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The London Advertiser

#### What Is Going On In The Leading Churches Of The City.

- ADELAIDE STREET BAPTIST Church-The pastor, Rev. Thomas S. Johnson, will preach at 11 a.m., and
- ASKIN STREET METHODIST Church—Rev. J. W. Holmes, pastor. 11 a.m., "Profit and Loss"; 7 p.m.,
  "The Banner." Sabbath School and
  Bible Classes, 3 p.m. Everybody
- CENTENNIAL METHODIST CHURCH -Rev. George Jackson, pastor. Services tomorrow as usual.
- CHALMERS PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. Walter Moffat, pastor. 11 a.m., pastor; 7 p.m., Rev. W. M. Walker. Bible Class and Sabbath School, 3 p.m.
- CHRISTIAN CHURCH, CORNER OF Dundas and Elizabeth streets-Rev. C. Sinclair, pastor. Services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
- COLBORNE STREET METHODIST Church—Rev. A. K. Birks, B.A., pastor. Services will be conducted by the pastor.
- DUNDAS CENTER METHODIST Church—Rev. George Brown, of Toronto, will preach at both services. Morning subject, "Prophecy and Promise"; evening subject, "Christian Effort in Soul Saving." Morning—Anthon "This is the Der" ing—Anthem, "This is the Day" (Gaul); solo and chorus, "Open Mine Eyes" (Scott). Evening—Solo and chorus, "Praise the Lord, O My Soul" (Watson); duet, "Love Divine"
- ("Daughter of Jairus," Stainer). EMPRESS AVENUE METHODIST Church-Rev. T. E. Harrison, pastor. Morning, "Christian Confidence"; evening, "A Pertinent Question." Sabbath School at 2:30.
- FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST (Scientist), corner Richmond street and Princess and Park avenues (formerly St. James' Presbyterian Church) -Sunday services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Subject, "Love." Wednesday evening (testimonial) meeting, 8 o'clock. Sunday School immediately following morning service. D. S. Robb, C.S.B., First Reader; Mrs. Robb, C.S.B., First Reader; Mrs. Edna S. Robb, C.S., Second Reader. Residence, 293 Princess avenue. Christian Science Reading Room open daily from 2 to 6 p.m. All welcome.

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- FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH PRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. E. Clarence Oakley. pastor.
  Morning, "Parable of the Laborers"; evening, "Why I Am a Christian."

  A NNUAL PICNIC CANADIAN PACKING A Company employes, Port Stanley, Wednesday, July 25; \$100 in prizes. Games, racing, dancing, etc. Good music. City store closed.
- FIRST METHODIST CHURCH-REV. J. V. Smith, D.D., pastor. Dr. Smith will preach at both services. Morning subject, "Orthodox Believing; Heterodox Living"; evening subject, "The New Woman." Bright, short, helpful services. Morning—Anthem, "O Happy Band of Pilgrims" (Smith); solo, "I Will Give You Rest." Evening—"Now the Day is Over" (Marks); solo, "When Our Work is Ended" (Wolcott).
- FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Park avenue—Rev. W. J. Clark, pastor. Public worship, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by the pastor. Sabbath School, 10 a.m.
- HAMILTON ROAD METHODIST Church-Rev. S. J. Allin, pastor, both services. Morning, "Peter's Blunders"; evening, "The Three Links."
- KING STREET PRESBYTERIAN Church-Rev. Thomas Wilson, pastor, will preach morning and evening.
- KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, South London-Services as usual, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by the pastor, Rev. James G. Stuart. Morn-nig subject, "Request to See God's Glory"; evening subject, "What Shall I Do With Jesus?" Sabbath School
- MEMORIAL CHURCH Rev. C. C. Owen, B.A., rector. Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; divine service 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. The rector will preach at both services.
- NEW ST. JAMES' PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. A. J. MacGillivray, M.A., pastor. Rev. D. M. Ramsay, B.A., pastor of Knox Church, Ottawill conduct services at 11 a.m. | chairman. and 7 p.m. Bible Class and Sabbath School at 3 p.m.
- ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN B.D., pastor of Knox Church, Otta-Church-Rev. Dr. G. D. Bayne, Pembroke. Text, 11 a.m., "He was a Good Man"; text, 7 p.m., "The Church of God, Which He Hath Purchased With His Own Blood."
- PAUL'S CATHEDRAL-MORN-ING—"Venite" (Macfarren), "Te Deum" (Sippi), "Benedictus" (Trout-Preacher, Rev. Canon Dann, Evening-"Magnificat" (Vin-

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- THE EVANGELICAL LUTHERANS will hold services every Sunday morning at 10:45 in Duffield Block.
- WELLINGTON STREET METHO-DIST Church—Rev. R. D. Hamilton, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7

### Births, Marriages, Deaths

- BURNS-On July 12, 1900, to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Burns, of 9 Dundas street, a daughter. DIED.
- CARTER-At the family residence, 177 Albert street, on July 20, 1900, Marjorie Frances only daughter of Frank A. and the late Alice Carter, aged 11 months and 1 day. Funeral private Sunday afternoon, July 22.

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- MATINEE RACES AT QUEEN'S PARK. M ATINEE RACES AT QUEEN'S PARK.
  Wednesday, July 25, at 2 p.m., and every
  Wednesday afternoon until prizes become the
  property of winners. First race, trotting or
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- 1c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No LOST—THIS MORNING—SILVER CHAIN bracelet; center part of city. Reward it returned to 536 Weilington.

  LOST—GENTLEMAN'S OPEN-FACED watch. Lichfield streat. advt. less than 10 words.
- watch, Lichfield street, Park avenue. Suitable reward. 424 Ridout street. 15u I IBERAL REWARD FOR INFORMATION I that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the party who stole a Brantford Red Bird bicycle, No. 877, livery No. 52, from our promises. Private mark on frame. J. H. Cunningham, 704 Dundas street.
- London Real Estate Agency. BEAUTIFUL COTTAGE HOME -187 Oxford street, parlor, dining room, two kitchens; stone foundation and cellar; good lane in rear;
- stone foundation and cellar; good lane in rear; everything in first-class shape. To parties desirous of buying a nice home this is their chance; \$500 cash, balance 5 per cent.

  Handsome villa residence—33 Beaufort street, near residence of J. D. Saunby, Esq.; first-class 6-roomed cottage; poultry house, barn and other outbuildings, orchard and choice small fruit, 2¾ acres, near street cars. Don't fail to inspect this.

  Chean rents—374 Central avenue modern & Chean rents—374 Central avenue modern & inspect this.

  Cheap rents—374 Central avenue, modern 8roomed brick house, first-class, new furnace,
  bath, gas, etc., \$18; No. 570 Pall Mall street,
  good 7-roomed cottage, in good repair, \$8.

  Choice building property—Renwick estate,
  adjoining new Presbyterian Church, splendid
  building lots, cheap; also fine lots and houses.
  The Marsh property, corner Waterloo and Piocadilly streets from \$8 to \$15 nor foot

# cadilly streets, from \$8 to \$15 per foot. W. D. BUCKLE.

- LONDON, ONTARIO.

J. D. BALFOUR.

#### 16c tzx Superintendent. NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

- In the matter of the estate of William Sims, late of the City of London, in the County of Middlesex, shoe maker, deceased:
- Maker, deceased:

  NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to Chapter 129, Section 38 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, and the amendments thereto, that all persons having claims against the estate of the said William Sims, deceased, who died on or about the twelfth day of May, A.D. 1899, are required to deliver or send by post, prepaid, to the undersigned, solicitor for the executor of the last will and testament of the said deceased, on or before the second day of August, A.D. 1900, their names, addresses and occupations, with full particulars of their claims or demands, statements of account and the securities, if any, held by them.

  And notice is hereby further given that after the said second day of August, A.D. 1900, the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the
- assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been given as aforesaid; and the said executor will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received at the time of such distribution.

  Dated at London, this 30th day of June, A.D. 1900. Albert O. Jeffery, of London, Canada, Solicitor for Emanuel T. Essery, the Executor. A UCTION SALE OF THRRE VACANT
  A lots in Woodview Survey, South London—
  There will be sold by public auction on Monday, the 23rd day of July, 1900, at 2 o'clock p.m.,
  at the auction rooms of Mr. J. W. Jones, 242
  Dundas street, in the city of London, lots Nos,
  4 and 18, in block "K," and lot No. 12, in block
  "D," Woodview Survey, in the city of London,
  according to plan registered as No. "343."
  These lots contain half an acre each, and are
  good building lots in a choice part of the survey. They will be sold separately or in bulk to
  suit purchaser, Terms easy. For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Purdom
  & Purdom, Vendors' Solicitors, London, Ont.,
  or to J. W. Jones, Auctioneer, 242 Dundas
  etreet.

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....TAXES 1900.... OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE tax collector will be in his office, City Hall, on and after today to receive taxes of 1900. To be entitled to full discount, taxes must be paid on or before July 31, after which date percentage will be charged on first installment unpaid. Avoid the crush by payment before the last day.

GEO. W. HAYES, Collector.

### <del>+++++++++++++++++++++</del> SUMMER COMFORTABLES FOR MEN.

What could be cooler and lighter than a neat Flannel Suit in an almost invisible stripe or a mixture? We leave it to yourself whether its lined or unlined.

These goods for hot

weather will please the most careful dresser.

# Consuls Safe On the 19th Inst

Conger's Message Confirmed by Dispatch Sent to Brussels.

British Press Skeptical as to the Truth of the Reports-Pessimistic Views Expressed by the London Spectator-Washington Well Satisfied That the Tidings Are Correct-Allies' Losses at Pekin Over 1,000.

that he had received the following tel- | dent, who is at his home in Canton, egram from the governor of Shan Tung, dated at 10 o'clock:

telegram, dated July 18, from Ameri-in the second place, it still remains the opinion that the Chinese Imperial Gov-ernment is not encouraging, but is retransmitted, and by which you will sisting the Boxer movement, though eatirely rumbrs."

The state department has also received a dispatch from Consul Fowler, dated night, July 20, in which he communicates the following message tele-

CONFIRMATORY. Brussels, July 20.-The Belgian consul at Shanghai sends the following dis- ister Conger's cable to all our ambaspatch under date of July 19: Sheng sadors abroad, and has instructed

were safe and sound July 19.

"An imperial decree, dated July 16, orders the viceroy of Tien Tsin to appraise the damage caused by the appraise the damage caused by the capture and orders the local militia "Conger telegraphs that he is under the local for the local fo

BRITISH PRESS SKEPTICAL. London, Saturday, July 21, 4 a.m.-The Conger dispatch fails to carry conviction to either the British press or Government has given its cheerful aspublic. Its genuineness is not disputed, sent to the application of the United sheaf of such messages, which the min-isters fruitlessly endeavored to get plies at Nagaski in transit to Taku, transmitted, from which they could easily select a non-committal dispatch to serve the required purpose. A slight ray of hope is admitted in the fact that both Mr. and Mrs. Conger are much as possible. known to have been on very friendly terms with the empress dowager, but the universal opinion here is that, the dispatch is genuine, the date is

PESSIMISTIC VIEW.

The Spectator says: "It matters lit-e whether the empress dowager or Prince Tuan is the reigning monarch. Both are devoted to the extirpation of foreigners, and not one of the viceroys will dare oppose the anti-foreign policy. The plot has covered the whole empire. Men who have dared to order a Russian city, upon Russian ground, to be stormed will dare anything.

Within a month the viceroys of the coast towns will have thrown off the mask, and the only safe place for Europeans will be on shipboard.

### Washington Happy.

SATISFIED WITH THE NEWS. Washington, July 20 .- Two cablegrams bearing tiding of the unfortu-nates beset in the British legation in Pekin were received this morning. First came a short, sharp word from Consul-General Goodnow, at Shanghai, to an officer of the state department. He gave notice that Minister Conger had at last been heard from directly, and that his words were on the way to the state department. Scarcely had the cheering news reached Secretary Hay before Minister Wu came tearing down the asphalt streets from his legation in his automobile, bearing in his own hands the precious message from Mr. Conger. Mr. Wu himself was ignorant of what he had in his hand, because the message was in the state department cipher an apparently meaningless mass of figures and periods. The message, of is believed to have been sent from Pekin on the 18th inst., announced that the sender was in the British legation, under continued shot and shell from Chinese troops, and that only quick relief could prevent a massacre. After the work of translating the cipher into English had been completed, Secretary Hay took himself to the war

who were together at the time. PLEASED AND PROUD. After a short consultation in Secretary Root's office, Secretary Long, upon emerging, said: "We are all very happy over the good tidings. I have hardly had time to think of the exact effect of the news on the situation, but it removes one of the great elements of doubt, and leaves us free to hope for the rescue of the foreigners in Pekin. It is a great victory for the state department of the United States. Every country in Christendom was employing every agency in its possession to obtain authentic news of the besieged ministers, and the United States is the first to give to the world authentic and absolutely reliable word firect from the place in which the

department to convey the news to Sec-

retary Root and to Secretary Long,

beleaguered ministers are garrisoned." BELIEVED TO BE GENUINE. Said the secretary: "I am of the opinion that outsiders could not have made use of our code, and, besides, the nature of the reply, with its strong ap-peal for immediate relief, is such as would not have been sent by anyone

## SHOES MADE

Sprinkle "Foot Elm" in a new shoe and it feels as comfortable as an old one. Sprinkle it in an old one and it feels as cool and easy as a slipper.

Washington, July 21. - The secretary | seeking to conceal a catastrophe to of state yesterday received a telegram the cablegram from Minister Conger from Consul Fowler at Che Foo, dat- had been translated at the state deed the afternoon of the 20th, saying partment it was sent to the White that he had received the fellowing House, and transmitted to the presi-

> Ohio. TWO IMPORTANT FACTS.

The state department is satisfied of "Received flying express from the two facts: First, that Mr. Conger was alive on the 18th inst. This date is supplied by Consul-General Goodnow; see that the newspaper accounts are some Chinese troops may have joined insurrectionists.

State department officials do not accept the conclusions reached by some of the London officials that Minister Conger's dispatch is an old one, which has been interpreted by Chinese officigraphed to nim that day by the governor of Shan Tung:

"I have just received definite information that the various ministers in Pekin are well, and the proper Chinese authorities are devising measures for their rescue and protection."

The proper chinese authorities are devising measures for their rescue and protection."

The proper chinese authorities are devising measures for the authenticity of Mr. Conger's message, that the bombardment of which he speaks did not begin, according to all accounts, until July 6, although the legations had been be-This message is signed by Yuan, the sleged and attacked prior to that time, their rescue and protection."

NOW FOR RELIEF. Secretary Hay has transmitted Min-(the administrator of telegraphs) an- them to urge the respective governnounces that the foreigners at Pekin ments to which they are accredited to

and urge every means possible for immediate relief.—Long."

or Government has given its cheerful asfor the Chinese must possess quite a States Government for permission to

MR. WU TING FANG.

The Chinese minister, Mr. Wu Ting Fang, was today a center of official and personal congratulation over the great service he has performed for the American government and the American people in opening up communication between United States Minister Conger and Washington, and in sweeping aside a mass of horrible reports as to wholesale massacres of our offi-cials and others. The Chinese legation was in a state of jubilation to-

INTENSE RELIEF.

Minister Wu's personal feelings over the receipt of the message are those of intense relief, following a long period

of extreme depression. Mr. Wu is personally acquainted with the taotal of Shanghai, who forwarded the message for him and got back the answer, and the minister regards him as one of the most irreproachable and high-minded in all China. Aside from being able to get the message itself, Minister Wu is chiefly gratified at the opportunity he has to serve the American govern-ment, and in this way to establish the good faith which the Chinese authorities, as represented by him, are seeking to deal with the situation. It is appreciated that the crisis is still acute, but at least the mystery as to Minister Conger has been penetrated.

### Tien Tsin.

ALLIES' CASUALTIES HEAVY. London, July 21.-The Daily Express has received the following from Tien Tsin, dated July 18: The casualties of the allies in the three days' fighting before the native city of Tien Tsin exceeded 1.000.

It is now certain that there were several Russians and Frenchmen fighting on the Chinese side. The Chinese killed their own women wholesale to prevent them falling into the hands of the Russians.

Yesterday the whole native city was in flames, and the stench of the burning thousands of corpses was unspeak-

ably horrible. Among the incidents of the fighting on July 13 was the precipitate flight of 500 French troops from Annam. They had been ordered to hold an important point, but on being charged by the Chinese with the bayonets the entire de-

tachment bolted panic-stricken.
The Russians killed all the Chinese wounded in revenge for the Pekin mas-

Marines to the number of 125 will leave the Charleston navy yard Sunday for China. Gen. Joe Wheeler is said to have asked the war department to assign

him to duty in China. Id Hung Chang declares the edict recalling him to Pekin was due to the empress and not to Tuan. BRAVE MAN'S LAST WORDS.

New York, July 21.—"Keep up the firing." were the last words spoken by Col. Liseum, according to a Cee Foo cable to the Herald. The correspondent "The 9th Regiment and other Ameri-

cans, with the Japanese, advanced against a flanking fire, but were forced to lie in the mud all day, unable to help their wounded, and compelled to drink canal water. They could not drive the foe, or charge, or do anything ex-cept fire a few rounds. The American hospitals at Tien Tsin are crowded and surgeons are needed.

PLUCKY JAPS. The Japanese were the heroes of the battle, fighting with remarkable brav-They charged through the breach eels as cool and easy as a slipper.

It relieves the inflammation and soreTheir conduct after the battle was ness of chafed, swollen and sweating equally good. Fifty guns were captured by the allies.

# DR. W. A. PIPER

Banquet Tendered Eim by the Breth ren of Leamington Lodge, A. F. and A. M.

[Leamington Post.] On Friday night the brethren of Leamington Lodge, A., F. and A. M., and of King Cyrus Chapter, gave a banquet at the Omaha in honor of Wor. Bro. W. A. Piper, who is soon to take his departure for London. The spacious dining room was very handsomely decorated, while the tables were gems of art. An elegant spread of several courses was served-in fact, the proprietors, by their efforts, seemed desirous of doing all honor to the brethren, and particularly to the guest of the evening, Dr. Piper. About 30 sat down and remained at the table until after midnight.

The toast list was long and the responses were very good indeed. The replies of Dr. Hillier, A. T. Boles and Mr. Crassweller were particularly good. Few men have left the town who en-joyed in so eminent a degree the love, repect and honor so freely given to Dr. Piper. For the past twelve years he has been one of the leading citizens in every forward movement, and uni-versal regret is everywhere expressed at the thought of his leaving the town which he has helped so much to de-velop. Before opening in London the doctor will take a short special course in Detroit, and a post-graduate in The banquet given on Friday will be supplemented in a few days by one given by the town. It is felt that too much honor cannot be given one so universally loved. He was a friend to all, generous, courteous and agreeable, and the citizens intend to give him a hearty send-off on

The following is the toast list. W. Coulson, first principal of King Cyrus Chapter, acted as chairman in a very efficient manner. Morris' Orchestra supplied excellent music: The Queen and the Craft-Response

as usual. Grand Lodge of Canada and Grand Chapter—Mr. Peters, Windsor, and Dr. King Cyrus Chapter and Leamington Lodge-James Greenhill and William

Visiting Brethren-Bro. J. E. Cul-Guest of Evening-A. T. Boles; W. A. Piper very happily replied.

Municipal and Educational Institu-

ions—Mr. Cressweller and Geo. Craig. Press—Major Johnson and E. Mc-Ladies-Vilas Daugharty. Tyler's Toast-Philip Martin.

### At the Conservatory.

Following is a list of successful students at midsummer examinations at the London Conservatory of Music, plano department only:

Fletcher Musical Kindergarten-Adeline Carrie, Lulu Rogers, Alice Heal, height of summer. Pearl Mason, Vera Ellwood, Thomas Purdom, Edie St. George, Dorothy Reid, Marjorie Reid, Frances McLean, John Greer, Allan Rogers, Muriel Line Edv. Chas.

The serious phase of the indices of the Nippon Tusen Raisma Line, connecting with the Great Northern Railway, have been impressed by the Japanese Government to the prophesied continuation of the hot line. Young, Jean Labatt, Irene Edy, Chas. wave. The people never tire of point-Scarrow.

Elementary Theory-Maggie Wilson, Seaforth; Ethel Moorehouse, Cairo; Mary Shoebottom, Virden, Man.; Fanny Moore, Seaforth; Nettie McMillan, Milverton; Daisy Colvin, Lobo; Clara Quaint, Crumlin, Lillian Grant, Sadie Richards, Evelyn Milburn, city; Ber-tha Dobie, Strathburn; Ella Turner, Rena Turner, city; Mary West, Mount on England's municipality. The supply, Brydges; Blanch Hobbins, May Wilson, of facilities at the London hospital to Brydges; Blanch Hobbins, May Wilson, city; Annie Tackaberry, The Grove;

Alberta Carmichael, Arva. Elementary, Piano-Nora Wilson, Ingersoll; Mabel Barraclough, Ingersoll; Graime McDonald, Golspie; Hazel Gillean, city; Maud Hotson, Parkhill; Beatrice Hobbs, city.
First Year, Piano—Carol Newcombe,

Clinton; May Stewart, Forest; Maggie Wilson, Seaforth; E. M. Zavitz, Poplar Hill; Mary Shoebottom, Virden, Man.; Edith Irvine, Lobo; Veda Campbell, Belmont; Bertha Doble, Strathburn; Fanny Moore, Seaforth; E. Roache, Watford; Blanche Westell, Sarnia; Marmick, Petrolia; Ida Johns, Exeter; Meyers, Stratford; Moscrip, St. Marys; Mamy Ayted, Watford; Mrs. Meadows, Alice Mills, Edith Gilmore, Sadie Richards, Jean Dearness, Madge Dearness, Gwendolyn Anthistle, Mamy Boake, Edith Macarthur, Richard Brown, Van Buskirk, Wm. Grundy,

Frank Gruber, city. Second Year, Piano-Laura Lewis, Collingwood; Irema Armstrong, Lucknow; Tiny Edwards, Ailsa Craig: Lena McMurchy, Kintail; Mabel McLay, Woodstock; Bella McLellan, Laurier; Etta Smith, Warwick: Miss Howard. St. Marys; Mabel Reid, Florence Lamont (Harding Hall), Nellie Butler, Hubert G. Traher, Charles Marsh,

Graduates - Miss Maggie Piano Crooks, Woodstock; Mr. Charles Percy, Endymion.

#### A PROSPEROUS YOUNG FIRM

Messrs. George Taylor & Son Seek Larger Premises for a Growing Trade.

The hardware business conducted by Messrs. George Taylor & Son, on Dundas street, has increased to such an extent that larger premises had to be sought, and now the firm is located at 236 Dundas street, next to T. A. Rowat's grocery, where their customers will be welcomed. The stock has been thoroughly sorted, and comprises every-thing to be found in an up-to-date hardware store, at prices as low as they can be consistently sold at. \*\*b

#### Steamship Arrivals.

July 20.	New York Hamburg
Fueret Bismarck.	New York Hamburg
Castalia	Father Point. Glasgow
Strathnevis	Father Point London
Montreal	Montreal Shinkle
Bolivia	Father Point Antworn
Canning	Montevideo Table Bay
Manchester Co	PL STATE TO THE STATE OF THE S
poration	Manchester Montreal
Vimeira	Liverpool Honewell Cone
Lord Charlemont	Cardiff Montreal
Palatia	New York Hambung
Lucauia	. New York Liverpool
Phoenicia.	Hamburg New York
Siberian	Liverpool Philadelphia
La Gascogno	Havre New York

Time past is gone, thou canst not it recall; Time is thou hast, improve the portion sinall: Time future is not, and may never be:

WHY GO LIMPING and whining about your corns, when a 25 cent bottle of Holloway's Corn Cure will remove them? Give it a trial, and you

will not regret it.

Time present is the only time for

# OLD SOL AS DRESS REFORMER

Passing of the Tall Hat and Frock Coat.

Even Royalty Discards Usual Forms of Dress

London Hospitals Crowded With Cases of Sunstroke-American Invasion of the Metropolis-Touching Incident at Windsor Castle.

[Special London Cable Letter.] London, July 21 .- "We are requested to state," said the Times on Thursday, that the tall hat and frock coat, which hitherto had been recognized as the costume for Sandown Park, on the occasion of the royal visit, may be dispensed with tomorrow and Saturday in favor of straw hat and other costume more suited to the present tropical weather." A few days of intense heat have done more to break down the established traditions of England than would a dozen reform bills. Long established rules of state, social, business an political etiquette have been swept to the winds.

PREVALENCE OF SUN STROKES. In a land where a few years ago sunstroke was almost unknown, the hospitals are now crowded with cases of that description.

For the first time in the history of parliament one of the front bench members, Mr. Herbert Gladstone, has appeared at St. Stephens wearing a straw hat, to the amazement of the members of the house. Royalty, driv-en to desperation by the hottest weather England has ever known, and obliged to appear at public functions, has completely

DISCARDED THE USUAL FORMS
OF DRESS.

Lord Ronald Gowers' annual letter to the Times, invelghing against the tall hat, instead of being a useless protest, this week voices public opinion with remarkable unanimity. Wellknown men of fashion are frequently to be seen at the West End wearing white duck or flannel trousers with immaculate frock coats and silk hats. This latitude of dress extends also to servants. Be-powdered flunkles, thick with gold lace, may be seen gravely sitting upon the boxes wearing sailor hats of varying patterns, and fashionable nurses have given up the hot veil and bonnet in favor of light straw headgear. In brief, the metropolis of the world, with its countless arbitrary forms of dres sand proceedure, has in the short space of a week been turned topsy-turvy, and has become as free and easy as a Haitian village at the

SERIOUS PHASE OF THE MATTER The serious phase of the matter is conditions. Ice is a luxury obtainable by the rich only, and by them in limitquantities. For the poor there is no alleviation, not even the opportunity to bathe. The idea of flooding the heated streets has not yet dawned updeal with the heat prostrations is absurdly inadequate. Hence it is small wonder that business is practically suspended and social functions are cut short and made as informal as pos-sible, to say nothing of all the military maneuvers at Aldershot being postponed; that even the ghastly news from China enlists but half-hearted interest in a nation which finds itself suddenly transferred from a temperate tropical zone with all the disabilities sub-arctic clothes and institutions, London's method of transit-underground trains, inside busses, etc .never well ventilated, can now only be

described as sweat-boxes. THE AMERICAN INVASION. What with the Christian Endeavor thousands permeating London this week, the American invasion may be said to have reached its zenith. Scarcely any event connected with erican enterprise has created such general interest in England as the proceed-ings at Alexandra Park. Another class of visitors to London attracting attention on the streets are the men of the United States training ship Saratoga, who have come up on leave from Southampton. English harbors are dotted with American yachts. At Southampton alone there are the Josephine. the Enterprise, the Calanthe and the

INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION. In view of the wars in which the world is engaged a curious and almost pathetic interest attached to the meeting this week of the Parliamentary Union for the Promotion of International Arbitration. Mr. Philip James Stanhope, member of parliament for Burnley, presided. Forty members of the British Legislature expressed a willingness to attend the international arbitration conference in the hall of the French Senate July 31. Between 400 and 500 members of the various European parliaments will on that occasion be received by President Lou-The English delegation includes Lord Kinnaird and Sir Albert Rollit.

BRAVE CAPT. TOWSE. One of the most touching incidents of the war in South Africa occurred this week, when Capt. Towse received the first Victoria cross bestowed by the Queen for valor in the veldt. Capt. Towse earned the distinction by attempting to carry off Col. Bowman. who had been wounded, under a hail of bullets. He was unable to do so, and lay beside him, and kept off the Boers all night until help came. By that time Col. Bowman was dead. Capt. Towse was blinded in both eyes by a bullet wound. A TOUCHING SCENE.

On Wednesday Capt. Towse was taken to Windsor, and led into the royal presence by his wife, where he knelt at the feet of his sovereign, who was so much overcome at the sight of the blind hero that her aged hands could scarcely pin on the most prized of all British decorations. The Queen's few words of simple praise of his gallantry and thanks for his devotion were spoken so low as to be almost inaudible, and when Queen Victoria was

led out there was scarcely a dry eye among the officials present. TRIBUTE TO CANADIAN SOLDIERS The Marquis of Lansdowne, minister

of war, referring in the House of Lords to Lord Roberts' telegram announcing the death of the two young Canadian officers, Lieuts, Borden and Birch, in defending the British position in engagement on July 16, paid a glowing tribute to the Canadian volunteers, saying: "When we think who writes that telegram, and with what feelings he must have written it. I think we may say no more touching tribute could be paid to the memory of the

brave young representatives of our colonial forces." The Earl of Carrington compared the patriotism of the colonies to an books is usually catholic in taste, and Australian underground river, that enjoys with relish everything printed. disappeared in the bowels of the earth, I have seen a little girl unable came up again, and rushed onward in sist the temptation of an old news-a mighty torrent to the ocean. It would paper in which there were only adver-

cant associate membership in the Royal Academy, Mr. Frank Millet, the American Artist, was defeated by Mr. Joseph Farquharson, the vote being 28

It is announced that Prof. Charles Eliot Norton and the other literary executors of John Ruskin have determined not to issue a biography of the great art critic, considering that Mr. Ruskin's "Praeteria" and Collingwood's biography are sufficient. However, the executors will issue repre-sentative selections from Mr. Ruskin's

#### SPARKS FROM

### THE WIRES

Aug. 6 has been proclaimed Ottawa's civic holiday. Harold Craig, well known in Woodstock, who has been in China, has cabled friends that he is safe in Shanghai.

The government cartridge factory, at Quebec, is to be considerably increased according to an official announcement

Wm. Irving, confectioner and caterer, of Niagara Falls, Ont., has been missing since Sunday last, and his whereabouts are unknown. Charles B. Cross, aged 18, was ex-

eguted at the Connecticut penitentiary at Hartford last night for the murder

ing woods. Loss, \$10,000. No lives lost. Jackson, Mich., will dig wells for a direct suction system for its city waterworks, which is expected to increase the supply from 7,000,000 to 10,000,000 gallons a day.

The Windward has left Sydney, C. B., for Etah, North Greenland, headquarters of the Peary expedition. The Wind-ward left this port July 12 with provisions and munitions for the Peary headquarters.

The Aylmer (Que.) convent was bad-ly damaged during the heavy rain on Tuesday. The roof had been opened for the purpose of making more room in the attic, and a mansard roof was to E. Sangster, in Harper's Bazar. replace the old one. Hogsheads of water descended upon the uncovered building, ruining the furniture, carpets, etc.

A Victoria (B.C.) telegram says: Two steamers of the Nippon Yuseh Kaisha carry troops to Taku. The Rio Jun ing out how utterly inadequate are Maru, which sailed yesterday for the the provisions to deal with the present | Orient, is the only vessel left in the service.

#### MOUNT BRYDGES.

Mount Brydges, July 20 .- Mr. Robert Arnold had his foot severely cut with a mowing machine on Wednesday. He

laid up for some time. Mrs. G. H. Cottrell and son left on Tuesday morning for her home in Victoria, B. C., after spending a six or seven months' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. London. Mrs. and Miss Best, who have been

visiting Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm, left yesterday morning for their home in Misses Maud and Bessle Trick, are

spending a two weeks' vacation at Manitoulin Island. Mr. George Badge, jun., wears a broad smile these days, because he is the happy father of a bouncing boy. Dr. Henry McLellan, of Rochester, N. Y., is visiting his mother for a

#### KOMOKA.

Komoka, July 20 .- Miss Ellen Turnbull, who has been in Rochester for some time past, is spending her vacation at her home in this place. Mr. Wm. Sloan, of Nebraska, is vis-

iting relatives and friends in this Mr. Dan Cushing, of London, is spending his vacation with relatives Miss Bynia M. Stewart, of this place,

Miss Jessie Mowat, of London, is visiting relatives here. Messrs. Roy and Clare Fletcher, of this place, are visiting relatives in

is visiting relatives and friends

Dutton. Mr. John McKellar, of this place, is in the sick list. Miss Mabel Sloan, of London, visited friends here last week.

The section men on the G. T. R. have been working in London this week. Mr. W. Heath visited friends here

Mr. Howard Turnbull, of Toronto, is spending his vacation with relatives

WHEAT IN THE WEST. Winnipeg, Man., July 21.-The department of agriculture is now receiving the usual crop reports from various parts of the province. "There is no doubt," said Mr. Davidson, who was spoken to on the subject, "that the crop is not improved as much as had been hoped for. There is no doubt, however, but that this year's temporary failure will result in a redoubled crop next year. The land will get a rest, and thousands of acres will be given an excellent coat of manure by summer fallowing. With favorable conditions next year a double crop is almost assured."

THE TENTH MUSE. "Who is this person?" asked one of the tuneful nine. "She claims to be a relative of ours, but I don't know her."
'Poor thing," said the sister-muse.

Experts say the wheat crop of Cali-

fornia is going to fall far short of estimates made two months ago.

she think's she's a muse! THE LIMIT. "Is it really such a bad book?"
"Yes, indeed. Why, it's almost bad enough to dramatize."

AT THE BALL GAME. He-I suppose you know what rooter is? She-Why, of course. A rooter is a man who acts as if he was crazy.

### Reading and Rest.

Reading is a task or a pleasure, according as we are fond of it or the reverse. To any of us reading is as our daily food. We should prefer doing without any luxury to being deprived of our favorite books. Others whose life inclines them rather to activity than to quietness care only for books which are stimulating and dramatic, or which have in them a succession of surprises which awake laughter. The lover of a mighty torrent to the ocean. It would always be so, the earl continued, if perfect equality were preserved between the British colonial troops.

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A good plan for busy women who are occupied with their housekeeping and sewing, and who cannot get much time for consecutive reading, is to take a definite hour every day, go to their rooms and permit no intrusion. There with the aid of a pleasant book they may combine reading and rest. Per-haps they will not follow the author very closely, and their reading time may be partly devoted to slumber, but ten or twenty minutes each day set apart for reading will give a real return of pleasure, and blessed is the book which affords a tired house mother a few moments of refreshing rest.

To the woman who has a great deal

to do, with numerous claims on her time from the outside, as well as the imperious and incessant demands of her family, it may seem as if to take the rest hour every day would be an almost impossible thing. Everybody feels privileged to come to the mother's room at any moment. Children and servants do not hesitate to interrupt her, and friends are sometimes hurt if they are obliged to go away when they call at the house, because its mistress is for the time engaged in taking her daily rest. Still, she may remember that at the best sanitariums and rest cures the prescribed daily rests are in-sisted upon as remedial. The house is hushed and the utmost quiet pervades the corridors, rooms and stairs; and so it comes to pass that people get well because nature is given a fair chance. Let the mother insist upon her daily of Mrs. Sarah King, his benefactress.

Fifteen tons of powder, in a powder add to its pleasure by taking with her magazine at Nevada City, Cal., exploded yesterday, and set fire to the surround-two houses in which the wife has provided a rest room for herself. sunny exposure and its walls are tral tinted. There is a divan and neuan easy chair, and a footstool feet. Everything carries out the of repose in furniture and coloris the woman entering within ; may "loaf and invite her soul." Our houses are often less restful than they might be, from the multiplication of pictures and bric-a-brac. On side the eye meets a new object the effect is disturbing to jaded nerves and far from tranquilizing. For choice, the room in which one reads should have little in the way of ornament besides the books themselves.—Margaret

### Sustaining Sentiment.

[Chicago Tribune.] A minister of this city recently

preached a sermon upon friendship, and the subject seemed timely, rather than trite. Since the sweet girl graduate has taken to choosing more abstruse subjects for her since autograph albums have gone out, one is apt to forget the quality of that sentiment, and to permit "friendship's garlands" to wither.

Is the complex and hurried life of today disastrous to the forming of friendships, and is it "out of sight, out of mind," with everybody? It is so, to a large extent, with the business-man, whose friendliness must diffuse itself over those who are close at hand, for he has no time to go forth to meet in a fraternal spirit the Tom, Dick and Harry of his college days. Of course, among young women the sentiment still flourishes and grows, as Thacker-a single night," and more mature fem-a single night," and more nature feminine hearts often reveal sentiments as swift, but more sure. Emerson said you could think aloud, and, accepting this definition, many people would feel

obliged to cut down their list. Eugenie de Guerin, a French authoress, once wrote to her beloved brother: "There are days when one's nature rolls itself up and becomes a hedghog. If I had you here at this moment, here, close should prick you! How sharp and hard!" Most people have their hedghog hours, when it is difficult to refrain from pricking their best friends. But only one who can endure such pricks, and who can anticipate the coming melting mood, is worthy of the name of friend.

THE CHINESE IDEA OF PATRIOT-

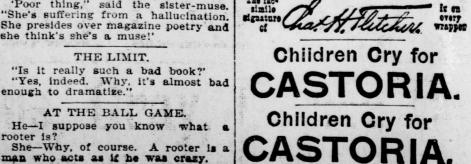
There is no patriotism in China. This was strikingly exemplified in the late war, when, on the occasion of the capture of the northern squadron, one of the ships belonging to the Shanghai fleet happened to be included. The captain of her at once went to see the Japanese admiral and demanded that to this fleet." The point of view that his was a Chinese ship and that his country was at war with Japan did not seem to appeal to him in any way.

The Yaqui Indians are largely employed in the mines. They make excelent miners, are industrious and good workers, quite in contrast with

A gunner's life was saved in South Africa by the bullet lodging in a pack of cards that he had in the pocket of his khaki jacket.

### Children Cry for CASTORIA. CASTORIA

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# CHAPMAN'S

# GREAT REMNANT SAI

EARING the end of what has been the biggest wash goods season in the hist wash goods season in the history of the house. What usually follows, a large number of odds and ends and remnants, not long enough to make a full dress, but very useful for waists, skirts, children's dresses. We are very anxious to clear out the lot this week, and have had them measured up and marked at quick-selling prices. In many cases the price has been cut in two. Come first and get the pick. All fashionable goods.

Remnants of Organdies,

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Remnants of Zephyrs,

Remnants of Merlawn,

Remnants of Sateen,

Remnants of Spot Muslin,

Remnants of Gingham.

Remnants of Percale.

Remnants of Crash,

Remnants of Print,

Remnants of Skirting.

Remnants of Flannelette,

Remnants of Table Linen,

Remnants of Sheeting.

Remnants of Shirting.

These goods will be found marked at such close prices that we expect a big rush and speedy clear-

# CHAPMAN'S

# IN THE WORLD

BASEBALL.

MONDON LOST THIS ONE. Hamilton, Ont., July 20.—By a batting rally in the seventh and eighth innings Hamilton won from London today, although the visitors had a good lead in the early part of the game. Of the five hits made by London, three were in the third inning, which, with a base on balls, gave London three runs. The

Pickard, 1b..... Pickard, 1b. 3 1 1 11
Jones, 1.f. 5 0 1 2
Reed, o.f. 4 0 0 0
Cope, 2b. 4 0 0 0
Lohman, c. 2 0 0 3
Kostal, p. 4 0 1 0 30 4 5 24 17 HAMILTON.

A.B. R. B.H. P.O. A. Cockman, 2b. s.s. 2
McKevitt, r.f. 4
Broderick, 3b. 4
Doren, 1b. 4 Bruyette, l.f., 2b..... 

Home run—Cockman. Sacrifice hits—Cockman, Conwell, Radcliffe, Pickard, Lohman. Stolen bases—McKevitt, Bruyette, Hemphill,

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Jones, Lohman.

Bases on balls—By Bradford 3, by Kostal 1.

Hit by pitched ball—By Bradford 1, by Kost-

al 1.
Struck out -By Bradford 5.
Double plays-McKevitt to Broderick, Pickard to Radeliffe, Mohler to Radeliffe to Pickard, Radeliffe to Mohler to Pickard, Cope to Mohler to Pickard.

Left on bases-Hamilton 7, London 6.
Time of game-1:50.
Umpire-Mr. F. W. Popkay.

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Jas. Cowan & Co..... An interesting game of ball was played last night on the St. Mary's dia-mond between the Riversides and the Alerts. Score, 5 to 3 in favor of the Alerts. Batteries—Hayes, Wilson and Pritchard; Clark and Dixon.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At New York-R. H. E. St. Louis ....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0-2 7 4 New York ...1 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 1-3 7 0 Batteries-Jones and Criger; Carrick

At Philadelphia-Pittsburg .. .. 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 0 1-4 Philadelphia .1 0 0 2 0 2 0 2 \*-7 8

Batteries-Chesbro and O'Connor; Fraser and Douglass. At Brooklyn-Cincinnati .... 2 0 2 0 0 0 0 3 1—8 12 2 Brooklyn .... 3 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 3—7 14 0

Batteries-Scott and Wood; Dunn and At Boston-

Chicago .. .. 0 0 3 1 1 0 0 1 2-8 16 1 Batteries-Lewis and Sullivan; Taylor and Donahue. AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston .. ....0 0 0 0 1 0 0 2 0-3 10

At Buffalo-Buffalo, 5; Milwaukee, 3. At Cleveland-Cleveland, 5; Chicago,

Indianapolis-Indianapolis, Kansas City, 2. EASTERN LEAGUE.

At Worcester-R. H. E. Hartford ....0 0 0 1 0 0 0 3 •—4 6 4 Worcester ....0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0—2 9 3 Batteries-Magee and Kittredge; Donovan and Steelman. Umpire-O'Loughlin.

At Providence-Springfield ...100201000-4 7 Providence ...000000020-2 5 Batteries-Wood and Toft; Braun and McCauley. Umpire-Hunt.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 20 .- At the Black Guide Rock, Verify, The Butcher and Rock Athletic Club last night "Rube" Ferns, the weiter weight champion of the world, defeated two men in the same ring in six rounds. The first man was Joe Reptie, of this city, who lasted two rounds, and was beaten up so badly that the referee had to stop the bout. The second was Otto Knop, of Cleveland, who lasted four rounds.

York, in the eighth round, the referee stopping the bout. New York, July 20.—Andy Walsh, of Brooklyn, knocked out Jimmy Handler, of New York, in one minute and fiftyone seconds at Broadway A. C. tonight. The men met for a 20-round go

In the preliminary Jack Smith, of To-ronto, won from Jack Lynch, of New

weight. Handler was the favorite in the betting 100 to 60.

SULLIVAN WANTS HIS BELT. New York, July 20 .- John L. Sullivan, ex-pugilist, was in Judge Mayo's court today, accompanied by his lawyer, and asked that the champion gold and diamond belt which Sullivan claims was presented to him by the people of the United States, be re-turned to him by order of the court. The belt is now in possession of the court. The belt is now in possession of the company which recently employed Sullivan, and with whom he had trouble a few days ago. Magistrate Mayo postponed a hearing of the case until July 30. OAR.

London, July 20.—The final contest for the Wingfield sculls took place today. C. V. Fox won easily, beating B. H. Howell, an American oarsman. Washington Bridge, Harlem River,

N. Y., July 20 .- With seven events on the card, two of which, the Paris singles and the second heat of the Paris fours, had an international flavor, the second day's programme of the National Association's annual regards extracted trider a much larger gatta attracted today a much larger gathering of sightseers to the Speed-way course, on the Upper Harlem, than yesterday. The stands and boxes along the upper and lower sidewalks adjoining the Speedway was filled with men and women, and the hills on each side of the river were covered with hundreds of spectators. The weather was delightful, but the wind again blew directly in the faces of the contesting oarsmen, and discouraged fast

time. Summaries: Paris singles, shells—Won by E. H. Ten Eyck, Wachusetts Rowing Club, Worcester; John Rumohr, Harlem Rowing Club, second; C. S. Titus, new Orleans, third. Time, 6:13½. Rumohr made a claim that Ten Eyck fouled him three times during the race, but the referee did not entertain the pro-

Second trial heat, intermediate singles-Won by Fred J. Greer, Jeffries Point Rowing Association, East, Boston; Jessie Powers, jun., Nassau, B. C., New York, second. Time, 9:42. Intermediate double sculls-Second trial heat won by Crescent B. C., Philadelphia; Nonpariel B. C., New York, second; Atlanta B. C., New York, third. Time, 10:041/2.

THE TURF Lovers of good race horses will be interested in the announcement that every Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock a series of contests will take place in Queen's Park, which promise some fine sport. There will be no admission fee, and in order to create a local interest all horses must be the property of citizens. The first race takes place on July 25.

THE ECLIPSE STAKES. London, July 20 .- Diamond Jubilee, the Prince of Wales' Derby winner of this year, won the Eclipse stakes of Chevening and Skopos, second and third respectively. The betting was 7 to 40 on Diamond Jubilee, 9 to 4 on Chevening, and 20 to 1 on Skopos. The Prince of Wales and the Duke of York witnessed the race, and received a tremendous ovation when the result was announced. Nine horses ran. Summary: The thirteenth renewal of the 500 sovereigns, the third 100 sovereigns, and the nominator of the winner 200 sovereigns out of the stakes, for 3 and colt Chevening, by Orion, out of Simena (J. Reiff), second; Mr. H. C. White's bay colt Skopos, by St. Serf,

out of Stethoscope (L. Reiff), third. ENGLISH EVENTS. London, July 20.-The 25th renewal of the Great Kingston 2-year-old race of 500 sovereigns, 5 furlongs, at Sandown, today, was won by Lord Ellesmere's Warning.
The Dillon selling plate of 200 soverings, for 2-year-olds, the winner to

sold by auction for 500 sovereigns, 5 furlongs, was won by Richard Croker's Imnaha, ridden by L. Reiff. The Surbiton handicap, of 200 sovereigns, 5 furlongs, was won by Mr. H. J. King's Wild Irishman, with Sloan up.

RACES AT QUEEN'S PARK. Some of the local lovers of horse at Queen's Park on Wednesday afternoon next—one for horses without a mark, a 2:30 class and a run. No charge whatever is to be made to either the grounds or stands, the sole object being to provide amusement for those interested in that class of sport, and also to improve the London nags. Prizes will be offered, and before becoming the property of any horseman they are to be won three weeks in

succession. STOPPED BY RAIN.

Detroit, Mich, July 20. — A heavy downpour of rain spoiled the pro-gramme at Grosse Point race truck this afternoon. The deluge came after three heats had been gone. The 500 spectators waited until five o'clock, when it was announced that the muddy condition of the track precluded any further racing until tomorrow at 10 a.m. 2:27 trotting, purse \$1,500 (unfinished): Queen Eleanor, b. m., by Expedition (High Night) .....1

Lasso ...... 5 Mabel G ..... Kellersheelplate ......11 Bertha Baron ......7 Red Cliffe ...... Helen A. ..... ......10 11 Bert Herr .....ds Time—2:17¼, 2:15½.

Hotel Normandie stake, \$2,000, for 2:09 pacers, unfinished: Riley B, blk. h. (Erwin), 1 Connor 2, Fannie Dillard 3, Milton 4, Tom Wilkes 5. Hetty G, Jersey Mac, Harro O. Nicol B. Colbert and Clinton also started. Time, 2:063/4.

YESTERDAY'S WINNERS. At Bel Air Track, Montreal-Ida Quicklime, Royal Salute, The Benedict, Militant, Highland Prince and Nim-At Brighton Beach, N. Y .- Bangor,

Gertrude Elliot, Kamara, Native, Ethlbert and Vouch. At Chicago—Pupil, Wax, Grandon, The Pride, Our Nellie and Prosper La At St. Louis-W. B. Gates, El Caney,

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Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other
kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

There are at present over 30 petroleum companies in the oil districts in Echigo, Japan. Some of these pos-sess a capital of over 1,000,000 yen sess a capital of over 1,000,000 yen (\$498,000), the aggregate capital amounting to 12,000,000 yen (\$5,986,000). at 152 pounds. Both looked to be in amounting to 12,000,000 yen (\$5,986,000). tip-top condition, and such made the Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

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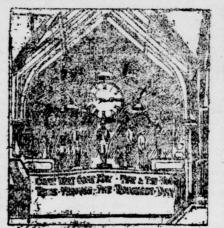
Clock Which Marks Hours With Emblematic Figures.

This Wonderful Clock Is Claimed To Be the Greatest Horological Feat of the Century-Some of the Interesting Details of Its Construction-The Figures Work Automatically and

A wonderful clock has just been erected in the Grand Arcade, Leeds, which hourly gives a novel represenation of the British Empire, says The Golden Penny.

The clock, which is claimed to be the greatest horological feat of the century, is the work of Mossrs. William Potts & Sons, of Leeds.

As each quarter hour strikes numerous little figures, each representative of some portion of the empire, move forward and bow to the onlookers. Until the hands point to the quarters only two figures, representing mail-clad knights with upraised bat-



tle-axes, are visible. Immediately they have chimed on adjacent gongs the real display takes place. A door opens and a British Grenadier in full uniform marches forth, and on reaching the centre of the platform, faces to the front, and sa-

lutes in precise military fashion. He is followed by a smartly-kilted Highlander, also a warrior, an Irishman, in the old national costume and carrying a shillelah, a Canadian boat-10,000 sovereigns at the Sandown Park | man with his paddle, and the dusky second summer meeting today, by a figure of a Hindu, with turban and half length, six lengths separating loin cloth. Each makes an obeisance to the onlookers in passing, and when the last figure has retired the doors close automatically. Then a cock over the timepiece flaps its wings, raises its head, and crows three times.

Large crowds visit the Leeds Arcade daily to see this novel clock, Eclipse stakes of 10,000 sovereigns, the which is undoubtedly one of the reowner of the second horse to receive markable time pieces of the world, combining as it does some of the features of other famous clocks, to-4-lear-olds, about 1 mile—The Prince of gether with many original improve-Wales' bay colt Diamond Jubilee, 3- ments. The cock, for instance, flaps year-old, by St. Simon, out of Perdita, its wings similarly to the one at won: Mr. K. H. Musker's chestnut Strasburg Cathedral, and the time is Strasburg Cathedral, and shown upon a polished copper dial with blue figures, like the noted clock at Berne. The escapement is the double three-legged gravity by Lord Grimthorpe—the greatest living authority on clocks and bells. Many thority on clocks and bells. parts of this remarkable timepiece are made of gun metal, but the automatic figures are of copper bronze.

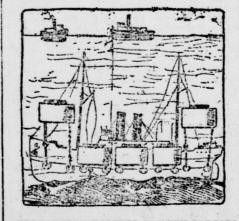
PROGRESS OF THE BAPTISTS.

Remarkable Record of Sir Charles Tupper's Father & Work.

An interesting address was delivered at the Baptist Congress in Winnipeg by Rev. W. F. Parker of Nova Scotia, who spoke on "A Century of Baptist Progress in the Maritime racing have arranged for three events Provinces." He gave some idea of the work of the early fathers, and cited as an instance the late Dr. Tupper, father of Sir Charles Tupper. He mentioned that in the early part of his life his schooling was limited to ten weeks, but by hard work Tupper became master of many languages, including Hebrew, Greek, Latin, French, German, Italian and Syriac. It is said he read the new testament and the first three of these at least a hundred times. At his jubilee it was stated that he had travelled 146,000 miles, chiefly on horseback, preached 66,750 sermons. took part in 6.430 other services and made 11,520 family visits, married 238 couples, attended 542 funerals and baptized 522 converts.

New Wrecking Vessel.

In the cut is shown a submarine vessel for removing the cargoes from sunken ships, invented by Simon Lake of Baltimore, Md. The apparatus consists of a steel hull, divided into numerous compartments, with means



APPARATUS TO RECCVER SUNKEN CARGOES for forcing either air or water into each chamber. To the hull are also attached a number of water-tight tanks, with hatches in the top, which can be opened to allow goods taken from the wreck to be stored inside. After these tanks have been illed the hatches are replaced and the water expelled. When in operation the wrecking vessel is filled with water and allowed to sink alongside the wreck, after which the divers transfer the cargo to the tanks. When the tanks are closed and the water pumped out, the compartments on the ship are filled with air through a pipe running to the surface of the sea. This increases the buoyancy of the vessel and causes it to rise to the surf a, when the cargo can be transferred to another steamer.

### THE FAVORS OF WAR.

war in the Transvaal is the number

With Some of Its Untoward Fortunes Thrown In by Way of Contrast-Stevens' African Grave,

of correspondents who have met death or serious injury during its The war correspondent's course. lot is at best a hazardous one, but in South Africa the dangers and hardships seem to have been multiplied. In fact, it is said that hardly one of all the men who went to the front to gather news will return safe and sound. Since the beginning of the conflict a single London paper -the Daily Mail-has had ten men incapacitated in one way or anoth-More than thirty men in all have been killed in the campaign against the Boers or have had their health shattered by disease and wounds. One of the saddest deaths among those of correspondents was that of George W. Steevens, the brilliant young journalist, who passed safely through most of the campaign for the relief of Ladysmith to fall a victim to the Cape fever. A plain cross marks his last resting place-

fearless writer. When the Count de Villebois-Mareuil, in Paris, was officially informed of the death on a South African battlefield of his distinguished brother, who had died there fighting for the Boers, he set about the preliminary steps to have the body brought back to France for interment. A legal formality, however, required an examination of the dead soldier's will. The instrument was opened before the court, and the first line of the document was as follows:

a lonely grave in a strange land-

the goal of many a brilliant and

"I desire to be buried where I may

In the face of this specific declaration no option was left to the relatives, and the gallant soldier- 13 whose valor the opposing British troops paid military honors-will be left to rest on the African plains where he fell.

Two letters that, printed side by side, furnished a sad commentary on war between civilized peoples are the following:

"Boshof, May 10, 1900. Dear Mme. de Villebois:-I am forwarding you a photograph of a marble stone which I have placed in the churchyard of Boshof in memory of your father. I hope that I have found the ring he wore, and if it proves to be so it shall also be sent to you. I could not place your father's body in a Roman Catholic churchyard, as I feel sure you would have wished, but the funeral rites are carried out by M. le Comte de Breda, and military honors were accorded to him. We all regret the death of an accomplished and gallant soldier, but he preferred death to becoming a prisoner. Let me convey to you my sympathy and the sympathy of my



STEVENS' AFRICAN GRAVE. comrades in your sorrow. Yours

very truly, "Methuen.

"Lieutenant General Commanding Fifth Division." Mrs. Macmullen, whose husband, Macmullen, was mortally wounded in a skirmish south of Rensburg Station on Feb. 14, received from the Boer general, C. Weiss, a most courteous letter, from which the following passages are taken:

"Colesburg, O. F. S., February 15,

1900. Madam:-I presume you will be informed ere this by your war office that your husband, Major Macmullen, was mortally wounded yesterday in a skirmish south of Rensborg Station, and that he succumbed last night. This morning private papers, etc., belonging to the deceased were brought to me, and in going through them I found two open letters addressed to Rev. Father Norris and yourself, \* \* \* which I have the honor to forward you at once from here, as they contain the last greetings of the deceased to you and to his family. The rest of the papers, check book, etc., . . . the watch and £8 10s. in gold, were handed over by your husband to one of our officials visiting the battlefield, and a receipt given for them, which I inclose. All these things you will be able to receive back after the war is over. \* \* \* Allow me to express my deepest sympathy at the loss you and your family have \* \* As becomes a sustained. Christian people, we are trying to act like Christians toward our neighbors who call themselves our enemies. . . We are trying to make those of your countrymen who are wounded \* \* as comfortable as circumstances permit. \* \* \* May God bless and console you and the many widows and orphans in your as well as our land! \* \* \* Lieutenants Prior and Thornton will be able to give you later (they are now prisoners) full particulars of Major Macmullen's death. I have the honor to be, madam, your obedient serv-C. Weiss."

Clothed in Wood Pnip Wood-pulp paper as military clothing is used by the Japanese troo.

It is marvellously tough and has a neat appearance. : Hospital for Trres.

There is a hospital for trees on the banks of the Seine in Paris. Trees which do not thrive on the boule-

Planning how to make both ends meet keeps many a brain worked hust-

vards are taken there to recover.

#### CANADA'S WEALTH

In the Way of Pulp Resources and Waterpower Surprises English Manufacturers.

Quebec, July 21.-The deputation of English paper manufacturers will leave for England tonight from Quebec by

the steamship Parisian. They have been seven weeks looking over Canada's vast pulp resources, paper mills and water powers, and are delighted beyond measure with all they

have seen. In conversation with Mr. Marsden, that gentleman said that while the English manufacturers were not altogether in ignorance of Canada's wealth in this line, their present trip had broadened the impressions very much, especially what had been seen in the Province of Quebec. He said their visit would result in bringing English capital to Canada. The English paper manufacturers have concluded that they have too long looked elsewhere for pulp, the Sweden and Norway markets being exhausted. What the delegates have seen in Can-ada satisfies them that the English paper manufacturers can be supplied from here for years to come.

Mr. Marsden said that the manufacturers had little to learn in the manufacture of paper either in this country or the United States. Paper is gradually rising on the other side, and this morning Mr. Marsden received a cable informing him that the price of print paper had increased three cents.

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#### SHAKESPEARE'S SEVEN AGES

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#### Lord Salisbury and the Missionaries.

Lord Salisbury is nothing if not both critical and candid, and these characteristics came out clearly in the speech given a little while ago in connection with the bicentenary meeting of the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel. After acknowledging the infportance of the occasion, he said: "I ern here perhaps rather as a stranger, but I must not conceal from you that at the foreign office missionaries are not popular, and that perhaps the foreign office may look upon me rather as a deserter in appearing upon your platform at the present time."

That, we have no doubt, is quite true. The foreign office, like many other offices, does not like those who cause them extra trouble, and it must be admitted that missionaries often do that, it may be, sometimes unwisely. But as a matter of fact, the foreign office point of view and that of the missionaries are wide apart as can possibly be. The one has to contrive to keep communications with various peoples working as smoothly as possible; the other pushes boldly forward in the path of duty without considering consequences very much for himelf or others. The one influence is naturally conservative and the other aims at creating complete revolutions in the lives of men and of nations.

Lord Salisbury's comparison between the martyred missionaries of the olden time and those of our own was quite to the point. Now if a Boniface or a Columba is exposed to this martyrdom the result is an appeal to a consul or to the mission of a gunboat, and this especially when carried out in the spirit of the German Kaiser does tend "to diminish the purely spiritual asect and action of Christian teaching." The warning given by the Marquis and the statement that with the missionary It should be "a high duty to temper their enthusiasm with Christian prudence," seems to be quite opportune, given by one in authority in such ircumstances, they will no doubt meet with due consideration. We do not suppose that giving the speech now he meant to suggest that the present troubles in China are due altogether to missionaries. He was not dealing with that complex situation, but he knew well that the sad events now taking place in China cast a lurid light on his remarks, and gave them a special seriousness.

elves that have made this change in their circumstances. It can be little emfort to a missionary to know that fter he is murdered the sword of engeance will rage. Many of them ould rather take the risks of their rock and leave vengeance in the hand As Lord Salisbury sees and dmits, the vengeance of the state is hindrance rather than a help to the ause of Christians, because it begets n the mind of the heathen the feeling nat the religious action is only a preence to cover territorial or commercial

We know that such is not always the cplanation. That laws of civilized solety demand that a great nation rould protect its subjects so long as act fairly, whether they re missionaries or not. The missionry cannot demand protection in rongdoing. He must be true to his ofession and act in a spirit of wisom as well as earnestness. Many have erished through folly or enthusiasm vho have never been avenged by

ortal hands. The world seems now to have arrived the conviction that it will be better, the whole, to have every country pen to every other, so that all may, a a measure, share the same life; this eans that men who act honestly shall we a certain measure of freedom to each and trade. Whether the civilsed nations of the world are sufficientunited not simply to take vengeance ut to impose this civilization in China vill soon be seen.

#### nother Binder Twine Factory.

'A farmers' co-operative binder twine company is being organized in Walker-rille, Ont., with a capital of \$120,000. Suilding operations will begin shortly, nd it will be in running order for the rade of 1901. It is proposed to make om three to five tons of twine per ay when in operation. This is one way getting over the binder twine monpoly, and we wish the enterprise suc--Kingston News.

Our contemporary ought to know that here is no binder twine monopoly w. That was broken down when the inder twine was put on the free list. The halcyon days of the binder twine onopolist were enjoyed when the late wernment was in power. Then, when raw material was cheap and plenful, the monopolist soaked it to the mer. During the last year or two, raw material was rendered very r by the prevalence of war in the hilippines, from which it is procured, d the price of the finished product to be raised as a matter of course, But if binder twine had not been ced on the free list by the present ternment, and if the monopolist nds of the News still had the ear the Government, as they had when Cordage Company aided in dictating ce of binder twine would have been cents a pound or over.

The fact that another binder twine wiedom of the policy of the Govern- her experiences.

ment of Sir Wilfrid Laurier in making binder twine free, and discredits the story of the trade restrictionists who urged that the industry would not thrive in free competition and with a

Though strongly opposed to him politically, the Toronto Telegram is moved to confess that Hon. William Mulock is the best Postmaster-General Canada ever had.

With only one-third of the membership of the Canadian House of Commons, the Opposition members have done more than half the talking. This is what has lengthened out the ses-

The most flagrant case of longwindedness in the Dominion Parliament is that of Mr. N. F. Davin; and in the Senate, Mr. Ferguson, the voluble man from Prince Edward Island, is the most persistent gabster.

In Wisconsin they seem to be even worse off than we in London are for feminine help in the household, but they have hit upon a relief expedient, and the housewives will set up a cooperative kitchen. At first, each family who joins will be served with dinner only, as it is feared that the attempt to serve all the meals might not prove satisfactory. If the co-operative dinner is a success, the co-operative breakfast and tea will speedily fol-

"The movement towards unity of effort in foreign mision work," says the Chicago Tribune, "seems to be gaining strength. Since the last Presbyterian general assembly, which declared "the object of foreign missions is not to perpetuate the denominational instincts of Christendom, but to build up on Scriptural lines and according to scriptural principles and methods the kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ,"and form union churches for allied work, a number of Presbyterians have been working to bring about the desired result. While no official action has been taken by the other churches, the Evangelist says that the suggestion has been received with favor. The Presbyterians have already carried out the spirit of the assembly's recommendation by giving specific instructions to missionaries to bring about church union where the field is too limited, and for division of territory wherever possible. The leaders in other denominations seem to favor a reform of this kind. The wastefulness of having several missionaries covering the same field while other fields remain neglected was made clear at the ecumenical conference, which declared that the present divisions on foreign soil are "needless, ineffective and schismatic," and that the remedy is union work. The plan is meet with the approval of the board. now being pushed for what the Evangelist calls "a union proposed for the conquest of the world and on the basis of the common faith."

# The Opening Up

[New York Herald.]

1851-Taeping rebellion breaks out under the pretender, Iten Teh.

1858-British and French allied forces proceed toward Pekin and take Hei Ho mitted since July 6 showed a total of 43 June-Treaty of Tien Tsin guarantees

freedom of trade and toleration of Christianity. 1859-United States Envoy Ward ar-

rives at Pekin and concludes commercial treaty on Nov. 24.

1860-Anglo-French expedition. lies take Taku ports, with loss of 500, march to Pekin, which surrenders on

Oct. 12. New treaty signed Oct. 24. November-Russia concludes treaty, with Russia obtaining free trade and territories.

1864-Gordon's successes against Taep-1868—Chinese embassy, headed by An-

son Burlingame, received at Washington and treaty signed. 1870-Massacre at Tien Tsin of many French Roman Catholics and converts. 1876-First railway in China opened

(11 miles) at Shanghai. 1877-Decrees of equal rights to Chinese Christians. 1880-New treaties with the United States signed.

1887-General proclamation for protection of Christian missionaries and con-

1888-Railway from Tien Tsin to Taku 1891-Anti-European riots; emperor decrees protection for foreigners; dip-

lomatic protests; Britain, France, Germany and United States unite to protect their "nationals" against violence. Insurrection in Mongolia and Northern China against foreigners and native Christians suppressed after much

1894-War with Japan. 1895-Treaty with Japan cedes For-

1897-Germans seize port of Kiao Chou on account of murder of two mission-1898-January-Germany obtains 99

years' lease of district of Kiao Chou, in Shan Tung.

March—Russia obtains lease of Port Arthur and Talien Wan and territories

for 25 years. April-Britain obtains lease of Wei Hai Wei for period coterminus with Russia's occupation of Port Arthur. France obtains 99 years' lease of Bay of Kwang Chau Wan, in southeast

1899-Dowager Empress resumes regency and favors reactionary ministers Powers send marines to Pekin to protect legations.

1900-Boxer agitation against foreign-WOMAN'S LONG WATE

remarkable journey was accomplished not long ago by a Norwegian woman, Mme. Alma Keldseth, who traveled on foot from Christiana to

The adventure was the outcome of a bet. She was to go without money or tariff policy of the country, the food, except what she could earn by the wayside, and after almost insurmountable difficulties she accomplish-

ed the task.

Mme. Keldseth is a journalist and ustry is about to be started shows will no doubt make good copy out of

Hospital Trust Deals With Lady Principal's Resignation.

Her Final Report Points Out Desirable Improvements - Tenders for Coal Awarded-Other Business Trans

The hospital trust held its regular meeting yesterday afternoon in the city hall. Col. Lewis occupied the chair, and there were also present: James Gilmour, M.P., Thomas McCormick, T. H. Purdom and Superintendent Balfour.

Miss M. S. Tye, lady superintendent and principal of the training school for nurses, tendered her resignation, to take effect not later than July 31. The resignation was accepted, and an advertisement will be inserted in the London and Toronto papers, calling for applications for the position, to be in not later than Aug. 3. It is understood that the reason of Miss Tye's resignation is

ill-health.

Miss Tye submitted a lengthy final report, in which she pointed out a number of particulars in which the hospital could be improved, and recom-mending a number of changes, A number of the proper kind of diet cars should be provided, and a large room equipped with a steam table appropriated on each flat. The present pantries are much too small. Clothes-closets should be provided for the clothing of patients and for the storing of uten-sils, such as brooms, mops, brushes, etc. At present the former are relegated to the basement, where they mildew and rot, and the latter encumber the bathrooms, and impart an untidy appearance. The present pantries would serve for clothes-closets. The nurses and employes of the contagious wards at present have to eat and associate with the nurses from the other parts of the hospital. The open stairway from the contagious ward ought to be converted into a closed one, thus cutting off this ward from the adjacent lying-in ward and the rest of the hospital, and lessening the danger of carrying infection. A separate building should be provided for the nurses and housemaids of the contagious wards, with a separate kitchen for their use. The work done by the general staff of nurses is at present too hard, and the eight-hour system should be adopted. The home now contains 16 rooms and accommodates 32 persons. At present there are 27 pupil nurses and 2 graduates. The change would require 10 additional nurses, and the lying-in hospital, when opened, 2 more, making a total of 41. There is only one bathroom in the home, which is inadequate, and owing to the absence of ventilation the air is damp and heavy. Hot water should be on tap instead of having to depend on gas stoves The floors, walls and bedclothes are being rapidly ruined by coal dust. Lastly, Miss Tye said that the principal should have fuller control of staff, and should have the power to dismiss and engage nurses. In other hospitals principals have this power, and better work is the result. The salary of \$35 a month was not enough remuneration for a woman who works seven days a and has responsibility entailed by the The report was filed, and as circum-

& Co. was accepted out of the four received. The figures were: Pocahontas (soft), \$4 25; Brier Hill (soft, for grates), \$5 25; hard coal (egg), \$5 80. Pocahontas coal will be used for the boilers, in-stead of slack. The latter is 85 cents Of China in Brief cheaper, than the former, but the Pocahontas burns longer and is much more

A communication from Forest City 1842—Treaty of Nankin names certain open ports and cedes Hong Kong to the eers, asked that the room furnished by the auxiliary be reserved for the railway men. Dr. Balfour said that as far as possible rooms will be kept for members of the societies furnishing them. D. Balfour's report of persons ad-

-23 males, 17 females and 3 children. Forty-three patients have been discharged, leaving 81 patients under treatment—38 males, 29 females and 14 children. Three deaths have occurred. Emma E. Augustine, of Arkona, and M. Josephine Healey, of this city, applied for appointment on the nursing

staff. Their applications will be filed, for acceptance when vacancies Miss Tye recommended that Miss Griffiths, city, and Miss Ida Walker, of Cairo, who have been on probation since June 5, be accepted as pupil nurses. Miss Agnes Dufton, city, after two weeks' probation, left of her own accord. The report was adopted.

NEW RAILWAY SCHEME.

St. Paul, Minn., July 21.-Articles of incorporation for a new railway company, which will construct a road from Bemidji, on the line of the Great Northern Railway, in Beltrami county, to a point on the international boundary at Rainy Lake, were filed with the secretary of state yesterday. The incorporators are officials of the Northern Pacific Railway. The company will build a bridge across the Rainy River into Ontario, and will build and operate a steamer line on Rainy Lake and its tributary waters, including the Lake of the Woods. These lines will be used as feeders for the railway. The new railway will in a measure form a continuation of the Brainard and Northern Minnesota, which the Northern Pacific controls.

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Grandma-Then why does she She-Well, just now there is no one else to encourage.



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# White Blouse Attraction.

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Special Sale Price, 75c.

65 only, Ladies' White Blouses, handsomely trimmed with tucking and Hamburg insertion, also supplied with beauty pins. Worth regu-1..rly \$1 50 and \$1 75.

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Our buyer has just cleared from a large wholesale concern in the East a lot of White Checked Jackonet Muslins, splendid quality, specially suitable for children's 50 wear. They are worth from 15c to 20c per yard. Special Sale price

#### Staple Department.

Table Linen Sale, 25c.

ends only, Unbleached Table Damask, our regular 35c. Special

Table Linen Special, 30c.

60 yards only, Unbleached Table Damask, extra weight, fine qual-ity, 70 inches wide, our regular 45c. Special sale price ..... 200

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The tender to supply coal of Bowman Table Linen Special, 58c. A limited quantity of All-Linen Bleached Damask, fine pattern,

our regular 75c. Special sale price 58c Table Linen Special, 68c. 78 yards only, All-Linen Bleached Table Damask, 72 inches wide, extra heavy, worth today \$1 00.

Special sale price ..............68c Table Linen Special, 98c.

87 yards only, All-Linen Bleached Table Damask, 72 inches wide, very heavy; worth today, \$1 35. Special sale price ...... 980

White Pique Specials.

Line 1—Three pieces only, White Pique, about 120 yards, heavy cord, nice quality; our close price 25c. Special sale price ...... 20c

Line 2—Two pieces only, White Pique, about 85 yards, extra quality, unshrinkable; our close price 35c. Special sale price ...... 25c Line 3-One piece only, White Pique, about 40 yards, extra special quality, unshrinkable; our close price 40c. Special sale price ...... 30c

#### Shoe Section. The Great Sale Still Booms. SATURDAY SPECIALS:

Children's Strap Slippers with buckles, finest kid, sizes 4 to 7½, regular 85c to \$1. Saturday all one price..... 75c Children's Strap Slippers and Ox-

ford Shoes, all sizes, regular 50c. Saturday ..... 380 Men's Shoes-35 pairs only Men's Chrome Calf Laced Boots, also Congress, Best Welt Bottom, tan

and black, all sizes, regular \$3 and \$3 50. Saturday ......\$2 50 50 pairs Men's Cordovan and Dice Calf Laced Boots, also Dongola Laced Boots, solid leather, splendid wearers, all sizes, regular \$1.75 to \$2. Saturday......\$1.50 One gross Finest Raven Black Gloss Shoe Dressing, regular 10c. Saturday, each .....

#### Ladies' Collars.

15 dozen only Ladies' White Linen Collars, regular price 10c. Special to clear, 2 for ...... 5c

#### Carpet Department.

187 yards only Heavy Quality Jute Carpet, good patterns, our regular 25c. Special sale price ..... 19c 173 yards only Hemp Carpets, good

weight, our regular 15c. Special terns, new colorings, our regular ed patterns, our regular 65c. Spe-

new colorings, fine patterns, our regular 75c. Special to clear..... 57c Tapestry squares. Special values: Our \$6 00 line for .....\$4 50 Our \$4 50 line for ......\$3 50

#### Handkerchiefs.

20 dozen Ladies' Fine Lawn Handkerchiefs, hemstitched and handembroidered; very special. Saturday, each ...... 10c 27 dozen Ladies' Pure Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, narrow

and wide hem, worth 15c, 18c and

20c. Special at, each....10c and 121/2c

18 only Ladies' Fancy Handkerchiefs. Oriental lace trimmed. slightly soiled, regular 65c. Saturday, each ...... 40c dozen Ladies Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, with fancy lace corners, regular 10c. Special 3

for ...... 20c

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dozen Ladies' Silk Bow Ties, in all colors, ribbon trimmed, regular 20c, 25c and 30c. Saturday,

5 dozen Ladies' Pique Bow Ties and Lawn String Ties, in all shades, while they last, each .... 5c

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Men's \$13 Imported Worsted Suits, small brown check, sack coat, tailor made in every particular. Sale price ...... \$9 50 Men's \$11 and \$10 Scotch Tweed Suits, all sizes, best tailor made. Men's \$10 Splendid Summer Suits. 36, 37, 39 and 40. Sale price....\$5 00 Men's \$5 Tweed and Serge Suits, all sizes. Sale price......\$3 75 Men's \$3 50 Fine Worsted Pants, tailor made, equal in appearance to \$7 order pairs. Only......\$2 45 10 Cakes of 5c Ammonia Electric Men's \$1-All of our Swell Regatta \$1 Shirts for 5 days only...... 75c Men's \$1 Regatta Shirts for 59c. For big men only; sizes 16 to 17½. Men's \$6 50 and \$5 75 Bicycle Suits; sizes 40, 42 and 44. Big men, notice. Only.....\$3 75 Men's Straw Hats — We offer all our \$1 and \$1 50 Stylish Men's

Straw Hats for 5 days for ..... 75c

#### Silks and Dress Goods.

Special 20-inch Japan Wash Silks, in stripes, for summer dresses, our extra special 35c line, regular 50c to 75c line, balance of lot, sale price.... 25c Special 20-inch Summer Dress Silks, in stripes, for wash silk

dresses, special line 50c, sale price ...... 390 Special Summer Dress Silks, in Foulards and Japan Wash, floral stripes, 20-inch and 23-inch, regular 75c and \$1, sale price, per

yard ..... 50c Special line Bengaline Cords, for waists, in blues, browns, fawns, mauve, pinks and yellow, regu-

lar price 75c and 85c, sale price, per yard .... 50c 75c Silk Cords, sale price, per yard ...... 50c

85c Silk Cords, sale price, per yard ..... 65c 75c and 85c Taffeta Silks, in every shade, our regular 75c and 85c lines, special sale price...... 650 54-inch Navy Serge-all-wool Eng-

lish coating serge, special for suits and skirts, regular 75c, special sale price..... 550 44-inch Black Figured Mohair, special for summer skirts, pure wool, regular 75c and 85c, special sale price ...... 350

Special Black Brocade Silks, beautiful designs for skirts and dresses, regular \$1 25, sale price. 79c

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88 pairs Ladies' Plain Black Cotton Hose, Hermsdorf dye with balbriggan feet, worth from 20c to 50c pair. Special to clear ..... 150 44 pairs Ladies' Hose, handsomely embroidered, fast dye, worth from 20c to 50c. Special to clear. 150 47 pairs Ladies' Plaid and Striped Cotton Hose, fast dyes, worth from 20c to 50c. Special to clear. 150 Boys' Heavy Ribbed Hose, fast dye. Special..... 10c

Boys' Extra Heavy Ribbed Hose, fast dye, our regular 25c line. Special, 2 pairs for...... 350 Ladies' White Seamless Vests, our regular 121/2c. Special..... 9c Ladies' Seamless Vests, short sleeves. Very special ...... 50

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Local Market.

London, Saturday, July 21. Those who have roamed the market during the past few days have heard a lot of talk about the immediate stoppage of the offerings of raspberries. There'll be mighty few in on Saturday," the anxious inquirer has been told by dealers; "so you'd better buy now if you want any." But the anxious one was fain to wait still longer. "They can't be all gone," she would say, "and the price is high." "Yes, and it will be higher if there are any mose." it will be higher if there are any more, was the dealer's comforting assur-ance. But it is always possible for dealers to express opinions about future lessened supplies, especially when they have a stock of their own that they would like to sell. At any rate, they were wrong in this case. The berries have not all gone, nor did the promised increase in price come along. In fact, there was an abundant supply of fresh picked, luscious fruit, that could be had in any quantities for 7c and 8c per Those who desired the black ones could get them for 61/2c, or they could buy the white ones, which were rather scarce, for 9c. The rich color of red currants was seen on many stands. They sold quite freely at 4c and 5c per quart. The black ones were rather

ance to fruit was butter. It is an article of such large daily consumption that it is quite as necessary to obtain supplies of it as it is of the berries that are so eagerly sought after. scarcity of good butter causes an immediate anxiety that is not felt in regard to any other staple. This morning retail grocers and thrifty matrons were following in each other's tracks, vainly searching for good pound rolls, and, if possible, for slightly lower prices. The rolls were not to be had, apparently, and the price crept up to figure that dismayed many a good housekeeper whose supply had been exhausted. It was a poor quality of butter that brought less than 21c per retail pound, while the best that was brought in was sold for 23c. Crock lots went for 20c, and baskets of pound rolls brought from 19c to 21c.

demand for eggs was firm, receipts were fair and prices were unchanged. This morning the butchers told same old story about a draggy market and too much coming in. A fair quantity was offered, as is usual, but it was nearly all gone by 11 o'clock. Lamb was a little slow, but that is to be expected just now, especially when the wholeprices range from 12 to 14 cents by the quarter. This morning the poul-try market was a little better, and the dealers had no difficulty in selling fair quantities of spring chickens for 50

and 60 cents per pair.
The trade in vegetables, in wool and hides was not of an exceptional character, nor did prices change material-

A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT.
London, Saturday July 21.
Wheat, white, per bu69c to 71c
Wheat, red, per bu69c to 71c
Oats, per bu 32c to 33c
Peas, per bu
Corn, per bu 433
Barley, per bu
Rye, per bu 56c
Buckwheat, per bu60c to 65c

No wheat offered today, and prices quoted for it are based on Friday's session. Oats were steady, and sold at 93c to 95c, for white, and 95c to 97c for black. No other kind of grain came Hay receipts were fairly and the price steady, at \$7 to \$7 75; sales were slow. No straw offered. Young pigs were lower, selling at \$3 50 to \$5 50 a pair. Dressed hogs were scarce and a little slow, at \$7 to \$7 25. Live hogs were quoted at \$5 50 for delivery Monday. Quotations:

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St. Thomas, June 25.-Wheat, per bu, St. Thomas, June 25.—Wheat, per bu, 68c; flour, per cwt, \$1 80; oats, new, per bu, 32c to 34c; peas, per bu, 80c to 90c; barley, per bu, 45c to 55c; rye, 60c; fodder corn, per bu, 60c to 65c; seed corn, per bu, \$1 to \$1 25; feed corn, per bu, 45c to 50c; flaxseed, per cwt, \$2 45 to \$2 50; timothy seed, \$1 25 to \$1 75; clover seed, per bu, \$5 50 to \$6.

American Markets.

CHICAGO, July 20 .- A reduction in the California crop estimate and gloomy reports from the Northwest caused an advance in wheat today, following early weakness, September closing %c to %c over yesterday. September corn closed %c to %c better, and oats at a like gain. Pork closed 22½c, lard to and ribs 15c improved. September opened %c to %c under yesterday, at 76% to 76% c, scalpers selling on bearish foreign news. Primary receipts were 770,000 bushels, compared with 888,000 bushels last year. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 225 cars, against 142 last week, and 441 a year ago. Receipts here were 140 cars, 29 of contract grade. Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 60 cars; corn, 350; oats, 185; hogs, 12,000 head.

oats, 185; hogs, 12,000 head.

The leading futures closed as follows Wheat—No. 2 July, 76%c; Aug., 76%c; Sept., 77%c to 77%c. Corn—No. 2 July, 199%c; Aug., 39%c to 39%c; Sept., 39%c. Oats—No. 2 July, 39%c; Aug., 23%c; Sept., 23%c to 23%c. Mess Pork—July, \$1175; Sept., \$6 187%. Lard—July, \$6 72%; Sept., \$6 77%; Oct., \$6 80. Short ribs—July, \$6 55; Sept., \$6 85; Oct., \$6 85. Casn quotations—Flour, easy. No. 3 spring wheat, 74c; No. 2 red, 76%c to 79c. No. 2 corn, 39%c; No. 2 yellow corn, 39%c. No. 2 oats, 24%c to 24%c; No. 2 white, 25%c to 27%c; No. 3 white, 25%c to 26%c. No. 2 rye, 54%c. Good feeding barley, 38c to 42c; fair to choice malting, 46c to 48c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$176; No. 1 Northwest, \$175. Prime timothy seed, \$325, Mess pork, \$1089 to \$1180. Lard, \$660 to \$675. Short rib sides, \$675 to \$7. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, 6% to 7c. Short clear sides, \$635 to \$348. Sugar, cut loaf, unchanged. Cloverseed, contract grade, \$8. Eggs, firm, fresh, 11c to contract grade, \$8. Eggs. firm, fresh, 11c to

oontract grade, \$5. Eggs, hrm, fresh, fie to 11½c.

RECEIPTS—Flour. 14.000 barrels: wheat, 93.000 bushels; corn, 358.000 bushels; oats, 159.-000 bushels; rye, 5,000 bushels; barley, 6,000 bushels; per quart. The black ones were rather more popular; they cost about 8c, some selling for less, and others for a little higher price. Apples were much in evidence. They sold for 20c per peck. ooo bushels; corn 418,000 bushels; oats, 140,000 bushels; barley, 6,000 bushels.

The Oil Market.

PITTSBURG. Pa., July 21.—Oil opened at \$1 25; closed at \$1 26.
OII. CITY, July 20.—Oil—Credit balances, \$1 25; certificates, no bids.

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The Dairy Markets.

MONTREAL, July 20 .- Cheese, 9c to 10c. Butter-Townships, 19c to 20c; western, 16c to 17c.

LIVERPOOL, July 20.—Cheese dull; American finest, white and colored, 478

WINCHESTER, Ont., July 20.—The offerings on the cheese board today were 871 boxes, all colored. All sold at 91/2c. Buyers present-Ault, Logan, Strader and Brown. IROQUOIS, Ont., July 20.-995 cheese

were boarded today; sales on board, 760 at 91/2c; balance unsold at close. KEMPTVILLE, Ont., July 20 .- At today's cheese board 800 boxes boarded.

Nearly all sold for 91/2c to 95/2c. Usual buyers present.

SHELBURNE, Ont., July 20 .- At the cheese and butter market held here to-day seven factories boarded 777 boxes colored, first half of July make; Markdale 100, Victoria 100, Ventry 90, Lavender 82, Conover 110, Lauret 180, Camilla 115. Price offered, 91/4c; no sales; salesmen holding for 91/2c to 95/8c Two buyers present. The board meets again in two weeks.

BRIGHTON, Ont., July 20.-Twelve factories boarded 850 cheese-725 white and 125 colored, of which Brower pur-chased 190 boxes at 9 9-16c, and Whitton 160 at the same price. Buyers present: Whitton, Brower and McGrath, Board adjourned to meet again on Friday, Aug. 3, at 3 o'clock p.m.

PERTH, Ont., July 20.-There were 1,800 boxes of cheese boarded here to-day; all white and July make. Fowler bought 1,000 boxes and Bissell and Webster each 400 boxes. Price paid for all

CAMPBELLFORD, Ont., July 10 .- At today's cheese board 2,210 white were offered. Sales made: McGrath 500, Watkins 495, Brenton 510, Cook 265, at 91/2c; Watkins 100 at 9 7-16c; McGrath 100 at 9 7-16c. Balance refused at 9%c to 91/2c. OTTAWA, Ont., July 20 .- Only onequarter of the cheese on the Ottawa board was sold today. The outside price

offered was 9½c, and out of 2,096 boxes boarded only 548 were sold. CHICAGO, July 20. — Butter firm; creamery, 15c to 19c; dairies, 14c to 17c.

Cheese quiet at 91/2c to 101/4c. NEW YORK, July 20 .- Butter firm; creamery, 16½c to 19½c; factory current packed, 14c to 16c; imitation creamery, 15c to 17½c; state dairy, 15½c to 18½c. Cheese slow; large white, 9¼c; large colored, 94c; small white, 94c to 94c; small colored, 94c to 94c.

SOUTH FINCH, Ont., July 20 .- Regular meeting of South Finch cheese board held tonight; 16 factories board-ed. Buyers present: Birdsell, Prunner, ed. Buyers present: Birdsell, Prunner, Welsh, Brown, McGregor and Logan. Number of cheese boarded, 1,120 boxes -821 white and 299 colored. Price offered on board for colored and white 91/2c; none sold.

Live Stock Markets. TORONTO, July 20 .- At the western cattle market today the run was 57

loads-522 cattle, 1,769 hogs, 1,808 sheep and lambs and 109 calves. Export cattle-Demand weak and tendency downward; offerings light; extra choice loads sold at \$5 to \$5 25 per cwt; another at \$5 12½ per cwt; and another at \$5 07½ per cwt; but fairly useful cattle were bought at \$4 65 per cwt. Butchers' cattle-Choice loads sold at \$4 25 to \$4 50 per cwt; other lines graded down to \$3 per cwt for common cows. Stockers continue easy, at unchanged prices of \$2 75 to \$3 per cwt. Feeders-Few offered to a m rate demand, at prices ranging at \$3.75 to \$4 for heavy and \$3.25 to \$3.75 for light. Bulls seemed to sell a trifle better, at \$4 to \$4 50 per cwt for export bulls, choice, and \$8 50 to \$3 90 for lighter stock. Butchers' and stock bulls dull, at \$2 50 for \$3 for former, and \$2 to \$2 50 for latter. Mich cows—

One choice milcher sold for \$49; range was from \$30 upwards. Sheep—Large run and steady demand at trifle firmer prices of \$3 75 to \$4 12½ per cwt for export ewes, and \$3 to \$4 a head for butchers' sheep. Lambs—Fair trade at unchanged prices of \$2 56 to \$4 per head. Hogs unchanged at \$6 25 per cwt for selections of 160 to 200 lbs, natural weight; \$5 371/2 per cwt for fats, and \$5°25 per cwt for lights.

CHICAGO, July 20 .- Cattle-Receipts, 2,500; good to prime steers, \$5 to \$5 65; poor to medium, \$4 40 to \$5; selected feeders, \$4 40 to \$4 75; mixed stockers, \$3 25 to \$3 90; cows, \$3 to \$4 50; heifers, \$3 to \$5; canners, \$2 to \$2 85; bulls, \$3 to \$4 65; calves, \$4 50 to \$6 25; Texans, receipts, \$500; best on sale today, one carload, average 1,056 lbs, at \$5; Texas bulls steady, \$2 50 to \$3 75. Hogs-Receipts, 11,000; average price a shade higher; top, \$250 to \$375. Sheep—Re-ceipts, 6,000; good to choice wethers, \$4 to \$450; far to choice mixed, \$3 to \$3 85; western sheep, \$3 to \$4 25; Texas sheep, \$3 to \$4; native lambs, \$4 to \$5 70; western lambs, \$5 to \$5 50.

EAST BUFFALO, July 20 .- Cattle-Market in good position, with six loads on sale and an active demand from butchers at full Monday's figures; the outlook is more cheerful; calves were in fair supply, moderate demand and opening, but the close was on the lows: basis of \$5.75. Sheep and lambs—In a "Ch. demoralized condition, with 10 loads on sale: lambs were a quarter lower, and to extra, \$5.75 to \$6; good to choice, \$5.50 to \$5.75; common to fair, \$4.50 to \$5 25; yearlings and sheep, choice to extra, \$4 75 to \$5; good to choice, \$4 50 to \$4 75; the close was dull. Hogs— Trade active, and on desirable kinds NEW YORK, July 20.—Beeves—Receipts, 3,804; dull trade; prices weak; steers, \$4 45 to \$5 60; bulls, \$2 50 to \$3 15; cows, \$1 90 to \$3 60; Liverpool and London cables quoted live cattle slow, at 11½c to 12¾c per lb; top, 13c; refrigerator beef, 9¼c to 9¾c per lb; sheep steady, at 12½c to 14c; exports none. Calves-Receipts, 24; dull and weak; more than 500 cattle unsold: yeals, \$3 50

ers; nominally weak. OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, July 20.-Here and at Liver pool United States cattle are quoted slow at 11½c to 12%c per 1b, estimated dressed weight; tops sell at 13c per Refrigerator beef is worth 91/4c to

#### STORM AND FLOOD

Bring Disaster to an Ohio Town-Two Children and Woman Swept Away.

Mount Pleasant, Ohio, July 21.-The little town of Long Run, two miles west of this place, with a population of about 1,000 people, was visited Thursday by a severe wind and rain storm, and three lives were lost in the the small creek. The usually quiet stream was converted into a raging river, and in less than an hour 75 houses in the lowland were flooded. Many foundations were washed away and the houses upset.

The miners and their families had to run for their lives. Mrs. John Lingo, the wife of a miner, was unable to reach a place of safety, when house was lifted from its foundation. She had stopped to carry out her little son John, but he, too, was swept into the waters, and both were drowned. Mary Berhock, a 8-year-old daughter of another miner, was also swept away

in the high waters and drowned. The bodies of the two children were carried almost two miles down stream

in the rushing waters.

#### **BEAUTIFUL SNOW!**

Fell in Michigan Last Evening During a Wind Storm-Deluge of Rain.

Chicago, July 21.—A special to the Record from Marshall, Mich., says: Snow fell here last evening for a few minutes during the course of a hard wind storm. The wind did much damage, blowing down orchards and barns, unroofing houses and breaking glass.

Battle Creek, Mich., July 20.—The storm of the season struck this city this forenoon about 11 o'clock. Two storms came together here, one from the west and one from the east, and the downpour of rain was im-

mense. Detroit, July 21.-Detroit had several varieties of weather yesterday, in which thunder played quite a part. There was a thunderstorm between 3 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, when nearly half an inch of rain fell. wind lashed itself to 34 miles an hour during this squall, and the temperature fell from 83° to 65° abruptly. At 6:30 the second thunderstorm came on. The total rainfall for the day was 86-100 of an inch.

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DEATH OF SAM LEE. Windsor, July 21 .- Sam Lee, a Chinaman running a laundry on Goyeau street, was found dead yesterday morning. He worked on Thursday until 9 o'clock p.m., and did not complain of sickness. Dr. Bell found the eyes dilated, and death might have been caused by suffocation. At any rate, opium did not cause death. An inquest will be held.

age being done by lyddite shells. There is a terrible row over the burning of the town. Several foreign officers are reported lost.

"The tired soldiers remained on the walls. The natives went looting through

# THE VICTORY AT TIEN TSIN

Came Near Being a Disaster for the Allies.

Someone Blundered and Many Lives Were Sacrificed.

How Col. Liscum Met His Death-Gallantry of the Japanese-Allies Lost Heavily.

New York, July 21.—The evening World publishes a detailed story of the Tien Tsin fight. It comes from Frederick Palmer, and has been copylower; there were sales at \$6 at the righted by the paper. It is as fol-

"Che Foo, July 19, via Shanghai, July 21.—The attack on the native city of sheep 35c lower; spring lambs, choice Tien Tsin on July 13, resulted in the narrowest escape from what seemed, up to midnight, would be a terrible disaster for the allies.

"The Russians, swinging north, and the other allies south. At daybreak the about 5c higher; heavy, \$5 35 to \$5 40:
mixed, \$5 40 to \$5 45: Yorkers, \$5 47½:
pigs, \$5 55; roughs, \$4 65 to \$4 75; stags,
\$3 50 to \$4; the close was full strong. the Japanese commander, promised that the Japanese engineers, after three hours' shell fire from all guns, would cross the bridge over the moat before the wall and, blowing up the great south gate, make a breach for the infantry to enter.

A CRUCIAL POINT.

"Upon this depended everything. Gen. Tukushina had not scouted the to \$6 15; tops, \$6 20; tail ends, \$3; but- bridge, and in 24 hours had not scouted termilks, \$2 25. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 8,100; sheep dull; lambs, 15c to 25c lower; medium grades, 50c lower than yesterday's opening; sheep, \$3 to 480; culls, \$2 75; lambs, \$5 50 to \$6 87½; one car choice, \$7 12½; culls, \$4 25. Hogs—Receipts, 1,453, all for slaughterers; nominally weak. they

LOST 50 MEN IN TEN MINUTES, and then rushed back from the mud wall, which they had reached. Gen. Dorward the British commander, hastened forward with a fragmentary instead of an integral skir-mish line. The American Marines and the Welsh Fusiliers together, under command of Waller, were on the extreme left. Then the British marines and the French advanced, with the Japanese, along the road toward the gate in the mud wall.

SOMEBODY BLUNDERED. "Donward's plan for the Americans to support the Japanese was not made

clear to Col. Liscum, of the 9th United States Infantry. "Dorward lays the blame for the blunder and sacrifice of life on Liscum, but Dorward's chief of staff was heard flood that followed. In the middle of the afternoon the day became like down the road, anywhere, quickly!' gims until it concludes. I have been on night. Then the rain came. It fell Col. Liseum hurriedly led his men an extended trip through the west and for 30 minutes in a perfect torrent, accompanied by terrific thunder and possible. They were immediately under from that section are that the crops lightning. The stream of Long Run, at the foot of the town approach is the foot of the foot of the town approach is the foot of the fo the foot of the town, empties into Short | bridge leading to a field, which proved Creek, near the settlement, and the to be a cul de sac. Before the two dwellings of miners line both banks of battalions of Americans, numbering 426 men, could extend themselves, they were subjected, beside the fire from the loop-holes in the fort to a fierce fire from the embrasures in a line of fortified mud houses on their

> UNDER A GALLING FIRE. "Three thousand rifles probably were turned on them with an accuracy which has amazed every officer among the allies. The blue shirts of the Am-

flank.

erican troops made them distinct marks, where the khaki uniforms of the other allies could not be seen. The Americans charged into the flank fire with rushes. The ground over which they charged was marshy and lined with ditches. It was evidently Col. Liscum's intention to rush the houses from which the flank fire was coming, and thus get a position for flank-

ing the wall. 'At 12:30 the line had just reached the shore of the canal, and 30 yards separated them from the houses, when the color-bearer fell. Col. Liscum picked up the colors and stood looking around, apparently for a ford.

COL. LISCUM'S DEATH.

"The next instant a sharpshooter's bullet went through the brave colonel's "All day long the allies' line lay under any cover the men could find, running out of ammunition. The July sun was beating down on them, and they had nothing to drink but the salty marsh water. Meanwhile the wounded came struggling and crawling through the gate in the mud wall. There was no order. They were sent anywhere without men to carry the litters.

DOCTORS SHOT.

"The doctors were hit by the sharpshooters while trying to attend the wounded of the 9th Regiment. They could not attempt to carry off the wounded from the bloody field. "At 1 o'clock Gen. Tukushina reported

"I could see the loopholes blazing bullets and lyddite shells. No infantry could charge in the face of this fire from 2 o'clock to 5. Though acting conjointly, neither Dorward nor Tuknshina knew and the loopholes blazing bullets and Messrs. Blair and Fielding, in Paris, before taking his departure.

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Under cover of the darkness the men of the 9th crept back from their dangerous position, bearing their wounded. They executed this movement with a loss of one man killed. The casualties were 91 men and 5 officers out of 426. "The marines lost thirty, including Capt. Davis, who was shot through the heart while talking to Col. Meade on the night of July 13. It was decided to withdraw when news came that the Chinese were evacuating.

DISAPPOINTING. "The Russians were not so successful as hoped during the day, and the total

loss of the allies was 700. "The Japanese losses were severe. The Japanese were most gallant in the fight. But for the Americans stopping the flank fire, the Japanese loss would have been heavier. The French, the Jap-anese, the Americans and the British entered the city at 2 o'clock on the morning of July 14. Their entry was unopposed.

EFFECT OF THE SHELL FIRE. "The American flag at half-mast was hoisted over the south gate. The walls were strewn with the corpses of Chinese soldiers killed by the shell fire, which caused their flight. None apparently were hit by builets, the damage being done by lyddite shells. There "The tired soldiers remained on the walls. The natives went looting through

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the Chinese town. The bank and the arsenal were heavy sufferers.
"An advance movement on Pekin is not contemplated soon, Col. Liscum was

TO SEIZE LI. Shanghai, Friday, July 20.—The British cruiser Bonaventure left Woo Sung early this morning, it is reported, to seize the Au Ping, with Li Hung Chang on board. A triumpnal arch erected in Li Hung Chang's honor has been ordered by the council to be removed.

THE PEKIN LEGATIONS. Washington, July 21 .- The navy department has received a cablegram from Admiral Remey dated Taku, July

20, in which he says:
"Tien Tsin quiet. Latest report, Russian sources, July 13: Legations at Pekin still holding out. Reliability of this information uncertain.

#### MANAGER HAYS

Says the Outlook for G. T. R. Business is Excellent.

Montreal, July 21.—General Manager Hays, of the G. T. R., who has just returned from a tour of inspection in the Portland division, says: "Business is very good. Everything now looks more favorable, and I think

that the people of Portland will see about the busiest times, as far as the Grand Trunk is concerned, that they have ever known. We shall certainly have more steamers come to this port next winter. Last winter I believe that the exact number of boats in the ocean traffic coming to Portland was 96, and at that we were short on account of the fact that the English government took some of our steamers to use as transports in the service of the South African war. When the season was about to begin we had counted on 104 steamers. This winter we shall have that number, and more, so that it can be seen that all of several lines that touch at this port will be kept very busy from the time that the season be-But, notwithstanding these reports, our business has certainly up to the present time not been at all affected. do I think it will be affected during the coming winter season."

#### **CURRENT NEWS**

About 100 feet of the wall near the King's Bastion at the citadel, Quebec, has fallen down.

Employes of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company have been forbidden to hold political office. The July crop report of the Manitoba ment was not so great as hoped for.

Government shows that the improve-The Grand Trunk has made a proposal to Montreal council to do away with level crossings at Mountain

The rumor that Mr. Joseph Chamberlain was about to resign the colonial secretaryship and to accept the secretaryship of war is denied.

A number of the employes of the Toronto Street Railway Company are organizing a colony to take up farms in the Temiscamingue district.

Mr. Samuel Bingham says this year's drive of logs on the Gatineau will be greater by one-third that that of last year, when 750,000 were handled. Lord Wolseley, it is understood, will resign the office of commander-in-chief of the British army this year, and the position will be offered to Lord Rob-

The proposed 5-cent tonnage tax on coal and coke, in British Columbia, will, it is said, cost the premier of that provit is said, cost the premier of that province \$35,000 a year.

It is announced that Sir Wilfrid Laurier will remain at Ottawa to look after government business until Aug. 15, when he will leave to attend the Acadian convention at Arichat.

Mr. Tarte has postponed his depart-

of the Oddfellows' Relief Association, the assurance auxiliary of the order in Canada, the statement presented showed: Increase in reserve \$43,000. making it now \$200,000; increase of membership, 1,112.

The programme has just been issued for the meeting of the Dominion Rifle Association to be held at Ottawa during the week commencing Aug. 27. The sum of \$1.082 in cash prizes is offered, besides cups, medals, etc. MacPherson, Ottawa, is the treas-

Indications are that the grocers' excursion to Niagara Falls next Wednesday will be well patronized. Tickets are already being sold at the M. C. R. ticket office, Richmond street. For the convenience of the public tickets have been placed on sale with the following grocers: Messrs. T. A. Rowat & Co., F. Harley, N. McLeod, George Loveless, R. A. Jones, C. J. McCormick, F. Harding, J. C. Trebilcock, C. Leach, W. T. Groom, D. Shoebottom, Andrews & Son, George Trebilcock and F. Robinson. The committee will not spare labor or expense to make Wednesday next a pleasant day's outing. usual, all grocery stores will be closed for the day, as it is the grocers' annual

A Washington physician is convinced that the acid in strawberries is an active agent in developing rheuma-

holiday.

In Progress at Middleburg-Kruger Directing the De'ense.

London, July 21 .- A special dispatch from Cape Town, dated today, says: "Lord Roberts has attacked Middleburg in force, and a big battle is in

progress. President Kruger is with the burghers directing the defense."

## MR. WOOLEY

Notified of His Nomination for the Presidency by Prohibitionists.

Chicago, July 21. John G. Wooley, Prohibition candidate for the presidency of the United States, was formally notified of his nomination at a meeting held last night in Central Music hall. The hall was crowded by members of the party, and the speeches of Samuel Dickie, of Albion, Mich., who acted as chairman of the national convention which placed Mr. Wooley in nomination, and of Mr. Wooley were received with great enthusiasm. All of the speakers insisted that the evils of rum were in reality greater than any other that confront the nation today.

BRYAN AND ROOSEVELT. Chicago, July 21.—The Tribune says Governor Theodore Roosevelt and William J. Bryan will in all probability speak from the same platform in Chicago within the next two months. The occasion will be the coming Labor Day demonstration of the Building Trades

MOUNTAIN CLIMBERS KILLED. Berlin, July 21.—Within a week seven citizens of Berlin, including two ladies, have met their death in the Alps. The latest cases were those of William Weigand, a well-known Alpinist and teacher of gymnastics, who fell with

Moser, the most famous guide in the while climbing Koenig's Peak. Both were killed. ANOTHER LUETGERT CASE? Chicago, July 21.-The police officials are investigating a mystery at the stock yards which they think is another Luetgert case. A human skull and a pair of shoes have been found in a rendering tank owned by one of the packing house firms at the yards. It is a theory of the police that the victim was pushed

into the tank. 110 YEARS OLD.

New York, July 21.-Lucinda Taylor, an old colored ex-slave, was sent to-day to the city infirmary, says a Cincinnati special. She is 110 years old and blind. The woman was a slave of Henry Clay and when Col. Bolivar Buckner married Col. Clay's daughter, the Taylor woman was given to Mrs. Buckner as a wedding present. She remained with them until the slaves

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MANTREAL

# New York Stocks.

New York, July 21. Reported by F. H. Butter, stock broker, Te-umseh House, for The Advertiser. Yesterday's Close, Open, High, Low, \$ p.m.

Close.	Open.	High.	LOW.	
Anacenda 421/2	43	44 1/2	43	4314
Atoheson 2634	261/4		261/2	26%
Atcheson Pfd 69%	69%	70	695%	694
B. & O 761/2	76%	77	7634	7678
Brooklyn Tran 55	563/2	56%	5638	20%
C. B. & O. 1264	125%	125%	125%	126%
C. C. C. 50% C. & M. W. 34%				
C F 1 W	34	34%	34	345%
Con. Gas	The same	0176		/0
Gen. Bleetric 13014	50 S			
Jessey Central 127%	12734	128%	12734	1281
L. & T. Pfd 3134	31	311/4	31	311
L & N 73%	91	01/4	••	
Manhattan 901/2	9074	91%	90%	90%
Metropolitan St. 150%	153	153%	158%	1544
Mo. P 50%	51%	5114	50 75	51
N. Y. Central130	1294	1301	1291	130%
Norfolk and W . 3834	34	34	334	333
Northern Pacific 51	511/4		51	51
Ont. and Western 201/	20%	30 4	20 34	201
D M	8314	331/2	2072	33
P. M	19974		33	1284
Papila's Gas	12875	99	99	99
People's Gas 99	107	19756	107	107
R. I1065/8		60%		60
Reading 60%	69%			111
St. Paul 11076	1113/2		612/	51%
Southern Ry. Pfd 524	523%			
Southern Paoific 33%	331/2	34 1/2	8334	337/
ord Avenue111	111	111	111	
T. C. I 691/4	69	71	69	71
U. Pacific 571/4	58	583/8		5814
W. U	80	80	80	80
Lead				
Leather 6814	6814	69	68%	687
Leather Com 10	101			114
Sugar 127 %	128%			1263
Federal Steel 34 1/4	34 1/2	34 1/4	3414	84 %
Rubber	01/2			
Steel and Wire 34%	34%	35	3414	3436
Tobacco 931/4	94	9414	9314	937
Continental 261/2	2614	26 1/2		2614

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English Markets

Liverpool, July 21.—Closing.
Wheat—Spot firm: No. 1 Cal.. 6s 2d to 6s
3; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 2d; futures, firm;
July, nominal; Sept., 6s 174d; Dec.. 6s 2, d.
Corn—Spot American mixed, new, firm, 3s

Corn—Spot American mixed, new, firm, 3s 1034d; do. old, 3s 11d; futures, steady; Sept., 3s 11d; do. old, 3s 11d; futures, steady; Sept., 3s 11d; Nov., 3s 11/3d.

Flour—St. Leuis fancy winter, dull, 8s.
Peas—Canadian. 5s 7d.
Beef—Extra India mess, dull, 73s 9d; prime mess, dull, 63s 9d.

Perk—Prime mess, fine western, firm, 67s 6d.
Lard—Firm; American refined in pails, steady, 3s 6d; prime western, in tierces, steady, 3s 6d; Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 47s 6d.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 36 lbs, steady, 39s 6d; short ribs, 18 to 22 lbs, steady, 43s; long clear middles, light, 30 to 36 lbs, steady, 43s; long clear middles, leavy, 35 to 46 lbs, steady, 41s, 35s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 41s.
Shoulders—Square, 12 te 14 lbs, steady, 35s 6d.
Cheese—American finest white and colored, asy, 47s 6d.

easy, 47s 6d. Tallow-Prime city, steady, 25s; Australian

Turpev tine spirits—Dull, 34s.
Rosin—Gommon, steady, 4s 10 i/d.
Hous—At London (Paoido coast), steady, £215s to £3 15s.

Linseed oil-30s 6d. Butter-Good, 76s; finest American, 90s. Petrolium-Refined, 6s %d.

HOLIDAY ON 'CHANGE. London, July 21.—Today is a holiday

on the stock exchange here.

lorento i roquee Market. Toronto, July 21.-Wheat-Demand is moderate, firmer; red and white, bid, north and west; sellers asking 71c; bid, north and west; sellers asking 71c; spring, Midland, 69½c to 70c. Manitoba, 88c for No. 1 hard, Toronto and west; 83c, affoat, Fort William; 93c, grinding, in transit, and 83c to 84c, Midland. Flour unsettled; 90 per cent patents in buyers' bags, \$2 75 to \$2 85 west. Manatoba, \$4 25 for cars of strong bakers, and \$4 50 for patents, Toronto. Millifeed dull at \$13 to \$14 for shorts and \$11 for bran west. Barley nominal at 41c for No. 2 and 40c for No. 3 extra west.

Rye nominal at 55c, middle freights. Corn firmer; Canada yellow west is quoted at 481/20, Toronto. Oats quiet; whate, 261/20. Peas steady at 61c west. Butter-Offerings light; prices unchanged at 14c to 16c for pails and tubs; creamery, prints and packages, 19c to 20c. fferings are light; steady at 121/2c to 13c; car stock good.

Chicago Exchange.

CHICAGO. July 21.

Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago
Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler
broker Tecumseh House. Phone 1278.

Open. High. Low. Close. Aug. 77½
Bept. 78½
July 39½
Aug. 39½
Sept. 39½
Sept. 39½
Ang. 39½
Ang. 39½
Ang. 39½ 23 231/4 12 00 12 00 Sept ..... July ..... 12 15 11 92 12 15 6 90 6 77 7 02 6 90

American Markets. NEW YORK, July 21.-Flour-Receipts, 16,826 bbls; sales, 2,400 pkgs; state and western inactive but steady. Rye flour—Quiet. Wheat—Receipts, 47,175 bu; sales, 950,000 bu; options quiet but generally firm through the morning on higher cables and unfavorable weather reports from France tnd Germany; July, 83 5-16c; Sept., 82%c to ; Oct., 83 3-16c; Dec., 83%c to 84c. Rye—Quiet; No. 2 western, 61c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 112,125 bu; sales, 20,000 bu; options steady but quiet, deriving its stability from wheat and higher cables; Sept., 441/2c to 44%c; Dec., 41%c to 42%c. Oats—Receipts, medal to be given annually to the pupil 71,400 bu; options dull but steady. Butter—Receipts, 8,763 pkgs; firm. Cheese the public school midsummer examina--Receipts, 3,596 pkgs; weak; white, 9c to 94c; large colored, 9c to pupil making the highest number of 94c; small white, 95c to 95c; small marks at the high school entrance excolored, 95c to 95c. Eggs—Receipts, amination. 4,825 pkgs; firm; western, loss off, 15½c. Sugar—Raw strong; refined firm;



erushed, \$6 40; powdered, \$6 10. Coffee

Lunch Bacon, Cooked Hams, Lard, Bologna, in choice quality.

THE CANADIAN PACKING GO. STORE

-Easy; No. 7 Rio, 9%c. Lead-Dull. Wool-Dull. Hops-Quiet. BUFFALO, July 21.—Wheat—No. 1 northern, car loads, 34%c, do, round lots, 83%c; No. 1 hard, 87%c; winter wheat, No. 2 red, 80%c. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 45c; No. 3 yellow, 44%c; No. 2 corn, 44%c; No. 3 corn, 4c on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 28%c; No. 3 white, 28%c; No. 3 white, 28%c; No. 3 white,

281/4c; No. 2 mixed, 261/2c. DETROIT, July 21.-Wheat-No. 1 white, cash, 80%c; No. 2 red cash, 80%c; July, 80%c; Aug., 80%c; Sept., 81%c. TOLEDO, July 21.—Wheat—Cash, 79%c; July, 79%c; Aug., 80%c; Sept., 81%c. Corn—Sept., 40%c. Oats—Sept.,

Dairy Markets.

NEW YORK, July 21.-The receipts of butter for the week were 48,291 pkgs, and shipments, 1,701 tubs. Cheese-Receipts for the week aggregated 48,-807 cases, and shipments, 17,217 cases.

Live Stock Markets. CHICAGO, July 21.-Cattle-Receipts, 100; nominally steady; good to prime steers, \$5 to \$5 65; poor to medium, \$4 40 to \$5; stockers and feeders, \$3 25 to \$4 75; cows, \$3 to \$4 50; heifers, \$3 to \$5; canners, \$2 to \$2.85; halls \$5; canners, \$2 to \$2.85; bulls, \$3 to \$4.65; calves, \$4.50 to \$6.25; Texas fed steers, \$4 25 to \$5; Texas grass steers, \$3 25 to \$4 15; Texas bulls, \$2 50 to \$3 75. Hogs—Receipts today, 9,000; Monday, 30,000; left over, 5,701; 5c to 10c higher; top, \$5 35; mixed and butchers, \$5 10 to

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#### Latest Probabilities.

Toronto, July 21-10 a.m.-Probabili-ties for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region: Fine. On Sunday, moderate southerly and southeasterly winds; fine and moderate-

—Col. Gartshore left last night for Winnipeg via the C. P. R. -Malcolm McGugan, M. P., of Mount Brydges, is in the city today.

-Mrs. C. E. Howard is visiting Miss Jeffreys, of Clarence Square, Toronto. -Miss Myra Pickard, contralto soloin London, firm, 26s.

Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, Aug., steady, 1st of the First Methodist Church, is spending her holidays with friends in Heartily Welcomed. Toronto.

> -Police Magistrate Love had nothing to do this morning except to allow three first-time drunks to go with a warning.

> -Miss M. Hanson, of South Bend Ind., and Miss Emma Bell, of Ingersoll, are the guests of Mrs. M. Flitton, Pipe Line road, South London. -Mr. W. C. Ferguson, of Richmond

> street north, has taken out a building permit for the erection of a brick addition to his residence. -George Roughley will at once bethe construction of the new

> asphalt roof on the courthouse. The work must be completed by Sept. 1. -The pulpit at Dundas Center Methodist Church tomorrow will be occupied by Rev. George Brown, of Toronto. The choir will be assisted at the evening service by Mr. J. Harry Heard, tenor soloist, of Appleton, Wis.

-In a letter to his mother, dated Fort Munster, Orange River, June 18, Gunner Jack Donaghy says that D Battery had just received orders to go to Bloemfontein on the following day. They had been on garrison duty at the fort for six weeks. Three of the members of the battery were in the hospital with enteric fever. The writer said the boys were longing to receive their baptism

#### **CAPTURED**

#### THEM BOTH

Miss Isabel Carson the Winner of the "MacRobert" and "Robb" Gold Medals.

Miss Isabel Carson, daughter of School Inspector Carson, captured both the MacRobert and Robb gold medals, for securing the highest marks in the city at the recent entrance examination. Miss Carson is a pupil of the Princess avenue school, and secured 943 marks out of a possible 1,100, a very remarkable showing.

The MacRobert gold medal is given by ex-Chairman MacRobert to the pupil of No. 4 ward making the highest number of marks at the high school en-trance examination. Two schools, St.

George's and Princess avenue com-pete for this medal each year. The late Mr. Robb, of New York, who was many years ago a pupil of the Central school, bequeathed \$500 to be invested and the interest spent in a gold the public school midsummer examinations. At present it is given to the

#### New Hog Hoister.

The Collingwood Meat Company, Limited, are having installed in their factory a new hog hoisting apparatus and special sticking track. This is an up-to-date arrangement, that picks the hog up from the ground and automatically elevates and places him on an matically elevates and places him on an inclined track, when he rapidly gravitates to where stands "the man behind the knife." The machine hoists about 200 hogs per hour, and greatly expedites the handling and killing. It is manufactured and erected by the Dennis Wire and Iron Company, of London, Ont., a firm extensively and favorably known among all large factories as manufacturers of first-class packing-house equipments. — Collingwood Enterprise.

An Express Crashes Into a Rig, Killing the Two Occupants.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hodgins the Victims - Were Driving Over the Maitland Street Crossing of the

At 11:30 this morning the C. P. R. west-bound express, No. 5, struck and instantly killed Richard Hodgins and his wife Margaret, at the Maitland street crossing. The couple were driving north in an uncovered buggy, evidently returning to their home, near Sadler's Hotel, lot 12, con. 4, London township. There is a fairly good view of the track eastward from the crossing, and Mr. Hodgins evidently saw the approaching train, for he pulled the horse up for an instant. Either the horse started of its own accord, \$5 35; good to choice heavy, \$5 15 to \$5 35; fough heavy, \$5 10; light, \$5 15 to \$5 35; bulk of sales, \$5 25 to \$5 30. rate the horse stepped forward, and just cleared the track, when the engine, which was in charge of Driver Childs, struck the vehicle. Mrs. Hodgins was thrown about 50 feet, alighting at the west side of the street, beside the track, together with a bag of grain and some small purchases. Mr. Hodgins' body remained on the pilot of the engine, and was removed when the train stopped, after running about a block. His body was placed in an express car and taken to the depot. The body of Mrs. Hodgins was removed in the ambulance to the undertaking rooms of Clarke & Smith. The rig was demolished, but the horse escaped injury, running north for a block before it was caught. At this same crossing a boy named Horton was killed about three years ago. Two horses were killed last year. Numerous narrow

escapes have also occurred there. Dr. Stutt, C. P. R. surgeon, was soon on the scene of the accident. He found Mr. Hodgins' injuries to consist of the skull being completely crushed at the back, the bones of the right leg pulverized, and the left hip shattered. Mrs. Hodgins was struck in the face, and much cut and bruised. Death, in both cases, was instantaneous. An inquest has been ordered by Dr. Piper for 8:30 this evening at Clarke & Smith's. Funeral arrangements will not be made till the arrival in the city of relatives

from London township.

Mr. Hodgins was a man of about 53 years of age, and was a native of Tipperary county, Ireland. He was well-known in the city. Mrs. Hodgins was about 50 years old, and was born in London township, being a daughter of Wm. Armitage, of con. 9.

London Cricketers Lose a Game in Cleveland.

BASEBALL. HAMS HERE ON MONDAY. Following is the line-up of the teams

for Monday's	game	at	Tecumseh
Park:			m m
LONDON.		H.	AMILTON.
Kostal			
Loman			
Mohler			
Cope			
ladeliffe			
Jones			
Reed			
Hemphill			McKevitt
Game starts a	t 4 p.m		

CRICKET

LONDON VS. CLEVELAND. The London Cricket Club yesterday played an interesting game in Cleveland. Owing to recent incessant rain-storms the wicket was in very soft condition, which prevented heavy scoring. For London, Harold Bucke's Macfie's 25 and W. Sippi's 11 were the best figures. For Cleveland, Beddow's 46 was an exhibition of good, careful play, and Campbell's 22 at the very end of the game saved the day for the Americans. A feature of the game was the excellent fielding of the visiting team. The trip and the game were much enjoyed, Cleveland being found very attractive, and the hospitality of the home club of the kindest, so much so, in fact, that a couple of the older members of the club decided to take one more voyage of discovery on the cable line instead of returning on the regular boat. The return match will take place on the asylum grounds on Aug. 16. Score:

London-First Inning-F. D. Macfie, c Matthews, b New-A. Reid, b Beddow.....

Dr. Norris, stpd Evans, b Beddow .. G. King, not out.....

Cleveland-

S. Beddow (pro.), stpd Reid..... 46 S. Cake, c Pope, b Williams..... 1
Nash, lbw, b Williams..... 4 G. Mills, b Pope..... 3 W. Newhall, stpd Reid, b Pope..... 0 Gresham, c H. Bucke, b Williams... 3 Evans, c Macfie, b Williams...... 6 Laframboise, c Reid, b Pope...... Speed, b Meredith..... 2 Matthews, not out..... 0

Total ......101 London-Second Inning-

Seven others to bat.

LACROSSE.

WEDNESDAY'S GAME. The London lacrosse team are getting into splendid shape for their match with St. Marys here on Wednesday next, and are confident of giving the visitors a trimming. The St. Marys boys are also practicing hard, and the game promises to be a hot one.

Mayor Moore, of Port Huron, says all saloons must close on Sunday or he will know the reason why.

Reports That the Pekin Consuls Are Alive.

Excepting the German Representative, Baron Von Ketteler-British Press Still in Doubt.

Paris, July 21.-Yu Keng, the Chinese minister here, today handed to the minister of foreign affairs, M. Delcasse, an imperial edict dated July 18, giving the assurance that all the foreign ministers in Pekin except Baron Von Ketteler, the German minister, were then safe, and sound, under the protection of the imperial court.

Washington, July 21.-The Chinese minister, Wu Ting Fang, communicated to the secretary of state this morning two important telegrams. The first is from Sheng, the director of posts and telegraphs in Shanghai, and says:
"It is forcunate that Minister Con-

ger's telegraphic reply has come. An imperial decree of the 2znd, this moon (corresponding to July 18) stated that all the ministers were safe. Insurgents are fighting and killing each other. Li Hung Chang, in proceeding northward to suppress the riot; he will find it diffi-cult to go."

The second telegram is from Li Kui Yi, viceroy of Nanking, dated the 21st of July, and received by Minister Wu at 10 o'clock the same day. It is as fol-

"According to an edict of the 22nd of this moon (July 18), with the exception of the German minister, who was killed, with regard to which rigorous measures are being taken to investigate and ures are being taken to investigate and punish the guilty parties, all the other ministers, for whom stremuous efforts are being made for their protection, are fortunately unharmed."

Li Kui Yi, the viceroy of Nanking, is

one of the great officers of China, and stands next in rank among the diplomats to Li Hung Chang.

Brussels, July 21.—The charge d'affaires at the Chinese legation here this morning received a telegram from the Chinese minister at London, transmitting the report that the foreign representatives at Polyn were safe. sentatives at Pekin were safe. STILL IN DOUBT.

London, July 21.—The unreserved credence given to Minister Conger's message by officials at Washington continues to occasion surprise in London. The absence of any date, and the absence of acknowledgment of receipt of the telegram from the state department are considered here as fatal drawbacks to acceptance of the message as a reply to Secretary Hay, or Branch Is Needed. as anything but a spontaneous appeal for help sent off long prior to the alleged date of the message.

The announcement of the British ruiser Bonaventure's departure from The city established them to give boys Woo Sung, as alleged, in pursuit of Li a channee to learn to swim, turn somewhat as a ersaults, carve wood, and so on; to surprise after the honors paid the Chi- teach the girls to do the work of "little nese viceroy at Hong Kong, but confirmation of the news will meet the approval of a large majority, as Li
Hung Chang's present attitude is re-Hung Chang's present attitude is re-garded as being characteristically du-education should add a school of man-

The Chinese invasion of Siberia ap
ners to its curriculum.

In making an invent pears to have been checked so prompt-ly that probably it will not be con-morals. His brain and his manners

It is reported from Che Foo that the international commanders have concluded that it will be useless to try to advance on Pekin before the middle ners and morals as mere artistic ac-complishments of no practical value.

#### TIEN TSIN

Entirely Evacuated by the Chinese,

London, July 21.—The admiralty this pig-like lack of observation for others afternoon received the following telegram from Admiral Seymour: "Tien Tsin and neighborhood entirely

evacuated by Chinese."

#### THE CANADIANS

A Brockville Boy May Get the Victoria

Cross. Horace Robinson, of Brockville, serving in South Africa with Brabant's Horse, has been recommended for the Victoria Cross for gallantry displayed in rescuing a wounded companion.

Mrs. D. Rochejocquelin, 106 Shuter street, Toronto, received word in May last that her husband, a member of the Canadian Mounted Rifles, had died from enteric fever in South Africa. On Monday she received a letter from her husband, dated June 3, a week after the day on which he was reported to have died. He stated that he had been severely wounded in the abdomen, but was doing well, and expected to go to England shortly for an operation. Pte. Rochejocquelin previously served in India and Egynt.

### DUEL IN PARIS

Count Castellane Jabs His Opponent in the Thorax.

Paris, July 21.—Count Boni de Castellane today fought a duel with swords with Count Orlowski, in the outskirts of Paris. In the first assault Count Orlowski was wounded in the thorax, and the duel was stopped by the doctors. The conditions of the duel were that the contest should continue until one of the combatants was absolutely unable to continue.

The cause of the duel was a newspa-

per article reciting a quarrel between the two occurring in Count Boni de Castellane's house. Count Orlowski charged Castellane with responsibility for the article.

VACATION NOTE. Possibly excursions and trips are called outings because the participant as a result is apt to be out con-

POOR ADVICE. Ethel (to her younger brother who

siderably.

had been whipped)—Don't mind, brother, don't mind." Brother (between sobs)-That's just what I was licked for.'

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

DIED HODGINS-Killed at Martland street crossing of C. P. R., on Saturday, July 21, 1900, Mr. tramp took another look at the woodand Mrs. Richard Hodgins, lot 12, con. 4, Funeral from their late residence to St.
John's Cemetery, on Monday, at 3 o'clock;
rvices at 250.

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SCHOOL OF MANNERS

[New York World.]

The "play schools" have opened for the season. They are a good thing.

In making an inventory of a man's

rank next. Some people think the man-

Others figure merely on his money and on his brains, looking on his man-

ked, but because nobody ever taught

would have been drilled out of him.

At the public schools they should

teach the art of walking through a crowd without treading on everyone, and manners for all public places and

occasions. The formula of conduct in

street cars, stores, theaters, dog fights

or even lynchings should be inculcated. These things take up a great deal

more of the life of the man than do

matters relating to chemistry or as-

tronomy, and someone should teach him

what is seemly.

The human pigs who overpower wo-

men in the Brooklyn bridge car rushes

and steal their seats do it not so much

because they want the seats as from the

feeling that humiliation is involved in

them right?

dead language, too.

necticut.

'getting left." Cannot someone set

Most of the public piggishness which

makes life's annoyances and cause one

to wish he were a hermit living on

parched corn in some distant cave is

caused by the frantic desire to be first

that has never been corrected in a

school of manners.

Fill the empty little mind with all the

dead languages if you like, but please

pour into it also the common language

A Girl Solves the

of politeness. Do not let that become a

The only thing that will frighten a

tramp is a woodpile, according to a

town in the Naugatuck valley of Con-

as well as the constables, have been

trying to devise a scheme whereby

they could rid themselves of the

It remained for a school girl to solve

the perplexing question. The teacher asked a bright class of young pupils: "What will best diminish the tramps

"A woodpile!" exclaimed Maude Adams, 8 years old, before she though to

"Why should a woodpile keep the va-grants away, Maude?" inquired the

"Because," said the bright little pu-pil, "I would make them saw papa's

wood for a place to sleep and some-thing to eat."

A tramp visited the home of Charles

Adams last week and begged for a cup

of coffee and a sandwich. Mrs. Adams'

first thought was of her daughter

saw and a sawhorse, and told him if

give him something to eat.
"How long must I saw?" queried the

"Until I think you have earned a breakfast," replied the woman. The

Since that day the wood dealers of

Thomaston have not been able to sup-

ply the demand for cordwood.—New York Journal

pile and passed on.

he would saw some wood she would

Maude's idea and the woodpile.

showed the stranger a woodpile,

For years the selectmen of that town,

story emanating from Thomaston,

"knights of the road."

frequenting Thomaston?"

raise her hand.

Tramp Problem.

ners the more important of these

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20c per dozen, at Friend's.



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If so, you need glasses. Do you suffer from frontal headache It so, glasses will help you.

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SOUR GRAPES. Mrs. Hifly-Did the Swaggers invite you to their party?

Mrs. Snubbed-Goodness, no! They wouldn't dare to. I must draw the line of my acquaintances somewhere, and the Swaggers know well enough which side of the line they are on.

WHY HE OBJECTS. "Every good, true woman has a

right to expect that some man will marry her," said the dear creature. "Yes," answered Grouchman, "and that's one reason why I am so unalterably opposed to woman's rights,"

## KEPT DAY BY DAY

Diary of a Private of the First Canadian Contingent,

Who Entered Faithfully the Details and Incidents of Travel, Camp and Field, From the Day of Leaving London Till He Died a Soldier's Death - Interesting and Pathetic

When Pte. George Floyd, of the first Canadian contingent, left London for South Africa, he began keeping a diary, in which he faithfully set down the happenings of each day, from the time of leaving London and the embarkation at Quebec to the very day before the fatal bullet found him, and robbed him of life in the fight at Zand River on May 10. Pte. Floyd's diary and his blood-stained Bible were sent home to his relatives here, and it is from his diary that the following interesting extracts are made. About three-fourths of the contents of the diary are here reproduced.

Wednesday, Nov. 1-Man fell through hatchway, but was not seriously hurt. Friday, Nov. 3-Committed one man

to the deep.
Saturday, Nov. 4.—Struck the Gulf stream at 3 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 12.—Passing Cape Verde. Commanded to go in our bare

feet till further orders.

Tuesday, Nov. 14.—Oh, for a good square meal. Friday, Nov. 16 .- Ship crossed the equator 10:39 a.m.
Wednesday, Nov. 29.—Sighted land

8:30 a.m., anohored at Cape Town 4 Thursday, Nov. 30 .- Marched off boat at 8:30 through city to Green Point

camp. Went down town at night. Had a good meal, farthings and sixpences driving us crazy.
Friday, Dec. 1.—Packed up, left camp at 12 noon. Marched through streets. Reached depot at 2:30. A grand send-off. \* \* At every station big

crowds to see the Canadians. Saturday, Dec. 2 .- Out in the desert. No trees, all sand and mountains. Water is scarce. Landed at De Aar at 12 midnight. Every bridge was

Sunday, Dec. 3.—Put in tents at 11 a.m. Terrible sand storm; cannot face it. Camped on the border of Transvaal. A scrap within fifteen miles. Monday, Dec. 4.-Hot day. A sentry

Wednesday, Dec. 6 .- Ordered to proceed to the front.

Thursday, Dec. 7 .- Up at 3 a.m. Marched to train; got into flat cars without breakfast. Camped at Orange River, where first English officers were shot. Pulled feathers out of ostriches. Lots of wounded soldiers in camp. Heavy rain, blew down tents. Two sentries shot.

Friday, Dec. 8.—One man buried in eld. Working at station. Ordered to be in readiness.

Saturday, Dec. 9.—On patrol all night looking for Boer spies. Started for Belmont at 5:30 a.m.; arrived at 11:30. All the way in coal cars. Hottest day I ever saw. One thousand dead Boers over the hill. Marched 8 fighting all the time. miles to camp.

Monday, Dec. 11.—Up at 3 a.m. Stood to arms till 6 a.m. Expected Boers to come. Laid in the trenches. Went over in the field and milked goats.

Had goat's milk for supper. Tuesday, Dec. 12.—Up at 3 a.m. Alarm. Boers very near. Building trenches to lie in. Took message up on Scot's Hill. \* \* Swarms of locusts

came over the camp.

Wednesday, Dec. 13.—Very hot. A
man died in morning; buried in afternoon. He was from Halifax, and his name was Chaplin. One ostrich killed, had ostrich broth.

Saturday, Dec. 16.—Mail from Canda. \* Total eclipse of

Monday, Dec. 18 .- Moved across the railroad, digging graves for dead Boers and horses that were killed when the British drove the Boers from Belmont. Thursday, Dec. 21.—Red Cross train passed through with wounded soldiers. Friday, Dec. 22.—Mail arrived. Dis-appointed; none from home.

Sunday, Dec. 24.—Went on guard on Scot's Ridge, where the British fought. Many dead Boers lying around. Heat and flies something terrible.

Monday, Dec. 25.—Xmas day. Does

not seem so. Arrived from the hill 6 a.m. Dinner at 4 p.m.—English plum pudding and chicken stew. 7 o'clock, tea-plum pudding and roast chicken. Races and sports in the evening. Tuesday, Dec. 26.—Cornwall soldiers arrived at Belmont.

Wednesday, Dec. 27.—Alarm sounded in camp. Up before the captain for turning out without our coats. Served out rum; our section refused it. Friday, Dec. 29.—Received mail. Australians arrived and camped by our

Saturday, Dec. 30.—Capt. Stuart inspected us to see if we had our hair cut short. Capt. Stuart got orders to go to the Cape to take charge of stores. Sunday, Dec. 31.—Dyeing our helmets. On work building a fort. C Co. started

Monday, Jan. 1, 1900.-New Year's Day. Up at 3 a.m. A fine dinner—pudding and chicken pie. Captain left.

Thursday, Jan. 4.— \* Refugees come in, two loads. Canadians return,

hurt, were in the fight. Friday, Jan. 5.-Called out at 10:30

All grecers sell Tea, but all feas are not the same. Some are good and some are not.

Wednesday, March 13.—On the road at 5, marched till 1 p.m. Reached the railroad, very hot, tired and hungry.

Wednesday, March 14.—We rested all are good and some are not. We have had a great many years' experience, and after carefully studying the pro ductions of all the countries we recommend the use of

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p.m.; alarm; walked three miles, but Boers fied. Monday, Jan. 8.—Had football match between H Co. and B Co.; won by B Co., 3 to 0. Tug-of-war between Australians and Canadians, won by Canadians. Warned to be ready to go to meet the Boers.

Tuesday, Jan. 9.—Up at 3 a.m. March-

ed 10 miles, found the Boers were not near, so we turned around and came back; arrived at 6 p.m., very tired. Wednesday, Jan. 10.-Siege train went

through. Friday, Jan. 12.-Lots of trains and troops going through. Boys came from Cape Town, those that were left. Monday, Jan. 15,-Maj. Denison took

command.

Command.

Tuesday, Jan. 16.—One man shot himself through the foot.

Wednesday, Jan. 17.—Holiday in camp; just like a picnic. Had races and tug-of-war. Everything won by Queenslanders; B Co came in second on the tug-of-war. Thirteen Kaffir deserters from the Boer army went through.

Thursday, Jan. 18.-Red Cross train went up country, 8 cars; came back at night full. Tuesday, Jan. 23.-Moved our camp

across river. Wednesday, Jan. 31.—Got paid in gold and new silver.
Thursday, Feb. 1.—Two Canadian

Thursday, Feb. 1.—Two Canadian companies leave camp. Meet one of my cousins, Henry Allen; lives in London, been out in India.

Saturday, Feb. 3.—Ordered to go to Modder River. Cornwalls come and relieve us.

\* Got to Gras Pan at 7:30. Just rested twice. Met by a

Gordon Highlander, who played us to camp with his bagpipes.
Sunday, Feb. 24.—Wakened by playing of bagpipes. Lots of Gordon Highlanders here. Buy bune from nigger in a hut. Got hard tack and bull beef for breakfast. Moved next to Gor-don Highlanders. Nice music of bag-

pipes.
Tuesday, Feb. 6.—Up at 4 a.m. Lay in the trenches till daybreak. Gordons moved down to Maple Leaf camp. Struck camp at 4 p.m., started on the

march at 6 p.m., reached Belmont at 9:30, laid out all night. Thursday, Feb. 8. - Roberts went Monday, Feb. 12.-Struck tents at 3

p.m., entrained at 7 p.m., arrived at Gras Pan at 8 p.m. Slept out all night. Tuesday, Feb. 13.—On the march at 5 a.m., reached Ram Dam (distance of

15 miles) at 1 p.m., just one day after the fight. Can hear the cannon firing. We are the first column to enter the Orange Free State. Wednesday, Feb. 14.-Left Ram Dam

at 5:30 a.m., arrived at Reed River (distance of 14 miles) at 11 a.m., after very hard and trying march. had to drop out owing to the heat. Thursday, Feb. 15.—Up at 2:30 a.m., left at 5 a.m., reached Cliff's Drift (10

miles distant) at 8:30 a.m. Can hear and see firing very close.

Friday, Feb. 16.—Left at 5 a.m.,
marched to Jacobsdal (4 miles). Killed calf for dinner. Started for Stony Ridge at 9 p.m., marched all night, ar-

rived at 5 a.m. (distance 15 miles). Saturday, Feb. 17.—Lots of Boers. Can see and hear firing on hills. Boers prisoners in town. Leave at 5 p.m. on the march. Sunday, Feb. 18 .- Arrived at Trooper Ridge, 22 miles; went through river.

Rested one hour, then went to our first battle. Laid in the sun all day. A terrible fight. Nineteen of B Co. killed and wounded. Helping carry up the wounded all night. and wounded. Monday, Feb. 19.—Laid in the camp

till 3 p.m., then went to the field, where we stayed till Tuesday morning. Still

Wednesday, Feb. 21.—Came into camp or a rest. Very hot. Saturday, Feb. 25.—Relieved by the throps. We then went to the camp for Shrops.

two or three days' rest. Wet night, wake up to find ourselves in a mud hole. Sunday, Feb. 25 .- Rover very high. Hundreds of dead Boer horses going down the river.

Monday, Feb. 26.—Went on work

the Modder River. making a road from the Modder River.

At 4:30 p.m. went to the trenches, 200 yards from enemy. Under fire all night. A hard fight. Retreat under a heavy fire. Loss, 3 killed, 23 wounded, in the R. C. R. Tuesday, Feb. 27.-Ordered nearer the

enemy to another row of trenches, where the enemy snipe at us every chance they get. Carrying out the chance they get. Carrying out the wounded. Cronje marched in with his wife. Boers surrender. Prisoners marched in, 3,000 in all. Wednesday, Feb. 28.-A rest in camp,

making Kaffir buns. Thursday, March 1 .- A move up about one mile. All the brigade here. Friday, March 2.—Nothing doing.

Firing a few miles out.
Tuesday, March 6.—Moved at 7:30 to five miles up the river. Boers on a kopje near by. Wednesday, March 7.—Up at 2 a.m. Go to take up a position in the general advance against the Boers; we are in reserve, the Shrops in the firing line. Am very hungry and nothing to eat. Over 30,000 in the advance. Walked 20

miles, where we rested all night, at here. Poplar Grove Cliff. Thursday, March 8 .- A great number of Boers across the river.
Friday, March 9.—Move at 3 p.m. across the river, where we stay all

night.

Saturday, March 10 .- Move at 4 a.m. with four brigades, Lord Roberts in command. March 9 miles, where we stop for water one hour, then murch till 6 p.m., distance 20 miles. A column is advancing, composed of the Highland brigade, 19th brigade and Guards brigade, composed of Black Watch, Seaforths, A. S. H., Canadians, Gordons, Cornwalls, Shropshires, Grenadiers, Scots Guards, 2nd battalion Coldstream Guards. Lord Henry Colville in command of column; Brigadier Smith-Dorien in command of 19th bri-gade, and General Macdonald in command of Highland brigade. Sunday, March 11.—Started on the march at 5:30 a.m., marched through

the country, looks much better. Reached our point at 12:30, distance of 12

Monday, March 12.—Up at 2:45 a.m.; on the march at 5:30. Very cold; nothing to eat. Marched steadily till 1

day.
Thursday, March 15.—Up at 4 a.m., on marched 5 miles. Reached Bloemfontein at 11 a.m. A very pretty place. Camped just outside of the city. A great number of troops here. Friday, March 16.—Some of the boys went to town and bought something to

eat; bread very dear.
Saturday, March 17.—I went to town, baked some bread in a bake-shop—some good bread. A lot of nice stores. Sunday, March 18 .- Went to church at 7 a.m. with Gordon Highlanders. Wednesday, March 21 .- Pay day; got

Thursday, March 22 .- Got five days for eating emergency ration. Friday, March 23, to Thursday, March

Friday, March 30.—Got goods from London for boys. Went to town to patrol streets as policeman. Got word to move at 8 p.m. Just relieved by the Yorks. Got word we are to go up to help get at some Boers. Saturday, March 31.—Reveille at 3:45 a.m., breakfast at 4:30, on the march

at 6 a.m., marched 14 miles, when we camped on the top of a kopje. On the BOTHWELL BOY SHOT lookout till daybreak.

Sunday, April 1.—Feeling very tough.
Lots of trees here, can sit out of the Four companies go on, four stay

Monday, April 2 .- Mail came. Got orders to move 5 miles.

Tuesday, April 3.—Go 12 miles. Get to Bloemfontein at 3.
Wednesday, April 4.—Some men ar-

rive from Cape Town. March at 2 p.m., go 10 miles. Thursday, April 5.—Go five miles. Get in a position to catch Boers. Do not see them. Got back to bivouac.

Friday, April 6.—Go to Bloemfontein,

10 miles. Get there at 1 p.m.
Saturday, April 7.—A medical inspec tion this morning by the P. M. O. in our bare feet. Go to town in the af-ternoon. Get four meals. The town very bare. Got our tents after being

eight weeks without them.
Tuesday, April 10.—Went down town to see about some bread. Went back at night to get prisoners.

Thursday, April 12.—Took over cook-

ing for company for a few days.
Friday, April 13.—Parcels arrive from Sunday, April 15.—Opening presents. Monday, April 16.—Getting new clothes, shirts and socks. Private,

Adams died. Tuesday, April 17.—Been raining four days and nights. Private Adams bur-led; on firing party. Wednesday, April 18.—Up to our knees in mud.

Thursday, April 19 .- Put on a clean shirt, the first since I left Belmont. Friday, April 20.—Got mail. Got orders to move at 8 a.m. tomorrow. Saturday, April 21.—Fell in ready to move, but orders came not to go till 1 p.m. Marched to Springfield, 7 miles, arrived at 6 p.m. Laid out all night;

very cold and wet. Sunday, April 22.-Go on outpost at p.m on some kopjes. Lots of niggers' huts. Can hear firing.

Monday, April 23.—Marched at 11
a.m.; go six miles. Some very heavy

fighting. Tuesday, April 24.-Up at 5 a.m., move on the Boers at Waterworks, 7 miles. Chasing the Boers till 12 noon, when we get to a kopje. Do sentry duty on

Wednesday, April 25.—Up at 4 a.m., go to strengthen outposts. Ordered to move in pursuit of some Boers. March till 12 noon, when we come up to them on a kopje. The artillery open Rest an hour, then advance in to firing line. Charged a kopje at the fixed bayonet. Shots flying. Col. Otter wounded. Walked 9 miles.

Thursday, April 26 .- Up at 3 a.m., march to Thabanchu, 8 miles. Hold a pass four miles from town. A number

of Boers on hills.

Friday, April 27.—On outpost all night. Ordered to move to town at 3 p.m., four miles; arrived at dark. Just got tea when we got orders to go out to relieve some horse who were hard pressed on a kopje. March all night-B and D companies and Gordon Highlanders. Arrived at kopje at daylight. Very tired and hungry. Feet sore. Very cold, almost froze walking. Wet with dew in morning.

Saturday, April 28.—No sleep for two nights. Played out. Ordered to go back to camp. Got there at 1:30. Walked 16 miles. Sunday, April 29.—Some very heavy

firing all day over hills. Picking oranges. Monday, April 30 .- Up at 4 a.m. Advance on some hills at 7 a.m., 10 miles. Under fire at 11 a.m. Cannon fire while going across a plain. Take a very big kopje. Stay on it all night. Very cold.

Tuesday, May 1.—Go under fire at daylight. Pour shots into bushes all morning. Very hungry. Shooting till

Their Lives.—Forest Fires. morning. Very hungry. Shooting till noon. We then advance on another kopje. See the Boers flying over the plains. We take hill after hill. Boers retreat under heavy cannon fire. on captured kopje till sundown, then go to transports. Orders to move at 5 a.m.

Still at Tobah Nek. Wednesday, May 2 .- Up at 5. Orders Wednesday, May 2.—Up at 5. Orders to move cancelled.

Thursday, May 3.—Left Tobah Nek at 6 a.m., walked 18 miles to Isabellafontein. No opposition. Very hot.

Friday, May 4.—Up at 4, go four miles. Met a number of Boers; shell them out with artillery. Four hundred killed; a number of our men killed. Got to Hemospounit at dark Picket all night.

to Hempspruit at dark. Picket all night. Fourteen miles. Saturday, May 5 .- Left Hemspruit at

a.m., marched to Wynburg at 4 p.m. (18 miles), marched through the city at 4:30. A big crowd; great cheering when the flag was hoisted on the flagpole. A lovely sight at night to see the lights. Got some bread and jam-a rare treat. A medical inspection. Got orders for an 80-mile march. Draft came in. A happy time.

Sunday, May 6.-A very large number of troops here. Go on march at 4 o'clock, 8 miles. Camp all night.

Monday, May 7.—My birthday. On
guard all night. Divided up the draft.

Our company gets two.

Tuesday, May 8.—Start to work for Captain Carpenter. Stay here all day.

Wednesday, May 9.—Up at 5 a.m., on the march at 7. A nice orange grove

HANNA'S POLITICAL PLANT. New York, July 21.—The 22 rooms in the Metropolitan Life building will be used by the Republican national com-One room is set apart for Hanna. A complete telegraphic and telephonic equipment will connect with every city in the United States. ELECTION IN CUBA.

Washington, July 21 .- The president and Gen. Wood have agreed on Sept. 15 as the time for holding the election in Cuba for delegates to the constitutional convention, to be called for formulating a constitution for an independent government for Cuba.

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Pistol Discharged Accidentally-In juries May Prove Fatal-Three Youths Drowned.

Bothwell, Ont., July 21 .- Fred Poynter, the eighteen-year-old son of the preprietor of the Poynter House, this town, lies at his home in a precarious condition, with a bullet wound through his neck. Just how the shooting occurred is difficult to say, though the theory advanced is that this is another case of "didn't know it was loaded." The revolver was discharged while in the victim's hands. The weapon from which the bullet was fired is of the cheap variety, and was left at the hotel last week by some

traveling fakir.

Between and 7 o'clock young Poynter went to his bedroom, and shortly afterwards the household were startled by the loud report of a pistol and the piercing cries of the victim. His father was the first to arrive on the scene, and to his horror he found his only son lying on the floor with blood oozing from a hole in his neck, under his chin, where the bullet entered, and also at a point of exit at the back of the head. The bullet went dangerously near lar vein, and may prove fatal.

THREE YOUTHS DROWNED. Detroit, July 21.-Frank H. Jerome, jun., aged 22, son of Frank H. Jerome, of the firm of Jerome & Daly, surveyors, Washington avenue, was drowned about 11 o'clock Thursday night while crossing the river in a boat with a young man named Harry Schutte, of Cincinnati, from Algonac to Harsen's Island, where the Jeromes have a sum-

mer cottage.
Orsen Kelsey, aged 15 years, son of Oscar D. Kelsey, an engineer, was drowned this morning in the River Rouge, opposite the Detroit salt block, where with some companions he had gone for a swim.

Harrisville, Mich., July 20.-Claudius Hale was drowned here yesterday. He was the carrier for the Evening News and a bright lad.

STARVED TO DEATH. Victoria, B. C., July 21 .- A letter received from Cassiar, tells of the death from starvation at Francis Lake of a prespector named W. Yack, of Los Angeles, Cal. His partner, Al Dimick, lived on the flesh of martens until he reached Fort Francis.

KILLED BY A BROKEN BELT. Ludington, Mich., July 20. - Charles Olson, aged 17, was struck by a broken belt at the mill of Butters & Peters, and thrown against an iron bolt with such force that his skull was crushed and telescoped. He liver 12 hours before death relieved him of his suffer-

KNOCKED OVERBOARD. Hamilton, July 21.-Jerry O'Connor, 46 Greig street, was in Montreal, Thursday, on his way to the old country. In the evening he was accidentally knocked overboard in the harbor and was

SHOT BY HIS SON. A. Engle, a storekeeper of Fort Francis, B. C., was accidentally shot by his 14-year-old son. He is the man who saved the lives of so many men who were stranded on the Ed-monton trail during the Klondike

### BURNED OUT

Their Lives-Forest Fires.

San Francisco, July 21 .- The hotel at Castle Craid, Shasta county, was burned to the ground at 4 o'clock yesterday morning. It was crowded with San Francisco society people, but all escaped with their belongings. The hotel was owned by the Pacific Improve-

ment Company. Ayr, Ont., July 21.—A fire occurred one mile south of Ayr yesterday on the farm occupied by William Patterson, and owned by Simon Patterson, The barn and contents were totally destroyed. The greater portion of this year's crops were in the barn. All the implements were saved. Insured in the Ayh Mutual for \$1,200.

Toronto, July 21.-William Margath, crown timber agent at Rat Portage, is here making a personal report to the crown lands commissioner on the recent forest fires in the Rainy River district. The fires, he says, were widespread, and a good deal of pine timber owned by lumbermen was burned, but not so badly injured as to prevent it being used if cut at once. Little or no damage has been done to timber on crown lands, the fire being confined almost wholly to limits owned by lumbermen. Some settlers on the Rainy River were burned out, a few losing their all. One or two families were obliged to take refuge in the river until the fire passed over their holdings. Owing to low water about the Sault Rapids the Rainy River is not navigable for any but small steamers, and all freight has to be transferred at this point. This is keeping sawlogs from coming in, and has also prevented mine owners from getting in stamping and

other machinery. Placerville, Cal., July 21 .- A great forest fire is raging on the lands of the American River, Land and Lumber Company, twelve miles northwest of this city. The big chute built by the company at the terminus of its railroad to run logs into the south fork of the American River is destroyed. The chute was 3,500 feet in length; it was built of large logs, and cost about \$60,000. Should the fire continue it will entail a loss running into the millions. In addition to many houses and twelve miles of railroad, 12,000,000 feet of logs are lying cut and barked in the woods,

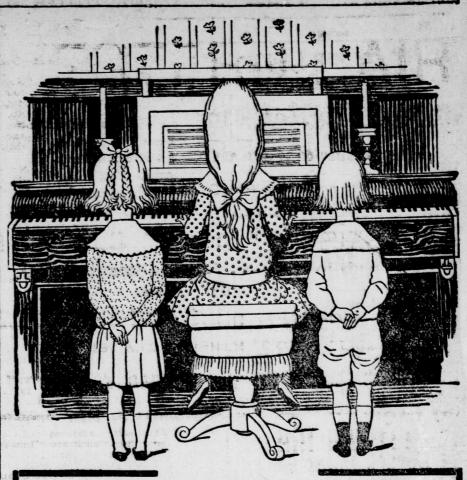
### The Fall Fairs.

WESTERN FAIR, London, Sept. 6-15. Industrial, Toronto, Aug. 27 to Sept. 8. Kingston, Kingston, Sept. 10-14. Owen Sound, Owen Sound, Sept. 11-13. Central Ottawa, Ottawa, Sept. 14-22. Southern, Brantford, Sept. 15-20. W. Middlesex, Strathroy, Sept. 17-19. Northwestern, Goderich, Sept. 18-19. Northern, Walkerton, Sept. 18-19. E. Elgin, Aylmer, Sept. 18-20. Central, Guelph, Sept. 18-20. Great Northern, Collingwood, Sept.

N. Brant, Paris, Sept. 25-26. N. Oxford, Woodstock, Sept. 26-28.
N. Oxford, Woodstock, Sept. 26-28.
N. Perth, Stratford, Oct. 2-3.
W. Kent, Chatham, Oct. 9-11.
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#### METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, July 20 .- 8 p.m.-Rain has fallen today in Algoma, but the weather has been fine in all other parts of the Dominson. In the Maritime Provinces the temperature has been moderate, but in Quebec, Ontario and the Northwest it has been decidedly high. Northwest it has been decidedly high. The highest temperatures reported are 90 at Medicine Hat and 86 degrees at Winnipeg, Parry Sound and Quebec. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 56-78; Kamloops, 62-84; Edmonton, 48-72; Prince Albert, 48-72; Qu'-Appelle, 50-78; Winnipeg, 48-86; Port Arthur, 40-68; Toronto, 58-80; Ottawa, 58-82; Montreal, 60-80; Quebec, 54-86; Hallfax, 54-72.

Local temperature: The highest and owest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Friday, July 20, were: Highest, 83°; lowest, 65°.
Today (Saturday) the sun rose at 4:55 a.m. and sets at 7:53 p.m. The moon rises at 0:25 a.m. and sets at 4:27 p.m.

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When we might be gathering roses. -Miss Ethel McKillop, of this city, is visiting friends in Rodney.

-The contractors have nearly completed their work at the postoffice. -The Wabash and Highgate baseball teams will play a game here next week for \$200 a side.

-Miss Mary O'Meara and Miss Maggie Donsey are spending a couple of weeks at Grand Bend.

-Mr. Harry Gould, of Exeter, is spending a few days with his brother, J. C. Gould, Adelaide street. -Reginald H. Hudson, of this city, will sing in St. Clarens Avenue Metho-

dist Church, Toronto, tomorrow. the new swimming pond at Wonder-land has been awarded to John Lang, of Bruce street.

-The Bell Telephone Company have purchased a lot having 46 feet frontage for the erection of a storage building, beside the new exchange.

-Dr. McGrady, late house surgeon at St. Joseph's Hospital, leaves today for Montreal, where he will take a post-graduate course at the Montreal hospitals.

-Thomas S. Edison, brother-in-law of Leslie Edy and Mrs. Ed Struthers, of this city, died on the 9th inst. at the Deaconess' Hospital, Grand Forks, -Mr. W. R. Spettigue, of Pocatello,

Idaho, chief clerk and accountant of the Oregon Short Line Railway, is a guest of Mr. George Mathewson, 484 Dufferin avenue.

-Pte. Harry Chapman, of this city, who went to South Africa with the first contingent, has written home saying that he has been invalidd home. He is expected here shortly.

Rev. Dr. Sowerby will endeavor to ously. The answer the question, "Why did Christ every day.

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select Judas to be an apostle?" on Sunday evening. All should hear his discussion of this question.

The Misses Bella Currie, Eva Williams, Mabelle Brown and Hannah Cameron (of Ingersoll), pupils of Miss Roblyn, passed with honors their second year vocal examinations at the Toronto Conservatory of Music.

-Mrs. Holmes and family, of Wolseley Barracks, have taken a cottage at Goderich for the summer. She is accompanied by Miss Green, of London South, and the Misses Holmes, of Toronto.

-At a meeting on Thursday night of No. 2 committee of the board of edu-cation, the contracts for the painting and kalsomining of the city schools were awarded. Chamberlain & Berry were given one section, and A. R. Galpin three sections.

-The contractors in charge of the several works at Mount St. Joseph presented the Sisters the other day with a purse containing \$100 in gold, as a help toward furnishing the new institution. Needless to add the Sisters highly appreciate the kindly thoughtfulness which prompted the generous act.

-Rev. Dr. G. D. Bayne, of Pembroke, will preach at both services in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church tomorrow (Sunday). In the evening, Dr. Bayne will discuss "The Church and Secret Societies." Text—11 a.m., "He was a good man;" 7 p.m., "The Church of God, which he hath purchased with his own blood."

-The Grand Trunk Railway Company employes' excursion to Toronto was very largely patronized this morning. The first train left at 6 o'clock, and two others left soon after. There are 3,000 persons in this city who are entitled to obtain the cheap rate that was procured by the employes, and many others took in the trip at the low rate that was allowed to the public.

-At the funeral of the late Mrs. W. H. Goodburne, of Lake Linden, Mich., which took place at Woodland cemetery yesterday, the pall-bearers were four brothers and two brothers-in-law of the deceased lady, they being Messrs. Charles, Alfred, Frank and Lahr Hecking, George Leadhitter, and John Hockins, George Leadbitter and J. L. Goodburne. Rev. Dr. Smith was the officiating clergyman.

-Rev. James Caswell, at one time pastor of the old New Connexion Church of this city, died in Toronto yesterday morning, aged 83 years. Mr. Caswell was born in England, was re-ceived into the Methodist ministry in 1844, and was superannuated in 1891. He leaves two sons, Edward Caswell, of the Methodist Book Room, Toronto, and Nathaniel Caswell, editor of Endeavor Herald, Toronto.

-On Wednesday last Mr. W. James Wilson, V. S., of this city, and Miss Catherine Margaret Graham, eldest daughter of Mr. D. C. Graham, of North Glencoe, were united in marriage at the later's residence, "Tyle-brae." The ceremony was performed by Rev. James Wilson, of St. Andrew's Church. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson left for Montreal after the ceremony, and will be at home to their friends after Sept. 1, at No. 82 King street, city.

-A slight wreck occurred in the C. P. R. yards here yesterday afternoon, but little damage was done and the delay was slight. An east bound freight was passing through the yard, and when near the Waterloo street crossing the front axle of a box car snapped in two. Before the train could be stopped, the rear and forward the table. He carried it across the trucks became badly mixed up, and the car tilted over. An auxiliary was soon on the scene, and while the contents of the car-flour in barrels and was cleared up.

-The death of Robert Bird, Q.C., of Gunn, of 166 Langarth street, South London. Mr. Bird had been ill for more than a year with anaemia, and he came to London a week ago in the hope that the change might bring about an improvement in his health. While here he was treated by Drs. Piper and Cline, but his condition was such that nothing could be done for him. Mr. Bird was 60 years of age, and was unmarried. The remains will be taken to Woodstock this afternoon

for interment on Monday. -A quiet wedding was celebrated at the Church of the Holy Trinity, Toronto, on Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock, when Miss Ethel L. Macdonald, daughter of the late H. F. Macdonald, and Mr. Edmund J. Masuret, son of Mr. Moses Masuret, of this city, were united in marriage. The bride was given away by her uncle, Mr. T. T. Morti-

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anskinkenkenkenkenkenken more, and looked charming in a tailormade gown of light fawn cloth ap-pliqued in white. The jacket opened on a handsome silk and lace blouse, with hat to match. The happy couple left soon after the ceremony for Mon-treal, to sail on the Tunisian Saturday morning for Europe, where they intend making an extended honeymoon.

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-The following grocers have tickets on sale for the excursion to Niagara Falls next Wednesday: Messrs. T. A. Falls next Wednesday: Messrs. T. A. Rowat & Co., F. Harley, N. McLeod, George Loveless, R. A. Jones, C. J. McCormick, F. Harding, J. C. Trebilcock, C. Leach, W. T. Groom, D. Shoebotham, Andrews & Son, George Trebilcock and F. Robinson. Tickets are also on sale at the M. C. R. ticket office, Richmond street. All those taking in this excursion are assured of a thore this excursion are assured of a thoroughly enjoyable time, as the efficient committee in charge are sparing no efforts to make it a thorough success. As this is the grocers' annual holiday, all the city groceries will be closed.

-About 10 o'clock last night the death occurred of Frederick Shore, of Edward street, South London. He had been suffering from general weakwas no cause for anxiety until yesterday afternoon, when a spell of weakness of the heart attacked him, and he sank rapidly. Mr. Shore was born in Sheffield, England, in 1813, and came to this country in 1833. He settled in St. Thomas, where he resided for about two years, while a house was being built for him in Westminster. Here he resided until 1894, when he removed to South London. He was a faithful member of the Church of England, and for many years took an active interest in Christ Church, Glanworth. SEIZED THE RECEIPTS.

St. Thomas Times: There was quite a little bit of excitement around the offices of the St. Thomas Street Railway Company this morning, about halfpast nine. Acting Treasurer Jos. Laing was counting up yesterday's receipts when Bailiff John McKenzie walked in road over to Kerr & Co.'s undertaking rooms. On counting it up he found that he had \$300. As he only wanted \$250 he returned the balance sacks—were being removed, the wreck ney was seized to satisfy a debt of \$108 alleged to be due to Sossman & Lan-dis, Chicago, for scenery used in the Woodstock, occurred yesterday at the residence of his sister, Mrs. Alexander The balance of the claim is said to be due a Montreal firm.

AT BAYFIELD. Mr. G. Rumball, of the Hobbs Hardware Company, London, a native of Bayfield, was here this week in place of Mr. McCurdy, who is away for his vacation.

Mesers. T. McCartney, Harold and Gordon Eckhardt, Ethel and Eva Eckhardt, of London, are encamped in Mr. Galbraith's grove, and greatly enjoying the outing. Mrs. Lowe and two daughters, Wing-

ham, arrived this week, and are boarding at Mrs. G. Erwin's. Last Friday a large number of the summer guests took a trip in Mr. Jowett's tug to Grand Bend. They were glad to return, as the heat and sand

Mrs. Jennings and son Roy, of Pin-conning, Mich., are guests of Mr. T. J. Mr. Cole, wife and family, of New York, drove over from Clinton this week

to make arrangements for spending holidays here. Jowett Bros.' dancing pavilion has been liberally patronized this week by parties from Goderich and Clinton. Recent arrivals at the Queen's-Prof. Watkins, Mr. F. Heath and family, Watkins, Mr. F. Heath and family, Mrs. Brummitt, Mrs. James Wilson, Misses Margaret, Clara, Marie and Laura Wilson, Masters Douglas and Norman Wilson, Miss Gleeson, Miss Sara Gleeson, Miss Wright, Miss Jennie Wright, Mr. G. Wilson, Mr. C. A. Beaton, Mr. John Moore and family, Miss Mary Moore, London.

At the River House—Mrs. McLean, Miss McLean, Mrs. McMahen, Miss Mc-Mahen, Mr. A. McMahen, R. B. Gardner, Miss L. Miller, the Misses Douglas, Miss Ida Thompson, Harvey Read, A. D. McGregor, London; Mrs. Davis, Miss McGregor, Toronto; Mrs. Coobould, Miss Coobould, Wingham; N. Mad-docks, wife and two children, Detroit; Mr. Moore, wife and family, London.

FLOUR MADE CHEAPLY IN JAPAN. J. C. Robinson, a Portland, Ore., mill man, has received a sample of flour from a mill in Yokohama. The flour was made from a cargo of wheat sent John Butler ...... from Oregon, and to all appearances is a first-class article. Along with the sample comes the statement that the actual cost of the manufactured article

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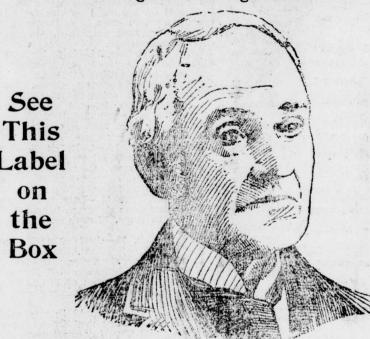
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from this that the Japanese were in a fair way to become active competitors for the flour trade of the Orient.

### HIS LUCKY 13

Thomas Scott Chosen as Janitor by Thirteen Trustees-Pifteen Applications Received.

The successor to the late Charles

Deeley, formerly janitor of the Talbot

street school, was appointed by the trustees at a special meeting of the board of education, held last night. Thomas Scott, of No. 91 Bruce street, was chosen on the seventh ballot. The vote was as follows: Thomas Glover ..... 9 9 9 7 10 9

H. E. E. Hickson ... 9 9 10 8 9 8 M. Mayne ..... 9 10 11 12 13 8 George Cathcart .... 3 3 4 3 George Davidson .... 7 3 1 R. McNeil ...... 6 6 4 3 George T. Tremeer ..10 8 10 9 7 Joseph Premo ..... 1 Joseph Sproull .....10 9 8 8 7 George Robinson .... 6 5 4 3 Jas. K. Haskins .... Alfred Bower ..... 2 1 Thomas Scott ......13 12 13 13 13 13 13 S. A. Roberts ..... 4 2 2

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In the Case of China and the Other Powers.

End of Rotterdam Strike-Alleged New Cure for Cancer -Collision at Sea.

END OF A BIG STRIKE. Rotterdam, July 21.-The strike of dock laborers which has been in progress here for some time is practically resumed.

FRANCE AS MEDIATOR.

Paris, July 21.-The Chinese minister at Paris has transmitted to M. Delfor communication to President Loubet, a telegram from the Emperor of China, which was dispatched by the governor of Shan Tung on Thursday, July 19, asking the mediation of France with the foreign powers. The telegram makes no allusion to the foreign ministers at Pekin. M. Delcasse informed the minister that President Loubet's reply would be addressed to the French legation at Pekin, where the Imperial Government can obtain it; but first, the Government of the Republic would wait until it should be certain that the French minister at Pekin was safe and

COLLISION AT SEA.

Queenstown, July 21 .- The British steamer Newby (Capt. Clark), which sailed from Fernandina, Florida, July 2 and Norfolk, Va., 6th, has arrived here with her fore compartment full of water. She reports having been in a collision during a fog with the British steamer Texan (Capt. Lund), which sailed from Liverpool yesterday for St. Thomas, D. W. I. The Texan was struck amidships and so badly damaged that she was anchored in West Bay. A tug has been sent to tow the Texan to this port.

STOP EXPORTATION OF ARMS. London, July 21.-In the House of Commons, Mr. A. J. Balfour said it was impossible, in the present state of the law, to prohibit exportation of arms to China, but as the matter was extremely pressing a bill would be introduced at once to give the govern-House of Lords by Earl Halsbury, lord high chancellor. The bill prohibits the exportation of arms or ammunition to

China, under severe penalties. M. Delcasse sent a circular to the powers on the above subject, in which he says that France considers that the moment has arrived when this step will prove acceptable to all the govern-ments, and be welcomed by public The foreign office believes that no misconstruction can be made of France's action in this matter, because French factories have supplied arms to the Orientals as well as those of other countries.

Shanghai, July 21.-The consuls met and decided to prevent the sale of arms in the settlement.

NEW CURE FOR CANCER. Paris July 21 - A new tuberculosis and cancer has, it is alleged, just been discovered. The plant in question is called kalagua, and grows in South America. M. Ch. Patin, a Belgian consul, who is a botanist and an explorer, is said to have used kalagua with success in the treatment of bovine tuberculosis, and Dr. Alberto Restreps has obtained excellent results

from its use on his own person. Dr. Stubbert, at the Loomis Sanitarium, at Liberty, N. Y., and Dr. Mechtold, another American physician, claim to have effected cures of patients whose recovery was despaired of.

The Belgian doctors, Ysenoe Popelin, Hendericks and Coremans, announce that kalagua has, to some extent at least, realized the expectations they

### **CANADIANS** CAME THIRD

In the Shooting for the Kolapore Cup-Second Stage of the Queen's Prize.

Bisley Camp, July 20. — Yesterday's shooting in the Queen's prize brought Pte. A. E. Tink, of the Governor-General's Body Guards, into one hundred and eighty-third place, and he won £4; Staff-Sergt. Carruthers, in two hundredth position, received a similar amount; Lieut. Graham was awarded two hundred and thirty-first place, and secured a prize of £3. Canada failed to win the Kolapore cup, and as a result the team is very much disappointed, but not as badly as the marksmen from Guernsey, who had to lose by two points. Four teams of eight men competed, the mother country, Canada, Guernsey and Jersey being represented. Seven shots only were allowed at all the ranges, 200, and 600 yards. The Challenge cup, which has been captured by the mother country, was donated by his Highness the Rajah of Kolapore. scores of the members of the Canadian team at the three ranges were

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200	600	600	T'1.
Lieut. Blair31	24	31	86
Sergt. Corrigan30	81	28	89
Gunner Fleming25	32	27	84
Pte. Langstroth31	27	28	87
Bergt. Morse33	29	33	95
Sergt McVittle33	31	28	92
Lieut. Ogg32	26	25	83
Lieut. Smith31	32	31	94
Totals 246	232	232	710

Compared with the scores of the itors the Canadians stood

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In the second stage, 10 shots at 500 and 15 shots at 600 yards, of the Queen's prize, the Canadians. Tink. Carruthers and Graham, were winners of small money prizes.

ORDER OF HIBERNIANS. cluding session the convention of the Ancient Order of Hibernians elected the following officers: Provincial presi-dent, M. J. Lynch, Kingston; vice-pre-sident, John Lee, Gananoque; secre-

tary, Thomas O'Dowd, Hamilton; treasurer, J. McCarthy, St. Catharines; chaplain, Rev. Dr. Fallon, Ottawa. Ottawa was chosen as the place of meeting next summer, the date to be fixed later. The scheme of a compul-sory death benefit of \$200 for every member of the order was adopted. The new order will come into effect on

# SCENE OF SORROW

Rev. Robert Coltman Saw It in Pekin.

When the Boxer Rising Began-Bodies of European Victims Eaten Ly Dogs.

San Francisco, Cal., July 21.-A vivid story of the Chinese uprising is told by Rev. Robert Coltman, D.D., who arrived from the Orient yesterday. He was in Pekin early in May and was the guest of Minister Conger.

"At that time," said Columan, "the Boxers were drilling in the streets of casse, the minister of foreign affairs, Pekin, and I was apprehensive of danger. Conger considered the danger not particularly threatening, and seemed to place credit in the assurances of the tsung li yamen. I told him I did not agree with him, and he assured me there was no danger. One of the members of Conger's household is Mrs. Woodward, of Chicago, who accompanied us to China, and remained to visit Conger's family.

"Over a month was spent by us at Tien Tsin, that is, until June 16. The Boxers were more and more threatening, and native Christians from all parts of the country began to flock to the mission compounds at Tien Tsin. They were in terror of the Boxers, and, with all their worldly possessions tied in small bundles, went from gate to gate imploring foreigners to protect them. It was a pitiable sight, as they asked us with tears in their eyes: "On the night of June 15, soon after We shall all be killed.'

"Dn the night of June 15, soon after midnight, the Boxers rose en masse and set fire to the native chapels, the French cathedral, and many other buildings. There was a terrific uproar among Chinese and foreigners-a reign of terror.

"The American marines were roused to arms, and all night stood ready to defend the foreigners in the compounds. The fire was confined to the native city, to the westward, and the line of flames seemed to be about a mile long. We could hear musketry and shouting in the distance, and fire after fire sprung up until we thought ment the necessary power. Such a the whole native city was going up in bill was subsequently introduced in the smoke smoke.

"The next morning bodies of 100 Boxers were found lying here and there. I saw numbers of bodies being devoured by dogs. Trenches were hastily dug and the native authorities gathered up the bodies by tying ropes around their legs and dragged them off to burial. That morning hundreds of poor native Christians huddled into the mission compounds and begged for shelter.

"On the 16th we went to Taku and boarded a Chinese passenger steamer. We coud not sail that night for some reason, and lay in company with other nerchant vessels at anchor. On June 17 the bombardment of foreign gunboats by the forts began. The gunboats returned the fire immediately. were lying up the river with the gun-boats between us and the fort. Whenever the Chinese in their forts fired too high their shells went screaming over us or struck the water about us. We were directly in the line of fire, but all

"I have just learned of the murder of Baron Von Ketteler. It is not a surprise. Von Ketteler was the one minister the Chinese feared. He was suspicious of them, and demanded proof of their good faith before he would believe them. Sir Claude Mac-donald and Mr. Conger placed great faith in the representations of the Chinese government. Von Ketteler de-manded that the government suppress the Boxers; Macdonald and Conger entered mild protests, and were satisfied

There is no doubt in my mind that Von Ketteler's death was procured by the government itself. I believe that the empress dowager and five of her advisers are responsible for the whole carnival of massacre.

"The Boxers are arrogant, miserably poor and deluded fanatics. They are intrepid conduct. (Signed) used and directed by intelligent men. The movement spread like wildfire, exactly as though it were receiving powerful aid from those in authority. The Boxers carried on their drills and exercises in Pekin under the eyes of the government unmolested. They go into battle with the fanatical courage of people who believe their lives are

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He is inclined to spur up the tired organs by some stimulant or perhaps quiet its complaints with the narcotic of tobacco, and this plan goes on until suddenly he collapses, for brain fag is a sure sign that the elements that compose the brain are being more rapidly

used up than replaced by the food. There is really a choice of but two pathways for an active brain workera man of affairs-when he shows symptoms of breaking down. Either he must quit work or he must have food that will replace the structure of brain and nerve centers as rapidly as

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# SOUTH AFRICA

Gov. Milner's Speech at Opening of Parliament.

Distribution of Victoria Crosses—Death of Private Nichol, of the Strathconas -The Late Lieutenant Borden.

Cape Town, July 20 .- The Cape Colony Parliament opened today with an impressive scene. The speech of Sir Alfred Milner, governor of the colony, prophesied an early close of the war, and subsequently a united and prosperous South Africa. Sir Alfred Milner, referring to the noble manner in which all the self-governing colonies had responded to Great Britain's call for aid, said indications were not wanting that the end of the war was approaching. Those concerned in the rebellion would have to answer for their misconduct. Parliament would be asked to approve a bill providing for a special court, with special powers to try hundreds who have already been put in jail, and others who appeared to have taken a leading part in the rebellion. A commission would be created to deal with the rank and file of the rebels, with the power of sentencing for a period of five years, and to disfranchisement and deprivation of other civil rights. Sir Alfred Milner added that he trusted the deliberations of the parliament would be characterized by wisdom and moderation, so that when the troubles should be passed all would be prepared for the great developments that were assuredly awaiting united South Africa

Queen's scepter. Mr. W. P. Schreiner, formerly premier of Cape Colony, and Mr. R. Solomon, formerly attorney-general, occupied the opposition cross bench. Mr J. X. Merriman, treasurer; Mr. J. W. Sauer, commissioner of public works, and Dr. Te Water, minister without portfolio in the recent cabinet, occupied seats on the front opposition benches. Dr. Jameson was sworn as a member of the parliament.

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Amid profound silence Mr. Merriman gave notice that he would move that the actions of the military in districts where resistance had terminated was contrary to the inherent rights of British subjects, and that martial law should be repealed.

### Bravery Recognized.

London, July 20.-Victoria Crosses have been gazetted for Capt. Meiklejohn and Sergt.-Major Robertson, both of the Gordon Highlanders, for bravery in the battle of Elandslaagte, and Lieut. Norwood, of the Fifth Dragoon Guards, for rescuing a fallen trooper at Ladysmith.

Kingston, Ont., July 20.—A letter from Major Hudson this morning states that Lord Roberts had specially mentioned the writer in dispatches for the gallant manner in which he led C Field Battery in the action which led to the relief of Mafeking. Major Hudson also pays a high tribute to the men of his command for their brilliant conduct during that engagement.

SYMPATHETIC MESSAGES. Ottawa, July 20.—Hon. Joseph Chamberlain cables to Lord Minto to express to Dr. Borden "my deep sympathy with him at the loss of his gallant

The following cable was received today, addressed to Hon. F. W. Borden, minister of militia, dated Cape Town, July 19: "Deeply regret in inform you of the death of your son in the action of Reitviel, 16th. Mrs. Borden and yourself have my sincerest sympathy at the sad loss of this gallant officer, whom I have twice had the honor to specially mention in dispatches to the commander-in-chief for gallant and

"HUTTON." DR. BORDEN RETURNS THANKS.

Hon. Dr. Borden desires through the press to say that he is deeply grateful to the many friends who have sent messages of sympathy with Mrs. Borden and himself, in their sad bereavement, and conveys their sincere thanks

DEATH OF PTE. NICHOL. London, July 21 .- It has been reported to the war office that Pte. D. Nichol, of the Strathcona Horse, died of en-teric fever on the 19th. His relatives reside in Edinburgh, Scotland.
The Canadian invalids from South

Africa, living at the Soldiers' Home, in this city, will on Tuesday visit Hampstead Hospital for inspection by the Prince and Princess of Wales. Major Thompson will command the party of Canadians.

"A YARN."

New York, July 20 .- Charles D. Pierce, trustee and treasurer of the Boer relief fund, and consul-general of the Orange Free State, made the following statement today concerning Boer emigration to the United States: "My attention having been called to the statements in various newspapers that 10,000 or more Boers are about to emigrate from the South African Republic and the Orange Free State to the United States, I wish to state in the most emphatic language possible that there is not one word of truth in such state-

### **DUN'S REVIEW**

Of Trade Conditions in Canada and the United States.

Dun & Co.'s trade review for this

week says: Business conditions in Canada this week have shown little alteration, midsummer duliness being the chief complaint, while in many sections crop prospects have improved.

St. John reports only moderate wholesale trade and fair retail business, while rain has helped crops, and bills are promptly paid. The weather continues dry at Halifax, but trade is

Trade is good for the season at Montreal, with activity in shelf hardware and groceries. Some cancellation of orders for dry-

goods from the Northwest have been

reported, and heavy metals are dull, but general collections are good. Midsummer duliness prevails drygoods and kindred lines at Quebeo, but business in hardware is active.
Crop prospects have materially improved in Maniteba, but trade

tinues quiet at Winnipeg, and collections are slow. Conditions are less satisfactory at Vancouver, and collections are poor,

while Victoria reports wholesale trade satisfactory and retail business quiet, with collections fair. IN THE UNITED STATES.

The halt in the great iron industry necessarily affects both business and prospects in some others. The same extensive building strikes, which have cut off the use of much structural steel, have also prevented a vast use of lumber, which was, like iron, extraordinarily advanced in price.

The woollen industry has adopted the course of curtailing the output, many mills having stopped or reduced force, so that experts believe that less than half the capacity is now at work, because the nature of the next season's demand does not appear.

The sharp fall of 2 cents in wheat and 4 cents in corn appears to reflect public conclusions regarding the extent of injury to both grains. The shipments go on at a quiet and moderate pace-in three weeks from Atlantic ports 5,661,501 bushels of wheat, flour included, against 6,505,393 bushels last year: from Pacific ports 1.691,597 bushels, against 1,278,648 last year, and of corn 9,620,539 bushels against 9,289,999 last year.

Failures for the week have been 231 in the United States, against 145 last year and 27 in Canada, against 23 last

BANK CLEARANCES.

New York, July 21.-The bank clearings for the Dominion of Canada were as follows: Montreal, \$14,620,651, decrease 6.5 per cent; Toronto, \$9,419,020, increase 3.3 per cent; Winnipeg, \$2,358,-231, increase 25.6 per cent; Halifax, \$1,-564,959, increase 8.5 per cent; Hamilton, \$790,333, increase 3 per cent; St. Johns, N. B., \$620,800, decrease 24.9 per cent; Vancouver, \$1,949,741, increase 29.8 per cent; Victoria, \$755,664, decrease 9.2 per cent.

# CONFUCIUS

World's Debt to the Sage of China Set Forth.

How He Taught Virtue and Humanity, Though Perhaps With No Belief in Immortality.

Pittsburg, July 20.-Rev. E. R. Donehoo, of the West End Presbyterian Church, preached on Sunday on the 'Teachings of Confucius," but without touching, except most remotely, on the present Chinese question. He took his text from Acts, x., 34-35: "God is no respecter of persons, but in every nation he that feareth him and worketh righteousness is acceptable to him." In part

"No mere man has ever impressed himself upon so many minds for good as did he whom we know as Confucius. Chinese history informs us that this distinguished sage made his appearance at a time when corruption was gnawing at the vitals of the nation, when decay in manners and morals was bring-ing sadness and dread to the hearts of the thoughtful among them. fuclus was no theologian, nor did he make any pretense of being such. He was no prophet. He made no use of future retribution in stimulating men to the discharge of duty or in deterring them from wrong-doing. His mission might reap a reward in this present

"While the sayings of Confucius occa sionally hint at a recognition of a higher power than man's, and seem to imply a belief in some kind of immortal ity, yet in no single saying can we find any positive assertion of belief in a fu-ture state of existence. He seemed rather to obscure and ignore the entire idea of a Supreme Being, never once mentioning his name. He was, therefore, an agnostic after the modern type, pure simple. All that he concerned himself about was to have men seek for their heaven here in this world. If men would only lead moral lives and abstain from evil. either as it affected themselves or others, it was within the reach of all to attain the goal of all human hopes. To the question, 'Is there one word upon which the whole life may proceed?' he 'Is not reciprocity such a word?-what you do not yourself desire, do not put before others.'

"When reading the life of Confucius one is puzzled to account for the mar-velous hold of his teachings upon the hearts of his countrymen throughout all that vast empire. At times he numbered as many as 3,000 pupils who were greatly impressed by his good sense and sincerity. But the closing years of his life were attended with many discouraging circumstances. Friends turned away from him, corrupt judges and governors slighted him, and he was finally removed from office, and at last died in obscurity and

"In passing judgment upon Confucius it should be borne in mind that he lived before Christ's day, and therefore had no opportunity to learn anything of his heavenly doctrines, which are the substance of our religion. His sayings were transmitted orally by his disciples, and therefore subject to error in transmission. The substance of his instruction was embraced in the term Virtue, which he understood including all moral excellence. He divided this into five heads, knowledge, humaneness, righteousness, propriety (the preservation of the right relations between men, polite manners) and faithfulness. Filial piety he re-

garded as of primary importance. "The study of this great man's life and his sayings constrain us to hear hearty testimony to his many virtues. The world owes a debt to Confucius, and his name deserves to be held in reverence by all who honor uprightness. Nor can one turn away from the study of his teachings without being impressed with the truth of Paul's words that 'when the Gentiles having not the law do by nature the things contained in the law, these having not the law are a law unto themselves."

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# MANEUVERS OF JAPANESE NAVY

A Mimic Battle and a Review by the Emperor.

[New York Times.]

In view of the present conditions in China the maneuvers of the Japanese navy, recently heid, become interesting. At the close of the China-Japan war in 1894, the government concluded that it was essential for Japan to build a navy that would be respected by the entire world, in order that her supremacy in eastern affairs might not be threatened. There was not only ambition in this, but a feeling that her own safety could best be assured by a conspicuous show of naval power. The large war indemnity to be paid by China could not be put to a more patriotic or advantageuse, argued the progressive lead-The result, they believe, shows

that they were right.

The new Japanese navy consists of five battleships, one on the way from England, and one building, seven in all; twenty-one first and second-class cruisers, including one just launched in England and two being built at Rochefort and Stettin; eight third-class cruisers, sixteen gunboats and coast defense vessels, eleven torpedo boat destroyers, one torpedo boat vessel and thirty-six torpedo boats. Besides these there are building in Japan and other countries several more cruisers and

forty-edd torpedo boats.

After building such a navy it was natual that the Japanese should wish to see how the ships and men would be-have in action. It was perhaps a mere coincidence that the maneuvers should be held when Russian warships present to observe Japan's naval force and skill. There has been a barely con-cealed resentment against the Russians in Japan since they stepped in and checked the advance to Pekin and robbed the Japanese of the full fruits of victory. This feeling was increased when Russia took possession of Port Arthur, and it is not abated as Russian war versels hover around the coasts. Nagasaki alone was visited last year by as many as 1,000 Russians, whereas all other foreigners combined amounted to 32,426 who made a stay in Japan. Certain it is that the Japanese mistrust the intentions of Russia upon the Chinese question, with how much reason remains to be seen.

The emperor was deeply interested in the maneuvers, and boarding the cruiser Asama with his suite, led the array of warships to the Bay of Kuroye, Kishu. That evening at 8:30 the attacking fleet, consisting of six battleships and cruisers and sixteen torpedo boats, commanded by Admiral Kota-oka, came upon the defending fleet, commanded by Admiral Samejima. The defending fleet was lying in the Bay of Kuroye, on which is situated the city of Wakiyama. It consisted of eighteen war vessels of various descriptions. The ection lasted an hour, and was a spectacular scene. Terrific cannonading, torpedo firing, and over all, the vivid, flashing searchlights, made this mimic battle of a fleet of forty-vessels almost

real in intensity.

The emperor stayed on board all night torpedo gunboat, ten torpedo boat destroyers and seventeen torpedo boats were arranged in "streets." When the Asama, with the emperor aboard and escorted by three warships, was yet a mile away, the cannonading and salutes began. As the Asama approached the guns were hushed and cheers and bugles were heard. In impressive silence the Asama, at slow speed, glided through the streets of warships. The craws stood lined up motionless for an hour until the Asama passed out of the The emperor afterwards boarded the Shikishima, where he received the admirals and foreign diplomatic officials. After the emperor returned to the Asama the invited guests dined on Shikishima. Of course, the city and harbor were profusely decorated, and the day was generally observed as

Critics praise the knowledge and quality of the officers of the fleet, but say the training of the men can be much improved. Their gunnery and torpedo practice is not first-class, and the discipline is not sufficiently rigid. In spite of this, these forty-five-odd warships in Kobe harbor, absolutely up to date in construction and equipment, must have been an object lesson to the French and Russian warships who dutifully saluted Japan, her mavy and her emperor!

### CURE FOR MEASLES

Experiments Show That Sunshine Will Alleviate Severity of Disease.

Recent experiments indicate that the sun may be a potent remedial agent in the case of persons attacked with smallpox, scariatina, and measles. These experiments were made by Dr. Finsen, of Copenhagen, and Dr. Chatiniere, of St. Maude, and so novel were they that they have aroused a good deal of discussion among the members of the Academy of Medicine

Dr. Chatiniere a short time ago treated twelve children who had measles according to this new method, which is scientifically known as pho-totherapie. Red light was the only cure which he used and this he made serviceable in the following manner: On the windows of the sick rooms he hung red curtains, and on the table near each bed he placed a lamp which gave forth a red light. He acted thus because he felt satisfied that the irritation of the skin in cases of measles is due to the chemical rays of the solar spectrum, or, in other words, the ultra violet rays, and not to the so-called heat or rays. If this were not so, how account for the fact that the pustules and scars are especially deep and marked on the face and hands, which are the very parts of the body that are most exposed to the solar rays? The result showed that he had not erred in arriving at this conclusion. His little patients rapidly regained their health, and the virtue that lies in red curtains and red lamns is being extolled by many physicians. Impressed, like Dr. Chatiniere, by the fact that the influence of the solar

rays is especially manifested on the face and hands of patients, Dr. Fin-sen conceived the idea of subjecting persons suffering from smallpox to the influence of ultra violet rays which reached them after the light had been filtered through thick red curtains. The result was that the little vesicles or bladders gradually disappeared and the patients did not furthermore, were not pockmarked. The ultra violet rays indeed, in the

notable tokens of their efficacy being the absence of fever and restlessness and the gradual disappearance of the eruptions before coming to maturity. It was also noticed that the rays made a marked effect on the maladies in so far as they affected the bronchial How They Operate and Control

Dr. Finsen's method of cure has been introduced into France by Dr. Larat and is being used not only in cases of smallpox but also in cases of certain forms of skin diseases.

#### The Lost Heart.

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In the orchard's leaf and silence, watching windfalls as they fell, Trying, here at five and thirty, just to be the boy of ten,
To recall the joys of boyhood and forget the cares of men,
But I listen to a lesson in the twitter

of the wren; When the boy's heart turns to man's it never throbs again.

Once the sun marks noon of lifetime once the morning steals away, Once the shadows growing shorter, and then fall the other way,

Once the playtime ends at manhood, once the frolicking is done, When the face is turned from dawning

Turn the leaves of Time all backward, try to read them as you may, You may kindle fires of memory, you may sit and watch the flame, symptoms is that they soon vanish But there's something changed within when work demanding close application you that can never be the same.

You may lay aside the burden of your troubles, as you will, your bent and sunken shoulders

From the simple hearts of children, and to men only revealed. sorrow dulls, the sigh is stilled,

the sore hearts soothed are. smarting wound is healed again, but always leaves a sear. fire of youth burns only once, and dies in its dead flame, The simple heart of boyhood that can

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There's a longing, longing, longing, of cartriage and are attached to the speaking in a deep drawn sigh,

For the heart that throbbed in boyhood, them to turn on its axis. cloudless as the azure sky, the heart that was the sunlight and the air-that tongue nor pen

Can ever paint or picture-that I can--James W. Foley, jun., in Bismarck

#### Health Notes.

In the Danish hospitals it is the cusand the next morning summoned all the principal officers to express his satisfaction at the "constant diligence" of themselves and their crews. Later he mon use of the pillow and bolster is constant to the common use of the pillow and bolster is constant to the constant in the balance to the parties of the parties of the pillow and bolster is seviewed the fleet at Kobe. Five bat-tleships, three coast defense ships, thir-ed upon for extra exerction in circulatteen cruisers, one torpedo tender, one ing the blood. During sleep the heart should be free to get as much rest as possible. Persons who once accustom themselves to the abandonment of the pillow seldom are able to return with any comfort to that mistaken idea of comfort. To rest properly without the pillow stretch out at full length while reclining upon the left side and the chest with the left arm placed behind the body. Persons who suffer from catarrh will find comfort from sleeping without a pillow while stretching full upon the front of the body the head being turned to the left and the arms stretched at full length.

> Dyspeptics will find proper exercise of the greatest benefit to them. The pneumogastric nerve is streng-thened by a movement of the muscles of the neck, particularly by a movement of the head in turning to-ward the left shoulder. This simple movement has been known to give rest and ease to an irritable and overworked stomach. A brisk rubbing of the muscles over the pit of the stomach with the hand or a towel will stir up the circulation and aid wonderfully in the vigor of the digestive function. The drinking of hot water before meals is simply a form of stomach exhibaration work too close to the eyes do not need which is sometimes best performed by the outward massage.

With no desire to be funny, a doctor who has had an abundant experience with the distressing effects that frequently follow the eating of imperfectly cooked ham, recently said that the best way to avoid ptomaine poisoning from ham was to refrain from eating

Tomatoes, fried, sliced, baked, stewed, tomatoes in any form, are now looked upon as a very valuable kind of food, because of the vegetable calomel they are thought to contain.

Before trying the numerous forms of headache cures sold in drug stores and which sometimes produce effects that are very harmful, sufferers from congestive headaches will do well to try the ameliorating influences of a hot draught of water. A hot cup of tea very often does as well towards stopping head pains as bromides or heart stimulants. An old member of the Long Island College staff of physicians not long ago complained of feeling very tired and of having a severe headache due to strain succeeding a long day's work. When asked what he would do to relieve his distress the doctor said, "Oh, I will go home and drink a couple of cups of hot tea and go to bed."

Off the Track.

This means disaster and death when applied to a fast express train. It is equally serious when it refers to people whose blood is disordered, and who subsequently have pimples and sores, bad stomachs, deranged kidneys, weak nerves and that tired feeling. Hood's Sarsaparilla puts the wheels back on the track by making pure, rich blood and curing these troubles. Constipation is cured by Hood's Pills. 25 cents.

The average age of the men now at the front is, according to a military statist, two years higher than that of soldiers who fought at Waterloo.

SIGNALS OF DANGER.-Have you lost your appetite? Have you a coated tongue? Have you an unpleasant taste in the mouth? Does your head ache and have you dizziness? If so, your If so, your disappeared and the patients did not stomach is out of order and you need suffer from the customary fever and medicine. He that prefers stokness to furthermore, were not pockmarked. The ultra violet rays indeed, in the case of these patients produced practically the same effect as the red light in that of Dr. Chatiniere's, the most

# EYES' MUSCLES

Our Organs of Vision.

Why Your Hyes Sometimes Hurt and the Letters Seem to "Swim" When You Attempt to Keep on With Your Reading or Writing.

Asthenopia is a condition of the eyes in which it is impossible to read, write, draw or anything involving close application of the eyes, at least for any great length of time. A little work may be done, but the eyes soon become fatigued-in an hour or two perhaps, or in five or ten minutes in very bad cases and work has to be abandoned.

The patient may see as well as any body at the commencement of the task, especially if it be essayed soon after ris-ing, but in a little while there is a "swimming" in the field of view, the printed letters begin to dance and their edges become thick and indistinct, there is a feeling of weight in the eyelids and

a flow of tears. Work may be resumed after a pause, but the same symptoms soon recur, and if work is persisted in a sharp pain is felt in the temples and around the eyes, especially near the eyebrows, there is to the setting of the sun.

may sit among the flowers that the root of the nose, the tears flow you plucked and threw away, more copiously, the eyelids become inflamed and reddened, and a so-called

catarrh of the eyes ensues. The characteristic feature of all these of the eyes is stopped, and reappear when such work is resumed.

The patient usually feels best on Sunday—that is, if he really makes Sunday a day of rest—and gets gradualten the story to you still, story of the struggles and the day night, when his condition is the trials that are sealed worst. The above are the of asthenopia, which Greek word simply means a lack of visual power and fails to give any idea of the real nature of the malady.

The causes as well as the varieties of asthenopia are many, but the chief of these is insufficient power, generally congenital, of the muscles, and especially of the muscle whose function it is to turn the eyeball inward, or to-ward the nose. It should be explained I sit among the trellises and trees that the eyeball, which is almost a perand wonder why, fect sphere, rolls on a soft cushion of at the altitude of more than 1,700 feet, Pure the air as in my boyhood, and as fat within the conical eye socket, and and half a mile in front of Longwood, blue the unflecked sky.

Full the leaves as ever blowing, sweet the bird songs and as free.

But the boy's heart that thrilled to them is untuned and dead in me,

Therefore is no strongly and as free, and is moved in various ways by six muscles. Four of these, the straight muscles, or recti, turn it respectively up and down, in and out. The other two, the oblique muscles, pass through rings

> The inner straight muscle, or internal rectus, is one whose weakness gives rise to asthenopia. Now, when a near object, such as a letter in a printed page, is looked attentively at, both eyes are turned full on it, so that the two lines of vision, or optic axes, meet at the letter. This turning is effected by the internal recti muscles referred to. The nearer the object is the more

It is evident also that strain and fa-tigue of these inner muscles must in-Dutch farm house in the Pearl district crease with the length of time that the eyes are thus fixed on near objects. size of the type also has an indirect effect, because small objects must be held close to be seen distinctly. If the eye muscles are strong and healthy and if there is no abnormal resistance to the free motion of the eyeball, the eyes may be used for a long time without fatigue, but when the inner muscles are weak they cannot stand the strain, and asthenopia results.

The remedy is fortunately very simnle and easily applied. It is merely a pair of prismatic or wedge-shaped glasses. Rays of light passing through a glass prism are bent or refracted toward the base of the prism, or away from its edge, so that if a prism of angle is held before each eye with its base toward the nose and a near object is looked at through the prisms, the rays by which the object is seen, though widely diverging at first, become nearly or quite parallel on traversing the prisms. Hence the axis of the eyes may be held nearly or quite parallel instead of being strongly converged, and very little strain is put upon the weak internal recti, or converging muscles. Of course, the angle which the prism should have must be determined in each case by the oculist. Shortsighted people who may suffer from asthenopia caused by holding their prismatic glasses, but are relieved by the use of ordinary concave glasses, which enable them to hold the book farther away and thus diminish the

convergence of the optic axis. Now, if the prisms are reversed or placed with their edges toward the nose they will clearly act in an opposite way, necessitating stronger con vergence of the optic axis and increased strain of the inner muscles.

If it be asked who would be so foolnorantly and unconsciously doing it every day through the use of ill-fitting spectacles and eyeglasses. The intended function of ordinary spectacles are ignorantly and more particularly in the homage paid to his wife.

All day long Mrs. Cronje, in rusty black dress and black Boer "kappie," is the defeated General's close complete." ed function of ordinary spectacles is to magnify or diminish the apparent size of objects, or, to put it another way, to lengthen or shorten the focal dis-

tance of the eye.

They are not intended to bend the whole pencil of light to right or left and thus displace the image as a prism does. Nor do they have this effect to an appreciable extent if the centers of the lenses are just as far apart as the pupils of the eyes, so that each eye looks through the center of its lens But suppose the glasses are convex and are set too far apart, so that the eyes look through their inner halves

instead of their centers ? Now, a half lens—or, indeed, any por-tion of a lens except the center—acts not only as a lens, but also as a prism and bends light passing through it toward its thickest part-that is, toward the center of the lens. Convex glasses set too wide apart, therefore, act like prisms set with their edges inward, and tend to cause asthenopia. Concave or shortsighted glasses set too near to-gether have the same effect.—Philadelphia Press.

THE PHILOSOPHY OF PERSPIRA-TION.

[New York World.]

"There are many troubles which you annot cure by the Bible and the hymn book," said Henry Ward Beecher, "but which you can cure by a good perspiration and a breath of fresh

There is a large paradox in the phil-

osophy of perspiration. The hotter the healthy human body becomes the more freely it perspires, and yet the more freely it perspires the cooler it grows. Many persons try to keep cool by avoiding all unnecessary exercise and lounging in the shade. That is entirely unphilosophical. Prespiration, in-

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## **CRONJE BROODS**

The Boer General Silent and Sullen in St. Helena.

Six hundred Boer prisoners are now quartered at St. Helena. Cronje and his wife are comfortably housed on the hill back of Jamestown, while Schiel and the others, including old men of 60 and boys of 14, are encamped in tents at Deadwood, on fine grass land at the altitude of more than 1,700 feet, the famous house in which Napoleon died. And right comfortable these prisoners of war must be, for while Jamestown is at this time of the year a veritable stewpan, made the hotter and more uncomfortable by the heat re-flected by the steep, dull red, volcanic rock on three sides, Deadwood is fresh and cool, with delightful views of hill after hill and an outlook for many miles across the deep blue Atlantic. Kent Cottage, which is the present home of Cronje and his small retinue, is pleasantly situated, though the approach is by no means enticing. It is just such a cottage as may be seen on the outskirts of many an English village. Imagine an unpretentious twosharply are the eyes turned inward and the greater is the effort required of the yellow-washed walls standing out clearinner muscles to bring the eyes to the right position and hold them there side. The window frames and shutters are painted the same shade of the right position and hold them there is are painted the same shade of the right position and hold them there is are painted the same shade of the right position and hold them there is a repainted the same shade of the right position and hold them there is a repainted the same shade of the right position and hold them there is the right position and hold the right position are right position and hold the right position and hold the right position are right position and hold the right position are right position.

of the Cape Colony. In front runs a There is also some pretense "stoep." at a flower garden, but it is sadly neglected. The garden is enclosed by a black wooden paling, and still further in front is a little more cultivated land with banana and a few other trees. The scene is simplicity itself, but for the bell tent in the right-hand front corner of the garden, and the steady tramp of khaki-clad sentries, east, west,

north and south. On the stoop and beneath the veran-dah for the best part of the day sits General Cronje, dark of visage, some-what long-bearded, and with hair turning gray. His eyes are deep-set, dark and ferret-like, and his demeanor is one of extreme reserve. Piet Cronje can speak English almost as well as any Transvaaler of Dutch extraction, but you may ply him in vain with questions in English. He positively refuses to speak anything but his native "taal," and even then his replies are fittle more than monosyllables. He libtle to say about anything, and is difficult to draw. Of course, he feels his position. You may see that written large upon his face, but, contrary to what so many people think, he appears to be very grateful for any kindness that is shown him, and fully appreciates the efforts that are made to se-cure his comfort. Beyond this he is as the Sphinx. He sits in the brooding

attitude of Napoleon. It is a strange character, this of Piet Cronje. Charges of terrible cruelty have been laid at his door, and somehow, when you carefully regard his face, you feel sure that the man is capable of violating the terms of an armistice or firing on the women and children's laager. Yet there are some redeeming features, as, for when the fire of patriotism lights his eye, and more particularly in the hom-

is the defeated General's close compan-ion. Others who are blood relations emerge from the house and remain for a brief while beneath the verandah, but there is about them restlessness and impetuosity of the younger Boer when under restraint. A MERCENARY SOLDIER OF FOR-

TUNE. Quite a different man is Commandant Schiel. Here you have one who has received training in European military schools. There is much of the soldier of fortune about him, but there is much that is superficial and insincere. When I last saw Commandant Schiel he was a prisoner on board H. M. S. Penelope, at Simon's Town. has recovered from his wound and occupies a tent standing alone and within sight of the house in which Napoleon lived and died. But it is the same

At Simon's Town the sight of ladies in a boat approaching the prison ship sent him into an ecstasy of delignt and he would chatter away with fer-vor about "the dear ladies." Almost as soon as I stepped ashore at St. Helena there was placed in my hands a photograph of Schiel being driven along the main street on his way to Deadwood Camp. His eyes were raised and you follow their direction to an open window on an upper floor at which sat two girls. Yes, I thought, it is the same Schiel. Talk to him at Deadwood and there is the same assumption—it is not real—of the old devil-may-care spirit.

"Next time I fight," he says, "it shall be on the side of the British," but you feel instinctively that if he ever fights again it will be on the side that pays him best. "Oh, the war will not last long," he tells you; "that is, if one thing happens. If you beat the Boers well at

Kroomstad it will be all over in three weeks." stead of being a symptom of suffering from the heat, is a sign of relief therefrom. And it may be accepted by all most pleadingly he will tell you that

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he is not at all well treated, and that he has made application to be allowed to roam the island on parole. Yet all the time this insincere creature knows that he has been guilty of more attempts to escape than any other of the

prisoners. treated. This I know as a fact, and as a result of personal inquiries and observation on the spot. But, of course, there will be some objectors. Schiel, for example, declares that the British prisoners at Pretoria are permitted to go out picnicking and so forth; and then he will make comparisons. But of this statement we have no confirma-But tion. Other prisoners, however, speak well of their treatment, and I do know as a fact that all of them are better fed and get more meat than their guards.

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The master's lips twitched slightly et this ingenuous confession, but he instantly controlled his amusement. he said, turning to Arthur, who looked surprised, "I was looking, as Louis says—I saw the whole proceeding. You were a bully and a coward, sir, to attack a boy younger than yourself, to say nothing of the insulting language that you used to him to begin with. I do not approve of fighting or knocking down, as a but I must say that I cannot! blame Dunbar in this instance, and I slipped my watch into my desk, in-think he defended himself as neatly tending to take it to the jeweler's and and deftly as it ever was my lot to have it fixed this noon. But I forgot see anyone do. He restrained himself longer than most boys would have done, and conducted himself in a right manly fashion. Aspinwall, you may be, as you are in the habit of boasting, the son and heir of a judge, but you will prove yourself a very unworthy one if you do not turn over a new leaf.

You may both be seated, but let me neither see nor hear anything more

Louis slipped into his seat, his face a deep crimson, but looking greatly re-lieved, and quietly took up his books. Arthur dropped heavily into his seat with a sulky air, shooting as he did so a glance of hate at his antagonist, while from that day he nursed a grudge against him and watched for an opportunity to be revenged upon him. He could not forgive him for having come off conqueror in the contest, and much less for the public humiliation to which he had just been subjected by his indignant teacher.

The winter passed very quickly to Louis, who grew more and more interested in his studies as the weeks went by. He applied himself most indus-triously to his books, and of course made rapid progress.

When spring came and he informed Mr. Allen that he should be obliged to leave school for another season on the farm, as he was still to remain with Brown, that gentleman manifest-

ed sincere regret.
"It is a pity," he said; "if I could only have you for the next few years I would make a thorough scholar of

I am afraid I cannot afford to be a scholar, sir, for I have my own living to earn," Louis replied, but with a wistful glance at his books, which he had begun to love right well.
"Have you no friends who could aid

you in getting an education?" asked r. Allen, thoughtfully.
"No, sir; none that I know of.

to study by myself?' "You might if you do not have to

work too hard on the farm; and, Louis, I shall be glad to lay out your essons for you and hear you recite once or twice a week, if you can find

Farmer Brown had grown really at-

year upon the same terms as those of matter thoroughly.

"Do you know anything about As-Louis felt that it was a good offer,

and unhesitatingly accepted it, and entered upon his work with the same eagerness that he had shown before. He had proved himself so efficient and trustworthy that his employer placed great confidence in him, and during the berry season he often supervised the picking and packing of the fruit, and was even allowed at times to go in town to market with the

In this way he was able to dispose of his own berries more advantageousthe farmer still allowing him to self. pick for himself in his own time. Thus, when fall came on, he found himself possessor of more than a hun-

dred and fifty dollars. He began now to feel almost as if farm was his home; he had grown very fond of Mr. and Mrs. Brown, while they treated him much as they would have treated their own

As the summer passed, and the time for the fall term of school drew near, have had him proven the thief. he found himself looking forward to it with pleasant anticipation. He had told Mr. Allan that he was coming back to him, much to that gentleman's gratification, for he felt sure that Louis Dunbar was no ordinary boy, and would well repay any whihe he might put forth in his be-

But before entering school Louis went one day to Boston, with the farmer to advise him, and purchased a good, neatly fitting suit of clothes. He felt that he could not again be subjected to the mortification of the previous winter; and truly, when he appeared in his nobby apparel, there was not a boy in school who presented a better appearance.

#### CHAPTER V.

Arthur Aspinwall was also still a pupil in Mr. Allan's school, and this circumstance was the only really disagreeable feature of Louis' life at the lets them have everything.

The judge's son was more superciliprevious winter, and he took no pains to conceal the fact that his dislike, even hatred, of Louis, had increased rather than abated.

One morning Louis hurried through | George his chores and started for school con-when I got down I 'mos' had a fit of siderably earlier than usual. heart disease." There were some difficult problems

in arithmetic to be solved that morn- ask for a second helping?" ing, and he had not yet succeeded in getting them right. There was no one in the school-room your money at home?"

when he reached it, and he bent himself to his task with a will that soon conquered all difficulties. Then, it being some time before the bell would ring, he fell into a fit of musing. Among other things his mind went should drap dead.'

back to that day of little Margaret Houghten's party, and her kindness to member him.

Almost unconsciously as he sat thus recalling that brightest experience of his life, he drew a black cord from neck and began toying with a small gold coin that was attached to it. So absorbed was he in his reflections that he did not hear the school-room door open, nor was he conscious of the presence of any one else until Arthur Aspinwall passed him with a stealthy step on his way to his own

Their eyes met, and Louis colored and hastily concealed his precious coin with a half-guilty air.

Arthur apparently took no notice of either him or his act, but his eyes glittered with a strange light, and there was a peculiar expression on his young face all the morning.

That afternoon he came in late, and "Aw!' interrupted the old mar Mr. Allen, who looked up as he enter- "Mixed up in a game of chess, hey?"

ed, observed that he appeared flurried, and that his face wore an anxious expression.

He went directly to his desk-his master still watching him-bent down and looked within.

An expression of relief immediately replaced that of anxiety as he drew forth his watch and slipped it into his vest pocket. Then all at once he started and began to examine his chain attentively.

The next moment he started straight for the teacher's desk with a very red

"Mr. Allen, was there anyone in the

"No one except Louis Dunbar. have given him permission to remain here, as he is obliged to stay at noon. Why

"I left my watch here today; the bar that fastens the chain in my button-hole broke this morning, and I it, and now I find that someone has taken one of my charms, a gold dollar that my mother gave me one Christmas four or five years ago. See!"

and Mr. Allen saw that something had evidently been wrenched from a tiny ring that was attached to it.

He remembered having seen a gold coin suspended there, and he looked very grave as he listened to the boy's

complaint, while he studied his face

He held up the chain as he spoke,

intently. "It was a very careless thing to do, to leave your watch in the school room; you might have slipped chain and all into your pocket, and then it would have been safe," Mr. Allen said,

in reply. 'Yes, sir, I know I might: but I thought something might happen to it whele I was playing at recess, and that it would be safer here. I am sorry about the dollar, though, because mother gave it to me."

'You are quite sure it was attached to your chain when you took the watch asked his teacher. off : 'Yes, sir; everything was all right

but the bar; that I have here," and he drew it forth and held it up to view. 'Do you suspect anyone? Do you bowls and dishes. think of anyone who would be likely to rob you of the coin?" 'I do not think I should like to say that I do, sir," responded Arthur, with

apparent reluctance "Very well; you may go to your seat and I will make some inquiries regarding the matter," returned Mr. Allen,

looking greatly troubled. Arthur obeyed, and the master immediately called the school to order, related what Arthur had told him,

and asked if anyone had seen a coin like the one he described. No one answered, and every eye was bent upon the master in grave inquiry

and perplexity. "No, sir; none that I know or. don't seem to belong to anybody," redon't seem to belong to anybody," regulity of taking that which belonged guilty of taking that which belonged that this coin is missing. have to take care of myself. I won- to another; but this coin is missing, der if I could do anything by trying and it is evident that it could not have become detached from Aspinwall's chain without hands. Louis, was there anyone in the room with you during the morning?" inquired the gentleman, turning kindly to him.

"No, sir." The master hesitated. He had learn-And so for the present it was ar-ed to repose the utmost confidence in ranged that he should study as much the boy, and he could not bear to as he could by himself and recite on question him too closely about the Wednesday and Saturday evenings to matter. But he knew that suspicion would naturally fasten upon him, be Farmer Brown had grown really attached to the boy, and proposed that his dinner and remained in the school he should remain with him for another room, and it was his duty to sift the

> pinwall's loss?" he asked, with an effort.

"No, sir; I did not even know that his watch was in the room," was the prompt reply. "Were you here all the noon hour?"

"All but a very few minutes, when I went across the street to the store to get a pencil, and there was no one here when I came back." He looked so honest, and spoke so confidently, that no one in the room believed him to be guilty of the theft,

unless it was Arthur Aspinwall him-"How long were you gone, do you think?" questioned Mr. Allen.

"Perhaps five minutes, sir; not more than that." Somone might have entered the room and stolen the coin in that time, if it had been known that the watch was there, but it seemed unlikely. However, Mr. Allen was glad to give Louis the benefit of the doubt; it would have shocked him greatly to

[To be continued.]

#### Light and Shade.

Little drops of rain brighten the meadows, and little acts of kindness brighten the world.

Teacher-Johnny, in what way did Noah display his wisdom? Johnny-Went in when it was rainin'.

"Your wife is a finished musician, I understand. You bet. Why, she hasn't even had time to look at the piano since the baby came!'

"The little girls next door have the

To enjoy life is a happy art: to ous, if possible, than he had been the make others enjoy theirs is a greater one .- Ram's Horn

"I tuk two gals down street last night to git 'em some ice cream," said
 i George Washington Snowball, "but Washington Snowball,

"What was the trouble? Did they 'What was the reason?" "Did you discover that you had left

'No, sa; dat wasn't what was de matter at all. It was when we got in sight ob de place, as you please, sahone gal on each arm, you kno'-an' when we got in sight ob de ice cream saloon I read dat sign, an' I fought I

"What did the sign say?" him. He wondered if he should ever "It said: 'Ice Cream, \$1.25 Per Gal.' see her again, and if she would re- I had two gals, you know, besides

Customer-You sell cracked eggs at half-price, do you not? Clerk-Yes'm; we always make a 50 per cent reduction on cracked goods. Anything else today? Customer-Yes, you may give me a dollar's worth of cracked wheat. Here's

50 cents .- State Journal. "Poppa," said Miss Lucetta, who had recently graduated from the village academy, and was consequently learned and accomplished a great plenty, "do you know the story of Rip

Van Winkle? "D'no 'z I do," replied honest Farm-Gap. "What'd he do, Lucetty?" Gap. "Why, for twenty years he remained in one spot, motionless and—"
"Aw!" interrupted the old man.

The human race has no place in its heart for a coward, so, no matter how rugged and steep the path of life at room during intermission today?" he asked with some excitement of manageous heart and climb, climb, without faltering.

GOOD BYE, GOD BLESS YOU. I love the words,—perhaps because When I was leaving mother, Standing at last in solemn pause We looked at one another, And I-I saw in mother's eyes The love she could not tell me, A love eternal as the skies Whatever fate befell me; She put her arms about my neck And soothed the pain of leaving, And though her heart was like break.

She spoke no word of grieving; She let no tear bedim her eye For fear that might distress me But, kissing me, she said good-bye, And asked our God to bless me. By Eugene Field.

WILD FLOWERS IN DECORATION. Wild flowers make the prettiest possible sort of decoration for a country

house. while securing variety by the aid of foliage. Choose only one or two kinds of flowers at a time, and see that they are of striking form or color.

Branches of dogwood and apple blossoms set in green and brown painted jars give a pretty Japanese effect to a room, especially when the floors are covered with matting and the furniture and ornaments are scanty. Poppies, daffodils, tulips and the like are most effective when placed in round

SUMMER HATS.

The up-to-date summer hat is of very coarse straw, preferably yellow in col-or, with a wide brim and high crown. These hats are trimmed with velvet Grapes, cherries, plums and crab apples, currants and strawberries decorate the choicest of the summer models. Such sights as black strawberries, blue cherries and green peaches will be familiar things.

DON'TS FOR BOOK LOVERS. Don't borrow books from private

Don't lend books. No one will treat your books as you yourself do if you love them. Don't wet your fingers when turning

Don't leave a book face down, i.e., Don't shut a book up with anything

bigger than a narrow ribbon in it. Don't turn down corners. Don't mark a book in any way unless Don't increase the quantity of your

books at the expense of the quality in contents. Don't scorn cheap books if you cannot afford better publications. Don't buy cheap books if you can afford better ones.

Don't keep books in damp places. Don't keep books on open shelves if you can avoid it. Don't forget that bookcases with dust-

proof glass doors are best. Don't forget that good books are the best company in the world, if read understandingly and appreciatively. There is such Don't read too much.

a thing as book indigestion.

Don't handle books carelessly. Treat them as if they were alive. Don't buy new books until you are certain they are worth owning. Most new books that are published are never heard of after their first season, and are not worth having in one's private

HOUSEHOLD DONT'S.

Here are a few "dont's" which those about to furnish a house would do well to bear in mind, if they wish their rooms to be not only in good taste and artistic, but well kept, sweet and clean and, in one comprehensive word, thoroughly dainty in every respect. Don't overload your rooms with fur-

niture or pictures. Don't choose elaborately designed curtains, hangings or tablecloths for a room with a floral paper. Don't waste your money on a whole accumulation of cheap bric-a-brac. It only helps to gather dust and dirt. Don't choose plain curtains with

plain carpet and wall paper. Don't choose a blue paper and white paint for a room with a cold-i. e., northern-aspect. Don't indulge in painted milking stools

or painted drain pipes. Don't waste your money on plush brackets, plush cup and saucer holders or painted tambourines. Don't drape your looking glasses with

art muslin, or, for the matter of that, with anything at all. Don't buy imitations of good things in the way of furniture. If you cannot afford the originals, do without, and

content yourself with something which is what it professes to be. Don't tie bows on the backs of your chairs. Don't indulge in art muslin draperies.

Don't paint your windows at all. They are more easily kept clean if without such ornamentation. Don't imagine that a plentitude of furniture means a well-furnished house. It does nothing of the sort. Don't waste your money on a draw. ing-room sideboard (so-called), And

if you are unfortunate enough to possess one already don't overload it with cheap china ornaments. Don't buy cheap saddlebag, velvet, or plush furniture.
Finally, buy the least amount of furniture you can do with, and let it be of as simple a design as possible, and your house is sure to be well fur-

nished.-Brooklyn Times.

ADELINA PATTI'S TRIUMPH, Mme. Adelina Patti celebrated her 67th birthday recently by giving a concert in London, which was attended by an immense audience. Upon the occasion the English critics say she looked the picture of health and almost as young as ever, and was in her best voice. She sang the "Casta Diva," 'Deh! Vieni," and "Il Bacio," and for encores to each the "Batti, Batti," Latti's "Pur dicesti," and, of course, "Home, Sweet Home," for it was always sweat home to Adelina Part ways sweet home to Adelina Patti wherever she may happen to be. great prima donna had a most enthusiastic reception and was loaded down with laurel wreaths and baskets and bouquets of flowers. The spectacle of a singer at age of 57 making a public appearance long after the time when other vocalists have retired from the stage to private life or settled down into the ruts of teaching is a rare one in the history of music. But Patti, thanks to a temperate, sensible mode of living, and inexpensive filling for tarts when to the perfect way in which her voice cold weather makes such things seem is placed, and to the astonishing skill-appetizing may be made from goosefulness of her consummate art, is one berries. Put six pounds of ripe goosefulness

of those singers who defy time. She is still queen of the lyric stage and her subjects the world over will regret the time, if it ever comes, when she will

SUMMER GLOVES.

Among the specialties in gloves for the summer season are some English varieties in lisle thread, looking more like suede than anything else, in their delicate shades of pearl gray, fawn or drab, and again in black, with white points. Although of ordinary four-but-ton length they are fastened with the two big buttons which are a feature of the new gloves this season. Among other "summer fabric" gloves pretty ones are made in lisle thread lace, openwork all over, in black and white only, while others are in spun silk, fancy openwork lace bands, making them delightfully cool.

FOR BRUISES.

Bread soaked in vinegar and applied cold is excellent for a bruise, and cold turpentine affords relief. Children frequently tumble about when beginning to walk and knock their heads against something hard. A big lump often appears. A piece of raw beef laid on at once will soon cause this to lessen in size, and vaseline or butter should be applied afterward to prevent discolor-

VIRGINIA CREAM SHERBET. Three pints of water, juice of four lemons, and one cup of sugar mixed together. Beat to a froth the whites of three eggs, half pint of sweet cream and one ounce of sugar. When stiff, mix with the water and lemon juice and freeze. Oranges or oranges and lemons may be used instead of lemons alone.

A WOMAN SHOULD DRESS WELL AT HOME.

At home a woman should be guided in her manner of dressing by an even greater desire to please than elsewhere. Her husband may be the most unobserv-ant of men, but he will know when she looks neat and attractive, with hair newly dressed, and some pretty arrangement about the bodice of her gown. The practice of wearing soiled finery at home cannot be too strongly deprecated.-Ladies' Home Journal.

WELL MEANT.

American wheelmen traveling alone in Europe have many queer experi-ences. A young man who was bicycling in Southern France was pushing his wheel up a steep hill when he overtook a peasant with a donkey-cart who was rapidly becoming starled, the little donkey was doing his best. The benevolent wheelman, putting his left hand against the back of the cart and guiding his wheel with the other, pushed so hard that the donkey, tak-

ing fresh courage, pulled up his load to the top successfully. The summit reached, the peasant burst into thanks to his benefactor. "It was very good of you, monsieur, he said, "I should never in the world have got up the hill with only one don-

SUMMER NOVELTIES.

Toile de sole is a new material very much like tulle and is made with sprays of flowers to cover its delicate surface. It is one of the prettiest of the summer fabrics. Grenadines were never so sumptuous as this year, made, as they are, with all sorts of rich embroideries applied to their surface and all manner of rich and dainty shades brought out by the manufacturer's art. Silk embroidered muslins are expensive, but they are so lovely and are capable probably of many future transformations, as their vogue is likely to continue, with some modifications, through another season.

Fine light fabrics through which run bars of lace or inset fanciful pieces of the lace drapes, Japanese silks and grenadine de sole, figured voile, are all materials which the fashionable dressmakers have used liberally in the fashioning of the very chic summer dresses for afternoon or evening wear. Evening gowns are wreathed with flowers, the girdles and the straps on the shoulders being often fashioned of blossoms.

The light evening wraps, too, are all vaporous, fluffy affairs, thoroughly in keeping with the gowns. They are oftrimmed in a profusion of artificial flowers in their natural shades. Entire yokes are made of the petals of flowers with the effect of dewdrops, aided by a generous sprinkling of strass spangles.

THE BOY'S CLOTHING.

A boy's clothes should be comfortable: his shoes large enough, his collars well fitting; his suits neither too heavy nor too thin for the weather. Fashion should have little to say to him. He must own some suitable raiment for church or the occasional party, but ordinarily he should not be required to wear clothes which prevent his playing ball or marbles when the fancy seizes him. His health will suffer less from the contact with the muddy earth than from following the ideas of the mother who requires leathern leggins from ankle to hip one winter and bare knees and Scotch kilts the next. It is a serious mistake to demand spotless clothing from a boy. His temper suffers from being fussed over. It is well enough to be en prince on occasions, but for most days boys should be permitted to clothing which will not be injured too easily.

GOOSEBERRY RECIPES. The gooseberry is somewhat neglect-

ed by the majority of housekeepers. It makes most delicious jelly and pre-serves, and is, besides that, good in some dessert dishes. For instance, wash a quart of gooseberries, having removed all the stems. Make a syrup of one-half cup of water and two cups of sugar, and let it boil five minutes. At the end of that time add the gooseberries, and let them cool till tender enough to mash. Crush them and set them aside. Put two cupfuls of milk on the stove to heat, and when the berries are thoroughly cold stir them in and let them simmer for five minutes. A little nutmeg grated over the top is an improveent. Finally, remove from the fire and add the well-beaten yolks of two eggs. This is to be served very cold with cream and sugar. Gooseberry sauce is fully as good as

apple sauce as an accompaniment to roast pork in the winter time. It may be made by following the directions given in the foregoing recipe up to the point where the berries are added to the syrup. Let them cook until they are clear and tender, then pour into glass A sort of jam that is an excellent and inexpensive filling for tarts when

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#### 00000000000000 The Poets.

00000000000000 For the Man Who Fails.

The world is a snob, and the man who wins. Is the chap for its money's worth;

And the lust for success causes half of sins That are cursing this brave old earth. For it's fine to go up, and the world's

applause
Is sweet to the mortal ear; But the man who fails in . noble

Is a hero that's no less dear. 'Tis true enough that the laurel crown Twines but for the victor's brow; For many a hero has lain him down With naught but the cypress bough,

There are gallant men in the losing fight. And as gallant deeds are done As ever graced the captured height,

Or the battle grandly won. We sit at life's board with our nerves high strung, And we play for the stake of fame,

And our odes are sung and our banner hung For the man who wins the game, But I have a song of another kind Than breathes in these fame-

wrought gales-An ode to the noble heart and mind Of the gallant man who fails!

The man who is strong to fight his fight. And whose will no front can daunt, If the truth be truth and the right be

right, Is the man that the ages want, Tho' he fail and die in grim defeat, Yet he has not fled the strife, And the house of Earth will seem more

For the perfume of his life. -Paul Laurence Dunbar.

Regret. I might have said a word of cheer Before I let him go, His weary visage haunts me yet: But how could I foreknow That slighted chance would be the last To me in mercy given? utmost yearnings cannot send That word from earth to heaven.

I might have looked the love I felt; My brother had sore need Of that for which—too shy or proud He lacked the speech to plead. But self is near and self is strong. As I was blind that day; He sought within my careless eyes And went, athirst, away.

O word, and look, and clasp withheld! O brother heart, now stilled! Dear life forever out of reach I might have warmed and filled! Talents misused and seasons lost, O'er which I mourn in vain-A waste as barren to my tears As desert sands to rain.

Attendant Angels.

There are two angels that attend unseen Each one of us, and in great books record Our good and evil deeds. He who writes down The good ones, after every action closes His volume, and ascends with it to God.

Till sunset that we may repent; which doing The record of the action fades away, And leaves a line of white across the Now if any act be good, as I believe it, It cannot be recalled. It is already

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THE KITCHEN GOD.

close or the feast he is taken from the range and burned, which process is supposed to waft him swiftly on the wings of flame into the august presence of the god-in-chief. amily is left without a god for a few days, until the beginning of the new year, when a new paper is secured and the Kitchen God is invoked to return and preside over the destinies of the family.

The Boxer is not tied to any one god. In fact, he has an infinite number and variety to choose from. He has great contempt for the man or nation, either, who has but one god. How poverty stricken must such a man or nation be! One can find any kind of a god he wishes. When he thinks a storm would be beneficial to his crops he petitions Lue Kung, the God of Thunder, and if he secures the active support of his wife Lue-po, the Goddess of Lightning, he will be accommodated with the most terrific storm. When he is about to die, and desire a new lease of life, he offers his prayer to Tau-mu, a goddess of eight hands. When a man desires knowledge he lays the matter before the San Tsing, the "Three Pure

But perhaps he relies most on his relathers to be his aid in every time of trouble. The objects worshiped are ancestral tablets and portraits of the deceased. The tablets are made of wood, and are about a foot high. Characters are engraved on them, giving the precise time of the birth and death, and the rank of the deceased. The tablets of a man's parents, if both are dead, are worshiped together. Few tablets of deceased females are found in the tempes, although they are sometimes found in separate side apartments.

It is supposed that a man has three spirits, one of which, after death, resides in the tablet, another In the tomb and the third in Hades, from which place it will eventually return in the body of some individ-

Offerings are made at the tomb and at the costly family temples. The worship is much the same in its character as that of idols, and consists in prostrations, offerings of cooked food, and the burning of incense, candles and paper money, and sometimes theatrical plays for the edification and amusement of the deceased. New Year and the deceased's birthday are observed with particular

Yuh-hwang-ta-ti, the chief of all the gods, has temples erected to him exclusively. The people pay little attention to him, however, as he is thought to be so high above them that he cannot trouble himself with their concerns.

The God of War receives a good deal of attention. His aid is invoked when any military expedition is to be set on foot. The God of Wealth treated with the same esteem as the Almighty Dollar. Although he is inferior in rank to some of the other deities of China, he is probably more extensively worshiped than any of them. Not only are large temples



LUE KUNG, THE GOD OF THUN erected in his honor, but each shopkeeper has a small image of him, before whom he almost continually offers incense. Scholars think very highly of the God of Letters.

There is no state religion in our ense of the word. There are, however, certain ceremonies that belong entirely to the State and its officers. But these ceremonies belong to the State only because they are appropriate for the State. They are chiefly a perpetuation of anoient usages, and are conducted and regulated for the most part by rules prescribed in the ancient classics and in the Book of

Rights.

Each city contains a temple erected in honor of Confucius, in which offisers are required to present worship

and autumnal equinoxes There is not an image in this temple. as the people have too much respect for Confucius to worship him through an image.

There are so many gods in China and their prerogatives seem so hope lessly intermixed that a foreigne can remotely comprehend the belief: of this people. An article realignmaking their religion clear would take a volume.

#### THE TYPEWRITER GIRL.

Thomas G. Shearman, the New York Law yer, Was the "Father" of the Young Ladies of the Cuit.

Thomas G. Shearman, the Nev York lawyer and pillar in Plymouth Church under Henry Ward Beecher, Lyman Abbott and Newell Dwight Hillis, is the reputed father of the typewriter girl. And he doesn't deny

"Yes, I am the father of the fem-inine typewriter," says Mr. Shearman, "and I am mighty proud of the distinction, as I am likewise proud of my big family of girls. Haven't the least idea how many there are of them now, but they number tens and tens of thousands, I know, and they are scattered all over the globe, from New York to Manilla, and from Cape Nome to South Africa. Twenty-five years ago there was none anywhere in the world.

"In 1876 the 'typewriter woman' was born. In that year a young woman, the daughter of a dear friend of mine who had died but a short time before, came to me with the information that she was going to go out into the world and earn her own living. She asked my advice, and I told her to study shorthand. This she did immediately, and while doing so I instructed her in the use of the typewriting machine at my own home.

When she had completed her course at a business college she announced her intention of trying to get employment in a lawyer's office. Thinking it would be better to begin a business life with strangers, I applied to several of my friends in Wall street, including some of the best known lawyers in the city, but without exception they positively refused to entertain the idea. In fact, they were horror-stricken at the very suggestion of such a thing.

"Then, as I had been the one to advise the young woman to take the it the man on the scene must know step that she had, there was nothing exactly where the pole was on such left for me to do but make a place for her in my office, advising her to obtain another position as soon as she could. At that time no woman was employed in any law office in any capacity, but after one example surface. had been set it was followed within



THOMAS G. SHEARMAN.

two years by a few other lawyers, and one of the very law tirms that had originally refused with positive terror to employ the young woman now sent for her and gave her a very liberal salary for those times. She became private secretary of the head of the firm, and was employed in much confidential and important

"When the lawyer with whom this young woman worked for many years retired from practice she removed to Chicago, where she speedtly obtained employment, earning \$20 a week for the first year, and afterwards, by working in two places, one in the day and the other in the evening, \$40 a week. But in the second year she married one of her employers, and thus established a triple record - of being the first woman typewriter, the first female clerk in a New York law office and the first of a long line of typewriters who subsequently married their employers. When I last saw the 'mother of the typewriter girl' she was in Paris, prosperous and

#### Horse or Beef.

The first day horseflesh was served out at Kimberley some of it was cooked for the officers' mess at the mounted camp. At the table Peak-man said: "Gentlemen, I am sorry to say that we are unable to get all our ration in beef to-day, and had to take part of it in horseflesh. This which I am carving is beef. The horse is at the other end, and anyone who prefers it can help himself. Nobody did prefer it and so they all ate beef and made a good dinner. When they had finished, Peakman suddenly exclaimed: "By Jove! gentlemen, I find I have made a mistake in the joints. This is the horseflesh, and the other is beef." It was just a dodge of his to get them started on the horseflesh .- Diary of Dr. Oliver Ashe.

Can't Get Cutario Lumber. The recent disasters which have overtaken lumbermen in Ontario are beginning to make themselves felt in the lumber market. Between the big fire at Ottawa and the difficulty in floating logs in the north on account of the dry condition of the river beds, contractors at Sault Ste. Marie have had to import lumber from British Columbia for the first time in the history of lumbering in

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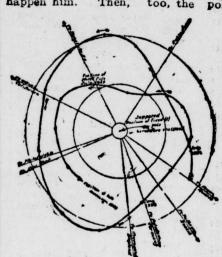
# THE WOBBLING NORTH POLE

Finder Will Have to Keep Traveling to Keep Up With It.

The Comedy Side of the Search for the North Pole in the Light of Recent Scientific Discoveries-Diagram of the Path of the Recent Movements of the North Pole.

When one stops to think of it the search for the north pole is one of the funniest things imaginable. The question has been asked, How is a man to know when he has reached the north pole? How is he to find his way back home? is another. It would take a scientific man and considerable space to answer.

But here is an odder proposition. Suppose an explorer actually makes his way to where the north pole ought to be, and when he gets there finds that it has moved. Yet this is precisely what science says will happen him. Then, too, the pole



PATH OF THE RECENT MOVEMENTS OF THE NOHTH POLE.

(Plotted from Special Report from Potsdam Observatory, Germany.

moves in a most mysterious way. There are no wagon tracks to show the direction it took; no trail to follow. And in order to catch up with and such a date, and where it ought to be on that particular day that he hopes to overtake it. In other words the pole is not a fixed but a constantly varying point on the earth's

Professor S. C. Chandler of New Haven, Conn., is the man to whom the credit is due for having demonstrated not only that the poles are in motion but for determining after a long series of mathematical calculations the direction of the movement and the law by which it could be approximately predicted. For his wonderful study of all available observations Professor Chandler was awarded the gold medal by the Royal Astronomical Society.

Columbia University Observatory is at present engaged in important confirmatory observations which were to have been completed May 1 this year. The work has been extending over a series of six and one-half years. The observers are Professors Rees and Jacoby and Dr. H. S. Davis of New York City. The zenith telescope used throughout this work was made by Waunscaff of Berlin for this special purpose. Up to the present time measurements have been made upon 6,518 pairs of stars, and the observed epochs correspond to the computed time very closely.

R. H. Tucker of the Lick Observatory on Mount Hamilton has made a provisional determination of the amount of latitude change at the location of that observatory, and fixes it at one-tenth of a second of latitude yearly

The International Geodetic Association is undertaking a systematic study and accurate determination of the movements of the poles at six specially selected observatories strung along the thirty-ninth parallel of north latitude aroung the world. Important results may be expected from their hearty co-operation in the investigation. Professor Charles Doolittle of the

Flower Observatory of the University of Pennsylvania, as the result of his most careful research in this direction, concludes that at Philadelphia the movement of latitude amounts to at least forty feet annually. The strange aspect of the matter, however, is that it is varying in rate of movement, due to causes which have not been yet discovered. Furthermore, the motion may increase its speed at any time.

The consequences of this discovery are far-reaching. The sea level is changing, and even the motion of the moon is affected by the displacement of the earth's axis and the resulting uneven rotation. The longi-tude and latitude of all points are fluctuating, and this method of fixing position of the earth's surface may have to be superseded or much modified. The instability of the pole and the shifting of latitude will disconcert the geodetic surveyors, raise legal complication and controversies over deeds and descriptions of land. and may upset state and national boundaries to some extent, and require many adjustments not now foreseen. The northern boundaries of the United States are given in terms of latitude, and the discovered vacillation of latitude will unsettle the exact boundaries and virtually alter their legally established positions. This will throw into confusion nearly 9,000 miles of state boundaries. man living this year in the Dominion of Canada may find himself in the United States next year, or vice versa.

The International Geodetic Association has prepared an elaborate scheme for the systematic observation of these variations of latitude. The same general form of zenith instrument will be used in all the observatories, and the best for the purpose. Although three stations could have determined the polar motions with considerable accuracy, yet for the sake of greater precision six stations have been selected. The work is now in progress and the following are the official observatories co-oper-1, Terre di San Vittorio, Carlo

forte, in the Island of San Pletro, near the coast of the Island of Sar-

2. A place nine kilometres north of Charjui, on the Amu Daria.

3. The observatory at Mizusawa. in the valley of Kitakami, Japan. 4. The observatory established especially for this work at Ukiah, Cal. 5. The permanent observatory of the University of Cincinnati.

6. At Gaithersburg, Md., a station on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, about thirty miles northwest of Washington.

The work of observation has been inaugurated and reports are already being received at Potsdam from Carloforte. Charjui and Cincinnati. It is intended that the observations shall extend through a period of five years. Deductions of the observations will be made at the Potsdam Observatory.

#### VAUDEVILLE.

The Latest Sensation Is a Balancing Act That Elicits Applause and Admiration Everywhere.

With vaudeville in such high favor everywhere in the country that men and women of prominence on the dramatic stage have been forced to turn to the variety stage for a living, the endeavor to find something new wherewith to amuse is simply tremendous. For a long time an acrobat who finished his performance by standing on his head on the trapeze bar and swinging to and fro in a balancing act as he did so, held the palm for novelty and daring. But he died in Spain a raving maniac. Since then several of his imitators have also been driven from the stage with insanity, and the act is now tabooed as conducive to mental disorder.

Just now two variety performers at the Victoria Roof Garden in New York are being hailed as the latest and most sensational artists in vaudeville. The Holloway trio, of which they are members, first do a tight wire act, and when the two men and a woman composing it walk a tight wire on stilts and wind up by doing a cake walk the acme of vaudeville art and sensationalism is supposed to have been reached. But



LATEST SENSATION IN VAUDEVILLE. the next feat is an even greater one. A ladder fifteen feet high is stood in the middle of the stage and one of the Holloways proceeds to climb it, balancing as he climbs. He goes all the way up, carefully balancing at every step. He then stands up there, one foot on each side of the ladder, balancing himself as one would on a pair of stilts. Then he begins moving the ladder about by means of

At a signal the other man begins climbing. After he reaches the top the two do feats of balancing. Finally one of the men stands on the other man's shoulders, playing a mandolin.

The audience watches this feat in breathless excitement. One little slip, one wrong inclination to either side, and both men would be hurled to the stage. There is a rope attached to a wire in front of the men. This they are supposed to grasp in case of a fall, but it would be of

small avail were the ladder to tip. When finally, after remaining on the ladder for about ten minutes, the men come down, a sigh of relief is audible over the entire roof garden.

It is a daring feat. Daring, yes; but not new. Only another demonstration that there is nothing new under the sun. Twenty years and more ago a clever pantomimist, Maffitt of Maffitt and Bartholomew, electrified audiences in the midst of clever pantomimes by appearing on a ladder, and after reaching the top, trotting all over the stage upon it as if it were a thing of life and wound up by giving a rather stumpy but clever imitation of an Irish breakdown.

#### In Search of a Name.

England is looking up new names for its Boer conquests, 'Chamberlainia" and "Robertsland" are suggested by the St. James' Gazette. which, however, would prefer something made up from the name of the future ruler of England, Edward VII.

Funny, But Just Why Nobody Knows. London is luxuriating in a new street phrase, "There's 'air," which excites mirth whenever and wherever employed. The newspapers are trying hard to find out what it means, and where it was first used, but have been unsuccessful so far.

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a Mighty Army.

Some Interesting Information About Khabarovsk, the Siberian City on China's Border-Base for Maneuvring the Russian Army in Asia-This Capital of the Eastern Provinces Was Founded 250 Years Ago.

Way down in the southeastern corner of Siberia, if you look on the map, you will find indicated a place called Khabarovsk. At the present time we must make the acquaintance of Khabarovsk if you would keep step with the rapid march of events in the much disturbed orient.



MANCHURIAN LABORERS BUILDING RUSSIAN BARRACKS.

The part that Vladivostok has played in furnishing a base for the Czar's naval force on the Pacific is the same kind of a part Khabarovsk plays in the manoeuvering of Russia's army in Asia. It is a great military base, around which for over a year Russia has been concentrating a great army.

It is situated just on the edge of China's most northern province, and it is in direct railway communica-tion with St. Petersburg, lying the breadth of a continent to the westward and with Vladivostok only a few hours in the other direction. It is the real den of the bear in the east, from whence, with one stretch of Its paw, it can put its claws on Pekin.

Khabarovsk is the seat of government for these eastern provinces of Siberia. The capital had its first foundation 250 years ago. Khabarov, a Cossack explorer and conqueror who is named as second only

Commencing Thursday, May 31, will leave at 11 p.m., except Saturday and Sunday of each week, at 11 p.m., No train connection on Sunday. to Yermak in Siberia, pioneered throughout the region watered by the Amur river and spent two or three years at the union of the Amur and the Ussuri, where the city now stands. His history was full of fighting with the Mantchoos, who resisted the invasion, and when at last he withdrew in 1654 the heights overlooking the rivers were not again occupied by Russians until nearly 200 years later, when Muraviev founded the city and named it in honor of his predecessor.

It is an evidence of the foresight and the military wisdom of that peasant Cossack that he selected the place where the Zeia river enters the Amur and the Ussuri as the most effective stations for Russian military posts on the Chinese frontier and that 200 years later Muraviev established Blagioveshchensk and Khabarovsk at these very points. They are now the two most important places on the Amur, the stations where thousands of Russian troops have been gathered in readiness for any work that they might be called upon hastily to do on the Manchurian frontier or farther into that province.

General Nikolai Ivanovich Grodekov is the representative of the power of Russia at K'abarovsk, being governor general of the Amur and maritime provinces and of Transbaikalia. Hills and valleys, alternate in

Khabarovsk as regularly as they do in St. Thomas, so that for almost any elevation one may have a charming view of the city and the rivers. The railway from Khabarovsk to Vladivostok has been in operation for about two years, being one of the first sections of the Siberian line completed. In ordinary times the trains make but three trips a week in each direction. The passenger trains cover the distance of 480 miles in 29 hours. The equipment is excellent, although no sleeping cars are run. The regular passenger cars of all classes are of the compartment style, and berths can be made out of the seats, so that comfort is easily in reach. A dining car serves all meals very satisfactorily. Between Khabarovsk and Vladivostok there are 30 stations. At nearly all of these Manchurian laborers have been busy for many months building bar. racks for the Russians. At the present time most of the completed barracks are occupied, and the work on others is being hurried along. Although there are many soldiers in Khabarovsk, the Russians have not made the mistake of congesting any one city with a great force. Instead small bodies of troops have been scattered all along the line where they can be easier handled.

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