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## FIRST AUGUST SATURDAY

We are this summer paying very particular attention to the needs and wants of our Saturday customers. We are careful that our Saturday customers receive a good share of our special offerings and bargain items. So that customers who come in on the train or car, or who have to drive in on Saturday can always be certain of finding something in this store especially attractive and specially priced for their benefit. For the first August Saturday these:—

### White Vestings 15c

White Mercerized Vestings in neat spot, lace stripe and figured designs, the kind you have been paying 20c. and 25c. a yard for, on Saturday special at

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White Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3 yards long, 45 in. wide, whipped edges, neat floral design with handsome border. on sale, Saturday, special a pair,

89c.

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and \$3.88

These Skirts are all beautifully made, perfect fitting and of extra good quality of lustrous and silken, a good variety of skirt band sizes up to 30 in. The colors are black, navy, grey and cream. For Saturday quick selling we have divided the lot in two prices. Reduced to

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Fine American Organdie Muslins, the most stylish designs and colorings of the season, plain grounds with elegant floral designs, worth regular up to 35c. a yard, your choice for

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### Small Ware Specials

Ladies' Tinsel Belts, in silver and gilt. 25c

Gilt Beauty Pins at..... 2 for 5c

Collar Pins, pearl settings..... 25c

Gilt Collar Supporters..... 25c

Brooches with pearl and paste setting. 25c

Gilt Hat Pins, stone settings..... 19c

Side Combs, very special..... 2 for 15c

Assorted Safety Pins, special 2 doz. for 5c

Full Length Shoe Laces..... 3 pair for 5c

Pearl Bead Neck Lace..... 25c

Back Combs, special, each..... 15c

Bone Hair Pins..... 4 for 10c

Unbreakable Hair Combs..... 25c

Fancy Toilet Pins, 1 doz on a card..... 5c

Embroidered Turn Overs, special..... 5c

Cream Lace Stock Collars..... 19c

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White Waists made of fine sheer India Lawn, short sleeves, val. lace collar and cuffs, neatly trimmed with val. lace, embroidery and fine tucks, regular value \$1.50 each, 24 of them to go on Saturday

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## PRESS WRITERS HAVE OUTING

Newspaper Men Spend a Pleasant Day Up and Down the River

### NOTES OF THE VOYAGE

Yesterday was a red letter chapter in the history of local newspaperdom, when the scribes threw pad and pencil aside for the afternoon and spent a few hours of their guileless lifetime up and down the river in a launch placed at their disposal by Fred. H. Brisco. The reporters have always suspected that Fred. had a warm spot in his heart for them somewhere, but yesterday's kind deed in a naughty, naughty world has raised him several kilometers in their estimation. Pity it is that Fred. could not come along. He missed the best part of his life, and incidentally an afternoon in the most select company. But just the same Fred's kind act cannot help but bring him good luck. So it's all the same in the long run.

When the papers went to press yesterday afternoon, a number of bold knights of the pen, carrying a like number of bold and becoming smiles, had themselves to the water front at Brisco's dock, and proceeded to take immediate and full advantage of Freddy's generous offer. Reporters seldom refuse anything—especially if it is getting it for nothing—which it might be added, includes callings down and occasional abuse from the displeased.

Someone hunted up Sevengala the hypnotist and brought him in tow. The genial producer of artificial sleep proved the best of good company, and considerably brightened the afternoon with his witty stories and vivid descriptions. Sevengala as well as being a hypnotist is an enthusiastic angler—enough said. With due respect to that gentleman, it might be remarked that Sevengala runs pretty much to windward of a fact which became greatly in evidence the moment he planted his physical being in the launch. The boat teetered all to his side, till some bright person moved the refreshment basket and suggested that the guest of honor take a seat in the centre. This change considerably balanced up matters, and all went merrily as the proverbial tinkle of the marriage bell.

Our friend George Hahn of the opposition, did the stunt at the wheel until it became painfully apparent that George was running the boat into all the snags and sundry drift wood in the river. George had broken his best glasses—his eye-glasses of course—some time through the day, and as he had to wear a pair of substitutes, it was thought that this might account for the erratic course which the boat seemed bound to take. Anyway it looked as though George would steer the boat to certain disaster. Hall sped up and the little vessel only touched at the high spots. Either by blind luck or the intervention of a kind Providence, the boat and its precious burden steered clear of the dangerous places, however, and no mishap occurred till a less venturesome officer relieved Mr. Hahn from the steering obligation.

The trip up the river was continued till the little coterie in the boat descried a strange creature in the water near to the left hand bank about a half a mile above the waterworks plant. Sevengala thought it must be a sea serpent, while Mr. Hahn was of the opinion that it was a sea cow. He said that he could see its horns, but perhaps the horns George saw were not so far away. Perhaps it was only that Sevengala had cast a magic spell over the party, but when the animal made a movement as though it would attack the gallant crew, it was decided that a locality was no place for respectable and peace-loving newspaper men. The nose of the boat was quickly turned down stream, and the party looking backwards could see the strange beast still observing them with gleaming and resentful eyes.

A little further down the river a young man in a canoe had a tough time dodging the launch, but managed to escape by a bit of skilful navigation. Some of the members of the party say that he used some up becoming language, but as this could not be verified the matter was not put down on the ship's log.

Nothing further of great moment occurred till the return trip was being made, when Commodore Tom Watt hove in sight on the prow of the saucy Grace. Tom had blood in his eye, and he whizzed past like a cyclone. But his triumph was short-lived. The newspaper men gave chase, and there came the river, the like of which has never been witnessed since Captain Drake ran down the Spanish pirate mariners. Tom had on a load of lead pipe he was bringing up from the light-house—but it didn't prove a lead-pipe for Tom. If his competitors carried any load, it was not the kind that held their boat back, and he was soon left behind to ride the swells from the victors' launch. The return trip was made in splendid time, without mishap, and the party was landed at Brisco's dock just as

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## HE WAS A MAN OF WILL

No Such Word As Impossible in J. A. Bailey's Vocabulary

### THE BEST SHOW IN YEARS

There was no such word as "impossible" in the vocabulary of the late J. A. Bailey, the directing head of the great Barnum & Bailey circus. Those who knew him best say that if a feature appealed to him as being meritorious and attractive to the public, neither expense nor difficulty was permitted to stand in the way of securing it. An incident that illustrated this characteristic of the great showman is currently told in New York City.

When the now famous "Dip of Death" was transferred from the Folies Bergere, in Paris, and presented to the patrons of the Barnum & Bailey Show in Madison Square Garden it created a furore.

The apparatus used for the act was, however, both heavy and cumbersome. Experienced showmen with scarcely an exception declared that the use of the act "on the road" would be physically impossible.

One day, about the middle of the engagement at Madison Square Garden, one of the superintendents went to Manager Bailey, and asked him where he intended to have the apparatus stored when the show had started on its road tour.

"Why," said Mr. Bailey, "what do you want to store it for?" "Because we won't have any use for it."

"Oh, yes, we will."

"You don't mean to say that the 'Dip of Death' can be handled on the road?"

"It not only can be handled—but it will be!" was the manager's emphatic reply.

And it was. The "Dip of Death," it is announced, will be exhibited here during the local engagement of the Barnum & Bailey circus on Friday, August 17. It will be seen in connection with the "Two Trials of Terror," in which two fearless bicyclists turn somersaults on their wheels in mid-air, and a long list of other acrobatic novelties. A new military spectacle and a splendid zoological display are also offered the circus-loving public.

### A NEW OIL FIELD

Reports of Big Strikes of Oil in Raleigh Are Causing Considerable Interest

It was reported around the city that a big oil gusher had been struck in Raleigh. The Planet has ascertained, however, that there is no truth in the report, but there is quite a bit of excitement in Raleigh, nevertheless, and the oil men are quite confident that a strike will be made there ere long.

The operators have drilled down a distance of 750 feet on lot 4, on Charles Crow's, and say that they have struck good indications at a higher level than they were found in the Tibbury wells.

Four wells are at present being sunk in the Raleigh oil district; one on the Holiday farm near Fletcher, one on the Taylor farm near Fletcher, one on Chas. Crow's farm and another on the Shrieves farm near Buxton.

The well shot on the Campbell farm Tuesday, and which was reported as giving such good results in Thursday's Planet, has been sunk to a deeper depth, and is making a better showing than ever.

Drilling operations have been commenced on lot 5, Con. 4, Dover.

### SUMMER RESORTS

The Goderich Summer Hotel announces International Bowling Tournament and presence of the Champion English Bowlers between August 6th and 13th. Fine ancient English lawn game as exciting as curling to a Scotchman.

Please write for "Our Advantages" and system of graded rates, also room plan of hotel.

### THOUSANDS IN PRIZES

The total amount given in prizes at the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, is \$45,000, of which \$11,429 is devoted to the horses and \$8,483 to the cattle, exclusive in each case of gold and silver medals, cups, etc.

## MANY RIGS ARE DRILLING

New Strikes of Oil are Being Made Every Day in Tilbury

### FEW NOTES OF INTEREST

Interest in the Tilbury oil field continues to grow with every new strike made. Oil men are pouring in from every centre and the field is developing at a wonderful rate.

Mr. B. F. Dowd, representing different companies, is operating the following leases:—The Chas. Campbell 50 acres with two rigs up and drilling; the James Campbell with three wells, and the Central Oil & Gas Co.'s 150 acres; the Sinclair 50 acres; the Christina Stevenson 50 acres with one well drilling; the Geo. Robertson with one well and one drilling; the D. Halliday with one well drilling; the M. Gleeson 65 acres and the Finn 150 acres with one well drilling.

A derrick has been erected on the John Leeson farm, on the 7th Con. Raleigh.

A rig is being erected on the David Phillips farm, M. R. S., by Miller & Warner.

Drilling derrick No. 3 is being erected on the Dr. Fletcher lease for the Buffalo Gas Drilling Co.

Well No. 3 on the Dr. Fletcher lease is down about 800 feet and the well is cased.

The Sam Pook well is now down about 1,000 feet and it is expected to be in the sand the latter part of this week.

The Kelly Well No. 2 is now down about 800 or 900 feet. It was cased this week.

The W. F. Robertson well will be cased this week.

The Cooper well is making rather slow progress. Lack of water may induce this well to close down as well as many others in the field.

Well No. 2 on the Matt Campbell farm is being drilled in and is a beautiful producer. At a depth of 1,410 feet it commenced to flow and in 23 hours did 80 barrels of oil. The oil is of an excellent quality and the drillers, Shaffer Bros., have hope of this being as good a producer as any in the field. The well is the property of the Detroit Syndicate and is in charge of Mr. A. Campbell, of Detroit.

Mrs. H. H. Argue and J. W. Stearns, of Roth, Barnard & Co., Buffalo, were in town this week. These gentlemen are operating on the following leases:—The Dr. Fletcher, the Jas. Stevenson, the Wm. Finn, the David Fletcher and 1,000 acres of land near the Thames River. Roth, Argue & Co. are drilling one well on the Crow farm.

The John Davidson well, around which so much interest has been centred the past few weeks, has proven somewhat of a disappointment. The well, which is the most southerly experiment in the field, was drilled to a depth of 1,412 feet, when a little oil was struck, sufficient to make a 4 1/2 barrel well. Had the drillers ceased then a paying well would have resulted, but the work continued to a farther depth of 1,450, or 60 feet, in the hope of striking another pay, but in this they were disappointed. The flow of gas in this hole, however, is enormous and Miller & Warner have been approached to leave the casing in and plug the well until a market is secured for the gas. The rig, it is understood, will be moved from the Davidson farm to the Harris farm, just north of its present location.

The Central Oil & Gas Company brought in another well on the Jas. Campbell farm this week, which was shot on Monday and flowed over 26 barrels of oil in 13 hours. This rate will be beaten when the well is cleaned out, which work is now going on. Hall Bros. were the drillers, and B. F. Dowd manager for the Co.

The Saginaw Oil & Gas Co. are today drilling in a well on the H. Marshall farm, which promises to be an excellent producer. At 1,412 feet the well commenced to flow natural, but the drill will go down about fifteen feet deeper.

Mr. C. W. Miller is erecting a derrick on the J. W. Smith farm for well No. 4.

### BOAT CAUGHT FIRE

Dr. Lorenzo Burrows and Dr. Jewett, of Buffalo, brought a party of friends into the Eau yesterday in their big forty-five foot launch, "Emily" from Muskegon, Michigan. They had intended to make the trip from Muskegon to Buffalo without a stop, but when forty miles out from Erieau their steering gear broke down and they had to run in for repairs.

Misfortunes never come singly and the same may be said in regard to accidents. During the night while some of the party were making coffee in the launch they set the woodwork on fire, and it was only by the prompt use of extinguishers that the "Emily" was saved.

Dr. Jewett and two sons of Dr. Burrows left Chatham for Buffalo by train yesterday morning, but Dr. Burrows and the rest of the party left the Eau last evening to resume their journey in the launch. Park Bros. dispatched a new rudder and fitting yesterday morning to repair the "Emily."

## THE ANNUAL CLUB PICNIC

The Members of the Macaulay Club Visit an Historic Spot

### WITH SPEECH AND SONG

It was a jolly crowd of pleasure seekers who embarked from Roberts' boat house yesterday afternoon at five o'clock, on the annual Macaulay Club picnic. It was a delightful evening and the picnickers enjoyed it to the very fullest extent. There were just thirteen in the party, which might have been viewed by some as an ill omen, but there is no such word as ill-luck in an authentic account of anything managed under the auspices of the Macaulay Club. Everything passed off in glorious style, to the satisfaction of President Musson, who had the arrangements in hand. Those who took in the outing—and the eatables, and the ginger beer—were Mr. Scullard, the father of the society, without whom a picnic would never be complete. Mr. Beeston, the father of the spot where the picnic was held, Edwin Bell, Fred Stone, H. W. Anderson, Harry Collins, Walter Poole, Claude Eberts, S. B. Arnold, Frank Laurie, W. A. Coltart, Dr. Musson, and R. W. Angus.

The trip up was made in remarkably fast time, and it was not long after before the provision baskets were empty. Dr. Musson officiated as cook, and tea brewer, in the absence of Mr. Beeston, who did not arrive until the proceedings were well under way. When he did arrive he was given three hearty cheers, and the privilege of helping himself. He accepted both with his usual good nature.

After the lunch the members broke up into groups of four, and enjoyed cards to the accompaniment of excellent mandolin music from Mr. Eberts. They were called to order by the President, who announced a short impromptu program, and he forthwith proceeded to call on several of those present for songs and addresses. They were all responded to with a will, and it was long into the night before the doctor, having started this flow of wit and eloquence, could draw this part of the program to a close. Mr. Bell was forced to leave early, owing to a business engagement, and the rest of the party were sorry both for themselves and Mr. Bell. Speeches were given by every member present, and some went so far as to speak twice, particularly Doc Arnold, who was in his wittiest mood. The evening was concluded with a series of humorous stories, in which everybody had one better than the previous ones until Mr. Coltart rose from his seat with the observation that he for one had been around there "long enough," and after his joke the others agreed with him.

The trip back was very delightful, and was a fitting climax to one of the most pleasant outings ever enjoyed by this worthy club.

### DAMAGING PLAGUE

Grass Hoppers Are Causing Great Loss in Several Oat Fields out The Country

A plague of grasshoppers are said to be doing a great deal of damage to the oat crop in the country. The wet season in the spring and early summer with the subsequent hot weather is said to be the cause of the pests.

Out in Raleigh there are great numbers of them, and the farmers state that the oat crop is suffering terribly. One farmer claims to have 20 acres of oats which will not be worth cutting as a result of the inroads of the grasshoppers, and another had 15 acres which has been almost totally destroyed.

The hoppers do not eat the grain; they simply cut the straw, allowing the heads to fall to the ground. In this way they do a great deal of destruction in a day. They are so thick in some places that the heads of the grain can be heard falling right and left when one is standing anywhere near a field in which they are at work of destruction. The worst of it is that there is no practical way of exterminating the pests.

### PROPERTY COMMITTEE

The Property committee held a meeting Friday night in Harrison Hall.

The complaint of Colonel Martin against the city pound keeper was heard and dealt with. Both the Colonel and the keeper were examined and a recommendation will be brought in regarding the matter at the next Council meeting.

A petition from North Chatham for the installation of a fire alarm box was considered. A communication from Barfoot and Braddon was read. Several other matters of importance were dealt with and the chairman will probably have a long report on Monday evening to submit.

The highest function of conservatism is to keep what progressiveness has accomplished.

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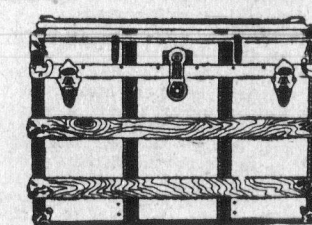
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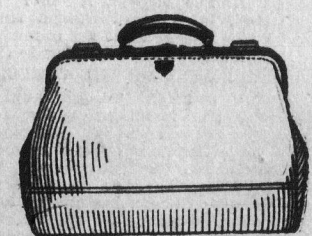


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Reading  
and Smoking Room provided in  
connection for the use of patrons

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**King St., Chatham, 2 Doors  
East of Market.**

Now where is Albert's nose?  
The gloaming's started in to gloam,  
But where is Charlie's leg?  
The rest of Charles has all came home,  
But where is Charlie's leg?  
The man who drove the ambulance  
Said laughingly, "No more he'll dance,  
But 'twill be cheaper buying pance"—  
Ah, where is Charlie's leg?  
Thus every Fourth our darlings lose  
Some foot and some leg,  
'Tis 'most enough to cause the blues  
And make our lot seem grim.  
But, many be their limbs or few  
Compared with those that on Stricken  
grew.  
We'll shout for Yankee doodle do  
From dawn till dusk-tide dim.  
Strickland W. Gillilan in Judge's Mag-  
azine of F.V.P.

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on being stood aside by a woman.

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### TO-NIGHT

Sevengala, hypnotist, at the Grand at 8.15.  
Electric Road Excursion to Electric Park, first car at 7.

### PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.  
Toronto, Aug. 4.—11 a. m.—Light to moderate variable winds, mostly fair and decidedly warm, with a few local thunderstorms. Sunday, a little cooler with northerly winds.

Supplied by W. W. Turner.  
YESTERDAY.  
Seven a. m. .... 69  
Nine a. m. .... 69  
Maximum ..... 86  
Minimum ..... 63

### TO-DAY.

Lowest during the night ..... 64  
Seven a. m. .... 70  
Barometer ..... 29.50

## LOCAL

Will Tahnke caught a thirteen-pound pike at Mitchell's Bay yesterday.

The Non-Coms. will meet for drill and lecture on Wednesday evening of next week.

Mrs. R. K. Floater, of Lima, Ohio, is the guest of Mrs. H. Macaulay, Raleigh street.

Dr. P. J. Tschirhart, of Chicago, is the guest of his cousin, Frank Tschirhart, King street.

Miss Jessie Seloulier and Miss Rea Neely, of Detroit, are the guests of Mrs. Frances Martin, Wellington St.

George Leslie Myland, of Toronto, formerly of this office, will arrive here this evening to spend a few days, Monday being Toronto's civic holiday.

Mrs. McPhail has returned to Chicago after spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. C. Raynor, Joseph street.

Thomas White, of Old street, near Morpeth, has threshed 970 bushels of grain off twenty-five acres of land. This is equal to about forty bushels per acre.

A large automobile factory of Pontiac, Mich., is negotiating for a branch site in Leamington. The town will loan the company \$15,000.

The Chatham and Tilbury Oil Syndicate's well has now been sunk to a depth of 150 feet, and the drillers have commenced putting the casing in. The well is situated on lot 3 on the fourth concession of Tilbury.

Mrs. Farlinger, a former member of the Torrey-Alexander choir, will sing a solo to-morrow at Victoria avenue Methodist church. To-morrow quarterly sacramental services will be conducted. Last evening Rev. Dr. Hannon addressed the congregation on the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

A Raleigh street resident was complaining this morning that debris piled on the street corners by the railway company and the paving company months ago is going to be removed. He thinks that the Board of Works of the City Engineer should look into the matter and have the stuff removed as it is an eyesore and a nuisance on the street.

The executive of the Baptist Foreign Missionary Board of Toronto, have appointed Mr. A. S. Woodburne, B. A., a graduate of the Western University, London, and McMaster University, and the holder of the Crawford Scholarship to work in India. A despatch says that Mr. Woodburne is shortly to be married and will later go to India. Mr. Woodburne supplied at the local Baptist church last summer.

The Planet has been confidentially informed that a large and desirable concern employing quite a number of men is thinking of locating in Chatham. One of the members of the firm, while talking to a local gentleman some time ago, stated that they would be sure to come here if natural gas were secured for the Maple City. The firm would be very large users of the product, as in the town in which they are at present located they are put to quite an expense for coal.

Mr. A. E. Jewett is confined to his house through illness.

Mrs. Dell, of Sandy Knowe, Erieau, is spending a few days in town.

Head street is being laid out by Engineer Jones for the new pavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew C. McCrae, Toronto, are the guests of Mrs. Sydney Stephenson.

The debentures for the Police Station and market building have been sold to E. Marx for the sum of \$29,692.

Misses Ina and Beatrice Smith, of Elizabeth St., have returned, after spending a two week's vacation with Miss Winnifred Lolland, Detroit.

The oil well shot on the Harwood Marshall farm is said to be running about 250 barrels per day. No. 2 on the Matt Campbell farm is running 200 barrels.

The news was received in this city late this afternoon of a serious accident at St. Thomas. A Pere Marquette passenger train, and an M. C. R. passenger, met in a head on collision, and caused a big wreck. Both firemen and both engineers were badly injured.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Merritt and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lalibee, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Jones, Miss Geraldine Moore, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. T. Jones enjoyed a pleasant trip in the Bon-Belle to Louisville on Thursday afternoon.

Ald. Charles Austin has received a letter from his cousin, Mr. MacFarlane, formerly of Toronto, now in Yokohama, Japan. In his letter Mr. MacFarlane gives a vivid description of how the fourth of July is celebrated in the Japanese port. He says that the celebration was one of the most picturesque he has ever seen in his life.

Mr. MacFarlane is acting for an insurance company in Japan.

### BUILDING PERMITS

The following building permits have been recently issued by Fire Marshall Pritchard:

No. 126—Harvey McKay, to repair two storey frame building, lot 140, block 6, north side Harvey street, cost \$850.

No. 127—Moore & Stevens (Chatham Gas Co. extension) one storey brick building, lot 118, block D, west side of King street, cost \$4,450.

No. 128—John Flook, to erect two storey brick veneer building, lot 1, park lot No. 3, south side of Park street, cost \$3,000.

No. 129—J. N. Richards, to erect two storey frame building, lot 65, south side of King street, cost \$1,995.

### THE MARKET

There was a very good attendance at the market this morning and heavy business was done. Little change in prices from last week.

Following is the full price list:

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Butter, per pound, 20c to 23c.  
Cream, per quart, 25c.  
Cheese, per cake, 25c.  
Chickens, each, 25c to 45c.  
Eggs, per dozen, 15c to 17c.  
Honey, in rack, 12 1-2c each.

VEGETABLES.

Apples, green, per peck, 15c.  
Black currants, per qt., 8c to 10c.  
Beets, 2 bunches for 5c.  
Beans, two quarts for 5c.  
Carrots, 2 bunches for 5c.  
Cucumbers, per dozen, 10c.  
Cucumbers, in brine, 25c to 35c 100.  
Green corn, per doz., 8c to 10c.  
Hominy, per quart, 5c.  
Lettuce, three bunches for 5c.  
New potatoes, peck, 18c to 20c; bag, \$1.

Marjoram, per bunch, 5c.  
Mint, two bunches for 5c.  
Mixed pickles, per bottle, 15c.  
Pop corn, dozen, 10c.  
Radishes, 2 bunches for 5c.  
Raspberries, per quart, 7c.  
Raspberries, per quart, 10c to 12c.  
Sage, per bunch, 5c.  
Savory, per bunch, 5c.  
Sauerkraut, per quart, 5c.  
Spring onions, 2 bunches for 5c.  
Sweet peas, shelled, 8c quart; unshelled, 4c quart.

Squash, 5c each, 50c per dozen.  
Thyme, per bunch, 5c.  
Tobacco, per bunch, 5c.  
Watercress, 5c.

FISH.

Herring, 10c.  
Pickering, 10c. lb.  
Salmon Trout, per lb., 12 1-2c.  
White fish, winter caught, 12 1-2c.

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Island

### FRANCE MAY LET IT GO

San Francisco, Aug. 4.—T. Atwater, a large landowner of Tahiti, who reached here yesterday on the steamer Mariposa, brings the news that France is about to abandon Tahiti and sell the islands to Great Britain. Atwater, who has excellent means of gaining information, says:

There is not the least doubt of the transfer of Tahiti to Great Britain. Every French soldier has been recalled, fine government buildings have been abandoned and all stores removed. The only Government vessel left is the little Zelle.

England, Atwater says, has always had a dormant claim to the island, because she was really first in possession. Business is not prosperous there now. Everything is mortgaged to its full extent.

The islands were once the seat of the great copra trade, but this has declined. One of the largest pearl beds in the world is there.

Conductor's Body Found.

Windsor, Aug. 4.—The body of Geo. Gillespie, a well-known Michigan Central conductor on the Canadian division, was found in the river yesterday. The body had evidently been in the water two or three days.

No explanation can be made at present as to how he met his death. His character was of the best, and his domestic relations were happy.

His widow is absent on a trip, and cannot be located.

Milan International Scorched.

Milan, Italy, Aug. 4.—Fire yesterday morning in the International Exposition scorched the decorative arts of Italy and Hungary were totally destroyed, as also was the pavilion in which were installed the exhibits of Italian and Hungarian architecture. The damage is estimated at \$800,000. Several firemen and carlinians were injured. An electric short circuit caused the fire.

Medals For Canadian Scouts.

Ottawa, Aug. 4.—The Queen's South Africa medals and clasps awarded to members of the Canadian Scouts are now ready for issue. Applications for the same should be made direct to the director of ordinance stores, Royal Arsenal, Woolwich, England, accompanied by discharge certificates.

Ex-Mayor Sentenced.

Paterson, N. J., Aug. 4.—William H. Belcher, who, while mayor of this city, absconded a year ago, and who surrendered himself on Monday last, was sentenced by Judge Scott yesterday to 12 years' imprisonment in the state prison at Trenton at hard labor on a charge of embezzlement.

Fire In Port Arthur.

Port Arthur, Aug. 4.—A ten thousand dollar fire occurred here yesterday, a block of buildings on Arthur street, owned by Architect Wheeler, being almost entirely destroyed. The buildings were occupied and the stock badly damaged.

Saw Mill Burned.

St. John, N. B., Aug. 4.—Dewar's saw mill, owned by the St. George Pulp and Paper Co., was destroyed by fire Thursday night. The loss of sawn lumber alone is \$45,000 and the mill is valued at \$5,000.

Laurier In Quebec.

Quebec, Aug. 4.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier visited the harbor improvements at the Louise embankment yesterday morning in company with the harbor commissioners.

New Front For Rideau Hall.

Ottawa, Aug. 4.—Tenders will shortly be invited for the construction of a new front to Government House in Ottawa.

Passes Second Reading.

London, Aug. 4.—The Education bill passed its second reading in the House of Lords yesterday without a division.

CANDIDATES FOR MAYOR

Candidates for next year's mayoralty are now as plentiful as sparrows in a wheat field. Half a dozen of the aldermen have already been posted as probabilities and predictions are being made of a stiff fight.

The latest man to drop into the arena is genial Jack Edmondson, the chairman of the Board of Works. Jack evidently took his cue from "Off the Top," and is filled with aspiration. The Planet couldn't force him into an admission when it called on him today, but his smile indicated how the land lay.

His friends are certain that he is going to run and, what is more, they are confident of him getting there. Jack Edmondson has been in the Council for six years, longer than any other alderman, and has not yet missed a regular meeting. As someone remarked today, "If any member of the Council has any claim on the chair, he has."

NOTICE!

To whom it may concern: I give notice that Pearl Wake, (my wife), and I have separated, and I shall not be responsible in future for any debts contracted by her in my name.

A. J. WAKE.

## SPORT

### LACROSSE

MONDAY'S BIG LACROSSE GAME.  
The St. Thomas Journal of Friday says:

There is nothing surer than that St. Thomas will land this district in the C. L. A. The last game with Chatham the local team piled up a score of 15 to 1, and that is a sure indication that St. Thomas will put it all over Chatham next Monday. Skelding, McFarlane, Cuthbertson, Bradley, Kempthorne, Leddy and McLeod will be on the line-up. If St. Thomas defeats Chatham they will have to play off with Brantford. The chances never looked brighter than at the present time for St. Thomas winning their district. A special train will leave the P. M. depot at 1.30 p. m., which will convey the lacrosse team, bugle band, and 25th battalion band. The fare is \$1.15 return.

Chatham will not be caught napping in the way of putting a fast team on the field, but will be represented by Dobbin in goal; Tierney, Chievers, Bliott, Miner, O'Keefe and Johnson as defense. Hutchinson at centre, and the home end will be selected from Fairfield, Richards, Johnson, East, Halpin, Stewart, and Pool. At a glance it will be noticed that the twelve the Tecumsehs will have on will be fast and prepared to go the clip.

As has been noted above, St. Thomas is running a special and a binging their band. This band will lead the procession, leaving Hotel Garner at 3 o'clock, and the game will start at 3.30. A. L. A. referee will officiate. The St. Thomas are building on disposing of 500 admission tickets to the spectators.

Make arrangements to see the game, as it is bound to be the best of the season.

### BASEBALL

#### BASEBALL FRIDAY.

Eastern League.

At Jersey City—Newark-Jersey City game postponed; rain.

At Rochester—Buffalo-Rochester game postponed; wet ground.

At Baltimore—R.H.E. Providence ... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 8 1

Baltimore ... 4 4 1 2 3 8 1

Batteries—Hardy and Barton; Mason and Byers. Umpire—Fineran.

At Montreal—Toronto-Montreal game postponed; Toronto club not able to reach Montreal in time.

Eastern League Standing.

Club. W. L. Pct.

Buffalo ... 54 34 .614

Jersey City ... 46 33 .582

Baltimore ... 44 35 .557

Rochester ... 44 41 .516

Montreal ... 43 45 .488

Providence ... 38 41 .481

Newark ... 36 50 .419

Toronto ... 27 65 .292

National League Scores.

At Philadelphia—First game—R.H.E. Chicago ... 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 9 0

Philadelphia ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 6 3

Batteries—Brown and Kling; Loh and Donovan. Umpire—Carpenter and Conway.

Second game—R.H.E. Chicago ... 0 1 0 2 0 1 0 1 2 12

Philadelphia ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 7 3

Batteries—Reubach and Moran; Duggles, Roy and Donovan. Umpire—Conway and Carpenter.

At Brooklyn—R.H.E. Pittsburgh ... 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 5 2

Brooklyn ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 2 8 0

Batteries—Lynch and Gibson; Scanlon and Bergen. Umpire—Johnstone.

At New York—R.H.E. St. Louis ... 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 6 2

New York ... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 2 8 6

Batteries—Thompson, W. Marshall and Grady; Ames and Bowerman. Umpire—Kien.

At Boston—R.H.E. Boston ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 2 2 2

Cincinnati ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 7 0

Batteries—Adams and Needles; Wicker and Livingston. Umpire—Donnel.

American League Scores.

At Cleveland—R.H.E. Chicago ... 2 0 0 3 0 2 0 0 7 8 5

Philadelphia ... 2 0 2 0 1 0 0 5 10 9 4

Batteries—Rhoades and Buelow; Plank, Powers and Schreck. Umpire—Conolly.

At Detroit—R.H.E. Detroit ... 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 3 6 4

New York ... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 2 8 2

Batteries—Donovan, Schmidt and Warner; Orth and Kleinow. Umpire—Sheridan and Evans.

At Chicago—R.H.E. Chicago ... 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 4 7 1

Boston ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1

Batteries—Adams and Sullivan; Harris and Armbruster. Umpire—O'Loughlin.

At St. Louis—R.H.E. St. Louis ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 1

Washington ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 8 1

Batteries—Glade and O'Connor; Hughes and Wakefield. Umpire—Hurst.

### MONEY FOR CATTLE TO WIN

The \$8,483 given by the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, in cash prizes to cattle is divided as follows:

\$3,700 to Shorthorns, \$540 to Herefords, \$470 to Aberdeen Angus, \$395 to Galloways, \$220 to grade cattle (beef breeds), \$205 to fat cattle, \$731 to Ayrshires, \$795 to Jerseys, \$307 to Guernseys, \$899 to Holsteins, \$221 to grade cattle (dairy breeds).

### BIG CATCH

Col. J. J. Shoals, of Port Elgin, Will Cameron and Al. Hubert, of Southampton, Rev. A. H. MacGillivray, Hector Jackson and Charles Gunn, of this city, spent the last week fishing in Miller Lake about 45 miles north of Warton.

Mr. Gunn showed to a Planet representative some of the finest black bass that have ever been brought to this city. The party had excellent luck, and Charlie has the biggest fish story of the season, and the best of it is that he has the goods to show for it.

Altogether there were 271 fish caught. The largest bass was 18 1-2 inches long, and all of them average three pounds in weight.

This is the record of the week's fishing: First day, 22 bass and 2 pike; second day, 29 bass and 5 pike; third day, 23 bass and 3 pike; fourth day, 48 bass and 10 pike; fifth day, 45 bass and 10 pike; sixth day, 40 bass and 8 pike; and seventh day, 21 bass.

The Planet—the People's Paper!

## A MEETING AT HALIFAX

Twenty Artillerymen Placed Behind the Bars

### TWO N. C. O.'S ARRESTED

Halifax, Aug. 4.—Considerable excitement was caused at the citadel last night by an incident among the artillerymen, as a result of which some 20 men are behind the bars. While the military people decline to talk yet, the following facts have been ascertained as the immediate cause of the trouble:

A garrison policeman entered a saloon for the purpose of arresting two artillerymen, who were improperly dressed. One of the men resented the interference of the police, and struck the officer in the face. Both artillerymen then left the saloon and proceeded to the barracks.

The policeman reported the occurrence and asked for assistance to arrest the men. The artillery guard when called upon for duty refused to obey orders. Extra assistance was at once obtained and with the aid of an armed picket some 20 of the mutineers were overpowered and placed in confinement.

This action immediately caused trouble and the rioting soldiers smashed all the windows in the cells and endeavored to escape. Two of them succeeded, but were later arrested. It is understood that in addition to the above two senior N.C.O.'s were placed under arrest. The prisoners will come up for trial to-day.

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## AUCTION SALE —OF— HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

Andrew Thomson has received instructions from Mr. Wm. S. Bell to sell his household effects Tuesday, August 7th, at one o'clock at his residence, Delaware avenue, second house from Forest street, consisting of some very fine furniture, including secretary, parlor, dining room and kitchen furniture, contents of two bedrooms. Also one fine Jewel Range, coal or wood. The above has only been in use a short time. All will be sold without reserve, as Mr. Bell is leaving the city.

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### WANTED

GIRL WANTED—At Rankin House.

WANTED—Dining room girl at Hotel Merrill.

AGENTS WANTED—Liberal pay and first class goods guaranteed. After you have thoroughly mastered the business we will start you on your own account. Write quick! Alfred Tyler, 355-7 Clarence St., London, Ont.

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### FOR SALE OR TO RENT

ROOMS TO RENT—Salts of rooms in the Glenn Block, William St., all modern conveniences. Apply to S. Glenn & Son.

ROOMS TO LET—Two nice front rooms to let with board, private home; ladies preferred. Apply at Box 28, Planet Office.

FOR SALE—Moderate sized house with modern improvements, for sale, on Victoria Ave., at a bargain. Apply to Thos. Scullard or The Planet Office.

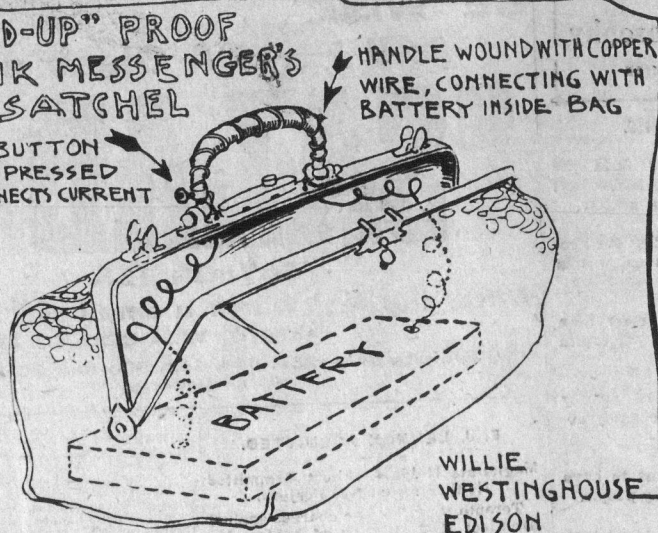
FOR SALE—Summer Home and Shooting Lodge at the Mouth of the Thames for sale. A rare chance to get a valuable property. Apply to James B. McKay, Detroit, Mich.



# PAPA DIDN'T KNOW THE BANK MESSENGER'S SATCHEL WAS LOADED

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BANK MESSENGER'S  
SATCHEL

BUTTON  
WHEN PRESSED  
DISCONNECTS CURRENT



WILLIE  
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SMITH  
PAT.

Willie made an electric attachment like this diagram.



Then he followed the messenger to see how it worked.



The messenger stopped right in front of Papa's club to light a cigar.



Papa was so angry at his carelessness that he seized the bag



He didn't know it was loaded, and touched the button.



He was mad clean through because his friends saw him.



## PERCY ALMOST MAKES \$20, BUT THE BOTTOM FALLS OUT OF HIS SCHEME





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(SUCCESSORS TO THE CHATHAM LOAN AND SAVINGS CO.)  
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## LEARN TO SWIM.

Commenting along lines so often followed by this journal, the London Free Press gives the following sensible advice to those who cannot swim:

"There have been a dozen drowning cases in Ottawa this season. In every one the drowning person ventured beyond his depth, which leads the Journal to plead strongly for better knowledge in the art of swimming."

"For those who have a fondness for aquatic sports a thorough mastery of the art, and of the various experiments of saving one's strength and remaining afloat when exhausted is indispensable."

"Those who can't swim should stay out of deep water."

"Those who can should not over-tax their strength."

"Children of tender years, whether they can swim or not, should not be allowed to play near deep water unless they are accompanied by adults who not only can swim, but know something of the arts of rescue, diving and resuscitation."

"People who can't swim should shun small craft and content themselves with the larger steamers of the firm, dry land."

"The chief moral is that everyone should learn to swim."

## THE WIRE TAPPERS.

Mr. Arthur Stringer has achieved an unusual thing, said the London Advertiser recently in speaking of the latest novel written by the ex-Chathamite. The sweet-tuned poet has become also the sensational novel writer. Hitherto we have thought of him as "the dreamer dreaming greatly in the man-stifling town," the Canadian sounding soft minstrelsy near the roar of Wall street. But now comes from his pen "The Wire-Tappers," the name betraying its up-to-dateness and melodramatic character. And this time the American press give unanimous approval. This time his ability to write an exciting story is put down as an established fact.

In "The Wire-Tappers" we find the old "style" of the poet's alertness to the shadings of sound and sight, the artist's fondling of words, and phrases; but the main thing is the engrossing and original story. It is melodrama, maybe, but it sets the pulses going all alive. There is a desperately bad villain, one MacNutt, the evil genius of the "hero," James Durkin; MacNutt is a brute-man, something like what Jack London would put out in front as the hero, but Mr. Stringer leaves him in his conventional niche as the "villain." Of course, there is also a lovely woman, dragged first by harsh need and later by her love for Durkin, into the crime of "wire-tapping." In the telephoning episode near the end, MacNutt tries to kill the heroine, the classic tradition of melodrama being here loyally followed; but it would not be just to say how it all ends. Suffice to say that the ending is surprisingly sudden, and, as things go nowadays, morally satisfactory. The author has worked out three or four very marked characters, that of the heroine being one of considerable interest and charm. And, by the way, Mr. Stringer's story has a Canadian locale. Some of the thrilling and pivotal scenes are laid a few miles west of this city.

We in London have great reason to be proud of Arthur Stringer's steady growth and standing among the very foremost of American writers. He has fought his way to the recognition of both general public and critics, with hard Canadian industry and undaunted ambition. Here is the concluding paragraph of the Literary Digest's review of "The Wire-Tappers":

"The possibilities of this plot and its dangers are obvious. If Mr. Stringer has not made all of it that he might, he certainly has escaped the pitfalls into which one less alert and skillful would fall. He has not made it ultra-psychological, although from the first page to the last his efforts are directed to the delineation of Durkin and the girl who made



a man of Durkin, and in doing so saved herself. Nor has he allowed his situations, which follow upon one another's heels in rapid succession, to sink to melodrama. The book is at once action and life, virile and alluring. It grips, and remains a pleasant memory; is, in the words of the New York Globe, 'really a fine specimen of the fiction of excitement done by a skilled hand.'

## THE COLOR OF A VOICE.

The following was recently perpetrated by Ezer. Smith, of the Bobcaygeon Independent:

"What color is your voice? The question sounds a trifle queerish, and suggests an overload of lemonade, but Mrs. Northesk Wilson, an English lady of scientific turn, declares that every person's voice has an individual color, and she claims to possess the power of seeing that color. She has had several years' experience now, and can judge the character of the individual most accurately by the color of the voice. It came about during an attack of illness, when she observed rays emanating from the voices of her friends when they sang, and then she consulted an eye specialist, thinking there might be something wrong with her sight, for the lady remembered that Mark Twain said: 'When you see a ghost count a ghost, count a hundred; and if it won't go away, take a pill.' The oculist, however, assured her that her sight was perfect, and she gave more attention to her observations, developing a sixth sense. Mr. Smith, the gentleman who writes our leading articles, confesses to some little experience in seeing things, in duplicates, but it never ran specially to colors, and his medical adviser invariably, at such times counseled more water, very much more water, in fact, nothing but water. Mrs. Wilson, however, thinks that the power to see colors is an outgrowth of a peculiar force inherent in the solar plexus, and known as the kundalini force. It is by means of this power that actors, artists and musicians hold their sway over the public. Mrs. Wilson not only maintains that her voice has its color, but that each individual carries around with him a luminous aura, or halo, which shows what sort of character he has. The word Kundalini she obtained from India, where the power has long been known among the Indian mystics, who call it by that name. By repeated observations she has found that when the voice of the aura emanating from the body is dark red, it means that the nature is passionate, irritable, addicted to vice; light pink means sympathy; green, physical or mental disturbance, lunatics having dark green voices; light blue denotes a quiet and studious nature; while a light brown emanates from an honest, respectable character. It is perfectly well known that the voice can make impressions upon disks and cylinders by which the voice is reproduced, and each note of the voice produces its own individual form. Then why should it not have a color. A raw oniony voice can readily be believed as possessing a whole rainbow of color, and no one will doubt a limburger cheese voice having the colors of a paint loft door. At present only five senses are commonly possessed, though it is certainly

## Many a Woman is Taking Headache Powders

who ought to be taking Bu-Ju. The kidneys are making the headache. They are not doing their work properly—not purifying the blood—not ridding the system of poisons. These impurities stagnate the blood—irritate the nerves—and bring the headache that so many women suffer with.

**Bu-Ju**  
THE GENTLE KIDNEY CURE  
takes away the headache because they take away the poisons in the kidneys. They act directly on these vital organs, strengthen and heal, reduce the inflammation—and stop the headache because they remove every trace of kidney trouble. At druggists.

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AULD LANG SYNE  
FROM PLANET FYLES OF HALF A CENTURY AGO

From The Planet fyles from May 25, 1865, to June 8, 1865.

On Friday night last the residence of Mr. Henry Smyth, in Harwich, was destroyed by fire. No insurance.

Thomas Dunlop, of Dover, was brought home from Sandusky, O., where he had met with a serious accident.

The celebration of the Queen's Birthday in Chatham was attended by scenes of enthusiasm unparalleled in the history of the town. The weather was propitious and the long program of sports and exhibitions was carried out to the full without interruption. There was a magnificent military parade in which all the old veterans of the county took part, fireworks displays, excursions from outside points and a great torchlight procession in the evening. The whole town was bubbling with spontaneous loyalty and excitement.

Capt. McCorquodale has put his new tug "Hero" into commission on the River Thames.

Telegraph dispatches from the seat of war announce the surrender of

tain that several others are in a nebulous condition, and are possessed more or less by some persons. It is perfectly well known that some individuals have an affinity for each other, whilst others are repellent. Mrs. Wilson might be able to explain this by the colors of their aura being inharmonious, or complimentary and in harmony, as the case may be. At any rate Mrs. Wilson states that the voice has its own color, and her statement furnishes an article for this great journal at a warm season when subjects for leading articles are scarce, and this g. j. is becoming thankful to the lady, and trusts that her own sweet voice has a color scheme of infinite beauty."

For the fiscal year ending June 30, this year, 935,915 immigrants arrived at the port of New York. This was an increase of over 100,000 as compared with the year 1905. There were 697,000 males and 272 females. The immigrants brought with them \$19,000,000. Italy sent the largest number and Germany the smallest number. Great Britain and Ireland furnished 71,000.

Columns upon columns of small advertisements in the Toronto daily papers call for school teachers. Never was the demand for teachers so great and the supply so small. Disgusted with the small pay in Ontario, the Northwest has been drawing away the teachers for the past few years and this year the outward rush has been greater than ever. The Minister of Education sometime ago made the first of January to the first of May this year, more extensions of certificates and permits had been granted than in any previous entire year. A large percentage of the advertisements now running do not contain the old phrase, "state salary," and a notable feature is that salaries ranging from \$350 to \$600 are freely offered.—Ridgetown Dominion.

## THE WATCHWORD.

Give of your mass of gold  
Send to the prostrate West  
Some of that wealth untold  
Digged from her virgin breast.  
Give!

Give of your meagre store,  
Send from your cupboard bare  
Out to the wretched slave,  
If but a pittance share.  
Give!

Give of your brother heart  
Quick to its golden glow,  
Let the love car start  
Out to the field of woe.  
Give!

Give of your health and strength,  
Give of your helping hand,  
Over its breadth and length,  
Vying with all the land.  
Give!

Give of the healing light  
Quick to the souls that grope;  
Send to the hearts affright,  
Messages filled with hope.  
Give!

## AT THE PALACE HOTEL.

Secretary Taft said of a certain domineering statesman:  
He fills men with dread. They quail before him. They can't call their souls their own in his presence. Altogether he makes me think of a waiter I once met in the West.

I was assigned to a room. There was no water nor towels in the room. I rang.

There was no reply.

Still no reply.

And again and again and yet again I rang and finally a waiter appeared.

This waiter was a robust man of stern and forbidding aspect.

Did you ring? he said, in a rumbling bass voice.

I did, I answered.

Well, don't do it again, said the waiter with a menacing scowl as he withdrew.

## Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

Somehow the lawmaker finds the grafter such a gentlemanly fellow that he can't quite believe he's a grafter.

Suffrage is the privilege that the people have of giving it to themselves in the neck.

What the country needs more than anything else is an increase per capita of common sense.

The person most interested is usually the one that can't see the entirely obvious thing.

The wish to do well seems to have a satisfying effect on so many people.

When a thing is too good to be true look out for the double back action attachment.

A hard luck story will not produce half as much funds as a gold brick story.

Many a young man has ruined his future by taking the prize at an oratorical contest.

While a good reputation may be a proud possession, it is sometimes uncomfortable to live up to.

A lawyer is a man who shows how the law may be avoided.

A small boy's idea of heaven is pretty apt to be the place where the wash-bowl ceases from troubling and the wash rag is at rest.

Never look a gift mule in the heels.

Don't Do It.  
Don't go round forever grumbling, thinking thus to make a hit, Always finding fault and saying That this life is a misfit; Crying that the world is hollow, Stale and profitless and fat, That won't win a hero medal, Carnegie won't stand for that.

Don't get out your little hammer, As though knocking was your trade, When there are no nails to shingle, And no fences to be made. When the jury is selecting, Names to deck the hall of fame It will pass you in a hurry When it gets down to your name. Do not just for spite, my brother, Chew the rag from morn till night, Making faces at the weather And at everything in sight. That will not inspire the neighbors When an office is in chase Of a man to come insisting That you must accept the place.

## The Traveler.

"And there is a tiny creature in that coat that goes a hundred feet at every step."  
"How wonderful! What is the name of the little creature?"  
"It is called a centipede."

## Holding Up the Average.

An English authority says that the quality of written and spoken English in the United States is deteriorating. Perhaps we do not drop our h's and describe everything that pleases us as "bloody," thus lowering the quality materially and sadly, but if the quality is low just pause a moment to think how we make up in quantity.

In our political campaigns there is sometimes so much language thrown about the hall where a meeting is being held that the janitor has to hire help to sweep it out next day. See some of congress and the legislature do their share toward adding to the total volume, to say nothing of what the ladies do for us in the ordinary everyday affairs of life.

Our language may not be so high class that the ordinary person can't understand it, but there is certainly enough of it.

## Safe.

Oh, February, shortest month, I greet you without fear. The girls cannot because of you I propose to me this year.

Now I may safely walk the streets Where every one may see, For no one will come up and say, "Kind sir, please marry me."

Not that to keep away from them In former years I hid, But still I like to run the bluff To make folks think I did.

## When He Lapses.

"Do you think a horse trader ever tells the truth?"  
"Certainly. He isn't trading horses all of the time, is he?"

Wouldn't Keep Them Long.  
"Do you think it is hard to keep chickens?"  
"It would be for me if I had any on around who knew how to cook them!"

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"SALADA"  
CEYLON TEA

When you feel warm a small piece of lemon will add to the flavor.  
Lead Packets Only—25c, 30c, 40c, 50c, and 60c. per Pound.  
At all Grocers.

## E. J. LENNOX ACQUITTED.

Magistrate Holds Architect Committed Neither Fraud Nor Perjury.

Toronto, Aug. 2.—The charges against Architect E. J. Lennox of having defrauded the city out of \$200 by issuing a false certificate to Thomas Hunter, and of perjury, in declaring that he suggested no payments of money to Dr. Lynd by Arthur Dennis and W. B. Rogers & Co., were dismissed yesterday afternoon by Magistrate Kingsford. The court took the ground that Mr. Lennox merely took a roundabout way of compensating Mr. Moore for services as clerk of the works, and that he had made no direct denial of the testimony of Mr. Dennis and W. B. Rogers. The third charge against Mr. Lennox, that of conspiracy, will be taken up on Aug. 7.

## WEARING AWAY YOUR LUNGS.

Yes, and your strength, too. Stop coughing, and get rid of that catarrh. The one remedy is Catarrhoxone, which goes to the diseased tissues along with the air you breathe; it can't fail to reach the source of the trouble, it's bound to kill the germs, and as for healing up the sore places, nothing can surpass Catarrhoxone. If you don't get instant relief and ultimate cure you will at least get back your money for Catarrhoxone is guaranteed to cure catarrh in any part of the system. You run no risk—therefore, use Catarrhoxone—at our expense if not satisfied.

## British Bowlers Win By 42.

Toronto, Aug. 3.—The British bowlers arrived in the city yesterday morning, were received by the mayor and reception committee at the city hall, and played and won their first match from the Toronto rink on the Queen City grounds in the afternoon. There are forty-five of them. Eight rinks of them played five Queen City rinks, two Lorne Park and one Parkdale, yesterday afternoon, on Queen City lawns, beating all opponents, winning the match by 43 shots.

## YOU MELANCHOLY WOMEN.

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## Australia's Exports.

London, Aug. 2.—(C. A. P.)—In introducing the budget of the Commonwealth, Treasurer Forrest said that Australia, with two million people less than Canada, exported thirteen million pounds' worth yearly more than the Dominion.

## Barges Aground in Rapids.

Kingston, Aug. 3.—Two Montreal Transportation barges are aground in the Gafford Rapids. There was a misunderstanding of signals, and the barges swung broadside and grounded at a treacherous place.

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## District.

### THORNCLIFFE.

Rev. Mr. Mitchell visited friends in this vicinity lately.

The Baptist minister from Dresden preached in the hall on Sunday afternoon.

Our boys went to Wabash to play a game of football on Thursday night. Mr. Kerby and Inez and Mr. Bedford visited Mrs. H. Parry one day last week.

A. Kerby and family spent Sunday in Dawn.

Mrs. J. Delone and Mrs. W. Anderson visited Mrs. Bedford on Monday of last week.

Violet Shaw is home from Detroit. Mr. Scott and family are boarding at E. Bassett's.

Stanley Hannon is working for C. Prangley, Dawn Mills.

Miss Rachel Delone visited Miss

Ethel Hannon on Sunday. Miss Pretty is visiting her parents on the town line.

### VINEGAR HILL.

Mr. Merritt and Mr. Wright, of Dover, spent Sunday with Mr. B. Johnson.

Mrs. Coffell and Miss Ronson spent a few days at Stevenson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Ronson spent Sunday with Miss Ronson. Miss Sandison, who was the guest of Miss McKishnie, has gone to visit at Quarry.

Miss J. Russell has returned to her home in Chatham after spending a few weeks with her uncle, Mr. Russell.

Miss V. Russell is spending a few days in Chatham.

There will not be any service at the Union church on account of quarterly meeting at Cedar Springs.

Mrs. Crow, of Chatham, is spending a few weeks at her brother's, Mr. Pardo.

## Wanted—A Reader

By HARRIET G. CANFIELD

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Jean Draper waltzed into the shabby little room with a copy of the morning paper in her hand. "There!" she cried exultantly. "Read that—read it aloud, child!"

The "child" was much older and larger than the young woman who addressed her and far more sedate. She had another name—Mary Brandon—but it had fallen into "innocuous desuetude" since the advent of Jean, who mothered every one, from the milkman's boy to the minister.

"You read it," Mary said, "my throat is like a nutmeg grater this morning."

The animated look faded from Jean's face and the distracting little dimple in her left cheek stopped work immediately. "Oh," she cried regretfully, "I forgot you cold! You can't do it after all. Just listen to this: 'Wanted—An educated elderly lady to read aloud to young man. Apply 2171 Dale avenue, 9 to 10 a. m.'"

Mary Brandon looked up from the button holes she was making at so much—or so little—a dozen and laughed hoarsely.

"Since when," said she, "has your 'child' become an 'elderly lady,' Jean?"

"Oh, I know you wouldn't do as you are, but you make up so beautifully! Remember when you were Barbara Friesthie at the Whittier social? You have that wig now, haven't you, child? But you're hoarse, and so—"

"And so you can apply," Mary interrupted her.

"I? You know what a miserable reader I am—galloping along one page and balking at a long word or French phrase on the next. If I could choose my own book—'Easy Stories of One and Two Syllables, For Beginners,' or something like that—I'd think it no sin to deceive the unsuspecting youth. I believe I'll do it. They really don't need me now at the 'Chiropractic Parlor.' Dr. Gray intimated as much yesterday."

Mary laughed derisively. "Try it if you like," she said. "There may be no



"TELL ME, ARE YOU MARRIED?"

necessity for an elaborate makeup. If he needs a reader it's probably because his eyes have given out—glasses, my wig, an elderly manner, and there you are! Nothing will give you away unless it is your laugh, Jean. It sounds so young! But you haven't laughed much lately, I've noticed." Mary looked steadily into her friend's soft brown eyes. "Come now," she said, "fess up, dear, that you care more for Dr. Tom than you imagined when you insisted on coming here to earn your living—poor, little living! If you had it to do over, wouldn't you?"

"Never mind what I'd do, child," Jean said quickly, the warm color flooding her telltale face. "What you are about to do is of more importance now. Behold your lay figure! Make of me what you will."

A half hour later a trim "elderly" lady went forth to seek a position as reader. Two hours later the lady returned. She fairly flew into the room and sank on the old couch, laughing and crying in the same breath.

Mary laid down her work. "Didn't you get the place?" she asked. "Aren't you engaged?"

Jean laughed hysterically. "Yes," she said; "yes, I'm engaged."

"Well, then, why are you crying? Where is your wig, and—"

Jean stopped her with a little gesture.

"Child, child," she cried, "you'll never guess who advertised. I didn't, even when I saw his sign! Whitney is not an uncommon name, you know."

"Dr. Whitney?" Mary gasped. "Tom Whitney in this city? Oh, Jean, what did you do?"

"Went in, of course. A maid ushered me into a dimly lighted room where a mad sat in a reclining chair with a bandage over his eyes. He was big and broad shouldered, with a little wave in his hair that reminded me of Tom. When he turned to speak to me I saw that it was Tom, but so sad faced and subdued that I could have cried to see him."

"Luckily he didn't ask my name, and fear of detection changed my voice so that my own mother wouldn't have

recognized it. 'Please be seated,' he said quietly, 'my eyes have been badly used and are on a strike at present. I'm under orders to humor them for a few weeks.'

"Then he lifted a book from the table at his elbow and asked me to read. It was a scientific work—somebody's horrid medical essays. I stumbled through the first page, and when I looked up, my face crimson with embarrassment, he was fixing his bandage, and the sad look had left his face. I'm sure there was a smile hiding at the corner of his mouth!"

"You needn't read any more," he said, "but your voice is so soothing that I wish you'd talk."

"T-t-talk," I stammered. 'About what?'

"Oh, the days of your youth or any old thing," he said with such a boyish laugh that I knew he had recognized me. The bandage had been moved to some purpose! He needed punishment—didn't he, child?—and I promptly administered it."

"Oh, what did you do?" Mary asked anxiously.

"I adjusted my spectacles with a grandmotherly air and said, 'I will tell you of something that happened long ago. I wasn't married then, and—'

"My listener came suddenly to an upright position and said sternly: 'Are you now? Tell me, are you married now?'

"No!" I cried in a panic. 'No, indeed! Please lie down, and I'll—I'll recite something.'

"Yes," he said, after a moment's hesitation, and there was a laugh in his voice, "recite the 'Prisoner of Chillon.'"

"You know it begins 'My hair is white, but not with years?' Well, I'd recited just that far when he reached out and lifted wig, bonnet and all from my head. 'No,' he cried, 'it isn't white with years,' and then he—I mean I!—Jean laughed, blushed and came to a full stop.

"Yes?" Mary said encouragingly, "What did you do, dear?"

"I—well, you remember I told you that I was 'engaged'?"

Henry Clay's Great Memory.

It is said that no man ever had a more marvelous memory for faces than Henry Clay. The instances given to prove this are numberless. On one occasion he was on his way to Jackson, Miss., and the cars stopped for a short time at Clinton. Among the crowd who pressed forward was one vigorous old man who insisted that Mr. Clay would recognize him. He had lost one eye.

"Where did I know you?" asked Mr. Clay, fixing a keen glance on this man.

"In Kentucky," was the reply.

"Had you lost your eye before then, or have you lost it since?" was the next question.

"Since," answered the old man.

"Turn the sound side of your face to me so I can see your profile," said Mr. Clay promptly, and the man obeyed. "I have it!" said Mr. Clay after a moment's scrutiny of the profile. "Didn't you give me a verdict as juror at Frankfort, Ky., in the famous case of the United States versus Innis twenty-one years ago?"

"Yes, sir!" cried the old man, trembling with delight.

"And isn't your name Hardwicke?" queried Mr. Clay after another minute.

"I told you he'd remember me!" cried the old man, turning to the crowd. "He never forgets a face; never forgets a face!"

The Harp of Brian Borohme.

In the museum of Trinity college, Dublin, there are hundreds of thousands of relics, but the one in which most people take the greatest interest is the harp which once belonged to Brian Borohme, or Brian Boru, as he is most commonly called. Brian Borohme was the Irish monarch who was killed in the great battle at Clontarf in the year 1014 A. D. Brian left his harp and his crown to his son Donagh, who succeeded as king. Soon after Donagh was deposed by a warlike nephew and was forced to retire to Rome. He took his father's crown and harp with him, and they were kept in the Vatican collection for several centuries, the crown, which is of massive hammered gold, being still numbered among the pope's treasures. The harp, however, was sent to Henry VIII., and he presented it to the first Earl of Clarendon. It was deposited in the museum mentioned in the opening in the year 1872. The harp is thirty-two inches high and of good workmanship, the carving on the oak frame being equal to anything that could be done today. It is well preserved and does not look to be an instrument upward of 1,000 years old.

Children's Answers.

A young teacher in one of the public schools was telling a friend of hers about the humorous answers made by some of her pupils. Here is the answer of a bright boy in the geography class: "The mariner's compass was invented by a man always pointing toward the north." In another instance the teacher had said to the class, "No matter what the size of the circle, what does it always contain?" She meant, of course, 360 degrees. A boy, with an air of wisdom, promptly replied, "A hole." During a physiology lesson another boy, in answer to a question regarding the use of the human trunk, said, "The trunk is that part of your body which keeps you from being legs all the way up to your neck." The teacher, in distributing pens for a writing lesson, happened to give one child a stub pen. The child walked up to the desk and, looking earnestly in the teacher's face, said gravely, "Please, Miss —, I can't use this here pen; it's a substitute pen."—Philadelphia Record.

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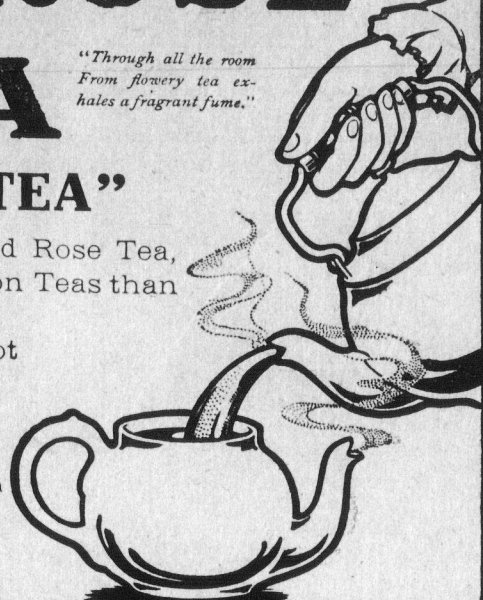
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## DISTRICT

### McKAY'S CORNERS.

Miss Munnie Finellen, who is spending her holidays at Port Lambton, will return home on Saturday.

Mrs. Christina Clark is visiting her son, John A., with other friends.

Mrs. John Clark, of Walkerville, is spending a few days with friends in this vicinity.

Gladys McRitchie is staying with friends at Sandy Knowe, Erieau, for

a couple of weeks.

St. James Sunday school will picnic at the Park on Thursday, Aug.

2nd.

The local ball team played a tie game with Huffman's Corners on

Tuesday, score five all.

A large number from here attended the funeral of the late N. P.

Weeks' on Wednesday.

The "Has Beens" are talking strongly of preparing a fine lawn for bowls, that it may be ready for next season. There is plenty of good material to develop some skilled

Messrs. John and Jule Tuck were in Detroit on Thursday, taking the train from Chatham.

### BEAR LINE.

Mr. Fred Hind, Miss Alice Harris, Mr. John Harris and Miss Ethel Elgie spent last Sunday at the lake.

Mr. Thos. Harris, Sr., spent last Sunday at the Burg.

Mr. Geo. Bishop and wife, of How-

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George DeCow, of Detroit, visited his brother.

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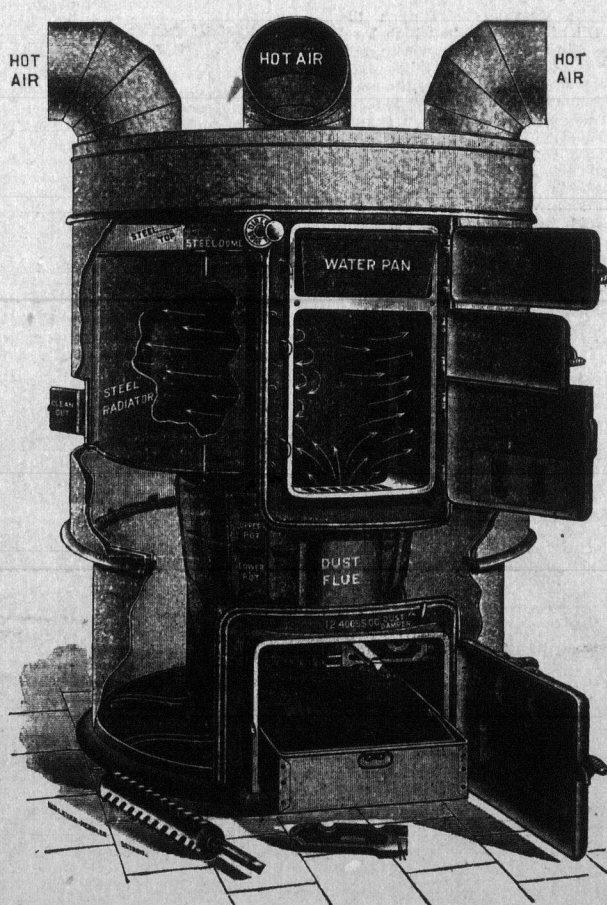
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## THE CHURCH SLEEPERS

LESSON FROM THE INCIDENT OF THE YOUNG MAN EUTYCHUS.

### FELL AND BROKE HIS NECK

Sermon to the Careless, the Indifferent, the Irreverent, Who in Church Keep One Eye on the Sermon and the Other on Business or Pleasure—Direct Application of the Text Made by the Preacher.

Entered according to Act of Parliament of Canada, in the year 1906, by Frederick Dwyer, Toronto, at the Dept. of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 29.—The careless, the indifferent and the irreverent, who in church keep one eye on the sermon and the other on business or pleasure, this sermon has a direct application. The text selected is Acts xx, 9, "And there sat in a window a certain young man named Eutychus, being fallen into a deep sleep."

No class of men work harder for Christ than the travelling evangelists. When such men as John Wesley and George Whitefield and D. L. Moody have a word for a parish, they realize how large that field is, and they do everything in their power to travel over it before they die. The true evangelist preaches on Sunday. He also preaches on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. He not only preaches at night, but in the afternoons and in the mornings. He preaches at all times and under all conditions. He seems to say to himself: "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few. O God, give me strength to wield thy sickle with superhuman power and gather thy sheaves by the multitudes into the gospel granary."

John Wesley, the travelling evangelist, always began his day's work at 4 o'clock in the morning. Many were the times he preached two sermons before breakfast. On an average he used to travel every year nearly 5,000 miles. He preached from two to four sermons every day of his life. Not only that, but he everywhere disseminated his printed appeals for Christ. Truly Tyerman was right when he called John Wesley's herculean labors in these words: "Looking at his travelling, the marvel is how he found time to write, and, looking at his books, the marvel is how he found time to preach." But preach he did. He kept on preaching under all conditions. He seemed to say: "My life is slipping away so fast that I must carry the gospel to as many people as possible before I die." Wesley preached in the early morning to the miners of Cornwall. He preached in the market places at noon. He preached in the fields in the afternoon. He preached at all times, under all conditions, to all who would hear the message of the atoning love of Jesus Christ.

Now, if I might not seem irreverent I would say that the Apostle Paul was the John Wesley among the early disciples. In all probability he was not an impassioned speaker like Peter. Peter always seemed to me to be the George Whitefield of the apostolic band. I can imagine him preaching on the day of Pentecost as George Whitefield so often stood before his audiences, with flaming eyes and earnest gesture and resonant voice. Oh, what a power Peter must have been! But, though George Whitefield had his work to do, John Wesley had his work also, and a far greater work. John Wesley went from place to place, not only preaching, but also organizing churches and collecting money for his evangelistic work. Such was the work of Paul. He was the John Wesley of the apostolic band.

Now, to-day we find this ancient John Wesley on one of his great missionary tours. He wants to make the most of his trip, so he stops only a short time at Troas. I think I hear him say to his travelling companion, "Luke, do you think we can get through our work here in a week?" "I do not believe so," answers Dr. Luke. "A week is a very short time." "I know it," says Paul, "but if we wait for the sailing of another vessel there is no telling how long we may have to remain here. I would like to preach to these friends for months instead of a week. But we must hasten on, as many different cities as I can before I die, I think if we get up early in the morning and preach before breakfast and keep on preaching during the day and preach late in the evening I can sow a good many seeds. Our time is very short. We must hasten on to Assos and Mitylene and thence go to Chios and Trogyllium and Miletus."

Thus we see Paul hard at work in Troas. Six days slipped by only too quickly. On the last day before he sails he has so much to say that he continues his talks far on toward the midnight. While he is exhorting the Christians of Troas to be true to their faith a young man who is sitting on the window sill of the room doses, loses his balance and falls out and breaks his neck. "And there sat in a window a certain young man named Eutychus, being fallen into a deep sleep, and as Paul was long preaching he sunk down with sleep and fell down from the third loft and was taken up dead." Now, I would like to consider with you the reason why this young man fell asleep during the preaching of Paul and why his somnolence should be a rebuke to all Christians sleeping in our church pews.

In the first place, I believe that this sleeping Eutychus is a type of that large class of young men who think it is smart to act disrespectfully and obnoxiously in the house of God. When these young men attend church they always go under protest. While in the church pew by their actions they try to advertise the fact that they do not want to be there. When the minister preaches a little longer than he might, these young men yawn and twist and put themselves out of all touch with the service, and the preaching to them becomes stupid because they do not listen to it intelligently. They become like Eutychus of Troas, who under the preaching of Paul allowed his eyelids to

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become heavy and his head to nod until he fell out of the window, upon the sill of which he was sitting, and struck the ground, and he broke his neck. You have seen this class of men. They are to be found in every Sunday school and every church service.

This class of irreverent young people was well illustrated for me some time ago. I was attending the graduation exercises of one of the greatest educational institutions of the west. I sat in the gallery and could distinctly see all that took place. The huge building was literally thronged. Main floor, first gallery and rostrum were packed. The second gallery was also filled by the immense audience. A great orator was delivering the address of the evening. That audience, almost to a person, hung upon the speaker's words. But no sooner did this great orator commence to speak than three of the members of the quartette, which sang that night began to whisper and to laugh. They thought they were behind a curtain and no one could see them. They talked, and they seemed to say by their actions: "Oh, must we be bored? Do we have to sit through all this? We are fingers. We care nothing for the fact that an orator, nationally famous, is delivering one of his greatest addresses to-night. When will the never ending flow of words cease?" That was a stupid address to those three fingers, merely because in their obnoxious egotism they supposed they had outgrown it and could not be benefited by it.

I protest against the irreverence of these modern Eutychuses in the house of God. I protest against young men and also young women, for some young women are as bad as the irreverent young men, coming into a church and not giving the same respectful attention to God's ambassadors which they would give to an ordinary guest in their father's parlor. The house of God is not a playground. It is not a confectionery establishment, where young folks come to munch candy. It is not a place for young people to whisper and to write notes. It is a place to worship. And, if our young people do not come to church to worship, then they had better stay away. You must heed the fact that the sleeping auditor of my text was a young man. But while Eutychus sits upon the window sill of the room in which Paul was preaching I see him continually glancing across the street. I approach him to-day and say: "What is the matter, Eutychus? Why are you looking so much out of the window? I should think you would want to keep your eyes all the time riveted upon Paul. Why, he is the greatest preacher of all the ages." "I have heard that," answers Eutychus. "That is one of the reasons I am here. But I can't neglect my business even for a Paul. Thus I am trying to kill two birds with one stone. I am sitting here upon the window ledge, so I can hear Paul with my ears, and at the same time with my eyes I can watch my store, just across the street. Thus you see if too many

customers gather about my counter, why, I can just slip away and attend to them." Do you wonder, when Eutychus kept one eye upon his counter at the same time he was listening to Paul, that the sermon of Paul became very stupid and as soon as the shadows of night fell that Eutychus' eyelids grew heavy and that he slipped out of the window and broke his neck?

"But," says some one to me, "I do not see where you get authority for the statement that Eutychus was a young business man. The Bible does not state this. And, furthermore, how do you know that his bazaar, or shop, was just across the street? Are you not taking too much liberty with the text?"

No, I do not think I am. "Is true the Bible does not state this young man Eutychus, was a business man. But one fact I do know. If Eutychus was a young business man and wanted to keep his eye upon his shop across the street while he was keeping within hearing of Paul, the window sill would have been just the place where he would have sat. And, furthermore, I do know that, just as Eutychus might have been watching his bazaar, there are hundreds and thousands of men who when they come to church, bring with them a business with them, and along the ministers are preaching they are planning what they will do at the store the next day, or how they will purchase their fall goods, or how they can undersell their rivals. Furthermore, I do know that whenever a merchant or a business man tries to carry his business into the church pew, that moment even the most brilliant and consecrated of sermons will fall upon ears as dead as did the words of Paul to those who fell out of the window and broke his neck on the last night before Paul sailed away on his famous missionary tour.

O ye merchants and manufacturers and professional men, is there no lesson for you to learn in this Troas tragedy? You have often said, "If these ministers preach interesting sermons we would come to church and stay awake and listen to their discourses." Is that true? Was not Eutychus listening to a brilliant discourse? Was he not listening to the most brilliant pulpit orator the world has ever seen? Ah, no, Eutychus did not fall asleep because he was listening to a stupid preacher. I believe he fell asleep for the same reason that so many business men become drowsy when they try to sandwich a sermon in between the ledges of their temporal business. While the sermon is going on some of them upon the fly leaf of a hymn book or upon the church leaflet are trying to estimate how much profit they can make upon some real estate deal or how much they can cut down their employees' wages without having them quit for good or go out on a prolonged strike.

You say the modern ministers preach too long. Open the pages of your church history and find the biographies of our great preachers. I defy you to

find any of them who made a great impression for Jesus Christ unless they were long preachers. And, furthermore, you cannot show me any church in America who is noted as a deeply spiritual church unless the services of that church are long services. Not only do the audiences of that church sit through long services, but even after the benediction is given the members are loath to leave. They linger in groups in the aisles and about the doorways, and at last you find those church members talking with each other on the street corners as though they could not tear themselves apart.

But this sleeping Eutychus is the symbol also of the theological liberalism of those who do not care to what church they are going, as long as they are listening to some new minister and delving into the mysteries of some new modern Eutychus. These modern Eutychuses are listening to some new minister and delving into the mysteries of some new modern Eutychus. These modern Eutychuses are listening to some new minister and delving into the mysteries of some new modern Eutychus. These modern Eutychuses are listening to some new minister and delving into the mysteries of some new modern Eutychus.

We are in the seaport town of Troas. It is about the year 56 A. D. We see a crowd of people hurrying along, some of them talking very earnestly together. We hear one of them, whom we find to be an old acquaintance of ours. We say: "Hello, Eutychus! What is the matter? Where are you going?" He turns quickly and says: "Is that you, John? Why, I am going up to hear this new preacher Paul. He has been in town about six days. He is going to leave for Assos to-morrow. Come up with us and hear him." But we say: "What is the good of going? You do not expect to become one of his followers, do you?" "Oh, no," answers Eutychus. "But I make it a rule to hear all the noted men speak who come to town. Last week there was one of the noted preachers of Ephesus here. He was telling about his goddess Diana. Last month there was a soothsayer from India. A year ago we had that Egyptian magician with us. Two years ago there came that disciple of Epicurus who came to Athens. Yes, I went to hear them all. I always go and hear everybody who comes to advocate some strange creed. Come along with me and let us listen to this Paul. We can sit in the back of the room. Perhaps we can sit close to the door, and then we can slip out if the speaker becomes tiresome."

Is it too much of a stretch of the imagination to picture Eutychus going to hear Paul in such a spirit as some of our modern Eutychuses go to hear the different speakers of our modern churches in these cities of the western hemisphere?

But, lastly, I remark this ancient Eutychus made another mistake, which so many men and women are making to-day. He did not believe that there was ever a last time for him to receive the gospel of Jesus Christ. He felt that if he could receive Christ to-day then he could receive him next week or next month or next year or even ten years from the night of his fatal accident. But there was a last chance for Eutychus, and there is a last time for us. And the sad fact is that for some of us this last time for accepting Christ may be to-day. This morning, this afternoon or to-night. Perhaps Christ is speaking to us as Christ spoke in the parable of old, saying, "Thou fool, this night thy soul shall be required of thee." To-night the death angel may come to thee as he came to Eutychus of old, when he fell out of the window and broke his neck.

"But," says some one, "you must remember, though Eutychus may have broken his neck, that Paul, by the power of the Holy Spirit, resurrected him. Yes, my friend, you are right. But I would not have you lay too much stress on that fact. It is not every preacher who has Paul's power of restoring you to life if you were to break your neck. If you reject the gospel to-day and should die before night by some accident or disease, no preacher could obtain for you another opportunity, as Paul did for Eutychus. So I think, after all, that was Eutychus' last chance for salvation, for, if after that fall and resurrection he did not receive Christ, he would never have received him at all. And I know, further, that after the hard trouble God has lately sent upon you in your financial misfortune or in the death of your loved one or in the pain of your late sickness, if you do not receive Jesus Christ now, in all probability you will never receive him at all. Yes, after Eutychus was restored to life, in all probability there was no difficulty for him to stay awake and listen to Paul about the glories of a spiritual salvation. Is it any wonder, then, that you now listen to what Christ has done for you that you may live with him forever and ever? O ye modern Eutychuses, are you having your dull ears opened to the glorious news of the gospel life? Have your weary and dulled eyes become aflame with joy at the vision of the face of a loving Lord?

Thus, whether we live or die, may we never again be weary with hearing what Christ has done for us or weary in doing something for Christ. There is a beautiful incident, told by Mrs. Mary Livermore, that when she was an army nurse during the late civil war a young captain was fatally shot. At once his young bride was sent for and came to the bedside of his demise Mrs. Livermore was passing through the ward of the field hospital and saw him. She stopped a minute by his bedside and said, "My poor fellow, are you ready to go?" The young wife looked up and answered: "Yes, Mrs. Livermore, we are both ready, he to go and I to stay. When he enlisted I gave him to God and his country. I expected this and prepared for this." Oh, my friends, can we speak to Christ as that young wife spoke to Mrs. Livermore? Can we look up into the face of our Saviour and say: "Master, Saviour, Jesus, Lord, I am ready. I am ready to serve thee on earth or to glorify thee in heaven?" Ah, ye sleeping Eutychuses, can you be emancipated from your sins and say that? Perhaps, as Paul was preaching for the last time to some of you, the power of the Holy Spirit may be able to inspire you to give your hearts to Jesus, as Paul raised up the dead young man of Troas and made him a living disciple for Christ.

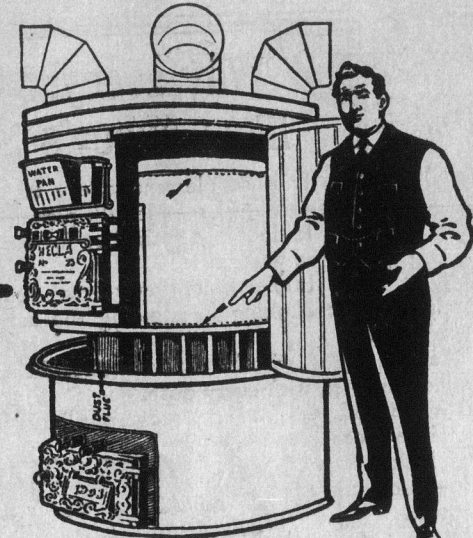
A Quick Start.  
O. W. Nickerson and J. S. Baker were residents of Harwick. Captain Nickerson, as he was called, was a man of means and very shrewd. Joe was less fortunate. One day the captain met Joe and said, "Come over to-night." Joe did so, and as soon as he entered the captain's home the captain took him into a distant room, closed all the windows and doors securely and said: "Now, Joe, I will tell you the secret of getting rich and you can pay me \$25. Be saying, of course, and when you do make a bargain with any one be sure that no one hears you, and then if you get the worst of it or want to back out you can. Now hand me the \$25."

Joe thought a second and then said, "Did any one hear us make this bargain, captain?" "Not a soul," replied the captain. "Well, then," Joe said, "I guess I'll begin on you."

"Where the treasure is," etc.  
"Harold," said the heiress, "I have been thinking."  
"Thinking of me, precious?" asked Harold.  
"Indirectly, yes. I have been thinking that were you to marry me everybody would say you only did so in order to get my money."

"What care I for the unthinking world?"  
"But, oh, Harold, I will marry you!"  
"My own dear?"  
"And I will not have people say unkind things about you, so I have arranged to give all my fortune to the missionaries. Why, Harold, where are you going?"  
Harold paused long enough on his way to the door to look back and mutter, "I'm going to be a missionary!"—Judge.

Tributes to Late Justice Street.  
Toronto, Aug. 3.—Justice McMahon, in opening single court yesterday, paid a warm tribute to the life and work of the late Judge Street.  
"In the death of our distinguished colleague," said he, "the bench and the bar has sustained a loss which arouses general regret. I had known the late Mr. Justice Street for over thirty-five years and as a fellow-townsmen and personal friend in the legal profession, I knew him as a genial man, an able jurist, and a most capable judge. His death will leave a place on the bench which will be hard to fill."  
On behalf of the bar W. H. McFadden expressed regret at the death of a man who was "a much beloved judge."



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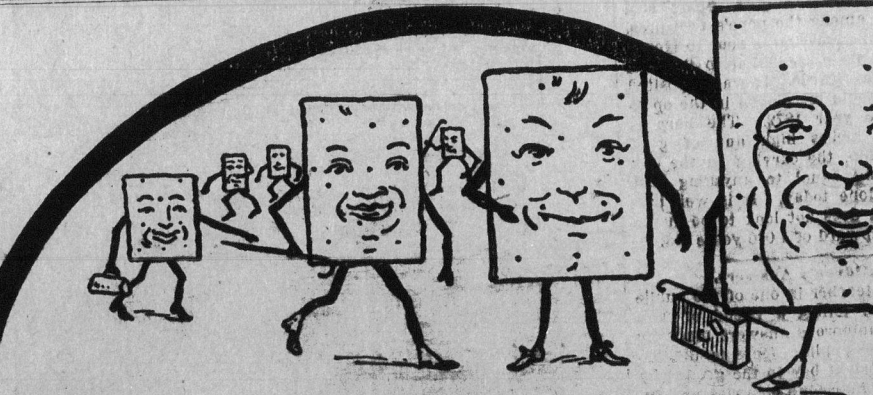
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CAULIFLOWER, 5 to 10c. a head.  
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## H. Malcolmson

### LIFE IS BUT A LITTLE DAY.

Swift the moments fly away,  
Strewed with flowers of May,  
With violets, brightly blue,  
With sad and bitter rue:  
Sometimes clouds of gloom o'er-spread  
Life as well as sky overhead,  
Till outshines the sun's bright ray:  
All these make up life's little day.  
Take the bitter with the sweet,  
Onward tread with gladness feet;  
Pick the violets ever blue,  
Do not stop beside the rue;  
When the skies are cold and gray,  
Still keep in the sunny way;  
Life will not be very long,  
Make it sweet, and make it strong.  
Whoever makes the fewest persons  
unhappy is the best bred in the com-  
pany.  
True charity gives in thought as  
well as things, wisdom as well as  
wealth.

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## Specialties.....

We keep a large number of side lines or specialties and we can recommend them as being highly satisfactory.  
When you need anything in the specialty line be sure and come to us. We are almost sure to have what you want. Here are a few of them:  
"Porcel" for cleaning enameled ware.  
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"Universal" bread mixers, the great labor savers.  
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## LOCAL

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Smoke Quail on Toast Cigar—3c.  
Lawn Mowers sharpened—briskness.  
Miss Stephenson has returned from Muskoka.

A. McAuley, of Wallaceburg, was a city visitor yesterday.

E. C. Hickey, of Leamington, spent yesterday in the city.

Miss Olive Edmondson is spending her vacation in Stratford.

Miss Ruby Rice is visiting her sister, Mrs. Scholtz, in Detroit.

J. A. Beatty, of Wallaceburg, was a visitor to Chatham yesterday.

Ice cream served in our parlors or supplied in bulk. Mrs. F. Snook, Adelaide St.

St. Thomas have been sent 500 admission tickets for Monday's game. Fair Grounds, 3.30.

If you are in need of Domestic Help try The Planet Want Column. Sure to find it for you.

Miss Bertha A. Birch, who has been visiting at Erie Beach, has returned to the city.

Mrs. A. Paupst and daughter Grace, and Mrs. John Weston, of Dresden, are city visitors to-day.

Miss Mary Walker, of Pelton, is spending her vacation with her aunt, Mrs. Robt. McRitchie, Harvey St.

Messrs. I. Nicholls, John Morton and Manson Campbell visited the Tilbury oil field yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Bernke and daughter Winnie, Park street, are spending the week with friends in Detroit.

Miss Fanny Carby, of Harwich, left this morning to spend a few weeks in Toronto, Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

Miss Etta McKie, Lansdowne avenue, left this morning to spend a few weeks in Toronto, Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

Advertisers will now be able to find a place to drop cuts and copy for changes through the centre door at The Planet Office.

Mrs. Farlinger, of Toronto, a soloist of the Metropolitan Church choir, will sing in Victoria Avenue Church to-morrow.

All design work gotten up in the most artistic manner at one-third off usual prices at Victoria Avenue Green Houses, 'phone 181.

The fishing was very good at the Eau last evening, and a number of local sportsmen are reported to have made some splendid catches.

The Taylor Avenue Dictators defeated a picked colored nine from the East End on the waterworks diamond last night by a score of 17 to 11.

Mrs. Wm. Campbell and little daughter Jean, who have spent the past two weeks with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilkin, Head St., leave to-day for their home in Toronto.

Ald. John Edmondson and six of his family are attending the Old Boys' Re-union in Stratford, which was Mrs. Edmondson's old home. They anticipate having a family reunion of over fifty members.

Yes, we are all going on the S. O. E. excursion to Niagara Falls, Ohio Holiday, Monday, Aug. 13, 1906; (pass and all of us children; why don't you come with us? Fare—adults, \$2.45; children, \$1.25. Tickets good for three days.

For a few days there was only one young man at the Hotel Goderich while there were over a dozen ladies. A gentleman friend of his in Detroit sent the Hotel people a sketch giving a very good picture of the young man with half a dozen girls in full chase to reach him, the leader shouting, "It's mine, I saw it first."

Major E. H. Rothwell, of Detroit, who is conducting the Blms Subdivision Lot Sale, is registered at the city all next week to superintend a Special Sale of one week. It will pay intending lot buyers to see him personally while here this coming week, as he says there is going to be doings, and expects to make all lots left after this sale look like thirty cents.

The Goderich Summer Hotel will be headquarters for the wives, sweet hearts and accompanying friends of the Windsor soldiers during next week's military encampment on the grounds alongside Hotel, the rifle range being at the base of the bluffs on which Hotel is located in the coolest, cleanest, healthiest and prettiest town in Canada.

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Big values in TRIMMED  
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KING STREET

Bicycles for hire—Briscoe's.  
Smoke Lord Lake Cigar—10c.

James Ross, of Tilbury, was a city visitor yesterday.

N. H. Bowly, of Tilbury, was a city visitor yesterday.

To-night, all colored Neckwear 35c., or 2 for 75c., at The 2 T's.

Extensive repairs are now being made in McKeough School.

Alex. Bell, of Dresden, called on Maple City friends yesterday.

George W. Wands left this afternoon to spend Sunday with his parents in Merkin.

See two fast teams play on Monday; Fair Grounds, 3.30. St. Thomas vs. Chatham.

Miss Flossie Beaul has returned to her home in Bothwell for a month's vacation.

Misses Daisy and Winnie Colville have returned home, after a week's holidays near Florence.

Miss Mary Tauthorn of Parson's Fair, has returned from a visit to her parents in Petrolia.

Gib Taylor and family have moved from Joseph St. to H. S. Clements' property, over the creek.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dodson left this morning to attend the great annual I. O. O. F. meeting in Peterboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Holmes, of Detroit, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Gardiner, William St.

Mrs. Sullivan, Selkirk St., accompanied by her son and daughter, left for Detroit to-day on a week's vacation.

A smart boy is wanted to work in store; one who is good at figures and writes fair hand. Address Box 4, Planet Office.

Miss Bessie Truesdale, of Hamilton, is expected to arrive in the city at noon to-day. Miss Truesdale will be the guest of Miss Allie Samson, at the Eau.

Monday is the day of the big lacrosse match. St. Thomas is running a special train, bringing the 25th band; two games for 25 cents, first one 2.45; big game at 3.30.

Fred Riseborough, a former C. B. C. student, was brought to the General Hospital here to undergo an operation, he having received injuries in a recent football match in Dresden.

The marriage is announced of Miss Jessie Evelyn Snell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Snell, Richmond St., to Mr. Lloyd Bamsbaugh, to take place on Wednesday, August 15th, at the bride's home.

Mrs. Harry Taylor, of Wallaceburg, and daughter, Mrs. W. W. Turner, of Chatham, are spending a month's vacation with Mrs. Taylor's sister, Mrs. McKinnon, at Chebygan, Mich.—Wallaceburg News.

## BERRIES!

We will have a supply of  
Thimbleberries from the lake  
each morning while they last.

Have you tried one of  
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E. Brien, of Ridgetown, was a city visitor yesterday.

P. T. Barry, of Wallaceburg, was a city visitor yesterday.

John Vester, of Blenheim, was in the city on business yesterday.

Wm. Stetson, of Dresden, was in the city yesterday on business.

Alvin Parnham is spending his vacation in Detroit and Cleveland.

Miss Lena Towl, Wade street, has returned from a holiday trip to Saginaw.

Arthur Stewart, of Chatham Township, was in the city yesterday on business.

Mrs. S. C. Walker has returned to the city after a few weeks vacation out of the city.

Mrs. Robert McColl, of Livingstone, Ill., is visiting Mrs. J. M. Park at Laffalot, Erieau.

Miss Winifred Pritchard, Water street, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Thompson, of St. Thomas.

Mrs. Hyntin, of Toronto, who has been the guest of Mrs. Westlake, Forest street, returns to-day.

Miss Currie Wanless will leave to-morrow for Cleveland, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. M. Maxwell.

E. E. R. Putnam and her daughter, Queen street, are in Stratford attending the old boys' reunion.

Robert Milner has returned for a few days in Chatham from his summer cottage in Springbank, London.

Mrs. S. A. McCormick, Park street, left yesterday for Iron River, Mich., on a visit to her son Archie, an old Chatham boy.

Miss Currie Snell leaves to-morrow for Cleveland, where she will spend her holidays with her sister, Mrs. L. Conzons, and friends.

Mrs. M. Hogarth, of Tillsonburg, who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Benson, left to-day on a visit to friends in Woodstock and London before returning home.

Jack Cooper, of Fletcher, is reported to be seriously ill. His many friends in this city and vicinity will be pained to learn that Mr. Cooper is improving nicely.

Mrs. John McCoig has returned from Calumet, Mich., where she was visiting friends. She was accompanied by Miss Teranger, of Calumet, who will spend a few days in this city the guest of Mrs. McCoig.

George James returned to Winnipeg last evening, after a visit with friends in this city. Mr. James is a former Chathamite, he at one time being connected with C. C. McPhee's bookstore, which was at that time situated where Sheldrick's tailor shop stands at the present time.

The wedding is announced to take place shortly, of Miss Anna L. McPhail to J. Reginald Cook, of Winnipeg, at the bride's home, Buffalo, N. Y. The groom-to-be was formerly a member of The Planet staff, and he is now editor of the Silent Echo, the official organ of the Deaf and Dumb Institute at Winnipeg.

Clean, dry crystals—that are absolutely pure—that will not cake—that is WINDSOR TABLE SALT. The best for table use.

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All Waists that were \$1.50 to \$1.75 sale \$1.00.

All Waists that were \$2.00 to \$2.50 sale \$1.50.

All Waists that were \$2.75 to \$3.00 sale \$2.00.

All Waists that were \$3.50 to \$4.00 sale \$2.50.

All Waists that were \$4.50 to \$6.50 sale \$3.00.

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August Standard Designers now in. August Standard Fashion Sheets Free.

## DISTRICT

### DRESDEN

Aug. 3.—Miss Sarah Miller spent Wednesday in the Maple City.

Miss Willow Kerby has returned from Chatham.

Miss Blanche Tassie entertained a number of her girl friends last evening.

J. C. Tassie received word Wednesday evening of the death of his twin brother, Major W. T. Tassie, of Dundas.

Miss Trevice spent the day in the Maple City.

Mr. L. W. Rappon left this morning for his home in Woodstock. Monday he leaves for Winnipeg.

Mr. Banks spent the day in Chatham.

### TILBURY

Aug. 4.—License Commissioner Pare, of South Essex, was in town yesterday.

Robert Adams, butcher, has a fraction of steer running wild on the plains which refuses all attempts at capture. An attempt was made to shoot the animal yesterday, but this also failed.

A party of Tilburyites, under the direction of Capt. Geo. Chalmers, of the yacht "Lila B.", were loyally entertained by the Chathamites.

A party of about 30 employees of the Chatham wheel works spent an enjoyable day on the river near the lighthouse yesterday. The outing was given by J. C. Gouper, superintendent of the wheel works. W. W. Scane brought the party down on the yacht "Waterwagon." A splendid dinner of "fish just caught," turtle soup and other delicacies of the season were served at the cottage of J. Bechard, who, by his hospitality, contributed greatly to the enjoyment of the crowd.

Berlin, Ont. Centennial Celebration and Old Boys' and Girls' Re-Union, Aug. 6, 7, 8, 1906. Made in Berlin Exhibition, at Auditorium. Big programme of events at Park. Come and help us celebrate. Reduced Rates on all the railroads.

### ODDITIES

Bees never store up honey where it is light.

The moth has a fur jacket and the butterfly none.

A squirrel comes down a tree head first and a cat tail first.

Leaves will attract dew when boards, sticks and stones will not.

Corn on the ear is never found with an uneven number of rows.

The dragon fly can devour its own body and then still live.

A horse will live for hours after the head has been pinched off.

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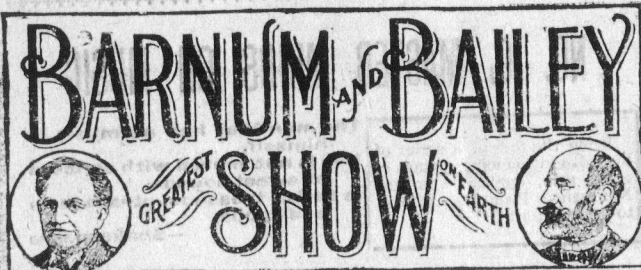
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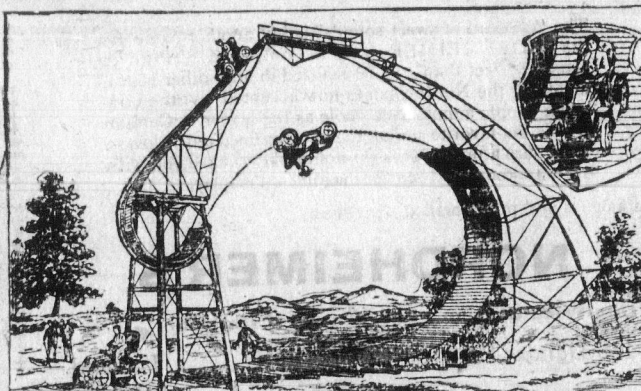


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REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION CONDEMNS RITUALISM.

Members Represented Every Shade of Church Opinion, But Every One of Them Concurred in the Report—A Most Unusual Thing in Church Conventions—Large Spirit Runs Through Its Every Tissue.

Upwards of two years ago the Balfour Government, taking cognizance of the outcry against ritualism, appointed the Royal Commission on Ecclesiastical Discipline, "to enquire into the alleged prevalence of breaches or neglect of the law relating to the conduct of Divine service in the Church of England, and to consider the existing powers and procedure applicable to such irregularities, and to make such recommendations as may be deemed requisite for dealing with the aforesaid matters." Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, now Viscount St. Aldwyn, was chairman. The other members were the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Marquis of Northampton, the Bishop of Oxford, Sir Francis Jeune, Sir John Kennaway, Right Hon. John G. Talbot, M. P., Sir Samuel Hoare, M. P., Sir Edward Cardwell, Sir T. D. Biddell, Judge of the Provincial Court of Canterbury and York; the present Bishop of Gloucester; Rev. T. W. Drury, principal of Ridley Hall, Cambridge; G. W. Prothero, editor of the Quarterly Review, and George Harwood. The death of Sir Francis Jeune (Lord St. Helier) was followed by the appointment of Lord Alverstone. The report of the commission, after being awaited with much impatience, has at last been issued, and a most able state document it is. Those to whom its conclusions are least acceptable must be won by its large spirit, exhaustive research, historical perspective, clear reasoning, and literary form. It is the work of great churchmen, statesmen, jurists and historians. Through every shade of Church opinion was represented on the commission, all its members concurred in the report, a thing unusual in Church commissions.

Against Ritualism. For most of the practices usually described as ritualism the report shows that there is no authority. Such of the unwarranted practices as are of no doctrinal significance or symbolize teaching legally declared not to be repugnant to the Articles or formularies of the Church of England, the commission would tolerate, though only under conditions of efficient regulation and with careful regard for the opinions and feelings of congregations. The report—apart from the evidence and appendices, which have yet to be published—is a very large one, a close digest of it covering a page and a half of The London Times. The recommendations would take up more than a solid column of this paper.

Illegal Practices. It is advised that 34 practices which the commission find to be illegal be prohibited by authority. These are: In the matter of vestments, Confector and last Gospel, ceremonial mixing of the chalice, use of wafers, Lavabo, hiding of the manual acts, sign of the cross, flamingos bell, incense, portable lights, altar lights, holy water, blessing of palms, Tenebrae, washing of altars, Paschal candle, stations of the cross, observance of days not appointed by the Prayer Book to be observed, celebration of the Eucharist, children's eucharists, use of the canon of the mass, altar cards, omission of the Invitation, omission of the Creed and Gloria in Excelsis, elevation, genuflection of the priest, kneeling, benediction, with and without sacrament, the observance of days either excluded from the calendar in the Prayer Book or introduced since the Reformation into the calendar of the Roman Church, hymns to the Blessed Virgin, intercession of saints, veneration of images, veneration of relics.

Stoles, Confections, Etc. The most common deviations from the standard (the Advertisements of 1560) in the matter of vestments are the following: The use of the stole, which is nowhere sanctioned by the ornaments Rubric; the disregard of the direction for the regular use of the cope in cathedrals; the use of eucharistic vestments or the alb, amice, chasuble, girdle, maniple and stole. The commissioners find that neither confession, nor the declaration in the Lambeth Conference of 1878 that "No minister of the Church is authorized to require private confession from those who may resort to him," and they point out that, while "prayers for the rest and refreshment of the souls of the departed are older than the most ancient liturgies," the strictly Roman doctrine of a material purgatory and of the efficacy of masses has altered the character of these prayers, and that, as used in public worship, they are contrary to the Book of Common Prayer.

A New Ornaments Rubric. It is recommended that letters of business be issued to the Conventions to prepare a new rubric regulating the ornaments, and to frame the amendments to make more elastic the law relating to Divine service. An amendment is advised for the giving of wider scope for the exercise of regulative authority in the matter of additional and special services, collects and hymns. The commissioners would have bishops invested with power to refuse presentees whose willingness to obey the law is a matter of doubt. The recommendation of the Ecclesiastical Courts Commission of 1883 as to a final court is adopted. It was acted on by the highest tribunal for the trying of charges of heresy, of breaches of ritual, etc., would be, not, as now, the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, but a permanent body of lay judges, to whom final appeals shall be referable. These members of the Crown Court of Final Appeal should all be members of the Church of England. The court would decide, ultimately, all questions of fact, but, to decide whether the facts asserted establish an offence against the doctrine or discipline of the Church, the court should act on the advice of

the bishops, unless there is clear Parliamentary authority for acting without such advice. It is further recommended that an ecclesiastical court be empowered to punish disobedience of its orders on the part of an incumbent by vacating his benefice, and rendering him ineligible for further ecclesiastical service until he has satisfied the archbishop of the province that he will afterwards abide by the law.

More Bishops. The commissioners consider that one service of the law is the inadequacy of the present supervision. They find that there is great room for improvement in the matter of visitations by bishops and archdeacons, and of inspections by rural deans. These visits are keeping the bishops informed as to the conduct of Divine service, and as to the ornaments, objects of decoration, and fittings of the churches. Episcopal directions, in accordance with law, should be made enforceable against incumbents and churchwardens by means of summary application to the consistory court of the diocese. Any order thus made should be subject to appeal to the provincial court. But visitation cannot be sufficiently effective in many of the present dioceses because of their great extent. Hence, the commissioners advise the sub-division of many dioceses and the passing of a general act providing for the division of new dioceses by order-in-Council.

A TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE.

Dock Laborer Buried Sixty Hours in a Ship's Cargo.

An astounding discovery was made on the steamer Perth when she arrived at Dundee recently from London.

A dock laborer named James Stewart, of Linthouse, was found to have been buried in the hold of the vessel, among the cargo. He had been imprisoned for sixty hours, and during that time had neither food nor light.

Stewart was engaged in loading the steamer at Linthouse wharf, when he was buried among the cargo, which consisted mainly of jute, and was taken to Dundee, which, owing to fog, was not reached until sixty hours later, or double the normal time.

As the vessel was being unloaded at Dundee, Stewart was found half-drowned in among the bales. He was in a very exhausted condition and was at once given some food and drink.

He gave an account of his extraordinary experiences.

"I am a seafaring freeman," he said, "and when I found I was imprisoned in the hold I realized it was no use exhausting myself shouting or even knocking, even if I had been able, as I was not allowed to reach the top in thirty hours, I prepared to wait, but in my cramped position I suffered considerable torture."

"I spent the time trying to sleep, and when feelings pangs of hunger, nibbled at me, I was obliged to wait."

"I reckoned we were about due by the time we had taken, and by the engines slowing down; but when I heard the fog-horns going for all they were worth I began to fear, and as the time lengthened out I thought all would be over with me."

"I must have lain back exhausted, I remembered no more till I heard the cranes working, showing that the vessel had reached port."

After a short rest Stewart started to assist in the discharging operations of the vessel.

Travels 3,000 Miles To Clear His Name.

A voyage of 3,000 miles to clear his name from the suspicion of a crime is the remarkable feat of a man named William Fleming, of Scarborough.

Fleming is an ex-soldier. Some time ago he went to America to seek his fortune, and found what, to a man in his humble position, was a good post. A few weeks ago he received a letter from his wife, saying he was suspected of breaking into a house and stealing \$140.

Fleming soon made up his mind what to do. He threw up his work, got a berth in a cargo boat and worked his way to Liverpool. From that port he went to Hull, and gave himself up to police. They would not take the charge, so he tramped as far as the police station at Scarborough.

"I am innocent," he said, "but I want to be proved innocent. Arrest me."

He was brought before the magistrate and discharged without a stain on his character. The mission for which he crossed the Atlantic was accomplished.

There is an element of pathos in the strange story. Fleming's father, who was in New York, was in delicate health and so shocked by the news of the accusation that he died. Another point is that his sense of honor has been his ruin in a money sense. He is now penniless and out of work. But he still looks on life cheerfully, and hopes to be able to work his way back to America soon.

"I have cleared my character," he says, "and that's what I came back for."

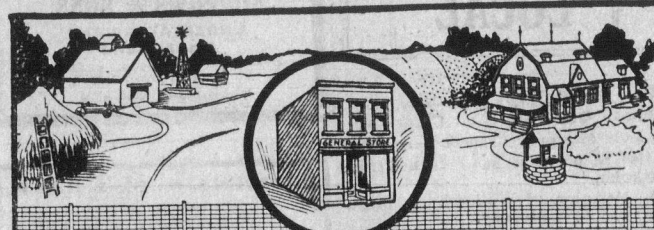
A Will in Three Words.

In the probate division of the London County Court Sir Gerald Barnes was asked to admit to probate the will of Frederick Thorn, of Amesbury avenue, Streatham, who died, leaving property valued at \$4,000. A day or so before he died, counsel stated, Mr. Thorn had a paralytic stroke. He asked for piece of paper, and they gave an envelope to him. He wrote on the back of it, in the presence of his wife and two of his children, "All to mother. F. T." This was witnessed by Arthur Thorn and Percy Thorn. The will was handed up to the lordship, who remarked that it was probably the shortest on record. It was duly executed and witnessed, and he therefore pronounced for it.

The Seddon Spirit.

An anecdote is told of Richard Seddon, the late Premier of New Zealand. He was very active in sending troops to the assistance of Great Britain in the South African War. On one occasion he was invited by an Opposition member with his readiness to sacrifice the lives of the colony's manhood. "You are ready enough to send our sons and brothers to be shot at, but"—was the opening of a taunt by his opponent.

"I am not," Seddon broke in. "If this was a matter of life and death, I would be with him. I signed a commission for my own son. He will be shot at, too, and I have dared him to come back without a wound."



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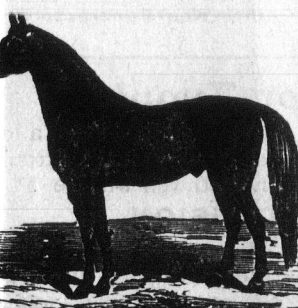
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## DISASTER INEVITABLE.

Sir Charles Cotter Says Salisbury Wreck Cause Is No Mystery.

London, Aug. 3.—Presiding at the half-yearly meeting of shareholders of the London and Southwestern Railway yesterday, Sir Charles Cotter said that the cause of the disaster at Salisbury July 1, to the Plymouth express, resulting in the loss of over a score of lives, was, unlike many others, not shrouded in mystery.

The schedules were so arranged as to make the trains to run through Salisbury well under an hour, of which every engineer was aware. For some reason not ascertainable the engineer of the wrecked express ran his train at over 60 miles an hour, at which speed a disaster was inevitable. Up to the time of the Salisbury disaster the company had not lost a passenger since Jan. 1, 1889.

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Boy Drowns in Toronto.  
Toronto, Aug. 3.—Walter John Pike, son of William Pike, 14 Napier street, aged 8 years, lost his balance off the pier at the Don River north of Queen street bridge, and falling into the water was drowned last night.

U. S. Spain Treaty Signed.  
San Sebastian, Aug. 3.—The treaty of commerce between the United States and Spain, the protocol of which was recently signed, was finally executed Wednesday night.

Passes Third Reading.  
London, Aug. 3.—The colonial marriages bill has passed its third reading in the House of Commons.

Wheat Cutting At Morden.  
Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 3.—From Morden comes the report yesterday of wheat cutting.

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## FIRED ON EACH OTHER Some Mutineers Would Rather Die Than Hoist White Flag.

Boledest of the Rebels Sold Their Lives Dearly Rather Than Surrender—Six Officers Killed During Suppression of Mutiny at Cronstadt—Serious Conflicts Between Socialist Red Guards and Police—General Killed.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 3.—The collapse of the mutiny at Sveaborg, coupled with the breakdown of the plans of the revolutionists to secure possession of the Baltic squadron and provoke an immediate uprising at Cronstadt, greatly changes the situation. The spirits of the Government officials have risen and those of the revolutionists are correspondingly depressed and the arrangements for ordering a general strike on Saturday may be countermanded. The strike in Finland is already a failure, owing to the fact that the more intelligent of the Finns did not support it.

Fire on Each Other.  
The latest reports show that all the rumors to the effect that the Baltic squadron was in the hands of the mutineers were untrue. When the mutineers, who were led by sailors from the shore and who believed that the squadron was coming to their rescue, found that hope in that direction was crushed, dissensions broke out among them and they turned their guns upon each other, those who had determined to die rather than surrender shooting into the ranks of their more faint-hearted comrades, who hoisted the white flag, the remainder escaping in boats.

Warships Ended It.  
The mutiny practically ended when the warships Slava and Czarevitch appeared in the offing at 6 o'clock Wednesday night, and after an exchange of signals with Gen. Laiming, commander of the loyal troops on Commander Island, opened fire upon the mutineers.

Although the shots went wild, they weakened the spirit of the mutineers, who eventually accepted this display of the ships as sealing their fate. Two hours later a white flag was run up at one end of the Emperor's battery, but from the other end a red flag immediately appeared, followed by the sound of a fusillade of rifles behind the parapet, showing that the mutineers were divided into two camps, and were fighting among themselves.

Selling Lives Dearly.  
Soon after a motor boat, believed to contain the civilian leaders of the mutiny, tried to escape to the mainland, but a battery of rapid-fire guns on Commander Island shelled the boat and killed two of its occupants. The others jumped overboard and swam ashore. Of three rowboats which followed the motor boat, one was captured and one was sunk and the third escaped.

Occasional shots were heard from the Emperor's battery, until the Emperor, who furnished the above information left Helsinki at midnight, indicating that the boldest of the mutineers were determined to die rather than surrender, and that they were selling their lives dearly.

Six Officers Killed.  
According to the afternoon papers six officers were killed during the suppression of the mutiny at Cronstadt, including Col. Alexandroff, and nine were wounded. The casualties among the rank and file on both sides were much lighter than reported.

Before seizing the Fort Constantine boat train, the sailors broke into the houses of the officers, killing some of them and arresting the others.

The majority of the artillerymen of Fort Constantine refused to join the mutineers, thus preventing the latter from getting control of the forts, with the exception of one gun.

Loyal and Disloyal Forces.  
The number of troops is given at 2,900, of whom 2,200 were sailors. In the Sveaborg mutiny seven companies of artillery were concerned. Of the fortress steamers, the Vitroli, Puskar, Rabotskii, Ingenier, and Mars were in the hands of the mutineers, while the Bomba, Opt and Sveaborg remained loyal. The mutineers furiously bombarded the Opt Wednesday, and threatened to sink the Bomba at the first opportunity even if she hoisted the red flag.

During the Skutudden Island mutiny only one, the Finn, of six vessels stationed in the harbor fired on the marine barracks, occupied by mutineers, the others remaining passive.

Serious Conflicts.  
London, Aug. 3.—A despatch to Reuters Telegram Co. from Helsinki yesterday afternoon says that serious conflicts between the communal police and Socialist red guards occurred there yesterday.

The regular police, as well as the communal guards, were called out during the afternoon. Among the casualties were the chief of police, who was wounded, and his assistant, who was killed.

Troops now are engaged in quelling the disorders.

General Killed.  
Warsaw, Aug. 3.—Gen. Markgrafsky, chief of the gendarmerie, was shot and killed by revolutionists yesterday at Otowka, a summer resort, about 20 miles distant, and much frequented by people from Warsaw.

Frustrated.  
Moscow, Aug. 3.—An unsuccessful attempt was made yesterday afternoon to break into the headquarters building of the police.

It was frustrated by the discovery of the internal machine, which had been hidden in a laundry basket, because of the clicking sound of its mechanism.

A Human Nose Two Feet In Length.

Elephantiasis is a peculiar form of leprosy in which the limbs and features swell to horrible proportions and out of all semblance to the legs, arms and faces of human beings. Cases are known where the legs have become so swollen that they measured 4 1/2 feet in circumference. The ears of the same victim, Walter Brisbane, an English sailor, were eighteen inches in length, and his nose elongated to upward of two feet when in the last stages of the horrible malady.—London Telegraph.

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## THE TRUE TEST OF OYSTERS.

"The best oyster experts that I know of," said the captain of an oyster boat, "judge an oyster by the smell instead of by the taste. There is something about the smell of any oyster that indicates its condition to me much plainer than does the taste. People buy them and eat them probably on account of their taste. So also do they buy tea, coffee and the various grades of whisky and brandy for their taste, but all experts on those things pass upon them entirely by their smell. The professional tea taster or whisky taster, or, so called, never tastes them, but simply arrives at their taste by their peculiarities of flavor or, to speak plainly, smell. I can tell what price a load of oysters will be rated at when they arrive at the wharf here by opening up the hold of the boat and smelling. In eight cases out of ten I am right. It strikes oystermen as strange when they see persons going about from boat to boat, as they lie at the wharf, tasting oysters before they conclude to buy. Taste is all right, but if they don't smell right they will never taste right."

## American Tourists and Their Ways.

English people, as a rule, try to enter a hotel drawing room or any other public place as quietly as possible and endeavor not to interfere with the other occupants of the room more than they can help. A party of French or Germans will never dream of stopping to consider whether their piercing voices are deafening their neighbors, while Americans have a particularly maddening habit of reading their correspondence aloud in public without the slightest regard to other people who are reading or conversing in the same room. It is no doubt part of the same lack of breeding which leads them to hold conversations at the top of their very penetrating voices not only in public picture galleries, but also in continental churches, without paying any attention to the fact that a solemn service may be going on within a few yards of them.—London Modern Society.

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## THE MARKETS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Lower,  
Chicago Unchanged—Live Stock  
—The Latest Quotations.

Thursday Evening, Aug. 2.  
Liverpool wheat futures closed today 1/4 to 3/4 lower than yesterday, and corn futures 1/4 higher.  
Chicago Sept. wheat closed unchanged from yesterday; Sept. corn 1/4 higher and Sept. oats 1/4 lower.

WINNIPEG OPTIONS.  
At Winnipeg option market to-day the following closing wheat quotations were: Aug. 75c, Oct. 74 1/2c, Dec. 73 1/2c.

LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.  
New York ..... 80 1/2c  
Chicago ..... 75 1/2c  
Duluth ..... 75 1/2c  
St. Louis ..... 75 1/2c  
Minneapolis ..... 75 1/2c

## TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

Wheat, spring, bush, \$1.80 to \$1.85  
Wheat, fall, bush, 81c  
Wheat, red, bush, 77 1/2c  
Wheat, goose, bush, 75c  
Barley, bush, 51c  
Rye, bush, 42c  
Peas, bush, 42c

## LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Liverpool, Aug. 2.—Wheat—Spot, nominal; futures, Sept. 75 1/2c, Oct. 74 1/2c, Dec. 73 1/2c. Corn—Spot, quiet; futures, Sept. 45 1/2c, Oct. 45 1/2c, Dec. 45 1/2c. Extra India meslin, 4s 8 1/2d. Best prime meslin, 4s 8 1/2d. Bacon, short, 10s 6d. Bacon, clear bellies, 10s 6d. Shoulders square, 10s 6d. Prime western, in tins, 4s 6d.

## NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET.

New York, Aug. 2.—Butter—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 2,700. Cheese—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 1,200.

## CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Steady and Firm—Hay Weak—Again in U.S. Markets.

## TORONTO LIVE STOCK.

Toronto, Aug. 2.—Receipts of live stock as reported by the railways since Tuesday, were 89 car loads, composed of 1,023 cattle, 1,525 hogs, 2,138 sheep and lambs, and 275 calves.

Exporters.  
Practically speaking, there were no shipping cattle offered and none wanted. Light calves were about \$3.50 to \$4.00; heavy calves, \$4.50 to \$5.00; and yearlings, \$5.00 to \$5.50.

Butchers.  
Trade in butchers' cattle was never so good this season. Picked lots sold at about \$4.50 to \$4.80 for choice heifers. Wm. Yager said he had the best beef on the market, which weighed 900 lbs. and sold for \$4.75. J. B. Shields sold two very good choice heifers at \$4.50 per cwt. Loads of good butchers' sold at \$4.15 to \$4.30; medium to good at \$3.75 to \$4.00; common lots at \$3.25 to \$3.50; culls, \$2.50 to \$3.25 per cwt.

Feeders and Stockers.  
Few offered and few wanted. Prices easy at following quotations. Best feeders, 100 to 150 lbs., \$3.80 to \$4 per cwt.; best feeders, 150 to 200 lbs., \$3.60 to \$3.85; best feeders, 200 to 250 lbs., \$3.40 to \$3.65; culls, \$2.25 to \$2.75.

Veal Calves.  
Nearly 300 calves were offered, many of which being only skeletons of skin and bone, a disgrace to the farmer who raised them, the drovers who brought them to the market, and certainly to the dealer who bought them. Prices ranged from \$3 to \$8 per cwt. for the general run, but one prime milk-fed calf was bought by Fudgy Bros. at \$6.75 per cwt., and there may have been others, but we did not see them.

Trade in milk cows was brisk at higher prices, owing to two Montreal buyers being in the market, as well as several farmers who were needing cows. There must have been about 60 cows on the market on Wednesday and Thursday. Prices ranged all the way from \$35 to \$64 each. There were more cows reported as being sold at \$60 and over than at any market this year up to the present.

Sheep and Lambs.  
Trade was brisk for sheep and lambs, but prices for lambs were off about one cent per lb. owing to heavy deliveries. Prices paid on Wednesday and Thursday as follows: Export ewes, \$4.25 to \$4.50; ewes, \$3.50 to \$3.75; lambs, \$4.25 to \$4.50. The \$7 price was paid for lambs, but on Thursday the highest price would be about \$6.75. There were too many skinny lambs that would have sold the farmers to have fed, as lambs will be good as sold right along, unless too many are crowded on the market at a time.

Hogs.  
About 125 hogs were bought by Mr. Harris, who gave prices for the week for being 25c per cwt. lower, that is \$7.45 for select, and \$7.40 for light fatts. On Thursday, \$7.40 for light fatts.

Best Butcher's Aug. 3.—Cattle—Receipts, 300 head; slow and steady; prices unchanged. Cows—Receipts, 200 head; active and 25c higher; \$4.50 to \$5.00. Hogs—Receipts, 3100 head; slow and 1/2c lower; heavy, mixed Yorkers and 2 1/2c, \$6.25 to \$6.50; roughs, \$5.75 to \$5.90; stags, \$4.25 to \$4.75; dairies, \$4.50 to \$4.75. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 600 head; active and steady; lambs, \$5.50 to \$5.75; yearlings, \$5 to \$6.25; wethers, \$5.50 to \$5.75; ewes, \$4.75 to \$5; sheep, mixed, \$3 to \$5.

## NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, Aug. 2.—Beefers—Receipts, 400; no trading; feeling weak for medium and common cattle; dressed beef, unchanged. Cows—Receipts, 228; very little demand; feeling 25c lower on all kinds; 600 calves unsold, including a car of westerns. Common to prime veals sold at \$4.50 to \$7.25; fed calves, at \$4; city dressed veals, slow, at \$8 to 11 1/2c per lb.; country dressed, dull and unchanged.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2800 head; 100 cars on sale; sheep, steady; common lambs, steady; medium and prime lambs, 15c to 20c higher; sheep, sold at \$3 to \$5 per cwt.; culls, at \$1.50; common to prime lambs, 6c to 8c; culls, \$4.50 to \$5.00. Hogs—Receipts, 1011; no sales reported; feeling weak.

## CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Aug. 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 5000; no trading; slow and steady; common to prime steers, \$4.25 to \$6.25; cows, \$2.75 to \$4.50; heifers, \$2.75 to \$5.25; bulls, \$2.40 to \$4.40; calves, \$5 to \$7; stockers and feeders, \$2.00 to \$4.25.

Calves—Receipts, 228; very little demand; feeling 25c lower on all kinds; 600 calves unsold, including a car of westerns. Common to prime veals sold at \$4.50 to \$7.25; fed calves, at \$4; city dressed veals, slow, at \$8 to 11 1/2c per lb.; country dressed, dull and unchanged.

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## STREET RAILWAYS WIN

London and Toronto Companies Get Decisions.

Ontario Railway Board Says That the London Street Railway Co. Was Justified in Dismissing Employees—Arbitrators Decide a Similar Question in Favor of the Toronto Street Railway Co.—The Awards.

London, Aug. 3.—The Ontario Railway Commission concluded its investigation into the street car strike yesterday and found the company was justified in its course.

Chairman Leitch, after a few moments' conference with his colleagues, delivered the finding, in part as follows:

"It is clear that the real difficulty and cause of the strike was the dismissal of three men, Stewart Buchanan and Altchison.  
"Both the company and the men have rights which have to be respected. The men have a perfect right to form a union, and Mr. King had no right to terrorize the men, which will not be tolerated in any civilized country. We don't think the company had any cause for alarm in the formation of a union.  
"As to the dismissal of the three employees, on the evidence before us we certainly cannot ask for their reinstatement. It would indeed be a serious matter for a board to interfere with a company's right to dismiss or employ men. Anyone would have been justified in discharging men for less cause than these three men gave.

"We advise these men discharged for no other reason than that of belonging to a labor union we would make a recommendation, but we cannot find that.  
"The company has a right to treat with the men as a union or not as they see fit, but the fact that the men go on a sympathetic strike, as this seems to be, should of course not be a black mark against them.

"We urge upon the company to use tact and judgment, and upon the men to join with the company in doing the best they can for the public service.

"The mayor asked the board to mediate and we think the men might have waited until we could arrive.  
"We hope it will be a long time before we are called upon again to deal with such a case.

The strikers held a meeting last night to consider the advisability of keeping up the strike. After much discussion the men decided to call off the strike and abide by the finding of the Ontario Railway Board, provided the company will take back all the men except three, who were discharged.

Victory For Toronto Railway.  
Toronto, Aug. 3.—The arbitrators to whom was referred the dispute between the Toronto Railway Co. and the men following the employment on the Toronto Railway system of alleged strike-breakers from Winnipeg gave out their decision yesterday, as follows:

The company has the inherent right of engaging and removing employees in its own discretion.

The Railway Co. was justified in refusing to either dismiss or remove to some other work the three employees who were alleged to have taken part in the Winnipeg strike.

The company should re-instate to their former position all the men dismissed for alleged interference with the above alleged strike-breakers.

The question of paying the wages of these men since their dismissal to the time of their reinstatement is left to the company to determine.

Each side of the arbitration must pay its own costs.

People's Railway Earnings.  
Port Arthur, Aug. 3.—The earnings of the municipal street railway for the last month were \$3,000.

A Chilly Comparison.  
"Which is better, brains or money?" "Well," answered Mr. Dustin Stax, "I hate to say it, but it seems to me that people with brains always have to have money, while people with money can, on a pinch, manage to get on without help."—Washington Star.

Brains on the Increase.  
Redd—They say there are fewer people betting on the races now. Do you suppose that means money is getting scarcer?

Greene—No; it only means that brains are getting more plentiful.—Yonkers Statesman.

Happy Pair.  
"The Arnolds are a very happy couple after all these years. How do you account for it?"  
"Well, he can't get over the idea that he married a mighty good woman and spends some time every day to prove it to her."—American Spectator.

About Right.  
Ragson Tatters—What does these society papers mean by a "man about town?"  
Weary Willie—Well, Raggy, that's nothin' in the world but a hobo that always manages to have the price.—Detroit Free Press.

Dummies.  
Gunner—They are complaining because that fraudulent insurance company had too many dummy directors.  
Guyer—I should think they would be complaining because it had too many dummy policy holders.—Detroit Tribune.

The Point of View.  
How differently things may be viewed! From a monetary standpoint it takes ten mills to make a cent, while from a pugilistic view it takes hundreds of pounds to make one mill.—Baltimore American.

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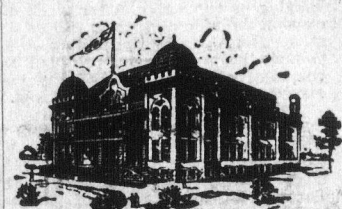
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## ARREST OF 200 SAILORS

Quells an Incipient Mutiny  
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Bogatye

### AN ARTILLERY REVOLT

Helsingfors, Aug. 4.—An incipient  
mutiny broke out yesterday on board  
the Russian cruiser Bogatye. It was  
immediately put down with the ar-  
rest of two hundred of the sailors on  
board.

A Governor's Assassination.  
Samara, Russia, Aug. 4.—The Gov-  
ernor of this city was instantly killed  
yesterday by a bomb thrown by an  
assassin, who was subsequently ar-  
rested. The Governor's head and feet were  
torn off by the explosion.

Mutiny on Pamyat Azova.  
London, Aug. 4.—A despatch to a  
news agency from Reval, Esthonia,  
Russia, says that the mutiny on the  
armored cruiser Pamyat Azova com-  
menced with the arrival on board of a  
civilian disguised as a sailor. He was  
discovered and an attempt was made  
to arrest him, but part of the crew in-  
terfered, killing the officer who ordered  
his arrest and three officers who sup-  
ported him. Three other officers put  
off in a launch, whereupon the muti-  
neers fired, sinking the boat. The offi-  
cers, however, were able to swim  
ashore. The cruiser was taken under  
complete control of the mutineers.

### The Ship Recaptured.

The mutineers met torpedo boat No.  
106 and called upon the crew to aban-  
don their allegiance. This they refused  
to do and steamed away with the cru-  
iser in pursuit. She finally reached the  
harbor of Reval, followed closely by the  
cruiser. A party composed of nine  
leaders of the mutineers then left the  
Pamyat Azova in a small boat for the  
fortress, with the object of winning  
over the troops, but upon landing were  
promptly arrested. The loyal sailors  
thereupon attempted to recapture the  
ship and succeeded, after severe fight-  
ing. The mutineers, who numbered 259,  
were later sent ashore.

### Revolt in Summer Camp.

Warsaw, Aug. 4.—A portion of the  
troops in the summer camp at Rember-  
tów, near here, mutinied Thursday  
evening in obedience to the orders of  
the artillerymen have driven their officers  
out of their quarters. A detachment of  
Cossacks sent to overpower the muti-  
neers were received with grape shot.

### Officers Fall Fighting.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 4.—The reports  
from Cronstadt yesterday say that all  
the sailors have not yet surrendered.  
Tribes by drum and court martial were  
resumed in the morning.

The officers at Cronstadt showed  
splendid courage, and all those who  
were killed fell fighting. Col. Alexan-  
droff received the mutineers with a re-  
volver, and Capt. Tyrovichinsky of the  
Submarine Miners, after a desperate  
struggle, was bayoneted by his assail-  
ants and his head split open with the  
butt of a rifle. Rear-Admiral Bechem-  
schew, who received many wounds, died  
during the night.

### Capt. Troitskiy, who was killed,

fought in the battle of the Sea of  
Japan on one of the Russian ships  
which foundered. He was 14 hours in  
the water before he was picked up.

### Build Bridge Under Fire.

Helsingfors, Aug. 4.—It transpires  
that the sharp firing heard from Svea-  
borg early Thursday morning, came  
from the infantry reinforcements de-  
spatched there for the purpose of con-  
structing pontoon bridges from island  
to island in order to wrest the fortifica-  
tions from the mutineers. The troops  
were supported by cannonade from the  
fortress at Sandhamm island.

The attempt was crowned with suc-  
cess, and the Government flag hoisted  
at noon showed that the Sveaborg for-  
tress was in the hands of the loyalists.

### Blown Up With Dynamite.

During the night the telegraph lines  
were cut, severing communication with  
Viborg, and a small railroad bridge be-  
tween here and Viborg was blown up.  
It was subsequently repaired. Trains  
from St. Petersburg are arriving here  
after great delay. One of the railway  
bridges has again been blown up with  
dynamite, but it was soon repaired.

### The casualties at Sveaborg were

many, but 500 is undoubtedly an exag-  
gerated number.  
A soldier who came ashore from the  
Sveaborg fortress during the day said  
the casualties would be shown to num-  
ber many more than 500, and he ex-  
pressed the opinion that they would  
reach into the thousands. The garrison  
consisted of 6,000 men.

### No Strong-Handed Reform.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 4.—The report  
that Emperor Nicholas had flatly re-  
fused to accept the conditions to which  
Premier Stolypin agreed in his nego-  
tiations with Count Heyden, Alexander  
Guchkov, Prince Nicholas Lvoff, Paul  
Vinogradoff and Senator Koni for the  
reorganization of the Cabinet, and  
which the Premier recommended the  
Emperor to accept, turns out to be true.  
Official confirmation came yesterday  
morning in a one-line announcement,  
as follows:

"The reports that the non-bureau-  
cratic elements will enter the Cabinet  
are untrue."  
Count Heyden and his conferees  
have now washed their hands of the  
Government, and all M. Stolypin's pri-  
nciples of "strong handed reform" have  
not materialized.

Premier Stolypin has gone to Peter-  
hof, with the intention, it is believed,  
of tendering his resignation.

### Step Toward Dictatorship.

It can be stated definitely that the  
first step toward a dictatorship may be  
taken Sunday or Monday by the nam-  
ination of Grand Duke Nicholas to the

## PRESS WRITERS HAVE OUTING

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the bells were chiming the sixth  
hour.  
One of the more irresponsible mem-  
bers of the party has intited the  
following lyric, entitled:

### CRUISE OF THE SAUCY SNIFF.

(A Fragment)  
Singing of the wind in our faces,  
Clang of the fast-turning screw,  
(Something that's wet in the locker)  
And a bright, irresponsible crew.

Snags in the river before us,  
Half-swamped canoes in our wake,  
Starboard—Aye aye, sir—Aye aye, sir,  
Yo ho, don't ye take the cake.

### Chorus—

Soon we'll be at Brisco's dock,  
Sing my lads, Yo, Ho!  
(Steady George, don't make her rock  
Heave ho—on we go.  
Don't be afraid to let her go—  
(And don't bump that snag, or we'll  
go below)  
Sing my lads, Yo, Ho!

chief command of all the troops in  
Russia. This would virtually place him  
in control of all the disturbed districts  
of the empire, where martial law has  
been proclaimed.

### Guard Regiments March In Again.

The guard regiments which were  
sent back to their camp at Krasnoye  
Selo at the end of last week, when the  
Government believed that the country  
had accepted the Emperor's flat, are  
again returning to the capital. They  
were marching in all last night.

### GREAT-FORTRESS IN RUINS.

Thousand Prisoners in Helsingfors and  
Skatudden and Missing Number 650  
—Two Officers Mutineers.

Helsingfors, Aug. 4.—The corres-  
pondent of the Associated Press yes-  
terday was permitted to look over the  
fortress on the main island, as well as  
all the other fortifications overlooking  
the town.

The scenes proved that the mutineers  
had in hand in practically all the  
fortresses until the arrival of war-  
ships. The minor barracks and fortifi-  
cations and the wharf and neighboring  
quays bristled with machine guns.  
Flagstaffs had been splintered as if the  
mutineers had tried to shoot away the  
Russian colors. The most severe fire  
from the fortress was directed at the  
headquarters of the commander, who  
on the second day of the trouble, was  
forced to seek shelter in a better pro-  
tected place.

### Barracks in Ruins.

The barracks in the vicinity showed  
plainly the effects of the fighting. They  
are today nothing more than tottering  
ruins, upheld by iron girders. The  
church, in which hangs the memorials  
of the French and English bombard-  
ment of 1855, was struck several times.  
It is evident that the mutineers did  
not wish to destroy the building.

The results of the firing was seen  
on every hand, fragments of shrapnel,  
chain shot and shells littering all the  
walk ways. The fortress itself bore  
many signs of the bombardment; great  
rents in the walls, holes in the roof, and  
destroyed windows telling their own  
tales.

### Warships Saved Day.

There is no question that until the  
warships came up the Government was  
powerless adequately to reply to the  
mutineers and was able simply to hold  
its position. The commander scarcely  
had fled from his headquarters, leav-  
ing them a heap of fallen ruins, when  
the warships crept up the coast and  
opened fire. Taken unawares, without  
leaders and with but little food, the  
mutineers gave up.

It now transpires that there were two  
officers among the mutineers, one  
Lieut. Kohonsky and Lieut. Dmit Jan-  
off. The latter was wounded; Kohon-  
sky gave himself up to the Bogatye and  
asked pardon.

### Thousand Prisoners.

A special court is coming here from  
St. Petersburg this week to try the  
prisoners. One thousand men are con-  
fined in Helsingfors and Skatudden.  
The total of the casualties is not yet  
known, but 650 men are missing. It is  
impossible to say how many were  
wounded. As previously stated, only  
five officers were killed.

### General Strike Ordered.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 4.—A general  
strike has been formally ordered to be-  
gin in St. Petersburg to-day at noon  
and as a preliminary the men employ-  
ed in a dozen establishments went out  
at noon yesterday. A section of the  
street railroads here, including the  
Nevsky Prospect Line, stopped running  
yesterday afternoon. The signal to  
strike has been forwarded to seventy-  
two different proletarian organizations  
throughout the empire.

Judging from some people a mind  
is merely something to guess with.

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## WON'T GRANT THE LEASE

Cabinet Decides Against the  
Murphy Mining  
Syndicate

### C. B. SMITH'S STATEMENT

Toronto, Aug. 4.—There was a council  
meeting yesterday afternoon and an  
informal conference between the mem-  
bers of the Government and the com-  
missioners of the Temiskaming and  
Northern Ontario Railway.

The following statement was given to  
the press by Acting Premier Foy:

"The Cabinet has decided against  
granting the lease of mining rights to  
the syndicate of which Mr. Murphy, Jr.,  
was one of the associates. This con-  
clusion was come to after a full con-  
sideration, extending over several days,  
by the members of the Government and  
after hearing not only the railway com-  
missioners, but also what the represen-  
tatives of the syndicate had to say.

"It was not generally understood how  
the matter stood; the commissioners  
could only give a lease with the con-  
currence and approval of the Govern-  
ment. As a matter of fact, the com-  
missioners never signed any lease.  
They, in pursuance of the act of last  
session, submitted the question for the  
consideration of the Government and to  
ascertain its policy. There has been  
consequently no friction between the  
Government and the commissioners, as  
some of the newspapers seemed to  
think.

"The Cabinet decided that it would  
be well for the commissioners to again  
advise for tenders on the amended  
conditions, and this will now be done,  
so that no one can allege that every-  
one has not an equal right and oppor-  
tunity to make a bid."

### Mr. Smith's Statement.

Cecil B. Smith of the Temiskaming  
Railway Commission, very fully stated  
the position of the board. He defended  
the contract and regretted the Govern-  
ment's action in not approving it.

In replying to the attack upon him by  
The Globe, Mr. Smith pretty fully cov-  
ered the entire transaction.

His statement is in substance this:

Between April 6 and May 10 last the  
commissioners advertised for tenders  
in the newspapers of Ontario and Mon-  
treal. The advertisement called for a  
cash payment of \$50,000 and the pay-  
ment of royalties upon the gross value  
of the ore mined, said royalties to be  
upon a sliding scale and running from  
10 to 50 per cent. No tenders were re-  
ceived in response to this advertise-  
ment.

### Eight Applications.

Prior to advertising, various parties,  
representing eight interests in all,  
had applied for these mining rights.  
One application came from Dickson of  
Ottawa; another, from Mr. Loney.  
They and other parties were also in  
correspondence with the commissioners  
during and after the advertisement.

On June 7, Dickson suggested, in  
case no tenders were received, that he  
would take over the mining rights and  
pay 50 per cent. of the net profits re-  
alized from the ore. This was declin-  
ed. At the same time, Loney wrote,  
offering to pay a lump sum of \$50,000.  
This was followed by correspondence,  
which terminated in an alternative  
proposition from Loney. He would pay  
(1) \$50,000 in cash, or (2) 50 per cent.  
net receipts from the ore mined.

The commissioners, however, had,  
from the beginning, decided that there  
must be a lump sum of \$50,000 cash,  
and royalties based on the gross and  
not on the net receipts.

### Just One Offer.

The only offer ever received by them  
complying with these conditions was  
the one received from Dickson. On  
June 18 he offered the required sum in  
cash and a royalty of 25 per cent. flat  
rate (instead of sliding scale) on gross  
receipts. This was the proposition that  
was accepted by the board and referred  
to the Government.

Mr. Smith contends that the contract  
was fully as beneficial to the province  
as that which it had compiled with the  
terms of the printed advertisement. The  
distinction lies in the difference be-  
tween the flat rate and the sliding  
scale. Under the sliding scale, the  
concessionaires would pay 10 per cent.  
on running \$100 (or less) to the  
ton; 25 per cent. on ore running from  
\$100 to \$1,000 per ton; 50 per cent. on  
ore running more than \$1,000 per ton.

Mr. Smith complains that The Globe  
is unfair in stating that cobalt ore  
runs \$2,000 to the ton. He says that the  
Government returns in possession of the  
Government show that the average output  
to date is \$721 to the ton. Naturally,  
the rich, easy mining comes first, and  
he is confident that the flat rate of 25  
per cent. royalty would yield more in  
the long run than the sliding scale cal-  
led for by the advertisement.

### Not Interested.

Both Mr. Smith and Mr. Denis Mur-  
phy emphatically deny that Dickson  
was representing Commissioner Mur-  
phy, or was his associate in business,  
or that the latter had any interest  
whatever in the contract. They also in-  
sist that the interest of Mr. Murphy,  
Jr., was merely nominal.

Nevertheless, there was a feeling of  
satisfaction and relief among local  
Conservatives when they learned of the  
action of the Provincial Government.

### Claim For Reimbursement.

A claim will be made by the company  
on the Government for reimbursement,  
on the ground that it acted in good  
faith with the Railway Commission, and  
is put to a loss through no fault of its  
own. If this claim is not noticed by the  
Government, it is said, that the com-  
pany will proceed to law. Then, it is  
stated, facts will be brought out that  
will involve many persons in the long  
negotiations for the right of way, who  
have not been suspected of being inter-  
ested in Government concessions.

### Chairman to Resign.

It was said in a reliable quarter that  
Cecil B. Smith will resign from the  
Railway Commission and accept the of-

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\$5.00 Straw Hats for.....	\$2.50	75c. now.....	50c
		A few Negligee Shirts left to clear at.....	39c

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fer in Winnipeg that recently he said  
he had refused. It is an open secret  
that he and his colleagues are not pleas-  
ed with the odium that they fear rests  
upon them, through the miscarriage of  
which they consider a fair bargain. It  
was said that no one will be surprised  
to find the commissioners resigning in  
a body in a few days.

The fact seems to be that the Railway  
Commission will be blamed for the  
whole stir, the Government praised for  
its prompt action and the syndicate  
out of pocket.

**MONTREAL LITHOS STRIKE.**  
In Accordance With Order From the  
United States.

Montreal, Aug. 4.—In accord with the  
concerted action of the United States  
lithographers, the Canadian members  
of the union represented in Montreal  
have been ordered on strike.

The chief demand of the local men is  
an eight-hour day, which the proprie-  
tors do not feel disposed to grant. The  
shops are all open ones, and the own-  
ers expect to fight any demand.

Verville Turned Down.  
At Thursday night's meeting of the  
Montreal Trades and Labor Council,  
J. C. E. Tardif of the Montreal Typo-  
graphical Union defeated Alphonse  
Verville, M. P., of the Plumbers Union  
for the position of delegate to the com-