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NEW BRICK COTTAGE FOR SALE - Owner leaving for England. Redan street (off Hamilton road). Apply on premises. 30c

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VALUABLE VILLAGE PROPERTY FOR sale - A good store, dwelling house and barn; all necessary accommodations for business; well situated for the tourist. For further particulars apply to R. B. Thomas, Agent, Ont. 30c

FOR SALE - RESIDENCE - BEST POS- SITION in city; sacrifice; five bedrooms, closets, bath, furnace, gas, rooms nicely improved; splendid fruit; large lot; exceptional bargain if sold quick. A. G. Chisholm, Barrister, etc., 735 Dundas street, city. 40c

FOR SALE - TWO DOUBLE HOUSES - castles, corner Elizabeth street and Dufferin avenue. Apply L. Clark, 358 Boscawen street. 30c

Winter Dairy Show. At the dairy exhibition to be held in connection with the Quebec Convention, the following prizes will be awarded:

Class I - Cheese to be made from Aug. 15th to 31st, one white cheese, price, 1st \$30, 2nd \$15, 3rd \$10; one colored cheese, prices, 1st \$20, 2nd \$15, 3rd \$10.

Class II - Cheese to be made from Oct. 15th to 31st, one white cheese, price, 1st \$25, 2nd \$15, 3rd \$10; one colored cheese, prices, 1st \$20, 2nd \$15, 3rd \$10.

Class III - Creamery butter, one 50-lb box, price, 1st \$25, 2nd \$15, 3rd \$10; one 1-lb prints, prices, 1st \$10, 2nd \$5, 3rd \$3.

N.B. - The cheese in Class I must be shipped to Western Dairyman's Association 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 judges, 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. Hatley, Secretary Dairyman's Association, Brantford, Ont. Mr. T. B. Miller is Chairman of Committee. 30c

Allied Forces Now in Pekin!

Entered the Chinese Capital on the 15th of August.

Li Hung Chang's Report Says They Were Unopposed—All Quiet at Shanghai—Li Hung Chang Asks for an Armistice—Reply of the United States.

London, Aug. 17.—A special dispatch 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 tomorrow. All is quiet here and in the Yang Tse Valley.

WAITING FOR CONFIRMATION. London, Friday, Aug. 17.—3:45 a.m.—A cablegram to Vienna from Hong Kong announces the capture of Pekin; but the Austrian government, like the other European powers, is still without confirmation of the report.

ATTACK BEGAN MONDAY. An official telegram, dated Taku, Aug. 14, has been received at Rome, which asserts that the attack on Pekin began on Monday, that Sir Claude Macdonald, the British minister, has opened communication with the relieving force, and that the allies have established their headquarters 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 received a wire saying that Sir Robert Hart, director-general of Chinese imperial customs, accompanied by his family, has left Pekin under Chinese escort, and that a cruiser will be sent to meet him on his reaching the coast.

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, a special dispatch says that the headgear of the Americans was quite insupportable for the awful heat, and that the consequences were direful.

Gen. Sir Alfred Gazelee, commanding the contingent of troops from India in China, has wired to the government from Mia Tzu, under date of Aug. 11, via Che Foo, Aug. 15, as follows: "Arrived here this morning early after a most trying night march. The troops of all nationalities are suffering severely from the heat. Ten of our horses died yesterday from sunstroke. The enemy is believed to be entrenched north of Chang Chia Wan. There is no further news from the legations."

STIFF FIGHTING. Gen. Remmeinkamp, 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 Sanjahan. Although the Russians were inferior in numbers and had only two 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, but eventually they were compelled by a fierce Cossack attack on their center to evacuate the position and withdraw the guns.

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

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 in the field. The remainder fled, some to Tung Chau and some to Pekin.

Appeal for a Halt. A Washington dispatch says: Li Hung Chang's appeal for a halt, made 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 Chow. He had, therefore, memorialized the imperial government to name an envoy with authority to negotiate an armistice with the military commanders in the field. That the powers 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 deepest alarm to the emperor and empress 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, Aug. 16.

Washington, Aug. 16, 1900.—Powder, Che Foo, for Chaffee, Aug. 19: Secretary of war directs me to inform you that Li Hung Chang, appointed by Chinese government to negotiate with 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 enter Pekin unmolested, and to escort foreign ministers and residents back to Tien Tsin, the movement being permitted 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 government takes the same position. We 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 arrival at Hun Kow of the following missionaries who fled from the province of Shan Si: E. J. Cooper, from station of Su Cheng; Rev. A. E. and Mrs. Glover, from station of Su An; Rev. A. R. and Mrs. Saunders, from Ping Iao; also six children, evidently the children of Mr. E. J. Cooper and Mrs. Glover.

The cable also announces from Tien Tsin that Miss H. J. Rice has been murdered, and that Miss M. E. Huston and Mrs. E. J. Cooper, from Lu Cheng, and the three Saunders children are 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 Toronto Y. M. C. A. Miss Rice was from Haydonville, Mass., and went to 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 PREMIER AT ARICHAT

Warmly Welcomed by the Assembly of Acadians.

Sir 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 large number of delegates from Quebec, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and the New England States were present. The town was splendidly decorated in honor of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, whose arrival from Mulgrave on the Canadian cruiser Acadia at 10 o'clock a.m. was signalled by a salute fired from two ancient cannons. 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 cutter Constantine 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 Redemptorist order in Canada. 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 Shediak band led the large crowd of people to the lawn on the academy grounds, where a platform 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 waving 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 Wilfrid's speech would not have been excelled there. Sir Wilfrid said he was to 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 deplors the exiles of the people, and deplors that their lands are running to waste; but Longfellow, he said, did not prove to be a good prophet. The farms have received again their masters. The poet thought that the plane of the self-seeking oppressors would be final, but Providence watches, Providence allows injustice, 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 themselves.

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 our 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 visiting 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 regard 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 iron to remain the iron; I want the Scotchman to remain the Scotchman; I want the Englishman to remain the Englishman; I want the warm-hearted Irishman to remain the

Irishman; I want to take all these elements and build a nation that will be foremost amongst the great powers of the world; and you Acadians, I want you to be represented in that nation. Your ancestors were said to reflect the image of heaven, so your lives should reflect in the united nation the purity and the joy of heaven."

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 express at Pelton on Monday morning, will recover.

The Sons of Scotland, Chatham, will be \$400 behind on the games of Monday. They have a citizens' guarantee of \$200 to offset this.

Drilling operations are merrily going on at the Madill farm, Tilsonburg, on the new road, and the managers are 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 Erieville, were struck by lightning and burned to the ground on Tuesday night. No insurance.

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.

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 opened 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 he overcame.

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. 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 in Enniskillen.

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

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 probably never been exceeded in the history of the county, and we only hope that prices will be such as to make the net returns to the farmers reach the top notch.

On Thursday, at the residence of Mr. Peter Stover, Wabash engineer, 84 Hiawatha street, St. Thomas, his eldest daughter, Miss Maud Stover, was married to Dr. J. Bradley, of Canton, R. I. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. McIntyre, of Tempo. The bride was attended by Miss Frances Robinson, and the groomsmen were Mr. Jas. Egan, St. Thomas.

In July last Dr. Mary Brown, of China, arrived at Sarnia on a visit to her friend, Mrs. (Dr.) Headland, who is visiting her father, Wm. Schlar, 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 38 years.

Dr. Brown was looked to sail from New York on Thursday for China.

The residence of Mr. John Vall, Roseberry 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. Hattie Edward, of Toronto. Miss Hattie Edward acted as bridesmaid, while Mr. Aaron Sadler, of Lambeth, performed the duties of best man. Little Misses Bertha Vall and Euraldine Ronson, of Windsor, a great niece of the bride, acted as flower girls. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Chas. Burdette, of Ridgeway.

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 there until he came to Detroit and secured employment. For some time 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 Southwood, and the neighbors told him she was the wife of Alexander Waite. The court gave him a decree of desertion.

The 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 telephone 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 it wished to escape responsibility.

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 business 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, which is largely mortgaged.

From Near-By Places.

Strathroy Dispatch: Miss Kathleen Allison, 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. Allison, 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 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 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 Allison and Mrs. Strauss, of Buffalo, who thought devotedly of her more benefit from the advanced medical 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.

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 St. Ignace, Mich. She will shortly leave for Dundas, Hamilton and other eastern points.

A very pleasant event, already briefly 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 Gesto. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. Livingston, D.D., of Windsor, assisted by Rev. T. W. Cosens, of Westminster, W. H. Graham, Sparta, R. A. Miller, Parkhill, R. S. Wilson, Camlachie, and G. M. Hazen, of Wyoming. The wedding took place at 3:30, in the presence of about 50 invited guests. Relatives and friends were present from Inlay City, Mich., London, Parkhill, Windsor, Lambeth, Glanworth, Granton and other surrounding places. Miss Bertha Little, of Scottsville, assisted 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 bridesmaid wore a pretty frock of white organdy, 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 parents. At 6 o'clock a 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 Niagara Falls, Buffalo and other eastern points. The many handsome and useful gifts received by the bride were slight tokens of the high esteem with which she is regarded. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Millson will reside in Gesto, where follow them the best wishes of 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. Anstey Barton. Messrs. E. A. McCann & Sons, of Dorchester Station, who have the entire contract, have let the plastering to Mr. James Jackson.

Mr. Walter Edwards 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 arrival 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, three weeks ago, in Strathroy, 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 congratulations.

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 Wednesday 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 community.

Mr. Parkinson had his dog poisoned about the time that Mr. Barrows' 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. Barrows regarding the parties who killed his dog.

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 street, is in Toronto taking a course in optics.

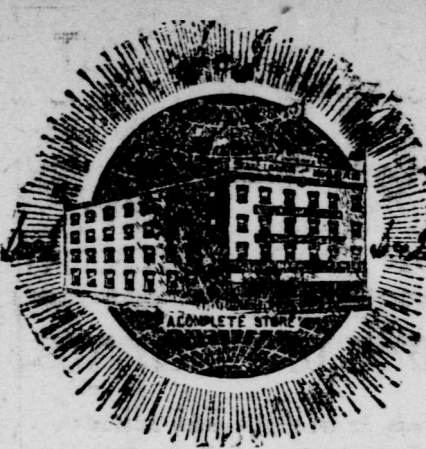
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mihell have left to spend a few weeks at Bayfield.

Mr. Grant McIntyre is visiting at his home here.

Miss Mary McEachern, of Strathroy, has been engaged to marry to A. G. Ekfrid, formerly taught by Miss Pettit, of Glenwilliam.

Mr. J. D. Cooper, of the Peoples' Popular Cash Store, is spending his holidays at Grand Bend and Parkhill.

Colborne street school is being reno-



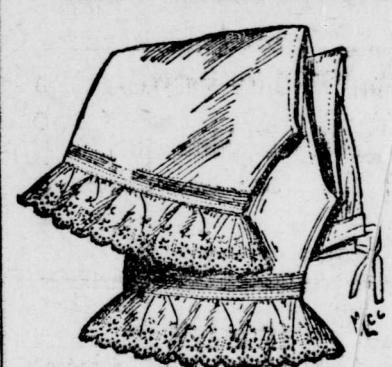
THE WEATHER TODAY—Fine and warm.

EARLY CLOSING—Customers will kindly bear in mind that this store closes at 7 o'clock every Saturday evening to permit employees to enjoy a well earned rest.

Whitewear, Corsets and Bicycle Bloomers.

The old saying, "It never rains but it pours," is herein exemplified. We have been drawing customers here in large numbers by our extraordinary bargains, and we have every reason for believing that every one of the articles mentioned below will find their way into the homes of thrifty people in short order. If they don't it's all right. They are excellent stock.

Nine only—Ladies' White Underskirts, made of fine English Cotton, with 17-inch muslin flounce, finished with two rows of Valenciennes insertion and Valenciennes lace over cotton foundation, were \$2 each. On sale now for.....\$1 50



DRAWERS—250 pairs Ladies' Drawers, of good cotton, 23 to 27 inches long, finished with cluster of tucks and frill of embroidery; 35c value for.....25c

SEE WEST SHOW WINDOW.

BICYCLE BLOOMERS—Ladies' Bedford Cord Bicycle Bloomers, correct style, 28 inches long, in fawn, navy or cardinal. Special at...75c



Very few women but are willing to economize on Corset money. We put the opportunity within their reach. The "Century" is a good Corset, a comfortable Corset and a money saver.



Made of good American Jean, sateen strips, steel filing, five-hook clasps, lace and ribbon trimmed; good value at - - 50c

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Black is never out of style—it is standard. We are always selling it, and always make a point to keep the qualities and patterns most sought after. Spare a few moments if possible to examine the following:

Black Homespun Suiting, 54-inch, at.....\$1 00 and \$1.25

Black Devori Serge, Homespun finish, 44 inches, at...55 and 65c

Black Cheviot Suiting, 48 inches, at.....75c

Black Broadcloth Suiting, 47 inches, for.....\$1 00

50 inches, for.....\$1 25

56 inches, for.....\$1 50

Black Crape Serge, All wool, regular price 90c, selling for. 50c

Figured Mohair, 2 patterns, 42-inch, at.....25c

6 patterns, 42-inch, at.....40c

2 patterns, 42-inch, at.....50c

3 patterns, 42-inch, at.....65c

3 patterns, 44-inch, at.....75c

Figured Mohair and Wool, 2 patterns, 44-inch, regular price 95c, for.....75c

3 patterns, new goods, 44-inch, worth \$1, for.....90c

FOUR REDUCTIONS IN SILKS

Four shades still in stock of Eclipse Silk to be sold at.....25c

Three Plaid Silks, regular price 50c, to be sold at.....39c

A large assortment of Stripe Silks, selling at.....50c

A beautiful range of Plaid Silks, newest colorings, regular price \$1.25 yard, to be cleared at.....75c

Buy one of those MEROERIZED LINEN TABLE COVERS before they are all gone—They are going quickly at the prices.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM, 149, 151 and 153 DUNDAS STREET.

Binder Twine.

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Hobbs Hardware Co.,

LONDON, - - - ONT.

Hay Fork Rope.

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Detroit, have been renewing old acquaintances in this vicinity for the past week.

The patrons of the Delaware cheese factory received the high price of 11c per pound for the last half of July's make of cheese, it being the highest price that any have received up to date.

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.

If you make it a rule to flavor all your cold drinks with 10 to 15 drops of Angostura Bitters, you will keep free from Malaria and Summer Diseases, and have your digestive organs in good order. But be sure you get the genuine article, manufactured only by Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons.

BAIBE FATALLY SCALDED BY COFFEE.

Detroit, Aug. 17.—Baby Otto Glaeser, aged nine months, child of Anton Glaeser, 203 Antoine street, was at the dinner table and spilled a pot of hot coffee all over itself. The child was recovering from the effects of the scalds, when complications set in and caused death.

Your best friend can give you no better advice than this: "For impure blood, bad stomach and weak nerves take Hood's Sarsaparilla."

CANADIAN STEAM LAUNDRY

DUNN & WILSON, PROPRIETORS.

284 Dundas Street. Telephone 905. We are now prepared to do all kinds of laundry work, with the exception of flat work, which will take us a week or ten days before we can secure our mangle for that class of work. Goods called for and delivered to any part of city.

Common Sense Kills

Roaches, Bed Bugs, Bats and Mice.

Sold by all druggists, or 321 Queen W., Toronto.

Beware of worthless imitations.

Free Cure For Men.

A new remedy which quickly cures sexual weakness, varicose, night emissions, premature discharge, etc., and restores the organs to strength and vigor. Dr. L. E. Knapp, 302 Full Building, Detroit, Mich. Send free the receipt of this wonderful remedy to order that every weak man may cure himself at home.

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Genuine

Carter's Little Liver Pills.

Must Bear Signature of

Wm. Wood

See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below.

Very small and as easy to take as sugar.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

FOR HEADACHE. FOR DIZZINESS. FOR BILIOUSNESS. FOR TORPID LIVER. FOR CONSTIPATION. FOR SALLOW SKIN. FOR THE COMPLEXION.

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CURE SICK HEADACHE.

Seal Brand Coffee

(1 lb. and 2 lb. cans.)

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Strong in Purity. Fragrant in Strength.

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MONTREAL AND BOSTON.

IN THE WORLD OF SPORTS

BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Cincinnati—R. H. E.
Cincinnati.....20000040-5 11
Philadelphia.....000101001-3 8 2
Batteries—Breitenstein and Peltz;
Frazier and Murphy.

At Chicago—R. H. E.
Chicago.....000100100-2 7 0
New York.....000000000-0 4 2
Batteries—Griffith and Chance; Mer-
cer and Grady.

At Pittsburgh—R. H. E.
Pittsburgh.....000000000-0 5 3
Brooklyn.....300003101-8 12 0
Batteries—Phillippi, Huston and
O'Connor; McGinnity and Farrell.

At St. Louis—R. H. E.
St. Louis.....000000010-1 6 1
Boston.....00001002-3 6 0
Batteries—Jones and Criger; Dineen
and Sullivan.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Milwaukee—Milwaukee 2, Chicago
2. Game ended in a tie after 12 innings,
too dark to continue.

At Buffalo—Buffalo 2, Indianapolis 5.

At Cleveland—Cleveland 0, Detroit 2.

At Minneapolis—The game schedu-
led to be played here with Kansas City
was called on account of poor attend-
ance. It will be played at Kansas City
later.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

At Worcester—R. H. E.
Worcester.....120100100-5 11 4
Toronto.....000020100-3 7 2
Batteries—Pittenger and Kittredge;
Williams and Bemis. Umpire, Egan.

At Worcester (second game)—R. H. E.
Worcester.....100000000-5 11 3
Worcester.....000000000-0 4 2
Batteries—Bruce and Roach; Horton
and Kittredge. Umpire, Egan.

At Providence—R. H. E.
Providence.....000000010-1 9 3
Montreal.....010000200-3 7 0
Batteries—Evans and Leahy; Felix
and Moran. Umpire, Hunt.

At Hartford—R. H. E.
Hartford.....000100100-2 5 2
Syracuse.....000000000-0 5 3
Batteries—Miller and Steelman;
Pfannmiller and Smink. Umpire, Rinn.

At Springfield—R. H. E.
Springfield.....000020003-8 10 6
Rochester.....113100000-5 15 4
Batteries—Wood and Toft; Murphy
and Dixon. Umpire, O'Loughlin.

At Springfield (second game)—R. H. E.
Rochester.....000030000-3 10 4
Springfield.....000030000-3 8 5
Batteries—Moran and Deal; Bannan
and Toft. Umpire, O'Loughlin.

FLY.

Pitcher George Bradford, late of the
Hams, 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
yesterday. 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 the
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, former-
ly with the defunct London team, to
fill Jones' place.

THE TURF

Orangeville, Ont., Aug. 16.—Today's
races took place under perfect weather
conditions. The card was a good one
and there were a number of very close
finishes. Cap Brino was a strong fa-
vorite in the free-for-all, and won the
third heat as he pleased. The race,
however, was to Richard A. Summary:
2:25, 2:26, 2:27, 2:28.

Prince Vale, John Crawford, Elm-
vale.....1 1 1
Bobby Mack, R. J. McBride, To-
ronto.....2 2 6
W. J. Wm. Shaver, Burnam-
thorpe.....3 3 2
Nellie Billings, M. C. Crawford,
Whitby.....6 5 3
Minnie S. Wm. Smith, Wood-
bridge.....4 4 4
Barney, F. Woods, St. Cathar-
ines.....5 4 8
Nathia, Joe. Wilcox, Stayner.....8 7 6
Dunker Ron, Ferguson, Dunker-
ron.....7 7 7
Time—2:23½, 2:27½, 2:26½.

Free-for-all—
Richard A. J. Murray, Toron-
to.....1 4 1
Cap Brino, R. Harrison, Wal-
kerton.....2 3 3
Annie Gould, Jos. McGinnis,
Toronto.....4 2 3
Black Joe, E. Jackson, Toron-
to.....3 4 2
Time—2:23½, 2:25, 2:20, 2:23½.

One mile and quarter dash—Island
Queen, H. Hulse, Bradford, 1; Mon-
golian, T. Elwood, Toronto, 2; Bound-
ary Maid, Jas. Johnston, Guelph, 3.
Time, 2:14½. La. Gabriel also started.

Consolation run, half-mile—Wilfrid
Laurier 1, Boundary Maid 2, La. Gab-
riel 3. Time, 1:59½.

AT GLEN'S FALLS.
Glen's Falls, N. Y., Aug. 16.—A rainy
night, a heavy rain and low-
lying mists, 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 (Gerses) won, Frank
Creamer 2, Maggie Anderson 3. Best
time, 2:11¼. Pierrot, Winniford, Bow
Bent also trotted.

2:04 class, pace, purse \$1,000—Search-
light, br. h., by Dark Night (McCar-
thy) won, Anaconda 2, Frank Bogash
3. Best time, 2:06½. Chetahs also
paced.

2:14 class, trot, unfinished, \$1,500—Neil
Gwynne, g. m., by Alcyon (Rathbun)
won, Nigger Jack 2, Dot Miller 3. Best
time, 2:14¼. Dainty Daffo, Alice
Barnes, Iriso, and Teto B. also trot-
ted.

WINDSOR RACES.

Windsor Race Track, Aug. 16.—
Weather perfect; attendance large;
track slow.

First race, for 3-year-olds and up,
selling, 7 furlongs—Rebecca Welis won,
Centum 2, Cousin Letty 3. Time,
1:30½.

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—Mavornen won,
Slasher 2, Lord Farandole 3. Time,
2:36.

Sixth race, 4-year-olds and up, sell-
ing, 1-16 miles—Top Mast won, Beau
Idle 2, Miss Soak 3. Time, 1:05.

YESTERDAY'S WINNERS.

At Chicago—Sad Sam, Etta, Obsidi-
an, Great Bend, and Josephine B.

At St. Louis, Mo.—Very Light, Kitty
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, Cyano
and Diver.

CRICKET

The London cricket club will play a
match on the St. John's A. C. grounds
on Saturday afternoon against the
Wolsley Barracks team, game to start
at 2 o'clock. The team will also be se-
lected to meet the Cleveland club, who
will be here on Tuesday instead of
Thursday. The second match of the
Jawbones vs. Sawbones will in all prob-
ability take place on Thursday, on the
Asylum grounds, game to start at 11
o'clock. The eleven for Saturday after-
noon's match will be selected from the
following gentlemen: Dr. H. Williams,
Dr. Butler, F. Reid, F. Macfie, Dr. Mor-
ris, H. Carrington, Dr. P. Bucke, E. V.
Buren, Dr. Neu, A. B. Cox, F. Love, F.
Sterling, Harris, C. Fisher.

THE WHEEL.
Bradford, Conn., Aug. 16.—At the
volunteer races tonight, Miller
feated "Major" Taylor in a 10-mile
motor-paced race. Taylor is not fami-
liar with this style of racing. The time
was 17:41. Miller was three laps ahead
at the finish. In the three-mile motor
race, Dyer and Kramer fell on the first
lap of the second mile, instead of
him giving out. Miller and Judge won
the race.

FISTING.

New York, Aug. 16.—There will be
no fight between the winner of the
Sharkey-Fitzsimmons match and Jas.
J. Jeffries, who is expected to fight
last night that Jeffries has 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-
PIONSHIP.
New York, Aug. 16.—Jas. J. Jeffries'
refusal to meet the winner of the Fitz-
simmons-Sharkey bout on Aug. 31 has
caused the Australian to issue a state-
ment in which he threatens to claim
the championship by default if he is
successful in his coming encounter.

LACROSSE.

Every member of the London Lac-
rosse 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 thor-
oughly enjoyed the fun. The London
bowlers were entertained in the club
room by the Woodstock club. Score:
London, Udy.
McKay,
Blakeney,
Spry,
Kent, skip.....21
Powell,
Sutherland,
Weld,
Stevenson, skip.....18
Riddle,
Gartshore,
Herbert,
Carrie, skip.....16
Majority for Woodstock, 14 shots.

THE O. B. A. TOURNAMENT.

Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ont., Aug. 16.—
The Ontario Bowling Association tour-
nament was continued here today un-
der most favorable weather conditions.
The competition for the trophy was
finished this afternoon, the Toronto
Victorias, skippped 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, 13, vs. Dr. Burritt, Mitchell,
14. Association—Fourth round—A. A.

Wigmore, Canada, 22; T. Thouburn,
Brampton, 18; A. F. Jones, R. C. Y. C.,
20; P. J. Ross, Milton, 18; G. B.
Woods, Canada, 21; Dr. Moore, Cana-
das, 19; G. R. Hargrave, Granites, 21;
J. B. O'Brien, Toronto Victorias, 17;
Association Semi-finals—G. R. Har-
grave, Granites, 19; A. F. Jones, R. C.
Y. C., 17; G. B. Woods, Canada, 21;
A. S. Wigmore, Canada, 20.

SONS OF ENGLAND

Business of Grand Lodge About Con-
cluded—Trustees and General Pur-
poses Committee Chosen—Loyal Reso-
lutions Passed.

Windsor, Aug. 17.—In addition to the
officers announced as elected yesterday,
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
committee, Frank Vipond.

General purposes committee—J. Box-
all, 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. Nichol-
son, Ed. Parnell, H. Patching, W. Ran-
dall, Laynes Reed, Rev. W. L. Swait,
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-
vaal."

Winnipeg was chosen as the next
meeting place of the grand lodge.

By standing vote the grand lodge
authorized the dispatch of the follow-
ing message to her Majesty: "Sup-
reme Grand Lodge Sons of England
Society in annual convention desire to
renew expressions of royalty and devo-
tion to the Empress Queen."

Chas. A. Hodgetts, S.C., president.
The resolution was adopted with en-
thusiasm, 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 fu-
ture meet every two years.

Subordinate lodge funds were safe-
guarded by placing in the constitution
a clause confining the use of such
funds to investments authorized by the
various provincial statutes.

CAUGHT ON THE FLY

Former United States Senator John
J. Ingalls died at East Las Vegas, Nev.
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
mayor of Kimberley before and during
the famous siege, is in Montreal on a
visit.

Canadian Freeman states that Pare,
concerned in the Napanee Bank Rob-
bery, is most of his time in the peni-
tentiary hospital.

Incendiary thieves fired H. T. Foley's
lumber yards in Messer, Col., last
night. Thirteen buildings also burned.
A child is missing.

The Liberty Congress of the American
League of Anti-Imperialism, held at
Indianapolis, emphatically endorsed
the candidacy of W. J. Bryan for pres-
ident.

A convention of the Liberals of North
Ontario will be held at 1 p.m. Friday,
Aug. 24, at Beaverton, to select a can-
didate for the riding and for general
business.

The Calumet and Hecla stockholders'
annual meeting in Boston decided to
continue the company another 30 years.
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, with-
out interest, to locate a bicycle factory
in St. Catharines, was carried.

A consolidation of the largest manu-
facturers of heavy fire apparatus in the
United States has been effected, un-
der the name of the International
Fire Engine Company, with a capital
of \$9,000,000.

Ald. J. B. Oke, of Peterboro, has been
appointed by the government to go to
England to investigate the complaint
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 this recent bereavement was
avoiding all publicity. His intention is
to go through to the coast and spend
some time in British Columbia.

A successful picnic, in aid of the par-
ish residence of Father Campbell at
Dickinson's Landing, was held at
Wales, Ont., on Wednesday. Features
of the picnic were the best of the best
between Mr. George Kerr and A. P.
Mulhern. Mr. Kerr won. Mr. J. P.
Whitney arrived late in the afternoon
and received an ovation.

MANITOBA'S CROP

Grain Being Harvested—Heat 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 com-
pany's system in Manitoba. The best
returns come from Portage district,
while the average of the best 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, how-
ever, has improved the condition of
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
last year's crop in quantity.

Blown to Atoms.
The old idea that the body some-
times needs a powerful drastic, pur-
gative pill has been exploded; for Dr.
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fectly harmless, gently stimulate liver
and bowels to expel poisonous matter,
cleanse the system and absolutely cure
Constipation and Sick Headache. Only
25c at W. T. Strong & Co.'s drug store.

Cattle are not the only swift-
running animals that can outstrip the
speed of a horse. There is a land crab
in Cuba that can rival the ostrich, and
go much faster than a horse.

Justice Dooley, of Chicago, has de-
cided that "the rat is an animal," and
has fined James Foulke for burning
one.

RACE RIOTS IN NEW YORK

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 ad-
dition 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 dis-
position towards riot. The danger spot
was recognized to be around the West
Thirti-seventh street station. In
Thirty-sixth, Thirty-seventh, Thirty-
eighth and Thirty-ninth streets are
many large negro tenements. Every-
body was kept on the move.

Early in the evening the patrolmen
began to bring in prisoners. Wm. El-
liott, colored, 21 years old, was ar-
rested for buying a revolver. He de-
clined to surrender the weapon, and
was arrested. On the way to the sta-
tion he resisted, and the policeman
used his club. Elliott was bleeding
from his head and chest and was
brought into the station he was bleed-
ing from two scalp wounds and was
hardly able to talk.

Hardly Johnson, a negro porter, was
seen with a loaded revolver in a trolley
car. Policeman Gaynor jumped on the
car and jerked Johnson out of it. The
negro tried to use his weapon, but
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 av-
enue car. He ran with a couple of
men to investigate and found that a
negro passenger was the cause of trou-
ble. He had not done anything, but
several white men tried to get in
punch at the black man, and two wo-
men tried to stab him in the face with
hairpins. 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 un-
dertook to take Swartz from the po-
liceman, and was arrested.

Chief of Police Devery 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 mob gets the start
of us. The captains will regulate the
police work in their several precincts.
I will be in personal command. We
have taken unusual precautions, but
expect nothing like last night's distur-
bances."

New York, Aug. 17.—Policeman Wm.
E. Powers, who was arrested last night
charged by Acting Captain Conney with
inciting rioting and with being intoxi-
cated, was fined \$10 today by Magis-
trate Cornell.

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The Personal Factor in Politics.

Sometimes there is a cry in politics, "Measures, not men"; but while there may be some sense in it, a strong man will always have a great influence. The personal element is an important one in all spheres of human life. In England just now there is lack of a man who appeals mightily to the heart of the people. Gladstone did that, and held the Liberal party together. His personal character compelled the respect of those who hated his policy, and he won the love as well as the loyalty of his followers. One of the strongest and keenest politicians today is Mr. Chamberlain; but this is the way in which a leading English journal, which supports his policy, has to speak of him: "Mr. Chamberlain's speech was oratorically a masterpiece, and contained also much of sound statesmanship; but we regret that he took so much trouble to score off his political opponents. No doubt the House of Commons loves to see man after man laid out by the great parliamentary 'sparer', and no doubt also the temptation to indulge that assembly with the sport it enjoys intensely is very great; but in a time like the present it is a thousand pities to make the pace too hot." Another journalist of a different type, preaching a sermon on the duty of making a clean, manly apology when one has wronged another, takes the liberty of using the Colonial Secretary as a specimen of what is to be avoided. "We have had an example lately of an 'apology' from Mr. Chamberlain to another politician whom he had most unjustly accused. The apology did not deserve the name. It was mean, reluctant and evasive. People smiled and said: 'Joy was smart', a sufficient indication of their real estimate of the offender's nature. If Mr. Chamberlain had made a full and ample apology, people would have begun to change their attitude towards him. They would have said, 'At least, he is a gentleman.'"

Passing over the question whether the form of this criticism is in good taste, taken along with many other indications, it shows a widespread feeling as to Mr. Chamberlain's style. He was always a keen debater, and always sharp and caustic in his treatment of critics. But it seems to us that this side of his nature has been emphasized since the great Liberal split. The man knows that he is feared rather than respected. The Conservatives tolerate him as a painful necessity. To a few, very few, "Unionists" he is a demi-god; and by the great mass of Liberals he is distrusted and disliked, not to use a stronger expression. There is something unnatural in the position. It makes a certain number condemn a policy simply because it is Chamberlain's policy, and it introduces bitterness and crookedness into politics. It is a pity that a man of such great ability, and occupying just now such an important situation in these critical times, should provoke such criticisms. In the greatest statesmen one expects to find a disinterested patriotism and a gentle courtesy, united to great intellectual 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 they had 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 distinction 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 democracy. But the advocates of Christianity have never been revolutionists.

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 religious qualifications. A large number are college graduates and post-gradu-

ates. When we take into consideration the fact that the salaries of Chinese 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 climate.

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 matter about which we have only hearsay evidence—the testimony of chance travelers, who get their news at treaty ports, or that of Chinamen, whose testimony is now under well grounded suspicion. In the face of such evidence it is well not to be too rash, in our conclusions, and it is certainly rash to attempt to generalize before we have firm grounds on which to stand.

More Nightmare Than Dream.

Our contemporary, the London Free Press, publishes an article with reference to Mr. Menier's acquisition of the Island of Anticosti, and repeats the story of his proposed intention to convert the island into a possession of the Republic of France. This, it is alleged, is the "dream" of the millionaire proprietor of the island. All this is nonsense.

Under our law, for a great many years, a person who is not a British subject can acquire and hold real estate as validly as one who is a subject of Her Majesty, and the great cocoa manufacturer, although a citizen of the French Republic, in 1895—a year before the present Government at Ottawa came into power, let certain political mischief makers remember—purchase the Island of Anticosti. By virtue of this purchase, the island became the private property of M. Menier, precisely the same as any other real estate has become the possession of those who have acquired it under our laws. M. Menier's title is the usual title given under the laws of the Province of Quebec, the control of property in each province being under the provincial authorities. The property is especially under the jurisdiction of the Province of Quebec; so far as that is extended by the British North America Act of the Imperial Parliament, and it is under the laws of the Dominion of Canada to the same extent as any other possession, large or small, in the Dominion.

M. Menier, as a private property holder, may sell his property to whom he pleases. He is quite free to say that he will not sell to any one who can talk English, just as any other property owner is free to impose a kindred condition when he offers his real estate for sale. His powers in this regard are precisely the same as any other proprietor. But that he can undertake to exercise jurisdiction to the distance of three miles from the coast; that he can organize a militia force; that he can fit out a navy of his own; or do any other act which falls within the jurisdiction of the Government of Canada, is simply moonshine. M. Menier seemed at the outset to entertain the opinion that because his possessions were extensive he had other than proprietor rights. He no doubt acted arbitrarily and illegally in dealing with the settlers, who came from Newfoundland during the proprietorship of his predecessors, and squatted at Fox Bay. He succeeded in court simply because they failed to appear and make a defense. It is announced that he has since dealt with 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 Dominion.

To take the ground, as some do, that as owner of the Island of Anticosti, M. Menier has the power to exercise the rights that belong only to the sovereign, and that there is any intention of the authorities, either provincial, 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 malicious purpose.

The Telegram Correspondent 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:

"There are few signs to indicate that Sir Charles Tupper has secured the enthusiastic regard of Nova Scotia. 'The Tupper' is a phrase that has been coined 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 cry blue ruin in this part of the pen-

insula will sing to deaf ears.—Goderich Signal.

Laurier, a united Canada, and a united Empire.

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 great 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 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-Review.

CANADA WINS MORE PRIZES

In Secondary Education She Leads the World at Paris.

Pictures of Grand Trunk System Awarded the Gold Medal.

Wolsley Scathingly Criticizes the Military Maneuvers at Aldershot—Case of Bubonic 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 the international jury. The collection included 75 views. The pictures were very highly praised by visitors. Lady Aberdeen, in particular, congratulated the railway's representative in Paris on the fine display.

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 scathing condemnation ever held at Aldershot, after witnessing yesterday's maneuvers. He declared that the 20,000 men who participated were utterly unfit to send abroad, badly led, and 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 in the Thames, owing to a death from bubonic plague having occurred on the vessel.

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 Illinois and try to gain Senator Cullum's seat at Washington.

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Men's fine American Worsted Pants, dark gray, hair line stripes, good fit and finish. Price special..... \$1.50

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5,129 SICK

Gen. MacArthur Reports That Number Prostrated in the Philippines.

Washington, Aug. 17.—Gen. MacArthur 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 Michigan next year are promising. He advises that a narrow strip of wheat be sown early, to allow of the insects laying eggs in it, and then plow this strip under.

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 in the act of incorporation, and the publication of the report within seven days. There have been 3,100 checks issued.

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. Infalible for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free at W. T. Strong & Co.'s drug store.

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TODAY'S MARKETS

Montreal Stock Market.

Canadian Pacific	Ask.	Off.
Dutch, common	105 1/2	105 3/4
Dutch, preferred	105 1/2	105 3/4
Commercial Cable	105 1/2	105 3/4
Com. Cable Company	105 1/2	105 3/4
Commercial Reg. Bonds	105 1/2	105 3/4
Montreal Telegraph	105 1/2	105 3/4
Bank of Montreal	105 1/2	105 3/4
Bank of Commerce	105 1/2	105 3/4
Bank of St. Lawrence	105 1/2	105 3/4
Bank of New Brunswick	105 1/2	105 3/4
Bank of Nova Scotia	105 1/2	105 3/4
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Toronto Stock Market.

Montreal	Ask.	Off.
Ontario	127 1/2	128
Quebec	127 1/2	128
Manitoba	127 1/2	128
British Columbia	127 1/2	128
Alberta	127 1/2	128
Saskatchewan	127 1/2	128
Manitoba	127 1/2	128
British Columbia	127 1/2	128
Alberta	127 1/2	128
Saskatchewan	127 1/2	128

New York Stocks.

Close	Open	High	Low	2 p.m.
40%	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
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English Markets.

Wheat	Sp. dult.	No. 1 Cal.	No. 2 Cal.	No. 3 Cal.
40%	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
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Toronto Produce Market.

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American Markets.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Flour—Receipts, 32,633 bbls; sales, 3,750 pkgs; state and western about steady at yesterday's decline; Minnesota patents, \$3.95 to \$4.00; winter straight, \$3.50 to \$3.60; Minnesota bakers, \$2.55 to \$2.65; winter patents, \$2.55 to \$2.65. Rye—Steady; sales, 200 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., 78 1/2c to 79 1/2c; Dec., 78c to 79 1/2c. Rye—Steady; state, 53c to 54c, c.l.f. New York, cask lots; No. 2 western, 57 1/2c, f.o.b. adroit. 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 1/2c; Dec., 40c to 40 1/2c. May 40c. Large receipts, 46,200 bu; options slow but steady; track, white state, 26 1/2c to 27c; track, white western, 26 1/2c to 27c. Butter—Receipts, 4,632 pkgs; market firm. Cheese—Receipts, 4,910 pkgs; irregular; small colored, 10 1/2c; large white, 10 1/2c to 10 3/4c. Eggs—Receipts, 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, 82 1/2c; winter, No. 2 red, 75c; No. 2 western, 25 1/2c. Oats—No. 2 western, 25 1/2c.

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

TOLEDO, Aug. 17.—Wheat, 76c, cash and Aug.; 76 1/2c, Sept.; 76c, Dec. Corn—34 1/2c, Dec. Oats—22 1/2c, Sept.

Chicago Exchange.

Followers	High	Low	Close
Wheat—Aug.	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
Sept.	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2
Oct.	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2
Nov.	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2
Dec.	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2

Live Stock Markets.

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, \$4.40 to \$5.40; stockers and feeders were steady, \$3.30 to \$3.75; cows, \$2.90 to \$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, 15,000; tomorrow, 15,000; left over, 5,722; strong to 5c higher; top, \$4 1/2c; mixed and butchers, \$5 to \$5 1/2c; good to choice heavy, \$5.05 to \$5.30; rough heavy, \$4.80 to \$5; light, \$5.10 to \$5 1/2c; bulk of sales, \$5.10 to \$5.25.

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Latest Probabilities.

FINE, NOT MUCH CHANGE IN TEMPERATURE.

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

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Three of the ladies are from the United States. They are: Miss Ward, 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 1898.

The following missionaries who went out from England are reported murdered: Mr. G. F. Ward, husband of Mrs. Ward, in China since 1893; Mr. 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 battle 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 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 Seattle by wagon, having left Ottawa three weeks ago in three "prairie schooners."

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 Children'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 at Australia, states that to keep a share of the Australian trade it will be necessary to improve the steamship service between Canada and Australia, because the low rates from San Francisco 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 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 reported at the city hall yesterday, of whom 17 were babies.

WHICH WAS THE POOL?

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 wasting thereof.

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 days a day are you in the habit of speaking?" asked Sir Andrew.

"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!" was the brusque response. "You're killing yourself."

"Well, doctor," said Mr. Moody, "I take Saturday to rest. Now, if I ask you how many hours a day you work?"

"Sixteen or seventeen."

"Every day, sir, every day."

"Then, doctor, you're a bigger fool than I am, and you'll kill yourself first."

With these pleasanties they parted. Sir Andrew to live little more than a year, while Mr. Moody lived seven times as long—Youth's Companion.

WOMAN BREAKS BICYCLING RECORD.

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 39 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 is wonderful.

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

RUSSIA'S AIR SHIP

Dirigible Balloon Had Successful Trial Trip Recently.

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

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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. Danilowsky

A FATEFUL... DIAMOND

The man stepped to the door and 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 any.

Margaret, seeing it, recoiled 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 a deed."

"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 gone—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 Mr. Dunbar; we must search for him here—everywhere."

"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 possession, 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 cashier 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 door after it was fastened.

All this the cashier testified to under oath, and he declared that he believed there had been foul play in the matter, for Mr. Dunbar 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 have 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 lover had told her regarding his father.

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 fate.

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 started.

"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.

remarking that suspicion was directed against the young man's father. "Father? Dunbar has no father," returned 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.

"Umph!" remarked Arthur, reflectively, when the elder gentleman had concluded. "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 likely 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 robbery was 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 activity.

At the Houghton mansion, however, there was great sadness. For a time it seemed as if Margaret would sink under the 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 here, I shall be buried here, and my friends will 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 her every wish and desire 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 returned to America without their friends, and, for a time, Mrs. Houghton, who was fondly attached to her friend and had been greatly comforted by her kindness and sympathy during the recent trouble, felt as if half the world was gone.

Arthur Aspinwall 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 pleasure.

He seldom said much to Margaret, but his manner toward her was gentle and deprecating, and he was so kind and thoughtful in anticipating her slightest wish, that she was sure he regretted those bitter words he had uttered against Louis on that last eventful evening.

Mr. Forest had not returned, neither had he written anything regarding his movements; and, as Arthur was thus kept in ignorance of his whereabouts, 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; and, as he sat there, he said to himself, "I am so lonesome, I can't stay by myself."

"Come as often as you like, Arthur," Mrs. Houghton replied, kindly. "We are lonely, too, without our friends, and I know you must miss Mr. Forest."

"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 bore her scrutiny as long as he could, then he turned and met her glance.

"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 looking and unlocking her hands in a nervous manner.

(To be Continued.)

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 unmarked bathing suits.

The ladies came here with a party of Philadelphians, but decided to remain over night. All the afternoon they visited first one then another bath house, but in none of them were there any unmarked 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 charitable 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 grip sack 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 terrific force, measuring eight inches around. Hundreds of windows were smashed in this place, besides other serious damage. Crops were cut down and completely destroyed, apples and fruit were cut to pieces and the trees uprooted, hundreds of dollars of damage being done.

Winnipeg, Aug. 16.—A severe hail storm passed over Moline district on Sunday afternoon, doing damage to the crops. The whole wheat crop in an area about the size of a football field, several miles in length, is practically wiped out. The news was brought in to 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 \$7 bushels to the acre, and the hail has ruined his crops and his 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 Sunday's storm.

Killarney, Aug. 15.—A destructive hail storm passed north and south of Killarney yesterday evening, completely destroying a strip about a mile wide. Wm. Hodgins, J. Hammell, Beacom 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. Eulalie, Arrondissement 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 linen. Recently while traveling as a drummer he arrived at Saint-Cirgues-de-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, which he had in his pocket, and had she not plied him with the masses read for the peace of his soul?

Not willing to be thus without ceremony stricken from the number of the living, Robert returned 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 following curious story.

A few years ago she received the announcement of her son's death from 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.

ASTONISHED at the official report of his death, Robert at once made out his marriage certificate and alleged fatherhood, Robert entered suit in 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, who, with his townsmen, had never doubted his identity with the person named in his wrongfully appropriated army papers.

THE UNNOWNED BOUND.

In passing outward I may cross the line
Between the Arctic and the Atlantic ocean.
I may not know by any test of mine—
By any startling signs or strange commotion
Across my track.

But as the days grow brighter, one by one—
And even 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.

Thus, answering timidly my Master's call,
I passed the bourne of life in coming to Him,
When in my love for Him I gave up all;
The very moment that I thought I knew Him
I cannot tell.

But, as increasingly I feel His love,
As this cold heart is melted to o'er-flowing—
And now so clear the light comes from above—
I wonder at the change, but move on,
Knowing
That all is well.



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4 dozen Colored Striped Percale Waists, in sizes 32, 34, 36 and 38; regular 75c, sale..... 43c
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Children's Hats.

Child's Shirred Silk Tam Crown, two frills of accordion pleating on rim, wide silk ties, in white, blue and green; regular \$5, sale price..... \$3 00
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6 only Empire Gowns, heavy English cloth, tucked yoke, reverses of embroidery, with frill of embroidery around neck and sleeves; \$1 75, sale..... \$1 00

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Industrial, Toronto, Aug. 27 to Sept. 8.
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Owen Sound, Owen Sound, Sept. 11-13.
Central, Ottawa, Sept. 14-22.
Southern, Brantford, Sept. 15-20.
South Huron, Exeter, Sept. 17-18.
Tavistock, Sept. 17-18.
Stouffville, Exeter, Sept. 17-18.
W. Middlesex, Strathroy, Sept. 17-19.
North Waterloo, Berlin, Sept. 18-19.
Northwestern, Goderich, Sept. 18-19.
Northern, Walkerton, Sept. 18-19.
S. Wallace, Listowel, Sept. 18-19.
E. Elgin, Aylmer, Sept. 18-19.
Central, Guelph, Sept. 18-20.
Great Northern, Collingwood, Sept. 18-21.
Clinton Township, Sept. 20-21.
N. Wallace, Palmerston, Sept. 25-26.
Moscow and Elfrid, Glencoe, Sept. 25-26.
N. Brant, Paris, Sept. 25-26.
Southwestern, Essex, Sept. 25-27.
Amabel and Albermarle, Watford, Sept. 26-27.
Fullerton and Logan, Mitchell, Sept. 26-27.
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N. Oxford, Woodstock, Sept. 28-28.
Northwestern, Wingham, Sept. 27-28.
North Bruce, Port Elgin, Sept. 27-28.
Turnberry, Wingham, Sept. 27-28.
Mornington, Milverton, Sept. 27-28.
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Camden, Dresden, Oct. 2-3.
N. Perth, Stratford, Oct. 2-3.
South Waterloo, Galt, Oct. 2-3.
East Lambton, at Watford, Oct. 2-3.
North Dorchester, Oct. 3.
West Zorra, Embury, Oct. 4-4.
E. Huron, Brussels, Oct. 4-5.
North Simcoe, Stayner, Oct. 9-10.
Delaware, Oct. 10.
W. Kent, Chatham, Oct. 9-11.
Caledonia, Caledonia, Oct. 11-12.
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Saratoga, N. Y., Aug. 17.—The committee on revision of the confession of faith appointed by the general assembly of the Presbyterian church in St. Louis in May, is in session here. As this is the first meeting work will be largely preliminary. Ultimate action must be based in a great measure on the recommendation of presbyteries, comparatively few of which have taken action as yet. The members of the committee present include Elisha A. Fraser, of Detroit.

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METEOROLOGICAL

Meteorological Office, Toronto, Aug. 16-8 p.m.—Heavy showers have occurred today in the Maritime Provinces, and a few scattered thunderstorms in Quebec and Ontario. Unsettled conditions prevail generally in Canada, and showers or local thunderstorms will prevail at many places. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 52-62; Kamloops, 52-61; Calgary, 42-58; Qu'Appelle, 54-82; Winnipeg, 48-82; Port Arthur, 50-72; Parry Sound, 60-82; Toronto, 67-83; Ottawa, 64-84; Montreal, 66-82; Quebec, 60-78; Halifax, 52-66.

Local temperatures: The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Thursday, Aug. 16, were: Highest, 84; lowest, 61.

Today (Friday) the sun rose at 5:24 a.m. and sets at 7:19 p.m. The moon rose at 11:12 p.m. and sets at 1:41 p.m.

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A LOCAL BUDGET

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R. dear September, hurry up, Nor stay to bluff and royster, We want your alphabetic cup To catch our early oyster.

—The colored citizens of London held a picnic to Port Stanley on Wednesday.

—Mrs. Thomas Short, of Cartwright Street, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Savage, of Toronto.

—The executive committee have invited Ad. 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 Whately has returned from Bayfield, where she has been staying for the past two weeks at the Queen's Hotel.

—Mrs. Harry Johns, of Cleveland, who has been visiting Mrs. Johns, 242 King Street, city, has returned home. Miss Nellie Johns accompanied her.

—Mr. James Cutler has taken out a building permit for the erection of a one and a half story brick west house on Oxford Street, between Waterloo and College Streets, to cost \$1,500.

—The meeting of the Ontario Municipal Association in this city on Sept. 11 and 12 will be attended by Mayor Teetzel, Commissioner Hall and Assistant 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 last but one to be given this season at the city's expense.

—The Y. M. C. A. Mandolin, Guitar and Banjo Club's moonlight excursion on the Star last night was attended by between two and three hundred people. 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. Barr bought 50 acres, part of lot 12, con. 5, Westminster, for \$2,700.

—Mrs. Simmie, of South London, has been in Harrison attending the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Webb, who died Tuesday morning. Mrs. Webb at one time owned a large portion of the present site of the town of Harrison, and was one of its oldest and best known residents.

—Mr. Oscar Phelps was taken to Victoria Hospital, London, on Friday, and an operation performed on him the following Tuesday. It was found that he was suffering from an acute affection of the liver, but since the operation Mr. Phelps has been progressing favorably, and it is to be hoped that permanent cure has been effected.

—Mr. C. W. Garner, the Adelaide Street grocer, is not the person who came before the police court yesterday on the charge of selling intoxicating liquor. The mixup in addresses of the parties does an injustice to Mr. Thos. Garner, who 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 Tyroneville, celebrated the 60th anniversary of their marriage on Monday, Aug. 13. 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 Pacific Railways to give the usual 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 crusade for the adoption of a universal 2-cent-a-mile railway passenger rate for Ontario, and they will be assisted by the other Orange organizations in the province. The matter will be carried into the political arena, and will be heard at the general elections. County Master E. T. Essery says that the campaign for the rate "as they have it in Michigan" will be conducted vigorously.

—Mrs. W. A. Murdock, of Chicago, grand president and founder of the Grand International Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, paid a visit yesterday to the local branch of the auxiliary. Mrs. Murdock, who is well known to the members of the society, which is for the benefit of the locomotive engineers. Among other laudable acts they maintain a room in the local general hospital for the use of railroad men. The order was organized in Chicago in 1887, with a charter membership of ten, and today has over nine thousand members. There are six auxiliaries in Canada, and the London branch has thirty members. Mrs. Murdock, who is well known to the members of the society, which is for the benefit of the locomotive engineers. Among other laudable acts they maintain a room in the local general hospital for the use of railroad men. The order was organized in Chicago in 1887, with a charter membership of ten, and today has over nine thousand members. 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