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- Over 500 yards Brown Linen Crash Toweling, 18 inches wide, a splendid kitchen toweling, get some while it lasts at, per yard..... 5c
- 2 pieces Heavy Brown Huck Toweling, our regular price 10c yard, special during linen sale at, per yard..... 7 1-2c
- 1 piece Roller Terry Toweling, good quality, striped with red, our regular price 12 1-2c, during linen sale at, per yard..... 10c
- 10 pieces real Russian Crash, were 12 1-2c, special sale price..... 8 1-2c
- Special lot of pure Linen Tray Cloths, hemstitched and drawn work, border made of plain Irish Art Linen, size 18x27, our regular 85c line reduced to 69c each. See the values at..... 25c and 40c
- 2 dozen Net Doilies, Swiss embroidered edge, fancy shape, were regular 15c, our linen sale price only, each..... 5c
- 1 dozen Net Doilies, Swiss embroidered edge, very pretty shape, our regular price 20c, our special price, each..... 10c

Table Napkins

- 50 dozen 5-8 Napkins, all pure linen; you have been buying them here at our regular price, \$1.25, special during sale, dozen..... \$1.05
- 20 dozen 3-4 Napkins very fine linen. (These are a great snap.) Our regular price was \$3.50 dozen, special during sale, dozen..... \$2.50

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These are values not seen every day. When these lots are disposed of these low prices will cease.

Bleached Tabling Specials

- 2 pieces 62-inch Bleached Damask, all linen, our regular price 50c, special during linen sale, per yard..... 39c
- 1 piece 65-inch Bleached Table Damask, all linen, splendid pattern, our regular price 65c, special during linen sale, per yard..... 58c
- 3 pieces 68-inch Bleached Table Damask, handsome new patterns, at, per yard..... 75c
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- 1 piece Colored Mercerized Tabling, red and white, looks like silk, our regular price 75c, special during linen sale at, per yard..... 50c

UNBLEACHED TABLING SPECIALS (Continued.)

- 3 dozen Bleached Damask Table Cloths, 2 x 2 1-2 yards, very pretty patterns, pure linen, our regular low price \$2.50, special during sale, each..... \$1.95
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We have a vast range of Towels here—too many to tell you about, and printer's ink would not do justice to the values if we did make mention of each particular line. Suffice it to say we have All-Linen Towels from 6c each up, and while our linen sale lasts you can have the following special bargains.

- Lot No. 1—25 dozen All-Linen Huck Towels, were great value regularly at 12 1-2c each, now to be sold at \$1.20 dozen, each..... 10c
- Lot No. 2—10 dozen Extra Large Cotton Honeycomb Towels, colored borders, our regular price 15c each, special price 2 for..... 25c
- Lot No. 3—12 dozen Spoke-stitched Huck Towels, all linen, and very large size, our regular price 30c each, special sale price, pair..... 45c
- Think of it, but not too long.
- Lot No. 4—10 dozen Extra Heavy and very large Crown Linen Bath Towels, our regular low price 45c each, special sale price, each..... 31c

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"Thought You Could Down Me," He Says, and Proves Otherwise.

Sworn Evidence on the Winnett Matter—Declaration Includes a Second Charge—Was Sworn to Before Cooper Himself—Defendant Exonerated.

July 6, 1901.

I, Thomas Ings, do hereby make oath and say that I did and was working for Ald. Winnett last year and part of this, and that I did deliver for the said Ald. Winnett scuttlings, and also boards, made by McKinley lumber, supplied by the said Mr. Ald. Winnett to the contractors laying down the cement walks in this city, and also, I did deliver coal and wood to the smallpox hospital for the said Ald. Winnett, for the city, and am prepared to go to any court of law and declare the same to be true.

(Signed THOS. INGS.

Witness, MRS. MARY GOODWIN.
Sworn before me, Neil Cooper, this day, July 6, 1901.

This sworn declaration, read in open council last night by Ald. Cooper, was the center of a very whirlwind of words. Ald. Cooper had come to the city hall primed for a conflict, and ready to show that what he had said regarding Ald. Winnett's connection with civic contracts was true. He did not at all like the treatment that he had received at the meeting of No. 1 committee Friday night, nor did he like the idea of it going abroad that he had been beaten; that, in fact, he had charged, but could not prove. His purpose last night was to show that he would not only charge, but was prepared to stand the test of veracity. Friday night's meeting he had said that it was all very well, that on the grounds that it had nothing to do with the matter under discussion, viz., the report upon the investigation of the finance committee, and Ald. Campbell

and Ald. Olmsted urged the mayor to rule as to Ald. Cooper's right. Other members contended that it should not be allowed, but Mayor Rumball was of opinion that if it had anything to do with this year's matter it should be allowed. Ald. Cooper was persistent; not only did he read the affidavit, but he declared he would have had the man who made it before the committee Friday night, had not Ald. Winnett sent his foreman to keep him from attending. Ald. Winnett spoke just once, to deny that he did this, but Ald. Cooper threw out the challenge to take the matter to court, and he would prove all that he charged. He had intended, he said, to let the charge regarding the sale of lumber to contractors suffice, but since he had received such treatment, he had decided to add the one about the supply of coal and wood to the smallpox hospital. An added interest was depicted upon every countenance around the board when Ald. Greenlee began to read the following clause in No. 1 committee's report: "On the reference from council re investigation of complaint by Ald. Winnett, and Ald. Cooper's statement re sale of lumber, your committee begs to recommend that Ald. Cooper having failed to substantiate in any way his charge against Ald. Winnett, your committee recommends that the committee be dropped."

ALL EYES ON ALD. COOPER.

When Mayor Rumball asked if there were any objections Ald. Cooper rose and every eye was turned expectantly to him.

He had made a charge, and he intended to prove it.

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tended to substantiate it. Everybody said that Cooper had failed to prove his charge. "I failed to get a witness, because the man charged sent his foreman to the main witness to keep him away from the committee."

Ald. Greenlee—I rise to a point of order.

Ald. Cooper—I have an affidavit. "I deny that I did such thing," interjected Ald. Winnett.

"I have a sworn affidavit," continued the undaunted Cooper.

"I take exception to all this," said Ald. Greenlee. "Ald. Cooper failed to substantiate his charges in committee. Now he wishes to force a trial before the whole council."

"I ask your ruling, your worship," Ald. Campbell said.

Ald. Olmsted—This was sent to No. 1 committee, your worship, and it has been reported.

Ald. Cooper, excitedly—If it can't stand the light of day, why, all right. It is not last year's matter, if it has anything to do with this year's, why, I suppose he's entitled to read it," the mayor said.

THE AFFIDAVIT READ.

Ald. Cooper read it, and added, triumphantly, "You men said in that committee and thought you could down Cooper in the matter; but you have found that you couldn't. Now, if it is not true, take it before the county judge and I'll prove it."

Ald. Greenlee asked Ald. Cooper if he was a commissioner to take affidavits.

"Yes, I am," he replied.

"It is very unusual for a commissioner to take an affidavit, so one-sided as this, and so much in his own favor. I am inclined to think it would be thrown out of court."

The council then adopted the report of the finance committee.

"I may take the matter before the county court yet," Ald. Cooper said subsequently, "and I may not."

COMMUNICATIONS.

Mayor Howland's proposal to hold a convention at Toronto, representative of the municipalities of Ontario was referred to his worship and the chairman of No. 1 committee with power.

Mayor Rumball said that in his opinion the present Ontario league had the same objects, but City Clerk Kingston stated that the new organization had a broader scope.

In response to a telegram from Cache Bay, \$50 was voted to be sent to the sufferers from the recent fire there.

The London Horticultural Society was granted the use of the city hall for their annual show on Aug. 5 and 6.

A local printing concern asked that the council vote \$100 to pay for the advertising that the city will get by means of an Old Boys' reunion souvenir.

This was allowed on motion of Ald. Garratt.

COMMITTEES.

No. 2 committee recommended that an anti-spitting bylaw be passed, to become effective on Dundas and Richmond streets, between Wellington and Rideout and Maple and the G. T. R., respectively.

Ald. Jolly—Won't we require an extra police force to make this bylaw effective?

Ald. Winnett thought not, that the present force would suffice. All that was needed was a hint from a policeman. The movement would have a good educative effect.

To this Ald. Campbell agreed, and he moved in amendment that it apply to all places where there is a cement walk.

"Hadn't you better pass a bylaw prohibiting ladies from wearing long skirts, and wiping the streets?" asked Ald. Garratt.

Ald. Campbell—Hasn't Ald. Garratt been married long enough to know that to prohibit ladies doing anything would be dangerous?

The motion, as amended, was carried.

On Ald. Garratt's motion it will be compulsory in the future for all teamsters doing city work to use one-third cord boxes.

No. 2 committee reaffirmed its former recommendation that P. L. Marden & Co. and the Silica-Barytic Company be given the contract for cement kerbing. At last council meeting the tenders were referred back with orders to advertise for new ones, and it was said a number of contractors had not tendered because they knew nothing of the matter.

Such was not the case apparently, as only one man tendered the second time. He was one of the first tenderers, and on the second occasion he made his figures very low. He was asked to give them further made public. It was considered unfair to take such advantage of the former lowest tenderers, and the contract was again given to them.

The committee's report contained the following clause: "That as an inducement to property owners to have their streets paved, the city pay one-quarter the total cost of the pavement of a street, which has never before been paved; and on those streets that have been paved previously, and require repaving, the city pay one-third of the total cost." Carried.

A clause in No. 1 committee's report referring to the South street belt line was referred back. Ex-Ald. Bennett, speaking for himself and other residents of Rectory street, asked that this be done so as to give them further opportunities to study the matter.

INQUIRIES.

Ald. Jolly—Had the city engineer started to have the weeds in the city cut? To which Ald. Winnett replied that the work was now being done.

Ald. Greenlee—Had the city engineer the right to do work aside from city work? The reply being, "No," he said that he had done a very improper thing in putting his name to certain outside plans.

Ald. Cronyn—Had the board of works done anything towards making bicycle paths or treating the streets so as to make them better adapted for bicycling? No, it hadn't, he was told; it had no money for such a purpose. He therefore gave notice of motion that the board construct special paths or strips along thoroughfares that are not now good for bicycling.

Ald. Garratt's motion to reconsider the decision to make no grant to the Old Boys' committee was negatively six voting for and five against—and a two-thirds vote was required.

WAS JUST FOUR YEARS TOO LATE!

Wealthy Idaho Miner Came Home to Find His Friends He Had Worked for Were Dead.

Owensboro, Ky., July 9.—B. B. Widtmer, a wealthy miner from Seven Devils Hill, Idaho, stepped from St. Louis train last Friday and began a search for a sister-in-law who formerly lived here. No one at the depot could tell him about her, and he came on down into town, inquiring of people as he met them as to Mrs. Pauline Widtmer's residence.

Finally he found someone who remembered the tragic suicide on the night of June 30, 1897, of Mrs. Widtmer and her only child, Pauline, and told him the circumstances attending the death of herself and daughter.

The poor man became grief-stricken. He had come all the way from Idaho, bringing with him \$500 bills to give to his sister-in-law and her daughter, and to take them with him to his mining camp in Idaho. He expected to find them alive and well.

Widtmer and his brother came here 30 years ago from Switzerland. They operated a small dye works establishment, but it did not pay, and he went west to seek his fortune. His brother soon died, leaving a widow and daughter. The brother kept up a correspondence with the family until his brother's death, and at intervals afterwards with the widow and daughter, but nothing had been heard from him by them for a number of years and they supposed him to be dead.

The poor woman and daughter were in extreme poverty, and on the morning of July 1, 1897, they were both found dead in their bed. They had suicided the night before by means of carbolic acid. Widtmer had grown rich in an Idaho mining camp. He wanted to make life happy for the widow and daughter of his dead brother, and was almost crazed with grief when he came here and learned of their tragic death four years ago. He is a bachelor and 50 years old.

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The Old Boys' Reunion.

As the time for the Old Boys' reunion draws near, doubtless there are many minds turned in fancy to the scenes of infancy, and to boyhood's swimming and other haunts, in which the old "Tom Top," "Black Nancy's," and other similar spots will not be forgotten.

The sentiment underlying these reunions is one that does credit to our natures. Leyden, in his "Scenes of Infancy," brings out the sentiment:

Sweet scenes of youthful bliss, unknown to pain,
I come to trace your soothing haunts again,
To mark each grace that pleased my rippling prime,
By absence hallowed, and endeared by time.

He who has not left home does not know the pleasure of returning, and cannot, in the same sense, feel it as he who has. It is doubtless true that many of the old boys have prospered, and that since they left us new ties bind them to their new homes. It is right that it should be so. It has been urged by some that the fact of leaving home, and striking out in the world for one's self, is an experience that develops the best that's in a boy; that never until a boy does leave home and find himself among strangers, does he size himself up, and exercise the power he possesses to size up other men, and measure his own powers and possibilities by theirs. It tends to make a man of him.

To come back after an absence of years—to look in again as nearly as may be at the old home spot and its old associations—must call up many memories, pleasant and sad.

Yet still 'tis sweet to trace each youthful scene,
And conjure up the days which might have been;
Live o'er the fancied suns which ne'er shall roll,
And woo the charm of song to soothe my soul,
Paint the fair scenes which charmed when life began,
And in the instant stamped the future man.

It is a stock-taking time. It is a time of inquiry. Every boy is asked for; where he is; which failed, and which succeeded, and why. The answers open up by actual experience the fact. The experiences of life show the causes of success or failure; and disclose the fact which cannot be too strongly driven home into the mind of every young boy, that success is almost certain, in a moderate degree, to every boy who behaves himself, and uses with diligence the ability he possesses to the best advantage. It is within the reach of everyone so acting, to acquire a moderate competence, which is probably more to be desired than greater success.

We hope the Old Boys' reunion this year will be more successful than ever; that every happiness resulting from it, every profit obtainable, will be realized by the Old Boys; and that they will return to their new homes cherishing fonder feelings than ever for the old town; and that from these reunions many friendships will spring up, and a greater percentage than ever of London's boys become successful men.

Condition of Agricultural Labor.

The question of obtaining farm employees is assuming proportions quite as momentous as that concerning the scarcity of domestic help. Probably not in many years has such difficulty been experienced in securing farm hands as at present. Before the invention and introduction of labor-saving machinery had enabled the agriculturist to a large extent to dispense with his men, laborers were fairly plentiful. At present so difficult has it become to obtain help, that various devices in many instances have been resorted to. Some endeavor to secure desirable men under yearly contracts, in order to retain their services for the busy season. Should the scarcity of labor continue, and there is every probability that it will, it may be found necessary to change the methods and character of farm work. The difficulty is capable of adjustment, if those engaged in agricultural pursuits will turn their attention more to stock-raising than to grain-growing. Fewer men are required on a stock farm than on a farm devoted to the cultivation of cereals. Besides, the low price received for wheat, and the uncertainty of that crop in many parts of the Province, may induce farmers to grow less of it, for the market, at least. Improved shipping facilities, as well as the opening up of British markets, will furnish a way out of the difficulty of scarcity of labor, should the agriculturist see fit to turn his efforts into new channels.

Among the reasons commonly assigned for the scarcity of farm laborers are the disposition on the part of many farmers to employ men for only a portion of the year; the opportunity for continuous employment in other occu-

pations; the attraction, for both men and women, of towns and city life; and lastly, the heavy drain made upon the rural population by the opening up of New Ontario, Manitoba, and the Northwest Territories. It may be judged from these causes, to what extent the scarcity is likely to continue. There is certainly a great demand for an agricultural population, and it is likely to continue so long as Canada's vast areas await the plowshare or the axe of the pioneer.

Population and Its Relation to National Progress.

The census returns of France, which have been just completed, furnish an interesting study on the subjects of national progress of national decadence, so far as they depend upon the population. The population of France during the last half-century has increased from 35,000,000 to 38,000,000, which for all practical purposes may be looked upon as stationary. All other European nations have increased in population at a notable rate, in the following order, Russia, Germany, Great Britain, etc. A century ago there were three Frenchmen for every Prussian. Today there are nearly two Prussians for every Frenchman. Taking in the whole German Empire there are three Germans for every two Frenchmen. The birth rate in European Russia is 45 per 1,000, while in France it is only 22.

Now, if the strength and vitality of a nation are determined by the cradle, there is only one conclusion, namely, that France is declining. If a nation's greatness depends upon the high degree of civilization among its inhabitants, upon their excellence in the arts and sciences, in education and refinement, then we must conclude otherwise. Quality, and not quantity, should be the criterion or standard by which we should base our judgments. In nearly all that goes to make up human progress and activity, France stands well to the front.

A Large Problem of the Future.

The Boston Herald comments on a notable speech delivered by the Hon. Wayne McVeagh, who was attorney-general in the Garfield Cabinet, and retired soon after Garfield's death. He was appointed minister to Italy by President Cleveland. He is an independent, outspoken, fearless man. The sentences in his address to which allusion is made are these: "Our electorates are already beginning to be divided, and must, in obedience to the law of social evolution, continue more and more to be divided, by that sharp cleavage which separates those who are contented with their lot from those who are discontented with their lot. Under whatever disguises, called by whatever names, inheriting or seizing whatever partisan organizations, the alignment of the two great political divisions of America voters, who will sooner or later struggle against each other for the possession of the government, will inevitably be upon the basis I have named. * * * The one party will be under whatever name, the party of capital, and the other party will be the party of labor."

The signs of this future conflict he thinks to be plainly discernible in past and present phenomena. The passage in which he sets this view forth is worth repetition and earnest consideration by all thoughtful citizens: "If any doubt had existed upon this subject among men accustomed to seriously reflect upon political problems, it ought to have disappeared at the view of the developments of the last two presidential elections and of the present growing tendency alike of capital to more and more consolidate itself in great masses as in preparation for the coming struggle, and of the otherhood of American labor to more and more consolidate itself in one organization in like preparation. Ominous signs are indeed almost daily discernible that those leaders of consolidated labor who are really loyal to it and are not purchasable by the party of capital have discerned that the time remedy for what seems to them the present unjust inequality in the distribution of wealth is through legislation. If yesterday they foolishly resorted to attempts to overawe the nominees of the party of capital, sitting as legislators, by a display of force and threats of violence, by tomorrow they will probably have learned that the ballot in America, while not so holy as far more peremptory than the dynamite bomb. It does not explode, but it controls; and its control will be as resistless as fate if the party of labor decides to clothe all its demands, as it has already clothed many, in acts of legislation, for then will occur what the Duke of Wellington foresaw, 'a revolution under the forms of law.'"

There is no doubt that the enormous aggregations of capital in the United States will require the guidance of strong men, with strong minds, in the formation of the laws, if serious conflicts are to be averted. When once a departure is deliberately made from correct principles, and the business interests of the nation have become more or less fixed under principles of an opposite kind, and when the arguments under which protection in the United States was adopted, have been outgrown, when such arguments as that protection is necessary for a time until our infant industries have been developed, have been followed until the infants have become giants; until, in fact, no longer, they threaten to control, and it is claimed they do control the destinies of the whole country; then the old questions of protection, the old arguments used, no longer apply. A new order of things has arisen, leading where the Hon. Wayne McVeagh points. The application of reason to the circumstances produced may, in a country like the United States, with its boundless possibilities, show a way out of the difficulties.

The question discussed is full of meaning. It is in an advanced stage

in the United States as compared with Canada, and the less we should learn are how to avoid the dangers our neighbors must consider and deal with.

Canada has entered on a time of prosperity such as it never knew. It looks as if Canada, in the next 50 years would offer a good opportunity for all to do well, if the gigantic trusts and combines do not get too much predominance here also. It is the duty of our rulers to do whatever lies in their power to maintain fair play between man and man in the battle of life. They should strive to avoid the course which has resulted in the state of affairs in the United States, to which the Hon. Wayne McVeagh sees to be so full of difficulties for the future.

"Sweet Are the Uses of Adversity."

In spite of the dissertations of philosophers upon the "sweet uses of adversity," men continue to court prosperity and its concomitant, the almighty dollar. Put the question, "What would you do if you had a million dollars?" to the average man, and in the majority of instances the answer will be to the effect that he would change his present employment for some more congenial avocation that would take on the character of enjoyment. A million dollars, we see, then, would deprive society of a man's usefulness; for we take it for granted that the average man is regularly and wholesomely employed. The poet Dryden tells what the average man would amount to if he had his way:

"My next desire is, void of care and strife,
To lead a soft, secure, inglorious life;
A country cottage near a crystal flood,
A winding valley and a lofty wood."

The progress of the world is due to the fact that divine wisdom has ordered every man to work either directly or indirectly for every other man. If we had our way, and stern necessity did not compel us to do the work we are most fitted for, we would be mere human parasites living in luxury and preying on the honest labor of our more deserving brethren, as do many who already live lives of luxurious ease.

He Understood.

[Le Rite.]

Passenger—Hurry up, coachman, my mother-in-law takes the 6 o'clock train. Don't fail to get her to the cars on time!

Cabby—I understand, citizen; I will act as if she were mine.

A July Opinion.

[Washington Star.]

"Don't you think the shirt waist idea is a sensible one?"

"No, I don't," answered the positive man. "If you are going into the subject of wardrobe reform, I don't see the excuse for wearing anything so hot and irritating as a shirt waist."

The Real Reason.

[London Fun.]

Cousin Tom—So you will not marry him?

Eleanor—No.

Cousin Tom—Why not?

Eleanor—Well, papa hesitates because he is uncertain as to his future income, mamma on account of his family, and I am undecided as to his disposition. Besides, he has not proposed yet.

A Sad Case.

[Exchange.]

An anxious inquirer writes to a literary paper asking for the entire paper which contains the words:

Break, break, break,
On thy cold gray stones, O Sea!
But the slender waists of the days of my youth
Will never come back to me!

Famine Smokers.

[Chicago Journal.]

The talk about women smoking seems to be mostly smoke, though of course where there is so much smoke there must be some fire, or at least some ashes. But ashes of this kind are difficult to find, and one looks in vain for them in the smoking car, the public smoking-rooms, and even in private dens. To hear the pessimists rave one would imagine that it would soon be necessary for merchants to consider the advisability of placing warnings against smokers in their stores, and that society ought to be concerned with such questions as whether a lady is a smoker, and whether she ought to remove the firebrand from her mouth in passing a gentleman, even though her husband is not treated with the same consideration.

There was never a time when women did not smoke, though it did not point to some antiquated dame who secretly loved this vice. And many a staid matron of today can recall an occasion when the bitterness of nicotine was more than balanced by the knowledge that she was tasting of the forbidden, if fearful, joy. But as a rule even the charm of forbiddenness is not sufficient to tempt the feminine amateur to further bitter delights of this kind, and most women have remained content with a limited number of puffs.

There are men who take what they are pleased to term a broad and philosophical view of the matter, and who declare that inasmuch as tobacco is a vegetable that has a soothing effect upon the nerves, there is no reason why such tender-nerved beings as women should not enjoy this solace, but it must be confessed that popular prejudice is against these philosophical views, and the fact that feminine superstitiousness precludes the increase in numbers of women smokers.

Fifty Against Two.

It is not reasonable to expect two weeks of outting to overcome the effects of fifty weeks of confinement.

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DROWNING OF FOUR BOATMEN

At Brompton Falls Paper Mills, Near Sherbrooke.

Toronto Messenger Boy Killed on the Street While Wheeling—Other Casualties.

Sherbrooke, Que., July 9.—Four men were drowned on Saturday evening at Brompton Falls, near here, while driving logs on the Royal paper mills of East Angus, which had been carried away by the recent floods. A boat containing nine men was capsized and the occupants were thrown into the water. They made a hard struggle to reach shore, but only five were saved. The drowned are: Joe Labree, Geo. Waddell, Philip Thompson and Chas. Doherty, all of East Angus.

TWO FATAL ACCIDENTS.

Winipeg, Man., July 9.—Dugald Lamb, of Morden, was so seriously injured Thursday at Bendette, by a derrick and a piece of masonry falling upon him that he died Monday night at the hospital. He was 32 years of age, and came from Guelph, Ont.

Albert Everard, eldest son of J. Cadmore, aged 19, was killed by his pony stumbling in a race with another boy. The pommel of the saddle crushed his chest.

FATALLY KICKED.

Toronto, July 9.—Wm. Price, Edward street, received injuries that will result fatally in a row in Tim O'Rourke's barroom, St. Lawrence market, Saturday night. Price was kicked in the abdomen by a man with whom he was fighting, but whose name he refused to disclose to the police. Price refused to submit to an operation, although assured that it was his only chance for life.

MESSENGER BOY KILLED.

Toronto, July 9.—Yesterday afternoon Harold Robinson, a 14-year-old messenger boy, in the employ of the National Dispatch Messenger Agency, was wheeling east on King street, just opposite the Rossin House, when he attempted to pass between two wagons, one of them a railway car, coming in the opposite direction. The result was that he failed in accomplishing his purpose, was knocked down, the wheels of one of the wagons going over his head, while one of the wheels of the other wagon passed over his body. He was killed instantly.

CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Toronto, July 9.—Fred Smith, an unmarried man, living on the island, met his death in a strange manner yesterday. He was working as a carpenter on a new cottage, and his body was found under a section of the roof he had apparently been trying to put in position without help. It must have happened about noon, but no one investigated the matter until Smith failed to turn up at night, when his body was found beneath the debris.

FATAL EXPLOSION.

Santa Cruz, Cal., July 9.—Three explosions at the powder works yesterday wrecked the Corning mill and resulted in the killing of W. R. Darling and serious injury of Jos. Maynard, employees. The Corning mill was completely demolished. It is not known what caused the explosion.

FOUND IN NIAGARA'S WHIRL.

Niagara Falls, Ont., July 9.—Saturday afternoon the body of Ernie Call, the painter, who lost his life by falling off the upper steel arch bridge at this about ten days ago, was picked up in the whirlpool. Yesterday afternoon the body of another man, apparently about 25 or 30 years of age, about 5 feet 9 inches high, weighing 180 pounds, was taken out of the whirlpool. He had evidently been in the water some time, as his clothing was pretty much stripped off. His name was not known, but he was the top of the head is almost entirely gone. From appearances on the part of the clothing found on him he had been a well-dressed man. The body was taken to Undertaker Butler's rooms, where it awaits, if possible, identification.

TOOK HIS OWN LIFE.

Syracuse, N. Y., July 9.—Fred D. White, son of Andrew D. White, United States ambassador to Germany, committed suicide yesterday at his home, No. 67 James street. Prolonged ill-health and a persistent and exhausting nervous disease, it is given as the only possible explanation of his act. Mr. White was supposed to be in usual health during the day and had attended to his business. His wife found him in the bathroom on the second floor. A bullet from a rifle had passed through his brain and death had been instantaneous. No one had heard the shot.

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WOODSTOCK BOY WHO WAS FULL OF GRIT.

He Calmly Climbed upon the Kitchen Table for an Operation.

Woodstock, Ont., July 9.—A touching case of juvenile pluck has developed here. Fourteen-year-old James Pollitt, the son of a plumber, was taken ill with diphtheria Friday. The father is at Chatham working. There are ten children, most of them small, in the Pollitt family, and the family is poor. Dr. Melford went to see the boy. He left him some medicine. On Saturday the doctor called again. He found the boy much worse; in fact, he was almost choking. Dr. Melford hastened away and got Drs. Murray and Mearns. The mother of the boy seemed to be in a dazed condition as the result of caring for the sick boy and the other children. She did not seem to know what to do. So the doctors went into the sick-room where Jimmy was lying. The lad was unable to speak.

"My boy, we must leave your case entirely to yourself," said Dr. Melford. "You are in a very serious condition. An operation is necessary. Your father is away and your mother is overcome. We must leave it to yourself. I must say the operation may be fatal to you."

It is then explained what operation was necessary. At the conclusion the boy at once jumped up and ran out to the kitchen, and getting up on the table, laid himself out, ready for the knife. The doctors soon performed the operation, inserting a tube beneath the clogged larynx. When it was over the boy reached for a pen-knife in Dr. Melford's pocket and wrote on a piece of paper:

"I thank you." Then with a smile and a nod to the doctors, he hastened back to bed.

When the second draft of men was sent out from Canada to South Africa, his oldest brother William, aged 18, was a bugler in the dragon corps in Toronto. The ranks of the dragons had been so depleted by reason of the first call for men that no more dragons were allowed to enlist for Africa. Pollitt wanted to go very badly. He had been ill when the first contingent left. When they wouldn't let him go he left the barracks, and, traveling by night, got to Halifax and stowed away on the vessel which was taking the troops to Africa. They took him on at Cape Town and he went all through the war.

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To the Editor of The Advertiser:
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Now, Mr. Editor, why are such things allowed? It is well known that one man gets \$2,500, an over-landlord, while a poor widow over 70 years must give up all that she has that such salaries can be maintained. I am 37 years a resident of London. ANN GRANT.

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Metecological.

Toronto, July 8, 8 p.m.—The weather today has been fine throughout the Dominion, except in Alberta and near the western end of Lake Superior, where it has been showery. It has been rather cool in all provinces except Nova Scotia, where the temperature has been fairly high, 80 degrees having been registered at Halifax. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 52-62; Calgary, 54-68; Prince Albert, 48-74; Qu'Appelle, 50-70; Winnipeg, 60-72; Port Arthur, 42-60; Parry Sound, 56-78; Toronto, 58-72; Ottawa, 57-72; Montreal, 60-72; Quebec, 52-74; Halifax, 58-80. Local temperature—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Monday, July 8, were 78.5 and 55. Today (Tuesday) the sun rose at 4:44 a.m. and sets at 8:01 p.m. The moon rises at 12 midnight and sets at 1:26 p.m.

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—Of the four resident priests of London, only one is at present in the city—Rev. Father Traher, of St. Mary's Church. Rev. Father J. A. Hanlon, of the parishes of St. Augustine and Wingham, arrived here yesterday morning and will assume Father Aylward's duties at St. Peter's Cathedral the balance of the week.

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Receiving the Returns.

The returns of today's election will be bulletined in front of The Advertiser office this evening as rapidly as they are received from the various polling places. By means of its excellent system of receiving returns, The Advertiser will be able to give the results in all the polling sub-divisions as soon as the count has been concluded.

A LOCAL BUDGET.

—The St. George's School Cadets left today for a week's camp at Port Stanley. Principal Baker accompanied them.

—George Stinson, engineer at McCormick's, caught his legs between some steam pipes Saturday and was burned badly.

—Messrs. G. Traver and Dan Swanson are at Ipperwash Beach, near Thorndale, erecting summer cottages for Dr. Owens, of this city. The doctor intends putting up about twenty.

—A very pretty but quiet wedding of a former London young lady, Miss Lydia S. Calver, to Mr. John S. Miles, of Walkerville, took place at the residence of the bride's father, Fourth Street, Walkerville, on Saturday afternoon, June 29.

—The schooner Albatross has arrived at Port Stanley from Erie, with 200 tons of egg coal and 206 tons of chestnut coal for Hunt Bros., of this city. This is the largest cargo of hard coal that ever come into the port, and the first of its kind in twenty years.

—The riflemen of the Seventh Regiment, who are participating in the militia league matches, have been so far to supply their own ammunition. A telegram from Secretary W. H. Davidson, of Quebec, announces that he will be in London in August, and will investigate immediately.

—The G. T. R. Atlantic express going east, due to arrive here at 10:50 a.m., struck a rig belonging to Mr. D. McCallum, of Lobo, near Komoka, yesterday. The horses turned toward the engine, and the one nearest was struck and hurled into the ditch. The other horses were unhurt, and the rig and occupants were quite uninjured.

—The Ingersoll police are looking for Thomas C. Gibson, who kept a small store in that town for a few weeks. Gibson hired a horse and rig on Thursday last at a town livery, telling the liverman that he would return in the evening, but at latest accounts he was still missing. Gibson formerly belonged to London, and made his living by peddling medicine and clipping horses.

—The members of Toronto Commandery, Knights of the Grip, have arranged a mountain excursion to London for the occasion of the London Commandery's picnic, Aug. 17. A large number of the members of the Toronto Travelers' Association and their friends have signed their intention of joining their brother gripmen in their visit here. A good programme of sports is being arranged, to consist of twenty events. A liberal sum of money has been appropriated for the purchase of prizes. It is also intended to have a baseball match between the London club, Toronto drummers. In the evening a special entertainment will be provided, and also a dance in the pavilion.

—Stratford Herald: Many old friends in Stratford will regret to hear of the death of Mr. Ed. Hodgins, till recently proprietor of the Windsor Hotel here, and previous to that a grain buyer of this city. He had also been an alderman, and mayor, and was a well-known figure in the city. Mr. Hodgins had been ill before leaving here and not been well since taking charge of the Commercial Hotel in Richmond, Mich., where he passed away at 11:20 p.m. Saturday. The late Mr. Hodgins was 52 years, 11 months and 15 days old. He was born in Litchfield, Ohio, and his wife, Mrs. Wm. Hodgins, of London, is another sister. His wife, Miss Gibson, of Stratford, and two daughters, Mabel and Jessie, survive him.

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BLOOMFIELD-WELLS.

Miss Elsie Mabel Wells, daughter of Mrs. J. E. Wells, of Byron, was married on June 25 to Mr. W. H. Bloomfield, of Brinsley, the ceremony being performed by Rev. R. A. Miller, of Parkhill. Miss Maggie Wells attended her sister, and the groom was attended by Mr. Gordon Bloomfield, his brother.

MALEDON-McINTYRE.

Miss Evelyn McIntyre, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McIntyre, of Detroit, formerly of this city (and a niece of Mr. Joseph Watson, of 459 Grey Street), was united in marriage the other day to Mr. Jacob A. Maledon, a prominent young business man of Detroit. The ceremony was performed at St. Vincent Cathedral, many prominent persons being present. Mr. and Mrs. Maledon will be at home to their friends at 222 Military Avenue, Detroit, after July 23.

MEMORIAL SERVICE AT DETROIT.

Memorial services, simple but beautiful, were conducted at Detroit, Sunday afternoon for William H. Sullivan, the young man who was struck and killed by lightning at Bois Blanc Island, July 4, and who was buried here on Sunday. Rev. Chas. O'Meara, of St. Louis, Mich., delivered the address. He praised Mr. Sullivan for his quiet unostentatiousness, religious devotion. "God called him in a moment. The call came as it seemed to us by a stroke of lurid lightning, but his day it may be given to us to know that what to us seemed so terrible a thing was but the Master's hand laid lightly upon him, as outside the walls of Naim long centuries ago a young man thus summoned with the words: 'Young man, arise to a new, nobler and greater life—a life that knows no end.'"

SUDDEN DEATH.

Mrs. A. C. Clark, of 626 Lorne Avenue, received word yesterday of the sudden death, from a paralytic stroke, of her father, Matthew Greensides, at Fleming, N. W. T., on June 30. Deceased had resided with his son, Thomas, at that place for the past nine years, and although he had reached the age of 72, had enjoyed good health up to the time of the fatal attack. He formerly resided in this city, Clark, Bono, and was well known in Clinton and neighborhood. Arrangements have been completed whereby Mr. Greensides was to have taken up his residence at Fleming, N. W. T., and his sudden death came as a shock to her. Deceased leaves a family of three sons and two daughters to mourn his loss. The survivors are: Thomas, Greensides, of Fleming, N. W. T.; David and Richard Greensides, of this city; Mrs. Kehoe, of Toledo, Ohio; and Mrs. A. C. Clark, of this city. Interment took place at Fleming.

COTTAGE HOSPITAL SCHEME.

The Lady Minto cottage hospital scheme was launched yesterday at a meeting in the city hall. Collecting cards for this scheme, which is known to readers, signed by Lady Minto, have been sent to Mrs. Adam Beck for distribution. There are three kinds, representing subscriptions for amounts of 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1, the totals amounting to \$12,500 and \$50,000. The ladies who took cards were: Mrs. Robert M. Burns, Mrs. John Labatt, Mrs. McMechan, Mrs. A. Beck, Mrs. Wishart, Mrs. Craddock, Mrs. Yarker, Mrs. M. J. Kent, Miss Rumball, Miss Graydon, Miss Boucher, Mrs. W. H. Linn, Mrs. J. M. Davis, Mrs. G. H. Morgan, Mrs. G. Campbell, Mrs. F. Leonard, Mrs. H. Marshall, Mrs. B. A. Mitchell, Miss Loughheed, Mrs. MacNamara, Mrs. Radcliffe. Others willing to assist in this commendable movement will please apply to Mrs. Adam Beck for subscription cards.

BUILDERS AND OLD BOYS FROM CLEVELAND.

The Cleveland Leader of the 7th says: It is probable that some of the building contractors of this city will visit Canada this season. Very friendly relations have been cultivated during recent summers as the result of joint outings held by the builders' exchanges of Cleveland and Canadian cities. A meeting of the Cleveland contingent of the International Old Boys Association of London, held at the Builders' Exchange rooms last Wednesday evening, when plans were discussed for attendance at the home week celebration in London, and a large delegation of former residents of London will take in the excursion, a special boat being chartered for the trip. Members of the Builders' Exchange have been assured of a welcome should they decide to join in the excursion, and any others who may wish to take advantage of the special rates and accommodations will also find room.

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This Day in London Thirty-Three Years Ago.

[From The Advertiser Files of July 9, 1865.]

The match between the St. Thomas and Tecumseh (London) baseball clubs was commenced on the cricket field here at 11:30 this morning. At 4 o'clock the eighth inning was in progress, the Tecumsehs having made 73 in seven innings, and the St. Thomasites 52 in eight.

A meeting of the committee entrusted with making arrangements for a western fall exhibition was held, and reported that a fair at which \$2,500 would be offered in prizes would be held.

Some 4,000 people go with the employees of the Great Western Railroad to picnic at Waubuno.

Sir John A. Macdonald, K. C. B., as representative of the Grand Lodge of England, had the honor of past grand senior warden of Canada conferred on him by the Grand Lodge of Canada, in convention here.

DOWN TO BUSINESS

The Christian Endeavors Begin Their Programme—Rev. Dr. Robert Johnston One of the Speakers.

Cincinnati, Ohio, July 8.—After the business session of Saturday and the evangelistic and other mass meetings yesterday, the regular programmes of the 20th international convention of the Christian Endeavor were begun today. Several of the largest churches in the central part of the city were used, in addition to Odeon Hall and the three large auditoriums heretofore used.

Two quiet hour meetings were held from 8 to 9 a.m. conducted by Floyd W. Tompkins, of Philadelphia, and Cornelius Workfink, of Brooklyn. Mr. Campbell Morgan, of Baltimore, conducted a meeting on Bible teaching, and J. E. Carson, of Brooklyn, one on "The Holy Spirit." Miss Margaret Koch, of Waterville, Me., conducted a conference on "Bodily and Vocal Development."

At Auditorium Endeavor, President Clark presiding, and H. Lincoln, of Philadelphia, as director of music, "The Twentieth Century Home" was the topic, with addresses by Clarence J. Harris, Atlanta; Edwin Forrest Holbeck, Albany; Ira Landrith, Nashville; J. E. Pounds, Cleveland; W. G. Marsh, Adelaide, Australia; and Rev. Dr. Robert Johnston, London, Ont.

At the First English Lutheran Church, Secretary J. Willis Baer presiding, and Percy Foster as musical director, there were many addresses on "The school of methods for the junior Christian Endeavor," by Mrs. Frances Clark, Bono; Miss Frances Lebaron, Chicago; A. J. Turkle, Allegheny, Pa.; Miss Clara E. Boyer, Dayton; Miss Kate H. Haus, St. Louis; Mrs. L. M. Haggan, Music, Ind.; Field Secretary C. E. Eberman, Boston; Miss Elizabeth M. Olney, Providence; Jenks B. Robinson, Philadelphia; Treasurer Wm. Shaw, Boston; George W. Pollock, Buchanan, W. Va., and George B. Graft, Boston.

At Odeon Hall, the new field secretary, Clarence E. Eberman, presided, and addresses were made by local, district and state union officials. The noon-day evangelistic services were conducted by Dr. C. L. Work.

TODAY'S DOINGS

Cincinnati, July 9.—The time of the delegates to the Christian Endeavor convention today was mostly occupied by denominational conferences. There were 25 of these rallies held in the various churches about the city, and they were attended by almost all the delegates and visitors.

The day opened with the usual two daily quiet hour services, conducted by the Revs. Floyd W. Tompkins, of Philadelphia, and Cornelius Workfink, of Brooklyn.

A special meeting was held during the morning at the Central Christian Church, where the Rev. G. Campbell Morgan, of Baltimore, gave consecutive Bible teachings. Rev. J. F. Carson, of Brooklyn, also spoke, his topic being "The Holy Spirit."

The personal equipment of Endeavorers, and all those who seek to be, in that of all the requisites, both spiritual and temporal, necessary to become successful workers, was a very interesting subject discussed at the Ninth Street Baptist Church under the direction of Miss Margaret Koch, of Waterville, Me.

The three great auditoriums were thrown open to the public at 9:30 a.m. for a discussion of "The Twentieth Century Church," Rev. J. H. Garrison, of St. Louis, presided in the Auditorium Ohio; Rev. Canon J. B. Richardson, of London, Ont., in Auditorium Endeavor, and Rev. Allen B. Phillips, of Indianapolis, in Auditorium Williston. Five-minute speeches were the order and many were made by the various visiting clergymen.

The meetings were then adjourned to allow the Endeavorers to join in the noon-day evangelistic work in the factory and tenement districts.

VICTIMS OF THE HEAT

Nearly One Thousand Deaths in a Week in New York—104° at Topeka, Kansas.

New York, July 9.—The official reports to the bureau of vital statistics of deaths from heat for the week ending July 6 show that the actual number in the five boroughs of Greater New York was 989. For the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx the number was 699, for Richmond, 12; for Queens, 24; for Brooklyn, 264. The records cover a period from twelve o'clock noon, June 29, this year, to July 6 at noon, practically covering the days when the heat was most intense.

VERY HOT IN KANSAS.

Topeka, Kansas, July 8.—This has been a day of unprecedented temperatures in Kansas. In Topeka for two hours this afternoon the mark reported was 104. In Marysville 108 degrees was the record. Fort Scott reports 106 degrees. Reports from numerous Kansas counties tonight indicate that the corn crop is practically a failure. Hay is selling at enormous prices, and the indications point to almost a famine in feed for animals, unless rain comes within a day or two.

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