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Ladies' Black Sateen Underskirts, full gore, with deep flounce, trimmed with 3 narrow frills and pleating, sizes 38, 40 and 42. Special ..... 89c

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Children's Tan Cotton Hose, seamless feet, shaped, spliced heel and toe, sizes 6, 6½, 7 and 7½, price ..... 15c pair

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Hand Purses in black and brown, gilt frame, leather handle. Sale price ..... 50c each

Paper Table Napkins, for picnics. Price ..... 5c dozen

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Large package of Note Paper and Envelopes, for ..... 8c package

**UNDERWEAR.**  
Ladies' Vests in pure white, sleeveless, taped neck. Sale price ..... 2 for 25c

**MEN'S UNDERWEAR, 75c SUIT**  
Men's Fine Balbriggan Underwear, ribbed wrist and ankles, sateen trimmed. Price ..... 75c suit

**LINEN TOWELS, 11c.**  
Linen Towels, 1 yard long, some fringed and some hemstitched, Saturday ..... 11c each

Torchon Laces and Insertion, 3 to 4 inches wide, value up to 8c yard, Saturday ..... 4c yard

Cushion Girdles, 3 yards long, assorted colors. Sale price, each ..... 25c

Castile Soap ..... 3 cakes for 10c

Castile Soap ..... 5c cake

Vaso Buttermilk Soap ..... 5c cake

Twin Bar Castile Soap ..... 5c cake

**A Gentle Hint About Our Candy Department**  
Our Candy Department is growing with tremendous strides. Everything new and up-to-date. We have placed an electric fan, which keeps the candies cool at all times. Our candies are always fresh and our customers appreciate them. A visit to this department will surely convince you that what we say is right.

**Basement Specials for Saturday**  
1 only refrigerator, with golden oak varnish and rubbed finish, extra heavy raised panels, zinc-lined ice pan, and galvanized steel shelves. Regular \$12.00, Saturday special ..... \$9.00

A few of those Printed Toilet Sets left at \$1.75, \$2.25 and \$3.75.

Also a line of White Ironstone China Dinner, Tea and Toilet-ware at special prices. Extra line of China Bread and Butter Plates, sale price 2 for 15c up to 25c each.

**HEADQUARTERS FOR GRANITE AND TINWARE.**

**J. M. THOMSON.**

## Barber Asphalt Company Secures Contract for Dundas Street Pavement

Price is About \$2.19 a Yard—Ready to Commence the Work and Push It.

No. 2 committee met last night and awarded the contract for the Dundas street pavement to the Barber Asphalt Company. Their tender was the only one received. They tendered also for the curbs and sewers. The Forest City Paving Company tendered, offering to do the work \$444 71 cheaper than the Barber Company. The committee were under the impression that the Barber Company could do the two jobs better than two contractors, and gave the Barber Company both contracts. The sum to be expended all told is \$29,155 71.

The tender of the Forest City Paving Company for the curbs and gutters on Dundas street was for \$3,510, as follows: "A" section, \$645; section "B", \$845; section "C", \$335; section "D", \$386; section "E", \$670; section "F", \$630.

The Barber Asphalt Company tendered for the curbs and gutters contract, naming as their price, \$3,954 71, divided as follows: "A", \$845 54; section "B", \$578 62; section "C", \$363 68; section "D", \$419; section "E", \$737; section "F", \$706 77.

**Only One Tender.**  
The Barber Asphalt Company's tender was the only one received for the pavement. Their contract called for an expenditure of \$28,301, divided as follows: Section "A", \$6,849; section "B", \$6,814; section "C", \$3,119; section "D", \$2,278; section "E", \$3,627; section "F", \$3,514. A trifle over 12,000 yards of pavement will be laid, costing about \$2 19 a yard. The last pavement cost about \$2 32 per yard. The pavement, curb and gutter were to be guaranteed for ten years.

The Barber Company are prepared to lay the pavement this year. On motion of Mayor Judd, the contract for both curb and gutter and pavement was given to the Barber Asphalt Company. It was pointed out that the company could construct both better than if the contracts were given to two firms.

**Start Immediately.**  
The work will be undertaken immediately. The company will put three gangs of men—50 in all—and they expect to have the work completed by fair time. The pavement will have a 6-inch crushed stone base, with an inch binder, and a 2-inch surface. A 10-ton roller will be put on the work also. If the pavement is not completed by fair week, the city engineer may stop the work until the fair is over.

Mr. Robert Fraser, Waterloo street, complained that the sidewalk on north Waterloo street, near Cheapside, passing his house was too low, and that he wanted it raised to the level of his lot. The city engineer was instructed to confer with Mr. Fraser, and see if the matter could not be arranged.

E. W. M. Flock petitioned, on behalf of a client, for the privilege of erecting a cigar stand on the registry

office ground. R. H. Dignan, the registrar, pointed out that such a building could not be erected on the grounds. The prayer of the petition was not granted.

**That Colborne Street Walk.**  
Mr. George Churchill, Mrs. Esther Thompson and Eldred Backus, residing on the west side of Colborne street between Regent and Huron streets, petitioned to have the new sidewalk laid according to the lay of the land. The walk has been nearly completed in the meantime, the contractor following the levels of the inspector, but was stopped on account of the petition. It would cost the city \$125 to change the grade to that desired by the petitioners. Mrs. Thompson threatens to sue the city for damages if the walk is laid according to the levels of the inspector, claiming that her property will be damaged to that extent. City Solicitor Meredith advised the engineer not to change the grades, as the city would then be liable for damages. The petition was laid over.

**The Depper Claim.**  
Mr. Chas. Depper, on behalf of his wife, who broke her foot in a defective sidewalk this year, agreed to accept \$600 in full of all claims, for the injuries received owing to the accident.

The committee had agreed to pay \$500 without prejudice. Mayor Judd had a conversation with the city solicitor, that in view of the Keough case, it would be advisable to settle the matter rather than stand the expense of a lawsuit, provided a reasonable settlement could be arrived at. These offers of course, were to be without prejudice or admission of liability.

Ald. Saunders thought the amount of damages asked was rather high. It was a large sum of money to pay for the accident, and he did not care to assume the responsibility of recommending the settlement. He preferred to send the matter to open council, and have the council settle it, without any recommendation from the committee. He would pay \$500, but not more.

Ald. Cooper moved that the matter be referred to the council, and Mr. Depper's offer be sent to the council without recommendation.

**Other Matters.**  
Mr. D. Wade asked that the sidewalk on Oxford street, opposite his property, be not laid this year. His request was granted, and the walk will not be built.

The Empire Manufacturing Company desired the city to continue the Dundas street sewer to the city limits. A motion was passed by the London Township council giving the company the privilege of laying a sewer from their property connecting with the city sewer at the city limits. The committee recommended that the sewer be continued to the city limits. It will probably be done by day labor.

The members present were: Chairman Matthews, Ald. Saunders, Ald. Cooper, Mayor Judd, City Engineer Graydon and Assistant Engineer Kirkpatrick. The committee will meet on Tuesday next.

## JOTTINGS FROM NEAR-BY PLACES

**THAMESFORD.**  
Thamesford, Aug. 1.—James Newton returns to Regina, after spending ten days at his home here.

Mr. N. C. McCarty has left for Winnipeg and points west on a trip combining pleasure with business.

The funeral of Thomas Hogt took place today at 1 p.m. from his father's residence, ninth line of Nissouri, to Kintore Cemetery.

Word comes of the very sudden death of David Baigent, one mile south of the village. Mr. Baigent worked in the hayfield until Tuesday evening. Next morning Mrs. Baigent became alarmed at his appearance, but when assistance came he was dead. This will be a great shock to his wife, as she was alone when the summons came. He was a highly respected gentleman, and will be greatly missed in the Sabbath school.

Mr. McGougan, of Glenora, was a visitor at Dr. McGougan's on Monday.

Mrs. Gawthorpe, who has been seriously sick, is reported better.

Mr. Bert Kern and wife, of Detroit, are home for a vacation.

**CENTRALIA.**  
Centralia, July 31.—Miss Emma Graham of Smallman & Ingram's, London, is visiting at the Methodist parsonage.

The public school trustees have chosen a site, a little west of the Methodist Church, for a new school house, which is expected to be ready by the 1st of January next.

A number from here picked at Grand Bend yesterday.

A lawn social was held in Epworth Park last evening under the auspices of the Epworth League. Miss Sarah Neil, Miss Katie Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hicks and Mr. Andrew Butt took part in the programme. A most enjoyable evening was spent and the attendance was good.

Rev. W. H. Butt, the new pastor of the Methodist Church, is preaching a series of sermons on the offices of Christ.

A baseball match came off last evening between the Lucan and Centralia juniors, the latter winning.

**EMBRO.**  
Miss Louise Holmes, of Woodstock, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. (Dr.) G. A. Sutherland.

Mr. Fred Erophy, of Brantford, is visiting his aunts, the Misses Walsh. Miss Christine, of Drumbo, is visiting her friend, Miss Margaret Kern.

Geddes and Jas. Boles. A large number of friends were in attendance.

Mr. Wm. Smith has returned from a trip to Chicago and Calliope, Iowa.

The death took place in Norwich on Friday evening the 26th, of Dr. Fitzgerald Sutherland. He was married to a daughter of the late Donald Matheson of Embro, who, with a daughter and a son, Dr. Don. M. Sutherland, of Princeton, survives. Deceased was in his 76th year and for over 33 years had practised in Norwich. The funeral service was held at his late home at 9 o'clock on Sunday morning and from there the body was taken to the home of his sisters-in-law, the Misses Matheson, of Embro, where service was held at 5 p.m. Sunday afternoon. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Spence of the Congregational Church, interment taking place in North Embro. The pall-bearers were Messrs. Dr. H. J. Adams, D. R. Ross, Col. James Munro, M.P., R. A. Duncan and John Middleton.

Miss Ada Fairbairn is spending a few weeks with friends in Detroit.

Mr. Jerry Burns, of Toronto, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Fairbairn.

Mrs. Dan Bruce and Master Robin spent a few days with Toledo and Detroit friends.

Miss Minnie McDonald is visiting in Bright.

Miss Ethel Sutherland and Bella McDonald of Woodstock, spent over Sunday at their homes here.

Misses Winnie and Lena Matheson of Woodstock are visiting among their former schoolmates here.

Mr. D. Hillman and his party are making the final survey for our new railroad.

Mrs. George Belbeck of London is visiting Mrs. Hugh Matheson, Mrs. Dr. R. H. Green and children, Mrs. Williams, of Toronto and daughter, Miss Florence are holidaying at Grand Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus McGougan of Glenora are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McGougan.

Miss E. Ross has returned to her home in Woodstock.

Mr. George N. Matheson, of Sarnia, was here attending the funeral of his brother-in-law the late Dr. Sutherland.

Dr. John Matheson, of St. Marys was in the village Sunday attending Dr. Sutherland's funeral. Mr. John M. Ross of Woodstock spent Sunday with friends here.

**NORWICH.**  
Norwich, Aug. 1.—The death of Dr. Fitzgerald Sutherland took place at his late residence on Stover street on Friday last. He had been seriously ill for some time. The late doctor was born in Scotland in 1831 and educated in Canada. He lived in Norwich thirty-three years and had won many friends by his kindness.

The funeral took place on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock after which the remains were taken to Embro where a service was held at the home of the

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There is a general assortment here, including Cashmeres, Panamas, Lusters, Wool Batiste, Olgana, Silk Warp Armure, Silk Poplins, Rosetta, Grenadines, Plain and Embroidered Voiles, etc. All ends up to 3 1/4 yards to go at HALF PRICE; and all ends 4 to 9 yards at 1/3 off. Many of these, 7, 8 and 9-yard ends, are exclusive dress patterns of Embroidered Voile and Grenadine.

Out-of-town customers order by mail. Write stating length wanted and whether thin or medium weight. Take prices from this list and leave selection to Mail Order buyer. You won't be disappointed.

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| 4 1/2 yard End. Regular \$4.88, sale price \$3.25  | 6 3/4 yard End. Regular \$4.69, sale price \$3.13  |
| 4 3/4 yard End. Regular \$7.12, sale price \$4.75  | 6 3/4 yard End. Regular \$6.25, sale price \$4.17  |
| 5 yard End. Regular \$10.00, sale price \$6.67     | 6 3/4 yard End. Regular \$7.81, sale price \$5.21  |
| 5 1/4 yard End. Regular \$5.50, sale price \$3.67  | 6 3/4 yard End. Regular \$6.50, sale price \$4.33  |
| 5 1/2 yard End. Regular \$6.87, sale price \$4.58  | 7 yard End. Regular \$3.50, sale price \$2.33      |
| 5 3/4 yard End. Regular \$6.56, sale price \$4.37  | 7 yard End. Regular \$7.00, sale price \$4.67      |
| 5 1/2 yard End. Regular \$10.06, sale price \$6.71 | 7 1/4 yard End. Regular \$9.06, sale price \$6.04  |
| 6 yard End. Regular \$12.00, sale price \$8.00     | 7 1/4 yard End. Regular \$7.88, sale price \$5.25  |
|  | 7 1/4 yard End. Regular \$9.69, sale price \$6.46  |

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These are exclusive dresses in voile and grenadine, handsomely embroidered. Come early Saturday.

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All measured up and marked at prices that will make quick selling Saturday

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## The Event of the Season. More Bargains at the BIG OAK HALL SALE

Boys' 3-Piece Suits, blue and black serge, 28 and 29 sizes only. Sold up to \$6 and \$6.50. This week we clear them at only.....\$3.95

The balance of our Outing Suits and Trousers have marching orders this week regardless of profit. Here's a chance to get the best made summer suits for very little money.

Now is the time to buy BOYS' WASH SUITS. They are all reduced and must be sold. A splendid assortment at only.....50c

Summer Underwear to clear at only, the garment.....29c

Four-in-Hand Ties, regular 25c, sale price.....2 for 25c

Fine Soft-Front Shirts, both attached and detached cuffs, very special, at only.....65c

Bargains throughout the store, so "Come On In."

## OAK HALL

CHICAGO IS HELL  
Still New York Goes Some, and Both Distance Paris.

New York, July 31.—Rev. Len. G. Broughton, D. D., pastor of the Atlanta Tabernacle, and the leading Baptist preacher of the south, in an interview yesterday lashed the metropolis for its flaunting hilarity at night, its closed churches on Sunday, its boorish and inefficient police force, and the immodesty and intemperance of the women who drink in the restaurants and cafes.

"I have visited Paris, Berlin and Vienna, and studied conditions. Paris is the wickedest city in the world and New York is next.

"Of course, you can say New York is not as wicked as Chicago, but that is as if you said it was better than hell. Chicago is not to be compared with any civilized community.

"There has been a growing Sabbath laxness. This year it is beyond bounds. There are more theaters than churches open on Sunday, and I am at least sure that more people go to the theater on Sunday than go to church."

Here Dr. Broughton switched to the woman question.

"To any man who values and believes in feminine modesty the sights in the streets and the cafes and restaurants of New York at night are terrific. There is no modesty. There is an open, flaunting depravity. The drinking habits of women astound visitors to this city.

"New York society is a festering sore," added the Georgian. "These so-called society folk are warts on a real social life of the city and country. They are depraved and live only to tank up."

In some parts of France more under is drunk than wine.

## WANTED

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RASPBERRIES  
BEETS  
and CABBAGE

The London Canning and Evaporating Co. LIMITED.

## POLICE HOT AFTER THE STRANGLERS

New York Detectives Arrest Three Foreigners at Revolver's Point.

New York, Aug. 1.—Two central office detective lieutenants and four precinct men from the East Eighty-third street station, late last night arrested, with drawn revolvers, three foreigners suspected of knowing something of the strangling and partial dismembering of the girl found dead in the arway at 204 East Nineteenth street yesterday morning. The detectives invaded Harlem to make the arrest, and after capturing the men took them to West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street police station.

The three prisoners were powerful fellows, who proclaimed their ignorance of the tragedy, but in spite of denials they were driven to the East Eighty-eighth street station in patrol wagons, to be put through the third degree, which included the sudden flashing of the murdered girl's clothes and the shoes stamped with "The Whirl of the Town," which originally led the police to believe the victim was formerly a member of that theatrical organization.

The arrests are the first indication that the police force of the city has been working vigorously to find the stranglers of the girl and Sophie Keller, the Tenderloin woman, known also as "Ethel" or "May Graham," who was strangled in her room on West Twenty-second street by her master, a man known as Charles Davis or Davidson.

Commissioner Bingham, appalled by the parallel crimes, sent out a warning to mothers to keep their daughters safe at home for fear that they may fall victims to the two stranglers—as he believed the number to be—who were roaming the city, emulating the Berlin girl ripper. From inspired sources during the day came the suggestion that the strangler was Joe Girard, who killed and assaulted a girl in the Bronx a year ago and escaped.

An autopsy on the girl's body showed that she was starving at the time of the assault, and that, weak from hunger, she was an easy victim. The clutch of a strong man's fingers broke the ligaments of both legs, and the flesh around her throat and this, with the hacking of a sharp knife, quickly ended the girl's life.

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BIRTHS. GORMAN—At Victoria Hospital, on July 31, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Gorman, a daughter. Stillborn.

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EXCURSION—TAKE IN THE FORESTERS' excursion and see the City of Detroit. Detroit. Special fast train leave M.C.R. depot at 7 a.m., Saturday, Aug. 3; returning leaves Detroit at 10 a.m., Sunday, Aug. 4.

TONY CORTESE'S ORCHESTRA WILL BE AT Lake Huron Park, Saratoga, for summer. Outside engagements accepted.

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MEETINGS. The Spiritual Exercises will be given at the Sacred Heart Convent, Queen's avenue, Aug. 5 to 9. Anyone wishing to board at the convent, kindly advise the superior. Opening exercises, Monday evening, 7:30.

ALL WOODMEN ARE REQUESTED to meet in Duffield block at 2 o'clock, Saturday Aug. 3, 1907, to attend the funeral of the late Frank Conroy, deceased, at 2:30, funeral from residence, 270 Wharfedale road, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

YOU ARE JORDIALLY INVITED to attend the spiritual exercises for ladies, to be given at the Sacred Heart Convent, commencing Monday, Aug. 5, at 7:30 p.m. and closing Friday morning, Aug. 9, at 10 a.m. in the convent at the Mother Superior, Sacred Heart Convent, P. O. Box 220, London, Canada.

WANTED. WANTED TO RENT—SMALL FARM, NEAR city; possession, October. Address, particulars, Thomas Hyslop, Edy's Mills, Ont.

GARMENT CUTTING. DRESSMAKERS SHOULD PREPARE FOR the coming season. School instructions on any part. Lessons every evening during August, 6 Dundas street.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—HEAD WAITRESS and DINING-ROOM GIRL. Apply Grigg House, 26.

WANTED—SEWERS FOR FUR FACTORY, and young girls to learn; highest wages paid. Apply at once, John Marshall, 30.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED PARLOR-MAIL. Apply Miss Labatt, 572 Queen's avenue, 71.

GIRLS WANTED. APPLY D. S. PERRIN & Co., 81.

WANTED—SKIRT HANDS, ALSO APPLICABLES for fall season. Apply at once to Miss Hancock, Kingsmill's dressmaking department, 72.

GIRL WANTED FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK. Apply Mrs. T. A. Nowak, 11, York street, 70.

WANTED—HOUSEMAID; REFERENCES required. Apply Mrs. George T. Brown, 121 Talbot street, 70.

WANTED—COMPETENT HOUSEMAID. Apply Mrs. Coffey, 304 Wellington street, 71.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED NURSE FOR infant; middle-aged woman preferred. Must have good references; may go home at night if preferred. Apply box 64, Advertiser office, 84.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED YOUNG LADY to assist in general store and keep books. Apply Freeman & Freeman, Leaden, London, 50.

A GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK—Comfortable home, small family, good wages to capable girl. Apply 764 Water-look street, 71.

COOK WANTED FOR SMALL HOTEL—Good wages. Apply at once, Box 117, Stillbush, 70.

WANTED—TWO GOOD GENERAL SERVANTS. Apply 138 Hamilton road, 60.

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT; FAMILY of two. Apply 275 Talbot street, 61.

GIRLS WANTED FOR BOX TRIMMING. Apply Ham Best, Albert street, 61.

WANTED AT ONCE—TWO HOUSEMAIDS, good wages. Apply Tecumseh House, 51.

WANTED AT ONCE—GENERAL SERVANT, good cook; wages, \$18, if satisfactory. Apply this office, 41.

GIRLS WANTED FOR BOX SHOP and wrapping gum; steady employment the year around. Apply C. E. Souverelle, 53, Dundas street, 81.

WANTED—A GOOD GENERAL SERVANT; no washing or upstairs work. Apply Mrs. F. A. Fitzgerald, 233 King street, 21.

GOOD PLAIN COOK and DINING-ROOM GIRL. Apply Housekeeper, Victoria Hospital, 941.

LOST AND FOUND. LOST—\$10. IN DOWNTOWN SECTION, yesterday afternoon. Reward at this office, 100.

LOST—GENTLEMAN'S WATCH, GOLD-FILLED case, vicinity of market, or north part city. Reward at this office, 80.

FOUND—LADY'S SMALL TAN LEATHER pouch. Owner can have same on proving property and paying for this ad. Advertiser office, 81.

VETERINARY SURGEONS. TAMLIN & SCOTT—OFFICE and HOSPITAL, 453 Talbot street. Phone 866; residence phone 718.

TENNENT, BARNEB & TENNENT, VETERINARY SURGEONS, 237 King street, residence and infirmary, corner King and Wellington. Phones: Office, 688; home, 278.

LEGAL CARDS. SCANDRETT & PROUDFOOT, BARRISTERS, 25 Dundas street. Money to loan. Dundas, T. W. Scandrett; W. A. Proudfoot, B.A.

W. H. BARTHAM, BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, etc. Office, 99 Dundas street.

MACHPERSON & PERRIN, BARRISTERS, solicitors. Money to loan. Robinson Hall Chambers.

J. M. McVOY, BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, Robinson Hall Chambers. Money to loan.

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BLACKSMITH WANTED—MUST BE strictly first-class. The Dennis Wire and Iron Works, foot of Dundas street, 70.

WANTED—ELDERLY MAN AS WATCHMAN. Queen City Oil Company, 60.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, ABOUT 18, to learn the art glass business; good opportunity for smart, steady young man. Apply Hobbs Manufacturing Company, 60.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN FOR JUNIOR office work; must be well versed in shorthand and typewriting. Send application in handwriting to Box 2, this office, 61.

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HOUSES, ROOMS, TO LET. TO LET—FOUR LARGE ROOMS, SUTTABLE for light housekeeping; also one room, over 78 Dundas street. Apply Western Real Estate Exchange, 80.

RESPIRE ON EVE OF EXECUTION

Murderer Capelli, Condemned to Die at Parry Sound, Granted Fortnight.

Parry Sound, Ont., Aug. 1.—Acting under authority of a section of the criminal code, seldom, if ever, before invoked in Ontario, and actuated by reasons or considerations as yet unknown to the local authorities, Mr. Justice Britton this afternoon telegraphed to Samuel Armstrong, sheriff of Parry Sound district, the news that he had postponed till Aug. 15, the execution of Frank Capelli, the Italian sentenced to die on Aug. 1, for the murder of Wm. Down on Christmas Day last. The news was a complete surprise to Sheriff Armstrong and the other crown officers here. On Saturday word was received from the Under-Secretary of State at Ottawa stating that the Governor-General-in-Council had decided to let the law take its course, and, accordingly arrangements for the execution were proceeded with and completed today.

KOREANS TURN ON JAPANESE

Battalion Mutinies and Attacks Jap Officers, But Is Driven Back.

Seoul, Aug. 1.—At 9 o'clock this morning a battalion of Korean soldiers, resenting disbandment, at a given signal, attacked the mounted Japanese officers, who had arrived at Little West Gate barracks to demand the surrender of their munitions. Two of the Japanese officers escaped on horseback. The third one fell from his horse and escaped. When the firing began, the Koreans sallied out of Little West Gate into the streets, but were forced to retire under a Japanese fire from the lower gate. General Okazaki ordered out reinforcements at 10:30 o'clock and the barracks and adjacent buildings were invested. There was continuous sniping, and also fire from the Japanese machine guns. The entrances to the Japanese section of the city have been under a heavy guard since midnight, and troops and machine guns are stationed in all the streets. General Okazaki believes that he has ample troops to control the situation. The other three Korean garrisons have not mutinied. The invested quarters is adjacent to the consulate quarters, which is protected by a strong cord of Japanese troops.

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KOREANS STRIKE FOR FREEDOM

Disbanded Soldiers Clash With Japanese Troops and Fifty Are Killed.

Seoul, Korea, Aug. 1.—In a conflict today at the west gate barracks between Japanese troops and disbanded Korean soldiers, 40 or 50 were killed and wounded, including several Japanese, who are arresting and imprisoning them. No foreigners were injured and the city appears to be safe. According to official reports received by Gen. Hasegawa up to 9 o'clock this evening, there were 120 casualties among the Koreans as a result of the riots. Marquis Ito, in his audience with the Emperor this afternoon, assured the Emperor of his complete safety. Marquis Ito provided the foreign consulates with guards tonight as a precaution for safety. The Japanese military take the credit for a prompt suppression of an outbreak, having prepared to suppress all garrisons, in the event of a sympathetic uprising.

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YANKEE RIVER PIRATES

They Bother Canadians, Who May Ask Government for Patrol.

Windsor, Ont., Aug. 1.—Claiming they have lost several thousand dollars' worth of property through the depredations of river pirates, residents on the shore between here and Ojibwa, nine miles south, have started an agitation to have the Provincial Government establish a police patrol boat along the river. The thefts cover fishing apparatus, boats, power launches, etc., and it is believed they are committed by persons from the United States side of the river. The Canadian officers are without means to cope with the thieves. A CURE FOR FEVER and AGUE—Parmele's Vegetable Pills are compounded for use in any climate, and they will be found to preserve their powers in any latitude. In fever and ague they act upon the secretions and neutralize the poison which has found its way into the blood. They correct the impurities which find entrance into the system through drinking water or food, and if used as a preventive fever is avoided.

"JUST TELL THEM I AM NOT DEAD"

Pretty Augusta Radtka Politely Refuses To Be Subject of an Inquest.

Detroit, Aug. 1.—"I suppose you want to see the corpse. Well, you can't. She went to work this morning. No, she didn't make any anti-mortem statement and she ain't going to make any." Mrs. Augusta Radtka talked with some show of ascerbic to the caller who had come to her home, 353 Twenty-fifth street, early Thursday morning, to render sympathy on the tragic death of Mrs. Radtka's 17-year-old daughter, Augusta, reported with many highly-colored details in a morning newspaper.

And Mrs. Radtka has some justification or her show of temper. All morning the house had been besieged by friends of the family and companions of Miss Augusta, who had come to offer their condolences.

To one and all Mrs. Radtka had explained that Augusta couldn't be seen because she had gone to work.

Miss Augusta attended a Sunday school picnic at Bois Blanc Tuesday, with a party of young people. An overabundance of salted peanuts and other concomitants of a picnic, which made Augusta very sick, and to cause her discomfort one of the young men of the party voluntarily got her some whisky.

Other members of the party added their solicitations and Augusta reluctantly complied. The whisky had the effect of making the girl drowsy. Her friends became alarmed, and had her conveyed to Amherstburg, where a doctor was called. She had no difficulty in reaching home, however, and after a good rest she went to work this morning, leaving her mother to explain to anxious callers why there would be no inquest.

"I don't know who she went with, except that she went with the rest of the bunch," said Mrs. Radtka. "I don't know who the young man is. The first I knew of anything serious was when I saw the story in the papers. The neighbors were all in this morning to sympathize with me, and were shocked when I met them at the door with a smile. I don't see how I can do any work this morning, with everybody bothering me."

He was taken in the ambulance to the Sarnia General Hospital and died an hour later.

MOTION IS DISMISSED

Iroquois Theater Fire Cases Come to an End.

New York, Aug. 1.—The score of more of damage suits instituted against Klaw & Erlanger, the theatrical managers, as an outgrowth of the Iroquois Theater fire in Chicago, were finally ended in the federal courts today by the refusal of Judge Hough to reopen the cases. The motion to reopen the cases, made by counsel for Chicago claimants for damages, was successfully opposed by attorneys for the theatrical agents. The claims previously had been formally dismissed upon the showing that the claimants had failed to properly prosecute the actions as provided by the practice of the United States courts. Today's decision deprives the plaintiffs of the right of appeal from the court's former finding, and finally ends the cases.

FAVOR ARBITRATION

Sir Edward Grey Points Out Position of Hague Peace Delegates.

London, Aug. 1.—In the House of Commons during a discussion of foreign affairs, Sir Edward Grey, secretary for foreign affairs, took occasion to defend the British delegates at the Hague, who, he contended, in all questions making for peace had taken all honorable part. Their criticism of the general arbitration treaty, he said, was not intended to disparage arbitration, but only to insure a thorough discussion of the subject, and that the treaty might be more effective. "In regard to the limitation of armaments," said the secretary, "if the other powers would accept any resolution, the British delegation was ready to propose it, but the British Government was reluctant to make proposals which might destroy the friendly character of the conference."

GOVERNMENT NOT TO BLAME

Stranded Immigrants at Chatham Were Sent For.

Toronto, Aug. 1.—The city council of Chatham is being advised by the department of colonization that the department is not responsible for sending the party of 40 stranded immigrants to that city. The Dominion employment agent at Chatham had asked for a number of men and these were forwarded from the seaboard on their arrival in this country. On arriving at Chatham they were not found suitable for the work for which they were wanted. Improvements made in surgery have been the means of reducing the mortality of amputation operations to 6 per cent.











# FOURTH NIGHT OF THE REID INQUEST

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...and the witness said that there was about a foot on one side difference between the line of the upper and lower windows, as far as he was able to judge.

Q.—Mr. Hammett said also that the south side of the windows was on a line. Would you contradict him?  
A.—No, I took only casual notice.

Q.—Would the way the windows were cut weaken the wall very much?  
A.—Any openings would weaken it.

Strength of Pillars.  
Q.—The evidence is that a wall in the center had been removed and pillars were put in. Were these as strong as the old wall.  
A.—I am not prepared to give an opinion on that matter now.

Q.—You spoke to Mr. Hammett about the cutting of so many openings in the east wall, and also about the openings not being one above another?  
A.—Yes.

Q.—Under the circumstances there, would you think that an 18-inch wall on the ground and first floors sufficient for a four-story building?  
A.—An 18-inch wall is always considered a safe wall for such a building.

Q.—Do you think that an 18-inch wall between the stores of Hamilton, Long & Co. and Reid's thick enough?  
A.—Yes, I don't believe you would find as thick a wall in half of the factories or wholesales of the city.

That's only a two-brick wall," said one of the jurors.  
"It is a good wall, nevertheless," Mr. Graydon replied.

The engineer also added that he had told Mr. Wilson that the placing of steel girders instead of wood lintels in the east wall, where the windows had been cut, would greatly strengthen it. But he had not advised Mr. Wilson, Mr. Hammett or anyone else to do anything in this line.

Mr. Percy Robinson.  
Mr. Percy Robinson, an employe at Hamilton, Long & Co.'s store, was a victim of the disaster, and sustained slight injuries.

Q.—Where were you employed prior to the disaster?  
A.—At Hamilton, Long & Co.'s store.

Q.—Where were you at the time of the disaster?  
A.—Twenty or thirty feet from the front of the store.

Q.—Where was Mr. Gifford?  
A.—I do not know.

Q.—Where were you in the store?  
A.—I was coming from behind the counter when I saw, some dust and a brick falling from the west wall.

Q.—What next did you see?  
A.—I did not know any more until I found myself down in the cellar.

Q.—Where did the brick come from?  
A.—The brick seemed to come from half-way down the west wall.

Mr. Fred Weisse.  
Fred Weisse, a laborer, who was working for Mr. Calhoun, the plasterer, at the Reid building, was next called.

Q.—When did you start work there?  
A.—On Monday at noon.

Q.—Where were you working?  
A.—At the front end of the store.

Q.—What were you doing?  
A.—Chiselling out cracks on the brick pier for the plaster to stick to.

Q.—How big was the pier?  
A.—It was about 3 feet south from the front wall, and was the thickness of the wall.

Q.—Was this work completed?  
A.—Yes.

Q.—You were chipping out joints in the brick so as to make the plaster adhere?  
A.—Yes.

Q.—Which side were you working on?  
A.—On the Hamilton & Long store side.

Q.—Did you see anything wrong at any time?  
A.—No.

Q.—Did the iron posts appear to be strong enough and all right?  
A.—They seemed all right.

Q.—What was the first you knew of the accident?  
A.—I heard someone shout, "Look out, boys—it's coming."

Q.—Who shouted?  
A.—I thought it was Alex. McWain.

Q.—Why did you think it was McWain?  
A.—Because I saw him go across the room to the west side, and just after I heard the call from his direction.

Q.—Did you hear anyone else shout?  
A.—No.

Q.—What next?  
A.—The moment I heard the voice there was a crash, and the building collapsed.

Q.—What kind of a noise did you hear first?  
A.—Like timbers breaking somewhere near the center wall, where the new iron girders were on the Hamilton & Long side.

Q.—What did you see?  
A.—I looked up at the ceiling and saw a crack come down the ceiling from the back of the store. The ceiling opened out from the back.

Q.—Did you inspect the building?  
A.—My brother did most of the inspecting and figuring.

Q.—Did you inspect the building to see what goods were stored there?  
A.—I went through, but did not notice much about the goods stored.

Mr. Thomas Jones.  
Mr. Thomas Jones, a brother of the previous witness, swore that he had tendered for the changes in the Crystal Hall. He had gone through the building, but had not examined it minutely.

Q.—Did you have any conversation with Mr. Hamilton on the subject?  
A.—I may have.

Q.—Did you say anything to Mr. Hamilton to the effect that he would have to move out before you would go ahead with the work, if you got the job?  
A.—No, I did not.

Q.—I may tell you, Mr. Jones, that you were brought here because of a street rumor to the effect that you had said it would be dangerous to make repairs to the building with the people in there, and that if you had secured the contract you would have insisted upon Hamilton, Long & Co. moving out?  
A.—It's entirely wrong. I said no such thing at any time.

Q.—If you had taken the contract, would you have insisted on the firm moving out?  
A.—I can't say what I would have done.

Q.—What is your opinion as to the east wall? Had it been weakened by the openings for the windows?  
A.—That's a question for an expert.

Q.—Isn't a builder an expert?  
A.—No. He gets his plans and goes by them. There are certain rules laid down for the government of such things, and these rules are to be found in books.

Q.—If you had taken the contract, would you have consulted these books?  
A.—I can't say what I would have done. But as a rule the builder accepts as all right the plans of the architect.

Q.—Did the taking out of the center wall and the putting in of iron pillars weaken the building? Were the pillars as strong as the old wall?  
A.—I think that's a question for an expert, too, but I believe the pillars were sufficient.

Q.—What would you have done if you had been ordered to take out the center wall and put in pillars?  
A.—I'd have shored it up, the same as was done, I suppose.

Mr. John McDonald.  
Mr. John McDonald, a carpenter, was working for Mr. Wilson on the job. The first thing he did was assist in the shoring up, when the wall between Hamilton, Long & Co.'s and Reid's was being taken out. It took nine or ten days to do the work. The job was carried through without any mishaps. The wall had been removed in the usual way so far as he had seen, all the shoring being done for the ground floor. He was about 30 feet from the front, over Reid's, when the building fell, and was handing out some of the old shoring to be carted away.

Several other men—Ibbotson, Hall, and Anderson—were helping him. The first he heard was a cracking of timbers to the east of him, and then he saw the ceiling falling. He could not say which ceiling it was, he was so excited. Then he ran for the stairs to the west, but he was covered with dust and could see nothing, nor could he locate the stairway.

To a juror—The floor upon which I was standing—at least, a part of it—went down.

To Mr. McKillop—I don't know what part of the ceiling it was I saw come down first. The joists below my feet went down.

Mr. John Hall.  
Mr. Hall also worked for Mr. Wilson. He had not had anything to do with the putting in of frames and casings in the east wall. The day before the disaster he had removed the last of the shoring from the center wall. The only reason all the shoring had not been removed the Friday or Saturday before the crash was that quitting time came as the men were at work on the job.

When the accident occurred he heard a noise to the east. He did not know whether the center wall was the first to give way.

Mr. John Crockett.  
Mr. Crockett is a carpenter, and was working for Mr. Wilson on the new Reid warehouse on Clarence street. He knew nothing of the affair and was allowed to go without further examination.

Mr. Geo. Ibbotson.  
Mr. Ibbotson, a carpenter for Mr. Wilson, was on the ground floor. The first he heard was a crash at the center wall between Reid's and Hamilton & Long's. The sound was in Reid's, but near to Hamilton & Long's.

Mr. Wm. Foley.  
Mr. Foley was Mr. Smerlies' manager, and was around the building all the time. He had seen the center wall removed, but had noticed nothing wrong.

Q.—Did you notice anything in regard to goods being brought in?  
A.—Yes.

Q.—When?  
A.—On Monday and Tuesday previous to the wreck.

Q.—What did you see come in?  
A.—About two carloads of stone jars came in.

Q.—How many lorry loads?  
A.—About eight or nine.

Q.—Where were they piled?  
A.—Just inside the building.

Q.—Did you make any remark to Mr. Reid, or anyone else about these goods coming in?  
A.—Not about the jars, but the crates.

Q.—How big were they?  
A.—About four by six feet.

Q.—When did they come in?  
A.—Wednesday or Thursday before the wreck.

Q.—Where were they placed?  
A.—On the second floor. They were taken off the elevator and carted to the front of the building.

Q.—Were any, so far forward they would come down in the crash?  
A.—I wouldn't say how many but some did.

Q.—Goods were piled close to Dundas street?  
A.—Yes.

Q.—How many?  
A.—Four or five crates.

Q.—Any to the east wall?  
A.—Not that I saw.

Q.—Did you say anything to anybody about them?  
A.—I told Mr. McLean it looked as though they were moving in instead of moving out. Later Mr. Reid and his son came to me and told me I had too much to say, and that it would be time enough for me to talk after the 15th of the month, when Mr. Smerlies' possession would take place. Mr. Reid said, "You ought to be satisfied with the way the work is going, as you do not take possession until the 15th."

Q.—You saw goods come in on the Friday before the crash?  
A.—Yes; two crates.

Q.—Did you notice what goods were up on the second and third floors?  
A.—I saw Mr. Loney and a man named Harry unpacking goods on the second and third floors a week before the accident.

Q.—How many crates?  
A.—I saw them at work only once.

Q.—You can't say how the quantity of goods at the time of the accident compared with the usual stock?  
A.—No.

Q.—What was over Hamilton & Long's?  
A.—There was a lot of goods. There was a row of bins on the second floor along each wall, and a double row down the center. There was also a large weight of goods on the third floor, too.

Architect Thomas.  
Mr. J. L. Thomas, the local architect, swore that he had occasion to go through Reid's Crystal Hall in April with Mr. Smerlies and Mr. Geo. Andrews, a Greek friend of Mr. Smerlies.

The proposed alterations were pointed out, including the conversion of the first floor, by the removal of two walls into a bowling alley; also, the removal of windows in the east wall of Hamilton & Long's store, as certain windows in the south end were to be blocked.

The changes proposed were not practically the same as had been made, as Mr. Smerlies had asked him to cut larger windows than had been put in by the contractors.

Witness had pointed to the cutting of windows on the east wall as the hardest job of all, and had suggested that steel girders be put in instead of wood lintels.

Mr. Thomas declared the columns which had been put in when the center wall had been torn down, were too weak. They were only 6-inch columns which would only carry a load of 14½ tons, but the evidence showed 53 tons.

"But we have no evidence to show that the posts gave way," said Mr. McKillop.

"You don't know that yet," Mr. Thomas replied, "There's one post out there now. Wait till the debris has been cleared away."

Q.—How about the wood lintels?  
A.—The pine lintels over the windows would not carry the load expected of them.

Mr. Thomas then explained that the columns of the center wall were not bolted at top or bottom, and were liable to skid under a load. He had not inspected all the columns, but was basing his statements on the one column he had seen, which showed that it could not be bolted to a plate. In nine cases out of ten the cap, column and base are one.

"You had a lawsuit with Mr. Smerlies?" Mr. McKillop asked.

A.—Yes, but I am not prejudiced. I am on my oath.

Q.—You said that Mr. Murray had taken the work away from you unfairly, did you not?  
A.—I said I was afraid that something unprofessional had been done.

Q.—You said also that Frank Reid had objected to you as architect?  
A.—Mr. Smerlies swore in the box that Frank Reid had said to him, "If you engage that man Thomas I won't sign the lease."

This concluded Mr. Thomas' evidence.

Contractor Wilson.  
Mr. R. G. Wilson, the contractor who was awarded the contract for all the alterations at the Reid building, was called. Before giving evidence Mr. Wilson asked for the protection of the Canada evidence act through his lawyer, Mr. McEvoy.

Q.—Whom did you take the contract from?  
A.—From Mr. Smerlies.

Q.—How did you tender for it?  
A.—I tendered for it on plans submitted by Mr. Murray, the architect.

Q.—Have you got these plans?  
A.—I have part of the blue prints of the copy of the plans I had. I lost the rest.

Q.—When did you take the contract?  
A.—About June 1.

Q.—What work was done there by your own men?  
A.—We took down the fixtures, put the shoring down the center, and did the carpenter work required.

Q.—Where did you do this work?  
A.—We took the fixtures from the first floor of Reid's store, which we moved into the Clarence street store.

Q.—What else did you do?  
A.—Nothing more on the ground floor.

Q.—Did you interfere with any wall on that floor?  
A.—Not in Mr. Reid's store.

Q.—In Hamilton & Long's store?  
A.—Yes. We built a new wall inside at the back of Hamilton & Long's store.

Q.—Did you interfere with the outer wall?  
A.—No, not on the ground floor.

Q.—What did you do on the first floor?  
A.—Put up the shoring to take the center wall out.

Q.—How much of the wall?  
A.—About 40 feet.

Q.—How many openings did you put in the center wall?  
A.—An opening at each column, and one to cut the pier at the right height.

Q.—When did you start the work?  
A.—On July 3.

Q.—How long before the disaster?  
A.—About two weeks.

Q.—How long did the shorings remain?  
A.—Until Friday morning, July 12.

Q.—Were the shorings all taken away on Friday?  
A.—All but two or three pieces, which were left until Monday.

Q.—Where were these pieces left?  
A.—At the center.

Q.—When were these pieces removed?  
A.—On Monday.

Q.—Did you take any particular notice of work being done at the removing of the wall?  
A.—Not particularly, but I looked after the shoring.

Q.—Were the shorings properly put up?  
A.—Properly.

Q.—When there any sinking or sagging when the wall was taken out?  
A.—No.

Q.—Did you see anything to cause you to fear trouble?  
A.—No.

Q.—The work of putting in the columns, guides and pillars was whose work?  
A.—No.

Q.—The bricklayers are supposed to assist, and the work is controlled by the builder.  
Q.—Did you have anything to do with cutting the windows in the east wall?  
A.—No more than putting the window frames and sashes in.

Q.—What did you notice in regard to the position of the windows on that side?  
A.—The first pair to the south were one above the other.

Q.—The next two?  
A.—About even on the south side.

Q.—Were Mr. Hammett's statements about all the windows in the south wall correct?  
A.—I do not know.

Q.—In good buildings should such other work be in line, one above the other?  
A.—They should be in line.

Q.—What other work did you do?  
A.—Took Out a Cross-Wall.

Q.—You took out a cross-wall about 26 feet back from the rear wall of Hamilton & Long's store.  
Q.—On which floor?  
A.—On the first and second floors.

Q.—What effect did the accident have on that part of the building?  
A.—It remains standing with about 36 or 37 feet of building in front.

Q.—Did you put the window frames in the east wall?  
A.—Yes.

Q.—Did you notice anything weakening?  
A.—No.

Q.—What kind of lintels did you put in at these windows?  
A.—Wooden lintels on the outside 6 inches by 12 inches, and on the inside 2 inches by 12 inches.

Q.—How far into each side of the wall did the lintels go?  
A.—Six or seven inches on either side of the window.

Q.—At any time did you notice any weakening of any of the walls?  
A.—No.

Q.—What other work did you do on the building?  
A.—The same thing on the first floor.

Q.—Had you ever done any work before by Mr. Murray's specifications?  
A.—Yes.

Q.—What kind of an architect did you consider him?  
A.—About the same as the rest of them.

Q.—Did you deviate any from the plans?  
A.—Oh, no; not very much.

Q.—What change did you make on the work in the center wall?  
A.—Put new caps in above the pillars at Mr. Murray's suggestion.

Q.—Were the new caps any improvement?  
A.—Yes they were larger and stronger.

Q.—Were you at the building on the day of the disaster?  
A.—At noon.

Q.—Did you see the shoring on the day before the disaster?  
A.—Yes; it was all taken out by that time.

Q.—When was the first time you visited the building on the day of the disaster?  
A.—In the morning.

Q.—Where did you go?  
A.—On the ground floor and on the first floor.

Q.—Did you see anything wrong?  
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Q.—How much stock was there on the second and third floors?  
A.—Not one-half the usual quantity.

Q.—How do you know?  
A.—From my knowledge of what was going on.

Q.—Was there much goods being shipped in between April 30 and June 15th?  
A.—An occasional package to keep up the stock.

Q.—How did the quantity going out and the quantity coming in compare?  
A.—A larger quantity went out.

Q.—Where stock was over Hamilton & Long's store?  
A.—There was 50 to 75 per cent less than usual.

Q.—What did it consist of on the second floor?  
A.—Light earthenware.

Q.—On the third floor?  
A.—Light glassware.

Q.—How was the stock over your own store?  
A.—Also very light, and we were getting nothing in but what was absolutely necessary.

Q.—Was there when the wall was being torn out?  
A.—I was there occasionally.

Q.—Did you know anything of the poor mortar told of by other witnesses?  
A.—No.

Q.—How long ago and at what season was that wall built?  
A.—Thirty-two years ago, but I do not know the season.

Q.—Was there ever a fire in the building?  
A.—Yes, ten years ago.

Q.—Where was it?  
A.—In the back part of the building.

Q.—Did the fire reach the center part of the wall which gave way?  
A.—No; positively, it did not.







# Street Car Jumps the Track Hurls Passenger From Platform

### Oxford Street Resident Severely Bruised in Accident Today.

At noon today a rather unusual accident occurred in the corner of Richmond and Horton streets, when a young man, Mr. Frank Hughes, a passenger, was thrown off a street car and received a severe injury to his right shoulder.

# How the Taxes Are Coming In Over Half Million Collected

Major Hayes, the city's tax collector, has issued his report up to Aug. 1. This year he has to collect \$550,250, while in 1906 he had to collect \$500,000, an increase of \$50,250. Up to Aug. 1 the sum of \$400,250 had been collected, and for the same period of 1906 the sum of \$369,000 had been received, an increase

of \$31,250. There is still left to collect \$150,000, less discounts given, \$2,950, or \$147,050. Last year there was the sum of \$129,000 to collect after Aug. 1. Major Hayes has still to collect \$19,000 more than he had last year.

# Hail Storm Did No Serious Damage

According to reports from different parts of the country surrounding this city, last night's hailstorm, although quite severe, did not do any serious damage to the crops.

The storm came from a northwesterly direction and passed over to the southwest. To the northeast of the city and to the southeast there was heavy rain, but little hail.

# NO CHANGE IN BARBERS' STRIKE

### Cigarmakers Decide to Stand to a Man Behind the Strikers.

A meeting of the Cigarmakers' Union of this city was held last night at which the members pledged themselves to support the Barbers' Union in the present strike.

### Situation Unchanged.

### DEATH OF MR. ED. ELLIOTT

### BOLT ENTERS CHIMNEY

### ENTERS AN ADELAIDE TOWNSHIP HOME AND WRECKS BEDROOMS.

### TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

### IRISH BENEVOLENT SOCIETY PICNIC

### FIVE DROWNED FROM LAUNCH.

### NO MORE PINK TEAS FOR EMILY

### OLD-TIMER SENT FOR A VACATION AT CANADA CARRIERS IN THE WEST END.

### 25 PER CENT DIVIDEND

### PERSONAL MENTION

### MR. FIELDER HERE

### MR. FARNCOMBE IS MENTIONED FOR JOB

### THE WRIGHT AEROPLANE.

# CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

A Wellington street car, No. 86, broke an axle while opposite the post office this morning. No damage was done.

Mr. Robert Wrightman, of this city, died last night at Victoria Hospital after a short illness.

Mr. Fred McCormick, of Grafton & Co., has returned from a three weeks holiday trip with friends in Northern Ontario.

Mr. J. D. Elms, of New York, who has accepted the management of Bennett's Vaudeville Theater here, has arrived in London, and will now take up his residence in the city.

Miss Daisy Biggs, of 216 Rectory street, is spending two weeks' vacation with friends in Detroit and Cleveland. She will return via Port Stanley, where she will spend a few days renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. R. D. McDonald and family, C. H. McDonald, of St. Louis, and Mrs. A. Rolfe, of Denver, Col., have returned to the city, after a pleasant vacation spent at Grand Bend, Ont.

The Springwood Gun Club will hold a holiday shoot on Monday, Aug. 5, commencing at 9:30 a.m. Three events of fifteen birds each, with three prizes in each event, and a Dupont Powder Company's medal for high average.

Mr. J. Worrall, of London Township, appeared before Squire Chittick this morning, charged with using abusive language. William Brit, also of London Township, was the complainant.

The Chosen Friends excursion committee has completed arrangements for a \$1.60 excursion to Detroit on Saturday, Aug. 17, good for three days.

Members of the "Y" bowlers met last night in the parlors of the Y. M. C. A., for the purpose of electing officers, etc., for the coming season.

The returns at the inland revenue office for the month of July show the following sums received:

Strathroy, Aug. 1.—During a severe electric storm, the home of Mr. Melvin Brock, situated on the Main road, Adelaide, was struck by lightning and considerable damage was done.

The bolt struck the chimney and passed into the bedrooms.

The rooms were left a complete wreck. Mr. and Mrs. Brock escaped unhurt. Mr. Brock places his loss at about \$200.

\$1.60 to Detroit and return on Saturday, Aug. 3. Leave London at 6:35 a.m. and return by any train, except No. 16, on Saturday, Sunday or Monday following. Get your ticket at the Grand Trunk office.

# LINOLEUM FINISH AND FLOOR POLISH

### A splendid FINISH and PRESERVATIVE for Linoleum and hard wood floors. CHEAP, and EASILY applied. 25 cents A Bottle

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# RUN OVER BY TRAIN

Newton A. Hagan, a Grand Trunk yardman, was run over at the race-course yards this afternoon, and so badly injured that he may die. One of his legs was completely severed from his body. He had worked for the G. T. R. for only ten days.

# BEGIN WORK SHORTLY

The pavement on Horton and Bathurst streets has not been commenced although City Engineer Graydon notified the Warren Paving Company to begin some time ago.

# THE JOURNALISTS

Windsor, Aug. 2.—The visiting British newspaper men after being entertained by the city officials and the board of trade yesterday afternoon, crossed to Detroit. They were met at the ferry dock by Mayor Thompson, of Detroit, with other city officials, and a large number of newspaper men.

# UNION BARBERS ISSUE A STATEMENT

more than the man on the rear chair. The new scale would not materially increase the wage of the higher paid journeymen, for while their increase would be \$2 per week, they would have to earn \$18 instead of \$16 before they earned any percentage.

It would, however, guarantee the rear chair man \$12.

In regard to outside shops, or more properly two-chair shops, employing not more than one journeyman, the \$10 rate is conceded, as the receipts of these shops do not total up per chair anywhere near the receipts of the large shops, but on the other hand where the large shops only pay one-half on all receipts over \$18, the small shops must pay 65 per cent on all over \$15, so that after reaching a certain figure the earnings of the journeymen in the small shop would total up to the same amount as the journeymen in the large establishment.

The bosses in the smaller shops, who now resist this scale, formerly favored it, and said it was fair. Another matter for the public to consider is that prices in London are far higher than in Hamilton and other Canadian cities, where the barbers are paid considerably more for their services.

In plain English, the London citizens pay more for what he gets, and the London journeyman is paid less for what he does, than in any other city of the size of London in the Dominion, and if the master barbers desire to deny the statement, we can and will publish the list of prices and scale of wages in other cities.

We feel that every citizen is aware that the cost of living has advanced. If the boss has to pay more rent for his store, the journeyman has to pay more rent for his house. The boss pays the difference out of his big increase of prices, and puts the biggest part of the balance in the bank. All the journeyman ask is the small raise as enumerated above, and are willing to leave it to the verdict of a fair-minded public if it is fair to ask them to live on a rising market at the same wages paid ten years ago, while the prices and profits of the boss has been increased over 50 per cent?

### DOESN'T LIKE DARROW

### NO WHITES INJURED.

### AUTO OVER EMBANKMENT.

### FIVE DROWNED FROM LAUNCH.

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### IRISH BENEVOLENT SOCIETY PICNIC

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### Last Opportunity for This Season to Profit by Such Economies as These Magnetic Prices On Desirable Dress Fabrics

For Saturday we've arranged two tables of stylish dress goods to sell at per yard.....25c

On these we have placed Crepe de Chines, worth 50c; Fancy Lusters, worth 50c; Plain Lusters, worth 35c; Tweeds (imported), worth 50c; odd pieces of dress materials from stock that sold up to 65c.

Colorings are all exceptionally good. You'll probably find just the material and shades you're looking for among these cloths. Rummage through them to your heart's content to-morrow.

### Italian Orchestra Saturday Night, 8 to 10 o'clock.

### R. J. Young & Co. | R. J. Young & Co.

# THE SEINE NETS DESTROY FISH

### Some Stormy Scenes Before Commission—Hard to Buy Fish Along the River.

Chatham, Aug. 1.—The local members of the Ontario Game and Fish Protective Association had their linings before the Dominion fisheries commission this afternoon. The sitting opened at 2 o'clock, when sworn evidence was taken from both down-river fishermen and members of the association were Caleb Wheeler, W. B. Wells, and J. C. Tucker, while evidence from the fishermen's point of view was given by Inspector Peitler, John Bagnall, W. H. Crow and Ben Taylor. The examination was conducted by Commissioner Birnie.

The association made the claim that the seining in the river destroyed the game fish and it was on account of the hoops of the seine nets that there are now so few green bass in the river or lake. They put in written and verbal evidence to prove this, and petitioned the commission to advise no action with regard to the fishermen's prayer to have the restrictions on American market.

Figures were produced to show that \$27,000 worth of fish was sold out of the river and Lake St. Clair last year. All of these fish were shipped to New York, and the association alleged that it was impossible for the people living along the river banks to buy fish for their own tables, while tons and tons of them were being shipped away to American markets.

There were some stormy scenes at times, and the commissioners had all they could do to restore order between the fishermen and the association men at times. It was shown that there were 93 hoop nets used between the mouth of the river and Grassy Point.

### A WHISKY INFORMER

### WELL KNOWN IN LONDON, IS IN TROUBLE IN OTTAWA.

C. Hanson, who is well known to Londoners, and was engaged by the Ontario Government as a whisky detective, after being discharged from the local force for being intoxicated, is under bail to appear before Police Magistrate Beckett, of Beckett's Landing, on July 29, on charges of being drunk and disorderly, according to a Meriville dispatch. Hanson and another whisky spotter are alleged to have been stirring up trouble for the hotelmen in Almonte, Ottawa, Kemptonville and Oxford Mills, and it was in the latter place that they are said to have gone past the limit in the amount of liquor they consumed themselves, and the quality of language they used towards all and sundry.

### BELFAST'S POLICE REVOLT

Belfast, Aug. 2.—The parade of the disaffected members of the local police force, which was scheduled to take place today, has been postponed, if not altogether abandoned, apparently to enable the Government to be in a position to dismiss the entire police force of the city should drastic action become necessary.

# BIG PLANT LIKELY FOR WOODSTOCK

### The Borden Milk Company May Erect a \$100,000 Condenser.

Woodstock, Ont., Aug. 2.—If the ratepayers endorse the necessary by-law, which will be submitted to them at the earliest possible date, Woodstock will be the site of a new milk condenser, which the Borden Milk Company of New York, with many factories throughout the continent, propose to erect in this district. Negotiations have been in progress for many weeks, but have at last been brought to a satisfactory conclusion.

A plant will be erected worth about \$100,000, and manufacturing will commence within three months of the passing of the bylaw. The industry means a lot to Woodstock.

### CAMPBELL FOR CANDIDATE

### LABOR PARTY HAVE ASKED HIM TO RUN IN CARDIFF.

London, England, Aug. 1.—Rev. R. J. Campbell, expounder of the "New Theology," has been invited by the Labor party to contest the next vacancy in the parliamentary representation of Cardiff.

### CAUSE OF RACE SUICIDE.

### DESTROYED BY TORNAO.

### STOCK MARKETS.

### CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

### CHICAGO, AUG. 2.

### WICHITA, KAN., AUG. 2.

### BRAZIL WANTS H. C. L.

### THE SULTAN OF TURKEY TAKES HIS MEALS ALONE SAVE WHEN HE ENTERTAINS ROYALTIES AND AMBASSADORS.

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	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—	92 1/2	92 3/4	92 1/2	92 1/2
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December	92 1/2	92 3/4	92 1/2	92 1/2
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LOCAL MARKET.

Considering the large number of loads of hay that have been marketed this week, there was a good demand for the 22 loads that were in the stand today. Sales were made at \$9 to \$11 per ton, most of the loads selling at \$11 to \$10 25 per ton. Straw sold at \$6 50 per ton. One load of oats was offered, which sold at \$1 36 per cwt.

Although Monday will be a holiday, there will be a shipment of live hogs to 11 a.m. It is expected that \$6 75 to \$6 85 per cwt will be paid.

The dealers received a considerable quantity of raspberries from Niagara district, which they sold at 14c per box by the crate.

HAY MARKET.

TORONTO, July 31.—Baled Hay—Quiet, at \$14 to \$15 for No. 1 timothy; new hay, uncertain, \$12 50 to \$13.

PRODUCE MARKET.

TORONTO, Aug. 2.—The Winnipeg market has advanced about half a cent, and although one or two local holders are asking the advance, most of them are willing to sell at previous prices—7c for No. 1 northern, and 9 1/2c for No. 2. The figures given as the value of new oats are largely approximate, but a sale was reported today of No. 2 white at 28c, Chatham freights, September shipment, with more offering at 40c. The market for corn is firm, but with the demand inclining to be quiet, due to the near approach of the new crop. Other grains are quiet and largely nominal. Flour is unchanged.

Wheat—Ontario nominal; No. 2 white, 87 1/2c to 88c; Manitoba firm; No. 1 northern, 97c; No. 2 northern, 95c.

Oats—Ontario full; No. 2 white, 43 1/2c to 44c outside; new oats are approximately 38c to 40c, Chatham freights; Manitoba, No. 2 white, 44 1/2c, on track at elevators.

Peas—Nominal.

Eye-Nominal.

Flour—Ontario 90 per cent patents, \$5 35 bid, \$3 40 asked; Manitoba first patents, \$5 30 to \$5 35; seconds, \$4 40 to \$4 50; strong

Milled—Bran, \$16 to \$17, in bulk outside; shorts in demand, about \$19 to \$20 outside.

Butter—Steady; creamery prints, 21c to 22c, do, solid, 17c to 18c; dairy prints, 17c to 18c; do, solid, 17c to 18c.

Eggs—Firm, 17 1/2c to 18c, mostly 18c.

Hogs—Live unchanged, at \$6 50 for select; dressed dull, at \$9 25 to \$9 75.

COTTON MARKET.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Cotton—Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 15c; middling gulf, 13 1/2c; sales, 300 bales.

Futures closed barely steady. Closing bids: August, 11 1/4c; September, 11 1/8c; October, 11 1/8c; November, 11 1/8c; December, 12 1/8c; January, 12 1/8c; February, 12 1/8c; March, 12 1/8c; April, 12 1/8c; May, 12 1/8c.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—Cotton—Futures opened steady; August, 11 1/8c; September, 11 1/8c; October, 11 1/8c; November, 11 1/8c; December, 12 1/8c; January, 12 1/8c; March, 12 1/8c bid; May, 12 1/8c bid.

SUGAR MARKET.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Sugar—Raw firm; refining, 3 3/4c to 3 5/8c; centrifugal, 9 1/2c test, 3 1/2c; molasses sugar, 3 1/2c to 3 1/8c; refined steady. Molasses—Steady.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—Raw sugar—Muscovado, 8 1/2c; centrifugal, 10 1/2c; beet sugar, August, 9 1/2c.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Aug. 1.—Sugar—Steady. Montreal granted in bags, \$4 50; yellow, \$4 10; Ontario best, \$4 25; in bags, 5c less.

OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 1.—Oil opened and closed at \$1 78.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., Aug. 1.—Credit balances, \$1 78.

LONDON.

London, Aug. 1.—Petroleum. American refined, 6 1/2c; spirits, 7 1/2c.

ANTWERP.

Antwerp, Aug. 1.—Petroleum, 22 francs.

DAIRY MARKETS.

MADOC, Ont., Aug. 1.—Seven hundred and forty boxes of cheese bonded; all sold at 10 1/2c.

KINGSTON.

Kingston, Aug. 1.—One thousand and nine boxes of cheese changed hands on the Frontenac board today at 10 1/2c; 946 were colored and 214 white.

TWEED.

Tweed, Ont., Aug. 1.—Four hundred and thirty-five cheese boxes were tonight, all white; sold to Alexander at 10 1/2c.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Aug. 1.—Butter—Steady; creamery, 20c to 23 1/2c; dairies, 20c to 22c. Cheese—Steady, 12c to 13c.

NEW YORK.

New York, Aug. 1.—Butter—Steady and unchanged; receipts, 10,329 packages. Cheese—Easy and unchanged; receipts, 6,991 boxes.

HAY MARKET.

TORONTO, Aug. 1.—Baled Hay—Quiet, at \$14 to \$15 for No. 1 timothy; new hay is offering more freely, with prices ranging from \$12 to \$12 50.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—Canadian cattle are steady, at 12c to 13c per lb dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9 1/2c to 10c per lb.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, Aug. 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 150 head; slow and prices unchanged. Veals—Receipts, 600 head; active; 50 higher, \$5 to \$9 25.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Aug. 2.—Cattle—Receipts, about 2,000 head; market steady; leaves, \$4 40 to \$7 50; cows, \$1 40 to \$2 50; heifers, \$2 40 to \$5 40; good to prime steers, \$5 80 to \$7 50; poor to medium, \$4 50 to \$5 75; stockers and feeders, \$2 50 to \$4 50.

ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 2.—Wool—Spot quiet; 1/2 to 1/4 for 1/2. Futures for 1/2, December, 1/2 to 1/4; March, 1/2 to 1/4.

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SCORCHING FOR SIR ADOLPHE CARON

Judge Says Former Tory Minister Should Be Stripped of Title.

Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 1.—At 2:15 yesterday afternoon, after an absence of 48 minutes, the jury in Green vs. Woods found for defendants, with costs. "I find it difficult to choose language sufficiently strong to characterize such an action," said Justice Clements, referring to the letter written by Sir Adolphe Caron to Mr. R. F. Green, then commissioner of lands and works in the McBride Government, in which he mentioned certain shares which he would place at the disposal of any person named Green.

SARNIA OIL TANK HIT BY BOLT

Electrical Storm Fires a Portion of Imperial Oil Company's Property.

Sarnia, Aug. 1.—During a terrific electrical storm here this afternoon a bolt struck an oil tank of the Imperial Oil Company, causing a fire which did \$1,000 damage before it was subdued. Communication by telegraph and telephone were also severed, and the city lighting plant temporarily put out of business. From outside points come reports of many barns and out-buildings destroyed by lightning.

A GHASTLY FIND

Body of Young Man Found in the Woods With Head Cut Off.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Aug. 1.—The body of an unidentified man was found near Eddy's lumber camp. The head was missing and the pockets of the clothes had been ransacked. The head was later discovered buried near by. The hands were also missing. The coroner and Provincial Constable Graham, of Blind River, have gone to the vicinity. The body was that of a young man of small size, wearing a dark suit and tan shoes.

DROWNED IN THE DON

Body of Long-Lost Toronto Boy Found in the River.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, Ont., Aug. 2.—Eight-year-old Harry Pember, who has been missing from his home since last Tuesday, was pulled out of the Don River this morning by Peter Dynes. Dynes was crossing the Don about 7:45, when he noticed the body floating around. The body was found within one hundred feet of the Queen street bridge, lying near the cribwork on the west side. Apparently he fell in head-first, as his hat was firmly wedged on his head. Ever since he disappeared his father has searched parks for him, and had begun to believe that the lad was not drowned. Both his parents were heart-broken this morning. They have been in the country for about a month only.

WOODMEN WILL ATTEND

The Funeral of the Late Mr. Benjamin Fonger, Who Died Yesterday.

Mr. Benjamin Fonger, of 270 Wharfside road, who died at Victoria Hospital yesterday, was born in Melrose, Lobo Township, 47 years ago, and lived there until 1905, when he came to this city to accept a position with the Canadian Express Company. He had been ill but a few days, and his death comes as a great shock to many friends. He is survived by his widow, two sons and one daughter. The funeral takes place at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon from his late residence to Mount Pleasant cemetery. Camp Forest City, Woodmen of the World, of which the deceased was an honored member, will attend the services in a body.

THE HUMMING BIRD.

[Andrew R. Simpson.] Thou thy animated sprite, Darting amidst the flowers, Dodging the sun-tipped arrows bright That pierce the leafy bowers!

Thy meat the honey from their cells, Thy drink the morning dew, Thy tenting place their perfumed beds, Thy gossamer the rainbow's hue!

Pray tell me wherefore wast thou born, For pleasure only made? Or has the rose for thee its thorn, The summer day its shade?

May not thy tiny heart grief know While humming thy refrain? Or do thy tarlets never wane? Thy pleasures never flow?

And thou mak'st, flitting here and there, This answer full and free—"God grants to all His tender care, And loveth thee and me."



Advertisement for Hat Cutting, featuring the text 'Hat Cutting' and '79c'.

Advertisement for GRAFTON AND CO LIMITED, located at Dundas and Carling Streets, with J. M. Hickey as Manager.

Advertisement for NEW BOOKS AT THE PUBLIC LIBRARY, listing various titles.

Advertisement for ANTI-CLERICAL RIOTS, mentioning Italian mobs and church closures.

Advertisement for THOSE STUFFED ROLLS, mentioning Attorney-General Orders and investigations.

Advertisement for ASSAULTS LONE WOMAN, mentioning a woman assaulted in a hotel.

Advertisement for CONTEMPTIBLE, mentioning a man arrested for stealing.

Advertisement for ALWAYS A GOOD FRIEND, mentioning health and happiness.

Advertisement for RAILWAY BOARD HANDS DOWN DECISION RE WESTERN FREIGHT RATES, mentioning a decision on rates.

Advertisement for COMMISSION SAYS NO DISCRIMINATION, mentioning a decision on discrimination.

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**BASEBALL AT GRAND BEND**

London Girl Campers Defeat the Boys by 18 to 17.

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
Mr. C. H. McDonald and family, of London, left on Wednesday, after spending a month in camp at Edgewood here.

Mrs. Houston and Miss Bertha Clarke, of London, are at Levitts. Miss Amy Clarke left for her home in Theford after a couple of weeks at Dew Drop Inn.

Mr. R. H. W. McDonald, of London, is the guest of Roy Klingner, at Rufanrede.

Mr. T. O. Southcott, of Exeter, is in camp here.

Dr. Clarke, of Theford, was at Dew Drop Inn here for Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Bayer and Miss Anna Bayer, of Brooklyn, N. Y., left for their home after a couple of weeks here.

Mrs. and Miss Long, of Stratford, who have been camping here, left for their home on Thursday.

On Wednesday two interesting games of baseball were played here on the athletic field. The one in the morning at 10:30 was between the London boys and camp girls. Miss Torie Clarke made a first-class (7) umpire. Batteries: Scott and Bartlett; Misses Nairn and McCrimmon. The girls won out by a score of 18 to 17.

The evening game, between London and Stratford campers resulted in a victory for the latter by 8 to 3. These games caused a great deal of sport in camp, and it is hoped they will be continued.

**EXPRESS COMPANIES' WAR**  
American Succeeds in Ousting Adams from their Lines.

Worcester, Mass., Aug. 2. — The Telegraph today says:  
In an upheaval of express systems operating in New England and the east, the American Express Company has gained exclusive control of the cities and towns reached only by the New York Central lines. In this movement the Adams Express Company has been forced from the Boston and Albany division of the New York Central lines between Worcester and Boston, and on the Webster branch. Twenty-one Massachusetts offices of the Adams Company were closed yesterday (Aug. 1). Fourteen other offices within the same territory, which railroads other than the Boston and Albany also enter, will continue in operation to compete with the American Express Company.

**A \$10,000 FIRE.**  
Boston, Aug. 2. — A fire which started from an unknown cause today consumed the main building of the plant of the Cunningham Iron Company, boiler manufacturers, and caused a loss estimated at \$100,000.

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**LONDON AND DISTRICT**

—Mr. Widmer C. Bland, manager of the Reid Featherbone and Novelty Company, Montreal, was married on Tuesday, July 30, to Miss Clara Ford, of Boston, Mass. They will reside in Montreal. Mr. Bland is a London boy and was connected with Robinson, Little & Co., for several years.

**A Presentation.**  
Mrs. G. W. Hilton, on her departure for Detroit, was made the recipient of a very handsome ebony toilet set, with silver monogram. It was presented to her by the W. A. of St. James' Episcopal Church, South London, in recognition of her long and arduous services among them as treasurer, a post which she has held for over ten years. Her departure is extremely regretted by all members of the W. A.

**Birthday Party.**  
A unique birthday party was celebrated at Rosedale, London Township, on Wednesday last, it being the 78th anniversary of the birth of Mr. Wm. Pack, of that place. Born in the parish of Ipplepan, Devonshire, England, in 1829, Mr. Pack came to this country in 1873, settling in London Township.

Though so far advanced in years he is in perfect health, still throwing himself into his work as gardener with great vigor. On Wednesday about 35 guests, including children and grand-children, gathered to do him honor. A most enjoyable time was spent, and all joined in wishing Mr. Pack many more happy years to live. Mr. Pack has been a subscriber to The Advertiser ever since he came to this district.

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NEWS OF PORT STANLEY

Young Folk from Many Points Making Things Lively.

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
Port Stanley, Aug. 1.—At Ramblers' Cottage the following young people are making things lively: The Misses Bertha and Maud Southcott, Belle and Edna Acheson, Flo Macdougall, of London, Miss Marion Murray, of Hamilton, and Miss Agnes Cann, of Niagara Falls.

J. Wilnot, of Dundas street, London, has leased Maplehurst Cottage, Erie Street, for the balance of the summer. Miss E. Arthur Ash and family, of Sarnia, who have been spending July in Maplehurst Cottage, Erie Street, returned to their home yesterday.

James Bowman, of London, has leased a cottage on Bloom's Bluff for the remainder of the season.

Miss Evelyn Potter and her sister Mabel, of London, have returned to their home after spending a very pleasant two weeks at Locust Nook.

Dr. Belton and family, of London, who have been summering on New Orchard Beach, have returned to the Forest City.

L. M. Bluetner, of London, will occupy Westward Ho Cottage, Erie Street, for the first two weeks in August.

Brigadier Hargrave, of the Salvation Army, and his wife, of Montreal, Mrs. Frank Smith and son, La Verge, Miss E. Grove and Miss Gilbank, of London, are registered at Locust Nook.

Mr. E. B. Banks, of St. Thomas, who has been visiting her son, Mr. D. Black, at Broadview Cottage, Orchard Beach, returned to her home today.

Miss Agnes Lindsay, of St. Thomas, is the guest of Miss Ella Smith, at Shady Nook Cottage, New Orchard Beach.

Mr. E. S. Banks, of London, and Mr. S. Stratton, of Hamilton, went to St. Thomas yesterday to play a game of tennis against Mr. K. Cameron and Mr. Ford Williamson, of that city. They easily overcame the St. Thomas men. The score was 15 to 7.

**THE GARDENERS' PICNIC**  
Vegetable Growers' Association Make Merry Down the River.

The London branch of the Ontario Vegetable Growers' Association held their annual picnic at Springbank on Wednesday, July 31. There was a large crowd, and with pleasant weather, a very successful picnic was the result, some \$40 being given away in prizes, and the picnic committee take this opportunity of thanking the following for so generously contributing to the prize list: The Hon. Adam Beck, M. L. A., Geo. W. Neely, M. P., P., the London Canning Company, the Gorman-Eckert Company and others. Messrs. Darch & Hunter, Messrs. Darch and Hunter, with Mr. T. Bates, of the London Canning Company, acted as judges. The veteran starter, Mr. T. Ball, made them toe the line to the satisfaction of everybody. The committee in charge were: Messrs. F. Whitehall, J. Davis, A. C. Johnston, F. Troit, Geo. Young, T. Ball and Tom Wistow, secretary-treasurer.

Children, under 8—W. Baker, W. Sherman, E. Dengage.  
Girls, under 12—A. Sherman, A. Ward, C. Ayres.

Boys, under 12—N. Sanderson, F. Landsborough, N. Whitney.  
Young men's race—D. Gooderham, J. Keys, E. Ball.

Young married ladies' race—Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Woods, Mrs. Whitehall.  
Young married men's race—F. Whitehall, T. Sherman, Geo. Young.

Pig race—D. Gooderham and Miss G. Gooderham, E. Ball and Miss F. Ball, Eli Davis and Miss E. Davis.  
Men over 50 years—1 J. Moulton, 2 C. Dengage, 3 T. Ball.

Obstacle race—1 E. Ball 2 D. Gooderham, 3 J. Paxman.  
Three-legged race, lady and gentleman—1 D. Gooderham and Miss G. Gooderham, 2 Eli Davis and Miss E. Davis, 3 E. Ball and Miss F. Ball.

Throwing the baseball, ladies—1 Miss A. Berry, 2 Miss Gooderham, 3 Miss Ayres.  
Backward running race—1 F. Nichol, 2 Bryden, 3 H. Hull.  
Flat race, for three full years' sub-

scriptions to Canadian Horticulturalist—1 J. Gooderham, J. Keys and C. Finch.  
The tug-of-war was won by the married men.

**NO 3 COMMITTEE TO NAME INSPECTOR**

**Mayor Brought Up the Matter at the Meeting of No. 3 Committee Last Night.**

Mayor Judd brought the matter of a building inspector before the notice of No. 3 committee at their meeting last night. He explained that he had been in communication with the city councils of Toronto, Hamilton, Montreal and Kingston, and had received copies of the bylaws of those cities. He did not know that any cities other than the ones mentioned had such bylaws. He said he would bring the matter to the attention of the council at the next session and have the question referred to No. 3 committee, to be taken up by that body at its next meeting.

The report of Wm. Yeates, of Hamilton, formerly of London, on the chemical engine, was received. It showed that changes were necessary and that they should be made by the company. It was moved that, on the recommendation of Mr. Yeates, the Canadian Fire Engine Company make the necessary repairs, to cost \$50. Tenders will be called for the cleaning of the market.

The application of the McMullen Printing Company for permission to deliver butter wrappers to butter-makers on the market was granted.

**This Was Laid Over.**  
The memo. from the council, re the amending of the auctioneers' license bylaw, so that a license could be transferred for \$2, was laid over.

Mr. C. W. Bennett, of the Unique Theater, appeared before the committee to ask that his license be reduced on the theater from \$80 to \$40. He claimed that under the amusement bylaw the fee is only \$40, while the committee claims that under the amended bylaw the fee is \$80. The matter was referred to the council for adjustment.

A letter of condolence was ordered sent to the family of the late George Hill, who was employed on the market for many years.

The members of the committee present were: Ald. Gillespie, chairman; Ald. Gerry, Garratt, Mayor Judd, Chief Clerk, Inspector McCallum, Market Clerk Maker and Secretary Bell.

**RAIN SPOILED THE BENEFIT BAND CONCERT**  
Citizens' Band Was on Hand in the Park, but Dampness Closed the Proceedings.

Rain again spoiled a concert which was to have been given in Victoria Park in aid of the Crystal Hall sufferers last night.

Some people put in an appearance, the popcorn man turned up, even the band turned up; but the rain fell and spoiled the concert.

The Citizens' Band, a new musical organization, under Bandmaster Dawg, was to have played, but it only rendered two numbers, when the rain interfered.

In all probability the concert will be given next Friday night, when the band will render the following programme:

Overture—Knights of Columbus...Buser  
Cornet Solo—Columbia Polka...Williams  
.....Rollinson  
Selection—Irish...Hare  
Cornet Duet—Sparks...Hall  
Mr. H. E. St. George and Mr. H. Wooster.

Medley Overture—Remick's No. 3  
.....Lamp  
Waltzes—Sunset...Hall  
Two-Step—Waldemire...Losey  
God Save the King.

**BABY SHOW WILL BE BIG FEATURE**  
Irishmen Will Offer Many Valuable Prizes—Picnic on August 8.

The Irish Benevolent Society expects to break all records for attendance at the big outing to Port Stanley on Aug. 8.

No expense is being spared to make the affair a greater success than ever before.

"We should have at least 10,000 people this year if the weather is all it should be," one of the members of the executive said to The Advertiser today. "We expect a great many Londoners to attend, and there will be thousands at the Port from places for many miles around."

The band of the Twenty-sixth Regiment has been secured for the occasion, as well as a splendid string band.

The banquet this year will be held at the Tecumseh House, London, instead of at the Fraser House, Port Stanley, as was the custom in previous years.

The baby show is sure to be the big feature of the picnic. There will be prizes for every baby entered, and babies of all creeds, colors and nationalities are all eligible.

**CUT OFF BOTH LEGS**  
A Sarnia Reserve Indian Instantly Killed by Train.

Sarnia, Aug. 1. — Peter Menass, a Sarnia reserve Indian, was struck and run over by a train last night at Point Edward. He had crawled under the car during the rain storm. The car was dented and cut off both his legs, killing him instantly. He was 50 years of age and leaves a grown-up family.

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Our stores are clean, bright and well appointed. We guarantee all our goods. We carry the largest assortment from which to choose. Phone orders carefully filled.

**Our Coffee**  
It only needs a fair trial to prove to you that it's the best blend sold in London. No higher in price. A pound ..... 40c

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Makes nice, tasty sandwiches; 3 sizes. A glass . 15c, 25c and 40c  
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FINE OLD YELLOW CHEESE, a pound ..... 20c  
NEW YELLOW CHEESE, a pound ..... 16c

**Fancy Biscuits**  
In the biscuit department of both stores you will find an assortment of plain, sweet and leed biscuits, in dustproof tins.

**New Sterling Lobsters**  
Every can guaranteed. A tin ..... 25c and 30c

**Smoked Sardines**  
In oil or tomato sauce, 2 cans for ..... 25c

**Olives**  
We carry an excellent assortment—Queens, Manzanillas, Stuffed. From 10c a bottle upwards.

**Fruits for Saturday**  
Watermelons, Sweet Valencia Oranges, Raspberries, Choice Bananas, Limes and Lemons.  
EVERYTHING IN VEGETABLES

**T. A. ROWAT & CO.**

**RETIRING FROM BUSINESS**  
Mr. Andrew R. Simpson's Success in Different Lines—Will Seek Relaxation.

Mr. Andrew R. Simpson, for the past eleven years manager of the Ontario Spring Bed and Mattress Company, is retiring from the firm to seek a respite from business in travel and change of scene. With his partner, Mr. R. C. Williams, he came here in March, 1894, and the two established and extended the business situated at 90 York street, until now its goods are sold all over the Dominion of Canada, and certain lines are exported as well. About 40 hands are regularly employed, and a large sum paid out annually in wages. The firm is one of our city, and it is to be hoped it will continue to flourish in the future as it has done in the past.

Mr. Simpson has literary as well as business ability. He is the author of a book entitled "Miscellaneous Poems," a number of which are pronounced by critics to be of a high order. In depicting nature and drawing lessons from her varied moods and aspects, he excels. As an example of his descriptive power in the region of poetry, we print in another column, "The Humming Bird," from his pen. While regretting to lose Mr. Simpson as a citizen, his friends hope that he will find in the relaxation from the cares of business the rest and time for reflection that he is seeking.

**THAW'S NEW LAWYER.**  
New York, Aug. 1.—Martin W. Littleton, of Brooklyn, has been selected by Harry K. Thaw to conduct Thaw's next trial on a charge of killing Stanford White. He will receive a fee of \$25,000.

**HORD**  
NEXT TO BENNETT'S A GOOD PLACE TO BUY SHIRTS

**BUY A BREAD MIXER**  
Twenty to thirty minutes of the work of hand-kneading is done in three minutes.

No. 4 Size, \$2.00 Each  
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Single pairs, sample pairs and odd lines of Brussels, Battenburg, Guipure, Arabian and Nottingham Curtains on sale at from

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SOILED SAMPLE PAIRS—That is, pairs of which a single curtain has been used as a sample and become slightly soiled—at exactly half price.

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At Almost Cost of Material

Ladies' White Cotton Drawers, umbrella style, Made of Losndale Cotton with tucks and lace. Special ..... 25c

Best White Underskirt for ..... 99c  
Made of fine white cotton, wide dust frill, with tucks and wide embroidery.

Our \$1.00 Gowns, made of fine Lonsdale cotton, extra large size yoke, trimmed with embroidery and tucks, for ..... \$1.00

Those 59c fine sheer lawn waists, front lace trimmed and fancy tucks; also back tucked. All sizes ..... 59c

White Linen Wash Skirts, with pleats all way round and panels thoroughly shrunk. Special ..... \$2.49

\$2.50 for a light Tweed Skirt, pleated style and panels, just at the cost of making, for \$2.49

Girls' Dresses, made of Indigo blue, polka dot print, trimmed with white pique, sailor style, fit girls from 6 to 14 years, for ..... \$1.25

**MARA'S for Ready-Made Goods**  
Opposite Market Lane

**Have to Leave**  
Our store very soon now, which means BIGGER REDUCTIONS THAN EVER. All summer goods must be sold before we move. Cheaper to sell than to move.  
Look at these prices for the best class of most reliable Men's Furnishings and Hats in the city. Some of the lower prices being sold out we make bigger reductions than ever in order to get the goods down to quick-selling prices.

\$1 25 and \$1 00 Soft Shirts ..... 69c  
\$1 50 and \$1 25 Soft Shirts ..... 85c  
\$1 00 Fine Natural Wool Underwear ..... 69c  
25c Cotton Sox, 2 for ..... 25c  
25c Linen Handkerchiefs, 2 for 25c ..... 49c  
56c Nightshirts ..... 49c

\$3 00 Pyjamas ..... \$1 98  
75c Leather Belts ..... 49c  
\$2 50 and \$3 00 Shirts, now \$1 98  
\$1 00 Umbrellas ..... 59c  
25c and 25c Brasces ..... 98c  
\$1 25 Bathing Suits ..... \$1 25  
\$1 75 Bathing Suits ..... \$1 25  
\$3 00 Bathing Suits ..... \$1 98

CHOICE OF ALL OUR BEST \$3.00 HATS only ..... \$1.98  
5 dozen Soft Hats, regular \$2.50 and \$3.00, only ..... \$1.25  
20 dozen 25c NECKTIES only ..... 150

Don't delay, as we are likely to close this sale any day after this week.

**BOUGHNER**

**PROPHESY EARTHQUAKE.**  
Montevideo, Uruguay, Aug. 2. — A serious earthquake is prophesied to take place in Uruguay on Aug. 6.

**FIRE IN THE FOOTHILLS.**  
Visalia, Calif., Aug. 2.—A disastrous fire raged all night along the foothills ten miles east of this city. The territory devastated will amount to 75 or 100 square miles. The entire population is fighting the fire. Hay and grain and thousands of acres of grass have been destroyed. The damage will amount to many thousands of dollars.

**STEAMERS ARRIVED.**  
Aug. 1. Reported at. From. Bremen.....New York.....Bremen. Sarnio.....New York.....Naples. Saxonia.....Boston.....Naples. Ivernia.....Liverpool.....Boston. Iberian.....Manchester.....Boston. Deutschland.....Cherbourg.....New York. La Savoie.....Havre.....New York. Louisiana.....Naples.....New York. Empress of Ireland.....Quebec.....Liverpool. Tunisian.....Father Point.....Liverpool. Majestic.....New York.....Southampton. Koenig Albert.....New York.....Naples. Pannonia.....New York.....Naples. Manchester.....Manchester. Shipper.....Father Point.....Manchester. Parisian.....Father Point.....Havre. Sofia Holan.