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RUSSIAN BIG GUNS TRAINED ON JEWS; 2,000 WERE MASSACRED IN POLISH CITY

Two Days' Slaughter of Innocent Follows Terrorist Attacks on Patrolmen and Soldiers—Infuriated Troops Make Shambles of Siedlce.

Siedlce, Poland, Sept. 10.—A Jewish massacre surpassing in seriousness all previous ones in this vicinity took place here Saturday and Sunday. It was carefully planned beforehand, the soldiers warning all of the Christian population in advance to hang out their ikons, so that they might remain undisturbed. Saturday night some terrorists killed two soldiers, and thereupon the Libau Regiment broke forth in unrestrained fury. They began murdering Jews on every hand, and continued the work of slaughter all night Saturday, and all day Sunday.

The ghastly work of murdering and pillaging continued until early today, when Governor-General Skallon telegraphed for permission to use the artillery. Four batteries then opened fire down Pienkna, Warsaw and Aleina streets, which were inhabited by thousands of Jews. The destruction was horrible. As a result of the general slaughter it is estimated that fully 2,000 Jews have been killed and 1,000 wounded. There are 3,000 prisoners in custody, a great many of whom are wounded. Not a soldier was killed.

This morning squads of soldiers were parading through the streets, selling pillaged watches, and jewelry. The army officers openly countenanced the selling of loot. The governor took no steps to prevent the outrage.

Warsaw, Sept. 10.—Artillery was used in Siedlce this morning. Buildings on Pienkna, Warsaw and Aleina streets have been destroyed. According to reports received here, 200 Jews were killed, and 3,000 were wounded, during the morning.

Bazars in Flames.
Six buildings in the big bazaar of the city are now in flames, adding another terror to the killing and plundering which has been going on here for the last 36 hours. Frequent shots and occasional volley firing is still heard in different parts of the town, but because of the general panic it is difficult to learn accurately what is transpiring. As far as it is possible to learn, there has been up to the present time, about 200 persons killed and 200 wounded. Hundreds of Jews are assembled today at the railroad station, awaiting means of getting away, but the town is surrounded by troops, who do not permit entrance. Field guns are posted on the principal streets.

Shot Without Mercy.
There seems to be no doubt that the terrorists are responsible for provoking the massacre by their fusillades from roofs and windows on Saturday against soldiers and policemen who were patrolling the streets. Troops surrounded the houses from which this firing came, and poured volleys through the windows and doors. This was followed by a search of the premises, which soon developed into wholesale plundering and subsequently into a massacre and slaughter throughout a large portion of the town. Almost all the Jewish shops have been looted. Any person seen leaving a house or looking out of a window was shot without mercy.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 10.—The predictions made in these dispatches on Aug. 23 of a Jewish massacre at Siedlce, Russian Poland, unapparently have been justified by the fighting which broke out Saturday night and developed yesterday in the carnival of indiscriminate slaughter and pillage in which the soldiers and the mob took part. Unfortunately, Jews were shot and bayoneted in the streets of the town. Houses and shops were broken into and sacked. Valuables were carried off and offered for sale by soldiers to passengers on passing trains. In addition to the Jews, a number of Christians and even some officers met their death in the fighting. The number of victims has not yet been established, but a conservative estimate places it at 140. The Jewish fugitives who thronged the railroad stations at Siedlce are in a state of panic.

Who Is To Blame?
Reports received here from Warsaw and other towns in the vicinity of Siedlce place the number of victims at several hundred. The early reports of the Siedlce massacres put the responsibility at the door of the terrorists, but fugitives declare that the soldiers never would have been allowed to get so completely out of hand without the connivance, if not the actual direction, of their officers. The first reports received of the Bialystok massacre last



THE CITY OF TIFLIS. TRANS-CAUCASIA.
An entire township in the immediate vicinity of the city has been destroyed by an avalanche.

Mud Slide in Caucasus; Buries Whole Township

Tiflis, Sept. 10.—Practically without warning, the side of a mountain rising above the township of Kwareli broke away, and in a set of semi-liquid mud, sand and stones, slid down on the township and overwhelmed and obliterated it. Some 255 persons have been buried alive. Fifty-five bodies already have been recovered from the mire, which is about six feet deep. In addition to the lives lost, countless head of cattle perished, and the crops were destroyed.

Kwareli Township occupies an area of five kilometers, in the district of Telavi, in the Caucasus. Similar disasters are of common occurrence in Caucasian valleys.

GAMBLING GANGS WERE ROUNDED UP

County Constabulary Worked Overtime on Sunday and "Did" Things.

High Constable Hughes and three assistants, Constables Baines, Baines, and McCall, were busy yesterday rounding up two gangs on a charge of gambling. The arrests were the outcome of repeated complaints about the conduct of young men in the vicinity of the cove bridge, and that favorite resort of crap-shooters, the London and Port Stanley Railway bridge, just south of the city.

The first of the round-ups was made in the morning at the railway bridge. The men in the habit of playing craps there have done it openly, their practice being to play on the bridge, when they would have an unobstructed view in every direction, and make a quick scatter on the approach of an officer. Yesterday nine of them were so intensely interested in their game that they did not see the constable as he came from the north, and another brace from the south, and when the limbs of the law explained the purpose of their visit the crap-shooters professed innocence. One of them, in fact, showed fight, and mixed things up at such a rate that he made his escape, together with another. Seven were securely handcuffed and brought before Squire Taylor, who bailed them to appear on Wednesday. The names of the other two have been secured, and they will also be arrested. The gang had all the necessary paraphernalia for crap-shooting.

In the afternoon the chief and his deputies wandered along to the flats just west of the cove bridge, on the north side of the river, where they found a nice little game of poker being played by nine boys and men, whose ages ranged from 14 to 40. There was no attempt on the part of the card-players to escape, all quietly accompanying the officers to Squire Taylor's, where they were also bailed to appear on Wednesday.

A FILIPINO REPUBLIC

Gomez Says Big European Powers Would Recognize It.
Manila, Sept. 9.—Dignitary Gomez, at a political rally yesterday, declared that England, France and Germany would recognize a Filipino republic. Gomez made the above declaration in response to a request for an accounting of money collected. He further said that the money had been used in sending cablegrams to Europe to urge a sentiment in favor of the Filipino republic, and that a favorable reply should be received. Gomez late on Thursday was released from jail on bail. He was arrested on the charge of having slandered Gov. Cailas.

RUSSIA REGRETS.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 10.—The British embassy has received from the foreign office expressions of the Government's regret for the attack in Baku, Sept. 8, upon Leslie Urquhart, the British vice-consul, and assurance that everything would be done to discover and punish the perpetrators of the act.

HEAVY GOLD IMPORTS.

New York, Sept. 10.—The National City Bank today engaged \$8,000,000 in gold for export, all but about \$750,000 of which comes from London. The remainder comes from Australia.

ATTACKED GIRL ON LONELY ROAD

A Westminster Farm Hand Has to Answer a Serious Charge.

A farm hand named Neil Taylor was lodged in the county jail yesterday to await trial on a charge of assault, or something more serious.
Taylor is about 40 years of age, and for some time past he has been employed by various farmers throughout Westminster Township. His actions at times have been such as to create the impression that he is of unsound mind. He has been known on several occasions to chase the school children, and his conduct has been such as to cause both young and old to have a certain amount of fear of him.

The complainant in the present case is a young woman of 19 years, who lives with her parents about three miles south of the city on the Wellington road. She has just recovered from a long illness and was walking along the road a few days ago when it is alleged she was attacked by Taylor. She was suffering from nervousness and an extent afterwards that she was unable to relate exactly what had happened. However, there was sufficient evidence to warrant the arrest of Taylor on a charge of common assault. This is sure to be changed to indecent assault, and possibly something more serious.
Taylor will be arraigned before Squire Taylor tomorrow for his preliminary examination.

MILITIA CHANGES

Howard Ingram To Be Provisional Lieutenant of Seventh Regt.

The following, among other militia changes, are announced in general orders from Ottawa.
Seventh Regiment Fusiliers.—To be provisional Lieutenant, Howard Ingram. Twenty-eighth Perth Regiment.—Capt. D. W. Jameson is granted brevet rank of major.
Twenty-ninth Waterloo Regiment.—Capt. H. R. O'Reilly is transferred to the reserve of officers.
Thirtieth Wellington Rifles.—Captain and Adjutant L. C. Wideman is granted the brevet rank of major.

ROSEBURY IS WRITING

Friends Think It Is Biography of the Great Disraeli.

London, Sept. 10.—The voice of Lord Rosebery has not been heard either on the platform or through the medium of the press for many months. All sorts of rumors were current a week ago that he was ill, but it has just leaked out that the earl is engaged upon a literary work of colossal proportions, the nature of which he is keeping a close secret.

He has written nothing since his fine work on Napoleon, dealing with the last few years of the emperor's life.
Some of Lord Rosebery's friends declare that he is writing the long-awaited official biography of the great Disraeli, Earl of Beaconsfield.

DRUNK IN JAIL FIRES HIS OWN FUNERAL PYRE

Prisoner Perishes Attempting to Burn a Path to Freedom.

Mirolo, Texas, Sept. 10.—In an effort to burn his way out of jail yesterday, Silas Johnson, a negro, lit his own funeral pyre. He was burned to death, while a crowd around the jail watched his last agonies through the iron window bars, but unable to save him.
Johnson was arrested on a drunkenness charge and started a fire in the prison, hoping to burn his way out. The fire got beyond his control, and the turnkey could not be found until too late.
A general alarm was sounded in, and crowds rushed to the burning lookout, impelled by the screams of the negro, frantic at the thought of escape. A heavy battering ram was procured, but the iron doors withstood the shocks. Axes and sledge hammers had no more effect, and the crowd was forced to look on and watch the negro burn to death.

TROLLEYS IN A CRASH ON BROOKLYN BRIDGE

Twelve Persons Injured and One of the Motormen Will Probably Die.

New York, Sept. 10.—Twelve persons were injured, one of them fatally, in a collision between two trolley cars on the New York end of Brooklyn bridge today. The accident occurred while the early morning rush to the city was at its height, and was witnessed by hundreds of persons who were passing through the bridge terminal at the time. A Park avenue trolley, car had stopped at the loop entrance to wait for a switch to be adjusted. Another car which was following came to a stop a few feet behind, and a moment later a third car came bowling down the steep incline, crashed into the second, and forced it ahead with terrific force into the Park avenue car.
Both ends of the second car were wrecked. In the crash Motorman Julius Schaff, of the third car, was probably fatally hurt. Both his legs were terribly crushed. None of the passengers were dangerously hurt, though nearly all had painful cuts or bruises. Traffic was blocked for nearly an hour.

CUTS THROAT, IS SORRY, GETS DOCTOR; TOO LATE

New Yorker Regrets Rash Act, Bleeds to Death While Help Comes.

New York, Sept. 10.—Anthony Pride, 62 years old, a bachelor, living at the Longacre Hotel, killed himself during the night by cutting his throat. Pride, after slashing his neck, evidently regretted the deed, for he called up Dr. Charles Finley, a nearby physician, who had treated him for a heart affection, on the telephone. When the doctor answered, Pride said: "For God's sake, come quick. I've cut my throat." He called a second time before the doctor could get dressed. When Dr. Finley reached Pride's room he could do little for the man. In five minutes Pride was dead.

Pride was a collector of rare books. He was in business at No. 120 Broadway. Illness caused the suicide.

POPE WATCHES SPORTS

Applauds Gymnasts and Bestows Blessing Upon Them.

Rome, Sept. 10.—The Pope yesterday received in audience 800 members of the French Catholic Gymnastic Federation. Afterwards he witnessed an exhibition in the courtyard of St. Damas, which was lined with detachments of papal troops. It was especially decorated with papal flags. The gymnasts marched past the throne of his holiness, preceded by the flags of the French Catholic Federation. Then they knelt, and received the papal blessing. The Pope enjoyed the athletic performance, and repeatedly clapped his hands. He appeared to be visibly affected when the flags were lowered in salute, and the gymnasts cheered.

THE WEATHER

TOMORROW—WARM AND SHOWERY.

Toronto, Sept. 9-8 p.m.
The West Indian storm was centered just west of the Bermudas this morning, and is apparently following a southeasterly course, which will pass far south of the Nova Scotia coast. Fine, hot weather has prevailed today in Manitoba and over the greater portion of Ontario. Elsewhere in Canada the temperatures have been moderate.
Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 34-58; Atlin, 38-54; Port Simpson, 46-58; Vancouver, 42-62; Calgary, 38-54; Edmonton, 42-64; Qu'Appelle, 44-73; Winnipeg, 64-96; Parry Sound, 62-78; Toronto, 64-96; Ottawa, 66-83; Montreal, 66-82; Quebec, 62-72; Halifax, 42-66.

FORECASTS.

Monday, Sept. 10-8 a.m.
Today—Moderate winds, fine.
Tuesday—Southeasterly and southerly winds; warm, with showers or thunderstorms before midnight.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations	8 a.m.	Min.	Max.	Weather.
Calgary	28	22	34	Fair
Winnipeg	62	58	66	Fair
Port Arthur	58	54	62	Clear
Port Hope	60	56	64	Clear
Toronto	68	64	72	Clear
Ottawa	62	58	66	Clear
Quebec	60	56	64	Clear
Father Point	48	44	52	Clear

WEATHER NOTES.

The West Indian storm has passed to the northward of Bermuda, south of Newfoundland and Newfoundland. There has been a pronounced drop in temperature in the Northwest Provinces, and it is probable that there will be a decided change in Ontario on Wednesday or early on Thursday.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. Saturday were: Highest, 84°; lowest, 55° above. Sunday: Highest, 57°; lowest, 55° above.

THE BIG SHOW NOW IN FULL SWING AND LOOKS LIKE A RECORD-BREAKER

All Exhibits Placed and Everything in Ship-Shape at Queen's Park—Thousands Visit Fair Today—On the Midway—The Attractions.

Western Fair Programme

This evening: 7 p.m.—Band concert and grounds illuminated; 8 p.m.—Full programme of attractions before the grandstand, including concert by the Royal Venetian Band. The Norins will give their sensational "Fire Dive" from the height of 120 feet, into but four feet of water. The whole to be concluded with a grand display of fireworks, the "Carnival of Venice."

Tuesday, September 11

7 a.m.—Gates open; 9 a.m.—Judging cattle; 9:30 a.m.—Agricultural horses and honey; 10 a.m.—Thoroughbred horses, hackneys and roadsters (inside of track); 11 a.m.—Carriage and coach horses in harness and agricultural horses in harness; 2 p.m.—Heavy Draughts; 2:30 p.m.—Single roadsters, saddle horses and hunters; 3 p.m.—Heavy draughts in harness; 10:30 a.m. and 4 p.m.—Butterflying competition in Dairy Hall; 1:30 p.m.—Grand band concert, second flight of the air ship, and full list of attractions on platform in front of grandstand.
Speed event—Mixed trotters and pacers—2:15 trotters, 2:19 pacers, best 3 in 5; mile heats; first, \$100; second, \$50; third, \$30; fourth, \$20.

Tuesday Evening

7 p.m.—Grounds and buildings illuminated and everything going. Full list of attractions. The Norins in their sensational "Fire Dive," band concert by the Royal Venetian Band, concluding with a grand display of fireworks and representation of the "Carnival of Venice."

HODGSON LET OFF VERY LIGHTLY

Sentence Suspended on Bigamy Charge—Wife's Sister Gets a Warning.

William Hodgson, who was found guilty of bigamy at the police court on the 8th of August, and was allowed out on bail to see how he would succeed in supporting his family, appeared this morning to receive sentence. Inspector Sanders testified that he had taken particular notice, and that Hodgson's wife and family were receiving proper care and support.
Magistrate Love told Hodgson that his conduct did not reflect any credit upon him, and that he could be given seven years on the charge of which he was found guilty. At the same time, the extenuating circumstances of the case had been taken into consideration, said the magistrate, and he did not consider that the ends of justice would be well served by sending the accused to prison, and thereby depriving his wife and small children of their only means of support. The magistrate, therefore, discharged him on suspended sentence.

Hodgson then complained that his sister continued sending abusive letters to his wife, and requested that he be protected against such conduct.
The court pointed out that the action of his sister, who had been the prime mover in his prosecution, was far from what it should be, and he instructed Inspector Sanders to warn the sister that she must stop sending such correspondence.

SOME MINOR CASES.

John Nelson, who appeared on a charge of being drunk and disorderly, was bound over to keep the peace for one year in the sum of \$50.
James Cadoo, who was found guilty on a charge of immoderate driving on Aug. 31, had made good the damage done the cab which his cart struck, and he was allowed to go on suspended sentence.

William Crawford was remanded for one week on a charge of vagrancy.
Edward Griffith was to have appeared on a charge of assaulting Edward Whittaker, but did not show up, and a warrant for his arrest was issued.

Two first-time drunks were allowed to go on promising to drink no more.
One boy paid \$1 or three days for riding his bicycle on the sidewalk.
The two young girls, who were arrested on a charge of stealing a purse from the M. C. R. station on Saturday, were remanded for one week.

ALLEGED PURSE STEALING

Parties Arrested Say They Picked It Up in a Closet.

Two arrests have been made in connection with the alleged stealing of a purse from the M. C. R. station on Saturday. The parties arrested are May Kennedy and another young woman named Brown.
When first reported, it was stated that the theft had been the work of pickpockets, but according to the girls' story they found the purse lying in the lavatory in the station and picked it up.
The young women will appear at the police station this morning to answer to the charge of theft.

STALLIONS PUNISHED.

Buffalo, Sept. 10.—President Taylor, of the Eastern League, announced today that he had fined Manager Stallings, of the Buffalo baseball team, who "struck and kicked" Umpire Conahan, who umpired Saturday's game here with the Toronto club, \$100, and suspended him for ten days.

PREMIERS CONFER ON OCT. EIGHT

All the Provinces Will Be Represented in Conference at the Capital.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Ottawa, Sept. 10.—The conference of the provincial premiers with the Dominion Government will take place in Ottawa on Oct. 8. Notices to this effect have been sent to the different premiers of the provinces. All the provinces will be represented.

GALE SWEEPS BERMUDA

Battleship Dominion Weathers It and Gets Safely Into Port.

Hamilton, Bermuda, Sept. 10.—A terrific gale is raging here. The wind is from the southwest and is blowing at the rate of 70 miles an hour. A British battleship Dominion sent a wireless dispatch saying she was 52 miles off this port, but would be unable to enter owing to the storm. She arrived later at Murray's anchorage. The barometer stands at 29.50. Boats have been sunk in the harbor, and houses unroofed. Two lives have been lost.

At 3 o'clock in the morning the tug Corona caught fire and was burned to the water's edge. The city had a narrow escape from burning. Fortunately, it was saved by the heavy downpour of rain. At the present time there is no sign of the gale abating.

A BABY POISONED

Mother Admits Killing the Infant Child of Her Daughter.

St. Thomas, Sept. 10.—Mrs. Louisa Smith, a woman about 60 years old, was arrested tonight on a charge of murdering her daughter's baby. The daughter, Lizzie Smith, is weak-minded, she became a mother on Thursday night, and the child was cared for by neighbors in the Victoria block, where the mother and daughter have rooms. It was noticed by persons in the building that the babe had disappeared, and the police were notified. The child was found this evening dead in a peach basket hid in some weeds back of H. Thornton's barn in the west end of the city. Mrs. Smith admitted to the police that she gave the babe poison, which killed it, and then she took its body and placed it where found. She told the police where to find it.

SAYS HUSBAND HAS LEFT; WANTS HIM RETURNED

But He Wasn't Her Spouse and Runaway Cannot Be Located.

A middle-aged woman wandered into one of the offices of the courthouse this morning and notified the person in charge that her husband had left her, and she wanted steps taken to have him returned.
The woman's story was heard, but when a little cross-questioning was indulged in it transpired that the couple had never been married, although they had been engaged for a year or more. The office hand, who is in touch with county police matters, told his visitor that he was afraid nothing could be done to compel the runaway to return.
"Well, then," said the caller, "I want you to compel him to marry me."
To this the man in the office said it would be a very difficult undertaking, as the whereabouts of the desired individual were at present unknown, and he had as far as known committed no offense against the law. However, the woman was given some consolation by the statement that if she saw fit she could bring a suit for damages for breach of promise of marriage.
The woman is in a predicament as to what is best to do as she has in her custody a child of her runaway friend by his first marriage.

The Western Fair of 1906 is on. Today the ticket sellers have been busy, and the turnstiles have been kept continually on the move. In 11 months there were several thousand visitors on the grounds, and this afternoon it is estimated, that between ten and fifteen thousand visitors will see the sights at the big show.

Today is set aside as citizens' and school children's day, but it is safe to say that neither the citizens nor the children have fallen into line with the board's idea. As far as the children are concerned, there is no room to doubt that they are waiting for the days upon which the board of education has decided as Fair days, Thursday and Friday. Today the stands are free to the children. Thursday and Friday they will not be free.

Exhibits All Placed.
This morning practically every exhibit was in place, but in the main building many exhibitors were busy with the finishing touches.

On the Midway, several of the attractions were busy putting up tents and getting ready for the afternoon. All of the showmen anticipated that they would be ready for business by 3 o'clock.

President Reid and Secretary Hunt are well pleased with the way things are going. With fine weather, they say, all previous records for attendance will be smashed.

Many Outsiders Here.

The different railways entering London carried large numbers of passengers to the city today, though none of them ran special trains. Tomorrow the specials will begin.
All the attractions are being put on before the stands today. There is no dearth of music either, for Victor's Band and the Preston Silver Band are in attendance.
The directors pride themselves on the attractions secured for this year. The airship is now on the grounds, and it will make its first ascension this afternoon.

On the Midway, one of the chief attractions is the Filipino village. This morning the men and women of the village were watched by thousands of visitors as they put up their own tents and got the village ready for the afternoon.
The women smoke and appear to be thoroughly at home at the game. Some of the natives are able to speak English and they appear quite intelligent.
The name of Aguinaldo, the leader of the Filipinos, who sold out to the United States Government, is disgusting to the men and women, and they do not hesitate to say so.

"Cheat, thief, liar, no good," one of the women said, when asked her opinion of the ex-leader.
The barkers on the Midway this year are in a class by themselves. They have all the new and popular "spies" of the day, and they seem to have thrived on the use of leather. Everything is to be seen on the Midway from the ossified man to Leslie's circus and the deep sea divers.

The different chairmen of committees and Superintendent Brown were busy men today. There were quite a few wrangles and misunderstandings regarding different matters, but these tangles were invariably straightened out.

Tonight all the attractions will be again put on, and in addition the fireworks display will be given.

Directors' Meeting.

The directors met in the offices on the grounds this morning, with President Reid in the chair.
Mr. Reid announced that the threatened injunction of Pockock Bros. will not materialize, as Mr. J. W. Pockock had informed him that he had ascertained there is no law which covered the case.
Ald. Saunders asked why it was that the gates were closed on Saturday at 6 p.m., and many people were turned away. He asked who was responsible for this state of affairs. Visitors from outside places begged to get in Saturday night, but their money was refused.

President Reid said the gates had always been closed on Saturday night. From 6 o'clock on Saturday until 7 o'clock on Monday morning the keys had been handed over to Superintendent Brown.

Chairman Pringle, of the gates and tickets committee, said it has not been the custom to keep gatekeepers after 6 o'clock on Saturday. He did not

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OUR BATTERED CURRENCY.

Mr. W. S. Crouch, a United States journalist, who is "writing up" the Canadian West, pays a high compliment to the Canadian banking system, and adds:

"If the system of circulation in Canada is as good as the Canadians claim, the actual money, paper notes and subsidiary coin, is correspondingly bad. If Canada has the best monetary system, she has the worst money. The bank notes are ugly and poorly executed in comparison with the neat American designs. In these western provinces the notes are as dirty and ragged as in the sections of America separated from the redemption division of the treasury. That feature is not peculiar to Western Canada. But the silver 5, 10, 25 and 50 cent pieces are the most battered, defaced and disreputable coins you ever saw. A Canadian mint will improve that condition."

The Canadian bank and Government notes are fairly good specimens of the engravers' art, but they are made to do too much work, hence our large volume of tawdry paper currency. The chartered banks should give the public better treatment in return for the privilege of freely issuing notes. The quantity of dirty paper money is a national reproach, and shows a disregard for which there is no excuse.

The indictment of Canadian silver is equally well founded. The United States treasury manages to keep its coins in a much more reputable condition. The Dominion Government has recently decided to redeem worn and defaced silver currency, which floods the country, and it is to be hoped that a thorough reform will be effected with the aid of the new Canadian mint.

The effort to minimize the circulation of American silver in Canada by collecting and deporting it has not proved a success, and money might be spent to better advantage in improving the quality of our own currency.

A FAMOUS CANADIAN ON THE EARTHQUAKE.

Very many Canadians will be interested to know that at the head of the San Francisco earthquake commission, composed wholly of university professors of eminence, is a Canadian scientist, who has reached a very high position in the Republic. Professor Andrew C. Lawson, of the California State University, who was elected chairman of the "State Earthquake Investigation Commission" appointed by Governor Pardee, is a native of Hamilton, Ont., a graduate of the public schools and Collegiate Institute of that city and of Toronto University, where he won distinction as a geologist. When the State University of California was looking for the best talent in that line, it sent for Professor Lawson, whose work strongly commended itself to the authorities. In one sense, Professor Lawson is a self-made man, for he was not born with a silver spoon in his mouth, and in his student days he had to work very hard, but he has been amply compensated. Those who know the professor, however, are aware that he delights in bearing testimony to the self-denial of his mother, the well-known popular story writer, as a vital element in his early successes. To her efficient education of her family was a passion, and she has not been without her reward.

The preliminary report of the commission, as prepared by this noted Canadian, possesses more than passing interest, in view of the greatness of the calamity, and its partial duplication within the last day or two, at Valparaiso, South America. The commission finds that the cause of the earth's movements, which resulted in the great earthquake on the 18th of April last, is that stresses are generated in the earth's crust which accumulate till they exceed the strength of the rocks composing the crust, and they find a relief in a sudden rupture. Though the greatest destruction took place in San Francisco, the length of the movement was about 399 miles. The evidence of the rupture and of the differential movement along the line of rift, the commission find to be very clear and unequivocal. The surface soil presents a continuous furrow, generally several feet wide, with transverse cracks, which show very plainly the effort of torsion within the zone of the movement. All fences, roads, stream courses, pipe lines, dams, conduits, and property lines which cross the rift are dislocated. The amount of dislocation varies. In several instances observed it does not exceed six feet. A more common measurement is eight to ten feet. In some cases as much as fifteen or sixteen feet of horizontal displacement has been observed, while in one case a roadway was found to have been differentially displaced twenty feet. Probably the mean for the amount of horizontal displacement along the rift line is about 10 feet, and the variations from this

are due to local causes, such as drag of the mantle of soil upon the rocks or the excessive movement of soft, incoherent deposits. Besides this general horizontal displacement of about ten feet there is observable in Sonoma and Mendocino counties a differential vertical movement not exceeding four feet, so far as at present known, whereby the southwest side of the rift was raised relatively to the northeast side, so as to present a low scarp facing the northeast.

As a consequence of this earthquake, the commission believe that it is possible the latitudes of all points in the coast ranges have been permanently changed a few feet. The great length of the rift upon which movement occurred makes this earthquake unique. Such length implies great depth of rupture, and the commissioners, who say they will continue their investigations, add that the study of the question of depth will contribute much to current geological conceptions. The exact limits of the area of destruction have not yet been mapped, but it is known to extend out about 25 or possibly 35 miles on either side of the rift. It is noteworthy that on the southwest side the greater part of this area to the north of the Golden Gate lies in the Pacific Ocean. This area extends a distance of about 400 miles. There was a maximum of destructive effects immediately on the rift line, but the disaster was far more complete in places situated, as was the greater part of San Francisco, on the valley floor, and underlain to a considerable depth by loose or by slightly coherent geological formations, than in settlements situated wholly or partly on rock. The moral of this experience is driven home with much force in the concluding portion of the commissioners' report. It is that all buildings, such as schools, churches, and hotels, in which large numbers of persons are wont to congregate, should be constructed, in districts subject to earthquake shocks, on rock formations and with deep foundations. Even in San Francisco, buildings so placed, constructed of steel, in the recent disaster, were relatively passive, while structures erected on made ground, but a short distance off, were toppled to the ground. This is perhaps the best that can be done in a locality subject to earthquake shocks. We, in this most favored part of the continent should be thankful that conditions are such as to disarm apprehension, even on the part of the man who builds his house on the sand.

STATISTICS OF OLD LONDON.

The London County Council has issued a volume of statistics which conveys a vivid idea of the vastness of the world's metropolis.

The "county" of London contains an area of 75,442 acres, or about 120 square miles. It has a population of 4,500,000; that of Greater London, however, is 7,113,560, which is 1,742,245, or over 30 per cent more than there were in the whole of Canada at the last decennial census. The marriage rate for London is stated at 17 per 1,000, the birth rate 29.9 and the death rate 16.9. Infant mortality is responsible for a large proportion of the deaths, 18,800, out of the total of 74,990, during the twelve months covered by the statistics just issued.

The figures of London's traffic are large. The number of passengers officially recorded as having been carried aggregating 1,021,855,844. Trains carry off the palm in numbers, nearly 436,000,000 being carried by these conveyances. Almost 290,000,000 were passengers by the old-fashioned and slow omnibus service, but these records only cover two of the principal companies. The number of journeys per head of the population averages more than 200.

London's postal statistics are as impressive as those of every other department of its activity. Over 727,000,000 letters, 166,000,000 postcards, and 183,000,000 booklets were mailed. The number of newspapers carried, as might be expected when the less favorable facilities offered by the British postal authorities are considered, is not proportionately as great as in Canada or the United States, yet almost 36,000,000 millions were posted. About 6,500,000 telegrams were registered, and 25,500,000 telegrams sent. The postal employees in London number 46,216.

The shipping statistics of London show that as a seaport it still, despite the competition of Liverpool, Glasgow, Plymouth and Southampton, ranks as among the most important in the world. The vessels entering numbered over 27,000, and the number that cleared a few more. The tonnage each way was over 18,000,000. The trade returns for the city show: Exports about \$200,000,000, and imports about \$90,000,000.

Among other curious facts concerning London contained in the county council's statistics might be mentioned that the prison population of the city is 59,464. In London there are 2,158 miles of streets, and their yearly cost of maintenance is over \$10,000,000. The cost of the London police is about \$8,000,000, while that of the whole of England and Wales is only \$22,000,000. The council spends \$8,000,000 a year in maintaining its system of parks and open spaces, the area of which is 4,945 acres. In London there are 6,684

saloons, and the number of apprehensions for drunkenness last year was \$0,899. The British Museum is the most frequented public building, the number of visitors in the year covered by the report being very few short of a million.

The Western Fair is London's finest exhibition of public spirit.

September is maintaining its reputation as the best summer month.

Mr. Whitney has returned from his trip abroad and will find that the nails are falling out of more than planks in his platform.

General Liarski is one of the latest victims of Russian assassins. His name suggests that he was the writer of the St. Petersburg war bulletins.

Another alleged grandchild of George the Fourth has died in Windsor, Ont. That monarch must have been the greatest anti-Malthusian of modern times.

Our American cousins will soon be in the throes of a congressional election. After that they will begin to prepare for the presidential election two years hence. We have enough politics in this country, but the pot is always boiling across the line.

It was childish to protest against the hoisting of the Stars and Stripes at the Toronto Exhibition upon a day set apart in honor of American visitors. The flying of the American flag on all and sundry occasions in this country, chiefly as an advertising device, and not as an international courtesy, is a different matter, and an offense to our national self-respect.

HIGHER CRITICISM.

[New Idea.]

A wagish occupant of the gallery shouted the other night to a pretty but indistinct lady artist: "Don't be nervous, my dear; it's only me!" At another theater one of the "gods" called down an actor who had just finished making rather a long speech: "Will you say that again, please? I didn't hear it."

A SAD ERROR.

[Cleveland Leader.]

"We wish," wrote the editor of the Tartan Trumpet, "to correct an error which crept into our issue of last week. In describing the unfortunate runaway accident in Main street, we wrote: 'While awaiting the arrival of the ambulance, Dr. Skinner, who was fortunately present, took the victim's pulse.' It was the printer who carelessly changed the 't' in the last word to 'r'. We make this correction in justice to Dr. Skinner, whose fees are always moderate and who never presents a bill in advance. Office over Jed Kimball's drug store."

PUZZLED.

[Chicago Post.]

"I wonder," said the girl who is to be married in June, "whether one should send invitations to her disappointed suitors."

"They might think you were doing it to affront them," advised the true friend.

"But then, if I don't invite them, they may think the act of ignoring them is an intentional slight—and they are all awfully nice fellows—and then you see—well, one never knows—"

Of course, she says she never would marry the second time, but then—

You see, the fair sex has to thrash out problems that mere men little wot of.

HAVE YOU ONE?

[Columbus Dispatch.]

Little Willie—Say, pa, what is a mutual friend?

Pa—A mutual friend, my son, is one who makes it his business to keep you informed of the mean things your other friends say about you.

DODGE THE DREAMS.

[Somerville Journal.]

Just because a young woman tells a young man that she dreamed of him the night before, he has no authority to feel elated. She may have had the nightmare.

SWITZERLAND'S PROSPERITY.

[London Spectator.]

The material prosperity of Switzerland is strikingly illustrated by the statistics just published. During the last 55 years the wealth of the country, not including state property, has risen from £400,000,000 to £680,000,000. The remarkable feature of these figures is the fact that no less than two-fifths of this total has been acquired by the hotel proprietors, whose annual income is estimated at upward of £6,000,000.

NOT FOREVER.

[New York Tribune.]

William Wilberforce had a devoted sister. She is credited with having won his election for him during his membership of Parliament from Hull. The story goes that one day at the hustings a number of partisans began a tremendous cheering, crying "Miss Wilberforce!" upon which she stepped forward and, with admirable tact, replied: "Gentlemen, I thank you; but, believe me, I do not wish to be 'Miss Wilberforce' forever!" Her brother was returned at the head of the poll.

It is said by some students of the origin of the great iron and steel industry that the Japanese many generations ago used to make steel in a curious manner, which is not wholly understood. They forged iron into the shape of a sword, and then buried it for eight or ten years in marshy ground. Through some process of nature, which may have been due to the presence of peculiar chemicals in the soil, it came out steel. While a good reputation may be a proud possession, it is sometimes uncomfortable to live up to. These people with a great deal of assurance are quite often right, much as we dislike them.

A DEFENSE OF SPELLING REFORM.

[From the Washington Star.]

Although it is true that the attention of the public was called to the matter of reform spelling with somewhat of a jolt, it is a fact that this reform goes ahead with force and vigor. The tendency is nearly all toward simplification.

The classical diphthongs "ae" and "oe" that ran through the dictionaries have almost disappeared. Webster reflected the best usage of his time and he spelled "anaemia," "aesthetic," "oesophagus," "mediaeval" and "praenomen." The dictionaries of today reflecting the best usage spell these words "anemia," "aesthetic," "esophagus," "medieval," "prenomen," etc.

The useless "i" is rapidly passing. Webster and his contemporaries spelled "appail," "distill," "untill." Today each of these words has lost an "i." Nobody with any pretense to the properties of orthography would now spell "fulfill," "fullness," and "dullness." The English writing world today cuts an "e" out of "abridgement," "acknowledgement" and "judgement," and the best practice substitutes "s" for the old-time "ce" in "defense," "offense," "pretense," "suspense," and similar words.

Within two or three generations "ic" has disappeared from "music," "public," "politics," "arithmetic," "mathematics," "academia," "traffic," "causality," "politics," "arithmetic," "mathematics," "autour," "vapour," "ambassadour," "predecessour," "ancestour," "successour," "odour," "ardour," etc.

Within the memory of man "plough" has become "plow," "draught," has changed to "draft," "cheque" to "check," and "drought" has nearly come to "drouth."

Within the present generation, "program," "theater," "center," "catalog," "pedagog," "demagog," "accouter," "caliber," "saber," and a bookful of similar words have made great progress. Some photographers are writing "photo," some chemists are writing "sulphur," and many writers of high repute are discarding the final "e" in "infinite," "definite," "opposite" and "preference."

Webster spelled "bogy," "buccaner," "gauche," "gazelle," "gypsy," and "lachrymal." Today's dictionaries spell these words "bogey," "buccaneer," "gauche," "gazelle," "gipsy," and "lachrymal." "Oxide," "sulphide," and "chloride" have dropped the final "e."

While most words have moved toward simpler spelling, some words have moved in another direction. The use of "t" instead of "ed" in the words "admixt," "blest," "blusht," "carest," "clapt," "confest," "crost," "crusht," "curst," "depest," "droopt," "dropt," "express," "hush," "idst," "leapt," "carries the world back to the age of classical English. In Shakespeare's epiphany appear the words "blest" and "curst."

The simplified spelling board does not propose to hark back to Elizabethan spelling, because today's spelling is a great improvement upon it. While Elizabethans excelled the moderns in the spelling of some words, the moderns have made many improvements. As an illustration, while in Shakespeare's epiphany "curst" is spelled "curst," and "blest" "blest," the whole epiphany reads:

"Good Friend for Jesus' Sake Forbear To Dig the Dust Encloused Here; Blest be ye Man yt Spares These Stones And Curst be he yt Moves My Bones."

The following verse will illustrate the improvement made in spelling since Shakespeare's time. It concerns Bishop Bale, who wrote a play on "Kynge Johan" (King John):

"Good aged Bale, that with thy hoary heares Doste yet persyste to turne the paynefull booke; O happy man; that hast obtaynde such yeares, And leav'st not yet on papers pale to looke Gynne over nof to beat they weryed brayne, And rest thy penne, that long hath labored sore: For aged men unfyt sure is such paine, And thes beemes to labor now no more."

But thou, I thinke, Don Platoes part will playe, With booke in hand to have thy dying daye."

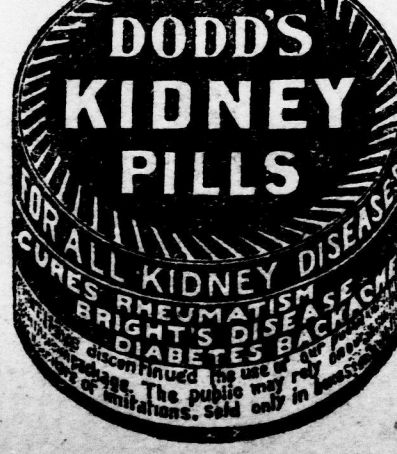
This would scarcely be called high school spelling today. But it was better spelling than Chaucer could do, and Spenser, Dryden and Milton did no better. Shakespeare and his contemporary dramatists, Robert Greene, Thomas Nashe, Christopher Marlowe, John Lyly, George Peele, Kyd and the world does better now.

In the time of the American colonies and the youth of the United States the forms of "tho" and "altho" were common.

BIG SPANIARDS IN DUEL.

Alfonso's Master of Horse and Duke Andria Fight With Sabres.

San Sebastian, Sept. 10.—As the result of a violent scene over a trifle, at the Hotel Palais the Marquis Viana, King Alfonso's master of horse, and the Duke of Andria fought a duel with sabres at dawn yesterday. The marquis received a cut on the head, and the duke stopped the fight. Previous to the encounter the marquis handed his resignation to the king. The seconds are all well-known members of King Alfonso's retinue.

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25 dozen Ladies' Steel-Filled Corsets made of strong English jean, lace trimmed, a splendid everyday corset; full range of sizes. Colors tan and black. Regular 65c, during the fair...44c

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Those who never have any stomach troubles and whose digestion is like that of an ostrich cannot possibly understand the sorry condition of many in London today.

Life does not seem worth the living; they bear up with nervous irritation, sleeplessness, pain and misery in the stomach, headaches, backaches, and have a constant fear that what they eat is going to disagree with them and cause still greater distress. While persons with a weakened stomach should have our sympathy, it is much better to point out the way to cure their physical troubles and make it possible for them to once more enjoy life without thought or care as to what may be eaten.

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The barley and hops used are the finest that money can secure. It is a prime favorite.

10 MEDALS—12 DIPLOMAS.

There is far more pleasure to be derived from the pursuit of happiness than there is in catching it.

A bachelor may be an object of public derision, but a married man usually gets his at home.

A MISSION FULFILLED

But she had her hopes of winning over Florence some day; and, truth to tell, found the other two so painfully, fearfully uninteresting that it was only owing to her own gentle charity of disposition, and to the fact that they were her husband's relations, that the Capri girl ever troubled her head in any way about them. Florence Ronaldson was in some respects, both bodily and mentally, like her brother—hence pleasing to Margherita; and both had more or less of their father about them; but Lady Meredith took after her mother in every respect. She had the same fair sandy hair, correct features, and colorless, expressionless face—the same slight thin figure and high, thin voice. She might have been a good woman, with these outward characteristics, but she must always have been a poor one. Nothing rich, or deep, or great, or generous, nothing strong for good or evil could, one felt instinctively, emanate from a woman so thin-lipped, even-toned and cold-eyed.

Her age was thirty or thereabouts, and she might have been considered good-looking had not her features been so lifeless. She had been married but two years, and on her wedding day had returned to her father's house, where she had lived ever since—for the last seven years. Her husband, a blithe, jolly, genial man of middle-age, had been killed by a fall out hunting—brought home dead, his neck broken, upon a shuttle, but even this frightful tragic incident had failed to leave a lasting impression upon his widow's face, or to alter the composed lines of mouth and eyelids. Perhaps, poor man, it was as well that his sudden end reached him before his simple, honest mind had time to unravel the mysteries of his wife's nature, or to make the discovery that the woman he had married was incapable of returning his strong, straightforward love.

There was no child born of the marriage, and Mildred Meredith, after five years of widow's caps, had now at length discarded her weeds and listened to the injunctions of her friends not to "sorrow without end," even for so

good a husband as Sir George. It was certainly time the sorrow should come to an end; the only hitch lay in the difficulty of discovering its commencement.

Mrs. Ronaldson was thinner, paler, colder, more silent than her eldest daughter. She was not an ill-tempered woman, and rarely actively unkind to anyone, and she had no desire to ill-treat or even snub her son's wife; she simply desisted, and looked over her head so to say, habitually—unable, by her very disposition, to perceive her daughter-in-law's many charms. Margherita's sweetness was absolutely lost upon her; she seemed unconscious of it, as well as of her beauty; and she rarely spoke to the girl, except when required by etiquette.

And yet, if there was anybody or anything in life that stirred the placid torpor of her nature, it was her son and his affairs; but, the momentary annoyance of his mesalliance over, she had banished it from her mind, and the personality of the bride herself was not suffered in any way to modify first impressions. Mrs. Ronaldson was not an indolent woman; she fulfilled her social duties with exactitude, and was a polite hostess and a careful mistress of her servants. These latter rarely left her, for she was particular in choosing them, and seldom found fault with them. If anything was wrong, the servant was discharged—calmly, without a word of blame—and this silent system, strange to say, held these uneducated people somehow or other in terror to such a degree that the discharge rarely had to be given. She was a woman with a distinct list of charities, but she never gave away a half penny on impulse. But who ever saw Mrs. Ronaldson act upon impulse?

Looking at her wooden face, and watching her automaton-like manner and mechanical ways, it was difficult to believe that she could be the mother of her two younger children—both gay, vivacious, and quick-natured. But it was indeed almost as difficult to believe that a woman so without life, without warmth, apparently without feeling, could have been a mother at all. It seemed almost impossible to conceive that those cold gray eyes, those pinched-up lips, and impassive features had ever known the deeper joys and sorrows of life, its passions, its heart struggles, that they had ever flushed beneath the first kiss of a lover, softened with the first mysterious joys of maternity, or wept over the corpse of a babe that breathed its last upon her knee. Yet so it was.

"Some are black, and some are white." So are some men and women thin and poor of heart, a moral defect in the rich generosity of their natures, overflow with love and comfort, to the benefit of their generation.

CHAPTER XIII.

Margherita Revises a Lecture. Margherita soon relinquished all hope she might have indulged of winning her mother-in-law's regard or approbation. She was a sensible young woman, and she saw that any such project was absolutely vain. Her manner towards Mrs. Ronaldson was always one of the deepest respect; the fact of her being Lady Meredith's mother-in-law was sufficient to insure her not only showing but feeling this; but she made no attempt, after the first few days or so, to win the latter over to speak to her, or in any way to attract her attention. The elder woman remained an enigma to her, cold, fast and flighty ways to her, and her friend Lady Elizabeth and Florence and her friend Lady Elizabeth were both perplexed by her unlightened mind; and Keith found himself smiling as he noted the curious glances, half frightened, half puzzled, with which his young-wife sometimes regarded his unconscious mother.

"It's of no use, little one," he said, one day, kindly, when they were alone, "you will never understand my mother nor she you. You were framed at the antipodes."

"Oh, Keith, does she dislike me?" "Not particularly, my dear—you can't help it."

"What can I do to please her, Keith, to make her like me?" "Nothing at all, my dear child. The truth is," and Keith smiled too easily-natured to afflict himself particularly over family failings. "I don't think she likes anyone very much."

"Ah!" said Margherita, more puzzled than ever. That a person might care too much she could well understand; a character full of strong loves, and strong hatreds would be no novelty to her—Geronimo, Teresina, Stefano, all her friends and relations could love fiercely and hate fiercely—ay, be wicked and perhaps lawless under the hot fire of their passion's force; but that any human being could exist of so colorless a disposition that they "could not like anyone very much?" Ah, Diol! of what composition were they made, who could comprehend their inner being?

She was silent; and the quick, bright tears that had sprung for a moment to her eyes dried up as she moved away thoughtfully, too much engrossed with the solution of this impossible problem even to notice her husband's kiss.

With Florence she got on best. Florence was by no means affectionate, nor indeed was she always polite; she generally—when Keith was not by to fight his wife's battles—took, as by right hers the best of everything; an arrangement to which Margherita in her humility readily acquiesced; but she was so long as the latter followed this course, certainly good humored in her manner toward her, as was her consideration toward all those whom she considered her kindred inferiors.

With Lady Meredith it was different. She was, perhaps, Margherita's greatest cross in her new life, and the Italian girl had a fierce struggle against the instinctive dislike which would rise up in her breast against her eldest sister-in-law—a dislike which appeared in her eyes, as aroused against one of her husband's relations, a sin little short of sacrilege. But, indeed, Mildred Meredith could be a domestic thorn of the first order when she chose; and on the present occasion she was fully determined to indulge her particular talent to its fullest extent.

Many of the little slights put upon

her by Lady Meredith, Margherita's ignorance of English etiquette caused her to think little of; many of the verbal shafts fell harmless, owing to the still imperfect knowledge of the English language; but she was well aware that Keith's elder sister disliked her as much as she was capable of disliking anybody—perhaps, that, too, might not have been "very much"—and Lady Meredith's scornful looks and slighting tones, more perhaps than her deeds and words, often brought a quick flush to her brown cheek, or a glance of pained inquiry to her eyes. She was at first so simple that she could not fully estimate the wrong she had done to her husband's family in bringing them as daughter and sister-in-law a Capri coral girl and she could wonder what it was in her that could make the others dislike her so much.

But as she grew more learned in the principles of the social life of her adopted country, more conversant with the rules of the fashionable world, and more fluent in the English tongue, she began to understand better the enormity of which she had been guilty, and to reflect over it in secret sorrow as a burden upon her conscience. Why had not Keith warned her of this before he married her?

But it was too late to name it to him now. So she kept silence, only grieving in her heart for her past mistake, and meeting Lady Meredith's impertinences with a sweeter submission than before, thereby completely deceiving that lady as to her true character, and persuading her that she was a young woman without either spirit or energy, fitted by nature first for the whip, and then for the leading-string.

It was some time before she proved her mistake, and discovered that the patient are not always weak, nor the gentle without determination. Meanwhile she continued to put Margherita to open embarrassment or to secret trouble; and notably was this the case on one occasion about a month after her arrival at the Grange. It was on a certain evening in May, and the whole day had been occupied by the younger members of the family in a visit to some races in the neighborhood. Keith, Margherita and Florence had been there, and in company with Colonel Stockton and Lady Elizabeth had made a picnic day of it, and been driven over on Lord Teasdale's four-hand.

Lady Meredith had not joined the others; she did not approve of race courses; added to which, she was too nervous a person to enjoy swinging up her enforced absence possibly did not tend to improve her temper. It had been apparently a very merry and pleasantly successful expedition, and all parties had returned home in good spirits.

The Stocktons remained to dinner, during which meal a good deal of chaff regarding bets won and lost passed between them and their companion. The colonel, it appeared, had lost many pairs of gloves and a little money to Margherita, and Keith to Lady Elizabeth; while Florence, who was of a practical mind on such points, and by no means hampered by any ladylike prejudices, again making a race-course a paying thing, was openly rejoicing over the sums of money she had won from various male acquaintances.

"We all seem to have been in luck's way," remarked Stockton, "except—confound it!—that five you won from me, Keith. But it was my only loss."

"I never lost at all," retorted Keith. "Never had such a run of luck in my life, and Margherita's venture was the best of all. I made her put on a half century, just as a try, you know—nothing of the horse, four to one against him—and, by Jove, if he didn't win! It was her choice—blame it if it wasn't!"

He had lowered his voice purposely, and was bending across to the colonel. Some little past episode in his life perhaps made him not over-anxious to publish the fact aloud to his family. But Mr. Ronaldson was talking to Margherita, and Mrs. Ronaldson had just addressed a question to Lady Elizabeth, and only Lady Meredith's sharp ears were disengaged to listen.

"Lizzie told me you'd had a fall of luck," remarked Stockton; "who was mulcted?" "Teasdale!"

"Oh, capital! A century or two is nothing to him."

"Nothing at all. But he don't go in for betting, as a rule. I don't think he'd have done it now, only that Margherita dared him to it; and he said afterward that was why he lost."

"Ah," said the colonel, gallantly, "it's worth parting with more than that to have the pleasure of losing to Mrs. Ronaldson."

The next morning Margherita, seated in the morning-room alone, turning over some songs, when Lady Meredith entered. Stern judgment was written upon her face, and presently, after a preliminary cough, she opened fire upon her companion.

"I hear," she said, "that you won a good deal of money at the races yesterday, Margherita?"

GREAT TUNNEL PROJECT AGAIN

Promoters of Belle Isle Bore Optimistic.

THE COST WILL BE \$6,000,000

But It Is Said Advantages of Proposed Route to Europe Will Render Financing Easy.

Quebec, Sept. 10.—The project for the tunneling of the Straits of Belle Isle and the construction of a railway via the proposed tunnel across the interior of Labrador, and traversing a portion of Newfoundland to the east coast of the island, where it will connect with a fast line of steamships to Europe, is now fully provided for by charter and engaging the attention of prominent railwaymen.

The Quebec and Lake St. John Railway will form the Quebec link of the proposed scheme, and has already obtained important privileges from the Government of Newfoundland, including charters for the construction of a railway from the boundary of the Canadian and Newfoundland Labrador at Blanc Sablon to the Straits of Belle Isle, and for tunneling the straits. This franchise gives twenty years in which to do the work. Newfoundland will give a subsidy of \$75,000 annually for the scheme.

The Quebec and Lake St. John Railway also has a charter for the construction of a line of railway through the Labrador Peninsula to the eastern boundary of the Province of Quebec, and it is altogether likely that this charter will be utilized in the execution of the present project.

The promoters have personally ascended some of the large streams running south into the Gulf of St. Lawrence, and have brought back with them an interesting set of photographs illustrating the character of the country in the interior of Labrador, and the forest wealth existing in the parts of the country to be traversed by the proposed line of railway.

The route of the railway will be along the table land in which many of the north shore rivers take their rise. The construction of the tunnel under the Straits of Belle Isle is not expected to be a particularly costly affair, as at the point where the bed of the straits is to be pierced the breadth is not over ten miles. This is opposite Point Amour, and the depth of water is not over 150 feet. At the usual cost of tunneling the work is not expected to cost more than \$6,000,000.

From the Newfoundland side of the tunnel it will only require the construction of some thirty miles of railway to reach Hare Bay, on the northeast coast of the island, which is said to be always clear of fogs, and which is not more than 150 miles from the west coast of Ireland.

By building some distance further south a connection might be made with the port of St. John via the Reid system of railways.

The promoters of the project believe that it will be possible to carry both mails and passengers between New York and Liverpool by the proposed new route in much shorter time than by the present ocean route.

The distance by water from Montreal to St. John, Nfld., is 1,070 miles, so that the overland passage from St. John to Ireland is not only about 50 per cent more than that distance, or 1,640 miles.

What is a Backache?

IT IS NATURE'S WARNING TO WOMEN

Diseases of Woman's Organism Cured and Consequent Pain Stopped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"It seems as though my back would break." Women utter these words over and over again, but continue to drag along and suffer with aches in the small of the back, pain low down in the side, "bearing-down" pains, nervousness and no ambition for any task.

They do not realize that the back is the main spring of woman's organism, and quickly indicates by aching a diseased condition of the female organs or kidneys, and that the aches and pains will continue until the cause is removed. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been for many years the one and only effective remedy in such cases. It cures female organs and kidney disorders and restores the female organs to a healthy condition.

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:— "I suffered a long time with female trouble, having intense pains in the back and abdomen and very sick headaches every month. I was tired and nervous all the time and life looked very dreary to me and I had no desire to live until I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and to get some relief. My recovery was slow but it was sure, and I never regretted the money spent for the Compound as it brought me back to good health."

"It seems to be a medicine especially adapted to the ills of our sex, and I am glad to say a good word for it." Mrs. Albert Mann, 164 Gore Vale Ave., Toronto, Ont.

No other person can give such helpful advice to women who are sick as can Mrs. Pinkham, daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham. Her address is Lynn, Mass., and her advice free.

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Special Millinery Opening

During Fair Week

This does not take the place of our annual fall millinery opening. That will come later. With this SPECIAL MILLINERY OPENING we introduce to the ladies a new style of headgear, with a new price.

Hitherto, a pretty hat has not been obtainable under \$8 to \$10. When our Miss O'Brien returned from New York she brought with her some pretty good ideas, so good, in fact, that we have adopted them, with the result that we are enabled to give you as pretty a hat as you have seen for many a long day.

This hat may be had in various shades, shapes and styles, and costs—listen, now:

It Costs Just \$5.00

After the opening we will continue carrying this popular-priced hat in stock. Be sure and call during the fair.

An Immense Exhibition Of New Dress Fabrics

Lady visitors to the city should not miss our immense exhibition of New Autumn Dress Fabrics.

Here you will find a truly superb gathering of the most fashionable weaves and every fashionable shade.

Why not plan the fall and winter suit now? We believe we can show you good reasons why you should. Anyway, come and see the exhibit.

Here are some Dress Goods specials for Exhibition week:

All-Wool Tartan Plaids, 44 inches wide. Exhibition price, yard...50c

Twenty pieces New Fall Tweeds, light and dark mixtures. Exhibition price, yard...50c

54-Inch Lanark Tweeds, all pure wool, light, medium and dark gray mixtures. Exhibition price, yard...75c

All Pure-Wool Panama Cloths, navy, brown, cardinal, green and black. Exhibition price, yard...50c

New Waterproof Cloths, in fawns, dark gray, navy blue and black, guaranteed rainproof. Exhibition price, yard...\$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50

New Black Peau de Soie Silks at...59c

New Black Chiffon Taffeta at...75c

Wool Panama, 46 inches wide. This is a beautiful cloth, in an extra fine weave. At, yard... 75c and \$1.00 See the cloth before buying.

36-Inch Black Taffeta Silks, C. J. Bonnet's make, stamped. Per yard...\$1.00

New Black and White Check Dress Goods, all pure wool, the most fashionable material for fall wear, best assortment in the city to choose from. Prices range from, yard...50c to \$2.00

New Coating Serge, 52 inches wide, all pure wool, light and dark navy, also black. Exhibition price, yard...50c

Don't fail to see our special line of all Pure-Wool Venetians. All the newest shades now in stock. Ask to see them. Exhibition price, yard...50c and 75c

French Flannels, polkadots and fancy patterns, new goods, yard...50c

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No brands on the market today are made more carefully than our "FIVE ROSES" and "HARVEST QUEEN." The grain itself is cleansed by the newest and most perfect machinery before being ground, and the flour is sifted and tested by experts at every stage of the milling in order to insure the nearest approach to perfection it is possible to obtain by modern methods.

If you use these brands, and give corresponding attention to the details of your baking, you will have as a result bread which cannot be equalled for quality and nourishing value.

Lake of The Woods Milling Co.

MONTREAL.

Limited.

Local Office, Canadian Bank of Commerce Chambers, London, Ont.

At a recent meeting of the London Practitioners' Society, Dr. Robert Abbe showed, in order to illustrate the penetrative power of radium, a photographic plate upon which a revolver had been photographed by a single grain of radium. The cartridge with which the revolver was loaded and the internal mechanism of the revolver were clearly seen in the photograph, demonstrating that the rays had penetrated the steel.

ONLY THOSE who have had experience can tell the torture corns cause. Pain with your boots on, pain with them off, pain night and day, but relief is sure to those who use Holloway's Corn Cure. Ever since 1840 the skull of Sir Thomas Browne has been on show in a museum at Norwich. It has now been restored to the vault whence it was taken. Sylvanus Urban, in the Gentleman's Magazine, complains this morbidness, and that of certain people who proposed to have Shakespeare's skull similarly examined. "Let such ghoulishly-inclined busybodies," he says emphatically, "confine their attention to the anatomy of Jonathan Wild."

Advertiser Patterns

Designed by Martha Dean.



A GRACEFUL NEGLIGEE—6404. There is nothing so essential to feminine comfort as a pretty negligee that can be donned for the morning rest or put on when the weary wanderer returns home and desires her "40 winks" with ease of body as well as mind. The most sensible models in these comfort gowns are simple in design as any great amount of frills and furbelows will only be crushed and soon lose their dainty freshness. Here is a gown hanging straight from the neck and shoulders and belted loosely with a ribbon girdle. A broad round collar lends a great deal of grace with its ruffle of lace or pleated silk outlining it, and continuing to the lower edge in front. The neck is sure to be becoming and not so open as to expose one to the cold. The gown is very easy to construct, and the least experienced may undertake it without hesitation. For materials, challis, Henrietta, cashmere, French flannel, Oriental silk or pongee as well as lawn or dimity are suggested. For the medium size 8-10 yards of 36-inch material are needed. 6404—Sizes, 22 to 42 inches bust measure.

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PATTERN DEPARTMENT,

ADVERTISER, LONDON, ONT.

FOOD EXPERT DIES OF BOILED CRABS

Prof. Hart, Once of London, Dead
at Atlantic City—An Ec-
centric Character.

Professor Hart, an eccentric food expert, who a few years ago made his headquarters in London for a considerable period, died recently at Atlantic City, New Jersey. Hart preached his doctrine while here, and left as suddenly as he came without securing very many converts. Of the professor the New York World had the following:

The telegram from Atlantic City today that Prof. Herbert William Hart, the dietary expert, had died there from acute indigestion, caused by eating boiled crabs, brought to light in New York, his home, the fact that for a quarter of a century the septuagenarian had led a life of mystery and oddity.

Prof. Hart is believed to have left a family. But he never told any one anything about relatives. He had a place in this city where he made the bread which he said would cause those who ate to live up to the age of Methuselah, but he kept that place secret. No one knew where he lived and he was careful to let none know of his private life.

His last scene in New York was to give away 10,000 or 1,000,000 loaves of his whole wheat bread to the poor in City Hall Park. He said it was an outrage that Mr. Strauss was allowed to dispense milk there, and he was fusing the right of giving away bread.

Expected to Live to 100.

The cause of the death, it is a peculiar and really sad travesty on the principles for which he stood. He was 74 years of age, and expected to live to be more than 100 by eating his mysterious bread. Then, to die from acute indigestion from eating crabs must have been galling to him in his last moments.

The Atlantic City dispatch says that Prof. Hart, after partaking freely of boiled crabs at the Hains Cottage, where he was stopping there, retired. Later a servant heard groans from his room and entered. She found him dead on the bed and called a doctor, but before he arrived the professor was dead. The doctor and the coroner said death was the result of acute indigestion, resulting from the attempt of his stomach to digest the crab meat.

Was a Food Expert.

Prof. Hart had traveled extensively and always asserted that while traveling in the east for a cure of a wasting disease the bread baked by a Jewish maiden in a primitive oven had first commenced his restoration. He himself later compounded a flour retaining the nutritive principle of the wheat. He was a witness before the Senate food adulteration committee in 1899.

In New York Prof. Hart made his office with Prof. Charles E. Levy, who conducts a bath establishment at No. 1265 Broadway. He paid no rent, Levy being interested in his dietary work. He stored great quantities of his bread in the office until he had so much that the place was overrun with rats. Then he was asked to remove the bread.

His income was derived from royalties from two large bakeries in this city where his bread was made and by a similar establishment in Atlantic City. It was to collect the royalties from the latter place that he went to Atlantic City. He was a very busy man the last few years trying to get his dietary bread before the public. He was a well-known character about the newspaper editors, soliciting the support of the editors in his theories. Every editor has had a loaf of his bread.

UNKNOWN AND HELPLESS

Respectable-Looking Old Man Held as
Vagrant—Identity a Mystery.

William Crawford, a respectable-looking, well-dressed old man, was arrested here last night while in an almost helpless condition, apparently very ill.

The charge upon which he was arrested was vagrancy. When first taken to the police station he could not speak and had it not been for some letters found on him his identity would still be a mystery. From the letters it was learned that he came here from Montreal, where it is thought that he has been a civil engineer in his younger days.

At present the police are at a loss to know what to do with him, and are detaining him on the vagrancy charge, hoping that his friends will send word what to do with him.

Just how he got to this city, is not known, but it is thought that he got on the wrong train at Toronto, as he had a ticket reading "from Toronto to Montreal."

PELEE WOULD RETURN.

Leamington, Sept. 10.—Some years ago the Township of Pelee Island was separated from the County of Essex for municipal purposes. The people of the island are now considering the advisability of again becoming a part of the county, and having representatives in the county council.

KILLED BY HORSE'S KICK.

Woodstock, Sept. 10.—Robert Oliver, a prominent farmer residing near Bright, was on Friday night killed by a kick from a horse. Deceased was well known in Liberal circles. He leaves a wife and grown-up family.

Economy

Is a strong point with Hood's Sarsaparilla. A bottle lasts longer and does more good than any other. It is the only medicine of which can truly be said 100 DOSES ONE DOLLAR.

CANON FARTHING GOES TO KINGSTON

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Resigns After Long Wood-
stock Rectorship.

Woodstock, Sept. 10.—Rev. Canon Farthing, for many years rector of New St. Paul's Church in this city, yesterday morning announced to his congregation his resignation and his acceptance of the rectorship of St. George's Cathedral, Kingston, and the deanery of Ontario. He will leave for Kingston early in December. For eighteen years Canon Farthing has been connected with New St. Paul's congregation. Seventeen years ago he became the rector, and his work here has been marked with gratifying success. As a citizen he has been prominent in all movements for the advancement of the interests of Woodstock, and especially has been connected with Woodstock Hospital. He is at present a member of the Collegiate Institute board. By his undoubted ability and energy he has attained a high position in the Anglican Church, and has held important offices in the Huron diocese. His removal will be keenly felt here in the many circles in which he has moved. A meeting of the congregation will be held this evening to consider the question of the securing of a new rector. The announcement of the resignation was received by the congregation with the deepest regret, coming as an almost complete surprise.

BIG SHOW IN FULL SWING

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deem it advisable to allow any gatekeeper to accept money from people who were unable to buy tickets and were unable to get in.

Col. Little said the board had been criticised in the past for selling tickets on Friday, as the fair was not in shape on that early date. As regards Saturday night the board years ago had decided that the cost of keeping the fair open would be too great, considering the number of people who would attend the fair that night.

The matter was referred to the board of next year.

Late Entries Accepted.

A number of entries of horses from city owners who made application on Saturday were accepted. The board deviated a little from its rules in this regard, as the prize list states that all entries must be in by Thursday.

The board decided that the awards of the awarding committee shall not be final, but that the committee shall, through its chairman, report to the board, and that body will decide as to the awards.

Mr. Bogue said that in the past exhibitors, year after year, were awarded gold and silver medals for the same class of exhibits. He thought that a firm once awarded a medal should, to be eligible for another medal, be compelled to change its exhibit.

Mr. McNeil said this would be unfair, as a man might exhibit a two-year-old colt this year, and then exhibit him in a three-year-old class next year. If Mr. Bogue's suggestion was adopted, such a man would be barred.

No action was taken on the matter.

As To Judges.

It was agreed that in case of the absence of any judge of horses, through any cause whatsoever, the chairman of the department shall give power to appoint a substitute judge, the chairman to report his action at once to the board. This motion was proposed by Mr. McCormick, seconded by Mr. Carruthers.

Another motion was to the effect that chairman of other live stock committees be given the same powers.

President Reid announced that all exhibits and attractions are now in and that all buildings, save the cattle sheds, are filled to overflowing.

SERGEANT-MAJOR BORLAND

Transferred to London from Toronto

—Is No Stranger Here.

Sergt.-Major Borland, of the permanent force at Stanley Barracks, Toronto, has been notified of his transfer to Wolsey Barracks, to succeed Sergt.-Major Utton, who goes to Toronto shortly.

The new sergeant-major of No. 10 company is well known to many residents of this city, where he resided for several years. He is a veteran of the Northwest rebellion of 1855, and a brother of Mr. Alexander Borland, formerly of the local fire department.

DEATH OF WALTER POWELL

Former London Merchant Passes Away

After a Long Illness.

Mr. Walter Powell, a resident of this city for many years, passed away at 1 o'clock this morning at his residence, 334 Queens' avenue. His death was not unexpected, as he had been in failing health for the past two years. Mr. Powell was at one time engaged in the mercantile business at the corner of King and Richmond streets, on the property where the Bank of Toronto now stands, and later conducted a grocery in the south end of the city. For the past few years he had lived retired.

The deceased was one of the first and most active members of the Wellington Street Methodist Church, serving in various official capacities before his health broke down. He is survived by his wife and one daughter. He also is survived by a brother, who resides on Wellington street south.

WATCHMEN TYLER FELLED BY TRAIN

G. T. R. Gateman at Waterloo
Street Crossing Is Mysteriously
and Seriously Injured.

Mr. William Tyler, an aged watchman, who for some years has successfully looked after the welfare of the public on the Waterloo street crossing of the Grand Trunk Railway, was struck by a locomotive at noon today and was seriously injured.

The crossing was being used by half a dozen trains at the time of the accident. Mr. Tyler was attending to his duties, flagging vehicles and pedestrians, and was in between two trains. Just how he came to be struck is not known, but when one of the trains went by and Mr. Lorenz Stevens, bailiff of the ninth division court, attempted to cross southward, he found the old gentleman lying on the plank walk unconscious, and with his flag clutched tightly in his hand.

Mr. Tyler's head was lying across one of the rails, and Mr. Stevens at once pulled him to a place of safety. He was bleeding profusely, and it was feared at first that he was fatally injured. Dr. Drake was called and had the old gentleman removed to his home on York street, where an examination revealed the fact that Mr. Tyler was suffering from some severe bruises, but will probably recover. Of course his advanced age is against him, and the doctor intends to make another examination this afternoon before finally giving his opinion.

Mr. Tyler is about 70 years of age, and is one of the best-known watchmen on the local division of the Grand Trunk.

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

—Mr. George Routledge has sold his 100-acre farm at Byron to Mr. William F. Cotton, West London.

HEARTILY THANKFUL.

Hugh Young, of Masonville, wishes through the press to heartily thank the neighbors and all those who helped to save his two barns from fire on Sunday night, Aug. 26.

BOYLE HELD AT DETROIT.

John Boyle, the London boy arrested at Detroit in company with the notorious Fred Maudeley, also of this city, on a charge of robbing a railroad engineer after using a "billy" on him, was arraigned in the police court on Saturday, and held for the recorder's court. His bail was fixed at \$1,000. Boyle could not furnish it.

THOUGHTFULNESS APPRECIATED.

Mr. John Mills, assistant caretaker of Queen's Park, was presented on Saturday night with a meerschaum pipe and tobacco by the members of the East End League for his services to the park. It came as a surprise, and Mr. Mills desires to thank the members for their thoughtfulness.

WATER MAIN FRACTURED.

A break occurred in a water main on Richmond street, near Carling street, this morning, and a gang of men are now at work repairing it. It is said the water had been escaping for quite a while before it was noticed, and that the earth underneath the asphalt pavement had been washed away to the extent of several square yards.

RIGHTS OF EXHIBITORS

Why Those at the Fair Need Not Take
Out Traders' Licenses.

Inspector McCallum, upon the advice of the chairman of No. 3 committee, has refused to attempt to collect transient traders' licenses from exhibitors at the Western Fair, because of the following clause in the bylaws regarding the powers and privileges of the fair board:

"The said association is hereby authorized to charge such admission fees as may be deemed proper; to receive for exhibition everything contemplated by this act; to charge such entrance fees, and to award, give and pay to exhibitors such prizes, medals and honorary distinctions as they may deem proper; and to let or lease stalls, stands, rooms and places in any of their buildings or structures, or in any part of their grounds or property, upon such terms and conditions, and for such purposes as the board of directors may deem best for the interests of the said association."

THE IGORROTE VILLAGE!

Head-Hunting, Dog-Eating Barbarians
in Camp on Fair Ground.

Ten men and four women from the remarkable tribe of head-hunting, dog-eating gorilla barbarians, from the mountain fastnesses of the Philippine Islands, arrived at the Western Fair today. They have been busy today erecting a native village, where they will illustrate their home life and customs.

The Igorrotes are 3,000 years backward in the scale of civilization, are of Mayan origin and fine looking specimens. They are fierce hunters of human heads, but of keen intelligence for primitive wild people without outside culture.

They may be seen all day and every evening, when a programme of native songs and dances, spear throwing, etc., will be given, while their simple industries will be shown.

The women will wear their clothes at the looms. The men will make spearsheads and axes at the native forges, while the pocket hat weavers will weave of rattan the picturesque hats the wild people wear as pockets.

This interesting exhibit is installed on the midway, and is well worth seeing. They have created a great deal of attention from the fact that they come from a country of which very little is known, and many peculiar habits may be studied at close range that otherwise would be beyond the reach of many.

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Real Estate Changes.

The Western Real Estate Exchange report the sale of the following properties off their list during the last two weeks:

No. 834—W. G. Mill's house and lot in the village of Florence, county of Lambton; sold.

No. 4334—William Rowe's 66 1-3-acre farm in the township of Enniskillen, county of Lambton; sold.

No. 1082—R. G. Crumb's house and lot in the city of St. Catharines; sold.

No. 3922—John Robertson's 147-acre farm in the township of Delaware, county of Middlesex; exchanged.

No. 2755—William J. Demary's 75-acre farm in the township of Adelaide, county of Middlesex; exchanged.

No. 432—Mrs. McEwen's house and lot on Waterloo street, city of London; sold.

No. 739—W. H. Jolly's carriage factory and blacksmith shop in the village of Smithville, county of Lincoln; sold.

No. 823—Fred Houston's house and lot in the city of Chatham, county of Kent; sold.

No. 755—Mrs. F. Haslett's house and lot in the city of Chatham; sold.

No. 3498—J. A. Robinson's 40 1-8-acre farm in the township of Moulton, county of Haldimand; sold.

No. 3400—J. R. Pirie's 194-acre farm in the township of Woolwich, county of Waterloo; sold.

No. 710—Henry Phillips' house and lot in the town of Sarnia; sold.

No. 4085—Gideon Hodgkin's 50-acre farm in the township of Wainfleet, county of Welland; sold.

No. 389—House and lot, No. 65 Bruce street, city of London, owned by Isaac Taylor; exchanged.

No. 2282—100 acres in the township of Sombra, county of Lambton, formerly owned by Homer Case; exchanged.

No. 2000—Richard Hopper's 50-acre farm in the township of Sombra, county of Lambton; exchanged.

No. 8439—E. Hayward's 13-acre farm in the township of Camden, Gore County; exchanged.

No. 4380—J. C. Dignan's 100-acre farm in the township of London; sold.

No. 2396—Thos. Hyslop's 100-acre farm in the township of Zone, county of Kent; exchanged.

No. 4274—Charles Taylor's 150-acre farm in the township of Metcalfe, county of Middlesex; exchanged.

No. 591—B. Handy's house and 3 1-2 acres in the town of Barrie, county of Simcoe; sold.

No. 3437—Peter Weaver's 83-acre farm in the township of Euphemia, county of Lambton; exchanged.

No. 402—J. A. Grantham's house and lot in the city of Bradford; sold.

No. 4681—W. E. Hooper's 50-acre farm, lot 18, concession 5, township of London; sold.

No. 4744—G. W. Manley's 84-acre farm, township of Stamford, county of Welland; sold.

No. 4036—James D. Bruce's 116-acre farm, township of Mars, county of Ontario; sold.

RUSSIAN GUNS TRAINED ON JEWS

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June said the Terrorists were to blame there also. It is difficult to obtain details of the trouble at Siedle, as the town was surrounded yesterday by soldiers and nobody was allowed to enter. Passengers, however, who arrived at Warsaw during the night gave the following account of the slaughter:

After the murder of a policeman by Terrorists on Saturday night and the firing of a volley by troops into the assembled crowd, which resulted in the killing of two citizens and the wounding of many more, the Terrorists held a meeting and decided to exact vengeance by inaugurating a general campaign against the police and the troops similar to the recent activity along the same lines in Warsaw.

Murder and Massacre.

In the course of Sunday morning, twelve patrolmen and soldiers were killed. As a result of this, the Liban regiment, in a state of infuriated anger, left its barracks in the afternoon and marched into the Jewish quarters, shooting right and left as it went. The troops were joined by crowds of hooligans, who co-operated in the plundering and wantonly destroyed everything they were unable or undetermined to carry away. The sale of booty by the soldiers went on under the very eyes of their officers.

At a late hour in the afternoon the Kaluga regiment arrived on a special train from Biala, and measures were

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instituted to put a stop to the programme. In spite of this, however, the shooting continued up to a late hour last night.

A correspondent of the Associated Press who was not able to get into Siedle yesterday, started for there a second time this morning. Siedle is a town of 30,000 people, half of whom are Jews.

THANKSGIVING DAY

Officially Proclaimed That It Be Observed on Thursday, Oct. 18.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 9.—The official proclamation fixing Thanksgiving Day for Thursday, Oct. 18, appears in the Canada Gazette. The proclamation in the quaint phraseology of official documents sets forth that it has pleased Almighty God in his great goodness to vouchsafe this year to Canada a bountiful harvest and other blessings, and invites one and all to observe the day set apart as a day of general thanksgiving.

WILL PLAY BARRACKS BOYS

Soldier Team from Toronto to Tackle
Wolsley Heights Athletes.

The cricket team of Wolsey Barracks returned home on Saturday evening after spending three days with the force at Stanley Barracks, Toronto. The team played two matches with the Toronto regulars, and won both of them.

A detachment of 20 men from Stanley Barracks will come to London on Wednesday and spend three days as the guests of the Londoners. The detachment will include the cricket, football and baseball teams of Stanley Barracks, who will play matches with the Wolsey boys. The latter expect to take the measure of their opponents in every match.

FALL ASSIZES NEXT WEEK.

The Middlesex fall assizes will open on Tuesday afternoon of next week before Mr. Justice Mabey. The calendar of criminal cases is not expected to be heavy. The non-jury court opens on Tuesday, Sept. 19, before Mr. Justice Clute.

Mrs. W. T. Williams, St. James street, and daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Alfred Peel, with her little son, have returned from several months' sojourn in England.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

Reported by C. N. Spencer, Stockbroker,
Market Lane, for The Advertiser.

Chicago, Sept. 10.

Wheat—Open 89 1/2, High 90, Low 89 1/2, Close 89 3/4.
September 89 1/2, October 89 1/4, November 89 1/4, December 89 1/4.
Corn—Open 46 1/2, High 47, Low 46 1/2, Close 46 3/4.
September 46 1/2, October 46 1/4, November 46 1/4, December 46 1/4.

St. Louis—Open 13 1/2, High 13 3/4, Low 13 1/2, Close 13 3/4.
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ELECTION BY DUEL

Paris Hooligans Have Novel Way of Choosing a Chief.

Paris, Sept. 8. — The notorious gang of hooligans known as the "Fine Blades" recently lost its chief owing to its imprisonment, and there has been a desperate feud between his two lieutenants, who claimed to succeed him. Alain and Ploet, the lieutenants, vie with each other in the commission of outrages in order to prove their worthiness for the coveted position. But the gang hesitated to decide on their respective merits.

Eventually it was decided that the exalted position should go to the victor in a duel, which was fought after midnight yesterday on the Boulevard de la Villette. There were to be no seconds, and the only condition was that one of the combatants was to be left on the ground.

The result was known this morning. When Alain was found lying unconscious on the boulevard with a deep wound in his chest. He is now in a critical state at the hospital, and the police are searching for his successful rival.

THE MANAGER'S MESSAGE.

The manager of the Semi-ready Wardrobe says that the success of the Semi-ready does not need his heralding, for its universal adoption is proven by the many imitations and counterfeits which are offered to the public. Every real Semi-ready garment has the trademark and price sewn on the inside pocket. There is no excuse for the man who allows himself to be deceived.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Tomorrow evening Mr. Jordan will give his first organ recital for this season.

—Miss Jennie McCallum, of Glencoe, has accepted a position in J. H. Chapman & Co.'s drygoods store here this week.

A very quiet wedding was celebrated at Detroit on Friday, when Miss Annie Ewald, second daughter of Mr. August Ewald, of Fredrick, was married to Mr. W. W. Telfer, of Granton. The ceremony was performed by John W. B. Teagan.

CHAPTER HOUSE

IN NEW HANDS

Rendezvous of the Thistle Club

Dedicated as a Unitarian Place of Worship.

The old Chapter House, on the corner of Richmond and Piccadilly streets, which has for some time past been used as a club house by the Thistle Club, was yesterday morning opened as a house of worship by the Unitarian congregation of this city. Rev. V. J. Gilpin, the pastor, preached the dedicatory sermon.

The service was opened by an organ voluntary, and special vocal music. Readings from Christ's "Sermon on the Mount," Emerson's essay on "Nature," and Whitman's "Poem of Myself," were given by the pastor.

Then came the pastor's sermon on "The Supremacy of Man." He began by saying: "The world has discovered its chief animal, and names its most age, and most mentally alert age. We have heard of the saurian age in pre-glacial times, when the huge monsters of degradation, armor-proofed with large scales, dominated the landscape. We have the age of the knight and the soldier — really the age of the sword. We have the ages of the inventor, with his printing press and steam engine; of the man with the flag, or the gun, or with a rule; but the age of the plain man, human man, without anything, save his humanity, his body, his breath, his desires, his hopes, has been deferred until this hour."

The preacher went on to show that at one time a man was not estimated on account of himself, but on account of something added to him to make people notice him. "A man was nothing, but a man with a crucifix riveted the attention of the world," said the speaker. He went on to demonstrate how at one time the man with the medal, with a pedigree, or dressed in broadcloth, with the man with the fine carriage, with property or wealth, with an insurance policy, or he who had discovered an island, sunk a ship or invented an explosive, was lauded to the skies, and held the attention of all the world riveted upon himself; but

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now the world is beginning to estimate man by what he really is. "The world," he said, "looked everywhere for us, but into our own souls. It looked into our bank books. It asked our name, where we were born, and what we did. Religion taught us this indirectness. It declared in the name of God that there was nothing in us, and never could be. We never expected to be anything. We knew we couldn't be, and did not try. We performed the mockery of stretching out cowardly arms to the mystic Christ, that he might give us merit. The very fountain of our thoughts and emotions about man was poisoned, and by the priestess of our own souls," said Mr. Gilpin.

The Unitarian congregation was organized in this city in 1871. Rev. V. J. Gilpin, their present pastor, came here and gathered about him a number of people who were interested in his doctrine of liberal Christianity. Services were held in the Foresters' Hall, Richmond street, for about six months. In the fall of 1905 they moved to Channing Hall, on Dundas street, where they established their quarters, held services, and had club rooms. This place they occupied for about a year, when interest in the movement grew, and more extensive rooms were needed; then the Chapter House was offered for sale, and they purchased it. As for the Chapter House, it does not need describing to Londoners. It is one of the old landmarks, with an interesting history. It was built by Bishop Heilmuth many years ago, at a cost of \$35,000, and has since then changed hands several times. It has come very near to being torn down, but it still stands, and again does duty as a house of worship. The interior of the church has been many times repaired and decorated, and makes a fine hall; but the outside is the same today as when first built.

**WOODMEN HONOR
LATE SOVEREIGN**

**Unveil Monument Over Grave
of Late Daniel Sweeney
in Mt. Pleasant.**

A large number of the members of the Order of the Woodmen of the World Sunday afternoon marched to the Mount Pleasant Cemetery and unveiled the monument which marks the grave of the late Sovereign Daniel Sweeney.

The parade was led by the Pipers' Band, and included two degree teams, Pine Grove, No. 6, commanded by Major Brown, and Forest City, No. 10, commanded by Captain Roughley, as well as many other members of the order.

The dedicatory speech was made by Organizer McConnell, who came from Windsor to attend the ceremony. Master of Ceremonies Hardingham conducted the services. The above gentlemen were assisted by the following: C. C. T. H. Dusenberry; A. L. Harrison, Captain F. Bryan, Banker Winslade and Clerk Taylor.

The late Mr. Sweeney, who died last May, was one of the oldest members of the order, and his death was deeply lamented by his brother Woodmen. Yesterday's large attendance at the unveiling of the monument evidenced the hold in life. About 150 members took part in the parade.

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**RAN A RACE AND
THEN DROPPED DEAD**

**John Bradley, London Street
Railway Motorman, Died Suddenly in Detroit.**

John Bradley, aged 30, a motorman on the London Street Railway, died suddenly in Detroit, Sunday. The body is being brought to this city for burial.

Bradley, with William Loughrey and Albert Westman, arrived in Detroit on Thursday last, intending to spend a vacation, and they put up at the Pacific Hotel.

Early Sunday morning the three men took a trolley to Belle Isle, and Bradley and Loughrey went in bathing. Westman refused to go in.

The swimmers spent an hour in the water, and then Bradley suggested that they run a race to their dressing rooms. The dare was accepted, and the men sprinted to their quarters. There Bradley suddenly collapsed, and fell to the floor.

Loughrey ran to his assistance, but Bradley exclaimed: "It's nothing. I'm all right."

He had scarcely said the words when he became unconscious and died a few minutes afterward.

Several physicians near at hand were called, but they could do nothing for the man.

Coroner Parker ordered an inquest by the county physicians, though it is the opinion of the doctors who were called that Bradley died of heart disease.

He had been employed by the London Street Railway for a number of years, and was well thought of.

**EMPRESS AVENUE
CHURCH REOPENED**

**Enlarged, Improved, and Filled
to Overflowing—Rev. R.
Hobbs, the Preacher.**

After undergoing repairs during the last three months, the Empress Avenue Methodist Church was reopened yesterday, the services being conducted by Rev. Richard Hobbs, of Toronto, who preached at both morning and evening services. The church was filled to overflowing, notwithstanding the uncomfortable weather.

Taking his text from Psalm cxxxiv, "Magnifying God and Exalting His Name," the speaker pointed out that the advantages of modern civilization, God is not as well known as he should be, and that this is demonstrated by the fact that we hear so many people express their thoughts in such a way that they give us to understand that they think God to be a small god, one who is very exacting and a hard master. It is in fact, to hear some people talk, God is even smaller than the gods which cause such laughter when the missionaries bring them home in large numbers in their pockets.

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