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Births, Marriages, Deaths.

DIED.

BROWNSON—At Mount Brydges, on July 14, 1901, Samuel C. Brownson, aged 71 years.

BEDDOME—At London, Ont., July 16, 1901, Isabella Fennelly, widow of the late Fosket Brandon Beddome.

Funeral on Friday, 19th inst., at 9:30 o'clock, from Bank of Montreal house; service at 9 o'clock.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

Advertisements under this heading 10c per line, or 2c per word each insertion.

BOAT TO MONTREAL, VIA TORONTO, Cleveland, Toledo; Windsor, via, Toronto or Port Stanley. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser. zxv

ONLY A LIMITED NUMBER CARRIED via the excursion steamship Sicilian, sailing Wednesday, July 24, Montreal to Glasgow direct. First cabin, $35 upwards. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser, agent Allan Line.

VOICE CULTURE—EVA N. ROBLYN, Pupils prepared for intermediate and final examinations at Toronto Conservatory of Music, also for church and concert solo work. 'Phone 1,270. Studio, 528 Dundas street. Concert engagements accepted xt

SULPHUR SPRING BATHS—OPEN 7 a.m to 9 p.m. Plunge bath now open Single bath, 25c; five tickets, $1. Cole & Edmonds. zxvt

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

DOMESTICS WANTED.

1c per word first insertion and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

COOK WANTED—NO WASHING OR ironing; $16 per month. Apply 111 Elmwood avenue, South London. 25tf

DINING ROOM GIRL WANTED AT once; good wages. Apply at Grigg House. 25c

WANTED — KITCHEN GIRL AND cook. Apply at Queen's Hotel, Carling street. 25c

WANTED—A GOOD DINING ROOM girl. Apply at once, Ontario House, H. Raison. 25c

COOK, DINING ROOM GIRL AND upstairs girl wanted at once at Grand Central Hotel. 25c

WANTED—A GOOD DINING ROOM girl. Apply immediately at Ontario House. H. Raison. 23c

DINING ROOM GIRL WANTED—Fraser House. 23c

SIX DINING ROOM GIRLS WANTED—To go to Stag Island; $15 a month; Apply Dwyer's agency, 591 Richmond street. 23tf

WANTED — EXPERIENCED HOUSEMAID; references required. Apply to Miss Meredith, 565 Talbot street. 23tf

WANTED—TODAY—50 GIRLS FOR OTTAWA, Ingersoll and other points; $2 to $6 per week. Lockhart's 362 Dundas street.

MALE HELP WANTED.

1c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

GROCERY CLERK WANTED—APPLY to Shoebottom & Co., South London. b

BOY WANTED—APPLY ANDERSON'S Book Store. b

BOY WANTED TO DRIVE DELIVERY wagon. Apply H. T. Reason & Co., 80 Dundas street. 24c

STRONG BOYS WANTED—BECK'S box factory. 24c

WANTED—SMART BOY FOR DELIVERY wagon. Apply at Westman's Hardware. 23c

WORKING FOREMAN FOR TOWNSHIP drain. None but capable man wanted. Good pay. J. F. Sangster, 403 Richmond street. 23c

STOUT BOY WANTED — LONDON Soap Company. 22tf

STRONG BOYS WANTED—D. S. PERRIN & Co. 20tf

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

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BOYS AND GIRLS WANTED—APPLY McCormick Manufacturing Company. 20tf

LIVERY STABLES.

LILLEY'S LIVERY—NO. 619 DUNDAS street, East London, Ont. Telephone 856.

DOMINION

Savings and Investment Society.

HIGHEST RATES

Paid on Deposits and Debentures.

OFFICES — Masonic Temple Building, corner King and Richmond Streets.

NATHANIEL MILLS, Manager

WE NOW HAVE AGAIN . . .

All Sizes

in those Fine Kid Man-fashion Oxford Ties, GENUINE WELT SOLES, at

$2.50.

Just the thing for vacation shoes

J. P. COOK,

167 Dundas Street.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

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SHOP GIRL WANTED—GOOD WAGES. Boomer's Confectionery, 181 Dundas street. 25c

MUSICAL INSTRUCTION.

MR. W. H. HEWLETT, ORGANIST OF Dundas Center Methodist Church, will resume teaching at his residence, 418 Queen's avenue, on Monday, Aug. 5. Address all communications in meantime to 526 Ontario street, Toronto.

ARTICLES FOR SALE.

1c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

FOR SALE—SET OF BOY'S SPALDING boxing gloves (new), $1. Apply Box H., this office. 23c

HORSE, TOP BUGGY, HARNESS—FOR sale; suitable for family; will go cheap if bought at once. Apply Box 63. 24c

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—FIRST-CLASS combination tandem; must be disposed of immediately. Address Box X., Advertiser office. 24u

BARGAINS — WE HAVE SEVERAL second-hand organs and pianos now on hand that we must sell to make room for new stock. These instruments have all been overhauled, and we will guarantee as good as new, and payable $2 and $3 per month. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas street, corner Clarence.

LARGE WALNUT BAR FOR SALE—Cheap. Call at Albion Hotel, 157 Dundas street. 13tf

DO YOU WANT A SNAP—THEN write to Box W., Advertiser office, asking particulars about a Williams piano, entirely new. It will be sold for half price. Guarantee will be given. 16bu

SUMMER WOOD—DRY SLABS, $1 25 per load at W. Buchanan's, 633 Colborne. 'Phone 1,096.

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

HEADQUARTERS FOR ALL KINDS fresh and smoked fish. Our goods are the best; fresh daily. F. S. Onn, Fish Market. 'Phone 1,296. zxw

LADIES' WHEELS, $1; GENTLEMEN'S, $1 25 a week, to rent or buy. Good second-hand wheels, $10. J. H. Cunningham, 639 Dundas.

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

D. H. GILLIES & CO., LEADING WOOD dealers of the city, are selling good large load summer wood for $1 25. 'Phone 1,312.

CHEAP WOOD AND COAL—THE SUBSCRIBERS will sell half cord good dry soft wood, blocks, for $2 cash; first-class maple and beech wood, and all kinds of hard and soft coal at the lowest cash price. Yard, William street and G. T. Railway. Green & Co. 'Phone 1,391.

ORGANS AND PIANOS FROM $5 TO $50; sewing machines from $2 50 to $20; bedroom sets and all kinds furniture and stoves taken in exchange for new. Remember the place, A. T. Parish, 357 Talbot street, south market square.

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

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

LOST AND FOUND.

1c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

LOST—ON MONDAY, SCARF PIN WITH opal, and cross pin set with pearl. Finder rewarded by returning to this office. 25c

WILL THE PERSON WHO TOOK satchel containing cornet from Port Stanley boathouse kindly return same to this office? 23c

WANTED.

1c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED—SECOND-HAND LEAVER hay press, in good condition. Apply box 64, this office. 24n

WANTED TO PURCHASE — FIFTY shares of London Loan Company stock at 15 per cent. Inquire here. 4tf

WANTED—ENGINE LATHE, 10-FOOT bed, to swing 18 or 22 inches. D. McKenzie & Co., 298 Richmond street.

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

BOARDING, ROOMS, ETC.

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DOUBLE OR SINGLE ROOMS, WITH first-class board. 411 Dundas street. 25k

HOUSES, ETC., TO LET.

1c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

TO LET—UNION FURNITURE VAN—Furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Cathcart and Bruce, South London, late of London Furniture Company. 'Phone 319.

GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHES

are nothing if not well made. What looks worse on a man than ill-fitting and cheap-looking clothes?

Are good clothes not well worth the extra trifle they cost from a "fitting" standpoint—to say nothing of the much greater wearing qualities?

DEEKS & MUNSON,

Tailors and Drapers.

393 Richmond St.

BUSINESS CARDS.

WM. HODGSON, HOUSE PAINTER, paperhanger, decorator, contractor, etc., 410 Horton street. Orders promptly attended to. First-class work done. Patronage kindly solicited. Estimates free.

WATSON & CO., HOUSE MOVERS—Steam boilers and safes a specialty. 197 Hamilton road. 'Phone 1,231.

REAL ESTATE.

$10 WILL BUY A BUILDING LOT ON West or Garfield avenues, South London; balance in weekly payments without interest. I have ten lots which must be sold; good location; three blocks from street car. Funds furnished to purchasers wishing to build. Apply to W. J. Taylor, Room 3 Masonic Temple. 22bu tx

FOR SALE OR RENT—FIRST-CLASS residence; also building lots in different localities. Terms to suit purchasers. Apply immediately if you want a bargain. Meredith, Judd & Dromgole. 21i

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

FOR SALE—FINE LOT ON PRINCESS avenue, 66x120; only $20 per foot. Choice lot on King street, near Colborne street. Old cottage on Kent street for price of the lot. J. F. Sangster, 403 Richmond street.

MISCELLANEOUS.

1c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

INFORMATION REQUIRED OF ROBT. ELLIOTT, who left Nottingham, England, in 1872. Last heard of, London, Canada, 1876. Son William inquires. Apply Advertiser for information. 21i bw

F. B. LEYS—OFFICES AT MASONIC Temple, first floor, and London Hat, Cap and Mantle Manufacturing Company, 355, 357 Clarence.

VETERINARY SURGEONS.

JOHN H. WILSON, VETERINARY Surgeon. Office and residence, 846 Richmond street. Telephone 430.

PRIVATE FUNDS FOR INVESTMENT on real estate security. Magee, McKillop & Murphy solicitors, London.

J. H. TENNANT, VETERINARY SURGEON—Office, 137 King street. Residence and infirmary, corner King and Wellington. Treatment of dogs a specialty. 'Phones 278 and 683.

SEALED TENDERS ADDRESSED TO the undersigned, and indorsed "Tender for Burlington Channel Works, Ont.," will be received at this office until Friday, 9th August next, inclusively, for the renewal of the superstructure of west end of south pier and sheet piling channel side of piers, at Burlington Channel, Wentworth County, Ont., according to a plan and a specification to be seen at the office of H. A. Gray, Esq., Resident Engineer, Confederation Life Building, Toronto, Ont.; on application to the Postmaster, at Hamilton, at the Resident Engineer's Office, Room 411, Merchants' Bank Building, St. James street, Montreal, and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted check on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works for ten thousand dollars ($10,000 00), must accompany each tender. The check will be forfeited if the party decline the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
FRED. GELINAS, Secretary.
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, 13th July, 1901.

Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid for it. 25c-xvz

The Western Real Estate Exchange.

78½ Dundas St., London. 'Phone 696.

FOR SALE.

A splendid 100-acre farm in the township of London, 7 miles from London, half mile from Ettrick station, 3 miles from Ilderton; brick house; splendid outbuildings.

For further particulars see or send for posters advertising this farm for sale on the premises on Aug. 6, 1901, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, or apply to William Needham, the owner, Ilderton P. O.

FOR SALE.

50 acres, being the east half of lot 5, concession 4, in the township of Hay, in the county of Huron; 3 miles from Exeter; frame house, 2 frame barns; also west half of said lot. For further particulars see or send for posters advertising this farm for sale on Wednesday, August 7, 1901, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

IF YOU WANT TO BUY A FARM send for our list of over 250 farms for sale or exchange in Western Ontario. If you want to sell or exchange your farm it will pay you to place it in our hands, as we are doing the largest business in the sale and exchange of farm property in Western Ontario.

We have now 350 names on our list of "prospective purchasers," and we expect to secure farms for most of these intending purchasers before winter.

WE WANT between 20 and 25 farms ranging from 20 to 50 acres, within four miles of the city of London. Those having farms of this description will do well to communicate with us, as there will be a ready sale at a fair price for such farms. We also want from eight to ten 100-acre farms within ten or twelve miles of the city of London.

JAMES BURROWS Manager.
24k bw

KING GOING TO GERMANY.

Cologne, July 17. — The Gazette announces that it learns from official sources that King Edward VII. of England will attend the military parade of Emperor William on Aug. 14. Nothing official has as yet been ascertained in regard to the attendance of the czar at the same function.

'TWAS BUT AN IDLE STORY!

Secretary of War Denies "Daily News" Yarn About Withdrawal of Infantry.

London, July 17.—Replying to a question in the House of Commons yesterday afternoon, Secretary of War Brodrick said the statement printed by the Daily News to the effect that Lord Kitchener had advised the government that it was now possible to withdraw the greater part of the infantry in South Africa, and that the government was considering the question of replacing the infantry with mounted men, who would act as a police force along the railway lines, was wholly unauthorized and was also inaccurate.

BROUGHT IN MANY PRISONERS.

Cape Town, July 17.—The British column which started from Kimberley some time ago has returned to that place after successful operations in the neighboring districts. The column brought in 50 prisoners, a large number of refugees and considerable cattle. The Boer invaders are still roaming all over the upper part of these districts in the neighborhood of Richmond.

ENGINEER'S PLUCKY DEED

Refused to Forsake His Machine and With Broken Hip Finished Run.

Rochester, N. Y., July 17.—An exhibition of courage seldom equaled has just been made known. Joseph Parry, one of the oldest engineers of the New York Central Railroad, while making his run on the old road from Auburn to this city, fractured his right hipbone while alighting from his train at Seneca Falls for orders. It was impossible to get another engineer to complete the trip on time, and Mr. Parry was helped back into his cab and made the run to this city, arriving only 15 minutes late. During the run the jarring of the engine was continually grinding the broken ends of the bone against each other, and it seems wonderful that the engineer was able to undergo the great pain and retain consciousness.

SITUATION MAY BECOME DANGEROUS

If the Companies Attempt to Start Mills.

Manager of American Steel Company Makes Threat.

Says the Wellsville Mill Will Be Operated by Non-Union Men as It Was Before.

Pittsburg, July 17.—The threat of District Manager Persifer F. Smith, of the American Sheet Steel Company, to start the Wellsville rolling mill and operate it as it had been in the past by non-union men, was the only new feature in the steel strike situation this morning, and the eyes of all interested were turned to that plant. Up to 10 o'clock, however, nothing had been heard from Wellsville by those in authority at the headquarters of the Amalgamated Association in this city. A dispatch to the Associated Press from Wellsville, Ohio, at 10:30 o'clock, says:

SERIOUS TROUBLE FEARED.

"The strike situation here remains as it has been ever since the men were called out of the mill. P. F. Smith, manager of the American Sheet Steel Company for the Pittsburg district, in an address to the mill men, declared the mill would be run as a non-union mill. He gave orders for the mill to start this morning. In response to Smith's orders about 30 went out to work, two of them members of the Amalgamated Association. The manager of the mill concluded that 30 men was not sufficient to man the screws, and the attempt, for the present, has been abandoned. It is said that non-union men from other places will be brought here today, in which case serious trouble is feared."

Now that Mr. Smith has declared himself it is thought that the managers of the other non-union plants will make an effort to resume within a few days, and developments of an exciting nature can be expected. It is known that a gang of men are at work at the Deweeswood plant of the American Sheet Steel Company at McKeesport, clearing up and making repairs, and a well defined rumor was prevalent on the south side of this city today that an effort was to be made by the mill officers in the Painter plant to break the strike by bringing workers here from out of the city. In confirmation of this, for the first time since the strike began,

WATCHMEN ARMED WITH CLUBS.

patrolled all sides of the mill this morning. None of the strikers were to be seen about the property, and everything was quiet. The mill officers declined to discuss this morning, and said when they were ready to move they would do so without any noise. For the present nothing was being done except cleaning up the mills and making repairs that had been neglected owing to the rush of business. The Wood plant is closely guarded also, and the strikers look for the manufacturers to attempt resumption next week. President Shaffer is still hopeful of an early settlement of the strike. The information he received from the strike centers today was quite meagre. This he interpreter to mean that the strike was going on well.

The Firemen's Strike.

Pittston, Pa., July 17.—The mines in this section which are idle owing to the stationary firemen's strike, are said to be filling with water despite the efforts of officials who are themselves in the engine rooms endeavoring to keep the pumps working. The operators are discharging the stationary engineers who refuse to take the strikers' places. The firemen have posted pickets about the mines to prevent a threatened importation of non-union men from Philadelphia. The local operators today issued the following statement:

"We gave our answer to the men in regard to their demands some time ago, which was that we could not grant the demands they made, nor will we retract from that stand now. All the big companies are agreed to this, and all have decided to quietly await developments. The firemen received an increase of 10 per cent last October along with the other men, and their demands at this time cannot and will not be granted."

FROM THE CAPITAL

Vacant Federal Seats—The Quebec Census—Mounted Police for Buffalo.

Ottawa, July 17.—Several federal constituencies are at present vacant — three in Ontario, the same number in Quebec, and one in New Brunswick. The Ontario seats are West Durham, West Hastings and Addington. The Quebec seats are Beauce, L'Islet and the St. James' division of Montreal. The New Brunswick constituency without a representative is York. Writs for a new election in these districts will probably be issued in the fall. There is no pressing need for their being filled at an earlier date.

THE QUEBEC CENSUS.

The report that a special officer has been appointed to correct the errors and omissions of census enumerators in Quebec is not correct. One of the places cited as having been omitted is the Hospice St. Joseph, having 800 inmates, but Commissioner Blouin some time ago arranged with the census bureau to have the inmates of this institution counted by the commissioner to take the industrial statistics. It is the appointment of an industrial enumerator which probably has given rise to the Quebec report. A prominent Quebecer recently made the statement that several hundreds of persons had not been counted in the district where he resided, but careful investigation throughout the district proved the statement to be incorrect.

MOUNTED RIFLES FOR BUFFALO.

Twenty of the Northwest Mounted Police, with a like number of saddle horses, will be sent to Buffalo in October next, to appear in connection with the display made by the Territorial Government. They will probably be selected from the Regina detachment.

CHIEF OF POLICE SUSPENDED.

Chief of Police Powell was today suspended from duty by the commissioners, pending the investigation of the charges preferred against him by ex-Detective Flanigan.

JUDGE REFUSED TO INTERFERE

In Counter Petition Re King Street Pavement.

Saw No Reason Why Dissatisfied Ratepayers Should Withdraw Their Names.

The counter-petition of a number of King street residents who wished to have their names removed from a petition for a tar macadam pavement was presented to Judge William Elliot this morning. Those present were City Clerk Kingston, City Solicitor Meredith, City Engineer Graydon, and a number of interested ratepayers. After reading the petition and hearing the views expressed by parties for and against the counter-petition, Judge Elliot said he did not think it a case in which there was any call for him to interfere. There were no good reasons adduced, he said, why any names should be withdrawn from the petition, as it was not shown that they had been induced to sign by misrepresentation. The dissatisfied ratepayers would have to go to the city council for any relief they desired. The petition for a tar macadam pavement therefore retains its original number of signatures.

MUNICIPAL COAL ASSOCIATIONS

A Suggestion That Comes to the Mayor From Ottawa.

Would Be Operated So As To Give Consumer His Coal at Nominal Advance on Cost Price.

Mayor Rumball is out of the city today, and Ald. Gerry is acting in his place. His worship has been invited by the mayor of Ottawa to consider what measures should be taken to protect citizens from combines which exist, by increasing the cost of the necessaries of life. He would have the scope of the deliberations at the proposed Toronto convention of municipal representatives extended so as to include this subject. His letter is as follows:

"Office of the Mayor, Ottawa, July 16, 1901:

"His Worship the Mayor—Dear Sir, —I understand that there is every likelihood of a meeting being held in Toronto during exhibition time, of representatives of municipalities of Ontario, for the purpose of considering what measures should be adopted to protect municipalities from the encroachments of corporations and others. Would it not be well to extend the scope of deliberations so as to include the protection of our citizens from combines which exist by enhancing to the public the cost of the necessaries of life? I refer more especially to coal combines. Here in Ottawa we suffer severely from such a combination among the dealers, and doubtless it is the same throughout the province generally.

I would suggest that it might be advisable at the forthcoming meeting to consider the feasibility of establishing municipal coal associations, which would be so operated as to give the consumer his coal at a merely nominal advance on first cost. To do this it would no doubt be necessary to secure legislation, and I take the liberty of throwing out the suggestion now, so that the municipal representatives may have time to think the matter over and see if anything can be done in this direction when the proposed meeting is held."

DECISION OF THE DIVISIONAL COURT

In Matter of the Estate of the Late Thomas Henning.

Toronto, Ont., July 17.—The Divisional Court this morning gave judgment as to the disposal of the estate of Thos. Henning, a brother-in-law of the late George Brown. Mr. and Mrs. Henning lived in Italy, and, by a will, he provided that if the two should die together one third of the estate of $20,000 should go to Mr. Henning's relations and two thirds to his wife's relations. Mrs. Henning died in 1888, seventeen days before her husband, and the executors decided that this meant dying together under the terms of the estate as directed. They were sustained in this by Judge Falconbridge, but the Divisional Court now decides that the property must go to the Hennings, as Mr. Henning survived his wife and died intestate.

RAIN INTERFERED WITH THE CRICKET.

Forest Did Not Go To Bat in Game With Aylmer.

The match between Aylmer and Forest yesterday at the Military School cricket tournament was interrupted by the heavy rain. Aylmer had 194 for 4 wickets and Forest did not go to bat.

Today the Forest and the Wolseley Barracks clubs played. In the first inning Forest's runs totaled 72 and the Barracks men had 60 for 4 wickets down.

Last evening the men varied the programme by playing baseball, teams being chosen from the right and left halves of No. 1 Company, R. C. R. I. The score stood 10 to 4 in favor of the left half. Pte Carnes was umpire and Quartermaster-Sergeant Dunlevy was scorer.

Free For 3 Days.

If baby would like to try "Mellin's Food," ask mother to call and get a bottle from us free of charge. This famous and delicious food is exactly what little ones need this hot weather to nourish them and make them strong and well. Babies thrive on "Mellin's Food."

We are also headquarters for Milk-Maid Condensed Milk, Nestle's Food, Malted Milk, Allenbury's Foods and all the others that are good for children.

CAIRNCROSS & LAWRENCE.
Chemists and Druggists,
216 Dundas Street.

WORD FROM THE WEST REGARDING THE LEASE.

Correspondence Between the Walkers and L. and P. S. Company Reopened.

This morning Secretary Kingston, of the London and Port Stanley Railway board, got his first hint, apart from General Manager Woollatt's communication to The Advertiser, that the negotiations for the extension of the lease to the L. E. and D. R. R Company will be resumed immediately. It came in the formal acknowledgment of Mr. Kingston's last letters. He understood that arrangements will soon be made for another meeting of the two parties interested.

SMITH ARRESTED AND PUT IN JAIL

Charged With Taking Part in the Belmont Outrage.

As a sequel to the occurrences in Belmont on Saturday and Sunday, when Squire Nugent's house was ransacked and set on fire, while the Squire was ridiculed in effigy, Daniel Smith, of Belmont, was yesterday arrested and taken to St. Thomas jail, charged with participation in the affair. Smith was a principal in one of the two cases tried by Squire Nugent last week, he having been charged with being drunk and disorderly and using vile language. Smith bears a bad character, and has served a term in Kingston for theft.

MANUFACTURERS TOUCHED BY STRIKE.

London Firms That Use Steel Are Interested in the Outcome.

The big steel strike in the United States will have no immediate effect in London. The three largest users of steel here are the McClary Manufacturing Company, the London Machine Tool Company, and E. Leonard & Sons, and each concern has on hand a sufficient quantity of steel to continue work for some time, though, should the strike continue for any lengthy period, the local users would doubtless be affected.

The McClary Company have been buying their steel in England lately, and now have on the way a shipment of 200 tons, which will keep them going for some time. The reason they have been buying in England is that owing to the demand in the United States, orders there had to be placed three or four months ahead to insure delivery.

The other two firms concerned buy their steel in the United States, but both have a fair stock on hand. The price of steel has already been slightly advanced, and further increases in cost are expected.

SHOT THE DRIVERS

Brutality of the Boers Again Made Manifest in Cape Colony.

Cape Town, July 17.—The Boer Commandant Lategan intercepted several wagons attached to Col. Wyndham's column which were returning from Richmond, Cape Colony. After threatening to burn the wagons, the Boers shot the native drivers and then allowed the others to proceed unmolested.

The hope is expressed that the committee of women which Lord Raglan announced in the House of Lords yesterday was being appointed to visit the refugee camps in South Africa will include ladies who are acquainted with the normal conditions of farm life, as otherwise erroneous impressions may possibly be formed.

Artistic Engraving.

We make a specialty of engraving initials, inscriptions, crests, wax seals, pierced monograms and letters for ebony brushes, mirrors, etc., leather bags and purses. Our careful work and original designs bring us many words of praise. We feel that a trial will convince you of the excellence of our work in this line.

JOHN S. BARNARD,

170 Dundas Street, London.

DR. McLAUGHLIN'S ELECTRIC BELT

Cures Pain & Nervous Diseases



No Pay Unless Cured

That is my proposition to all men and women who suffer from Nervous Debility, Exhaustion, Weak Back, Rheumatism, Sciatica, Pains in any part of the body, Weak Stomach, Constipation, Torpid Liver and all ailments peculiar to either sex. The Dr. McLaughlin Electric Belt will cure quickly and forever all troubles of this character, and I guarantee a cure in every case I accept, and ask no pay until you are cured if you will secure me.

It is a Never-Failing Cure.

If you are tired of useless drugging, and have spent all your time and money without benefits, come to me to-day. I ask no pay until you are cured, and if I fail it costs you nothing. I have made over 50,000 people strong and vigorous, and they never tire of singing the praises of my wonder-working remedy. Neither will you if you try it, so don't delay. Come and see me at once, or write for my beautiful book, which describes my treatment and gives prices and full information.

CAUTION.—Beware of old style, burning electrode belts which are using an imitation of my cushion electrodes. My office contains hundreds of these old belts discarded as useless and dangerous by persons whose bodies have been seared and scarred by the bare metal electrodes. I will make special terms to anyone having one of these old back-burners. Call or address—

DR. M. G. McLAUGHLIN, 130 Yonge Street, Toronto.

OFFICE HOURS—9 a.m to 6 p.m. Wednesday and Saturday, 9 a.m. to 8:30 p m.

GREAT BRITAIN FACING CRISIS

Gloomy Prediction of Lord Rosebery as to Future.

Weak Government Faced by Still Weaker Opposition When Vigilance Is Needed.

London, July 17.—Lord Rosebery has issued a manifesto on the divisions in the Liberal party. It is contained in a letter to the City Liberal Club, which had invited him to deliver an address. He disclaims any desire to re-enter politics, but speaks out "under the remarkable charter" agreed upon by Liberal members of the House of Commons of "hearty and undisputed allegiance to the leader, and complete liberty of action to dissent with regard to the one vital question before the country."

"The Liberal party can become a power," he continues, "only when it shall have made up its mind on the imperial questions which are at this moment embodied in the war."

Lord Rosebery concludes with a gloomy touch: "It is a matter of sorrow and anxiety," he says, "to see a weak government faced by a weaker Opposition at a juncture of foreign hostility and international competition which needs all the vigilance, power and ability at our command." He believes that Great Britain is at a crisis which may have unlimited effects upon its future.

A GOVERNMENT DEFEAT.

London, July 17.—The government was defeated in the House of Lords yesterday afternoon, although quite unimportant in itself, the defeat was indicative of the growing discontent. The incident arose from the question whether a model of the new war office should be made and exhibited. Lord Lansdowne, the foreign secretary, refused to entertain this proposition, but on division the motion was carried by forty-one votes against twenty. The announcement of these figures was greeted with prolonged Opposition cheers.

THEY HAVE CHOSEN A STANDARD-BEARER

East Lambton Conservatives Again Nominate P. D. McCallum for Local House.

Watford, July 17.—East Lambton is the latest of the Western Ontario constituencies to place a candidate in the field for the provincial election.

The Conservatives of the riding met in convention in the Music Hall here yesterday afternoon and unanimously selected P. D. McCallum, of Bosanquet township, as their standard bearer. Several other prominent members of the party were placed in nomination, but all withdrew in favor of Mr. McCallum. Mr. McCallum was the former representative of the riding, and was also a candidate in the provincial campaign, when he was defeated by H. J. Pettypiece.

The president, Dr. Gibson, of Watford, was in the chair, and among those present were Mr. A. W. Wright, the provincial organizer, of Toronto.

When nominations were called for by the president, the following names were submitted: P. D. McCallum, Bosanquet; Dr. Gibson, Watford; John McCormick, reeve of Warwick; W. E. Fitzgerald, barrister, Watford; F. W. Wilson, barrister, Petrolia; W. H. Stewart, clerk of Warwick; W. E. McMahon, county councilor, Plympton, and J. E. Armstrong, of Petrolia.

The nominees were all present, with the exception of Mr. McCallum, who was unable to attend, and made short speeches declining the nomination. Mr. McCallum was admitted to be the strongest candidate that could be placed in the field.

The nomination was made unanimous, on motion of Messrs. W. H. Stewart and J. Neilson, and the convention adjourned. The nomination will be tendered Mr. McCallum, and an answer is expected in a few days.

MANY DEATHS BY LIGHTNING

Fatalities in Many Parts of the Dominion Yesterday.

Deaths and Fire at Hamilton, Tilbury Glencoe, Brougham and Winnipeg, Caused by Fluid.

Hamilton, Ont., July 17.—Mrs. Jake Hess, a squaw from the Indian reserves at Caledonia, was engaged picking berries on the farm of John Burns, a quarter of a mile from Stoney Creek village, yesterday afternoon, when she was struck by lightning and instantly killed. Deceased was a middle-aged woman, and was a daughter of Chief Isaac Hill.

HOES ATTRACTED LIGHTNING.

Brougham, Ont., July 17.—During a heavy thunderstorm yesterday afternoon, a young farm hand, named Lewis, was struck by lightning and instantly killed. Lewis, in company with a fellow laborer named Richardson, was working in a field. When the storm came they started for shelter, carrying their hoes over their shoulders, which attracted the lightning. Lewis was badly mangled, while Richardson, at his side, escaped with slight injury.

AT DELTA, MAN.

Winnipeg, Man., July 17.—Hugh Armstrong's store at Delta, Man., was struck by lightning during Sunday night and badly wrecked. The manager of the store, who was stopping in an adjoining store, had a narrow escape, the lightning wrecking the windows and several boards over his head.

BARNS DESTROYED.

Glencoe, Ont., July 17.—During the electrical storm which visited this place yesterday afternoon two barns belonging to John S. Walker, just west of the village, were totally destroyed by lightning, together with contents, consisting of all this season's hay, 500 bushels of old grain—mostly wheat—and some implements. Loss, $2,000; insured for $900.

HAVOC AT TILBURY.

Tilbury, Ont., July 16.—A severe rain storm, accompanied by lightning, passed over here today doing considerable damage to standing crops. The lightning struck the barns of Joseph Davidson, a farmer living about two miles from here, completely destroying them, together with contents, consisting of three horses, a quantity of hay, grain, implements, etc. Contents insured in Waterloo Mutual for $400; insurance on buildings unknown. Total loss about $1,500.

COLD, HEADACHE, CATARRH, RELIEVED IN 10 MINUTES.—Rev. W. H. Main, pastor of the Baptist Emmanuel Church, Buffalo, gives strong testimony for and is a firm believer in Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. He has tried many kinds of remedies without avail. "After using Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder I was benefited at once," are his words. It is a wonderful remedy. One application relieves headache and cold. For sale by C. McCallum & Co.—13

The greatest river is the Amazon. It is navigable for ocean steamers for 2,000 miles from its mouth. At parts of its course one bank cannot be seen from the other; the observer seems to be looking out upon a sea of fresh water.

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MURPHY LEADS THE CANADIANS

The London Man Has the Highest Score

In the First Stage of the King's Prize at Bisley—Will Step Into the Second Stage.

Bisley Camp, July 16.—The shooting in the first stages of the King's prize was completed today, and the second stage is announced for Friday. The range was 600 yards, and several shots were allowed at this distance. During the progress of this match the wind was very shifty and the heat excessive. It is quite likely that only scores of 92 will reach the second stage. The total scores of marksmen from Canada at the three ranges in the first stage, including 200 and 400 yards, shot yesterday, and the 600 yard: today, are as follows: Pte. R. Armstrong, 10th Royal Grenadiers, Toronto, 88; Sergt. O. W. Bodely, 5th L. C. A., Victoria, B. C., 90; Staff-Sergt. G. R. Crowe, 1st B. A., Guelph, 94; Lieut. J. M. Davison, Q. O. R., Toronto, 89; Captain A. Elliott, 12th York Rangers, Toronto, 84; Gunner A. Fleming, 5th R. C. A., Victoria, B. C., 91; Lieut. J. W. Gilchrist, 1st B. A., Guelph, 94; Pte. W. T. Graham, 77th Regiment, Dundas, 91; Sergt. G. Mortimer, 10th R. G., Toronto, 89; Pte. W. L. Mason, 43rd Regiment, Ottawa, 81; Pioneer R. Moodie, G.G.F. G., Ottawa, 89; Lieut. T. J. Murphy, 7th Fusiliers, London, 97; Pte. W. W. Masters, 1st P. W. R. Fusiliers, 88; Sergt.-Major McDougall, 5th R. C. A., British Columbia, 93; Lieut. John Ogg, 1st B. A., Guelph, 92; Color-Sergt. J. Richardson, 5th R. C. A., Victoria, B. C., 92; Pte. C. W. Spencer, 48th Regiment, Toronto, 94; Sergt. W. Swaine, 14th Regiment, Kingston, 89; Sergt. A. Wilson, 43rd Regiment, Ottawa, 96; Capt. W. A. Wetmore, 64th Sussex, N. B., 88. With 92 as the entrance score, Staff-Sergt. Crowe, Lieut. J. W. Gilchrist, Lieut. T. J. Murphy, Sergt-Major McDougall, Lieut. John Ogg, Color-Sergt. J. Richardson, Pte. C. W. Spencer and Sergt. A. Wilson will step into the second stage.

In the competition at 200 yards for the Association cup, Lieut. J. M. Davison, of Q. O. R., Toronto, finished with 34 to his credit, while Staff-Sergt. Crowe, of Guelph, tallied 33. The Guelph man also made 34 in the same match at 600 yards. Lieut. T. J. Murphy landed in 27th place and Capt. Wetmore in 29th.

In the competition for the Premier prize, each won a prize of £1. The range was 600 yards, with 7 shots.

Sergt. O. W. Bodely, of Victoria, is being complimented by his fellow Canadians on his excellent record on the Alexander Martin match, 800 yards range, with 10 shots. The shooting ended yesterday, and it was announced today that Sergt. Bodely had captured the second prize, £6, Lieut. J. W. Gilchrist won £1, having reached 21st place.

The Canadians did well in the Keystone Burgundy match, 1,000 yards range, with 10 shots. Lieut. J. W. Gilchrist was fourth, Staff-Sergt Crowe fifth, Sergt. Swaine seventh, and Capt. Wetmore twelfth. Each won a prize of £2. Pte. R. A. Armstrong, 14th; Sergt. Bodely, 15th; Sergt. Mortimer, 23rd; Pte. W. T. Graham, 24th; and Lieut. T. J. Murphy, 30th, won £1 each.

Sergt. A. Wilson figured prominently in the Duke of Cambridge match, coming sixth in the race and winning £3. The range was 900 yards, with 10 shots.

The Borden cup, donated by the Canadian minister of militia, has just arrived in camp. The prizes in the Barlow match will be presented on Thursday at the garden party.

WAS FOUND DEAD

Sudden Demise of Well-Known Kingston Clergyman in Toronto.

Toronto, July 17.—Shortly after noon yesterday a chambermaid at the Queen's Hotel, while going her rounds, found Rev. Father Brennan, of Kingston, dead in bed. Father Brennan came to the city Monday, and intended to return to Kingston yesterday. Dr. Garratt, who was called, said the cause of death was apoplexy, and that Rev. Father Brennan, who was an elderly man, had been dead for several hours. No one heard any sound from his room during the night.

ASSURANCE DOUBLY SURE.

Mistress—Mary, I was almost sure once last evening, while the policeman was in the kitchen, that I heard a sound very much like two people kissing.

Mary—Did you hear it only wanst, mum?

Mistress—Yes.

Mary—Then it wasn't us.—Leslie's Weekly.

SAYS MR. DOOLEY,

"If th' Christyan Scientists Had Some Science an' th' Doctors More Christyanity It Wudden't Make Anny Difference Which Ye Called In—If Ye Had a Good Nurse."

What's Christyan Science?" asked Mr. Hennessy.

"'Tis wan way iv gittin' th' money," said Mr. Dooley.

"But what's it like?" asked Mr. Hennessy.

"Well," said Mr. Dooley, "ye have something th' matther with ye. Ye have a leg cut off."

"Th' Lord save us," exclaimed Mr. Hennessy.

"That is, ye think ye have," Mr. Dooley went on. "Ye think ye have a leg cut off. Ye see it goin' an' says ye to ye'ersilf: 'More expinse. A wooden leg.' Ye think ye've lost it. But ye're wrong. Ye're well as iver ye was. Both legs is attached to ye, on'y ye don't know it. Ye call up a Christyan Scientist or ye'er wife does. Not manny men is Christyan Scientists, but near all women is, in wan way or another. Ye'er wife calls up a Christyan Scientist, an' says she:

"'Me husband thinks he's lost a leg,' she says.

"'Nonsense,' says th' Christyan Scientist, she says, f'r she's a woman, too. 'Nonsense,' says she. 'No wan iver lost a leg,' she says.

"'Well, 'tis sthrange,' says th' wife. 'He's mislaid it thin,' she says, 'f'r he hasn't got it,' she says.

"'He on'y thinks he's lost it,' says th' Christyan Scientist. 'Lave him think it on again,' she says. 'Lave him raymimber,' she says, 'they'se no such thing in th' wurruld,' she says, 'as pain an' injury,' she says. 'Lave him put his mind hard to it,' she says, 'an' 'twill be all r-right,' she says.

"So she thinks and th' wife thinks, an' ye think th' best ye know how, an' afther awhile a leg comes peepin' out with a complete set iv tootsies, an' be th' time th' las' thought is expinded ye have a set iv as well matched gambs as ye iver wore to a picnic. But ye mustn't stop thinkin' or ye'er wife or th' Christyan Scientist. If wan iv ye laves go th' rope, th' leg'll get discouraged an' quit growin'. Manny a man's sprouted a limb on'y to have it stop between th' ankle an' th' shin because the Christyan Scientist was called away to see what ailed th' baby."

"Sure, 'tis all foolishness," said Mr. Hennessy.

"Well, sir, who can tell?" said Mr. Dooley. "If it wasn't f'r medical progress I'd be sure th' Christyan Scientists was wrong. But th' doctor who attinded me whin I was young'd be thought as loonatical if he was alive today as th' mos' Christyan Scientist that iver rayjooced a swellin' over a long-distance tillyphone. He inthrajooced near th' whole parish into this life iv sin an' sorrow, he give us calomel, bled us like a polis captain, an' niver thought anny medicine was good if it didn't choke ye goin' down.

"I can see him now as he came up dhrivin' an old gray an' yellow horse in a buggy. He had whiskers that he cud tie in a knot round his waist, an' him an' th' priest was th' on'y two men in th' neighborhood that carried a goold watch. He used to say 'twas th' healthies parish in th' wurruld, barrin' hangin's an' transportations and thin come in Father Hickey's province. Ivrybody thought he was a gr-reat man, but they wudden't lave him threat a spavin in these days. He was catch-as-catch-can, an' he'd tackle anything fr'm pneumony iv th' lungs to premachure baldness.

"He'd niver heerd iv mickrobes, an' nayther did I till a few years ago, whin I was tol' they was a kind iv animals or bugs that crawled around in ye like spiders. I see pitchers iv thim in th' pa-apers with eyes like pooched eggs till I dhreamed wan night I was a hayloft full iv bats. Thin th' dock down th' sthreet set me r-ight. He says th' mickrobes is a vigitable an' ivry man, is like a conservatory full iv millyons iv these potted plants. Some ar-re good f'r ye an' some ar-re bad. Whin th' chube roses an' geranyums is flourishin' an'liftin' their dainty petals to th' sun ye're healthy, but whin th' other flower gets th' best iv these nosegays 'tis time to call in a doctor. Th' doctor is a kind iv gardner f'r ye. 'Tis his business f'r to encourage th' good mickrobes, makin' two pansies grow where wan grew befure, an' to hoe out th' Canajeen thistle an' th' milk weed.

"Well, that sounds all r-right an' I sind f'r a doctor. 'Dock,' says I, 'me vilets ar-re thinnin' out an' I feel as though I was full iv sage brush," I say.

"Th' dock puts a glass chube in me mouth an' says: 'Don't bite it.'

"'D'ye think I'm a glass eater?' says I,talking through me teeth like a Kerry lawyer. 'What's it f'r?' I says.

"'To take ye'er timprachoor," says he. While I have th' chube in me mouth he jabs me thumb with a needle an' laves th' room. He comes back about th' time I'm r-ready to sthrangle an' removes th' chube.

"'How high does she spout?' says I.

"'Ninety-nine,' says he.

"'Good hivens,' says I, "Don't come near me, dock, or ye'll be sunstruck,' I says.

"'I've just examined ye'er blood,' he says. 'Ye're full iv weeds,' he says. Be that time I'm scared to death, an' I say a few prayers whin he fixes a hose to me chist an' begins listening'.

"Annything goin' on inside?" says I.

"'Tis ye'er heart,' says he.

"'Glory be,' says I. 'What's th' matter with that ol' ingine?' says I.

"'I cud tell ye,' he says, 'but I'll have to call in Dock Vinthricle, th' specyalist,' he says. 'I oughtn't be lookin' at ye'er heart at all,' he says. 'I niver larned below th' chin, an' I'd be fired be th' union if they knew I was wurrukin' on th' heart,' he says.

"So he sinds f'r Dock Vinthrickle an' th' dock climbs me chist and listens, an' then he says: 'They'se something th' matter with his lungs, too,' he says. 'At times they're full iv air an' again,' he says, 'they ain't,' he says. 'Sind f'r Bellows,' he says.

"Bellows comes an' pounds me as though I was a roof he was shinglin', sinds f'r Dock Laporatteny. The dock sticks his finger into me as far as th' knuckle.

"'That's O'Hannigan's point,' he says.

"'I don't see it,' says I. 'O'Hannigan must have had a fine since iv humor.'

"'Did it hurt?' says he.

"'Not,' says I, 'as much as though ye'd used an awl,' says I, 'or a chusel,' I says, 'but,' I says, 'it did tickle,' I says.

"He shakes his head an' goes out iv th' room with the others, an' they talk it over at tin dollars a minyit while I'm layin' there at two dollars a day—docked. Whin they come back, wan iv them says: 'This here is a mos' inthrestin' case an' we must have th' whole class take a look into it,' he says. It means me, Hinnissy. 'Dock,' he says, 'ye will remove its brain. Vinthricle, ye will have its heart, an' Bellows, ye will take its lungs. As f'r me,' he says. 'Tis sthrange how our foolish predecessors,' says he, 'niver got on to th' dangers iv th' vermiform appendix,' he says. 'I have no doubt that that's what kilt Methusalem,' he says.

"So they mark out their wurruk on me with a piece iv red chalk, an 'if I get well I'll look like a rag carpet. Sometimes they lave things in ye, Hinnissy. I knowed a man wanst, Moriarty was his name. Tim Moriarty,' an' he had to be hemstitched because they was goin' to be a ball game that day, an' they locked up in him two sponges, a saw, an ice pick, a goold watch an' a pair of curlin' irons, belonging to wan iv th' nurses. He tol' me he didn't feel well, but he didn't think anything iv it till he noticed that he jingled whin he walked.

"That's what they do with ye nowadays, Hinnissy. Ivry time I go into Dock Cassidy's office he gives me a look that makes me wish I'd wore a suit of chain armor. His eyes seem to say: 'Can I come in?' Between th' Christyan Scientists an' him 'tis a question whether ye want to be threated like a loonytic or like a can iv presarved vigitibles.

"Father Kelly says th' styles iv medicine changes like th' styles iv hats. When he was a boy they give ye quinine f'r whativer ailed ye, an' now they give ye strychnine, an' nex' year they'll be givin' ye proosic acid, maybe. He says they're findin' new things th' matter with ye ivry day, an' ole things that have to be taken out, until th' time is comin' whin not more than half iv us'll be rale an' th' rest'll be rubber.

"He says they ought to enforce th' law iv assault with a deadly weepin again th' doctors. He says that if they knew less about pizen an' more about gruel an' opened fewer patients an' more windows they'd not be so many Christyan Scientists. He says th' difference between Christyan Scientists an' doctors is that Christyan Scientists thinks they're no such thing as disease, an' doctors thinks there ain't anything else. An' there ye ar-re."

"What d'ye think about it?" asked Mr. Hennessy.

"I think," said Mr. Dooley, "that if the Christyan Scientists had some science an' th' doctors more Christyanity it wudden't make anny diff'rence which ye called in—if ye had a good nurse."

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SUBTERRANEAN RIVER

Indiana Has a Stream Which Attracts Men From Many Points.

Nearly every visitor who comes to Orangeville, Ind., has pointed out to him one of the chief points of interest in Orange county—the place where Lost River makes its appearance, after a long course under the earth. The town is perched picturesquely on the rocks above this natural wonder. The pool has the appearance of an immense spring, and the waters boil and swirl up from the unknown depths. The water is clear and pure, having passed through nature's filters of sand and gravel. Through the summer the water is as cold as that drawn from a deep well; in the winter the temperature seems warmer, as the pool has never been known to freeze over. Boats have been rowed over the bubbling surface, while soundings were made with heavy pieces of iron and lead, and 500 feet of rope has been played out and failed to reach the bottom.

Half a mile above this point is a place known as the gulf, where the waters rise in a deep funnel-like valley, and flow above the surface in a serpentine course for about 50 yards. Then the river rushes into a cavity and hides under the rocks again. It was believed that these were the same waters that reappear at Orangeville, but sawdust and oats have been thrown on the water at the gulf and failed to appear at the pool far below.

There is operated a queer device for drawing water from the big pool. The device consists of two wires running over a drum, which is turned by a crank. The wires run on pulleys to the pool, where they are anchored by heavy weights in the water. The rising and falling of the pool does not interfere with the operations of the contrivance. A large tin bucket is fastened to one of the wires. It rolls down the incline until it strikes the water, when it turns over and sinks beneath the surface. The operator of the device feels the jerk, reverses the crank and the bucket speedily returns, filled to the brim with cool, sparkling water.

LIVELY LIZARD LEADS TO A GOLD MINE!

Despondent Prospectors Made a Rich Strike When They Least Expected It.

A few days ago a report reached Phoenix, Arizona, of a great find of gold made in the hills west of the old Vulture mine, by Daniel Johnson and Wm. Edgerton, two New York prospectors. The peculiar particulars of the discovery have just been received. Johnson and Edgerton had been prospecting for nearly a month, had found no trace of gold ore and were about ready to give up in despair.

One morning last week they sat under the shade of a tree on a hillside and smoked in silence, neither caring to discuss their hard luck. A long swift, one of those lizards of the desert, which move like lightning around the trees, bushes and rocks, dropped from a limb above and alighted on Johnson's back. He awoke from his moody reverie with a start in time to see the swift dart into a hole near by.

"By Jove, that's a big fellow; I want him," said Johnson, and with his pick he began to open up the hole in the ground. In a half dozen blows he made a cavity a foot deep, while his companion looked on. Suddenly Edgerton leaped to his feet. "Wait a minute," he called, and Johnson's pick poised in midaid. Edgerton reached into the cavity and drew out a small piece of stone, speckled with bits of gold. Another and a dozen large pieces followed, some with small nuggets as large as pin heads, and all of them full of the free gold in beads and wire. The young men danced for joy.

For three days they worked steadily and uncovered two feet of a vein, about 6 inches across and 12 inches wide. Yesterday they sent some of the rock to Phoenix, and it is assayed at nearly $1,200 a ton. They have already taken out over a ton, and from the lay of the land find it is part of a ledge extending for half a mile down the valley. They have refused $40,000 for their find, and have taken up nearly all the mountain in claims.

A Red Hot Season.

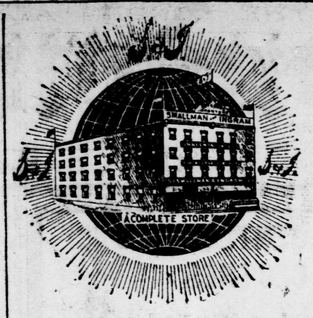
During the hot summer season the blood gets over heated, the drain on the system is severe and the appetite is often lost. Burdock Blood Bitters purifies and invigorates the blood, tones up the system, and restores lost appetite. x

A German physician, Dr. Brubacher, declares that 72.5 per cent of dyspeptics have unsound teeth.

THE CRICK IN THE BACK.—"One touch of nature makes the whole world kin," sings the poet. But what about the touch of rheumatism and lumbago, which is so common now? There is no poetry in that touch, for it renders life miserable. Yet, how delightful is the sense of relief when an application of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil drives pain away. There is nothing equals it.

THE WEATHER TODAY—Fine and very warm.

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Mothers are always on the lookout for comfortable things for their little ones. When we go buying we also are on the watch for nice, serviceable things for the little tots. We want to buy just what mothers would fancy, and we have here the very things. The regular selling prices (which were low in the first place) have been changed to make a clearance of a few small lots.

Children's Pique Sunbonnets, were 50c each, selling now at 40c
Children's Blue Muslin Bonnets, were $1 75 each, selling now at $1 25
Children's Bonnets that were 75c to $1 25 each, now from 60c to $1 00
Children's Pique Tams, were sold at low price of 45c, now at 39c
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Lot 1—The regular price was $1 50 per yard; your choice of any of the many choice patterns in this lot at .. $1 00
Lot 2—Fine goods that sold at $1 75 and $2 00 per yard; your choice from this lot at $1 25
Lot 3—A beautiful assortment of patterns here, and at $2 50 per yard were special value. The price now is $1 50

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Check Dress Goods, in blue and white, brown and white, and helio and white, beautiful goods for summer wear; three grades that sold at 65c, 75c and 85c per yard. Your choice now at 25c
Fancy Checks in small patterns, good colorings that sold at 75c yard; also some good plaids for skirts, that sold at $1 25 yard; Blue Coverts that sold at 75c yard; and Black and White Plaids that sold at $1 00 yard. Your choice of the lot now at 25c
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Pint Table or Coffee Cream X ..... Two 5c Tickets
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OUR OWN LAND

News of All the Provinces in a Nutshell.

That Flag Incident—Squaw Killed by Lightning—Destructive Storms in the West.

Toronto, July 17. — Mr. Harcourt, minister of education, after sending High School Inspector Seath over to Buffalo to look into the charge that Dr. Benedict wantonly tore down the British flags that were placed over the Ontario exhibit of archaeology in the ethnological building at the Pan-American, and after hearing Dr. Benedict's explanation, is convinced that the removal of the flags had nothing to do with national prejudice, as Dr. Benedict is an admirer of British principles and people. Dr. Benedict will make any change desired in the exhibit, and the friction will probably be overcome by replacing one or two of the flags removed in the arrangement of the exhibit. Mr. Harcourt says the incident is not international, and nothing will be heard of it.

TORONTO RESIDENT'S DEATH.

Toronto, July 17. — Robert Beaty, banker and broker, died yesterday in his 77th year. He was in early life business manager of the Toronto Leader, and left it in 1868 to become a broker and banker. He was very successful in business and prominent figure in stock exchange, and director in several companies, including the Western Assurance.

SAVED BY HIS BELT.

Belleville, Ont., July 17.—Fred Johnston, an employe of Trenton Electric Company, touched a live wire while working on the lines yesterday. He received a shock of 2,000 volts, but his belt kept him from falling, and he was rescued by two other men. He is suffering from burned hands and shock.

DROWNED.

The body of D. D. Dick, who disappeared from Banff on the 7th inst., has been found drowned. He was a Scotchman, reputedly worth two millions.

FOUL PLAY SUSPECTED.

Ottawa, Ont., July 17.—The body of a girl was found in the Ottawa River yesterday at the foot of the canal locks near Parliament Hill. From marks found on the body foul play is suspected, and the body has been removed to a morgue to await identification and an investigation.

BAD STORMS.

Carberry, Man., July 17. — Saturday night's storm in this district occasioned loss to many farmers, particularly in the Linwood and Pleasant Point sections. A conservative estimate of the damage done by wind, rain and hail combined places it at $100,000. The intense heat which had prevailed at Rat Portage for three or four days was broken by a heavy thunderstorm, accompanied by a terrific wind, Sunday evening. Lumber piles were hurled in all directions, and tramways so blocked that it will take 24 hours to clear them. Sidewalks were torn up and telephone wires torn down, and a lot of damage done generally.

MAY BE DISASTER.

St. Johns, Nfld., July 17.—A report received here by telegraph from Seal Cove is to the effect that fishermen there claimed to have seen a steamer Monday night ashore at Renew's Island, near the scene of the wrecks of the British steamer Delmar and the Orient Steam Navigation Company's steamer Lusitania.

CRANE GAVE WAY.

Meaford, Ont., July 17.—An accident occurred at Meaford yesterday afternoon by which one man was killed and another seriously injured. They were working on a steam shovel at the extension of the G. T. R. to the harbor, when the crane gave way and fell on the men, crushing them. The dead man, Joseph Jeffries, aged 30, leaves one daughter living at Ottawa. The injured man, Albert Hawkins, is a native of this town. It is thought he may recover.

WINNIPEG FATALITIES.

Winnipeg, July 17. — While playing baseball Monday evening, Louis O'Connor, aged 15, was struck on the head with a ball. He managed to wheel home, but shortly after that he became unconscious and died Tuesday morning from concussion of the brain.

As John O'Mand was driving home in a wagon, mosquitoes irritated his horses so that they became unmanageable and ran away. O'Mand was thrown out, falling on his head. He lay for some hours before being discovered. He died yesterday morning without recovering consciousness.

The Hot Weather Test

Makes people better acquainted with their resources of strength and endurance.

Many find that they are not so well off as they thought, and that they are easily enervated and depressed by the heat.

What they need is the tonic effect of Hood's Sarsaparilla, which strengthens the blood, promotes refreshing sleep, overcomes that tired feeling, creates appetite.

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STRIKE WILL BE GENERAL ONE!

Firemen's Strike Affects the Coal Mine Workers.

Fully 50,000 Will Be Thrown Out of Employment—Manufacturers Comply With Demands.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., July 17.—The strike of stationary firemen began yesterday morning. About 700 men are idle in this region. Many of the mines have to close down, throwing out of work, it is estimated, 50,000 men.

Several manufacturing concerns gave in to the demands of the firemen this morning. The Wilkesbarre Lace Company, employing 1,200 hands, was among those that capitulated. The Hazard Rope Works, employing 1,000 men, followed shortly afterward. The Wilkesbarre and Wyoming Valley Traction Company officials told their firemen to go to work at the increase. A number of smaller plants also acceded to the demands a short while after starting time.

The officials of the various coal companies, when interviewed, said they had no plans for the future, and had no idea how long the strike would last. One superintendent, however, said his company had plans on foot by which they expected to get enough firemen to allow them to resume operations in a day or two.

FORCED INTO SERVICE.

Wilkesbarre, July 17.—The coal companies have forced into service their fire bosses and firemen who will be employed as firemen. This is necessary to keep the pumps running and the mines free from water. At some of the colleries the hoisting engineers refused to work with these men. At other mines the engineers remained on duty.

FIFTY MORE MINES IDLE.

Scranton, Pa., July 17.—All the firemen of stationary engines at the Delaware and Hudson, Erie and Ontario and Western Railroad Companies' lines in the upper part of the Lackawanna Valley, from Peckville to Forest City, were on strike yesterday morning. The result forced a complete shut-down of twenty colleries and the idleness of 12,000 mine workers. The mine firemen between Olyphant and Old Forge met here Monday night and indorsed the Wilkesbarre action, to become effective at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, if the demands are not granted. This will throw fully 50 more mines idle and no less than 25,000 mine workers will be affected.

DECISION AFFECTING STRIKERS.

Ansonia, Conn., July 17.—Counsel for the Farrel Foundry and Machine Company yesterday obtained from the Superior Court an injunction, probably the most sweeping of its kind ever granted in the state. It is directed against the strikers of the Farrel Company, and the names of each man specifically. The instrument enjoins the men, 210 in number, from picketing, boycotting, threatening, or in any way molesting any one in the employ of the company, or who many hereafter be employed. Property of the individual strikers to the value of $25,000 has been attached, and the company in the papers claim that damages of $20,000 will be demanded in case of violation of the injunction.

FROM DISTANT YUKON

Late Advices From Dawson—The Year's Shipments of Gold.

Seattle, Wash., July 16.—Late advices from Dawson, under date of June 28, state that the gold shipments to the outside this year have amounted to $5,000,000 to date. News has just been brought from the mouth of the Hootelinqua River by steamer that a placer strike has been made on Lake Creek, a tributary to Lake Teslin, the sourse of the Hootalinqua. No particulars have been received. Hams, potatoes, cream, and all kinds of fruit are selling in Dawson at exceedingly low rates, and traders are losing money. Cherries, peaches, apples and other fruits are plentiful. Wesley Brawdy, aged 22, was swept from a raft on the Yukon River a short distance above Dawson last week and drowned. J. W. Lowes, a native of Toronto and a resident of British Columbia, was drowned near Big Salmon a few days ago.

Japan and Russia.

London, July 16.—The steady fall in the price of consols, which yesterday reached the lowest figure in many years, has caused uneasy surmises that the political situation is not secure. Some color is given to these fears by a series of dispatches from St. Petersburg and several points in the far east, which suggest that the relations between Russia and Japan have reached a serious crisis. One message goes so far as to suggest that war between these two countries is imminent.

Inasmuch as a close secret understanding exists between Great Britain and Japan the price of consols may to a certain extent be regarded as a barometer.

No authentic information tending to confirm the alarmist rumors has been made public.

Attacked a Train.

St. Louis, Mo., July 16.—A special to the Globe-Democrat from Cordovan, Mexico, says: A train on the Vera Cruiz and Pacific Railroad was attracked recently by a large force of armed men at Tierra Blanca, a small station. Seven men on the train were killed. A force of rurals is in pursuit of the mob. The cause of the attack is not known here. It is said to have been made by men who were formerly employed in the construction of the road.

MISS LANGTRY TO WED.

London, July 16.—The engagement of young Ivor Churchill Guest, M. P., eldest son of Lord Wimborne, the millionaire coal mine owner, to Miss Jeanne Langtry, daughter of the Jersey Lily, is still the exciting topic of speculation in society circles. Ivor Guest is one of the most popular young men in London society, and will one day be Lord Wimborne and inherit the bulk of the wealth of his father, who is one of the richest of English peers. His mother is a daughter of the sixth Duke of Marlborough, and he is cousin to the present duke.

7 DAYS' GRANITEWARE SALE

FIFTH DAY.

Our sale of Graniteware is now in full swing. We have had a great rush for the pots and pans the last four days, and for Thursday, the fifth day, here is the programme:

FOR THOSE WHO COME AT 8 A.M.

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43 Graniteware Milk and Rice Boilers, a double Saucepan, inside boiler, hold 2 imperial quarts, regular 75c.
Thursday at 8 a.m., 39c.



152 Graniteware Ladles, with long handle, regular 15c.
Sale price 8c.



78 Graniteware Water Pitchers, seamless pattern, 2 sizes, hold 3½ and 5 Imperial quarts, regular 85c and 95c.
Sale price 25c.

116 GRANITEWARE CUSPIDORES, colored in green, gray and white; some are seamless, regular price 50c.
Sale price 25c.



116 Graniteware Lipped Preserving Kettles, large size, hold 10 Imperial quarts actual measure, regular 75c.
Sale price 43c.

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Ladies' and Children's Wear.

Children's White Lawn Bonnets, with embroidery crown, curtain and frills edged with Valenciennes lace, long ties, special at $1 00
Children's Lawn Hats, shirred rim and embroidery frill, tam crown, regular $1, for..... 75c
Children's White Lawn Hats, shirred rim, 2 frills edged with lace, crown of shirring and insertion, long ties, regular $1 25, for.....$1 00
Muslin Bonnets, with colored straw trimings, deep curtain, and 2 frills edged with lace, special..$1 25
Ladies' Sailor Waists, in blue and white, and ox-blood and white striped chambray, collar trimmed with row of insertion, front ties and border of collar of plain chambray, bishop sleeves, special at $1 50
Ladies' Black Lawn Waists, 2 rows insertion and 4 clusters tucks in front, plain back, flare cuff, regular $1, for 65c
Ladies' Black Lawn Waists, with 4 rows of insertion and 4 clusters tucks in front, plain back, flare cuff and laundered collar, regular $1 25, reduced to..... 79c

Fancy Goods Department.

A Big Drive in Pin Cushions.

We have a large assortment of Satin-Covered Pin Cushions, in long and square shapes, in a variety of colors. In order to clear these cushions quickly we condense them into four lots:

Lot 1—Regular 20c, Thursday 10c
Lot 2—Regular 25c and 30c, Thursday 17c
Lot 3—Regular 35c, Thursday 25c
Lot 4—Regular 45c and 50c, Thursday 35c
360 pieces Fancy-Stitched Finishing Braid, 4 yards in each piece, special, Thursday..... ..... 5c
SOFA CUSHION TOPS, three lots, regular 25c, 30c and 35c, Thursday ....15c and 20c

Hosiery.

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, regular 10c, on sale Thursday for.... 7c
Men's Black Cotton Socks (Hermsdorf dye); regular 15c, special at, per pair 10c
Children's Black Cashmere Socks, in sizes 4, 4½, 5 and 5½, special at 10c

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BRUCEFIELD.—Is it lawful for an uncle to marry his own niece? Can such a marriage, even if performed, be legitimate? Ans.—The marriage is unlawful and void. The ceremony is void, if performed with or without a license. A license could not be legally issued unless upon a false affidavit, subjecting the deponents to prosecution for perjury.

DOWN BY THE SEA.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., July 16.—It is rumored that in the event of the federal government declining to give this province a portfolio upon the retirement of Sir Louis Davies, ex-Premier Peters, now of Victoria, will be asked to come here and contest West Queen's, on the understanding that, should he be elected, the Province of British Columbia and Prince Edward Island jointly shall hold the portfolio. An arrangement such as this, it is stated, would smooth over difficulties with regard to cabinet representation existing in both provinces.

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Canada and British Markets.

The Hon. Sydney Fisher, Canadian minister of agriculture, addressed a meeting of the Manchester Chamber of Commerce recently, on the subject of "Canadian Trade Aspects Generally." The Lord Mayor of Manchester, in introducing the speaker, referred to Canada's commercial relations with the mother country, and more especially with the city of Manchester itself. For a number of years steamers had plied between the port of manchester and Canadian ports, laden with cargoes of provisions, fruit, grain, timber and wood pulp. He stated that for the eleven months ending March, 1897, the imports from Canada to that city had been 1,046 cattle and 698 sheep. This number had steadily increased, so that for the year ending March, 1901, the number was 15,122 cattle and 7,689 sheep. These results in one port only show the expansion of which the direct trade between Canada and Great Britain is capable. The great need is concerted action between the sellers of Canadian produce and British importers. Continuing, the Lord Mayor said the people of Manchester were naturally anxious to sell their own wares, and that the owners of steamers were naturally anxious to have return cargoes to Canada. It was gratifying to know that the exports of cotton goods—the export trade in which Manchester was particularly interested—had increased from 28,000,000 yards in 1895 to 40,000,000 in 1900. "Our manufacturers," said he, "appreciate highly the differential treatment in regard to import duties now accorded by Canada to their productions."

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Mr. Fisher stated that not only had the trade with Manchester increased, but that there had been a proportionate increase in the whole range of Canada's commerce. He ventured to predict reciprocal action, namely, that if the people of Manchester purchased from Canada, the people of Canada would purchase from her. The staple foundation of commerce between Canada and Great Britain must necessarily be commerce in food products, and it is better that food should come from within the empire rather than from countries outside. Five years ago we sent to Great Britain 7 per cent of the staple food products she imported. Last year Canada exported to Britain 16 per cent of the same products. The Minister of Agriculture stated that Canada was quite able to continue this rate of progress, and would be able to send from 25 to 50 per cent of these products if Britain would take them. He based this judgment upon the facts, namely that now there was a considerable tide of emigration going into the country. Not only had the exodus of Canadians to the United States been stopped, but during the past three years over 12,000 American citizens had passed into the Canadian Northwest, establishing themselves there and becoming Canadian citizens.

Mr. Fisher dwelt upon the great need of capital in the development of Canada's vast material resources. He felt that any judicious investment of capital made in Canada would also be a sound investment. The Americans saw fit to invest one million sterling in the development of our resources within the last few years, and evidently found the investment a paying one. The British capitalist, he thought, would make no mistake in making the Dominion the ground of his investment, besides Canadians themselves preferred capital coming from the heart of the empire to foreign capital.

The Hon. Mr. Fisher and Prof. Robertson are at present addressing meetings in various commercial centers of Great Britain. Perhaps no more opportune time could have been chosen for the task of enlightening the British public on the commercial and other relations with the vast empire. It is striking while the iron is hot. The penny postage, the preferential tariff, the participation by Canadian soldiers in the contest in South Africa, have strengthened the bond of attachment between Canada and the mother land. While the bond of sentiment is not to be underrated, that link in the empire would doubtless be strengthened by mutual trade intercourse, such as will result from a greater knowledge of our country and its vast resources.

New Ontario: Who saved it to this Province? And who fought to take it away?

The suggestion is made that, in the redistribution bill, Toronto might be a good place for the experiment of proportional representation.

By the time he gets out of Toronto, the Duke of York's worst enemy might pity him. Toronto is arranging every form of elaborate boredom under the nom de plume of a good time for the royal visitor.

The Canadian Contingents.

"The Canadian Contingents and Canadian Imperialism" is the subject dealt with in an interesting volume from the pent of Mr. W. Sanford Evans. The book has been issued in London by T. Fisher Mervin. The Canadian edition has been put on the market by the Publishers' Syndicate, Toronto. It is well-printed, and contains a number of maps, besides a number of portraits of those connected with Canada's part in the South African war. It is not necessary to more than recall the historical importance of such an event as the voluntary participation in the wars of the Empire, which marks a new epoch in Canada's story. Mr. Evans has made use of the splendid letters of the various Canadian newspaper correspondents who accompanied the contingents. From them he has obtained the details concerning the marching, skirmishing and fighting. "To take part," says the author, "in an arduous undertaking which all the world watches; to pay the price; to know that sense of comradeship with other peoples, which comes as a revelation where common action compels mutual respect; to realize what had been visionary; to feel the strain of anxiety and the rebound of jubilation, to have the deep consciousness of worthiness tested and proved, is a momentous experience of any people." Such an experience has been the lot of the Dominion of Canada within the past two years.

Referring to the French-Canadians, Mr. Evans writes: "Under no correct conception of loyalty can the French-Canadians be charged with disloyalty. They have the welfare of Canada as much at heart as any other part of the population, and have no dissatisfaction with British connection."

When the feeling was strongly manifest regarding the sending of contingents, a difficulty at once arose on the question of parliamentary rights. It was urged that the Governor-General-in-Council should not take such formidable steps without consulting Parliament. To summon Parliament would mean delay. Again, private individuals in Canada offered contingents directly to the British Government; the Canadian Government offered contingents; and the Government of British Columbia offered a contingent. Thus we have three distinct sources from which offers came. This state of affairs in connection with Canada's external activities gives rise to the contention of the author that there should be some system by which the dealing with questions of active imperialism should be centered in the Dominion Government. He thinks that there should be "in the Dominion Government a Minister who is as distinctly and definitely responsible for external activities in Canada as the Colonial Secretary in England for Colonial Affairs, and the Foreign Secretary for Foreign Affairs."

Mr. Evans' account, interesting as it is, will be found more so with the enchantment that time must lend, when with composure one can sit by the winter fireside and recall the deeds of those who poured forth their life blood on veldt and karoo in vindication of the rights of that vast empire of which happily we form no unimportant or uninfluential part.

Suicide a Poor Remedy.

A United Stated contemporary has some timely remarks to the effect that suicide is a poor remedy for the ills of life. A carpenter named Connelly in Minneapolis hanged himself the other day because he was out of work and had not the money to marry the woman to whom he had long been engaged. If he had had the stamina to attack his difficulties rather than himself he might have got enough money to marry upon. Hanging one's self is a poor remedy either for lack of employment or for lack of a wife.

The worst phase of this weak-fibered carpenter's act is his want of consideration for the feelings of the woman to whom he had been engaged for three years. Suicide is usually cowardly, not only because it is a confession of defeat—a retreat in the presence of the enemy—but still more because of the pain and sense of disgrace inflicted upon those left behind. The self-murderer seeks to escape from his own burdens by doubling them and then throwing them upon the backs of those who have stood nearest to him in life. In most cases it is a woman who must carry the heaviest part of the unjust load when a man commits suicide, and this may be the case even when the man is unmarried. Probably Connelly would not have taken his own life if he could have realized what a base blow he was dealing to the woman he wanted to marry.

In its last analysis suicide is always an act of selfishness. All but the noblest natures grow selfish under suffering. The victim's thoughts become concentrated upon his own ills, and in his despondency he forgets his duty to his friends, his family, or those otherwise dependent upon him or upon the preservation of his good name. Nothing can ever make the average suicide anything but ignoble. Self-destruction is repugnant alike to the fighting spirit and to the altruistic spirit of Anglo-Saxon civilization.

The stimulating advice George Macdonald puts into the mouth of one of his characters is to the point: "But of all things, if ever you should fail, don't lie still, because you are down; get up again—for God's sake, for your mother's sake, for my sake—get up, and try again."

Hon. J. R. Stratton is Acting Premier of Ontario.

The Two Policies—Mr. Whitney.

The Hon. J. R. Stratton, Minister of Public Works, in a recent speech showed by an interesting contrast the nature of the policies of the two political parties in Ontario. The Liberal policy, as manifested by the Ross Administration, has always been positive and progressive; while on the other hand, the Conservatives have showed a stationary policy, with a tendency towards retrogression. True statesmanship is creative, and constructive, qualities which have always characterized the different members of the Ontario Government. This cannot, perhaps, be seen to better advantage than in connection with the opening up and development of New Ontario. In the first place we have the Liberal party to thank for that district being a part of the province at all. We possess it today as the outcome of a struggle for provincial rights between the Sir Oliver Mowat Government, at Toronto, and the Sir John Macdonald Administration, at Ottawa. The same aggressive character which characterized the Mowat Administration has descended to his successor, Premier Ross, whose statesmanship has inaugurated a new era of development in those northern regions.

Mr. Stratton gave the record of the Opposition leader. It will be seen that Mr. Whitney's policy has been one of negations:

"To follow Mr. Whitney backward in his record, which was the best way to keep in touch with a retrogressive public man, it might be pointed out that the Opposition leader could be tracked back to the time of his early parliamentary career as an opponent to progressive legislation and policy. In 1899 he was opposed to the grant for the construction of the London Normal School. That same year he opposed the office of municipal auditor, whose establishment had resulted in correct municipal bookkeeping methods, and had saved thousands of dollars of loss to municipalities. He voted against the appointment of a superintendent of neglected and dependent children, a department that has been of incalculable benefit to the ill-used children of the province. He showed his lack of interest in the comfort and welfare of the working classes by opposing the bill to secure the early closing of shops. He opposed the railway bill of 1899, although the railways then assisted were now some of them in operation and opening up new regions to settlement and making accessible immense deposits of iron ore. He opposed the appointment of a clerk of forestry, whose work has been of inestimable benefit in preserving our forest wealth and promoting reforestry. He opposed the appointment of a provincial road commissioner, whose work represented one of the greatest advanced movements of the generation. Mr. Whitney seemed to have a particular antipathy to the promotion of agricultural interests. He opposed grants to the Poultry Association and Western Dairy School, the pioneer farm and our fruit-spraying experiments. In 1888 he opposed the formation of a special department of agriculture, his plea practically being that a sub-department was good enough to look after the interests of farming. He failed to see that agricultural industry was more perhaps than any other worthy of a special minister and a special department—an industry the greatest in the province, in which a thousand millions was invested and whose products annually — $200,000,000 — exceeded in value the combined products of forests, fisheries, mines and manufactures. It was a notable fact, as serving to show how short-sighted Mr. Whitney had been or how little study he had given provincial questions, that all these things and others he had opposed from time to time had proved eminently successful and in the public interests. Mr. Whitney aspired to be the leader of a new Government, and the people might well consider what qualifications as developed by his past he would bring to the discharge of the important duties of that position, and how far his public spirit and his spirit of progress answered the conditions this province needed in its chief administrator. With no defined policy of his own he had opposed, and still opposes, a progressive policy such as the province needed, such as the people demanded."

"How to Be Happy."

[Manitoba Free Press.]

"Get married! Marry early, if possible, often, if necessary; but keep married." Such, if we may trust an interviewer, in an English journal, is the latest advice of Rev. E. J. Hardy, author of "How to be Happy Though Married." It ought to be comprehensive enough even for enthusiasts.

His Favorite.

[Washington Star.]

"What is your favorite play?" asked the friend.

"Ordinarily," answered Mr. Stormington Barnes, "it is 'Hamlet.' But when I need the money it is 'Uncle Tom's Cabin.'"

The Great "Auk."

[Cleveland Plaindealer.]

Instead of "auto" a New York automobile authority suggests "auk." But the auk suggests a bird, and a bird suggests wings, and wings suggest a soar—and this gets the horseless vehicle very much out of its element. Better stick to auto.

His Loss.

[Smart Set.]

"Did you ever go to a church fair?"

"Once."

"Lose anything?"

"My religion."

Self Flattery.

[John Stuart Blackie.]

When we condemn other people we generally mean indirectly to flatter ourselves.

To Lay in Coal.

[Philadelphia Press.]

"What are you doing there?" cried the farm dog as he observed the hen in the coal bin. "Oh, I thought this was a good time to lay in coal," cackled the hen.

Must Not Boast.

[Tit-Bits.]

"Who is the smartest boy in your class, Bobby?" asked his uncle. "I'd like to tell you, Uncle," answered Bobby, modestly, "only papa says I mustn't boast."

A Good-Bye.

[Washington Star.]

Good-bye, sweet June, your loveliness
Has faded past recall.
No more the clinging roses press
Soft cheeks against the wall,
Which now stands rugged and severe,
Of beauty all bereft,
With only leaves and branches sere
To hide the crumbling cleft.

The moon that glowed with kindly light
Shines with an ardent ray,
As if it fain would make the night
As ruthless as the day.
There comes no zephyr wandering by;
No gentle shower appears.
The world has grown too sad to sigh;
Too hopeless e'en for tears.

Not So Immediate.

[Smart Set.]

He—Do you believe in love in a cottage?

She—No, indeed, I don't.

He—How about love in a palace?"

She—Oh, George, this is so sudden!

He—Well, it won't be—if we've got to wait till I earn the palace.

THE METROPOLIS OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE.

The Celebrated Divine Rev. Dr. Joseph Parker—A Sail on the Thames—Modes of Traveling—Royal Military Tournament—Australian Commonwealth.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

There are many ways of spending a day in London, therefore it is well to work out a good programme beforehand, and keep strictly to it, so as to avoid vacillation between different attractions, and loss of time through lack of definite purpose. For the traveler and sightseer, the great metropolis has a wealth of wonders that would keep one on the stretch for many days or months, but one who has been there often understands his limitations, and can be content with a fair day's work, which gives instruction and interest without undue strain.

As my programme included an important evening entertainment, I did not begin the day too early, but in a leisurely manner worked my way from the suburb, which was my temporary residence, to the city in time to attend the service in the City Temple on Thursday at noon, as I wished once more to hear

REV. DR. PARKER,

who for well-nigh thirty years has maintained a weekly midday service there. The body of the large church was well-filled at the time for the service to begin; the congregation was attentive and reverent; it seemed to represent various classes and conditions of society, and contained, as usual, a large number of clergymen. The doctor is beginning to show signs of age, but his preaching is still bold, searching, effective; it seemed to me that his rhetoric is toned down somewhat, and the style is not quote so abrupt and startling. The service began punctually and ended just within the hour; the devotional part of it was carefully conducted, but naturally the discourse occupied the greater part of the time. The subject, "This is a people that do err in their heart," dwelt upon the radical weakness and sinfulness of human nature and the need of a Divine Redeemer. It is no mere surface weakness, but error of the heart, blood-poisoning, which needs a cure and cleansing from heaven. He used as illustration the patience of a father, and the still greater forbearance of a mother, and the terrible grief at having to shut the door on one whom you have loved, and for whom you have toiled, and to be compelled to say that "the error is deep down in the heart." Those are wrong who say that it is merely a matter of "environment," that it is an infantile disease, out of which the race will grow, or that it is mere error of opinion. Sin is a dread disease; human nature cries for the Great Physician; the Christ is the only one who can effectually minister to a mind diseased. This was the tenor of a discourse in the real Parker style, but lacking something of the old fire. After the service, when I told the preacher that it was almost a quarter of a century since I first heard him there, he said: "You see, I preach the old Gospel." He remarked further that it was his business to declare the great spiritual truths of the Bible, and there were many questions he was ready to leave calmly to experts, to earnest, fair-minded scholars who were seeking the truth.

At the close of the service my hand was kindly grasped by a worthy citizen of London, Ontario, and coming out of the church I was met by a young Canadian clergyman of the Presbyterian Church. Thus we get reminders that the world is after all not so very wide.

It is a glorious truth that man cannot live by bread alone, but there is also the fact that we must have bread, and that we need it in the busy streets of London as much as in a wilderness. So the next thing is lunch, and then to wait on the steps of St. Paul's to meet a friend who is to be a companion for the rest of the day. Our way now lies

ALONG THE THAMES,

for we have determined to journey to Kew, not on this occasion to see the Gordons, our time does not permit of that, but simply for the sail on the river. Standing on London bridge, we gaze for a few minutes at the new Tower Bridge, with its upper and lower roadway, and we see the lower part raised for awhile to permit of the passage of vessels, while the foot traffic continues uninterrupted overhead. Then we take the steamer, which is to convey us to Chelsea, where we change for Kew. The Thames is not so clean and beautiful here as it is in the regions beyond the crowded city, but this journey by small steamer is a good way of seeing one part of London. I had never realized just how many bridges there were or how near they were together, although I had crossed many of them before, but this is brought to mind as we pass in fairly quick succession under Victoria, Blackfriars, Waterloo, Westminster, Chelsea, Putney, etc. The scenery for the greater part of the way consists of closely packed buildings, but many of these are interesting; the extensive buildings of St. Thomas' Hospital, the Bishop of London's Palace at Lambeth, the large handsome factories of Doulton & Co., and many others, representing all sides of human life, whether it be trade and commerce, art and science, or philanthropy and religion. Politics was not forgotten as we passed Westminster. We saw that there were a few people on the terraces of the House of Commons, and were reminded that parliament had just re-assembled for another season of wordy warfare. A little later we pass into the region of sport, as we come to the scene of the yearly strenuous struggle between Oxford and Cambridge. There we have the good fortune to see an "eight" practicing, the coach riding along the banks on a bicycle and bawling his instructions in stentorian tones. It is a fine sight to see a good crew handling the oars, and speaks of the discipline, obedience and co-operation which is needed for any really great and successful effort.

When we reach Kew at 6 in the evening our next problem is to get back again, and reach Islington about 7 to attend the royal military tournament, for which we have secured places in the green stalls.

OUR ROUTE

is as follows: By electric tramway to Shepherd's Bush, by "Twopenny Tube" to the postoffice, and then by 'bus to the Angel, Islington. The Central London Railway, or so-called "Twopenny Tube," is an improvement on the original form of underground travel, both as to speed and cleanliness. The popular title is fairly correct and comprehensive. After descending by staircase or elevator to the station, you enter a handsome car something after the style of an American railway carriage, but lighter, and you are sent at a pretty good speed along what looks like a tube formed by an archway of bricks that are clean and bright. The price is twopence to any station. One remarks an absence of the sulphurous smells which are so characteristic of the underground railway, and it is likely that the other metropolitan lines will have to invest in electric plants as soon as convenient. As a rule, however, nothing of that kind is done in haste; the heavy investment of capital in the old forms prevents any sudden transitions.

The day's programme is now brought to a close by our attendance at the

GRAND ROYAL MILITARY

tournament, held in the large agricultural hall at Islington, famous for its Christmas fat stock shows, and other exhibitions of that order. This is a suitable building for such a purpose, with its large arena, and the great galleries all round for the accommodation of thousands of spectators. This must not be confounded with the military entertainment at Earls Court, which is also, I suppose, very good in its way; but the one we are now concerned with is organized by the regular military authorities, is held yearly under royal patronage, and the proceeds are given to military charitable institutions. We learn from the papers next day that this is a royal day, as in the afternoon some of the "little royalties" were present. The reporter gives the reins to his imagination in his endeavor to describe what might be the thoughts of a little boy who one day may be a king. That is an uncertain realm, but we are not surprised to be told that one little princess cried when a gun went off with a sudden startling noise, and that a little prince manifested more interest in certain chunks of cake than in some items of the programme. For "little royalties" are so much like other children, that we may recognize also in their case the truth of the statement that "one touch of nature makes the whole world kin." We cannot describe the programme fully, and must be content to say that some of the numbers were very interesting, and others greatly impressive; neither can we go into the moralizing line, and discuss whether the military spirit is too much inflamed by such exhibitions; we must admit that such contests and shows conduce to increased efficiency on the part of the regiments and corps that take part in them. During the period of the exhibition many contests are decided, such as bayonet vs. sword, bayonet vs. lance, etc., and on this evening the bayonet was successful in every case.

There are also trials for artillery, as to the quickest and most correct driving, on which prizes are awarded after a number of trials. It is both interesting and exciting to see the guns driven round by splendid teams and capable drivers, turning abruptly, and at times going through narrow passages where the slightest deviation means a serious shake up. It is still more exciting to see a gun drawn into the arena by 50 blue-jackets, who are now really in white jackets, and then the said gun and its carriage, after being fired, is in the course of a few seconds laid upon the floor in so many pieces that one never expects it to come together again; but lo! the handymen swarm around it, and before you can count many numbers the gun and carriage stands again complete before your eyes!

The real show pieces are "the inauguration of the

AUSTRALIAN COMMONWEALTH;"

and the closing tableau, which represents an Indian fair, gymkana, ending in a war scene, a successful defense against a partly expected attack. The latter was very elaborately got up, and was exceedingly realistic. The Australian pageant consisted of a great military parade, formed by contingents representing all the imperial forces, home, colonial and Indian. As they came in, section by section, Canadian, Australian, etc., "horse and foot," soldiers, marines, naval men, they are tremendously cheered; when they are all assembled, to the number of five or six hundred, they perform various evolutions, and the result is a most picturesque tableau and striking military spectacle, which aroused tremendous enthusiasm.

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THE MARKETS.

THE LOCAL MARKET.

A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT.
London, Wednesday, July 17.

Wheat, white, per bu	67c to 69c
Wheat, red, per bu	67c to 69c
Oats, per bu	32c to 33c
Peas, per bu	54c to 66c
Corn, per bu	44c to 45c
Barley, per bu	42c to 44c
Beans, per bu	$1 15 to $1 40

WEEKLY REVIEW.

Grain—Receipts were quite as large this week as the corresponding week last year. Prices show no change since last week, with the exception of oats. They were a little higher all week, but closed at $1 to $1 02; these figures were the basis of nearly all transactions during the week, but were exceeded in some cases by private buyers. One small lot of corn sold at 55c.

Hay—Receipts were mostly new; $7 to $7 50 was the range.

Young pigs sold at $7 to $8 a pair, according to size.

Live Hogs—Sales were light; $7 was the usual price paid; demand steady.

Dressed Hogs—Brought $9 25; they were very scarce late in the week; some dealers were willing to contract at $9 50 for nearby delivery.

Wool—Steady, on the basis of 14c for fine No. 1; very little offered.

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AMERICAN MARKETS.

CHICAGO, July 16.—A belief that no marked relief had come to the drought situation caused a sharp rally in the grain markets today, and September wheat closed 1c, September corn 1¾c to 1¾c, and September oats ¾c to ⅞c higher. Provisions closed 5c to 10c lower. Exporters reported 23 loads taken. Seaboard clearances were equal to 940,000 bu, while primary receipts were 746,000 bu, compared with 734,000 bu a year ago. Local receipts were 280 cars, 222 of contract grade. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 290 cars, against 193 last week and 203 a year ago. Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 200 cars; corn, 190 cars; oats, 80 cars; hogs, 28,000 head.

The leading futures closed: Wheat—July, 66⅝c; Sept., 67½c to 67⅝c; Dec., 69½c. Corn—July, 67⅞c; Sept., 50½c to 50⅝c; Dec., 51½c. Oats—July, 30¼c; Sept., 31⅝c; May, 34⅞c. Pork—Sept., $14 50; Jan., $14 15. Lard—Sept., $8 55; Oct., $8 55; Jan., $8 27½. Short ribs—Sept., $7 85; Oct., $7 85; Jan., $7 47½.

Cash quotations: Flour steady. No. 2 spring wheat, 63c; No. 2 red, 66¼c to 67½c. No. 2 corn, 49c; No. 2 yellow, 48¼c to 48½c. No. 3 oats, 34c to 35½c. No. 2 rye, 50⅝c to 52¼c. No. 1 flaxseed, $1 88; No. 1 northwestern, $1 88. Prime timothy seed, $4 05 to $5. Mess pork, $14 to $14 05; lard, $8 47½ to $8 50; short ribs sides, $7 75 to $7 95; dry salted shoulders, 7½c to 7¾c; short clear sides, $8 30 to $8 40. Clover, contract grade, $9 50. Eggs steady; loss off, cases returned, 12½c.

Receipts—Flour, 30,000 bbls; wheat, 219,000 bu; corn, 419,000 bu; oats, 180,000 bu; rye, 8,000 bu; barley, 12,000 bu.

Shipments—Flour, 15,000 bbls; wheat, 124,000 bu; corn, 27,000 bu; oats, 332,000 bu.

OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 16.—Oil opened and closed at $1 05.

OIL CITY, Pa., July 16.—Credit balances, $1 05; certificates, no l. l.

THE DAIRY MARKETS.

CHICAGO, July 16.—Butter firm; creameries, 14c to 19c; dairies, 12c to 16½c. Cheese firm, 9c to 10c.

CAMPBELLFORD, Ont., July 16.—The cheese board met today; 1,305 offered; Watkin bought 290 at 9¼c; Brenton, 400 at 9¼c; Cook, 150 at 9¼c; Magrath, 360 at 9 3-16c; Alexander, 125 at 9 3-16c.

INGERSOLL, Ont., July 16.—At the cheese board held here today 730 boxes were offered; 8⅝c to 9 1-16c bid; no sales.

DETROIT BEAN MARKET.

Detroit, July 16.—Beans—Cash, $1 85; Oct., $1 67 bid; Nov., $1 60.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

TORONTO, July 16.—The delivery was rather heavy at the cattle market today, considering the warm weather; 83 loads were delivered, with 1,643 head of cattle, 5,555 sheep and lambs, 539 hogs and 20 calves; while business on the whole was fair, prices were off from 20c to 30c; the exception was in the sheep trade, export ewes being about 10c better than last week; lambs and calves were unchanged; some good export cattle were weighed today for $4 75, but $5 was paid for several lots; butcher cattle were easier, except for the best quality; stockers are not much in evidence, neither are the inquiries for this class very numerous; prices for hogs remain steady, the delivery being light, which may be attributable to the weather.

Export cattle, choice, cwt.	$4 75	@	$5 25
Export cattle, medium	4 40	@	4 75
Export cows, cwt	3 75	@	4 10
Butchers' cattle, picked	4 40	@	4 75
Butchers' cattle, choice	4 00	@	4 40
Butchers' cattle, fair	3 50	@	4 00
Butchers' cattle, cows	3 25	@	3 75
Butchers' cattle, bulls	3 00	@	3 50
Bulls, export, heavy	3 75	@	4 25
Bulls, export, light	3 50	@	3 75
Feeders, short keep	4 25	@	4 75
Feeders, medium	3 50	@	4 25
Feeders, light	3 25	@	3 50
Stockers, 400 to 600 lbs	3 00	@	3 25
Stockers, off-colors	2 50	@	3 00
Milch cows, each	20 00	@	47 00
Sheep, export ewes, cwt	3 40	@	3 50
Sheep, bucks	2 50	@	3 75
Sheep, culls, each	2 00	@	3 00
Lambs, spring each	2 00	@	4 25
Calves, per head	1 00	@	8 00
Hogs, choice, cwt	7 25	@	7 25
Hogs, corn-fed, cwt	7 00	@	7 00
Hogs, light, cwt	6 75	@	6 75
Hogs, fat, cwt	6 75	@	6 75
Sows, cwt	4 00	@	4 50
Stags, cwt	2 00	@	2 00

CHICAGO, July 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,750, including 1,675 Texans; slow; good to prime steers quotable at $5 25 to $8 15; poor to medium, $3 50 to $5; stockers and feeders dull, $2 to $4 25; cows, $2 75 to $4 50; heifers, $2 40 to $4 80; canners, $1 50 to $2 40; bulls, $2 to $4 40; calves, fancy steady, $8 75 to $6 50. Hogs—Receipts today, 25,000; mixed and butchers, $5 60 to $6 05; good to choice heavy, $5 90 to $6 15; rough heavy, $5 60 to $5 80; light, $5 80 to $6 90; bulk of sales at $5 80 to $5 95. Sheep—Receipts, 15,000; good to choice wethers, $3 90 to $4 60; fair to choice mixed, $3 40 to $4; western sheep, $3 75 to $4; yearlings, $4 10 to $4 65; native lambs closed 25c to 40c lower, at $5 50 to $5 75; Washington range lambs, $5 70.

EAST BUFFALO, July 16.—Cattle—In the absence of sale cattle there was no change in the position of the market; strictly choice butcher steers are firm at the last quoted rates; no calves here; quotable at $6 to $7. Sheep and lambs—The offerings of sheep and lambs were light, only 3 loads, and with a good demand there was nominally no change in the market; spring lambs, choice to extra, $6 to $6 25; good to choice, $5 75 to $6 50; yearlings, $4 75 to $5; mixed sheep, $4 to $4 25. Hogs—The offerings of hogs were light, only 12 loads, 2 of which were held over, and the market was 5c to 10c lower; the general basis was $6 30 on heavy, mixed and good weight Yorkers; light Yorkers and pigs, $6 25 to $6 30; roughs, $5 50 to $5 75; stags, $4 50 to $4 75; about all offerings were sold at the close.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Beeves—Receipts, 38; nominally steady; cables quote live cattle firmer, at 11c to 12½c; refrigerator beef higher, at 9c per lb; shipments, 810 beeves and 4,360 quarters of beef; tomorrow, 4,108 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 208; slow and lower; 100 calves unsold; medium to choice weak, $6 to $7; culls, $4 50; buttermilks nominal. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 10,027; sheep steady; lambs 15c to 25c off; 10 cars unsold; sheep, $3 to $4 50; no choice here; lambs, $5 25 to $6 50. Hogs—Receipts, 2,109; nominally steady.

PASSED THE NORMAL EXAMINATION

Names of Pupils Who Were Successful at London School.

Following are the results of the recent examinations at London Normal School as given out today:

Passed—K. S. Allan, M. Amy, K. A. Beveridge, A. K. Blacker, M. Bogie, M. Botterill, F. M. Buchanan, E. E. Burwell, M. L. Cameron, N. M. Crowley, J. Currie, L. Dickinson, M. Dickinson, G. Diamond, D. E. Dunning, E. L. Duncan, N. Ellsworth, J. R. Findlay, A. E. Fuller, M. E. Glazier, E. B. Gunstone, E. Hair, J. A. Hamilton, A. Henderson, M. Herlick, L. Huston, E. C. James, H. Jickling, E. C. Johnston, E. Jolly, A. E. Kelly, M. S. Kelly, F. Lamond, C. A. Lawrence, M. N. Lee, M. Livingston, H. A. Marshall, M. A. Miller, M. F. Miller, C. Mizner, B. Mitchell, L. Moyer, F. Nugan, M. Mulree, C. E. Munford, K. McCormack, M. McCormack, M. H. McDairmid, J. McIntosh, Marie McLean, A. Newcombe, B. Nixon, M. T. Payne, M. E. Read, M. E. Robb, C. Rodd, E. M. Ruad, F. Ruthven, W. B. Rydall, W. Ryder, L. Scott, M. M. Seed, B. Sharpe, N. B. Smith, L. Strachan, M. Strathdee, M. Sutherland, N. J. Taylor, T. M. Thatcher, L. E. Thomson, M. Tier E. J. Waugh, M. M. Wiltse. Honors—J. A. Baillie, H. McAulbert, J. I. Cummings, W. J. Neale, F. Stedwill, A. Strongman.

Medallist—J. A. Baillie.

THE HOT WAVE

Many Prostrations Yesterday in Various American Cities.

Utica, N. Y., July 17.—Yesterday was one of the hottest days of the season in central and northern New York. At noon in this city the mercury reached 94 degrees. Monday at Adirondack resorts the mercury registered from 88 to 97 degrees.

MANY PROSTRATIONS.

Boston, July 17.—There were three prostrations at Lynn, Mass., up to 1 p.m. with the thermometer at 98. Mills and quarries at Biddeford, Me., were closed at noon owing to the intense heat. A number of prostrations occurred during the morning. The thermometer registered 90 to 100 in different parts of Biddeford. At Worcester, Mass., the temperature was 95 at noon. With the mercury at 88 early yesterday and the humidity at 78 per cent, the city had a more uncomfortable day than Monday. The hot day followed one of the most exhausting nights of the season. Yesterday afternoon in this city the thermometer, after steadily climbing since 5 a.m., had reached 91½. Two prostrations had been reported, one of which having caused a fall, a fractured skull, was likely to prove fatal. Two prostrations from the heat occurred at Lowell yesterday.

AT NEW HAVEN.

New Haven, Conn., July 17.—Two deaths from heat prostration occurred yesterday. At noon the temperature, according to the weather bureau, was 82, with humidity 70 per cent.

Providence, R. I., July 17.—Six heat prostrations, the largest number reported here in many years, occurred in this vicinity yesterday. The mercury registered 88½ at noon, and there was a prospect of a further rise.

Rockland, Me., July 17.—All high temperature records for the year in this section were broken yesterday, when the thermometer registered 98 degrees in the shade at 9 o'clock and rose steadily after that hour. Business was almost completely suspended.

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July 16.	Reported at.	From.
Syrian	Father Point	Glasgow
Cervona	Father Point	Newcastle
Degama	Father Point	Bristol
Dunmore Head	Father Point	Belfast
July 17.	Reported at.	From.
Pretoria	Plymouth	New York
St. Paul	Southampton	New York

SOME PERSONS have periodical attacks of Canadian cholera, dysentery or diarrhea, and have to use great precautions to avoid the disease. Change of water, cooking and green fruit is sure to bring on the attacks. To such persons we would recommend Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial as being the best medicine in the market for all summer complaints. If a few drops are taken in water when the symptoms are noticed, no further trouble will be experienced.

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THE NEWS SUMMARY.

Signor Crispi, ex-premier of Italy, is better in health.

John Taylor, aged 15, was drowned near Moncton, N. B., while bathing.

Pickpockets left 20 Epworth Leaguers penniless at Glenwood Springs, Col.

Senor Moret was Monday elected president of the Spanish Chamber of deputies.

Richard Croker, it is reported, will in future confine his racing stable to England.

The firemen on the Mexican International Railway have resigned with the engineers.

The United States training ship Hartford arrived at Stockholm, Sweden, today.

The German steamer Tanis ran ashore at Punta Mogotes, and is a total loss. Passengers and crew safe.

Yesterday was the warmest this season in Hamilton. The thermometer registered as high as 98 in the shade.

Walter McBride has been arrested at Chicago charged with swindling, by bogus companies, to the amount of $50,000.

Five horses were burned with the Montgomery Hotel stables at Parry Sound, Tuesday. Loss, $3,000; covered by insurance.

Two hundred Toronto old boys from Chicago are spending a holiday in the Queen City.

Fire destroyed the Jewish quarters of the town of New Bidschow, Bohemia (50 miles from Prague), Monday. There were no fatalities.

Brockville has an anti-Sunday excursion law. An American excursion party were refused a landing, and the matter is to be carried to Washington.

Forest fires have burned nine barns, two houses and a quantity of live stock near Chatham, N. B. The fire covers an area of fifteen by fifty-five miles.

An explosion occurred today at the Gyttorp powder works, at Nora, Province of Orebro, Sweden, wrecking seven buildings. Four persons were killed and a number injured.

The order for the departure of the Bombay Cavalry from Tien Tsin have been countermanded, and the strength of the British troops remaining there will be increased by 1,000 men.

A fire which took place in the village of Terrebonne yesterday evening destroyed a couple of stone houses and a number of sheds, but the damage did not amount to more than $5,000.

The trial of the Polish students at Posen has been adjourned to permit the commission conducting the trial to take the testimony of Students Bolewiski, at Cracow, and Milowski, at Zurich.

Lord Strathcona and Mr. Dobell on Friday paid a visit to Parry, and inspected the docks and watch houses built recently for the purpose of developing Canadian trade with Great Britain.

Alex. Glennie, who left Montpelier, Vt., on June 21, to escape a charge of embezzlement, was arrested at Toronto yesterday while at work in a marble yard. To the police he admitted that he was the man wanted, and consented to go back and stand trial. Sheriff Graves, of Montpelier, was notified.

Alex. Gibson, jun., who was elected to the Commons in York, N. B., last November, and was subsequently unseated, was yesterday renominated as the Grit candidate, and accepted his nomination.

"We learn from official sources in Paris," says the Vienna Politische correspondent, "that the difficulties of organizing an European customs league against the United States are considered insuperable."

A dispatch to the Pall Mall Gazette from Constantinople says great frauds have been discovered in the Turkish customs. The embezzlements are said to exceed £100,000. Several of the higher customs officials have been arrested.

In the Spanish Senate yesterday the opposition raised the question of the sale to the United States of the Spanish dry dock at Havana. The government made the matter a question of confidence, and the opposition was defeated by 81 to 34.

During operations with a military balloon near Schluesselburg, on an island in the Neva, twenty-one miles east of St. Petersburg, the balloon exploded and blazed up. One person was killed and twenty were injured, several fatally.

At a special meeting of the shareholders of Bryant & May, held in London Monday, the agreement to acquire the business of the Diamond Match Company of Liverpool, for $480,000, to be provided by a new issue of Bryant & May shares was adopted.

Francis Burton, of Dumont, Col., charged with larency, in getting $2,500 on an alleged false claim from the New York Central and Hudson River Railway, was held for the grand jury in $5,000 by Judge Adams, in the second session of the municipal court yesterday.

Rain fell over an area of 80 miles around Kansas City yesterday. Although some fields are reported too far gone to be saved, it is believed late corn was greatly revived. In three Missouri counties east of Kansas City the crop is reported in prime condition. The temperature here at 11 a.m. was 93.

Major Alexander M. Davis, a millionaire, who until recently made his home in Syracuse, N. Y., and paid personal taxes, has declared himself a subject of King Edward, of Great Britain, and had his name stricken from the personal tax role. Major Davis ran for congress on the Democratic ticket against James J. Belden fifteen years ago and was defeated. He has large street railroad interests in Louisville and extensive real estate in this city. For ten years he has lived in London and at Naples, Italy.

WESTERN ONTARIO

Live Items Culled for Busy People's Information.

Windsor city council is still unable to agree upon a site for the $20,000 Carnegie public library.

The late Wm. Young, of Waterloo, left an estate valued at $85,000. It will be divided among the members of his family.

Mrs. Case, of Ingersoll, was taken suddenly ill at Woodstock while en route home, and died. Pneumonia was the cause.

Thomas O'Brien, a former M. C. R. conductor, living in St. Thomas, has been killed in a railway accident near Champagne, Ill.

Burglars forced an entrance on Friday to the C. P. R. Hotel, Woodstock, and stole cigars, whisky and a small sum of money.

George Wear, an old colored man, who was struck by lightning at his home on Cataraqui street, Windsor, last week, succumbed Friday night to the shock.

Andrew Bartley, of East Oxford, was shot while working in a hay field. It is supposed the bullet was from a sportsman's rifle. The wound was not serious.

A son of A. B. Ingram, M.P., while attempting to get into a buggy at St. Thomas on Sunday, fell and the wheels passed over his body. He was badly bruised, but not severely injured.

William Sigler, a lineman, was fatally injured in Detroit on Saturday. He was a former resident of Windsor. He lived at Sandwich for a number of years, and was employed as a lineman and conductor on the Windsor electric railway.

It is announced officially that Mr. J. L. Grant, of Ashfield, has been recommended by the Liberal executive of the west riding of Huron for the vacancy in the customs office at Goderich occasioned by the death of the late D. C. Strachan.

In Knox Church, St. Thomas, on Sunday evening, before the service commenced, Rev. D. R. Drummond, in addressing the ladies of the congregation, said he had no doubt it would add to their personal comfort, and, besides, give those behind them a better view if the ladies removed their hats. A large number removed their headgear.

Petrolia Topic: For some time past it has been whispered abroad that it would not be long ere Petrolia would again become a refining center as well as the hub of the crude oil business. It was welcome news. The removal of the refineries struck a hard blow at Petrolia, and after years of wonderful business prosperity the good old town became not much better than the ordinary busy country town. Petrolia was down, but we had too good a class of citizens to remain down long. Now it has been practically decided to build another refinery here, and make the Petrolia brands of illuminating oil and by-products once again famous throughout Canada. The company will be composed of local and outside capitalists, but we are informed that the greater part of the capital is being put in by outside investors. The site of the refinery has already been purchased—the old McMillan & Kittredge property, north of the Blind Line, east of the Grand Trunk. It is expected that the promoters will start without delay, and that the noise of the boiler-maker, the carpenter and bricklayer will be heard from the north before many days are out.

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GREAT INFLUX OF LEAGUERS

San Francisco Being Invaded by the Thousand.

Canadian Delegation, Headed by Rev. A. C. Crews, Reaches the Golden Gate—Other Delegates.

San Francisco, July 17.—The influx of Epworth Leaguers continues day and night. All trains that left Ogden late Sunday night or early Monday morning have either arrived or will come in today. Twelve of the special Epworth League trains which left Ogden Monday reached Sacramento about midnight last night and will be among the early arrivals today. About 4,000 delegates will come from the east over the Southern Pacific lines. In addition several delegations will arrive from southern points. How many are coming by the Santa Fe is a matter of conjecture as no definite figures have been received.

CANADIANS ARRIVE.

Rev. A. C. Crews, of Toronto, Ont., general secretary of the Epworth League of Canada, arrived last night on a special train, with 170 Canadians. Among the most prominent members of the party is Rev. Dr. Jas. Henderson, of Toronto. He is associate missionary secretary for the Dominion, and will respond to the address of welcome Thursday afternoon for his delegation.

The missionary department of the convention will have some live exhibits. Rev. A. E. Wing, of Ukiah, has arrived, with twelve native Indian children and their teacher, Miss Alice Swazey, who will be guests of the league. Today ill be devoted to the completion of the details of the convention, which will be formally opened tomorrow morning. The question of holding these conventions every four years instead of biennially may be raised at this meeting.

COMBINATIONS ARE ON TRIAL

A Momentous Battle Between Trusts and Labor.

Strike Is Daily Costing Big Companies a Fortune—Benefit Fund for the Strikers.

New York, July 17.—The steel strike in America is attracting much attention in England generally, and while long articles are being printed in the newspapers on the subject, no comment is made in the editorial columns, according to the London correspondent of the Tribune. John Burns has been less reticent, for he forecasts an American Armageddon, with the revival of the old anti-slavery feeling and the transformation of trusts into state organizations by the political power of hordes of workmen. Financiers watch the quotations from Wall street, and are unmoved by socialistic tirades. Combinations are felt to be on trial in America, and if they survive the great conflict with organized labor concentration of capital will be promoted in England.

COST OF THE STRIKE.

Pittsburg, July 17.—According to figures compiled by the Pittsburg Dispatch, the steel strike is daily costing the three companies involved $210,000, and the workmen $156,000. It is estimated that in the daily loss of nearly 23,000 boxes of tin plate a day, the American Tin Plate Company is daily losing over $90,000, while the loss to the canning companies, unable to secure their material, is enormous in addition. Practically no stocks have been carried, and the consumption has kept pace with the production for some time past. About 700 tons of the 1,000 tons daily production of the American Sheet Steel Company is being lost, and this represents a loss each day to the big combine of at least $50,000. The loss to the gas stove manufacturers is also great, as the mills are closed which make a specialty of stove iron. This is the heavy season for making stoves. About 2,000 to 2,500 tons of steel hoops, bands and cotton ties are lost daily by the American Steel Hoops Company by reason of the strike, and this represents a daily loss in money of $70,000. In addition to all these losses the many and varied industries crippled now and in prospect represent losses to the men of large sums that cannot be computed now. The amalgamated men are said to have a sum of over $200,000 with which to keep the strike going, and the many amalgamated men employed in the various mills still operating will go a great way toward keeping the sinews of war in good condition.

A BENEFIT FUND.

Youngstown, O., July 17.—The amalgamated workers in the Youngstown Mills of the Republic Iron and Steel Company have met and decided upon a policy for collecting strike benefit funds from their members. They have notified President Shaffer that if the plan is acceptable to him they will each donate one day's pay every two weeks to the strikers fund About 800 members agree to this, which will net about $3,000 per month. The workers are also rapidly securing jobs in their mills for the striking steel hoop men.

PARTIAL VICTORY FOR STRIKERS

Rochester, N. Y., July 17.—After nearly nine weeks' idleness, the striking laborers engaged in municipal contract work, resumed work this morning. Nine boses signed the agreement, only two of the contractors remaining firm in their declarations not to grant the men their demands, and on these latter jobs the men will not go to work till the matter has been settled. A partial victory has been gained by the laborers. The men are granted 20 cents an hour for an eight-hour day's work and time and a half for over time and double time on holidays.

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White satin-finish Quilts, large size	$1 25
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$5 00 Silk Drapes for	$3 00
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Winnipeg Meeting Of Medical Men.

The Canadian Medical Association meets at Winnipeg Aug. 28 to 31 next, with Dr. H. H. Chown, of that place, as president. The railways having been liberal in the rate granted, the Winnipeggers are looking for a large attendance, and the indications are that they will not be disappointed, for the large majority of our doctors have their eye on Winnipeg as the central point of their summer holiday trip. The local arrangements consist of a series of luncheons, and excursions one of which is to be a trip to Brandon, to show the magnificence of a Manitoba wheat crop.

The scientific part of the meeting is being well looked after too. The address in "Medicine" will be given by Dr. J. R. Jones, Winnipeg; that in "Surgery" by Mr. O. M. Jones, Victoria; and that in "Gynaecology" by Dr. T. S. Cullen (son of the late Rev. T. S. Cullen), now of Johns Hopkins, Baltimore. In addition to these addresses a large number of papers have been promised on various topics of interest to medical men, hence any one who misses this meeting will miss a chance of a life-time.

Doctors intending to be present or to contribute to the programme should communicate with the general secretary, Biological Buildings, Toronto.

AMERICAN COMPETITION.

Vienna, July 17.—Deputy Baumann has been commissioned by the repretatives of the boot and shoe trade to question the statthalter in the Lower Austrian Diet as to what that body intends to do with regard to the threatened invasion of the Vienna market by an American syndicate. The local boot and shoe men consider that American competition menaces the very existence of the whole local industry.

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'TIS WELL TO KNOW A GOOD THING, said Mrs. Surface to Mrs. Knowwell, when they met in the street. "Why, where have you been for a week back?" "Oh, just down to the store for a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil," and Mrs. Surface, who hates puns, walked on. But she remembered, and when she contracted a weak back there was another customer for Eclectric Oil.

In the past 40 years Great Britain has produced 40,000,000 tons of steel, or about one-third of the world's total product.

CHOLERA and all summer complaints are as quick in their action that the cold hand of death is upon the victims before they are aware that danger is near. If attacked do not delay in getting the proper medicine. Try a dose of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial, and you will get immediate relief. It acts with wonderful rapidity, and never fails to effect a cure.

The world has two and a quarter million acres under tobacco cultivation, which produces 850,000 tons each year.

Grand Lodge At Hamilton.

Representatives of Michigan Grand Lodge Visit Brethren.

Hamilton, Ont., July 17. — Notwithstanding the torrid wave which prevails in this city, as well as many other sections of the country, the attendance at the meeting of the board of general purposes of the grand lodge of Masons yesterday was larger than for several years past, only two of the active members being absent at roll call. The grand master of the grand lodge of Michigan, Bro. Frank O. Gilbert, of Bay City, accompanied by several of his officers, arrived here at noon yesterday on a visit to the Ontario grand lodge, and were received by many leading brethren and the Hamilton reception committee. In addition to Bro. Gilbert, the following were present: Bros. Neil McMillan, D.G.M.; C. E. Sweet, G.M.; Jas. F. McGregor, G.T.; J. G. Flood, S. R. Birchard, Fred Birchard, Howard McGregor, W. G. Bray, James E. Dillon and J. G. Dinmock, the majority of whom were accompanied by their wives and daughters. Past Grand Master W. A. Sutherland, of Rochester, N. Y., is also here. Last year, at the session in London, this brother was made an honorary past grand master of the Canadian grand body, and his presence here at this time demonstrates that he appreciates the honor conferred.

ROBBIE'S IDEA OF A SPRINKLER.

Little Sister—Look, Robbie! That man spilling all the water out of his cart.

Robbie (pompously)—Well, don't you suppose he knows it? He does it to keep the boys from riding behind.—American Hebrew.

TEAMSTERS' FEET

Any teamster or driver subject to cold, clammy, sore, aching, feet, can have warm, dry, comfortable feet, by using Foot Elm in his shoes. Price, 25 cents at druggists, or sent by mail, postage free, from Stott & Jury, Bowmanville.

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TO-DAY'S MARKETS

TORONTO STOCKS.

TORONTO, July 17.

	Ask.	Off.
ntreal	..	250
tario	126	125
ronto	248	246⅞
erchants	155	150
ommerce	158	156
perial	235	231
minion	241	239½
ndard	235	231
milton	222	220⅞
ish America	108½	107¼
tern Assurance	116	114
umers' Gas	..	213
treal Gas	..	..
rthwest Land Company, pref	48½	47
nada Pacific Ry Stock	102½	102⅛
eral Electric	225	223½
on Electric	108	102
mercial Cable	185	180½
Cable Coup. Bonds	102	100
Cable Reg. Bonds	102	100
Dominion Telegraph	..	121
Bell Telephone Company	175	169½
Richelieu and Ontario	119	118
Toronto Street Railway	111¼	109¾
London Street Railway	..	165
Dominion Savings and Invest.	..	70
Huron and Erie L. and S.	..	180
Huron and Erie, 20 per cent.	..	88½
Lon. and Can. L. and A.	90	110½
London Loan	..	..
London and Ontario	..	..
Ontario Loan and Debenture	..	..

MONTREAL STOCKS.

MONTREAL, July 17.

	Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific	102½	102
Duluth, common	12	..
Duluth, preferred	21	..
Commercial Cable	182½	177
Com. Cable Coupon Bonds	102	102
Commercial Reg. Bonds	102	..
Montreal Telegraph	175	170
Richelieu and Ontario	119	118¼
Montreal Street Railway, xd	289¼	288
Montreal Street Ry, new, xd	288	287
Toronto Railway	110½	110
Bell Telephone	175	170
Bank of Montreal	..	250
Ontario Bank	..	122½
Molsons Bank	207	204
Bank of Toronto	..	..
Merchants Bank	..	..
Merchants' Bank of Halifax	..	..
Quebec Bank	..	..
Union Bank	..	103½
Bank of Commerce	..	..
Northwest Land, pref	..	..
Montreal Cotton Co	135	125
Canada Colored Cotton	70	63
Dominion Cotton	77½	73½

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, July 17.

Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

	Saturday's Close.	Open.	High.	Low.	2 p.m.
Anaconda	44	43½	..	..	..
Amal. Copper	112⅛	111⅛	114⅛	111½	114⅛
tcheson	73⅝	73	76¼	72¾	76⅛
tcheson Pfd	95¼	94½	97¾	94⅛	97
. & O	95⅛	94⅛	97⅝	94½	97⅞
Brooklyn Tran	76⅛	76	78	76	77¾
C. B. & Q	..	..	..	..	..
C. C. C	..	..	..	..	..
C. F. I	..	..	..	..	..
Erie	36	35⅛	36¾	35⅛	36¾
T. Pfd	54⅝	54	55½	53	55¼
N	103⅞	103¼	105	103¼	104⅞
ttan	117⅛	117	119	117	118⅞
politan St.	166⅞	166	167¾	166	167¾
. P	104	104	105⅞	103	105⅛
N. Y. Central	150⅛	151	152½	151	152½
Norfolk and W.	..	..	..	..	..
Northern Pacific (preferred)	..	..	..	..	..
Ont. and Western	30¾	30½	31⅞	30⅜	31⅞
Pacific Mail	37⅛	..	..	..	..
Pennsylvania	143	142⅛	144¾	142½	144¾
People's Gas	114⅜	114	115¼	114	114⅝
R. I	110½	140	145½	139⅛	145½
Reading	74¼	74	75¼	74	75¼
St. Paul	154¾	154¾	161¼	154¾	160¼
Southern Ry. Pfd	83⅛	83½	84¾	83½	84¾
Southern Pacific	51⅛	51½	55¼	51⅛	55
Texas	38⅛	38⅛	40	37⅞	39¾
T. C. I	57½	57½	59½	57⅛	59½
U. Pacific	95½	95¾	100	95⅛	99½
W. U	90⅛	90	92	90	91⅞
TRUSTS—					
Leather	77⅛	..	..	..	..
Sugar	137⅜	137¼	142¾	137¼	140¾
U. S. Steel Com.	38⅛	37⅛	39¾	37⅛	39½
U. S. Steel Pfd.	86⅛	86⅛	88¾	86⅛	87⅞
Rubber	19¼	19	..	..	..
Tobacco	..	..	..	..	..
Continental	..	..	..	..	..

J. M. YOUNG

—STOCK BROKER—

New York and Chicago stocks bought and sold. KING STREET, MASONIC TEMPLE PHONE 707.

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

Toronto, July 17.—Wheat—Offerings light, demand slow; local exporters quote 61c for red and white, middle freights, and holders are asking a cent or two more; goose, 60c for No. 2, middle freights; Manitoba, 79c for No. 1 hard, 77c for No. 2 hard, and 73c for No. 3 hard, grinding in transit. Flour—Dull, at $2 50 to $2 55 for cars of 90 per cent patents in buyers' bags, middle freights; choice brands, 15c to 20c higher; Manitoba flour is steady, at $4 for Hungarian patents, and $3 70 for strong bakers in car lots, bags included, Toronto. Millfeed—Steady, at $13 50 to $14 for shorts; $11 50 to $12 for bran west. Barley—Steady; two cars of barley for shipment next week offered at 38c west; old No. 2, 49c, middle freights; No. 3 extra, 39c, middle freights. Corn—Firm; yellow, 45c; mixed, 44c west. Oats—Firmer; No. 2 white, 32c to 32½c, middle freights. Peas—Nominal, at 70c, middle freights. Butter—Receipts fair; good demand for choice dairy tubs and pails, at 16c to 16½c; low-grade to medium, 13c to 15c; dairy pound rolls, if choice, would bring 17c to 17½c; creamery, 19c to 20c for solids and 20c to 21c for prints. Eggs—Steady; best, 12c; fair to good, 11c to 11½c; seconds, 8c to 9c.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

NEW YORK, July 17.—Flour—Receipts, 14,271 bbls; sales, 4,500 pkgs; state and western market was inactive and about steady. Rye flour—Steady; fair to good, $2 70 to $3 15; choice to fancy, $3 15 to $3 45. Wheat—Receipts, 57,950 bu; sales, 1,865,000 bu; option market opened firm and higher on cables and complaints from the northwest, but later yielded to realizing; July, 73 1-16c to 73¾c; Sept., 72 11-16c to 73¼c; Dec., 74⅝c to 75¼c. Rye—Weak; state, 52c to 53c; No. 2 western, 56¾c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 37,000 bu; sales, 160,000 bu; options opened firm on hot weather reports, but gave way subsequently with wheat; July, 53⅛c; Sept., 54⅛c to 54½c; Dec., 54¼c to 55⅛c. Oats—Receipts, 57,000 bu; options fairly steady and quiet. Sugar—Raw steady; refined irregular. Coffee—Dull; No. 7 Rio, 5⅝c. Lead—Quiet. Wool—Dull. Hops—Quiet.

NEW YORK, July 17.—Butter—Firm; receipts, 10,632 pkgs; creamery extras, per lb, 19½c; do, firsts, 18c to 19c; do, seconds, 17c to 17½c; do, thirds, 15c to 16c; state dairy tubs, fancy, 18c to 18½c; do, firsts, 17c to 17½c; do, seconds, 16c to 16½c; do, thirds, 14c to 15c; state dairy tins, etc., 14c to 17½c; western imitation creamery, fancy, 16c to 17c; do, firsts, 15c to 15½c; do, lower grades, 14c to 14½c; western factory, fancy, 15c; do, firsts, 14½c to 14¾c; do, fair to good, 14c to 14¼c; do, lower grades, 13c to 13½c; renovated butter, fancy, 16½c to 17c; do, common to choice, 13½c to 16c; packing stocks, 13c to 14c. Cheese—Quiet; receipts, 2,164 boxes; state full cream, small colored, fancy, 9¼c; do, white, fancy, 9¼c; do, good to choice, 8¾c to 9c; do, common to fair, 7c to 8c; do, large colored, fancy, 9c; do, good to choice, 8½c to 8¾c; do, large white, fancy, 9c; do, good to choice, 8½c to 8¾c; do, common to fair, 7c to 8c; light skims, small, choice, 7¾c to 8c; do, large, choice, 7¼c to 7½c; part skims, prime, 5½c to 6c; do, fair to good, 4½c to 5c; do, common, 3c to 4c; full skims, 2c to 2½c. Eggs—Steady; receipts, 8,264 cases; Jersey, state and Pennsylvania, fancy selected, 16½c to 17c; do, average best, 15c to 16c; western candled, loss off, 15½c to 16c; do, at mark, 13c to 15c; do, uncandled, loss off, 15c; do, at mark, 8c to 12½c; very poor, per case, $1 to $2 10; dirties, 5c to 8c; checks, 5c; very poor culls, per case, 75c to $1 25.

BUFFALO, July 17.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, old, 76¾c; do, new, 73⅜c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 73c; No. 1 white, 74c, on track. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 53c; No. 3 yellow, 52⅜c; No. 2 corn, 52½c, on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 37c; No. 3 white, 36½c; No. 2 mixed, 35c, on track.

DETROIT, July 17.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 70½c; No. 2 red, cash and July, 69⅛c; Sept., 69⅜c.

TOLEDO, July 17.—Wheat—Cash and July, 68c; Sept., 69c. Corn—July, 49¼c; Sept., 51c. Oats—July, 30¾c; Sept., 31⅜c.

ENGLISH MARKETS.

The following table shows the quotations per cental for American products at Liverpool, as well as for the three previous market days. In each case the highest prices are given:

	July 12.		July 13.		July 15.		July 16.	
WHEAT—								
Red Winter	5	7	5	8	5	8	5	7½
No. 1 Nor. Spring	5	5½	5	6½	5	6½	5	6½
Walla	5	10	5	11	5	10½	5	9½
No. 1 Cal	5	9½	5	10½	5	10	5	9½
July	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sept.	5	5¾	5	6½	5	6¾	5	5¼
Dec.	5	7	5	7½	5	7¾	5	6½
CORN—								
New	4	2¾	4	2¾	4	2½	4	1½
Old	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
March	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
May	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
July	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sept	4	3½	4	3½	4	2⅝	4	1⅝
Oct	4	4	4	4	4	3¼	4	2¼
Flour	18	3	18	3	18	3	18	3
Peas	6	3	6	3	6	1	6	1
Pork, prime mess	67	0	67	0	67	0	67	0
Lard	43	6	43	6	44	6	43	3
Tallow	25	6	25	6	25	6	25	6
Bacon, light	46	6	46	6	46	6	46	0
Cheese, white	45	0	45	0	45	0	45	0
Cheese, colored	46	0	46	0	46	0	46	0

LIVERPOOL, July 17.—Closing.

Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red western winter, 5s 6¾d; No. 1 northern spring, 5s 5¾d; No. 1 California, 5s 9½d; futures easy; Sept., 5s 6¼d; Dec., 5s 7¾d.

Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, new, 4s 11½d; American mixed, old, 4s 4½d; futures quiet; July nominal; Sept., 4s 2⅝d; Oct., 4s 3d.

Peas—Canadian firm, 6s 1d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter dull, 7s 9d.

Hops (at London)—Pacific coast steady, £4 5s to £4 15s.

Beef—Extra India mess firm, 69s 9d.

Pork—Prime mess western firm, 67s 6d.

Lard—American refined, in pails, steady, 43s; prime western, in tierces, steady, 43s 6d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 51s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, steady, 44s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, firm, quiet, 44s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, firm, 47s 9d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, steady, 46s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, steady, 45c; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, steady, 44s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 51s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, firm, 38s 9d.

Butter—Firm; finest United States, 90s; good United States, 73s.

Cheese—Firm; American finest white, 45s; American finest colored, 46s.

Tallow—Firm; prime city, 25s 6d; Australian (in London), 27s.

Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, spot steady, 23s 6d.

Turpentine spirits—Steady, 27s 6d.

Rosin—Common dull, 4s 1½d.

Petroleum—Refined steady, 6¾d.

Linseed oil—Steady, 34s.

SUGAR.

London, July 15.—Beet sugar, July, 9s 1½d.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

London, July 16.—Prices here and in Liverpool are firmer, at from 11c to 12½c per lb, dressed weight; tops sell at 12¾c per lb; refrigerator beef is higher, at 9c per lb.

TOLSTOI'S CONDITION.

London, July 17.—According to a telegram from Tula, European Russia, dated yesterday and received today, M. Tchertkoff, Count Tolstoi's representative in Great Britain, the Russian count's fever is very violent, but improvement in Count Tolstoi's condition

ILL-MANNERED TRAVELERS.

[From the Mexican Herald.]

What can you think of a tourist party invading a handsomely-furnished hacienda and examining the luxuriant hair of the lady of the house to "see if it really is all her own," of a man who, invited with friends to the house of a very cultivated Mexican lady in an interior city, remarks to a friend: "Well, after all, they are only Indians. Why make so much fuss over them?"

Mexicans of refinement have learned to their cost how outrageously ill-bred many "Gringoes" are. There are tourists who have all their manners at the border and go about "kodaking" church interiors during the hours of public worship, who snapshot ladies and gentlemen in the streets or at windows and conduct themselves like hoodiums.

EASILY DEFINED.

Inquiring Youth—"Pa, what is discriminating and differential duty?"

Pa—"A discriminating and differential duty, my son, is that sort of duty which impels your mother to call me "darling" in the parlor, and something else after the company has gone home.—New York Times.

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No. VI.—Misses' Dongola Oxfords, 11 to 2 .... 65c

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Highest and Lowest Temperatures at Prominent Points.

London, July 17—8 a.m.

STATIONS—	TEMPERATURE. 8 a.m.	Min.	WEATHER.
Calgary	50	46	Clear
Winnipeg	64	58	Rain
Parry Sound	74	70	Cloudy
Toronto	78	70	Clear
Ottawa	78	70	Fair
Montreal	72	70	Fair
Quebec	72	64	Fair
Father Point	54	46	Rain

FORECASTS.

Today—Moderate winds; mostly west and north, becoming a little cooler at night.

Thursday—Fine and not quite as warm as today.

WEATHER NOTES.

Conditions are more favorable for a little modification of the existing heat wave in Ontario and Quebec. The change will be more marked in the night temperatures. Thunderstorms have been general in Quebec, and the Maritime Provinces, and local in Ontario. A severe hail storm is reported from Edmonton.

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

—About 300 people went to Sarnia this morning on the grocers' excursion.

—Misses Bapty, Forsyth and Howie, of this city have passed their examinations as associate kindergarten assistants.

—Adelaide Street Baptist Sunday school picnic will be held at Port Stanley on Thursday of this week. The officers of the Sunday school are arranging for a very pleasant day, providing games, prizes, etc. A large attendance is anticipated.

—Dr. McGrady, formerly the house-surgeon at St. Joseph's Hospital here, is home on a month's visit to relatives and friends. The genial doctor is now a resident of Port Arthur, where his undoubted ability and affability is securing for him a large and prosperous practice.

—Mr. Walter Helm, of the Bank of Toronto in this city, has been promoted to the Toronto branch of the same bank and left for that city last evening. During his stay of two years at the branch here, Mr. Helm has made himself very popular and his numerous friends will be pleased to hear of his promotion.

POLICE COURT.

There was only a short session of the police court this morning. No evidence was offered against Granville Brooks, charged with stealing a horse and rig from his son. Harriet Williams, drunk, was fined $10 or 20 days. She went to jail. Four first-timers were discharged.

COL. AYLMER AN APPLICANT.

Colonel the Hon. Matthew Aylmer, adjutant-general of the militia forces of Canada, has applied to the Ontario Government for the customary 160 acres of land in New Ontario, in accordance with the land grant made to the Canadian South African soldiers.

THE NEW OPERA HOUSE.

Work on the new opera house is being rushed. The roofing is almost half-completed, and the carpenters are busy inside. The stage and orchestra pit are floored, and the floor joists of the auditorium are being placed in position. As soon as the roof is finished the interior fitting will be hurried forward.

COMMITTED FOR TRESPASS.

Arthur Price and George Smith were brought to jail here last night from Ailsa Craig, where they were found trespassing on the Grand Trunk Railway. Price was given ten days in default of payment of a $5 fine and $6 95 costs, while Smith will spend five days in jail unless a fine of $1 and $9 50 costs are paid.

HORSE WAS MIRED.

Considerable dissatisfaction is expressed at the condition in which the roadway on Dundas street hill was left by employes of the gas company, who have been laying a main there. Yesterday a horse, belonging to the Canadian Express Company became mired in the soft earth of the filled-in excavation and was only extricated after considerable trouble.

In and Out of Town.

Miss Sale, of Rectory street school staff, is visiting friends in St. Marys.

Miss Bessie Francis, of this city, is visiting relatives in Hamilton and Toronto.

Mrs. Wm. Gibson and family, of West London, are holidaying at Port Stanley.

Robt. McPherson, of the civil service, Ottawa, is home visiting his relatives.

Miss Amy Bartram, of London, is the guest of Mrs. Price, Oak Lawn, Deer Park.

Miss Bessie Deeley, of Ontario street, is spending her vacation with relatives in Toronto.

and children, are the guests of her cousin, Miss Winnifred Atkinson, Bruce street.

Miss Emily M. Siddle, of St. James street has gone on a visit to her aunt in New Hamburg.

Misses Maggie and Maud Stanley, of Colborne street, London, are visiting friends in Thamesford and Woodstock.

Miss Lillian Graham, of London, is spending a couple of weeks with her cousins, Clare and Maysee Walton, this city.

Miss Martha Laschinger, of Cleveland, accompanied by her niece, Miss Effie Ernest, is visiting Mrs. T. W. McFarland, 116 Mill street.

Mrs. Joseph McClure and daughter Myrtle, from Saginaw, Mich., are visiting Mrs. R. B. Myllard, 345 Princess avenue, and intends visiting friends in Woodstock, Toronto and other Eastern cities.

Dr. Rowe and family, of Cincinnati, have been spending their holidays in this section, partly at the Fraser House, Port Stanley, and partly as guests of Mr. John Kennedy, Ilderton, the doctor's uncle.

Pretty Rings.

We have a very choice line of rings, little fancy settings, and a fine line of wedding rings.

ADKINS, East London.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED.

THE RAILWAY WORLD

Story About General Manager Reeves' Retirement Denied—N. Y. C. and Montreal.

Montreal, July 17.—An emphatic contradiction is given to a story that General Manager Reeve, of the Grand Trunk, is to resign, and that he will be succeeded by Mr. F. W. Morse, who was recently appointed third vice-president and assistant general manager. Mr. Reeve, it may be stated on authority, has no intention whatever of resigning, and the story is a pure invention.

N. Y. C. AND MONTREAL.

Montreal, July 17.—The report is current in railway circles that the New York Central Railroad Company has commenced to take the preparatory steps towards obtaining an independent entrance into Montreal. Two New York Central civil engineers, J. P. Lonergan and J. R. Phaling have for some time been engaged on survey work between the terminus of the St. Lawrence and Adirondack line and this city, and their work is understood to be the mapping out of the means by which the New York Central will obtain access to Montreal. A somewhat significant fact in this connection was the announcement which came from New York that the St. Lawrence and Adirondack, hitherto jointly owned by the New York Central and the Canadian Pacific is to be taken over by the New York Central, and operated as part of its line. The New York Central at present comes into Montreal over the Canadian Pacific system. It is understood that the construction of the new bridge over the St. Lawrence at Montreal is part of the scheme.

BASEBALL.

The game of baseball between the St. John's A. C. and the Wellington Street Methodists, which was to have been played last evening has been postponed till Friday evening at 6:30. Tonight the druggists and St. John's A. C. will play on the latter's West London grounds.

R. C. STRUTHERS & CO. VS. STERLING BROS.

R. C. Struthers & Co. and Sterling Bros.' teams will play a game this evening on the Chapter House diamond, commencing at 6:30 o'clock sharp.

LACROSSE.

CLINEON DEFEATS MITCHELL.

Clinton, Ont., July 17.—A junior C. L. A. match, between Mitchell and Clinton, was played here last evening, resulting in a victory for the home team by two to one.

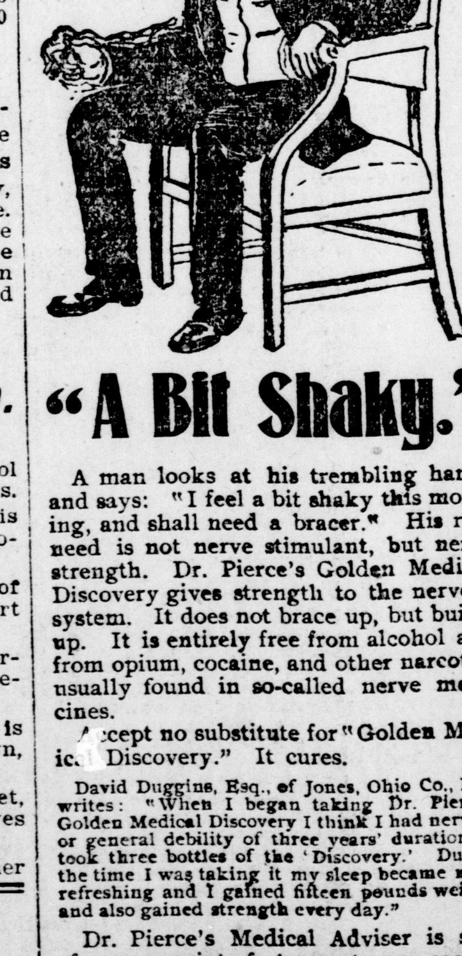
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HORSES AT WINDSOR.

Windsor, Ont., July 17.—Six car loads of horses have arrived at Windsor from Newport. Among the most prominent stables are Wells & Co., with Nells Morris and five others; Willie Gleason with Flop and two others; Morrison with John Elroy and three others, and W. O'Connor with Hinsdale.

A TRIPLE DROWNING.

Gloversville, N. Y., July 17.—Three boys, aged about 16 years each, were drowned in a bathing pond in this city last night. They were in a crowd of bathers, and their disappearance was not noticed until a boy happened to step on the body of one of the drowned boys. An experienced swimmer then dived, and recovered the bodies of Harry Gehrman, Calvin Mills and Fred Vines, all lying close together in about six feet of water. It is believed that Mills became exhausted and dragged the other two boys under while they were trying to assist him. Gehrman and Mills were experienced swimmers. All the boys were members of prominent families.



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MANEUVERS OF THE BRITISH FLEET.

Interest in England Is Centered on the Coming Naval Programme.

London, July 17. — The mobilization of two fleets from Portsmouth and Devonport for naval maneuvers of exceptional interest serves to divert public attention from the war in South Africa. The Channel fleet and reserves squadron will be pitted against each other in an ingenious scheme of paper warfare developed by the admiralty, and the two admirals will try to outmaneuver each other. Both fleets were rapidly mobilized, and the cruise will be followed by the nation from day to day with pride and interest, whether one admiral or the other succeeds in breaking through. The official scheme is based almost too obviously upon the strategic value of Gibraltar and the possibility of the French fleet getting ahead of the British fleet in reaching the goal. The two squadrons are not evenly matched, one is much faster and stronger than the other. These naval maneuvers are more elaborate and costly than those conducted in recent years. It is Lord Selborne's first attempt to exploit the resources of the navy, and he is not counting the cost. Possibly the government considers it expedient to make a big naval demonstration at a time when military prestige has suffered somewhat from the tedious conflict with the Boers.

WELCOME RAINS LESSEN THE HEAT.

The Weather Conditions More Favorable Throughout United States.

St. Louis July 17.—Today started in with every indication of being a scorcher. At 8 a.m. the government thermometer registered 84. There have been several prostrations during the past 21 hours and one death.

AT BOSTON.

Boston, July 17.—The heat wave had moderated to some extent in Boston today, and the early morning temperatures were below 80. Reports from several New England points show that showers have brought relief from the great heat of yesterday.

Omaha, Neb., 17.—Showers were reported during the night in the South Platte district, breaking the protracted drought in that section and lowering the mercury 15 to 20 degrees. Eight other counties in central Nebraska also reported a fairly good rainfall.

La Crosse, Wis., July 17.—A terrific rain and electrical storm today broke the hot spell prevalent during the past week. The rain was a great benefit to crops in this vicinity.

ITALY IS AROUSED OVER U. S. LYNCHINGS

Representations Have Been Made to the State Department at Washington.

Washington, July 17.—The Italian Government has taken cognizance of a recent affray at Erwin, Miss., in which it is claimed two Italians were lynched and a third seriously wounded. The facts have been communicated to the foreign office, and the Italian embassy here have made representations to the state department. At the same time the Italian authorities are pursuing an investigation of their own through their consul at New Orleans and their consular agent at Vicksburg, Miss., which is not far from the scene of the alleged trouble.

BISHOP OF BLOEMFONTEIN.

Cape Town July 17.—Rev. Dr. Gibson, the coadjutar bishop of Cape Town, has been elected bishop of Bloemfontein.

FLOODS IN JAPAN.

Yokohama, July 17.—The prevailing torrential fall of rain has caused extensive floods throughout Japan. Great damage has resulted, and there have been numerous fatalities. Sixty men lost their lives through the flooding of a coal mine at Yuhus, due to the rain.

INDEPENDENT PLANTS RUSHED.

Syracuse, N. Y., July 17.—Syracuse steel manufacturers have received applications from some of the striking steel workers for employment and they intend advertising in the Pittsburg newspapers for men. The local independent plants are away behind in their orders.

COLONY FOR EPILEPTICS.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., July 17.—Alderman J. M. Rhodes, M.D., and Edwin W. Marshall, representing a committee which purposes to found a colony for epileptics at Warford, Cheshire, England, visited the Hudson River State Hospital for the Insane here yesterday. Dr. Rhodes said this was the best conducted institution of the kind they had yet visited. What especially pleased him was that each patient is permitted to dress according to his own taste. In most European asylums uniform attire is worn. The committee will spend three weeks in this country. Asylums in Germany and France were inspected before the trip to this country.

TO TRANSMIT POWER.

Allegan, Mich., July 17.—For some time past experts have been at work in a small building at the big dam of the Kalamazoo Valley Electric Company, in Trowbridge township. They are experimenting with a machine called a step-up transformer. The object of the machine is to increase the voltage in the transformer at the plant, and at Battle Creek or any other point where the company is furnishing power to have a step-down transformer. The step-up machine increases the current ten or twenty times, and where a step-down is used the current is reduced by a rotary transformer to 500 voltage, or to whatever voltage is desired. If successful this will mean country plants can increase the current at their plants with no additional cost beyond a step-down or a step-up transformer.

LONDON PAPERS' VIEWS.

London, July 17.—Lord Rosebery's announcement is considered by the Daily Telegraph as "severing his last connection with a hopeless Opposition." The Daily Chronicle says: "It is destined to have a profound effect upon the country, pointing to the formation of a national liberal party, numerous materials for which are scattered within easy reach."

The Daily Chronicle meaningly asks if Lord Rosebery will take his part toward realizing the desired end.

The Daily News regards Lord Rosebery as "standing outside the vineyard and throwing stones at the workers." Going on to analyze the letter, the paper defines it as a "deliberate and mischievous effort to prevent reunion.

The Conservative papers generally commend the letter.

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Telegraphic Briefs.

Mr. Thomas Herdman, of Crowland, was killed by lightning while working in a field.

The weather at Winnipeg still remains clear and very hot. The nights, however, are cool.

Rev. Prof. Nicholson, Queen's University, becomes heir to a large amount of money by the death of his brother in Kansas.

An explosion took place in the Hamilton powder works at Windsor Mills. One employe, D. Aubin, was blown to pieces, and two others seriously injured.

Great preparations are being made for the annual exposition at Winnipeg at the end of this month. It is expected to be one of the most successful on record.

At the Brandon Conservative meeting Premier Roblin said that after Oct. 1 next wheat on the Canadian Northern will be carried at 2 cents less than the present tariff.

A cave-in of earth and timbers at a cut made by workmen at Fairfield, Conn., who were preparing for the foundation of the Uncowa reservoir dam, killed three men and injured nine others, one of whom may die. All the killed and injured were members of a gang of Italians in the employ of the contracting company.

MYSTERY STILL UNSOLVED.

Ottawa, Ont., July 17. — The river mystery is not yet cleared up. The body of the woman has been buried and the police are trying to discover who L. R. B. is. These initials were found on the clothing, and they probably will serve as the only clue to identification. The inquest opens tonight.

PREPARING FOR THE CROP.

Winnipeg, Man., July 17.—The machine shops of the C. P. R. in this city will commence this week to run night and day with two shifts of men, in order that the locomotives may be in the best order to carry off this year's big crops. A number of new men have arrived from England and started work.

TOLSTOI DYING.

London, July 17.—M. Tcherikoff, who is Count Tolstoi's representative in Great Britain, has received a telegram asserting that the famous Russian is dangerously ill with fever, accompanied by great weakness and that his condition is very serious. The dispatch was received from Tula, European Russia, where Count Tolstoi is understood to be.

BAD MARINE COLLISION.

New London, Conn., July 17.—With 40 feet of her bow cut clean off, the steamer Tremont, of the Joy Line, which left Boston yesterday for New York with 300 passengers, was towed into New London this morning in a sinking condition and beached. All her passengers had been transferred to other steamers in the sound. The Tremont's injury is due to a collision in the sound at midnight last night with the steam yacht Wild Duck.

A NEW PEST.

New York, July 17.—An insect, new to the farmers of West Chester county, and, it is thought, a novel pest, has made its appearance. It has become locally known as the "flying boring bug," and is doing much damage to fruit and trees. The new insect is described as being as large as a bumble bee, having a long, hard sting, with which it stabs the younger trees and fruit. The flying bug was first seen in Orange county, and later devastated two West Chester county townships. The bug, it is said, will destroy whole fields of grain.

ASTRONOMERS FAILED.

San Francisco, July 17.—Prof. E. C. Barnard, formerly of the Lick observatory at Williams' Bay, Wis., has returned from Sumatra, where he went to observe the total eclipse of the sun on May 18. Prof. Barnard reports that all the astronomical expeditions sent out by various bodies and institutions were failures, in a great measure. They have added little to the stock of astronomical knowledge. This result is due to the cloudy weather that prevailed at all the stations but one, which happened to be imperfectly equipped because it was expected the clouds would be thickest there.

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NEW ATLANTIC RECORD.

Plymouth, July 17.—The Hamburg-American line steamer Deutschland, which left New York July 11, arrived here this morning. The Deutschland made the passage from New York in five days, eleven hours and five minutes, at an average speed of 23.51 knots an hour, over a distance of 3,082 knots. The vessel's highest day's run was 557 knots. This establishes a new eastward speed record.

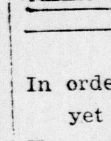
SUNDAY SHOWS AT THE PAN.

Buffalo, July 17.—The concessionaries of the Pan-American Exposition, at a meeting of their association, have decided that their shows on the Midway must be kept open on Sundays, if the outer gates of the Pan-American Exposition are open. "It is just as bad for the company to give an illumination, run their electric tower elevator and provide other entertainments on Sunday as it is for our shows to do business," said all in chorus. The Indian Congress management made the formal announcement that its gates will open at 1 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. A committee was appointed to see President John G. Milburn today and to inform him of the determination of the concessionaires.

There are many things that may cause dyspepsia or indigestion. There are many things that indigestion or dyspepsia will cause. The thing you possibly are best acquainted with is "that feeling of distress after eating." If you want to know the cause, better buy a doctor book; if you want to get rid of it, invest 25 cents in a large bottle of PARKE'S LITHIATED FRUIT GRANULES. Sold by Cairncross & Lawrence.

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A SHOT IN THE DARK.

It was a very silent drive; neither spoke much. Andree's heart was full, and Kathie felt the power of Miss Proctor's words:

"To keep and to heal a sorrow,
Love and silence are always the best."

So she slid her hand into Andree's, and kept silent.

It had been a fair morning when they started; but half way, a dark gathering cloud lowered ominously over the blue sky, and the young bride felt its heaviness fall upon her heart like lead.

"Is it an omen, I wonder" she said, sorrowfully; and her heart grew yet more heavy as the cloud did not pass away, and when they entered the church it brooded over them still.

The church itself was by no means a very pleasant one for a wedding. It was a very ancient building, and its antiquity would have delighted any learned society of archaeologists; but its state of repair would have driven any lovers of such to despair. The damp had so thoroughly infected the building, that even a dry summer had not succeeded in driving it out. The plaster had fallen from the walls in places, the matting was mouldly and falling to pieces; and Mrs. Clarence's gay costume of gray-and-pink, Parisian masterpiece as it was, looked strangely out of place amid the faded pew-cushions and foot-stools. She was the only lady present when the girls entered the building; but Philip Clement, acting as Douglas's best man on the occasion, stood behind him as he knelt in the chancel waiting for his bride. As Andree came up, she quietly took off her hat and mantle, and thus, in her simple morning dress, with no covering on her head, stood beside him there, waiting to plight her troth to the man for whom she had given up all.

The clergyman, a young man but recently appointed to Rossford, glanced at the young pair before him with some slight surprise. Never before had he seen so sweet a bride, rarely a more noble-looking bridegroom; and he read, without comprehending the brightness on Andree's white brow, the almost adoring reverence in Lancaster's dark-gray eyes. He saw, too, that as the service proceeded the bridegroom was deeply moved, while Andree was quite calm, though a little anxious, perhaps, remembering the events and physical strain Douglas had undergone during the past few months; and while his "I will" was impressive from the tremulous solemnity with which it was spoken, hers was firm and quiet, without a tremor in the low sweet tones.

Then came the question:

"Who giveth this woman to be married to this man?"

There was a pause here. Strangely enough, in the confusion of this strange wedding, no one had thought of the necessity for some one to act "father" for the nonce. Mrs. Clarence and Philip Clement looked at each other in doubt as to whether either, or both, should volunteer, and the old verger, more equal to similar emergencies, was just coming forward, when a quick step sounded on the stone porch without; it came on rapidly up the ancient aisle, and just as the clergyman repeated the question in some surprise, Andree felt her hand taken in a firm, close grasp, and a voice, which she knew and recognized with a quick throb of joy, said:

"I do!"

It was her brother.

The young officer looked paler and graver than his wont; but there was no resisting the flash of joy which gleamed for a moment on Andree's face as she caught sight of the gallant presence and noble bearing of her brother.

When the service was over, Andree Lancaster threw herself into his arms with a cry of joy, and he held out his hand to Douglas with a cordial grip, which spoke well for the understanding which should in future exist between them.

"I can trust her to you, Lancaster," he said, as they left the church, and Hugh put his sister into the carriage, for they were going straight from the church to the station. "Be very good to her, old friend."

As they drove away, Douglas said passionately:

"If your happiness depends on me, you will be happy, my darling. Teach me how to make you so."

"Love me a little," she said, smiling up through her tears. "That is all I ask."

Love you! worship you!" he answered, drawing her to him, and as the dainty head sank upon his breast both felt as if happiness must lie in such mutual love and perfect trust.

"You will come home and breakfast with us, Mr. Marchmont," said Mrs. Clarence, bending forward to give Hugh one of her sweetest smiles, from under the marvelous pink-and-gray bonnet, as she entered the carriage, and Hugh was assisting Kathie. "How did you come?"

"I rode," he answered. "Many thanks, Mrs. Clarence; but I think——" then catching a half pleading, half shy glance from Miss Lancaster's sweet eyes, he changed his mind and said "he would be most happy."

At this Dr. Clement, who was looking a little sulky and annoyed at the advent of this gay young officer, who seemed already so deep in the good graces of sweet Kathie Lancaster, for whom he was beginning to feel no small tenderness, pleaded an engagement, and offered, if Mr. Marchmont liked, to ride home on his horse, leaving the seat in the barouche free. Hugh agreed with perfect courtesy, but some indifference, and while Dr. Clement rode away, he took his seat opposite Kathie, and Mrs. Clarence performed the formal introduction, which had not yet taken place between Mr. Marchmont and Miss Lancaster.

"Are we not related now, Miss Lancaster?" asked Hugh, as he lounged lazily back and watched the fair face opposite to him. "I am sure we must be. Can you enlighten me on this important matter, Mrs. Clarence?"

"I really don't know," laughed the widow. "Let me see: Kathie is Andree's sister-in-law, and you are Andree's brother."

"Perfectly correct."

"And Douglas is your brother-in-law, and Kathie is his sister."

"Equally correct," laughed Hugh. "Mrs. Clarence, your discernment is enormous; you are an ornament."

"Be quiet," said Mrs. Clarence, with a bright, silvery peal. "I have clearly showed that you and Kathie are connected; any other man would be profoundly grateful."

"And so I am," said Hugh, with an admiring glance at the fair face, which crimsoned under his gaze. "But how is it that I have never met my fair relative before?"

"She is not out, you know," said Mrs. Clarence; "and though her debut will be a little delayed, it will take place in Paris, where Mistress Avis has a large circle of friends, all as charming and quaint as herself."

"I shall go to Paris on purpose," said Hugh, laughing, "if she will give me the entree. So you are leaving England for good, Miss Lancaster?"

"I hope not," said Kathie, timidly.

"I thought relations called each other by their Christian names," said Mrs. Clarence, provokingly, flashing a glance of gay defiance at Mr. Marchmont, who was not slow to take up the challenge.

"I hardly dare," he said. "Will Miss Lancaster give me leave? She has one of the sweetest names in the world. I should like to use it, if I may; may I, Kathleen?"

And both the other occupants of the barouche smiled at the half blushing, half smiling consent she gave.

Breakfast at Mrs. Clarence's pretty mansion was a very gay meal. Mistress Avis was there, and quite ready to break a lance with Hugh, who was in capital spirits, and devoted himself with careless gallantry first to her and then to her pretty grand niece, who took his attentions with a shy, blushing grace, perfectly new and strange to Hugh, and possessing attraction and novelty enough to please. None of the damsels he met in the beau monde were like this simple child. They accepted compliment and attention as their due, and were always able to return a Roland for his Oliver; but this one met every compliment with a startled, questioning glance of her sweet eyes, which had a certain charm for Hugh Marchmont which he himself hardly recognized at the time.

And so fun and flirtation went on gaily, until the conversation turned on Andree and Douglas.

"I hope the weather will be fine," said the widow, laughing; "fancy a succession of dull days at Wildlea! I remember spending one day there once on our way to Torquay, and both Mr. Clarence and myself were bored to death."

"Why did you send them to such a place?" said Mistress Avis, snappishly. She had offered her pretty Paris apartment for the occasion, and had been a little vexed at the refusal. "A wet week down in such a wilderness will drive them both wild, and Andree will be asking for a separation before the fortnight is over. What is to be seen there?"

"Oh, the scenery is very lovely, and they can sentimentalize to their hearts' content without any fear of interruption," laughed Mrs. Clarence. "There is not a house within three miles, and Sir Kenneth Donaldson's place is always empty and overrun with rabbits and poachers. I should not have let them go there, only Andree insisted; and as for old Kenny and his wife, I never saw a worse-conditioned old pair."

"It does not sound very promising," said Hugh, more gravely, "but I daresay they are sufficiently in love to make light of physical discomforts, if love ever gets to such a pitch. What say you, Kathie? Will they be able to get anything to eat, Mrs. Clarence, or must they live on love?"

"Even Andree will want something more substantial," she rejoined; "so we have sent down some wonderful hampers from Fortnum & Mason's, containing everything you can think of; from caviare to cayenne, from mayonnaise to mustard. The old people keep a cow and fowls, so that means milk and eggs I suppose."

"And Douglas can turn poacher for the nonce, and taste some of Sir Kenneth's game," said Hugh, gaily. "Don't look shocked, Kathie. When one is at Rome one does as the Romans do; and if stolen Kisses are always sweetest, I don't quite see why stolen game should not be the best flavored."

Hugh Marchmont spent that day at Mrs. Clarence's, and made himself very agreeable to all three ladies, although, if the truth must be told, he preferred the brilliant little widow's mature charms even to Kathie's pretty, girlish grace.

[To be Continued.]

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NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Pittsburg—	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	5	6	4
Philadelphia	6	11	0

Batteries—Phillippi and Zimmer; Donahue and Jacklitz.

At Chicago—			
Chicago	2	4	4
Boston	4	11	2

Batteries—Hughes and Kling; Pittinger and Kittridge.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Cleveland—	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	8	10	4
Boston	10	14	3

Batteries—Moore and Wood; Young and Schreckengost.

At Detroit—			
Detroit	5	10	0
Washington	8	17	2

Batteries—Cronin and Shaw; Patton and Grady and Clarke. Ten innings.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

At Hartford—	R.	H.	E.
Hartford	0	7	2
Toronto	2	7	2

Batteries—Hemming and Steelman; Toft and Hargrove. Umpire, Hunt.

At Montreal—			
Syracuse	3	9	3
Montreal	4	12	1

Batteries—Pfanmiller and Roach; McFarlan and Wilson. Umpires, Page and Barnett.

At Providence—			
Providence	4	7	3
Buffalo	3	9	2

Batteries—Friend and McAulay; Hastings and Speer. Umpire, Braun. Ten innings.

At Worcester—			
Rochester	18	19	2
Worcester	7	19	10

Batteries—Bowen and Phelps; Pappalau and Doran. Umpire, O'Loughlin.

SYRACUSE WILL STAY.

Hartford, Conn., July 17.—A meeting of the Eastern League Baseball Association was held at the Allen House yesterday afternoon, with President Powers and representatives of the Hartford, Rochester, Syracuse, Providence, Worcester and Toronto clubs in attendance. Montreal and Buffalo were represented by proxies. After the meeting President Powers announced that matters had been so adjusted that the Syracuse club will continue in the league, and will play out its regular schedule. It was also stated that Umpire Gaffney, who failed to show up for a game in Providence last week, had been released. The league threw out the game that Syracuse won at Toronto on Dominion Day, when it rained a good part of the game of five innings. The game will be played over. President Powers has decided that the protested game between Rochester and Providence shall be awarded to Providence. One of the player umpires went into the game when another player was injured.

GOLF.

VARDEN'S NEW RECORD.

London, July 17.—Harry Varden in defeating James Braid at Grieff Saturday by 2 up and 1 to play, makes a new single round record of 32 in the last 9 holes.

THE WHEEL.

GREAT RECORD-SMASHING.

New York, July 17.—All previous indoor cycling records from one mile to fifteen miles were smashed by Will Stinson, of Cambridge, Mass., on the ten-lap track in Madison Square Garden on Monday night. Stinson met Johnny Nelson, of Chicago, in a fifteen mile motor-paced race, and from beginning to end rode at breakneck speed. He finally beat Nelson about 675 yards. Stinson's time in consecutive miles follows: 2:52 2-5, 3:32 2-5, 5:09 3-5, 6:09 3-5, 7:46 3-5, 8:30 2-5, 10:14 1-5, 11:59 4-5, 13:43, 15:29 4-5, 17:07 4-5, 18:52 2-5, 20:32 2-5, 22:18 2-5, 23:59 2-5, 25:42 2-5.

TURF.

DETROIT BLUE RIBBON MEETING.

Detroit, July 17.—Ten thousand people saw Eleata, a 4-year-old black mare, bred on the Palo Alto farm in California, and owned by the Hon. Frank Jones, of New Hampshire, win the $10,000 Merchants' and Manufacturers' stake for 2:24 class trotters at the Grosse Pointe track yesterday afternoon, and lower the record for the race from 2:10¼ to 2:08¾. In the early auctions Eleata brought $100 to $200 for the field, but when the first heat was called she was bringing $50 to $85. Neva Simmons was second choice in the betting, but could not get better than third place in the race. Fifteen horses answered the starter's bell when the first heat of the M. and M. was called, and it was a hard field to get off. Neva Simmons had the pole, but she broke before the first turn, and Eleata took the lead as they turned for the back stretch, and held it to the wire. Neva Simmons took second in this heat by splendid trotting on the back stretch, after Driver Prince had gotten her on her feet again. Eleata was in front all the way in the second heat, although Country J. made a strong bid in the stretch. Going steady as a clock, the black mare took the third heat in record time, and was greeted with enthusiastic cheers as she came under the wire, with Driver March looking back and shaking his head at the others, six to ten lengths in the rear. Results:

2:20 pace, purse $1,500:

Helen D., b.m., by Crafty (Maloney)	1	1	1
College Boy, b.s. (McLachlan)	2	4	2
Xava, ch.m. (McLane)	6	3	2

Time—2:12½, 2:11⅝, 2:13¾.

Mississippi King, Cousin Madge, Fred Pabst and John H. also paced.

Merchants' and Manufacturers' stake, $10,000, for 2:24 class trotting:

Eleata, blk. m., by Dexter Prince

—Elden, by Nephew (Marsh)	1	1	1
Country J., ch.g. (Macey)	15	2	3
Neva Simmons, b.m. (Prince)	2	3	4
Iva Dee	7	9	2
Louise Jefferson	3	3	5
Poindexter	6	4	9
Porto Rico	4	7	13
A. J. D.	5	10	7
Alberta D.	14	6	6
Quody Gir	8	12	8
Algonetta	9	14	12
George Smith	10	11	11
John Hooper	12	13	10
Ted	11	5	ds
Belle Kuzer	13	ds	

Time—2:12, 2:11, 2:08¾.

2:16 class, pacing; purse $1,500:

Braden, b.s., by Brown Hal (Miller)	1	1	
Capt. Hotter, gr.g. (Erwin)	2	2	
C. F. W., blk.s. (Higby)	3	3	

Time—2:10, 2:12. The Minister, Winfield Stratton, Joe Lisco, Joan, Meda, Medium, Hal Patchen, Jack Mont, Guinette, Maiden Queen and Hal Stockings also paced.

2:08 class, trotting; purse $1,500:

Boralma, ch.g., by Boreal (Gatcomb)	1	1	
The Monk, br.g. (Noble)	3	2	
King Mond, b.g. (Marsh)	2	3	

Time—2:09½, 2:07¾.

FORT ERIE RACES.

Fort Erie, Ont., July 17.—Weather very warm; track fast.

First race, 6 furlongs—Khaki 1, Delmarch 2, Shark 3. Time, 1:14¼.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Doyle's Commoner 1, Harry Beck 2, Paul Creyton 3. Time, 1:01.

Third race, 1 mile—Orontas 1, Sailor King 2, Lizzie A. 3. Time, 1:40½.

Fourth race, 4½ furlongs—St. Lazarus 1, Nono 2, J. Patrick 3. Time, :56¼.

Fifth race, 6½ furlongs—Violent 1, Hurry 2, Ahamo 3. Time, 1:22½.

Sixth race, 1¼ miles—Flag of Truce 1, Cogswell 2, Dolly Wagner 3. Time, 1:55.

THE OAR.

LONDON ROWING CLUB.

At the annual meeting of the London Rowing and Canoe Club, held yesterday, the following were elected directors: M. J. Kent, Col. Macbeth, A. St. L. McIntosh, H. S. Blackburn, E. Weld, Isaac Waterman, G. A. Somerville, A. Parfitt and Harley Brown.

THE WINNIPEG CREW.

Toronto, July 17.—The Winnipeg crew that is to contest for the championship at the national regatta at Philadelphia, arrived in Toronto from the west at 1:30 Monday. A likelier lot of fellows never were seen—strong, broad-shouldered, and who look to be able to pull the side out of the boat. Capt. Riley says the boys feel a little travel-stained, but otherwise in the best of shape. Of the old heads, none came with the crew save Charley Johnston, who will help pull the westerners to victory. The whole party comprises sixteen. The Winnipeggers are the guests of the Argonauts during their stay in town. What the Winnipeg men hope to win is the national championship, but they realize that it will be a hard struggle.

HANLAN TO BECOME AN AMERICAN

New York, July 17.—Edward Hanlan is to be Columbia University's permanent rowing coach. Moreover, he is to make New York his home in the future, and will become an American citizen. This arrangement was made on Monday at a meeting between Mr. Hanlan and the committee in charge of rowing at Columbia. The excellent showing by the 'varsity crew at Poughkeepsie, after so many miserable failures, thoroughly pleased attendants at the college, and the Hon's share of the credit was given to the coaching. In the agreement reached on Monday, Mr. Hanlan was engaged for a long term of years—just how long neither he nor the members of the rowing committee would say. He is to be here for such a period, however, that he has decided to become a full-fledged American. He will leave for his home at Toronto in a few days, and will return in the fall with his family.

YACHTING.

SHAMROCK TO SAIL JULY 25.

Gourock, July 17.—Sir Thomas Lipton's Shamrock II. will sail for New York on July 25. Sir Thomas Lipton, speaking yesterday to a press representative, said the result of the trials between the two Shamrocks in the Firth of Clyde had given him every confidence in the challenger, and had undoubtedly stamped the challenger as the fastest yacht this side of the water. Sir Thomas said he thought the Shamrock II. was able to beat the Shamrock I. by eight minutes in a 30-mile course, and he therefore considered she had a good prospect of sailing against the American competitor. Mr. Watson said the challenger had done all he had expected of her.

BASEBALLS THAT ARE "LIVELY" OR "DEAD"

Why a Standard Ball Is Necessary to All Recognized Leagues.

One of the features of the National agreement that minor leagues seem to find fault with generally is the requirement to use the official league ball in all their games, says a baseball writer. President Kent, of the new Southern League, is the latest to inquire of President Young whether his league would be allowed to use a ball selected by himself. He, of course, received a negative answer. "Some minor leagues look upon this requirement to use a standard base ball as a hardship," said President Young. "The fact is, that if a uniform ball were not used by all National agreement clubs no true line could be formed of a young player's ability. The National League clubs spend anywhere from $15,000 to $20,000 a year for minor league players. They decide on players to be purchased only after careful study of their batting and fielding records. Now, suppose the minors decide to use a much livelier ball than that used by the league; of what use would their records be? To allow such a thing would simply be returning to the primitive days of the game. I remember very well that when I was a member of the Olympic club here in the sixties, the games were mostly decided on what kind of a ball the home club put in play. There was Ross' 'dead,' 'lively,' and 'medium' in those days, and all had their use. When the old hard-hitting Athletics or Atlantics came to Washington, you can be sure they batted a ball as dead as a stone; with weaker clubs we used the 'lively.' I believe I have weighed over 100,000 balls of the official stamp, and I have never known one to be an ounce out of the way."

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PLAYERS' SALARIES MUCH TOO HIGH

Manager Hanlon Thinks Big League Club Will Lose Money.

While the Cincinnati team was in the east last, one of the reporters accompanying that team had a most interesting talk with Manager Hanlon on the salary question, and reports the astute Brooklyn man as looking forward to a sure cut in salaries in the future. Here is Mr. Zuber's report of his interview:

Manager Hanlon, of the Brooklyns, is of the opinion that league salaries are too high, and that because of the exorbitant salaries that are being paid in both the National and American Leagues, there is little prospect of clubs in either organization making any money this year. "Last winter, when I was asked what it would cost to run the individual American League clubs," said Hanlon, "I was ridiculed by President Johnson and others when I said that it would take in the neighborhood of $70,000 to pay the expenses of each club for the season. Mr. Johnson said that $35,000 would be nearer the right figure. Since that time several of the American League gentlemen have confessed that, at the present rate of expenditure, it will cost them at least $65,000 on the season. And you can gamble on it that the figures will go higher than that. I knew what I was talking about when I made that statement last fall. Our expenses for last year were $90,000, which included the large salary that I am receiving (Hanlon gets $10,000 a year). With expenses so high and the clubs playing to 25 cent ball, there is little chance of any of them making money under existing conditions. And it seems that the only salvation lies in reasonable salaries." All of which would indicate that the golden era in the matter of players' salaries which is on this year will be extremely short-lived.

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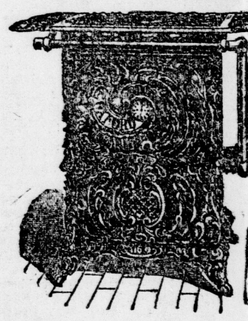
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TO ENTERTAIN THE OLD BOYS

Executive Committee Adopt General Programme Submitted.

Features of Last Year's Celebration Will Be Followed in the Main Particulars.

The executive committee of the Old Boys' Association met last night, the chair being occupied by B. C. McCann, in the absence of President Love. Those present were Messrs. F. Cooper, Wm. Ward, W. Bartlett, Ald. Cooper, E. Flock, Ald. Gerry, J. W. Jones, R. W. Bennett, R. A. Carrothers, Ald. Stevely, F. Wood, Dr. English, Mayor Rumball and Secretary Bell.

Reports from the several sub-committees were submitted. The report of the sports committee was considered by clauses and finally adopted. A suggestion, that a reception be held at Queen's Park on Tuesday afternoon to entertain the visiting ladies, aroused considerable discussion. A few were favorable to holding it in the pavilion at Springbank on Monday afternoon, but the suggestion of the sub-committee was finally sustained. Ald. Stevely, Cooper, Winnett, Gerry, Messrs. E. Flock, J. W. Jones and Dr. English were appointed a committee to complete arrangements and report at a subsequent meeting of the executive.

The committee recommended that sports be held at Springbank on Monday afternoon, and that in the evening a grand tattoo be held at the same place. On Tuesday afternoon, the sports will take place at Queen's Park, and a band concert given in the evening at Victoria Park. On Wednesday afternoon, after a trolley ride over the city lines, the visitors will go to Springbank, where a band concert will be rendered by the 7th Band. Such was the programme laid out and adopted, but many of the details are yet to be perfected.

Reports were also presented by the band, railway and refreshment committees. It was decided that members of the local association wear uniform hats during the celebration. Several samples of headgear were on exhibition and a choice was made. It was resolved that no expense be incurred by any committee without the consent of the executive committee. Mayor Rumball, Ald. Garratt, R. W. Bennet and R. A. Carrothers were appointed a committee to interview the hotel proprietors for the purpose of soliciting subscriptions.

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A LOCAL BUDGET.

—The new Chesley avenue school is nearly ready for roofing.

—The Maitland Street Baptist Church Sunday school picnicked at Port yesterday.

—All Saints' Church Sunday school are holding their annual picnic at Port Stanley today.

—Mr. John Gerry, who was recently injured in a runaway accident, is gradually improving.

—The corner stone of the new Roman Catholic Church, on Lyle street, is to be laid on July 28.

—D. S. Perrin & Co. and the McCormick Manufacturing Company employes picnic at Port Stanley on Saturday.

—Arrangements are perfected for handling the large crowds that will go to Detroit Saturday with the Grand Trunk employes.

—A summer conference of the Baptists of Elgin county is to be held at Port Burwell, Aug. 4 to 14, under the auspices of the Elgin Baptist Association.

—A large number of the members of the Masonic fraternity in this city left for Hamilton this morning to be present at the opening of the Grand Lodge.

—It is rumored that Mr. J. K. Paisley, who has given up the Iroquois Hotel in Toronto, will be connected with one of the largest hotels in London.

—The St. Matthew's Church Sunday school picnic, which was to have been held at Springbank yesterday, was postponed owing to the unfavorable weather.

—Dr. Fred Wood, accompanied by his wife and family, returned from Long Point last evening, after a four days' outing. They brought with them over two hundred bass, the largest fish weighing three pounds four ounces.

—Mr. Moses Cox, the contractor for the sewer on John street, wishes the public to understand that John street is not a thoroughfare while excavations for sewer are in progress, and that he will not be responsible for any damage that may occur through the public using the street for traffic.

FIRST CAR TO BROUGH'S BRIDGE

A car ran to Brough's Bridge on the new line yesterday. At present a 15-minute service is given. A drop fare of two cents is charged.

A HANDSOME HANGER.

Among the attractive lithographs which are being issued to advertise the Western Fair is a handsome hanger, showing a typical old son of the soil "preparing for the 34th annual fair." He is sitting husking corn, and with the lucky red ear in his hand, is thinking of prizes won in the past and hoping for more success in the future.

EGAN—FOX.

Miss Margaret Fox, daughter of the late Mr. James Fox, of Grey street, and Mr. M. J. Egan, of Martinsburg, Neb., were married at St. Mary's Church, Hill street, yesterday morning. The bridesmaid was Miss Lena Fox, and the best man was Mr. John Burke, of St. Thomas. Rev. Father Traher, rector of St. Mary's Church, officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Egan will reside in Nebraska.

The Fall Fairs.

WESTERN FAIR, LONDON	Sept. 5-14
Industrial Fair, Toronto	Aug. 26-Sept. 7
Kingston, Kingston	Sept. 9-13
Guelph Central, Guelph	Sept. 17-19
West Middlesex, Strathroy	Sept. 17-19
North Brant, Paris	Sept. 26-27
Great Northwestern, Goderich	Oct. 1-2
N. R. of Oxford, Woodstock	Oct. 1-2
North Grey, Owen Sound	Oct. 2-4
Peninsular, Chatham	Oct. 8-10
Caledonia, Caledonia	Oct. 10-11
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Adages have been quoted all down the ages in a vain endeavor to get us to stop taking pride in ourselves, in our possessions, in anything at all that has "my" before it; rather should we observe, say they, that which is good in others, and give to it the glory, rather than to our own. This is all very well, but is there not a limit to such a mode of procedure?—do we not sometimes fail to appreciate that which we have and allocate honor wrongly? This is not an homily upon adages—far from it—but the thought was suggested by a conversation with a well-known lover of horseflesh, of hunters especially. Few Londoners know, though it is a fact nevertheless, that the London district, as a country for hunters, has only one equal in America, the famous lands of Old Virginia. Men who know of horses throughout the United States and Canada know this; but the Londoner himself knows less of it than of the country's qualities round about Spion Kop or Pekin or any other outlandish place. We work on the principle that takes Canadian and United States tourists to the Giants' Causeway before they have seen Niagara Falls.

THE OLD GARRISON DAYS.

One of the reasons for the supremacy of the London districts brings thoughts of the city's earlier days, when hunting was not so frequently indulged in by gentlemen engaged in a business life—to the old garrison days, when well-cultivated farms in the country roundabout were scarcer than now, and street lanterns in the town were seen more often. The officers of the regiments stationed here brought with them from England, English ideals of all things, sports among others, and what was of vast importance to the district of to-day, and to its fair name as a tip-top horse country, they brought with them their English hunters—thoroughbreds of the best blood, steeplechasers for the most part—and these formed the foundation for the class of stock that we have here today. They were of the thoroughbred type that is essential in saddle horses and hunters. In the years that have since elapsed, the blood has been crossed with imported thoroughbreds, such as the noted Lapidist, Newcourt, Albert, Strychino, and many others, and the qualities that are requisite in the hunter have thus been retained. There is, besides, one other influence that has had and is having a noteworthy effect upon the kind of horse bred here—that is, the climate. Fruits, grains, vegetables, everything matures slowly here, and for that reason with better final results. So, too, with people and animals. In Southern California, where the breeding of horses is an immense business, in which enormous sums are invested, the young horse matures very rapidly—it is as big when a two-year-old as a London horse is at five or six; but there is

A MIGHTY BIG DIFFERENCE

in the long run, for when the London horse is still strong, and in good fettle, the nag from down California way is old, is weakened, is good for nothing. A man who breeds thousands of horses each year in the Golden State commented upon this fact not long ago, and said to a London breeder:

"Tell me what it is that makes the horses from up your way so lasting. Why, years after ours are gone, yours are as hard as a nail."

"I'll tell you," said the London man. "It's our climate. We develop slowly up there; it's a moderate country; but when the horse is matured, it lasts; its bone and sinew is closer knit, and more durable. We're a year slower in developing, but we get a better horse."

A good horse, naturally adapted and well-trained, is needed to keep with the hounds on a 'cross-country run. Above all, it must have "quality," which means staying power, wind and endurance; it must have substance and size to carry weight over a rough country; and intelligence, also, is most necessary. Although hunted by an expert rider, a horse is often called upon to use its own judgment, at times, too, when a mistake would mean a fall or a bad accident.

LONDON'S FAMOUS HORSES.

Such qualities were possessed in high degree by the champion hunters that have honorably borne the name of London district abroad — by Rosebery, Queensbery, Maud, Ladylike and Longshot, by Fellowship and Heatherbloom, by Eagleplume and Lord Ranelagh. These, and scores of others, all from within a radius of 50 miles of London, have repeatedly won, and continue each year to win, championship honors, defeating the best American-bred and imported Irish hunters, at the big United States and Canadian shows.

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TAN-BARK FLOOR OF MADISON SQUARE GARDEN.

A writer has said that hunters "are, like poets, born and not made," but he modifies the statement by adding that "there is no telling what splendid qualities lie latent in any horse." However splendid they may be, it takes many months of patient, painstaking effort to produce from the raw material of a Middlesex colt, the finished article as we see it in Longshot, the London horse that keeps the Duke of Marlborough close to the hounds, on in a score of others equally good. A horse begins his training when between three and four years of age, and it cannot become a safe and reliable hunter until it has had one full year of schooling and one year of actual work across country.

TRAINING A HUNTER.

In training a hunter, as in all things, individual customs are followed, but the most used plan is to turn the horse loose in a paddock and teach it small jumps without the saddle or bridle. They are kept at this according to the aptitude they display—some for only a week, and others, if they show any promise at all, for six months. The height is increased gradually, and when the horse is clever at the work and knows when it comes to the timber, that it is supposed to clear it, the saddle is put on, and it is "mouthed." A horse is not allowed upon a field until it can jump surely and safely. It is no uncommon thing hereabouts for a horse to jump six feet and over, and any number might be mentioned that have cleared the poles at seven feet. The excellence of such jumping and its importance may be inferred from the following remarks of the writer previously quoted: "During an ordinary run fences higher than four feet are the usual thing. Englishmen, fresh from the stiffest country abroad, view this going with concern, and 'Brooksby,' the celebrated hunting authority of The Field, once italicised the fact that the timber was four feet and over."

THE HUNT CLUB.

Hunting round about London has been established for many years. The London Hunt is known all over the continent for the quality of the horses owned by the members and the high standard of sport that it maintains. It has a membership now of over 130, this number includes several Detroit and Cleveland gentlemen, who are well-known 'cross-country riders, Unfortunately barbed wire has long since prevented hunting the live fox, and it has been necessary on this account to resort to the drag, which is used almost exclusively in America and in many parts of England. The drag has many features that commend it to the huntsman. The members are sure of a run; and, in a country where time, even in sports, is a great consideration, it adds much to the sport's popularity when its followers may be sure of a twelve or fifteen mile gallop, which may be accomplished within the hour. The country over which the runs are usually made is a beautiful rolling land with plenty of stiff barriers to give the necessary zest. The rider to hounds with the London Hunt has pleasure, too, in the knowledge that there is no country in America where a better feeling exists between the members and farmers through whose farms they are privileged to pass.

BRITISH REMOUNTS.

It is a far cry, one may say, from the drag hunting of the London Hunt to the remounting of the British soldier in the Transvaal; but it is pardonable, surely, when we remember that the hunting is done in Canada's best horse country, and that Canadian horses, in large numbers, are now being bought by the Imperial Government. The horsemen of the London district are elated over the turn that the remount business has taken, and since Col. Dent's visit to the Northwest, are more convinced than ever that London should be made a remount station. The horses here, it is admitted by the English army officers, are the best in Canada, not even excepting the horses of the Northwest. They want small, light, strong horses, with "quality." They must be quick and easily handled, like those of the Boers, whom they will be used against. The quality of this district's horses, and the satisfaction that they give to the government's representatives, is proved by the large percentage that has been accepted, of the horses offered. Much larger numbers have been available here than in other places. When Col. Dent was at London one lot of 64 was inspected and 60 passed. A large number was taken from here on another occasion. Less than a week ago 150 were offered in Toronto and only 70 were accepted, and in another place only 8 were taken out of 80. At present there is a transport waiting for a cargo of 1,100 horses, and not getting the number wanted in the Northwest, the remount purchasers have returned to this city where they expect to complete the shipment from the 500 horses now awaiting inspection.

The horsemen of London say that the straw shows which way the wind is blowing, and are hoping that the recognition of the district's merits as a horse-producing country will soon become more general, and result in the establishment of the British Government remount station.

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This Day in London Thirty-Three Years Ago.

[From The Advertiser Files of July 17, 1868.]

Spring wheat today was $1 40 per bushel; oats, 48c to 50c per bushel; hay, $8 a ton for old, and $6 to $7 for new.

Grand Trunk time table was signed by C. J. Brydges as general manager.

St. Peter's Church picnic to Port Stanley; fare 30 cents; children half price.

Prof. John Wood advertised to walk on a tight rope stretched across the street from the City Hall. He would do it blindfolded, with baskets on his feet, etc.

An excursion to Sarnia by Great Western. Round fare, 50 cents.

Rev. E. H. Dewart, then at Ingersoll, had a contribution on Canadian literature, regretting its neglect, but expressing hope for its future.

Among the advertisements of 33 years ago, today were Whan & McLean, clearing sale; R. S. Murray, Venetian blinds; A. Chisholm & Co., clearing sale; R. S. T. Davidson & Co., English broadcloths, cassimeres and doeskins; J. H. Griffiths, art photography; J. McMechan, store to let; John Cooper, photography; P. C. Barnard, auction sale of drygoods; John Nitschke, new music.

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Men's Summer Vests for 75c.
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Made of good quality tweed, in large and medium checks, double seats and buttoned cuffs, regular price $2 75, for.....$1 38

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