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LONDON, CANADA, FRIDAY, AUGUST 17, 1900.

Amusements and Lectures 10c per line, or 2c per word, each inser-

Springbank Every Night This Week. FAIRMAN, CHARACTER SONGS

ARENO, CONTORTIONIST. Take electric cars. 10 cents round trip. 35n EMPLOYES OF C. S. HYMAN & CO. WILL will hold their annual picnic at Port Stanley, Saturday, Aug. 18, 1900.

BASEBALL - TRCUMSEH PARK, SAT-URDAY, Aug. 18. Knox vs. Woodstock (Canadian Champions). Admission 15c.; stands free. Game called at 3:30. CANADIAN ORDER KNIGHTS OF THE Grip picnic at Springbank, Saturday, Aug. 18. Sports start at 2 o'clock, p.m. Travelers will kindly meet at Knights Pythias Hall, corner Dundas and Glarence, 1:30 sharp. All travelers welcome.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH GARDEN PARTY—
Drawing of watch and various other articles
will take place. By kind permission of Col.
A. M. Smith and officers of regiment, the 7th
Regiment Band will furnish music during
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100,000 PEOPLE WILL BE IN DE-TROIT, at the Knights of Pythias Convention. \$3.75, London to Detroit and return; good going any time Aug. 18 to 29, return 30th. Boat and Sarnia \$2.65, return Saturday, Aug. 18, return Monday. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

SULPHUR SPRINGS BATHS OPEN for the season daily from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. also swimming pond. Gole & Edmonds.

THERE HAS BEEN A SLIGHT REDUC-TION in steerage fares to the old country, via the Allan ships Corinthian and Numidian, as also a reduction in first and second cabin fares by both the Allan and Beaver ships. Full particulars from F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

667THE FRASER, PORT STANLEY—

1 Hops Saturdays and Wednesdays. The original Tony Cortese Harpers in attendance. Special rates to private parties.

PALACE ACADEMY - SUMMBR PA-VILION, Springbank, open June 1 to Sept. 15. Whist, pedro and dencing parties can be arranged; moderate terms. Guaranteed strictly private. Apply Dayton & McCormick.

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Mrs. Friend, 117 Dundas street. 39c

WANTED-A KITCHEN GIRL-APPLY to Oity Hotel. 37c WANTED AT ONCE-WOMAN TO DO plain cooking. H. Rason, Ontario

WANTED AT ONCE-GOOD GENERAL servant. Apply Mrs. J. Smith McDougall, 406 Burwell street. 37c WANTED AT ONCE-50 GIRLS KITCH-V EN girls, cooks and generals. Big wages to girls with good references. Mrs. Lockhart, 362 Dundas street. Phone 964.

WANTED - PLAIN COOK AND GEN-ERAL servant, Apply Office Restau-rant. 23tf

### Male Help Wanted.

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WANTED-MAN, OF ROBUST HEALTH for outside position of trust, age 20 to 24 years, energetic, active, intelligent and of agreeable address, also well acquainted with oity. Wages \$8 per week; permanent position to suitable person. Address Box 386, London. 36tf

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WANTED-FEW MORE GIRLS-APPLY McCormick Manufacturing Company.
37tf

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1c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No advt. less than 10 words. WANTED IMMEDIATELY - MALE

teacher for S. S. No. 3, Ekfrid; second-class professional. Address applications to Arch. McDougald, Secretary, Melbourne, Ont. 39c

TEACHER WANTED - FOR BALANCE ciass, male, personal applications preferred, services to commence Sept. 1st. Apply Richard Oulbert, Sec.-Treas., S. S. No. 2. Biddulph, Lucan P. O. b

### Lost and Found.

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LOST - THIS MORNING, EITHER ON Dundas, or Lichfield, lady's blue cape, bound with red. Return to Cowan's Hardware and

LOST-ON STREET RAILWAY LAND-ING at County Club, silver-headed um-brella, initials E. O. G. Reward if returned to Advertiser. 38tf LOST-AUG, 6TH. ONE GRAY COW AND one light red and white heifer showing

one light red and white heifer, showing Jersey and springing bag; both dehorned; last seen on Delaware Hill. Finder rewarded. W. A. Piper, Tempo.

THE PERSON WHO TOOK COAT BY mistake on Irish picnic from Loney House. Port Stanley, had better return it and get his

### III Clothed Or Well Clothed?

Can you afford to be ill clothed? You CAN afford to be well clothed, because our work costs ittle, wears long and s gives satisfaction all

larity-it's everlastingly pulling down prices on dependable Footwear; its trustworthy advertising and its strict fulfillment of every promise to the letter are the why and wherefore of the

Here are some Shoes we are ready to give you at a price that will astonish you. See them in our east win-

4 different styles in Women's Don-styles in Women's Dongola Kid

Buttoned, regular price \$1 25, now 75c

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styles in Women's Dongola Kid

Oxfords, turned soles, regular

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Your money back if you want it.

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TO \$6 A DAY EASILY MADE—A most wonderful improvement in a curry-comb; good salesmen wanted everywhere. Apply the bondon Specialty Manufacturing Co., 59 Dundas street, London, Ont. Mention Advertiser.

RELIABLE MAN TO REPRESENT OUR house in resident and adjoining communities. Duties require hiring help, making collections and some office work. Liberal salary and expenses advanced to right party. Address with references, Wm. J. Uhl, manager, 783 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pa. 37c

A GENTS WANTED TO TAKE ORDERS and form clubs for the Linear
Parallel Teachers' Bible. Imperial Publishing
Co., Oddfellows' Block, London. A FIRST-CLASS AGENT WANTED. \$20 week. Cooper, Drawer 531, London, Ont.

### Business Chances.

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OR SALE OR RENT-COAL AND WOOD Plant. A rare chance. Apply Box 1156, St. Thomas, 34n

### Laundry.

DRITISH SUBJECTS' CHINESE LAUN-DRY—Best work in London; all done by hand; no tearing of goods; satisfaction guaran-teed; work called for and delivered promptly to all parts of city. Give me a call and you will be pleased. C. H. Frank, opposite Bryan's Brush Factory.

### Articles For Sale.

1c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No advt. less than 10 words. LADIES' AND GENTS' BICYCLES, SOME ordered clothing, and furniture, sewing machine. Market, tomorrow. Joseph Brown,

FOR SALE -COOK STOVE (WOOD), TWO No. 3 Wharneliffe road, London South. Apply 38c FOR SALE-TWO SPRING WAGONS-

FOR SALE—SAFE, SHOWCASE, COUNTERS, stoves, ctc., cheap. Leaving city. Sainsbury, 90 King street.

FOR SALE - A GENUINE SNAP FOR anyone desiring a piano. A new William piano at a bargain. Call at Advertiser for par FOR SALE-TEAM OF PONIES, BRIGHT

bay, 3 and 4 years, together or separately May be seen at 262 South street. 31tf EAST END FRUIT AND PRODUCE market—New Cheese 12c lb, Old Cheese 15c lb; Crock Butter 21c lb, second quality 18c; Fresh Eggs 13c dox; Good Apples, Red Astracan and Early Transparent 10c pk, Duchess 12c; pk; Choice Melons 20c, Missouri Striped Melons (best on earth) 25c to 30c; new pot atoes 10c pk., 50c bag. T.A, Faulds, corner of Lyle and Dundas.

TWO FIRE PROOF SAFES - VERY cheap; sewing machine and all kinds of repairing at lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 298 Richmond street, one door south G.

F. S. ONN, STALL 4, MARKET—FRESH of all kinds. Orders called for and delivered promptly. LOR SALE FANCY CARVED BURL walnut piano, 7½ octaves, 2 years old, cheap and on easy terms. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas street, corner Clarence.

ATA. P. PARISH'S-EARLY BREAKFAST A 1 A.F. FARISHS—BARLI BILEARFAST stove. No. 9. at a bargain, as the party is leaving city; few bedroom sets cheap for cash; old stoves and furniture exchanged; few cushion seats for sale. 357 Talbot street. south

market square. DANIELS' NEW CENTURY MAGIC Salve is unequaled for piles, burns, chil-blains, scalds, etc. For sale at McCallum's Drug Store, W. H. Daniels.

TENTS FOR SALE—AT T. KEENE'S Furniture and Stove Store, 141 King

A PPLE PICKING WILL SOON BE HERE. A Waggoner Extension Ladder saves its cost twice over first year. Good for every purpose. Write for catalogue. The Waggoner Ladder Company, Limited, Lordon, Ont. REST HARD WOOD-

Long blocks or split. Send in your order for prompt delivery.

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K EENE'S STOVE WAREHOUSE RE-MOVED to Stringer's old stand, 141 King street. Stoves of all kinds bought. A LL KINDS OF HORSES BOUGHT, SOLD

exchanged at Henderson's sale stables. 1431/ King street. SUMMER WOOD-NOW THAT SUMMER D heat has come why not try a load of Gillies' wood, just the thing for hot weather? Phone 1312.

FOR SALE-GOOD MILL-WOOD AND sawdust. Columbia Handle and Lumber Co., Adelaide street. Phone 1232.

### Bicycle Livery.

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SPECIAL PRICES FOR THE HOLIDAYS—
Ladies' wheels, 31 per week; gents' wheels, 31 50 per week, or \$5 month, payable in advance; afternoon or evening, 25 cents; wheels delivered and called for. Telephone 1233. J.

H. Cunningham, 706 Dundas street

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is worth a firstclass price, and you sacrifice something in the way of quality or making if you attempt to pay less than we are asking. Having your clothes made by us insures your getting as good as money and brains can possibly produce, and you get protection in the way of a guarantee.

> Deeks & Munson, 395 Richmond Street.

### Miscellaneous,

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MR. H. DRAYTON DESIRES TO RETURN thanks to his many oustomers for past patronage, and begs to announce that he is now in a better position to fill their wants in wood turning, etc. Mail orders receive prompt attention. H. Drayton, at Colin Reid's factory, Bothwell.

BICYCLE AND ALL KINDS OF REPAIR-ING satisfactorily done. Call solicited Finch & Son, 307 Clarence street. OLD GOLD, SILVER, JEWELRY AND diamonds bought for cash. S. K. Milroy, manufacturing jeweler, 255 Dundas street. WATSON & GO. - HOUSE MOVERS -Steam boilers and safes a specialty. 194 Hamilton road. Phone 1231.

F B LEYS' OFFICE WILL BE AT THE London Hat, Cap and Manule Manufacturing Company, 3% and 367 Clarence street, for the present.

BICYCLE AND GENERAL REPAIRING J. M. Shoebottom, 423 Wellington street.

### Houses, Etc., To Let.

TO LET -NO. 711 QUEEN'S AVENUE, comfortable brick cottage, good condition and nice locality. Rent \$12. Key at Dobbin & FURNISHED COTTAGE - AT PORT Stanley (Orchard Beach) to rent for September. Apply 182 Dundas street, London.

TO LET-810 TALBOT STREET-IMMEDIATE possession. Alex. Harvey. 28tf TO RENT-424 PARK AVENUE. ALL modern conveniences. Immediate possession. Apply to J. C. Trebllcock, 235 Dundas

TO LET-OFFICE IN ODDFELLOWS Hall. Apply to R. K. Cowan, Barrister, County Buildings. TO RENT-486 PICCADILLY STREET, two-story brick house; rent moderate. P. Walsh, 110 Dundas street.

TO LET - UNION FURNITURE VAN Purniture ceretuily handled. John Biggs,
Catheart and Bruce, South London, late of
London Furniture Co. Phone 310.

TO LET - THE MOST SATISFACTORY and best vans in the city. Good storage for pianos and furniture. Office and storage, 37 Carling street. Phone 1167, might phone 1167. Book your orders as early as possible. No connection with any other vans.

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In good repair. Address Box 55, Ad-er. 37c vertiser. WANTED-FIVE THOUSAND PEOPLE to use Wa-Hoo Herbs for stomach, liver and kidney trouble. A 50c package (for trial), 25c. Wa-Hoo Remedy Co., 403 Richmond

### Real Estate.

NEW BRICK COTTAGE FOR SALE— Owner leaving for England. Redan street (off Hamilton road). Apply on premises, \$8n A. CAMPBELL

Real Estate, Loans and Investments, Molsons Bank Buildings, London, Ont. The two undermentioned residential properties are offered for sale, and in order to effect an immediate sale are offered at extremely clos

524 Talbotstreet-That substantially built and artistic 1½ story brick residence, containing 9 rooms, bath, furnace, gas; rooms nicely papered; granolithic walks; lot 44 feet frontage. This is a beautiful residential home, and very convenient to the center of the city for a tusiness man. Apply at once. Inspection permits issued upon application.

upon application. Princess avenue-Two-story brick residence. containing 8 rooms, 4 grates and mantels, furnace, gas; splendid situation; lot 30x198 feet. Price \$2,300. Inquire at once. Must be sold.

TOR SALE-COTTAGE AND VALUABLE of SALB Country avenue, near Adelaide street; would make very desirable building lot; half block from street cars. Apply 521 Dundas street.

VALUABLE VILLAGE PROPERTY FOR sale.—A good store, dwelling house and barn; all necessary accommedations for busi-ness; well situated; best locality. For further particulars apply to R. B. Thomas, Appin, Ont.

FOR SALE - RESIDENCE - BEST POR THON of city; sacrifice; five bedrooms, clothes closets, furnace and all modern improvements; splendid fruit; large lot; exceptional bargain if sold quick. A. G. Chisholm, Barrister, etc., 78½ Dundas street, city. 49tf FOR SALE-TWO DOUBLE HOUGH-CAST r cottages, corner Elizabeth street and Dufferin avenue. Apply L. Clark, 358 Rectory

### Winter Dairy Show.

At the dairy exhibition to be held in connection with the Annual Convention of the Dairymen's Association of Western Ontario, the following prizes will be awarded:— Class I—Cheese to be made from Aug. 15th to 31st, one white cheese, prizes, 1st \$50, 2nd \$15, 3rd \$10; one colored cheese, prizes, 1st \$50, 2nd \$15, 3rd \$10.

Class II—Cheese to be made from Oct. 15th to 30th, one white cheese, prizes, 1st \$25, 2nd \$15, 3rd \$10; one colored cheese, prizes, 1st \$25, 2nd \$15, 3rd \$10.

Class III—Creamery butter, one 56-lb box, prizes, 1st \$25, 2nd \$15, 3rd \$10; ten 1-lb prints, prizes, 1st \$10, 2nd \$5, 3rd \$3. prints, prizes, 1st \$10, 2nd \$5, 3rd \$3.

N.B.—The cheese in Class I must be shipped to Western Dairymen's Illustration and Experimental Station, at Milverton, not later than September 25th. The object in sending these cheese to Milverton is to have them scored on arrival by the judge, and to note the changes that take place during the process of curing, all the cheese being cured under the same conditions. The cheese to be shipped to the Convention at the expense of the Association, and again judged at the Convention.

Entry forms and further particulars supplied by Mr. Geo. Hately, Secretary Dairymen's Association, Brantford, Ont.

Mr. T. B. Miller is Chairman of Committee.

# Allied Forces Now in Pekin!

Entered the Chinese Capital on the 15th of August.

Li Hung Changs - eport Says They Were Unopposed-All Quiet at Shanghai-Li Hung Chang Asks for an Armistice-Reply of the United States.

from Shanghai says: The allies entered Pekin Aug. 15. It is believed that Yuan Shi Kai's troops have gone thence to Shen Si to protect the empress, who, according to reports received by officials here, with Tuan, the imperial household and the bulk of the army and the Boxers, left Pekin Aug. 7 for Hsian Fu.

### CONFIRMED.

Berlin, Aug. 17 .- It is semi-officially announced that the foreign legations at Pekin have been relieved

LI HUNG CHANG'S DISPATCH. Shanghai, Aug. 17-2:40 p.m.-Li Hung Chang has received a telegraphic dispatch announcing that the allied forces entered Pekin Wednesday, Aug.

15. without opposition The British troops will land here

All is quiet here and in the Yang Tse

WAITING FOR CONFIRMATION. confirmation of the report. ATTACK BEGAN MONDAY.

An official telegram, dated Taku, Aug. asserts that the attack on Pekin began on Monday, that Sir Claude Macdonald, the British ministers, has opened comheadquarters at Tung Chau. Chinese officials in Shanghai are reported as admitting that the allies inflicted a heavy defeat on the Chinese imperial troops around Tung Chau on Sunday, and then marched direct on Pekin. Shanghai dispatches declare that the Chinese had intended to make a final attack upon the legations last Sunday.

LEGATIONERS SAFE. The consensus of opinion expressed by the morning papers tends to the belief that the legationers are now safe

with the allies. LEFT PEKIN. It is reported at Hong Kong that the Canton customs department has re-ceived a wire saying that Sir Robert director-general of Chinese imperial customs, accompanied by his staff, has left Pekin under Chinese escort, and that a cruiser will be sent to meet him on his reaching the

RECALLED TO WU SUNG. Shanghai, Aug. 16.—The British troops had sailed, but they were recalled by a torpedo boat destroyer, and have now returned to Wu Sung.

AWFUL HEAT. Describing the capture of Ho Si Wu. special dispatch says that the head-

gear of the Americans was quite insufficient for the awful heat, and that ince of Shan Si: E. J. Cooper, the consequences were direful. ing the contingent of troops from India in China, has wired to the government from Ma Tow, under date of the children of Mr. E. J. Cooper and Aug. 11, via Che Foo, Aug. 15, as fol-Mrs. Glover. "Arrived here this morning early after a most trying night march.
The troops of all nationalities are sufstroke. The enemy is believed to be entrenched north of Chang Chia Wan. There is no further news from the le-

### STIFF FIGHTENG

Gen Renneenkampf, according to advices to the Russian war office, while pursuing the Chinese from Aigun, found 4,000 infantry, 5,000 cavalry and 12 guns in a strong position at Sanjshan. Although the Russians were inferior in numbers and had only guns, they made combined frontal and flank attacks upon the Chinese on Aug. 10. The Chinese succeeded in breaking up the flank movement, and they fought with great stubbornness, eventually they were compelled withdraw the guns.

· CHINESE WORSTED. Washington, Aug. 16.-The Japanese legation has received a message from the foreign office at Tokio, stating that

TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE, 484 MAIT-Saturday, Aug. 18, at 3 p.m., at auction rooms of J. W. Jones, 242 Dundas street. Terms easy. Splendid chacce for

cheap residence. J. W. JONES. T. H. LUSCOMBE. 169 Dundas St. Auctioneer.

London, Aug. 17 .- A special dispatch | Tung Chow was occupied without resistance by the Japanese force at daybreak on the 12th. The Chinese apparently retreated toward Pekin. Large quantities of arms and rice were captured at the same time.

Berlin, Aug. 16.—A dispatch received here from Tien Tsin, dated Aug. 14, announces that the allies have captured Chang Chia Wan, with slight loss. The Chinese left 500 dead on the Tung Chau and some to Pekin.

### Appeal for a Halt.

ARMISTICE ASKED. London, Aug. 17 .- The western powers, according to a dispatch to the Daily Express from Kobe, have accepted proposals formulated by Japan for arranging an armistice, dependent upon the immediate delivery of the foreign legations to the allies or the granting of permission to the allied forces to enter Pekin and to guard the legations. Upon this basis the correspondent says Japan has already begun to

negotiate. A Washington dispatch says: Li Hung Chang's appeal for a halt form-ed the most important feature of the day. The note of the venerable Chinese statesman was almost pathetic in tone, showing the desperate straits to which China had been driven. He stated that the allied forces were nearing Tung Kong announces the capture of Pekin; but the Austrian government, like the other European powers is still like the ers should accede to this course was

most earnestly requested.

The language of the message showed the greatest solicitude that the powers accept this proposition, as Li Hung Chang declared that a further advance would shake the foundation of the Chinese empire, besides causing the deenunication with the relieving force, and est alarm to the emperor and empress that the allies have established their downger, and calamities to the nearly dowager, and calamities to the people. REPLY OF THE UNITED STATES. The following memorandum, in reply, was handed to Mr. Wu, Chinese minister at Washington:

Washington, Aug. 12, 1900.—Fowler, Che Foo, for Chaffee, Aug. 19: Secretary of war directs me to inform you that Li Hung Chang, appointed by Chinese government to negotiate powers, requests cessation of hostilities We have replied that we are ready to enter into agreement between powers and Chinese government for cessation of hostilities on condition that a sufficient body of the forces composing the relief expedition shall be permitted to to Tien Tsin, the movement being provided for and secured by such arrangements and dispositions of troops as shall be considered satisfactory by the generals commanding the relief expedition. We have communicated this to all the powers. The Japanese governance. ment takes the same position. have not heard from the other powers.

### -(Signed) Corbin.

INLAND MISSIONARIES SAFE. Toronto, Aug. 17 .-- A cable was received yesterday at the China inland mission, Toronto, telling of the safe ed with the advance column, the gen-arrival at Hun Kow of the following eral offered to give them facilities for missionaries who fled from the provstation of Su Cheng; Rev. A. E. and Gen. Sir Alfred Gazelee, command- Mrs. Glover, from station of Su An; Rev. A. R. and Mrs. Saunders, from Ping Iao; also six children, evidently

The cable also announces from Lu Cheng that Miss H. J. Rice has been murdered, and that Miss M. E. Huston fering severely from the heat. Ten of and Mrs. E. J. Cooper, from Lu Cheng, our horses died yesterday from sun-stroke. The enemy is believed to be all dead, as the result of injuries received while traveling. Mr. Saunders went out from Canada, and was for a time assistant secretary of the Toranto Y. M. C. A. Miss Rice was from Haydonville, Mass., and went to off and is now at Port Arthur. China in 1893. Miss Huston is from Mobile, Ala., and had been in China since 1896. Mrs. E. J. Cooper went from Scotland to China in 1897. All the foregoing mission with the company mission with the control of the con foregoing missionaries belonged to the China Inland Mission.

### COLLISION AT WOODSTOCK.

Woodstock, Aug. 17.-While switching some cars at the Grand Trunk station a collision took place, as a result of which one flatcar was derailed by a fierce Cossack attack on their and smashed in two. Next to it was center to evacuate the position and a boxcar containing 60 barrels of oak extract, twenty of these were smashed and the contents lost. The loss will THE DUFFIELD ESTATE.

Toronto, Aug. 16 .- The attorney-general today entered suit to recover suc-cession duties from the estate of William Duffield, for years president of the gas company at London. According to the widow, the executrix, the estate is worth only \$75,000, and it is not taxable. being under \$100,000, but the Ontario Government is seemingly of a different opinion, and by the step taken today hints that, as in other estates, part of the property and assets have been disposed of some time before the testator's death, with the object of defeating the act. The government asks for an investigation to ascertain the value of the estate, and for duties for which the estate should be liable. The widow and executors, James and Wm. A. Duffield. are defendants in the suit. McCarthy, Osler & Co. are acting for the govern-

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Oriental Rum and Quinine Hair Tonic, when applied to the hair and scalp, invigorates and stimulates growth and activity.

This grand Tonic feeds and nourishes the hair-bulbs, awakens into new life the forces that are but poorly performing their work. Applied lightly over the hair it makes it soft and glossy, keeps the hair from splitting and so affects its vitality that gradually the natural color is restored, and the hair soon becomes luxuriant and

beautiful. A positive cure for Dandruff. Only 50c bottle.

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CAIRNCROSS & LAWRENCE, Chemists, etc., 216 Dundas street, London

Relief of the Legationers Is Confirmed.

First Definite News Came From Berlin-Entry of the Allies Unopposed.

London, Aug. 17 .- The first definite announcement of the relief of the legations came from Berlin: "The allies have entered Pekin without fighting. The legations are relieved and the foreigners are liberated." Such is the dispatch received from the German consul at Shanghai, and given out by the Berlin foreign office at 1 p.m. today. The collapse of Chinese resist-

### EXPLAINED

in dispatches from Shanghai as being due to the failure of the Chinese to flood the country below Tung Chow. The earthworks connected with the dam at the Pei Ho were unfinished, and the canal at Tung Chow was full of water, facilitating boat transport when

the allies arrived there. Signals between the allies and the legationers, holding part of the wall at Pekin, were exchanged during the morning of Aug. 15 (Wednesday).

SEVEN DAYS AGO. Washington, Aug. 17.-The navy department has made public the following dispatch from Admiral Remey: "Taku, Aug. 16.-Message from Pekin

10th; legations closely blockaded by Chinese; provisions ample for three weeks; all reported well. Remey." enter Pekin unmolested, and to escort! A dispatch received in Paris from foreign ministers and residents back | Gen. Frey, in command of the French marine force in China, dated Aug. 9, says the rapid advance of the allies towards Pekin was due to the excel-

> lent scouting of the Russians and Jap-Gen. Frey returned to Tien Tsin in order to lead the reinforcements of French troops to the front. Finding there the Germans, the Austrians and the Italians who were not representgetting to the front with his command. They accepted with thanks and a new column, composed of the forces of the

nations, started for Pekir TROOPS STILL ARRIVING London, Aug. 17 .- Troops are still ar-

riving at Taku. The German transports Wittekind and Frankfort are due there The Russian transport Nijni-Novgor-

od ran on a reef on Aug. 14. The Japanese cruiser Takasago, which went ashore recently, has been towed A dispatch from Yokohama under today's date announces that an official telegram from Seoul, the capital of

### Russians in that neighborhood. Frameless

Corea, says the inhabitants of the Py-

ong Yong district, adjoining the fron-

tier, are alarmed at the landing of 1,000

Glasses are not invisible, but nearly so. We fit them so carefully that no discomfort is felt in wearing them even during this hot weather. They are rich in appearance and not expensive.

### JOHN S. BARNARD

Optician and Jeweler,

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# THE PREMIER

Warmly Welcomed by the Assembly of Acadians.

Bir Wilfrid's Remarks on Education-The Key That Opens All Doors.

Arichat, Aug. 15 .- The fourth convention of the Acadians of the Maritime Provinces assembled here today. A press at Pelton on Monday morning, large number of delegates from Quebec, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and the New England be \$400 behind on the games of Mon-States were present. The town was oplendidly decorated in honor of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, whose arrival from on at the Madill farm, Tilsonburg, on Mulgrave on the Canadian cruiser the new road, and the managers are Acadia at 10 o'clock a.m. was signalized by a salute fired from two ancient cannon. An open-air meeting was held in the afternoon, when the premier spoke in French and English. Sir Wilfrid and party will leave for Sydney on the cut-

ter Constance tomorrow morning. At 10:30 high mass was celebrated in Arichat Church. An eloquent sermon was preached by Rev. Father Dagnau, superior of St. Ann's College and provincial of the Eudist Order in Can-ada. Service ended at 12:30, and dinner was served in the assembly hall of the convent, where 500 people were seated. The proceeds were intended for the benefit of the convent, and for education in the place.

ON THE LAWN.

At 2 o'clock the Shediac band led the large crowd of people to the lawn on the academy grounds, where a plat-form canopied with canvas had been erected. Amid great enthusiasm, Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier and other guests were conducted to the platform by Senator Poirier, president of the Acadian convention, who read an address of welcome to the premier. The senator invited all nationalities present on the ground to fraternize, and then introduced Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

SIR WILFRID'S SPEECH.

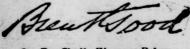
The premier was given a great ovation on rising to speak, the crowd cheering and cheering again. The band played "La Canadienne." Sir Wilfrid spoke first in French. His speech was admirable, the sentiment being lofty and the phraseology chaste and classical. A Frenchman who is familiar with the oratory in the Chamber of Deputies, Paris, said that Sir frid's speech would not have been ex-celled there. Sir Wilfrid said he was to Mr. John H. I take part in the deliberations, yet he would beg to offer two suggestions: First, develop education, build colleges and schools, let no district be without a school, let no child remain away from school, let every man who has sons send them to college. Education is the key that opens all doors, the tool that digs from the ground the wealth which without education would remain forever hidden. Learn French, the language of your families; learn English, the medium of your business. Everyone should be anxious to cultivate these two languages, as they mean to everyone a double advantage. Second, be loyal to the institutions of the country. French people have warm, generous hearts. They forget injuries, but never kindness. They have been given liberties, and in return they are bound to fulfill the duties of good citizens. Sir Wilfrid then quoted the beautiful passage from "Evangeline," where Longfellow describes the Acadian homes and deplores to be a good prophet. The farms have received again their masters. The poet thought that the plans of the self-seeking oppressors would be final, but Proson, and the grooms vidence watches, Providence allows in-Egan, St. Thomas. justice, but never sanctions it. Providence, when man is proposing, is disposing and making reparations for injustice. Over 12,000 Acadians have regained the land, and all that other nationalities own they may own them-Speaking to the French-Canadians,

the premier said:
"Thank Providence that we live in a country of absolute freedom and liberty. Let us always bear in mind cur duties, for duty is almost inherent in right. Our fathers had to labor to secure these rights. Now let us fulfill our part. Three years ago, when visit-ing England at the Queen's jubilee, I had the privilege of visiting one of those marvels of Gothic architecture which the hand of genius, guided by an unerring faith, had made a harmonious whole, in which granite, marble, oak and other materials were blended. This cathedral is the image of the nation that I hope to see Canada become. As long as I live, as long as I have the power to labor in the service of my country, I shall repel the idea of changing the nature of its different elements. I want the marble to remain the marble; I want the granite to remain the granite; I want the oak to remain the oak; I want the sturdy Scotchman to remain the Scotchman; I want the brainy Englishman to rethe Englishman; I want the warm-hearted Irishman to remain the

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### Western Ontario.

J. H. Doyle, tailor, of Owen Sound, has assigned to John D. Laing. George T. Walker, of St. Thomas, grocer, has assigned to E. E. Smith.

The little girl Esther Washbrook, who was struck by the Lake Erie exwill recover.

The Sons of Scotland, Chatham, will day. The have a citizens' guarantee of \$200 to offset this. Drilling operations are merrily going

confident of making a strike. At Aylmer, Squire McDiarmid imposed a fine of \$100 and \$21 costs on a defendant found guilty of selling liquor

at Pinafore Park, St. Thomas. The barn and sheds full of grain owned by George McKeown, about three miles north of Erinsville, were struck by lightning and burned to the

The Times office, Woodstock, was entered on Saturday night, a secretary broken open, and the combination of the safe obtained from a letter from the makers. The safe was then open-ed and \$20 in cash taken.

Mr. W. W. Williamson, Petrolia, was the victim of a paralytic stroke on Saturday morning, and he now lies at his home on North street, completely paralyzed throughout the right side. He was sawing wood when suddenly

While returning from Rondeau to Chatham on Tuesday night at midnight Jesse Merriam, an 18-year-old youth, was struck by a L. E. and D. R. R. excursion train and received fatal injuries. The accident happened at Blenheim Junction.

There are appeals to the number of about 130 from the voters' lists in Petrolia. The judge will hold a court of revision on Friday, Aug. 24, when he will hear both the Petrolia and Enniskillen appeals. There are 135 appeals

Mr. John H. Houston, long and favorably known in Petrolia and vicinity, especially in connection with the Methodist Church, left on Tuesday for Rudolph, Ohio, where he has secured a good position in the oil business near the town of Rudolph.

The Tillson Company are treating their flour mill to a new coat of white paint, and generally overhauling it, so that when a new start is made everything will be in the best shape possible for turning out the very best article on very short notice.

Petrolia Advertiser: The crop reports are good as a whole in Ontario, and in Lambton county the crop has been immense. The result in the oat fields has mense. The result in the oat fields has probably never been exceeded in the history of the county, and we only with which she is regarded. On their history of the county, and we only hope that prices will be such as to make the net returns to the farmers side in Gesto, where follow them the reach the top notch.

On Thursday, at the residence of Mr. Peter Stover, Wabash engineer, 84 the exiles of the people, and deplores Hiawatha street, St. Thomas, his eld-that their lands are running to waste; est daughter, Miss Maud Stover, was but Longfellow, he said, did not prove married to Dr. J. Bradley, of Canton. married to Dr. J. Bradley, of Canton, Ill. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. McIntyre, of Tempo. The bride was attended by Miss Frances Robinson, and the groomsman was Mr. Jas.

In July last Dr. Mary Brown, of China, arrived at Sarnia on a visit to her friend, Mrs. (Dr.) Headland, who visiting her father, Wm. Sinclair. Dr. Brown was suffering from an attack of Bright's disease. She entered the Sarnia general hospital for treatment, and died at that institution on Wednesday, at the age of 36 years. Dr. Brown was booked to sail from New York on Thursday for China.

The residence of Mr. John Vail, Rosebery Place, St. Thomas, was, on Thursday, the scene of a very happy event, when his niece, Miss Josephine Bassett, was united in marriage to Mr. Charles Edward, of Toronto. Miss Hattle Coleman acted as bridesmaid, while Mr. Aaron Sadler, of Lambeth, performed the duties of best man. Little Misses Bertha Vail and Euraldine Ronson, of Windsor, a great niece of the bride, acted as flower girls. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Chas. Burdette, of Ridgetown.

Joseph A. Aitken told Judge Rohnert on Wednesday at Detroit that he and Catharine Hobbs were married in Oil Springs in 1892, and after a honeymoon it was arranged that she was to remain there until he came to Detroit and secured employment. For three years he sent her money weekly, and then wrote for her to come on. She refused. and after a time he went to the oil region to talk with her about it. He found her as Mrs. Waite in Southwold. and the neighbors told him she was

the wife of Alexander Waite. The court gave him a decree for desertion. Embro Courier, which has for some years been ably managed by Mr. William Stewart, has changed hands, Mr. Stewart having sold out to Mr. Riddle, late of the Wilson Publishing Company, Toronto.

The Bell Telephone Company of Toronto has appealed to the supreme court of Canada against an order of the court of appeal directing that it should indemnify the city of Chatham to the extent of \$1,500 in a lawsuit brought against the municipality by Mary Louisa Atkinson. While driving along one of the streets of Chatham, the rig in which Mrs. Atkinson was seated came in contact with a tele-phone pole standing well out in the road, and she was seriously injured as a result. She got judgment for the amount named against the city, the trial judge, Mr. Justice Ferguson, refusing to make the Bell Telephone Company liable. The court of appeal amended his decision. The company, in its reasons for appeal, state that the pole had been in the position it occupied at the time of the accident for several years, and the city should have raised objections before if it wished

DEPOSITORS IN A PICKLE. Chicago, Aug. 17 .- Consternation prevails among hundreds of small depositors by the appointment of a receiver for the real estate and loan bank bus!ness of Frank A. Stauber, a Socialist leader and prominent citizen on the northwest side. Stauber left the city July 29, and his whereabouts is not known. Experts found the books in a chaotic state. His daughter estimated Stauber's assets at \$150,000, with possible assets of \$50,000 in real estate,

to escape responsibility.

which is largely mortgaged.

Strathroy Dispatch: Miss Kathleen Alison, who died in Buffalo on Sunday morning, Aug. 5, and was buried here on the following Tuesday, was the youngest daughter of Mr. P. J. Alison, of this town. She was a very bright, clever girl. Some years ago she took up the study of the violin, and although she did not attain to its highest proficiency yet she made considerable adficiency, yet she made considerable advance in the study of music, and played for some time in one of the church choirs of Sarnia. Subsequently she adopted nursing, and acquitted herself most favorably at the Lady Stanley Institute at Ottawa, but her zeal was too much for her frame. It is feared she overworked her strength so that she suffered a complete collapse there. She was taken to the home of her sister, Mrs. Small, in Sarnia, and remained there for some time, but her sisters, Miss Alison and Mrs. Strauss, of Buf-falo, who thought she would derive more benefit from the advanced medi-cal science of that city, removed her to their home. Unfortunately, their hopes were not verified, and the sad end came, as stated, on Sunday morning. Quite a number of her cousins and relations came from London and Sarnia to attend the last sad ceremony at the grave. Thanks are due by the family for the beautiful flowers presented.

### SCOTTSVILLE.

Mr. R. Herring, former proprietor of the Petrolia Advertiser, who has been living in Detroit during the past three years, has recently moved to Cleveland, where he is in the employ of H. G. Negararian & Bros.

Scottsville, Aug. 16.—Miss Bertie Little, of Scottsville, has returned to London, after having a sail on Lake Huron and River St. Clair, taking in the sights of Port Huron, Sarnia and Stag Island. She will shortly leave for Dundas, Hamilton and other east. Scottsville, Aug. 16 .- Miss Bertie Litern points.
A very pleasant event, already brief-

ly referred to by the Advertiser, occurred at Camlachie, Wednesday, Aug. 8, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wellington, when their daughter Julia was united in marriage with Rev. Walter E. Millson of Costo. ter Julia was united in marriage with Rev. Walter E. Millson, of Gesto. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. Livingstone, D.D., of Windsor, as-sisted by Revs. T. W. Cosens, of West-minster, W. H. Graham, Sparta, R. A. Miller, Parkhill, R. S. Wilson, Cam-lackie and C. M. Hagen of Wyoning lachie, and G. M. Hazen, of Wyoming. The wedding took place at 3:30, in the presence of about 50 invited guests. sisted as bridesmaid, while the groom was ably supported by the bride's brother, Mr. C. T. Wellington. The bride was attired in white silk, with pearl trimming, and carried white roses. The bridesmald wore a pretty frock of white organdie, trimmed with valenciennes lace, and carried pink and white carnations. Little Anna Wellington, niece of the bride, was maid of honor, carrying the wedding ring on a silver tray laden with roses. The wedding march was well rendered by Miss Ethel Wilson, of Camlachie. After congratulations were over the guests repaired to the dining-room and did ample justice to the bountiful repast provided by the bride's par-ents. At 6 o'clock the bridal party, accompanied by a number of guests, drove to the depot at Camlachie, where friends were waiting to bid good-bye. Then the happy couple, amid showers of rice, departed on the 6:30 train for best wishes for their future happiness and prosperity from their host of friends.

### NILESTOWN.

Nilestown, Aug. 17.-A young lad, son of James O'Brien, of Chicago, and a daughter of Mrs. Daly, of the same city, are visiting at their uncle's, Jos. O'Brien, of con. 2, Westminster. Mr. Fred Barrows arrived here on

Saturday night. His wife and young daughter, who have been making quite a visit with his parents, returned with him to their home at Strathroy. Miss A. Bullard, of Detroit, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. Barnard.

Mr. Weldon McIntosh is in this section once more. Master Ed. Barrows, son of William Barrows, of 225 Talbot street, London, is visiting his grandmother and aunts

in Michigan. The plans are out, and work will begin at once for the erection of a new house upon the farm of Mr. Ansley Barton. Messrs. E. A. McCann & Sons, of Dorchester Station, who have the entire contract, have let the plas-

tering to Mr. James Jackson. Walter Edward had an unexpected tussle with his bull recently. The animal was at a neighbor's, and Mr. Edwards went to take him home, when the beast turned on him, and had got him down. By the opportune arival of help he was rescued. The

animal was soon disposed of.
The 15th of August was announced as the date for the nuptials of Miss Jennie Groat, who, with her parents, went from here to settle in their new home, two seasons ago, in Strathcona, Alberta, N. W. T. Miss Julia Barnard, of Nilestown, an intimate friend of Miss Groat, received a kindly invitation to attend and act as bridesmaid. To the exceeding regret of Miss Barnard she had to forego the pleasure. The numerous Nilestown friends of Miss Groat (now, we suppose, Mrs. J. W. Wallace) send their heartiest con-

Mr. Joseph C. Barrows, wife and family, took in a recent most enjoyable excursion to Detroit and Belle Isle. The remains of the son of Mrs. Bullard, of Detroit, sister of Mrs. A. Barnard, of this place, were taken to London on Wedneday for burial. Mr. Bullard, the father, was buried there some years ago. This son had been ill for a number of years. The bereaved ones have the sympathy of the entire

gratulations.

Mr. Parkinson had his dog poisoned about the time that Mr. Barnard's canine met his death. Dire punishment awaits the perpetrators of the uncanny deed. Many expressions of condemnation, both by word of mouth and by letter, have come to Mr. Bar-nard regarding the parties who killed

### STRATHROY.

Advertiser Agent, J. D. Meekison. Strathroy, Aug.17.-Mrs. A. McIntosh, of Toronto, is the guest of Mr. W. H. Murray, Oxford street.

Miss Annie Edgecombe, of Hamilton, is visiting friends here.

Mr. L. A. Willoughby, manager of Orchard's drug store, is in Toronto tak-

ing a course in optics.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mihell have left to spend a few weeks at Bayfield. Mr. Grant McIntyre is visiting at his

Miss Mary McEachern, of Strathburn. has been engaged to teach in No. 6, Ekfrid, formerly taught by Miss Pettit,

Mr. J. D. Cooper, of the Peoples' Popular Cash Store, is spending his holl-days at Grand Bend and Parkhill. Colborne street school is being reno



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vated. The ceilings are being repainted in light colors, and the walls tinted with alabastine. Messrs. Jay & McNeil

have the contract. John Ellis has sold his property on Adelaide street to a resident of Williams township, and intends to leave Strathroy for Auburn, N. Y.
Dr. Wilson, Mitchell, spent Sunday here, the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Mitchell, Center street.

Mr. Robert Cork has left for Denver. Col., where he expects to stay for a few months. Mr. L. H. Smith, at the request of the

members of the Front Street Epworth League, gave a very interesting address on "The Old Country," at a meeting of the society on Monday evening. Mr. Wm. Stevenson and Miss Maggie Jones, who were married yesterday afternoon in London, are both well known and popular residents of Strath-

Miss Lena Kinder, of London, is spending a few days in town. The band will give another open-air concert in Gore Park this (Friday)

evening.
Rev. J. R. Gundy preached anniversary sermons in Wellington Street
Church, London, Sunday last. The marriage of Miss Maggie Leeds, of this town, to Mr. George A. O'Leary, of Courtright, was solemnized on Tues-day, the 14th inst. The interesting ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Detroit, have been renewing old ac-McKeon, assisted by Rev. Father quaintances in this vicinity for the Gnam, of Wyoming. The bride was past week. tastefully attired in an elegant blue traveling gown, and was accompanied by Miss Edith Bryan, of Courtright, while Mr. Erland O'Leary, of Wal-kerville, supported the groom. Mr. and Mrs. O'Leary left on the morning train for Toronto on a tour of the northern lakes.

Miss Bradshaw is visiting at Grand Mr. H. C. Pope is holidaying at Mus-

### HOWLETT. Howlett, Aug. 17 .- A large number of

people of this vicinity attended the banquet at Tempo on Tuesday evening and reported it a grand success. Misses Ella James and Lillian Wooldridge, of Dutton, were the guests of Miss Sabina Howlett on Tuesday. Mr. Joseph Howlett lost a very valuable horse recently.

The trustees of the school here have secured the services of Mr. Fred Beer, recently of Tyrconnell, for the ensuing year.
Miss Lucy Wooldridge has returned

to her home in Dutton, accompanied by her cousin, Gertrude Bodkin. Miss Alice Carley, of London, is the guest of her aunt, Miss Lena Carley. Miss Clara Adams has returned home

after rusticating a few weeks at Port

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factory received the high price of 11c aged nine months, child of Anton per pound for the last half of July's Glaeser, 203 Antoine street, was at the make of cheese, it being the highest dinner table and spilled a pot of hot price that any have received up to date. coffee all over itself. The child was

### The Railways.

Niagara Falls correspondence, Welland People's Press: It is learned on good authority that another arrangement had been entered into between the Michigan Central and the Niagara, St. Catharines and Toronto Railway, whereby the Michigan Central will again handle freight delivered to it by the latter railway. This will restore the old order of things. Several of the locomotives on the

Chicago and Grand Trunk are being fitted at the Port Huron shops with electric headlights, and if the experiment proves successful all of the road's engines will probably be equipped in a similar manner. According to population Canada has

more miles of railway than any country in the world, 3,210 miles to every million inhabitants, the United States coming next with 2,645 miles. The Argentine Republic has 2,080 miles, and Sweden 1,247 miles, while Great Britain has only 534 miles.

your cold drinks with 10 to 15 drops of have returned, greatly benefited in health by their outing at Port Franks.

Miss Sara Scott, of Smallman & Ingram, is spending her vacation at her good order. But be sure you get the Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Murphy, of Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons.

BABE FATALLY SCALDED BY COFFEE.

Detroit, Aug. 17 .- Baby Otto Glaeser, ecovering from the effects of the scalds, when complications set in and caused death.

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Batteries—Breitenstein and Peltz;
Frazer and Murphy.

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Gwynne, g. m., by Alcyron (Rathbus)
won, Nigger Jack 2, Dot Miller 3. Best time, 2:141/4. Dainty Daffo, Alice
Barnes, Iriso, and Teto B. also trot-Frazer and Murphy.

At Chicago-Chicago ......00010010\*—2 7 0 New York......000000000—0 4 2 Batteries—Griffith and Chance; Mer- Weather perfect; attendance large; cer and Grady. At Pittsburg-

Pittsburg ......000000000000 5 Brooklyn ......300003101-8 12 0 Batteries-Phillippi, Husting and O'Connor; McGinnity and Farrell.

At St. Louis--St. Louis.......000000010—1 6 1 Boston ......00001002\*—3 6 0 St. Louis......0000000000000000 Batteries-Jones and Criger; Dineen

AMERICAN LEAGUE. At Milwaukee-Milwaukee 3, Chicago 3. Game ended in a tie after 12 innings,

too dark to continue. At Buffalo-Buffalo 2, Indianapolis 5. At Minneapolis-The game schedul- Idle 2, Miss Soak 3. Time, 1:05. ed to be played here with Kansas City was called on account of poor attendance. It will be played at Kansas City

EASTERN LEAGUE .. R. H. E. At Worcester— R. H. E. Worcester ......120100100—5 4 4 1 Toronto .......000020100—3 7 2 Batteries-Pittinger and Kittredge; Williams and Bemis. Umpire Egan.

At Worcester (second game)-Toronto ......41110001\*-8 12 3 Worcester .....100000004-5 11 3 Batteries-Bruce and Roach; Horton and Kittredge. Umpire, Egan.

At Providence-Providence .....000000010-1 Montreal .....010000200-3 and Moran. Umpire, Hunt.

At Hartford-Syracuse ......00000000000 5 3 Batteries-Miller Steelman: and Pfanmiller and Smink. Umpire, Rinn.

At Springfield-Springfield .....000230003—8 10 6 Rochester .....113100000—6 15 4 Batteries-Wood and Toft; Murphy and Dixon. Umpire, O'Loughlin.

At Springfield (second game)-Rochester ......10201000\*-3 10 Springfield .....000030000-3 8 Batteries-Morse and Deal; Bannon and Toft. Umpire, O'Loughlin.

FLYS. Pitcher Georgie Bradford, late of the lap of the second mile, the tire and Hame, has been signed by Worcester, of the Eastern League. Woodstock Canadian League team

plays the Knox nine here on Saturday afternoon at Tecumseh Park. A fast game is looked for. Wingham ball team defeated Brussels

vesterday. Score, 12 to 6. Detroit Free Press: Jones acts like a coming star, as he is fast on the bases and stands up to the plate in approved style. Since joining Tigers he has faced a pitcher four times, drew one pass, made a two-bagger and a single, scored two runs, and been thrown out on a hard ground-

er to the infield. "Bumpus" Jones, who received his bumps many a time in the old Western League, has been given his uncondi-tional release by the Fort Wayne club, of the Interstate League. The Fort Wayne club has signed Cooper, formerly with the defunct London team, to fill Jones' place.

### THE TURP THE ORANGEVILLE MEETING.

races took place under perfect weather conditions. The card was a good one successful in his coming encounter.

and there were a number of very close finishes. Cap Brino was a strong favorite in the free-for-all, and won the third heat as he pleased. The race, however, went to Richard A. Summary: 2:35 trot or 2:40 pace: Prince Vale, John Crawford, Elm-

vale ...... 1 1 1 Bobby Mack, R. J. McBride, Tow. J., Wm. Shaver, Burnam-Whitby ..... 6 5
Minnie S., Wm. Smith, Wood-

bridge .... Barney, F. Woods, St. Cathar-Dunker Ron, Ferguson, Dunker-

Free-for-all-

Richard A., J. Murray, Toron-...1 1 4 Cap Brino, R. Harrison, Wal-to ...... 3 4 2 4

Time--2:231/2, 2:25, 2:20, 2:231/4. Mile and quarter dash — Island Queen, H. Hulse, Bradford, 1; Mon-golian, T. Elwood, Toronto, 2; Boundary Maid, Jas. Johnston, Guelph, 3. Time, 2:211/2. La Gabriel also started. Consolation run, half-mile-Wilfrid Laurier 1. Boundary Maid 2, La Gabriel 3. Time: :591/2.

AT GLEN'S FALLS. Glen's Falls, N. Y., Aug. 16.-A rainy night, a heavy tree and low-ing sides, caused a postponement of today's grand circuit races until four o'clock, at which time the unfinished 2:19 trot was called. Lady Geraldine won the two necessary heats handily, with Frank Creamer second. The 2:04

pace furnished a race unparalleled on the local track. 2:10 class, trot, purse \$1,500, postponed from yesterday—Lady Geraldine, b. m., by Constantine (Geers) won; Frank

Creamer 2, Maggie Anderson 3. Best time, 2:114. Pierrot, Winniford, Bow Bent also trotted. 2:04 class, pace, purse \$1,000—Searchlight, br. h., by Dark Night (McCarthy) won, Anaconda 2, Frank Bogash

Best time, 2:061/2. Chehalis also paced 2:14 class, trot, unfinished, \$1,500-Nell

WINDSOR RACES. Windsor Race Track, Aug. 16 .--

track slow. First race, for 3-year-olds and up, selling, 7 furlongs—Rebecca Wells won, Momentum 2, Cousin Letty 3. Time, 1:301/2.

Second race, for 2-year-olds and up, selling, 6 furlongs—Corder won, Sevoy 2, Douster Swivel 3. Time, 1:16. Third race, handicap, for 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs—Battus won, Regina Lee 2, Pine Chip 3. Time, 1:04.

Fourth race, handicap, for all ages, 5½ furlongs—Bummer won, Expelled 2, Acushla 3. Time, 1:09. Fifth race, handicap, steeplechase, short course — Mavourneen won, Slasher 2, Lord Farandole 3. Time,

At Buffalo—Buffalo 2, Indianapolis 5. Sixth race, 4-year-olds and up, sell-At Cleveland—Cleveland 0, Detroit 2. ing. 1 1-16 miles—Top Mast won, Beau

YESTERDAY'S WINNERS. At Chicago-Sad Sam, Etta, Obsidian, Great Bend, and Josephine B.
At St. Louis, Mo.—Very Light, Kittie
Clyde, Orleans, Loving Cup, Col. Gay,

Free Lady.
At Detroit—Fessy F., Lady Edith,
Terminus, Lady of the West, Left Bower and Jucoma.

At Saratoga, N. Y.—Bannockburn,
Compensation, Lady Schorr, Cyrano and Diver.

CRICKET

The London cricket club will play a visit. match on the St. John's A. C. grounds on Saturday afternoon against the Wolseley Barracks team, game to start at 2 o'clock. The team will also be selected to meet the Cleveland club, who will be here on Tuesday, instead of Incendiary thieves fired H. T. Foley's Batteries—Evans and Leahy; Felix Thursday. The second match of the lumber yards in Messemer, Col., last Jawbones vs. Sawbones will in all probability take place on Thursday, on the A child is missing. o'clock. The eleven for Saturday after-noon's match will be selected from the at Indianapolis, emphatically indorsed. following gentlemen: Dr. H. Williams, the candidacy of W. J. Bryan for pre-Dr. Butler, F. Reid, F. Macfie, Dr.Mor-sident. ris, H. Carrington, Dr. P. Bucke, E. V. Sterling, Harris, C. Fisher.

THE WHEEL. Bradford, Conn., Aug. 16 .- At the business. velodrome races tonight, Miller de-feated "Major" Taylor in a 10-mile annual meeting in Boston decided to was 17:41. Miller was three laps ahead at the finish. In the three-mile motor race, Dyer and Kramer fell on the first rim giving out. Miller and Judge won

DECLARED OFF.

the race.

New York, Aug. 16.-There will be no fight between the winner of the Sharkey-Fitzsimmons match and Jas. J. Jeffries. Wm. A. Brady announced last night that Jeffries had decided to declare this match off, as he did not think there would be any credit in de-feating a man who had fought two hard battles in one week.

THE WELTER-WEIGHT CHAM-PIONSHIP.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 16 .- Articles were signed tonight for a fight here on Sept. 11 between Rube Ferns, of Buffalo, and Young Peter Jackson, of Denver, for the welter-weight championship of the world.

FITZ SAYS HE WILL CLAIM CHAM- some time in British Columbia. PIONSHIP.

New York, Aug. 16 .- Jas. J. Jeffries' refusal to meet the winner of the Fitz- Dickinson's Landing, was held at simmons-Sharkey bout on Aug. 31 has Wales, Ont., on Wednesday. Features caused the Australian to issue a state-Orangeville. Ont., Aug. 16.-Today's ment in which he threatens to claim the championship by default if he is LACROSSE.

Every member of the London Lacrosse Club is requested to turn out to practice tonight at Tecumseh Park at 6:30 sharp. The team has arranged to play on Saturday, the 25th.

LAWN BOWLING The Sentinel-Review of Wednesday says: The London and Woodstock bowling clubs played a match on the court house green yesterday afternoon with three rinks a side. The sport began at 3:30, and lasted until 6 o'clock. The rinks appeared to be very evenly matched, and many close shots were made. The match was witnessed by a fair crowd of spectators, who thoroughly enjoyed the fun. The London bowlers were entertained in the club room by the Woodstock club. Score:

Woodstock.

E. M. Karn.

O'Grady, skip...32

McKay.

Scarff.

Pattullo.

Wallace,

Pascoe

London. Blakenev. Spry. Kent, skip......21 Powell. Sutherland,

Weld. Riddle. Gartahore.

Holmes, Raymond, Gardner. Carrie, skip......16 Millman, skip...20 Majority for Woodstock, 14 shots. THE O. B. A. TOURNAMENT.

Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ont., Aug. 16 .-The Ontario Bowling Association tournament was continued here today under most favorable weather conditions. The competition for the trophy was finished this afternoon, the Toronto Victorias, skipped by W. B. Smith, be ing the winners. In the association series, the contest narrowed down to the final round, which will be played tomorrow morning.

Trophy finals-W. B. Smith, Toronto

Victorias, 18, vs. Dr. Burritt, Mitchell, Association-Fourth round-A.

Wigmore, Canadas, 22; T. Thouburn, Brampton, 18. A. F. Jones, R. C. Y. C., 20; F. J. Ross, Milton, 18. G. B. Woods, Canadas, 21; Dr. Moore, Canadas, 19. G. R. Hargraft, Granites, 21; J. B. O'Brian, Toronto Victorias, 17. Association—Semi-finals—G. R. Hargraft, Granites, 19; A. F. Jones, R. C. Y. C., 17. G. B. Woods, Canadas, 21; A. S. Wigmore, Canadas, 20. A. S. Wigmore, Canadas, 20.

### SONS OF ENGLAND

Business of Grand Lodge About Conoluded-Trustees and General Purpose Committee Chosen-Loyal Resclutions Passed.

Windsor, Aug. 17 .- In addition to the officiers announced as elected yesterday by the Sons of England Grand Lodge, trustees were chosen as follows: E. J. Parnell (London), Barlow Cumberland and A. Tattersall. Grand lodge delegate official organ

General purposes committee-J. Boxall. G. Clatworthy, Thos. Cannon, T. H. Cramp, T. Elliott, T. Ferguson, H. Furze, Geo. Ford, G. H. Harris, J. Jones, J. W. London, H. P. Nicholson, Ed. Parnell, R. Patching, W. Randall, Baynes Reed, Rev. W. L. Swait,

committee. Frank Vipond.

Tattersall. Vipond. Wilkinson. A resolution was adopted expressing the grand lodge's cordial sympathy with the soldiers of the Queen relief fund, which was started through the instrumentality of Bro. Wm. Robins, author of the "Truth About the Trans-

Winnipeg was chosen as the next meeting place of the grand lodge. By a standing vote the grand lodge authorized the dispatch of the following message to her Majesty: "Sup-Grand Lodge Sons of England Society in annual convention desire to renew expressions of royalty and devo-tion to the Empress Queen." (Signed) Chas. A. Hodgetts, S.G., president." The resolution was adopted with enthusiasm, the delegates singing "God Save the Queen."

Important legislation arising out of the sessional paper abolished grand lodge annual sessions which have passed into the limbo of things that were, and the grand lodge will in future meet every two years.

Subordinate lodge funds were safeguarded by placing in the constitution a clause confining the use of surpluses to investments authorized by the various pròvincial statutes.

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### CAUGHT ON THE FLY

Former United States Senator John Mexico, on Thursday.

Japanese vagrants and wanderers have been made by abrogation of all plantation labor contractors in Hawaii. Mr. Robert Henderson, who was the ances. mayor of Kimberley before and during the famous siege, is in Montreal on a

Canadian Freeman states that Pare. concerned in the Napanee Bank robbery, is most of his time in the penitentiary hospital.fl

grounds, game to start at 11 The Liberty Congress of the Ameri-

Buren, Dr. Neu, A. B. Cox, F. Love, F. Ontario will be held at 1 p.m. Friday, Aug. 24, at Beaverton, to select a candi date for the riding and for general

motor-paced race. Taylor is not famil- continue the company another 30 years. iar with this style of racing. The time James N. Wright, of Detroit, was made a director. The bylaw to give the Ham Nott

Company of Brantford \$5,000 cash and a loan of \$10,000 for 15 years, without interest, to locate a bicycle factory in St. Catharines, was carried. A consolidation of the largest manufacturers of heavy fire apparatus in the

United States, has just been effected, under the name of the International Fire Engine Company, with a capital Ald. J. B. Oke, of Peterboro, has been

appointed by the government to go to England to investigate the complaints regarding the condition in which fruit shipped in cold storage reaches the British market.

Hon. Charles Russell, son of the late chief justice of England, registered at the Leland Hotel, Winnipeg, as simply C. Russell, giving no address, and ow ing to his recent bereavement was avoiding all publicity. His intention is to go through to the coast and spend

A successful picnic, in aid of the parish residence of Father Campbell at were the speeches of the banner contest between Mr. George Kerr and A. F. Mulhern. Mr. Kerr won. Mr. J. P. Whitney arrived late in the afternoon and received an ovation.

### MANITOBA'S CROP

Grain Being Harvested-Wheat Under Twelve Bushels Per Acre-Rain Helps the Roots.

Winnipeg, Aug. 16.-The Northern Pacific Railway Company's weekly crop report shows that a little under twelve bushels to the acre will be the average yield throughout the company's system in Manitoba. The pest returns come from Portage district, while on the international boundary and on the Hartney extension reports are not quite so good. Harvesting is almost general along these lines, though heavy warm rains of late have tended to delay operations. This, however, has improved the root crop wonderfully, and potatoes especially now bid fair to give handsome returns Barley and oats are doing well, and hay, though first-class in quality, will only come up to a little less than half Stevenson, skip... 18 D. W. Karn, sk. 17 last year's crop in quantity.

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Justice Dooley, of Chicago, has decided that "the rat is an animal," and has fined James Poullis for burning

Danger Districts Well Guarded by Policemen.

Chief Devery Has 1,000 Men Within Striking Distance.

New York, Aug. 16.-Inspector Thompson, with 100 policemen, in addition to the several hundred regular men in the precincts affected by the rioting, was on the ground in the riotous district before nightfall and he kept his men on the move. They had orders to arrest any man-black or white-who evinced the slightest disposition towards riot. The danger spot was recognized to be around the West Thirty-seventh street station. Thirty-sixth, Thirty-seventh, Thirtyeighth and Thirty-ninth streets are many large negro tenements. Everybody was kept on the move.

Early in the evening the patrolmen began to bring in prisoners. Wm. Elliott, colored, 21 years old, was arrested for buying a revolver. He declined to surrender the weapon, and was arrested. On the way to the station he resisted, and the policeman used his club. When Elliott was brought into the station he was bleeding from two scalp wounds and was hardly able to talk.

Hardlay Johnson, a negro porter, was seen with a loaded revolver in a trolle car. Policeman Gaynor jumped on the car and jerked Johnson out of it. The negro tried to use his weapon, Gaynor beat him with his stick until the fellow begged him for mercy. He had a four-inch gash in his face when locked up.

Inspector Thompson was near Eighth avenue and Fortieth street when he noticed a tumult aboard an Eighth avenue car. He ran with a couple of men to investigate and found that a negro passenger was the cause of trou-He had not done anything, but several white men tried to get in a punch at the black man, and two women tried to stab him in the face with hatpins. Inspector Thompson arrived just in time to see a paving stone crash through the car window and lay the negro out with a stunning blow on the head. Louis Swartz, 18 years old, threw the stone. He was arrested. On the way to the station Jacob Gombel undertook to take Swartz from the policeman, and was arrested.

Chief of Police Deverey said tonight: "I anticipate no more trouble. There will be some few arrests, but I have 1, 000 men within striking distance, and we will see that no mobs get the start J. Ingalls died at East Las Vegas, New of us. The captains will regulate the police work in their several precincts. will be in personal command. We have taken unusual precautions, but expect nothing like last night's disturb-

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tions, it shows a widespread feeling as small, in the Dominion. to Mr. Chamberlain's style. He was al- M. Menier, as a private property ways a keen debater, and always sharp holder, may sell his property to whom and caustic in his treatment of critics. he pleases. He is quite free to say But it seems to us that this side of his that he will not sell to ony one who nature has been emphasized since the can talk English, just as any other great Liberal split. The man knows property owner is free to impose a that he is feared rather than respected. kindred condition when he offers his The Conservatives tolerate him as a real estate for sale. His powers in this painful necessity. To a few, very few, regard are precisely the same as any the great mass of Liberals he is dis- undertake to exercise jurisdiction to trusted and disliked, not to use a the distance of three miles from the stronger expression. There is something coast; that he can organize a militia unnatural in the position. It makes a force; that he can fit out a navy of certain number condemn a policy sim- his own; or do any other act which ply because it is Chamberlain's pol- falls within the jurisdiction of the Govicy, and it introduces bitterness and ernment of Canada, is simply mooncrookedness into politics. It is a pity shine. M. Menier seemed at the outthat a man of such great ability, and set to entertain the opinion that beoccupying just now such an important cause his possessions were extensive he situation in these critical times, should had other than proprietor rights. He provoke such criticisms. In the great- no doubt acted arbitrarily and illegally est statesmen one expects to find a in dealing with the settlers, who came disinterested patriotism and a gentle courtesy, united to great intellectual prietorship of his predecessors, and powers and firmness of will. Mr.Chamberlain has traveled a long way since he started in the municipal politics of Birmingham, and he may go further yet, but it will be long before the bitterness he provoked among former friends will be forgotten.

Laurier or Tupper?

### Who Is to Blame?

The present crisis in China has served to bring the Chinese missionary prominently before the world, it being alleged by some that he is at the bottom of the disturbance. The Rev. Dr. Halsey, of Brooklyn, declared from his pulpit that: "The missionary had his share in fomenting this trouble and must bear his share of the blame. Some of the missionaries have been politicians as well as Christians, and this grasping, selfish attitude has helped to bring about the present condition."

The Rev. Dr. Macanthur, of New York, is reported to have said: "Those missionaries who combine civil authority with their religious instruction, are partly responsible for the condition of things in China."

Since the missionaries are arraigned by such prominent members of their profession, the origin of the trouble is worth reconsidering. It is true that they are to blame in the sense that had they not opened up the Celestial Empire to the beneficent influences of Christian civilization, there would have been no such disturbance; for the cause of the trouble is the friction between western innovation and stereotyped Chinese customs. The effect of Christianity upon the world ever since primitive times, has been the distintegration of pagan superstition and the supplanting of it by rational religion. In as much as it is reformatory It will interfere to a greater or less extent with existing conditions. It was early Christianity that brought about the downfall of the Roman Empire and Puritan Christianity that accomplished the transformation of England from an oligarchy into a democ-

Care is taken in selecting candidates who are to go to mission fields. They are examined as to their physical condition and their intellectual and resigious qualifications. A large number

racy. But the advocates of Christian-

Aty have never been revolutionists.

ates. When we take into considera- insula will sing to deaf ears.-Goderich tion the fact that the salaries of Chi- | Signal. nese missionaries range from only \$650 to \$1,200 a year, we cannot see how anything but the most unselfish desire to bring the gospel truth to a race in darkness would tempt men of more than average ability to undergo the hardships of a foreign clime.

There may be some missionaries who are "politicians as well as Christians," and whose "grasping, selfish attitude" is responsible for the trouble. It is a hearsay evidence—the testimony of chance travelers, who get their news

Our contemporary, the London Free vert the island into a possession of the

their attitude towards him. They would of the Province of Quebec; so far as have said, 'At least, he is a gentle- that is extended by the British North America Act of the Imperial Parlia-Passing over the question whether the ment, and it is under the laws of the form of this criticism is in good taste, Dominion of Canada to the same extaken along with many other indica- tent as any other possession, large or

"Unionists" he is a demi-god; and by other proprietor. But that he can from Newfoundland during the prosquatted at Fox Bay. He succeeded in appear and make a defense. It is an-French-speaking settlers from Quebec in the same way that he did with the English-speaking settlers from Newfoundland. We do not know how this may be; but we have no doubt whatever, that M. Menier will be made amenable to the law the same as any other holder of real estate within the

> Menier has the power to exercise the rights that belong only to the sove-Dominion, or imperial to prevent him, or anyone else, to usurp any one of their several functions, is to attempt to mislead, and we believe for a mali-

### Says:

The Toronto Telegram (Tory-Independent) has a candid correspondent touring the Lower Provinces. Here is what he says about the popular feeling in Nova Scotia:

Sir Charles Tupper has secured the en- seat at Washington. thusiastic regard of Nova Scotia. 'The Tuppers' is a phrase that has been dinned into the Acadians' ears, until the auditory nerves are in revolt. What Sir Charles does in this province must be on the record and pledges of the party he leads. His name does not awaken a sentiment like Sir Wilfrid Laurier's in Quebec, or inspire confidence like Sir Richard Cartwright's in Ontario. Sir Charles may not have earned the antagonism which his personality provokes, but that he does labor under the disadvantage is admitted by many of his warmest friends. Sir Charles Tupper, the man, will win no votes in Nova Scotia, but W. S. Fielding, the individual, will."

Canada is well satisfied with Laurier.

Taken altogether, the farmer's outlook is a good one. Should the elections take place in October or November, as our Tory cotems, say they will, the Huron farmer will be found in a gay and festive mood, and the fellows who are college graduates and post-gradu- cry blue ruin in this part of the pen-

Laurier, a united Canada, and a unit-

If the Allies are not actually in possession of the Chinese capital, they are near enough to peek in.

Cables from South Africa intimate that Mr. Kruger is at last disposed to cry, "Hold, enough!"

"Laurier is the Bobs of the Liberal party," says the Stratford Beacon. There's something in that. A good many people seem to be inclined to hitch onto him.-Hamilton Herald.

No use, gentlemen; Laurier is going to win. In the first place, he deserves to. In the second, he is a favorite of fortune. Some day you, too, may pick a winner, but the present is not for you.-Montreal Herald.

Laurier is getting a grand reception down by the sounding sea. Sir Wilfrid today is as popular, and appeals as much to the popular imagination, as ever did Sir John Macdonald at the height of his palmiest popularity.

A noteworthy incident of the organization meeting in London on Friday last was the reception given the name of the Right Hon. Sir Richard Cartwright, when it was mentioned by one of the speakers. No speaker present, and no remark made, elicited such prolonged and enthusiastic applause. The grand old Knight of Liberalism has a warm place in the hearts of his party, and it may be added, too, in the hearts of many other of his fellow-countrymen who are not of the Liberal party. Sir Richard Cartwright never had so high a place in the confidence and admiration of the Canadian people as at the present time. He has served his country long and well, and he has lived to see his countrymen, irrespective of party, appreciate the value of his public services .- Woodstock Sentinel-Re-

# **MORE PRIZES**

Secondary Education She Leads the World at Paris.

Pictures of Grand Trunk System Awarded the Gold Medal.

Wolseley Scathingly Criticises the Military Maneuvers at Aldershot-Case of Eubonic Plague in England.

CANADA'S SUCCESS.

London, Aug. 17 .- Canada's success at the Paris Exposition is shown by an award that has just been made. In secondary education Canada has been awarded the grand prize.

Montreal, Aug. 17 .- George T. Bell, general passenger and ticket agent, of the Grand Trunk Railway has received a cable from Paris, announcing that the pictures of the Grand Trunk system on exhibition at the Exposition had been awarded the gold medal by court simply because they failed to the international jury. The collection included 75 views. The pictures were nounced that he has since dealt with very highly praised by visitors. Lady Aberdeen, in particular, congratulated the railway's repersentative in Paris

WOLSELEY'S PLAIN WORDS. London, Aug. 17 .- Viscount Wolseley, field marshal and commander in chief of the British army, delivered, according to the Daily Mail, the most To take the ground, as some do, that scathing condemnation ever held at as owner of the Island of Anticosti, M. Aldershot, after witnessing yesterday's maneuvers. He declared that the 30,-000 men who participated were utterly reign, and that there is any intention unfit to send abroad, badly led, and of the authorities, either provincial, badly taught. Many distinguished officers listened to these remarks, among them Gen. Montgomery Moore, formerly in command in Canada, but now commanding at Aldershot.

BUBONIC PLAGUE IN LONDON. London, Aug. 17 .- The British steamer, Clan Macarthur, of the Clan Line, from Calcutta, has been quarantined The Telegram Correspondent in the Thames, owing to a death from bubonic plague having occurred on the

WON A MILLION.

London, Aug. 17 .- John W. Gates, the American wire and steel magnate, has won nearly \$1,000,000 on English race tracks and is about to return to the United States. Gates, when he arrives, will enter active politics in Illi-"There are few signs to indicate that nois and try to gain Senator Collum's

ENGLISH COAL FOR FRANCE. West Hartlepool, Aug. 17 .- Inquiries are being made here and on the northwest coast generally by a Liverpool



the Complexion. Softens and whitens the Hands. Preserves and beautifles the Skin of Infants and Children.

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# Extra Specials for Saturday's Selling

LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS MUST GO.

Just 340 to sell now. Read this list if you require Shirt Waists for street or house wear. We can save you money.

Lot 1-Colored Piques, Fancy Ginghams, Striped Sateens and Red Cambric Blouse Waists, regular price was 65c, 75c, 85c and \$1; to 

Lot 2-Colored Stripe Prints, Ginghams and Percales; goods we have sold at \$1 to \$1 50 each. To clear at each..... 50c Lot 3-Fine White Cambric Blouses, fancy tucked yokes, were \$2 and \$2 50; also embroidered fronts. To clear at, each.....\$1 25 Lot 4-18 only-Fine White Cambric and Plain White Pique; were sold at \$1, \$1 50

and \$1 75. To clear at, each...... 75

### SPECIAL SALE

For Saturday and Monday in Cotton Hosiery, Knitted Cotton Underwear and Whitewear. Some odd lots and special lines to clear. Any requirements in this line it will pay you to fill on these days.

### Shoe Department.

Women's Vici Kid Oxford Shoes and Strap 2-Button Shoes, new round toe, stylish tips, kid lined, very dressy. Special.......\$1 50 Women's Fine Dongola Laced and Button Boots, high cut, fine quality, all sizes. Special.....\$2 00 Men's Shoes, Laced and Congress, fine Dongola and Cordovan, sewed flexible soles, new shapes. Special......\$1 50

### Men's Trousers.

Men's fine American Worsted Pants, dark gray, hair line stripes, good fit and finish. Price special......\$1 50 Fine imported tweed pants, dark gray, narrow stripe pattern, good quality and dressy pattern. Special......\$2 00

### Men's Suits.

Neat dark and medium light patterns all wool tweed suits, serviceable wear and stylish appearance. Special price.....\$7 50

### Men's Furnishings.

Men's Fine Elastic Suspenders, mohair and leather ends, new patterns, ordinary value and turn points, genuine English manufacture, regular value 20c. Special, 2 for .... Men's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, fancy printed borders, large sizes, regular 20c. Special each...... 10c Summer Underwear,

Special line light-weight Shirts and Drawers. 

New arrivals in Black Sateen and Colored Silk Blouse Waists for Autumn, 1900. \$2.00 Each.

### Fine Mercerized Black Sateen Blouses, white bias

stitching, new collar and cuffs. Special

### \$2.25 Each.

Fine Twill Black Mercerized Sateen Blouse, 14 rows stitching, new collar and cuffs. Special each.....\$2 25

Extra Fine Plain Mercerized Black Sateen Slashed Fronts, stitched with white, new cuffs. Special each.....\$2 25

### Stripe Silk Blouses, \$3.75 Each.

Blue, green and red stripes, fine hair lines, corded and tucked fronts, new collar and cuffs. Special each at......\$3 75

### Plain Taffeta Silk Waists, \$6.00 Each Light Blue, Black and Pink, Plain Taffeta Silk Shirt Waists, stitched with white, new collar and cuffs. Special each at.....\$6 00

Fine Black Taffeta Shirt Waist, front and collar

of white taffeta, stitched with white. A fine waist at each......\$7 50

### SPECIAL CROCKERY SALE.

10 per cent off Crockery and Glassware. This special discount off our close cash price means a saving for you. See our Toilet Sets at \$1 95 set.

Do you know that we have a Blanket Sale on just now? Ask to see the Matchless Blanket, soft white wool, at \$2 48 pair.

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208, 210, 2101, 212 Dundas Street.

house on behalf of the French Government for steamers to carry a million tons of coal from Norfolk, and deliver it in France within the next fifteen

### THE FASTEST TRAINS.

London, Aug. 17 .- Commenting upon a contributed article on "The fastest trains in the world," the Times says, editorially: "If there is one point more than another in which English railways have attained superiority, it is in the speed of the fastest trains. Yet the United States and France are now running, not one or two, but many faster trains than can be found on our railroads."

### KILLED WITH A PIN.

Gen. Pantelgeff, second in command of the imperial gendarmerie of Russia, met death under extraordinary circumstances recently. While traveling from St. Petersburg toward the German frontier, says a cablegram to the New York Journal and Advertiser, from Berlin. He and a prepossessing young Michigan next year are promising. He stranger were seated opposite each other in a railway carriage, his companions being the Prince and Princess Apalinoff. All four engaged in conversation. The stranger rose from his seat, and in some way pricked the general's wrist in such a manner as to call forth an exclamation from him. The stranger was profuse in his apologies, and ascribed the prick to his scarfpin, which he had stuck in his sleeve after using it to cut the pages of a book. At the next stop of the train he alighted and disappeared. An days. There have been 3,100 checks hour later the general, it was discovered was dead. At the autopsy the doctors discovered traces of a very virulent poison, evidently communicated by means of the pin or needle. Several arrests have been made in connection with the crime, which is escribed to the anarchist movement in Russia.

### CABLE NOTES.

Thirty-five persons were bruised and cut by glass in Paris last night, when a horse car was overturned by a motor.

Marie Louise, Marsy, well-known actress and owner of race horses, has resigned from the Comedie Francaise, Paris. Ill health. The Shah of Persia has sent an agent to this country for a brief examination

of the electric trolley system of Greater New York. The Shah proposes to establish a trolley car line between Teheran and a port on the Caspian Sea, a distance of 93 miles.

When you say your blood is impure and appetite poor you are admitting your need of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Be-

### 5,129 SICK

Gen. McArthur Reports That Number Prostrated in the Philippines.

Washington, Aug. 17.-Gen. Mac-Arthur has cabled the war department a statement of the health of the troops in the Philippines. The number of sick in hospital is set down at 3,868, and in sick quarters at 1,261, a total of 5,129 sick soldiers, or 8.47 per cent of the entire army in the archipelago.

ENEMY OF THE HESSIAN FLY. Lansing, Mich., Aug. 17 .- Prof. Clinton D. Smith, of the Agricultural College, announces that the parasite that lives on the Hessian fly will probably keep the fly within bounds this year, and that in consequence the chances of there being a good yield of wheat in advises that a narrow strip of wheat be sown early, to allow of the insects laying eggs in it, and then plow this

THE OTTAWA FIRE FUND. Ottawa, Aug. 17.—The last of the Ottawa fire relief fund, which amounted to about \$900,000, is now being paid out, and all that remains is the government auditing of the accounts, provided for

### Sentenced to Death.

"You are in the last stages of Consumption and cannot live more than a month," were the words of doom heard by Mrs. Rosa Richardson, of Laurel Springs, N. C., from her doctors, "but she began to use Dr. King's New Discovery," writes R. L. Daughton, of that place, "and was wholly cured by it. She is now a stout, well woman." It's the supreme cure for desperate diseases of throat and lungs. Infallible for Coughs, Colds, Bronchtis, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough. Guaranteed bottles 50c and Trial bottles free at W. T. Strong & Co.'s drug store.

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London, Friday, August 17.

Local Market.

A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT.
Wheat, white, per bu63c to 66c
Wheat, red, per bu63c to 66c
Wheat, spring, per bu66c to 69c
Oats, per -bu30c to 31c
Peas, per bu
Corn, ner bu 433
Barley, per bu381/20
Rye, per bu 560
Buckwheat, per bu60c to 650
The receipts were light this morn-
ing. No change in quotations.

GRAIN.			
Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs.	1 05	@	1 10
Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs		60	1 10
Wheat, spring, per 100 los		•	
Ats. per 100 lbs	91	10	95
Pags per 100 lbs	1 00	0	1 00
Corn per 100 lbs	85	0	95
Yarley, per 100 lbs	80	a	85
(ye per 100 lbs	1 00	400	1 00
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	1 00	(0)	1 00
Beans, per bu	100	0	1 35
PROVISIONS			
Cheese, perlb	12	@	13
Eggs, stngle dozen	12%	a	13
Eggs, fresh, basket, dozen	11%	0	12%
Butter, lo, large rolls or crocks	20	æ	21
Butter, pound rolls, retail	21	(0)	23
Lard, per lb	8		10
Lard. 20 lb. lots	. 7	0	
WHOLESALE DEALER	S' PR	IOL	is.
Fggs, store lots, doz	11	100	11%
Destar round rolls hoghets	10	a	91

Fggs, store lots, doz	11	(0)	17
Butter, pound rolls, baskets	19	@	21
Butter, crock	19	69	20
Butter rolls store lots	16	1	17
LIVE STOCK			
Beef, per 10	3	0	4
Home, light, per 100 lbs	5 50		5 5
Logs, singers	5 75	@	5 7
	3 00	(20)	5 O
Pige young, per pail	3 50	(C)	5 5
Sows per 100 lbs	3 00	@	3 0
Ducks, per pair	75	@	9
Chickens, spring, per pair	50	60	8
Hens per pair	30	(3)	6
Hens, per pairVEGETABLE	S.		
Potatoes, per bag	40	(0)	5
Turnips, new, per bag	20	(4	3
Cabbage, per doz	40	(0	54
Beets, per bag	30	(00	4
Onions, per bag	1 25	@	1 2
Cucumbers, per dozen,	46	(0)	5
Carrots	20	(0)	3
Parsnips	50	60	0
Artichokes, per bag	75	@	10
Savory and Sage, per doz	15	@	1
	90	a	3
Parsley, por doz	TC	6	ď
Deed seed by	5		
Beef, per ib.	6	9	
Mutton, quarters, per ib	11	1	1
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Dressed hogs 100 the heavy .	7	@	
Hides, No. 1, per lb	6		120
Hides, No. 2, per 15	5		
Hides, No. 3, per ib	8	0	-
Calfskina green	45	(4)	4
Lambskins			3
Pelts	35	Œ	9

Tallow, rough 4
Turkeys, per ib 8
Geese, each 50
FRUIT. WE SELL

DIAMOND, SNOW WHITE, PURITAN, TECUMSEH, and PEARL FLOUR. A. M. HAMILTON & SON,

St. Thomas Narket.

St. Thomas, Aug. 16.-Wheat, old, per bu, 65c; wheat, new, 65c; oats, 32c to 34c; peas, 80c to 90c; barley, 35c to 40c; rye, 60c; feed corn, 50c to 53c; flaxseed, per cwt, \$2 45 to \$2 50; timothy seed, \$1 90 to \$2.

The OilMarket. PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 16 .- Oil closed at PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 17-Oil opened at

\$1.25. OH. CITY, Aug. 16.—Oil—Credit balances, English Markets.

Ruling prices for the past four market days-The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat highest prices are given. | Aug. | Aug. | Aug. | Aug.

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WHEAT-								-
Red Winter		3	6	4	6	3	6	3
No. 1 Nor. Spring	6	41/2	6	5	6	4	6	4
Walla	6	1	6	1	6	0	6	1
No. 1 Cal	6	5	6	4	6			41/8
July	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sept		113%	6	2	6	056	6	0
Dec	6	04	.6	3	6	14	6	11/8
CORN-				1.47	1			-,0
New	3	111/	3	111/2	3	1136	4	014
Old	4	1174				11/2	4	2
Feb	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	U
March	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sept	3	111/3	3	111%	3	1136	4	01/8
Oct	3	117/8	4	0	3	11%	4	033
Nov	4	0	4	012	3	117/2	4	03/8
Flour	20	6	20	U	20	6	20	6
Peas			5	734	5	756	5	814
Pork, prime mess	79	0	70	0	70	0	72	6
Lard			35	0	35	0	34	9
Tallow	25	0	25	6	25	6	25	0
Bacon, light			41	6	41	6	41	6
Cheese, white			48	6	18	6	àl	0
Cheese, colored			149	0	59	0	53	0

### American Markets.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.-Wheat was dull and heavy today under liquidation, September closing ic under yesterday. Corn was nervous, and closed %c higher. Oats at the close were a shade lower, and provisions 20c pork, unchanged for lard and 2½c to 5c lower 1 ribs. Primary receipts were 826,000 compared with 528 bu last year. Min. apolis and Duluth re-ported 224 cars, against 233 last week and 217 a year ago. Local receipts amounted to 362 cars, 36 of contract grade. Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 325 cars; corn, 145 cars; oats, 365 cars; hogs, 20,000 head.

The leading futures closed as follows: Whea No. 2 Aug., 73½c: Sept., 73½c: Oot., 74½c to 14½c. Corn.—No. 2 Aug., 23½c: Sept., 33½c: Oot., 37½c: Oot., 37½c: Oot., 37½c: Oot., 37½c: Oot., 25½c. Oot., 25½c. Oot., 25½c. Mess Pork—Sept., 21¾c to 22c: Oot., 22½c. Mess Pork—Sept., 21¾c to 22c: Oot., 22½c. Mess Pork—Sept., 36 65: Oot., 311 40; Jan., \$11 15. Lard—Sept., 36 65: Oot., \$6 70; Jan., \$5 45. Short ribs—Sept., 36 65: Oot., \$6 80; Jan., \$5 82½. Cash quotations—Flour, steady. No. 3 wheat. 72c to 75c; No. 2 rod wheat, 75c to 76c. No. 2 corn, 39½c; No. 2 yellow corn, 40½c. No. 2 corn, 39½c; No. 2 yellow corn, 40½c. No. 2 oats. 22c to 22½c: No. 2 white, 24½c to 25c; No. 3 white, 23½c to 34½c. Good feeding barley, 36½c; fair to choice malting, 40c to 48c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 41; No. 1 Northwest. \$1 41. Pork, \$11 25 to \$11 40. Lard, \$5 65 to \$6 67½. Short rib sides, \$6 50 to \$7 10. Dry salted shoulders, 6½c to 7c. Short clear sides. \$7 40 to \$7 60. Sugar, cut loaf, \$5 88; granulated, \$6 32; confectioners A, \$6 25; Off A, \$6 13. Oloverseed, contract grade, \$3 56 to \$8 75. Eggs, firm; fresh. 11c.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 20,000 barrels; wheat, 33,000 bushels; corn, 151,000 bushels; barley, 9,000 bushels; barley, 9,000 bushels; barley. The leading futures closed as follows: Whea

bushels.
SHIPMENTS-Fleur. 18,000 barrels; wheat,
153,000 bushels; corn. 292,000 bushels; oats, 253,000 bushels; rye, 1,000 bushels; baricy, 3,000

The Dairy Markets. NEW YORK, Aug. 16. — Butter Only 25c at W. T. Strong & Co.'s drug steady; creamery, 171/2c to 21c; factory, store.

current packed, 14c to 16c; imitation creamery, 15c to 18c; state dairy, 16c to 19½c. Cheese firm; large colored, 10%c; small colored, 10%c; large white, 10%c to 10%c; small white, 10%c to 10%c.

KINGSTON, Ont., Aug. 16.—At the cheese board today 585 white and 532 colored boarded. Both sold at 10%c, August make. BROCKVILLE, Ont., Aug. 16 .- Of-

sold on the board at 10%c, and everything will probably sell on the street at that figure.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—Butter firm; creamery, 16c to 20½c; dairies, 14c to 18c. Cheese steady at 10c to 11c.

Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 16,000; good to prime steers, \$5 45 to \$6; poor to medium, \$4 60 to \$5 40; selected feeders steady, \$4 to \$4 75; mixed stockers, \$3 30 to \$4; cows, \$2 90 to \$4 40; heifers, \$3 to \$4 90; canners, \$2 to \$2 80; bulls, \$2 75 to \$4 40; calves steady, \$4 50 to \$6 75; Texans, receipts, 1,200; Texas fed steers, \$4 25 to \$5; Texas grass steers, \$3 40 to \$4 25; Texas bulls, \$2 50 to \$3 35. Hogs— Receipts, 24,000; mixed and butchers, \$4 95 to \$5 30; good to choice, heavy, \$5 to \$5 27½; roughs, heavy, \$4 75 to \$4 95; light, \$5 05 to \$5 37½; bulk of sales, \$5 05 to \$5 20. Sheep—Receipts, 13,000; good to choice wethers, \$4 25 to \$4 40; fair to choice mixed, \$3 65 to \$4 15; western sheep, \$4 to \$4 35; Texas sheep, \$3 to \$4; native lambs, \$4 25 to \$6; western lambs, \$4 75 to \$5 85.

MONTREAL, Aug. 16.-The receipts of cattle at the east end abattoir this morning were 450 head of cattle, 100 calves, 75 sheep, 75 lambs. There was a good attendance of buyers, and the demand was good. Cattle, choice, sold at from 4½c to 5c per lb; lower grades at 2c to 3c per 1b. Calves were sold from \$2 to \$10 each. Sheep brought from 3½c to 4c per 1b. Lambs were sold from 3½c to 4½c per 1b. Hogs brought from 51/2c to 6c per lb.

EAST BUFFALO, Aug. 16.-Cattle-Demand moderate; feeling steady; calves, light supply, good demand and higher; choice to extra, \$7 to \$7 25; good to choice, \$6 50 to \$7. Sheep and lambs—Lambs, choice to extra, \$5 75 to \$6; good to choice, \$5 50 to \$5 75; yearlings and sheep were quotable at \$450 to \$475; common to fair, \$3 to \$425. Hogs—Mixed, \$540 to \$545; heavy in light demand, \$535 to \$540; Yorkers, \$5.55 to \$5.60; pigs, \$5.60 to \$5.65; roughs, \$4.60 to \$4.80; stags, \$3.75 to \$4; the general close was dull.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Beeves-Receipts, 850; one car of bulls sold at the British wagons had double teams \$250; others held for Friday's market; of picked animals. The Boers evaded feeling steady; Liverpool and London the British at night over ground cables quoted United States cattle steady, refrigerator beef selling at 9c to 10c per lb. Calves—Receipts, 53; very little doing; feeling steady; years 44 to 25.77. IIII. steady; veals, \$4 to \$5 75; little calves, \$4 50; yearlings, \$2 60; grassers and buttermilks nominal. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 3,486; sheep in over-supply and lower; lambs, 10c off; sheep, \$2 75 to \$4 40; culls, \$2; lambs, \$4 62½ to \$6 50; culls, \$4 to \$4 50. Hogs—Receipts, 1.138; weak, at \$5 55 to \$5 80; choice state and light pigs, \$5 85 to \$6.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, Aug. 16.-Here and at Liverpool United States cattle are steady at 11c to 12c per ib, dressed weight; tops at London are worth 124c per lb. Refrigerator beef is weaker, at 9c to 10c

Twelve Thousand Idle Men Put to Work.

International Typographical Union Puts Veto on Speed Contests-The Garment-Makers' Convention.

Pittsburg, Aug. 17.—The pressed glassware factories throughout the country resumed work yesterday, giving employment to over 12,000 men.

TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION. Milwaukee, Wis., Aug. 17.-The International Typographical Union voted to meet next year at Birmingham, Ala. An amendment to the constitution was adopted providing for a censorship by the executive council of all communications of union men to be printed in to him their regret at his retirement, newspapers, circulars or pamphlets reflecting on the standing or character, private or public, of any member of spite the business of the season, to members of the International Typographical Union. Its object is to control in a measure much of the matter printed in labor papers. Other matters acted upon were the indorsement of ing the connection between himself and the Women's Label League and the the constituency which he has so long adoption of legislation prohibiting represented. He closed by giving them speed contests, either by hand or ma-some sound advice in reference to the chine. Delegate White reported a "de- coming election, commending his sucplorable condition existing in Pitts-burg," and the matter will be consid-ered in executive session.

Cessor, Mr. W. O. Sealey.

Mr. Sealey paid a high tribute to

Mr. Bain's ability, and by his speech

ered in executive session. THE GARMENT WORKERS. Detroit, Aug. 17.—The headquarters present representative.
of the United Garment Workers' Union Short addresses were will remain in New York. This was decided by a vote of 27 for New York and 25 for Syracuse.

A representative of the Custom Clothing Makers, of Chicago, requested that the garment workers co-operate secretary of state, arrived home this with his organization, which has about morning from a trip to Prince Edward 1,000 members. The suggestion was downed on the ground that the Clothing Makers form a rival organization, and therefore co-operation is out of the Liberal party in these provinces. the question. They were granted permission to join the larger body if they

wished. Mr. R. Orr addressed the convention on the St. Louis street car trouble, and week and will return shortly. \$50 was voted to help the cause. It was also decided to make it obligatory on all new unions to have a sick and death two in Toronto, as has also Hon. J. benefit fund in connection. Resolutions | Sutherland. were introduced declaring it wrong for any of the general officers to hold pol- Fisher have been here here almost itical offices, and one favoring biennial continuously since prorogation. sessions in the future. These have yet to be dealt with.

Steamship Arrivals. At From
New York Southampton
Hamburg New York
Fame Point Liverpool
Fame Point Shields
Fame Point Lordon Fuerst Bismark. Patricia.

Monteagle. PROBABLY FATAL BOXING BOUT. New York, Aug. 17 .- George Kelley, 18 years old, is in Seney Hospital, in a critical condition, the result of a blow by Michael Meyers, same age, in a boxing bout at the Greenwood A. C. last night. Meyers and eleven others are

now under arrest. Her Head a Fright. "Large sores covered the head and face of our child," writes C. D. Isbill, of Morganton, Tenn., "that no treatment helped till we used Bucklen's Arnica Salve, which quickly cured her." Infallible in Eruptions, Bruises, Accidents and Piles. Cure guaranteed.

# **Bargains** for Saturday's Traders (BATTEY'S)

Our grand clearing sale of Black Dress Goods ferings on the cheese board here today is now on. Wonderful bargains in high-class were 1,077 white and 1,455 colored; 895 fabrics. Sweeping reductions on every piece of this superb stock. 50c plain and fancies for 25c and 35c; 75c handsome materials for 50c, and \$1 rich textures for 75c. Sale

Specials for Saturday.

Black and Cream Silk Laces, rich and elegant in design, were 25c to 50c, clearing at 121/2c.

continues all next week.

Ten dozen Fine Linen Towels, were 10c, clearing at 71/2c.

Ten dozen Towels, better class, very large, were 25c, clearing at 17c. Three pieces Fine Irish Table Linen, patterns, were 85c, clearing

All other Table Linens up to \$1.25 proportionately reduced—50c for 32c, 65c for 42c, \$1 for 69c.

\$125 for 85c-A wonderful chance to replenish your linen supply. Twenty-five dozen Fine Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, were 25c; choice of handsome styles, clearing

THE DARKNESS

Gen. Dewet Slips Away From Gen.

Kitchener-Plotters on Trial.

Pretorla, Thursday, Aug. 16 .- Gen.

Dewet has managed to elude Gen.

Kitchener, in spite of the fact that all

the British at night over ground

The trial by court-martial of Lieut.

MONEY FOR BRITISH PRISONERS.

consular official has gone from Lorenzo

Marquez to Nooitgedacht to distribute money to British prisoners there, each

THE SPEAKER

by West Flamboro Liberals.

Bullock's Corners, Aug. 17.-The an-

nouncement of Hon. Thomas Bain, M.

the house, and has risen by his per-

qualities of candor, honor, courtesy and

house alike have endeared him in a

still greater degree to the people of

Wentworth, his neighbors and friends.

and they would gladly have re-elected

Liberals of West Flamboro felt that

they must in some formal way express

and last night assembled at the town-

ship hall here in large numbers, de-

Mr. Bain, in replying, expressed the

deep regret that he, too, felt at sever-

confirmed the opinion of the electors

that he is well qualified to succeed the

by Mr. T. H. A. Begue, Dr. James Mc-

MINISTERS RETURNING.

Island, Nova Scotia and Cape Breton.

Mr. Scott was much impressed by the brightness of the political prospects of

is expected to return tomorrow.

Hon. Mr. Borden, minister of militia,

Hon. Mr. Fisher, minister of agri-

The postmaster-general has return-

ed again after an absence of a day or

Hon. Mr. Bernier and Hon. Mr

Hon. Wm. Paterson returns from

Sarnia on Monday, and the ministers

now on the ocean are expected here

The first council meeting for some time was called today for routine busi-

A TRUE STATEMENT

By Foreman White of the Hamilton

Screw Works.

Hamilton, Aug. 13 .- If a vote of the

people were to be taken to ascertain

which is the most popular medicine on the market, Dodd's Kidney Pills would

One of the latest cures by that grand remedy is that of Foreman T. H.

testifies that he was cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills of Kidney Disease of

eight years standing, after other medi-cines had failed.

you wish. It is true in every particular."

White, of the screw works here,

the beginning of next week.

lead by a large majority.

ness.

culture, was here for a few hours this

Ottawa, Aug. 16.-Hon. R. W. Scott,

him for many years to come.

ated address.

Queen and others.

DEPARTED IN

trial is proceeding.

LADIES' VESTS-Simply ridiculous selling at such prices, but a clearing must be made; 121/2c Vest for 71/2c; 18c for 121/2c; 25c for 15c.

CORSETS-Clearing all \$1 Summer Corsets for 50c; price simply cut in

SHIRT WAISTS-Choice of any Colored Washing Shirt Waist in stock en Saturday at 25c.

HOSIERY-This grand section is ever to the front; great bargains in better class Hose on Saturday; we will also sell Children's Cotton Hose at 5c. BELTS-Leather Belts at 5c, worth

10c, and at 10c, worth 25c. SKIRT-MAKING-Our special skirtmaking offer—We will make skirts for 50c, when materials are purchased here, including all goods bought at the re-

Deliberate Suicide of a Chicago Man, so That His Wife Might Get \$2,000 Insurance.

Chicago, Aug. 17.—Charles A. Mielenz died by his own hand some time Wednesday on the prairies near Foster and Southport avenue, in order that his wife might receive the benefit of \$2,000 insurance which he carried in two German lodges. Mrs. Mielenz learned from the police last evening that her husband's body had been found.

Mielenz conducted a wall paper and painting business at 513 Larrabee street and it was not prosperous. On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Mielenz received a letter from her husband, in which he said: "It is the best you can do to let Cordeau, of the Staats artillery and the other leaders of the conspirators, me go, so everybody can get what they have coming. I feel sorry for my chil-dren. You will get enough of money concerned in the plot to kidnap Lord Roberts, began today. The prisoners pleaded guilty, but at the suggestion of the court withdrew their plea, and the from my lodges to put \$1,000 in the bus iness and hold the balance for yourself and my dear children. It's hard to part, but I don't see any other way.' Cape Town, Aug. 17 .- An American

### MR. SYMINGTON

One of Sarnia's Best Known Business Men Dead

Presented With a Farewell Address [Special to Advertiser per G. N. W.] as is often the case, he wears a coat He was an active partner in the mer-cantile firm of T. & J. S. Symington, and latterly managing director of the is the sacred or royal hue, permitted P., speaker of the House of Commons, that owing to ill-health he will not Industrial Mortgage and Savings Com- to nobobdy below the rank of a viceagain stand as candidate in South Wentworth caused deep regret to the pany and president of the Sarnia Street | roy. Railway Company. He was also mayor electors of this riding. For over a quarter of a century Mr. Bain has continuously represented Wentworth in sonal merit to the honorable and diffi-cult position of speaker. The same

### FAST MAIL WRECKED fairness that have won for him the esteem of friends and foes in the

Several Cars Drop Into Sandusky Bay -No Lives Lost.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 17.-Train No. 3, the fast mail between New York and Chicago, on the Lake Shore, was wrecked at 1 o'clock this morning on the long bridge over Sandusky Bay, but no one was killed or seriously injured. Two cars left the track, an express car and a combination express and smoker. The express messengers got off the car uninjured by breaking the windows. There were fourteen passengers in the combination car, and they, too, were rescued through windows.

The engine and two baggage cars passed over safely. The smoker and one day coach are entirely submerged ber-since the side next the palace in the lake. One coach is on end down proper has an extra gate in the exact the bank. A sleeper about half tipped over is down the bank, and the last men in this the Tartar City belong to sleeper is off the track right on the trestle. It is said the cause of the wreck was the spreading of the rails. Everybody got out of the coaches, but several got badly cut up. No lives

### **ROUGH ON RATS**

Got Into the Muffins-Family Were Only Saved by the Doctor's Hard Work.

Detroit, Aug. 17.—The family of Jas. curious looking, but wicked in the ex-F. McGregor, brother of the county treme—the three hooked spears, they and chief clerk in the county clerk's office, had a startling experi-ence yesterday. The party had corn-within the wall, Pekin maintains a

Mr. McGregor, "until the woman from state, and receive a monthly rice al-the grocer, store came over in haste lowance in addition to their pay. The and demanded the package of corn-chief get a fair salary, but the men meal we had bought there. We showed and subordinate officers are meagerly her what was left. 'My God,' she said, 'the girl gave you rought on rats." Mrs. Boyse, who keeps the grocery, says she mixed rough on rats with the shape of cold cash stands the priscornmeal to kill mice. She had warned oner's friend in China even more than the clerks about it, she says.

anywhere else in the world. In fact,

NATURE'S STOREHOUSE THERE ARE CURES.—Medical ex-periments have shown conclusively that there are medicinal virtues even in ordinary plants growing up around us which give them a value that cannot be estimated. It is held by some that nature provides a cure for every disease which neglect and ignorance have visited upon man. However this Mr. White says: "One box of Dodd's may be, it is well known that Parme-Kidney Pills relieved me, four boxes lee's Vegetable Pills, distilled from cured me. Publish this statement if roots and herbs, are a sovereign re-

## Specials in Curtain Materials

For this month we will run a line of.....

### FRENCH TAPESTRIES

These goods must be seen to form any idea of their values. Double Fold Goods, 50 inches wide, in DELF, BLUE, BROWN, GREEN, GOLD, TERRA, ROSE, and other shadings; besides the TAPESTRY effect, they have the Mercerized finish which makes them as handsome as silk. Regular 60c and 75c goods for.....

### **Reversible Denims**

These goods are 32 inches wide and in the newest shades, suitable for door hangings and portieres. Special August price

### Cretonnes

A new line just received. Special August price 10c and 121/2c.

### **Coin Spot Muslins**

at 121/2c.

# Dress Goods Dept.

is well lighted. Plenty of room; all new fixtures. A pleasant place to shop in.

New Fall Dress Goods Arriving Daily. New Homespuns, 54 inches wide, in five shades of gray; also r vy, black, brown; only, per yard......85c Handsome Plaid Homespuns, only per yard...... \$1 Heavy-weight Homespuns, in gray, brown and green,

only, per yard......65c New Homespun Tweeds, at per yard......50c New Suitings, full range of colors, per yard, only......25c Cloth Suitings, all colors, only, per yard......15c

Our First Shipment of Dress Goods.

150 Dundas Street, London.

### CHINESE POLICEMEN

Curious Regulations of the Force of 30,000 on Duty at Pekin.

In costume a Chinese policeman is position. Nor could any more welsomething between a circus clown and come service be rendered. a football player. His breeches are always baggy, and very well waddedso clumsy you wonder how he gets mine what seasickness really is. The around in them, particularly when conclusion at which these wise doc-Sarnia, Ont., Aug. 17.—One of the old-est and most respected business men of low the knees. Dark blue is the prethis district died suddenly here today. vailing color, set off with bands and and the contraction of the dia-

In the treaty ports, that is to say, of the town for several years. Mr. those open to foreign influence and Symington was a prominent figure in commerce, the police force is largely business and political circles in Sarnia made up of sikhs from Northern India. The reason, perhaps, is that the Chinese themselves are essentially unwarlike; they have a proverb to the effect that "no good man is ever a soldier." As men in the pay of the Chinese government, whether natives not, they have taken active part in

the present trouble in China. The police rank officially as gendarmerie. In Pekin the head of them is always a Manchu. Policemen must be plentier than blackberries in the Chinese capital. The sacred or imperial walled city keeps between fifteen and city is two miles square, with two great gates in each wall-face, half a mile from the corners, and a mile from each other. Broad streets stretch straight from one to another thus cutting the space inside into a big nineblock. Police stations are scattered all along the nine squares, especially around their outer edges, which face upon the passway inside the wall. The head of the police has charge of all the city gates. There are nine in nummiddle of the two-mile wall. what is known as the Eight Banner Corps. They do not carry arms, not even so much as the baton of a civilized officer, but keep swords, spears, guns and cutlasses in racks at the stations, and make a rush for them when they hear the signal gun. This is fired by an officer whose special charge it is, either upon orders or if in his own judgment it is necessary. The penalty for firing it at the wrong time is se-vere—it may be degradation and banishment or strangulation.

Upon parades and reviews the policemen are always armed, especially if foreign devils are to witness the re-view or the parade. The weapons are curious looking, but wicked in the exall carry in particular make jagged yesterday. The party had corn-muffins for breakfast, and soon force of 14,000 with which to regulate afterward all who partock were death- affairs in the outer city. They are unly sick. The prompt arrival of medical der command of the same general ofaid alone saved the lives of Mrs. Mc- ficer and governed by the same regula-Gregor, the children and the servant, tions, though there are variations aristhough all still feel the effects of their ing from the differences of situation. Men and officers alike furnish their "I did not know what it was." said own uniforms, but are armed by the paid. Notwithstanding, they make and save money enough to retire after moderate terms of service. "Influence" in anywhere else in the world. In fact, but for the "presents" the force is allowed to squeeze out of native and foreigners alike, there might be difficulty in getting men for the service even though humanity is cheaper than dirtcheap all over the Celestial Empire.

THE GROWING TIME. Toronto, Aug. 17 .- The evidence of the existence of the growing time continues to accumulate. Between July 1 and Aug. 15 the duty collected at the Toronto customs house was \$819,116 in excess of \$155,716 over the amount colmedy in curing all disorders of the lected during the corresponding period disestion of last year.

Oxygen is the new cure for seasickness. The remedy comes from Paris, where two physicians have been engaged for some time in the attempt to lessen one difficulty in the way of American visitors to the ex-

The first steps toward the invenconclusion at which these wise doctors arrived is that "the great and sudden disturbance of the viscera phragm are the principle causes of seasickness." Oxygen, they accordingly decidea, was the logical remedv.

The proper course for the traveler, then, is to provide himself with a supply of tubes containing pure oxygen. At the first symptoms of seasickness some of the oxygen should be inhaled, but only through the mouth, the nostrils being kept closed. The inhalations should be long and made at regular intervals.

A Smooth Chinee.

Li Hung Chang, corcededly the richest and most influential man in China, has kept the peoples of the other countries of the world guessing for several weeks as to his extwenty thousand of them. This walled act attitude in the present oriental



LI HUNG CHANG

trouble. First he was with us, then he was against us, then he was and then he wasn't. There has been just as much mystery about his position in the strife between factions in his own government, though it has lately been conceded that he is very friendly to the dowager empress and her plans.

How Coal Loses Energy. If a load of coal is left out of doors

exposed to the weather-say, a month-it loses one-third of its heating quality. If a ton of coal is placed on the ground and left there and another ton is placed under a shed, the latter loses about 25 per cent. of its heating power, the former about 47 per cent.; hence it is a great saving of coal to have it in a dry place, covered over and on all sides. The softer the coal the more heating power it loses, because the volatile and valuable constituents undergo a slow combustion.

Fire started today (Friday) in Pine Cottage, one of the largest boarding houses at Mackinac Island. The residence of John W. Davis also caught fire and both houses were burned. Loss estimated at \$35,000. Wm. Tatlon, a member of the fire department, was probably fatally injured

### BUTLER, STOCK BROKER.

Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for eash or on margin. Send for vest pocket manual. Long distance Phone, 1278. OFFICES—Tecumseh House, London.

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Toronto Stock Market.

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TORONTO, Aug.	17.
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Ontario	126
Toronto	234
Merchants	154
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Imperial	217
Dominion	22 1/2
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Hamilton	187
British America100	
Western Assurance	1161/2
Consumers' Gas	215
Montreal Gau. 184	182
Northwest Land Company, pref. 51	48
Canada Pacific Ry. Stock 901/2	901/8
General Electric	161
London Electric115	111
Commercial Cable	1661/2
Cable Coup. Bonds1011/2	101
Cable Reg. Bonds101%	101
Dominion Telegraph	124
Bell Telephone Company	1721/4
Richelieu and Ontario	1003/
Toronto Street Hailway 963/4	965/8
London Street Railway	155
Dominion Savings and Invest 176	
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Lon. and Can. L and A 80	
London Loan	107
London and Ontario	
Ontario Loan and Debenture	120
New York Stocks.	
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New York, Aug. 17.

Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, To- cumseh House, for The Advertises.				
Yesterday's	e Adv	ertise		
Olose.		High.	Low.	2 n.m.
Anaconda 461/2	451/4	451/4	451/8	
Atcheson 28%	281/8		2756	27 7/9
Atcheson Pfd 711/8	71	2814 71	7016	705/8
B. & O 71%	7134	7134	711/8	7136
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C., B. & Q 187 1/8	127		1265%	
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L & M 711/2	72	72	7134	7134
Manhattan 91%	911/2	9132	90 7/8	911/2
Metropolitan St. 1551/2	155	::	::	
Mo. P 5114	511/8		50%	51
N. Y. Central 1303/8	130 1/2	130 1/2	130	130
Norfolk and W 341/8	34 5/8	345/8	34	34
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Ont.and Western 2118	211/4			
Paoific Mail 32%	*****		.1:	
Pennsylvania 129%	1293/8	1293%	129	129
People's Gas 9874	9812	981/2	981	981/8
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St. Paul 1143%	1141/2	1141/2	1133/4	114
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Southern Pacific 331/3 3rd Avenue	331/4	331/4	3276	33
T. C. I 701/2	7034	7034	69%	70
U. Pacific 59%	595%			
W. U 81	2978	2973	591/4	99%
TRUSTS-				
Lead 183%	18	13		
Leather 68%	10	13	17	17
Leather Com 11%	10%	1074	10%	103%
Sagarj1241	124 1/4		12234	1245
Federal Steel 34 %	341/4	3434	337/8	341/8
Rubber 31	31	31	30%	3034
Steel and Wire . 34%	3134		34	311/2
Tobacco 94%	94	94	931/	9334
Continental 26	26	26	251/3	2578
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### English Markets.

Liverpool, Aug. 17.—Olosing.

Wheat—Spot dull; No. 1 Cal., 6s 3½d to 6s
4d; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 3d; No. 2 red
western winter, 6s 2d; futures, steady; Sept.,
5s 11½d; Dec., 6s 1d. Corn—Spot, firm, American mixed, new, 4s; do. old, 4s id; futures, steady, Sept., 3s 11%d; Oct., 4s; Nov., 4s.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, firm, 8s.

Plour-St. Louis fancy winter, firm, 8s.

Peas-Canadian, 5s 3½d.

Beof-Extra India mess, dull, 72s 6d; prime mess, steady, 67s 3d.

Pork-Prime mess, fine western, firm, 72s 6d.

Lard-American refined, in pails, firm, 36s; prime western, in tierces, firm, 34s 9d.

Mams-Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 48s.

Bacon-Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, firm, 40s 6d; short ribs, 18 to 22 lbs, firm, 44s; long clear middles, light, 30 to 35 lbs, firm, 44s 8d.

40s 6d; short ribs, 18 to 22 lbs, firm, 44s; long clear middles, light, 30 to 36 lbs, firm, 41s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 55 to 40 lbs, firm, 41s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, firm, 49s 6d; clear belies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 44s. Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, steady, 34s 6d. Tallow—Prime city, firm, 25s; Australian in London, steady, 26s 6d.

Gottonseed oil—Huli refined, Aug., steady, 22s 24

eese-American finest white, strong, 51s; do, colored, strong, 52s.

Butter-United States, finest, 94s; do good,

Hops—At London (Pacific coast), steady, £215s to £3 15s. Linseed oil—35s 6d.

Turpentine spirits—Steady, 29s 6d.

Gotton seed oil—Hull refined, August, strong, Petrolium-Refined, 6s %d.

loronto Froduce Market.

Toronto, Aug. 17 .- Wheat steady; old white and red are quoted at 67c west: new, 66c west; goose nominal at 62c west. Maniteba steady at 90c for No. 1 hard, grinding, in transit; 80c affoat, Fort William; 87c, Toronto and west, and 84c to 85c Midland, Flour steady; cars of 90 per cent patents, \$2 70 to \$2 in buyers' bags west; Manitoba, \$4 25 for cars of strong bakers and \$4 50 for patents here. Millfeed steady; cars of shorts are quoted at \$14 50 to \$15 for bran and \$11 to \$11 50 west. Barley is steady; new No. 3 extra is quoted at 34c and No. 2 at 36c west. Rye steady; new is quoted by buyers at 45c west. Corn steady; Canada yellow is quoted at 40c west; No. 3 American yellow is steady at 47c. Oats steady at 26c to 261/2c for old white west, and 231/2c to 24c west for new. Peas steady; new, 15c west.Butter—Choice somewhat scarce; good demand; pound rolls quot- and continuing until further notice, eleed at 19c to 20c, and tubs at 16c to 18c;



common, 14c to 15c. Eggs steady at

Lunch Bacon, Cooked Hams, 6ard. Bologna, in choice quality.

THE CANADIAN PACKING CO. STORE | ADKINS, East London. Phone 900. 445 Richmond Street.

12c to 121/2c. Live hogs-Receipts, 820; prices unchanged; choice bacon, 6%c; heavy, fat, 5%c; light, fat, 5%c. American Markets.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Flour—Receipts, 32,638 bbls; sales, 3,750 pkgs; state and western about steady at yesterday's decline; Minnesota patents, \$3 95 to \$4 30; winter straights, \$3 50 to \$3 60; Minnesota bakers, \$2 85 to \$3 25; winter patents, \$3 75 to \$4 10. Rye flour—Steady; sales, 300 bbls. Wheat—Receipts, 107,925 bu; sales, 1,675,000 bu; options dull and easier, owing to renewed liquidation, lower cables and lack of outside support; Sept., 78½c to 78%c; Dec., 78c to 80%c. Rye—Steady; state, 53c to 54c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 574c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 117,000 bu; sales, 60,-000 bu; options stronger again on light offerings, a demand from shorts, and small receipts west; Sept., 44c to 44%c; Dec., 40c to 40 3-16c; May 40c. Oats—Receipts, 46,200 bu; options slow but steady; track, white state, 26½c to 33c; track, white western, 26½c to 33c. Butter—Receipts, 4,652 pkgs; market firm. Cheese—Receipts, 4,910 pigs; irregular; small colored, 10%c; large white, 10%c to 10%c. Eggs—Receipts, 4,069 pkgs; firm. Sugar—Raw firm: 4,069 pkgs; firm. Sugar—Raw firm; refined firm. Coffee—Easy. Lead—Dull. Wool—Dull. Hops—Quiet.

BUFFALO, Aug. 17.-Spring wheat-No. 1 hard, 8234c; winter, No. 2 red, 75c to 77c. Corn—Yellow, 44½c. Oats— No. 2 western, 25%c.

DETROIT, Aug. 17.—Wheat—No. 1 white, 76%c, cash; No. 2 red, cash and Aug., 77%c, Sept.

TOLEDO, Aug. 17.-Wheat, 76c, cash and Aug.; 76%c, Sept.; 78%e, Dec. Corn —34½c, Dec. Oats—22¼c, Sept. Chicago Exchange.

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	Open.	High	Low.	Close.
Wheat-Aug.	73	7314	725%	7256
Sept	733/4	78%	723/2	72%
Oct				/•
Corn-Aug	39%	3976	39%	391/
Sept	39	391/2	39	39
) Oct				
Oats-Aug	2116	2156	2136	2134
Sept	211/2	22	2134	2134
Pork-Sept	11 40	11 40	11 00	11 00
Oct	11 45	11 45	11 00	11 05
Lard-Sept	6 67	6 67	6 57	6 57
Oct	6 70	6 72	6 60	6 60
Ribs-Sept	6 85	6 87	6 77	6 85
Oct.	6 80	6 80	6 77	6 80
Live	Steck	Mark	cets.	

CHICAGO, Aug. 17 .- Cattle-Receipts, 25,000, including 2,000 Texans; natives steady, Texans lower; good to prime steers, \$5.45 to \$6; poor to medium, \$4.60 to \$5.40; stockers and feeders were steady, \$3.30 to \$4.75; cows, \$2.90 to \$4.40; haifars, \$2.40; \$4.90; conners, \$2.40; haifars, \$2.40; \$4.90; conners, \$2.40; \$4 40; heifers, \$3 to \$4 90; canners, \$2 to \$2 80; bulls, \$2 75 to \$4 40; calves, \$4 15 to \$6 75; Texas fed steers, \$4 25 to \$5; Texas grass steers, \$3 30 to \$4 15. Hogs—Receipts, 18,000; tomorrow, 13,-000; left over, 5,972; strong to 5c higher; top, \$5 421/2; mixed and butchers, \$5 to \$5 35; good to choice heavy, \$5 05 to \$5 30; rough heavy, \$4 80 to \$5; light, \$5 10 to \$5 42½; bulk of sales, \$5 10 to

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### TRIGGER.

The Melrose Rifle Club met on Wednesday, Aug. 15. Standard American

target. Scores:					1	
200 yards, on rest						
E. J. Shaw	8	9	8	9	10-44	
J. Harrison	7	8	10		8-41	
D. Steinhoff	7		7		4-35	
R. Robinson	3	7	6	8	10-34	
J. A. Clare	7	7		6	834	
F. Harrison	8	6	7	8	5-34	
J. Ferguson	9	3		5	10-33	
T. J. Murphy	5	8	8	4	8-33	
J. Oliver	5	7	6		6-31	
W. Kitching	4	. 4	10		5-30	
A. Steinhoff	8	3	4	4		
C. Harrison	4	4	6	4		
J. K. Morris	3	6	5		3-23	
J. Armitt	2	2	9	6	3-22	
200 yards, off-hand:						
T. J. Murphy	9	3	7	7	6-32	
E. J. Shaw	9	8	7	3	4-31	
J. A. Clare	5	7	6	7	5-30	
J. Harrison	5	3	8	3	6-25	
J. Armitt	1	9	7	3	5-25	
J. Ferguson	9	3	4	4	4-24	
J. K. Morris	1	3	7	3	9-23	
A. Steinhoff	7	2	4	5	5-23	
J. Oliver	5	1	8	3	3-20	
D. Steinhoff	4	1	3	6	3-17	
F. Harrison	2	3	10	0	2-17	
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	J. A. Clare64	R. Robinson 4
	J. Ferguson57	J. K. Morris 4
	D. Steinhoff52	W. Kitching 4:
	J. Oliver51	C. Harrison3

MACKENZIE AND MANN'S RAIL-WAY.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 17.-The Evening Times says editorially that the money for Mackenzie and Mann's railway from the great lakes to the Pacific, with a branch line to Dawson, has been subscribed in London. The Pacific terminus will be on the northern coast of British Columbia.

### Grand Trunk Railway Improved Service.

On and after Monday, the 20th inst., gant cafe parlor cars will be attached to International Limited and Eastern Flyer, between Toronto and Detroit. The former leaves London at 7:25 p.m., arriving at Detroit at 9:30 p.m. (C. S. time), and the Flyer departs from London at 6:10 p.m., and is due in Toronto at 8:45 p.m. A description of these cars would not do them justice. One must travel in them to understand and appreciate their comfort and conveni-

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### Latest Probabilities.

FINE, NOT MUCH CHANGE IN TEMPERATURE.

Toronto, Aug. 17-10 a.m.-Weather probabilities for the next 24 hours in the lower lakes region: Today and on Saturday light to moderate winds, generally fine; stationary or slightly lower temperature. A few scattered

-W. Peckham, of Aylmer, was in the city yesterday.

-Glen Rae left today for Sault Ste. Marie, going to Collingwood. -Mr. and Mrs. H. Bapty leave to-

night on a trip to the upper lakes. -Mr. Wilfrid Mara and friends are visiting Ottawa, Quebec and other points east. -Miss Minnie Mara has returned

from Paris and is visiting her grandfather at St. Marys. -Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Armitage leave tonight to visit their son, who is C. P. R. agent at Okanagan Landing, B. C.

-Mr. and Mrs. Will Glennon, of Chicago, who came here with the Chicago Old Boys, have returned to their home. -Sergt. Dunlevy, of the St. John, N. B., depot, has assumed the duties of quartermaster-sergeant at Wolseley

-Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Bullen have returned from Muskoka on a visit to the paternal home in this city, prior to their return to Chicago.

-The following Londoners left today for a trip to Sault Ste. Marie, via Sarand wife, H. G. Hopkirk, Col. Leys, M. P. P., D. B. Dewar and W. South-

-The death of Mrs. Esther Ann Blackwell occurred at St. Joseph's Hospital last night. Mrs. Blackwell underwent an operation recently. The remains were taken to Thamesville for -Mr. and Mrs. George G. Runyon,

of Morristown, N. J., and Mr. Chas. M. Wilson, of Aberdeen, South Dakota, formerly connected with the Molsons Bank, this city, are all visiting with Mrs. John Purdom, "Elmwood," Port Stanley.

-Richard Griffiths, the old man who week, appeared in the police court this morning after a week's remand on a charge of vagrancy. He was remanded for another week. An effort is being made to provide him with a suitable home.

-The seventh stated meeting of the grand lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen for Quebec and the Maritime Provinces will be held in the city of Halifax, N. S., on Wednesday and Thursday, Aug. 22 and 23, pursuant to notice. The Intercolonial Railway ing thereof. has arranged transportation for those who will attend from other places on this occasion. A special booklet containing information as to cheap rates and useful knowledge of Halifax and surrounding districts has been published by the Intercolonial, and a copy can be had by addressing the press and advertising department of the road at Moncton, N. B.

Rosin—Common—Steady; 4s 9d.
Rosin—Common—Steady; 4s 9d.
Receipts of wheat during the past three days
were 195,000 centals, including 93,000 American. Receipts of American corn during the past three days 2f9,500 centals. Weather, dull but warm.

W. Kitching ... 1 2 3 3 4—13

Mr. Philip McKeefe, a man nearly 60 years old, died very suddenly at St.
Joseph's Hospital yesterday afternoon.

L. Harrison ... 51

He was employed there as a coachwarm. and in the morning was driving about the city apparently in his usual health. Apoplexy was the cause of his death. This morning the remains were taken to Walkerville for interment. PLEADED GUILTY.

John Hanavan, the Indian charged with stealing a wheel at Byron on July 29, appeared before Judge Edward Elliott this morning, and pleaded guilty to the charge. He was remanded till year, while Mr. Moody lived Aug. 25 for sentence. Hanavan was at one time a pupil at the Muncey Institute, but ran away from there six years He has latterly resided in New York State, and has served a term in the Elmira reformatory.

### BIG DEMAND FOR SALMON.

San Francisco, Aug. 17.-Although salmon supply this year is short, the Japanese Government is placing heavy orders in the local market for salmon to feed its army. Men acquainted with the salmon packing say there will be over 32,640,000 less cans of salmon on the market this year than last.

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# MASSACRED

Names of the Eight Who Perished in Cheh Mang Province, China.

[Special to Advertiser per G. N. W.] Toronto, Ont., Aug. 17 .- The China Inland Mission today received a cablegram from Shanghai confirming the report of the massacre of eight missionaries in the Province of Cheh Mang.

Three of the ladies are from the United States. They are: Miss Ward, slight advance in the prices of Nebraska, who went to China in 1893; Miss Manchester, New York, who went to China in 1896; and Miss J. E. Desmond, of Minneapolis, who went out in The following missionaries who went

out from England are reported mur-dered: Mr. G F. Ward, husband of On and after Sept. 1, 1900, the Mrs. Ward, in China since 1893; Mr. rate of the evening editions of and Mrs. D. B. Thompson, in China since 1881; Miss Sherwood, in China since 1893, and Miss Thirgood, who went to China in 1890.

DIFFICULTIES OF THE ADVANCE. New York, Aug. 17.—Relative to the advance in Pekin, a cablegram to the Tribune from London says:

"The difficulties encountered by the allies are strikingly illustrated in a message from an Express correspondent with the relief force. At the bat-tle of Ho Si Wu the cavalry had to charge through an undergrowth so dense that it was impossible to see the enemy, and almost impossible to sit on horseback. The Chinese had carried out a number of big excavations, with The London News Co.; Lim the object of running off the water from the Pei River, and works, which it must have taken nearly a month to construct, were almost finished when the allies arrived on the scene

### Telegraphic Briefs.

The rumor that Japan was about to raise a war loan in the United States is officially denied.

William Fletcher has been arrested at Welland on a charge of stealing \$200 worth of iron from the G. T. R. shops in Toronto.

Benjamin Robertshaw was rendered unconscious by the heat while working in a Toronto brickyard on Saturday, and is still in that condition.

A party of eight passed through Detroit on Thursday on their journey toward Settle by wagon, having left Ottawa three weeks ago in three "prairie

The steamer Devonia, now at Montreal, loading for London, will, when she reaches that port, have concluded 19,000 miles, only having filled his bunkers once. The two fastest big ships in the

world will leave for New York on Tuesday, Sept. 4, the Deutschland, of the Hamburg-American Line, and the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, of the North German-Lloyd Line. Twelve people volunteered to supply skin to replace that burned off the back of a little boy at the Sick Chil-

dren's Hospital, Toronto, and the operation of grafting was successfully performed on Thursday. An Ottawa dispatch says: Within the past two weeks a phenomenal increase in the amount of daily deposits in the

savings bank branch of the postoffice department has taken place. It is attributed to the fire relief fund. Mr. Larke, Canadian trade commissioner in Australia, states that to keep a share of the Australian trade it will nia: R. Southam and wife, G. Olmstead be necessary to improve the steamship service between Canada and Australia, because the low rates from San Fran-

cisco tend to divert trade. The Norwegian bark Ratata, which was in collision with the British steamer Exeter City was sunk. The disaster occurred on Aug. 11, in latitude 49 north, longitude 25 west. Two of the crew were drowned. The remainder were rescued by the Exeter City and brought to London.

### AGED 101 YEARS.

[Special to Advertiser per G. N. W.] Toronto, Aug. 17 .- James Kendrick, aged 101 years, died from the heat at tried to drown himself in the river last the house of industry today. The return of the hot weather has led to a renewal of mortality among old people and infants. There were 24 deaths rewhom 17 were babies.

### WHICH WAS THE FOOL?

It is sometimes necessary to burn the candle at both ends, but he is not a wise man who continues doing it after his attention is once called to the wast-

When Mr. Moody was in London he made a visit to the celebrated physician. Sir Andrew Clarke, who told him that there was an alarming irregularity in the action of his heart.

"How many times a day are you in the habit of speaking?" asked Sir An-"Oh, I usually preach three times a day."

How many days in the week?" "Five days in the week. On Sundays I speak four or five times."

'You're a fool, sir, you're a fool" Joseph's Hospital yesterday afternoon. was the brusque response. "You're kill-He was employed there as a coachman ing yourself." 'Well, doctor," said Mr. Moody, take Saturday to rest. Now may I that to launch it into the air only ask you how many hours a day you

> 'Sixteen or seventeen." 'How many days a week?" 'Every day, sir, every day." "Then, doctor, you're a bigger fool than I am, and you'll kill yourself

work?"

With these pleasantries they parted, Sir Andrew to live little more than a seven times as long .- Youth's Companion.

WOMAN BREAKS BICYCLING RE-CORD.

Mrs. Emma R. Bayne, of New York city has set a new world's record for continuous bicycle riding. Tuesday night she dismounted from her wheel after 30 days of pedaling, in which she covered 45 centuries. The previous record, held by George Noble, of Philadelphia, was 39 centuries in 30 days. It should seem natural to suppose that Mrs. Bayne, at the end of her ride, fell exhausted from her wheel, but we are told that she danced and enjoyed herself generally at a celebration given in her honor. She weighs only 97 pounds, but the endurance of her slight frame

THE PUBLIC should bear in mind that Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil has nothing in common with the impure, deteriorating class of so-called medi-cinal oils. It is eminently pure and really efficacious—relieving pain and lameness, stiffness of the joints and muscles, and sores or hurts, besides being an excellent specific for rheumatism, coughs and bronchial complaints,

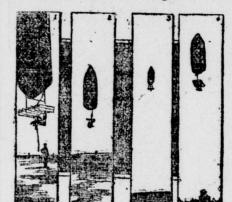
## RUSSIA'S AIR SHIP

Dirigible Balloon Had Successful Trial Trip Recently.

The Machine Devised by Dr. K. I. Dani. lowsky, the Business Engineer and Aeronautical Expert. Travels Against the Wind and in Any Direction He May Desire—An Inven tion That May Be Employed in Signal Service Corps of Russia.

The secret of a practical, dirigible airship seems to have been at last discovered, the outcome of Russian inventiveness. The well-known Rusian engineer and aerionautical expert, Dr. K. I. Danilewsky, has devised a machine in which he succeeded in travelling against the wind and in any direction that he may de-Not long ago the Russian Military Department, the attention of which had been drawn to this machine, dispatched some military men who possessed a knowledge of aeronautics to Charkov, where Dr. Danilewsky lives, to witness and report upon the experiments which the inventor was to make.

According to The King, Dr. Danilewsky ascended in his machine and successfully rose to a height of 300



FLYING MACHINE TESTED BY RUSSIAN ARMY feet; then, by careful manipulation, of the wings, he steered the machine partly against the wind over the town of Charkov, in a large circle, without any apparent effort on his part. Of course, it must be explained that the atmosphere was comparatively still, but, nevertheless, performance was a remarkable

Dr. Danilewsky again took his position in the seat and ascended. This time he continued his upward flight until he was completely out of sight. Fot over half an hour nothing was seen of the balloon, and some little anxiety was felt by the military men regarding his safety. At last, however, the vessel was descerned to be descending, and in a few minutes the balloon had been guided to almost

the spot from which it had started. Considering the success which attended the inventor's experiments on this occassion, F. A. A. Talbot says in his article: "There seems every probability of this flying machine being employed in the signal service corps of the Russian Army." The remarkable thing about the experiment was that Dr. Danilewsky proved it possible for him to ascend in his airship to any height desired; to successfully navigate it at any altitude; to travel in any desired direction, even against the wind (provided, of course, that it not be blowing a gale), and to bring it to earth at any point desired without any wastage of gas.

In shape the machine represents nothing so much as a vast cigar with the end pointing upward. Hydrogen is the gas used for inflating the bag, and a kind of framework of fans, instead of the ordinary car, is suspended from the "lighted end of 'the cigar." The aeronaut, instead of being seated in a car, uses a chair, flanked on either side with an immense wing. By skillful handling of these he is able to go against ported at the city hall yesterday, of the wind somewhat in the way in which a sailing vessel can tack against the headwind. This "cigar" can be made to ascend without the discharge of ballast and descend without the release of gas. '

Dr. Danilewsk, says The King, has based his aerial vessel upon the theory that, if a man's strength in proportion to his weight is not sufficient to raise him in the air, he must have his weight eliminated. This is satisfactorily accomplished by infiating the balloon with hydrogen. Therefore, when the question of the man's weight is dispensed with, he is in a position to direct all his energies to the task of propelling and steering the vessel which is supporting The scientist has reduced his him. hypothesis to an actuality. Another point in favor of this machine is four men are needed.

SIR RCBERT HART.

Chief of the Customs of China, Who Per ished in the Massacre.

The most influential foreigner in the Flowery Kingdom, for some days holding in check the rebellious horde and getting messages out of Pekin



SIR ROBERT HART.

when others failed. His last message was to his wife in London and was to the effect: "Prepare to hear



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RAINY RIVER REDS.

Recent Alleged Disquietude of Indiana Was Due in Great Part to Am-

erican Fire Water. Information of a decidedly disquieting character recently came down from the region of the Rainy River and the Lake of the Woods of a tgreatened Indian uprising. About 700 of the Canadian Indians were recently gathered near Koochiching, on the Canadian side of the boundary. Should the Rainy River Indians go on the warpath the Red Lake tribes, or "Cross Lakers," as they are called, may be expected to join in with the others against the white settlers. It was said also that Pillager Chippewas of the Leech Lake region, who have not fully recovered from their hostility of two years ago, spoiling for another fight, and it was



A TYPICAL RAINY BIVER INDIAN.

intimated that they were egging on the Canadian red men.

As was the case in the trouble with the Pillagers two years ago, the white man's fire water is in a large measure responsible for the difficulty in the Rainy River district. Whisky peddlers on the American side of the river, which forms the boundary line between Minnesota and Ontario, have done much to demoralize the Canadian Indians, and the Ontario Government has made a protest to Governor Lind of Minnesota and also to the authorities at Washington against the presence of these traders on the border. time ago one of the chiefs, loaded with American fire water was drowned while crossing to the Canadian side of the river, and since then these Indians have been making omnious threats. The trouble caused by the liquor dealers is most serious at the time the Canadian Indians are paid their annuities. Last year these peddlers followed them along the length of the river when the Canadian authorities were paying the annuities, and as soon as the Indians received their money they would cross the stream in their canoes and buy whisky until the whole section was in the wildest sort of helarity and disorder. It is said to be the intention of Governor Lind to have troops stationed this year on the border opposite where the Canadian authorities are paying off their Indians and prevent by force if necessary the sale of liquor. This pre-

caution may prevent serious trouble. As red men go the Rainy Lake dwellers are not, however, particularly "bad Injuns." If let alone, they are not inclined to be more quarrelsome than other tribes of the northwest. They cling with much tenacity to their old customs and manner of life and mainly devote themselves to hunting and fishing in the woods and lakes that there abound. They belong to the Ojibway tribe and form a part of the once great Algonquin group, being related by speech and habits to the Crees, Pottawatomies and Ottawas of their immediate northern neighborhood. The Ojibways, with others of the Algonquin family, sided with the English in the Revolutionary war and in the war of 1812 and in the early days were almost constantly at war with the Dakotas and others of their neighbors. The record of their wars with the Dakotas is one of heroism, self sacrifice and prowess on the battlefield, mingled with cruelty, bloodsned and misery almost incredible.

The Indians who live along the Canadian shore of the Rainy River and on the banks of the Lake of the Woods still retain much of their primitive simplicity and rude manners and customs of life.

The Indian in his wigwam by the shore of the lonely lake is pretty nearly independent. He finds in the forest the birch bark which covers his dwelling and forms the light canoe which is to him what the horse is to the resident of the city. A primitive gill net, with stone sinkers and cedar floats, is his fishing outfit. A curious crooked bladed knife, which he pulls towards him as he cuts, is his chief woodworking utensil. If he did not find firearms more deadly than bows and arrows, woolen blankets more comfortable than the skins of animals and fire water more to his taste than the pure aqua of his forest streams, he would have small need for the trading post which commerce plants on the frontiers of civilization. Up among the lakes and woods of the Rainv River country the red Indian is pretty nearly the ideal

camper out. The rising was stamped out without trouble on this most recent occasion of Indian disquietude,

# A FATEFUL... . DIAMOND

++++++++++++++++++++++++ The man stepped to the door beckoned to some one without, and instantly a gendarme entered, and presented a paper to Mr. Houghton.

It was a search-warrant, showing that all objections on his part would have been useless, if he had offered

Margaret, seeing it, reeled where she stood, and, putting out both hands, convulsively grasped her father's arm. Why should they wish to search the house?' she asked huskily. "Do they believe that he—Louis—has taken this money and gone away with it?"

"I fear so," he admitted reluctantly.

The beautiful girl drew herself up haughtily. Her lips curled; her eyes flashed with scorn as she turned them upon the intruders, who were regarding her with undisguised admiration. "It is utterly impossible," she said, coldly, "Mr. Dunbar could not do such

"Pardon, mademoiselle," politely returned the man who had interviewed her father. "No one has a key to the safe save Mr. Dunbar and the cashier; this morning it was found open, with his key in the lock, the money gonea very large and tempting amount, too. Mr. Dunbar is missing, and no trace of him can be found in all Paris. We must do our duty, mademoiselle; we have been ordered to find Lir. Dunbar; we must search for him here-"It is utterly impossible; he could

not do it!" Margaret repeated. Then, as the men passed on about their business, she suddenly broke down, and threw herself into her father's arms. He led her into the parlor, placed her in a comfortable chair before the cheerful grate, and then went to call his wife.

Everything certainly looked very dark and mysterious, and his own heart was disturbed by anxious forebodings. The robbery had been done with the key belonging to Louis; the cashier's key was still in his own pos-session, the other was found in the lock of the safe, the door of which was wide open, while not a book nor a paper had been disturbed—the money drawers alone were empty.

The two hundred thousand dollars

had been paid in just before the hour for closing the office, and the cashler stated Mr. Dunbar had seemed troubled and anxious when it was delivered to him, for it was past banking hours, and it would have to be kept in the office until morning.

He had remained to superintend the locking of the safe; had examined every window and tried every aoor after it was fastened.

All this the cashier testified to under oath, and declared that he believed there had been foul play in the matter, for Mr. Dumbar was not a man likely to do a dirty piece of business like that; he was a gentleman, and no robber. He believed that somebody must ha suspected the presence of money and shadowed him, and, when he returned to see that everything was right about the office, robbed him of

the key, and, perhaps, murdered him. Of course, no trace of Louis was discovered in the Houghton mansion, and the officers having done their duty, apologized for their intrusion, and were about to withdraw, when Margaret suddenly remembered what her legisletted those bitter words he had uttered against Louis on that last eventful evening.

Mr. Forest had not returned, neither lover had told her regarding his fa-

She quickly related the facts to Mr. Houghton, who repeated them to the officers, and they beat a hasty retreat, their opinion greatly changed, and believing they would soon bring the real rogue to justice.

Great excitement prevailed in the city over the strange affair; but when it came to be known that Mr. Dunbar had a father in Paris whose character was questionable, many not knowing of his engagement to the wealthy Miss Houghton, who had before been inclined to believe that he himself had absconded with the handsome sum. now decided that the father was the guilty party, and had sacrificed his own son to his greed for gold.

There was deep grief in the Houghton mansion. It seemed almost as if there had been a death there.

Margaret was nearly wild with anxiety and suspense, for she imagined that Louis had met with a horrible

During the early part of the day Arthur Aspinwall dropped in upon the troubled family.

"I am so lonesome since Uncle Albert went away that I do not know what to do with myself," he apologized, as he entered the room where the household was gathered; then he start-

"What is the matter?' he asked, looking from one to the other of the sorrowful group and remarking their blank, white faces and despondent attitude.

Mr. Houghton drew him aside. "Haven't you heard of the robbery of last night?" he asked. "No; where was it? I have not been

quite well for a day or two-arose late this morning, took my breakfast in my room, and then came directly here. Who has been robbed?"

"Dunbar's office was robbed of forty thousand dollars last night, and Louis himself is missing."

"The deuce!" exclaimed the young man, in a startled tone.
Mr. Houghton then explained the circumstances as far as he knew them,

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\*\*\*\*\* that suspicion was directed against the young man's father. "Father? Dunbar has no father," re turned Arthur, in a derisive tone. "He was always preaching that there was a mystery shadowing his parentage. Mr. Houghton then enlightened him further upon the subject.

"Ump!" remarked Arthur, reflectively, when the elder gentleman had con-cluded. "You don't suppose that this -this story of a father is a trumped up affair to throw people upon the wrong scent, do you?"

"Not for a moment," returned Mr. Houghton, with indignant emphasis. "Louis Dunbar is the soul of honor. What would that comparatively paltry sum be to him, when he might have married Margaret in a month with three or four times that amount."

"True; no, no, he would not be like-ly to sacrifice so much for so little," Arthur responded, but his lips were firmly compressed, and his tone was strained and unnatural.

### CHAPTER XXI

Days passed, but no clue to the robwas obtained, and no intelligence of Louis Dunbar. Gradually the excitement subsided, and matters settled into their old grooves once more. The cashier was appointed to take Louis' place, and a new man procured to fill that vacancy; and though the loss to the company was great, and would long be felt, yet business was soon resumed with all its former ac-

At the Houghton mansion, however, there was great sadness. For a time it seemed as if Margaret would sink under the dreadful blow, and her friends were exceedingly anxious on her account, and proposed to hasten their return to America, hoping that change of air and scene might blunt

the memory of these recent horrors. "Go home to America!" she exclaimed, with sudden anguish, when the plan was proposed to her. "Papa, never speak to me again of it. I should die before we could cross the ocean. No, no; if Paris has been Louis' tomb, it shall be mine also. I will live here as long as I can. When I die, if I die before we learn what has happened to him, bury me here where I last saw him; but I cannot, cannot go home." Of course they said no more to her after that upon the subject.

She was their all. They lived only in her and for her, and her every wish should be gratified as far as it was in their power to do so.

But how their hearts ached over this early blighting of all her hopes it is not in the power of pen to describe, and there was not a sadder home in all Paris than theirs, where lately there had been nothing but sunshine and joy.

Mrs. Parker and her daughter re-

turned to America without their friends, and, for a time, Mrs. Houghton, who was fondly attached to her friend, and had been greatly comfort-td by her kindness and sympathy during the recent trouble, felt as if half world was gone.

Arthur Aspinwell came every day to bring some offering, or to speak some word of cheer and sympathy. He did not intrude himself upon Margaret, but devoted himself to Mrs. Houghton, and really made himself so

agreeable and helpful that she grew to watch for his coming with pleas-He seldom said much to Margaret, but his manner toward her was gentle and deprecatory, and he was so kind and thoughtful in anticipating her slightest wish, that she was sure he regretted those bitter words he had

had he written anything regarding his movements; and, as Arthur was thus kept in ignorance of his whereabouts, he could not inform him of Louis' dis-

appearance and the trouble that the Houghtons were in. "I hope I shall not wear my welcome out," Arthur said one day, when he dropped in, for the second time, and threw himself wearily into a chair; "but the truth is, I am so lonely, I

can't stay by myself." "Come as often as you like, Arthur," Mrs. Houghton replied, kindly. "We lonely, too, without our friends, and I know you must miss Mr. Forest

saddy. "Yes; and-I am decidedly upset over the mystery regarding Dunbar," the young man returned, in a low tone, as if he intended the remark for Mrs.

Houghton's ears alone.
"Hush" she whispered, with a warning glance towards Margaret, and a few moments after, wishing something from her room, she arose and went upstairs to get it.

Margaret had always received Arthur of late rather apathetically. Today she had merely nodded a greeting as he entered, then lay back in her chair by the fire, and fell again into painful reverie.

But she had heard that last remark of his to her mother, in spite of his low tone, and suddenly sitting erect she turned her great languid eyes upon him, and gazed at him fixedly. He became conscious of her look after a moment, although his face was

turned aawy from her. It made him very uncomfortable somehow, and he wished he had not mentioned the name of his rival at all. He bore her scrutiny as long as he could, then he turned and met her

Well, what is it?" he asked, smiling, and trying to look indifferent.

"You never appeared to entertain a very high regard for Louis, and I was rather surprised to hear you express yourself as so 'upset' over his strange disappearance," Margaret returned, with some bitterness in her tone, but without removing her eyes from his, while she kept locking and unlocking her hands in a nervous manner.

(To be Continued.)

### From the Camp Outside Bleemfontein.

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### WOMEN IN A FIX

Left With Only Their Bathing Suits to Go Home In.

Atlantic City, N. J., Aug. 16.-Two handsome women, Mrs. Anna Gray and her daughter, of Syracuse, N. Y., spent all day yesterday and part of the night hunting their clothing, which they had left at the place where they hired un-

marked bathing suits.

The ladies came here with a party of Philadelphians, but decided to remain over night. All the afternoon they over night. All the afternoon they visited first one then another bath house, but in none of them were there any unclaimed clothing. Their bathing suits did not contain the names of their establishment, as is usually the case. They were followed by a curious crowd, which soon learned of their predicament, and towards the middle of the afternoon took refuge in a Boardwalk restaurant, where a char-itable proprietor gave them dinner free. The search was resumed, but until ten o'clock at night their clothes had not been found.

In-a small gripsack Mrs. Gray had considerable jewelry, and about \$40 in money. The officer took them late at night to Phillips' restaurant, where they arranged to spend the night in borrowed clothing, and telegraph their friends in Philadelphia. They refused to give the name of their friends, or their street address in Syracuse, fearing notoriety. Both appear to be women of refinement.

### CHUNKS OF ICE

Disastrous Storms at Various Points-At Emsdale the Hail Stones Were Eight Inches Around.

Emsdale, Aug. 16 .- A terrific storm visited this place and vicinity Tuesday afternoon, the like of which was never known in this country before. Chunks of ice fell with terrible force, measuring eight inches around. Hundreds of windows were smashed in this place, besides other serious dam-Crops were cut down and coinpletely destroyed, apples and fruit were cut to pieces and the trees upropted, hundreds of dollars of damage being

Winnipeg, Aug. 16.—A severe hail-storm passed over Moline district on Organdy Poke Bonnets, four frills Sunday afternoon, doing damage to the crops. The whole wheat crop in an area about three miles wide by several miles in length is practically wiped out. The news was brought into Rapid City by John Hunter, Moline, who is almost the only man who is insured this year. He says he had the best crop for years, probably 37 bushels to the acre. Nearly all the farmers insured their cross last year, and they escaped storms and frost, so this year they thought they would risk it, and the result is many of them are almost ruined by Sunlay's storm.

Killarney, Aug. 15 .- A destructive hailstorm passed north and south of Killarney yesterday evening, com-pletely destroying a strip about a mile Wm. Hodgits, J. Hammell, Beawide. con Gale, McCulloch and McNaughton are the principal sufferers.

### A ROMANCE OF FRANCE

How Robert Was Married and Buried Without His Knowledge.

The reappearance of a person who officially had been declared dead some years ago has created not a little excitement in the little town of St. Eula-lie, Arondissement Mauriac, France. Fifteen years since M. Robert, a tradesman, left his native place, never again to be heard of by his relatives or neighbors. He had settled in a distant part of the country and continued in his former occupation, the sale of Recently while traveling as a drummer he arrived at Saint-Cirguesde-Malbert, not far from his birthplace, where he called on a cousin residing there. Instead of being received with a kind welcome he was stared at by the lady as though he were an apparition from another world. Had she not read the certificate of his death, signed by the mayor of Chartre, and had she not piously attended all the masses read for the peace of his Not willing to be thus without cere-

mony stricken from the number of the living. M. Robert hastened to St. Eulalie, where he found his aged mother. She, too, seemed terrified at his sight, but soon recovered, and, amidst tears of joy and surprise, told him the fol-

lowing curious story:
A few years ago she received the announcement of her son's death from North Dorchester, Oct. 3. the authorities of Chartre, made out in due form, which was followed by the arrival of his alleged widow, with two children, the latter remaining with her "grandmother" at St. Eulalie, while their mother, who stated she had been living with M. Robert in wedlock for a number of years up to his death, returned to her home.

Astounded at the official report of

his death at Chartre, and still more at his marriage certificate and alleged fathership, Robert entered suit court. The evidence brought out that ten years ago he had lost his military service passport, which the finder had produced as his own in Chartre, where he afterward married and died, leaving a widow and two children, with his townsmen, had never doubted his identity with the person named in his wrongfully appropriated army

THE UNNOTICED BOUND. In passing southward I may cross the

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Across my track. But as the days grow brighter, one by

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And e'en the icebergs melt their hardened faces, And sailors linger, basking in the sun-I know I must have made the change of places Some distance back.

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W. Kent, Chatham, Oct. 9-11. Caledonia, Caledonia, Oct. 11-12. North Norwich, Norwich, Oct. 12-13. Norfolk Union, Simcoe, Oct. 16-18. Norfolk Union, Simcoe, Oct. 16-18. Owen Sound, Owen Sound, Oct. 16-18 Norfolk Union, Simcoe, Oct. 16-18. Secretaries of Western Ontario Fair Associations are invited to send

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-The colored citizens of London held a picnic to Port Stanley on Wednes-

-Mrs. Thomas Short, of Cartwright street, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Savage, of Toronto.

-The executive committee have invited Ald. Plant to open the festivities at Queen's Park on Labor Day. -The street railway track on Richmond street is being double-tracked between Oxford street and the C. P. R.

crossing. -Miss Maude Whateley has returned a through sleeper at St. Thomas, which from Bayfield, where she has been staying for the past two weeks at the

-Mrs. Harry Johns, of Cleveland,

building permit for the erection of a comotive engineers. and College streets, to cost \$1,500.

11 and 12 will be attended by Mayor nine thousand members. There are six the gallery has been painted a deep Teetzel, Commissioner Hall and As- auxiliaries in Canada, and the London red and sky-blue, the effect of which sistant City Clerk Kent, of Hamilton. -The band concert by the Seventh Regiment Band in Victoria Park last night was well attended. H. Ruthven McDonald sang. This concert is the

at the city's expense -The Y. M. C. A. Mandolin, Guitar and Banjo Club's moonlight excursion to Port Stanley last night was attended by between two and three hundred The club furnished music during the two hours' sail on the Urania.

-Mr. Lewis Barr has purchased the fine property of Mr. J. T. Nichol, in Westminster, consisting of 50 acres, for \$2,500. Mr. J. T. Nichol bought 50 acres from Mr. John Nichol, sen., being part facturers. The meeting held at Woodof lot 12, con. 5, Westminster, for \$2,-

-Mrs. Simmie, of South London, has been in Harriston attending the fu- that it was quite possible that the am- of pictures of the Paris Exposition and neral of her mother, Mrs. Webb, who algamation of some of the companies the war in South Africa. In the cardied on Tuesday morning. Mrs. Webb at one time owned a large portion of of those present. Some time since there ing difficulty in providing space for all the present site of the town of Harris- were some negotiations for an amalgaton, and was one of its oldest and best known residents

toria Hospital, London, on Friday, and ried negotiations with the other Hamilan operation performed on him the following Tuesday. It was found that he and the possibilities were they would Phelps has been progressing favorably, and it is to be hoped that thing was known in the city about it. permanent cure has been effected.

-Mr. T. W. Garner, the Adelaide street grocer, is not the person who came before the police court yesterday on the charge of selling intoxicating cider. The mixup in addresses of the parties does an injustice to Mr. Thos. Garner, which The Advertiser is only too glad to correct.

-The C. P. R. is in the race for business with the Grand Trunk. When the latter made a round trip rate of \$3 50 to Muskoka Lakes territory, the Canadian road saw that such a rate would cut into their Toronto business, and now they have offered a rate of \$3 50 to Toronto and back. The rate will be effective from Aug. 23 to midnight, Aug. 24, and the return limit is set for Sept. 7.-Detroit Free Press.

-Mr. and Mrs. John Pearce, of Tyrcelebrated the 60th anniverconnell sary of their marirage on Monday, Aug. A large number of friends gathered at the old homestead, and sincerely

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congratulated the aged couple, and all hoped that the good health they still enjoy will long be theirs. The farm upon which they live was first settled by Mr. Pearce's father, in 1809. Among those present were their three sons-John S. Pearce, London; William, government inspector of mines, Calgary, and Thomas L., who lives on the adjoining farm.

-The Toronto News says: The refusal of the Grand Trunk and Canadian of providing comfort and accommoda-Pacific Railways to give the usual tion of the many thousands from the cheap rates on July 12 last has roused the ire of Orangemen, particularly those of the county of Middlesex. They have determined to inaugurate a cru- exhibition. They are of opinion that sade for the adoption of a universal no detail that would add in any way 2-cent-a-mile railway passenger rate to the convenience of the public has for Ontario, and they will be assisted been overlooked this season, but while the province. The matter will be car- gard, they have not forgotten that ried into the political arena, and more there were certain needful things to will be heard at the general elections. be done that would bring pleasure, and County Master E. T. Essery says that the campaign for the rate "as they of work has been done on all portions and the campaign for the rate "as they of work has been done on all portions and the

grand president and founder of the work has been under the supervision Grand International Auxiliary of the of Mr. James H. Brown, chairman of Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the grounds and buildings committee, paid a visit yesterday to the local who has passed all his time at Queen's who has been visiting Mrs. Johns, 242 is visiting Canada in the interests of King street, city, has returned home.

Miss Nellie Johns accompanied her.

—Mr. James Cutler has taken out a ally and financially, of the wives of ionic companies. Among other land, where the effects that have been gain, and financially and financially, of the wives of ionic companies. one and a half story brick veneer house able acts they maintain a room in the on Oxford street, between Waterloo local general hospital for the use of in the interior has been brought about. railroad men. The order was organiz- The roof and walls have all been kal-The meeting of the Ontario Muni-cipal Association in this city on Sept. — ed in Chicago in 1887, with a charter somined, and the staircases have been membership of ten, and today has over painted a deep red. The railing around branch has thirty members. Mrs. Mur- will be increased when the face dock, while here, appointed Mrs. R. is painted in terra cotta. The railings Hornsby as inspector and organizer for around the several stands on ing, and afterwards enjoyed a drive this year to keep open the balconies around the city. She left this morning on the east, west and north sides of but one to be given this season will be organized in St. Thomas in the

STOVE MEN AMALGAMATING. Toronto Globe: It was stated at the office of the Gurney Foundry Company, Limited, yesterday, that the Toronto company was not interested in the reported amalgamation of stove manustock on Tuesday was summoned for that portion of the building that was might have been talked over by a few riage department the officials are havmation of the Hamilton stove manufacturers, but they fell through at the open air or in tents. The show of agri--Mr. Oscar Phelps was taken to Vic- time. Since the Chicago deal miscarton firms might have been resumed, was suffering from an acute affection reach a successful issue. With respect of the liver, but since the operation to the London and other western interests joining in the amalgamation, no-

### FOR A NEW PAVEMENT

Contract for Tar Macadam on Queen's Avenue Awarded to Harding & Leathorns - No. 2 Committe's Funds Getting Low-Minor Matters Dealt

The regular meeting of the board of ent being Ald. Winnett (chairman), Brener, Dreaney, Gerry, City Engineer Graydon and Secretary Bell.

The tender of Harding & Leathorne tar-macadam pavement on Queen's avenue, between Maitland and Adelaide streets, the pavement to be constructed give more light in the center. Twentywith cement kerb and 10-inch underdrain. The figure of the successful firm was \$4,700. Three other tenders were received, they being: P. L. Mar-half a dozen large foliage beds. den & Co., \$5,418; Fallows & Lewis, contract for fodder, etc., has \$6,022 20, and H. W. Gould, \$5,900. The engineer's estimate of the cost was

counts to the amount of \$2,439 07 bring the total up to \$28,098 81, and leave a balance of \$6,909 02. Against this amount, however, there are outstanding overdrafts amounting to \$307 83, which leaves the committee only \$6,601 19 for

outlay during the present year.

Ald. Wray and a number of residents of Wortley road urged upon the committee that the walk on the west side

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Karana kananan kanan kanan kan other blocks. The committee and the

engineer will visit the place before taking action. Dr. Niven asked and was granted permission to take up a collection at the next band concert, the proceeds to be devoted to the furnishing of maternity ward at Victoria Hospital.

Jerry Collins, of South London, who complained that water collected in a spot where a house had been moved, was told the matter would be remedied. Enginer Graydon reported that he had inquired into the two complaints

London, and that as far as he could find no civic employe was at fault. Thomas Mungal's petition for a cement walk was laid over, it being insufficiently signed. An effort will be made to secure more names.

made by W. H. Bartram, of West

The assessment commissioner will report on a petition for a stone walk on the north side of Grey street, between Maitland and William streets.

## WILL BE READY

The Western Fair Board Preparing for Immense Crowds.

The Exhibition to Open in Three Weeks -Extensive Alterations at Queen's Park.

Only thre more weeks have yet to pass and the Western Fair will be opened. In this time, as in all the months since April, the management will do everything possible in the way the other Orange organizations in they have been so anxious in this rehave it in Michigan" will be conducted of the grounds and buildings, and the result cannot fail to win the approba--Mrs. W. A. Murdock, of Chicago, tion of this summer's sight-seers. The branch of the auxiliary. Mrs. Murdock Park working energetically for its im-

Among other laud- ed will favorably impress all visitors Canada. The lady was entertained to ground floor are to be painted in diffor Chicago. It is likely an auxiliary the building, and furnished them with benches, where the weary visitor can rest. New shades are to be put on the electric lamps throughout the building, increasing the light about 25 per

For the convenience of both the clerical staff and the public the general offices have been remodeled, and their appearance has been materially improved. The refrigerators in the dairy hall have been renovated, and the purpose of arranging prices for the formerly used for exhibits of poultry current year. It was said, however, supplies has been rented for a display who desire it, and many regular exhibitors will, perforce, cultural implements will also be well up to the mark of other years. Ample accommodation has been provided for cattle, sheep and swine, although all means of supplying space for poultry have been tried, the immense number of entries would seem to indicate that more space must yet be acquired.

The fair board will make a large sum this year from the sale of privileges. Dining halls and booths were auctioned this week. The Colborne Street and Hamilton Road Methodist Churches paid \$150 for each of two of the halls under the grand stands, and a third was sold to Mr. Dobbin for \$175. The smaller booths brought from \$40 to \$45 each. Mr. Hall, of this city, paid \$150 for the privilege of operating a steam riding gallery. The King street entrance dining-room has been rented to the Morris Illusions for \$300-the sum works took place last night, those pres- also being received from the proprietors of the electric pictures-while the Midway and Society Row have been taken for sideshows and other attractions, the prices ranging from \$100 to Spaces in the center was accepted for the construction of a ground are yet to be marked off. They will bring from \$20 to \$40 each.

The electric lamps throughout the grounds are to be rearranged so as to five new flags are being secured in England to float from the various buildings, and the contract has been let to Gammage & Sons to lay out contract for fodder, etc., has been awarded to George Leitch, and for whitening a number of the buildings to John Irons.

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## DEATH OF STEYN

Former President Said to Have Succumbed to a Wound.

Dewet Said to Have Joined Delarey-Kruger Wants Peace.

London, Aug. 17 .- Former President Steyn, according to a dispatch to the Daily Mail from Lorenzo Marquez, dated yesterday, is reported to have died, while endeavoring to reach Mr. Kruger, as the result of a severe

DEWET JOINS DELAREY.

According to a dispatch to the Daily Express from Lorenzo Marquez, dated yesterday, it is reported that Gen. Dewet has succeeded in joining hands with Commandant Delarey.

KRUGER WISHES PEACE.

The British correspondent released from captivity at Nooitgedachtm, assents positively that Mr. Kruger wishes peace, but that the fighting commandants insist upon continuing the war, and would prevent his flight by force, if necessary. The burghers, according to the same authority, share this view. The Transvaalers have 90 guns at Machadodorp with abundant provisions.

It has been reported to the war office that Pte. M. L. Isbester, formerly of the 13th Field Battery, C. A., and who was taken a prisoner Boers while serving with the Canadian Artillery in South Africa, was released some time ago and has arrived at Lorenzo Marquez.

BOERS COMING TO AMERICA. New York, Aug. 16.-Matthew Kane and Peter F. Oates, who were officers supper by the local auxiliary last even- ferent colors. The board has decided in the Boer army, arrived here today on the French line steamer La Bre-When Pretoria surrendered they determised to leave South Africa for good. Oates said he saw President Kruger just before he left. He was in good health, and had his headquarters in a railroad carriage. These officers say that the war in South Africa has become guerilla in its nature. They will settle in this country, and say that many others will do likewise as soon as they can get away from South

HORSES FOR SOUTH AFRICA. New Orleans, La., Aug. 17.-The steamer Monarch with 1 150 horses for the British army in South Africa, clear-

### WIPED OUT

500 People Homeless in Columbia, B. C. as the Result of Fire.

Grand Forks, B. C., Aug. 17 .- A big fire in Escalde's hotel, fanned by a high wind, spread with great rapidity the adjoining buildings. The town has no water supply, but a bucket brigade was organized. It was finally Church, which was burning, and the flames were checked two blocks from the channel of Sailors' Encampment, Escalde's hotel. The total loss is estimated at between \$25,000 and \$35,000. Peoria, Ill., Aug. 17.-A message from Smithfield, a small town in Fulton county, early this morning, announced that sixteen buildings had been destroyed by fire, and that the flames were beyond control. Additional particulars are lacking, and wires are interrupted.

SOUTH NORFOLK LIBERALS. Simcoe, Aug. 17 .- A very large and enthusiastic meeting of the Liberals of South Norfolk was held in the town council chambers on Tuesday afteras follows: Oliver Austin, president; T. R. Slaght, secretary; W. M. Rose, assistant-secretary, and sub-officers. Addresses were given by W. A. Charl-Haldimand; Mayor Sutton, ex-Mayor Atkinson, D. B. Palmerton, Capt. Kellmaster and other prominent Liberals, advocating the principles of Liberal-ism, and referring especially to the achievements of the present government in the administration of affairs, under the leadership of Sir Laurier, and to his success in turning the attention of the mother country to The gathering was entirely Canada. harmonious and showed a united party A convention has been called for the 28th inst., for the selection of a candidate.

Not to return one good office for another is inhuman; but to return evil for good is diabolical.-Seneca.

A Chicago physician is of the opin of the street, between Askin street and Byron avenue, be moved back several feet, in line with the walks in the countess.

1 This was a duchess and a mong fon that, under proper and fitting climatic conditions, "90 per cent of all countess."

1 Cases of consumption can be cared."

### ESCAPED A PLOT

Express Messenger Jacobs Was Marked for Slaughter.

Columbus, O., Aug. 17.-The crime of Rosslyn Ferrell, who killed Express Messenger Lane for the purpose of securing means with which to marry, had been contemplated for several weeks, and that another was the victime is due to the regard for his orders paid by Claude S. Jacobs, an express messenger, who was Ferrell's most intimate friend. In a conversation with Jacobs, Ferrell has admitted this. He calmly told his former friend, who carried at that time an invitation to be present at Ferrell's marriage, that he had intended to kill him and rob his safe. He would have done so but for Jacobs obeying the rules of the company, forbidding messengers to allow

anyone access to their cars. Several times Ferrell tried to get Jacobs to carry him to Pittsburg in his car, but Jacobs refused, and to this

Marysville, O., Aug. 17.-Ferrell collapsed after he was taken back to the jail, and was moaning and crying for his mother. Dr. Mills was called to attend him, and tried to quiet him. A special guard has been placed over Ferrell to keep him from committing suicide, as he stated he would do.

### Dairy Exhibition.

At the dairy exhibition, to be held in connection with the annual convention of the Dairymen's Association of Western Ontario, the following prizes will be awarded:

Class I.—Cheese to be made from Aug. 15 to 31—1 white cheese—First, \$50; second, \$15; third, \$10. 1 colored cheese-First, \$50; second, \$15; third, Class II.—Cheese to be made October 15 to 30-1 white cheese-First, \$25; second, \$15; third, \$10. 1 colored

cheese--First, \$25; second, \$15; third, Class III.—Creamery butter-1 56-lb. box—First, \$25; second, \$15; third, \$10. 10 1-lb. prints—First, \$10; second, \$5;

The cheese in Class I. must be shipped to Western Dairymen's Illustration and Experimental Station, at Milverton, not later than Sept. 25. object in sending these cheese to Milverton is to have them scored on arrival, by the judge, and to note the changes that take place during the process of curing, all the cheese being cured under the same conditions. The cheese to be shipped to the convention at the expense of the Association, and

again judged at the convention. For entry forms and further particulars apply to Mr. George Hately, secretary Dairymen's Association, Brant-

### ford, Ontario.

THE GOLDSTEIN CASE. Toronto, Aug. 17 .- Meyer Shapero and Fanny Helpert, who are charged with having administered poison to Morris Goldstein with fatal results, were again in the police court yesterday,

and were further remanded. LEAVING OUT BROOKLYN.

Washington, Aug. 17 .- The census office announces the population of Greater New York (Manhattan and Bronx boroughs) as 2,050,600. The population of the borough of Manhattan is 1.850,093 and that of the Bronx 200,507. MANY BOATS BLOCKADED.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Aug. 17.-It is now thought that by today the stern of the schooner Madia, which blocks can be swung around so that boats can pass. A fleet of from 80 to 90 boats, about 50 of which are bound down are detained by the wreck, THREE DROWNED.

Quebec, Aug. 18 .- A dispatch from River Du Loup says: Francies, owned by Jacques Foster, of St. Simon, Chalverx county, while on pleasure trip from Tadousac River du Loup this afternoon was caught in a squall, and was capsized off White Island. There were five sons on board at the time-Capt. Foster. Adleard Savard. Cousino Morin. P. Morin and one Boucher, all of whom noon. The old officers were re-elected were thrown into the water. The as follows: Oliver Austin, president; yacht Jamboree, with Wm. Price, of Quebec, on board, was passing at the time and, with much difficulty, succeeded in saving two, but the other M.P.P., Mr. Holmes, M.P.P., of three-Capt. Foster and the two Morins -are missing, and were probably drowned.

> Steamship Arrivals. At. From Montreal Bristol Montreal Cape Town Devona ....... Nebraska..... .Glasgow......New York .Father Point......Glasgow Florida Montevidean London ..... Manchester Com-Montreal Roman..... Wismar .... Elmdene..... Alaska..... Pennsylvania.... Hamburg Germanic. Trojan Prince... Werra. State of Nebraska.