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Work has commenced on the Brantford new electric railway. The road is expected to be in working order in a couple of months.

ELGIN.

The marriage of Rev. W. R. Harvey, of Hespler, and Miss Emma Stacey, daughter of Mr. T. Stacey, senior member of the Stacey Hardware Company, St. Thomas, took place Wednesday afternoon. Miss Stacey was on Monday night presented with an address and a life membership in the Women's Missionary Society by the members of the First Methodist Church, St. Thomas.

The colic dog owned by Mr. Wm. Dangorfield, of Sparta, which showed symptoms of madness and broke away Saturday night, was not killed until Monday afternoon. In the meantime it had traversed a large section of country and portions of St. Thomas, and is reported to have bitten a number of other dogs, as well as horses, cattle, sheep and pigs.

Mr. Murray Travis died at his residence on Talbot street, two and a half miles east of Stratfordville, on Saturday morning. Mr. Travis had been ill but a short time with pneumonia in his head and arm. His arm was amputated below the elbow on Thursday evening, but he soon sank rapidly. Mr. Travis was deacon of the Baptist Church, Eden, and was universally respected and beloved. The funeral was held in the Eden Baptist Church Monday and was one of the largest ever held in that section.

Court Nelson, I. O. F., Dutton, will run an excursion from St. Thomas to Detroit Aug. 12.

Dustin Ballah, of Lyons, aged about 7 years, had one of his hands drawn into a pulley and a little finger severed. Dr. Redfords of the famous George Ecker and Harry Graham are suffering from stroke.

The following are guests and in camp at Lake Lodge, Port Huron: Mrs. E. Becker and daughter, C. Becker's daughters, Miss Spomenberg and Miss Ellis, of Tilsburg; Mrs. W. R. Watson, of Otterville; Miss Watson, of Toronto; Master Chelena Becker, Mrs. Merrill, R. C. Scott and family, Miss Bremner, L. Merrill, Dr. Lon Sinclair, A. E. Allen, D. Brown and A. Hobbs, of Tilsburg; T. E. Hillman and family, of Sarnia; Mrs. Smith, of Brantford; Mrs. Findlay, of London; Mrs. Hilda Aylmer; Miss Sarah Thompson and A. W. Raynes, of Tilsburg.

KENT.

On Saturday Dr. Rutherford, of Chatham, was called to attend a case arising out of a peculiar accident in the township of Raleigh. The little son of Mr. James Welsh, of concession 11, while out among the harvesters, fell in the way of the binder and was drawn up on the carrier like a sheaf, and subjected almost to the same treatment before the machine was stopped and the luckless lad rescued from his perilous position. He was found to have sustained only bruises and injuries of a minor character, although it is a miracle he was not crushed to death.

The last of August was the 50th anniversary of the admission to the bar of the late Judge Robert Wood, one of the judges of the county of Kent.

John Empey, Ingersoll, has been engaged as principal of the Quatt Public School for the balance of 1902.

MIDDLESEX.

Rev. W. W. Shepherd, principal of Mount Elgin Institute, has left with his family on a six weeks' vacation, which they will spend on the banks of the St. Lawrence.

The death occurred at his late residence, 4th line, Adelaide, the other day, of Mr. George F. Early, one of Adelaide's well-known and esteemed residents.

He had been in poor health for some time past. The deceased gentleman was born in the State of New York and came to Canada about 1843, settling on the 4th line, of which he has been a respected resident ever since. Some twenty years ago he married Miss Mary Patterson, of the same town, by whom he had a family of four children, ranging from 4 to 16 years of age, who survive him. He was a brother of Mrs. James Alexander, of Strathroy; Mrs. Charles Matthews, of Kerwood; Mrs. Jackson, of Canton, O., and Wm. Early, of London, who has been visiting Mr. John Douglas, Trethill farm, Adelaide.

During a recent electric storm Mesars. Laidman, of con. 9, East Nissouri, had four cows and a steer killed by the electric fluid. The cows were in their barns and the steer, but fortunately the building, which contained 25 tons of this season's hay, did not take fire.

The Tracey Brothers, of St. Marys, obtained the contract for the construction of a new bridge as a substitute for the Elgin bridge to span the Thames, at a cost of \$2,000.

At Dorchester Station wheat averages 30 bushels per acre.

The Episcopal rectory at Delaware is being repaired. Rev. Mr. Brown intends moving in this week.

At Gladstone wheat averages about twenty bushels per acre.

OXFORD.

Mr. George Bott, of West Zorra, has a stem of the Mummy variety of pea, which had 34 pods containing 125 peas on it. He has four acres of this kind of pea, and it will be an extra large crop.

John Gibbs was charged at the Woodstock Police Court Tuesday with attempt to assault a 10-year-old daughter of Griffin tree, Wm. Gray, J. P., occupied the bench. Gibbs was discharged.

The following changes have been made in the teaching staff of the Ingersoll Public School. Miss Violet Main, of Brantford, has been appointed to room No. 1, north of the river, and Miss Blanche Crawford, of Ingersoll, to room No. 2, north. Miss Sutherland and Miss Boles will be promoted from rooms Nos. 1 and 2 north to Nos. 8 and 10 south. Miss Bella Ross, of Ingersoll, will supply room No. 9 during the temporary absence of Miss Gregory at the Normal School. Miss Minnie Maguire, of Weston, has been appointed kindergarten mistress, and Miss Lulu Tipp, of Ingersoll, assistant.

Miss M. E. Harrison has tendered her resignation as assistant teacher in the Tilsonburg Public School.

The railway engineer and his staff are still engaged in the work of locating the Tilsonburg and Port Huron Railroad.

Thames Valley farmers have completed their harvesting. The wheat is good, but not expected to turn out as good as last year according to the bulk. Threshing has commenced here.

Don Purcell's barn, Thames Valley, was burned with lightning during the severe storm last week.

PERTH.

Mr. W. J. Falconer has resigned his position as principal of the Bolton Public School, having purchased a hardware business in Palmerston.

WENTWORTH.

The Hamilton trolley cars carried over 20,000 passengers on Monday, the civic holiday.

It is now announced that the death of the

INCLOSED BY ICE.

Giant Bergs Threaten to Crush a Vessel.

But Just as Hope Had Fled the Flee Opened and Scattered.

New York, Aug. 10.—Following close upon the experience had by Capt. Joseph Swain, of the American bark Alice with ice in the South Atlantic Ocean, comes that of the ship New City, which has just arrived.

Like the Alice, the New City was imprisoned among the gigantic floes, and for a time it looked as if she would be crushed, and her fate and that of her crew would be added to the already long list of mysteries of the sea.

The New City is commanded by Capt. Bray and sailed from Talat and Valparaiso, Chili, 94 days ago. Capt. Bray has made many voyages around the Horn, and he says that the one just ended is the most eventful in his life. In rounding the "Point of Storms," as the Horn is called by sailors, the ship encountered very rough weather. She was beaten and battered about until she creaked and groaned from the strain upon her. Being a staunch craft, however, she weathered the hurricane and cyclones, only to sail into what might have been death.

There is a belief among sailors that divine Providence keeps a more careful watch over those who follow the sea than over other people, and this seems to be true, judging from the narrow escape of those on the New City.

The ship passed Cape Horn on June 6, and was sailing along before a spanking breeze, when two mammoth icebergs were sighted on June 20. They were a great way off, and the course of the vessel was changed slightly to port so as to pass them by. The ship sailed along, all the time the two icebergs on the starboard growing larger and larger, until they looked like huge mountains.

Far away could be seen many more, dotting the ocean on all sides. As day faded and night settled the moon arose, shedding its bright light over the ocean, lighting up the bergs until they presented a spectral sight, which to the eyes of the sailors took all sorts of shapes. On the ice the mariners thought they saw houses, churches and trees.

As the night wore on more icebergs, some of them towering a thousand feet in the air, appeared until the big ship was entirely shut in. With the rising of the sun the wind died out, and it required the whole attention of the captain and crew to see that their vessel was kept from coming in contact with any of the bergs. For a whole day the vessel remained in her perilous position, and the crew was considering whether or not they might not have to seek refuge on the ice, when the bergs seemed to disappear, one by one, until there was an opening large enough for the New City to pass through. The vessel continued on her way, reaching this port in safety.

A Lasting Excuse. "I want to get off this afternoon," said Jacky Horner to his employer. "My grandmother's dead."

"Look here," said the employer severely, "didn't I give you an afternoon off a month ago because your grandmother was dead?"

"Yes, sir," replied the unabashed youth. "She is still dead, sir."

The Fly in the Ointment. "You ought to be very glad your corns are cured," said the pessimist's wife.

"I suppose so," replied the pessimist, but now I can't tell when it's going to rain."

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In three of the neighboring States gerrymanders have been knocked on the head. In this respect the Yankees are more careful of popular rights than are the Canadians. We are told that in Canada a dominant party, which owes its election to a former gerrymander, can cut and carve the constituencies in such a way as to defeat the popular will, and there is no appeal from their rascality. Moreover, a county judge is empowered by the infamous Franchise Act to overturn the judgment of six of his superiors in the higher courts—to snap his fingers at their deliberate decision—and to count as elected a man who received the minority of the legal votes cast. When it comes to rascalities of this description no nation on the face of the earth can show a worse record than has been established in Canada under the present regime. The Canadian pot can certainly not cry "black bottom" at the Yankee pan.

WE LEARN that Hon. Thomas Ballantyne, Speaker of the Ontario Legislature, while journeying in Scotland, was successful in collecting a considerable amount of material concerning the early life of Hon. Alex. Mackenzie. The acquired facts will add interest to the volume which Hon. G. W. Ross and Wm. Buckingham, formerly the trusted confidential secretary of the deceased statesman, have now in preparation.

GLADSTONE CALLED BY THE QUEEN.

Queen Victoria would have been thought more of by a large section of her subjects if, instead of summoning the aged Liberal leader to her castle in the Isle of Wight, she had deemed it convenient to return to London or to Windsor and there request Gladstone to take that position which the country demands. The Queen is ten years the junior of the adviser whom she will request to form a Ministry to-morrow, and she has certainly more time at her disposal than the statesman who will attend on her at Osborne House.

Mr. Gladstone, the cable informs us, retains his strength, despite the calls that were made upon him in the recent elections, and it is hoped that he will be able to form his Ministry and have a good rest before it is necessary to do much hard work. His colleagues will no doubt be able to save him from overwork; but it cannot be disguised that the situation is sufficiently complicated to cause some anxiety to the old Parliamentary hand. When even a strong man has reached the age of 83, it does not do to bank too much on his staying powers, but inasmuch as many of his opponents are placing their hope for the future in Gladstone's speedy collapse, it is well to remember that in his physical feats in the Scottish campaign he has already beaten the record. No previous British Premier has ever held power for four terms. No predecessor in the chief seat to the right of the Speaker was able, at the age of 83, to conduct a week's meetings—speaking once or twice daily—in a hotly-contested campaign. Indeed, during the last two centuries, England has had but one octogenarian Premier—Lord Palmerston—and he died at his post when he was in his 81st year. It is true that several noted British statesmen in this century—not one in the last—had in their time been Prime Ministers, attained to this longevity. Henry Addington (Lord Sidmouth, son of Dr. Addington) died at 87; the Duke of Wellington died at 82; Lord Grey at 81; Lord Russell at 86; out long before their decease they betook themselves to that "blest retirement," which the poet tells us is such a "friend to life's decline."

Gladstone therefore stands alone as a prodigy of bodily and intellectual vigor at the age of fourscore, and it may not be altogether unprofitable study in these days when Canadian statesmen and Canadian preachers are held by many to be past their day of active usefulness when they reach 60, to consider how the Grand Old Man has attained and has maintained this pre-eminence. According to London Hospital, "Mr. Gladstone's astonishing robustness is due to three causes, a sound constitution, which he has had wisdom enough to husband and protect; a devoted wife, who has allowed nothing to prevent her from giving the closest continuous attention to the well-being, preservation, and protection from worry of her husband; and the fact that Mr. Gladstone's health has been committed to the medical charge of a physician, Sir Andrew Clark."

"A man is, after all, very frequently his own best physician, although it has been said with truth that self-doctors have fools for their patients. Still, no medical care can equal the precautionary measures a

man can take where his own health is concerned. All of us need every day not too much, but at the same time enough good food, and an adequate time in bed and asleep, sleep being the rock on which many men go to pieces in these days of hurry and rush.

"Now, to be certain of securing sleep, it is essential to take each day a sufficiency of out-door exercise, so that the system may become physically tired. Hence, Mr. Gladstone's love of tree-felling, his probably done more than anything else to conserve his wonderful staying power. In such matters as diet and sleep, and any one normally sound in health who attends to them is nearly sure to be free from serious illness, each of us ought to be capable of adequately providing for himself.

In the case of ordinary mortals a few simple precautions will secure, that the individual shall live and not merely exist, seeing that life is not to live, but to be well. All this Mr. Gladstone has discovered and learned to believe, and so he has come to be a phenomenal instance of the best physical type of our race. The family of Mr. Gladstone have devoted themselves to their father's interest for years. Everything is so regulated as to secure to Mr. Gladstone the minimum of worry and he is saved from all avoidable fatigue. If work is wanted to be done there are always willing hands free to undertake and complete it without delay or remonstrance. All correspondence is carefully sorted and weighed, and none but important letters are brought to notice on busy days. Mrs. Gladstone is a solicitor for and care of her husband is a notable example for all wives, and to her care Mr. Gladstone has often attributed his escapes from illness, and not a little of his continuous good health. Yet Mr. Gladstone never neglects her other duties. Mrs. Gladstone, at the very busiest time of the year, has most cheerfully and effectually aided the hospitals by her pen, while her convalescent home at Woodford is one of the most economically-conducted institutions in the world.

"The Premier of the British Empire has little time to think of himself or his own health and requirements. The strain upon mind and body is truly appalling to those who have a precise knowledge of the duties and responsibilities of this high office of state. So the duty of conserving and maintaining the health of the head of her Majesty's Government is by no means a light one, but Mr. Gladstone's condition today proves that Sir Andrew Clark is facile princeps. The physician in charge of such a patient has to look after the regime, diet, exercise, the hours of rest, to see that there is no undue strain in any one direction, and to exercise sufficient tact to win his patient to like the ways which in his case tend to the continuance of sound health. All this and much more Sir Andrew has successfully accomplished in Mr. Gladstone's case, and the credit of this remarkable success must be shared by Mrs. Gladstone, to whom Sir Andrew would be the first to acknowledge his indebtedness."

A NEW and commendable development in trades unionism has been set on foot by the Carriage and Wagonmakers' International Union at its recent meeting in Columbus, O. Its rules provide that any person in the union who becomes intoxicated shall be summarily dismissed. There will be no opportunity for asking "Where was I at?" prior to expulsion for breaking this rule.

A DUKE'S CONFESSION.

The Duke of Fife, who, by the way, is a son-in-law to the Prince of Wales, made an important admission the other day, according to our cablegrams. He confessed that "properties of various sizes were more desirable than the solid overgrown estates which were the pride of a former generation, and that he had carried out this idea as soon as he came into possession of his own property."

It would have been decidedly to the benefit of the country if the view here set forth had been generally followed out by the British landlords, and especially those in Scotland. Instead of that, for several generations back, a large portion of the landlords have been squeezing the small farmers off their holdings, granting them no compensation for improvements effected, and turning a collection of the smaller farms or crofts into one large one. Thus thousands of hard-working families, whose forefathers had cultivated the soil and had paid tribute to the landlords for ages, were driven off the land and compelled either to emigrate or to go into the large cities to swell the ranks of the unskilled laborers. If the change has been satisfactory to the landlords, if it has resulted in popular demands for reforms that shall shear the soil owners of privileges by which they have unduly profited at the expense of their fellows, the experience has not been altogether unprofitable to the common people.

The Duke of Fife does well to advise his fellow-landlords to get upon safer ground.

DRIVING TO ANNEXATION.

The "Old Policy" is driving the people toward political union. Thousands of Conservative farmers have been betrayed by the pretense that the Conservative leaders would negotiate a reciprocity treaty. Let the dishonest and discredited policy be reversed by Parliament. At the least, the Government can scale down the duties, move toward free trade, lift the taxes from raw materials, cheapen farmers' and settlers' supplies, reorganize the immigration system, reduce the cost of government, reform the Senate, repeal the Franchise Act, stop subsidizing political railways, throw the provinces upon their own resources, cease the incendiary treason cry, and give us a plain, honest, unostentatious, business administration. There is enormous vitality in this young country, vast scope for development, a fine field for wise and progressive administration. There is no measure that holds such vast advantage for us as continental free trade—that a Conservative Administration cannot secure—but short of that there is such room for reformation in methods of administration and rectification of tariff abuses that a Government that will set itself honestly and fearlessly to the task can do much to enhance the general prosperity and check the rising movement for organic change.

TOPICS OF TO-DAY.

HON. EDWARD BLAKE's speech in London last night was pitched in the right key. As a conciliator, Mr. Blake is a success.

IN DETROIT they have not attained to the state of civilization reached in this progressive city. The people there insist on muzzling their dogs during these piping hot days.

THE present is the thirteenth Victorian Parliament, and now we shall see just how much bad luck there is in that number.—[Detroit Free Press.]

There will certainly be bad luck for one or other of the political parties.

An original method of inducing the residents of Alsace-Lorraine to become Germans has been discovered by the Volk, the organ of Herr Stoecker. This journal proposes that the State shall give a dowry to every native of Alsace-Lorraine who marries a German.

In the debate at Chautauqua on woman suffrage one of the speakers said: "It is very well to say that woman is ivy clinging to the oak, but what are you going to do with the thousands of women who have no oak to cling to?" And, then, what about the oaks who are clinging to the ivy, and who would tumble over without its support? That kind of oak is becoming quite fashionable of late.

"Co-operative Holiday Traveling" is the principle title of an extended article, which describes in most entertaining fashion the touring guilds of Toynbee Hall and the Polytechnic Institute, London, and the traveling clubs of Liverpool and Manchester. The article can but have a strong influence upon the movement for co-operative vacation journeys that is beginning to develop so notably in this country.

California miners believe that there is excellent chance of California being a great diamond producing region at some time. Major Atwood, one of the discoverers of the Comstock lode and a noted mineralogist, believes that there is great probability of finding in California one or even more of the volcanic pipes containing diamonds like that at Kimberly, California, and other famous diamond districts.

Schiaparelli, the great Italian astronomer, has declined a New York publisher's proposal to pay the expenses of a visit by the Italian to the Lick Observatory in California to study Mars. Dr. Schiaparelli gives as reasons for his refusal that the planet is too low for good observation and that in his opinion the next opposition in 1894 will give better opportunities. The inference is that Dr. Schiaparelli may consider the offer more favorably next opposition if it is repeated.

Petroleum, when stored in bulk, either in tank steamships or in tanks on shore, must be provided with means for expansion when the temperature rises. A drawback in appliances has been the admitting of air on the contraction of the oil. The manager of large works in West Hartlepool, England, has devised an apparatus that will prevent the access of air. In cylindrical domes on the top of the tanks he fits pistons, the rods projecting through the tops and moving freely. The pistons rest on the surface of the oil and rise and fall when it expands and contracts.

It is a great mistake to expose the complexion unnecessarily in summer, writes a medical adviser of women. All the tonic effect of country air and life may be enjoyed, without parching the skin or turning it brown with tan. The positive injury done to the skin in a single season by carelessness does more to increase wrinkles and turn the individual old before her time than all the harmless lotions in the world will remedy. The rule in all cases is care. An ample hat or sunshade which protects the face is an essential part of the summer outfit. Our ancestors laid great stress on this point, but they staid indoors too much. They knew few of the present joys of outdoor athletics. In the reaction of the present time, which demands greater outdoor freedom for women, we may have gone too far in mistaking the bronzed cheeks for the certain signs of health. A complexion soft and pure as the lily may accompany as robust a physique as one tanned in the winds of March or bronzed in the sun of August.

There was a scene as dramatic as anything in the story books during the stormy interview Sir Charles Euan-Smith had with the Sultan of Morocco on the occasion of the recent troubles at Fez. The report of the passage-at-arms as it appears in the London papers relates that after the treaty had been torn up Sir Charles said: "Perhaps I am to be killed. Perhaps Mr. McLeod, the British Vice-Consul, may be killed. Perhaps, as you say, the whole mission may be massacred, if you permit it; but one thing I can assure you of, that if this happens there will be another British Minister in Fez within a month. He will be accompanied by a Vice-Consul and a staff as well equipped as mine and better; but," the Minister added in deliberate tones, "then there will be no Sultan at Fez." This was very thrilling from John Bull's point of view. It is a new version of the old stage episode of the modest but resolute hero defying the villain. A glimpse of the other side of the story may be had in the point of the Sultan, recently published, that "Morocco is like a beautiful girl. She has many ardent suitors and she finds safety only in their number."

By conferring a knighthood on the Lord Mayor of London the other day the Queen has increased the number of titled ladies who have risen from the servants' hall. Lady Evans, the wife of the present chief magistrate of London, was formerly a chambermaid at the Oak Hotel, Sevenoaks, almost under the shadow of Lord Sackville's magnificent Elizabethan mansion. The present Lord Mayor was wont to spend his Autumn holiday at that popular inn, which by the way, is much frequented by American tourists, and while staying there he was smitten by the striking beauty of the eighteen-year-old chambermaid. After having obtained permission from her father and mother, worthy people of the name of Boskes, Mr. Evans, as he was then, removed her to a young ladies' seminary, and on attaining her nineteenth year, he married her. The Lady Mayores still retains many traces of her former beauty, is singularly unaffected and good-hearted and devoted to her father and mother. The former was a plumber, while the latter was, up to the date of her marriage, a cook. The ex-chambermaid will, therefore, figure henceforth as Lady Evans.

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THE WEATHER.
TORONTO, Ont., Aug. 10.—11 p.m.—To-
night's shallow depression covers the lake
region, and a deeper one covers the North-
west Territories. Showers and thunder
storms have been prevalent to-day in On-
tario and Quebec, while in the Maritime
Provinces and the Northwest Territories the
weather has been fine.
Minimum and maximum temperatures:
Calgary, 52°-78°; Edmonton, 54°-74°;
Prince Albert, 40°-74°; Winnipeg, 50°-
76°; Toronto, 68°-84°; Montreal, 64°-82°;
Quebec, 60°-70°; Halifax, 62°-78°.
TODAY'S PROBABILITIES.
TORONTO, Aug. 11.—1 a.m.—The indica-
tions for the next 24 hours for the lower
lake region (covering the peninsula and as
far east as Belleville) are: Winds mostly
west and north; fine weather stationary, or
lower temperature.

NOTES ABOUT HOME.
Wisdom—Make your breakfast a hearty
meal.
Good for dysentery—eggs. Take an egg,
beat it up lightly, swallow it at a gulp; re-
peat the dose every three hours during the
day and you will be cured.
When potter's ware is boiled for the pur-
pose of hardening it, a handful or two of
beaten egg should be thrown into the water,
and the glazing will never be injured by acids
or salt.
What housekeepers want is a cook book
that gives recipes for dishes that do not
require six dozen eggs, five barrels of flour,
the milk of one cow for a month, and a
couple of hundred pounds of sugar.
A disinfectant which combines cheapness
with general worth is found in permangan-
ate of potash. One ounce will make a
bucketful of disinfectant. It is a crystal,
and can be kept in this state until ready for use.
Somebody says: You may make homes
enchantingly beautiful, hang them with
pictures, have them clean, airy and conven-
ient, but if the stomach is fed with sour
bread and burned meats, it will raise such
rebellion that the eyes will see no beauty
anywhere.
Mrs. Lynn Linton's ideal holiday is to
return to the faith of that sweetest of that
dear youth, "When we were so unhappy,
so restless, so dissatisfied? Now we know
what we had then, and have since lost, and
the repetition, the reminder, however faint
and dim, is happiness."

Let the World Know You Are in It.
It seems almost a crime for a man to
"hide his light under a bushel." If he has
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race he should make it known. Old foggy
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other half exists."
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tory's busy mist:
"Tis true indeed we do not know, but if we'd
stop and think,
With few exceptions, we'd soon learn they live
on printers' ink.
The burglar picks his trade at night, when all
He doesn't want the "other half" to know just
how he lives.
Nor does he work, nor how he works, nor
when he does his toil—
No printer's ink for him; oh, no—his labor
It would spoil.
The man who does the bunco act is likewise
very "mum."
The sneak thief and his consorts, publicity
they shun; the common thug, the murderer
and his "lay"
These are the class of men whom "advertising
doesn't pay."
Some merchants close resemble the class I've
mentioned here;
They close their doors in the dark, and seem in
mourning.
"The other half" will find them out and take
So they bar all risks and chances, and they
never advertise.

LONDON AND ENVIRONS.
—The Falcon Guitars Club are organizing
a brass band of fourteen pieces, with Mr.
Freeman as instructor.
—Three young men who were camping at
Port Stanley became "dead broke" on
Tuesday and footed it to London.
—The council of Salvation Army officers
at Victoria Hall yesterday was attended
by some 40 officers from the district. The pro-
ceedings were chiefly devotional.
—S. J. Kearns, who has just returned
from London, Ont., has the sympathy of a
large circle of friends in the fact that he
recently occurred in that city re-
cently.—[Sydney Standard.]

—A dispatch from Barrie announces that
at yesterday's session of the L. O. F. High
Court of Ontario, Mr. Atwell Fleming, of
the ADVERTISER'S building, was elected
treasurer by a large majority.
—There was another small fire at
Hinton yesterday afternoon. The firemen ex-
tinguished the blaze with a few pails of
water. The damage was slight.
—The excursionists to Toronto from
London on Monday arrived home early
yesterday morning. They were accom-
panied by the "Jehovah" band, whose
musical efforts were fully appreciated.
—The Ontario Veterinary Association and
the Hog Breeders' Association will hold
a joint meeting at the Tecumseh
House to-day. About twenty gentlemen
will be present, including Messrs. James
Gierke, J. P. North, Perth, and Wm.
Priddis, M.P.

—The baggage man on the Erie branch,
who came here with last evening's train,
said that he observed a number of barns
in flames along the route, having been set
on fire by lightning which prevailed during
the night. The same occurred along the
Sarnia route.
—A big crowd of Londoners went to
Port Huron on the regular Sarnia excursion
yesterday. There were 474 tickets sold
here and about 750 at intervening stations.
The Port Huron races were the attraction.
G. T. R. Constable Logan accompanied the
excursionists.
—The charge preferred by License In-
spector Durand against Jonas Fortner, of
Springbank, of selling liquor without a
license was yesterday afternoon dismissed
by Squire J. B. Smyth. Fortner admitted
that he had sold liquor, but that he had
himself, and a bottle of whisky was found in
a tub along with several bottles of non-in-
toxicants. The defendant swore that he
never sold any intoxicants and his evi-
dence was not contradicted.
A Six-Year-Old Boy Run Over.

Three women, who were driving in a
Gla. along King street yesterday
afternoon about 4:30, and when just west
of Richmond street they ran over a 6-year-
old son of Robert Avey, carpenter, King
street. They immediately applied the
whip to their horse and drove off, leaving
the poor little lad lying on the road. He
was not seriously injured, and was taken to
his home soon after the accident.
Too Much of a Traveler.
Tuesday evening, in the absence of the
proprietor, a man representing himself as a
commercial traveler secured a horse and
luggage at Sage's livery stable, but up to
date he has neglected to return either the
animal or the rig. The horse, which was
about 8 years old, was of a faded brown
color, while the harness had a red bow
band and reddish sweat pad. The vehicle
was a top buggy, with red gearing. When
last seen the "traveler" was driving out of
town in a westerly direction, having a
couple of companions with him. Detectives
are looking after the missing man and the
turnout.

THE W. C. T. U.
At the regular semi-monthly meeting of
the W. C. T. U. held in Somerset Hall on
Tuesday, in the absence of Mrs. Thornley
Jones, who occupied the chair and conducted
the business in a very efficient manner.
Mrs. Evans gave an interesting Bible read-
ing. Mrs. L. Scandrett resigned her office

as superintendent of the department of un-
feminized wine on account of illness in her
family. After the superintendent's report
had been received further arrangements for
the coming fair work were discussed and com-
mittees appointed for carrying on the work.
The meeting was closed by Mrs. Gregson
pronouncing the benediction.
The Workmen's Union.
Thos. Wisdom, labor advocate and vice-
president of the Iron Molders' Union of
Pittsburg, Pa., addressed a number of
molders and other workmen of this city
in Sherwood Hall on Tuesday evening in
the presence of a large audience. Geo. Grant,
president of the local union, presided. Mr.
Wisdom said that the condition of the
workmen in London was worse than it
was twenty years ago. Manufacturers to-
day paid starvation wages. Anyone who
did not now see the advantages of organ-
ization, he said, was to be pitied. A vote
of thanks was passed Mr. Wisdom and brief
addressed were made by Thomas Walton
and James Welsh.

These are the days when no man or
woman rests satisfied unless he has a
chance of seeing in the summer months.
We all need it—if we can get it. It is not
necessary to go on a long distance to enjoy
a holiday, but long or short, in "pen and
sunlight sketches," issued by the
passenger department of the Grand
Trunk Railway Company, one can
easily make a choice. This is a
magnificent work of reference, beautifully
printed and illustrated with pictures of
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KNIGHTS AT PORT.
The Annual Outing of Five
Pythian Lodges.

A Big Crowd From London and St.
Thomas Visit Erie's Shores—Pleas-
ant and Successful Picnic—
Baseball Match and Races
—The Prize List.

The usual success characterized the
annual excursion of the London Knights of
Pythias at Port Stanley yesterday.
A train of fourteen cars was required
to carry the crowd, a large number of
Knights and their friends from
St. Thomas getting on board at that city.
The party was a very select one and every-
body had a "big" time. Music was pro-
vided for those who wished to enjoy them-
selves by dancing. A large number of the
picknickers spent a portion of the day
fishing off the pier and the result was
some unusually large fish stories. The
Joe Milton was in great demand and so was
the favorite fishing place where there was
fishing in the evening.
The races on the hill were all hotly con-
tested and enjoyed by a large number of
spectators. The prize list was as follows:
Girls' race, under 10 years—J. Mc-
Leod, 2 Ada Burdick, 3 Annie Doherty,
4 Edith Robinson, 5 May Deane.
Boys' race, under 10 years—1 R. Car-
rothers, 2 W. Whitall, 3 Jas. Barrett.
Boys' race, 10 to 14 years—1 W. Legat,
2 H. Beaumont, 3 R. Evans.
Girls' race, under 15 years—1 Annie
Carrothers, 2 Edith McLeod, 3 Eva Con-
ners, 4 Edith Robinson, 5 May Deane.
Married ladies' race—1 Mrs. Deviney, 2
Mrs. Griffith, 3 Mrs. Whittaker.
Young ladies' race—1 Lena McLeod, 2
Annie Carrothers, 3 Miss Paladino.
Girls' race, under 10 years (consolation)—
1 Miss Morrison, 2 Clara Fraser, 3 Ada
Burdick.
Boys' race, under 10 years (consolation)—
1 Jas. and Noble Carrothers (equal), 3 L.
Benenati, 4 Hugh Foley.
Men's race for Knights or members of
Knights' families—1 H. Bates, 2 H.
Sharkey, 3 B. Noble.
Knights' race—1 G. Burdick, 2 B. Noble,
3 Wm. Carroll.
Fat men's race—1 R. Carrothers, 2 J. E.
Avann, 3 F. Leitch (St. Thomas).
Committeemen's race (single)—1 W.
Noble, 2 E. Norton, 3 A. D. Hodgins, 4
W. Robb.
Committeemen's race (married)—1 J.
Moylan, 2 R. Ironsides, 3 Ed. Petrie, 4
"Shorty" Johnson.

An interesting game of baseball was
played on the diamond on the beach be-
tween sides chosen by R. Ironsides and H.
Bates. The former's team made 7 runs,
12 hits and 2 errors, while their opponents
made 5 runs, 6 hits and 4 errors in a game
of eight innings. Paladino and Jones were
the battery for the winners, and Carro-
thers and Bates for the losers. The vic-
tors claim that the umpires, R. Car-
rothers and Fred Harding, "roasted" them
and favored the other side.
London, Mizpah, Myrtle, Prospect and
Rathbone (St. Thomas) lodges were well
represented. The committee was composed
of the following energetic workers: R.
Ironsides (chairman), A. D. Hodgins (secr-
tary), and Knights Johnson, Franks, Cad-
wallader, E. Petrie, Wm. Brown, J.
Moylan, F. Norton, Robb, Noble and
Irwin. They were pleased with their annual
outing.

HOW CONGRESS WAS BUNCOED.
Director-General Davis Beats of the
Chicago Fair Beal.
CHICAGO, Aug. 10.—Director-General
Davis, of the World's Columbian Com-
mission, is quoted as saying that Congress
has generally understood the bill called for
The World's Columbian Commission re-
ceived \$120,000; the Board of Lady Man-
agers, \$110,000; the Government Exhibit
Board, \$400,000; medals and diplomas,
\$100,000; for less on coinage of souvenirs,
\$50,000; the World's Columbian Expon-
sion, \$2,500,000. Total, \$3,283,000.
"I have counted nothing," he said, "for
the premium on the half dollars is worth at
least 75 cents. A moderate estimate will
give us \$300,000 profit there, so that we
may thank Congress for making us a
present of nearly \$4,000,000 when we had
asked only a loan of \$5,000,000. I feel
sure that the more the friends of the fair
consider the question the more they will
favor the value of the legislation in its
favor."

MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC.
Nat Goodwin has the American rights for
the new musical opera by Edward Solomon
and E. C. Burnard.
According to the New York Herald, "the
reason why musicians tune their instru-
ments in the concert room, instead of back
of the stage, is because the difference of
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that musicians like to make nuisances of
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TERSE TELEGRAMS.

The News of the Day, Culled
and Condensed.

Two serious cases of sunstroke in Buffalo
on Wednesday.

A race riot is reported from Jessup, Ga.
Military have been ordered to that point.

At the Queen City (Cincinnati) Driving
Park races on Wednesday pool selling was
stopped by the chief of police.

The Pope has resolved to appoint Very
Rev. Charles John Vaughan, Bishop of
Westminster, to the cardinalate at the
earliest opportunity.

New York bankers are reported as saying
the demand for money from the west will
not disturb that center materially and that
money rates will continue easy.

The United States official cotton crop re-
port for the month shows the lowest August
average since 1886, the percentage having
fallen from 86.9 in July to 82.3.

In the middle of the Ohio River, six
miles below Louisville, a terrible battle
was fought Sunday by tugs in two shifts.
Ed. Biel was knocked overboard and
drowned.

The London Chronicle's Rome corre-
spondent says: The Pope's desire to make
an American cardinal at the next con-
sistory has been frustrated by the
divergent views of Archbishops Corrigan
and Ireland.

Articles of incorporation have been filed
at Sacramento for a flour milling combine
with a capital of \$10,000,000. The combine
is called the Sperry Flour Company, and
practically includes all the flour milling in-
terests of California.

A dispatch from Monte Vista, Col., says
that P. J. Sheridan, who was charged
with the Phoenix Park murders, was
crushed between a vehicle and a gate at his
ranch, eight miles south of that place, and
probably fatally hurt.

Mary Bates, the 15-year-old girl who
eloped July 6 with Samuel C. Lawrence, a
wealthy druggist of Medford, N. J., re-
turned to her home in that village yester-
day. The girls said that Lawrence had
abandoned her at Niagara Falls. He is
said to be on his way to South America.

At Eagle Lake, a village six miles from
Manitowish, Minn., Mrs. Martha Koster
murdered her two little children. Sunday
morning the woman fed milk poisoned
with rough on rats to her 4-
week-old babe, and on Tuesday
dressed the other down a 70-foot well,
drowning him. The babe was arrested and
prevented from committing suicide in the
jail by close watching.

A straw hat and a linen duster have
been worn for forty winters by Dr. S. B.
Vigor of Columbus, Mo.

Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It
removed ten corns from one pair of feet
without any pain. What it has done once
it will do again.

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known, being sometimes two feet across
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much as 60 pounds.

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cholera, dysentery, etc., in the market.

Tornadoes originate in the tropics, and
are chiefly found in five localities—the
West Indies, Bengal Bay and the Chinese
coast, north of the equator, and in the
South Indian Ocean, off Madagascar, and
in the South Pacific, near Samoa.

Among the pains and aches cured with
marvelous rapidity with Dr. Thomas Elec-
tricity Oil, is earache. The young are espe-
cially subject to it, and the desirability of
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the fact that it is admirably adapted not
only to the above ailment, but also to the
hurts, disorders of the bowels, and affections
of the throat, in which the young are
especially subject.

What sculpture is to a block of marble,
education is to a human soul. The philoso-
pher, the saint, and the hero, the wise, the
good, and the great man, very often lie hid
and concealed in a plebeian, which a proper
education might have disinterred and
brought to light.—[Addison.]

TIDINGS FROM TORONTO.

**Two Big Real Estate Deals—Successful
Trip of Electric Cars.**

TORONTO, Aug. 10.—Two big real estate
deals are reported to-day which seem to
indicate that the bottom has not quite
fallen out of Toronto yet. Traders' Bank
building, corner Yonge and Colborne
streets, sold by S. E. McKinnon to John
Dyran, of W. A. Murray & Co., for \$125,-
000 cash; and S. H. Janes has sold 45 feet
north side King, between Yonge and
Victoria, to George A. Cox, president of the
Bank of Commerce, for \$90,000 or \$2,000 a
foot.

The trial trip of the new electric cars
made this afternoon proved thoroughly
successful. Among the passengers on the
first car was John Leys, ex-M.P.P., who
rode in the first horse car run in Toronto.

Traveling Dairy Dates.

ROSEBY, Aug. 10.—For the next two
weeks the Traveling Dairy depotation will
be working in Kent, holding meetings at
the following: Bothwell, 11th, Dresden, 12th,
Wallaceburg, 15th, Eberts, 16th, Dover
Town Hall, 17th, Raleigh Township,
Union Hall, 18th, Valetta, 19th, Wheat-
ley, 22nd, Blenheim, 24th of August.

The Canadian Exodus.

MONTREAL, Aug. 10.—The special cor-
respondent of the Canadian sends in a new
list of over 60 families who have emigrated
from the town and parish of Rimouski
since 1887. He holds that the city of
Rimouski has diminished a third since
1878. Another list of 27 families who
left the parish of Notre Dame du Sacre
Coeur, near Rimouski, within the last five
years is published by the Canadian. The
population is 800 souls, and it is one of the
finest parishes in the county.

The Niagara Falls Tunnel.

NIAGARA FALLS, Aug. 10.—Chief Engi-
ner Porter says that the big power tunnel
will be completed before Oct. 1, and that
it is probable water will be let into it by
that date. The other work is progressing
rapidly. On Saturday, Aug. 30, a meet-
ing of the officers and engineers of the
Cataract Construction Company will be
held in this city. Prof. Forbes and Prof.
Unwin, of London, England, will be
present. The particular business to be
considered is the development of power on
the Canadian side and the transmissions of
power to Buffalo.

A Horse Attacks Two Ladies.

NIACK, N. Y., Aug. 10.—While driving
here yesterday Mrs. T. H. Story and her
sister, Miss Cartwright, of New York,
guests of the Tappan Zoo Hotel, met with
a strange and quite a serious accident. A
horse ridden by Edmund Polhemus, of
Brooklyn, jumped into the carriage,
almost wrecking the vehicle and throwing
both ladies to the hard macadamized road.
They were carried into a house near by
and attended by Dr. Polhemus. Both were
bruised and shocked, and the horse's teeth
made an ugly gash on Mrs. Story's fore-
head.

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