





## SCOTTISH SPORTS

The Caledonian Games at Dutton Passed Off Well.

A Good Attendance—List of the Contestants and Prize-Winners.

Dutton, Aug. 24.—Yesterday morning broke unusually fine and warm and there was every expectation for a large gathering. However, the attendance was not as large as in former years. The games themselves were quite as good, if indeed, they did not excel former years. There were the usual number of fairs, but these were not allowed within the limits of the park, and had to content themselves with such gullies as they could find on the street.

About 10 o'clock the procession started for the Caledonian Park, and the people began to follow. The games then commenced, and were under the able management of Mr. McKinnon, formerly chief of police of Hamilton. Many competitors stepped into the ring, among them being some of the best athletes and Scotch dancers in America. There were Perry, O'Neill, Currie, Scott and many other champion athletes, and among the contestants for honors in dancing was Johnson, Matheson, Templeton and Riddell.

The best part of the programme was the exhibition of bayonet vs. bayonet and sword vs. bayonet by Sgt. Williams and Champion Stewart. Both of these men showed great skill and science in the way they handled their weapons.

In the evening, again, when the crowd had returned from the grounds, the fairs again set to playing their nefarious trades, but the young men beginning to see the folly of amusements with these men, and so their success was but indifferent.

A tight-rope walker had a wire stretched across the street, and drew quite a number about him.

A concert was held in the evening, when Miss Agnes Forbes, of Toronto, Miss Williams, of St. John's, and a number of local talent took part. It was a pronounced success.

The only detriment to the success of the games was the very warm weather.

The following is a list of those who were successful competitors in the events disposed of:

Putting 21-pound stone—1, G. Perry, 25 feet 9 inches; 2, W. Scott, 24 feet 5 1/2 inches.

Throwing 16-pound hammer—1, G. Perry, 102 feet 6 inches; 2, G. Stewart, 99 feet 9 inches; 3, W. Scott, 92 feet 9 inches.

Putting 14-pound stone—1, W. Scott, 44 feet 6 inches; 2, G. Perry, 43 feet 10 inches; 3, G. Stewart, 43 feet 9 inches.

Throwing 12-pound hammer—1, G. Perry, 124 feet 6 inches; 2, G. Stewart, 119 feet 7 inches; 3, W. Scott, 119 feet 8 inches.

Tossing the caber—1, W. Scott, 38 feet 6 inches; 2, G. Perry, 37 feet 10 inches; 3, G. Stewart, 36 feet 9 inches.

Throwing 36-pound weight, high—1, G. Perry, 25 feet 6 inches; W. Scott, 24 feet 5 inches; 3, G. Stewart, 19 feet 4 inches.

Running hop, step and jump—1, J. Watson, 47 feet 3 1/2 inches; 2, J. O'Neill, 44 feet 6 1/2 inches; 3, G. Appleford, 42 feet 1 inch.

Running high jump—1 and 2, divided, J. O'Neill and J. P. Watson; 3, G. Appleford.

Running long jump—1, J. P. Watson, 30 feet 8 inches; 2, J. O'Neill, 19 feet 11 inches; 3, G. Appleford, 18 feet 1 inch.

Vaulting with pole—1, J. P. Watson, 9 feet 9 inches; 2, J. O'Neill, 9 feet 9 inches.

220 yards race—1, J. P. Watson; 2, Hurdle race—1, J. P. Watson; 2, G. Appleford; 3, A. W. Mahler.

Set of full-sized bagpipes—F. Beaton.

Highland fling, men—1, W. Johnson; 2, F. Riddle; 3, W. Templeton.

Sword dance, men—1, G. Matheson; 2, W. Johnson; 3, F. Riddle.

Best dressed Highlander—1, J. Matheson; 2, J. Gray; 3, F. Beaton.

Skaters' hornpipe, men—1, W. Johnson; 2, F. Riddle; 3, W. Templeton.

Marches, Highland bagpipes—1, J. Matheson; 2, F. Beaton; 3, W. Johnson.

Strathspeys and reels—1, F. Beaton; 2, J. Matheson; 3, W. Johnson.

Senn Trunkas, men—1, W. Johnson; 2, F. Riddle; 3, W. Templeton.

Reel o' Tulloch, men—1, F. Riddle; 2, W. Johnson; 3, W. Templeton.

Highland fling, boys and girls under 16—1, Flora McGregor; 2, K. Fletcher; 3, May McGregor.

Scottish dance, boys and girls under 16—1, Flora McGregor; 2, Tommy Campbell; 3, Mary Willey.

Scottish reel, boys and girls under 16—1, Flora McGregor; 2, K. Fletcher; 3, May McGregor.

Highland fling, boys and girls under 12—1, Tommy Campbell; 2, Mary Willey; 3, G. Armstrong.

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The sword and bayonet exhibition given by Sgt. Williams and Champion Stewart, of the Forty-eighth Highlanders, was won by the former by one point.

NEW TRIPLE ALLIANCE.

London, Aug. 25.—The Madrid correspondent of the Times says: One paper declares boldly, on the authority of an anonymous French diplomatist, that owing to M. Hanotaux's exertions a treaty of alliance has been signed.

by Spain, France and Russia, with the object of counteracting Anglo-German influence in Morocco. Other papers comment on the matter, but without affirming that the treaty has been actually signed.

The idea of a rapprochement between France and Spain is certainly in the air, and may in time assume considerable practical importance. It had its origin in France's role in the peace negotiations, and reports of friction with England over Spain's military activity in the neighborhood of Gibraltar.

## ACCIDENTAL

Dr. Church Testifies Concerning the Death of Leonce Boyer—Louis Riopelle Discharged From Custody.

Ottawa, Aug. 25.—The defense of Andre and Louis Riopelle against the charge of murdering Leonce Boyer on the Barclay road was begun at the preliminary inquiry. The evidence given was important, because it was the testimony of the medical man who examined the body when it was found. The evidence of Dr. John R. Church, of Asylmer, conflicts directly with that of the other physicians. In the course of his evidence Dr. Church swore positively that his examination of Boyer's body revealed no evidence other than that the death was accidental.

Yesterday Louis Riopelle, the elder of the two brothers, was discharged. Recorder Champagne, in discharging him, said it was much to be regretted that the accused had been kept in custody for two weeks under the ban of such a grave accusation as that of murder, when there was a total absence of any damaging evidence against him. The question as to the guilt of Andre Riopelle will be argued today.

## CROOKED WAYS

How Orientalists Swindled the Dominion Government Out of \$160,000.

Vancouver, Aug. 25.—Chinese and Japanese have been defrauding the Canadian Government at Vancouver by false invoices for six years past. The aggregate amount is probably \$160,000. This amount was made by Canadian Customs Collector McMichael, who has just finished a special course of instruction at his post. As a result Deputy Collector Warman has been placed temporarily in charge of the port.

As there was no regular system of appraising goods, the Mongolians easily deceived the customs officers. Exporters in China sent two sets of invoices, one for the merchant's own use, and one for the use at the customs. The latter invoice was invariably "cooked," goods being in many instances grossly underrated. In one case an overcoat was invoiced at 30 cents, which sold here for \$7, and in China for \$4. For the same period, Mr. McMichael says, not a single trifling charge can be brought against Canadian merchants for undervaluation.

## AT RIDGEWAY

Five Men Injured by a Dynamite Explosion.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 25.—The explosion of a dynamite cartridge in a quarry at Ridgeway, Ont., yesterday caused the injury of five men. But only one of them was seriously hurt. The man was H. Minor. He is now at the Fitch hospital in this city, suffering from a fractured skull.

The five men made up one gang which worked with picks and shovels digging the earth off the top of the rock beds. Minor was handling the pick. The point of the dynamite cartridge, which had been dropped by a workman, and a terrible explosion followed. Minor was blown about 20 feet. Two other workmen were knocked down, and the remaining two were injured by flying rocks. All the workmen but Minor were able to care for themselves. Minor was unconscious for two hours. He was sent across the river and taken to the Fitch hospital. The surgeons found that a rock had chipped a piece out of his skull. Splinters of rock struck him in the arms and breast and cut many gashes.

## FOR MISSIONS

Dr. Simpson's Great Collection at Old Orchard Realized \$80,000.

Old Orchard, Me., Aug. 25.—The annual Christian Alliance camp meeting, just closed, was one of the most successful of recent years. Rev. Dr. A. B. Simpson reported \$80,000 raised for missionary purposes on the last day. About \$6,000 will be used to begin a large mission work in Cuba. About 50 young men and women volunteered as foreign missionaries during the meetings. The Alliance has begun operations in Tibet, hitherto closed to mission effort.

A rumor has reached Saratoga, N. Y., to the effect that C. P. Huntington, the railway magnate, has been shot at his camp, known as Pine Knot, on Raquette Lake, Adirondacks, but the rumor has not been verified.

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## RHEUMATISM

## WESTERN ONTARIO

Clearville farmers are busily engaged preparing their ground for seeding.

Seven loads of gypsies are camping near Mr. Thomas Barret's place, near Puslinch.

Mr. Charles Freeman, Syncoe, has been removed to the Sarnia Bank of Commerce.

The barns of Louis Wigle, of Leamington, were destroyed by fire, causing a loss of \$1,300.

Mrs. Elizabeth Walter, an old resident of St. Thomas, died on Wednesday, aged 83 years.

Boat-pulling has begun in and around Eagle, and various machines are used, including the Armstrong, the cultivator, and the modern beauty.

Roy Murray has quit cheese-making at Inwood and is spending a few days at his home in Gladstone, before returning to Inwood to learn telegraph operating.

Mr. Middaugh, a prominent farmer and public man of Windham township, and an elder in the Baptist Church, died this week after a brief illness.

A barn belonging to Samuel Walmsley, about four miles from Wexford, was burned, and so were Cleary Porter's barns, etc., at Rockford. Losses not stated.

At the inquest over the death of John Key, who was killed by being run over by an ice wagon at Point Edward, the jury brought in a verdict of accidental death.

Counterfeit money is circulating in and near Windsor. Several 50-cent pieces, Newfoundland, dated 1881, and 10-cent pieces of the same place and date have been detected.

A. C. Ross, of West Flamboro, has just threshed 45 bushels of wheat off thirteen acres of land. He had five acres of another sort, which yielded 40 bushels per acre, and a quarter of an acre of still another variety, which yielded at the rate of 50 bushels per acre.

Mark Rogers was arrested at Petrolia on Wednesday for biting part of Alex. Robertson's chin, taking the piece clean out. Dr. Mulligan dressed the wound, but could not stitch it. The men were removing a drilling rig from Sarnia township when the dispute occurred.

Mrs. Campbell, Crocker avenue, St. Thomas, met with a very serious accident on Tuesday night. She had lain down on the floor and fell asleep. After a while she awoke and got up, intending to go to bed, but fell downstairs and fractured her right arm near the wrist and severely bruised her head. She was removed to the hospital.

## THE RAILWAYS

The recent railroad deal by which the Huron and Erie Road was sold to the L. E. and D. R. B. will cause a great saving of time and money to shippers. The H. and E. line, which is 74 miles long, runs from Sarnia and Chatham to Erieham and connects with the Rondeau. It is understood that the buying price was \$100,000 per mile, including all rolling and other stock. By the purchase the L. E. and D. R. Road will have connection with the Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific at Chatham. This will afford good shipping basis with the Beatty line of steamers at Sarnia as well as at Chatham. Instead of dragging freight from Erieham and Ridgeway to Windsor, the road can now haul it over the new road direct to Chatham, without the long roundabout course to Windsor, which has meant an extra distance of 84 miles.

Plans have been completed by Mr. B. A. Waite for the new office of the U. S. R. at Montreal, which will be the largest suite of railway offices in the world. They will fill an area of 2,000,000 cubic feet, or 600,000 cubic feet larger than the Philadelphia and Reading offices at Philadelphia. The present largest building of its kind in the world. The building will be five stories high, and the front will be of the style known as Neo-Grec. The building is to be completed this autumn. It will be finished in January 1909. Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson and General Manager Hays will meet Mr. Waite and finally decide the stone, etc. Then Sir Charles will sail for England. Chatham Planet: E. Drake, the popular and skillful assistant secretary of the Erie and Huron railroad, on Saturday received word from the new directorate of the E. and H. and L. E. and D. R. B. to report at the head office in Walkerville today. Mr. Drake will enter the office of Superintendent Woollatt there and continue his present duties for the new road. In the removal of Mr. Drake the Maple City sustains a distinct loss.

## QUESTIONS ANSWERED.

TENANT.—A man has a chattel mortgage on his horses, wagons and cows before he rents a farm. Can his landlord seize them for rent if he does not raise enough on the place to pay the rent? **ANS.**—Yes.

SOUTH LONDON.—At last Saturday's ball game with Chatham A bet B that London would win, and Chatham forfeited the game. Are the bets declared off? **ANS.**—No: A won the bet that London would win.

BIYCLE.—Is my wheel exempt from seizure to obtain a foot or implement used in my occupation? I use it daily in going to and from my work. **ANS.**—No: It has to be declared that it is used by an architect in his professional work is not exempt.

THEFT.—Are goods belonging to a party in debt liable to seizure by creditors, if he remains in one county in Ontario to another, the said goods being otherwise exempt from seizure? **ANS.**—If he has to secure one county they are still liable in any other county, but if exempt from seizure they are not liable because removed.

ARKONA.—A lets a farm to B on shares, B to have one-half the hay and two-thirds at everything else. B has

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KENSINGTON.—If an accident occurs from a hitching-post within ten feet of the street car track and eight feet from the sidewalk, who is liable for the damage? **ANS.**—The corporation is liable for all accidents caused by the negligent condition of the street to the party suffering therefrom, and this person who placed the hitching-post there may also be liable.

TEESWATER.—I have opened a ditch to the line between my neighbor and myself. Am I obliged to put in a pipe large enough to drain his farm if ever he digs into my ditch, as I have notified him to lay a pipe while my ditch is open? **ANS.**—Not upon the facts stated, or unless ordered to do so by an award of the engineer, under the ditches and watercourses act.

WESTMINSTER.—What is the nature of an assignment, and what will the law allow a man and his family to do? **ANS.**—An assignment for the benefit of creditors transfers to the assignee all the estate of the debtor liable to execution for his debts. The debtor therefore retains all the goods which are exempt from execution, a list of which has been frequently published, and includes the absolutely necessary household furniture and wearing apparel of the debtor and his family.

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TWO DROWNED.

Ottawa, Aug. 25.—The 9-year-old son of Peter Coy, of Gathens Point, lost his life yesterday morning by being drowned in the Ottawa River. The lad, with several other boys, was playing about Hardy's boat house when he fell in.

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 25.—Henry Almon Ancient, son of Rev. W. J. Ancient, was drowned while bathing at Green Banks, near here, yesterday morning. The unfortunate young man was 26 years of age, and on the eve of taking a position on the teaching staff of the collegiate school at Windsor, N. S.

W. M. Sewall, a well-to-do merchant of Russell, shot and killed his wife, his 10-year-old daughter and himself last night. Financial trouble was the cause.

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## The End of the Session.

The Legislature finished its session last evening. The Opposition made a final assault on the Government position, but, finding it as impregnable as ever, withdrew its forces from the field. The Government carried out its programme with the solid enthusiastic support of the Liberal members and the approbation of all right-thinking people.

Of the two important measures—the Fisheries Bill and the Constables Bill—the former in its main principle met with no opposition. The supreme importance of conserving the inland fisheries of the province was acknowledged by both parties, and the Government may be relied on to devise the proper machinery for enforcing the law.

The Constables' Bill was the real bone of contention. The Opposition tried to obscure the issue by vehement and long-winded tirades against retroactive legislation, and by generalizations more or less remote, but the simple point of the whole question was, "Had the constables the right to vote?" The Opposition dared not give a direct answer. Mr. Whitney disclaimed any intention of attacking that right, but confessed himself willing to see it canceled by a legal technicality. He showed a great regard for law, but none for equity. The Government's attitude has been not only just but generous. It refers the whole matter to the Court of Appeal, whose decision is to be final. In the event of constables being deprived of the franchise, which is extremely unlikely, the seats affected by the judgment are to be vacated.

The session has developed promising talent on both sides, though both suffered by the loss of able lieutenants in the late campaign. We do not think Mr. Whitney has gained prestige. His chagrin was too apparent. As Mr. Ross said, he indulged in some argument, but in more invective and recrimination. His indignation, like his logic, was more artificial than real, but it was necessary to make an appearance for the bye-elections. With gentlemen like Mr. Carscallen at the bellows, the Opposition certainly worked up a good deal of flame with very little fuel, but it did not scorch the Government, which is evidently solid for the next four years.

## Toronto's Sewage Defects.

Toronto has a sewage problem confronting it. Says the Toronto News: "We pour daily into the lake 15,000,000 gallons of sewage, containing 1,500 tons of solids. Of these 15,000,000 gallons, the bay receives by far the largest portion, and in consequence is every year assuming more and more the character of a cesspool. Danger too, of another kind threatens us. Navigation, owing to the vast deposit of sewage, is becoming impeded, and will soon be impossible. Large areas are now useless where three-masters could once ride at anchor."

Judging from this the conditions are far worse in Toronto than in London. The sewage here empties into a flowing stream, which is a purifying agent, although Chatham isn't scientific enough to see it. Toronto's sewage runs into a stagnant pond, charitably called a bay, right at the city's front door. The News recommends that a commission be appointed to consider the question of sewage disposal.

Montreal civic rulers are thinking of establishing a sewage farm, and have just appointed a delegation to go to Massachusetts to inspect the disposal of sewage by land filtration, which has been successfully carried out there for a number of years. This is a similar method to that at the London Asylum for the Insane, which the expert engineers have recommended for the city of London.

Since the question here has been allowed over until next year, it will be well to watch the outcome in Montreal and also in Toronto, if the latter takes the matter up.

## Canada's New Industries.

Business in Canada promises to be good for a considerable time to come. Many new industries are springing up, and nearly all of the old established concerns are rushed to keep up with their orders, and some are working double shifts in order to meet the demands of their customers. The Montreal Journal of Commerce, in its latest issue, mentions the following among other indications of the progress that is being made in increasing the industrial capacity of the country:

J. R. Graham, fruit evaporator, Bellevue, commencing operations in Stratford.

The Bell Organ and Piano Company,

Guelph, expect to have the busiest fall they have had for many years. Large orders are under way, both for Great Britain and Canada, and other parts of the world. They expect this fall to turn out in the neighborhood of 500 organs and 125 pianos per month.

The Union Shoe and Leather Company, Winnipeg, tanners and shoe manufacturers, will add a large addition to their factory.

Toronto and Chicago capitalists will operate a meat packing industry near Toronto, to be known as the Canadian Meat Company.

Messrs. A. Knechtel, shoe dealer, of Stratford, and John Hoffman, Waterloo, are about to start an industry in the former place for the manufacture of "gaiter elastic" and a patent shoe lace fastener.

Berlin and Baden capitalists propose establishing a brush factory at the latter place.

Tuckett & Son, Hamilton, are building a new tobacco factory, to work up the Canadian-grown product solely, in Hamilton.

A condensed milk factory is to be started in Sussex, N. B.

That man Middleton seems to be equally facile as a railway or matrimonial contractor.

Japan's civilization continues to develop rapidly. Her new customs tariff is a moderate one, designed to raise revenue not monopolies.

The German army is to be increased by 22,500 men. France will now find it necessary, in the interests of peace, to add about 25,000 men to her own horde of non-producers.

The Quebec Conference has opened with a pean of praise from the British, American and Canadian press. Is it too much to hope the conference will finish with the same chorus?

Those who are afraid that Canadian interests will be sacrificed to imperial considerations by the Quebec Conference, should remember that Lord Herschell is not Lord Ashburton.

The Tammany aldermen of New York have thrown out the ordinance for the punishment of profanity on the streets. Doubtless they were acting from motives of self-preservation.

Lindsay has followed Belleville and Peterboro in abolishing the ward system. These are small places, but in respect of good municipal government they have larger ideas than have larger places.

Marvelous are the results that at times flow from investments in mining stock, and one does not wonder that so many people find excitement in trying their luck in that description of risk. But a few months past, Mr. Herbert Molyneux owned a share in the Rivas Diamond mine, South Africa. He offered it for \$500, but could find no takers. Today his figure is \$1,200,000. The De Beer's company have the mine under option for \$5,000,000, while exhaustive testing operations are in progress.

The loss that falls to a country which allows disease to assail its live stock is fittingly exemplified by the experience of Cape Colony with the rinderpest. The total number of cattle before the recent outbreak of the plague in that colony was 1,639,435, and of this number 575,864, or almost one-third of the whole, were lost through the disease. We in Canada are fortunate in that we have healthy herds, and what is of almost as great importance, a disposition on the part of our agriculturists to keep them healthy.

The American girl is winning triumphs abroad. The wife of Sir Herbert Naylor-Leland, the successful candidate in yesterday's election in England, is the former Miss Jessie Chamberlain, of Cleveland, Ohio, a noted beauty and heiress. She aided her husband in his campaign by a personal canvass. The Naylor-Landals are very ambitious, and keep one of the finest establishments in London. The election is a notable Liberal triumph. The British political pendulum is taking its regular swing to the side of the Opposition.

The Klondike sensation diverted attention from Rossland for a while, but Rossland bids fair to more than realize its early promise. The depression which always follows a boom, has passed away, and the mining business is being placed on a legitimate basis. Under proper development many of the mines are beginning to yield handsome dividends. The purchase of the Center Star for \$2,000,000 by the Gooderham-Blackstock syndicate is a precursor of great things. An influx of capital may be expected, and with cautious and intelligent operations at this stage, it looks as if Rossland would become one of the

greatest gold mining districts in the world. Canada's gold production, at the present rate of increase, will soon surpass that of the United States.

Jamaica's desire to secure the United States market for her sugar has led to an agitation for the annexation of the island to the republic. The British Indies have been hard hit by the competition of the bounty-fed sugar of Europe, and will enter further by the free admission of Hawaiian and Cuban sugar to the United States. Canada has done something to help her sister colonies by a tariff preference, and Great Britain is expected to do the rest. At any rate Jamaica will not be allowed to sever British connection. Mr. Chamberlain is not built that way.

Sir Robert Herbert presided at a recent meeting to the British Empire League, when the congratulations of the Council were ordered to be conveyed to Hon. Wm. Mulock, the Postmaster-General of Canada, on the successful part taken by him in the negotiations for the establishment of Imperial penny postage. In view of the strictures of the Toronto Mail and Empire, this action by a most influential British body is highly significant. It proves that there was absolutely no foundation for the foolish tirades that have been indulged in by our disappointed Toronto contemporaries.

The Spectator, in its capacity of mother hen, is cluckingly proud of its pretty political chick convert, usually alluded to by the Times rather irreverently, as "Cass," and by others as H. Carscallen, M.P.P., for one of the Hamiltons. The Spec goes so far as to place him on the same pinnacle as Stroud's Baseball Team. The Spec's enthusiasm reminds us of the good story about Dinny. Dinny had enlisted, and his mother went to see him drill. He wasn't very far up in the tactics, and was conspicuous for his awkwardness. But as his fond mother gazed at him she exclaimed: "Aw, wisha, look at him; ivory mother's son of him out of shtep but me boy Dinny!"

## WHAT OTHERS SAY.

## Uncle Sam's New Policy.

[Hamilton Times.]  
Uncle Samuel's new imperialistic policy will be both expensive and expensive.

## Cervera's Wish.

[Washington Star.]  
Admiral Cervera would like to make arrangements to take some of his popularity on this side of the water home with him.

## Ontario Holds the Key.

[Hamilton Times.]  
If our neighbors at the coming conference show a disposition to be liberal and play fair, the timber question may be disposed of, but if so, it will be by grace of Ontario. The resources and political rights of Ontario are not stated to be played for on the chessboard at the Quebec Conference. A Liberal Government is in power, and Liberals have a record for defending the rights of the provinces to control their own affairs.

## An Apt Comparison.

[Toronto Telegram.]  
The difference between Henniker Heaton and William Mulock is largely the difference between the discoverer of steam and the inventor of the steam engine.

Steam antedated James Watt by some few years, but the man who invented the way of utilizing steam for the accomplishment of certain purposes is held in honor. Without the action which William Mulock designed, the sayings of Henniker Heaton would have been as useless as steam without an engine. Mr. Heaton may have invented the idea, but the idea without Mr. Mulock's method of applying it would not have been productive of immediate results.

## LIGHT AND SHADE.

## Irresponsible.

'Arry (whose "Old Dutch" had been shopping and had kept him waiting a considerable time)—"Wot d'yer mean, 'keept' me standin' aboot 'ere like a bloomin' fool?"  
'Arry—"I can't 'elp the way yer stand, 'Arry—'Tut-Bis."

## Two Brothers.

O Jim he went to war,  
En John he staid 't' hum,  
En beat the kyparts fer his mar,  
While Jim he beat the drum.

En Jim he worked a gun bo'gh,  
En seen the Spaniards die;  
John helped his mother do the wash,  
En ca'med her when she'd cry.

Now Jim was in the very thick  
Of battle more'n once,  
While John he nussed their grandad,  
Sick,  
For eight long mortal months.

En Jim come home with shoulder-  
straps,  
When fightin' all was done,  
En all the girls they sot their caps  
To ketch this widder's son.

Well, Jim, he jined his Betty fair,  
But John, he's still 't' hum  
A-keerin' of his mother there—  
A hero, too, 'b'gum!

## —Perley Poore Sheehan.

## He Did.

"He may not put on quite as much style in his clothing as your young man does," snapped the girl in the pink shirt waist, "but he drives one of the handomest and costliest turnouts in this town."

"I know it," returned the girl in the

four-inch collar, "it's a pie wagon." And they continued to look hatpins at each other.—Chicago Tribune.

Vanished.  
She died; this was the way she died:  
And when her breath was done  
Took up her simple wardrobe,  
And started for the sun.  
Her little figure at the gate,  
The angels must have spied,  
Since I could not find her  
Upon the mortal side.  
—Emily Dickinson.

## STRUCK IT RICH

Michael and Mote Did Well in the Klondike Country.

## A Good Word for the Dominion Officials There.

Sydney, C. B., Aug. 25.—Michael McMillan, of Grand Mira, returned home direct from the Klondike Monday evening, having been away about two years. He is believed to have secured \$40,000. More Curry, also of Grand Mira, came out of the northern Eldorado the same time. He is expected home in a few days, his share exceeding \$50,000. Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 25.—P. Anderson, manager of the Klondike Commission Company, Hunter Creek, Yukon, who arrived here from Dawson, says the Dominion officials are all that can be desired. He daily denies reports that they are corrupt. Gold Commissioner Fawcett, he declares to be honest, upright and conscientious.

## POIRIER ON TRIAL

True Bill Rendered by Grand Jury—Great Interest in the Proceedings.

Carlisle, Que., Aug. 25.—The people of this district are taking great interest in the trial of young Theodore Poirier, aged 20, of St. Alexis de Metepedia, who is charged with the wilful and malicious murder of another young man of the same parish, Jerome Martin. Mr. Justice Caron, of Quebec, is presiding over the criminal assizes. A large number of people have come from a considerable distance to follow the proceedings. On April 8 last Theodore Poirier, of St. Alexis de Metepedia, county of Bonaventure, established and killed Jerome Martin about 10 o'clock at night. In a dispute between the two youths Martin struck Poirier, and in return Poirier stabbed him in the neck, severing an artery. Death was almost instantaneous. A true bill was rendered by the grand jury. The trial is in progress and will probably continue until Saturday. The prisoner's plea is self-defense.

## THE METHODIST

Have Over 2000 Ministers in Canada Including the Probationers.

Toronto, Aug. 25.—The statistical report upon the number of ministers for presentation to the general conference has been received from Rev. George Cornish. It shows that there are ordained ministers to the number of 1,703, probationers for the ministry, 28—a total of 2,021, which is an increase for the four years of 735. Of the 1,703 ordained ministers 1,329 are employed in church and mission work; 374 are engaged in education and other connection work; 4 are set apart as evangelists; 26 are left without a station; and 295 are on the supernumerary and supernumerary lists.

## THE FORESTERS

Annual Convention of the Catholic Branch of the Order at Brantford.

Brantford, Ont., Aug. 24.—The fourth annual convention of the Catholic Order of Foresters opened here yesterday, with a large number of delegates in attendance. After presenting of credentials the high court proceeded to St. Basil's Church, headed by about 70 members of the local court, and held a mass sung by Rev. Father Lebon. High Secretary Arthur Morel's report showed that the total membership during the year has increased by the addition of 444 members to the roll. The provincial treasurer, G. W. Sequin, of Ottawa, submitted a report showing receipts of \$3,829.15, with an expenditure of \$2,574.68. In the afternoon the Brantford foremen gave the delegates an exhibition, and an address of welcome was in order from Mayor Raymond.

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## THE MARKETS.

### Local Market.

London, Thursday, Aug. 25.  
Wheat, new, per bu. 63c to 69c  
Wheat, white fall, per bu. 63c to 69c  
Wheat, red fall, per bu. 63c to 69c  
Oats, per bu. 27c to 31c

Receipts in oats and wheat were fair. Wheat lower, selling from \$1.05 to \$1.15, or 63c to 69c per bushel. Oats, new, firm, at 70c to 80c; old oats sold from 60c to 68c per cental. Hay in very good supply at \$5 to \$7 per ton.

Potatoes, 75c to 80c per bag. There was a good supply of all kinds of fruit and vegetables. Butter and eggs in good supply and demand at quotations.

### GRAIN

|                            |      |      |
|----------------------------|------|------|
| Wheat, new, 100 lbs.       | 1.05 | 1.15 |
| Wheat, red, fall, 100 lbs. | 1.05 | 1.15 |
| Wheat, spring, 100 lbs.    | 0.90 | 0.95 |
| Oats, per 100 lbs.         | 0.25 | 0.30 |
| Peas, per 100 lbs.         | 0.85 | 0.90 |
| Corn, per 100 lbs.         | 0.87 | 0.92 |
| Barley, per 100 lbs.       | 0.75 | 0.80 |
| Rye, per 100 lbs.          | 0.50 | 0.55 |
| Beans, per bu.             | 50   | 60   |

### PROVISIONS.

|                                    |    |    |
|------------------------------------|----|----|
| Honey, comb.                       | 19 | 22 |
| Honey, extracted.                  | 7  | 10 |
| Cheese, per lb. wholesale.         | 8  | 10 |
| Eggs, single, dozen.               | 12 | 15 |
| Eggs, fresh, basket, dozen.        | 11 | 14 |
| Eggs, per dozen, basket, pkd.      | 12 | 15 |
| Butter, pound, roll, do.           | 12 | 15 |
| Butter, lb. large rolls or crocks. | 12 | 15 |
| Butter, per lb. tubs or firkins.   | 10 | 12 |
| Lard, per lb.                      | 10 | 12 |
| Chickens, per pair.                | 40 | 60 |
| Ducks, per pair.                   | 40 | 60 |
| Turkeys, per lb.                   | 10 | 12 |

### LIVE STOCK.

|                        |      |      |
|------------------------|------|------|
| Young pigs, per pair.  | 3.00 | 5.50 |
| Cows, each.            | 20   | 40   |
| Beef, per lb.          | 3.50 | 4.50 |
| Hogs, young, per pair. | 3.50 | 4.50 |
| Hogs, per 100 lbs.     | 3.10 | 5.00 |
| Sows, per 100 lbs.     | 3.10 | 5.00 |
| Ducks, per pair.       | 40   | 60   |
| Chickens, per pair.    | 40   | 60   |
| Hens, per pair.        | 40   | 60   |

### HAY AND SEEDS.

|                  |      |      |
|------------------|------|------|
| Hay, per ton.    | 7.50 | 7.00 |
| Straw, per load. | 2.50 | 2.00 |

### VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.

|                     |   |   |
|---------------------|---|---|
| Asparagus, per doz. | 5 | 6 |
| Asparagus, per doz. | 5 | 6 |
| Peas, per doz.      | 5 | 6 |
| Potatoes, per doz.  | 5 | 6 |
| Apples, per doz.    | 5 | 6 |
| Prunes, per doz.    | 5 | 6 |
| Plums, per doz.     | 5 | 6 |
| Oranges, per doz.   | 5 | 6 |
| Apples, per doz.    | 5 | 6 |
| Peas, per doz.      | 5 | 6 |
| Corn, per doz.      | 5 | 6 |
| Beans, per doz.     | 5 | 6 |
| Onions, per doz.    | 5 | 6 |
| Garlic, per doz.    | 5 | 6 |
| Cucumbers, per doz. | 5 | 6 |
| Squashes, per doz.  | 5 | 6 |
| Radishes, per doz.  | 5 | 6 |
| Tomatoes, per doz.  | 5 | 6 |

### MEAT, HIDES, ETC.

|                             |       |        |
|-----------------------------|-------|--------|
| Beef, quarters, per lb.     | 4 1/2 | 5 1/2  |
| Beef, quarters, per lb.     | 4 1/2 | 5 1/2  |
| Veal, quarters, per lb.     | 4 1/2 | 5 1/2  |
| Lamb, quarters, per lb.     | 4 1/2 | 5 1/2  |
| Pork, hams, 100 lbs, heavy. | 7 00  | 7 15   |
| Butter, No. 1, per lb.      | 11    | 12 1/2 |
| Hides, No. 2, per lb.       | 7     | 7 1/2  |
| Hides, No. 3, per lb.       | 6     | 6 1/2  |
| Calfskins, gross.           | 8     | 8 1/2  |
| Wool, washed, per lb.       | 15    | 17     |
| Wool, unwashed, per lb.     | 10    | 12     |
| Lambskins, per doz.         | 45    | 45     |
| Pelts, per doz.             | 25    | 25     |

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### The Oil Market.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 25.—Oil opened \$1.15; closed \$1.10.  
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 24.—Oil opened \$1.15; closed \$1.10.  
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 23.—Oil opened \$1.15; closed \$1.10.

### English Markets.

Ruling prices for the past four market days.—The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat the prices are given:

|                    | 20.   | 22.  | 23.  |
|--------------------|-------|------|------|
| WHEAT—             |       |      |      |
| Red Winter.        | 6 2½  | 6 2  | 6 0  |
| No. 1 Nor. Spring  | 6 10½ | 6 10 | 6 10 |
| No. 1 Cal.         | 6 6½  | 6 0  | 6 0  |
| July.              | 6 0   | 6 0  | 5 9  |
| Sept.              | 6 9½  | 5 5½ | 5 7½ |
| Dec.               | 6 3½  | 5 3½ | 5 3½ |
| CORN—              |       |      |      |
| New.               | 3 1½  | 3 1½ | 3 1  |
| Sept.              | 0 0   | 0 0  | 0 0  |
| July.              | 1 1½  | 1 1  | 1 1½ |
| Oct.               | 3 2½  | 3 1½ | 3 1½ |
| Flour.             | 22 6  | 22 6 | 21 6 |
| Peas.              | 3 0½  | 5 1½ | 1 ½  |
| Pork.              | 51    | 51   | 51   |
| Lard.              | 26 0  | 26 6 | 26 0 |
| Tallow.            | 19 6  | 19 6 | 19 6 |
| Bacon, light.      | 20 6  | 20 6 | 20 6 |
| Chickens, white.   | 19 6  | 19 6 | 19 6 |
| Chickens, colored. | 38 6  | 38 6 | 38 6 |











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evening's weather chart has been very  
much the same appearance as that for  
last night, the trough of low pressure  
still existing from the Western States  
across the Lake region to the Mar-  
time Provinces. Present indications  
point to a continuance of unsettled  
weather, and while there will be no  
general rain, there will be numerous  
local showers between Ontario and the  
Maritime provinces. The highest tem-  
peratures reported today were 92 at  
Kamloops, 84 at Edmonton and 83 at  
Toronto. Minimum and maximum  
temperatures: Victoria, 52-82; Prince  
Albert, 52-66; Qu'Appelle, 50-68; Win-  
nipeg, 52-76; Port Arthur, 50-56;  
Perry Sound, 62-83; Toronto, 70-83;  
Ottawa, 60-68; Montreal, 60-86; Que-  
bec, 58-70; Halifax, 60-78.  
Toronto, Aug. 25, 1 a.m.—Lower  
Jakes—Light to moderate winds; part-  
ly fair, local showers.  
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lowest readings of the thermometer at  
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## A LOCAL BUDGET

—The Musical Society Band will  
give their weekly concert on Victoria  
Park tomorrow evening.

—Prof. Seaburden, of Hellmuth La-  
dies' College, London, will preach on  
prohibition at Nisestown on Sunday af-  
ternoon, Sept. 4.

—Mahlon Eckert, of St. Louis, Mo.,  
and a former London boy, was in the  
city yesterday on his way to New York  
on a purchasing trip for his firm.

—St. Thomas Times: John A. Rob-  
inson has issued writs against Messrs.  
Escott and Alex. Gillespie, of London,  
claiming damages for trespassing on  
his property on the beach at Port  
Stanley.

—In the absence of Canon Smith last  
Sunday, his son-in-law, Rev. E. Lee, of  
Ridgeway, took the service at St.  
John's, London township. The rever-  
end gentleman is well thought of by  
the church and congregation.

—Butcher Gatecliff's horse ran away  
in South London yesterday afternoon,  
and continued at a mad pace to the  
corner of Richmond and Fullerton  
streets, where the wagon was smashed  
and the horse stopped by a fall.

—The druggists of the city will pic-  
nic at Springbank on Friday afternoon  
of this week. They will have a social  
time together, and a programme of  
sports will be included in the proceed-  
ings of the afternoon. The public are  
asked to take especial notice of the  
fact that every drug store in the city  
will consequently close at 1 o'clock to-  
morrow afternoon, and will not reopen  
until the following morning.

—Two young ladies on Culbourn  
street, north of Central avenue, have  
for some time past used the sidewalk  
as a bicycle path, notwithstanding the  
fact that the road in that vicinity is  
in excellent condition. This is a con-  
tinual annoyance to pedestrians in  
that section, who ask the question if  
there is any justice in the law, stat-  
ing that men are fined in some in-  
stances for riding only a few feet on  
the walks in out of the way places,  
while women and girls are allowed free  
use of the sidewalk.

ROYAL TEMPLARS.  
South London Council, No. 897, R.  
T. of T., held their annual meeting in  
the A. O. F. hall, South London, Thurs-  
day evening, with a large attendance.  
S. C. Bro. Chas. Young in the chair.  
A communication from Komoka in-  
formed the council that the district  
council would be held there on Thurs-  
day, Sept. 1. The usual number of del-

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egates were appointed to attend. In  
view of the fact that the district coun-  
cil meets on the day of 397's regu-  
lar meeting, it was decided on the motion  
of Bro. Littlejohn and Shortt to meet  
a day earlier than usual to enable the  
members to go to Komoka. The medal  
contest committee reported that a good  
programme had been provided. The  
contestants are to compete for the  
Templar prize in the Wellington Street  
Methodist Church, on Monday, Aug.  
26. A large crowd is expected. The  
contest is an educational feature in  
the prohibition campaign and are well  
worth hearing. After a good pro-  
gramme given by the members, the  
meeting closed in due form.

## DIVINE HEALERS

Rev. Robert Johnston Discusses  
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How Schrader, Dr. Dowle and Others  
Work—Sometimes Cure by Chang-  
ing the Imagination.

"Divine Healing and Healers" was  
the subject of Rev. Robert Johnston's  
discourse at the weekly prayer meeting  
last night. In his introductory re-  
marks the preacher opined that we, in  
the last of the nineteenth century,  
should be the least dogmatical as to  
what is and is not true. A German  
mathematician was now contending  
that space had a fourth dimension—  
height, breadth, length, and a fourth.  
Who was to say that it had not? He  
had been led to take up the subject  
of divine healers because he had been  
asked so many times about them. Mr.  
Johnston was acquainted with persons  
in this city who claimed to have been  
raised up to health and strength by  
resorting to prayer, after they had doc-  
tored in vain for years. They thought  
it a fuller faith in God to decline the  
doctor's medicine. He referred to the  
shrines at St. Anne de Beaupre and of  
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heaps of cures were effected. Artificial  
limbs, medicine bottles and what not  
had been left by persons who he be-  
lieved had been healed beyond a  
doubt. The speaker went on to say  
that Dr. Dowle, Mr. Schrader, Dr.  
Cullis and Dr. Wier Mitchell had not  
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scribed. The hotel was for guests who  
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