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"He Did Not Know."

Sir Hector's Examination Concluded.

Ignorance the Prime Plea of the Minister of Public Works.

He Disclaims All Responsibility for His Subordinates' Rascality.

Mr. Starrs Throws New Light on the Cross Wall Business.

It Was Sir Hector Who Asked Him to Withdraw His Tender.

OTTAWA, Aug. 14.—In the Senate Railway Committee yesterday Mr. A. P. Bradly, secretary of the Department of Railways and Canals, was examined by Mr. Barwick. He produced a certified copy of the contract for the first twenty miles of the Baie des Chaleurs Railway, also for the construction of the next 80 miles, both dated in 1885; also an agreement, afterwards ratified by Parliament, for an advance on the last 30 miles on the deposit of bonds, and a statement of the department's connection with the history of the road. The latter showed that there was yet unearned of the Dominion subsidies the sum of $95,825. He also produced a statement showing that the sum of $524,185 had been paid out of the Dominion subsidies.

Mr. A. Gabourg, president of the Banque Nationale, deposed to the discounting of the two letters of credit amounting in all to $175,000, signed by Garneau as acting premier, and as to the disposal of certain portions of the proceeds. He testified that the mysterious $100,000 $20,000 was ...ed to guarantee Pacaud's discounts, in ...ccordance with agreements with the Union Bank.

When Mr. Armstrong was recalled he ...ad read Hon. J. J. C. Abbott's speech in ... House, in which the Premier stated ... Armstrong was not the man to run ... He was still of the opinion that the ...ittee was asking question which they ...o right to ask about his private ... and no expressed opinion of that ...ttee would induce him to answer ...uestions. The matter goes to the ...

...SE OF SIR HECTOR'S EXAMINATION.

...he course of Sir Hector's cross-exam...n yesterday he was asked about ...eduction of $19,000 in the value ...e plant taken over by the con...rs for the British Columbia dock. ...ness denied Larkin's statement that he ...d promised to reduce the price of the ...lant. The reduction had been made on ...uthority of Engineer Perley.

Mr. Davies then produced a report from Mr. Perley against such reduction, which report was adopted by the Government. In the face of that how could it be said that Mr. Perley made the reduction?

Witness—Well, he did it. He allowed the reduction of $19,000 without my knowledge.

Q.—Would you permit the chief engineer or any subordinate to pay $20,000 more than the contract justified without your authority? A.—If I had known it I would not.

Q.—You think this is the only case then? A.—That I know of.

Q.—And you are inclined to wash your hands of any responsibility for this payment? A.—Mr. Perley has stated so himself.

Q.—We differ on that. If you turn to the next page you will see he qualified his statement. Is it on Mr. Perley's statement that you rely entirely, or on your own recollection? A.—On my own recollection.

Q.—Is it not true that when Capt. Larkin ...s going to sign that contract he discussed ...very matter of the plant with you and ...tated you would look into it? A.—I ...e no doubt I did so.

Mr. Davies read from the annual report ...f the Minister of Public Works for 1888, ...owing that the reduction in the value of ... was mentioned there. It was therefore ...an important transaction and he pressed ...r an answer whether the Minister approved ...r not. Sir Hector said he could recollect ...othing about it.

Asked whether the contractors did not apply for a change in plans for the British Columbia dock and in the kind of stone to ...e used, he said changes had been agreed ...on condition that changes should not be ...id for as extras.

Mr. Davies—Yet the contractors were ...owed $41,000 on account of those changes, although engineers on the spot protested against it.

In answer to Mr. German, Sir Hector said he had no recollection of receiving accommodation notes from Thomas McGreevy since 1879. He was sure he received no notes for his own benefit.

To Mr. Ouimet witness denied having authorized Thomas McGreevy to ask Larkin, Connolly & Co. for money, and never knew where the money he destributed came from. He denied Mr. Valin's statement that he had been told to follow Mr. McGreevy's advice in everything, but would not swear that Mr. Valin committed perjury.

In reply to Mr. Mulock Sir Hector said he approved of Mr. Perley's appointment as engineer of the Quebec Harbor Commission. He had asked Parliament for an advance of $1,000,000 for the Quebec Harbor Commission on the strength of verbal recommendations made to him by Mr. Perley.

Mr. Mulock asked that all books or documents relating to that matter be laid before the committee. This was agreed to.

Sir Hector was then allowed to go, subject to recall after Thomas McGreevy was finally dealt with.

MORE OF ARNOLDI'S WORK.

In the Public Accounts Committee it was shown that the oak ribs for a private yacht built by Mr. Arnoldi three years ago were taken from the Government shipyard.

Geo. Kerney, clerk of the Court of Review, Montreal, was present with the alleged agreement between the N. E. Paper Company and La Presse, but the Government members objected to its being produced as irrelevant to the investigation. While the discussion was going on Mr. Lister charged that Berthiaume, of La Presse, had received $100, as commission on the order for paper given by the Government to the N. E. Paper Company. Mr. Lister also charged that the evidence given by Mr. Young in the Court of Review on this point had been altered afterwards.

The discussion continued at high temperature until 1:30, half an hour later than the hour for adjournment.

The Conservative speakers, Messrs. Bergeron, Chapleau, Wood and Costigan, held out that the committee ought not to allow the Secretary of State to be attacked except through the House, and therefore the investigation which Mr. Lister wished to undertake should not go on. At 1:30 the chairman declared the meeting adjourned until Tuesday next.

WINDING UP.

[Special to the ADVERTISER.]

OTTAWA, Aug. 14.—The Tarte Committee has finished its work except the hearing of counsel and preparing its report. The sole interesting witness this morning was Mr. Starrs, of the firm of Starrs & Hanley, who was called by Mr. Mulock and asked about his experience in tendering for the cross wall. His memory was a good Tarte-investigation average, and he could swear to little. He withdrew his first tender, but he could not remember exactly when.

"Did you withdraw your tender," asked Mr. Mulock. "Yes," replied the witness.

"Did anyone suggest to you to withdraw?" "Yes."

"Who?" "Am I bound to answer that?" asked Mr. Starrs. "Yes, sir, you are," promply replied the chairman.

IT WAS SIR HECTOR.

"Well it was Sir Hector was the answer. The witness then explained that Sir Hector sent for him and talked him into withdrawing his tender.

Sir Hector called in Perley, and they both told him that

HIS TENDER WAS TOO LOW,

and Sir Hector suggested that he withdraw. Starrs went back a second time with his check to go on with the contract, but Sir Hector again discouraged him, telling him he would have to pay the whole $50,000 for the Baie Chaleurs plant and that there would be no extras in the work. "It will be straight sailing," he said. Then Starrs, although he thought his figures would cover the work, told Sir Hector that he would withdraw his tender because he saw plainly that he (Sir Hector) did not want him to get the job.

Sir John Thompson only asked the witness two question, one to bring out that he had never been in British Columbia, and another that he never built such a work.

INVESTIGATION BLOCKED.

[Special to the ADVERTISER.]

OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 14.—The Public Accounts Committee had another empty morning to-day. The second witness called was Mr. Geo. H. Kerwick, and Mr. Foster at once renewed his objection to the filing of the agreement between Berthiaume and the New England Paper Company.

The debate over this matter waxed warm and indignant, but finally the committee was allowed to vote, when, by a strict party vote, this agreement was ruled out.

Then it was moved that the witness be discharged, which aroused the opposition of the Liberals. They contended against the farce of bringing a witness here and then refusing to let him give evidence. Finally Mr. Tupper laid down the rule that this committee could not go on with any branch of an investigation that threatened the character of a Minister of the Crown without a special order from the House of Commons.

Sir Richard Cartwright took sharp issue with this position, and said that he would see that it was discussed elsewhere.

Mr. Somerville taunted the Ministers with crowding to the meetings of the committee to burk any investigation that threatened to touch them.

The general Ministerial contention is that this agreement has been produced, but that being irrelevant it should not be put in.

Finally Mr. Bergeron withdrew his motion that witness be discharged.

[Special to the ADVERTISER.]

OTTAWA, Aug. 14.—In continuation of the testimony before the Public Accounts Committee, P. S. Waters, contractor, told of building a yacht in the Government dockyard for Mr. Arnoldi. He did this job, taking from one to five men for six months, and lined in Arnoldi's barn for about $100.

Mr. Lister expressed surprise at the lowness of the price, and charged that he had built the yacht at the expense of the Government.

Mr. Waters would not admit that, but said that he lost money on the job.

A SNEERING SNORT.

During the debate a lively scene took place between Mr. Haggart and Mr. Mulock. Mr. Mulock was speaking, when Mr. Haggart gave utterance to a grunt.

"The Postmaster-General is the last man who should insult me," said Mr. Mulock.

In a moment Mr. Haggart was on his feet, flushed with anger, and shouted that Mr. Mulock was making an insinuation he could not prove. It was cowardly in the extreme.

Sir. Richard interposed an objection to Mr. Haggart's language, when Mr. Foster said that it was justifiable under such circumstances.

Mr. Mulock said this was intolerable, when Haggart fired back that he would have to stand it. Mr. Mulock told Mr. Haggart that he was misunderstanding what he was referring to, and described Haggart's interruption as "a sneering snort." Finally peace was secured and moderate calm reigned again.

The Northwest Harvest.

TORONTO, Aug. 15.—The secretary of the Board of Trade read the following telegram on 'Change yesterday received by Mr. Homer Pingle, superintendent at Toronto of the C. P. R. Telegraph Company, from B. S. Jenkins, the superintendent at Winnipeg, dated 11:50 a.m.: "Weather clear and fine all over the Province. Wheat is being cut at many points, but harvesting will not be general for about ten days."

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DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

The Northwest Bill Advanced Through Committee

After a Quiet and Uneventful Discussion.

OTTAWA, Aug. 14.—The first order taken up in the House this afternoon was the third reading of a bill to provide for the marking of deck and load lines. Then the bill to authorize the sale of the Carleton City of St. John branch railroad was read the second time and passed through the committee. The House next went into committee to consider the bill to amend the acts respecting the harbor of Picton in Nova Scotia, and discussed the powers proposed to be given the harbor commissioners and advanced the measure to the third reading stage.

The Senate's amendments to the bill to further amend the Steamboat Inspection Act were considered in committee and the amendments concurred in. The bill to amend the Exchequer Court Act passed through committee and was read the third time. The bill to make further provision respecting grants of land to members of the militia force on active service in the Northwest went through its remaining stages.

SEPARATE SCHOOL QUESTION.

Col. O'Brien then addressed the House upon the separate school question. He found fault with the Government for not introducing a clause giving the people of the Northwest complete control of their educational system. It was the old story, he argued, that there should be no restriction imposed by this Legislature as to whether or not separate schools should be established. The Legislative Assembly, he maintained, should have the power of dealing with this. He did not propose to bring forward an amendment to this effect now, nor did he intend to open a large debate upon the question, for at this period of the session members were all anxious to get home; indeed they were kept from their homes at great inconvenience to themselves. No particular harm could result in postponing this question at the present time, but he hoped during the recess the Government would take the question into serious consideration. He appealed to the Ministers to take the matter up and give the Northwest a perfect control over their system of education. They must remember that they were not legislating to-day for the comparatively small parcel of people in the Northwest, but for the large number they hoped to see there within the next few years. He would tell the Government that unless they dealt with this subject either now or during the recess the Government would hear more about this matter than they had any idea of. If the members of the House would turn their attention to the material welfare of the people of the Northwest they would find the people would appreciate it more. They were perfectly well able to attend to their own religious training.

Mr. Lariviere could not allow the remarks of the member for Muskoka to pass unchallenged. Some of the members for Ontario, he said, unable to carry their views into effect there, desired to import their views into other places in this Dominion.

Mr. McNeill took up the cudgels in behalf of Col. O'Brien, declaring that all that was desired was that the people of the Northwest should be allowed to act for themselves in the matter.

Col. Amyot discussed the question in its constitutional aspect. He quoted at length from Prof. Dicey and talked of the distinction between unity and union. It was clearly laid down in the constitution that the separate schools should remain intact. If they aimed at making everybody happy they must respect the rights that were recognized at Confederation.

The debate was continued by Dr. Sproule, Mr. Davis (Alberta), Mr. Davies and Mr. Beausoleil.

Mr. Mills (Bothwell) criticised the measure on its merits. He contended that it was defective in that it did not provide for the appointment of an executive responsible to the Assembly with a proper control of the finances. Why, he asked, should the Lieutenant-Governor have the power of dissolution of the Parliament when he was not provided with advisers responsible to the majority of the Legislature?

At the close of Mr. Mills' speech the second reading was agreed to, and when the House went into committee Mr. Davies asked for a Ministerial expression of opinion upon the point raised by Mr. Mills.

Sir John Thompson said there could be no doubt the time had come when the full powers of self-government could be granted to the Northwest. The circumstances under which the prerogative of dissolution would be exercised by the Lieutenant-Governor before Parliament expired naturally were rare indeed, but such power ought to be given to him. The committee then took up the consideration of the clauses in detail, and continued to debate upon them until 6 o'clock, when the Speaker left the chair.

After recess the Northwest Territories Bill was resumed in committee. The section of the seventh clause prohibiting the new Assembly from granting charters to tramway and telephone companies was struck out. The following clauses up to the twentieth went through rapidly. That clause leaves the settlement of the dual language question to the Northwest Territories.

Mr. Amyot opposed this as being an invasion of the rights of the minority. He was, he said, first a Catholic, second an English-speaking Frenchman, and thirdly a politician. No party could receive his support which did not recognize these principles. He did not intend to move an amendment, but he felt compelled to protest against this clause.

Sir John Thompson declared that the clause was inserted in accordance with the agreement approved of by the House last session. The Government of the Northwest Territories was now purely tentative, and when the time came to remodel that constitution Parliament would have full control of that legislation and could safeguard all interests. Parliament had still a parental hand over the Northwest Territories.

Mr. Beausoliel considered that the power to abolish the French language should not be extended to the Local Assembly. The clause was agreed to.

Mr. Davin proposed that a clause should be inserted preventing the Northwest mounted police from voting for members for the Assembly. The reason he wished to take away their votes from them as regards the Dominion elections was that they were no benefit to them and many of them would be glad to be deprived of them. Sir John Thompson promise to take Mr. Davin's amendment into consideration.

Progress was reported and the House rose at 10:45 p.m.

WIDE WORLD WIRELETS.

Death of the Late President Polk's Widow.

Disastrous Explosion in a Pennsylvania Coal Mine.

Mrs. James K. Polk, widow of the tenth president of the United States, died this (Friday) morning.

James Wallace, at one time a well-known railroad man, committed suicide Thursday evening at Chicago.

A 3-year-old son of Amos Smith, butcher, of Ottawa East, was drowned in the Rideau Canal Thursday.

Eugene H. Bonnick and wife committed suicide together at Denver Thursday on account of domestic trouble.

The Court of Queen's Bench at Winnipeg has decided that squatters on the school lands must give up possession.

The funeral services of Mr. Geo. B. Jones, proprietor of the New York Times, took place in All Souls' Church, New York, to-day (Friday).

G. W. Humphrey's sawmill at East Haven, Vt., was burned this (Friday) morning. About 1,000,000 feet of lumber in the yard is on fire.

A terrific storm struck Lock Benton, Minn., on Thursday. In the country everything in the shape of grain in the path of the storm was destroyed.

A new line of steamships will run next season from Montreal to Newcastle and Hamburg for the grain and cattle trade. The fleet will consist of five boats.

An explosion of gas occurred at Big Mountain Slope, near Shamokin, Pa., on Thursday, by which Fire Boss Daniel Berry, Henry Kershner, George Jinkavish and John Matchok were terribly burned, the latter probably fatally.

The St. John and Marsh Company, of Chicago, dealers in lumber in Kansas and Colorado, have assigned. Assets, $253,000, will probably realize $150,000; liabilities, $146,000. The failure is due to stringency in the money market.

The landing of Chinese from the steamer Oceanic at San Francisco was stopped Thursday by order of Collector Phelps, owing to the decision of the United States Supreme Court that no Chinese merchant or otherwise can land in the United States unless he is provided with a consular certificate, showing he was conducting a mercantile business in this country.

A curious warfare is being waged in New York between "Nat" Goodwin, the well-known comedian, and his wife for the possession of what was their home before they separated—a building on the West End avenue, and estimated to be worth about $40,000, and now occupied by Mrs. Goodwin. Mrs. Goodwin says the house was given her by her husband, while he says he hold the deeds.

BALFOUR'S BILL

Creates Contention in the Unionist-Tory Combination.

LONDON, Aug. 15.—The London Spectator (Unionist) denounces the Irish Local Government Bill as a Home Rule measure in disguise.

The National Observer, now obtaining the front rank as a weekly exponent of Tory opinion, attacks the Ministry as becoming a mere Liberal-Unionist agency, and adds that Mr. Balfour's constructive legislation will conduce as little to the party credit as to the national advantage.

RUSSIAN RYE.

The Embargo on Its Export Creates Great Commotion.

BERLIN, Aug. 14.—The Cabinet will meet to-morrow to discuss means to minimize the effects of the Russian ukase on rye on the poorer classes, who are wholly dependent upon rye bread. Official organs assert that Russia will not be able to continue the prohibition for fear of disaster to her town finances.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Cologne Gazette asserts that the special Russian commissioner recently sent out to make an investigation reports that there is sufficient rye stored up to render the prohibition of exportation superfluous, that the distress was overrated and that the harvest was not as bad as alleged.

The Kreuz Zeitung suggests that Germany now prohibit the exportation of corn.

The Vossiche Zeitung and Friessigne Zeitung scout the idea that the prohibition is a political move on the part of Russia, and they counsel the people to start a vigorous agitation against the corn duties.

ON ACCOUNT OF A DOG.

John Cook, of Albemarle, Bruce, Charged With Murder.

TORONTO, Aug. 15.—Counsel applied yesterday for bail on behalf of John S. Cook, who is confined in Albemarle jail, Bruce county, on the charge of murder. The circumstances, which, strange to say, have not hitherto been published, are most peculiar. A farmer named James Abercrombie, annoyed because a dog belonging to John S. Cook killed one of his sheep, went over to Cook's farm to kill the dog. Abercrombie shot Cook's dog, and Cook, annoyed over the loss of his pet, went for his gun and shot at Abercrombie. The ball lodged in Abercrombie's thigh, completely shattering the bone. The effect of the rifle shot was so serious that the leg had to be amputated above the knee, and a few days after the operation Abercrombie died, and Cook was arrested for murder. The post mortem revealed, however, that the direct cause of death was congestion of the lungs, and that one lung was entirely gone. The doctors who performed the autopsy declared that Abercrombie's death had been hastened by the wound and the operation. Justice Street declared that a man was not compelled to keep himself in good health so as to prevent himself from being murdered. The crime of murder was not lessened simply because the victim would have died anyway in a month or a year. Because of this bail was refused.

Steamship Arrivals.

Aug. 13.	At	From.
Rhynland	New York	Antwerp
Germanic	New York	Liverpool
Vancouver	Southwest Point	Liverpool
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Rotterdam	New York	Amsterdam

INDEPENDENT FORESTERS.

Closing Session of the High Court.

Election of Officers—Two London Men Honored—Merit Recognized by Presentations.

BROCKVILLE, Aug. 14.—At yesterday morning's session of the High Court, I. O. F., Supreme Chief Ranger Dr. Oronhyatekha exemplified the work of the subordinate and High Court. The exemplification of the signs, grips and tokens was not only instructive but interesting when shown by such an expert as the doctor. Then came the election of officers, resulting as follows:

High chief ranger, David Millar, Toronto.
High vice-chief ranger, Rev. Alexander MacGillivray, Toronto.
High secretary, J. B. Halkett, Ottawa.
High treasurer, T. G. Davey, London.
High physician, John Dunneld, Petrolea.
High counselor, W. H. Bartram, London.
High auditors, Daniel Rose, Toronto; David Ormston, Whitby.
High court inspector, C. C. Whale, Toronto.

Appointed officers—High chaplain, Rev. Mr. McLaren, of Ottawa; high journal secretary, T. Lawless, Hamilton; high senior woodward, L. G. Morgan, Ottawa; high junior woodward, T. J. Baily, Toronto; high senior beadle, J. T. Carson, Simcoe; high junior beadle, A. McKee, Uxbridge; high conductor, A. L. Chandler, Deseronto; high marshal, William Little, Owen Sound; high messenger, Charles Baird, Hamilton.

The election of delegates to the Supreme Court, to be held in Detroit on Sept. 1 and 2 next, resulted as follows: C. C. Whale, Rev. Alex. MacGillivray, W. M. Drennan, A. Fleming, E. J. Hearn, W. Wallace, Dr. Graves, G. L. Wilson, A. Aikman, Thomas Butler, J. Stokes, A. F. Campbell, James Adams, T. A. McGillivray, W. Little, R. Griffith, A. H. Dixon, W. Gerry, H. A. Collins, R. Mathison, R. Gilray, J. Hodgson, A. Oronhyatekha, John Leys, Alex. McKee, James Watt, James Hewer, W. Caldwell, J. F. Carson, L. T. Barclay, George Parrish and W. F. H. Thompson.

The high secretary was voted $1,000; high treasurer, $250; representatives were voted $2 per day and 5 cents per mile; the auditors to be paid $500 each; the high inspector, $1,200; high general secretary, $15; high messenger, $8; high vice-chief ranger, $100; high chief ranger, $250.

A very pleasant surprise was given the retiring H.C.R.s. Mr. N. F. Patterson, Q.C., when Dr. Oronhyatekha came foreward and, addressing the H.C.R., expressed the high esteem in which he was held by the brethren and their desire to convey to him their appreciation of his services as H.C.R. At the same time the doctor paid a high tribute to the executive abilities of Mr. Patterson. Just then the doctor turned to the table on which was standing a beautiful "epergne," on which was inscribed, "Presented to Bro. N. F. Patterson, Q.C., by the High Court of Ontario Independent Order of Foresters, in recognition of valuable services rendered during his occupancy of the chair in 1890-91. Brockville, August, 1891." Bro. Patterson replied in a feeling manner.

The officers were installed by the supreme chief ranger, Dr. Oronhyatekha. Various votes of thanks were passed, and the court adjourned, to meet in Barrie on the second Tuesday in August, 1892.

The greatest of harmony characterized the whole proceedings.

In the evening at the St. Lawrence Hotel a genuine surprise was given to Mr. J. B. Halkett, of Ottawa, the high secretary. A large number of his Forester friends gathered in one of the parlors, and the retiring H. C. R., Bro. N. F. Patterson, Q.C., presented the brother with a beautiful silver service, at the same time expressing the high esteem in which the secretary was held, and the efficient and faithful manner in which he discharged his duties. Mr. Halkett made a happy reply.

Presentations seemed to be the order of the day, for no sooner had the last speaker finished than H. C. R.-elect Bro. David Millar came forward, and addressing himself to Bro. T. G. Davey, high treasurer, said that the treasurer everybody liked, and a few of his brethren felt that they would like to convey to him their good wishes by asking him to accept of a gold scarf pin as a token of the very high regard in which he was held. Bro. Davey replied in his usual eloquent style, heartily thanking the brethren for the gift and for their expressions of good-will.

Dr. Oronhyatekha, the supreme chief ranger, and Rev. Alex. MacGillivray added to the testimony of the other brethren as to the high estimation in which the two recipients were held by their brethren.

A Town Wrecked by the Wind.

ELLSWORTH, Minn., Aug. 14.—A terrific windstorm struck Ellsworth, at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and left the town a complete wreck.

France Wants 82,500,000 Bushels of Wheat.

PARIS, Aug. 14.—It is estimated that the wheat crop of France will not exceed 85,000,000 hectolitres. To meet the normal demand of the country it will be necessary to import 82,500,000 bushels of wheat.

Geographical Reform.

LONDON, Aug. 15.—The Geographical Congress at Berlin adopted a resolution in favor of the compilation of an international pronouncing geographical dictionary, and by a large majority declared that the English prime meridian ought to be universally adopted, and England ought to adopt the metric system. The committee to which the matter was referred has decided that Capt. Glazier's pretension that he discovered the true source of the Mississippi is unfounded, and that the honor of the discovery belongs to Schoolcraft. Lieut. Allen and Jean Nicollet. The Italian delegates wanted the next congress to be held in Genoa in 1892, simultaneously with the Christopher Columbus fetes, but London was chosen.

Niagara Falls $1 75, Buffalo 50 cents extra. Tickets good for two days. A. O. F. excursion on Civic Holiday. The M. C. R. ticket office, 295 Richmond street, will be open Saturday evening for the sale of tickets. This excursion is the only one that will land passengers at the Falls without extra cost. b

Stone four rolled oats, feed of all kinds, etc. L. Crouse, of the Byron mills, has opened out at 257 Talbot street. Patrons can telephone 738. The public can also secure T. Yerex's drays by telephoning above. zxv

To meet the demand for cheap shoes we will continue our bargain sale for the balance of this month. All summer lines must be closed out. R. KIRKPATRICK, 219 Dundas street. zxv

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TORONTO TOPICS.

The Great Industrial Exhibition—Garbutt Must Go Back—Engineer Jennings in Court.

TORONTO, Aug. 15.—Everything is quiet enough here just now except among those engaged in preparing for the Great Industrial Exhibition, which opens here on Sept. 7. A visit to the office of the manager and secretary elicited the fact that the entries this year far exceed those of any previous one. There has been a very pronounced increase in the number and extent of the exhibits from the West this year, and in no locality has this increase been greater than from London and vicinity. Several important conventions will be held here during the fair, the object being to enable delegates to take advantage of the very low rates advertised in connection with it. No pains or expense have been spared this year to make the fair bigger and better than ever. In attractions and amusement the programme is away ahead of anything ever before attempted, and cannot fail to commend itself to the public.

Judge Street yesterday gave his decision in the extradition proceedings against Henry Garbutt, the alleged forger from Texas and other States. He dismissed the appeal, and Garbutt will have to go back. His counsel, Mr. Murdock, however, speaks of making another effort on his behalf.

The St. Andrew's Society, at its quarterly meeting last night, appointed a committee to wait on Lady Macdonald with an address of sympathy on the death of the late Premier, who was a member of the society.

City Engineer Jennings appeared in the Police Court, charged with using insulting language to C. J. Smith, the well known coal and wood dealer of this city going by the sobriquet of Big Wood Smith. Smith whistled after Jennings on the street one day and Jennings refused to stop. Smith then ran after Jennings and stopped him, whereupon Jennings, as Smith says, called him a —— fool. Mr. Osler, who appeared for the city engineer, said that Jenning, qualified his application of the term used by saying that Wood was a —— fool if he whistled after him on the street. The magistrate dismissed the case without costs.

Edward Handcock, who was sent for trial by Police Magistrate Denison on the charge of murdering his daughter, made an application yesterday through his counsel for bail. The application was vigorously opposed by the Crown. Judgment was reserved.

On behalf of the Central Bank counsel issued a writ against the St. Catharines and Niagara Railway Company claiming $22,500 due from the railway company to John Shields and David Blain, contractors, who built part of the railway. Both Shields and Blain are debtors to the Central Bank for large amounts, and the bank is trying to garnishee the money due from the railway company to the contractors.

Disastrous Explosion.

KELLOGG, W. Va., Aug. 15.—The powder factory on the Ohio River at this place blew up yesterday from some unknown cause. The explosion was in the glazing mill, which was 25 feet square two stories high. There were two tons of powder in it. John Bayless and Timothy Cooney were blown to pieces. Only unrecognizable fragments of their bodies can be found and two bucketsful of shreds of human flesh could be gathered. Geo. Wells, who was in a house 300 yards away, had his skull broken by a fragment of iron which whirled through a window. He is dying. D. M. Parkes, Charles Knowly and John Shaauster, workmen in the bill mill, who were standing 400 yards away, were severely injured by flying missils. A few others were slightly hurt.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Mexican Fruit Chewing Gum is easy to chew, cleanses the teeth, sweetens the breath, and is the great favorite. zv

W. Stilling, who for the past four years kept the bakery on Wellington street, will now be found at 312 Dundas Pastry and confectionery of all kinds. Home-made pies a specialty. vy

Ho! for Cleveland.

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TALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—The Rev. W. M. Walker, of South London, will occupy the pulpit on Sabbath; Bible class and Sunday school at 3 p.m. All welcome.

ST. ANDREW'S — CORNER QUEEN'S avenue and Waterloo street. Morning service, Rev. J. Allister Murray; evening, Mr. Jas. S. Scott, B.A.

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WELLINGTON STREET METHODIST—Pastor, Rev. Geo. W. Henderson; 11 a.m., "Obadiah"; 7 p.m., "Leprosy." Sunday school, 2:30 p.m.

DUNDAS STREET CENTER METHODIST Church—Rev. C. P. Wells, B.A., will preach to-morrow morning and evening; Sabbath school at 2:45 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Park avenue—Rev. W. J. Clark, pastor; services at 11 and 7; Bible class and school at 3 p.m.; the pastor will preach morning and evening.

ST. JAMES' PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. by the Rev. Mr. Sawers, of Westminster. Visitors welcome.

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THE IRISH BENEVOLENT SOCIETY will hold their annual picnic at Port Stanley Tuesday, Aug. 25, 1891. Sports, games and dancing. Seventh Band (by permission of Lieutenant-Colonel and officers) and string band present. Trains leave London 10, 10:30, 11, 1, 2:50 and 4:15; returning leave Port Stanley at 4:35, 5:30, 7, 8:05, 9:10 and 9:30 p.m. Excursion tickets will be issued at Glanworth good to go and return only on regular trains. EDMUND MEREDITH, president; N. P. GRAYDON, secretary. 20-n tywtzy

HURRAH FOR NIAGARA FALLS AND Buffalo—Foresters' excursion to Niagara Falls via Grand Trunk Railway, Civic Holiday, Monday, Aug. 17; tickets $1 75; excursion by Grand Trunk Railway; this route will have the opportunity of visiting Buffalo via Erie Railway only for 50 cents the round trip. Good for two days. 18u wt

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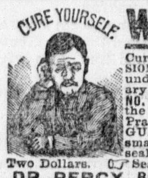
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WESTERN ONTARIO.

BRANT.

James Courtnage, Hartford, died a few days ago, aged 85 years.

Mrs. Thomas Hill, Northfield Center, died on Tuesday of consumption.

Seth W. Bradshaw, aged 59 years, died in Brantford on Aug. 12, a victim of cancer.

A writ has been issued at the instance of David Stewart, of Paris, against Geo. Davidson, also of Paris, for $1,000 for damages for alleged seduction of plaintiff's daughter. An appearance has been entered for defendant by his agents, Foley and Dalzell, of Paris.

Andrew Telfer had George Patterson before P. M. Powell, at Paris, on Saturday. Patterson's dog killed two valuable lambs, worth $15 each. A. E. Smith saw the dog coming away. Patterson was taxed $30 for the lambs and $5 10 costs, and he was ordered to destroy the dog.

Brantford will send her John A. Macdonald subscriptions to Toronto.

A young child belonging to a laborer living on the railway, about one mile west of Smith's creek bridge, Paris, wandered away from home on Wednesday evening. It seems that the father and mother were out, leaving the child to take care of itself. Mrs. Knill, a neighbor, heard a child crying, and on going out to see, came to the conclusion the cries came from the railway track, which she reached just in time to snatch the child before an express train rushed upon it. The escape was providential.

P. G. Wickson, of Paris, who has been for several weeks in Detroit, has returned to that town, having been engaged there on portraits of some of the horses at the Clairview farm.

ELGIN.

On Sept. 9 and 10, the St. Thomas Turf Club will hang up $1,700 for races.

D. A. Young, M. C. R. station agent at Woodslee, and Miss Mattie Hunter were married on Wednesday in St. Thomas at the residence of the bride's brother, Rev. J. E. Hunter, evangelist. Mr. Hunter performed the ceremony, assisted by Rev. Mr. Crossley and Rev. Mr. Livingstone, Woodslee, in the presence of a few intimate friends, the bride being charmingly dressed in an amethyst colored silk and a corsage of roses. The couple go to Mackinac for a fortnight.

James Martin, con. 5, Yarmouth, one of the oldest and first settlers in the county, died on Wednesday evening, in the 86th year of his age.

At a meeting of the congregation of Knox Church, St. Thomas, it was decided to apply the $4,500 received from the sale of the manse to wiping out the debt of the church, which will leave a balance yet due of $6,500. A special effort will be made to wipe this out.

Miss Maggie Cummings, Guilds, died on Aug. 9 of consumption, aged 38 years.

G. W. Teeple, Kingsmill, had his wrists badly sprained the other day by falling from a straw stack, a distance of sixteen feet.

Henry Hamilton, Eagle, lost a valuable colt the other day, its leg being broken.

J. J. Teeple, Kingsmill, has gathered 6,000 pounds of honey from his apiary.

The Aylmer canning factory shipped four carloads of canned peas to Toronto and Montreal last week.

At a recent meeting of the Dutton Business Men's Association the following officers were elected: President, L. J. Wilson; vice-president, F. W. Drake; secretary-treasurer, J. D. Blue; executive committee, Thos. Hockin, F. W. Drake and A. E. White.

Fulton Bros. shipped 150 head of cattle for Glasgow from Shedden the other day. While loading the cattle were stampeded by a passing train. They broke out of the pen in a body, and nearly trampled on Messrs. Fulton, who were trying to stop them.

Dr. Cascaden, of Iona, agreeably surprised the Rev. Jeffrey Hill the other day by generously presenting him with a handsome covered phaeton as a mark of his appreciation of that gentleman.

ESSEX.

Three ladies undertook to swim the Detroit River on Thursday morning from Detroit to Windsor. They all succeeded, several boats accompanying each.

The brickwork of the Essex reservoir has been completed.

James H. Johnson, well known in Windsor, being formerly a principal in the high school there, died in Toronto on the 11th inst.

Pelee Islanders estimate their present grape crop at an average of twenty pounds to the vine.

Hiram Walker has accepted $11,475 for his extension of the Colchester South drain, and all litigation over the drain is at an end.

Windsor's bill for extra police protection during the G. A. R. encampment was $48, and notwithstanding the largely-increased population for the week, there were fewer arrests than for many weeks preceding.

James G. Thomas, restaurant keeper Detroit, got filled up with Canada budge and threatened to depopulate Windsor by a careless handling of a revolver. He was tried in the Police Court and said he was really so drunk he did not know that he had taken the revolver out of his pocket. The magistrate imposed the minimum penalty, $20 and $4 costs, which was paid.

Vincent Scully, the defeated Parnellite candidate for a division of county Kilkenny, Ireland, arrived at Windsor, Wednesday night, and was the guest of his relative, Ed. I. Scully, the court stenographer. He was accompanied by his son Dennis, whom he is about to locate on a large ranch at Alberta, Manitoba. Mr. Scully left yesterday for Toronto, and will proceed thence to the Northwest.

J. M. Scribner, the chief operator in the patent right note cases, was taken to Windsor on Thursday. When his gripsack was examined by the police, about 100 patent right notes, bearing the signatures of many prominent farmers in the county were found. The aggregate amount of the notes was about $1,600 and each of them were for $150, the same as Renaud's, who has caused the arrest of Scribner and his partner McGill. Both operators were arraigned before Magistrate Bartlet and remanded for examination. The two partners were shackled together and taken to Sandwich jail.

KENT

Groesbeck's old mill at Wallaceburg was burned on Sunday afternoon. It is supposed that a spark from a passing boat caused the fire.

Wallaceburg's civic holiday is named for Aug. 27, when the firemen will have a celebration.

Bothwell's population, according to the census commissioner, is as follows: Campden township, 2,995; Chatham township, 6,152; Sombra township, 4,207; Zone township, 1,401; Bothwell town, 900; Dresden town, 2,059; Thamesville village, 802; Wallaceburg village, 2,726, and Walpole Island, 880; Dawn township, 3,482; total, 25,604.

Wallaceburg has just purchased $440 worth of gutta-percha hose.

Lightning struck a barn belonging to Mr. Huff, near Tupperville, on Monday night. The building with all its contents, including about 400 bushels of wheat, was destroyed.

The directors have purchased the Patterson mill property in Wallaceburg as a site for the glass works. Brick is already on the ground and building will be begun at once.

Plummer, the Chatham forger, has been committed for trial.

Byron Tiffin, a farmer in Harwich, fell from a mow to his barn floor. He has since regained consciousness, but his mind is a blank. His recovery is problematical.

LAMBTON.

Oil Springs has organized a brass band.

Sombra village is about to indulge in the luxury of fourteen gasoline lamps.

The store of James Higgins, Sarnia, was broken into the other night and plundered to the extent of $50. Charles Higgins, brother of the owner, was arrested in Port Huron the next day on suspicion. He will not submit to be taken back to Sarnia, and consequently until extradition papers are got ready will remain in custody of the sheriff.

MIDDLESEX.

Mrs. Attwood, of Vanneck, on Thursday received a telegram from her brother, Dr. Charlton, of Weston, asking her to go at once to see their father and mother, who are both very ill. The old gentleman, John Charlton, is well known about Ilderton and Toronto.

Mrs. Rogers, of Ewing, Nebraska, daughter of the late Charles Whealen, one of the early settlers of Ekfrid township, paid a flying visit to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sutherland the other day while returning from visiting relatives in New York. It is some 35 years since Mrs. Rogers resided with her parents on the farm now owned by Mr. Sutherland, and only a few of the familiar landmarks remain.

The collections at the opening services of the new Hunter and Crossley Church at South Dorchester amounted to $48.

Twins (son and daughter) adorn the home of James H. Shields at Dorchester Station.

Miss Minnie Sutherland died at her home at Dorchester a few days ago at the early age of 20 years. She had just completed a course at the St. Thomas Shorthand Academy. Deceased was greatly beloved, and was ill about three months.

A meeting of those interested in establishing a creamery at Newbury will be held in the Town Hall on Friday evening, Aug. 21.

A barn belonging to Wm. Kingdon, West Nissouri, was struck by lightning and destroyed by fire the other night. The season's hay was in the barn. Mr. K. managed to get all his horses out, though it was a narrow escape. Insured.

During the thunder storm on Sunday evening last the barns of Frank Howes, Nissouri, were struck with lightning and burned to the ground, together with the contents, which consisted of some 400 or 500 bushels of wheat, the season's crop of hay and all the farm implements, with the exception of the binder. The barn and contents were insured for $1,000.

Two brothers named Hiram and Aaron Mathers, McGillivray, had a dispute the other day which they tried to settle by a fight, but they did not succeed, and Hiram asked Police Magistrate Wells, of Parkhill, to assist them. Aaron was fined $2, and the costs amounted to $3 80.

Irene Henderson, a little daughter of Walter Henderson, of Wardsville, fell off the abutment of the bridge from a considerable height to the ground below, striking on her back.

The Twenty-sixth Battalion Band, of Glencoe, has secured the services of Thos. Johnson, of Brantford, as leader in the place of Mr. Peachy, who has been obliged finally to retire from that position through ill health.

Death has removed another of the pioneers of South Ekfrid in the person of Donald McLean, who had reached the ripe age of 85 years and 9 days. He was a regular attendant of the Longwoods Baptist Church.

Donald McVicar, of North Glencoe, shipped four carloads of fine cattle to the old country from the C. P. R. station the other day. There were 70 head in all.

At the last meeting of the Biddulph Township Council a rate of 5½ mills on the dollar on the whole ratable property for county and township purposes was ordered to be levied and the school tax as provided by statute. The whole ratable property of the township is $1,217,000 and the amount raised for county and township purposes is $6,693.

George Alexander, a cheesemaker at the Corbett cheese factory in 1889, went to Parkhill about eighteen months ago and proposed to erect a factory. In 1890 the factory built was successfully run with Alexander as maker under a board of directors. This year the directors were changed somewhat and Alexander was chosen as salesman. About a week ago he announced that he had sold the cheese in Sarnia, and he went there to settle. He had in reality laid his plans to get a haul, and had even contrived to get his clothing shipped to Port Huron and a horse and two road carts spirited away. His haul amounts to upwards of $1,000, those supplying and drawing the milk being the chief losers.

WATERLOO.

A case of importance to farmers and dealers was tried in Galt recently. The case was entered by the Humane Society. The defendant, Wm. Mikken had occasion to take three steers or heifers a distance of about three miles. To do this he tied them together by the horns, in consequence of which the animals became unruly and one of them broke a horn and was much bruised about the eyes and severly mangled. The case of cruelty was established and a fine of $1 and costs imposed.

WELLINGTON.

The fall seed fair of the Puslinch Farmers' Club and South Wellington Farmers' Institute will be held in Guelph on Saturday, Aug. 29, where prizes will be given for winter seed wheat, and for the exchange of seed grain. Prof. Shaw, Ontario Agricultural College, will also exhibit a number of choice samples from the experimental plots of the farm.

Warden Shand, an old and very highly respected resident of Garafraxa, died last Friday from a stroke of apoplexy received a week before. He was 75 years of age and has been living on Orangeville road for many long years, being one of the pioneers of this section.

Wm. Jackson, Nassagaweya, thinks he has the biggest yield of potatoes in that section. A hill in which three seed potatoes were dropped last spring yielded 75 potatoes when opened the other day.

Two youths were recently arrested at Palmerston for damaging shade trees belonging to a citizen. They had to pay for damage done and costs, with warning if arrested again they would have to pay the full penalty of the law, which would be $20 each.

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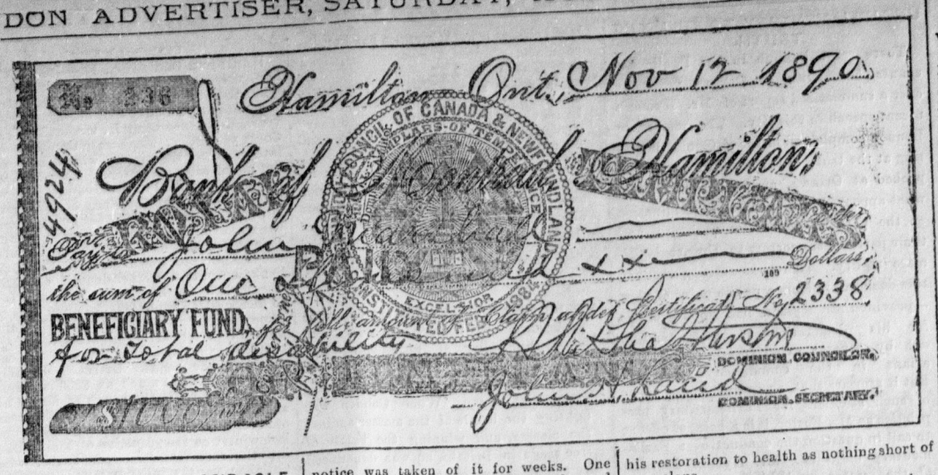
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Toronto Daily Globe, July 25: This is an age of doubt; especially in regard to cures by patent medicines, and not without reason, for too often have the sick and their near and dear loved ones been deceived by highly recommended nostrums that were swallowed to be of less avail than as much water. The old, old fable of the boy and the wolf applies also too frequently to many of the specific concoctions for curing the ills that flesh is heir to; and when a real cure is effected by a genuine remedy those who might be benefited fight shy of it, saying, "it was cure, cure,' so often before that I won't try it." When such a state off affairs exists it is advisable that assurance should be made doubly sure.

A few weeks ago a marvelous and almost miraculous cure was made known to Canadians through the medium of the Hamilton newspapers. It was stated that Mr. John Marshall, a well-known resident of Hamilton, by the aid of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, had been snatched from the very jaws of death, placed upon his feet and enabled to mingle with his fellow-citizens with more than renewed health and strength and even brighter spirits than he had experienced for years before. This remarkable statement naturally excited the wonder of almost a continent. Some believed, most people doubted, although the facts were placed so clearly as to ward off the slightest suspicion of fraud. To investigate the very extraordinary cure and place before the people of Canada and the United States verification or otherwise of it was the special mission of a Globe reporter a few days ago.

A close inquiry into the circumstances first showed that Mr. John Marshall, whose residence is 25 Little William street, off Barton street, in the northeast portion of the city, while employed as foreman of the Canadian Oil Company, five years ago, fell upon the edge of an oil vat and hurt his back. Thinking little of the affair, Mr. Marshall continued to work on, but after a few months he became ill, gradually got worse, and in August, four years ago, became stricken with that dread disease, locomotor ataxy—a disease attacking the nerves and rendering that portion of the system attacked perfectly helpless, proclaimed by the physicians to be incurable—which left him from the waist downwards without feeling and utterly unable to move his lower limbs. All he was able to do was to raise himself by the aid of sticks and crutches and drag himself around the house and occasionally to the corner of the street on fine days. His legs were without feeling, pins and even knives were stuck into them without the sick man experiencing any inconvenience. He could take a walking stick and beat his legs until the blows resounded through the house, and yet he felt nothing. During all these years of torture Mr. Marshall consulted every doctor of ability in the city; tried every form of treatment and took almost every kind of patent medicine, but without receiving one tittle of relief. The agony was frequently so intense that he was obliged to take morphine pills in order to receive a raeasonble amount of sleep.

As the months and years passed by, although the doctors continued to treat him in various ways they plainly told the suffering man that he could not get better, the disease was set down in the works of specialists as incurable. The doomed man was a member of the United Empire Council, No. 190, Royal Templars of Temperance, and under the discouraging circumstances he thought it advisable to apply for the payment of the total disability claim of $1,000, allowed by the order on its insurance policy. Application was accordingly made, but before the claim was granted the patient had to offer conclusive proof of his total disability to the chief examiner, and Mr. Marshall was sent to Toronto for a special electrical treatment. It proved no more successful than the others that had preceded it, and a number of city doctors and the chief medical examiner of the order signed the medical certificate of total disability and Mr. Marshall received from the Dominion Councilor of the Royal Templars a check for $1,000 last November. One day last February came Mr. Marshall's salvation, although he did not accept it at first. A small pamphlet telling of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and the diseases they cured, was thrown into the house, but it was placed aside and no notice was taken of it for weeks. One day the sick man reread the circular and concluded to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, although Mrs. Marshall tried hard to dissuade him, saying they would be as ineffectual as all the others; but on April 14th—memorable day to him—Mr. Marshall began to take the pills, one after each meal for a start. In a few days a change was noticed and as he continued to take the pills he gradually improved and in a little over a month he was able to take the train for Toronto and visit an astonished brother-in-law. Now he can walk four or five miles with any of his friends.

The Globe representative paid a visit to the house of the man thus rescued from a living death. Mr. Marshall's home, cosy, comfortable, with climbing flowers covering its front, was reached only to find him out, taking a few miles constitutional up town. Mrs. Marshall, with smile-wreathed face, and looking as happy and light-hearted as upon her wedding day, welcomed her visitor and appeared delighted to have the opportunity of telling frankly and fully—while awaiting Mr. Marshall's return—what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills had done for her husband.

"It was a happy day for me," she said, "when Mr. Marshall tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Many's the weary day I had before that. Look at all these things we bought, hoping they would cure him," and the good lady turned with an armful of straps and tacklings of all kinds. There was a combination of harness and attachments of leather used for the "suspensory treatment" by which the crippled man was hung in the barn by his body with his feet but a few inches from the floor. There were enough belts, bandages, supporters and soles to set up a good sized store. Then Mrs. Marshall showed a collection of crutches and sticks which her husband had used. The whole collection was a large and remarkable one.

Mrs. Marshall showed a letter received that day from New York State, in which was a query similar to many that had previously been received by Mr. Marshall, "Write me if it is a fact or only an advertisement."

"Here's a bundle of letters," said Mrs. Marshall, showing about 100 letters tied together, "that my husband has received during the past two weeks, and I can tell you he is only too glad to answer all the letters cheerfully and readily, for he is anxious to give all the information he can to others suffering as he did." A firm step here was heard at the gate and in a moment a sturdy healthy-looking man of middle age, with glowing, black side whiskers and ruddy, pleasant features stepped into the room. It was Mr. Marshall, who gave no indication of ever having been a sick man, suffering from ataxy. When the reporter's mission was explained, Mr. Marshall's face lighted up with a smile, which caused a responsive one to rise upon the features of his wife, and he expressed his perfect willingness to tell all that was asked of him.

"Why, I feel a better man now that I did ten years ago," said he, cheerfully. "It's four years next August since I did a days' work but I guess I can soon make a start again. About my illness? It was all caused through falling and hurting my back. I kept getting worse until I couldn't get off a chair without a stick or crutches. The lower part of my body and legs were useless. I tried every doctor and every patent medicine, spending hundreds of dollars. Everything that was likely to help me I got, but I might as well have thrown it in the bay. I suppose my wife has shown you the apparatus I used at one time or another. A dozen city doctors gave me up. I got enough electric shocks for half a dozen men, but they did me no good. I lost control of my bowels and water and couldn't sleep without morphine. During the day my legs were cold and I had to sit by the stove wrapped in a blanket, suffering intense agony from nervous pains in the legs, neck and head. Yes, I received from the Royal Templars a $1,000 check, being declared totally unable to follow my employment. One day in April I took a notion to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, carefully following the directions accompanying each box. Why, in three days I got relief and kept on mending. I threw away the morphine pills and the crutches. I recovered my appetite and regained control of my bowels and water, and I went on getting better and stronger, and now you see me stronger and more healthy than I was for years before I was taken ill. I tell you I am feeling first-class," and Mr. Marshall slapped his legs vigorously and gave the lower part of his back a good thumping, afterwards going up and down the room at a lively gait.

"I weigh 160 pounds to-day," he continued, "and I've gained 30 pounds since I first took Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, I haven't such a thing as a pain or ache about me, and another thing, I can walk as easily in the dark as in the light."

Mr. Marshall offered to make an affidavit to the truth of the above story, but the reporter considered that wholly unnecessary. He carried conviction to the inquirer's mind by every word and action, and there was no gainsaying the fact that the cure was one of the most marvelous in the nineteenth century. All the neighbors bore testimony to the genuineness of the cure. None of them ever expected to see Mr. Marshall on his feet again, and regarded his restoration to health as nothing short of marvelous.

The headquarters of the Royal Templars of Temperance for Canada are in Hamilton. At the publishing house of the order, Mr. W. W. Buchanan, general manager and one of the most prominent temperance advocates of the Dominion, was found. In response to the reporter's question he said: "Oh, yes, I am well acquainted with Mr. John Marshall. He has been a member of one of the councils of this city for about seven years. He is a well-known citizen and a reliable temperance man. About four years ago he was first taken seriously ill and his case was brought before the order. The provisions under which the total disability claim is paid in our organization are very strict. The weekly sick benefit is payable to any person under the doctor's care who is unable to follow his usual avocation, but the total disability is a comparatively large sum, only paid a member who is disabled for life, and declared by medical men to be entirely past all hope of recovery. In Mr. Marshall's case there was some difficulty it is true; he was examined upon a number of occasions, covering upwards of two years. The medical men who examined him all agreed that there was little hope of recovery, but they would not give the definite declaration that our law demands—that the claimant was permanently and totally disabled—until last November. When this declaration by two regular physicians was made and our Dominion medical referee, we paid Mr. Marshall the total disability benefit of one thousand dollars. He was paid by a check on the Bank of Montreal. There is no doubt whatever about the remarkable character of Mr. Marshall's cure. A large number of our members in this city were intimately acquainted with Mr. Marshall and called upon him frequently. All were unanimous in the belief that he was past all hope of recovery. His cure is looked upon as next to a miracle. I have conversed with him a number of times about it, and he gives the whole credit to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and the application of cold water which is recommended as a subsidiary treatment by the proprietors of the medicine. He drops into my office every day or two and is apparently enjoying good health now."

The general offices of the order are in the old Bank of Upper Canada building just opposite the publishing house. Mr. J. H. Land, the Dominion secretary, was easily found, and in response to the questions asked simply corroborated all that the general manager had said. Mr. Land is a neighbor of Mr. Marshall, living within a block of him in the northeastern part of the city. He was well acquainted with him for years before he was taken sick, and pronounced his recovery as one of the most remarkable things in all his experience.

"I have not much faith in patent nostrums," said Mr. Land, "but Mr. Marshall's case proves beyond doubt that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a wonderful medicine. He seemed to have exhausted all other means and methods of treatment during his long illness and all without any benefit, but his recovery was rapid and wonderful immediately after he commenced using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

Inquiries among the city druggists disclosed the fact that an extraordinary demand had arisen for Dr. William's Pink Pills, and that the claims made for them by the proprietors are borne out by numerous cures. It may be remarked that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are offered by the proprietors as a certain blood tonic and nerve builder for all diseases arising from an overtaxed or weakened condition of the nervous system, or from an impoverished or vitiated condition of the blood—such as the complaints peculiar to female weakness, loss of appetite, inability to sleep, dizziness, pale and and sallow complexions, loss of memory, that tired feeling which affects so many, and disease resulting from overwork, mental worry, abuse or loss of vital forces, etc.

John A. Barr, a well-known and popular dispenser of drugs here, told the reporter that he knew of no patent medicine that had such a demand upon it, or one that had done all that was promised for it. On that day he sold no less than 40 boxes of the pills, and since he received the first installment he had sold nearly 300 boxes. He told of several cases of great relief and cure that had come under his notice. Mr. Wm. Webster, McNab street, after suffering from ataxy for years, from the first had found certain relief from taking the pills, and he is now a new man. Mr. George Lees, corner of Park and Main streets, after years of illness of a similar nature, had taken three boxes of the pills, and was able to walk out greatly improved in health. Another case Mr. Barr vouched for was a city patient, who had been cured by the pills of the effects of la grippe, after having been given up by the doctors. Many others had spoken highly of the Pink Pills as a fine remedy for nervous and blood disorders. Other druggists told the same story.

One thing worthy of note in connection with the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is the light expense attending the treatment. These pills are sold in boxes (never in bulk or by the 100) at 50 cents a box and may be had of all dealers or direct by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., or Morristown, N. Y.



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God's in His heaven,
All's right with the world.
—[BROWNING.

London, Saturday, Aug. 15.

IMPORTANT MOTION CARRIED IN PARLIAMENT.

Thursday in Parliament Sir Richard Cartwright moved the following important and significant resolution, which, after an instructive debate, was unanimously carried:

"That the acceptance of gifts or testimonials of any kind on the part of Ministers of the Crown or any members of their families from contractors, Government officials or other persons having pecuniary relations with the Government is entirely opposed to sound principles of administration, and is calculated to bring parliamentary government into contempt; and that the example thus given tends to corrupt and demoralize the officials serving under Ministers who have accepted or permitted the acceptance of gifts or testimonials as aforesaid."

The view embodied in this resolution is the view vainly emphasized by Mr. Blake some years ago, at a time when the Government majority at Ottawa was not down to 18 in a House of 215 members.

This is the view contravened by Sir John Macdonald's acceptance of a testimonial, to say nothing of Lady Macdonald's diamonds; by Sir Hector Langevin's two testimonials; by Mr. Chapleau's; by Mr. Costigan's acceptance of a house, and other well-known cases.

Sir John Thompson accepted the resolution, though, like Mr. Chapleau and Mr. Costigan, feebly protesting that it was not to be held to apply to specific cases, but to be regarded as merely the affirmation of a general principle! No one need object too seriously to the Government using this pillow upon which to ease their surrender.

The important point is that Parliament has been induced by Sir Richard Cartwright to assent unanimously to a resolution which virtually censures the corrupt "testimonial" business of past years, and which warns all Ministers disposed to cultivate the corrupt "testimonial" business hereafter.

That such a resolution should have been carried shows the rising force of public opinion and the growing power of the friends of good and honest government.

The Augean stable must be cleansed, and by Sir Richard Cartwright's resolution of yesterday a sluice of clear and cleansing water was introduced where it was most needed.

HON. OLIVER MOWAT'S JUDICIAL JUBILEE.

In 1837 Collins, in his life of Sir John Macdonald, says "there came to the office (in Kingston) one day a chubby little lad, with large, prominent eyes and a methodical walk and manner of speaking, stating that he wanted to study law. The firm took the lad; he is to-day the Premier of Ontario." The youth studied for four years in John A. Macdonald's office, and in 1841 passed as a barrister.

This year, therefore, Hon. Oliver Mowat has been for half a century a barrister. He has taken first rank in his profession, has been a judge of the land, and for nearly twenty years has ruled his native Province.

The arrival at the half century milestone in his professional career by a member of the profession occupying so exalted a position is not likely to pass unnoticed by the gentleman's professional brethren. There is talk of the Benchers of the Law Society formally congratulating Mr. Mowat on his long and honorable connection with the profession.

IT IS said that Sir Hector Langevin will go into exile in Europe for two years. The question is, will he take his "testimonials" with him? They would be a great catch for an English Barnum.

UNPARLIAMENTARY TO TELL THE TRUTH.

There was a hubbub in the Public Accounts Committee at Ottawa yesterday over a summarized report of Mr. Hyman's recent speech in this city. The member for London complained of the difficulty in getting at the truth in the scandals now being probed at Ottawa, and gave instances of what appeared to him to be a determination on the part of committee chairmen and their partisan supporters to thwart legitimate inquiry. There was nothing wrong in this declaration from a public point of view—provided Mr. Hyman had good grounds for his declaration—as was pointed out by several experienced Parliamentarians in the committee yesterday. But it appears that, according to the views of such sticklers for Parliamentary proprieties as Mr. Foster, it is a heinous offense to call in question the conduct of a Parliamentary majority. Mr. Hyman disposed of the matter by holding to his opinion, while expressing regret if he had transgressed the rules of the House.

Mr. Hyman needs no vindication at our hands. The reports of the investigation before the Public Accounts Committee show under what difficulty the members of the Opposition pursue their inquiry into the corruption that has attended the regime of the present Administration. Let any intelligent man read the record of one day's investigation—only that of Friday, July 31—and say whether there was not a deliberate attempt to thwart investigation, in which more than one Minister participated. Let us briefly summarize the proceedings on that memorable occasion:

When construction on the Langevin block at Ottawa was under full blast, Sir Hector Langevin was presented with a very expensive testimonial. There was a pretense in the committee that nobody knew anything about who the subscribers were, but Mr. Mulock had apparently obtained information on the point. He was under the impression that he could establish a direct relation between subscriptions to the testimonial and various frauds and overcharges practiced in connection with the construction of the block. On the avowed understanding that there should be a searching investigation, Mr. Mulock proceeded. He asked the Ottawa lawyer who bought the plate to produce the list of subscribers to the testimonial. Was not that a proper question? It was decided by the Ministers present that it was not. Sir Richard Cartwright commented on the shamefulness of ruling out such a pertinent and necessary inquiry. Minister Foster then said that only by showing that certain irregularities had taken place because of certain relations between the Minister and the contractor could the matter be inquired into. Mr. Mulock took Mr. Foster at his word. He proceeded to say that it had already been proved by the Government's own chief architect that Mr. Charlebois, the contractor, had been given the privilege by the Minister to collect tribute from all the other contractors, which privilege, as the evidence has shown, was embraced by him to the fullest extent possible, to the serious loss of the country. This was a clincher, but the partisan gang in the committee took a new tack. Mr. Wood said if the contractor were here, he could be asked how much he contributed. The chairman so ruled. Mr. Lister rightly concluded from this reply that it was proper to ask the witness O'Connor, then on the stand, how much he contributed. Up bobbed Ministers Foster and Bowell, and the question was disallowed. After further attempts to get at the truth in this remarkable case the chairman—he was the same man who ruled a few minutes before that contributors to the testimonial could be asked how much they subscribed—said, "I rule out all questions relating to this testimonial." If such a ruling was not gross partisanship we should like anyone inclined to defend the chairman and the Ministers who prompted him to tell us what it was?

Meanwhile Mr. Chapleau suggested that the best way to meet the matter was to ask the House for power to inquire into this testimonial. Mr. Mulock moved in accordance with this suggestion. Mr. Foster, the virtuous, chivalrous Mr. Foster, opposed even this motion, and finally his partisan followers voted it down, and the inquiry was burked.

All this in one day, and there has been a great deal of it since. There was more of it last night, after the attack on Mr. Hyman, a persistent attempt being made to burk the inquiry into the Printing Bureau scandals. They even went so far as to oppose the reading of a document sent for by the committee! The secret lay in its damaging nature. Still we are told that it is unparliamentary for an honest representative of the people to criticise such conduct. It may be unparliamentary for us to agree with him. At the risk of being dragged to Ottawa and hurled into the Tower for our pains, we do not hesitate to say that the conduct of those men who trifle with the time of Parliament, and use every artifice possible to conceal wrongdoing rendered possible by their incapacity or worse, is scandalous. It certainly does not bear out the statement that the one desire of the Administration is to honestly discover the iniquities that have grown up under ring rule.

TOPICS OF THE DAY.

PROFESSOR LESTER F. WOOD, of the United States Geological Survey, has been favored with a remarkable advertisement for his work on dynamic sociology. The Russian Imperial Council of Ministers has ordered that 12,000 of a Russian translation of the work shall be cremated. This will be a loss of 3,000 roubles to the writer, but it will give his book an immense general and secret circulation in Europe. The Russian rulers fear that the teachings of the book will endanger the autocratic regime, and it takes no chances. Ignorance may not be bliss in Russia, but it is deemed wisdom to have as much of it as possible lest the privileged classes lose their upper hand on the populace.

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IT IS a queer sort of political morality which plays off a Mercier against a Langevin and declares "honors are easy" between the Grits and Tories.—[Montreal Star.

The only way to protect the public interests is for the electors to frown upon and vote against evil and the condoners of evil wherever found. The people of Ontario cannot control Quebec Provincial legislators, but they can control and purify the Dominion Parliament.

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IT IS the custom of the high tax organs to blackguard the leading Liberals who favor the policy of establishing the greatest freedom of trade with our neighbors. This is no new expedient of the monopolist organ. When Cobden was fighting the battle of the masses against the classes, and winning the battle of free trade in Britain, he was denounced by the Morning Post as the arch enemy of English industry. Such epithets, however, discomfited neither him nor Bright, his silver-tongued coadjutor, and they lived to see their toiling fellow-countrymen vastly benefited by emancipation from the rule of the rings. A similar experience awaits the much-reviled advocates of trade freedom in Canada.

THE POETICAL POINT OF VIEW.

[Chautauqua Assembly Herald.]

Miss Willard objects to the comparison of a girl upon a bicycle to the old woman upon her broom, but suggests "Fortuna on her wheel," "Aurora from the smiling circle of the hours," and the scene when "swift Camilla scours along the plain, flies o'er the unbending corn, and skims along the main."

WHY THE METER ESCAPED.

[Ishpeming Times.]

A Detroit burglar stole all the gas fixtures and several feet of lead pipe from a church in that city last week. Professional courtesy, however, debarred him from molesting the meter.

THE CABLE SPEED OF ELECTRICITY

[Scientific American.]

The experiments now in progress at McGill College, Montreal, under the auspices of the British and Canadian Governments, to ascertain the longitude of Montreal by direct observations from Greenwich, have led to the establishment of a remarkable telegraphic feat.

The first thing to determine was the length of time it took a telegraphic signal to cross the Atlantic. An automatic contrivance whereby the land line could work into the cable was provided, and a duplex circuit was arranged, so that the signal sent from Montreal would go over the land lines to Canso thence over the cable to Waterville, Ireland, and return to Montreal again. Attached to the sending and receiving apparatus was a chronograph, which measured the time.

Out of 200 sent it was found that the average time taken to cross the Atlantic and back again—a distance of 8,000 miles—occupied a trifle over one second, the exact time being one second and five hundredths.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

ANECDOTAL LIFE OF SIR JOHN MACDONALD. By E. B. Biggar. Montreal: Printed by John Lovell & Sons. Price, 50 cents.

This is the first "life" of the dead Conservative leader so far published. It is what is foreshadowed in the title, an account of the doings of Sir John so far as light was shed on them by his fund of anecdote and humor. Everybody knows that one secret of his success in controlling men lay in his jocular manner, and in this work his jokes and stories—or at least those told in public—are compiled in a most interesting way. The author must have been "saving up" material for many years. Mr. Biggar writes from the standpoint of an admirer. His book is readable, if a trifle biassed.

James Russell Lowell's Funeral.

BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 14.—The funeral of James Russell Lowell took place in Appleton chapel, Harvard University, at noon to-day (Friday). Bishop-elect Brooks and Dean Lawrence, of the Episcopal Theological School at Cambridge, conducted the services. In a family lot in Mount Auburn, located in a valley in the shadow of Longfellow's resting place, is Lowell's grave.

Strained Relations with China.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—The Standard's correspondent at Shanghai says the negotiations of the foreign legations with the Government with reference to the recent riots had no satisfactory result. The relations continue strained.

The Chinese legation in Paris have issued a note denying the truth of the statements made in foreign dispatches.

Nearly Asphyxiated.

BRANTFORD, Ont., Aug. 14.—The family of Mr. G. R. Kerr, were nearly asphyxiated Wednesday night. They live over the store, and early in the morning one of the sons was awakened by a severe pain in his head. Hearing groans from an adjoining room he found his father and mother gasping for breath. A break in the gas pipe is supposed to have been occasioned during the work on the sewers. Mr. and Mrs. Kerr are both laid up over the occurrence, although out of danger.

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Callahan's Steal.

HAMILTON, Ont. Aug., 14.—John Callahan, the street railway night watchman who succeded in stealing nearly $15,000 from the company's money bag during the past years, did not come up for trial at the Police Court yesterday. Magistrate Cahill was too fatigued after sitting two whole days trying liquor cases to attend. Callahan was remanded for trial until Monday. It was stated to-day that the sums already given as deposited in the banks did not represent the whole of Callahan's ill-gotten wealth. It is stated that last Tuesday, the day after the examination was made into Callahan's bank accounts a further deposit of $1,100 was made in the Bank of Montreal. It is to be regretted that Mrs. Callahan does not come out clear in the transaction, but it is known that she carried probably the larger portion of the deposits of five and ten cent pieces to the banks. Detective Hastings discovered that as much as $200 a month had been placed in the banks by Mrs. Callahan. Callahan's dishonesty was the means of several honest drivers being discharged last winter on the suspicion of their pilfering the fares from the car boxes, when Callahan was the guilty party.

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CONVERSAZIONE.

Motto for the Week:

The gossip in a house always decreases as the library increases.—[Exchange.

Misfits.

[Christian Union.]

The Spectator was in church a few Sundays ago with his wife—that is, he was nominally and corporeally present, though he must confess that, having perceived that the sermon had no application to him, he was not paying much attention to it. His wife gently pulled him by the sleeve and recalled him to himself and his surroundings with a whispered request. "John," said she, "look round you and see what kind of a congregation the minister is preaching this sermon to. So he looked about him. In the gallery was a charity school—on one side boys, on the other girls, ages ranging from 6 to 16. This charity school constituted a considerable proportion of the congregation—I do not say audience; the galleries were otherwise empty. The floor was singularly, perhaps it should rather be said pathetically, free from young men. There were a goodly number of men of middle or past middle age, with their wives; a considerably larger proportion of women, presumably widows, maiden sisters, etc.; a smaller number of young maidens, who alone of the congregation were listening with any apparent interest to the discourse; and a sprinkling of small and restless children. And the minister was preaching on—

How to Select a Wife.

"But ministers," said the parson, "are not responsible for such misfits as that. I recall two such experiences in my own life. Both occurred a number of years ago, before I had acquired enough experience in the pulpit to enable me to change my theme on short notice—or on none at all. The spring had opened beautifully. Thursday was a lovely day. The air was balmy; the grass was just putting on its loveliest green; the early flowers were just putting their heads above the soil. I had been out the afternoon before with my children gathering the trailing arbutus. My head was full of the beauty of spring, and I went into my study and wrote a sermon full of the poetry and warmth and opening life and promise of those lovely spring days. Saturday afternoon one of our American changes came; a northwester blew up, and with it a cold rain; the rain changed in the night to snow; my congregation came to church in mackintoshes and rubbers through two inches of snow and mud; and a visible smile spread over their faces when I arose and announced my text: 'The flowers appeared on the earth; the time of the singing of birds is come, and the voice of the turtle is heard in our land.' The other time was just after I had received my license to preach. My Alma Mater honored me with an invitation to preach on the day of fasting and prayer for colleges. I am afraid that I had not attended the divine service on that day as I ought; at all events, I took it for granted that I was to preach a sermon to college students, and I prepared a special appropriate discourse on the text 'Quit you like men; be strong.' It was an artistic sermon; I quite prided myself on the skill with which at regular recurring intervals I led up to the exhortation of that text, which constituted the climax of each head of the discourse. What was my dismay to find, when I rose in the pulpit to conduct the services, that the congregation consisted of two pious college boys in the gallery, who had not been drawn away from the house of fasting and prayer by the superior attractions of a ball game and picnic, and a hundred 'mothers in Israel' who had come together to pray that their sons and grandsons might not be swept away into unbelief by modern science and philosophy. The way I exhorted those elderly ladies to quit themselves like men was a cause of unmistakably profane amusement to the two collegians in the gallery, who, I venture to say, got more fun out of my sermon than their comrades did out of the ball game."

The Sun Becoming Spotted Again.

The eyes of astronomers are once more directed with renewed interest to the face of the sun, which this year has shown a decided increase in the size and number of black spots upon its surface.

These spots are great sink-holes in the sun into which are decending vapors that are cooler and consequently darker than the surrounding surface. There is an intimate connection between the spots and certain explosions or eruptions that occur on the sun, by which vast quantities of glowing hydrogen and vaporized metals are cast up to an enormous height, as stones and ashes are thrown out by volcanoes on the earth.

The late Father Secchi, a celebrated Italian astronomer, thought that the spots were caused by the settling down of the materials thus cast forth, which had been partially cooled and condensed during their lofty flight.

Great sun-spots are frequently completely encircled by tremendous eruptions, which sometimes hurl the dazzling substance of the sun two or three thousand miles high.

The question whether sun-spots exercise any influence upon the weather, if so what the effect is, has naturally arisen again now that the spots are coming back.

It is certain that extraordinary outbursts in the sun produce violent magnetic disturbances upon the earth, and splendid displays of the aurora borealis, or Northern lights, which are caused by atmospheric electricity.

It has been also suspected that certain destructive storms, like our Western tornadoes and the typhoons of the China Sea, are more frequent when sun-spots are most numerous, but this remains to be proven by further observations.

A fact to be kept in mind when thinking of the influence of disturbances on the sun, is that while the earth would be swallowed up completely if dropped into some of the sun-spot holes that to us look like mere specks on the solar surface, the sun, on the other hand, is so large that although its distance from us is nearly 93,000,000 miles, yet only a little more than 100 suns laid in a row touching one anothe, would reach the earth.

Blessed Rain.

How much is a shower of rain worth? It may be worth millions of dollars, if it comes in the right place and at the right time.

Perhaps some of our readers do not know what a powerful thing a shower of rain is. We will suppose an inch of rain to fall on the two Dakotas. The amount would be sufficient to fill a tank two miles long, a mile wide and a mile deep. In other words, more than two cubic miles of water fall in such a shower.

The weight of such a body of water is more than ten thousand million tons.

But these figures are not nearly so interesting to the farmers as are those which express the money value of a timely shower. According to the last report of the Agricultural Department of the United States a little more than six million acres of land in the Dakotas were devoted to cereal crops.

It is probable that the rain which came to these two States about the first of June, which is believed to have made secure a fine yield of grain, added a value of not less than two dollars to the production of every acre under cultivation; and this means not less than $12,000,000 in the whole.

American crops this year are almost certain to be good, all over the country and for all classes of products. European crops, on the other hand, are equally sure to be bad.

We congratulate the farmers most heartily upon their prospects. Bad times are bad in more ways than one. Not only are men pinched to meet their expenses, although they have labored long and faithfully, but they are apt, at such times, to try to find additional reasons, besides the unkindness of Mother Earth, for the hardships they encounter.

This is as natural as it is to breathe. But when the reaper moves through teeming fields, all the wheels of industry move swiftly and noiselessly, and many of the frictions that are caused by hard times disappear.

At A Chinese Banquet.

A wealthy Chinese merchant of San Francisco recently gave a banquet to some prominent New York gentlemen with whom he had business relations, and many are the wonders told of the feast. Delicacies which to the American palate were uneatable were mingled with the most delicious viands. Some of them are easily recognized, while others were as strange and unaccountable as the native tongue of the host.

Among the many sweets offered for dessert were oranges of which the skin had apparently not been broken, yet from which the pulp had somehow been mysteriously removed, half-a-dozen sorts of jelly having been made to take its place.

The guests were unable to understand how so delicate an operation had been accomplished, but their astonishment was increased when the next moment they were served with eggs of which the shells were apparently whole, yet turned out to be full of nuts and candies.

Then another course of eggs exactly similar in appearance was laid before them, and when they broke the shells tiny live birds came flying out and fluttered about the room.

"How in the world is this managed?" one of the guests cried in astonishment.

"Melican man heap smart," the host answered, with a laugh, "but Melican man no findee out allee tings in wo'lde, allee samee."

And that was the only satisfaction they could obtain.

Von Moltk's Mottoes.

It was said of Von Moltke that no man ever had a keener appreciation than he for maxims and proverbs. He had an idea that every person should choose one and be careful to let it govern him in all things.

Von Moltke followed this plan himself; and his favorite motto furnished a key to all his conduct. It was "Erst wagen, dann wagen," which means "First weigh, then dare." The familiar English proverb which comes nearest to the significance of this is "Look before you leap;" but the German saying means more than this.

In the "Gedenkbuch" or memorial volume in the German Museum at Nuremberg, Von Moltke wrote the following words:

Allezeit
Treu, bereit
Fur des Reiches Herrlichkeit.

This is a patriotic motto, which may be thus very freely translated:

Always true,
Ready too,
For country glorious deeds to do.

GLAD TIDINGS.

Christian Endeavor. The plan of attempting to raise $500,000 yearly for missionary work through Christian Endeavor Societies, each member giving 2 cents a week, is meeting with great success. One hundred and fifty societies report 5,000 names—that means $5,000, which sum will support 70 first-class native preachers in India and China.

A son of a Modoc chief is the president of the Christian Endeavor Society in Yainax Indian school, Bly, Ore.

Blessing and Cursing. The Burmah Bible and Tract Society, in its annual report for 1890, says: "How every true heart is pained at the thought that the two great English-speaking nations, that are doing so much to bless heathen lands, are at the same time doing so much to curse them. Oh, that they would cease to do evil and learn to do well! Then would they bless only, and not curse, and in blessing they would be blessed. But in cursing they shall certainly be cursed. The God of the terrible civil war in the United States, and of the Indian mutiny, is unchangeable and eternal." We notice that Sir Charles H. T. Crosthwaite, Chief Commissioner for Burmah, is president of the society.

A Call to New Prayer and Effort. A memorial from the Presbytery of Los Angeles, Cal., was sent to the late Presbyterian General Assembly at Detroit, asking for the issue of a pastoral letter, addressed to the churches, and calling upon pastors and people to make the coming ecclesiastical year—the year 1891-92—a year of specific, continuous, prayerful and hearty endeavor for the salvation of souls. Though this is always the chief business of the Church of Christ, the General Assembly is entreated to give special emphasis to the enforcement of this duty now. Facts and figures are given to show how vast is the work before the church, and how inadequate are the efforts to overtake this work. The memorial urges the need of a great, powerful, all-pervading revival of religion, which is to be looked for only through the "ministry of personal, systematic, unanimous work for souls."

A Noble Race. It is known, but seldom fully apprehended, that the great bulk of the people of Africa south of the equator, belonging as they do to the Bantu race, are not negroes, though they may not inappropriately be called negroids. A traveler, quoted in the Missionary Record of the United Presbyterian Church of Scotland, says: "The Bantu is a fine, tall, upright man, with delicately small hands and well-shaped feet, high, thin nose, beard and mustache. They are not black, but generally of a warm chocolate. Some of the men are perfect Greek statues as regards the splendid development and poise of figure. They have pleasing faces because of the perfect good humor that enlivens their features." One tribe, to the south of Stanley Pool, are described as having not a stupid face among them. The noble heads of the men make them appear as if they were all "members of Parliament." Like the negroes, they are born orators, but apparently on a higher range. "A sermon that I heard from one of them," says a missionary, "was as fine as ever I heard in Europe or America, not only in point of delivery, but in its clearness of reasoning and in its profound perception of spiritual truth."

Items of Interest. George Muller has under his care 75 schools, of which 13 are in Spain, 2 in Italy, 2 in the East Indies and 7 in the English colonies. In May of last year these schools contained 6,250 pupils, and the total number since the first one was opened, in 1834, was 112,937. The expenses have been $489,000. Mr. Muller planned to go out as a missionary to India, but insuperable obstacles prevented. But, remaining at home, he has been able to raise and distribute for missions $1,116,800.

The Protestants of Germany and German Switzerland are said to contribute for foreign missions at the rate of but 12 centimes each, and those of France but 45 centimes. Now the centime is only the 100th part of a franc, or the fifth of a cent!

On the 17th of February last the largest missionary party ever landed in China arrive at Shanghai from San Francisco. It was composed of 35 men and women, who were to be followed the next week by ten or fifteen more, the whole being a party of missionaries sent from the United States by the Scandinavian churches of that country to labor in Hudson Taylor's China inland mission.

The colonial politicians of Germany seem to have concluded an alliance, offensive and defensive, with Roman Catholic missions, which lend themselves very easily to political schemings. Of this the hard-hearted and almost wantonly murderous Dr. Peters is a notorious example. He boasts of having persuaded Mwanga to ordain "that Mohammedanism should be absolutely forbidden, and made subject to the punishment of death!"

WORDS THAT BURN.

A BALLAD OF TREES AND THE MASTER.

[By Sidney Lanier.]

Into the woods my Master went,
Clean forspent, clean forspent.
Into the woods my Master came,
Forspent with love and shame.
But the olives, they were not blind to Him.
And the little gray leaves were kind to Him;
The thorn tree had a mind to Him
When into the woods He came.

Out of the woods my Master went,
And He was well content,
Out of the woods my Master came,
Content with death and shame.
When death and shame would woo Him—last,
From under the trees they drew Him—last;
'Twas on a tree they slew Him—last
When out of the woods He came.

MIXED.

Within my earthly temple there's a crowd;
There's one of us that's humble, one that's proud;
There's one who's broken-hearted for his sins,
And one who, unrepentant, sits and grins.

There's one who loves his neighbor as himself,
And one who cares for naught but fame and pelf,
From much corroding care I should be free,
If once I could determine which is me.
—[E. S. Martin.

THEN SHALL I TRIUMPH.

[From Love Poems of Louis Baranaval, 1883.]

When we are touched by wrinkled age
Your bosom now ineffable
As God's most pure, unwritten Page,
No longer glorious in swell,
War on the ravished eyes will wage
Nor still of other beauties tell,
Your lips will pinch, your neck turn sallow,
Your eyesight fail and cheeks grow hollow.

Then shall I triumph, then those lips
I'll press with bliss by so much clearer
As from your frame the beauty slips
And to your eyes the soul is nearer;
Thus have you seen of seaworn ships
Crumbled in wreck the lifelong steerer,
Feel for the hulk more love and pride
Than e'er for yachts that brave the tide.
—Charles de Kay.

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MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY.

LONDON TIME.

Canada Southern Division—Going East.

	Leave London	Leave St. Thomas.
North Shore Limited (daily)	8:30 p.m.	11:00 p.m
N. Y. Express (daily)	8:30 p.m.	3:05 a.m
American Express (except Monday)	9:50 a.m.	11:15 a.m
Atlantic Express (daily)	9:50 a.m.	1:50 p.m
Mail (except Sundays)	2:25 p.m.	3:15 p.m
Limited Express (daily)	8:30 p.m.	2:05 a.m
N. Y. and Boston Express (daily)	2:25 p.m.	5:05 p.m
Accom'd'n (except Sunday)	8:30 p.m.	7:00 a.m

Canada Southern Division—Going West.

North Shore Limited (daily)	8:30 p.m.	7:23 a.m
Chicago Express (daily)	8:30 p.m.	5:05 a.m
Chicago Lt'd Exp. (daily)	9:50 a.m.	10:55 a.m
American Express (except Mondays)	9:50 a.m.	1:35 p.m
Mail (except Sundays)	2:25 p.m.	3:10 p.m
Pacific Express (daily)	2:25 p.m.	5:45 p.m
Accom'd'n (except Sunday)	8:30 p.m.	7:40 a.m

[NOTE.—No trains to or from London on Sundays.]

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GRAND TRUNK—Southern Division

CORRECTED MAY 11, 1891.

MAIN LINE—Going East

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Limited Express (a)	3:35 a.m.	3:55 a.m
Mail	.....	6:00 a.m
Atlantic Express (a)	12:05 p.m.	12:10 p.m
Day Express	10:50 a.m.	2:20 p.m
St. Louis Express (a) (b)	4:20 p.m.	4:25 p.m
Mixed—No. 28 Freight (c)	6:45 p.m.	6:50 p.m
Erie Limited	11:20 p.m.	11:40 p.m

MAIN LINE—Going West.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Chicago Express (a)	6:10 a.m.	6:30 a.m
West End Mixed	.....	6:45 a.m
Erie Limited	11:00 a.m.	.....
St. Louis Express (a)	11:20 a.m.	11:30 a.m
Accommodation	12:40 p.m.	2:15 p.m
Pacific Express (a)	6:50 p.m.	7:10 p.m
Mail	9:55 p.m.	.....
Accommodation	.....	7:20 p.m

Sarnia Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Limited Express (b)	3:50 a.m.	.....
Atlantic Express (b)	11:45 a.m.	.....
Accommodation	2:15 p.m.	.....
Accommodation	8:45 p.m.	.....
Erie Limited (b)	11:35 p.m.	.....

Sarnia Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Chicago Express (b)	.....	5:20 a.m
Accommodation	.....	7:35 a.m
Erie Limited (b)	.....	11:05 a.m
Accommodation	.....	2:30 p.m
Pacific Express (b)	.....	7:00 p.m

London, Huron and Bruce.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Express	10:15 a.m.	8:05 a.m
Mail	6:45 p.m.	4:25 p.m

London and Port Stanley.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Mail	.....	6:40 a.m
Accommodation	7:20 a.m.	9:30 a.m
Mail	2:10 p.m.	2:50 p.m
Accommodation	6:35 p.m.	7:00 p.m
Mixed	6:50 p.m.	.....
Mail	11:15 p.m.	.....

St. Marys and Stratford Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Mixed—Mail	10:55 a.m.	7:25 a.m
Express	5:40 p.m.	2:15 p.m
Express—Mixed	9:30 p.m.	6:00 p.m

Toronto Branch.

Hamilton—Depart—							
a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m
*7:00	9:15	10:50	12:25	4:10	4:40	a*7:00	9:25
Hamilton—Arrive—							
a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m
12:30	18:50	10:09	b11:10	4:00	6:25		8:15

* These trains for Montreal.
† These trains from Montreal.
(a) Runs daily, Sundays included.
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DEPART—			
London	4:00 a.m.	8:00 a.m.	5:35 p.m
Woodstock	4:16 a.m.	8:50 a.m.	6:33 p.m
Galt	5:40 a.m.	9:50 a.m.	7:30 p.m
Guelph	9:20 a.m.	11:05 a.m.	8:40 p.m
Toronto	8:15 a.m.	12:00 noon	9:25 p.m
Peterboro	11:45 a.m.	.....	12:13 a.m
Kingston	4:00 p.m.	.....	9:40 p.m
Ottawa	5:45 p.m.	.....	6:00 a.m
Montreal	7.55 p.m.	.....	8:15 a.m
Quebec	6:30 a.m.	.....	3:00 p.m
Portland, Me	8:30 a.m.	.....	6:55 p.m
Boston	8:10 a.m.	.....	8:50 p.m
Halifax, N. S.	11:10 p.m.	.....	.....

Trains arrive from the east at 11:25 a.m., 7:00 p.m., 10:00 p.m.

Going West.

DEPART—			
London	7:00 a.m.	11:35 a.m.	7:05 p.m
ARRIVE—			
Chatham	10:00 a.m.	1:05 p.m.	8:52 p.m
Detroit	.....	2:45 p.m.	10:40 p.m
Chicago	.....	10:15 p.m.	7:50 a.m
St. Louis	.....	7:45 a.m.	6:15 p.m
Kansas City	.....	6:10 p.m.	9:20 a.m

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Courtright	.....	5:40	8:30	.....
M. C. R. Junction	.....	5:45	8:22	.....
Chatham (C. P. R.) arr	.....	7:45	10:55	3:20
Chatham (C. P. R.) dep	7:45	.....	10:40	4:40
Fargo (M. C. R.)	8:13	.....	2:35	5:10
Blenheim arr	8:25	.....	11:20	5:35

Trains North.

Stations.	Exp	Exp	Mix
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
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Fargo (M. C. R.)	8:43	3:10	6:00
Chatham (C. P. R.) arr	9:08	3:30	6:20
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How the Spirit Moved Cynthia.

[By Margaret Sutton Briscoe in Christian Union.]

I had said to a friend:

"I want to go to a river—a river in the mountains and I want to see new faces. I want to be with people who won't expect anything in return for amusing me—with simple folk, who have simple ideas, or none at all; for I find the society of a perfect fool is the most acceptable to me just now."

"You need hardly leave your native city to seek that commodity," my friend answered.

"Yes, but the city fools catch the cant of the day, and I am so weary of it all."

"I know just what you mean, just what you want, and just where to send you to get it," my friend answered. "I will give you the address of a farm-house in the Virginia mountains where I was fishing last summer. The people there will take you in if you say I sent you, and I think it will meet all your requirements. I should certainly risk it if I were you."

And risk it I did—not without some misgivings.

The family proper was small: the old farmer himself, Reuben Grey—a man of more than 80 years—his wife Mary, and their adopted daughter Cynthia.

Then came, equally a part of the household, Sam, an old negro slave, born on the same day as his master.

But the center and flower of the whole place was Cynthia.

Her mother had been a Shakeress, who, alone in the world, had somehow wandered into the circle of kindness surrounding Reuben Grey. He had taken her and her child, first to his hearth, and then to his heart. I do not know which was the more large and warm.

The mother had not lived long to enjoy either, and her dying wish was that her child should be brought up in the faith of her forefathers. This the pious Presbyterian couple, who took the poor little waif as their own, had honestly striven to accomplish.

Cynthia was now 18 years old, and she had been sent to the Quaker settlement regularly every Saturday night to receive religious instruction from the good "Friends" until Monday morning's duties drew her back to the farm.

She was almost too sedate and prim sometimes. She talked little, but what she said was in a voice so round and sweet that I loved to listen to it, even when she was only counting over the eggs for market.

She always used the attractive "thee" of her people, and there was about her an intense though soft reserve, which kept me doubly interested in her.

Next in my favor stood Sam—Sam, with a bunch of rags for a coat, one eye in his head, one tooth in his mouth, and a perfectly white goatee growing out of one side of his chin with a crookedness which was irresistible.

Such was the homestead, and so it happened that I came to be standing in the strawberry patch of a run-down Virginia farm, listening to the grumbles of old Sam, who, unconscious of my presence, was picking berries for my supper.

"Cuss Abe Lincoln, cuss Abe Lincoln, I say; hadn't bin fer his dern foolishness, I bin a-settin' in Massa's quarters dis day a-doin' nothin'. Ole as I is, an' pickin' berries in dis hot sun! Cuss Abe Lincoln!"

"Oh, Uncle Sam!" I cried.

"Lord bress yer, chile, yer done scare me to def. Honey, don' never speak to Sam suddint from behind. I'se a tremblin' all over."

"What makes you so cross to-day?" I asked.

"Misery, chile; misery all down dis side, and shooting cross here, and up the other side."

He exemplified on his spare person with his thin hand.

"De berry-lines, dey pears to git longer," he sighed, plaintively.

I took pity on him.

"I'll help you pick if you will promise not to swear at President Lincoln any more."

Uncle Sam possessed, with the rest of his race, a talent for skipping the disagreeable with a calm adroitness which any woman in the world might have envied.

"Yes, honey," he said coaxingly. "Yes, help pore ole Sam a mite—how's your pretty ma?"

"Quite well," I answered. "And how is your niece? Do you think her husband has really deserted her? I was sorry to hear of her being in trouble."

"Well, not to say 'zactly in trouble, Miss Katrine. Yer see, Ozella, she ain't no fool. Ef a nigger don't want her she don't want dat nigger. "She ain't cryin' none; naw, indeed; she's studyin' about Ozella, an' dere ain't no time ter cry. I ain't a-sayin' don't cry ef you's got plenty of money, like you is, but cryin' an' starvin' is sompin else. Naw, indeed, honey; be tough wid de times, I says, and Ozella, she feel jest like me. Dar somebody calling of yer now."

There was a handkerchief waving from a window of the house, which I knew meant that my mother was waiting for me to take her walking. I left the berry patch and walked slowly towards the house, looking with a dreamy enjoyment as I did so at the sunny fields and at the clamoring river which ran beside them—a river which was running swiftly down hill to reach the mountain's base.

There was nothing particularly attractive about the house itself, excepting the negative charm of being almost hidden by creepers and honeysuckle. It stood remote from the main road; so isolated as to make the figure of a man sitting on his horse in front of the yard gate an object of curiosity to me.

I was attracted by the fact that the rider possessed a more intelligent face than any I had seen in this part, of the world, and that his general appearance was manly and striking. He was talking to the family, who were collected on the porch, and as I drew near said hastily and with evident confusion;

"It's to be next Saturday—to-day week. I hope you will all come, and your guests as well."

He hesitated a moment, and then looked wistfully at Cynthia.

"Thee will come, will thee not?" he asked.

She only smiled in answer. It seemed to satisfy him, however; for he made his adieux and rode away as I stepped on the porch,

"I have an invertation to a weddin' for Miss Katharine," cried the farmer, gayly.

"Is that young Nimrod to be married?" I asked.

"His name ain't Nimrod, it's Richard Rolf; but he's to be married to the prettiest girl in 30 miles, to-day week."

The prettiest girl in 30 miles! I looked at Cynthia's delicate beauty, and wondered where were his eyes.

"As pretty as a picter," he went on. "She's town-bred and not bin here long. Her mother was a Quakeress from the settlemunt like our Cynthy here; but she married a city man and out of the faith; so they cast her off. But last winter she died—the same week as her husband—and then her people, they went up to town and got Dora, the oniest child, and brought her down here to upset every lad in the settlemunt. All of 'em were buzzin' round her; even Richard, who allays was a stiddy chap, sort of got crazy about her, and bein' as he has the best farm around here—the Quakers think a heap of them things—they do say her uncle, Frien' Moore, gave the thing a shove along. They'll make a fine-looking pair; but Cynthy can tell you more about it than I can—they're her frien's, all belongin to the settlemunt—eh, Cynthy?"

"I think thee has told all that I know, father," said Cynthia, with gentle indifference.

"I ain't got but one thing agin' Richard," continued the farmer, reflectively. "He's too Quaker. He don't be theeing everybody like our Cynthy here, but, Lord! he'd better be a-theeing all over the place than bein' so set in his ways about the movin's of the Sperit. I never see nobody believe in it like Richard Rolf."

"A fanatic?" I asked.

"I don' know what you city folks calls it. I calls it a fool; who's to say which is a-movin' folks to speech, the Sperit or the flesh? But Richard, he believes it's allays only the Sperit, and nothin' would shake him."

"How old is he?"

"Twenty-seven, and Dora just 17. I don' believe in a man marryin' so young myself. It's too big a risk for the lady—too big a risk. It takes a long time to be sure a man's settled in his ways. Now, I married at 37, and I doubted then but I was too young. I kep' feelin' anxious for some years on Mary's account. I might 'a' broke out any time. A lady can't be too keerful."

So saying, the kindly old man wandered off, intent on his farm duties, leaving me with a strong desire to be present at the Quaker wedding. Sunday had come and almost gone. It was so like any other day on the farm, that had I not been told of its presence by my calendar, and observed a palpably clean collar on the master of the house, and one less layer of dirt on old Sam, I should not have known any difference from the week days. The early supper had been eaten, and the "men folks" were sitting on the back porch, wrapped in clouds of tobacco-smoke, and talking on that exhaustless topic, "the wa-ar." It was here as present a theme as if still raging around the pretty homestead. It seemed as if the feeling were to be bequeathed to children's children.

Ah! I could not wonder. On the hillside at the back of the house was the family graveyard. There lay the "ole mistis," with her husband beside her. They had dropped as the sere leaves, not before their time. About their deaths hung no bitter memories, but who can comfort Rachel mourning for her children! In one corner of the graveyard I found a slab of marble; carved on it in rude letters were these simple words, which told their own sad story:

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Truly, I thought, the bitterness of death is here.

I had never heard the names of these children pass the lips of the father and mother, and I need not say that I never alluded to the discovery, which had inexpressibly touched me. On this particular night I felt in no mood for listening to the old soldiers' stories. They had a tone of sadness, even the jocular ones, so I sought the solitude of the front veranda. I sat down on the steps, basking in the peace and quiet beauty of the night.

The full harvest moon was riding high in the heavens, throwing the shadows of the vines about the porch on the broad flags at my feet. There was just enough soft breeze to make the phantom leaves dance weirdly. The whole place seemed asleep except for the "cluck, cluck" of an uneasy hen, who could not settle herself to her mind on the bough of a tree near the porch, where she perversely elected to roost, instead of in the comfortable hen-house. The reverie into which I had fallen was suddenly interrupted.

"Does thee believe that every one has a soul?"

The voice was Cynthia's, but a harsh note in its usual music, and the abruptness of the question, made me start and look up hastily.

"Does not your church teach you that every one has a soul, Cynthia?"

"Oh, yes," she replied, indifferently.

"Then why do you ask me such a question?"

She laid her hand lightly on my arm and drew me to the other end of the porch.

"Look," she said, scornfully. I looked, and smiled as I did so. There, half in the shadow of the old house, stook Ozella, the deserted one—deserted, but not inconsolable, it seemed, for by her side, and by all signs having proved his power to comfort, stood a new adorer.

I turned away and sat down upon the steps again, motioning to Cynthia to sit beside me. I was amused by her disgust and desperate earnestness.

"It is not possible, Cynthia," I said, laughing, "that you think faithlessness proves an absence of soul! Why, child, if that were made a sure test, half of the women in the world, I know, would be proved soulless."

Cynthia bent forward and laid her hand on my arm. Through my thin sleeve I could feel that it was burning as with fever. The moon shone full on her face and I saw its eager look. Her lips were parted, a bright spot of color burned in either cheek, and her eyes, which were of a soft blue usually, looked black and brilliant.

"Thee will tell me," she breathed, "is it so with men also out in the world?"

I looked at her in dumb amazement. Was this the same self-contained little maiden who had waited on us at supper, and whom I had thought more than usually sedate all day? A light broke on me suddenly. I remembered, with a flash of inspiration, the wistful look cast on her by the young Quaker the day before, and I knew also that Cynthia had refused to be driven over to the Settlement on Saturday evening, pleading a headache.

And now this outbreak, for so I may call it. Had I fallen on a little tragedy in this mountain fastness?

Poor little one! she was so young and tender to have learned already that stern lesson of her sex—to appear most outwardly composed when her heart was sorest.

I wondered how faithless this lover had been, and I could not think that Cynthia had given her heart to one wholly unworthy, even with my slight knowledge of her character. All this darted through my brain in a moment; then I suddenly determined—heaven forgive me—to play Providence.

"Cynthia," I said, "if a man had given his vows to one woman, and then discovered that another had his heart, do you think he should keep up the mockery of a false faithfulness?"

"But why should his heart change?" she asked, quickly.

"How can any one tell? Solomon himself knew nothing of 'the way of a man with a maid.' It might happen, and neither he nor the second woman be to blame."

Cynthia suddenly interrupted me.

"Does thee mean to show that there can be any right in the woman who steals what belongs to another, or in the man who lets her?"

"It might be neither a question of stealing nor letting—the discovery might surprise both."

"Thee knows, then, it is the devil teaching and blinding them. There could be no blessedness in such a marriage, and thee forgets—thee utterly forgets—that other woman."

I longed to gather the suffering child in my arms and soothe her with gentle words and caresses. But this I knew would be a cruel kindness.

"No, Cynthia," I answered, "I do not forget the other woman. Her part is a cruelly hard one, but not so hard as it would be if a false sense of honor bound the man's body when it could not bind his soul."

"She would have no wish to bind him. She would only despise them both," said Cynthia, finally.

I slipped the question of the rival women. "It would not make her despise him if she loved truly, Cynthia. She would learn to understand that he was right."

"Would thee be willing to love so?" asked Cynthia.

"Cynthia, if you are going to do any work to-morrow, child, you'd best go to bed now."

A heavy step sounded on the floor, and the portly figure of Mrs. Grey showed in the open door. I looked gratefully at her. The interruption was welcome, for I could not quite assure myself that Cynthia's question did not contain a spirit of criticism. Certainly I had no answer ready, and my enthusiasm for playing Providence was dashed. Cynthia glided by me like a shadow, leaving me feeling as one might who had torn open a lily bud, and thus caught a glimpse of the golden heart within.

"It's a beautiful night, Miss Katherine," said Mrs. Grey, "but to-morrow's washday, and I don't like that rim to the moon. I looks like rain."

Called back thus to earth and mundane matters, I bade my hostess a preoccupied good-night and sought my room and my bed. The marriage morning of Richard Rolf dawned bright and beautiful, and found me a strangely excited and interested spectator of the sad little drama going on under my eyes, the existence of which I alone suspected. Cynthia had shown no consciousness on meeting my eyes the morning after her self-betrayal. She neither avoided my look nor sought it, and in just the same manner did she behave regarding my society. As I have always held that the sin of betraying the secrets of one friend to another paled before the sin of betraying the mood of one day to the mood of the next, I ignored, as Cynthia did, our conversation of Sunday night. I should have grown to think it a dream of my own brain's spinning, had I not seen under Cynthia's eyes those dark rings which betoken sleepless nights, and observed her more than usual silence. Her work was as well and as regularly done as ever; the same gentle sweetness and serenity was hers, at least outwardly. Her silence was unnoticed by the farmer and his wife, for she was, as ever, ready to discuss fully any new project on the farm or in the housekeeping. I could hear her talking over plans for Monday's apple-peeling with the adopted mother as they sat behind me in the wagon, driving over to the Quaker wedding. I had wondered if Cynthia's strength would carry her through this hardest trial, and, in my heart, I applauded the dignity and self-control which prompted her to be present.

Sam sat on the front seat beside me, ostensibly driving; but I had long ago taken the reins from his hands.

He was idly flicking at the flies on the horse's back with his stubby whip.

"You see dat," he said, and pointed to a jagged scar on the near horse's flank. "Dat gemman fren' o' yourn what war here las year, he done cure dat. What he don' know 'bout hosses ain' wuth knowing—ef he did fit on the oder side in de war."

"Which is the other side, Sam."

"De Yanks, honey," Sam continued, his elbows on his knees, and his woolly white head nodding to emphasize his remarks.

"Young mars, he fit 'em toof and nail, an' lef' me to take keer o' ole mars an' ole miss', an' de young mistis too. 'Sam,' says he, "I leaves you as a kind of gardeen for 'em all,' he says—'a kind of gardeen." Den he got hisse'f shot in de leg—not in de battle whar de two fust pore chillerns was kilt, but in de one whar little Rube was lef'. Dey never did see him no more. We don' know what did come to de chile. Hit all jes' dig ole mistis grave, hit did, but little Rube, dat cut her mos'. When young mars he come home, den I went an' I fit dem Yanks fur more'n a year."

Oh, Uncle Sam—Uncle Sam, you hoary old sinner! Do I not know your story? Do I not know how you thirsted for "freedom," and how you deserted wounded young mars, ole miss' and all, to cross the lines and get out of Dixie, and have I not seen the pathetic letter which came from the Massachusetts Hospital after March, saying, "Young mars, fur de Lamb's sake come git Sam. I never run away no mo'."

The cruel New England winter had frozen all love of freedom out of poor Sam's heart, child of the sun as he was; but Sam had his own pleasing little fiction concerning that year of absence, and had told it so often that I think he had taught his feeble brain to believe it.

By such discourse did he beguile the way, until at last the ten miles of wooded roads were traveled and the Quaker meeting-house was in sight.

It stood a little apart from the settlement, and was built on the side of a hill so steep that a realization of the tenacity it must require to stick on made me feel tired as I looked at it.

We were among the last arrivals and had barely taken our seats with the assembled "Friends," when Richard Rolf entered quietly and sought his place among the men on the other side of the aisle.

I stole a look at Cynthia, but she had taken her Quakerdom and wrapped it about her as a garment. I could learn nothing of her feelings from her face.

She had looked at Richard when he entered the room, as did the other women, and then cast her eyes down again.

The door soon opened to admit the bride, who walked into the meeting-house between her uncle, Friend Moore, and his wife.

When I saw her, I had to admit, in spite of my jealousy for Cynthia's loveliness, that she possessed a dusky beauty as perfect a type of its kind as the dreamy face on which I had loved to gaze.

There was not enough character in the soft contour of Dora's face, but one gained an impression of a distracting prettiness and coquetry—just the kind of face Hetty Sorrel must have had, I thought.

She might have turned older and wiser heads than Richard Rolf's with that seductive grace and softness.

She sat down, nestling close to her aunt's side like a frightened child. It was easy to see that she was a "Friend" by adoption, not birth. Her hands were twisted restlessly together, and her eyelids, which she never raised, fluttered nervously. The utter silence in the room was broken suddenly by a late comer.

For the first time the bride raised her eyes, and I saw their lovely soft brown; but why, I wondered unmeanly, should they dilate and express such helpless terror as they fell on the face of the man who had just entered.

He was standing against the opposite wall—for the room was crowded—and was fixing his eyes upon Dora with an unmistakably stern and threatening expression.

That he was "of the world" was shown by his dress, and that the world had left its mark on him was stamped on his features.

But now Richard rose, and, in the quaint Quaker phrases, took Dora for better, for worse. As he finished speaking, the bride rose mechanically; and as he did so, I looked at the man opposite.

He was leaning forward, his gaze fixed on the bride as before, only more intensely, more burningly; and, as though drawn against her will, Dora turned her face to him.

In that moment I was sure I saw her eyes answer his, and the next she tore them away, and, turning from him, opened her lips.

"I, Theodora," she began, then faltered, wavered, and, flinging herself on her knees before her aunt, she clung to her, crying wildly: "I cannot do it! Oh, I cannot—I cannot!"

Friend Moore rose from among the men, and crossed over to her.

"Dora," said he sternly, "is thee mad? Thee has heard naught against Friend Rolf?"

"No, no," she sobbed, "but there is something within me that tells me ill of him, and I dare not marry him."

"Dora," began her uncle, still more sternly, but Richard interrupted him.

"Nay, Friend Moore, thee shall not force the maid."

His voice was strained and harsh, his face gray, and the veins showed large on his temples, but the composure of the fanatic was perfect. "If the Spirit condemn me through her, I must bear it as a man may. Who can say how black his own soul's sins are? If mine be so deeply stained that the Spirit warns a pure maid to beware of me, then it is best that I should not know the truth."

I heard a quick breath drawn close by me, and my heart gave a great throb as I turned and looked at Cynthia.

She was standing: the Cynthia of Sunday night. There was the same soft flush on her cheek, the same eager eyes—none of the Quaker cloak left.

She was always lovely, but now—heavens how beautiful she was! Her voice, when she spoke, thrilled me unspeakably.

It had the tenderness of a mother to her child, of a woman to her lover.

"Richard, she is deciving thee. It is not the Spirit moving her. I am as pure a maid as she, and nothing tells me ill of thee. I would not fear to marry thee this hour."

Shaken — trembling — where now was Richard's composure.

Striding across the room, he caught Cynthia by the wrists, his glowing face and excited demeanor contrasting strangely with his Quaker garb.

"Cynthia," he whispered, almost fiercely, "does thee mean it? Will thee prove it by doing so? I have been as one possessed. Can thee ever possibly forgive?"

"Thee knows it, Richard."

"And thee will really marry me, and now?"

"As thee wills, Richard."

"Then know all present that I, Richard, take Cynthia to be my wedded wife."

And almost before we had recovered from the shock of surprise the brief religious ceremony was begun and ended, and Richard and Cynthia were man and wife.

"Well, of dat don' beat all—dat pore pretty chile! I reckon Cynthy won' cry none."

I moved quickly to the kitchen door when I heard these words the morning after Cynthia's strange marriage.

"What is it, Uncle Sam?" I asked, anxiously.

"Dat pore little Dora dun run away, honey," answered Uncle Sam, the newsgatherer.

"Run away?"

"Yes, honey; let herself and her closes down outen der winder las' night."

I began to see light.

"To whom did she let herself down?"

"To dat onery city cousin o' hern. He bin a-hangin' roun' ever sence de chile cum from town. Dey say ole man Moore run him off at las', but he war down to de weddin' onexpected yestiddy, an' now he done got her, and what he gwine to keep her on, de Lord knows. She air as putty as a pigeon, she air, but she can't fly aroun' a-feedin' of hersel' like dey do. Naw, indeed!"

So this was the spirit which had moved poor Dora. Cynthia had not been mistaken, nor had I been over ready in surprising meaning glances; for that the cousin and the mysterious worldling of yesterday were one and the same I could not doubt. I hoped that he might belie his looks for the sake of the pretty, rebellous girl, but my heart was too full of Cynthia to think much of Dora's fate.

I felt that I had played a large part, though behind the scenes, in the little drama just enacted, and I was anything but comfortable in my self-imposed responsibility.

I knew so little, and I had spoken so strongly.

Suppose Richard were really unworthy!

I had certainly striven to prove to Cynthia that he was not, but how could I guess that a new character would be introduced at the last moment—that the actors would throw their lines to the winds and speak according to their own wills? And, above all, that Cynthia should play so unexpected a part and improvise so amazingly!

I longed to know if she were happy, or if she already repented her rash act.

Only once had she shown me her heart, and but once more was I to look into its pure and lovely depth, and then for a moment only.

In a few days I was to leave the mountains forever, and I felt that I could not go without a word of farewell to Cynthia.

So the good farmer drove me over hill and dale to her new home.

We took many packages with us—useful household trifles—supplied from the pantry of the kind adopted mother.

That drive will always live in my memory.

I can close my eyes now and feel a sense of light and of heat without its enervating warmth, and see the many greens of the trees and hear the sleepy swish and ripple of the water.

By my side was old Reuben Grey, whose flow of speech needed no rousing of my mind to comprehend, nor any prompting to go purling on as steadily and restfully as the river whose bed we followed.

How I bathed my soul in quiet and nothingness, and how like heaven I thought it!

I noticed idly that for some reason the old man chose to drive with one foot hanging out of the dilapitated buggy. Was it in memory of the departed days of bloaded horses, when it was safer to be always ready?

I do not know, but he oftly drew in that wagging foot when fording the river, which he did about a dozen times in our zigzag course. Some of the fords were good—some bad. At the worst, Reuben Grey drew rein and suggested that I should take up a package of biscuits which lay at my feet and put them in my lap.

"And," he added calmly, "ef I was you, I would jest tuck up my feet on the dashboard before we get in the water, for it do come in powerful sometimes."

I took the biscuits into my lap and tucked my feet up on the dashboard. Though the water did not come in, it might have.

"Anyway, we were ready for her," said the dear, prudent old man.

At last we reached Cynthia's home, and we found her the same gentle, placid Cynthia.

Looking at her, who could dream of the slumbering fires within?

"He," she told us, was out on the farm.

"He" always means the good man of the house on the mountain-tops.

The young wife was gracious and self-possessed, showing us over her thrifty, comfortable house, and never by word or look referring to any of the strange features of her marriage. Her gentle dignity was beautiful in its simplicity.

Only in the few moments when Reuben Grey was untying the horse we were alone. I could stand it no longer.

"Dear Cynthia," I cried, "Are you happy? I shall never see you again, and I should like to hear you say so before I go."

She raised her eyes to mine and I could see that they were full of tears.

"Yes," she said, simply; "and I shall never forget thee; for it was thee that made me do it. I could never have said I knew no ill of him if thee had not shown me he had done no ill. Thee did teach me to wrestle with myself and my pride, and all my happiness is from thee under God. He knows I must always love thee."

I took her glowing face in my hands and kissed her without speaking.

I was very silent all the way home—so silent that my companion inquired anxiously if I were ill.

"No," I thought, "not ill, only awe-struck." I had taken a human soul in my hands to play with it, and it was so beautiful it had frightened me.

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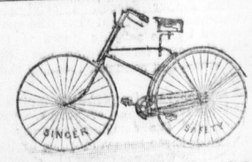
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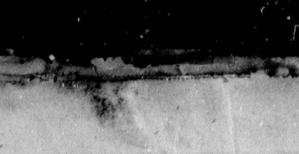

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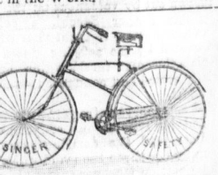
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The stallion Advance by Onward has been sold to Mr. Nuttal, of Michigan, for $25,000.

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The skeleton of electioneer is now articulated and ready to be placed in the museum at Palo Alto.

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"And Jones is ruined?" "He is." "Betting on fast horses I suppose?" "No, betting on slow ones."

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The man who is breeding for profit cannot afford to ignore fashion, but as fashion is constantly fluctuating, he must keep a sharp eye and anticipate it if possible.

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Racing authorities in Australia will not allow any horse to start for a stake of purse after his tail has been banged or docked. They claim that this rule is in the interest of humanity, as their climate is so terrible for flies and mosquitoes.

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L. J. Rose, a Californian who bred Stamboul and other noted horses, and who was for some years the owner of Sultan, has, it is understood, decided to retire from the running turf, his experiences in that direction having been rather unprofitable.

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The 4-year-old brown mare Happy Bee, by Happy Russell, winner of the 2:27 class at Cleveland on Wednesday, when she got a record of 2:17¼, was sold after the race to Mr. Payne, of Cleveland, for $10,600. Happy Bee was owned by a Mr. Gibbons, of Philadelphia.

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The ADVERTISER'S recent remark that trotting horses had been long enough and intelligently enough bred to have brought their production down to a well-defined certainty is amply borne out by the fact that over 300 have entered the 2:30 list already this season.

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Don't start your horse off with a cut of the whip. Speak to him and then if he is slow touch him lightly as a reminder. A few lessons of this kind and he will be prompt about getting away but not too hasty, as he is apt to be the case if he has been started with a severe cut.

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It is said that Goldsmith always does two things when a horse joins his stable; puts a side check on, and lets the animal's toes grow out long, it being his idea that this treatment of the feet gives them more speed, although they are more liable to break down or injure a tendon in case they try to go too fast.

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Six mares, well selected and kept in just the right condition, will turn out more successful speed among their foals than twenty mares will that are less carefully attended and conditioned on a place that is overstocked. Farms that used to produce speed, after a time stop producing any more. Usually the trouble is they are overstocked.

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One of the senseless, as well as inhuman practices of some horsemen nowadays, is the cutting of the foretops of the animals. A prominent veterinarian gives it as his opinion that the foretop was intended to protect the brain of the horse, in a measure, from the hot rays of the sun; at any rate, nature has placed the long hair which hangs over the forehead of the animal for a wise purpose, and it looks like cruelty to see it shorn close to the skin.

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The Horse World of Buffalo thinks the Canadian horse Alvin, 2:14½, owned by Messrs. Merrill, Clare & Lang, of Tilsonburg, is a faster horse than his record indicates. In winning the free-for-all trot at Cleveland he got away from crack trotters from leading racing stables of the United States. By the way, what have those who profess that the highest type of speedy horse flesh cannot be reared in a cold climate to say to Alvin and the great Nelson from rigorous Maine?

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Of all the flies that ever tortured brutes the one that tickles the horse "under the chin" is the most annoying to the equine race. Don't think of working a horse in the fly season without a jaw cloth on his bridle. With it there is more satisfaction in working him; it saves feed and wear of the horse. Don't allow the colts to run in the pasture without one on each of them. It will save many a canter through the field and tramping out of the grass that ought to go to make flesh. It will keep them from herding together and knocking each other around, and possibly blemishes. Besides it is cruel to let them go without these cheap shields from an almost maddening annoyance.

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An amusing story comes up from the blue-grass regions of Kentucky in regard to a sale of thoroughbreds that took place not long ago. In the sale were a couple of colts owned by two men who live close together. As it happened neither of them attended the sale, but a neighbor did, and on returning home in the evening he said: "It is all right, the pair of colts brought $5,000." There was of course a jollification over this, and the usual liquid refreshment that in Kentucky is accorded on such occasions was furnished. Finally one of the owners said it was rather curious that each colt brought just $2,500. "It wasn't that way," said the man who had been at the sale; "your colt brought only $300, while the other man's went for $4,700."

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Why do drivers continue giving horses, from which they confidently expect extraordinary performances, either speed work or hard, tiresome, leg-weary jogging right up to or within a day or two of their races, or other performance in which they aim to get their best efforts? says a writer in Clark's Horse Review. Although we believe it would be very difficult to furnish any good reason for this speed-killing and exhaustive treatment, other than its antiquity, yet we hardly see how horsemen can afford to allow their venerable respect for the method of bygones or bygone years to keep them jogging along in the same old rut, while we notice all around us change of method in accomplishing nearly everything else, caused by the advance of civilization and inventive genius.

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No other section of the country has produced a double team that can compare with the Western New York team, Belle Hamlin and Justina, as fast performers. It has been a matter of much comment that those two mares were by the same sire and out of daughters of the same horse. At Cleveland, however, another performance took place that will furnish a subject for more comment on the breeding of Mr. Hamlin's team, for when hooked to a wagon three abreast with Globe, the triple team was able to do a mile in 2:14. Globe, like Belle Hamlin and Justina, is by Almont, Jun., and out of a daughter of Hamlin Patchen. The Village Farm owner has contended and has proven that two horses gaited alike and of like dispositions can trot faster in double harness than when hooked singly, and it now seems as though three together were faster than two. Will some one now explain how the members of a double or triple team are enabled to assist each other as they are known to do. Justina's best record to single harness is 2:20; that of Globe is 2:19¼, and when hooked with Belle Hamlin, whose best record to single harness is 2:22¾, the three go, and apparently without great effort, in 2:13. Those who know Belle Hamlin know that she is not capable of pulling the other two that fast, or indeed not sure of beating 2:14 singly every time she attempts it. In what way then do the members of the team assist each other.—[Horse World. With reference to the foregoing conundrum we should say that one horse may be a controlling stimulus to the others, inspiring flights of speed. Furthermore, the weight of rig and driver are divided between three instead of being drawn by one. Bred as these three speedy ones were, similarity of action might be expected, but for all that great skill must have been displayed in driving to prevent "breaks" as well as care in the previous training. As a successful novely it was creditable to Mr. Hamlin.

THOUGHTS THAT BREATHE.

It is not best to think too much about being good; do the best we can, minute by minute, hour by hour, and we insensibly grow to goodness.—[Jos. Adams.

Every man who follows an evil life by rejecting good becomes his own devil and makes his own hell.—[Rev. Charles G. Ames.

It is a perilous thing to separate feeling from action; to have learned to feel rightly without acting rightly. Feeling is given to lead to action. If feeling be suffered to awake without passing into duty, the character becomes untrue.—[F. W. Robertson.

A life without a purpose is a languid, drifting thing; every day we ought to renew our purpose, saying to ourselves: This day let us make a sound beginning, for what we have hitherto done is naught.—[Thomas a-Kempis.

The heavenly Master has still his eye upon his weary followers, toiling in rowing, and each wave of circumstance bears him on its crest. We are not required to live above circumstances; they are assigned to us that we may obtain therein a deeper experience of the love and wisdom of him to whom all power is given in heaven and on earth.

Everyone ought to have an object in life. It is not enough merely to recognize that we have duties. We have a duty to be pleasant and agreeable to others; but being agreeable is not an object of life, it is one of the incidents of right living. The man who lives for "society life" may be universally polite and kindly in manner, and yet have no real object in existence. Being agreeable is only one of the mothods of living, not an object of life.—[Sunday School Times.

Judas is not an Iago—fiendish in intrigue. Judas is not an Œdipus—embodying the hopelessness of fate. Judas is a commonplace villain. He grows to be the betrayer. He illustrates the conversion of pure and holy influences into the corrupt forces of character. The words and the companionship of Christ, which made John the beloved disciple, made Judas the betrayer. Good influences may become to the evil life forces of evil. The same rain falls upon the deadly night shade which falls upon the rosebush; one it transmutes into poison; the other into fragrance. Then be watchful that the noble influences of this college be to you a saviour of life unto death.

WHO WILL PLAY THE ROLE OF CROMWELL?

The Labor Advocate, of Toronto, thinks the historic speech made by Oliver Cromwell when he threw the British Parliament out of doors in 1658 is just as applicable to the crew of thieves, boodlers, partisans and imbeciles at Ottawa or the gang of upper class parasites and their henchmen who make laws for all British people as it was in the days of the Commonwealth:

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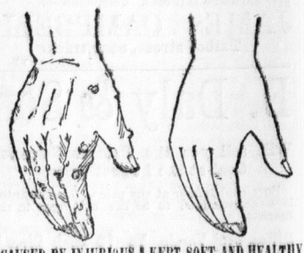
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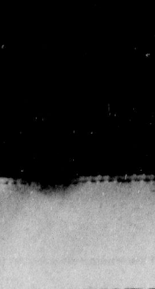
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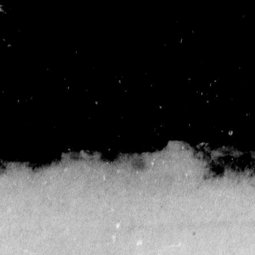
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The Farmers' Alliance Wheat Corner.

The agricultural and commercial world has been stirred up over an attempt on the part of the Farmers' Alliance men to corner all the wheat in the country and hold it for a raise. In this move the members of the Alliance are not a unit, but some favor and some oppose the corner. Mr. Ignatius Donnelly, president of the Minnesota Alliance does not favor the move. He is reported as saying: "I want wheat to go up quite as much as any farmer in Minnesota, but I am not so sure that our leaders in their circular letter are not playing right into the hands of the millers. For instance, I see Mr. Pillsbury, the great miller of Minneapolis, declares that wheat will touch $2 a bushel within the next twelve months. I understand that the English syndicate owning the Minneapolis mills now holds 15,000,000 bushels of wheat. If the price of wheat goes up 20 cents under the holding back of the new crop these gentlemen would realize $3,000,000 and get out. In the meantime the farmers who are hoping for $2 a bushel would be caught in the slump, and might have to sell in the spring at ruinous rates. My advice to the farmer is: 'Use your own judgment when you will sell. Study all the facts submitted to you from every quarter.' My own judgment is that wheat must rise. But I know too much of the wheat market in the past to prophesy as to the future or to advise any man regarding so grave and complicated a problem into which enter influences which no one can forsee. Where farmers can avoid rushing their wheat into market they should do so by all means; but let them keep their eyes open and do not become the tools of bulls and bears. In reference to the Muller 'hold your wheat' circular I have written the 48,000 members of the Alliance in Minnesota, asking that it be distinctly understood that the Alliances of this State are in no wise responsible for the movement or for any consequences that may flow from it."

Marketing Fruit.

A late English journal justly remarks that one of the most important requisites is good packing, the sale and price depending almost as much on doing this work well as on the excellence of the fruit itself. Without it the finest samples may be ruined in transit, and the labor lost. To do the work well is a special trade. This journal cites the case of some American apple consignments, where no pains have been spared, and where it is treated as being of paramount importance, and a certain amount of taste and even skill is brought to bear on every package. The fruit reaches the journey's end so sound and perfect as to be the means of securing triple the price obtained by fruit brought to market unsorted and in a loose and careless condition. "Is not this," the writer asks, "the first reason of the popularity of their produce with the English buyers?" Another English authority states that the shipment of apples from Tasmania is so well attended to that "the quality on their arrival is extraordinary, and they arrive as fresh as if only gathered from the trees the day before," selling at $2 25 and $3 a case. The last shipment was on two streamers bringing 37,000 cases, each case containing 36 to 40 pounds. The marketing season for staple fruits is now at hand and fruit farmers should keep these hints in mind. It is not only the immediate return that may be secured but a reputation can be established that will insure future custom at good prices.

Under-Feeding.

"Starvation rations" are ever fed at a loss. The Breeders' Gazette rightly says: "Underfeeding ruins more live stock in the West than over-feeding. Grave as are the objections to pampered breeding animals, yet where there is one beast ruined by an excess of heating food there are a dozen well-bred ones suffered to lapse into a state of hopeless degeneracy by a failure, in the case of young stock, to keep them growing, or by neglecting to provide a sufficient ration to support breeding animals against the taxes of nature. Feed the youngsters generously on proper food-stuffs, and when they are matured, if of the right stamp, they will not require extra care. Professor Sanborn argues that there is even more in feed than in breed, and the facts are not all against him. Whatever is worth keeping at all in the way of farm stock is worth keeping well." And the same applies to the East, especially in the feeding of dairy cows. There are very few cows that are fed too much; there are many that are not fed half enough. But we want breed as well as feed—one is useless without the other. We use the term "breed" in a relative sense, believing that the cow that will give the best returns from the feed consumed is well bred so far as profit in the dairy goes, no matter whether she or her ancestors have been registered in a herd book or not. We must have the breed for breeding, but not necessarily for feeding.

Breeding for the Dairy.

S. Spencer & Son, Kiantone, N. Y., who make a speciality of breeding dairy Shorthorns, recently made public the following statement which will interest all who believe in developing cattle especially for dairy purposes: "We have been breeding pure-bred Shorthorns for 25 years and know they are capable of great results when rightly bred. We are at present breeding to the bull Joe Johnson 98,764. He is a very fine show bull and his dam has a record of 60 lbs. of milk a day and 18 lbs. of butter a week. We have at present this rule: if any cow at the age of 5 years will not under favorable circumstances give 40 pounds of milk per day she is fed and slaughtered. The milk from our herd of cows and heifers takes about 20 pounds of milk to make a pound of butter, and in flush of feed it occasionally runs as high as 25 pounds of milk to the pound of butter. We have had heifers that would make a pound of butter from 15 pounds of milk. Our mature cows last season gave from 40 to 69 lbs. of milk a day at their best and we think a bull from such a herd is to be trusted to reproduce dairy qualities."

Pasture Preferences of Sheep.

Every observing shepherd has noticed that sheep have their decided preferences in a rolling or hilly pasture, generally choosing a southern or eastern slope, says the American Sheep Breeder. Old farmers are accustomed to explaining this by saying that it is because the grass on these poorer exposures is shorter and sweeter. Doubtless this is one reason, but there is probably another. These southern slopes are nearly always wind-swept and sun-burned, and receive no deposit of frost leaves, hence the bed-rock is close to the surface and frequently crops out in shelly ledges. This character of the soil gives the grass a more mineral and earthly character than that on the northern slopes; for on the latter the soil is generally red clay and strong with the humus or vegetable mold smelting from the rotted forest leaves of centuries. The fondness of sheep for mineral matters in their feed is noticeable, and these tend to healthfulness. Grass growing on rank flat lands is apt to produce murrain or "black rot," while the short, tender herbage on rocky slopes, being rich in silica, lime, potash, etc., keeps the blood pure and the flesh and bones well nourished.

Alfalfa in Wisconsin.

The alfalfa, which, by the way, is a great honey producer, was recently cut the second time at the Wisconsin Experiment Station, and the Wisconsin Farmer has this to say on the subject: "The yield obtained when the alfalfa was cut, a few weeks ago, indicated an amount of 15,000 pounds of green alfalfa to the acre. Prof. Henry says that the second crop, now cut, will amount to three-fourths of the first, or, at a rough estimate, about 11,000 pounds. Here is truly a great yield. Twenty-six thousand pounds of green fodder to the acre will certainly produce a very large amount of hay. To this must be added also a third crop, which will no doubt be cut in due season, and which may fairly be credited with producing at least 8,000 pounds of green matter. Now, let us figure what this acre of alfalfa will have given us at the end of the year: First cutting, 15,000 pounds; second cutting, say 11,000 pounds; third cutting, say 8,000 pounds; total, 34,000 pounds, or seventeen tons of green fodder. Alfalfa, we are given to believe, dries out about one-half in curing, and this would, therefore, leave us eight and one-half tons of hay to the acre. The results of the experiments with alfalfa will be embodied in one of the Experiment Station bulletins this fall."

Cows Need Abundant Water.

Remember that cows are tremendous water drinkers in hot weather. They must have lots of it convenient and of good quality. They are lazy about walking in the hot sun, and fit will not do to depend upon them to take long journeys to get at the water. If they walk a half mile in the hot sun it heats them up so that they are liable to drink too much and feel uncomfortable and lie down the rest of the day. Everything that keeps cows from eating while at pasture is a detriment to the farmer's interest. He should study to please the cow and keep her eating. Do not hold out too much inducement to her to lie down. She is a little too fond of this luxury. Her business is to work in her way, and that means in eating and digesting grass while at pasture. Put good water where she can get at it conveniently.—[The New Dairy.

Rose Cuttings.

"Blanche" writes the Stockman and Farmer as follows: "A horticulturist told me the other day of the mode he had adopted the last two years of making rose cuttings root with more certainty, by bending the shoot instead of cutting it off, and inserting both ends into the ground, leaving a single bud uncovered at the middle and on the surface of the ground. The cuttings are about ten inches long and are bent over a stick laid flat on the ground, holes being dug on each side of the stick for the ends of the shoots. The roots form only at the lower end of the shoot, but the other end being buried prevents drying up. If the cuttings are started the old way the weak ones are almost sure to fail, but treated in this way he says he has comparatively few if any to die."

Pigs in August.

No month in the year allows the owner of hogs to keep them well with so little expense to himself as does August. Now the garden sweet corn, pea vines, weeds, small potatoes and a thousand other things that would be allowed to waste but for our economical friend, are a daily source of satisfaction to him. For store hogs and animals soon to be slaughtered, no food is superior to "green things growing" in connection with their regular ration of grain. To the brood sow, juicy stalks are a boon, and no wonder the fall pigs are so often lusty, making rapid growth.—[Farm Journal.

These Had Red Hair.

This word of encouragement is offered by some kind-hearted woman to girls who lament their bright locks: "The Catherines who made Russia great had red hair; so had Maria Theresa, who saved Austria and made it the empire that it is; so had Anne of Austaia, who ruled France for so long; so had Queen Elizabeth and Catharine Borgia, as well as Mary Antoinette, whose blonde tresses had in them a glint of gold." Mary Stuart, Queen of Scots, might be added to the list.—[Once a Week.

An Electric Freak.

A young man took refuge in a thunder storm, at Warren, O., the other day, under a large maple tree. Lightning struck the tree and killed the man. When his clothes were removed perfect images of the branches, boughs, and leaves of the tree were found pictured upon his breast and other parts of his body with the minuteness of a photographer. One of the witnesses of this surprising phenomenon inquires: "If electricity will transmit such impressions thirty feet upon a no more sensitive surface than the human skin, why may it not do it for an indefinite distance."

Could Outlet Her Husband.

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Worse and Worse.

Ethel—What do you think of Joblots's engagement to Miss Sears?

Jack—He might do worse.

Ethel—He will—he is going to marry her.

Bigger Boy Now.

Visitor—You've grown, Tommy, since last year.

Tommy—(disdainfully)—Oh! Yes! Why I only came up as high as my necktie then.

The Harriers.

Mr. E. F. Painter, of the London, Eng., Athletic Club and Ranelagh Harriers, suffered from a strained tendon, and no remedy he tried did him any good until he used St Jacobs Oil, which soon enabled him to resume his running and sports. It is the remedy preferred by all athletes.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

BORDER STATE BRIEFS.

Joseph Vincent, a Saginaw boiler maker, who went to Pittsburg six months ago, leaving his wife in this State, received fatal injuries in falling from a high scaffold while raising a smoke stack in the Pennsylvania town.

Chief Pokagon, of the Pottowatomies, will act as chaperone to a number of youths who will leave Sept. 1 for the Indian school at Lawrence. Three have signified their intention of going, and he wants seven more to make an even ten.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Frick, passengers on a G. R. and I. train, stopped at Kalamazoo for lunch. Mrs. Frick suddenly fell to the sidewalk and was the mother of a boy baby in short order. She was taken to Borgess Hospital.

Ald. Deisler has what is called a surface mummy coffin in the window of his undertaking room. It was made in Rome several hundred years ago, and was used to ship the body of a child to this country. It is made of iron and is regarded as a valuable relic.—[Saginaw Evening News.

With public officials of Battle Creek, Muskegon, Cheboygan, Ottawa county, St. Charles and several other towns and counties charged with being short in their accounts, it looks as though bounties ought to be offered for the cultivation of a sturdier variety of honesty in Michigan.

Morris Mallary, of Sumarton, Gratiot county, found while ditching, a mastodon's set of bones, one of the teeth weighing about three pounds. The locality is half-a-mile from where, two years ago, they discovered a heap of big bones that weighed three-fourths of a ton.

New Haven, Gratiot county, is short one inhabitant. A sky pilot of the crusade order, whose entire religion consisted in the yellow letters on the band of his hat, has disappeared, and a young girl's father is after him with a cabinet arsenal consisting of a double-barreled rifle, a self-cocker and a finishing knife.

Minnie Eastman, of Trout Creek, married James F. Conway, private secretary to the manager of the Illinois Steel Company, at Marquette two weeks ago. She joined her husband in Chicago last week. She woke up Sunday morning and found him dead by her side. He had been drinking heavily and had taken an overdose of morphine.

Joseph Bradley, one of the Chippewa chiefs of the Isabella county reservation, should quit civilization for a time, go back to the occupation of his ancestors, and do some quick, deep scalping. A year ago some villain poisoned his cattle, and recently paris green was placed in his pasture. His span of work horses are useless for this season, and perhaps for all time to come.

Fork township, Mecosta county, has gone into the mound digging business. The mounds seem to be of the graveyard kind. Six uncovered revealed about 100 skeletons in all. Each mound had about 15 or 20 dead heads, all of which seemed to have been buried head down, so that the skulls all touched and the bones had fallen over them in a heap. The skulls are all very low browed except one and that is the only one that shows marks of violence; that skull, although battered, has a high brow and evidently belonged to a politician or some one born to lead. The mound diggers in that section have so far found nothing but skulls, no caskets, no hieroglyphics, no material for a side show. They have discovered nothing but a Golgotha.

A census bulletin just issued, which is devoted to Michigan statistics, says that the population of the State under the census taken as of June 1, 1890, is 2,093,889 while in 1880 the population was 1,636,937, an increase in ten years of 456,952 or 27.92 per cent. In 1880 Montmorency and Oscoda counties were unorganized and were attached as townships to Alpena and Alcona counties, respectively. Since then, however, they have been organized and appear separate and distinct as counties. The following new counties have been organized since 1880: Alger, 1885, from Schoolcraft; Arenac, in 1883, from Bay; Cogebic, in 1887, from Ontonagon; Iron, in 1885, from Marquette and Menominee; and Luce, in 1887, from Chippewa and Mackinac. When parts of counties have been taken to form new counties the population according to the census of 1880 of the part taken is deducted from the population in 1880 of the county from which it was taken, wherever possible, and is set over against the population of the new county for 1890, as in this way comparison to show growth is more accurately made. Fifteen counties in the State show decreases, most of which are small, while fourteen counties show increases of more than 100 per cent. Thirty-eight counties show increases of more than 50 per cent.

Mr. J. R. Allen, upholsterer, Toronto sends us the following: "For six or seven years my wife suffered with Dyspepsia, Costiveness, Inward Piles and Kidney Complaint. We tried two physicians and any number of medicines without getting any relief, until we got a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery. This was the first relief she got, and before one bottle was used the benefit she derived from it was beyond our expectation."

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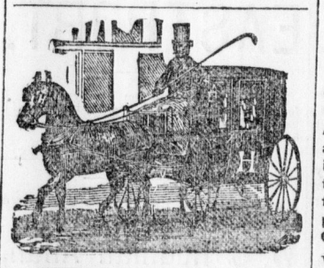
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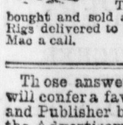


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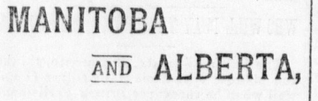
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TROTTING AT ROCHESTER.

Globe and Justina Cut Down Their Good Record.

Shaky Baseball Organizations—Yesterday's Scores—Various Sporting Events.

A two day's race meeting will be held in St. Thomas on Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 9 and 10.

Grant's Abdallah broke his record at Rochester on Wednesday in winning the 2:16 pacing event. He made a mile in 2:15¾. His record was 2:17¾, made on the Rochester track last year.

TROTTING AT ROCHESTER.

ROCHESTER, Aug. 14.—An increased crowd attended the grand circuit races yesterday. Hamlin's trotters, Globe and Justina, were driven to the pole and knocked their record of 2:20 down to 2:16½, the last quarter being made in :31. Tony Kloch took the 4-year-old stakes in a walkover. Thus far the short-enders have mopped the floor with the talent. Following are the summaries:

2:21 class; purse, $2,000 (unfinished):

The Seer	7	1	1	1
Early Bird	1	2	4	4
New York Central	2	6	2	9
Jessie Hanson	3	8	5	2
Rush	5	3	3	7
Maud Muller	4	4	7	6
Annie Wilkes	10	5	6	3
Frederica	8	7	9	8
Charley Wilkes	9	9	8	5
Pocahontas Prince	6	10	10	10

Time—2:23, 2:19½, 2:20¼, 2:20.

Free-for-all, pacing; purse, $1,500, divided:

Hal Pointer	1	1	1	1
Wharton	2	3	4	4
Dallas	2	2	3	3
Lolo Maid	3	4	2	2

Time—2:11¾, 2:12¼, 2:11¾, 2:11¾.

2:27 class; purse, $2,000, divided:

N. T. H.	2	1	1	1
Eva Wilkes	1	2	5	4
Jerry L.	4	5	2	3
Katie L.	5	4	4	2
Superior	3	3	3	6

Time—2:17¼, 2:17¼, 2:17, 2:18¼.

2:19 class; purse, $2,000:

Diamond	3	1	1	1
Jean Val Jean	1	2	2	4
Abbie V.	5	3	5	2
Sprague Golddust	4	4	3	5

Time—2:17¼, 2:17¼, 2:17, 2:18¼.

THURSDAY'S WINNERS.

At Hawthorne Park, Chicago—Marmosa, Prince Henry, Nero, Ethel and Longshot.

At Garfield Park, Chicago—Bonair, Ed Bell, Brajos, Tom Rogers and Tom Elliot.

At Gloucester—Harwood, Beverwyck, Benjamin, Vance, Pliny and Exclusion.

At Jerome Park—Walcott, Terrifer, Firenze, Knapsack, Banquet and Pagan.

At Saratoga — Frank Kinney, Los Angeles, Eon, Rinfax and Watterson.

At Montreal — Hermit, Jack, Louise, Maid, Balmoral Boy and Velveteen.

CHATHAM RACE MEETING.

The following are the entries for the Chatham Driving Club's race meeting, which is to be held Aug. 18, the date of Chatham's civic holiday: Named race—Black Kate, W. S. Seamen, Charing Cross; Mino C., S. Seamen, Charing Cross; Sandy, E. A. Mounteer, Chatham; Barrabas, J. H. Glassford, Chatham; Young Rooker, Chas. Wilmore, Chatham; Queen, E. Miller, Dresden. 2:30 class—Texas Mike, A. Bedford, Chatham; Corncracker, L. Wigle, Leamington; Jack the Ripper, A. Fox, Amherstburg; Prince Edward, P. Forham, Wallaceburg; Charlie G., H. T. Wesbrook, Brantford; Young Bonair, Stobbs Bros., Leamington. Free for all—Rosa B., T. Heatherington, Cedar Springs; John Duncan, C. H. Field, Brantford; Roadmaster, Tintster & Bogart, Chatham; Jennie Scott, A. Ash, Brantford.

CRICKET.

A cricket match played at Exeter Thursday—Seaforth vs. Exeter—was decided in the first inning. Seaforth, 89; Exeter, 49.

AQUATIC.

A regatta will be held on Aug. 19 at Port Dover, on Silver Lake. Cash prizes worth trying for have been subscribed for canoe and yacht races.

CANADIANS SUCCESSFUL AT DETROIT.

DETROIT, Aug. 14.—The second day of the Mississippi Valley regatta passed off well.

First on the card was the single-scull race. Edward Durnan, of the Sunnyside Club, Toronto, winner of the junior singles, and Fred Gastreich, of the Modocs, St. Louis, started, Durnan winning in 10:29½, his opponent 30 seconds behind him.

Next came the pairs, with Standish and Lyon, champions of America; Gridley and Peacock, the second Detroit crew, and the Modocs' crew, Fred Koeing and John Buerger. The Baysides won by 20 seconds in 9:49½.

The senior fours was between the Wolverines, of Detroit, and Modocs, of St. Louis. The Wolverines beat the St. Louis crew handily by 14 seconds in 9:14½.

The only race on the day's list which went to the Mississippi Valley was the six-oared barge race, the Westerns and Modocs, of St. Louis, and the Wolverines, of Detroit, being in it. The Modocks won in 4:33¼. The Wolverines stuck to their opponents to the finish, losing by but 8½ seconds.

LACROSSE.

An exciting game of lacrosse was played at Port Elgin Thursday between the Kincardine and Port Elgin clubs, resulting in two goals for each team. Kincardine won two goals in 1 hour and 10 minutes and 17 minutes respectively, and Port Elgin two goals in 2 minutes and 13 minutes respectively. There being yet five minutes' time for play, Kincardine failed to appear. The referee then gave the game to Port Elgin.

BASEBALL.

Eastern League scores, Thursday—Lebanon 6, Buffalo 4; Troy 3, Rochester 1; Syracuse 9, New Haven 5. Providence disbanded.

National League scores, Thursday—Cleveland 7, Boston 5; Cincinnati 7, New York 4; Philadelphia 7, Pittsburg 6; Chicago 1, Brooklyn 1.

American Association scores, Thursday Athletics 6, Columbus 5; Boston 7, Cincinnati 1; Baltimore 2, Louisville 1; St. Louis 11, Washington 5.

Bradford defeated Beaverton at lacrosse Thursday on the Beaverton grounds by a score of 2 to 1.

The Providence baseball club will probably have to go under. Manager Cheney has received a telegram from President White, of the Eastern Association, announcing that the league could not provide funds to meet the pay roll of the club.

The Western Association is another shaky league and the directors of Cushman's Milwaukee club are thinking of dropping out.

THE WHEEL.

A. A. Zimmerman, of the New York Athletic Club, lowered the half-mile ordinary bicycle record to 1:10⅘ at Hampden Park last evening.

ATHLETICS.

The Pacific Athletic Club, of San Francisco, has offered a purse of $12,000 for a finish fight between Bob Fitzsimmons and Ted Pritchard, the English middle-weight champion.

THE TRIGGER.

BENEDICTS BEAT BACHELORS.

The match between the married and single men of the London Gun Club came off Thursday afternoon. As will be seen by the annexed score, the married men, with one more man than their opponents, made 139 and the single men 137. The married men all came to the front and two of their best shooters were loaned to the single men to make up their number; in fact, the leading score, 25, was made by a member of the married team. The married men to the number of eight or nine are at any time willing to meet the same number of single men. As the latter are ready to reciprocate another match will likely be shot soon:

JOHN P. EVANS' SIDE—SINGLE MEN.

Redpath	1011111110101101111011011110011— 22
Vernon	1100001010101110010010111111101— 17
Battman	1110011010110101011110001010000— 17
Stanley	1111111111010011111111111111011— 26
Evans	0111111111111101010101101111111— 25
Blackburn	0011111000101011110010010010100— 14
Purdy	1010100101100110101001111001101— 16
Total	137

CHAS. W. DAVIS' SIDE—MARRIED MEN.

Winfield	0001010110111101111111101011110— 20
Nicholson	0111000000101010000010010000000— 9
Reynold	0110011000010110101001111101011— 17
Paine	1111100111010111011010111011011— 23
Brewer	1011011101111010111010111110001— 20
Brownell	0010100011011001010111001110000— 14
Harris	0100110101011001101000001010000— 11
Gay	0111111111111111111001111111010— 25
Total	139

A practice shoot was subsequently held at targets from five unknown traps. Score:

Winfield	0111110111— 8
Vernon	0111101101— 7
Redpath	1111111111—10

There was a clay pigeon shooting match at Exeter Wednesday—Seaforth vs. Exeter—which resulted in favor of Exeter by one bird.

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CHOSEN FRIENDS' PICNIC.

Success Attended Their "First Annual" —A Good Crowd—Prize Winners.

The first grand picnic under the auspices of the Canadian Order of Chosen Friends, of London, was held at Port Stanley on Wednesday, when Fraser Heights presented a gay appearance. The committee made complete arrangements with the railway authorities so that picnickers had access to all trains going to Port Stanley during the day. Every train arriving brought numbers to the grounds, and Fraser Heights seldom presented a more lively scene than when the programme of sports was entered upon, which, from start to finish, were enjoyable. The most novel race of all was the shoe race, contestants having to take off their shoes and put them in a barrel half way to the winning post, then return and put them on again. Another novelty of the occasion was the "guessing contest." A quart sealer containing marbles of different sizes was passed among the crowd, and guessing the number it contained caused no small stir among the contestants. At the close of the competition, the committee opened the sealer and counted the marbles, and found that Mr. Thos. Pasmore, of Elizabeth street, was the lucky winner, having guessed the number to be 167, the correct number being 163. Mr. Pasmore received the cash prize of $1 50. At 2 o'clock the following programme of sports was commenced and the successful competitors were:

Girls' race, under 7—Carrie Treneman 1, Ethel Pritchett 2, Emily Gibson 3.

Boys' race, under 7—F. Burns 1, Roy Luttrell 2, F. Dewan 3.

Married ladies' race—Mrs. Simmons 1, Mrs. Hatten 2, Mrs. Mossly 3.

Chosen Friends' race—Mr. Kilburne 1, J. A. Matthews 2, Mr. Holmes 3.

Boys' race, under 12—C. Burns 1, Geo Burns 2, J. McKay 3.

Girls' race, under 12—Bella Henderson 1, Nettie Wilson 2, Ethel Simmons 3.

Young ladies' race—Annie Henderson 1, Miss Kelly 2, Lizzie Jones 3.

Boys' race, under 16—J. Gibbins 1, B. Holt 2, R. Watson 3.

Girls' race, under 16—Miss Dewan 1, Miss Regan 2, Annie Henderson 3.

Shoe race—J. Regan 1, W. T. Brown 2, J. A. Mathews 3.

The tug-of-war contest between East London and South London councils for a box of cigars, donated by P. C. George Campbell, caused no small amount of excitement, as both parties strained every nerve to secure the prize. However, after two hard pulls, with P. C. Campbell at the end of the rope, the referee, Thomas Pasmore, decided in favor of East London council. Chadwick's string band was engaged for the day, and furnished excellent music for those who enjoyed themselves tripping the "light fantastic." Messrs. Armstrong and Legg acted as starters, and Messrs. Corkin, Dr. English and Clark were the judges.

The most interesting part of the programme concerning the little folks was the distribution of candy by Friend Wm. Luttrell, which was enjoyed very much. About two years ago the first council of this society was organized in this city, known as Forest City, with a membership of about twenty. To-day there are four councils, having a membership of nearly 300, and rapidly increasing, and as this picnic was the demonstration under the auspices of this order, it will no doubt have its weight with the public.

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Some Particulars About This Enterprising Organization.

A Club House Commodious and Convenient—The Building and the Boats—The Thames Should Be Kept Clean—List of the Directors and Shareholders—Bright Prospects of the Club.

The London Rowing and Canoe Club (limited) has been in operation now for two months or more and bids fair to be one of the most successful institutions ever established in this city. It has now 132 shareholders—all paid up—and several new applicants. The organization of the club was only commenced in the early part of May last.

The site selected for the operations of the company is the point opposite the sulphur baths, on the Darvill property, and a building has been erected thereon, 46x30 feet, which is calculated to hold 36 boats belonging to the members. Part of this space, however, has been devoted to the four-oared club boats. The building is one story and a half high—the lower for boats and the upper divided off into a fine club room, 30x30, a dressing and bath room, with 32 lockers, and a small other room, which has not yet been assigned its uses. There is a nice veranda on the upper story, where the members and their friends may be often seen enjoying the cool breeze generally to be found there. The four-oared boats built at Hamilton specially for the club are the finest ever brought into London, and are ready for use whenever the members want them. The intending crews should at once stick up their names on the board for that purpose in the club room, as the Rowing Committee want to organize for a regatta next month. The club has built a foot bridge over the river from the Sulphur Baths for the use of the members, and there is a man in charge of the building whose duty is to attend there from 8 a.m. till the last boat is brought back at night.

The club has been incorporated, and its capital stock is authorized to be $3,000, nearly half of which has been subscribed. It is the intention to erect a small house somewhere near Springbank for the convenience of members. A tennis ground has been laid out immediately in the rear of the boat house, also a bowling green, both of which are now open for use. Crieket and football grounds are in contemplation in the near future.

The necessity of a boat club in London has long been felt, and one of the chief objects of the L. R. and C. Club (limited) is to bring all possible influence to bear on the city authorities to make them clean the river. The club has on its list of shareholders many of the most influential men in the city, and they propose as a united body to spare no efforts in bringing the sewage question to a speedy conclusion. The gas tar from the gas works has already subsided, and it is not proposed to submit to any more of its nuisance, even through the winter season.

The Board of Directors named on the charter for the first year are: John Macbeth (president), M. J. Kent (first vice-president), Geo. D. Sutherland (second vice-president), J. B. Kilgour, Capt. Cartwright ("D" Company, I. S. C.), H. S. Blackburn, W. C. L. Gill, Geo. Gillespie, jun., Walter S. Smith, Geo. W. Marsh (honorary secretary), and W. C. L. Gill (treasurer). Capt. Cartwright and N. S. Williams form the House Committee, and J. B. Kilgour (captain), Geo. Gillespie, jun., and G. W. Marsh the Rowing Committee. The names of the shareholders are as follows: George Anderson, H. C. Allison, Harry Abbott, George W. Armstrong, R. W. Barker, John Bowman, J. H. A. Beattie, H. S. Blackburn, Charles A. Blinn, Geo. Burns, George Birrell, jun., A. A. Booker, Thomas Beattie, H. O. Brunton, P. W. D. Broderick, T. W. Birks, H. Beaton, J. W. Butler, D. Cumberland, G. D. Cameron, D. J. Cowan, W. T. Cooper, Joseph P. Cook, F. J. Collette, Capt. Cartwright, S. H. Craig, A. G. Chisholm, Ed. Complin, A. A. Campbell, Frank Cooper, E. R. Cameron, John Cameron, T. H. Carling, Hume Cronyn, C. W. Davis, Jas. Douglas, Andrew Durand, Wm. Eardley, E. L. Edy, D. Foster, Chas. Fisher, E. Fewings, W. C. Fitzgerald, Fred W. Fraser, Ed. J. Flock, W. C. L. Gill, W. A. Gunn, Geo. C. Gibbons, Geo. Gillespie, jun., H. E. Gates, Chas. Graham, D. H. Grand, T. K. Grigg, John H. Glass, N. P. Graydon, George Hayes, John A. Hunt, Chas. Hyman, M.P., E. J. Harper, C. B. Hunt, Thos. M. Harrison, W. R. Hobbs, K. W. B. Hughes, George B. Harris, W. Halle, the Dean of Huron, J. Frith Jeffers, J. B. Kilgour, M. J. Kent, J. D. Keenlyside, H. A. Kingsmill, Frank Leonard, C. W. Leonard, J. W. Little, John Labatt, A. B. Lefroy, J. D. Le Bel, G. W. Marsh, Jas. Magee, John Macbeth, Hugh Macbeth, John Macpherson, John Milne, Samuel Munro, Geo. Macbeth, Dr. W. Mitchell, Ed. Masuret, J. M. Moore, W. J. McIntosh, Alex. McQueen, Lauchlan McDonald, A. Neighorne, W. C. Noble, R. D. Nicholson, H. L. Parsons, T. H. Purdom, Robt. Reid, jun., J. G. Litcher, W. J. Reid, D. Regan, J. E. Richards, W. S. Reid, Thos. H. Smallman, W. S. Smith, R. C. Scatcherd, P. N. Smith, Geo. D. Sutherland, D. Smith, W. E. Saunders, S. N. Sterling, Geo. A. Somerville, Albert M. Smith, H. J. Shirreff, R. C. Struthers, H. Sabine, J. B. Smallman, Walter Simpson, Richard Southam, Thos. Sumner, Wolfe Thomas, Fred. Trebilcock, A. J. Thomas, W. R. Wadsworth, Joe Wolfe, Dr. O. Weld, N. S. Williams, Ed. Weld, Geo. E. Walker, John Weld, Isaac Waterman, T. H. Weldon, Franklin Wright.

The shares in the company are $10 each, payable at subscription, and the annual fee, thereafter, is $5, payable May 15.

The first smoking concert of the season will be held at the club house on or about Thursday of next week, for which members and intending members will please keep a sharp lookout.

We have no hesitation in saying that Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial is without doubt the best medicine ever introduced for dysentery, diarrhœa, cholera and all summer complaints, sea sickness, etc. It promptly gives relief and never fails to effect a positive cure. Mothers should never be without a bottle when their children are teething.

Adobe residences are becoming popular in Southern California from the fact that they are cooler in summer and warmer in winter than ordinary residences.

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Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it has done once it will do again.

THE ODDFELLOWS.

Election of Officers by the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F.

Address to Dr. Cl. T. Campbell from the Daughters of Rebekah—Windsor the Next Meeting Place.

STRATFORD, Aug. 14.—The I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge resumed its sittings yesterday. Following is the result of the election of officers: Grand master, P. E. Fitzgerald, Hamilton; deputy grand master, T. W. Joliffe, Bowmanville; grand secretary, J. B. King, Toronto; grand treasurer, W. H. Cole, Brockville; grand warden, John Oliver, Toronto.

An invitation was presented from Windsor to hold the next session of the Grand Lodge in that town. The invitation came from O. E. Fleming, mayor of Windsor, and a representative in the Grand Lodge. An amendment was presented by representative McCandlish of Hamilton, that the word "Windsor" be struck out and "Hamilton" inserted. Another amendment to make London the next place of meeting was introduced by Representative Powell. The original motion carried.

Bro. Chas. Packert, of Stratford, was unanimously re-elected Grand Lodge auditor.

Past Grand Master Donagh, for the Committee on the State of the Order, reported upon the case of Beethoven Lodge at Brooklyn. This lodge was charged with having made an illegal investment of its funds, having loaned $2,000 at 6 per cent. to its treasurer, he only giving a guarantee company's bond for $2,000, a proceeding in direct contradiction of the constitution. The report recommended that the incoming grand master make a thorough investigation of the affairs of the lodge and cause it to readjust its funds in accordance with law. Carried.

Bro. Dougherty reported, congratulating the order on its satisfactory progress, and advising "20,000 in Ontario" as the watchword and motto until next meeting.

Charters were granted to new lodges in Merrickville, Sault Ste. Marie, Sudbury, Jamesville, Lyn and Leamington.

All the grand master's decisions during the past year were approved.

A spirited debate took place over a report in which it was held that a brother could not be suspended for non-payment of a fine, so long as he kept his dues paid. The only penalty he would incur was that he would not be in good standing or receive benefits.

A motion that the constitution be amended by striking out that clause which precludes the payment of mortuary benefits by annuity to widows of deceased brothers and substituting therefore a permission to pay such annuities for a period of not more than ten years came up. This proposition has been before each succeeding session of the Grand Lodge for several years, and was again defeated.

Grand Representative Robertson presented a lengthy report from the Committee on Fraternal Relations, which was ordered to be printed with the proceedings.

The Committee on the Relief Association reported that its affairs had been carried on very satisfactorily, and subordinate lodges were advised to use their exertions to get their members insured in it, as the committee considered it as well managed and as reliable as any assessment association could possibly be.

A report from Grand Marshal Blackeby for a special committee dealt with a proposed division of powers between Grand Lodge officers and district committees. It was ordered to be printed in the minutes for consideration next year.

A pleasing item was a report from the committee on the state of the order, in which the obligations of the Grand Lodge to Grand Secretary King were set forth. It also congratulated Bro. King on the fact of having completed 25 years' services in the office, and recommended that in recognition of this event a special grant of $250 be made to him. The Grand Lodge adopted the recommendation, the whole body rising and cheering for several minutes.

The Finance Committee's report on salaries and accounts was adopted. The balance of the report of the Committee on District Redistribution was debated. The clause recommending the payment of expenses of D. D. G. Ms was stricken out. After several other amendments had been made in details, the report was adopted. The village of Havelock was granted its petition for a charter. A motion to allow lodges to suspend from membership any brother who may refuse to pay any fine imposed upon him was voted down.

DAUGHTERS OF REBEKAH.

The Daughters of Rebekah have now ten lodges in this Province, the total membership being 876, consisting of 415 brothers and 461 sisters, with receipts for 1890 of $1,149 30, and assets of $1,955 45. The daughters, however, had never yet met in convention, and the grand master called a convention to meet in Stratford simultaneously with the Grand Lodge, and appointed Deputy Grand Sire Dr. Cl. T. Campbell, of London, to be temporary chairman and Bro. J. A. Morgan, of Windsor, to be temporary secretary. The ladies opened their session yesterday afternoon in the Oddfellows' Hall, presided over at the opening by Dr. Campbell. Mr. A. C. Shaw and others appeared as a deputation from the Reception Committee to extend a welcome to the ladies, Mr. Shaw reading the following address, signed by Bros. Welsh and Boothby, chairman and secretary respectively of the Reception Committee:

To Dr. Cl. T. Campbell, deputy grand sire and the Daughters of Rebekah, in convention assembled:

The Oddfellows of Stratford desire to extend you a most cordial and brotherly welcome to the Classic City upon this noteworthy and auspicious occasion of your first annual convention, an event which marks a new era in the progress and power of Oddfellowship. It is with gratification that we observe that you, sir, an old member of Avon Lodge, No. 41, upon your return to our city, reflect honor both upon the lodge and yourself by appearing amongst us in the dignified position of deputy grand sire, and we have special pleasure in congratulating you, sir, upon the official standing which you have so deservedly attained. We are indeed pleased, aye, more than pleased, we are honored, to have the honor to receive and in our humble way to entertain a branch of our order which bids fair not only to add largely to our numbers, but to strengthen our organization and bind us more closely together in the bonds of friendship, love and truth by the addition to our ranks of those who, "when pain and anguish wring the brow," are ministering angels, and who, being the possessors of that sweetness, sympathy, and loving kindness so characteristic of woman, are all the more fitted to adorn and strengthen the ranks of a benevolent order such as ours. We cannot but feel that by the organization and amalgamation with us of the Daughters of Rebekah the higher aims and purposes of our order have received an indorsation, than which none could be better, higher, or more effective; for that order, which is not only sanctioned but assisted by the mothers and wives of a nation, is sure to rise even above the high position it has already attained among the organizations of the world. To the utmost of our ability we shall endeavor to make the hours not devoted to business pass as pleasantly as the resources of our city will permit, and we trust that upon some future occasion we may again have the pleasure and honor of receiving you as our guests.

Dr. Campbell replied appropriately, and the daughters subsequently adopted a constitution and appointed the following officers:

President—Mrs. J. Bowden, Windsor.
Vice-President—Mrs. J. H. Cook, Toronto.
Secretary—Mrs. J. Waddell, St. Thomas.
Treasurer—Miss H. Cosier, Gananoque.
Warden—Miss M. G. Sanders, London.
Chaplain—Mrs. G. J. Brill, Guelph.
Guardian—Mrs. E. Seels, Toronto.

CHRISTIAN CONVENTION.

Meeting of Representatives of Young Men's Christian Associations in Amsterdam.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 14.—At yesterday's session of the World's Convention of the Young Men's Christian Association the first subject to be discussed was "Spiritual life in our associations, the dangers that threaten it in our actual development, the best means for maintaining and increasing it, and for constantly recruiting active and truly converted members." The discussion was opened by the reading of a paper in English by Robert Burn, secretary of the Aldersgate street branch of the London Association. Rev. Mr. Baumgartner, of Berne, Switzerland, read a paper in French on the subject, and another paper, prepared by William D. Murray, of Plainfield, N. J., was read by Mr. Douglass, one of the American delegates. Mr. Murray's paper showed that while the American associations were very prosperous and rapidly growing in numbers, membership, and property, and were given much attention to the social, mental and physical development of young men, the greatest and most prosperous work of the associations was in the development of the religious life of young men and in the effort for their conversion. He reported 987 Bible classes and 2,456 weekly religious services for young men, and gave carefully prepared statistics showing large numbers of conversions in connection with association work.

"The Young Men's Christian Associations and its attitude with regard to the social question," and "The Young Men's Christian Association in Roman Catholic countries; how to counteract the difficulties which prevent their development," were discussed. The proceedings closed with religious services conducted in the Dutch tongue.

THE HEBREWS' FRIEND.

Baron Hirsch Authorizes the Purchase of $10,000,000 of Land for His Persecuted Brethren.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—Baron Hirsch has empowered Dr. Lowenthal and other gentlemen to purchase lands in the Argentine Republic to the value of $10,000,000.

The Moscow police have received secret orders which will have the effect of expelling every Jew from the district within two months.

In Winnipeg the first sample of this season's wheat was exhibited Thursday. It was cut near Virden on Monday, and is an excellent sample of No. 1 hard.

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Notice—A. M. Foster.
Music Lost—Nordheimer's.
Cottage Wanted—P. O. Box 526.
Nurse Wanted—623 Dundas street.
Bookkeeper Wanted—Q., this Office.
Services—London West Methodist.
Services—First Presbyterian Church.
Services—First Congregational Church.
Services—King Street Methodist.
Services—Talbot Street Baptist.
Services—Wellington Street Methodist.
Services—Dundas Street Center.
Services—Colborne Street Methodist.
Services—St. James' Presbyterian.
Services—Queen's Avenue Methodist.
Services—Askin Street Methodist.
Services—Union Congregational Church.
Services—St. Andrew's Presbyterian.
Services—London East Methodist.
Stylish Clothing—Oak Hall.
Powell's Great Bankrupt Sale.
Auction Sale—Neil Cooper.
Picnic—Irish Benevolent Society.
Real Estate—W. D. Buckle.
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COMMERCE AND FINANCE.

Latest Financial News by Mail and Telegraph.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14—1 p.m.—Stock market dull; steady; American Express, 116; Atcheson, 34; C. B. and Q., 86; Canadian Pacific, 82½; Canada Southern, 49½; Delaware and Lackawanna, 135½; L. and N., 66½; Lake Shore, 110½; Northern Pacific, 23½; preferred, 53¾; New York Central, —; N. W., 104½; R. I., 74½; St. Paul, 64½; preferred, —; Union Pacific, 44½; Western Union, 80½.

London Money Market.

LONDON, Aug. 14—12:30 p.m.—Consols, 96 3-16 for money; 96 3-16 for account; U. S. 4s, 102 5-8 ex coupon; U. S. 4s, 119½; St. Paul, 65½; Erie seconds 100½; Erie, 20½; Pacific Central, 61½; Reading, 14½; Canadian Pacific, 84½; New York Central, 101½; Illinois Central, 95½ ex-div.; Bank of England rate, 2½ per cent.; open market discount 1½.

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, Aug. 14.	ASK.	OFF.
Montreal	226½	225
Ontario	115	113
Molsons	—	—
Toronto	220	—
Merchants	150	—
Commerce	131½	130
Imperial	172	170½
Dominion	240	—
Standard	—	157
Hamilton	—	162
British America	99	—
Western Assurance	143½	142½
Canada Life	—	—
Confederation Life Association	—	—
Northwest Land Co	81	80
C. P. R. Bonds	109	108
C. P. R. Stock	83	82½
Farmers' Loan and Savings	—	123
Farmers' L. & S., 20 per cent	—	110
London and Canada L. and A.	—	129
London and Ontario	—	—
Huron and Erie	—	158
Dominion Savings and Loan	96	—
Ontario Loan and Debenture	—	126
Canadian Savings and Loan	—	—
London Loan	—	—

SALES—Imperial, 100 at 171; C. P. R. Stock 100 at 82½, 50 at 822.

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

LONDON, Friday, Aug. 14.

Receipts this morning were light; only four loads of wheat offered. One sold at 83c per standard bushel, and three at $1 45 per cental. No oats or any other kind of grain offered. Quotations:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, per standard bush	$ 85	to	$ 85
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	1 42	to	1 45
Wheat, Democrat, per 100 lbs	1 42	to	1 45
Wheat, Clawson, per 100 lbs	1 42	to	1 45
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs	1 40	to	1 45
Rye, per 100 lbs	00	to	00
Buckwheat	00	to	1 00
Oats	1 10	to	1 13
Corn	1 35	to	1 40
Peas	1 20	to	1 20
Beans, per bush	00	to	00
Barley, per 100 lbs	1 10	to	1 15
PROVISIONS.			
Eggs, retail	11	to	12
Eggs, basket	10	to	11
Eggs, store lots	00	to	00
Butter, pound rolls per lb	16	to	17
Butter, crock or larger rolls	14	to	15
Butter, tub or firkin	11	to	16
Cheese	9	to	9
Lard	10	to	10
Dressed hogs	6 00	to	6 25
Turnips, per bush	00	to	00
Carrots, per bush	00	to	00
Potatoes, per bag	40	to	00
Parsnips, per bush	00	to	00
Onions, per bush	00	to	00
Apples, bag	50	to	00
Beef, per cwt	5 00	to	6 50
Mutton, per lb	7	to	08
Lamb, per lb	9	to	10
Veal, per lb	6	to	06
Chickens, per pair	50	to	75
Ducks, per pair	75	to	1 00
Turkeys each	70	to	1 00
Hides, No. 1, per lb	44	to	44
Hides, No. 2, per lb	34	to	34
Hides, No. 3, per lb	24	to	24
Wool, per lb	18	to	20
Calfskins, green, per lb	6	to	6
Calfskins, dry, per lb	6	to	6
Lambskins, each	25	to	25
Pelts, each	25	to	25
FLOUR AND FEED.			
Patent roller flour, per 100 lbs	275	to	2 75
Roller flour, per 100 lbs	250	to	2 50
Stone flour, stone	00	to	00
Buckwheat flour	0 00	to	0 00
Oatmeal, standard per bag	2 80	to	2 90
Oatmeal, granulated per bag	3 00	to	3 20
Oatmeal, rolled per bag	3 00	to	3 20
Cornmeal, per bag	2 00	to	1 25
Bran, per ton	14 00	to	16 00
Shorts, per ton	20 00	to	22 00
Clover seed, per bushel	0 00	to	0 00
Timothy seed, per bush.	0 00	to	0 00
Hay	8 00	to	9 50
Hungarian	00	to	00
Milleb	00	to	00
Flax	0 00	to	0 00

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Toronto Market.

TORONTO, Aug. 14

WHEAT—Manitoba hard, No. 2, $1 08 to $1 08; Manitoba hard, No. 3, 94c to 95c; spring, No. 2, 97c to 98c; red winter, No. 2, $1 02 to $1 03.

PEAS—No. 2, 76c to 75c.

OATS—No. 2, 37c to 40c.

CORN—70c to 70c.

FLOUR—Extra, $3 80 to $3 90; straight roller, $4 40 to $4 50.

Market fairly steady. Sales—No. 2 Manitoba hard outside at $1 08; No 3 do outside at 95c to 98c.

Montreal Market.

MONTREAL, Aug. 14.

FLOUR—Receipts, 5,500 bbls; sales 600 sacks; market quiet and unchanged; quotations are as follows: Patents winter, $5 25 to $5 40; do. spring, $5 25 to $5 50; straight roller, $4 70 to $4 90; extra, $4 50 to $4 60; superfine, $4 00 to $4 10; strong bakers, $5 25 to $5 25; Ontario bags, $2 20 to $2 40.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 hard Manitoba, $1 05 to $1 07; corn, 75c to 75c; peas, 90c to 91c; oats, 41c to 42c; barley, 60c to 62c; rye, 85c to 84c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, $2 90 to $3 00; cornmeal, $1 60.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, $17 00 to $17 50; lard, 8c to 9c; bacon, 9½c to 10½c; hams, 10½c to 11½c; cheese, 9c to 9c; butter, townships, 16c to 18c; Morrisburg, 16c to 17c; Western, 14c to 15c; eggs, 12½c.

English Markets.

Beerbohm's Report by Cable.

LONDON, Aug. 14.

Floating cargoes—Wheat firm, corn none.

Cargoes on passage—Wheat and corn firmly held.

Mark Lane—Wheat firm, corn firmer, flour firm; spot good No. 2 club Calcutta wheat, 37s 9d, was 37s 6d; present and following month 38s, was 37s 6d; do. good Danube corn 27s, was 26s 3d; prompt 28s, was 27s 3d; good cargoes No. 1 Cal. wheat off coast, 43s, was 42s 6d; do. Australian off coast, 41s 9d, was 41s 6d; present and following month 42s 3d, was 42s; do. Chilian off coast, 40s 9d, was 40s; present and following month 40s 9d, was 40s; do. Walla off coast, 41s 9d, was 41s; present and following month 42s, was 41s 6d; do. good mixed American corn prompt steamer, 27s 9d.

London—Good shipping No. 1 Cal. wheat, prompt sail, 43s 9d, was 43s 6d; do. nearly due, 43s was 42s 9d; No. 2 red winter wheat, prompt steamer, 39s 3d, was 38s 9d; present and following month, 39s 3d, was 39s 6d.

French country markets strong.

Weather in England some rain.

Liverpool—Spot wheat strong, corn hardening; No. 1 Cal. 8s 7d—1d dearer; Walla 8s 2d, Kansas winter 8s 2d, Indian 8s 4d—all 2d dearer; flour 28s—6d dearer; corn 6s—¾d dearer; peas 6s 7d—unchanged.

LIVERPOOL, Aug 14.

The quotations for the past three market days are as follows:

	Aug. 12		Aug. 13		Aug. 14	
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Spring	8 0	8 0½	8 0½	8 1	8 3	8 3½
Red winter	7 6½	7 0½	7 6½	7 0	7 6½	7 0
Kan. winter	8 1	8 1½	8 1½	8 2	8 3	8 3½
No. 1 Cal.	8 5	8 5½	8 5½	8 0	8 7	8 7½
Corn	5 11½	0 0	5 11½	0 0	6 0½	0 0
Peas, per c.	6 7	0 0	6 7	0 0	6 7	0 0
Pork	56 3	0 0	57 6	0 0	57 6	0 0
Lard	33 9	0 0	34 0	0 0	33 6	0 0
Bacon, s. c.	34 0	00 0	34 0	00 0	34 6	00 0
Bacon, l. c.	37 0	00 0	35 6	00 0	36 6	00 0
Tallow	26 9	00 0	26 9	00 0	26 9	00 0
Cheese, wh.	44 0	00 0	44 6	00 0	44 6	00 0
Cheese, col.	44 0	00 0	44 6	00 0	44 6	00 0

Wheat strong, demand good, holders offer sparingly; corn firm, fair demand. Receipts of wheat for the past 3 days, 272,000 centals, including 73,000 centals of American; corn for the same time, 10,000 centals of American. Weather rainy.

American Markets.

CHICAGO, Aug. 14.

THE LEADING FUTURES CLOSED.

WHEAT—Aug., 93½c; Sept., 98c; Dec., 99¾c.
CORN—Aug., 62¾c; Sept., 59¾c; Oct., 56¼c.
OATS—Aug. and Sept., 28¼c; May, 31½c.
MESS PORK—Sept., $10 10; Oct., $10 22½.
LARD—Sept., $6 60; Oct., $6 70.
SHORT RIBS—Sept., $6 65; Oct., $6 77½.

CASH QUOTATIONS.

No. 2 spring wheat, 93¼c; No. 2 red, $1; No. 2 corn, 62¾c; No. 2 oats, 28c to 28¼c; No. 2 rye, 94c; mess pork, $10 05 to $10 10; lard, $6 60; short ribs sides, $6 60 to $6 65; dry salted shoulders, $6 20 to $6 25; short clear sides, $7 20 to $7 30.

Receipts—

Flour	16,000	Wheat	269,000
Corn	261,000	Oats	291,000
Rye	70,000	Barley	3,000

Shipments—

Flour	15,000	Wheat	145,000
Corn	188,000	Oats	265,000
Rye	88,000	Barley	3,000

OSWEGO, Aug. 14.

WHEAT—Market dull; red and white State at $1 to $1 01.

CORN—Market steady; No. 2 yellow, 74c.

OATS—Market quiet; white western at 50c.

BARLEY—Market dull; no sales, receipts or shipments.

Canada lumber receipts by lake, 1,527,339 feet. Canadian coal shipments by lake, 493 tons.

TOLEDO, Aug. 14.

WHEAT—$1 01 cash, 99¾c asked Aug., 98¾c bid Oct., $1 00½ Dec.

CORN—64½c cash.

OATS—31c cash.

DETROIT, Aug. 14.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, 99c cash; No. 2 red, 99½c cash, Aug. and Sept., $1 01½ Dec.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 14.

WHEAT—Quiet; $1 02½ cash, 94½c Sept.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.

FLOUR—Stronger; active demand; advance asked checking business.

RYE FLOUR—Higher; good demand.

WHEAT—Receipts, 188,900 bu; exports, 211,819 bu; sales, 8,508,000 bu futures; 588,000 bu spot; spot, unsettled; higher; active demand for export, advance checking business; No. 2 red, $1 06 to $1 08 elevator; No. 2 Chicago, $1 14; No. 2 Milwaukee, $1 12 to $1 12½; options excited and active; early 2c to 2¾c up on higher cables and foreign crop reports, manipulating at west, liberal covering of shorts, and discussions in Germany demanding reduction of duty. Afterwards on realizing declined ¼c to ¾c, but quickly reacted and sold up 2¾c to 3c through continued full export purchases, and fright among the shorts, closed feverish at 3¼c to 3¾c over yesterday; No. 2 red, Aug., $1 04; Sept., $1 07¾; Oct., $1 08¾; Nov., $1 09½; Dec., $1 09¾; Jan., $1 11¾.

RYE—Excited; advancing; State, $6 to $7.

CORN—Receipts, 1,450 bu; exports, 4,926 bu; sales, 1,104,000 bu futures; 80,000 bu spot; spot higher; scarce; fair demand; ungraded mixed, 76½c to 77¾c; options advanced 1½c to 2c; declined ¼c to 1c, reacted ¾c to 1c, closing strong, and more active through the wheat situation; Aug., 72¾c; Sept., 69½c; Oct., 67½c.

OATS—Receipts, 74,000 bu; sales, 180,000 bu futures; 92,000 bu spot; spot 5c to 6c lower; moderately active; options dull; lower; weak; Aug., 34½c; Sept. and Oct., 33½c; spot, No. 2, 37c to 38c; mixed western, 36¼c to 38c; white do., 43c to 55c.

SUGAR—Quiet; standard "A," 4¼c; cut loaf and crushed, 5¾c; powdered, 4¾c; granulated, 4¼c to 4⅜c.

EGGS—Quiet, 17c to 17½c.

The Dairy Markets.

GANANOQUE, Aug. 14.—At Gananoque cheese market the number of factories represented was six. Quantity entered for sale, 600 white; number of boxes sold, 300 white; price sold at 8¼c; number of buyers present at sale, three.

Live Stock Markets.

MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Aug. 14.—At Viger market 60 milch cows and strippers offered this morning. Good stock sold from $80 to $85, small cows and strippers neglected.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Aug. 14.—Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; quality poor; left over, 4,000; market active and prices unchanged. Sales ranged at: $5 25 to $5 10 for pigs, $4 75 to $5 30 for light, $4 55 to $4 90 for rough packing, $4 80 to $5 60 for mixed, and $4 35 to $5 50 for heavy packing and shipping lots.

Cattle—Receipts, 4,500; quality fair; market active on local and shipping account and prices higher for good grades. Quotations ranged at: $5 70 to $6 20 for choice to fancy shipping steers, $4 90 to $5 60 for good to choice do., $4 50 to $4 80 for common to fair do, $3 75 to $4 40 for butchers' steers, $2 60 to $3 50 for stockers, $2 25 to $4 25 for Texans, $3 40 to $4 30 for feeders, $1 50 to $4 for cows, $1 50 to $3 50 for bulls, $2 50 to $4 50 for veal calves.

Sheep—Receipts, 3,000; quality good; market active and prices unchanged. Quotations ranged at $3 50 to $4 80 for westerns, $4 75 to $5 20 for natives, and $5 50 to $6 40 for lambs.

EAST BUFFALO.

EAST BUFFALO, Aug. 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 33 cars, 25 of them Texans; market steady for good corn-fed steers and dull for common lots. Sales, good to choice corn-fed steers, $4 85 to $5 40; old cows, $1 75 to $2; light to fair steers, $3 75 to $4; calves, $2 75 to $5 25.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 12 cars; market steady and firm for good goods; sheep and lambs of good quality also steady. Sales, good sheep, $4 55 to $5; fair do, $4 to $4 40; cull and common, $3 to $3 75.

Hogs—Receipts, 8 cars; market firmer; sales, good corn-fed Yorkers, $5 80 to $5 85; fair and half-fat, $5 25 to $5 70; mediums, $5 70 to $5 80; pigs, $3 50 to $4 25; about all sold.

Petrolea Oil Market.

PETROLEA, Aug. 14.—Oil opened at closed to-day at $1 34½.

LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—Corporation men were paid off yesterday.

—The International Fraternal Alliance picnic at Port on Monday.

—Ivan Hyland, of Strathroy, is visiting friends in the city at present.

—Miss Maude Jones, of this city, is home on a visit to her parents, near Sarnia.

—Miss May Millar, 532 Dufferin avenue, left yesterday to visit relatives in New York.

—Miss Nellie Green, Cartwright street, has gone to spend her holidays in Chatham.

—Miss Ethel Danks and her friend, Miss Cox, of Chicago, are visiting relatives in the city.

—H. Clark, J. Allan and A. F. Clark, of this city, were at Winnipeg hotels Monday.

—Miss Mabel Smith, Lizzie and Ruth Williams are taking in the pleasures of Port Stanley.

—Mr. A. E. Westman left yesterday for a trip through Manitoba and the Northwest Territories.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Dewar left last night for a trip to San Francisco and other Pacific coast points.

—Mr. J. M. Riley, of St. Joseph, Mo., formerly of London, has been spending a few days with his mother.

—Mr. Charles Reid, of the wholesale firm of Reid Bros., left on a business trip to the Pacific Coast yesterday afternoon.

—Master Charlie McLeay, of Watford, has been the guest of his uncle, Dr. F. R. Eccles, for the last few days.

—The concert to have been given last evening by the Seventh Band on E. J. Parke's grounds, South London, was postponed.

—Two hundred people went to Port yesterday on the London East Methodist Sunday school picnic. They had to enjoy the afternoon under cover.

—Mr. J. Blizzard and wife, Mrs. Blizzard, sen., and Miss Blizzard, city, left Sarnia to-day for Chicago on the steamer Acadia, Merchants' Line.

—John Day, of London West, was fined $2 by 'Squire Smyth yesterday for indecent exposure, but in default of payment was committed to jail for 10 days.

—Julia Nichol, a young girl who has just served a term in the Mercer Reformatory, appeared at the Police Court yesterday on the old charge of vagrancy. She was allowed to go to the Salvation Army Rescue Home.

—Thursday evening the Salvation Army "farewelled" Staff-Captain Mrs. Sweetman and Captain McGillivary, and welcomed to city Captain and Mrs. Jones, late of Strathroy, who have just assumed charge of London Corps No. 1.

—St. George's Society Thursday evening passed a resolution of condolence with the family of the late Wm. Steel, killed Tuesday at the Hyde Park crossing of the L., H. and B. Railway. Deceased was a life member of the society.

—Secretary Browne, of the Western Fair, has received a communication from Adelphian Encampment, I. O. O. F., announcing the cheerful willingness of its members to take part in the proposed citizen's parade. All the fraternal societies have been invited and satisfactory answers are expected soon.

—Edward Dyer, who a week ago pleaded guilty to a charge of non-support of his wife, was at the Police Court yesterday to receive sentence. Both his wife and himself pledge their willingness to live together. He entered into his own recognizance for $50 to live with and support her and was let go on suspended sentence. Kittie Kramer with whom Dyer fled from Detroit has been sent home.

—Emily Scott, a young colored woman, appeared at the Police Court yesterday to answer to a charge of vagrancy, an offense for which she has been convicted many, many times. About a month ago Emily and a man named Joe Harris, with whom she lives, were arrested, and she was sent to jail for twenty days, the man being fined. Immediately after her release she went to her home on Piccadilly street and began fighting with her partner. A dray-man named Joe Stephenson hired the house and the other two were to pay half the rent, but now he would gladly give the services of his dray to remove the troublesome couple. The woman was allowed to go on suspended sentence.

—The annual tour of the Forest City Bicycle Club starts from "the Guns," Victoria Park, at 2 o'clock this afternoon for Goderich. It is expected that about 30 wheelmen will leave the city, and they will be joined by a contingent of about twenty more riders at Brucefield, consisting of 'cyclists from Stratford, Seaforth and Goderich. Should the weather prove unfavorable to-morrow the tourists will take the 4:25 p.m. train for Exeter. Captain Tune will be in command of the party, and Mr. W. H. Irwin will act as whipper-in. The London tourists before leaving will take a run along Park avenue to Dundas, to Talbot, to Carling, to Richmond street and then out.

A Happy Gathering.

There was a jolly crowd in Fysh's rooms Thursday, when President Geo. C. Davis, of the Victoria (Masonic) Club, entertained the members and a few friends to a banquet. After ample justice had been done to the substantial repast, the president, on behalf of the members of the club, presented Mr. Conrad Wettlaufer with a gold-headed cane, the occasion for this mark of esteem being the departure of that gentleman for Philadelphia, where he will attend the College of Dentistry. Mr. Wettlaufer has made many friends while he has been in London and has been deservedly popular. He will be missed in his circle and by none more than by the members of Victoria Club. The recipient made a feeling reply. Two other members of the Executive (who are about to go on a western trip, Messrs. J. S. Dewar and Chas. Reid), also thanked the president for his kind wishes. In the course of the evening the following telegram was received from the grand master, who is an honorary member of Victoria Club: "Toronto, Aug. 13.—Geo. C. Davis, Regret exceedingly short notice prevents my being with you. Hope you will have a pleasant evening. J. Ross ROBERTSON." To the subsequent toasts Messrs. C. W. Davis, Williams (C. P. R.), A. B. Munson, J. P. Clarke, Dr. Logie, Kingston, Siddons, McGillivray, Dr. Balfour, Dr. Mitchell, W. J. Clarke and others responded, while lively songs were contributed by Messrs. C. W. Davis, Miers, A. Carruthers and Wettlaufer. The company once more voted the president a jolly good fellow, and adjourned after singing "Auld Lang Syne."

A Cruel Insinuation Corrected.

Yesterday's Toronto World asks "was Mrs. Hartle married?" The query contains a cruel insinuation in the face of her recent bereavement. An ADVERTISER representative saw Mrs. Hartle, who exhibited her marriage certificate. She was married in Stratford on April 30, 1890, by Rev. W. S. Griffin. The World's mistake is caused by confounding the word "husband" for "brother." Mrs. Charles Cashley, formerly Victoria Hartle, of Peterboro, had written asking County Constable O'Conner, of Pickering, for a photo of the drowned man, who is spoken of in the World as her husband. Mr. Hartle had a sister, Adelaide Victoria, whom he had not seen for five years. Mrs. Cashley is doubtless that person. The name is properly spelled Hartle, not Hartel.

TERSE TELEGRAMS.

Wired From Every Quarter of the Globe.

Death of a Famous Brahmin Missionary—Depression in British Trade.

CANADIAN.

Mr. S. Seaman, an old resident of Hamilton, died suddenly yesterday morning.

Robert Thompson, for 50 years a resident of Port Stanley, is dead, aged 88.

The evidence in the Langevin-McGreevy investigation before the Tarte Committee closed yesterday.

Hunt, the Portage la Prairie farmer charged with shooting his hired man, has been committed for trial.

Mrs. John Gray, aged 21, a recently married Montreal woman, used coal oil to light the fire, and died in great agony a few hours afterwards.

John McGinnis, a Montreal operator, has been caught tapping telegraph wires in order to secure the results of races before pools closed. He was arrested. Others are implicated.

The Allan Line Company have completed arrangements with the British postoffice authorities whereby they will resume the carrying of the mails between Great Britain and Canada. The arrangement goes in force to-day.

The mortality returns for the city of Montreal for the year 1890, which were issued to-day, showed a mark decrease in the death rate. The total number of deaths out of a population of 216,300 was 5,365, or a death rate of 24.80 per 1,000.

It is stated that the Government proposes to regulate the space for sheep exported to the old country. At present there is no regulation, and there are complaints of overcrowding. It has been the habit heretofore to put 40 sheep in the space occupied by four steers.

Intelligence has been received in Montreal of the death of Rev. Dr. Narayan Sheshadri, the famous Brahmin missionary. Dr. Sheshadri was recently granted leave of absence from India on account of ill-health. He visited various places in Canada and the States, and was on his way home when he died at sea.

UNITED STATES.

James Wallace, ex-railway magnate, committed suicide at Chicago yesterday.

Rev. Dr. John Henry Hopkins, one of the most distinguished clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church, died at Troy, N. Y., on Thursday night.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.

The European sugar beet crop is likely to be short.

The financial condition of Portugal has considerably improved.

The International Geographical Congress at Berne closed yesterday. London was decided upon for next meeting.

The American dory Mermaid was spoken Aug. 10 in lat. 47, long. 35. Capt. Andrews stated everything was going well.

At the World's Convention of the Y. M. C. A. in Amsterdam, twenty American States and two Canadian Provinces are represented.

Wm. O'Brien, having paid the costs in the action for libel brought by him against Lord Salisbury, the action of the Bankruptcy Court in declaring him insolvent has been annulled.

The House of Lords has decided in the case of a collision between one vessel and a tug towing another vessel that it was the same thing as a collision between two vessels. The tug and its tow constitute one ship.

A St. Petersburg dispatch says: The ukase prohibiting the export of rye from Russia is still affecting the price of grain here. To-day rye advanced 2 roubles and wheat one rouble. The Amsterdam corn market was much excited to-day and prices advanced.

The Pall Mall Gazette gives as a further evidence of the declining trade of the country the great decrease in freight traffic in England and Scotland. Each week of the present half year has shown diminished receipts as compared with those of the corresponding period last year. Six thousand men have been thrown out of work by the depression in the iron trade.

CAR COUPLINGS.

Earnings of the Railways—Reports of G. T. R. Changes.

A high official of the Erie estimates a net increase of $150,000 for July.

By the recent opening of the De Smet branch of the Northern Pacific the distance to Burke, Wallace and Mullan, Id., has been shortened about 300 miles.

The preliminary Union Pacific statement for the month of June shows: Gross earnings, $3,447,786, decrease $346,076; net earnings $1,127,446, decrease $388,239. Mileage 7,668, increase 120. Since Jan. 1, gross earnings $18,915,805, decrease $985,944; net earnings $5,766,773, decrease $131,803.

Grand Trunk Railway return of traffic for the week ending Aug. 8, 1891: Passenger train earnings, 1891, $167,056; freight train earnings, $225,380—total, $392,436; 1890, passenger, $154,519; freight, $225,208—total, $379,727; increase, 1891, $12,709.

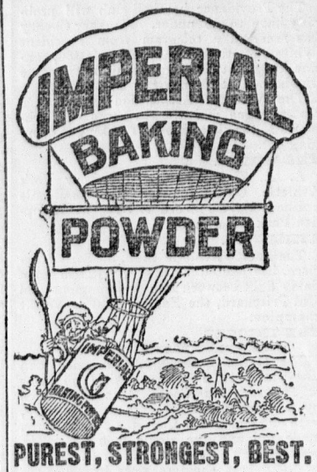
A statement is published on the authority of a member of Parliament that the new Canadian Board of Directors of the G. T. R. will include Sir Joseph Hickson, W. Wainwright, Duncan McIntyre, L. J. Forget and Hon. Frank Smith. Nothing, however, will be definitely known until Sir Henry Tyler arrives in Montreal.

July gross railway earnings are encouraging, showing alike the largest amount and percentage of gain of any month since last summer. The southwestern roads show the heaviest gains, followed by central, western, southern and Granger groups. Total gross earnings of 134 roads for July aggregate $40,643,744, a gain of 9 per cent. The seven months' earnings aggregate $257,282,808, a gain of nearly 5 per cent, following a gain a year ago of over 11 per cent.

A Life of Terror.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 15.—Mrs. Robt. Louis Stevenson writes from Samoa: "We live in constant tumult of threatened war and massacre of the whites. There are no men-of-war here, but one German ship, but that don't count as it only makes more trouble. I wish our country would send us a ship."

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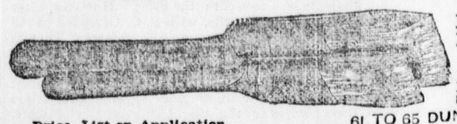
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There was a silence. Had Derwent followed his impulse, he would have risen to his feet, said, curtly, "I decline to buy your mine on any terms," and, mounting his mule, have ridden away. But it required only a moment's reflection to show that such a course would be particularly ill advised at present. Whether or not Fernandez meant to flatter him when he said that he knew how to judge a mine, the fact remained that he did know, and that he had never seen a mine that seemed to be so well worth possessing as the Buena Esperanza. He had said to himself, as he examined its lodes, that if all went well with him he ought to be able to make enough out of this alone to accomplish the end he had in view. And now, after he had, as it were, seen with his own eyes the treasure that was to redeem fortune and honor for him, it was snatched away, and he had to choose between resigning it altogether—for to pay the additional price asked was impossible—or to share with others the profit needed by himself. It was a hard decision, and the manner in which it was forced upon him—the time and place—made him say to himself that his original distrust of Fernandez was well justified.

As he sat on the green bank, with the shade-arched entrance of the mine behind him, the foaming water at his feet, and his gaze taking in idly the two mozos with the tethered animals farther down the stream, and Senor Aranda near at hand smoking cigarettes, he asked himself what he should do, with a desire for counsel and direction such as he had never known before. And while he still hesitated, uncertain how to deal with the man who he now felt sure would take any advantage of him, a sound suddenly smote on the ears of all three, which made them look at each other with a glance of surprised interrogation.

CHAPTER V.

It was the sound of a horse's hoofs striking on the rocky road as he came up the gorge, the inclosing walls of which conduct the sound with startling distinctness in advance. There was nothing yet to be seen, but the sounds made it plainly evident that the rider was hurrying his animal at a pace very unsuited to the character of the way. Derwent saw the two Mexicans exchanged a startled glance. Then Aranda shrugged his shoulders with the air of a man who foresees a difficulty. "It is Barrera," he said, in Spanish. "I told you that he had threatened to come."

"And what does he expect to gain by coming?" asked Fernandez, with an expression of lip and eye that did not promise a very amicable reception for that hurrying rider. "He knows that he can do nothing. I have him here." And he closed his hand with a quick, significant gesture.

"That may be," said the other, cautiously. "But Barrera is a man who stops at nothing. It will be well to conciliate him if possible. When he is angry, he is—dangerous."

"And so am I dangerous—when I am provoked," returned Fernandez. "If Senor Barrera comes here to give trouble, instead of conciliating I shall defy him. Then let him do his worst. He knows that he can do nothing."

The meaning of these quick sentences did not escape Derwent, though he understood little of the language in which they were spoken. Human tones are much the same in all languages, however, and there could be no more doubt of the anger of one man than of the apprehension of the other.

"What is the matter?" he asked, turning to Fernandez. "Who is coming?"

"We do not know," that gentleman replied. "But Aranda thinks it may be the other owner of the mine, the man I told you of, who is dissatisfied with the bargain. If it should prove to be so, do not trouble yourself about the matter. I can manage him, and he has no power to do anything."

There was a minute's further suspense, and then, emerging from the green foliage at the head of the canada, came a powerful black horse, ridden by a middle-aged Mexican, who, in his picturesque buckskin dress, and his broad sombrero overshadowing a strongly-marked face, with the dark, flashing eye of an eagle, was by far the most imposing figure Derwent had yet beheld. Handsomer men he had seen, but none who impressed him more by an individuality derived from a long line of warlike and untamed ancestors. "I wonder how many Indian chiefs, with a strain of the Spanish hidalgo, have gone to make this man what he is!" he thought, with a thrill of irresistible admiration. Simultaneously with the apperance of the rider he found his sympathy enlisted on his side, and said to himself that the old fable of the lion and the fox had found another realization, when the new-comer dismounted, and, striding forward, met Fernandez.

Whether he came in peace or war was a question that no one would need to ask. The first sound of deep-toned voice was enough to show that he was animated by a wrath that did not pause to dissemble and consider phrases. It seemed to Derwent, standing by with intelligence alert and observant, that the character of each man was more clearly revealed to him by manner because he did not understand the language they spoke. The indignant wrath of the new-comer was not more evident than the insulting defiance of Fernandez. If he did not repeat in words that he held the man before him powerless in his hand, his manner expressed it as plainly as speech; and there was a scorching power to exasperate in his few, quiet sentences.

Presently Senor Barrera turned and accosted Derwent, asking courteously if he spoke Spanish. With very sincere regret the young man answered that he did not; and then, taking a sudden resolution, he addressed Fernandez. "What does this man wish to say to me?" he asked. "If it concerns the purchase of the mine, I have a right to know."

"He wishes to tell you," replied Fernandez, "that he has changed his mind about selling it at the price named. But this is child's play. He has signed the bond, and has no right to interfere at all in the matter."

"Has he not sense enough to know that?"

"Who can say? You may see for yourself that he is passionate fool, the kind of man to run his head against a rock. And now and then he finds a rock of particular hardness," he added, grimly.

Derwent did not reply at once. He could not say, what he distinctly thought, "You are deceiving me. This man is no fool, and there is more in the matter than you pretend." But he decided that he would waive the purchase of the Buena Esperanza for the present. The counsel and direction which he had desired a few minutes before had come to him most unexpectedly. He had distrusted Fernandez vaguely from the first. He now determined that he would take nothing through his hands, for he felt sure that the taint of fraud would be upon it. Entirely ignorant though he was of the point at issue between the two men before him, he was nevertheless certain that Barrera was an honest man and Fernandez a scoundrel. After a short pause, he spoke with a decision of manner that could not be mistaken:

"Be kind enough to say for me to the gentleman that he may set his mind at rest so far as I am concerned. I shall not buy the Buena Esperanza until I am assured that there is harmony among the sellers. I wish to take no man's property against his will. Further, I object to having the price of the mine doubled upon me, as you have doubled it within the last half-hour. We will therefore say nothing more at present of purchase."

Fernandez turned sharply and looked at him with a light in his eyes that was altogether evil. "Do you really mean this?" he demanded. "Do you intend, after all my trouble and expense, to refuse to take the mine?"

"I regret your trouble; but it was taken, I believe, in the line of business," answered Derwent. "Your expense I will reimburse. But I shall certainly not take the mine with the passionate opposition of one of its owners."

"This man has no power to harm you. I will warrant that."

"But is seems that I have power to harm him by taking his property against his wishes. That I will not do unless I know something of the history of the bond tha he evidently repudiates. Frankly, there i a look about this thing that I do not like, and I will not touch it."

"I should have taken care to keep this fool away if I had imagined that his mere appearance would intimidate you so completely," said Fernandez, with a bitter sneer.

"I am not intimidated in the least," said Derwent, calmly. "If you think so you are mistaken. But you do not think so. You know very well why I decline to have anything further to do with this affair. Let us have no more words. It is sufficient to state explicitly that I will not buy the Buena Esperanza under the present circumstances, at any price."

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MARCHMENT—In his 69th year, Samuel Marchment, formerly of Notting Hill, London, Eng., father of S. W. Marchment, passed peacefully away on Aug. 12.

Funeral from his late residence, 912 Yonge street on Friday, Aug. 14, at 2 o'clock.

READ—On Aug. 14, Reuben Read, aged 80 years.

Funeral will leave the family residence, town line, London township, on Sunday, Aug. 16, at 3:30; services at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances will kindly accept this intimation.

THOMPSON—At Port Stanley, Aug. 13, Robt. Thompson, in his 88th year, a native of Dumfriesshire, Scotland.

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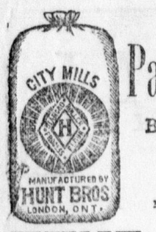
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THE WEATHER PROPHET.

TORONTO, Aug. 14—11 p.m.—Since last night there has been a slight increase of pressure over the Maritime Provinces and Quebec, and a slight increase over the other Provinces. It is now highest in Nova Scotia and lowest in Alberta. A few showers have occurred in Ontario and the Northwest Territories, otherwise the weather in Canada has been fine.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 44°—74°; Battleford, 44°—74°; Prince Albert, 40°—78°; Minnedosa, 36°—74°; Winnipeg, 52°—76°; Toronto, 55°—72°; Montreal, 56°—74°; Quebec, 76°—70°; Halifax, 50°—74°.

Local temperatures—Highest 63°; lowest 60°.

TO-DAY'S PROBABILITIES.

TORONTO, Aug. 15—1 a.m.—The indications for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region (covering the peninsula and as far east as Belleville) are: Light to moderate winds; fair, warm weather.



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LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—Miss May Ross, late of this city, is still visiting in Minneapolis.

—G. I. Lenentine, of Springfield, has assigned to T. B. Escott & Co., city.

—St. George's Society has decided to hold its picnic down the river Sept. 2.

—Mr. John Ward, of the postoffice staff, has been holidaying in Elgin county.

—Miss Edith Primmer, of Petrolea, is the guest of Mrs. Wilkins, King street.

—Miss Belle Wilkins, of this city, is visiting the Misses Stewart at Ailsa Craig.

—H. Calderwood, at one time on the police force, this city, has been acquitted of the charge of stealing $3,000 from Cashier Lovelace, of the Exchange Bank, Kansas City. The money was left by the latter in a street car, of which Calderwood was conductor.

—Miss Lulu Adams has been presented with an elegant dressing case and an address by the congregation of the North End Methodist Mission, where she has officiated as organist for some time. Miss Adams has gone to Pueblo, Col., to remain about a year.

Y. M. C. A. Secretary Sayer has received association reports from several places. Ottawa shows a membership of 577, with $2,877 82 expended last year, and an attendance of 6,669 at meetings. Montreal has 1,070 members, $8,336 30 expended and 14,187 attendance, and Brantford 625 members and $3,032 36 paid out.

—When it's raining at the house, the umbrella's at the shop.
When it's raining at the office, the umbrella's at the house.
And between the which and t'other the possessor has to hop
If he makes the due connections without many a dreadful souse.

—R. B. Hungerford, city, has been visiting at Brockville.

—Mr. Alfred Westman left yesterday for a trip to British Columbia.

—M. H. Ramsay, New York, is visiting his parents in London West.

—Fred Templar, of Kansas City, formerly of London, is visiting the city.

—Misses Clara and Maggie Quayle, of St. Marys, are the guests of Mrs. Harry Walsh.

—Mrs. Fred Lockery, of John street, Ingersoll, has returned home from visiting her mother, Mrs. Smith, of Thorndale.

—James McDonald pleaded guilty to a breach of the Liquor License Act and was fined $40 by the police magistrate yesterday morning.

—John G. Richter, manager of the London Life Insurance Company, has gone on a trip to the Northwest and British Columbia.

—Mr. D. C. Matheson, formerly of the G. T. R. here, now of Flint, Mich., is with his family visiting friends at New Orchard Beach, Port Stanley.

—Mary Ann Clark and Florence Brown were taken Thursday from the jail to the Mercer Reformatory, Toronto, by Mrs. Johnson, Provincial bailiff.

—Mr. A. T. Cleghorn, of E. Adams & Co., this city, was married Wednesday by Rev. Rural Dean Cooper to Jennie Adeline, second daughter of A. Lindsay, Southampton.

—Mr. Alex Calder, of Japan, is spaying his old home a visit. He left the city some time ago for that oriental country, and has been teaching there in a Government university.

—At the meeting of the High Court, Independent Order Foresters, Thursday, at Brockville, T. G. Davey was re-elected high treasurer and W. H. Bartram high counselor.

—One of the sights at Port Stanley is the display of Chinese lanterns by the New Orchard Beach residents on their cottages Wednesday and Friday nights. The effect from the lake or the pier is fine.

—In the course of an hour Thursday Secretary Sayer, of the Y. M. C. A., had callers at his office from Tokio, Japan; Denver, Col.; Cleveland, Ohio; Montreal, Que., and Brantford and Tilsonburg, Ont.

—The members of Juvenile Branch, No. 16, A. O. F., and their friends made merry in the Agricultural Hall, Queen's park, Thursday night. Refreshments and a dance were the attractions, both liberally indulged. The proceeds go towards the branch's expenses at the coming High Court demonstration.

—In aid of St. George's Church Thursday night a garden party was held at the residence of Mr. A. E. Platt, Wharncliffe road. Music for the occasion was furnished by the Sons of England band, and a large crowd of people spent an enjoyable evening. The proceeds were satisfactory.

—Ald. Brighouse and Col. Tracy, the city engineer, have left on the steamship Cutch on their tour of inspection in the Sound cities. From Nanaimo they will go down by rail to Victoria and from there to the Sound. They intend going as far as Portland and expect to be home in about a week's time.—[Vancouver News.

—The bereaved parents of the late Miss Hannah Johnson being desirous of expressing their sincere thanks to the large number of friends and acquaintances who have shown such great kindness to their beloved daughter during her long and painful illness which she bore with patient, Christian fortitude, and also for the sympathy so widely manifested at her death, feeling how utterly impossible it would be to see them all personally, desire through the columns of the ADVERTISER to express their heartful gratitude to one and all, hoping that God's richest blessing may be bestowed upon them.

—Speaking of the Shrimpton affair in which the husband was bound over in $200 to keep the peace at the Police Court Thursday, the St. Thomas Times says: Mr. and Mrs. Shrimpton, of London, could not agree and the wife left the husband and came to this city to a relative living near the overhead bridge, bringing her two children, one a boy 2 years of age, with her. Tuesday the husband came to town and picked up his 2-year-old son and made off with him. Mrs. Shrimpton has left for London to take legal proceedings to secure possession of the child.

Personal Register.

Miss Jennie Howell, city, the guest of Reid Howell, Jerseyville.

Misses Bella and Lottie Berry and Alice Wood, Ingersoll, visiting in the city.

Miss Nettie Barron, city, visiting relatives in St. Marys.

Miss Lilly Howard, city, the guest of Mrs. J. B. Crawford, Dutton.

Misses Wood, Ingersoll, and McEwen, city, late guests of Mrs. E. J. Beaumont, Galt.

Mrs. (Rev.) Geo. Brown, city, visiting Mrs. Penwarden in St. Thomas.

Miss Barclay, city, and Miss Davis, Chatham, visiting in Washington, D. C.

The Board of Works.

The tender of Moses Cox for a tile drain on Maple avenue and Hamilton street at $520 for drain and 38 cents per foot for river extension was accepted at a meeting of No. 2 Committee Thursday night. Tenders were also received from J. Rogers, J. Cook and R. Parsons. The engineer stated that Mr. Minhinnick would offer no further objection to this work on condition that drain be laid right to the river through his property. John Walters was granted permission to barricade parts of Richmond street to keep teams off where he was tunneling. Maurice Baldwin was instructed to proceed with the work of laying stone crossings in No. 2 ward. His tender was slightly higher than the contract price, but the contractor is too busy to push the work. No action was taken in the matter of an artificial sidewalk on the north side of York street, west of Richmond. Ald. O'Meara thinks these walks are not serviceable.

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