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STREET RAILWAY
STRIKE IS ONRailway Board Arrives in
City for Inquiry.

UNION MAKES NEW DEMANDS

Conflicting Statements as to Number of
Men Who Are Out—Company
Has Its Cars Running.

The street railway strike, which has been brewing for the past six weeks, is on.

At 2:15 this morning, the employees, in convention in the Foresters' Hall, declared for a strike.

For a couple of hours there was a noticeable tie-up on many of the lines, but by 10 o'clock, 24 out of the 26 cars regularly run by the company were in operation.

Manager King also stated that by noon every car on every line was running.

Quiet All Day.

The falling off in the number of passengers was quite perceptible, although several of the conductors produced books to show that they were carrying about 75 per cent as many passengers today as yesterday.

According to statements made to The Advertiser, by Manager King, of the company, and Mr. Magnus Sinclair, organizer of the union, there is no possible chance of a settlement at present.

Mr. King refuses to budge from the position he took at the outset, namely, that the company has the right to hire and discharge whom it pleases, and that the reinstatement of the discharged employees, Messrs. Stewart, Atchison and Buchanan, is out of the question.

It was on this rock of reinstatement that the street railway craft split.

Last spring the men wanted an increase in wages, and it was granted them on the 1st of June. That is, the company met the men half-way.

While the company was considering the proposition of the men, the organization of a union was begun. After the increase had been made, the men allege that the three employees named above were weeded out by Mr. King because of the part they had taken in the formation of a union, and the employees demand that they be reinstated.

Mr. King denies that the men were dismissed for being members of the union. He maintains that he has good and sufficient reason for their dismissal, and that he has told them on several occasions since they were let out.

Mr. Sinclair, at the union headquarters this morning made the statement that of the 120 regular employees of the company, 100 have walked out.

It is also claimed by the strikers that four-fifths of the men who have been in training for the past week to take the places of the union men, have gone over to the side of organized labor.

Mr. King disputes this. Seated in his office today, he took a cheerful view of situation. He stated that all the cars were running on the regular time schedule.

"The men are not asking for an increase in wages," he said. "They are simply asking the people to assist them in dictating to the company how the affairs of the street railway shall be run. All we ask is protection for our passengers and our men. We shall operate the cars as usual day and night."

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After outlining the frequent attempts that have been made to bring about a settlement, Mr. Sinclair told the reporter that the following terms had been decided upon:

Twenty cents an hour flat for all employees, spare men as well as regular men.

The signing of an agreement by the company which will recognize the union, and provide for arbitration in case of future trouble.

No discrimination against employees because of connection with any labor organization.

The sum of \$20 to be furnished conductors as capital to make change in the selling of tickets and collecting of fares.

Free uniforms for all employees who have been in the service of the company six months.

Regular men shall not be required to clean cars in the mornings before taking the cars out. This work shall be done by barn employees.

Conductors shall not be required to take their fare boxes to the offices of the company at meal hours.

Regular men shall not be compelled to give up their regular run for any special run.

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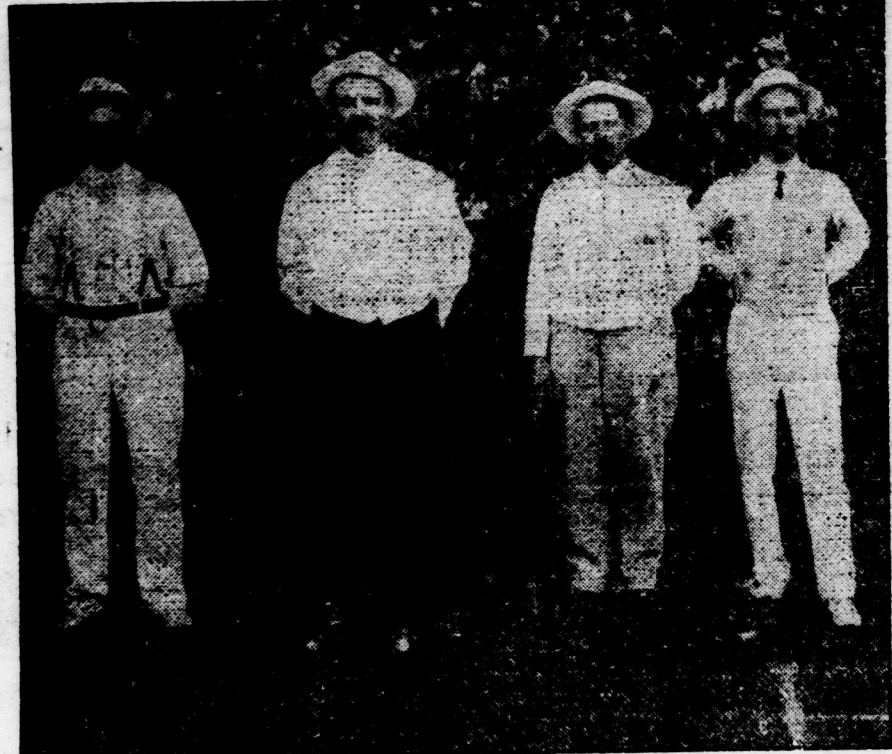


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SEAGRAM'S WATERLOO RINK.

Winners of the Labatt Trophy. Reading from Left to Right, the Players are
E. F. Seagram, W. Hogg, F. S. Hughes and W. J. Krueger.DOMINION CAN
DEPORT ALIENSThe Privy Council Hands Down
Decision in the Pere
Marquette Case.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, July 27.—The judicial committee of the Privy Council has given judgment in several cases. The most important is that of the Attorney-General of Canada vs. Cain, the appeal being allowed and appellant paying the costs. This case arose out of the decision of the Dominion Government to report certain parties employed by the Pere Marquette railway under the Alien Labor Act. Justice Anglin gave judgment that the act was ultra vires and unconstitutional, and that the Dominion had no power to deport under it. The judicial committee holds otherwise.

THE HEALTH OF ONTARIO

Marked Decrease in Deaths from
Contagious Diseases.

Toronto, July 27.—The returns of 735 division registrars for June are among the most complete in the history of the provincial board of health. Scarlet fever, diphtheria, measles, typhoid and consumption show a marked decrease, and caused 74 fewer deaths than in June of last year. Whooping cough has been more prevalent, and caused eighteen deaths, nearly as many as from diphtheria.

The total deaths from all causes for the month were 1,553, from a population of 2,057,296, which makes a death rate of 11.4 in 1,000. For the same month last year, 1,833 deaths were reported, a death rate of 11.2 per 1,000.

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ONLY THREE OF
DREADNAUGHT TYPEBritish Government Announces
Reduction in Naval Con-
struction Plans.

London, July 27.—The agitation against excessive reduction of the naval construction programme has proved successful. Edmund Robertson, parliamentary secretary of the admiralty, announced in the House of Commons today that only three new battleships of the Dreadnaught class would be laid down, instead of four, as originally proposed. Two ocean-going torpedo boat destroyers will be built, instead of five, and eight submarine boats instead of twelve. The total of the expenditure involved by the new programme was \$34,000,000 instead of \$46,000,000.

TITLES HANDED OVER

Saskatchewan Now in Full Possession of
Public Institutions.

Ottawa, July 27.—Premier Scott, of Saskatchewan, completed his business here and left for Montreal, whence he goes home by way of Owen Sound. Attorney-General Laurier proceeded west a week ago. While in Ottawa, Messrs. Scott and Laurier obtained final arrangements for the transfer to their Province of the land titles system and offices, and of the public institutions and buildings, including the jails at Prince Albert and Regina. Government House at Regina, and all the court houses in the Province. These have been assessed as worth, roundly, \$12,000, which sum the Province will pay in five equal annual installments. The necessary order in council repealing the old Dominion Land Titles Act and transferring the land registration system has been passed, but the necessary advertisement of the order in four issues of the Canada Gazette will delay the actual transfer to Sept. 1.

STORM HITS ST. LOUIS

Lightning Starts Seven Fires—Havoc
Made by Wind.

St. Louis, Mo., July 26.—A terrific wind and rain storm struck St. Louis and vicinity this afternoon. Lightning started seven fires in different parts of the city.

A negro, name not ascertained, was blown from his wagon under a passing fire engine and was killed. Electric wires were blown down, sheds and a few frame houses were demolished, and a number of people were hurt by debris.

The excursion steamer Liberty, filled with pleasure seekers, caught in the storm near Alton, Ill., was driven through the Mississippi River at uncontrollable speed and dashed into a dike on the Missouri side. Rocking and toppling, with the terrified passengers huddled in the cabin, the prow of the boat was forced on the Government dike, while the force of the wind hurled chairs into the river from the deck and shattered the cabin windows. The boat held firmly on the dike, however, and when the storm had abated sufficiently the Government boat Lucia towed the passengers and landed them in Alton.

Reports from the outskirts of the western portion of the city say that several houses were blown down and numerous persons hurt by debris.

DEATH OF REV. E. W. LE CLAIRE.

Montreal, July 27.—The death is announced of the Rev. M. W. Le Claire, of the Sulpician order, and one of the best known priests in Montreal. Rev. Mr. Le Claire was for many years connected with St. Patrick's and St. Ann's parishes. He was professor of the Canadian College at Rome for some years, and returned from there four years ago. Since then he had been practically an invalid. He was 69 years of age.

MOTOR HITS A HARROW.

Winnipeg, Man., July 26.—A marvelous escape of the occupants of an automobile from death was recorded here tonight, when the machine containing three ladies and two gentlemen, driven by W. Patterson, collided with a track harrow while running at a high rate of speed on a race course. All were thrown nearly 20 feet, and although two were stunned, none were seriously injured.

HON. C. S. HYMAN BUSY

Has Been Looking After the Work in
Progress at Port Colborne.

Hon. C. S. Hyman, Minister of Public Works, returned to the city last evening from Port Colborne, where, with Mr. Lamb, Dominion Government engineer for Western Ontario, he inspected the works in course of construction at that place. The return to the city was made on the cruiser Vigilant, to Port Stanley, and thence via the Pere Marquette.

Mr. Coste, the engineer in charge, and the contractor, Mr. Hogan, were present at the inspection. The minister seemed very well pleased with the progress of the work. In connection with the \$60,000 bustle elevator, which will shortly be built, the minister stated that if the capacity was found too small the elevator would be enlarged, a second one built.

REAUME DENIES IT

Says He Has No Intention of Resigning
From the Cabinet.

Windsor, Ont., July 27.—Hon. J. C. Reaume, Minister of Public Works, when seen at his residence here, denied that he had any intention of giving up his office. "Just because a man is a little under the weather is no reason for his giving up the ship," said he. "There is absolutely no truth in the story from Toronto."

DOWIE LOSES

Courts Decide That He Does Not Own
Zion City.

Chicago, July 27.—Judge Landis, of the United States district court, decided today that John Alexander Dowie does not own Zion City and its industries.

He refused to appoint Alexander Granger as receiver, and ordered an election for a general overseer.

The court describes the founding of Zion City, and after calling attention to the fact that inasmuch as Voliva's conveyances to Granger were in plain violation of the intent of Dowie's power of attorney, "these instruments were mere waste paper."

AGED LADY ON
A RECORD WALKMrs. Burch, 70 Years Old, Foot-
ing It from Flint, Mich.,
to Delaware.

Port Huron, Mich., July 27.—Mrs. Anna Burch, aged 70 years, passed through here today, walking from Flint to Delaware, Ontario, near London. The old lady said she had walked the whole distance from Flint to the city and intended to continue the journey to her destination in the same manner, a total distance of 130 miles. Mrs. Burch intends to take up her home at Delaware, and has not the money to pay railroad fare.

JAPAN TO ENLARGE NAVY

Plans to Strengthen Fleet to 520,000
Tons by 1908.

Victoria, B. C., July 27.—The steamer Shikano, which arrived yesterday, brought news of many contemplated changes in the Japanese navy. The naval programme has been arranged whereby the strength of the Japanese navy will reach 520,000 tons in 1908, but it is not believed this strength will be permanently retained. Twenty-three cruisers will be struck off the effective list this year.

The details of the proposed expansion of the navy is now being drawn up at Tokyo.

Three American women touring Japan were arrested in Ino province and released after they had been photographed because they had photographs of Japanese women bathing at a public bath house.

A Japanese woman has been arrested at Osaka for the wholesale murder of infants. Over 20 babies were killed by the woman who narrowly escaped lynching after being arrested.

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THE WEATHER

TOMORROW — FAIR AND WARM.

The weather has been everywhere very fine today, except that a few local thunderstorms have occurred in Alberta, Saskatchewan and the Lake Superior districts.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Port Simpson, 54-62; Victoria, 54-74; Vancouver, 51-74; Edmonton, 54-72; Calgary, 52-66; Qu'Appelle, 54-64; Winnipeg, 55-62; St. John, 54-78; Halifax, 56-68.

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TEMPERATURES.

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Port Arthur	54	43	65	Clear
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Toronto	72	64	80	Fair
Ottawa	70	60	80	Fair
Montreal	72	62	82	Fair
Quebec	68	58	78	Cloudy
Father Point	53	43	63	Cloudy

WEATHER NOTES.

Showers and thunderstorms have been general from the Rocky Mountains to Lake Superior, and heavy local rains have occurred in the Maritime Provinces. Local thunderstorms are also reported in southwestern Ontario.

RAILWAY PEOPLE WARNED

The C. P. R. and P. M. Must Plank the
Tracks at Street Crossings.

City Engineer Graydon today notified the C. P. R. and the Pere Marquette Railway to plank the roadways on all their crossings in the city the full width of the crossings between the sidewalks.

Mr. Graydon has also notified the Pere Marquette to cease allowing cars to stand across sidewalks sometimes over night, and frequently on Sundays, much to the inconvenience of the public.

If the company does not cease the practice, Mr. Graydon threatens an action.

THE CALLOUS ICE TRUST

Throwing Away Ice by Chunks Rather
Than Let Poor Have It.

Philadelphia, Pa., July 27.—Ice enough to supply several hundred families, and perhaps save the lives of many infants and invalids, is being thrown into the Schuylkill River at Spruce street.

This ice is in lumps of from five to twenty pounds, and is part of the cargo of the schooner William R. Huston. She arrived in Philadelphia on Sunday, bringing 535 tons of ice from the Kennebec River in Maine, to the American Ice Company.

In handling the heavy cakes lumps are broken off. They are too small to carry into the storehouses of the ice companies, but large enough for many a family, and would net a good sum if sold at "cut rates" direct from the vessel.

But this is not the policy of the ice trust. If announcement were made that a quantity of broken ice could be obtained cheap at the wharf some sales at cut prices might be spoiled.

It is true that the ice company would be well paid for these scraps, but next day would come the reapers. Persons who had laid in a supply of the cheap ice would not have to buy from the warehouse. Therefore, for fear of reducing sales for a day or two, the ice company throws away the pieces, which would be a blessing to the poor, the sick and the infants, who cannot obtain ice at the present high price.

WHERE, OH WHERE,
IS FRANK SMITHVocalist at Springbank Theater
Skidoos, Leaving Some Lon-
doners to Mourn.

Frank Smith, who sang illustrated songs at Springbank for a time, but whose sun soon set in that direction, has fled far from the madding throng of London.

But he did not go until he worked a number of Londoners in a way they will not soon forget. My, but Frankie did some of them to a turn.

Frankie was almost famous. He was married to an excellent Leamington girl a couple of years ago, and of course, Frankie kicked over the traces when it came to looking out for the family. And his wife is suing him for divorce. He had hundred dollar a day tastes, and a \$10 a week income—when he worked, that is, when he worked on the level and wasn't working somebody.

Around London he boarded at one of the nicest hotels and entered into a conspiracy with himself to run a bar bill of no mean proportions. But the landlord saw him moving in force in that direction, and detected him by a whisper, as the Scotch say, "I the lug."

Nevertheless, he led the proprietor to believe that the promoters of the Springbank theater owed him considerable money, and on the strength of this, the house fed him, and paid for his laundry.

Yesterday he was missed. And a look at the books showed that the house, as a result of his visit, was \$25 to the bad.

At the hotel where Smith was stopping, he didn't stop at doing the hotel. He went to the home of a well-known Londoner, and there he told a tale. He told of how he had abducted his darling baby from the woman who is seeking to break the tie which binds her to him. He said he had once the baby and himself would be lodged in jail all night. If he could get the money, he could his himself and child out of town.

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FINAL GAMES IN
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Be Wound Up Today.

SINGLE AND DOUBLE SCORES

Londoners Making a Good Showing
Today, and Several Look
Like Winners.

The bowling tournament is almost over, and this afternoon's play will see the finish of the finest event of its kind in the history of the royal game. Nothing could equal the facilities for handling the games, and not a word of complaint has been made against the arrangements. Every bowler is enthusiastic over the event, and it is a safe bet that many more rinks will return next year.

The singles and doubles have now reached the final stage, and among the number of winners are several Londoners. It is quite probable that the prizes in these matches will stay in the city.

The scores for the morning are:

SINGLES—FOURTH ROUND.

W. A. Davidson, Mitchell, won from G. Nightingale, London, 13 to 3.

Dr. Wood, London R. C., defeated Charles Abbott, Thistles, 13 to 3.

J. Taylor, Toronto Victorias, defeated A. M. Ecclestone, St. Kitts, 17 to 13.

J. S. McDougall, London R. C., defeated J. B. Hoover, Clinton, 14 to 9.

W. D. Euler, Berlin, defeated C. O. Knowles, Toronto R. Y. C., 13 to 9.

W. H. Phelps, London R. C., won from F. G. Anderson, Toronto Victorias, 13 to 12.

SINGLES—FIFTH ROUND.

J. S. McDougall, London R. C., won from W. D. Euler, Berlin, 14 to 9.

DOUBLES—FOURTH ROUND.

McPherson and Millman, won from Shield and Birt, Brampton, 13 to 12.

Nickle and Duncan, Thamesville, won from Suggitt and Allen, Brampton, 11 to 9.

SEMI-FINALS.

Shillington and Gossell, Blenheim, won from Stevenson and Lochard, London R. C., 11 to 9.

Bell and Lind, London R. C., won from Beltz and Tytler, London, R. C., 13 to 12.

McDermid, of Petrolia, defaulted his semi-final match with Crawford, of Wingham, and the latter played off with Smith, of the Toronto Victorias, for the consolation mug.

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THE BETRAYAL

The serial rights of this thrilling and powerful story, by E. Phillips Oppenheimer, have been purchased by

THE LONDON ADVERTISER

"The Betrayal" is one of the most successful romances of the year. Oppenheimer is among the most brilliant of the younger English novelists. The story will be profusely illustrated by A. Machefert. The first installment will appear in the issue of

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and the story will be continued in subsequent Saturday editions. It will appear in the Saturday editions only. **DON'T MISS THE FIRST INSTALLMENT**, and you will not care to miss the others.

A CHAUFFEUR HERO

Leaps into Auto Running Wild and Saves Three Women.

Narragansett Pier, R. I., July 26.—A daring leap to save the lives of three women was made by Ned Crane, a chauffeur and racer for P. F. Collier, yesterday afternoon, when he jumped from his machine into an automobile running wild at a twenty-five mile clip, and brought the machine under control.

Crane started to pass an automobile ahead of him, and as he did so he saw the chauffeur fall forward, leaving the machine without a guiding hand.

The auto was running twenty-five miles an hour, and Crane saw the perilous position of the three women in the machine. He at once brought his car to the side of the other, turned off the power and jumped for the auto that was running wild. Landing safely he quickly brought the machine to a standstill just in time to save it from crashing against a tree.

The wild automobile belonged to R. M. Williams, of New York, and in it were Mrs. Haas and two other women. The chauffeur had been stricken with vertigo.

ULTIMATUM TO BRYAN

If He Wants the South He Must Modify His Doctrines.

Washington, July 26.—If William Jennings Bryan wants the support of the Solid South for the presidency in 1908, he must abandon the idea of advocating government ownership of railroads. Formal notice to this effect will be served on him in the next few days by Representative John Sharp Williams, of Mississippi, one of the most conservative Democrats of the south.

Williams and Bryan will meet in Brussels, where both will attend the international congress of delegates. Mr. Williams will speak for the leaders of the party in his section of the country, who have given much thought to the present menace involved in a government ownership plank in the next Democratic national platform. This is a live issue in the south, more so, in fact, than the people of the other sections of the country. The very center of that great bugaboo, race equality, an issue that never fails to wipe out all political lines so far as the white voter is concerned.

Southern Democrats have been alarmed by recent utterances of Mr. Bryan on questions affecting the management of public utilities. He has publicly advocated state ownership of railroads, and has less called off by political friends will urge absolute federal ownership. Williams will, however, tell him he must choose between this pet hobby and the support of the Solid South.

A SLICK SWINDLE

Ocean Sharps Have New Game to Catch the Unwary Traveler.

New York, July 26.—Confidence men who prey upon persons about to sail for Europe have adopted a new method, which detectives term the "sleek friend game." Three men were arrested on the Anchor Line pier yesterday morning when Detective Sergeants Moody and Leeson, of the central office, were looking for victims of this method among passengers of the Furnessia, which was about to sail.

All three of the prisoners, who are described as John Daniels, James Ray and Wm. Ward, were well dressed, and appeared prosperous. Daniels and Ray are well known to the police. The detectives saw them accost several persons on board the steamship, and followed them to the pier. There the men joined Ward, and all were taken to police headquarters.

Only recently a case of this sort came to light, and the detectives have since kept a sharp watch on the piers for operators. The method is for one of the confederates to make the acquaintance of a passenger, usually a woman, who is ill and whom he has accompanied to the steamship, and how worried he feels that his friend may not be looked after on the voyage. The real passenger usually promises to take up the foot of the gangway and to wait for himself and acquaintance progresses.

As the ship's bar is closed, the confidence man suggests that he and the passenger find on shore a means towards getting better acquainted. A foot of the gangway is waiting, an exclamation when he sees the two, hurries forward, and asks:

"Oh, doctor, how are you? How is my friend?"

"I was just waiting to see you," returns the other. "I have put my friend in his stateroom and he appears to be comfortable."

After more "conversation," the new confederate says: "Now, I think of it, you had better let me pay Jones' bill. How much is it?"

"Oh, really," protests the "physician," "it is only a trifling matter of \$50, and may wait until Mr. Jones returns."

The other explains that Jones asked him last night to remember it. So he takes out his pocketbook and finds he is \$100 or \$200 short.

"So annoying," he exclaims. "Would you mind," turning to the passenger, "accommodating me until we get to Jones' stateroom?"

If the passenger is accommodating, the "physician" takes the money, says good-bye and disappears. His confederate then loses the passenger on the pier.

Daniels and Ray, the detectives said, were acting as "stalls," yesterday, while Ward was the "physician."

FEARS LIFE IN RUSSIA

Parliamentary Leader, Now in London Will Not Return Home.

London, July 26.—M. Alladin, leader of the "Group of Three," the dismissed Russian parliamentarian, M. Rodicheff, leader of the Constitutional Democrats, and M. Vostrogorsky, Viceroy and Professor of Law, who came from St. Petersburg to London to attend the Inter-Parliamentary Union, have declared that the reception of M. Alladin, they will proceed direct to St. Petersburg.

M. Alladin said: "I am not going to St. Petersburg, because if I did my life would be in extreme danger. While Parliament was sitting I was constantly being assailed by death sentences, and as deputies could not be arrested. Now that it is dissolved I must take every precaution. There are 40 death sentences hanging over my head, and the Government would surely like to get hold of me."

I am going to Finland, where the authorities will not be likely to arrest me. If they did the Finnish people would fight. I should fight too. I always carry firearms, and I shall not be taken if I can help it."

M. Alladin's speech was met with great applause and followed the members of the Russian Parliament to London.

ALL GOES TO MRS. SAGE

The Sixty Millions of Dead Financier Left to Widow.

New York, July 26.—Every dollar of Russell Sage's great fortune is left to Mrs. Sage, by a will made in 1901, except an insignificant bequest made to Mrs. Fannie Chapin, of Oneida, N. Y., an only sister, who died two years ago.

The will is to be read today, and will be offered for probate immediately. He'll will undoubtedly will be contested by the Troy relatives of Mr. Sage, who will charge that the 1901 will was made after a mental breakdown on the part of Mr. Sage, and that Mrs. Sage exerted undue influence over him in the distribution of his wealth.

The fortune of Mr. Sage amounts to about \$60,000,000.

PARIS POLICE SQUELCHED

Attempted to Form a Union, But Minister Wouldn't Allow It.

Paris, July 25.—There has been a great deal of discussion here during the past few days, part solemn and part humorous, regarding a reported movement on the part of the police to form an organization similar to the New York Patrolmen's Benevolent Association. The moment the movement was first contemplated, M. Clemenceau, minister of the interior, forbade it, and the police hastened to deny their reported intention. Serious journals said that such an organization was impossible, while others mocked the deal of the guardians of the peace forming a syndicate to act independent of authority.

The determination of the police was made clear in this evening's Presse, in which their spokesman denies their intention to form a labor union, but naively says that they will unite to protect themselves from unjust reduction in rank and pay, which affects their families. He declares also that they will form a body to act as an appeal court to decide whether disciplinary measures are just. He adds that he is sure M. Clemenceau will not suppress the organization as he is a champion of freedom of association.

A WALL STREET FRAUD

Gang Washed and Resold Canceled United States Stamps.

New York, July 26.—A swindle that began almost with the operation of the stock transfer tax, and has grown to such proportions that 500 employees of brokerage firms in the financial district and the principals of at least one prominent firm are involved, was exposed yesterday by the arrest of five men on charges of having engaged in the business of washing and reselling canceled stamps.

The state has already been defrauded out of more than \$250,000, and the swindlers became so bold that they openly advertised stamps at a discount and had introduced them into practically every office in the Wall street district.

The work of washing the stamps was at first so crudely done that detection was easy, but under the direction of a young woman, who was employed in Wall street, and who joined the swindlers and furnished the brains and skill for their operation, soon the bogus stamps were so cleverly handled that only a close examination would reveal their true nature.

In her experiments to find a way of renewing the used stamps this young woman is said to have discovered the stamps were so cleverly handled that only a close examination would reveal their true nature.

The state secret service men are looking for this young woman, who is believed to have been warned in time to leave the state, but last night had no trace of her.

A striking feature of the swindle was the way in which the heads of the conspiracy enlisted the services and messengers of the brokers' offices who were entrusted with buying and attaching the stamps to the sales slips. They shared to a considerable extent in the plunder, and three-dollar-a-week office boys in the Wall street district have recently been buying diamonds and indulging in an alarming way their appetites for sweets and pastries.

A Russian general has been killed because he had the misfortune to resemble the Tsar. Perhaps all generals look alike to the revolutionists.

ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

Genuine

Carter's Little Liver Pills.

Must Bear Signature of

Wm. Carter

See Pac-Quin Wrapper Below.

FOR HEADACHE, FOR DIZZINESS, FOR RHEUMATISM, FOR BRUISES, FOR CONSTIPATION, FOR BILIOUSNESS, FOR COLIC, FOR SICK HEADACHE, FOR THE COMPLEXION.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM

THE WEATHER TODAY
Fine and warm.

THE SATISFACTORY STORE

Midsummer Linen Sale On The Home Stretch

Just three more days—not counting today—and then this Midsummer Linen Sale will have passed into store history.

We're on the home stretch now and things should go out with a rush during the remaining hours of the sale.

Just look over the following list of exceptionally liberal inducements and make a memo of what you'll need for months to come; for it will pay you to lay in a future stock of linen things, as such favorable prices as these are not likely to occur again for a considerable time.

Save on Unbleached Table Linens

27c Three designs of 56-inch Heavy Union Damask. Good to wear. Note the low special price.

35c 60-inch All-Linen Damask, and 62-inch Heavy Union Damask. Floral and spot designs. Regular 40c yard values.

39c Two designs of 60-inch All-Linen Damask. A special 45c linen.

44c Several good patterns of our 50c All-Linen Damask and one pattern of 72-inch Union Damask.

57c Our 60-inch All-Linen Damasks, floral and conventional designs. Great value at our regular price of 65c yard.

67c 70-inch All-Linen Damask. Our best 75c values. Quickly for your share.

76c 72-inch Fine All-Linen Damask. Semi-bleached. Good designs. Our regular 85c quality.

87c Spot and floral designs. 72 inches wide. Excellent wearing Damask. Guaranteed all pure linen. Our 95c quality.

97c Our very best ¾-bleached All-Linen Damask. 72 inches wide. (Napkins to match.) Our regular \$1.10 quality.

Scarfs at 50c Each

Pure Linen Damask Scarfs. Suitable for sideboards or dressers. 18x54 inches. Splendid value at 75c.

Roller Toweling Snaps

16 YARDS FOR \$1. Brown Roller Huck. Red border. All linen. Right away for this.

7½c YARD. Pure Linen Roller Toweling. Red border. This is the same kind that we sold over 1,000 yards of in one day during our January Linen sale. At once!

10c and 12½c YARD. Other excellent values at these prices that are not likely to be repeated.

Tea Toweling

7½c YARD. Red or Blue Checked Glass Toweling. Good value at regular price of 8½c.

10c YARD. 20-inch Red or Blue Checked Glass Toweling. Extra quality.

11c YARD. Heavy Plain Tea Toweling. Our best 12½c quality.

Come for These Bleached Table Linens

46c Spot and floral designs of our special All-Linen 50c Tabling. 62 inches wide.

57c 66-Inch All-Linen Bleached Irish Damask. Good designs. Regular 65c quality. Price says "Hurry!"

67c 68-Inch All-Linen Bleached Irish Damask. Regular 75c quality.

76c Dainty new designs of 85c Bleached Damask. 72 inches wide.

89c Spot and floral designs. All pure Linen Damask. Fully bleached. 72 inches wide. Our best one dollar quality.

\$1.09 This is the quality we've sold for years at \$1.25 yard. But on account of advanced prices we will in future have to sell a lower grade for \$1.25. Better "stock up" now while price is so low.

\$1.38 Here's another extra good Irish Damask. Tulip design. 72 inches wide. Regular \$1.50 quality.

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Woods' Fair

\$1 GOWNS, SATURDAY 50c

Ladies' White Lonsdale Cambric Gowns, in three different styles, French or Hubbard style, with yokes made of lace or embroidery, insertion and tucks, neck and sleeves trimmed with embroidery or lace. Regular \$1, Saturday 50c.

MEN'S NIGHTSHIRTS, 50c

Men's Twilled or Plain English Cotton Nightshirts, lined yoke, collar, front pocket and cuffs, trimmed with finishing braid, sizes 14 to 18. Sale price, 50c.

\$1.35 HANDBAGS, \$1.19

Ladies' Leather Handbags, moire lined, with inside change purse, leather covered frame and handle, gilt clasp. Regular \$1.35, sale price, \$1.19.

LADIES' HOSE, 39c

Ladies' Fine Silkette Hose, double sole, extra spliced heel and toe, shaped leg. Special sale price, 39c.

25c COLLARS, 19c

Ladies' Fancy Wash Collars, made of lace or embroidery, in seven different styles. Regular 25c, sale price, 19c.

Ladies' Long Gloves, in black or white, 65c and 75c

25c VESTS, SATURDAY 15c

Ladies' Extra Fine Ribbed Vests, short sleeves or sleeveless, lace trimmed. Regular 25c, Saturday 15c.

LADIES' VESTS, 10c

Ladies' Vests, short sleeves or sleeveless. Sale price, each, 10c.

Children's Vests, all sizes. Sale price, each, 10c.

MEN'S 25c HOSE, 15c

Men's Fine Cotton Hose, in black or tan, seamless feet, spliced heel and toe. Regular 25c, Saturday 15c.

LADIES' TAN HOSE, 12c

Ladies' Cotton Hose, in tan only, seamless feet, spliced heel and toe. Sale price Saturday, 12c.

HAIR BRUSHES, 25c

Five dozen Hair Brushes, some with ebony and others solid back, highly polished, filled with French bristles. Special sale price, 25c.

SOAP SPECIALS SATURDAY

French Castle Soap, finest quality, 3 cakes for, 15c.

Family Bar Laundry Soap, Sale price, bar, 15c.

SHOE POLISH, 10c TIN

2 in 1 Shoe Polish, the best on the market, large tins. Sale price, 10c.

BASEMENT BARGAINS FOR SATURDAY

10c CUPS AND SAUCERS, 2 FOR 15c

100 dozen First Quality Teacups and Saucers, blue decoration, neat shape and always sold for 10c straight. Special Saturday bargain, 15c.

NO. 9 STOVE POTS AND COVERS FOR 59c, COMPLETE

We will sell a limited quantity of first quality No. 9 Stove Pots, with covers, just the thing at preserving time. These are regular 95c. Special Saturday bargain price, 59c.

6:30 TO 9:30 SATURDAY EVENING SPECIAL

20 dozen Jardinieres on Saturday night from 6:30 till 9:30. Regular price 95c each, 2 hours, sale price Saturday night, each, 49c.

SPECIAL PRICES ON ALL TOILETWARE AND DINNERWARE FOR SATURDAY.

SEE OUR 97-PIECE DINNER SET AT \$5.95, REGULAR \$8.00

Big assortment of Pipes at 10 cents and 15 cents.

Stamped Centers with silk for working, complete, 25c

WOODS' FAIR

The Emir of Afghanistan recently discovered that three of the muffs of his court had been grafted and also had been guilty of oppressing the poor. He ordered them buried alive and this was done without delay.

CUCUMBERS and melons are "forbidden fruit" to many persons so constituted that the least indulgence is followed by attacks of cholera, dysentery, griping, etc. These persons are not aware that they can indulge to their heart's content if they have on hand a bottle of Dr. J. C. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial, a medicine that will give immediate relief, and is sure cure for all summer complaints.

Presidential prophecies for 1906 are getting more frequent than the professional forecasts of earthquakes, storms and other mere convulsions of nature. A MAGIC PILL—Dyspepsia is a foe with which men are constantly grappling, but cannot exterminate. Subdued, and to all appearance vanquished in one it makes its appearance in another direction. In many the digestive apparatus is as delicate as the mechanism of a watch or scientific instrument, in which even a breath of air will make a variation. With such persons disorders of the stomach arise from the most trivial causes, and cause much suffering. To these Parke's Vegetable Pills are recommended as a safe and sure.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM, 149, 151, 153 and 155 Dundas Street

TANGLED THREADS

Ten minutes later Helen and her mother were on their way downtown, and a little later alighted before the door of Crescent Villa, where they were met and admitted by Marjorie, who threw herself, weeping, into Mrs. Lancaster's arms the moment she saw her.

"How heavenly of you to come," she sobbed, "how could you, after—after—ph!"—cutting herself short with an instinctive feeling of loyalty to the dying woman above—"I wish I could live my life over! There has always been something within me that wanted to be good, but, somehow, I never could let it govern me."

Mrs. Lancaster folded her close to her motherly breast.

"Hush, my dear," she said, softly, "for the girl who is weeping wildly, 'none of us can live our lives over,' but when we realize that we have made mistakes we can live aright from that time on. We will not talk of this now, however. Tell me about your mother and how she came to be stricken so suddenly."

Marjorie threw back her head and a lurid fire leaped into her eyes at this reference to her trouble.

"She went out this afternoon," she began, in low, fierce tones, "and met Dr. Black in the street. He stopped her and talked to her for some time. He vowed that he would drive us both from the city, and even pursue us with his revenge wherever we might go. Oh! I never dreamed that there could be such vile, vindictive people in the world," she cried out passionately.

"Never mind that now, Marjorie; go on about your mother, dear," said Mrs. Lancaster soothingly.

"Well, she was terribly excited when she came home; her face was crimson and her eyes had such a strange look, and just before dinner she fell to the floor unconscious. A doctor was sent for and she was put to bed. She lies there, breathing still, but knows nothing and—that man is her murderer!" she concluded, with white lips.

"And he will some time have to meet all the evil that he has done," gravely returned Mrs. Lancaster. "I judge, too, that he will have much to answer for in other ways, for my husband said

this evening that he has recently heard a good deal about this questionable young doctor. It seems that his methods are repudiated by all self-respecting physicians in the city, that he has made some very serious professional mistakes of late, and it is said to be only a matter of time when he will have to leave the state to save himself from a term in the penitentiary. But put him out of your thoughts, dear, for it only unnerves you to think about him, and now I want you to take me to your mother."

Marjorie lifted a wondering look to the noble woman who could so bury the past beneath a mantle of sweet charity and go to the bedside of one who had spared no effort to ruin her life.

She made no comment, however, but led the way upstairs, and Mrs. Lancaster knew, as soon as she looked upon her, that Marlen Walbridge would never wrong anybody again upon this plane of existence. An hour later she had ceased to breathe.

Helen and her mother, after consulting with the nurse, who seemed to be a sensible, capable woman, decided to leave her in charge of the house and take Marjorie home with them, the disheartened and weary girl being only too glad to go.

The next morning Mrs. Sturdyvant was telegraphed the fatal news, but replied that her own sister was so low she could not leave her; but that she would come on to Marjorie as soon as she was free to do so.

Mr. Lancaster sent her another message, telling her to give herself no uneasiness, for her niece should be well cared for, and everything done for her late sister-in-law that money and goodwill could achieve.

The guests at Crescent Villa had fled like a flock of frightened sheep when the dread enemy entered the household, and had it not been for the kindness of those who had suffered most from the enmity of her who had gone, poor Marjorie would have been left desolate and alone with the dead in the deserted house.

Two days later her mother was laid away, and the simple ceremonies over, Crescent Villa was closed and Marjorie went to Helen, to remain until the arrival of her aunt.

Mr. Lancaster settled all bills and arrears, had Crescent Villa put in prime order against the time of the owner's return, and heaved a sigh of relief when all was done, for it had been a gruesome time for them all.

On looking over Mrs. Ellsworth's effects a couple of bank books were found, showing deposits of more than a thousand dollars, money that she had put away during the few months of her sojourn in the city.

Marjorie was greatly disturbed upon making this discovery.

"I do not want it," she said passionately. "I am ashamed to have it!"

But after thinking the matter over calmly, she quietly looked up the various servants who had lived with her mother and paid off all arrears with interest. The remainder of the money Mr. Lancaster advised her to let lie in the bank, saying that no one would begrudge her the small amount even if some of it had been gained by questionable methods.

One morning, on his way downtown, Mr. Lancaster was stopped in the street by a man who was riding in an open buggy, and whom he did not remember ever having seen before.

"Mr. Lancaster, I believe," said the stranger, lifting his hat in a courteous manner, while he smiled blandly.

"Yes, sir, that is my name," replied the gentleman. "Whom have I the honor of addressing?"

"My name is Black—Dr. Black," and he presented his card with a flourish. "Ahem! I understand that Miss Ellsworth is stopping with your daughter, Mrs. Eggleston?"

"Yes, 'Well," and Mr. Lancaster's dark eyes began to gleam with a dangerous light.

"Well, Mr. Lancaster, of course, you and your family are strangers to me," the doctor continued, but with a wavering glance, "but I thought I would give you a word of warning. Miss Ellsworth is a girl of very disreputable character, and I am afraid that your daughter's good name will suffer if she—"

"That will do, if you please, sir," Mr. Lancaster here interrupted in a terrible voice, while he drew his splendid figure erect and looked the evanescent straight in the face, "I have heard of a defenseless girl in a vile position, and the reputation of an innocent girl, I am glad to meet you and have the opportunity to tell you to your face my opinion of you. Do you presume to call yourself a man, or pretend to possess one spark of honor, and persecute a defenseless girl in such a manner? Sir, you are a cur, and every decent person to whom you voice your corrupt thoughts and contemptible insinuations would so regard you. And now let me warn you that Miss Ellsworth is under the protection of those who will not allow her to suffer further from your evil designs and persecutions. If I learn of another word of calumny from your lips, I will have you put where you will have to look out of a grated window for some years to come. Those vile letters of yours are in my possession; you have committed a crime against the United States by sending them through the mails, and upon the very next provocation, they will go into the hands of a United States inspector."

As he ceased he tossed the man's card upon the seat of the buggy beside him, turned abruptly from him, and passed on; while the wretched fellow of Esculapius, feeling very much like a whipped "cur," drove away with bowed head and a face that was absolutely colorless from mingled fear, rage, and shame.

It may as well be stated here that his career as a physician was a short one, at least in Colorado Springs; for, not long afterward he lost a patient under peculiar circumstances and, fearful of being arraigned for malpractice, he suddenly disappeared, and it was afterward learned that he had had similar experiences in other localities.

For three months Marjorie remained with Helen, and she often asserted that during all her life she had never enjoyed such a season of content and peace.

Both Helen and her mother felt that there were many noble qualities in the girl, and which needed only right conditions and influences to bring them to the surface, and make a useful and happy woman of her.

At the end of three months Mrs. Sturdyvant came for her, and, after a

short sojourn in the city, took her back with her to her eastern home, where, a year later, Marjorie married a worthy and rising lawyer of New York City, and became the happy mistress of a lovely home.

She exchanged frequent visits with the Egglestons and Lancasters, and always regarded them as her most valued friends.

John Wilton completed his home for poor working girls, devoting his money and energies to the noble work as long as he lived, and left his fortune as a fund to perpetuate it when he was gone.

He often met the Lancasters, and the most harmonious relations existed between them during the remainder of their lives.

Hubert Alton became a most exemplary man and a devoted husband and father. He remained in Mr. Lancaster's service many years, continuing to rise, and when that gentleman finally retired from the business, Alton was admitted as junior partner to the firm.

Mary, his wife, did not serve as a matron to John Wilton's home. Her husband was not willing she should assume such heavy cares; but she was always deeply interested in the work, and many a poor girl found her a kind and sympathizing friend.

Rob became enthusiastic in the development of mines, and the reduction of ores, developing into a most capable business man and, in time, a wealthy one.

After Mr. Lancaster retired from business he built himself an elegant residence in Colorado Springs, where his family had learned to dearly love that land of almost perpetual sunshine, with its lofty mountains, grand scenic effects, and delightful climate. His noble wife and beautiful daughter became very popular; they were loved and respected by everyone who knew them, and their homes became the rendezvous of people noted for culture and refinement. And thus the evening of Halburton Lancaster's life was brightened by the sunshine of prosperity and peace and content, while the shadows of his unhappy past and of his great temptation were dissipated and finally obliterated.

The End.

DIDN'T WAIT FOR "SKIDOO"

She Experienced 22 Shocks at 'Frisco and Then Left.

Cleveland, July 26.—"No, I wasn't in San Francisco at the time of the great earthquake. I counted 22 distinct shocks during my stay in the ill-fated city and then I left. Twenty-two was enough for me, so I didn't need to be skiddooed away."

Dora De Philipp, the new prima donna of the Euclid Gardens, was the speaker.

"I shouldn't have said anything so flippant concerning a serious incident, but you must pardon me, for I am one of those mirth-loving persons who is always on the lookout for fun. For that reason someone once called me 'the giggling prima donna.'"

"Going back to San Francisco. When I accepted my first engagement there my conception of the place was most unique. From all that I had heard and read I thought it was inhabited principally by miners and sand fleas. My train was late; there wasn't a soul in the city I knew, and it was pouring rain. I went to the Palace Hotel and soon found that my idea concerning the fleas was based entirely upon fact. However, I was so tired I finally fell asleep. But not for long. I remember that the hotel began to shake and the chairs traveled from one side of the room to the other. It was one of the worst quakes that the district has experienced for several years, but, of course, I supposed it must be a nightly occurrence."

"I think that the most interesting information I can give relates to my relatives rather than to me."

"I am related to my husband's side to Stephen Phillips, the eminent poet. By the way, his newest work, 'The Sign of David,' will soon be produced by Lawrence Irving, the son of Sir Henry. My father is a writer, well known on the other side of the ocean, and my father-in-law is the canon of Peterborough Cathedral."

F. R. Benson, the English Shakespearean actor, who has charge of the revivals at Stratford-on-Avon, and William Wordsworth, who numbered among more distant relatives."

A DARING RESCUE

The Thrilling Deed of Fire Chief in a Michigan Town.

Muskegon, Mich., July 26. — Mrs. V. N. Temmer, 70 years of age, of this city, was saved from being cremated alive by Fire Chief Belf, in a most daring rescue late today.

Pedestrians passing the Temmer home this evening noticed smoke issuing from the windows. An alarm of fire was turned in, but no effort was made to enter the house until the fire department arrived. By that time the interior of the place was a blazing furnace.

Intelligence that Mrs. Temmer was probably in the house, taking a nap, was conveyed to Chief Belf on his arrival at the scene. Fortunately, the house was only one story high and he lost no time in gaining access to the old woman's bedroom. The room was full of smoke, and it was with great difficulty that he finally groped his way to the bed.

Despite the fact that flames were licking the bed sheets, Mrs. Temmer lay calmly unconscious of the danger, nearly suffocated by the smoke. Just as the chief reached the foot of the bed, and before he could prevent it, the pillow on which the old woman's head lay burst into flames. The fire scorched her head bald and burned her terribly about the neck and shoulders.

Seizing a cloth, Belf flung it around the woman, lifted her from the bed, and stumbled, almost suffocated, to the window, where he lowered her to hands outside. Mr. Temmer arrived at the scene a few minutes after the rescue, and in trying to save some of the furniture was badly burned. It is expected Mrs. Temmer will recover.

A pessimist is a man who thinks other men are as cranky as he is.

REPORT CROPS IN GRAND SHAPE

The Canadian Pacific Receives Advices That Are Most Satisfactory.

Winnipeg, July 26.—The weekly report of the C. P. R., dated July 25th, shows the grain crop throughout Manitoba and Saskatchewan to be in magnificent condition. At three or four points there is mention of red rust, but over 100 stations send in what might be characterized as wholly satisfactory reports. A few points have suffered somewhat from lack of rain, others have had too much rain, but normal conditions have prevailed in almost the entire farming country.

One of the worst storms in years passed over Snowflake between midnight and 2 p.m., which consisted of rain, electricity and a bad gale, which left the grain in a tangled shape, but the present weight of the head will not prevent it rising again.

Reports from Portage Plains indicate a severe rain and windstorm. There was hail at Beaver and much wheat was lost.

From Calgary.—The following crop bulletin is issued by the C. P. R.: All crops are looking well throughout Alberta. Winter wheat averages 25 to 30; increase in height and headed out. Fall wheat is ready for harvest in some localities the first week in August. Fall wheat is the first tall. Barley and oats well advanced, and weather favorable for an enormous yield. Samples of barley are shown over four feet in height. There were light showers throughout the province during the week. Hail fell in the vicinity of Crowfoot on July 23, but not heavy enough to do any damage. No rust reported from any districts. Timothy, flax and brome grass never shown to better advantage, and good hay crop is assured.

Battleford, Sask., says: Seeding was completed July 24 in this section, and the harvest will start Aug. 13, a week earlier than usual here. The straw is heavy, and the grain is well headed out. In fact, because of fertility of the soil, three pounds of twine is the average in binding one acre. Not until last fall was any wheat or oats exported. There was no way to get it out of the country. This year it is estimated 100,000 bushels will be shipped out. The great increase in new settlers will mean a big local market for oats. From 25 cents to 60 cents for wheat has frequently been regarded as a good price for local products. As high as \$1.25 has been paid for wheat here.

With the advent of the railroad, Winnipeg quotations will regulate prices in Battleford.

Last year the three agents for binder twine in Battleford sold 60,000 pounds. This year it is estimated the farmers will consume 175,000 pounds. Increased acreage and heavy straw is responsible for the difference. It is 200 miles from Quill Lake to Battleford. All the towns along the Canadian Northern Railway through this section are less than two years old.

Radisson, 142 miles west, has had a railroad but nine months, yet 30,000 bushels of wheat went from there to the Winnipeg market in 1905, and this year's crop, it is estimated, will be 135,000 bushels.

'GATOR NEAR EXTINCTION

Demand for the Hides Causes Great Slaughter of Reptiles.

Washington, July 26.—The American alligator is likely to go the way of the American buffalo, and alligator hides may become as rare as eggs of the great auk, according to a report just issued by the Department of Commerce and Labor. The consumption of alligator skins is greater now than ever before, approximately 280,000 hides annually. The quantity of alligators has been decreased in all of the Southern States, and it is declared to be only a question of a few years when it will be impossible to obtain the hides at a price which will warrant their employment in the manufacture of leather. It is estimated that the number of alligators in Louisiana is at least 30 per cent less than twenty years ago.

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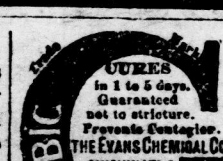
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DIAZ IS READY TO APPLY FORCE

Mexico's President Fully Alive to the Crisis.
REACTIONARIES ARE IN PERIL

Four States of Republic Hotbeds of Revolutionary League Activity—Governors Are Suspected.

San Antonio, Texas, July 26.—Although it is the tendency of the Mexican people and the best class of native Mexicans to minimize the political crisis which is believed to be threatened by the organization of the league of Mexican railroad employees, now grown to be one of the most powerful political factors in Mexico, yet there can be no gainsaying the fact that there is a crisis at hand, and that it is one which bodes no good for the persons who are behind the movement to drive Americans, Frenchmen and Germans from official positions in the mines, railroads and smelters.

It is among the better classes of the Mexican people that the fear of an uprising is most apparent. They say to a man that the situation is far more serious than the authorities dare admit. They say they know there is reason to dread an uprising in the states of Aguascalientes, San Luis, Nuevo Leon and Chihuahua, and that of a serious nature. The revolution may be short-lived, yet there is no doubt but what elaborate preparations are being made to spring one on the day of the independence fiesta, Sept. 16, when the people are gathered in the "Plazas de la Constitution" of the respective capitals of the states mentioned.

It is at that time that the hatred of the foreigners is rampant, and even in the capital city of Mexico, the peons run the principal streets of Mexico, armed with staves and stones, and headed by agitators carrying red flags and torches, and crying "Mata los gringos! Mata los gringos!" This is the time, it is said, that the revolutions will break out in the various state capitals.

Government Prepared.

The Government is thoroughly conversant with every movement on the part of the reactionaries, and already preparations are being made to quell the slightest disorder. In all the capitals where there is a tremor of hostile feeling toward the constituted authorities, there has been placed a greatly enlarged force of soldiers, and if by chance it is found that the chiefs of the military departments are inclined to a friendly attitude toward the agitators, these "leaves" are transferred to other districts remote from the roads, where there is no antagonism against the foreigners.

This league of Mexican railroad employees, which is given credit by all concerned for stirring up the movement against foreigners, has as its presidents in the states of Aguascalientes, Chihuahua, Nuevo Leon, Nuevo Leon and St. Luis Potosi, the respective governors of those states, according to the literature of the order, which has been widely circulated among railroad men of all classes. The governors, needless to say, state that they are not connected with the order. The grand league has also, through its high officers, made denials of any idea of creating any trouble, and has issued a statement to that effect, but that is considered generally as a blind, and everyone believes there will be an uprising on Sept. 16.

"GEE, YOU CAN SWIM"

So Little Reddy Hogan Tells His Plucky Boy Rescuer.

New York, July 26.—Falling off a float at the foot of East One Hundred and Thirtieth street yesterday afternoon, Alexander ("Reddy") Hogan, 9 years old, of No. 2131 Third avenue, was being carried down the Harlem River in the rapidly running current, when Albert Ballau, 15 years old, of No. 2141 First avenue, who was on the float at the time, with his clothes and shoes on, leaped into the river, and, after a struggle of nearly fifteen minutes, towed the drowning boy to shore.

Ballau's act was witnessed by a crowd on the shore near the float. As Hogan was carried out by the tide he seemed Ballau by the neck, but the latter promptly dove and came up again holding Hogan by the hair.

As Ballau breathed the current the wash of a passing steamboat broke his grip, and Hogan sank. Ballau went down after the lad, and again brought him to the surface. Cheered by the crowd, Ballau continued toward the shore, floating on his back and holding Hogan by the hair. As he reached the float willing hands reached for him, and Hogan was dragged to safety.

During the struggle an ambulance from Harlem Hospital arrived, Hogan in a few minutes regained consciousness and was able to walk. He thanked Ballau for saving him, and, as he shook hands with his rescuer, he said: "Gee, but you can swim!"

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"GOUGE" IN SAN FRANCISCO

Rents, Wages, Food Prices, Being Boosted by Greedy Grafters.

San Francisco, Cal., July 26.—It is every man opportunity to "gouge" just now; and everybody seems ready to take it. This is becoming a rule of action in the stricken city. "Gouge" on this side of the Sierras is synonymous with "graft."

Landlords are still raising rents, unions are still raising wages, merchants are raising prices. The cost of building materials is doubling. Every possible advantage is being taken of the general pressing need. The gouge is being killed before it can lay one golden egg. There will be need of splendid fortitude before the winter rains come.

There is growing fear of the pauperization of the army of refugees. The \$5,000,000 relief fund is beginning to appear as a handicap, rather than a blessing, and members of the finance committee and the relief commissioners are showing evidences of uneasiness.

"Let us spend it as quickly as possible," advises John D. Phelan, chairman of the finance committee. The army of refugees is growing now instead of diminishing. Thousands who sought refuge with their friends and relatives in the country seem to have worn out their welcome and are coming back. There are more than 50,000 in tents and barracks, and there is grave apprehension that there may be double that number before Christmas.

A rumor that the millions of relief money were to be divided up pro rata proved a great magnet. Families who had been fairly comfortable in outlying regions packed up and traveled back to the tents in hope of getting a few hundred dollars more money. The bread line will be abolished on Aug. 1, but this has proved a deterrent to the returning refugees. They argue that the money is theirs by right, and some are even organizing to bring the matter into the courts.

IS HE BROTHER OF MURDERER?

Constantine, Caught at Poughkeepsie, Says He Is Not Man Wanted.

Chicago, July 26.—Either Frank J. Constantine, the murderer, or his younger brother, who indiscriminately has used the same name, "Frank J.," is under arrest at Poughkeepsie, N. Y. The Chicago police are confident that the man who cut Mrs. Gentry's throat while in her flat at 382 La Salle avenue on Jan. 6, is captured at last.

But the prisoner down in Poughkeepsie insists he is a younger brother of the hunted man, and the mother of both, who keeps a restaurant in One Hundred and Eleventh street, New York, makes the same declaration. She says the prisoner is five years younger than the murderer, whom she has not heard from since three months before the crime was committed.

A Chicago detective left for Poughkeepsie last night, aiming to bring Constantine here. Mrs. Constantine says she will go there from New York this morning with friends, and "will easily prove he is not the person the Chicago authorities want."

The capture of the man, whichever one he is, and his subsequent positive identification as the murderer, were both accomplished through young women. Constantine was arrested last Thursday. It was through his interest in pretty Mamie Holt, a country girl residing in the little village of Madalin, near Poughkeepsie, that the young man was caught by Deputy Sheriff Archie Hoffman, of Poughkeepsie.

Prior to his arrest, he had been employed at the middle of June by Annie Barry, an Italian contractor, on the Richmond place at Madalin. He was discharged on Monday, July 16. His resemblance to the much-advertised fugitive was noted, and on inquiry the sheriff was notified to catch him. He was gone, however, from Madalin, and Deputy Sheriff Hoffman had no clue on which to work at Madalin except the fact that he was attentive to Mamie Holt.

By a ruse the sheriff got Constantine's address from the girl. Then he sent a letter and lured Constantine to Madalin. The young man arrived there last Thursday, expecting to meet Miss Holt. As he stepped into Alexander Fingert's saloon and walked up to the bar, Hoffman awaited him. The young man was lifting a glass of beer to his mouth when the deputy sheriff stepped to his side and arrested him.

In a moment he had his nippers on him.

Going to Poughkeepsie on the train, Constantine asked what he wanted him for. He was told "for murder in Chicago." He replied: "It is my brother you want."

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THROWED WALK SINKS

Brooklyn Sidewalk Suddenly Caves in on the Subway.

New York, July 26.—With little or no warning the sidewalk in front of 325 to 331 Fulton street, the heart of the shopping district of Brooklyn, sank from three to seven feet into the subway this afternoon. Pillars of the elevated railroad were loosened and shoppers in stores were thrown into a panic. A score of persons escaped injury only by quick action.

No time was lost in stopping the running of trains on the elevated structure, and it was not until long after the homeward rush hour that transit facilities were restored to any kind of a schedule.

Along Fulton street, in this section, half of the sidewalk has been removed and replaced by boards, and the elevated railroad pillars are supported by V-shaped beams, braced at the bottom and center. Many persons were in the stores and others were looking in the show windows as they stood on a part of the sidewalk of flagstone which had not been disturbed by the tunnel workers. Suddenly there was a noise like the splitting of boards and beams, and some of those nearby felt the sidewalk sliding beneath them. In one store the plate glass in the show windows was smashed and the floor near the front door was cracked open.

The customers who had been in the store at the time of the accident rushed toward the door, they found the sidewalk gone. There was nothing left for them to do but to remain in the narrow doorway, which also seemed to be giving away. Several policemen hurried to the scene, and, obtaining planks, made gangways for those persons who were marooned in the doorways of the stores.

The fronts of five stores were badly damaged, and the owners were forced to close their doors for the remainder of the day. Before doing this, however, they employed a photographer to make pictures of the street to be used as evidence in suits.

Photographers from newspaper offices also arrived, and this led to trouble between policemen and laborers of the tunnel company. The foreman said he would not permit photographs to be taken, but the policemen drove the workmen away.

MEGAPHONE SAVES THE SHIPWRECKED

Captain Takes It Into Boat and With It Locates His Crew.

New York, July 26.—Seven bronzed fishermen, who, like Kipling's "Seven Men from All the World," had the eternal sea came into port on the Red Star Line steamship Vadeland, with a stirring tale of a series of rescues from death which threatened them when the great liner cut their schooner, John A. Allan, in twain, off the Georges Bank.

The Vadeland, which sailed from Antwerp ten days ago, was plowing through a dense fog late last Saturday night. The Allan, of Maine, was in her path, but neither crew was aware of the proximity of the other vessel.

Four men were standing in the forward part of the Allan, and three in the stern, when the huge steamship crashed into the smaller craft. The Allan was cut in two, almost cleanly, and the sections drifted apart, sinking in four minutes. The men in the bow leaped overboard. Those in the stern, where the dories were, groped for the lifeboats. Captain Toothaker was the first to reach a dory, and he unslipped it, taking a megaphone with him.

The fog was so dense that the men could not see three feet in front of them. The captain yelled continuously through the megaphone, and every time he heard an answering cry he pulled for the spot. He dragged one of his crew in. The Vadeland was helpless to aid, but she circled around and around, trying to locate the unfortunate fishermen.

In one hour Toothaker had found his six companions, and got close enough to the Vadeland to instruct the captain to leave to. Rope ladders were slung down the thirty-five feet of slippery steel side, and the rescued sailors clambered aboard while the thousands of passengers of the ocean liner stood and watched the tragedy that had almost been caused by the vessel.

Sunday morning, when the news of the collision became known, a collection was taken aboard the Vadeland, and \$200 was obtained for the rescue of the crew. The captain of the rescued, begged rainily have the boat put off to search for \$54 which he had left in his trousers aboard the Allan, which not long after the accident sunk from view of even the searchlights.

In addition to the captain and Wm. Doughty, those rescued were: Thomas Boyd, Albert H. Douglas, W. H. Latham, Ralph Pinkham and Irving Hamilton.

WRECK ON THE ERIE

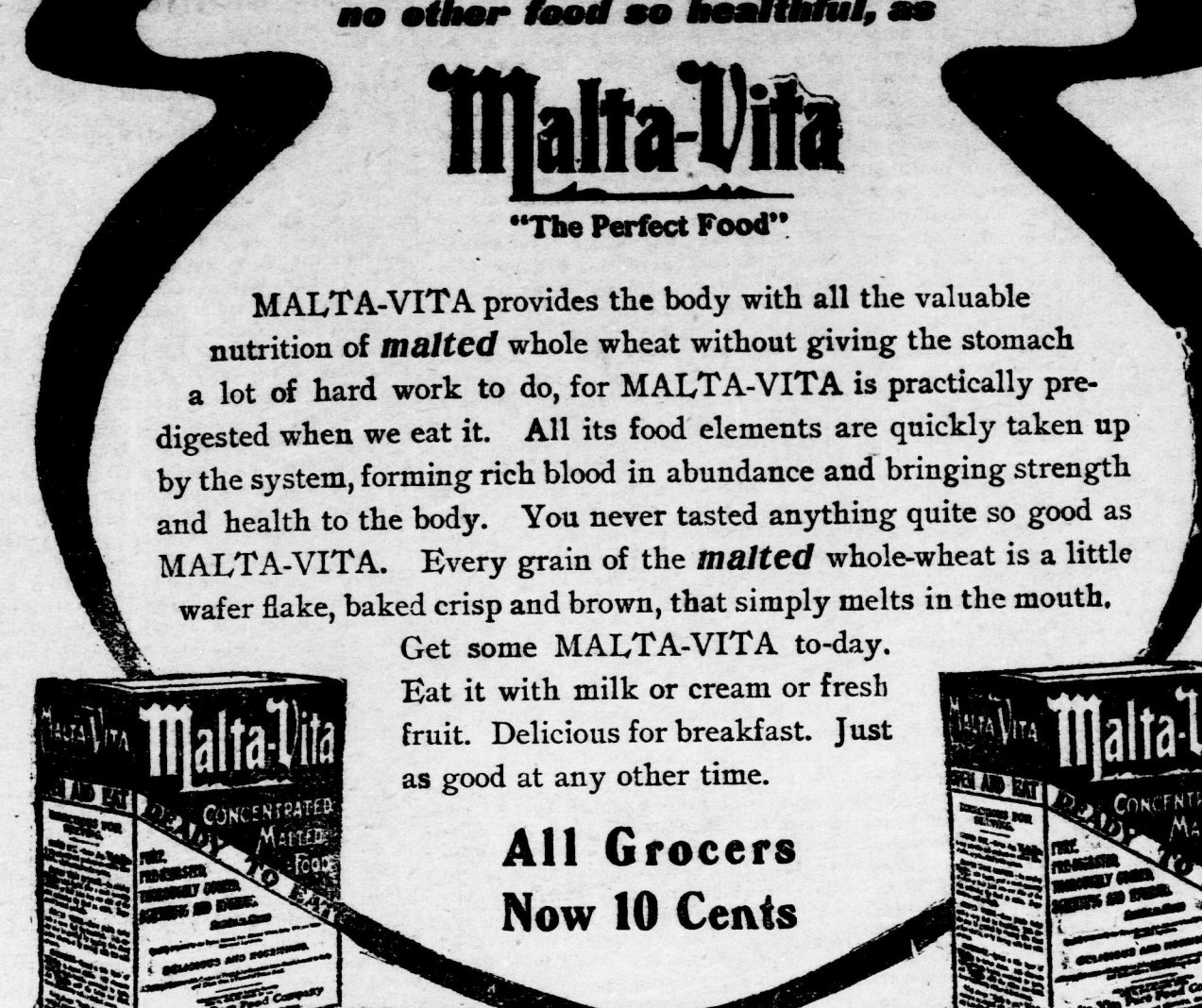
A Spreading Rail Sent Freight Into Ditch and Kills Three.

New York, July 26.—Three men were killed in the yards of the Erie Railway in Jersey City tonight, when a spreading rail sent a fast freight train plunging down an embankment. Those killed were the engineer, Harry Christman, the fireman, Herman Holoski, and the forward brakeman, Asa Paddock. The train consisted of 27 loaded cars and was made up in the Pavana avenue yards.

It was heading for the main line tracks to run west, when at Brunswick, about ten blocks from the starting point, a spreading rail threw the engine off the track. The heavy locomotive rolled down the embankment, carrying several of the cars with it. Others of the cars left the track and the freight traffic was tied up for many hours.

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LABATT TROPHY TO WATERLOO

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McCurdy kicked his first one, and went off. He tried another runner and missed. When he came up for a third, the pair was enough.

On the fifth end, Eddie drew one by a fine piece of work, and lay one on the good. He was bowling finely now.

On the sixth end, McCurdy fluked with his two bowls by trying runners after Seagram had built up a fine end. When they came up for a third, Eddie added another one to the seventh end. McCurdy still tried his runners, and did cut off a bowl or two.

Albert Cash cashed in the next end, and by a magnificent draw lay right on the kitty, when Seagram's men looked to have a good end. Eddie tried to run the shot, but missed. McCurdy tried to draw for another shot but failed. McCurdy one.

The Classic City boys got another when Eddie failed to draw the shot that would win.

On the tenth end, McCurdy again tried the runner game, but Seagram drew the shot after the Stratford man had blown the end all up.

In the eleventh end, there was some excellent work done. The two skips shone in this session, although the Stratford man had somewhat the best of it. Eddie tried a running kick, and lay the shot. McCurdy came right back with a beauty of the same kind, and laid his own and another near the kitty, taking two scores for the fun of it.

The next end was also a good one. Cash and Hogg had practically a duel here. Each laid the shots right on the kitty, and McCurdy's man had the shot nearest it. Seagram removed that one, and McCurdy tried to draw for a shot, but did not get up far enough. McCurdy tried to add another one, but fell short.

The thirteenth end was also a daisy. When the two first men laid a nice end, Billy Hogg lay right up on the kitty. Cash came along and took it out. Hogg got that one out, too, and McCurdy did the same by Hogg. Seagram hopped into the hero class at this stage by grabbing the kitty and laying two shots. McCurdy tried to run it to earth, but missed, and the Dutch Company were tied with the Stratford bunch.

The fourteenth end produced some of the greatest plays of the match. Trow laid a beauty near the kitty, but Hughes laid one nearer it. The bowls were lying almost side by side, and Trow was strong, and Hughes tried to take Trow's bowl out. Instead of that, he took his own, but still lay shot. Frame was again off. Hogg tried the same shot, and did the very same as Hughes. This gave them the three back bowls, with one of McCurdy's bowls, all the rest being dead. McCurdy tried a runner, and missed Seagram's bowls, carrying his own two out with him. Eddie laid one back, and McCurdy ran again. He got Seagram's bowl, and lay the shot. It saved him a big end.

Krueger and Hogg were responsible for a big end on the fifteenth round, when the Dutchmen got three. McCurdy's leads were some too strong, and Krueger and Hogg laid three beauties up tight and well-guarded. McCurdy's runners availed him nothing. Seagram tried to draw for more shots, but was too strong.

Those Germans came right back again in the sixteenth with a brace more, when McCurdy took out a pair of his own bowls by one of his flying shots.

The Stratford boys were game, however, and came back strong in the next round, when they got a three end. It was due largely to brilliant work by McCurdy. It was not a good end, Hogg, however, laid a pair of beauties on the kitty, after Cash had missed a runner. Seagram drew his two shots, and was behind the kitty, and carried it right among his bunch. When Seagram failed to draw, McCurdy tried to add another shot, but failed.

The Dutchmen were one up when the last end started. Trow and Krueger laid down a pair of pretty fair bowls. Frame and Hughes did not improve the situation very much. Hogg laid a runner on the kitty. Cash tried a runner, but missed, and Hogg came back with another right on top of his first one. McCurdy then tried a runner, and took the kitty. He got a touch and lay shot, although not within ten feet of the kitty. Seagram came back with a fine draw, and got the shot. McCurdy had about ten feet to draw in, but his last bowl was short, and the Labatt trophy was lost and won.

Berlin, Stratford, Wm. J. Krueger, James Trow, F. G. Hughes, R. S. Frame, Wm. Hogg, A. E. Cash, E. P. Seagram, T. H. McCurdy, 16 Score by ends: 11 21 11 11 11 20 22 21 18 McCurdy 7 0 0 0 0 0 1 2 1 1 0 9 20 16

The presentation was a scene long to be remembered. The very large gallery turned towards the platform, where the Labatt trophy, the greatest bowling prize in all America, was decorated with the Seagram colors. Everybody was in holiday humor, and were enthusiastic over the win of the Seagram rink. The black and yellow of Seagram was everywhere, and "Ho, Ho, Ho" was heard on all sides.

President Ed Weld then made his speech. "It becomes my duty as president of the association," he said, "to present the Labatt trophy to the winner of the game today. Both skips are good sports, and it is a matter of regret that both could not have won. I am pleased that Mr. Seagram has won, but I would have been just as pleased had it been Mr. McCurdy."

Mr. Labatt, donor of the trophy, stepped forward and was given a great reception.

He had but little to say. It was the best game of bowls he had ever seen, he declared.

When Eddie Seagram stepped forward, there was a tremendous outburst of applause. Everybody seemed to be singing "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow," and it was some time before he could get a hearing. He said he would rather go through another game than make a speech.

"Don't do it, Eddie," warned a supporter, and everybody laughed. Seagram and his rink were very much pleased at the evidences of good-will shown to them since coming to the tournament. He had been at the tournament three times. The first year he went down, one, two, three. The next year he did some better, and this year he had done better than ever.

"I am coming back again next year and try my luck again," he declared. "One, two, three, for yours, next year, Eddie," shouted back Del Marr, who got the same this year, and the crowd cheered.

"I was lucky enough to be on a hockey team that won the Carling cup, and I thought it was up to me to win Mr. Labatt's trophy," he said. Ex-President Sam Hodge made the presentation to the runners-up. He declared that the Stratford boys fought one of the greatest battles ever seen in a final on the grounds, and told Skip McCurdy he would not forget it for some time.

"You bet we will not forget it as long as we live," he declared. Skip McCurdy accepted the prizes on behalf of his rink. He was proud to be the runner-up in the trophy contest, and spoke very appreciative words of the kindness shown him and his rink. He was coming again to give the Seagram boys another game.

These were the finest things of the whole tournament took place, and Billy Jackson was the cause of it all. "The best secretary in the business," Jimmy Tytler, was called forward, and Billy began his speech.

"The best of the tournament," Billy said, "but it would not amount to much without Jimmy Tytler. He's a worker, he's Jimmy, and the association wants to show that it appreciates his genial secretaryship."

Saying, he pulled out a splendid gold chain and locket, suitably engraved, and presented it to Jimmy. Jimmy's reply was brief. "It is an embarrassing position to place a man in. Really, I don't know how to express my thanks. I can't do it. I must say that I am only pleased to do the work. It is a pleasure."

Jimmy then blamed the committee for the good work, but the crowd refused to accept this explanation. Jimmy then made his escape and the crowd dispersed.

The Labatt trophy has been up for competition for eleven years, and was first won in 1895 by the Toronto Victorias, with E. Lightbound as skip. Since then the old trophy has traveled up and down the western country as far north as Seaford and as far west as Chatham. London has won it twice, with Ned Weld and James McDougall as skips. The honor roll is as follows:

1895—Victorias E. Lightbound
1897—Thistles G. E. Gates
1898—Thistles Dr. F. G. Starr
1899—Seaford E. C. Coleman
1900—Stratford James Steele
1901—Chatham J. Sowerby
1902—London R. C. Ed Weld
1903—Clinton W. Jackson
1904—London J. McDougall
1905—Ridgeway Dr. Del Marr
1906—Waterloo Ed Seagram
Toronto, Hamilton.

It was the younger skips' year this tournament, both McCurdy and Eddie Seagram being youngsters at the game. Both have been very successful since they started.

Those long ends were what fixed the Stratford boys. Had all short ends been played, McCurdy would have landed the mug. Mac is a fiend on the short ends.

Well, maybe there was not some noise. And maybe that German bunch cannot make some noise. The man that had followed "S-t-u-n-g" was stung, and faded away in the darkness. It was an exciting day, and no mistake.

No more popular win could be imagined than that of Eddie Seagram. The crowd went simply wild over the victory. He is worthy of it, too.

McCurdy's rink has been bowling in good style all season. At Niagara-on-the-Lake, it won the Association trophy, and gave a splendid account of themselves all the way. When good leads are being mentioned, don't forget Krueger. He did more than Oom Paul ever did to save the Dutchmen.

Billy Hogg is a winner, yet, ain't id, alretty.

A game player commands a spectator's greatest admiration, and the Berlin boys' terrific drive from behind created great enthusiasm.

The gallery was a very large one, and was very liberal in its applause. There was no offensive rooting whatever.

Eddie can have Waterloo now for the asking.

Ned Wad's presentation speech was worthy of the president. He's good for more than bowling, that one.

Joe Aspnall and his merry bunch of bowlers from Tillsonburg were the best team of the tournament. They reached the semi-finals in the trophy, the Association and Consolation, and were bowled out without a prize. But for all that they were a rink that anyone should be tickled to death with, and they bowled well. They were game boys, and declare that they'll come back next year if they have to walk. They are all to the merry, these boys, and deserve better luck.

Mitchell is it this year, and no mistake. They had the Association match all to themselves this tournament, a rather peculiar happening. At that they deserved some of the silverware, as they bowled well, and are princes.

The London rinks hit the slope again yesterday, and tumbled out of all the rink matches. Cornwall, of Thamesville, hammered James McDougall's rink out of the Consolation, and Sid Swift's rink was treated to a bad trimming by W. B. Smith.

Skip Smith, of the Toronto Victorias, Good bowlers, too.

Sam Hodge is almost as proud as Eddie Seagram. Think of two rinks from the past president's town, getting all the prizes in the Association.

The services of the umpire were only called upon once during the big match. He merely had to measure two bowls then.

There was a surprising number of doctors and dentists engaged in the tournament. Think of such men as Dr. Del Marr, Dr. Burritt, Dr. Robertson, Dr. Benson, Dr. Fess, Dr. Hoover, Dr. Sinclair, Dr. Jeff Wood—the list might be continued ad infinitum. Good fellows, those chaps.

Buckingham, of Guelph, went down and out of the consolation at the earliest persuasion of Skip Cornwall, of Thamesville. Buckle won that prize last year and he had hopes of landing it again. By the way, Cornwall has been putting up some fine stuff in the consolation round. He's liable to be on the ground floor, sure enough. Col. Doherty, of Mitchell, has won fifteen prizes in bowling. For an old-timer, he's all to the merry. The Mitchell rinks have had glory and jewelry enough, and defaulted all their singles and doubles, and are going home today. The town will be theirs when they land. Thirty-five rangers came down from Mitchell yesterday to cheer for their boys. Great bowling town, that.

There are four rinks still left in the consolation race—W. B. Smith's Victoria rink, McDermid's Petrolia rink, Cornwall's Thamesville rink, and Crawford's Wingham rink. The finals will likely be played this afternoon.

Of all last year's winners and runners-up, Dr. Burritt's rink and Smith's Victoria rink are the only pair to lose anywhere near the money. Burritt finished just as he did last year. Smith was runner-up in the trophy, and has now reached the semi-finals in the consolation. All the rest have fallen by the wayside.

Not a whit less interesting from a bowling standpoint was the final in the Association match between "Billy" Cole's rink and Dr. Burritt's busy bowlers. All from Sam Hodge's town. They had a merry time of it, and when it was all over, Billy was a few to the good. Dr. Burritt was in the finals of the Association last year, but went down to Dr. Hawke's famous quartet.

Billy Cole's rink started off with a rush, and soon had the general doctor down some. The latter came back for a couple of ends, but Cole went away again, and soon had the match practically clinched. Burritt made a hard finish, but could not get up.

Mitchell.
E. A. Dugbar, J. Doherty,
T. S. Ford, Dr. Wood,
W. B. Barley, Dr. Burritt,
W. R. Cole, skip 13
skip 13
Cole 21100421320100—13
Burritt 00022000000004—14

As the president was present when the prizes were to be handed out, Dr. Jeff Wood did the honors of the occasion. And he did them right, too. He expressed his great pleasure on being called upon to present these trophies.

Billy Cole made a speech and declared that while it gave him great pleasure to take the trophy home, he wanted to say that he had not had so good a time as since coming to London yesterday, and that was saying considerable for he had been coming, well, a few years.

Every member of the team was presented with a handsome cut glass dish. "Go, my wife will make me come back next year when she sees this dish," said one of the members of the team.

Dr. Burritt, of the losing rink, and his men were presented with a fine carving set each.

When the rink competitions are finished the Western Ontario Bowling Association tournament is by no means at an end. There are simply droves of bowlers in the singles and doubles, and about as much fun is had in these games as anywhere in the whole week.

The bowling in these competitions is splendid, and some of the finest draw work is to be seen. The series is narrowing down nicely now.

London players are doing well in these competitions, and it is expected that some of the jewelry will come this way at last.

ASSOCIATION—FIFTH ROUND.
Tillsonburg. Queen City.
J. Aspnall 15 A. Hewitt 7
Toronto Victoria 12
W. B. Smith 14 W. McAllister 13

ASSOCIATION—SIXTH ROUND.
Toronto Queen City. Tillsonburg.
W. H. Field, Hoover, Williamson,
George Evans, T. Williamson,
Dr. Frawley, E. F. Davis,
A. Hewitt 9 J. Aspnall 15

Score by ends: 020000010300020—5
Hewitt 301112012011—15
Petrolia. Berlin.
J. G. Hatcher, G. D. McCourse,
R. A. Bryan, H. Hazen,
R. P. Jackson, H. J. Sims,
A. McDermid 15 W. D. Euler 13

Score by ends: 052010103000102—15
Euler 100301020131010—13
Tillsonburg. W. Wingham.
J. Aspnall 14 A. M. Crawford 13

ASSOCIATION—SEVENTH ROUND.
Tillsonburg. Mitchell.
J. Aspnall 12 Dr. Burritt 14
Toronto Victoria 10
W. B. Smith 20 S. D. Swift 14

CONSOLATION—FOURTH ROUND.
Guelph. Thamesville.
W. Buckingham 10 N. K. Cornwall 12
Toronto Canadas. Clinton.
J. S. Willison 11 Dr. Agnew 12

CONSOLATION—FIFTH ROUND.
London Thistles. Stratford.
S. D. Swift 14 H. C. Pope 5
Seaford. Guelph.
J. M. Best 15 J. Kennedy 5

CONSOLATION—SIXTH ROUND.
London. Guelph.
S. D. Swift 14 J. Kennedy 5
Petrolia. Tillsonburg.
A. McDermid 15 J. Aspnall 6

CONSOLATION—SEVENTH ROUND.
Toronto Victorias. London Thistles.
W. B. Smith 20 S. D. Swift 14

DOUBLES—FIRST ROUND.
Wood and Dr. Alexander, London, 12, vs. Gibbings and Spaulding, Clinton, 12.

Joseph Weld and Hayward, London, 14, vs. Mara and Brown, London, 8.

Johnson and Gibb, Blenheim, won from London and Bowles, Leamington, by default.

McPherson and Millman, London, 11, vs. Nethercott and Beattie, Woodstock, 8.

Thaiburn and Fenton, Brampton, 15, vs. Reid and Smith, London, 12.

Ross and Downing, Brussels, won from Davidson and Atkinson, Mitchell, 10.

Dickson and Galt, Goderich, 14, vs. Fraser and Gillespie, Thistles, 11.

Gilbert and Pritchard, London, 13, vs. Beech and Snelgrove, London, 7.

Bawles and Hurndall, Cornwall, 11, vs. Karn and Scarff, Woodstock, 10.

Cox and Kennedy, Leamington, 14, vs. Elliott and Doherty, Mitchell, 10.

Suggitt and Allan, Brampton, 16, vs. Edwards and Bayley, London, 5.

Taylor and Love, London, 14, vs. Harkness and Angus, London, 13.

McDougall and Weld, London, 15, vs. Caldwell and Elder, Petrolia, 7.

Nichol and Duncan, Thamesville, 13, vs. Finchamp and Doherty, Toronto, 9.

Shields and Birrs, Brampton, won from Cox and Masure, 10.

Pield and Evans, Toronto, 12, vs. Hutchins and Rogers, R. C. Y., 10.

Williams and Clark, Toronto, 13, vs. Moss and Wright, Leamington, 8.

Shillington and Gosnell, Blenheim, 14, vs. Lang and Schnidler, Ridgeway, 10.

Hopkins and Brown, Orangeville, 12, vs. Hewitt and Frawley, Queen City, 9.

Richardson and Thower, London, 14, vs. Horton and Wheeler, St. Thomas, 10.

Chapman and Jones, Guelph, won from Campbell and McEwen, Leamington, 10.

Stevenson and Lochead, London, won from Chapman and Jones, Guelph, 10.

Bowden and Bawden, Ridgeway, 10, vs. McVicar and Phelps, London, 8.

Sims and Euler, Berlin, 12, vs. Hoover and Agnew, Clinton, 6.

McNee and Tillmann, London, 14, vs. Fish and Irvine, Orangeville, 13.

Beltz and Tytler, London, won from Sifton and Hueston, London, 10.

Bell and Lind, London, 15, vs. McKittrick and McKeown, Orangeville, 6.

Burritt and Wood, Mitchell, 12, vs. Booker and Monteth, Aylmer, 11.

Durham and McTavish, Paris, 13, vs. White and Collins, Blenheim, 8.

Mitchnick and Reid, Paris, 11, vs. Brown and Nightingale, London, 9.

DOUBLES—SECOND ROUND.
Wood and Alexander, London, 13, vs. Joseph Weld and Hayward, London, 12.

McPherson and Millman, London, 17, vs. Johnson and Gibb, Blenheim, 11.

Shields and Birrs, Brampton, 12, vs. Thaiburn and Fenton, Brampton, 10.

Dickson and Galt, Goderich, 13, vs. Ross and Downing, Brussels, 10.

Gilbert and Pritchard, London, 14, vs. Beech and Snelgrove, London, 7.

Bawles and Hurndall, Cornwall, 19, vs. Suggitt and Allan, Brampton, 16.

Cox and Kennedy, Leamington, 13, vs. Hopkins and Brown, Orangeville, 14.

Bell and Lind, London, 11, vs. Dunton and McTavish, Paris, 7.



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JUBILEE FOURTH IN FREE-FOR-ALL

Pete Wood's Horse in Money in Chief Event at Windsor Yesterday.

Windsor, July 26.—Four races, of which the free-for-all race was the leader, drew a record crowd of over 4,000 people to the Windsor track this afternoon, and they were favored by top class driving in each of the events.

Track and weather were all that could be asked, and the racing of the heats was spirited.

Baron Grattan's great race and win in the free-for-all was a popular one. In the first heat Maud Keswick got away in front with Citation, Jubilee and Baron Grattan in order, well up, going around the first turn.

Patch was trailing the field, though he had been looked upon as Baron Grattan's most dangerous opponent with the probable exception of Maud Keswick. Geers came up to second position in the back stretch and came around the far turn on almost even terms with Maud Keswick, whom he passed in the stretch, winning by three lengths. Time 2:05½. The next heat was Baron Grattan's all the way.

Maud Keswick was the contender, coming down the stretch until she tired, neared the finish, and was passed by Citation, who took the place by a neck. Hazel Patch was fourth this heat. Time 2:05½. The final

LONDONER ONE OF HOLD-UP GANG?

Corralled by the Port Huron Police as Alleged Thug and Crook.

The Port Huron Times of Thursday contains the following regarding the arrest in that city of a quarter who are suspected of a hold-up. The local police, however, have received notice of the affair, and they are of the opinion that the Londoner implicated gave a fictitious name. The Times says:

Just twelve hours after William Hills, of Collingwood, was held up near the Grand Trunk elevator Wednesday morning the police arrested five alleged crooks, two of whom are thought to be implicated and the other three accomplices in the crime. Immediately after Hills told his story to the police, work was begun to land the guilty parties, and at 3 o'clock in the afternoon Police Captain Collins assisted by Deputy Sheriffs Selpe and Radick marched into the police office with the men, surely handcuffed. They gave their names as follows: Daniel Cavanaugh, Detroit; Lewis Murphy, Detroit; Edward Sweeney, Montreal; Deny O'Neil, Joseph Harvey, London, Ont. All were locked up in the county jail and an investigation is being made as to the part each one took in the affair.

Murphy and Cavanaugh are thought to be the two who relieved the sailor of his clothes and money after threatening to throw him in the river. The other three are believed to be the men who were in the saloon with Hills before his departure for the river bank.

Murphy and Cavanaugh were identified by Hills at the jail. They were the clothing which was stolen and had a sum of money, probably that lost by the Canadian.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Richard Portsmouth, of Canada, is celebrating his birthday with friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Carley, of Talbot street, leave Saturday to spend their vacation with Senator Sifton, of Jamestown, South Dakota.

Miss Elizabeth M. Cathro, of Indianapolis, Ind., is visiting at the home of her grandfather, Mr. Thomas R. Cathro, 353 Waterloo street.

CZAR SMOTHERS REVOLT MOVEMENT

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ovich Lyoff of Tulsa; Prince Nikolai Nikolaievich Lyoff of Saratov, and M. Skakovich of Orel, upon the condition that no less than ten persons be given to non-bureaucrats and that a "broad, conciliatory programme of reform" will be proclaimed in the hope of calming the population. Some of those with whom M. Stolyin is negotiating are insisting that the programme must include an unconditional declaration in favor of placing the Jews and all other inhabitants on an equal footing before the law.

Powers To Exile.

Running parallel with these liberal promises M. Stolyin has issued another circular to the governors instructing them to keep close watch on the population, to prevent meetings tending to lawless acts and giving the authority to expel dangerous characters and arrest persons belonging to revolutionary parties and when found in possession of incriminating documents to "exile them to the uttermost limits of the empire."

BODY PLACED ON TRACK

Sensational Evidence at Inquiry Over Orilla Mystery.

Orilla, Ont., July 27.—At the adjourned inquest into the death of Robert Barbour, who was found lying dead on the railway track on the night of the 17th, additional evidence was given which went to show that the man was dead before the train struck him. The man's crew at several others who were present when the body was picked up testified that there was very little blood about, in fact, some of the worst cuts had not bled at all. The engine driver, Louis Gordon, had also remarked that the body was not so warm as would be expected immediately after death.

Several witnesses, including two of the night staff at the railway station, testified to having heard loud cries of "Hey! hey!" shortly before the train came in which ran over Barbour. But the most sensational evidence was given by William Hayner, a blacksmith who said that in going home that night he had overheard three men conversing, one of whom said: "The fellow got what he deserved. If he were here now I would give him the same dose. I guess the train has cut him up by this time."

The jury asked that a post-mortem examination be made, in order to determine if possible, whether death had preceded the running over by the train, and an adjournment was made for a week to allow of this being done. The body has been buried, and will be taken up by the coroner.

SWITCH OUT OF ORDER

Thirty Persons Injured in a Missouri Railroad Wreck.

Springfield, Mo., July 27.—Thirty persons were injured, two of them fatally, in the partial wreck of a westbound St. Louis and San Francisco passenger train last night. The fatally injured are R. J. Thorp, of Monticello, Mo., and Mrs. Kate Shelby. The accident was caused by a defective switch. Three coaches passed over in safety, but the fourth left the track and turned over. This coach contained about 60 passengers, and all of them suffered slight injuries. Two sleeping cars did not leave the tracks.

An amateur burglar committed suicide when caught at his first crime. If other budding criminals followed his example they would save the hangman a trouble.



Photo by Cooper & Sanders.

THE STRATFORD RINK.

Runners-up in the Labatt Trophy Contest. The Players, Reading From Left to Right Are T. H. McCurdy, A. E. Cash, R. S. Frame and J. Trow.

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

—Mr. G. C. Black, of Goderich, has been made bailiff of the first division court, Huron County, succeeding Mr. Thomas Gundy.

—It was hinted today that a Birkbeck Loan Company dividend will be declared shortly by the London and Western Trusts Company, who are liquidators of the concern.

—Mr. H. H. Wallace, Talbot street, has severed his connection with the London Engine Supplies Company, and has accepted the position of bookkeeper to D. Dexter & Son, North Branch flour mills, where his experience of about 20 years in the milling business eminently qualifies him for his new position.

THE VETERANS' GRANT.

The veterans who have decided to accept \$50 from the Government, instead of land, are sending in applications so numerous that the staff in the crown lands department has had to be increased. It is estimated that claims for over \$10,000 have already been made.

GROCERS ARE GRATIFIED.

The local retail grocers, who had in hand the excursion to Detroit on Wednesday, are more than satisfied with the result of their undertaking. The special train was 1,000 making it the biggest excursion that ever ran out of London except those of the Grand Trunk car works employees.

CHURCHWARDEN RESIGNS.

A special meeting of the vestry of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, corner of Wellington and St. James streets, has been called for tomorrow evening, to appoint a successor to Mr. J. E. Johnston, the people's warden, who recently tendered his resignation, and to transact other business.

STRAFFORDVILLE VS. AYLME.

In the baseball game at Stratfordville yesterday the local team defeated Aylme's nine by a score of 12 to 2. The game was closely contested up to the eighth inning. Meadows, for Stratfordville, struck out 14 men.

ANOTHER PARK CONCERT.

There will be a band concert at Alexander Park tomorrow evening, and the southwestern Traction Company will furnish a half-hour service, both with normal and night. The grounds are illuminated with acetylene lights and the pavilion is open. The park is in the hands of the city for Sunday school and private parties.

LAVERNE'S PRELIMINARY.

Arthur Lavigne appeared before Police Magistrate Noble, of Stratford, at the courthouse this morning for his examination on the charge of attempting to criminally assault an 8-year-old child of that place. Several witnesses were called and they told the story of the crime.

LIABILITIES \$110,000.

The London and Western Trusts Company has been appointed liquidator of the Perth, Perth and Cordage Company of Stratford. The winding-up order was issued by the courts at Toronto to under the Ontario act, at the instigation of one of the shareholders. The company's liabilities amount to \$110,000, with normal assets of a like amount.

TYPOS WERE TANNED.

A fast and interesting game of ball was played last evening on the C. P. R. diamond between the London Printing and Lithographing Company and C. S. Hyman & Co., resulting in a victory for the tannery men by a score of 5 to 2. Batteries for C. S. H. & Co., H. Gibson and J. McNeerney and for L. P. and L. Company, J. McCall and J. Davis.

LONDON'S RAPID PROGRESS.

Mr. Burgess Speed and wife, of Hudson, N. Y., the guests of their cousin, Mrs. W. R. Waugh, of Dufferin avenue, Mr. Speed is a lawyer and is interested in our laws, which, in the main, closely resemble their laws, with this difference, that the laws here are enforced, something which cannot be said for those in the United States. He thinks the city has made great strides since he was here last, some four years ago.

LATE R. CARTNER'S FUNERAL.

The funeral of the late Mr. Robert Cartner took place on Thursday. Mr. Cartner was a prominent and highly respected farmer and his sudden death has caused much sorrowing in the neighborhood. He was born at Cumberland, England, in 1838, and for the past eighteen years has been a farmer at Mount Brydges. He is survived by his wife, four sons and four daughters: Robert, John, Samuel and William, of Saskatchewan; Mrs. Nettleton, of Glen Oak; Mrs. Schmidt and Miss Agnes, of Cleveland, Ohio, and Edith at home. The pallbearers were Messrs. F. Walker, P. Toles, J. Trotter, T. C. West, H. Gilliam and F. Toles.

Characterizing cigarettes as "coffin

tacks," the Norfolk and Western Railroad Company has put up a bulletin in the general offices against the use of cigarettes by employees, upon penalty of instant dismissal.

BLOODHOUNDS FOR WHITE SLAVES

Three Badly Used Workmen Make Escape from Southern Lumber Camp.

Atlanta, Ga., July 27.—A special from Pensacola, Fla., says: "With big belts and bruises all over their arms and bodies and their clothing torn by the fierce attacks of bloodhounds which had trailed and caught them, three more men arrived here yesterday from the camps of the Jackson Lumber Company at Lockhart, Ala., and asked for protection."

The men are John Cook and Harry Lyman, Americans and Vandal Kevelshulta, a German.

"We tried to escape last Saturday night," said the men, "but they put bloodhounds on us and we were trailed down."

Cook was so weak and exhausted he could scarcely walk.

Lyman said: "We were given forty lashes each and taken back. The bloodhounds would have torn me to pieces but I saved myself by a hard fight. Our second attempt was more successful and we came to Pensacola to report the matter."

MAY SUPPLANT CELLULOSE

Inventor Has Material Which Is Less Expensive and Better.

Washington, July 26.—The discovery by a Gaboron experimenter of a cheap and complete substitute for cellulose, which is not yet patented, has been reported by Consul McFarlane from Reichenberg. The new invention overcomes all the shortcomings, although retaining all the desirable qualities of cellulose. It is but little dearer than glass.

The new material is very elastic, absolutely non-inflammable and very easy to work for the turner. By a simple method, a lasting polish can be put on all articles made from it, which is a great advantage over celluloid.

The material is without odor, is a non-conductor of electricity, and can be used for insulation. The invention promises to be of great importance in the whole celluloid industry. Patents have been applied for.

BAIL JUMPER KIDNAPPED

Canadian Authorities May Make Protest to the U. S. Government.

New York, July 26.—While the attorneys for Charles Brown, former examiner of silks in the customs service, who was brought back from Montreal today, were taking steps to prevent his being placed in prison, the secret service agent having the prisoner in charge, outwitted the lawyers, and landed Brown in Sing Sing prison.

Brown's counsel expected the agent to bring the prisoner to New York City first, but he was taken direct to Sing Sing. When the lawyer called at the United States marshal's office here to confer with his client regarding legal action to prevent enforcement of the sentence, he was informed that Brown had already begun to serve his term.

Brown was sentenced to serve two years. He jumped his bail bond of \$12,500 and fled to Canada. After a long legal battle he was extradited.

William H. Bonyng, counsel for Brown, said today that Brown was kidnapped by the United States officer, and that without doubt the Canadian authorities will demand his return. Mr. Bonyng said that the Canadian courts refused to extradite Brown on the complaint that he conspired to defraud the Government, but did so on the allegation that he was a fugitive from justice. Bonyng also declared that Brown was brought across the border as a fugitive from justice, but allowed no hearing on that charge, and was put into prison to serve a sentence on the complaint on which extradition was refused.

Counsel for Brown declared that an appeal will be taken to a United States court in Brown's behalf.

Several sections of the west complain that their school teachers marry in the general offices against the use of cigarettes by employees, upon penalty of instant dismissal.

STREET RAILWAY STRIKE IS ON

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nearly as possible, nine hours per day, at the wages above named, 20 cents an hour.

Thus the breach is widened.

Manager King's Comment.

When informed of the men's contemplated demands, Mr. King remarked: "It's a nice time to make these demands after they have struck. All along they have claimed that all they wanted was the reinstatement of the employees."

There are conflicting statements as to the number of men who attended the all-important meeting last night. The union says there were 100 men there. The company declares that not more than 30 were present.

The company also claims that there was some intimidation this morning of men who had been trained by the company to take the places of the strikers, and the police are keeping a sharp eye out for pickets who may interfere with any employees of the company.

Once this morning a crowd of about 30 men congregated near the company's offices in the end, but the police instantly dispersed them.

Police Precautions.

The police are taking every precaution. This morning a lot of picked veterans, such as P. Cs. Lucas, Black, Kelly and others, commanded by Sergeant Burrell, were on duty at the car barns. Detectives Nickle and Egleton were there, too, and were ready for anything which might happen.

It is apparent to everyone that interfering with cars will be a very serious offense in this strike.

Chief of Police Williams has issued orders to his men to arrest all persons who cry "Scab!" at the company's employees. The commission are behind the police in this move, and it is said that the strictest interpretation of the law will be meted out to offenders.

Mr. Sinclair was asked today why the men did not await the intervention of the railway commission.

"Because we had exhausted every means in an effort to effect a settlement," he said, "and because we did not know just what the commission could do in the matter. The commission is not a compulsory body, you know."

Trades and Labor Council Take Action.

Owing to the failure of the street railway employees and the company to come to a settlement of the dispute, the Trades and Labor Council held a special meeting last evening to talk over the situation and decided what course should be pursued. The meeting was one of the largest held in many months, Secretary Hollingshead said at the close of it, and the resolution which was adopted was carried with a dissenting voice, Mr. McDaniel, president, was in the chair. The following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, that this Trades and Labor Council after hearing and duly considering the report of their committee of investigation, congratulate Division No. 97, of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees, on their patient endurance and painstaking efforts to secure a satisfactory settlement of the present street railway difficulty."

"It is the belief of this council that there can be no doubt whatever that the discharge of Messrs. Stewart, Buchanan and Aitchison was entirely and solely due to the fact that they had refused to accept of the terms of the settlement proposed by the company, and as all efforts, even an offer of arbitration, have been refused by the company as a means of settling the controversy, we hereby pledge to the street railway employees our heartfelt indignation and support."

"We believe that the liberty-loving public will resent the attempt to deprive Canadian citizens of the freedom guaranteed them and to British institutions."

Railway Board Arrived.

The members of the provincial railway and municipal board arrived in this morning, having been requested to come to London by Mayor Judd, after he was informed that a strike was certain. The board is composed of Mr. James Leitch, Cornwall, chairman; Mr. A. B. Ingram, of St. Thomas, vice-chairman, and Mr. H. N. Kitchin, of Hamilton.

This afternoon the board will meet Manager King, of the street railway company, and a committee representing the strikers, with Mr. Magnus Sinclair, organizer, of Toronto, at its head. An effort will be made to mediate in the difficulty and bring about a settlement, if possible, and if this attempt is unsuccessful, the board will hear evidence by both sides and make any recommendations that it may see fit.

The official stenographer of the board is Mr. W. C. Coe, of this city.

Shortly after registering at the Tecumseh, the board was waited upon by Mayor Judd and Mr. Warner, member of the executive committee of the Street Railway Employees' Union, but nothing was given out for publication when the board adjourned to meet again in the afternoon.

The sessions will be held behind closed doors.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon, all the cars were running and there had been no disorder.

As the morning wore on, employees who had not heard of the strike until they arrived at the car barns, were met by members of the union, and informed of the condition of affairs, and asked to go over to the Foresters' Hall. Some agreed to this, while others, 15 of them members of the union, the company alleged, remained at their posts and took over their cars.

The actions of these men made the company extremely confident and it was predicted at the offices that if law and order is maintained as it should be by the police, the people will be rid of the strike before hearing the result of the railway commission's deliberations. On the other hand, it is understood the men took this course to show the commission the strength of the union in London.

According to statements made by the

company at noon, not over one-half of the men have quit work.

Mayor Judd declares that now the matter has been placed in the hands of the railway commission, he is out of it. His worship has, however, given instructions to the police to preserve law and order at all hazards.

Around the street corners today, the officers moved the crowds on incessantly, not even excepting parties awaiting the cars in the morning.

A car ran off the track on Richmond street, near the C. P. R., and this gave rise to a rumor that violence had commenced. The company, however, declared the run off was due to an accident.

A LONG TRAMP

Workmen Foot It All the Way From Severn River to Toronto.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, July 27.—Edward Belcher, John Wood and John Davidson, two English carpenters and a bricklayer, arrived in Toronto last night on foot after a six days' tramp of 130 miles, from the C. P. R. construction camp at Severn River. They are the advance guard of a company of thirteen, the other ten being on the way. The three men claim to have contracted with the Orilla Construction Company to work for \$2 a day. They were taken to Coldwater, then driven a dozen miles and had to walk six. Then the found they could only get \$1.75 per day. They turned their backs to camp and walked to Toronto, losing all their baggage. One man's trunk contained his wife's clothes.

TALKS TO DOG OVER PHONE

Pet in Pound at Once Recognizes Voice of His Mistress.

Chicago, July 27.—"Hello, Topsy, hello! Want a play?" "Bow-wow-wow!" "Oh, Topsy, it's you! Want a play?" "Bow-wow-wow!" It was 8-year-old Mildred Clark holding a telephone conversation with her lost pet dog, Topsy. When the former entered the mayor's office in the city hall she was anxious and a disconsolate little girl. Her canine playmate, Topsy, which she had refused to part with when she left her home in Jacksonville, Wis., to visit Chicago relatives, was seized by dog catchers, and in spite of the child's tearful protests was carried away to the pound. In company with her father, she told her story to Abe Merinbaum, clerk in the mayor's office, and when she left a few minutes later, not only had she obtained a promise of a pardon for her Topsy, but had actually spoken with her.

"Come with me," said Apollonius to the little girl.

In a moment he had established telephonic communication with William F. Stuart, superintendent of the dog pound. Mr. Stuart was at once sent to the pound. Clark described Topsy as "a black, curly-haired cocker spaniel." A dog answering the description was held up to the phone in Mr. Clark's office.

"Now, Mildred, call your dog."

At the sound of the child's voice the dog had given a frantic wriggle. Then in a series of sharp barks and whines it made known its inclinations.

KIPLING'S NEW POEM

Is Satire on Government's Policy in South Africa.

London, July 27.—The Standard this morning publishes a stirring poem by Rudyard Kipling, entitled "South Africa," which the Standard calls "An eloquent yet condensed statement of the British case in that country." It is a satire on the Government's alleged haste to frame new constitutions for the South African colonies under which some persons fear that Boer ascendancy again will be established in the Transvaal.

Mr. Kipling reminds Englishmen of the price paid to lose "The yoke" (which our brethren lay) and condemns the alleged treachery by which the colonies again will be betrayed into the hands of the Boers, saying:

"Our rulers jugglingly devise To sell them back again."

In this connection it is said the Government's plan contemplates securing a majority of British representatives in the proposed Transvaal Legislative Assembly. Nevertheless, the Opposition in the House of Commons will fight vigorously the proposed constitution.

ONTARIO VEGETABLE CROPS

In Some Places Beans Are a Failure—Onions Suffer by Maggots.

Toronto, July 26.—Mr. H. B. Cowan, superintendent of agricultural societies, has received crop reports from the Ontario Vegetable Growers' Association. On the whole, the crops are looking well in the Province of Ontario. Beans, however, will be a light crop throughout the Province, and in many sections a complete failure, owing to blight and anthracnose. Onions will be a fair crop, notwithstanding considerable damage done by maggots early in the season.

In the majority of sections celery will be a fair crop, and in some sections an exceptionally good crop. White potatoes will be a fairly large crop in many low lands, there has been a good deal of rot. If rain should fall in considerable quantities the potato crop would suffer seriously.

Super Leamington comes word that the early cucumbers will be a lighter crop than usual, this being owing to the cool wet weather. Melons are doing well, but the crop will be late. Around Chatham the onions will be a fine big crop. At Scotland, Oxford County, the frost damaged the cucumbers. However, the second planting will yield a large crop. In the district of Niagara Falls the vegetables have matured more rapidly than usual, and early potatoes will be an enormous crop.

Reports from the sections around Toronto and Kingston are to the effect that beans have been badly damaged. At Kingston the onions have been largely ruined by blight.

THE GAEKWAR SAILS.

New York, July 27.—The Gaekwar of Baroda, his wife and suite sailed today for Liverpool on the steamer Cedric. The Bar Indian ruler spent about ten weeks in this country, visiting various cities. The chief object of his visit was to study American methods of education.

STUDYING CANCER IN MICE

Encouraging Progress Made in London Experiments.

London, July 25.—The results of important experiments under the auspices of the Imperial Cancer Research Fund are reported by Dr. Bashford, superintendent of the fund laboratory. Mice were employed for experimental investigations, which were so successful that Dr. Bashford considers the prospect of finding out the mystery of the terrible disease more hopeful than it has been. In his report on his experiments he says:

"Four years ago there seemed little hope of acquiring any new knowledge of cancer. In the interval it has been made the object of systematic experimental study, and the advance in our knowledge now enables us to reproduce at will all the features of spontaneous cancer in mice and to protect healthy mice from all consequences of inoculation with experimental cancer. This having been achieved, it is not too much to hope further development of the experimental study of cancer will ultimately yield results having a direct bearing on the nature and treatment of the disease."

Cancerous mice having been got to breed, it may be possible to conclude whether cancer in man is or is not hereditary. The protection of mice from the consequences of inoculating them with cancer might be conferred in 100 per cent. of cases, whereas out of 100 ordinary mice, 50 developed tumors after inoculation. In protected animals no tumors at all developed. It had been found that the body fluids of some protected mice, when injected into mice with experimental cancer, had retarded the growth of well-established tumors.

Dr. Bashford felt bound, however, to utter a note of warning in case the result he reported might give rise to exaggerated expectations. Nothing but harm, he said, would result from ignoring the fact that these experiments indicated that the possibility of rendering healthy mice unsuitable for the growth of experimental cancer, was not yet possible to arrest the progress of experimental tumors with certainty, far less to effect the cure of disease occurring naturally in the mice. The experiments required to be carried much further before it could be ascertained whether they would have a bearing on the treatment of disease in mankind.

Sir William Church also emphasized the necessity for further inquiry before drawing definite conclusions. While he regarded the results so far as they went as highly satisfactory, he mentioned that Dr. Bashford had given encouraging results in connection with the cancer investigation within the last year, and said that none of the so-called cancer cures had conferred any benefits.

MR. J. W. REYNOLDS' FUNERAL

Conducted by Brother Masons—Interment at Mount Pleasant.

The funeral of the late Mr. John W. Reynolds took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence, 255 Grey street, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. It was under Masonic auspices. Rev. James Livingstone conducted the church services, while Mr. E. D. Crawford conducted the Masonic ceremonies. The floral offerings were very numerous, tributes being sent by the several societies of which Mr. Reynolds was a member; by the Horton Club, and also by the firm and staff of Reid Bros., by whom Mr. Reynolds had been employed for a quarter of a century.

The funeral was largely attended by representatives of the several societies of which deceased was a member. A large number of friends and relatives from Toronto, Hamilton and other places were present.

The pall-bearers were all members of St. John's Lodge, A. F. and A. M. Mr. Reynolds and family desire to thank the many friends for sympathy and kindness extended in their time of bereavement.

STOCK MARKETS.

H. C. Becker, stockbroker, received the following by private wire from Barrett, Frazier & Carrington today:

New York, July 27.—Cotton—Futures market has again been strong, but the leadership has been assumed by the industrial stocks, common to the cotton market, some of the buying being based on a rumor that that stock is likely to put on a dividend this year. However, in the best informed quarters this rumor is not taken seriously. The decided decline of the market for the cotton market, the Union Pacific had secured the control of the St. Paul, induced some selling of the latter, but there appeared to be plenty of support below 121. Sentiment is still bullish, and the professional element has for the time being abandoned its efforts to bring about a reaction in the cotton market. It is in very small volume, and that stock advance easily whenever an attempt is made to cover shorts.

NEW YORK.

Reported by C. N. Spencer, stockbroker, Market Lane, for The Advertiser.

American Refining Co.	147 1/2	147 1/4	147 1/2
Armstrong & Co.	95 1/2	95 1/4	95 1/2
Atchafalpa	10 1/2	10 1/4	10 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	109 3/4	109 1/2	109 3/4
Beck	110 1/2	110 1/4	110 1/2
Brooklyn Transit	76 1/2	77 1/4	76 1/2
P. R. Ry. Ohio	164	163 1/2	163 1/2
Chic. & N. W.	57 1/2	57 1/4	57 1/2
Chic. Great Western	17 1/2	18 1/4	17 1/2
Chic. & Ind.	47 1/2	47 1/4	47 1/2
Chic. & Iron	41 1/2	42 1/4	41 1/2
Chic. & La.	75 1/2	75 1/4	75 1/2
Illinois Cent.	135 1/2	135 1/4	135 1/2
Canada & Texas, com.	353 1/2	353 1/4	353 1/2
Illinois Cent. Div.	135 1/2	135 1/4	135 1/2
Louisville & Nash.	143 1/2	144 1/4	144 1/2
Mexican Central	204	201 1/2	201 1/2
Min. & Iron	144 1/2	144 1/4	144 1/2
N. Y. & W. Cent.	135 1/2	136 1/4	136 1/2
Norfolk & Western	86 1/2	86 1/4	86 1/2
Omaha & N. Pac.	100 1/2	100 1/4	100 1/2
Apple's Mail S. Co.	84 1/2	84 1/4	84 1/2
Illinois Cent. Div.	135 1/2	135 1/4	135 1/2
Apple's Gas	91	91	91
Atchafalpa	127 1/2	128 1/4	128 1/2
Atchafalpa & Steel	243 1/2	243 1/4	243 1/2
Rock Island	243 1/2	243 1/4	243 1/2
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FIGHTING THE OCTOPUS

U. S. to Prosecute to the Limit in Chicago Rebate Cases.

Chicago, July 26.—When the Government gets ready to present its case against the Standard Oil Company, and some of the railroads for receiving and granting rebates and unlawful discrimination in rates, to a federal grand jury in Chicago, it will be prepared to carry the case through to a finish with confidence of obtaining indictments. The Cleveland experience of the Government attorneys, they are sure, will not be repeated.

Attorney-General McKim has taken personal charge of the case. Following his instructions Special Counsel Oliver E. Pagin is here. District Attorney John J. Sullivan, of Cleveland, and Special Agent T. C. M. Schindler, of the department of commerce and labor, both arrived yesterday. District Attorney Morrison is working on the case, although he will act only in a supervisory capacity, and Assistant District Attorney Hanchett has cut his vacation short to begin work on these Standard Oil cases.

Mr. Schindler worked under Mr. Garfield in his Standard Oil investigation and his services will be valuable in informing the attorneys what evidence they may expect to get to show that rebates have been paid, and where such evidence may be obtained. That part of the Cleveland case which referred to the rebating of storage charges is familiar to Mr. Sullivan and Mr. Pagin.

There is no doubt the session of the extra grand jury which will be called to make this investigation will be prolonged. Owing to the proximity of the Whiting refinery, much of the alleged violation of the law centered there. At least this is the district where traffic originated upon which either rebates were made or there were rate discriminations. There is another plan which the Government attorneys may decide to adopt, and that is simply to obtain evidence in any way they can and then file information with the United States district court against the oil company and the railroads. It is said this plan may be pursued to prevent packing of the grand jury as is alleged to have been done at Cleveland.

In Amiens, France, a city which is known to Americans chiefly for its magnificent cathedral, there is a large tailoring industry. Thousands of pairs of trousers are made by women, who do the work in their own homes and receive four cents a pair. They furnish their own sewing machines, needles, and thread.

Four thousand different varieties of potatoes have been planted on the farm of Luther Burbank, the Santa Rosa, Cal., horticulturist, constituting part of 12,000 species of the tuber family with which Burbank will experiment this year in his plans to give the world another new potato.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—The Grand Trunk City Ticket Office, "Clock" corner, will be open this evening for the sale of McClary's Club excursion tickets to Sarnia.

—Mr. John Judkins, an employee of the McClary Company, has left for Toronto, where he has secured a position with the Kent Electric Company.

—Mr. Justice Street, who has been ill at his home in Toronto, is reported to be steadily improving. His lordship's many friends in this city will be pleased to learn that he will soon be able to resume his duties.

—Mr. Wm. Pearce, a former resident of this city, was married at Grand Rapids on Wednesday to Miss Myrtle Heath. Rev. F. J. Cook, of that city, officiated. Mr. Pearce went to Grand Rapids from London about four years ago.

A SERIOUS ACCIDENT

Mrs. A. E. Vincent Injured While Alighting from a Street Car.

Mrs. A. E. Vincent, of Byron avenue, met with a very painful and perhaps serious accident Wednesday evening. She was returning from Springbank and was alighting from a car at the Wharncliffe road, when the car started. She was thrown violently to the ground, and struck her head, rendering her unconscious. When she recovered sufficiently she was taken to her home. Her spine has been injured, and it is feared that the consequences may be serious.

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FIRST CONCERT BY REORGANIZED BAND

Musicians of Seventh Give a Splendid Programme at Victoria Park.

The newly-organized band of the Seventh Regiment made its first public appearance last evening, when it rendered a concert in Victoria Park.

Only three weeks have elapsed since the band was reorganized, but under the direction of Mr. Slater it has made wonderful strides, and bids fair to become one of the leading military bands of Canada. Its programme last night was decidedly varied in character, and included some very difficult selections, all of which were rendered in a splendid manner.

That the band has the best wishes of the citizens was evidenced by the large attendance at the concert. Mr. H. St. George was the cornet soloist of the evening. Needless to say, his work was fully up to the mark.

Bandmaster Slater and the officers of the regiment have every reason to be proud of the progress being made by the musicians.

READ ADVERTISER'S SATURDAY ISSUE

Many Especially Attractive Articles and Fiction in Tomorrow's Supplement.

Saturday's supplement of The Advertiser will be especially attractive this week. The Advertiser has secured the exclusive rights to that powerful and thrilling story, "The Betrayal," by Oppenheimer, the fiction sensation of the hour, and the first installment, occupying an entire page, will be published tomorrow. Every Saturday there will be a full-page installment of this serial, illustrated, which is certain to prove of intense interest.

Besides this, the third installment of "The House of the Thousand Candles," Meredith Nicholson's brilliant and fascinating romance, will appear in Saturday's (tomorrow's) supplement, and thereafter appear daily, beginning with Monday's issue.

Another special feature of Saturday's supplement will be an illustrated article on the alms with which Wellman, the Chicago newspaper correspondent, will attempt to reach the North Pole.

A brilliantly-written and profusely-illustrated description of the recent historic peasant revolt at Warwick Castle will also appear in Saturday's supplement, and an entire page (illustrated) specially-gathered cable news on wide range of happenings in Europe and the British Isles.

Saturday's supplement will also contain an article on "How the Count de Castellane Wasted an Immense Fortune," and there will be numerous other articles on timely and interesting subjects.

Besides these, there will be the usual special features, the weekly gossip of the Marquis de Fontenoy, on "Notable Men and Women of Britain and the Continent," Mrs. Syme's talks on health and beauty, and a page devoted to the latest fashions.

PORT STANLEY TAKEN BY SCOTS

Braw Lads and Fair Lassies at the Lakeside.

DAY OF UNALLOYED PLEASURE

Clans Gather from Sarnia, St. Thomas, Woodstock and Other Points—Good Programme of Sports.

The sound of the bagpipes and the beat of the drum announced to the residents of Port Stanley that once more the Scots from far and near had come to take possession of their delightful summer resort. From early in the morning until well on in the afternoon trainloads of enthusiastic Scotchmen arrived at the Port, and immediately began to enjoy themselves. There were contingents from all the towns within easy access, including Sarnia, St. Thomas, Woodstock and Chatham. Large numbers from the country around drove in, and with the large number of people who are spending the summer at the lakeside it was not long until a goodly crowd had gathered. The weather, too, was perfect. It cannot be denied, though, that on former occasions larger crowds have attended. The attendance not being up to the mark this year was not because interest in the picnic is decreasing, but was due more than anything else to the large number of picnics and excursions to Niagara, Detroit and other places, which had preceded the Scotch picnic this week, while the bowling tournament probably kept away a number who would otherwise have been present.

Among the first to arrive on the scene were the Klitties, with their pipes and drums — the London Pipe and Drum Band. Scotchmen are fond of the sound of the pipes, but these pipes simply took the place by storm. Not only were their music superb, but they were goodly to look upon — all big, burly Scots. Drummer Frouse twirled the drumsticks some, too. He certainly is a clever drummer.

When dinner was over and all was in readiness, the programme of sports, in charge of a committee consisting of J. B. Campbell, J. B. MacRobert, J. W. McIntosh, T. Gillean, F. Love, William Munnoch, Alex. Calder, John Macpherson and George Fraser, was commenced. Following are the various events and the names of the prize-winners.

Race for girls under 10 years, first prize, \$1, Vera Allison; second, 50c, Eva Ross; third, 25c, Vera Brown.

Race for boys under 10 years, first prize, \$1, Philip Coughlin; second, 50c, George Moore; third, 25c, Bert Allison.

Race for girls under 16 years, first prize, \$1, May Parsons; second, \$1, G. Jacobs; third, 50c, Louis Wilson.

Race for boys under 16 years, first prize, \$1, H. Eckert; second, \$1, D. Budget; third, 50c, S. Murphy.

Shoe race, first prize, \$2, J. Sweeney; second, \$1, C. Swazie; third, 50c, E. O'Rourke.

100-yard dash, open; first prize, \$3, J. Sweeney; second, \$2, A. McLachlin; third, \$1, P. Munro.

After the races came the dancing, which was a Scotch reel by four girls.

Best dressed boy in Highland costume, under 14 years—Medal, presented by A. Durand; won by Victor Riddell.

Best dressed girl in Highland costume—Medal, presented by Mayor Judd; won by Edith McLeod.

Highland Fling in costume, girls under 14 years, 1st prize medal, presented by J. S. Barnard, Esq.; 2nd \$2, 3rd \$1.

Winners: Amy McLeod, Florence Mitchell, Isabel McPhee.

Highland Fling in costume, boys under 14 years, 1st prize medal, presented by John Fringle, Esq.; 2nd \$2, 3rd \$1.

Shawn Treves, gins under 14 years, 1st prize \$1, 2nd \$1, 3rd 50c.

Winners: Marrie McLeod, Isabel McPhee, Bella Riddell.

Irish Jig in costume, open—1st prize \$3, 2nd \$2, 3rd \$1. Winners: Marrie McLeod, of Sarnia; Isabella McPhee, Sarnia.

While many of the people were taking in these sports, others were bathing, or having a quiet time by themselves. The lake was quite calm, giving splendid opportunity for aquatic amusements.

The picnic may have had its weak points, but it had its strong ones also, and one of the most striking features was that drunks were almost entirely absent. Until late at night, after nearly all the picnickers had gone home, not one drunk was to be seen. Several of those in charge said that they considered it to be the most orderly picnic ever held.

A CHANGE OF BILL

"The Gambler's Daughter" Produced at Springbank Theater Last Night.

A change of bill was given at the Springbank Theater last evening, when the Lyceum Stock Company produced "The Gambler's Daughter," before an audience that almost filled the theater. The play is full of interest throughout, and is considered one of the best given at the park this season. It will be repeated tonight and tomorrow. The specialties this week are exceptionally good.

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A new object of interest will henceforth be presented to visitors to Florence in Barrett Browning, son of Robert and Elizabeth Browning, who puts into execution his project of founding a Browning museum. It is reported that he has purchased Casa Guidi and has collected all the pictures and books and other memorabilia of his father and his mother that he could, besides the furniture which Browning sent back to England after his wife's death.

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Two and a Half Miles of Walks Laid in Two Weeks—Bridges Need Repairing.

The weekly meeting of the board of works, held last evening, was very brief, the business docket being light. Ald. Gerry (chairman), Saunders and Garratt, Assistant Engineer Kirkpatrick and Secretary Bell were present.

A statement submitted by City Engineer Graydon showed that during the two weeks ended July 24, a total of 13,739 feet—or nearly two and a half miles—of cement walks had been laid in the city, at a cost of \$5,812.69. The cost of the cement curbs and gutters laid during the same period was \$2,896.37, while the sewerage cost \$1,190. These expenditures bring the total outlay on permanent works this season to \$63,951.83.

The bridges on King and Dundas streets are in need of attention. Both need repainting, while the King street structure also is in need of a new floor. But the committee has not got the funds necessary to have all the work done, and it is proposed to have both bridges painted and the floor on King street repaired. The cost of a new floor would be over \$1,000. If the committee of next year funds itself "rich," it may succeed in getting a concrete floor for the bridge. The cost of such a work would be in the neighborhood of \$3,000, but it would be money saved.

A petition will be circulated for a sidewalk on the west side of Adelaide street, north of the C. P. R. The walk was initiated last year, but it was knocked out by the largest property-owner interested because a street had not been surveyed. The latter work has since been done, and there is no objection now to the walk being put down.

A resident of Wellington street north appeared before the board with a double-barreled complaint. He wanted a new sidewalk and he also was anxious to have the roadway put in a proper condition. He was more concerned about the walk, but it appears that it cannot be laid until the street railway company has some work done to the street, and the company cannot make a move until it gets other work now under way completed. The ratepayer was assured that the walk would be laid at the very earliest possible date.

Parks Commissioner Pearce complained to the committee that a large dog owned by a resident of Central avenue, near Richmond, had done considerable damage to the flower beds in Victoria Park, and that the owner had been fined \$5 for partially covering the loss. Mr. Pearce told the aldermen that he had been approached by the man in question, who had paid him a few "compliments," one of which was to tell him that he was a stranger to the truth.

The committee decided that the commissioner should be backed up in his efforts to keep the park what it should be—the most beautiful spot in the city—and the secretary was instructed to write the owner of the canine that he will be held liable for all damage done by the dog, and that the latter must be kept out of the park.

HENSAILL

Henshall, July 26.—The results of the Henshall entrance examinations were not made public until Tuesday. The following passed from the public school: Marjorie Hopper, 466; Emily Dunn, 463; James M. McArthur, 383; James Murray, 381; Marjorie Hopper is only 12 years old—the youngest member of her class—and was second highest at the Henshall exam.

Last evening the Muncie Indians, who are pulling flax for Mr. George McEwen, played game with our ball team, and were defeated by 9 to 5. A great number of people watched the game.

Henshall's Civic Holiday will be held on Monday, Aug. 6. Three rings of our bowl-ers will go to Goderich to take part in the tournament and the Methodist Sunday school will have their annual picnic on that day to Grand Bend.

This morning some of the posts supporting a storehouse owned by Mr. Urquhart gave way, and the building was damaged. Mr. Urquhart is removing the posts, and J. C. McDonald are carrying the cement to Miller's blacksmith shop. The building can be repaired, but some of the posts will be lost.

A number of the streets have been graveled.

The G. T. R. have built a new sidewalk from the street to the track. We have waited for years for this walk, and

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CANADIAN HORSES AT CADILLAC MEET

Joe Leiter, Owned by Norman McLeod, London, in the 2:19 Pace.

Cadillac, Mich., July 26.—Another programme of good races that pulled off by the local racing association here this afternoon. The time was excellent, considering the heavy track. After first of each race, the best runner a heavy rainfall occurred, and it looked like no races for a short time, but the rain only lasted a few minutes. Othello, the favorite in the 2:19 pace, led the field in the 2:25 pace, were distanced. David Lee and Taxtelle, favorites in the other two races, were winners. The crowd was one of the largest ever seen at a local track.

2:25 class pacing, purse \$300: Taxtelle, blk. h., by Decorator, jun. (Lux)..... 1 1 1

Blanche Pailmot, b. m. (Boone)..... 2 2 2

Redford, ch. h. (Garnum)..... 3 3 3

Leota T., blk. m. (Stone)..... 4 4 4

Time—2:20 1/4, 2:20 1/2, 2:20 3/4.

2:19 class trotting, purse \$300: The Paolot, blk. g., by Paolotus (Teach)..... 1 1 1

Silk Mill Girl, blk. (Porter)..... 2 2 2

John, b. g. (White)..... 3 3 3

Debbie C. b. m. (Weiss)..... 4 4 4

Joe Leiter, g. (Boone)..... 5 5 5

Othello, blk. g. (Baker)..... 6 6 6

Time—2:20 1/4, 2:20 1/2, 2:20 3/4.

2:19 class pacing, purse \$300: David Lee, g. (Lux)..... 1 1 1

(Kettle)..... 2 2 2

Ideway, b. g., by Calhoun (Allen)..... 3 3 3

Neel Ball, b. g. (Boone)..... 4 4 4

Debbie C. b. m. (Weiss)..... 5 5 5

Joe Leiter, g. (Boone)..... 6 6 6