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LONDON, CANADA, FRIDAY, JULY 26, 1901.

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## Births, Marriages, Deaths.

### DIED.

CHRISTIE—At the residence of her son-in-law, Charles W. Leonard, 260 Queen's Avenue, on Thursday, July 25, 1901, Margaret Robinson, widow of the late Hon. David Christie.

Funeral private, Saturday. Interment at St. George, Ont.

LAWRENCE—At London, July 25, 1901, Lindsay T. Lawrence, of the firm of Cairncross & Lawrence, aged 36 years. Funeral will leave his late residence, 178 Albert street, on Saturday morning, July 27, at 10 o'clock, for interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Services at 9:30. Please omit flowers.

GREENE—In this city, on July 25, 1901, John McHarg Greene, infant son of Guy and Maggie Greene, aged 11 months. Funeral private.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.  
Advertisements under this heading 10c per line, or 5c per word each insertion.

## SPRINGBANK

### PARK Down the River

Attractions this week—brightest and best bill of the season:  
WINTON—Ventriloquist; return engagement.  
ARENO—Contortionist.

FAIRMAN—Illustrated Songs and Comedy Sketches.  
LLEWELLYN SISTERS—Vocalists.  
Musical Society Orchestra.  
Take Electric Cars. Excellent Service.

BASEBALL—LONDON VS. ROCKETS.  
Championship London, Temechee Park, Saturday, 3:30 p.m. Tickets, 15c. 25c.

TWO EXCURSIONS TO ENGLAND—Amidship berth, first cabin, only \$35, from ocean port. F. B. Clarke, next Advertiser, will give particulars.

SOLID KASE AND COMFORT—FOURTEEN days' trip, of which twelve and half days are on the water. Merchants' Line, via Port Stanley, to Montreal, F. B. Clarke, next Advertiser.

SULPHUR SPRING BATHS—OPEN 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. Plunge bath now open. Single bath, 5c; five tickets, 1c. C. & Edmonds.

PRIVATE DANCING PARTIES—PALACE Dancing Academy. Perfect arrangements guaranteed for summer season. Electric fans, ample ventilation, etc. Dayton & McCormick.

### MEETINGS.

VETERAN FIREMEN—ALL OLD FIREMEN are requested to meet at the City Hall tonight at 8 o'clock, to make arrangements to take part in the Boys' reunion.

LONDON COUNCIL, NO. 23, ROYAL Arcanum, will meet this (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock, in Duffield Block.

THE REGULAR GENERAL MEETING of the Board of Trade will be held on Friday, 27th inst., at 8 p.m., C. B. Hunt, president; J. A. Nelles, secretary.

### DOMESTICS WANTED.

1c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

GENERAL SERVANT WANTED BY middle of August; must be good cook. Apply Mrs. Gates, 613 Wellington street.

DINING ROOM GIRL WANTED AT once, good wages. Apply at 1245 House.

NURSE GIRL WANTED—APPLY Mrs. Geo. H. Belton, corner King and Wellington streets.

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT Light work; wages, \$12. Apply Box 65, Advertiser.

GIRL WANTED AT ONCE TO ASSIST in house work; good wages will be paid. Apply 415 Dundas street.

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED immediately; no washing. Apply to 205 Central avenue.

WANTED—AT ONCE—DINING-ROOM GIRL. Apply Fraser House.

WANTED TODAY—FIFTY GIRLS, \$2 to \$8 per week and board. Lockhart's, 32 Dundas street.

SIX DINING ROOM GIRLS WANTED to go to St. Ignace; \$15 a month. Apply Dwyer's agency, 501 Richmond street.

### MALE HELP WANTED.

1c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED—TWO FIRST-CLASS SALESMEN, for country work; references required. Apply Raymond Manufacturing Company, Limited, 27 Dundas street, London.

BOYS WANTED FOR SHIPPING DEPARTMENT. Apply McCormick Manufacturing Company.

WANTED—BY AUG. 5, MAN OR BOY for farm work. Apply to George Lewis, 10, con. 7, London township, Ballymote P. O.

STRONG BOYS WANTED—D. S. PERLIN & Co.

### FEMALE HELP WANTED.

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WANTED—FIVE SEWERS. APPLY AT once, John Marshall & Co.

### BROKERS.

WANTED—CITY LOAN COMPANY'S stocks. John Wright, stock broker, London. Phone 693.

NATHANIEL MILLS, Manager

## 69 Pairs

of our \$1.98 Oxford

Ties for women, all small

sizes, four is the largest.

Take your choice for

**\$1.50**

**J. P. COOK,**  
167 Dundas Street.

### HELP WANTED.

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BOYS AND GIRLS WANTED—APPLY McCormick Manufacturing Company.

### ARTICLES FOR SALE.

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FOR SALE—BLACK COCKER BITCH and pup (dogs) for sale. Call 1,093 Laura street.

JUST ARRIVED—ANOTHER BARREL of Bow Park shoulders, picnic hams and rolls. For a few days we will sell shoulders at 12c and rolls at 14c lb; after that the price will be one cent higher. Corned beef, sliced, 12c lb; pressed beef, sliced, 10c lb; Bologna, 10c lb; lunch bacon, 12c lb; boiled ham, 30c lb. T. A. Foulds, 637 Dundas street. Phone 1,192.

FOR SALE—20 USEFUL HORSES—Cheap. C. S. Tamlin, V.D.

FOR SALE—CHEAP—LADY'S WHEEL in first-class order. Call after 6 at 555 Colborne street.

FOR SALE—CAPITAL WORK HORSE or heavy driver, suitable for delivery wagon, etc., etc. London Soap Company.

BARGAINS—WE HAVE SEVERAL second-hand organs and pianos now on hand that we must sell to make room for new stock. These instruments have all been overhauled, and we will guarantee as good as new, and payable \$2 and 25c per month. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas street, corner Clarence.

HAVE YOU TRIED MIRACLE WASHING COMPOUND? It has no equal. Free sample at G. Marshall & Co.'s tea store.

LARGE WALNUT BAR FOR SALE—Call at Albion Hotel, 127 Dundas street.

SUMMER WOOD—DRY SLABS, \$1.25 per load at W. Buchanan's, 633 Colborne street.

BUTTER—BUTTER—BUTTER—Join the crowd and get your butter at wholesale price. Try it, and if it is not equal to or better than you have been getting, you need not take it. At Murphy's Provision Store, 246 Dundas street.

LADIES' WHEELS, \$1, GENTLEMEN'S, \$1.25 a week, to sell hard cord good dry soft wood, blocks, for \$2 cash; first-class maple and beech wood, and all kinds of hard and soft wood at the lowest cash price. Yard, William street and G. F. Railway. Green & Co. Phone 1,291.

WE HAVE HANDSOME FOLDING lawns, the lawn strong, light, fine for the young folks. See them at factory, corner York and Colborne streets, or write for description. The Waggoner Ladder Company, Limited, London, Ont.

D. H. GILLIES & CO., LEADING WOOD dealers of the city, are selling good large load summer wood for \$1.25. Phone 1,321.

CHEAP WOOD AND COAL—THE SUBSIDIARY, will sell hard cord good dry soft wood, blocks, for \$2 cash; first-class maple and beech wood, and all kinds of hard and soft wood at the lowest cash price. Yard, William street and G. F. Railway. Green & Co. Phone 1,291.

ORGANS AND PIANOS FROM \$5 to \$20; sewing machines from \$5 to \$20; bedroom sets and all kinds furniture and stoves taken for description. The Waggoner Ladder Company, Limited, 246 Dundas street, south main square.

WE CAN SAVE YOU FROM \$1 TO \$5 by purchasing your baby carriage or go-cart from us. Keene Bros., 127 King street.

HAPPY THOUGHT RANGES AND ALL kinds of furniture, new and second-hand, 100 cook stoves wanted; will pay cash, at F. Keene's, 141 King street.

Any want ad of 10 words will be inserted in the . . .

### LONDON

### ADVERTISER

for three days, both editions, for. . .

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### LOST AND FOUND.

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LOST—IN BUTTER AND EGG MARKET House this morning, purse containing \$1 in bills. Reward if returned to Advertiser.

LOST—ON OR ABOUT THE 19th INST., lady's gold ring, with initials "C. K." on inside. Reward at this office.

### BUSINESS CARDS.

WM. HODGSON, HOUSE PAINTER, paperhanger, decorator, contractor, etc., 40 Horton street. Orders promptly attended to. First-class work done. Patronage kindly solicited. Estimates free.

WATSON & CO., HOUSE MOVERS, Steam boilers and safes a specialty. 18 Hamilton road. Phone 1,381.

## FOR . . . HOT DAYS

Nothing can quite equal a Flannel Suit. There's much of comfort in them and their good looks are not questioned.

**DEEKES & MUNSON,**  
Tailors and Drapers.  
393 Richmond St.

### WANTED.

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SIXTY FEET OF SECOND-HAND garden hose. Apply 489 English, after 7 p.m.

WANTED TO PURCHASE—FIFTY sharp London Longshoremen's stock at 15 per cent. Inquire here.

WANTED—ENGINE LATHE, 10-FOOT bed, to swing 18 or 22 inches. D. McKenzie & Co., 28 Richmond street.

WANTED—MIXED RAGS; ALSO tailor and dressmaking rags, all kinds metal, old rubbers, etc. Pay highest cash prices. Orders promptly attended to. H. Sewer, Grey street, corner Adelaide. Phone 1,199.

### REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—FINE PROPERTY, CORNER William and Grosvenor. Two-story house. Apply Johnston & Casey, 50 Dundas street.

FOR SALE—CHOICE LOT ON THE west side of Hellmuth avenue, 40x145 to a lane; \$25 down, balance to suit purchaser; grand chance to get in a first-class location on easy terms; move quick. J. F. Sangster, 403 Richmond street.

HOUSES, ETC., TO LET.  
1c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

FURNISHED HOUSE—FOR MONTH OR longer; immediate possession. Box 63, Advertiser.

NICE COTTAGE TO RENT ON INKERMAN street—\$5 per month, including small capital security. Expenses small. Apply Drawer 321, London. 13m

TWO STORY BRICK—NEWLY GRANTED and papered; furnace, bath, four bedrooms; choice location. 185 St. James street.

LARGE DOUBLE OFFICE, WITH vault, also store, with vault, in Albion Buildings, to let; immediate possession. Apply to T. Carling, or H. C. C. Colclough, in building.

TO LET—UNION FURNITURE VAN—Furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Cathcart and Bruce, South London, late of London Furniture Company. Phone 310.

### BUSINESS CHANCES.

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BUSINESS CHANCE—TEA, COFFEE, spices, patent medicines, etc., in bulk; good opening for men with small capital security. Expenses small. Apply Drawer 321, London. 13m

### OSTEOPATHY.

W. J. E. DILLABOUGH, OSTEOPATHIC Physician, 34 Ryckman, corner Spadina, Chronic cases successfully treated. Consultation free. Hours, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

### BOARDING, ROOMS, ETC.

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LONDON VISITORS TO PAN-AMERICAN wishing to stop at private house near ground (688 Tonawanda street), for reference, etc., call on H. Taylor, 191 Dundas street, or H. Taylor, Ridout street south.

A. K. HODGES, 1,065 NEST AVENUE, will sell hard cord good dry soft wood, blocks, for \$2 cash; first-class maple and beech wood, and all kinds of hard and soft wood at the lowest cash price. Yard, William street and G. F. Railway. Green & Co. Phone 1,291.

### MISCELLANEOUS.

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WE WILL MAIL YOU ON RECEIPT of 2 cents in postage stamps a fine packet of stamps, 20 varieties. The Dominion Stamp Company, Box 539, London, Ont.

ENGINEER'S LICENSE—MECHANICS, engineers, firemen, electricians, etc., 40-page pamphlet, containing questions asked by examining board of engineers, sent free. George A. Zeller, publisher, Room 154, 18, Fourth street, St. Louis, Mo. U. S. A.

F. E. LEYS—OFFICES AT MASONIC Temple, first floor, and London Hat, Cap and Mantle Manufacturing Company, 55, 57 Clarence.

### DRESSMAKING.

DRESS CUTTING SCHOOL—INDIVIDUAL instructions in the art of designing and fitting ladies' costumes. Special arrangements for out of town pupils. Hours, 2:30 to 9:30 p.m. 232 Dundas street, London.

## The Western Real Estate Exchange.

78 1/2 Dundas St. London. Telephone 696.

FOR SALE.  
100 acres in the township of Mosa, in the county of Middlesex, 3 miles from Glenora, 2 1/2 miles from the west of London. Will take house and lot in city, or 25 or more acres farm on account of purchase money. For further particulars see or send for posters advertising "Prospective Purchasers," so that there is a good prospect of a number of sales being made this summer and fall. Both buyers and sellers find it to their advantage to deal through our office.

FOR SALE.  
100 acres, 7 miles from London. For further particulars see or send for posters advertising farm for sale on premises, on Tuesday, Aug. 6, 1901, or apply to Wm. N. Edmunds, advertiser, on Friday.

IF YOU WANT TO BUY A FARM send for our list of over 250 FARMS FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE. IF YOU WANT TO SELL YOUR FARM, now is the time to place it in our hands, as there is a good demand for first-class farms.

We have over 350 names on our list of "Prospective Purchasers," so that there is a good prospect of a number of sales being made this summer and fall. Both buyers and sellers find it to their advantage to deal through our office.

JAMES BURROWS, Manager.

## FOSBURG IS NOT GUILTY!

Judge This Morning Instructed the Jury to Find to That Effect.

Pittsfield, Mass., July 26.—At the opening of court today in the Fosburg trial, Judge Stevens instructed the jury to bring in a verdict of not guilty and this was done, ending the trial. The jury did not leave their seats.

The verdict was received with shouts of applause, which the court immediately suppressed. The demonstration, however, was one of the most remarkable that has ever occurred in a court of justice.

## PAUPER WOMAN LEFT \$15,000!

Died in Squalid Surroundings, Yet Owned Bank Deposits Amounting to Small Fortune.

New York, July 26.—Mrs. Catherine Griffin, who for years had lived at Yonkers, largely a dependent upon charity, died yesterday in a wretched room she had occupied for the last ten years. She had received a pension of \$24 every three months, but aside from this was not known to have any source of income. A sister, living in Brook-

lyn, Mrs. Brown, was notified. She went to the house. There she found a bank book on the People's Saving Bank, showing deposits amounting to \$15,000. Besides Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Griffin left three sisters, Mrs. Bridget T. Leonard, of Albany; Mrs. Mary Carmady, of Schenectady, and Mrs. Ellen Kenny, of Ireland.

## SITUATION BECOMING ALARMING

Danger Lurks in Every Move of Companies.

To Restrain Strikers by Courts May Cause Trouble.

Mayor of Wellsville Refuses to Allow Police to Protect Company's Property.

Pittsburg, July 26.—Steel strike developments of the last two days indicate that the company's forces at Wellsville are slowly accomplishing their intention of operating the plant with non-union men. Wednesday afternoon and night a number of men succeeded in eluding the strikers and getting inside the works, and before the day was over a fourth mill was expected to be in operation. The situation at Wellsville is acute, and there is no doubt the condition of affairs there, with the rumored injunction proceedings, caused President Shaffer to make his mysterious trip to that place Wednesday.

At McKeesport all remains as quiet as heretofore. The fact that many of the officials of the mill have left for their summer vacations has caused the strikers to relax their vigilance in the vicinity of the Deewe-Wood plant. The strikers seem now almost convinced that no effort will be made to start the mill in the near future. The declaration of Mayor Black Wednesday night that he would not permit deputies in the idle mills or allow the city police to guard the company's property, has caused a sensation, and the mayor awakened yesterday morning to find himself the most popular man in the city.

The men of the Boston Iron and Steel Company formed an Amalgamated lodge Wednesday night, with 30 members. This is considered a great victory for the strikers, as the Boston works has always been considered non-union.

There was no change in the status of affairs at Clark's Solar Iron Works in this city, or at Lindsay & McCutcheon's Allegheny plant. The latter is still closed down in every department. A force of coal and iron and city police guard the Solar property, but everything is quiet.

RAILROADS FEEL THE EFFECTS.  
Pittsburg, July 26.—The local railroads are slowly beginning to feel the effects of the strike by the coal shoveling of orders for coal shipments that had been placed by the different mills previous to the strike. On the general situation President Shaffer declares there has been little change within the past few days. The report that something definite would be done by him within the next day or two in the way of calling a strike in more mills the labor leader refused to discuss.

Other amalgamated officials, however, intimated that the attempt of the companies to resume operations at their mills with non-union men, or the carrying out of the threat to break the strike by court injunctions, by sternly raising his finger and commanding the sheriff to see that the demonstration was not repeated, Robert Stewart Fosburg, the defendant, was then ordered to stand while the fore-

## SPECTATORS CHEERED IN COURT ROOM!

Acquittal of Young Fosburg Was Popular.

The Court Suppressed Demonstration of Delight.

Judge Held Evidence Presented by Government Not Sufficient to Prove Guilt.

Pittsfield, Mass., July 26.—The trial of Robert Stewart Fosburg for the alleged killing of his sister May was brought to an abrupt close today when the jury, under instructions from the court, returned a verdict of not guilty. When the court convened today the chamber was crowded, and a large number of members of the Berkshire bar occupied seats which had been reserved for them. Many women who had attended the trial at every session, carrying their lunches with them, were there again this morning with lunch baskets. The Fosburg family came into the court room in a body and passed to their accustomed seats. It was just 9:20 when Judge Stevens entered the courtroom and the trial began.

"Mr. Foreman, and Gentlemen,—During six days we have listened to a painful record of the life of the defendant, and we have seen her in the most tragic of her life. She was a beautiful girl, just budding into womanhood, was shot down and her brother has been accused of the crime. The government has endeavored to prove that the girl was not shot by burglars; it has endeavored to exclude her from the jury and it becomes my duty to say to you, that in the opinion of the court the government has not furnished proof sufficient to sustain a verdict of guilty against the defendant, and, therefore, under the direction of the court in the indictment of Robert S. Fosburg for killing his sister, you will return a verdict of not guilty."

LOUD APPLAUSE.  
The crowd in the court room, which included hundreds of friends of the defendant, broke into loud applause, which the court immediately quelled, by sternly raising his finger and commanding the sheriff to see that the demonstration was not repeated. Robert Stewart Fosburg, the defendant, was then ordered to stand while the fore-

man of the jury was asked, "What is your verdict?"

The reply was "Not guilty."

Judge Stevens, then in a few words, expressed his thanks to the jury for their careful consideration of the case during its presentation to them.

Young Robert Fosburg was then discharged from custody, and the court was adjourned.

The great crowd then rushed as one person to shake the hand of the smiling young man, and several minutes before the court room was cleared.

CLEVELAND, July 26.—President Keef, of the International Longshoremen's Association, who spent several days here trying to settle the trouble between the line agents and the package freight handlers, which has been on since the opening of navigation, left for Buffalo last night. Although neither the line agents nor the officials of the Longshoremen's Association will discuss the matter, it was learned on pretty good authority that the trouble on all the docks except the Anchor Line will be settled in a few days. The line agents are now paying the rate of wages demanded by the longshoremen, and it is said that an agreement on all other matters has practically been made. The fight has been on at Erie for the past year between the Anchor Line and the Longshoremen's Association and is the only thing that prevents a settlement with the Anchor Line at this port.

## CLOAKMAKERS MAY GO OUT.

An Order to Go Out Would Affect Fully 17,000 Workers.

Prospects of a Settlement of the 'Longshoremen's Difficulties' Are Bright.

A CLOAKMAKERS' STRIKE.  
New York, July 26.—A general strike of the cloakmakers of Greater New York may be ordered after a meeting of the executive committee of the Cloakmakers' Union, to be held tonight. Five hundred struck yesterday at one establishment, demanding a recognition of the union, and the reinstatement of a number of discharged fellow-workers. And as a result of a strike among the buttonmakers of the city, 5,000 cloakmakers are now idle. It is estimated that if a general cloakmakers' strike is ordered, 17,000 will walk out. A meeting attended by 10,000 garment workers was held last night in Hamilton Fish Park for the purpose of adopting resolutions of sympathy with the striking garment workers.

After an illness of four months, Mr. Lindsay T. Lawrence, of the firm of Cairncross & Lawrence, died at 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon, at his residence, 178 Albert street. His death had been expected for some weeks. The cause of death was a complication of troubles, arising from a heavy cold. A severe attack of rheumatism affected his heart, and rendered a fatal termination of his illness almost a certainty.

Mr. Lawrence was born 26 years ago in Lucknow, being the son of Mr. Thomas Lawrence, a well-known retired merchant of that place. After receiving his education at Upper Canada College, Toronto, he entered the drug store in this city, of Prof. Saunders, now of Ottawa. After passing his final examination, in which he won a gold medal, he entered into partnership with Mr. James A. Cairncross, a former fellow-apprentice. For the past fifteen years the firm have carried on a most successful business.

Mr. Lawrence's quiet and unassuming nature won for him many friends in London. In politics he was a Reformer, and in religious belief a Presbyterian, being a valued member of the First Presbyterian Church. Mr. Lawrence was a member of the Lodge A. F. and A. M., and of the Independent Order of Foresters.

Seven years ago Mr. Lawrence married Miss Alice, daughter of the late A. D. Cameron. In addition to his widow, Mr. Lawrence is survived by his father and a family of brothers and sisters.

The funeral to Mount Pleasant cemetery tomorrow will leave his late residence at 10 o'clock. Services will be conducted at 9:30.

## THE FIRE RECORD.

Cincinnati, Ohio, July 26.—The building at Richmond and Carr streets occupied by the Baltimore Carriage Company was destroyed by fire at midnight. Loss, \$75,000.

Nashua, N. H., July 26.—The co-operative plant of Proctor Bros. and the stove drying shed of the White Mountain Freezer Company and seven tenement houses were burned here early today, causing a loss estimated at \$200,000.

UNBROKEN DROUGHT IN KANSAS  
Chicago, July 26.—Reports received by the Tribune up to 1 o'clock this morning show slight relief in parts of Nebraska and Iowa, the drought district—but unbroken dryness throughout Kansas.

RAIN IN MISSOURI  
Springfield, Mo., July 26.—A heavy rain fell here early today, and there is prospect. The heated term in the southeastern corner of Missouri was broken by the rain and high winds.

The board of directors of the failed Seventh National Bank, of New York, met yesterday and decided upon a plan of reorganization for the bank. The plan provides that the capital stock of the bank be increased from \$500,000 to \$2,000,000 of new stock to be sold at \$100 per share. The plan of reorganization includes an understanding that all other depositors will be paid in full on demand.

DR. EDWARD NEUMANN, of Davos-Platz, one of the Swiss delegates, said that Dr. Koch was already prepared to meet the objections of Lord Lister.

A TOWN WRECKED.  
Batam, July 26.—A terrific explosion of petroleum yesterday in the thickly populated quarter of Batam wrecked the whole center of the town. It is impossible at the time of filing this dispatch to estimate the loss of life and property, but in both cases it is very large.

FORTIFYING PEKIN.  
Pekin, July 26.—Work on the barracks and fortifications for the legation quarter is progressing rapidly. The Chinese are hurrying the work in order that quarters for the foreign guards may be ready at the time of the evacuation in August. The fortifications of the British quarter appear to be most extensive and thorough. Chambers for mines have been dug at all the approaches to the legation quarter, and projections for guns are being built.

Prince Konoye, president of the Japanese House of Peers, who is here

## Purity in Drugs



# Seal Brand Coffee

(1 lb. and 2 lb. cans.)

Because of its ABSOLUTE PURITY Dyspeptics drink it fearlessly. It tones and strengthens the stomach.

Imported,  
Roasted and  
Packed by

**CHASE & SANBORN,**  
MONTREAL AND BOSTON.

## THE DAWSON MURDER CASE.

The Cabinet Refuses to Interfere With the Sentence.

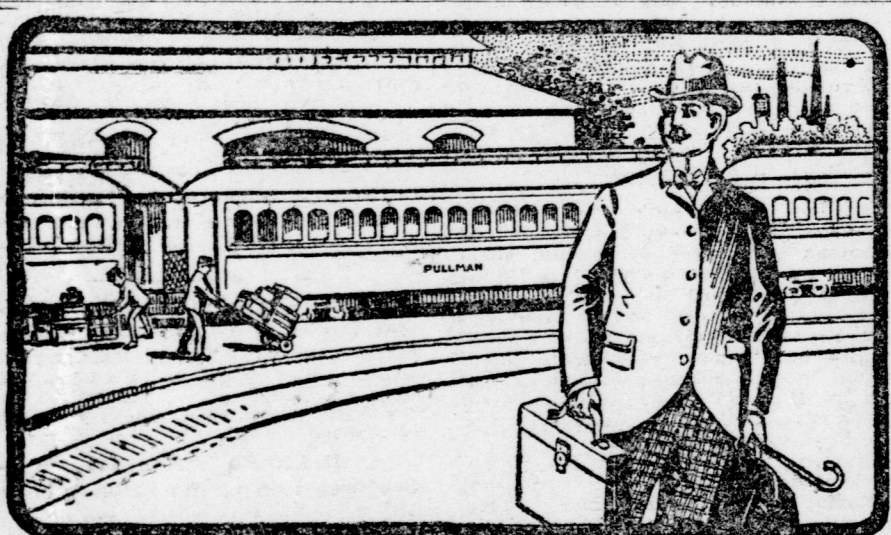
Recent British Columbia Legislation Is to Be Dealt With—Japan and Canada.

Ottawa, July 25.—A meeting of the cabinet was held yesterday, at which the case of George O'Brien, the Dawson murderer, came up for consideration, and it was decided to recommend to his excellency the governor-general that the law be allowed to take its course. If Lord Minto concurs, O'Brien will be hanged on Aug. 25. An effort was made by Mr. Bethune, a local barrister, acting on behalf of O'Brien's lawyer at Dawson, Mr. Bleeker, to obtain a stay of proceedings, but this was futile. It was shown that a month had elapsed, during which there was abundant time to make any representation thought to be necessary in O'Brien's behalf, but it had not been taken advantage of. Moreover, the evidence as to O'Brien's guilt was clear and unmistakable. The police are keeping an eye out for Graves, the supposed partner of O'Brien in the crime, but nothing has up to the present time been discovered in regard to him. His whereabouts remains a complete mystery, and it is thought that he must have been killed and his body hidden by O'Brien in order to prevent the possibility of that worthy's betrayal.

### BRITISH COLUMBIA LEGISLATION

The cabinet will shortly take action (possibly tomorrow) in regard to two bills passed by the British Columbia Legislature. These measures are named respectively "An act to regulate immigration into British Columbia" and "An act relating to employment on works carried on under franchises granted by private acts." From the title of the bills they would seem to be very simple and unobjectionable measures, but there is a provision in each which the imperial government and its ally, the Japanese government, take strong objection to. The bill relating to immigration applies an educational test to immigrants coming from the Orient. It is not exactly the Natal law, but something very much like it, and the operation of this act would exclude both Chinese and Japanese of the coolie class from British Columbia. Mr. Shimizu, the Japanese consul on the Pacific coast, has addressed some polite, but firmly-worded remonstrances to the Dominion government respecting the law, and the Japanese government has also protested to the British foreign office, through the usual diplomatic channels. The retention of the law in the statute book would give grave offence to Japan, and seriously interfere with the amicable understanding which prevails between the government of that country and the imperial authorities.

At the New York yacht club races Thursday the Columbia beat the Constitution 16 seconds. A tug drifted in front of the Constitution.



## Travellers and Tourists

Travelling from place to place are subject to all kinds of Bowel Complaint on account of change of water, diet and temperature. They should fortify themselves with a bottle of

**Dr. Fowler's**  
Ext. of  
**Wild Strawberry,**

which is a sure cure for Diarrhoea, Dysentery, Colic, Cramps, Pains in the Stomach, Seasickness, Cholera, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, Summer Complaint, and all Fluxes of the Bowels in Children and Adults.

Does not leave the bowels in a constipated condition. Is harmless and pleasant to take. Its action is rapid, effectual and natural.

## NEWS OF CANADA

What Is Taking Place in the Broad Dominion.

Tariff Terms With Germany—Race Question at Ottawa—Many Families Homeless.

Toronto, July 25.—The board of trade has decided to throw its influence in with the grain men who are trying to secure the low tariff terms in the German market. Yesterday a resolution was passed by the council of the board deploring "the continued discrimination of Germany against this country, and begging respectfully to remind Sir Wilfrid Laurier of the resolution of the board as presented to him personally on the 11th of December last, in responding to which he expressed his approval of said resolution, and gave the assurance that the government would do what they could in the matter. This council would strongly urge upon the government of Canada that every possible effort be made to secure a renewal of the conditions in so far as they relate to Canadian wheat obtained in the treaty previously existing between Great Britain and Germany." The premier will be asked to put this prospect there for the removal of the embargo on Canadian products going into Germany.

THE RACE QUESTION.  
Ottawa, July 25.—The race question was raised in the Ottawa Typographical Union meeting, and as a result of an election yesterday of delegates to the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress, three English-speaking members were elected over two French-speaking members. The race cry was first introduced after P. M. Draper, vice-president of the union, for some alleged utterances against strikers. The local French newspaper called Draper a traitor and said he was anti-French. The French and English divided, and each ran a ticket, with the result that the English won.

MANY FAMILIES HOMELESS.  
Toronto, July 25.—Mr. Southworth, director of colonization, who is back from the scene of the Temiskaming forest fires, says 114 families of settlers lost their homes, and most of them all they possess. The government is endeavoring to make a fresh start.

THE NATURAL GAS QUESTION.  
Toronto, July 25.—Three months ago the Ontario government notified the United Gas and Oil Company that the exportation of natural gas from the United States to Essex would have to cease from July 25. But there is no fear that this will actually happen, as the company and the government have been talking the matter over many times since the house adjourned. The company have raised some legal objections to the cancellation of the lease, and the government has decided to wait for a time before definitely settling the matter.

TO COST A MILLION.  
Montreal, July 25.—The officials of the Chicago and Western Indiana Railway, who have been here to attend to the elevation of the railway tracks into Chicago, as required by the laws of the city, at a cost of \$8,000,000. The Grand Trunk is interested in the stock to the extent of \$1,000,000. The meeting to consider the plans to be adopted.

THE ORANGE GRAND LODGE.  
Toronto, July 25.—The Grand Orange Lodge of British America, now in session here, decided yesterday morning to hold its next annual meeting at Niagara Falls, Ont., at the Hotel Ontario. The Grand Lodge of the United States is in session at Niagara Falls, New York. The Grand Lodge is now discussing in advance the insurance rates, reports having been received from the finance committee showing an increase of at least 5 per cent. is inevitable.

## THE DEADLOCK HAS BEEN ENDED

Ministers at Pekin Finally Agree Upon Main Points at Issue.

London, July 25.—"The deadlock of the ministers of the powers has ended," says the Pekin correspondent of the Daily Mail. "Russia has withdrawn her proposal for a conference on Sunday, July 28, and has accepted with some important reservations, Great Britain's counter proposal that the same conference should now shall be considered adequate, the powers providing for a shortage if it arises."

## BROOKLYN BRIDGE IN GREAT DANGER

Several Girders Discovered Broken and Traffic Had To Be Stopped.

New York, July 25.—No attempt was made yesterday to resume a full service on the Brooklyn Bridge, on which several girders were found to be broken yesterday. A ten-car number was permitted by the police early yesterday, but it could handle but a small percentage of the traffic, and the majority of the persons who live in Brooklyn and come to New York for business were obliged to walk across the bridge or cross the river on one of the ferry lines. Engineers examining the bridge carefully yesterday, and it is expected that full repairs will be made in a day or two. About noon an order was issued stopping all street car and vehicle traffic on the bridge. This caused much inconvenience and delay to business, as the ferries were unable to carry all the wagons and carriages which usually cross the bridge. A statement was issued by a representative of the Roebblings to the effect that the suspension cables of the bridge were strong enough to hold much more weight than had ever been put upon them, but that there was doubt as to whether the roadway supports were adequate in view of the operation of the great number of trolley cars and elevated trains.

TROUBLES OF AN EARL.  
London, July 25.—Earl Russell, who is in Holloway jail, serving a three months' sentence for bigamy, is ill. He is unable to sleep or eat, and a doctor is in constant attendance.

BARNARDO GIRLS COMING.  
London, July 25.—One hundred girls from Dr. Barnardo's home sailed from Liverpool for Canada yesterday by the Parisian. They will go to the home in Peterboro, Ontario.

## ABLE MINISTER WAS DROWNED

Rev. Dr. McKay, of Montreal, Victim of a Deplorable Accident.

Montreal, July 25.—The city was shocked last night to learn that Rev. Dr. McKay, the Crescent Street Presbyterian Church pastor, was drowned while yachting at Seven Islands below Quebec. Dr. McKay was one of the ablest and best-known men of the Canadian Presbytery.

## JOTTINGS FROM NEAR-BY PLACES

STRATHROY.

[Advertiser Agent, J. D. Meekins.]  
Strathroy, July 25.—Mr. W. S. Calvert, M. P. of Napier, has purchased from Mr. Wilson, the handsome and commodious residence on Kiltudge avenue known as Pinehurst.

Mr. Fred Newton, of Toronto, is spending his holidays in town. Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Noble, of Detroit, are the guests of Mr. James Noble, Oxford street.

Miss Sharon, of Geddes Bros. staff, left Tuesday for a two months' visit at her home in St. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Tanner are spending a few weeks at Grand Bend.

The regular monthly meeting of the Collegiate Institute board will be held on Monday evening next at the usual hour.

Mr. Oscar W. Johnston, of Woodlawn, formerly of the T. Eaton Company, Toronto, has accepted a position with the Evelyn Company, Limited.

Miss Brooks, formerly of the public school staff, but now of Erie, Pa., was the guest of Mrs. Geddes, Center street, for a few days last week.

The Baptist Sunday school held its annual picnic at Springbank yesterday.

Miss Annie Ashwell, B.A., who has been teaching in the Kingsdome high school, has accepted a position on the staff of Woodstock Collegiate Institute in the department of modern languages.

Mr. R. S. Williams, photographer, has had a number of back grounds painted by Mr. L. Smith, scenic painter, of Chicago.

The death occurred in Strathroy on Saturday, July 20, of Ann, youngest daughter of Mr. Henry and Mary Main, aged 11 years.

Miss N. H. Craig, of Paris, is the guest of Mrs. (Dr.) A. S. Thompson.

Mr. G. Thompson left on Monday for Sarnia, where he will attend a session on the steamer Monarch.

Miss Armstrong and Mrs. Cumlford and children are visiting friends in Sarnia, Detroit and Essex.

ARKONA.  
Frank Hillis was in Thorndon on Wednesday.

Mr. J. Oliver and Mary Oliver are visiting in Goderich.

Mr. and Mrs. D. McDonald, of Sarnia, are visiting friends in town.

Claude Jackson left for Detroit on Wednesday.

A large number of the boys took in the baseball match at Forest last week.

N. Baldwin spent his holidays at Sarnia last week.

Dr. Copeland and family spent Tuesday at the lake shore.

Rev. Messrs. Irwin and Hannaford are visiting at Goderich.

T. K. Poole and Mr. Blake, of Thorndon, were in town on Tuesday.

KOMOKA.  
Rev. Mr. Hurlburt, of Mount Brydges, ably conducted services in St. George's Church on Sunday last.

Miss Lena Stetson, of London, visited relatives here recently.

Miss Louie Mowat, of London, is visiting relatives and friends here.

Miss Maggie Stewart is in London. Mr. Francis Lawton, former principal of the school here, has been visiting here, and is a general favorite with everybody.

Master Willie and Miss Jessie Mowat, of London, are spending their vacation here.

Mr. Fox visited in Woodstock this week.

Miss Lida Houston, of Petrolia, has been visiting here.

Miss Agnes Shaw, of Detroit, is visiting in this place.

Miss Edna Quirk is holidaying in St. Thomas.

Miss J. Parrott, former teacher in our school, has been renewing acquaintances here, and her many friends are glad to see her pleasant face again.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed in the Presbyterian Church one week, next Sunday.

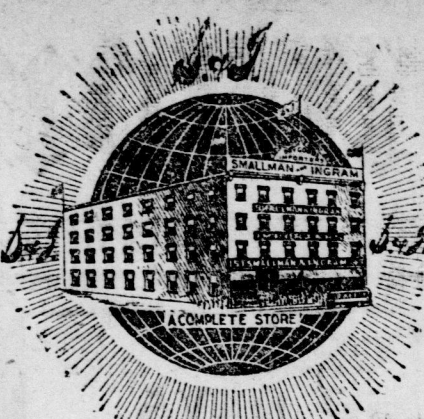
No grain will be sold at the grain store until after the 22nd of August, but flour and feed can be bought after Aug. 1.

MOUNT BRYDGES.  
Pastor G. F. Hurlburt, of the Baptist Church, is taking a holiday trip to Port Burwell, and expects to attend the Baptist conference there in August. The church here will be supplied on Sunday, July 28, by Walter Clark, M.D., missionary-elect for China, who will speak on the work in China in the evening. On Sunday, Aug. 4, Mr. J. McLachlin, of McMaster University, will supply the pulpit.

Pastor Hurlburt, of the Baptist Church, exchanged work with Pastor Fox, of Komoka, who preached here both morning and evening, with much acceptance.

They Hinder Railroad Construction in the South.

A news dispatch from Altoona brings the intelligence that work on the Kankakee and Clearfield railroad extension has been almost stopped by the presence of millions of poisonous snakes which dispute possession of the right of way. Railroad construction has been delayed in some part or other of the country by a variety of causes, from councilmanic obstinacy to freaks of the elements, but this is the first instance on record where snakes have proved a serious obstacle to corporate enterprise. It is a case where neither injunction nor mandamus will apply. But it may be suggested to the contractors that the use of the ordinary amount of dynamite will prove more effective in ridding the route of rattlesnakes and copperheads than any amount of bushwhacking. A snake will flee from concussion, even if it has to swim a river.



THE WEATHER TODAY—Unsettled, with showers.

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We have sold an enormous lot of our Special 29c Summer Corset, which we consider good value at half a dollar. Customers think so, too, else we would not have sold so many. Another shipment to hand. We can now supply all who have been waiting and many more. The special sizes asked for, as well as all sizes from 18 to 26, are now here. The very low price per pair is.... **29c**

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## Preparing for Visitors.

In the heat of summer is not the time to prepare bedding for visitors. The visitors come in the summer, however, and they have to be provided for. Thousands of old boys and their families will be here soon, and to save housekeepers the trouble of making up Sheets, Pillow Slips, etc., we are making a special sale of these goods.

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Julius Georgie, the prospector who "jumped" the Helen iron mine, was arrested at Michipicoten on a charge of damaging a tree on the property.

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### SCHOOLBOY HUMOR

*Humorous Answers Given to Examination Questions.*

To the majority of people, perhaps, a schoolmaster's life appears monotonous and uneventful; but to one who is apt to look upon the humorous side of things this is far from being the fact. Most boys and girls are irresponsible creatures, certainly; but there is a fund of genuine, unadulterated humor in the average boy. A schoolmaster of 15 years' standing writes: "I have corrected, I might say, a few thousand examination papers in my time. Some of the answers were so good, so witty, so distinctly funny and original—unconsciously funny." The following are specimens:

A boy aged 10 thus answers a question as to the cause of the Transvaal disturbance: "Kruger and Kannerbism is one. He is a man of blood. Mr. Chamberlain has sent for him, and come out and fite or else give up the blood of the English who have took, he is a boardfuchman and a wildkide. I heard Kitchener has sent for him, and goary blood and to bring back his scanderus hed ded or alive."

An essay on Mr. Gladstone by a boy of 11 states: "Mr. Gladstone is loved by everybody, he lov'd publicans and cinners and fishmen, he wanted the Irish to come to England and have home rule, but Mr. Chamberlain says, no, no, so alars he got his blud up and kild Mr. Parnell. Mr. Gladstone died with great respect and is burried in Westminster with piceful ashes."

Another boy wishes to become an editor. In an essay on "The Choice of a Profession" he gives his reasons in these words: "An editor is always a happy man because he can read luvly tales and articles all day and pages of sweet luv poems. A good editor has brains but it must be very sad for him having to read melancholic stories of luv as to make him almost weep with tears from his eyes. A editor is a rich man because he never pays for articles and so has all this interlect for nothing."

One could hardly put the following ideas of a certain youth. "Honesty is a practical virtue. It is a nobel thing to be a honest man. If you are a honest man you can look the world in the face and never be ashamed of the devil. It is good to be a honest man when sum one is looking becaus you may get a reward. I know a churchwardine who is a honest man who col-

lects money on Sunday in his black frock, and you see a honest man when you are young you may grow to be rich and the lord mare and then of caws it doesn't matter."

This is from an essay on "My Hero." "My hero is my father because he is a Christyun clergyman, my father says o my son gro up like your father, pusher, if you're a pusher because nobody else will respect you. I am going to be a clergyman because my father says I am an ass in school and have no brains and no sense in my head."

Shakespeare is hardly appreciated by the young "hopeful" who writes: "Shakespeare was a famous poet. He wrote luvly place called the tams shrew, hamlet and a scotch piece called Macdoogul. In Shakespeare's time some of the boys were very rude but now everything is so polite that a innocent father can take his baby and it won't disgust it. Shakespeare was so ill when he died that he cried out oh my cursid boy."

A certain young scholar described the "Provisions of Oxford" as consisting of "butter, eggs, cheese, bread, and a barrel of wine and a barrel of ale." Another young student, describing the "Provisions of Oxford" as being "so shattered through grief that he died quite a young man before he had time to grow old." The duke of Clarence was a relationship of the king, he loved drink so much that he turned into a barrel of wine and ale and died."

One youth who is a poet in embryo, is a great admirer of Longfellow. "Longfellow," he says, "was a great poet called 'The Birk.' He buterfully poemes in this way—I stood on a brink at midnight and gazed at the clock for an hour, mourning the loss of an uncle, writes the following letter to his master: 'Dear Reverend Sir, I am enjoying my holidays and have only been ill twice. My uncle died with being old in three days last week, and we have had a pleasant feneral. I want to work in my arithmetic sir as you said but it would be wicked to do with a ded uncle, my father says if I don't get a prize next term sumthing will happen. I am sir Your Respectful pupil JOHN.'

After reading these extracts who will dare to say that schoolboys are devoid of humor or originality?

### THE NIMBUS IN ART.

The nimbus was adopted as a religious symbol by the early Christians and examples of it exist in the Roman catacombs which are attributed to the sixth century. In ancient illuminations, the wall paintings and the stained glass of old churches, heads of archangels, evangelists, apostles, saints and martyrs are usually encircled by a ring of brilliant color, assuming the appearance of light, which is presumed to signify that as accepted servants of the Almighty they have been honored with this special mark of his favor. Circles of light are never placed on the heads of persons alive at the time of the representation being made, however holy or powerful they may have been, but there are a few examples of men remaining with the reputation of great sanctity who were pictured thus when still in life, with a glory of square form.—London Architect.

A railroad man who works in one of the swamps on the line to the Atlantic City, surrounded by a mosquito-infested swamp, has a plan of his own for keeping them out of the tower. He makes a ball out of newspapers and soaks it in coaloil just enough so that it will not drip. He hangs this midway between two windows and keeps swinging all the time. He says that no matter how thick the mosquitoes may be outside they never care to pass it.

## THE CENSOR VERSUS THE NEWSPAPERS

Writers Revolt Against Gen. Blue Pencil.

The Censorship Said To Be "A Bungle and a Blunder."

"It Savors Somewhat of Russia; Nay, It Is Krugerian," Says Mr. Edgar Wallace.

London, July 26.—War correspondents in South Africa have united in a belated revolt against the military censorship. Mr. Bennett Burleigh describes the censorship as a "bungle and a blunder," and declares that the sooner the whole matter of unofficial correspondence is on a definite basis, conformable to free institutions, the better it will be for everybody. Edgar Wallace asserts that there is nothing in the military position to justify maintenance of censorship, and that it is creating a bad precedent, since the only service it can render is a political one, saving "somewhat of Russia," may, it is Krugerian.

The following regulation enables any censor to reject or condense every dispatch submitted in the future the length of correspondents' wires will be in proportion to the importance of the news contained therein. The correspondents consequently are unable to justify by cable work the expenses of their services. The country, heavily taxed for a costly war, does not know what is going on, and is forced to content with casualty lists and Lord Kitchener's inventories of Boers killed, wounded and surrendered.

London journals were warned in advance that their correspondents would not be left at liberty to write and to go as they pleased, and were asked to adopt practical measures for reducing the number of men in service and for relieving the wires from the pressure of newspaper work. These warnings were fruitless and scores of correspondents were sent to South Africa. With the wires clogged with routine messages for the great army, press dispatches were neglected, held back, condensed and mutilated.

It is not easy to understand what are the political motives for the suppression of news in the service of war. Some opinionists suppressed would bear heavily against advocates of the Dutch cause. Viakfontein atrocities, if fully covered in detail, would tend to alienate sympathy for Boers. The fact that the horrible shooting of the wounded has been left to come out little by little by soldiers' letters home, excites suspicion that there may have been drastic measures on the British side in establishing concentration camps.

### New Century Ideas.

The Toronto Exhibition, to be held from Aug. 26 to Sept. 7, announces that its principal characteristic will be the adoption of New Century Ideas. The phase might be considered a bit indefinite but for the fact that contemporaneous the statement is made that there will be daily and nightly displays of all the new weapons of war as well as recent developments in the arts of peace. The pom-pom will be on view, wireless telegraphy will be shown in practical use of the shore to passing vessels, magnificent displays of illumination effects will be made, recently announced developments in electricity will be shown, demonstrations will be made in the cultivation of the sugar beet, modern methods of rearing at sea will be illustrated, maneuvers with later-day artillery will take place, and the military will be very much in evidence in all its branches, while the handy-man and the marines will also be shown in practical use of the shore to passing vessels, magnificent displays of illumination effects will be made, recently announced developments in electricity will be shown, demonstrations will be made in the cultivation of the sugar beet, modern methods of rearing at sea will be illustrated, maneuvers with later-day artillery will take place, and the military will be very much in evidence in all its branches, while the handy-man and the marines will also be shown in 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Canada has courts of conciliation and has provided facilities for voluntary arbitration, but New Zealand crowns the edifice by its authoritative Arbitration Court. It will be observed that in New Zealand opportunity for reflection is provided by having all cases go first through the Court of Conciliation; which takes a good deal off the edge of the charge that in New Zealand the Arbitration Act is an arbitrary act. It comes in—in the interest of the whole public—only as the court of last resort; but when necessary it gets there, and does its work well.

## German Socialism.

One way of estimating the strength of the social democratic movement in Germany is by count of heads. The results of the German elections of 1893 show more favorably towards socialism than do the results of the elections of 1898. The increase of votes given the Socialist candidates in 1893 was 445,431, while in 1898 it was only 84,122. While this shows a decline in the number of votes cast, it does not mean a corresponding lessening of socialist strength in the German Parliament. As to that, in 1890 the number of seats obtained was 35, in 1893 the number was 41, and in 1898 the Socialists obtained 56 seats. The power of the 56 is greatly augmented when we take into consideration the fact that in Germany, parliament is divided into a number of political parties. The Social Democrats are not strong enough to promote any positive legislation, but with the help of any other faction or party they become formidable obstructionists.

The Social Democratic party is not altogether satisfied with itself. Like all organizations of a revolutionary character, it predicted too much. Among its prophecies was the collapse of present social conditions before the end of last century. The likelihood of such a state of affairs decreases with the comfort and contentment of the working classes. There has been a general increase of wages among the working classes, as well as a number of laws for their amelioration. For instance, there is an insurance against old age, illness and accidents. The laborer, seeing that he is protected against the exigencies incident to illness or old age, and that provision is made for the care of his wife and children, is more apt to be content in his work and satisfied with present social conditions. Socialism is essentially concerned with physical wants; and when these are met, socialist enthusiasm becomes less strong.

Commenting on the undesirable influences of Socialism, Count Bernstorff, of Berlin, Germany, says that the direct influence of Socialism is not easily overestimated. The demoralizing effect in loosening the bonds of authority between parents and children, pupils and teachers, masters and servants, has certainly done much to lower the state of national morality.

Among attempts at solution of social questions we have that phase known as Christian Socialism. German Socialism has, however, been in the main, non-Christian, in fact, non-religious. Count Bernstorff speaks of the Socialist attitude toward religion as follows:

"The religious question is one which evidently creates difficulties among the Social Democrats. In the large cities they openly confess their unbelief, but

in the rural districts infidelity becomes an impediment to their influence, at least in those circles where the old traditions are still strong. The leaders of the party therefore try to bring the principle more prominently to the front, that religion is a private matter, to be judged solely by the individual. They said so long ago, but on the whole their assertions have found little acceptance."

## Railway Shippers' Grievances.

We observe one or two contemporaries are inclined to deride the appointment of Mr. S. J. McLean to investigate the railway grievances of shippers. That is not the view of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, as shown by the latest issue of the official newspaper, Industrial Canada.

That journal says:

"The appointment of Mr. S. J. McLean by the Dominion Government to investigate the various railway grievances from different parts of the Dominion has brought out a very considerable amount of discussion and criticism. Some shippers have complained that an investigation of this kind can produce no good; that all the information that can be obtained in this way is already in the possession of the Government, and that therefore little good can result from a visit such as was proposed by the commissioner."

"Among the members of the Manufacturers' Association, however, a different view has prevailed. They regard the appointment of a special commissioner as an evidence of the increasing interest of the Government in this question."

"Intimation has already been given that special legislation on this subject will be brought down as a Government measure at next session, and it is therefore peculiarly fitting that accurate and official information from the standpoint both of the shipper and the transportation companies, be obtained as a basis for such legislation."

"Prof. McLean, as a student of railway legislation and the railway question for a number of years, is peculiarly fitted for work of this kind, and his report after meeting with both shippers and railway men should enable him to be of considerable assistance to the Minister in framing any general measure dealing with the railway question."

"The executive committee felt that the question was one warranting their most careful attention, and consequently instructed their railway and transportation committee to submit as full information as possible to the railway commissioner."

"The manufacturers will await with interest the developments in this connection during the next session of Parliament."

## The Remedy.

Unless the relations between capital and labor get better, they will be apt to become worse. That is the situation in the United States, where things are shaping towards (1) a colossal combination of capital, offset (2) by a colossal combination of labor. The time may come when both sides will be willing enough for some system of compulsory arbitration.

As Canada is apt to adopt Yankee fashions, owing to proximity, similar indications can be seen on this side the Atlantic. For example, the last number of Industrial Canada, issued by the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, hints at an organization of employers. Industrial Canada says:

"The attention of the manufacturers of Canada has been drawn more particularly to the labor question during the past few months than at any time for many years past. Not only in Canada, but in the United States, there seems to be at the present time a growing tendency to industrial conflict between the labor unions and the employers. Many of the disputes have been most serious in their results, and the question is receiving more than usual attention from the public. The feeling of the manufacturers is that the question is one that will have to be discussed by the manufacturers of the country collectively. One manufacturer that we have in mind in Toronto refers to the fact that for sixteen years he has been an employer of labor, and during that time has employed men, and worked regular union hours, and during all that period there has never been any trouble between the firm and its employees. Recently, however, a gathering of labor delegates from the United States was held in Toronto, and the result has been the organization of labor unions here by the outside representatives who were present. This manufacturer consequently found his men in a few days presenting further demands. They did not ask for higher wages or for shorter hours of labor, but came forward to ask the employer to sign documents restricting himself permanently with reference to the management of his own factory, and so strong was the influence of the visiting unions that, although the men had at that time every consideration that they had asked for, they went on strike. Such demands as these being presented from time to time to manufacturers in one locality and another are creating a powerful sentiment in favor of closer union among the manufacturers in every branch of industry, in order that they might protect themselves against unfair and unjust demands of this nature. What form such an organization would take has never been discussed, but if the action of some of the labor leaders in Canada continues, as in the case mentioned above, some action will, no doubt, be taken by the manufacturers."

Well, what is the remedy? Mutual forbearance, common sense, good judgment, in equal proportions and all flavored with the golden rule, would help the malady mightily. Voluntary arbitration could often do wonders. The difficulty frequently is the two sides get too hot to have enough sense left to resort to voluntary arbitration. That is why, in New Zealand, the State steps in with compulsory arbitration, making strikes as scarce as snakes in Ireland, and securing peace and a fair deal all round.

## The Man Who Always Says What He Thinks.

Ian MacLaren, in a recent address on courtesy, holds the mirror up to a certain type of person in a way that will appeal to many. He says: "Just because the machinery of life is so apt to be heated, one keenly appreciates those who are ever deftly pouring in the cooling oil, by their patience and their tact, their sweetness and their sympathy. And one resents keenly that class of people who are honest and well-meaning, but who are persistently discourteous and are not ashamed—I mean the man who is credited with what is called a bluff, blunt manner, and who credits himself with a special quality of downrightness and straightforwardness. He considers it far better to say what he thinks, and boasts that he never minces his words, and people make all kinds of excuses for him, and rather talk as if he were a very fine fellow, beside whom civil-spoken persons are little better than hypocrites. As a matter of fact, no one can calculate the pain this outspoken gentleman causes in a single day, both in his family and outside. Nor have I ever been able to understand why he is praised, or even tolerated, and why he is not sharply dealt with as an offender against the social peace. He is said to deal faithfully with any person whom he disapproves—it would be right to say he deals insolently; and what is called faithfulness is, generally unpardonable impudence. 'His bark,' it is said, 'is worse than his bite,' and one hopes it may be, but I do not see what consolation it is for me, when this ill-mannered person barks at my heels, that he has not also bitten me. I object to his barking, and if he persists I am justified in using a stick. No man has any right to lecture his neighbor, or to intrude upon his neighbor's privacy, or to wound his neighbor's feelings, and when he does so in his role of the plain-spoken man, then he ought to be made to understand the difference between reality and rudeness, and taught to keep a civil tongue in his head."

Dr. Koch's announcement should lead to the repeal of legislation under which hundreds of fine dairy cattle have been slaughtered without compensating the owners. It should also cause to be removed much of the friction in connection with trans-Atlantic commerce, due to the suspicion in regard to tuberculosis-infected cattle.

**Realism.** [Baltimore American.]

The Italian customs authorities have raised the duty on American plows as works of art. Then it is likely they would look on American mules as genuine old masters.

**A Costly Outfit.** [Tribune.]

"Did Mrs. Highgate's traveling gown fit well?" "Yes, but it cost so much she had to give up her trip and stay at home."

**Strikes.** [Washington Star.]

If to look through your school book perchance you're inclined

A fact you may run across there is That the very first striker of note amongst mankind

—our friend, Mr. Marco Bozzaris.

**Mistaken.** [Washington Star.]

"Did you say those folks who just moved into the neighborhood were Socialists?" asked the woman who was leaning over the back fence.

"Yes," answered the next-door neighbor.

"Well," suppose you see by this time that you are mistaken. We have had four socialists since they moved in and they haven't been to one of them."

**Riding Horses to Water.** [Detroit Free Press.]

When the clover bloom whitened the pastures

And when the gleamed bright in the sun

When the meadow-lark, hid by the roadside,

Sang in joy of a new day begun—

When the wildrose bloomed in the thicket,

Half hid by the tall, dewy grass,

To ride the horses to water—

A barefooted laddie and lass.

When the sun trailed his crimson and purple

Behind the tall poplar trees,

When the bird note was hushed in the thicket,

And the clover bloom, dreamed of its bees,

We hastened away to the meadow,

Down the path, thro' the soft, warm grass,

To ride the horses to water—

A barefooted laddie and lass.

O, my beautiful clover-studded meadow!

How far off you seem to-day!

And you, little path on the hillside,

Were never so far away!

My heart ever cries for the children

And the stir of the wind-blown grass,

As they rode the horses to water—

A barefooted laddie and lass.

**Capital vs. Labor.** [Goldwin Smith in Weekly Sun.]

While our eyes are turned to the Transvaal or China, society at home is threatened on its industrial side by peril which touches us more nearly than anything in another part of the globe. We are in danger of being ground between an upper and a lower millstone. The upper millstone is the colossal greed of the capitalist, who seeks to sweep all profit into his own coffers by destroying the freedom of production and making himself the sole arbiter of price. The lower millstone is the selfishness of the laborer, who seeks to put an end to the freedom of labor. The leader on one side is the grasping capitalist; the leader on the other side is a man who, it seems, was once a preacher, and probably belongs to the class marked out by an unquiet ambition as organizers

of industrial war. It is difficult to say of which side the victory would be most injurious to the community. Rather than go under the yoke of either, the community may some day be driven to create a power strong enough to save it from both. So far, happily, there has been a freedom from violence, which the leader of the steel trusts assures us will be continued. The artisans of the steel works are probably among the most intelligent and orderly of their class. But the loss and suffering must be great. They will, of course, be usual, heavy, and craft which is on strike to the other crafts which work to its hand.

## EVIDENCE HAS BEEN FINISHED

Defense in the Fosburg Case is Through.

Demurrer Against Argument in the Case Disallowed.

The Unhappy Mother of the Murdered Girl Tells the Story of the Tragedy.

Pittsfield, Mass., July 25.—Yesterday afternoon in the Fosburg trial, F. P. Sheldon, father of Miss Sheldon, who gave such important evidence for the defense, testified that he had a business acquaintance with Mr. Fosburg of three years' duration. His daughter was not in good health. Her visit to the Fosburg house was the result of an invitation of Mr. Fosburg, sen. He heard of the tragedy by telephone, and he immediately telephoned his daughter to come home.

Asked why he wanted her to come home, Mr. Sheldon said he thought that it would not be best for her to stay at the Fosburg house then. He was willing to have her come to the inquest to testify, she had not recovered from her shock.

Cross-examined, the witness said that he was friendly with the Fosburg family all the time, and he had never had any ill-will against them. At this point a short recess was declared.

After the short recess, Wm. W. Sheldon, of New York city, a shoe salesman, was called. He said his place of business was in the store of Hanan & Son, Twenty-ninth street and Broadway. He had seen the shoe there in July, 1900. A shoe was handed to the witness, and he identified it as having come from one of the Hanan & Son's stores. He had seen the shoe before, when a detective brought it to him at his store. He said the shoe was sold by him on July 5, 1900, but to whom he could not say. He said only one pair of shoes of that kind at that time. Mr. Sheldon said that he had come to Pittsfield at the request of an officer for the purpose of "looking around the city and seeing if he could recognize anyone as the shoe." He had not found any such person.

The all-important shoe which the defense claims must have been dropped by the burglars was the subject of further testimony, this time from George Bridges, the manager of the street and Broadway. He identified the shoe shown him as the shoe which he had sold, and said that there was a price of \$5.00. This he produced. The price of the shoe was \$5.00. He noticed at the time that there was some cotton in the toes of the shoes. The defendant wore them.

"Yes; I should judge that the size is a half smaller than this one. Mr. Fosburg, sen., wears 7½."

For the purpose of proving that the defendant was not in New York city, the witness was recalled, and asked with reference to his transactions on July 5 at the Fosburg house, shown some six checks, witness declared that two of them were signed by Robert S. Fosburg, and that all of them were dated July 5.

A copy-book was handed to the witness containing impressions of letters written on July 5, and he said they were the work of the witness, and that some of them were signed by Robert S. Fosburg, sen., and some by Mr. S. Fosburg. Both men were in the office that day.

Wm. P. Hazen, for 22 years a New York detective, testified that he had been the employee of Mr. Fosburg, sen., since June 3, 1900. He was investigating the murder of Miss Mary Fosburg. There were other men at the Fosburg house, and he proceeded to describe an experiment which he made last evening with a screen in the window through which it is claimed the burglars departed. He said that the screen was raised and raised eleven inches. He started from a point nine feet from the window, and made the best of getting through the window to the body. It took him five seconds to do it. The two Shephardsons and Mr. Lund went through in much less time. James Fosburg went through in 24 seconds.

Cross-examined by the government, he stated that he tried the experiment first with a light in the room, and then with the light out. This was about nine o'clock, and the night was cloudy.

At 12:30 a recess was declared until 2 o'clock.

On the reassembling of the court, Mrs. Robert L. Fosburg, the mother of the defendant, and Mrs. Nellie Beverly were sworn.

Mrs. Beverly took the stand. She said she was in Pittsfield last summer with her husband in order that he might be near a physician. Her husband died on Aug. 25. They were living near the Fosburg house, and it was her custom to give her husband a medicine every hour. Between 11 and 12 o'clock on Aug. 26, she heard two persons running down the sidewalk from Dalton way. They seemed to stop near her house, and were breathing very hard. The noise disturbed her husband, and she opened the blinds to see what was the matter. She saw a man standing beside a tree 2 o'clock on Aug. 26, his hand under his mouth as if he suppressed the noise of heavy breathing. She told the man to get away from there, that her husband was ill. She did not remember that she saw anything upon his head.

Mrs. Robert L. Fosburg, mother of the defendant, was then summoned to the witness stand. She was dressed entirely in black, with a long veil, and wore glasses. On examination by Mr. Joyner, she said that her name was Esther Stewart Fosburg.

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Questioned with reference to the ages of her children, she said that Robert was 30 years old, and that May was just 24 in July of 1900. Her son Robert had been married more than three years. He never lived with his father and mother until three or four days before the witness went to St. Louis, which was in the middle of July. She was in St. Louis when she received notice that her husband was ill, and she started home. She arrived home on the Saturday before May died. Mrs. Fosburg then proceeded to relate the events at her home on Sunday, Aug. 19.

Mrs. Fosburg was the last witness of the day, and immediately after her testimony was closed the defense rested. This was at 3:30 p.m.

Then the government introduced some little evidence in rebuttal, and the defense put on a new witness in rebuttal. That closes the case, with the understanding that the government would have an opportunity of placing Col. Whitney, the state detective on the stand in the morning, to which the court adjourned.

At the close of the session Judge Stevens, together with the counsel for both sides, retired to the ante-room, where Mr. Joyner for the defense, made a long argument on the question of his suggestion that the judge order a verdict of not guilty. The result is that the jury officially, but it is understood that the arguments will be made in the case at the opening of the session tomorrow. Lawyer Joyner stated that if the case was argued, District Attorney Hibbard, for the defense, would probably not take over an hour and a half. It is possible the case will go to the jury tomorrow noon.

At the close of the session, Counsel Hibbard, for the defense, announced late tonight that he would make the argument tomorrow, which is thought to mean that the demurrer of the defense to the decision of the court refusing to order a verdict of not guilty is overruled.

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**The Death of Mrs. David Christie  
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Years Ago—Married Senator  
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The death yesterday of Mrs. Christie, widow of the late Hon. David Christie, removes from earthly scenes a lady whose purity of life, nobility of character and sweetness of disposition have endeared her to many friends in London and other places. For some considerable time she has borne with Christian resignation the distress and suffering consequent upon a protracted illness. In her death London loses a much-loved and most estimable resident, her friends lose one whose life was a constant inspiration and power for good, and her children are bereft of a saintly and tender mother.

The late Mrs. Christie was born 69 years ago in Jedburgh, Scotland, her maiden name being Margaret Robinson Teifer. She was brought to Canada a year after her father, the late Wm. Teifer, the family settling at Paris, Ont. In 1860 she married Hon. David Christie, speaker of the Canadian Senate during the Mackenzie regime. Senator Christie was a close personal friend of Hon. Geo. Brown, Hon. Alex. Mackenzie, and many other distinguished statesmen and public men. Senator and Mrs. Christie made their home at their beautiful residence, "The Plains," situated between Paris and Brantford. After Senator Christie's death, 20 years ago, his widow lived in Brantford, and Toronto, until six years ago, when she came to reside with her daughter, Mrs. C. W. Leonard. During the major portion of her residence in this city Mrs. Christie has been an invalid, but only five months ago did her illness assume a serious character. Mrs. Christie was a member of the First Presbyterian Church, having been a life-long adherent of Presbyterianism, and having always taken an active part in church work. She leaves four sons and four daughters.

The funeral, which will be private, leaves Mr. C. W. Leonard's residence, 260 Queen's avenue, at 11 a.m. on Saturday. The interment will take place in the family burying plot at St. George.

**LITTLE ONES' PICNIC.**  
Quite a large number of the children of the Memorial Church and their friends picnicked at Queen's Park yesterday and enjoyed a very happy time. Their races were won as follows:

Girls' race, 8 years old—1. Lulu Brown, 2. L. Jones, 3. E. Scott, 4. E. Keown.  
Boys' race, 8 years old—1. E. Warcup, 2. R. Thompson, 3. R. Lightfoot.  
Girls' race, 6 years old—1. E. Tull, 2. S. Routledge, 3. C. Vrooman, 4. E. Miller.  
Boys' race, 7 years old—1. Mottashed, 2. W. Foxworthy, 3. D. Bartlett, 4. A. McKenna.  
Girls' race, 6 years old—1. H. Brodison, 2. L. Brown, 3. E. Beaupre.  
Boys' race, 6 years old—1. D. Patterson, 2. G. Burdick, 3. W. Toll.  
Girls' race, 5 years old—1. Ira Colerick, 2. Gladys Wright, 3. F. Howard.  
Boys' race, 5 years old—1. R. Stanfield, 2. H. Gold, 3. Fred Foxworthy.  
Girls' race, 4 years old—1. Lena Jackson, 2. Vera Martin, 3. Amy Mottashed.  
Boys' race, 4 years old—1. Jim Farrell, 2. W. Blackwell, 3. G. Brodison.  
Boys' and girls' race—1. Charlie Axton, 2. Frank Gold, 3. Everett Wright.

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#### Meteorological.

Toronto, July 25.—The weather has been much cooler in the lake regions, attended by showers; elsewhere in Canada it has been generally fair, with no marked change in the temperature from yesterday.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Sault Ste. Marie, 53-62; Parry Sound, 54-74; Toronto, 62-70; Ottawa, 52-76; Montreal, 54-70; Quebec, 62-74. Local temperatures, Thursday: High—50, lowest 36.  
Today (Friday) the sun rose at 4:59 a.m., and sets at 7:48 p.m. The moon rises at 8:55 a.m. and sets at 9:44 a.m.

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—Hurd's milk wagon was smashed into kindling wood by a street car at the corner of Maitland and Dundas streets yesterday.  
—Miss Ethel Brock, pupil of Mr. Charles Wheeler, has officiated most acceptably at the organ of Tebbot Street Baptist Church for several Sundays past.

**A LOCAL BUDGET.**

—Judgment has been handed down in the action of the Provident Chemical Works vs. the Canada Chemical Manufacturing Company. The verdict is for the latter company.

**NOT EXAGGERATED.**  
Mr. George H. Bradbury, of Selkirk, Man., has been commissioned by the Manitoba Government to come to Ontario to make known the facts in relation to the crops of Manitoba, with the object of securing needed harvest help. He says the stories about the crops of the Northwest are exaggerated. The yield of grain will be by far the greatest in the history of the province. Two million acres of wheat, 100,000 acres of oats and 200,000 acres of barley are now in good condition, and a conservative estimate places the total yield at \$80,000,000 to \$90,000,000 will be wheat.

**HOW THEY CAME.**  
The Chicago Old Boys will come on the Michigan Central in special trains.

The railway company have granted a single fare rate, good from the 4th to the 13th. They will arrive on Monday morning at 8 o'clock. The Detroit Old Boys will come by the C. P. R., reaching here on Sunday at 1 o'clock, and the Light Guard Band will accompany them again. The Clevelanders will bring a band, which is to remain until Tuesday evening, Aug. 6. The excursion is by boat to Port Stanley, and the L. E. and D. R. R. to London, reaching here on Sunday morning about 9 o'clock. Toronto's Old Boys will come by the G. T. R., arriving here at 11 o'clock on Monday. The Cadet Band has been engaged for the excursion.

**CORNER-STONE LAYING.**  
On Sunday next, his Lordship Right Rev. Dr. McEwen will bless and lay the corner-stone of the new church to be erected on Lyle street. The solemn ceremony will begin at 2:30. The psalms proper to the occasion and the Litany of the Saints will be chanted by a combined choir of the two churches. The preacher will be Very Rev. Father McGrady, recently appointed president of Assumption College, Sandwich. Assisting his lordship, besides the pastor, the new church, Rev. H. G. Traher, there will be Very Rev. Joseph Bayard, V. G.; Very Rev. Dean Kilroy, Rev. T. Noonan, Rev. M. McCormack, Rev. Joseph Kennedy, Revs. Daniel and Francis Foster, Rev. J. T. Aylward, Rev. P. J. McKeon, Rev. D. J. Egan and a number of other diocesan clergy. The officers of the St. Vincent de Paul Society, the C. M. E. A., St. Peter's Court, C. O. F., St. Mary's Court, C. O. F., have arranged to participate in the ceremonies.



**The Demand  
Increasing for Better  
Summer Reading.**

300 Canadian Copyright Novels put on the counter today, including "The Crisis," by Churchill, "Cinderella," by Crockett; "Visita of Elizabeth," "Helmets of Navarre," etc.  
A few large American Hammocks at cost.  
Croquet, very cheap.  
Pantry Stationery, in all tints.  
Paperettes, neatly boxed.

**ANDERSON'S.**  
Another lot of cheap 10c novels on the way.

**GLEN'S TWO  
CHIMERAS**

**Being Laid Before London  
Board of Trade.**

**Would Annex Canada to the United  
States and Construct a Gigantic  
Canal System.**

Secretary Nelles, of the board of trade, is in receipt of some literature, being sent out by Hon. Francis Wayland Glen, secretary and manager of the National Continental Union League of New York. Mr. Glen is kindly forwarding to boards of trade all over Canada, letters, circulars and pamphlets, which are devoted to the two-fold purpose of explaining a rosette scheme of forming a gigantic system of artificial inland waterways, and advancing the aims and objects of the National Continental Union League.

The National Continental Union League is an organization for the purpose of furthering the absorption of Canada by the United States. The names of many well-known Americans appear on the roll of officers and members of the union. Among them are seen some, such as Paul Dana and W. Burke Cochran. Dana is president; Andrew H. Green is secretary, and the directors are: W. Bourke Cochran, Darwin R. James, George Hoodly, John Woodward, Edward P. Brown, Silas B. Dutcher, John D. Kelsey, John C. McGuire, Edward Lauterbach. The following are a few of the members of the advisory committee: Andrew Carnegie, John Jacob Astor, Seth Low, William C. Whitney, Cornelius N. Bliss, Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain), Charles M. Pratt, Col. Alexander K. McClure, Gen. John Barney, Hon. Elihu Root (secretary for war), Mr. Russell Sage, Major-General H. H. Wilson, Hon. John Hay (secretary of state), and John P. Jones, Colorado.

After giving figures to show the amount of revenue which the canal would give in ship tolls and water power rates, and after assuming "that an interoceanic canal will be constructed by the government, by Panama or Nicaragua, without any further delay, with or without the consent of Great Britain," Mr. Glen's letter concludes.

"The construction of these canals means to the vast and noble army of North American workers, 8 hours per labor, 8 hours for recreation, invention, discovery, and self-culture, and 8 hours for rest and slumber, with better food, clothing and shelter, and a larger share of the comforts and luxuries of life than they have ever enjoyed before, or than is enjoyed by the workers of any other nation; and for this class of workers it will be an inestimable blessing. Finally, it means the complete emancipation of this hemisphere and all of its destinies from European dominion, dominion and control, and its dedication to the uplifting of humanity through peaceful industry; or, in other words, the creation of a greater United States, extending from Newfoundland to Vancouver and from the Gulf of Mexico to the Arctic Sea, including the whole of the west and all the islands on the east which, as satellites to a planet, belong to North America."

Mr. Glen's scheme certainly possesses the virtues of comprehensiveness, but as the cost, according to his own estimates, is a billion dollars, it is likely the canal will remain for some years just where they are at present on paper.

**THEIR MODEST DECLARATION.**

A declaration being sent out by the league says: "We, the undersigned, desire that all peaceful and honorable means should be used to consummate the political union of the United States and Canada. In our opinion the time has come when it is desirable that Europe should cease to direct or control the political or domestic affairs of any portion of this continent, and we believe that such cessation would unite all English-speaking communities throughout the world in one common effort to develop, promote, extend and defend constitutional government, and will be for the best interests of humanity. We earnestly desire to see the two great English-speaking families who now occupy this continent united under one flag, upon terms generous, just and honorable to both of the contracting parties. We firmly believe that the extension of the boundaries of the United States, from the Gulf of Mexico to the Arctic Sea, and from Newfoundland to Vancouver, will not only secure the rapid development of the practically unlimited natural resources of the whole continent, but likewise promote the happiness and best interests of all the people, materially lessen the per capita cost of government and defense, and be preservative of the peace of both North and South America and of the world. We, therefore, unite in organizing 'The National Continental Union League,' having for its object the promotion of continental union by

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all lawful, peaceful and honorable means."

In conclusion, reference is made to the withdrawal from America of Russia and Spain, the hope being expressed that the western hemisphere will eventually be relieved from European domination.

**A GREAT SHIP CANAL.**

In the letter received by Secretary Nelles, Mr. Glen's canal scheme is outlined as follows: "First, a ship canal from the Hudson River, through the channel of the Mohawk River, Ovid Lake and Oswego River, to Lake Ontario, with 25 feet of water over the Mire Sills, with locks in proportion; and also a canal from Obedt, Lake Ontario, to Toronto, upon the Niagara River, of the same dimensions. Second, a ship canal from Albany to the St. Lawrence River, through Lake Champlain, of the same depth of water and locks of the same size. Third, a ship canal from Chicago to deep water upon the Illinois River, of the same dimensions. Fourth, the improvement of the channels of the Hudson, Mississippi, Missouri and Ohio Rivers, so that the largest sized vessel which can pass through the locks proposed, can pass up and down these rivers with perfect freedom. Fifth, the enlargement of the St. Lawrence and Welland Canals to the same dimensions as those now proposed. Sixth, the construction of the French River, Ottawa and Montreal Canal, with the same sized locks and depth of water, thereby forming Georgian Bay with tide water at Montreal. Seventh, the enlargement of the Trent Valley Canal from Midland, on Georgian Bay, to Murray Bay, on Lake Ontario, to the same dimensions."

**SCOTSMEN  
PICNIC AT  
LAKESIDE**

**A Great Gathering at Old  
Port Stanley.**

**Estimated That Over Six Thousand  
People Were Present.**

**'Twas Most Successful Picnic in  
History of St. Andrew's and  
Scottish Societies.**

The officers of St. Andrew's Society fairly earned the congratulations that they received yesterday for their splendid, successful picnic. Indeed, the officers this year have established two records that to excel will require strenuous efforts on the part of succeeding leaders of the society. The banquet last fall was notably the finest in its history, and there is no doubt whatever about this being the best picnic that has ever been held under Scottish auspices on the Port Stanley heights.

All things considered, the weather favored the picnic. The early morning murkiness was not sufficiently threatening to keep any people from the Port—rather the reverse, in fact, for the hundreds of picnickers who came to the hill more agreeable than it would have been otherwise. When the first trainloads arrived by the lake, a mist, surely a good Scotch state of affairs, hung over all the grounds and a drizzle of rain fell that was only damp enough to tickle the self-esteem of those who had brought umbrellas. But shortly after the first detachments climbed the hill, the sun's warm rays poked a passage through the clouds, and smiled thereafter upon the happiness that was everywhere apparent. Long trains of cars followed the first one rapidly, and the St. Andrew's men who looked feebly at the sullen sky as they left in the early morning, were delighted as trainload after trainload rolled in with many thousands of picnickers, and the picnic was truly gratifying to those whose high expectations had been warranted by hard work. Each train that came to the hill was met by a band of musicians at all the midway stations, and especially large numbers from St. Thomas. The estimate made by the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway Company was that over 6,000 people were on the hill—4,000 from London, 1,500 from St. Thomas, and considerably more than 500 from the country surrounding the Port.

The day of the Scotchmen's picnic is ever a lively and merry one. Perhaps the proverbial clamorishness has something to do with the feeling of good comradeship that is always a feature of the affair; certainly the Scotch hospitality has. The music band which to do with it, too. Who that has felt the thrill of the pipes' strains, and seen the proud form of George Angus or won the bladdie of strathspey and down to the stirring tune of "Highland Laddie," could feel in any but a holiday mood? The arrangements in this regard were particularly effective yesterday. Many an old Scotchman, with memories of the loved home land over the sea, and many a young man, too, won the bladdie of strathspey and down to the stirring tune of "Highland Laddie," could feel in any but a holiday mood? The arrangements in this regard were particularly effective yesterday. Many an old Scotchman, with memories of the loved home land over the sea, and many a young man, too, won the bladdie of strathspey and down to the stirring tune of "Highland Laddie," could feel in any but a holiday mood? The arrangements in this regard were particularly effective yesterday.

The programme in the afternoon was one of unbroken entertainment, and luckily no marring features were encountered. All the events had been carefully arranged, and were conducted with commendable expedition. They were witnessed by numbers that were

even inconvenient at times. Several times, so great were the numbers that tried for the prizes, it was necessary to run three heats. The programme did not include too many races, so that this did not stretch it out to a tiresome length. Anyway, they were fought out with such vigor and intensity that the spectators were greatly interested. The sports committee did a very sensible thing in running the hundred yards dash on the beach. In past years a pretense of a full-length race has been put on, and even at that, comparatively few people saw it, while those who did were in the way. All could and did see the race yesterday, and the action of the committee in making the change was frequently heard praised. Years ago, steeplechase races were held on the killing course down one stairs, along the beach, and back via the other, but were discontinued for several seasons because the contestants ended in various degrees of exhaustion. The race was always an interesting one, notwithstanding, and when revived yesterday on a shortened course, was quite a popular feature. The men had to run a certain distance along the beach, and then up the high cliff. None of the chaps who were in it complained that it was not a severe enough test. The men mostly were onlookers at the quoits matches, women seemingly having small delight at seeing circles of iron hurled at a white paper stuck in a round of clay. The sport was good from the spectators' viewpoint, and many spectators always watched the matches. While the dancers were dancing the stand was surrounded by an immense throng, and the dancing aroused much enthusiasm. Music was given by the pipers of the 48th Highlanders, and of London and St. Thomas. It is many a Scotchman humming the stirring old airs, and one old fellow, who appeared to have clean forgotten himself, brought looks of mingled astonishment and amusement by singing aloud:

"Where hae ye been sae braw, lad?  
Where hae ye been sae brankie, O?  
O' where hae ye been sae braw, lad?  
Can ye be by Killarney, O?  
An' hae been whaur hae been,  
Ye had na been sae cantie, O.  
An' ye had seen what I ha' seen, lad,  
On the braes o' Killarney, O."

The evening banquet was held as usual at the Fraser House, where Mine Host amply justified his reputation for serving a good table. It was a merry meal, at which they who sat down would all say with Bobbie Burns:

"Ye Pow'rs, wha mak mankind your  
care,  
And dish them out their bill o' fare,  
Auld Scotland wants nae sturking  
ware  
That yaps in luggies;  
But, if ye want hae gratefu' prayer,  
Gie her a Haggis!"

President J. B. McKillop, Treasurer J. W. Jones, Secretary Fred Macfie, Assistant Secretary W. Y. Martin, and many prominent Scotchmen and guests were around the board, and the supper passed off very pleasantly. A few toasts were introduced and brief responses made. Toastmaster McKillop said that he regretted the unavoidable absence of Sir John Carling, Col. Leys, M.P., Col. Cuddeback, Lord States consul, and others. After the King had been honored, the Governor-General and the United States, Rev. Mr. McIntyre and Rev. Mr. McCrae, respectively, made eloquent and witty responses to the toasts, "Canada, the Land We Live In," and "Scotland, the Land of Our Forefathers." A toast was drunk to "The Canadian and Ontario Legislatures" and to "Sister Societies," for which Mr. John Stevely replied in behalf of the Irish Benevolent Society and Mr. J. B. Cox for St. George's.

The speech-making concluded in time to let the banqueters catch the 8:30 train.

The results of the contests were as follows:  
Race for girls under 10 years—1. Ada Whitlam; 2. Ina McLeod; 3. divided between Nettie McGill and L. Summers.

Race for boys under 10 years—1. Henry Owen; 2. Walter Campbell; 3. S. Lawson.

Race for girls under 15 years—1. Annie Campbell; 2. Ruth Cox; 3. Lilian Lyttle.

Race for boys under 15 years—1. J. Coulter; 2. Roy McDonald; 3. J. McAlpine.

Best dressed boy in Highland costume, presented by Mr. A. Durand—Victor Riddle. Contested also by Clarke Ross, Robert Frumenthal and Sam Logan.

Best dressed girl in Highland costume, presented by Mayor Rumball—Ina Riddle. Contested also by Merritt Riddle and Susie McGill.

100 yards dash, open—1. H. P. Mahler; 2. E. Kingsland; 3. F. Moore. Highland fling—1. Ina Riddle; 2. Clarke Ross; 3. Susie McGill.

Highland fling, in costume, girls, medal presented by J. S. Barnard—1. Susie McGill; 2. Ina Riddle; 3. Merritt Riddle.

Shaun Trevis, girls under 14 years of age—1. Susie McGill; 2. Ina Riddle. Highland fling, in costume, boys, medal presented by President J. B. McKillop—1. Robert Frumenthal; 2. Clarke Ross.

Sailor's Hornpipe, boys and girls—1. Susie McGill; 2. Ina Riddle; 3. Clarke Ross.  
Irish jig, in costume, open—1. Susie McGill; 2. Ina Riddle.  
Steeplechase, open—1. H. Mahler; 2. W. Ross; 3. J. Coulter.  
Quoiting—1. Errington; 2. John Bell; 3. Storey.

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**SATURDAY:**

**Double Trading**

**Stamps All Day**

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**Shirt Waists for 49c**

200 Ladies' Muslin Shirt Waists, in a full variety of colors, black and white, white and black, blue and white, red and white, made in this season's latest styles, plain black, bishop sleeve, soft cuff, white laundered collar. This lot is a duplicate of the lot we had last week, purchased especially for this Double Trading Stamp Sale, regular value \$1, sale price..... **49c**

**Corsets, 35c**

100 pairs Ladies' Summer Corsets, pure white English net, strong girdle support, regular value 50c, sale price..... **35c**

**Corsets, 27c**

30 pairs Ladies' White Net Corsets, two or three sizes missing, regular 40c value, to clear at..... **27c**

**MANUFACTURERS' SALE OF Clothing UPSTAIRS.**

**\$1 25 SUITS** for boys, 2-piece, all-wool tweeds, choice of plain, checks, stripes and mixtures, just one suit of each kind, ranging in value from \$1 75 to \$2 50; your choice at..... **\$1 25**

Halifax Tweed Suits, for boys, 2-piece, strapped back and well made; a good suit for \$2.25, sale price..... **\$1 50**

**MEN'S CLOTHING SALE IN FULL FORCE FOR SATURDAY.**

**New Collars.** Ladies' New American Collars, the correct styles for hot weather, good variety at 20c, 25c, 35c, 40c.

Muslin Wash Ties..... **39c**  
Silk Ties, extra fine for..... **50c**  
Eton Linen Collars..... **15c**

Foundation Stock Collars, white, well supported with Featherbone, big and little sizes..... **15c**

**Fashion Magazine, 5c.** "The Modes" August number, in latest designs from London, Paris and Vienna, direct from the world of fashion..... **5c**

**Electric Soap, our own, 15 cakes for 25c.**

Shell Brand Castile, pure, 3 lbs bar..... **25c**  
Chapman's long bar laundry, 3 bars for..... **25c**  
Ammonia, Powdered, large package..... **5c**  
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**Kerr Thread, all numbers, 3 for 10c.**

Kid Curlers, per dozen..... **10c, 15c**  
Rubber Combs, 5c, 10c, 15c to **45c**  
Toilet Pins, 400 in paper, for..... **5c**  
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Black Darning Cotton, fast black, for cashmere and cotton hose, 3 cards for..... **5c**

**Summer Millinery.**

An opportunity to get a **TRIMMED HAT** for what you paid early in the season for the plain hat. Hats that ranged as high as \$12 and \$13 can be bought today for two prices..... **\$1.50 and \$2.50**

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