.—The Bisons put up a poor game of ball today. Vickery was away off, and was released at the end of the fifth inning. Pitcher Kilroy, formerly with Allentown, a brother of Matt Kilroy, was signed. Attendance, 1,100.

At Buffalo—
Buffalo..... 2 9 4
Batteries—Payne and Lake; Vickery, Wadsworth and Downs. Umpire—Hurst.

At Springfield—
Springfield..... 12 14 3
Providence..... 3 6 4
Batteries—Coughlin and Ganson; Hodson and McAulay. Umpire—Gaffney.

EASTERN LEAGUE RECORD.

Team	W.	L.	Per. Cent.
Springfield	35	17	.674
Providence	30	22	.577
Worcester	28	24	.538
Buffalo	25	27	.481
Syracuse	24	28	.463
Rochester	24	28	.463
Albany	23	29	.442
Toronto	17	35	.326

THE TURF.

LAST DAY AT HAMILTON.
Hamilton, July 3.—The fourth and last day of the Hamilton Trotting Association's annual meeting was not well attended, and only three races took place. Summary:

2:15 pace, purse \$500.
N. B. Wade's, Edinburgh, Ind., Johnny B. b. g..... 1 6 1 1
R. C. Stinson's, Hamilton, Sir Harry Wilkes, b. s..... 2 1 4 5
A. W. Gordon's, Findlay, Ohio, Maggie J. b. m..... 4 2 2 2
Thos. Crooks', Hamilton, Gertrude B. b. m..... 2 3 4 4
Time, 2:14 1-2, 2:15 1-4, 2:15 1-2 1-2.

2:32 trot, purse \$500.
C. Shelton's, Windsor, Bob Rysdyk, b. g..... 2 1 1 1
W. J. Anderson's, Hamilton, St. George, b. g..... 1 4 4 4
Blue Ribbon Stable's, Toronto, Reno McGregor, ch. s..... 5 2 2 2
John Conlon's, Thorold, Alicia C. ch. m..... 3 3 3 3
Time, 2:32 1-4, 2:33 1-4, 2:33 1-2.

Match race, purse \$200.
F. A. Upson's, Rochester, N. Y., Vitoello, b. s..... 1 1 1 1
R. C. Stinson's, Hamilton, Geneva, b. s..... 2 2 2 2
Time, 2:12 1-4, 2:13 1-4, 2:13 1-2.

FANCY HORSE FLESH.
Sheephead Bay, July 3.—The sale of thoroughbred yearlings from the Belle Meade stud was begun here today. The stud was owned by Gen. Jackson and Richard Croker. A bay colt, 1894, by

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Enquirer-Bonny Meade, J. J., sold for \$1,150; Chestnut colt, 1894, by Iroquois-Carlotta, \$6,500; brown colt, 1894, by Clarendon-Mariposa, \$1,750; brown colt, 1894, by Iroquois-Banyan, \$2,500; chestnut colt, 1894, by Iroquois-Ouida, \$3,000; brown colt, 1894, by Iroquois-Gulde, \$1,450; brown colt, 1894, by Iroquois-Duchess, \$1,600; brown colt, 1894, by Enquirer-Brocade, \$1,000; chestnut colt, 1894, by Iroquois-Emmel, \$2,100; bay colt, 1894, by Great Tom-Majestic, \$1,550.

WON BY TWO INCHES.

Detroit, Mich., July 3.—The feature of today's races was the \$2,000 Russell House stakes. Maurice, who had already won the Campau stake and finished second in the International Derby, cantered past the wire an easy winner, making his winnings for this meeting \$3,700. The finish between Harry Lewis and Musselman was the sensational feature, Lewis winning under a whip and gait by less than two inches. Summary: Second race, 9-16 mile—Harry Lewis 1, Musselman 2, Subito 3. Time, 55 1-2.

ATELETICS.

Queen's Club, London, July 3.—The running broad jump was won by Mendelson, of Cambridge, who covered a distance of 12 inches. In throwing the hammer, G. B. Robertson, of Oxford, won, with 116 feet 7 inches. The three-mile run was won by F. S. Horan, of Cambridge, who thus scored the victory in the university. The time was 14:50 2-5.

THE WHEEL.

FOND HOPES.

Upon hearing that the City Council had resolved to buy the city engineer a bicycle a savage post in the London Bicycle Club wrote the following:

We're glad to hear the engineer is going to ride a bike.
We hope he'll learn to ride it soon.
We hope the sport he'll like.
We hope he'll get galvanic shocks.
We hope he'll shake his gentle bones.
We hope he'll puncture off his tire.
We hope he'll stick in mud and mire.
We hope he'll meet with many a crash.
We hope his wheel will go down smash.
We hope he will come down ker-thump.
We hope each bump will raise a lump.
We don't hope this just out of spite.
Against the man, for "He's All Right!"
We hope it, "cause we think when he falls, he'll take a tumble to himself.
And give us decent treats!

A FOOLISH AND CRUEL PRACTICE.

(From Cycling.)

Among the many foolish extremes to which parental fondness runs, none is more insensate than the carrying of infants on bicycles. So long as the machine holds up the bit of humanity is safe, being so fastened that it cannot fall off. But there is a nervous tension throughout, as may be clearly seen from the frightened and anxious look on the baby's face. The vibration, too, tells seriously on the immature nerves, while if there be a nip in the air, the motionless child is apt to become deadly cold. All this, however, is as nothing compared with the peril of an upset. Even the most experienced riders cannot assure themselves against "slipping" when the surface is slippery; all they can do is to save themselves by jumping off the machine before it lies on the ground. But the baby is bound to set the matter out to the bit-board, its too fond parent cannot protect it from smash, however he may try. It is much the same in collisions; the adult rider can do something to break his fall, or, with a heavy head, can roll off the way after coming to the ground. But the unhappy infant has to stand the racket in both cases. We fancy there would be a very limited number of children on the roads if the exigencies of the daytime rendered it compulsory for riders to be fastened to their seats. Perhaps it was that feeling that influenced the cyclist down in Yorkshire, who was seen to place his little lad standing on the foot rests, face to the front, with both hands clutching the handle bars behind. The lad was thus left at liberty to jump off, but had either of the foot rests slipped down, as often happens, a very ugly accident must have happened.

SIT UP STRAIGHT ON YOUR BIICYCLE.

There is absolutely no reason for stooping over the handles in either of the two ways so commonly seen—and there is no excuse for so doing—in ordinary road riding. It may be necessary for the "scorcher" when engaged in "scorching" to assume the one or the other of these attitudes—to sprawl with the body straight, but almost horizontal, and the head close to the handle bar; or to bend the upper part of the back, as if trying to bring the middle and throw the shoulders forward, as if desiring to make them meet across his breast. Even so—one who is not "scorching" does not need to make himself a hideous object to look at, and also to reduce the benefits of wheeling to a minimum, so far as its effect on the chest capacity is concerned.—J. W. Roosevelt, M.D., in Scribner's Magazine.

SPOKES.

Harley Davidson, W. McIntosh, A. McLeod, F. W. Young, Sam Gibbons and R. B. Holden are the Canadian entries for today's (Thursday) bicycle event in Buffalo.

CRICKET.

BYES.
Parkdale Club, of Toronto, vs. Clinton, at Clinton, on Wednesday: Parkdale, 118 runs in one inning; Clinton, first inning, 61, second inning, 31. Hall, McDonald, of Clinton, scored 24. Rev. Mr. Terry's bowling with Parkdale was very effective.

DARING ESCAPE.

Prisoners Held Up New York Jailers and Took Their Freedom.
New York, July 4.—The three Springfield postoffice thieves, Joseph Killoran, Charles Allen and Harry Russell escaped this morning from Ludlow street jail. The three men entered the office of Keeper Schmeer at the same time. Russell leveled a revolver at the head of Schoen, who was also in the office, and the two others threatened to kill them if a single outcry was made, and by this means got out free.

Steamship Arrivals.

July 3.	At	From
Spaarnma	Rotterdam	New York
Servic	Liverpool	New York

SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS CAREER.

Mr. W. J. Element, dealer in builders' supplies, through rapid increase in business, has found it necessary to secure more commodious quarters, and has removed to 78 King street. The stand recently occupied by the late Mr. Archie Duffon as a livery. Mr. Element is a thorough business man. Four years ago he started, dealing solely in supplies, including limes, cement, plaster, paris, plaster hair, sewer pipe and brick and fire clay. By strict attention to these lines he has received the confidence of all the leading builders of the city and county, and has also procured an extensive trade with the farmers in almost every township of Middlesex. Mr. Element is one of London's best known citizens; he believes in fair and upright dealing and promptness in filling orders. Builders who have not already patronized Mr. Element should do so at the next opportunity.

Patriotism Called For.

President Cleveland's Letter to the New York Holiday Makers.

He Warns His Countrymen Against Reckless Selfishness and Incidents Appeals to Popular Passion.

New York, July 4.—The Fourth of July was celebrated today by the Tammany Society. Among the speakers were ex-Gov. James E. Campbell of Ohio, and ex-Gov. Waller of Connecticut. Letters of regret from President Cleveland, Senator Hill and others were read. President Cleveland's letter is as follows:

"Dear Sir, I regret that I cannot accept the invitation I have received from the Tammany Society to participate in its celebration of the 11th anniversary of American Independence. The patriotism and devotion of those who fought for our liberty and established our free government ought always to be held in grateful remembrance, and neither lapse of years nor changed conditions should ever detract from the zest and enthusiasm of their commemoration. The thought must not escape us, however, that every anniversary of American independence reminds us of the stern sacrifices of the fathers of the Republic, and which on such occasions we find abundant cause for rejoicing in the splendor of the achievements we should not fail to be seriously impressed by a proper apprehension of the duties and responsibilities we have inherited as their successors and legatees. It was their lot to endure the rigors and hardships of a discouraging war in order that a government by the people might be established. We cannot, without wicked recency, disregard the lessons taught by their sufferings, nor can we without disgrace neglect the duty of preserving and maintaining in their integrity and strength the free institutions born of their heroism. Their work was done through privation and in the midst of our danger. Our duty can be well performed if we are simply honest, intelligent and patriotic. They found their danger on battlefields and in the uncertain issue of an armed contest. Our danger is in the reckless selfishness and in insidious appeals to popular passion in thoughtlessness. Nothing but the same patriotic steadfastness and adherence to principle which led to their success, will now shield our Government from disaster and preserve our national glory and prosperity. I earnestly hope that the celebration contemplated by your organization will stimulate the noblest deeds in the political field, and amid present perplexities to teach by example and declaration the policy of adherence to the safety of reliance on the honor and patriotism of our countrymen when impending danger rouses them to activity. Yours very truly," "GROVER CLEVELAND."

Late Canadian News.

A Brick Worth \$13,518 - Editoria Changes in Toronto.

Mr. Jones, M.P., contradicts the report that he does not intend to run in Gaspé at the next election.

It is currently rumored that several superannuations are on the tapis in the department of the Secretary of State.

Prorogation of the Newfoundland Legislature takes place this afternoon.

The Scottish-born, who was sojourning for some weeks at Caledonia Springs, is home. His health has been fully restored.

Eugene Lalonde, a young shoemaker, of Hull, got six months in jail with a \$100 fine for committing an indecent assault on a 12-year-old girl.

Rev. A. W. Richardson, pastor of the Bradford Congregational Church, has accepted a call from the First Congregational Church in Kingston.

A Montreal dispatch says that 165 men and women, workmen, employed by the C. P. & O., have gone out on strike owing to a reduction in wages.

Hart's Isle, opposite Alexandria Bay, N. Y., has been sold to Mr. Geo. C. Boldt and Mr. F. W. McCormick, New York, for \$20,000. It is five acres in extent.

Three men, part of the crew of the schooner Arctic, of St. John's, Nfld., were drowned on Tuesday by the overturning of an iceberg which capsized their boat.

Jos. Bell, a guard at the county jail, Toronto, committed suicide on Wednesday by hanging. He had been drinking heavily. He leaves a widow and eleven children.

A gold brick weighing 50 pounds and valued at \$13,518, arrived at Ottawa on Wednesday by the Ontario Hydrographic Mining Company's mine at Cariboo, B. C., today, consigned to the Bank of Montreal.

Mr. J. C. Walsh has resigned the editorship of the Catholic Register, and will, it is understood, issue a magazine in the name of the Register by P. F. Cronin, late city editor of the Toronto Empire.

Mrs. Kennedy, who lived on a farm in the north portion of Hope township, Durham, was fatally injured on Tuesday night in a runaway accident, dying two hours after having been thrown out of her rig.

Major-General Herbert has arrived at Ottawa from England. It is understood that he has virtually resigned his position as commander of the Canadian militia, and returns to Canada simply to settle up the affairs of his department before finally relinquishing control.

Florence Anderson, of 135 Sandwich street, Windsor, has been reported to the Detroit police as missing. She is 15 years old, of medium build, and has light hair. Her father says he gave her \$30 to pay a bill yesterday and he has not seen her since.

While John Fitzgerald, a Hamilton painter, was at work on a Grand avenue house Wednesday afternoon the scaffold broke, and he fell 25 feet to the ground. One leg was broken and he was dangerously injured internally. His recovery is doubtful.

Fears are expressed at Hamilton that the bay is drying up.

The C. P. R. land department sold \$30,000 worth of land in June.

A Winnipeg dispatch says that Mr. John Hallam, of Toronto, has purchased nearly the entire wool crop of the Northwest ranches.

Ald. M. F. Nolan will likely be the Liberal candidate for the Montreal Center vacant seat in the Quebec Legislature.

It is reported that Lieut.-Col. Pennington Macpherson, of the Public Works Department, Ottawa, is to be superannuated.

At Peterboro, Mrs. Margaret O'Brien, aged 73, committed suicide by taking Paris green. Brooding over past trouble the cause.

S. C. Burnett's store, Coteau Landing, Que., was broken into last (Wednesday)

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FINE WEATHER TO-DAY.

KEEP COOL.

To keep cool is the aim and object of one and all of us these days, and although there are quite a variety of ways in which we endeavor to accomplish this result, yet the wearing of suitable clothing—clothing conducive to comfort—is by all odds the most efficient method yet discovered. Just here is where our splendid reputation comes in. Our lines of Duck Suits always were the best in town and this season is no exception. It has, in fact, thus far surpassed all previous records. The following items show the value basis upon which we have built up our well deserved reputation:

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night. The safe was blown open, but there was nothing in it. The burglars did not touch the stock. Burnett is next door to Mr. Stevens, who was shot some days ago.

ROSEBERRY TO THE SCOTCH LIBERALS.

London, July 4.—Lord Rosebery has written a letter to the secretary of the Midlothian Liberal Association, in which he says: "The late Government was overthrown by a vote of censure, which was petty, but fatal. It is for Scotland, Ireland, Wales and the North of England to consider whether they will allow their interests to be in permanent subjection to a hereditary and irresponsible chamber. With the echoes of Mr. Gladstone's eloquent and venerable voice still ringing throughout Scotland, I cannot doubt their response."

DESTROYED BY LIGHTNING.

London, July 4.—A dispatch to the Standard from Berlin says that after four days of excessive heat, severe thunderstorms have occurred in various parts of Germany. Numerous reports have been received from Silesia and the Rhine districts of fatalities and burnings of barns and farm produce by lightning. During the drought the fires were exceedingly destructive. Half of the village of Oberkall, near Treves, was destroyed. The lower parts of Vienna are flooded. The storm has destroyed the entire vine crop about the Vennsee of Simmering, Grinzing and Nussdorf.

THE "ADVENTISTS" IN COURT.

A case of great interest to the Seventh Day Adventists has just been settled at Chatham. On June 10, Robert Watt, Seltont, Kent county, was given a hearing on a charge of breaking the Lord's day, by hauling rails on Sunday. The defense did not deny that the rails had been drawn on that day, but set up the plea that Sunday was not the Lord's day. Mr. Watt, who is an Adventist, observes Saturday instead of Sunday as the Sabbath and claimed that he was going according to Scripture. The crown refused to look at the religious part of the argument, but dealt only with part of the defense that the law does not apply to farmers. After reserving judgment for nearly a month the magistrate, acting on the advice of the crown attorney, dismissed the case. As there is a church of 42 members of the Adventists in the county, the decision practically allows them all to work their farms on Sunday.

Coal-Wood.

Messrs. Bowman & Co. beg to inform their customers and the public that they have appointed Frank B. Clarke, 416 Richmond, as their agent. He will endeavor to take orders for coal and wood. Best beech and maple blocks, \$4 50; half cord, \$2 25; quarter cord, \$1 15. Mr. Clarke will also continue the depot and exchange business at the old stand.

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RAILWAY TIME TABLES

GRAND TRUNK—Southern Division
Summer Time Table.
CORRECTED JUNE 9, 1895.

MAIN LINE—Going East.

Train	ARRIVE	DEPART
Lehigh Express (S)	4:02 a.m.	4:07 a.m.
Wabash Express (S)	4:15 a.m.	4:20 a.m.
Atlantic Express (A)	12:17 p.m.	12:30 p.m.
Day Express	10:45 a.m.	2:45 p.m.
Wabash Express (A)	4:25 p.m.	4:30 p.m.
Mixed (S)	6:45 p.m.	7:20 p.m.
Detroit Express	11:20 p.m.	

MAIN LINE—Going West.

Train	ARRIVE	DEPART
Chicago Express (A)	2:23 a.m.	7:05 a.m.
Lehigh Express	10:55 a.m.	11:20 a.m.
Atlantic Express (S)	11:20 a.m.	2:25 p.m.
Day Express (A)	6:50 p.m.	7:09 p.m.
Mixed (S)	6:50 p.m.	7:20 p.m.

Sarnia Branch.

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London, Huron and Bruce.

Train	ARRIVE	DEPART
Express	8:45 a.m.	8:55 a.m.
Mail	6:25 p.m.	6:30 p.m.

St. Marys and Stratford Branch.

Train	ARRIVE	DEPART
Mixed-Mail	10:10 a.m.	7:25 a.m.
Express	5:45 p.m.	5:50 p.m.
Express-Mixed	9:15 p.m.	6:30 p.m.

Toronto Branch.

Train	ARRIVE	DEPART
Hamilton-Depart	7:00 a.m.	7:10 a.m.
Hamilton-Arrive	11:20 a.m.	11:30 a.m.
Express	1:20 p.m.	1:30 p.m.
Express	3:20 p.m.	3:30 p.m.
Express	5:20 p.m.	5:30 p.m.
Express	7:20 p.m.	7:30 p.m.

These trains for Montreal.

These trains from Montreal.
(A) Runs daily, Sundays included.
(B) Runs daily, Sundays included, but makes no intermediate stops on Sundays.
(C) Carries passengers between London and Paris only.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Going East.

Train	ARRIVE	DEPART
London	4:15 a.m.	4:20 a.m.
Woodstock	5:05 a.m.	5:10 a.m.
Galt	6:00 a.m.	6:05 a.m.
Guelph	8:40 a.m.	8:45 a.m.
Toronto	8:15 a.m.	8:20 a.m.
Peterboro	11:25 a.m.	11:30 a.m.
Kingston	4:40 a.m.	4:45 a.m.
Ottawa	5:20 a.m.	5:25 a.m.
Montreal	7:25 a.m.	7:30 a.m.

Going West.

Boston.....	8:30
Halifax.....	11:25
Trains arrive from the east at 11:30	
p.m., 11:30 p.m.	
Going West.	
DEPART—	a.m.
London.....	11:25
ARRIVE—	p.m.
Chatham.....	1:15

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3rd—28 inch Fine Drillette Prints, regular price 8c, on Saturday 6c per yard.

4th—32 inch Crum's Best English Prints, 169 pieces to choose from, worth 12½c, on Saturday 8c per yard.

5th—Remnants of Dress Goods, Silks, Prints, Challies, Flannels, etc., all a quarter off marked price on Saturday.

6th—10 Cases of Men's and Boys' Fine Straw Hats, high and low crowns, white, black and colored bands, with or without hat guards, in light and dark straw, all worth \$1, \$1 25 and \$1 50, your choice on Saturday for 50c.

7th—Children's Straw Sailors, worth 35c, on Saturday 25c.

8th—Girls' and Boys' Fine Blue Yatching Caps only 20c on Saturday.

9th—Ladies' White and Cream Parasols, with stripe, 50c on Saturday.

10th—Regular \$3 White Silk Parasols, with frill, on Saturday \$1 75.

11th—Ladies' Black Parasols on Saturday 25c.

12th—Ladies' Lisle Mitts, in all shades, on Saturday 10c per pair.

13th—Ladies' Silk Mitts, in all shades, worth 35c, on Saturday 25c per pair.

14th—Ladies' and Children's Fast Black Stockings, on Saturday 10c per pair.

15th—Ladies' Fast Black Lisle Stockings, double heel and toe, on Saturday 25c per pair.

16th—Special line of Corset Covers, 12½c.

17th—Special line of Ladies' Drawers, 23c.

18th—Chemises, trimmed with lace, on Saturday 23c.

19th—Any Oiled Linen Roller Blind in the house, mounted on patent roller, and complete with nickel pull, either plain or dadoed, with or without fringe, and selling at 50c, 60c, 65c, 75c and 85c, your choice on Saturday only 50c.

20th—Your choice of any of our regular 65c and 75c Tapestries, Wool Carpets and Ingrains, on Saturday 50c per yard.

21st—English Linoleum, new patterns, on Saturday 32½c per square yard.

22nd—Men's Fine Cashmere Vests for \$1.

23rd—Men's Fine Black and Grey Lustre Coats, worth \$2 50, on Saturday \$1 50.

24th—Boys' Fine Blue Serge Summer Suits, worth \$2, on Saturday \$1 25.

25th—Boys' and Children's two-piece Tweed Suits, on Saturday 75c.

26th—Ladies' Laundered Chemisettes, in pink, bluette and white, worth 50c, on Saturday 23c.

27th—Boys' Bathing Trunks, Saturday 10c.

28th—Boys' and Men's Cream Sweaters, on Saturday for 50c.

29th—A fine line of Men's Undershirts and Drawers, on Saturday 20c.

30th—Folding Fans, in red, black and tan, on Saturday 10c each.

31st—Fine White Split Wood Picnic Baskets, with covers, at 10c, 14c, 17c and 20c.

32nd—Mara's "Special Laundry Soap," the best Laundry Soap made, only 3c per bar.

33rd—15 Bars Best Electric Soap on Saturday for 25c.

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