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AWFUL SLAVERY IN ALABAMA; RICH PLANTER SENTENCED

He Pleads Guilty to Peonage and Is Given Five Years.

NEGROES BRUTALLY WHIPPED

Conditions as Bad as Those Before the War—Further Arrests Are Likely to Be Made.

Chicago, June 26. — The Tribune has the following specials:

Montgomery, Ala., June 24. — J. W. Pace, a planter of Tallapoosa county, Ala., was today found guilty of holding negroes in involuntary servitude and sentenced to five years in prison. Mr. Pace was under eleven indictments and was found guilty under each indictment, but as he was sentenced to serve his punishments in all cases concurrently he will only suffer the single five-year penalty. This concession was made because of the advanced age of the defendant and his feebie condition, it being represented that he might die before he reached prison. When the cases were called demurrers were filed in all of the cases and overruled. The defendant then pleaded guilty in all of the eleven cases. An appeal to the circuit court of appeals at New Orleans, La., to make a test case was filed upon giving bond in the sum of $5,000 in one of these cases. He was released from custody in the others.

Pace was charged with holding in peonage the following negroes: John Davis, Charles Williams, Doc Crenshaw, Pat Hill, Ed Moody, Jim Caldwell, Rina Scott, Otis Myers, Owens Gren and Ephraim Pope. It is said that the negroes were treated cruelly at Pace's farm, many being brutally whipped. It is said that Owens Green, a negro, was whipped so severely that many bones in his body were broken, and that his power of speech was interfered with. When Mr. Pace made his statement to the judge he acknowledged that he was guilty. He said: "I plead guilty to the offenses and would like your honor to be merciful." The judge then asked him if he had anything to say why sentence should not be passed upon him and he replied in the negative. The judge then sentenced him.

Mr. Pace is considered one of the wealthiest men in Tallapoosa county.

The pleading guilty of Mr. Pace practically means that the others indicted will more than likely do the same, as he was considered the principal defendant. After Mr. Pace made bond he left immediately for his nome at Dadeville, Ala. The conspiracy cases against him were continued until the next term of the court.

Macon, Ga., June 24. — In the United States court today Judge Speer imposed a fine of $100 each on three young men, William Shy, Arthur Clawson and Robert Turner, for holding a negro in involuntary servitude. The offense was that the young men, who are farmers, caught a negro who had gotten in debt to them, gave him a whipping and made him go to work for them. Judge Speer said that the problem of the times could not be solved by harsh measures, and wanted it distinctly understood that the laws of Georgia were against such treatmenfl.

THE HUNGARIAN CRISIS

Makeup of New Cabinet to Be Submitted Shortly.

Budapest, June 26. — Count Hedervary expects to submit the names of the members of a new Hungarian cabinet to Emperor Francis Joseph to morrow. The late ministry will probably retain office, with the exception of Baron Fejervary, the former Minister of National Defense, and Count Szechenyi, who was minister near the King's person. The former objects to Count Hedervary's surrender to the members of the Kossuth party, in abandoning the proposed increase of the number of Hungarian recruits for the imperial army.

A Factory Record Smashed.

Chicago, June 26.—The South Chicago plant of the Illinois Steel Company yesterday turned out 1,894 tons of steel rails, breaking the world's record, which has been 1,772 for a day's work. In celebration of the successful day the company presented every man in the rail department with a box of cigars.

Somali Campaign.

London, June 26.—The camel corps which is about to be dispatched from India to Somaliland is not a fighting unit, but is to be employed for transport work along the Bohotle-Berbera road to make up wastage. The question of the introduction of transport carts pending the proposed construction of a light military railway from the coast to Bohotle is receiving consideration. It is realized that the whole crux of the situation is that of transport and this matter is seriously occupying the attention of the authorities. The question for the moment is not one of importing fresh troops, but of devising some means of surmounting transport difficulties and meanwhile the attitude of the British in Somaliland will be purely defensive.

LADY HERBERT'S PRECIOUS JEWELS

Wife of the British Ambassador to the United States

LOSES STONES WORTH $15,000

Satchel Was Left on Newport Pier and Was Tossed Into the Baggageroom.

Newport, R. I., June 26.—Despite the delightful farewell that members of the British embassy gave Lady Herbert, wife of the British ambassador, upon her departure Wednesday, her peace of mind during her journey to New York was greatly disturbed by the loss of a satchel containing jewels worth $15,000, and highly prized by Lady Herbert on account of their associations. By chance the satchel fell into the hands of a responsible person after it had been kicked around the pier here for three hours.

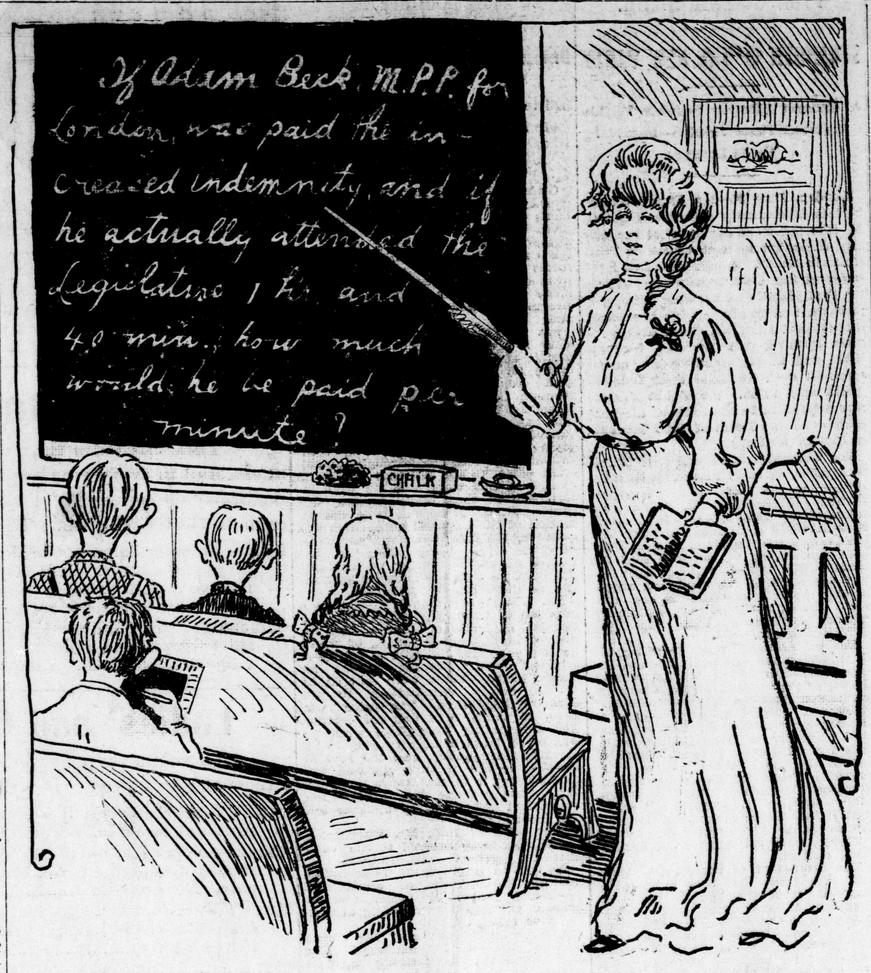
There appeared to have been some misunderstanding as to who was to care for the satchel, and see that it was taken aboard the boat, though it is never permitted on such occasions to get from under the watchful eye of either Lady Herbert or her maid. The bag remained where the servant, who was busy with many things, had left it, against the steps of the restaurant. It was seen by the station agent, S. S. C. Wilson, after the boat had departed, but he was under the impression that it belonged to an excursionist who was taking luncheon inside. As the bag apparently contained nothing of value it was not taken up until the station agent saw it in the same place a few hours later. He believed that it had been forgotten and tossed it into the freight house, where it remained until a trusted servant from the residence of Mr. Richard T. Wilson, Lady Herbert's father, came to the dock in a hurry and somewhat excited. He asked for a satchel that Lady Herbert thought she had left on the dock by mistake.

The satchel was given to him at once and sent forward to New York under such conditions as would insure its safety and its delivery to Lady Herbert before she and her husband would sail for England. Meanwhile Lady Herbert, much worried, was anxiously awaiting news of the missing satchel from friends at Newport, who had been advised of its loss by telegraph, and had been requested to search for it.

The fact that the bag was missing was discovered by lady Herbert while on the train bound for New York.

An Arkansas Lynching.

Clarendon, Ark., June 26.—A mob of 50 masked men yesterday hanged Jack Harris, a negro, to the porch of a building in the suburbs of this city. Harris assaulted and seriously injured John Coburn, a white farmer. The mob forcibly took him from the custody of the sheriff.



PREPARATIONS FOR TRIBUNAL

Hon. Clifford Sifton Talks of His English Trip.

JUSTICE ARMOUR CANNOT ACT

Owing to His Continued Ill-Health—View in England as to Chamberlain's Plan.

Ottawa, June 25.—Hon. Clifford Sifton returned to the city today and was heartily welcomed by his colleagues in the cabinet and the members from the West. In conversation this afternoon the Minister of the Interior said: "We worked very laboriously on the preparation of Canada's case for the Alaska boundary tribunal, and when that wag completed our staff took up the preparation of the counter case. I learn by cable from Mr. Wade that the counter case goes to the printer today. We have had a number of discussions as to the preliminary date for argument, but it is quite unsettled as yet. I am very well satisfied with the presentation of our case as it is now."

"Have the British Government been supporting Canada's position?"

"The Government have taken our position throughout, and have stood by us. We have no fault to find with them in connection with the case."

"Will Mr. Justice Armour be able to act on the commission?"

"It is quite impossible to hope that he will take any part in the matter. Another jurist will probably have to be appointed for Canada."

"What is the opinion in England in regard to Mr. Chamberlain's preferential trade proposition?"

"At the time Mr. Chamberlain made his speech it was practically the sole subject of discussion in circles where public business is discussed. The outcome so the dicussion it is impossible to see at the present time. The Liberal party is pretty largely hostile to the proposition in any form, so far as can be seen at the present time. There is also, unquestionably, a strong section of the Conservative party who manifest the keenest hostility to it, while it is said that some Liberals are in favor of the proposition. Opinion, therefore, is not divided on party lines. The opposition to it is founded upon the belief that it is a proposition to tax food. Mr. Chamberlain undoubtedly exercises a very powerful influence on English public opinion, and any scheme that he brings forward will receive great attention."

"What is your opinion of Mr. Chamberlain?"

"He is a very able man, of great breadth of view, and very desirous of promoting what he believes to be the true interests of the Empire."

"From the tone of the comment in some of the English newspapers they apparently consider that Canada might assume a larger share of the expenditure for Imperial defense purposes?"

"My impression is that there is a very strong opinion in England that the larger colonies ought to do something, but I do not think there is any disposition to be unpleasant about it."

"How are Canadian affairs regarded in England?"

"As to the general position of affairs in England, everything is very satisfactory. The interest that is being taken in Canadian affairs is very much on the increase, and organizations are being perfected for the purpose of facilitating trade and other objects. It is quite evident that the people in England attach very much more importance to their colonial possessions than they did a few years ago.'

"How did you find emigration matters?"

"Most satisfactory, in view of the success of our emigration work and the increased scope of it. We could not have handled it all but for our London office and the new organization. Mr. Preston is doing excellent work."

Mr. Sifton did not visit his office today, but will be there early tomorrow.

M. WITTE PROMISES

Kisheneff Jews Apply for Rehabilitation of Credit.

St. Petersburg, June 26. — Finance Minister Witte today received a deputation from the mercantile community of Kishineff, consisting of two Jews and a Christian, asking for a moratorium for bills of exchange and other facilities rehabilitating the credit of those who suffered from the recent events at Kishineff. M. Witte promised to do everything possible to meet the requests.

SCHELL'S SEAT NOT FORFEITED

Committee on Elections Decides the Sale Was Not Government Transaction.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Ont., June 26.—The committee on privileges and elections will not ask that the seat of Jacob T. Schell, of Glengarry, be declared vacant. At a meeting of the committee this morning the statement of the member that the $5 50 sale made by the Alexandria firm of McPherson & Schell to W. D. Scott, Government agent at the Glasgow Exhibition, was made in good faith and was not a Government transaction, was accepted. A report will be made to the House to that effect.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Friday, June 26.

Sun rises..4:37 a.m. Moon rises..6:23 a.m.
Sun sets...8:03 p.m. Moon sets...9:09 p.m.

Tomorrow—Unsettled.

Toronto, June 25—8 p.m.

Showers and local thunderstorms have occurred from Eastern Ontario to the Maritime Provinces, and also locally in the Northwest Territories. Elsewhere in Canada it has been fair. Warm weather prevails in the Territories and Manitoba, while it is cool in all other parts of the Dominion.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 52—62; Calgary, 50—66; Swift Current, 48—82; Winnipeg, 48—84; Port Arthur, 48—72; Parry Sound, 54—66; Toronto, 52—71; Ottawa, 54—64; Montreal, 50—66; Quebec, 52—60; Halifax, 44—52.

Friday, June 26—8 a.m.

FORECASTS.

Today—Light variable winds; fine.

Saturday—Easterly winds; becoming unsettled and again showery by night.

Temperatures.

Stations.	8 a.m.	Min.	Weather.
Calgary	50	44	Cloudy
Winnipeg	66	52	Fair
Parry Sound	56	50	Cloudy
Toronto	62	48	Clear
Ottawa	60	50	Cloudy
Montreal	60	56	Cloudy
Quebec	58	52	Cloudy
Father Point	48	44	Rain

WEATHER NOTES.

The weather is now fine throughout Ontario, and is likely to clear up in Quebec. The outlook is not very promising, however, in the former province, as another disturbance is approaching the great lakes from the southwest. The weather continues fine in the Northwest Territories and Manitoba, and the temperature exceeded 80° yesterday in Assiniboia and Manitoba.

Local temperatures: Thursday—Highest, 67°; lowest, 51.5°.

INCIDENTS THAT DISCREDIT GAMEY

Mr. Graham Talks of the Admitted Deception

AS REGARDS $900 DEPOSIT

He Points Out That a Conservative Solicitor Examined Crossin Books With Mr. McEvoy.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Ont., June 26.—On the opening of the Legislature today Mr. Graham continued his address. He justified the appointment of a royal commission, and said a committee of the House would have been bound to bring in the same finding on the evidence adduced. The proof depended on the substantiating of details. The leader of the Opposition had said he believed the charges were mainly true.

Mr. Whitney—I said mainly proved.

Although the payment of money was the greatest transaction in his whole life, Gamey was unable to give the exact date the money was paid and the name of the person who handed it to him. The Provincial Secretary would be a natural born fool to pay over money to agents. Mr. Graham said McEvoy had no access to the Crossin books exept when in company with the Conservative solicitor. Mr. McEvoy had refused to look at the books unless accompanied by some representative of the prosecution. Moreover, Mr. Gamey had not definitely denied taking the missing leaves. There had been palpable and admitted deception in connection with the $900 deposit while the trip to Buffalo and the, bank deposit slip incident were alone sufficient to discredit Mr. Gamey. Nobody believed that Sullivan loaned Gamey $1,200.

Gamey had admitted using the money in his own business, and if his statement was true he still had $1,-200.

Mr. Gamey—Judge Boyd has $2,000.

Mr. Graham dwelt on the fact that when Gamey destroyed the agreement with Frank Sullivan he destroyed the only documentary evidence which he possessed. No judge on earth would convict Mr. Stratton on Gamey's evidence.

Mr. Foy took the floor a few minutes before adjournment and will continue his speech this afternoon.

CAN'T FIND BROTHERS

Detectives Looking for Two Brothers Thought to Be in This City.

Detectives who are working on the case believe that Charles and Henry Clanahan, of Ekfrid, are in hiding somewhere in this vicinity. Since reports of the issuing of warrants appeared in the papers they have not been seen, and the work of the detectives has so far ben fruitless. The two brothers are charged with assaulting a bartender in an Ekfrid hotel, who refused to give them liquor. Detective Northgreaves discovered that the brothers had left for parts unknown. It is believed that they came to this city and that they are now in hiding in this vicinity.

DEATH OF MRS MAGEE.

The death of Mrs. Mary A. Magee took place at her home, 132 Maple street, this afternoon, at 12:30 o'clock. The members of her family were present. The deceased, who had been a respected resident of the city for many years, was the widow of the late George Greer Magee.

KING EDWARD'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED IN OLD LONDON

Japan Impatient.

Tokio, June 26—Public impatience regarding the Manchurian question is growing daily. Even the most sober journals advocate that resolute steps be taken in order to terminate the harassing suspense, which is checking all peaceful developments. They declare that the nation would give the ministry united support in taking strong measures, the responsibility for which would rest with Russia. A council of all the leading statesmen is to be held at the palace to discuss the situation, the gravity of which is fully recognized in official circles. It is believed by many that rumor exaggerates the weakness of the Chinese Government.

Brilliant Scene at Trooping of the Colors.

ROYALTY AND NOBILITY THERE

Many Americans and Foreign Military Attaches Present—Warm Welcome From Citizens.

London June 26.—King Edward's birthday was officially celebrated today in London and at all the home naval and military stations. All the government buildings were decorated with flags, salutes were fired, the warships at all the ports dressed ship and the troops were reviewed. The main function yas the trooping of the colors on the Horse Guards parade here' which the King attended on horseback. This was the first time he had ridden since is last illness. The parade ground presented a highly picturesque scene. Queen Alexandra, the Princess of Wales, the Duchess of Albany, the Duke and Duchess of Fife the Duchess of Connaught, Princess Henry of Battenburg and their children and the Khedive of Egypt occupied seats in the central window of the Horse Guards building, while all the other vantage points were occupied by smartly-dressed women, cabinet ministers, members of the House of Lords and House of Commons and others. Many Americans were present, including the staff of the United States embassy and the American rifle team, who were under the guidance of Major-General Lord Cheylesmore.

The King, who wore the uniform of colonel of the Grenadier Guards, rode on the ground surrounded by a brilliant staff, including the Prince of Wales, the Duke of Connaught' Field Marshal Lord Roberts and others of the headquarter's staff and an unusually large gathering of foreign military attaches. As his majesty halted at the saluting base, the massed bands played the national anthem. After an inspection of the troops the ceremony of trooping the colors was carried out. Their majesties returned to Buckingham Palace heartily cheered by the crowds along the route.

REDISTRIBUTION OF THE PROVINCE

Mr. Borden's Basis for Rearrangement Voted Down.

CITY OF TORONTO DEDUCTED

Leaving Out Toronto the Minimum Figures in Discovering Units Are 16,384 Per Member.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, June 26. — The redistribution committee this morning dealt with Ontario. F. D. Monk was not present. R. L. Borden introduced a basis for the rearrangement of Ontario, but after some discussion the proposal was voted down. The plant recognized the observance of municipal boundaries in dealing with cities which were given separate representation, and provided that the representation of the cities should be fixed first. The unit of representation for the province outside of the cities could then be obtained by deducting the population of the combined cities from the population of Ontario, and dividing the result by the number of seats to be allotted counties. Two-thirds of the required limit should have a member, and if having less than two-thirds should be joined to the county with which it is associated judicially and for municipal purposes. A county with 50 per cent to 150 per cent over the unit should have two members, and with 150 to 250 per cent over the unit should have three members. Any seats to spare should go to the districts with the nearest approach to the unit. This motion was voted down.

It was afterwards agreed to deduct the population of Toronto from the population of Ontario, Toronto having five members, and then deal with the rest of the province. W. F. MacLean urged that Toronto should have eight members, but his view was not accepted. Leaving out Toronto the minimum figures in discovering the units were found to be 16,384 for one member, 36,-572 for two, 60,557 for three and 85,233 for four members. The committee then began with Eastern Ontario, Prescott and Russell with 27,042 and 20,082, respectively got two members; Glengarry, Stormont, and Dundas, with a total population of 68,50, gets three members.

INSURGENT DYNAMITE

Concealed Explosive Kills Six Men Near Sofia.

Sofia, Bulgaria, June 26. — The police last night raided the headquarters of the Macedonian revolutionaries at Kostendil, south of Sofia and not far from the Turkish frontier. A quantity of concealed dynamite was exploded and six men were killed and a number were injured.

Salonica, European Turkey, June 26. —An attempt was made yesterday to destroy with dynamite the junction of the railroad at Demir Beyli, between Drama and Guamrijina. The damage was slight.

TAUGHT THEM A LESSON

A British Force Punishes Marauding Arabs Near Aden.

London, June 26.—The London Daily Mail of June 15 has the following from Aden, Arabia, in regard to an occurrence briefly mentioned in the cable dispatches: For some time convoys going from Aden to Dthala have been fired on near Jimil, twenty-five miles south of Dthala, and the offenders usually succeeded in getting off unpunished. Affairs were, however, brought to a climax on May 22, when the mails were carried away and specie intended for the payment of the troops only just saved. A reprisal pary composed of 350 rank and file of the Second Royal Dublin Fusiliers and Bombay Rifles, together with a mountain battery and Maxim guns under the command of Col Scallon, of the 23rd Bombay Rifles, was sent to exact retribution. When Col. Scallon got as far as Hardaba he was warned by the chief of the tribes round Jimil that if he ventured into their territory he would be annihilated. Notwithstanding this threat the column was marched in among the hills. Immediately the surrounding heights swarmed with copper-colored Arabs armed with French rifles, spears and knives. Col. Scallon first informed them by means of an interpreter that if they did not disperse he would open fire, and as they remained obdurate, the guns and Maxims were brought into action, first firing over their heads. They retaliated and the mountain guns did good work, and in a short time cleared the hills. Forty of the enemy are said to have been killed and a number wounded, while our casualties were two wounded—Pte. Martin, of the Dublin Fusiliers and one man of the mountain battery. The lesson taught the tribes has had a good effect, and no convoy has since been attacked.

SERVIANS HAVE ASPIRATIONS TO ABSORB PRINCIPALITIES

Union of Bosnia, Croatia, Dalmatia, Montenegro and Macedonia Under King Peter.

Belgrade, June 26. — King Peter's military aspect and good horsemanship favorably impressed the people at the review yesterday. With regard to the traditional Servian aspirations alluded to in his proclamation, it may be mentioned that these aspirations include the union of Bosnia, Herzegovina, Croatia, Dalmatia, Montenegro and Macedonia under the Servian crown. A further allusion was made thereto in the portion of the proclamation addressed specifically to the army. Perhaps these references to national ambitions ought not to be taken too seriously. It may be remembered that King Peter's father was accused of neglecting "the Servian idea" by attending too exclusively to internal reforms.

The German Emperor has sent King Peter a telegram couched in cordial terms.

The Austrian minister this morning resumed official relations with the Servian Government.

London, June 26. — M. Mijatovich, the Servian minister to Great Britain, has resigned. His letter, which he sent to Belgrade on Tuesday, does not state his reasons for this action. When questioned on the subject the minister said: "I have no desire to give offense to the new regime by discussing their motives, but I consider that they are sufficiently obvious."

PARDONED FINLANDERS

Czar Forgives Them for Refusing Military Service.

St. Petersburg, June 26. — The Czar has pardoned 79 Finlanders, who evaded military service in 1902 and has granted their petition to be allowed now to join the colors. Simultaneously his majesty ordered the Governor-General of Finland to overlook similar evasions in the case of all Finlanders who express sincere contrition and are willing to immediately enroll in the militia.

The Tunnel Commenced.

New York, June 26.—The actual construction of the Pennsylvania Railroad tunnel under the North River was begun yesterday. A force of men are now drilling for the shafts to the headings of the tunnel at Thirty-second street.

CRUSHED BETWEEN WAGON AND WALL, THE BOY MAY LIVE

Seven-Year-Old Son of Henry Legg Receives Terrible Injuries About the Head.

Little Russel Legg lies at his father's home, 235 York street, hovering between life and death. Shortly after 11 o'clock this morning the little fellow had his head badly crushed at the rear of A. M. Smith & Son's wholesale grocery on York street.

The boy is the 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Legg, the father being a molder at McClary's foundry.

Every since he could get around, Russell has been allowed by Edward Gorman to ride about with him on the Gorman, Eckert & Co. delivery wagon, the boy being a favorite with the driver. Hitherto no accident occurred, but today when Mr. Gorman was backing up the wagon to the rear door of Smith's, the boy climbed off the back at the wrong time. The wagon caught the lower part of the lad's head and the back of it struck the stone wall of the warehouse and was terribly crushed.

The boy was taken to his home nearby, as soon as the ambulance could be summoned. Dr Hogg was the first doctor called, and further medical assistance was brought. The little fellow bled profusely, but whether the fracture of the base of his skull is fatally severe is not known. The lad regained consciousness this afternoon and gave signs of recovery. With care it is thought now that his chances are good.

THE BRANTFORD FIRES

An Indian Boy Confesses to Charge of Incendiarism.

Brantford, Ont., June 26. — Frank Winney, the 12-year-old Indian youth who was arrested at Stoney Creek, on a charge of arson in connection with the burning of Mohawk Institute recently, was committed for trial by Police Magistrate Woodyatt yesterday. The lad admited that he started the fire that burned down the institute barns.

Our Housekeepers' Every Want at Fancy Goods Department.

$1.08 Actual Value, Saturday the lot - 25c.

1 Stamped Linen Photo Frame, value 15c
2 Skeins Belding's Silk, to work it, value 8c
1 Handsome Hat Pin, colored stones, value 10c
2 Balls Colored Crochet Cotton, value 10c
1 Handsome Turquoise Sash Pin, value 15c
3 Ladies' Gold King Collar Buttons, value 15c
1 Handsome Sewing Basket, all colors, value 25c
3 Skeins Mending Wool, value 10c
$1 08

There are 14 articles in this lot; their value is $1 08, on Saturday the lot for 25c

176 and 178 Dundas St., London,
Saturday, June 26, 1903.

WOODS' FAIR

Ladies' Black Underskirts, Saturday 69c each.

Ladies' Heavy Black Mercerized Sateen Underskirts, gored, with pleated flounce and frill on bottom, also ruching at the top of flounce, very stylish, value $1 25, Saturday, each.. ....69c
Ladies' Black and White Mercerized Wash Skirts, with deep flounce, trimmed with black sateen bands, gored skirt, sizes 38, 40 and 42, value $1 00, Saturday 43c

$1.25 Umbrellas, Saturday 95c.

Men's Umbrellas, self opener and patent runner, solid steel tube, gloria coverings, 26-inch size, value $1 25, Saturday, each 95c

Ladies' Umbrellas, Saturday 95c.

Large Asortment, Ladies' Umbrellas, German silver, gunmetal and fancy bone handles, silk and wool covering, steel rod, paragon frame, value $1 25, Saturday 95c

Searchlight Soap, Saturday 2 for 5c.

Large Twin Bar Searchlight Laundry Soap, value 5c, Saturday 2 for 5c

Writing Pad and Envelopes, 10c.

1 Writing Pad, ruled or plain, linen paper, 24 best quality envelopes, value 15c, Saturday, the both complete 10c

Boy's 45c Hose, Saturday 25c pair.

12 dozen Boys' Large Size Cotton Hose, extra heavy ribbed, double knee, seamless, guaranteed stainless, value 45c, Saturday, pair 25c

Saturday Evening Specials.

Saturday evening at 7:30 p.m. we will offer 7 dozen Ladies' Fine Swiss Handkerchiefs, lace and embroidery trimmed, very dainty, value 5c, Saturday at 7:30 p.m., your choice, 2 for..... 5c

Ladies' Vests, Saturday at 7:30 p.m. 25c each.

Ladies' Pure Wool Sleeveless Vest, stamped Health Brand, neck and sleeves trimmed with lace, value 50c and 60c, Saturday at 7:30 p.m., each 25c

Visit Our Basement for Saturday Bargains. Clearing Sale of Refrigerators Saturday.

These Refrigerators are made of hardwood, with cleanable flues, and lined with the best non-conducting material known. You may have one Saturday at the following remarkably low prices:
2 only, the Leader, value $8 50, Saturday $7 00
4 only, the Iceberg, value $11 50, Saturday $7 98
2 only, large size, the Leader, value $15 00, Saturday $12 00
1 only, large size, Iceberg, value $17 00, Saturday $13 00

Great Sale of Crockery for Saturday.

4 dozen Covered Vegetable Dishes, white ironstone, Saturday.....35c
7 dozen White Mixing Bowls, Saturday 15c
100 dozen Cups and Saucers, white ironstone, fancy pattern, value 75c dozen, Saturday, each 5c
30 dozen Tea Cups in white, Saturday, 3 for 10c
25 dozen Fruit Nappies, in white, value 5c, Saturday, 2 for 5c
Cups and Saucers, fancy blue pattern, Saturday, 4 for 25c
Bread and Butter Plates, another beautiful assortment, all with floral decorations, Saturday, each..... 5c

Saturday's Wall Paper Clean-up.

We are having a special sale of Wall Paper Remnants this week. Sufficient in each bundle to paper a room, at 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c each.
A number of them have already been sold, but we still have some equally good values. The public are just commencing to realize the value they are getting for a small amount of money. Besides the Remnants we have some greatly reduced Paper in all shades. Nothing but a visit to our department will convince you of the value of the above.

Complete Line, all sizes of Screen Doors and Windows.

WOODS' FAIR.

QUIRK CASE DISMISSED

The Plaintiff Fails to Furnish Security for Costs.

Toronto, June 26.—The Master-in-Chambers yesterday dismissed the action of Mrs. Jennie Quirk, widow of James Quirk, hotelkeeper, who was murdered at Brantford a little over a year ago, against the Ocean Accident Company for insurance. Mrs. Quirk was ordered to give security for costs, on the ground that she lived in Buffalo, outside this court's jurisdiction. The bond of her father and brother, which she put up, was disallowed, and she has since failed to give the security within the time fixed; hence the order of dismissal.

Run Down By Express.

Leominster, Mass., June 26.—Two men were killed and two were injured yesterday morning by being run down by an east-bound passenger train on the Boston and Maine Railroad at Derby Bridge yesterday. The men were employed on the road.

ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

Genuine
Carter's Little Liver Pills.

Must Bear Signature of
Brent Good
See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below.

Very small and as easy to take as sugar.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

FOR HEADACHE.
FOR DIZZINESS.
FOR BILIOUSNESS.
FOR TORPID LIVER.
FOR CONSTIPATION.
FOR SALLOW SKIN.
FOR THE COMPLEXION

GENUINE MUST HAVE SIGNATURE.
Pills Purely Vegetable. Brent Good

CURE SICK HEADACHE.

ACCIDENT AT THE FLATS

Five Men Hurt While Dredging Near Windsor.

Windsor, Ont., June 26.—Five men had a narrow escape from death while dredging near the old club at St. Clair Flats Wednesday evening, and three of them are now in hospital suffering from injuries more or less serious. The injured are Jacob Steffens, Port Colborne, Ont., leg broken; George Steel, Amherstburg, Ont., arm hurt; John Martin, Grosse Isle, Mich., head gashed. The men were engaged in dredging out part of the river near the United States channel, when by an accident to the chain and dipper of the dredge they were hurled into the river.

ABUSED MOTHER-IN-LAW

And the Court Jailed Him Without Option of a Fine.

Rochester, N. Y., June 26.—A sensation with political and fraternal entailments, was created in the police court yesterday when Judge Chadsey sentenced Frank L. Pearce, of the city engineer's staff, to serve six months in the penitentiary for abusing his mother-in-law, without the alternative of a fine, and emphasized the order by directing the immediate confinement of the prisoner before he could procure bail or file an appeal. It is the outgrowth of a family entanglement, and the judge was aroused by the effort of the defendant to besmirch his wife's character, as well as that of her family. A dramatic incident happened when the wife told of the abduction of her two children and their concealment in Buffalo. The prisoner's father-in-law is David L. Ainsworth, a G. A. R. veteran, an attache of the state comptroller's office, and a literary man, also a member of the Union Legue Club. Both the Pearces threaten to bring divorce proceedings. Pearce is a university graduate.

Good Shooting at Bisley.

London, June 26.—At Bisley yesterday three members of the team sent over from the United States to compete for the Palma trophy made a remarkable good score in a match with the Northern Volunteers. Each marksman made 103 out of a possible 105.

The Barrel Murder.

New York, June 26.—Tomasso Petto was indicted yesterday on a charge of murder in the first degree, in causing the death of Benedetto Madona, the Buffalo Italian, whose body was found stuffed in a barrel on East 11th street on April 14 last.

MR. CHAMBERLAIN CALLED PLUNGER

He Replies to the Criticism of Prof. Goldwin Smith.

STRENGTH OF THE NEW PARTY

A General Election Possible Within the Next Three Months—Imperial Tariff League.

London, June 26.—Mr. Joseph Chamberlain is evidently determined not to be diverted from his imperial reciprocity campaign by such critics as Prof. Goldwin Smith. A correspondent having sent Mr. Chamberlain an article by Prof. Smith, describing him as a plunger, and raking up his seemingly inconsistent past, Mr. Chamberlain replies ignoring the personal insinuations, and simply assuring his correspondent that, whatever Prof. Goldwin Smith may think, the South African war originated in the issue of the ultimatum by the Boers of their invasion of British territory.

The Chamberlainites and anti-Chamberlainites agree in regarding as most significant the fact that 130 representative Ministerialist M. P.s have determined to follow Mr. Chamberlain in demanding a thorough inquiry into the present fiscal system. Radical journals make sport of the fact that the colonies and consolidation of the empire come last in the resolution adopted by these Ministerialists, the first place being occupied by retaliation against British intruders in the British markets.

The businesslike way in which the Chamberlainites are setting about the organization of their campaign is most disconcerting to the Liberals, whose organization has been taken somewhat unawares. Especially disconcerting is the announcement of Sir Herbert Maxwell, formerly a Ministerialist whip, that a general election is quite possible within the next three months. The Imperial Tariff League is distributing literature knee-deep. Its first leaflet, "Why America Is Prosperous," states that it is because home manufactures are fostered. The presses are gorged with tons of arguments for and against fiscal change.

The discussion of preferential trade and free trade has been temporarily removed from Parliament to every chamber of commerce and public gathering in the realm. Mr. Chamberlain's Liberal-Unionist organization announces the dissemination of literature, ostensibly for purposes of inquiry, but Mr. Chamberlain's mind was made up long ago. He is the one man who seems to have clear, strong views; hence his tremendous following. The directors of the Manchester Chamber of Commerce, while welcoming inquiry, believe that such will only prove that interference with free trade will tend to raise friction of conflicting interests, and ultimately produce disintegration of the tie binding the colonies and the mother land. On the other hand, the Glasgow Chamber of Commerce is strongly for Mr. Chamberlain. The reason for the difference is that Manchester would be hit if cotton or wool were taxed, while Glasgow would be helped if foreign products were taxed.

The inaugural dinner of the Imperial Industries Club, which has been formed "as an association of representatives of the leading commercial industries of the empire for the purpose of the mutual benefit of the members interested, and of promoting the same by monthly meetings for dinner and discussion on the most important commercial topics of the day," was held at the Trocadero Restaurant Wednesday. Sir G. Hayter Chubb presided. The dinner was followed by a discussion on "Preferential Tariffs." Sir Howard Vincent, M. P. for Center Sheffield, maintained that the people of the United States would soon consume their total wheat production, and then England would starve, unless encouragement by preference were now given to Canada, India and Australia to increase their wheat areas. "Our blood and treasure have won the empire. Why should the foreigner profit?"

Piles Torture Many People

Who Dr Not Understand the Nature of Their Ailment, and Hesitate to Undergo a Local Examination.

Piles, or hemorrhoids, are small tumors, which form in and about the orifice of the rectum. They are caused by an enlarged and inflamed condition of the veins, which are very numerous in this portion of the body.

Any form of piles causes dreadful suffering on account of the itching and burning which accompany them. One can scarcely walk at times, and during the night, when the body gets warm, suffering is intense.

Mr. Fred Smith, Aylmer, Ont., writes: "I doctored with doctors for 21 years, using everything I could see advertised or recommended, but never got anything to do me good. I made up my mind to suffer as long as I lived. By seeing Dr. Chase's Ointment advertised and $50 reward for a case it would not cure, I tried it. To my surprise it gave relief, and I am now satisfied that Dr. Chase's Ointment is a positive cure."

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A FRENCH RIVER LINE

Government Will Be Asked to Give 7,400 Acres Per Mile.

Toronto, Ont., June 26.—Hon. F. R. Latchford has given notice in the Ontario Legislature of a resolution for a subsidy of 7,400 acres a mile for a railway line from French River to Sudbury, not exceeding seventy miles. Mr. F. H. Clergue has been here several days promoting this project, which it is believed, will mean a line from Scotia Junction to Sudbury and the abandonment of the line down Mamitoulin Island, with ferries at either end.

The botanical papers report that De Vries, the great Dutch experimental evolutionist, has by long-continued selection produced a variety of clover which has normally four leaves.

J. K. Starley, the inventor of the safety bicycle, is to be immortalized by a memorial in England, for which $2,500 has already been subscribed. The subscriptions are coming in very liberally at present.

CENSURE MOTION WAS VOTED DOWN

An Attack on the Minister of Agriculture.

DEFINITION OF 'DAIRY' DEBATED

Bill to Prevent Manufacture or Sale of "Process" or Adulterated Butter—84 Bills Signed.

Ottawa, June 25.—Mr. R. L. Borden called attention in the House of Commons today to a dispatch in the daily press to the effect that the imperial authorities are purchasing cattle in the United States for restocking Boer farms in South Africa. Mr. Borden wanted to know what efforts had been made to induce the Imperial authorities to purchase such cattle in Canada.

Mr. Fisher replied: "Immediately after it was announced that the Imperial authorities would purchase cattle for restocking Boer farms urgent representations were made through Lord Strathcona that these purchases should be made in Canada, and explanations were given of what Canada could do in the way of supplying such demands. These representations were referred, through the colonial office, to the Imperial officers in charge of this work, and we were informed that they would receive due consideration. A second time the attention of the Imperial authorities was called to the fact that large purchases of cattle were being made in the United States, but so far no attention has been paid by the Imperial authorities to these representations."

Mr. Schell, of Glengarry, rose to a question of privilege, and offered a personal explanation. He said that the firm of McPherson & Schell, of which he is a member, had sold to the Government one hundred shooks for cheese boxes. These were ordered by W. D. Scott, commissioner to the Glasgow Exhibition. The price was $5 50, of which $1 50 was for crating. The transaction took place while he was away from home attending to his parliamentary duties, and the first he knew of it was when a question was asked about it in the House the other day. Having made this explanation, Mr. Schell bowed to the Speaker and left the House.

On motion of Hon. Mr. Fitzpatrick, the subject was referred to the committe on privileges and elections.

the bill to prohibit the importation, manufacture or sale of adulterated process or renovated butter, and to prevent the improver marking of butter, was taken up.

A discussion arose over the definition of the word "creamery." The bill defines this as meaning "a place where the milk or cream of not less than fifty cows is manufactured into butter." Any place where the milk or cream of less than fifty cows is made into butter being a "dairy."

Mr. Henderson proposed that the least number of cows necessary for a creamery should be twenty-five.

Mr. Smith (Wentworth) thought the definition should have reference to the process of manufacture, rather than to the number of cows.

Mr. MacLaren (North Perth) thought that where cream separators and other modern devices are used, the output should be described as creamery butter, whether made in a creamery or a farmhouse.

Mr. Sproule pointed out that the result would be to give the farmers two or three cents a pound less for the butter made in their houses, although it might be just as good as that made in a creamery.

Mr. Gilmour wanted to know what was a cow. For creamery purposes a cow was commonly defined as 3,000 pounds of milk. Did the minister mean to count the animals by the head or by the quantity of milk given?

Mr. McLaren (Huntingdon) suggested that there should be established a third grade of butter, between creamery and dairy.

Mr. Sproule moved an amendment that all butter made by the use of separators may be marked "creamery."

Mr. Pope suggested that the matter of defining creamery butter be left over to see if some agreement could be reached about it.

To do this Mr. Fisher agreed. He added that the definition in the bill had been inserted after careful consideration, but he was willing to accept any better solution that could be found, although he did not see that any improvement had yet been suggested.

Mr. Henderson's amendment to reduce the number of cows to twenty-five was lost. So also was Mr. Sproule's amendment. The bill was then put through committee, and stands for its third reading.

On the motion to go into supply, Mr. Pope again revived the question of the alleged neglect of the British Government to purchase cattle for South Africa from Canada. If the Motherland wished to bring the different parts of the empire together they must get something more than sympathy. He accused Mr. Fisher of incompetency. If Mr. Fisher had gone to England instead of to Japan better results would have followed. Mr. Pope moved a resolution condemning the neglect of the Government in this matter.

Mr. Fisher submitted the same explanation that had been given to Mr. Borden in the afternoon. He asked the House to vote down the resolution, and it was negatived by 48 yeas, to 79 nays.

In the Senate, the consideration of the bill respecting offenses connected with trade and breaches of contract was set for July 9.

The Deputy Governor, Sir Henri Elzear Taschereau, attended and gave consent to the supply bill and eighty-four other bills.

Senator Beique moved the second reading of his bill to amend the Criminal Code, 1892, respecting punishment of fraudulent debtors. The bill dealt with the keeping of books by tradespeople purchasing goods on credit. The bill had been suggested by boards of trade, and he claimed that this law became now necessary. Merchants were tempted with speculation, buying stocks on margin, and it became imperative on them to keep their books and record their transactions.

The bill was read a second time.

Senator Beique moved his bill to amend the Criminal Code, 1892, respecting free labor, which was read a second time.

Another Whalen Suspect.

Cobourg, Ont., June 26.—Chief Ruse Wednesday night arrested a tramp who gives his name as William Armstrong. The man had in his possession a number of letters from Collingwood, and admitted having been in the vicinity of Collingwood recently. He was committed to jail for six months as a vagrant. In the meantime his arrest will be reported to Detective Greer, who will make an investigation.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS.

MARRIED.

THOMPSON—BALKWILL—At St. James' Church, South London, on June 24, 1903, by the Rev. Archdeacon Davis, Mr. Frank Thompson, of Detroit, to Sylvie, J., youngest daughter of Mr. J. A. Balkwill, of this city.

HOWELL—RICHARDSON—At St. John's Church, London Township, on June 25, 1903, by the Lord Bishop of Huron, assisted by the bride's father, Edmund Lally Howell, barrister-at-law, only son of H. M. Howell, Esq., K.C., Winnipeg, to Ethel Cronyn, second daughter of Rev. Canon Richardson, rector of St. John's.

DIED.

WESTBROOKE—In this city, on June 25, 1903, Charlotte, the beloved wife of James Westbrooke, aged 44 years.

Funeral from her late residence, 781 King street, to Woodland Cemetery, Sunday, at 3 o'clock; services at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation. 33u

LEVIE—At Nairn, Ont., on June 21, 1903, Alex. G., only child of John A. and Jennie Levie, aged 2 years and 7 months.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

BASEBALL Saturday, June 27, Tecumseh Park.

McClarys vs. St. Johns, 2:30 p.m.; Londons vs. Rockets, 4 p.m. Admission, 10 cents; ladies free. 31c

SUMMER SEASON—PALACE DANCING Academy—Private lessons any hour. All arrangements made for dancing parties at Springbank Pavilion by applying W. Lowery, at Pavilion, or Dayton & McCormick.

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MEETINGS.

SPECIAL ASSEMBLY OF RICHARD Coeur de Lion Preceptory, No. 4, will be held in Knights' Templar quarters, Ontario Loan and Debenture Company's building, corner Dundas street and Market Lane, this (Friday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock. W. T. Stenberg, registrar; John Graham, P. Preceptor. b

LONDON COUNCIL, NO. 233, ROYAL Arcanum, will meet this (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock, in Duffield block. W. H. Bartram, secretary. b

REGULAR CONVOCATION OF ST. George's R. A. Chapter, No. 5, will be held in Masonic Temple, this (Friday) evening at 8. General business. Visitors welcome. C. C. Reed, Scribe E.; J. E. Keays, Z. b

Headquarters 7th Regiment Fusiliers, London, 25th June, 1903.

REGIMENTAL ORDER, BY Lieut.-Col. J. W. Little, commanding.—All officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the Guard of Honor to His Excellency the Governor-General will be paid at the Drill Shed on Friday, 26th inst., at 8:15 p.m. By order. W. A. McCrimmon, Captain, Adjutant 7th Regiment Fusiliers. b

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Then we go out and jab each other with our umbrellas. When we get in a crowd we pull our rain protector down as close to our head as possible, so we can't see anyone, then ruthlessly forge ahead. Hair is pulled out, hats ripped off, eyes put out of commission. But we don't care. It's raining. When we get into a car we carefully lean our dripping umbrella against the person next to us. If possible, we plant the tip on his shoes. It isn't very convenient to take off one's shoes in the car and run the water out. But that is his business, not ours.

When we get off a trolley we open the umbrella in the face of those waiting to get on. Several may have their teeth knocked out, but we can't help it. There are a great many other things we can do with an umbrella, and we do them all. Nobody is expected to be polite in rainy weather. If we attempted it, his battered remains, eyeless, hatless, hairless, would lie by the wayside a pathetic monument to the foolhardiness of attempting to be courteous on a rainy day.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

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Dr. J. W. Fraser Returns to London After Seven Years' Absence.

Dr. J. W. Fraser arrived in the city yesterday after an absence of seven years, during which time he has been in Mexico. He is a son-in-law of Mrs. Mills, widow of the late Hon. David Mills, who is moving back into her South London residence. The doctor is accompanied by his wife and four children, and will remain in London for a month or so. When he left here seven years ago he went with three other Londoners, all of whom are still in Mexico, though in different parts of that country. They were Dr. George Burrell, Mr. Thomas Hodgins and Mr. William Lang.

When asked as to these gentlemen, whose friends in this city will no doubt be glad to hear, Dr. Fraser said that Dr. Burrell is practicing in Pachuca, Mr. Lang was the popular secretary of the American Club, a large organization in the City of Mexico, and Mr. Hodgins was conducting a profitable hardware business in El Oro. All are doing well in their respective homes. Dr. Fraser himself is one of two physicians with the Penoles Mining Co., in Mapini, Mexico. The other physician is a Toronto old boy, Dr. Lawrence, while two of the nurses in their hospital are Canadians. In this hospital the head nurse is Miss Douglass, who is at present at her home in this city, prior to her approaching marriage in Mexico.

The company with which Dr. Fraser is connected mines for gold, lead and silver, and has over 5,000 employes. The town is one of the oldest in Mexico and the company has records in its possession to show that 305 years ago the mine was worked. They are fifteen miles from the Mexican Central Railway, with which connection is made by a railway owned by the company. The smelters, of which the company own sixteen, are situated six miles from the mines, the company's road to them being a cog road, owing to the mountainous nature of the region.

The better paid employes are Canadians. The northern people are more enterprising, and that is the reason they get the best positions. Most of the best mines are worked by foreigners, of whom Americans are naturally most numerous. The opportunities are very great. There are a great number of Canadians, Dr. Fraser says, in Mexico. Among the recent changes there is one involving a large Montreal concern. The Mexico Light and Power Company, composed of Canadian capitalists, has recently acquired a large water power concession from a French corporation and will furnish light and power to the City of Mexico.

Dr. Fraser and his family experienced many delays in getting to London, owing to the recent floods. They not only had some of the American territory that was deluged to pass over, but the floods did damage in Mexico as well. In one place about thirty miles of the Mexican Central Railway was washed out. On their way north, Dr. Fraser's party had to drive a mule team fifteen miles owing to a washout. Old-timers there say Mexico never had such floods. London, Dr. Fraser notices, has had marked improvements, and after traveling as he has, he says there is no prettier city to his knowledge than London, Ontario.

CONMEE CONTINUES DEBATE; SOME LIVELY EXCHANGES

Mr. Graham Makes an Able Defense of the Report.

SUGGESTS OBLIVION FOR GAMEY

Mr. Blake's Statement as to the Integrity and Standing of the Commissioners.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, June 25. — The Government's cause was effectively championed in the Gamey debate today, able addresses being delivered by Messrs. Graham and Conmee. They presented clearly and convincingly some most conclusive arguments in favor of the Government's position and the commissioners' report, and scored the Opposition and Mr. Gamey very neatly. The Opposition speakers were Messrs. McDiarmid, Sutherland and Downey. The latter's address was an able effort in a bad cause. Some amusing passages occurred between Mr. Downey and Mr. Conmee with honors about even.

Adam Beck, M. P. P. for London, was in the House for several minutes during the day. The debate will end tomorrow.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Mr. McDiarmid, the first speaker of the afternoon, said that while he did not wish to allege improper relations between Sir John Boyd, or members of his family, and the Government, the chancellor could not be called a disinterested party. Mr. McDiarmid said that when he asked the Attorney-General for information as to the chancellor's receipts from the public funds, he had received an insult. The Attorney-General, with a wave of the hand, which showed that he considered himself the master and not the servant of the people, had told him to go and search the public accounts. It would be better to employ the clerks at compiling information for the people's representatives than allow them to go around with eyes and ears alert for the "good things" that Frank Sullivan had told of.

Why was it that Mr. Gamey's letter of Sept. 10 had not been replied to by the Premier? It was such a letter as would, under normal conditions, have needed a reply. No reply had been sent because the Premier knew that the letter was merely a receipt for value received.

The Government was aware that the people of Ontario were not satisfied with the way their affairs were being administered, or they would have brought on the bye-elections, said Mr. McDiarmid, in closing.

Mr. Donald Sutherland (South Oxford) followed. He said that the Government's object in appointing the Gamey commission had evidently been meant as a warning to the Opposition that they could not hope to substantiate any charges which they might make against the Government. He repeated his assertion that he had been approached in the same manner as Mr. Gamey, but that as he had not tried to get any evidence of the offer, the Government had denied the whole affair.

Mr. Sutherland also incidentally declared that the Dominion Government, in appointing Judge Britton to investigate the Treadgold concession, were doing a very improper thing.

Mr. Downey (South Wellington) gave it as his honest opinion that the report of the commissioners was valueless because of misstatements.

Mr. Downey would not accuse the commissioners of deliberately preparing an untruthful document, but when they were preparing it their creative faculties must have certainly predominated.

Mr. Downey said that Mr. Conmee had the bad grace to lecture the Opposition on their duties as legislators, when a few days ago he announced in the House that he was a shareholder in a corporation which was seeking extensive privileges from the Government.

Mr. Conmee interrupted to say that he did not state he was interested in a railway seeking a subsidy, although he was a shareholder in a fish company which had secured a concession from the Government.

Mr. Whitney—The Government has admitted that the grant to the St. Joe Railway was practically transferred to the fish company, and the member for Port Arthur intimated that a member of the Opposition was in on the deal with him.

Mr. Conmee demanded the member's name.

Mr. Conmee then explained again that he had nothing to do with the railway, and even if he were interested in the fish company, there was nothing wrong in that.

The Premier took a hand in the discussion. "The St. Joe Railway grant went to the Nepigon Railway, and not to the fish company," he said.

Mr. Hendrie—In the Commissioner of Public Works' report it is stated that the fish company before being granted any privileges shall build a railway connecting with the C. P. R.

"If they don't do so," answered the Premier, "and another company does, that is the same thing."

"The fish company," said Mr. Whitney, "has received privileges from the Government, and promised to build a railway, but they were afraid to ask for assistance, and so took up the grant to the defunct St. Joe Raiway, and now the honorable gentlemen opposite are congratulating themselves that the fish company practically got the grant after all."

Mr. Downey said he did not mean to offer any excuse for the Conservative scandals of the past, but he said that when those scandals had been ventilated by parliamentary committees, the offenders had been discovered and punished, which was a result never attained by a royal commission.

Mr. Downey said that no newspaper man had ever heard of a public man, writing an interview for another man, having it signed, objecting to alterations made in it, and securing its return to his own hands. The one phase of the case which was a matter of pride to all Canadains, and to newspaper men especially, was the honest, upright conduct of Mr. Hammond, the Globe reporter.

The Conservative party, said Mr. Downey, had had many able leaders in the past, men who had played a foremost part in the molding of Canadian history. Not one of them had enjoyed so much of the confidence, affection, and devotion of his followers as did the honorable leader of the Opposition. His supporters were prepared to follow him still as loyally and devotedly, whether to victory or defeat, but the time would not be long until Mr. Whitney would occupy the place which he had rightfully won twice over. The Government's days were short in the land, and the reign of corruption would soon be over.

Mr. Downey was still speaking when the House rose at 6 o'clock.

THE EVENING DEBATE.

On the reassembling of the House in the evening, Mr. Downey resumed his address. He said that the judges, instead of clearing the political atmosphere, had stepped gingerly over the cesspool. He predicted the Government's condemnation and forfeiture of the treasury benches.

Mr. Graham (Brockville) followed in one of the best speeches of the debate. In opening, he took up Mr. Downey's statements as to the Globe interview. He said that every experienced newspaper man knew that it was not uncommon for such interviews to be obtained in the manner that this one was.

Speaking of Mr. Willison, Mr. Graham said he was no better nor worse today than when, as editor of the Globe, he had been abused by the Opposition. Mr. Graham agreed with Mr. Downey that Mr. Hammond's course had been perfectly honorable, and that he was a credit to his profession.

Mr. Graham then spoke of the Shannon deal. He admitted that the land had been disposed of altogether too cheaply, but said that the price obtained had been fifty times as great as that for which Conservative governments had sold equally valuable limits.

Mr. Graham complained that the defense had not only met the charges successfully; it had more than disproved them. It was the duty of the accuser to retire from public life, as that was a well-established principle in British politics.

The Opposition had in effect claimed that the judges had been false to their oath of office, and they had vigorously applauded disrespectful references to the commissioners. In contrast to this it was only necessary to mention Mr. Blake's statement that he had known both judges almost all his life, and had the utmost confidence in their integrity.

After quoting the Presbyterian's editorial indorsement of the commissioners' report, Mr. Graham said that the Government's selection of the commissioners had been justifiable, that the judges had acted impartially and honestly, and that their verdict was the only course consistent with the evidence adduced before them.

Mr. Graham moved the adjournment of the debate at 10 o'clock and he will resume his speech tomorrow morning.

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We make no argument now, but simpy call attention to one factor of the problem which the President and those who agree with him seem prone to push into the background. It is always well to look at both sides of the question. Possibly in this connection we may be permitted to mention the fact that thousands of Filipinos have lost their lives either in battle or by disease and starvation consequent on the war. Nor should it be forgotten that we paid Spain $20,000,000 for the islands, and that the war up to April, 1902, had cost this nation $170,326,586 in gold. In other words, we have paid more than 7,000 lives of brave Americans, over $200,000,000 in money, and thousands of Filipino lives on account of our experiment in the Philippines.

As we say, we make no argument. Our only purpose is to give the people the facts that are necessary to the formation of a sound opinion on this important question. All we ask is that sensible men should think of what the Philippines experience has cost us in precious lives and in money. Surely human life is worth something. Even in these prosperous times money is not so easy to get that men can afford to throw it away. Yet the President talks as though there were nothing in this question except the establishment of American sovereignty in the Philippines and other distant regions—for he says we belong to the expanding nations—and never says one word about the dreadful cost.—Indianapolis News.

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"Female strength increases most rapidly from 9 to 19; then slowly to 30; and after 30 the decline begins."

How Rockefeller Looks.

In a recent issue of Wilshire's Magazine, the exponent of socialist ideas and general literature, published in Toronto, Mr. Wilshire, the editor, gave an account of a talk he had with Mr. John D. Rockefeller, whom he met at Pasadena in the spring. The talk itself was on the trusts, which Mr. Rockefeller defended on the ground that they represent economics in production, and Mr. Wilshire attacked, claiming they tended to the creation of "an unemployed problem." No conclusion was reached, and the discussion presented no new features and was not prolonged. This is Mr. Wilshire's description of the richest man in America:

Mr. Rockefeller, I may say in the first place, is not by any means the physical wreck that the press likes to make him out. I sat at the next table to him, and can vouch for the strength and variety of his appetite. His color is good and he looks a fairly healthy man for his age, 64, with the exception that he has lost every spear of hair from his head and face. He was most affable and approachable to everyone, and seemed to make a point of going the rounds every day with a glad hand out for everyone. His interest in life seems to be centered on the game of golf. * * * Mr. Rockefeller is in no sense a man of theories. He sees a present necessity, and he acts upon it without considering what will be the next step. He is democratic and without envy in his manner and instincts, and I am sure he would like to have all his brother Americans have as much money as he has. Ostentation is an unknown word for him. He is the instinct of the coral insect that thinks of nothing more than the next infinitesimal layer it is laying upon the coral reef that founds a future continent. Mr. Rockefeller is the power behind Mr. Morgan's throne, and he does not emerge into the light, not because he objects to the world-glare in which Mr. Morgan basks, but simply because pomp and glory are matters of indifference to him. He has no pleasure in making a show of himself. Some newly rich men envy the footman on the box of their carriage, owing to their conspicuous position, and their gaudy livery. Mr. Rockefeller is not of that sort. He rides in his carriage not to exhibit himself and his wealth, but to "get there," and he does "get there," too.

When a woman retains her own name as a sort of hyphenated annex to her husband's, it is a sign that he is by no means the entire works of the family clock.

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The King and His Role.

A great many foreign critics, perhaps a great many British subjects as well, are revising their estimates of King Edward the Seventh. The American press has become his enthusiastic admirer, and is attributing to him all the good deeds of the Government. The Cleveland Plaindealer says his journeys to Lisbon, Rome and Paris, made of his own motion, achieved positive and beneficial political results. "It was no secret," says the Plaindealer, "that concessions to the Boers which resulted in peace in South Africa, were offered at the King's instance, and that they so perfectly reflected the opinions and temper of the country that the Cabinet could do nothing but accept them. But a more recent and more significant illustration of the fact that the King may govern as well as reign is given in late London dispatches, which say in so many words that the land purchase bill is to be credited to King Edward. According to the dispatches the King inspired this bill, intends to stand sponsor for it until it becomes law or is beaten in spite of his efforts, and has notified Mr. Balfour that it must pass. This is strong language, much stronger than a British sovereign of late years has ever dared to use to a responsible minister concerning a measure of such importance."

The Buffalo Express says that sooner or later the idea will dawn upon the world that a new influence for peace and conciliation began to make itself felt when Edward ascended the throne of Great Britain. "It was then," says the Express, "that concessions were offered to the Boers, bringing about peace in South Africa. For a few months the campaign of persecution in Ireland was kept up, and then suddenly there was a complete change, so startling that it amazed both Irishmen and Englishmen. In place of the enforcement of the crimes act came the proposal of the land purchase bill. Then there was a royal visit to France and an end to the international bickering between London and Paris."

It is absurd to say that the King issued a mandate to the Government on any question of public policy, for no government would tolerate such interference. The Irish land bill was the outcome of the landlords' and tenants' conference, though the probability is that the King is using his influence in favor of conciliation. His part in the settlement of the Boer war is a secret of state. There is no doubt, however, that his visits to Lisbon, Rome and Paris have had political results. In the sphere of foreign affairs, royalty can display its functions more publicly than in domestic concerns. Queen Victoria's letter to the widow of Abraham Lincoln produced more effect in the United States than all the actions of the British Government. It is pleasant to know that our American cousins appreciate the good qualities of the King, even though they are a little hazy as to his prerogatives. The late Queen was the first British sovereign who was what a constitutional monarch ought to be. The first two Georges were ignorant of English affairs, and wholly unable to guide them whether well or ill; for many years the Prime Minister had, over and above the labor of managing Parliament, to manage the woman who managed the sovereign; George III. interfered unceasingly, but he did harm unceasingly; George IV. and William IV. gave no steady continuing guidance, and were unfit to give it. King Edward is following in his mother's footsteps, yet he was the object of many dismal forebodings in his youth and early manhood, when he appeared to be given over to a life of indolent pleasure. Bagehot, thirty years ago, warned him that he would never fulfill the duties of a constitutional monarch unless he changed his ways. Said Bagehot:

"An eager young man on whom the world is squandering its luxuries and its temptations will not be much attracted by the distant prospect of a moderate influence over dull matters. He may form good intentions; he may say, 'Next year I will read these papers; I will try and ask more questions. I will not let these women talk to me so.' But they will talk to him. The most hopeless idleness is that most smoothed with excelleht plans. So it is if the Prince come young to the throne; but the case is worse when he comes to it, old or middle-aged. He is then unfit to work. He will then have spent the whole of youth and the first part of manhood in idleness, and it is unnatural to expect him to labor. A pleasure-loving lounger in middle life will not begin to work as George III. worked, or as Prince Albert worked. The only fit material for a constitutional king is a prince who begins early to reign—who in his youth is superior to pleasure—who in his youth is willing to labor—who has by nature a genius for discretion. Such kings are among God's greatest gifts, and they are also among his rarest."

The King has agreeably disappointed many sincere people, who were misled by superficial aspects of his character. As the friend and intimate of the leading public men of both parties, he had a long schooling in politics, while Prince of Wales; and in addition to his training nature gave him that "genius for discretion," of which Bagehot speaks. The late Queen's widowed retirement threw upon him many of the duties of the throne long before he ascended it. As the King, he has proved an indefatigable worker. The admiration he has inspired among our American cousins is a useful asset, and a bond of friendship, and there is no harm done if they have an exaggerated notion of the powers of the monarchy. Their ideas of kingship are still tinctured by the recollection of George the Third. The powers of the British sovereign are only advisory, but a wise sovereign can wield a great authority within those limits.

Northern Negro Burners.

The two latest negro-burnings have taken place in the Northern States—at Belleville, Ill., and Wilmington, Del. "Could cannibals or Apaches, Kurds, or Bashi-Bazouks show more savage bloodthirstiness than these American citizens who have burned fellow human beings at the stake?" asks the Chicago Tribune. To the credit of the American press in the north it has with one voice denounced these crimes as a disgrace to the country. "How can the United States," the newspapers ask, "consistently protest against the Kishineff massacres in the face of these fiendish outbreaks at home?" The Belleville negro had not even committed murder, though he had attempted it. The Wilmington negro confessed to a foul crime, which resulted in the death of the 18-year-old daughter of a clergyman; but the manner in which it was avenged is a foul blot on civilization. Wilmington is a city of 80,000 inhabitants, only 28 miles from Philadelphia—a city of churches and schools. Yet 10,000 men, women and children—mostly women—witnessed the ghastly spectacle with every sign of approval. A press dispatch says:

"The crowd stood in a heavy rain. Many of the women walked several miles in mud up to their shoetops to witness the horrible affair. Some of them hurled on extra pieces of wood to hasten the flames that were slowly burning the negro's body to a chir. Young men and small boys jerked pieces of the burning flesh from the coals to keep as souvenirs.

"The awful scenes of the night before, when the negro was burned alive lingered today. During the early hours of the forenoon the victim's body was still on the fire. Women began to gather to the scene as soon as the news had spread throughout the surrounding country that the brutal attack upon Helen Bishop had been avenged in the way it had.

"The nearest trolley line from Wilmington is that which leads to Brandywine Springs, a summer resort, not far from the scene of the lynching, and extra cars were necessary to take the crowds from the city.

"The trolley landed its passengers at Price's Corner. It is more than a mile from there to the scene of the lynching, but the crowds walked the distance despite the condition of the road, with mud half-knee-deep and torrents of rain. Women dragged their skirts in the mud and plodded along the sloppy roadway with little care for their comfort or personal appearance, and clamored for a glimpse of the burning negro."

The police arrested one man, but a mob surrounded the police station and compelled his release on bail. The number of lynchings in the United States averages over a hundred a year, but there is no record of any person having been punished for these crimes. The first negro burning occurred in the south about six years ago, and the north held up its hands in horror and indignation. Now that this form of lynching has crossed the line, will the north vindicate its honor by lifting a hand against the murderers?

These are great days for Ireland.

Will Old Sol kindly forget that people grumbled about the draught a few weeks ago and stay with them awhile?

The new King of Servia has been received with a great splurge of loyalty, but he will probably lock his bedroom door at nights.

"Made in Germany" is not a popular motto in England, but Germany has had a good deal to do with making Chamberlain's new fiscal policy.

Mr. Graham, M.P.P., proposes that Gamey be relegated to oblivion. That would be horrible. Gamey would prefer any punishment to one that would put a hook in his jaw.

It is said the Grand Trunk will spend $1,500,000 on the Stratford carshops, if the Grand Trunk Pacific Railroad is built. The London carshops would have to be enlarged also to provide new rolling stock.

Pope Leo, at the age of 94, was able to hold a public consistory yesterday, although the correspondents were sure he had been at death's door. The Pope has outlived more rumors than any person on earth.

After fishwifing each other for two weeks the members of the Legislature feel their honor has been very much hurt because some one in the press gallery sent a note to one of themselves.

The first cargo of cane sugar in years has been received by the Canada Sugar Refining Company at Montreal. The surtax on German sugar, which goes into effect in September, will operate in favor of the West Indies, besides increasing the protection for Canadian beet root sugar.

The Bouquet Stage of Crime.

[Toronto World.]

A number of friends of Mr. Gamey brought in a magnificent bouquet of pink and white peonies and deposited it on the table of the Opposition lobby. There were between 60 and 70 great blooms in the bouquet, and attached was a card bearing the words, "In appreciation of one who preferred to be rather than seem an honest man." Gamey is going through all the phases of hero-worship that we are so familiar with when conspicuous criminals, like Birchell and Peg-Leg Brown, are playing their parts on the stage of life. He has now reached the bouquet stage, and the next step to be reached will be that he has been mobbed by a gathering of hysterical females anxious to fall upon his neck and smother him with kisses. There is no accounting for tastes.

M. P. Ps. for Instance.

[Washington Star.]

"Some men could be mighty useful in a perfession," said Uncle Eben, "if dey'd put as much study in it as dey does on bookmakers' odds an' de previous performances of horses."

Knew the Town.

[Stratford Beacon.]

The builders of the King Edward hotel sized up Toronto pretty accurately when they allotted one quarter of the ground floor space to the bar.

Miss Solomon and Her Lover.

[New York Sun.]

A woman was walking in a palm grove when a man saw her and hastened after her. When she asked him why he followed her, he replied:

"Because I am in love with you."

"And why are in love with me?" she asked. "My sister who comes after me yonder is far more beautiful than I; go and fall in love with her instead."

The man complied and went back, but only to look upon a woman as ugly as sin. He was vexed and returned to the first woman and said to her:

"Why did you deceive me?"

And she made answer:

"Did you not also tell me an untruth? For if you were really in love with me, why did you turn back to the other woman?"

Tory View of Chamberlain.

[Winston Churchill, M.P.]

The Camberlain scheme of preference and protection would involve vast and fundamental changes not only in the character of political parties but in the character of English public life. The old historic Conservative party, with its deep religious convictions, would fade away and in its place would be seen a new party not unlike the Republican party in the United States, a party rich, ambitious, secular, materialist, whose elections would turn on tariffs, whose members would be the champions of particular interests, and they would see the lobby of that House crowded with the touts of important industries. Surely there ought to be an overwhelming case made out for such a change. Never was the wealth of the country greater; never were the trade returns higher; never did the income tax yield more per penny; never was the loyalty of our colonies more pronounced. Were they tired of these good days? There was no colonial demand, and there was at present no popular movement, though he did not know what popular movement the Coional Secretary, with his unrivaled dialectical skill, his immense popularity, and his unflinching courage, might not be able to excite. Not in the past hundred years has a more surprising departure been proposed on a more slender and inadequate provocation.

Chamberlain's Chances

[Boston Herald.]

Secretary Joseph Chamberlain's tooters still insist that he is going to win. In this connection they are recalling what a British sailor said to his mate when Nelson died:

"Jack, do you think the admiral is in heaven?" asked the mate.

"I don't know," said Jack, "but you can bet your life if he wants to go there no one can keep him out."

Out of the Hunt.

[Pick Me Up.]

Banby—But why have you thrown Charlie overboard?

Maude—I couldn't marry a man with a broken nose, you know.

Banby—And I wonder how he got his nose broken, poor fellow?

Maude—Oh, I struck him playing tennis!

Pleased the Old Lady.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]

"I am so glad," said Mrs. Oldcastle, "that there seems to be a promise of a real Shakespearean revival."

"Is there?" asked Mrs. Packingham. "It'll surely be a good thing for this town. Revivals always do lots of good, even if some of the people that go forward do backslide afterwards. I never knew before that Shakespeare was a Methodist."

Reserve Society Notes.

[Sarnia Canadian.]

Mrs. Caluph Shuhkeence, of Wequadoong, was here on a visit to her friends.

Mr. John Mashkeeyohsong, of Wequadoong, was at the circus last week.

Women Dread

The disfiguration caused by skin disease, even more than the tormenting irritation which is so commonly associated with it. The use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery generally results in a complete cure of eczema, pimples, eruptions and other forms of disease which have their cause in an impure condition of the blood. "Golden Medical Discovery" absolutely purges the blood of humors and poisons, and so cures the cutaneous diseases which bad blood breeds and feeds.



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"The Good Old Summer Time."

[New York Sun.]

Oh, where's the good old summer time
We hear about in song,
When ever day
Was not frappe
Unless the sun went wrong?

Oh, where's the good old summer time
We used to have in June,
When hearts' delights
On mellow nights,
Were served to us en spoon?

Oh, where's the good old summer time
When summer girls were snaps
In fluffy gowns
And picture crowns,
Instead of winter wraps?

Oh, where's the good old summer time
When straw hats did not seem
To be the ghosts
Along the coasts
Of some deep Arctic stream?

Oh, where's the good old summer time
When ice cream could be et
By girls and boys
With soulful joys,
Without its being het?

Oh, where's the good old summer time
When we were on the run
With breezy books
For shady nooks,
Protected from the sun?

Oh, where's the good old summer time
When ice-cold drinks were not
The dreadful things
A waiter brings
To freeze us on the spot?

Oh, where's the good old summer time
With all its heated sights
Of street and shops,
And at the top
Roof gardens were delights?

Oh, where's the good old summer time
When fans had work to do,
And starchy wings,
Or summer things,
Were melted p d q?

Oh, where's the good old summer time
This summer time is not;
Please give us one
Right off the sun,
And have it good and hot.

PROMISE GOOD GAMES

City League Contests Should Be Snappy and Interesting.

The prospects for good weather tomorrow have cheered the officials and players of the city league, and the games to be played tomorrow promise to be exceptionally interesting. It was because of bad weather that they have been postponed on the scheduled days, and the officials expect that the attendance at them will be good. Several of the teams will "try out" new men tomorrow. McClary's and St. John's play the first game, London and the Rockets meeting at 4 o'clock. The line-ups are as follows:

FIRST GAME.

McClary's—G. Gibson, catcher; Jackson, pitcher; Steel, first base; R. Gibson, second base; Delaney, third base; Stein, shortstop; Wilson, right field; Rose, center field; Evans, left field.

St. John's—Summerhayes, catcher; Clark and Early, pitchers; O'Rourke, first base; Smith, second base; Pirie, third base; Lee, shortstop; Richardson, right field; Turner, center field; Cain, left field.

SECOND GAME.

Rockets—Graham, catcher; Waud, pitcher; Gillet, first base; Hosie, second base; W. Arthurs, third base. G. Arthurs, shortstop; Dewan, left field; Penwarden, center field; ———, right field.

London—E. Stein, catcher; Bennett or Sheere, pitcher; McFadden, first base; Sippi, second base; B. Stein, third base; Fleming, shortstop; McDonald, left field; Bell, center field; Waniess, right field.

TIPPED THE STEAMER

Narrow Escape of Party on Government Boat Eureka.

Montreal, June 26.—The Dominion Government steamer Eureka, which left here yesterday afternoon with a party on board, bound for Quebec, met with a mishap near Sorel. There were on board the steamer Mr. Paul Lacorte, the inventor of the Lacorte airbrake, and some friends, who were going down to Quebec to have an exhibition of the airbrake. The steamer stopped at Sorel for coal. The port holes were open, and the weight of the coal tipped the steamer to one side, with the result that the water poured in. An attempt was made to run the steamer into the dry-dock on the Richelieu River, but she sank when near shore. She now lies with her bow out of the water. All those aboard escaped.

BASEBALL.

IMPERIALS BEAT THORNDALE.

In a game which was fast and exciting throughout the Imperials defeated the crack Thorndale nine by a score of 12 to 11. Batteries—Imperials, Page, Whitall and Orchard. Thorndale, Lee and Burns.

WELLINGTONS WON.

"Pat Finnegan's Wellingtons," a local aggregation, who are becoming famous because of several recent victories, last night defeated the Aberdeen specials on the C. P. R. diamond by a score of 4 to 1. Arthur Hill's heavy hitting (?) was the feature of the game.

NIP DISEASE IN THE BUD.—It is difficult to eradicate a disease after it has become seated, therefore it is wise to take any ailment in its initial stages and by such remedies as are sufficient, stop it in its course. Cold is the commonest complaint of man, and when neglected leads to serious results. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil will cure the severest cold or most violent cough.

Japan is getting the bicycle craze; it imported $2,700,000 worth of wheels last year, mostly of the cheaper grades, costing from $12 to $25. They are chiefly used for business purposes; also in the army.

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James G. Duncanson (British Medical Journal, April 4, 1903) believes the condition to be due entirely to a shaking up of the endolymph in the semicircular canals. When the blow is administered there is a violent over-twisting of the head, which is held in its anteposterior position by muscles which, compared with those inflicting the blow, are small and puny. The result is that the head flies around with a jerk and the fluid in the canals is subjected to a greater disturbance than by any other trauma. There is little reason to doubt that this is the interesting pathology of the well-known but little understood coup de grace.—

When Walking Is Work.

To walk in Constantinople is like a fierce and active struggle. One should look at once before, behind and underneath one's feet; before, behind and underneath one's feet some danger or disgust is always threatening. I never walked up the steep road which leads from the bridge to Pera without the feeling that I was fighting my way through a hostile city. A horn blows furiously, and a black man runs up the hill, clearing the way before the dashing and struggling horses of the tram. At the same moment a cab drives at full speed down the hill, and the horses set their feet on the pavement. In front of you a man balances slices of offal on a long pole across his shoulder; they dangle before and behind; he swings cheerfully with his burden through the crowd.

A Kurd, stooping under a weight higher than himself, follows, step by step, behind you. A dog with a red wound behind his ear and a long strip of mangy skin on his back, lies asleep in the middle of the pavement. You step into the midst of the dogs and the hamals; as you stand aside for a moment a beggar with a handless arm rounded into a stump, a woman with her face eaten away in the cavity of the hood which she draws back before you, appears suddenly, filling what had seemed the only alley of escape. The sun soaks down into the narrow street; the smell of mud rises up into your nostrils, mingled with those unknown smells which, in Constantinople seem to ooze upward out of the ground and steam outward from every door and window, and pour out of every alley and rise like a cloud out of the breath and sweat and foulness of the people.—Harper's Magazine.

The completion of the Nile works within the time specified has, says Sir John Aird, resulted in a saving to the Egyptian Government of $4,000,000.

Thinner Than a Rail.

Spending every day as much energy as you make, and if the balance goes a little further, well, you get thinner. Not wise to go that way longer. Better use Ferrozone, you will digest more—a little gain the first week, but the gain keeps growing. Not quite so thin! Keep right on, only don't use Ferrozone too long, or you will get too fat. Then your blood will be rich, your heart strong, you won't puff so much, you won't get tired quickly. Fat, blood, strength, you have them all with Ferrozone. Sold by all druggists.

Hero of the Shipyard.

The heroes are not all dead yet, although we may not hear so much of them in this strenuous age. The Philadelphia Telegraph prints the story of a man who risked his life deliberately to save a fellow-workman, whom he did not know even by sight. The hero's name is James Stein. He is foreman of the riggers in a big shipyard in Philadelphia. When he was praised for his courage he exclaimed: "Pshaw! what the use of making so much talk about it? I did it to save the company a lawsuit." The story is as follows:

A boiler, weighing 64 tons, was about to be lowered into the hold of a steamship in the big shipyard. The crane in use, which easily lifts a weight of 100 tons as easily as a college girl lifts a wooden dumb-bell, was swinging its great arms towards the monster boiler, 18 feet in circumference. Perched on the top of the boiler was a workman, a poor Norwegian, who speaks little English and understands less. His back was towards the crane. He did not see it, nor did anyone else until it was within two feet of him. If the arm of the giant crane struck him it would crush him as a hammer would an eggshell, or brush him off. Twenty feet below was the ground, strewn with jagged pieces of iron, to fall on which meant serious injury, if not death.

The workmen below saw the danger and shouted. The Norwegian turned halfway round, and saw the crane coming. It was death either way, and, paralyzed with fear, he collapsed.

At this critical moment, when everyone else had lost his head, one man was there who knew what to do, and did it. Although he was twenty feet away when the impending doom over the man was first seen, he cleared the space in less than two seconds, and stood amid the jagged iron.

"Jump for your life! It's your only chance!" he cried, and braced himself to catch the falling man, while the crowd held its breath. The two men came together with an impact so great that both were picked up unconscious, but both recovered.

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The Michigan Central train leaving London at 7:15 p.m. arrives New York 10 a.m. next morning via New York Central Railway. Through sleeping car from St. Thomas. 23-bk

For the Denver C. E. Convention.

Very low excursion rates have been arranged from all points in Canada to Colorado, leaving July 6, 7 and 8, good for return up to Aug. 31. Everybody can go, the rate is wide open, and this is a splendid opportunity to spend a vacation among the Rockies at slight expense. The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway and connections will run special standard first-class and tourist sleeping cars through to Denver, besides the regular daily service from Chicago.

For full information, time tables, pamphlets, rates and sleeping car reservation, write to A. J. Taylor, Canadian Passenger Agent, 8 King street east, Toronto, Ont. 14-uc

National Educational Association Convention.

Boston, noted for being the center of learning, no more appropriate place could have been selected in which to hold the annual convention, and teachers from every grade and from all parts of America will assemble there to take part in the deliberations.

This is perhaps not a matter of news, but is intended as a reminder that the New York Central offers exceptional facilities for reaching the convention city, being the most direct, and having the largest number of fast trains from Niagara Falls and Buffalo without change.

Full information, time-tables, etc., may be obtained from H. Parry, General Agent, 377 Main street, Buffalo, N. Y., or Louis Drago, Canadian Passenger Agent, 69½ Yonge street, Toronto, Ont. 32c

Spend Your Holiday in Highlands of Ontario.

A more enjoyable holiday cannot be spent, than a trip to the Muskoka Lakes, Georgian Bay, Lake of Bays or Kawartha Lakes. Excellent train service to Muskoka wharf, making direct connection with steamers for the famous "Royal Muskoka Hotel," and other ports on lakes. Trains make connection at Huntsville with steamers for ports on Lake of Bays. Return tickets will be issued at single fare for Dominion Day, good going all trains June 30 and July 1, valid returning until July 2. For tickets and all information apply to Grand Trunk agents. 32-k

Wherever you go this summer be sure that The London Advertiser follows you. The Advertiser will be sent to any postoffice in Canada or the United States for 25 cents per month. 31-tf-zxv

THERE IS ONLY ONE ECLECTRIC OIL.—When an article, be it medicine or anything else, becomes popular, imitations invariably spring up to derive advantages from the original, which they themselves could never win on their own merits. Imitations of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil have been numerous, but never successful. Those who know the genuine are not put off with a substitute, but demand the real thing.

Bayley's
172-174 Dundas Street.

Blouse Waist Sale!

Cleared from a manufacturer 48 dozen fine White Waists, at prices that make it possible for us to sell them to you at less than first cost (and that's what we're doing.) Beautiful styles, embroidery trimmed, lace trimmed and in combination, with all the new ideas in the design. Our special for tomorrow will be a regular $1 25 waist for

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This waist is of very fine India Linen, finely tucked and elaborately trimmed with Roman Insertion, made with new sleeve, dip front, etc.

DON'T MISS

This Muslin Sale at half price. Handsome Wash Muslins worth 20c for **10c.**

Bayley's

CHOOSING THEIR CHIEFS

Sons of Scotland Elect Grand Camp Officers.

The Motion to Equalize the Rates Voted Down.

Brantford, June 26.—The Grand Camp of the Sons of Scotland concluded its meeting yesterday, and the next gathering will be held in Toronto in -905. A committee, consisting of W. Banks, Toronto (chairman), W. Scott, M.P., Regina; R. F. Sutherland, M.P., of Essex, and W. McKinnon, was appointed to thoroughly revise the constitution, and the insurance committee was made a permanent one. A special committee was appointed to continue the movement in favor of Dominion incorporation.

An agitation for an equalization of rates provoked a long debate. At present there is one rate for members who joined before 1895, another for those who joined between 1895 and 1899, and a third for those who joined since 1899. An effort was made to have the last rate, which was considered the proper one, made general, but it was voted down. A proposal to continue the extension tax was also debated, but because of the recent large increase in membership, it was decided that it should be done without for a couple of years.

F. S. Mearns and A. Fraser, of Toronto, were the candidates for the position of grand chief, and the latter was elected by a large majority. For the grand chieftainship the nominations were P. McGregor, Almonte; W. Johnstone, St. Marys, and Dr. Gilchrist, Orillia, the last-named being elected by a large majority.

The following is a list of the officers and standing committees: Grand chief, A. Fraser, Toronto; grand chieftain, Dr. Gilchrist, Orillia; grand secretary, D. M. Robertson, Toronto, by acclamation; grand treasurer, Alex. Hay, Toronto, by acclamation; grand chaplain, Rev. J. J. Crawford, Niagara Falls; grand medical examiner, Dr. Wylie, Toronto, by acclamation; grand marshal, John McIntosh, Belleville; grand standard-bearer, Alex. McKinnon, Tiverton; grand senior guard, Peter Smith, Montreal; grand junior guard, George Hamilton, Attwood; grand trustees, E. A. McLauren, of Toronto, D. McKay, of Whitby, and D. Thompson, of Strathroy; grand piper, Major Piper Beaton, 48th Highlanders, Toronto. Finance committee—G. L. Wilson, Alexandria; Dr. Ferguson, Toronto; Rev. Mr. McCrae, London. Laws and applications—F. T. Mearns, W. Banks, Toronto; — Mitchell, Goderich. State of the order—W. Barclay Craig, Renfrew; J. J. McKillop, West Lorne; D. A. McNabb, Orillia. Insurance—Dr. Ferguson, Toronto; Duncan Monroe, Cornwall; W. Barclay Craig, Renfrew; Rev. Dr. McCrae, London. Auditors—J. B. McKay, John Tytler.

TO SHOOT TO KILL

Richmond Is Determined to Operate Its Street Cars.

Richmond, Vt., June 26.—Street cars have been running on three of the city lines since shortly after noon yesterday, and are running thus far, without serious molestation. Militiamen were on every car. Strong guards of militiamen have been on duty at all the powerhouses and car barns. Stringent orders were issued with the object of maintaining order, women and children being asked to remain at home as far as possible, and the troops being specifically directed to shoot promptly and to kill if necessary to prevent destruction of property or peril to life or limb.

CHINESE CRUCIFIED

Horrible Spectacle Witnessed in the Streets of Kiating.

Victoria, June 26.—According to mail advices, the Kiating correspondent of the North China Daily News says a horrible spectacle was seen there of two men nailed to wooden crosses and four others hung in wooden cages being paraded along the streets and followed by thousands of people. All of the men were dead, except one of the two on the crosses. They were finally piled at the entrance of the west gate, where they were left exposed alternately to the rains and sun. The man on the cross lingered for three days and then he was poisoned, and large spikes were driven through his wrists and his legs just above the ankles. The crimes of the men in the cages were robbery of a house, burning and murder. The two men on the crosses had caught a Yamen runner, tied him up to a tree and sliced him to pieces.

CROSSED CONTINENTS AND OCEAN TO GET HUSBAND

Wife of John Brown Came From Russia to London to Find Delinquent Spouse.

The name of John Brown appeared on the police court calendar this morning as being charged with non-support of wife and family. John Brown may not be a particularly Russian name, but the gentleman mentioned is a Russian Jew, who has become quite Anglicized since his residence in this country. Seven years ago he came to Canada from Russia, leaving his wife and family in that country. Since then she has been left to her own support. Finally she decided to come to this country to see if she could not locate her husband, and with the aid of her parents she did so. Her parents came as far as New York, while she arrived in London yesterday from the east, after a trip of 6,000 miles, which took six weeks.

Some compatriots in this city directed her to the police station, when the object of her visit was made known to them, and an interpreter was secured, as she could not speak a word of English. Detective Egelton succeeded in finding her husband at a boarding house on Maple street. An information having been sworn out by his wife, charging non-support, Mr. Brown accompanied the officer to the station, when he was informed of his wife's arrival. There he was bailed to appear this morning. The case, however, did not go to the magistrate for trial, as the wife withdrew her complaint, and man and wife left the court together.

There seems to have been a misunderstanding, Mr. Brown stating that when he left his wife he thought he left enough money, and that remittances were made since, which evidently she did not get. Whatever did pass between them before, they are friends once more, as he showed no disinclination to make up when he met his wife last night at the police station. For the five years that he has been living in this city Brown has been employed at Carling's Brewery. After explanaions to one another this morning, the case was withdrawn from court and the family is reunited.

ALMA COLLEGE CLOSES VERY SUCCESSFUL YEAR

List of Students Who Won Prizes and Certificates.

Principal Warner Comments on Institution's Prosperity.

Alma College, St. Thomas, closed an exceptionally successful series of commencement exercises last Tuesday. These included an undergraduate recital, two examination recitals for music graduates, examination recital for graduates in elocution, post-graduate recital for voice culture, class day programme and opening of fine art exhibit, field-day games, Alumnae and Alma Daughters reunion, Y. W. C. A. reunion, domestic science dinner, baccalaureate sermon by Rev. George J. Bishop, London; lecture-concert by Professor L. E. Horning, M.A, Ph. D., Victoria College, on "Canadian Literature," and Mr. George Fox, violinist, and commencement day exercises.

Special features of the exercises were the address of Mrs. (Dr.) McLaughlin (Carrie Greenham), McFarlane, Wis., at Alumnae reunion; the victory of Alma tennis players in this; the exhibit of water-color paintings by Miss McKenzie; the large rally of Alma Daughters and ex-students, especially fro London and Aylmer; the class poem by Miss Nasmyth, and the increased public interest in examination recitals.

The following is the list of graduates and candidates for certificates: Music, voice (post-graduate), Charlotte May Scott, Florence Edna Freek, St. Thomas. Mistress of English language (M. E. L.), Lily May Moorhouse, Talbotville; Beatriee Sifton Nasmyth, Woodstock. Music, piano, Vera May Gale, Toledo, Ohio; Ethel Horton, Harriet Bertha Joliffe, St. Thomas. Annie Kraemer, Mitchell; Estelle Bess Risdon, St. Thomas; Marie Adele Thompson, Dutton. Music, voice, (a) teachers and artistic course, Louise Pettibone Champion, Brantford; Amy Alton Johns, Exeter; Nettie Estelle Moore, Lion's Head; Lila May Thomson, Belton; (b) artistic course, Feodore B. Baker, St. Thomas. Fine art, Ada Louise Potts, Fingal. Elocution and physical culture, Berdatha Louise Larminan, Curries, Ethel Northcote, Lindop, Emily McColl, Loudora McKenzie, St. Thomas. Commercial science, Lena Collins, Sault Ste. Marie; Alice Alberta Hart, Woodham; Ada Myrtilla Smith, Fairfield Plains. Domestic science, Menia S. Tye, St. Thomas.

CERTIFICATES.

Music, piano, (senior), Amy Allen Johns, Alice Kate Marlatt, Nettie Estelle Moore, Donna Adelia Parlee. Music, piano (junior), Helen Sophia Farrand, Floy Wilson Freeman, Mabel Haylock, Emily McColl, Lila May Thomson. Music, organ, Helen Sophia Farrand. Music, voice (senior), Mason Herman Baker, Minnie Melissa Depew, Gertrude Eddy, Kenneth Pinlay, Floy Wilson Freeman; Gertrude Lavina Hart, Margaret May Still, Mina May White, Ethel Ruberta Wyatt. Music voice (junior), Georgina Dexter, Marion Wilhelmina Faulds; Jessie Alberta Horning, Leonora Inez Johnson, Mary Jane Joynt, Sylvia Laidlaw, Elmer Hobbs Ley. Elocution (junior), Minnie Melissa Depew, Ethel Duck, Gertrude Lavina Hart, Arletta Hughson, May Louise Kaufman, Margaret Matheson, Marion Marguerite McCann, Lillian Anne Smith, Rhea Scott Vernon. Physical culture, Lena Collins, Marion Wilhelmina Faulds, Arletta H. Hughson, Nettie Estelle Moore. Shorthand and typewriting, Edna Beatrice Scott, Millie Farley. Domestic science, Marion Gertrude Jones.

Art School Examinations—

Advanced—Ada Louise Potts. Primary—Lena Collins, Lillian M. Gustin, Lenora Johnson, Marion E. McDonald, Roxabel Miller, Lillian A. Pink, Ada Louise Potts.

PRIZES AND MEDALS.

The college prizes and medals were awarded as follows: Silver medal, his Excellency the Earl of Minto, Governor-General of Canada; highest proficiency in subjects for university examination, Lily May Moorhouse, Talbotville.

Thirty-dollar cash prize, W. L. Wickett, B. A., barrister; proficiency in water color painting, Ada Louise Potts, Fingal.

Twenty-dollar cash prize, W. L. Wickett, B. A., barrister; proficiency in charcoal drawing, Roxabel Miller, St. Thomas.

Martha prize, Rev. Dr. Gee, English prose essay on "Canada, the Granary of Britain," Rhea Scott Vernon, Woodham.

Hunter and Crossley prizes, spare minute Bible study; first, Rhea Scott Vernon; second, Amie Kraemer, Mitchell. For normal Bible outline, Margaret L. A. Matheson, Owen Sound.

Principal's prize, senior English, Lily May Moorhouse, Talbotville.

Gold medal, Senator Glazier, Michigan; deportment, Lily May Moorhouse, Talbotville.

Silver medal, Dr. F. E. Bennett; deportment, Berdetha Louise Lamminan, Curries.

The athletic prizes were won as follows: Tennis singles, Miss Hord; tennis doubles, Misses Hord and Champion; croquet singles, Vera Gale; croquet doubles, Misses Gale and Lillian Smith; ping pong, Miss Champion; graceful walking, 1 Miss Horning, 2 Miss Freeman; graceful running, Miss L. Collins; graduates' race, Miss L. Collins; running race, 1 Miss Craig, 2 Miss Cocking; potato race, Miss Craig; slow bicycle race, Miss A. Smith; throwing baseball, Miss Freek; punching bag contest, Miss M. Collins; basketball, Misses Collins, Craig, Moorhouse, M. Collins, Wyatt, Kaufman; three-minute drawing contest, Miss Depew; story-telling contest, Miss Craig; college yell, Miss Gale; college song, Miss Nasmyth; progressive ping pong, Miss Craig.

The following assisted in the presentations for prizes, diplomas and programme on commencement day: Miss Lily May Moorhouse (valedictorian), Mr. J. H. Jones, Mr. Thomas Martin, Mr. Fred Traver, Judge Ermatinger, Rev. D. R. Drummond, B. D., Rev. Dr. Young, Rev. H. W. Crews, M. A., Rev. W. G. H. McAllister, B.A., Dr. Silcox, Dr. Bennett, Rev. Mr. McDougall, Rev. E. N. Baker, B. D., Rev. H. W. Reede, M. A., Rev. W. Godwin, Miss M. A. Harvey, B. A., registrar.

Principal Warner expressed satisfaction with the splendid work done by the students and with the high ability of the staff of teachers. He noted the enrollment as the largest in seven years and the greatly added attractiveness and comfort of the college through recent improvements. Dr. Warner, with his strong staff, and with the growing public interest in the higher education of young women, felt great confidence in Alma's future. The new college song, "Auld Lang Syne," and "God Save the King" were sung and a highly successful year closed.

HON. MR. SIFTON RETURNS

Minister of the Interior Welcomed Back to Ottawa.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, June 26. — Hon. Clifford Sifton, the British agent in the Alaskan boundary case, returned to the city at noon yesterday and was welcomed at the Central depot by a large number of personal friends. Along with Mr. Sifton was A. P. Collier, the minister's private secretary.

ROWLEY OUT ON BAIL

Ex-Manager of the Elgin Company Released on $8,000 Bail.

St. Thomas, June 26.—W. L. Wickett, acting on behalf of Mr. Rowley, yesterday appeared before Magistrate Glenn and made application for bail for the accused. This was granted, and the bail placed at $8,000, Mr. Rowley in $4,000 and G. R. McColl and J. D. Christmas in $2,000 each. He was then released. The preliminary hearing was fixed for next Thursday.

Physically Mr. Rowley is in a state of collapse, and is unable to speak to anyone. At the police station he was unable to sit up, and has every appearance of being completely broken down. During his absence he has been shaven clean. He formerly wore a beard.

It is learned that a discrepancy has been discovered in an account in the Elgin Loan Company's books as far back as 1891. The sum involved is said to be about $1,000.

KNOWN TO THOUSANDS.—Parmelee's Vegetable Pills regulate the action of the secretions, purify the blood and keep the stomach and bowels free from deleterious matter. Taken according to direction they will overcome dyspepsia, eradicate biliousness, and leave the digestive organs healthy and strong to perform their functions. Their merits are well known to thousands, who know by experience how beneficial they are in giving tone to the system.

ELECTRIC LINE SMASHUP

Collision Near Hamilton Causes Death and Severe Injuries.

Hamilton, Ont., June 26.—A fatal collision occurred on the Hamilton, Grimsby and Beamsville Electric Railway yesterday afternoon, near Winona, resulting in the death of one of the employes and serious injuries to others. A freight car loaded with fruit coming west, and a passenger going east had a head-on collision when both were running at a good rate of speed. The cars came together with great force, and several passengers were thrown violently forward. A lady and two commercial travelers were severely injured and other passengers were bruised. Robert Braidwood, conductor of the freight car, was thrown under the car and had both legs badly crushed, besides sustaining other internal injuries. He died when being removed to the city hospital here. Braidwood is unmarried, and lived at the Germania Hotel. Peter Dobson, of Beamsville, conductor of the passenger car, was seriously injured, and is now in the city hospital. Henry Branton, motorman on the passenger, was also injured, but will recover. An inquest has been ordered.

Manitoba Elections.

Winnipeg, Man., June 26. — An evening paper is out with an extra announcing the Local Legislature has been dissolved. Proclamations have been issued fixing the date for the elections for July 17.

Piles To prove to you that Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and absolute cure for each and every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles, the manufacturers have guaranteed it. See testimonials in the daily press and ask your neighbors what they think of it. You can use it and get your money back if not cured. 60c a box, at all dealers or EDMANSON, BATES & Co., Toronto.

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Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC.
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Pumpkin Seed -
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A perfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, Worms, Convulsions, Feverishness and LOSS OF SLEEP.
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CHINESE ASSURANCE

Great Britain Knows of No Agreement With Russia.

London, June 26.—Under Foreign Secretary Cranborne, replying to the question in the House of Commons yesterday, said that so far as the British Government was aware no agreement had been reached between Russia and China with reference to Manchuria or the port of New Chwang, in Manchuria. The British charge d'affairs at Pekin had been informed by the Chinese Government that an arrangement was being negotiated which would preserve Manchuria for China without the loss of her sovereign rights, and he had also been given assurances that the treaty rights of the other powers would be respected.

JOTTINGS FROM NEARBY PLACES

Though correspondents' names are not published, they should always sign their letters.

BALLYMOTE.

Ballymote, June 26. — Emmanuel Church, Ballymote, held its annual lawn social on Monday evening. Despite the unfavorable weather there was a large attendance, and a thoroughly enjoyable time was spent. The ladies served refreshments in generous profusion and the programme was given in the church, owing to the rain.

The entire concert was given by the Mandolin Orchestra of London and elicited the highest commendations from the audience, and from the chairman, Rev. Canon Richardson. The programme included selections by the orchestra, recitations by Miss Gwendolyn Anthistle and solos by Miss Maude Fowler and Mr. Charles Turner.

Rev. Mr. Fair, of Siloam, gave a brief but forceful address on "Church Unity." Rev. Canon Richardson presided in his usual happy vein.

IVAN.

Ivan, June 26. — A quiet home wedding was celebrated Wednesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. George Shanklin, Ivan, when her daughter, Katherine, E., was united in marriage to Mr. Peter G. McKellar. Rev. Mr. Hozie, of the Presbyterian Church, performed the ceremony. The bride was prettily gowned in a gray crepe de chene over pink, trimmed with shirring and applique, and carried a bouquet of bridal roses. Only the immediate friends and relatives of the contracting parties were present, and the home was beautifully decorated for the occasion. After the congratulations the wedding breakfast was served. Many handsome gifts betokened the thoughtful regard entertained for the young people. The groom is a well-known farmer and a popular young man. Mr. and Mrs. McKellar will spend their honeymoon in Detroit.

HIS CANADIAN VICTIM

Sensational Story of Dougal, the Moat House Murderer.

London, June 26.—The Daily Express publishes a detailed sensational story of how a Canadian girl from Halifax, Nova Scotia, was deceived and forsaken by Dougal, now under sentence of death for murder. The girl came to England with Dougal in 1886. She says she was treated like a dog. On more than one occasion Dougal threatened to kill her and make away with her body. The Express describes the girl as of excellent position and of remarkable beauty.

THE NAVAL RESERVE

British Admiralty Experts Show Keen Interest in Proposals.

London, June 26.—Admiralty and expert British critics are watching with keen interest the Canadian Government's plans for the establishment of a Canadian naval reserve for the ocean and the great lakes. The admiralty adheres to their contention that Canada's most effective help to the defense of the empire would be a money contribution to the navy, but realize that if this is unacceptable it is better to secure a Canadian naval reserve than nothing at all. On the other hand, not a few experts believe that the best policy would be to leave each colony to make that kind of contribution which best suits local conditions.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

June 25.—At Montreal—Sardinian, from Glasgow; Marina, from Glasgow; Manxman, from Bristol.

At New York—Deutschland, from Hamburg.

At Boston—Saxonia, from Liverpool.

At Havre—La Lorraine, from New York.

At Southampton—New York, from New York.

At Leghorn—Hesperia, from New York.

At Liverpool—Noordland, from Philadelphia; Bostonian, from Boston.

At Glasgow—Ethiopia, from New York.

At Queenstown—Germanic, from New York.

At Marseilles—Gallia, from New York.

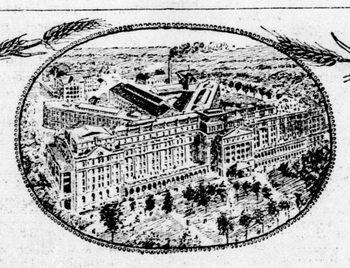
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A Japanese inventor has discovered a compound which will remove natural and artificial blemishes in the skin. Birthmarks and tattooing disappear after one application.

Lever's Y-Z (Wise Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder dusted in the bath, softens the water and disinfects. 38



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White Skirts Nicely trimmed with good embroidery. Worth up to $1.25 each. Only very slightly soiled..... **75c**

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We are selling some 10c and 12½c Prints at, yard **5c**

See our large window for Special Cut Prices in Ginghams and Chambrays.

MERCERIZED SATEEN, FANCY PRINTS, special at 15c, sale price, yard **8c**

Linen Department. Cut Prices Here.

Fine Linen Crash Skirting, 36-inch wide, regular 15c, sale price, yard **10c**
60-INCH TABLE LINEN, fine pattern, special at 30c, sale price, yard **25c**
Special line of Bath Towels, regular 10c, sale price, each .. **7c**
Linen Towels, large size, regular 18c, sale price, each **12½c**
Special value in Toweling, at, yard 5c, 6c, 7c and **9c**
Good size Huck Towels, regular 8c, sale price, yard **5c**

Ladies' Handkerchiefs

Worth 75c dozen, selling at, per dozen **40c**

Lace and Ribbon Department

WHITE COTTON WORK APPLIQUES, at about half their worth, yard, 5c, 8c and **10c**
FINE VALENCIENNES LACE, Laces worth 3c and 5c yard, selling, for, 12 yards, 15c, 20c, and **25c**
WHITE WIDE VALENCIENNES LACES, regular 10c, sale price, just half, yard **5c**
WHITE ALLOVER LACES, special prices in Allover Laces, fine patterns, yard, 25c, 35c, 39c and **50c**
RIBBONS LESS THAN HALF-PRICE — Wide Silk Taffeta Ribbons, very fine goods, in pink, pale blue and black, regular 50c, sale price, yard **19c**

Dress Goods Department.

A beautiful lot of Black Figured Lusters, 50c, reduced to, yard **25c**
Special Finish Plaids, new goods, some of these lines were 50c, reduced to, yard **15c**

OUR BIG REDUCTION CURTAIN SALE

Is still moving and many lines of Lace Curtains are moving out. Have you bought a pair yet? See our Window.

Ladies' Veils.

Ladies' Chiffon Veils, 1½ yards long, hemstitched, chenille spot, regular 50c, sale price, just half, each **25c**

Underwear Department, Cut Prices.

Infants' Natural Wool Vests, long sleeves, regular 35c, reduced price, each **15c**
Infants' Fine White Wool Vests, long sleeves, regular 25c, reduced price, each **19c**
Infants' Natural and White Wool Vests, buttoned front, worth 50c, for, each **25c**
5 only Children's Night Gowns, embroidery and insertion trimmed, regular 75c, to clear, each **40c**
5 only, Ladies' Lace Flounce Underskirts, beautiful goods, were $4 50, reduced to each, ... **$3 00**
2 only Ladies' Fine Embroidery and Insertion Trimmed Underskirts, were $3 00, reduced to, each **$1 75**
Ladies' Night Gowns, were 90c, sale price, each **59c**
Ladies Night Gowns, were $1 59, now, each **$1 00**

Malta is the most thickly populated island in the world. It has 1,360 people to the square mile. Barbadoes has 1,054 people to the square mile.

Many Women Are Not Attractive

because of repulsive looking warts on the hands. They can be painlessly removed in one day by Putnam's Corn and Wart Extractor. Putnam's is the best corn and wart cure made. Try it.

The revenue of New Zealand for the past ten months is $1,000,000 in excess of that for the same period last year.

The gold fever is raging in Africa, attracting men to the regions adjoining Khartoum, where copper and gold exist in paying quantities.

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

Berlin (Germany) local trains now have special compartments for passengers with dogs.

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THE MARKETS.

STOCK MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

H. C. Becher, broker, Bank of Commerce building, received the following by private wire from Bartlett, Frazier & Co. today:

New York, June 26—Noon.—There was again heavy trading in Pennsylvania, and at about the same figure as yesterday. There were large supporting orders at 123, about 60,000 shares being wanted at that figure. The rest of the market was eextremely dull, and during the first hour prices changed but little; after that there was an upward movement, in which the western roads were the leaders. The advance was thought to be due to the receipt of dispatches from the west stating that weather conditions were more favorable for the growing crops. Money was in slightly better demand and loans were made at 2½, whereas 2¼ was the prevailing rate yesterday. Sentiment on the floor among the traders is in farvor of higher prices. Sales to noon, 125,600 shares.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, June 26.

	Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific	123	122¼
Canadian Pacific, new	..	..
Duluth, common	..	..
Duluth, preferred	..	..
Winnipeg Electric	210	175
Montreal Street Railway	229½	228
West India	60	..
Toronto Street Railway	99¾	99⅝
Halifax Street Railway	95	90
St. John Street Railway	117¼	..
Twin City Transit Railway	96⅜	96¼
Twin City Railway, new	..	..
Richelieu and Ontario	89	88¾
Commercial Cable	165	160
Montreal Telegraph	160	156
Bell Telephone	160	156
Dominion Iron and Steel, com	18	16¾
Dominion Iron and Steel, pref	57	55
Montreal Heat, Light and Power	77½	77¼
Nova Scotia Steel, common	97¾	97
Detroit Railway	73	72¼
Laurentide Pulp	..	..
Montreal Cotton	124	116½
Dominion Cotton	45	39
Canada Colored Cotton	60	45
Merchants' Cotton	70	..
War Eagle	..	..
Payne	..	..
Montreal Street Bonds	..	..
Republic	..	..
Virtue	..	..
North Star	..	..
National Salt, common	..	..
Dominion Coal, common	97	96
Dominion Coal, preferred	..	..
Int. Coal	110	80
Int. Coal, preferred	..	..
B. C. P. A	..	..
Bank of Montreal	..	248
Ontario Bank	..	..
British North America	..	..
Molsons Bank	..	..
Bank of Toronto	..	..
Merchants Bank	160	155
Ogilvie Milling Co., preferred	124½	120
Montreal Switch	70	65
Montreal Switch, pref	..	99
Ogilvie Bonds	..	..
Marconi	..	..
Windsor Hotel	..	..
Bank National	..	..
Lake of Woods Mfg. Co	..	..
Royal Bank	..	..
Bank of Nova Scotia	276	..
Eastern Townships	..	..
Bank of Montreal	..	..
Quebec Bank	..	..
Bank of Toronto	..	..
Union Bank	135	130
Bank of Commerce	..	..
Hochlaga	130	..
Northwest Land	..	..
Northwest Land, pref	..	..
Imperial Bank	..	..
Dominion Iron and Steel Bonds ..	71	76¾
Laurentide	105	..
Cable Coupon	..	..
Halifax Railway	..	..
Cable Registered	..	..
Colored Cotton	..	..
N. S. Steel Bonds	..	..
Toledo Bonds	26¾	26

SALES: R. and O., 160 at 89, 1 at 87, 25 at 89½, 125 at 89¾, 50 at 89¾, 50 at 89⅝, 15 at 89½, 135 at 89, 50 at 88¾; Iron, common, 10 at 18¼, 50 at 17¾, 10 at 18, 600 at 17; C. P. R., 45 at 122; Coal, common, 1 at 94¼, 100 at 97, 25 at 96½; Montreal Street Railway, 25 at 229; Iron, preferred, 420 at 55, 3 at 52, 10 at 58, 25 at 56, 10 at 55¾; Twin City, 1 at 95, 210 at 96¼, 15 at 96½; Power, 5 at 78, 1 at 77, 1 at 78, 50 at 77¾, 125 at 77⅞, 275 at 77½; Scotia, 205 at 98, 50 at 98¼c, 25 at 97⅞, 50 at 98¼; Detroit Railway, 25 at 72¼; Iron bonds, 6,000 at 69½, 1,000 at 69¾, 5,000 at 70, 10,000 at 70¼, 2,000 at 70¾; Dominion Cotton, 50 at 40; Molsons Bank, 15 at 199; Toronto Railway, 1 at 89.

TORONTO.

Toronto, June 26.

	Ask.	ff
Montreal	..	250
Ontario	..	128
Toronto	236	232½
Merchants	..	..
Commerce	160	159
Imperial	230	229
Dominion	238	234
Standard	250	240
Hamilton	225	222½
Nova Scotia	..	..
Ottawa	..	209
Traders	..	137
British America	100	..
Western Assurance	93	..
Imperial Life	..	149
National Trust	..	..
Toronto General Trusts	..	156½
Consumers Gas	210	207½
Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land	..	84
Canada Northwest Land, Pref	100	96
Canada Northwest Land, com	..	..
Can. Pacific Railway Stock	122¼	122
Can. Pac. Railway Stock, new	..	..
Canada Life	..	..
Royal	..	..
Toronto Electric Light	113	112
General Electric	162	160½
General Electric, pref	..	..
London Electric	108	..
Commercial Cable	164	163
Dominion Telegraph	..	118
Bell Telephone	..	154
Richelieu and Ontario Nav. Co	89¼	89
Niagara Navigation	..	121
Northern Navigation	130	127
St. Clair L. and C. Navigation	127	120
Toronto Railway	100	99
London St. Railway	..	..
Twin City Railway	96¼	96
Winnipeg St. Railway	..	175
Sao Paulo Tramway	..	86¾
Toledo	..	..
Luxfer Prism, pref	..	..
Carter Crume, pref	..	..
Dunlop Tire, pref	..	..
W. A. Rogers, pref	..	..
Packers, A	..	..
Packers, B	..	..
Dominion Steel, com	18	16
Dominion Steel, pref	..	54¾
Dominion Coal, com	97	96¾
Nova Scotia Steel, com	97⅝	97
Lake Superior, com	..	..
Virtue	..	..
North Star	..	..
Colored Cotton	..	..
Crow's Nest Coal	350	..
War Eagle	..	..
Republic	..	..
Payne Mining	..	..
Cariboo (McKinney)	..	..
Canada Salt	..	117
British Canadian L. and I	..	70
Canada Landed and Nat. Inv	105½	103½
Canada Permanent	..	119½
Canada Savings and Loan	..	118
Central Canada Loan	..	148½
Dominion Savings and Invest	..	70
Hamilton Provident	..	119
Huron and Erie L. and S.	..	180
Imperial L. and Invest.	..	67
Landed Banking and Loan	..	119
Lon. and Can. L. and A.	100	..
Manitoba Loan	..	70
Toronto Mortgage	..	85
London Loan	120	..
Ontario Loan and Deb.	..	121
Peoples' Loan and Deposit	..	..
Toronto Savings and Loan	..	..
Dominion Steel Bonds	73	70
N. S. Steel Bonds	..	111½

SALES: Hamilton, 2 at 226; R. and O., 75 at 89¼, 75 at 90, 25 at 89⅞; Toronto Railway, 5 at 100; Twin City, 75 at 96¼, 25 at 96¼; Sao Paulo, 25 at 86, 160 at 85¾, 125 at 87, 325 at 86¾; C. P. R., 100 at 122, 100 at 121⅞; Traders, 14 at 137; Toronto Electric Light, 25 at 131¾, 13 new at 128; Canadian General Electric, 10 at 162, 10 at 167⅛, 150 at 162½, 10 at 162⅝, 10 at 162⅜, 200 at 162⅞, 30 at 163, 25 at 162⅞, 10 at 162¾, 15 at 162⅝, 10 at 162½, 15 at 162⅝, 110 at 162, 25 at 161¾, 15 at 161½, 25 at 161, 10 at 161, 10 at 160¾; Steel, 250 at 18, 10 preferred at 52½, 6,000 bonds at 60, 20 preferred at 54½; Coal, 25 at 96¼, 45 at 96½, 25 at 96⅝, 125 at 96½; Nova Scotia Steel, 25 at 97¼, 25 at 97½, 100 at 97¾, 105 at 97½, 50 at 97⅝; R. and O., 50 at 89; Toronto Mortgage, 12 xd at 88½.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

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

Chicago, June 26.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—July	82¼	83¾	81⅝	82⅝
Sept	79⅝	80⅝	78¼	80
Corn—July	51⅞	51⅞	50⅞	51¼
Sept	51⅜	51⅜	50½	51⅛
Oats—July	43	44⅛	43	43
Sept	34¾	34⅞	34¼	34½
Pork—July	16 42	16 42	16 00	16 00
Sept	16 65	16 67	16 05	16 05
Lard—July	8 45	8 45	8 27	8 27
Sept	8 65	8 67	8 42	8 42
S. Ribs—July	8 95	9 00	8 82	8 82
Sept	9 07	9 07	8 80	8 85

NEW YORK.

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

New York, June 26.

	Open.	High.	Low.	2 p.m
Amal. Copper	53¼	54¼	53¼	54⅛
American Sugar Co	119	..	..	..
American Foundry	35¾	36⅝	35¾	36½
American Refining	44	..	..	..
Atcheson Com	66	66½	66	66¼
Atcheson Pfd	93½	93¾	93½	93¾
B. & O	84⅝	84¾	84½	84⅝
Brooklyn Tran	55⅞	56	55¾	55⅞
C. P. R	122	122¼	122	122⅛
Chesapeake & Ohio	37⅜	..	..	..
Chic. Great Western	18⅝	18¾	18⅜	18⅜
Col. Fuel and Iron	66⅞	66½	64⅛	65⅞
Erie	32⅛	32¼	32⅛	32¼
Erie Pfd	65⅞	66	65⅞	66
Illinois Central	133	..	..	..
Louisville and Nashville	109¾	..	..	..
Manhattan	136½	..	..	..
M. P	103	..	..	..
N. Y. Central	126½	126½	126⅞	126½
Ont. and West	24¾	24⅞	24¾	24¾
Pennsylvania	123⅛	123⅜	123	123⅜
People's Gas	97¾	..	..	..
Reading	48¾	48⅞	48½	48¾
Republic I. and S	14⅛	14⅛	14	14
Rock Island	33	33	32¾	32¾
Southern Ry, Pfd	87½	..	..	..
Southern Pacific	48½	48⅝	48¼	48½
St. Paul	149⅝	150	149⅜	149⅝
Twin City	96	..	..	..
T. C. I	50½	..	..	..
Union Pacific	79⅞	80⅜	79⅞	79⅞
U. S. Leather	8⅝	8⅞	8⅝	8⅞
U. S. Leather, Pfd	84	..	..	..
U. S. Steel, com	29½	29¾	29½	29⅝
U. S. Steel, Pfd	79½	79¾	79¼	79¼
Wabash, com	24⅜	24¾	24⅜	24¾
Wabash, Pfd	44	44½	44	44⅛

THE LOCAL MARKET.

London, Friday, June 26.

There were nearly as many loads of hay offered today as there were all last week, about 50 being on the stand; sales were made at $9 50 to $10 per ton at the opening of the market, but later on the choice loads went at $8 to $9 per ton; the poor class of hay went at $6 to $7 50 per ton.

A few loads of oats sold at 93c per cental.

Strawberries were very plentiful today; about 10 loads were offered, and sales were slow, at 4c per box wholesale and 5c retail.

Several lots of wool sold at 16½c per pound for washed.

It has been settled that the price for Monday's shipment of live hogs will be $5 40 per 100 pounds.

Several loads of straw sold at $2 50 by the load.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, June 26.—Wheat—Higher; No. 2 red and white, 75c to 75½c, middle freights; Manitoba, 85½c for No. 1 hard and 84c for No. 1 northern, afloat, Fort William; No. 1 hard at 86½c and No. 1 northern at 85½c at Lake Huron ports, and 6c more grinding in transit. Flour—Firmer, at $2 75 bid for cars of 90 per cent patents in buyers' bags east or middle freights; choice brands are 15c to 20c higher. Millfeed—Steady, at $17 for cars of shorts and $15 for bran in bulk, middle freights. Barley—Quiet, at 44c for No. 3 extra and 42c for No. 2, middle freights. Rye—Steady; No. 2 at 50c, middle freights. Corn—Firm; Canada, 46c for cars west; American, 59c for No. 3 mixed and 60c for No. 3 yellow in car lots on the track at Toronto. Oats—Firm; No. 2 white at 32c, high freights west, and 32½c middle freights. Peas—Quiet; No. 2, 64c, middle freights, and 63c high freights west. Butter and eggs—Steady and unchanged.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, June 26.—Flour—Receipts, 118,456 bbls; sales, 100 pkgs; state and western market was unsettled and lass active. Rye flour—Firm. Wheat—Receipts, 19,900 bu; sales, 1,560,000 bu; wheat declined sharply this morning on rumors of rains in the northwest, active unloading and poor cables; July, 86½c to 87 7-16c; Sept., 82¾c to 83⅞c; Dec., 83⅛c to 84c. Rye—Steady; state, 56½c to 59c, c.i.f., New York; No. 2 white, 49c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 55,150 bu; sales, 70,000 bu; corn was also weaker on improved crop news and the wheat break; July, 59¼c to 59⅝c; Sept., 57⅝c to 57⅞c. Oats—Receipts, 113,900 bu; oats were dull and lower; track, white state and western, 42c to 48½c. Coffee—Quiet; No. 7 Rio, 5⅛c. Lead—Quiet. Wool—Firm. Hops—Quiet.

CHICAGO.

H. C. Becher, broker, Bank of Commerce building, received the following by private wire from Bartlett, Frazier & oC. today:

Chicago, June 25.—The market opened with the shorts in a panic and yesterday pit takers reinstating their lines on continued dry weather in the northwest. Prices advanced 2c a bushel amid intense excitement and an immense trade. The northwestern situation is the governing factor, and wires from many districts report the crop going backwards. The southwest contributed its mite in the way of rains in the harvesting districts. Liverpool market advanced ¾c to ⅞c, in sympathy with our advance yesterday. Cars, 30.

Corn, while strong and higher, was quiet, compared with neighboring pits. The May option was in noticeably good demand. Reports are plentiful of shorts and generally poor promise of the crop. The future market has run away from the cash demand. The Liverpool market was indifferent, being unchanged to ⅛c higher. Estimated receipts tomorrow, 525 cars.

Oats awoke from their lethargic condition at the opening, and advanced with a big trade in the September option, influenced by damage reports. Trade became light and the market quiet later. The July acted in a crazy fashion, and fluctuations were wild. Demand for local receipts is good, but for shipment dull. The south is said to be bidding freely for cash oats. Estimated cars for tomorrow, 180.

Provisions opened active and higher, with good buying by shorts on higher prices at the yards and hogs 10,000 under the estimate. Good buying of lard, possibly for packing interests, and of ribs by commission houses, lent additional firmness to the market, as did the strength in grain. The market closed practically at the top for the day, with 23,000 estimated for tomorrow.

TOLEDO.

Toledo, O., June 25.—Wheat—Cash, 81¾c; July, 81½c; Sept., 80⅞c. Corn—July, 52c; Sept., 51¾c. Oats—July, 42½c; Sept., 34¾c.

Lambs, each	2 50	@	4 25
Calves, each	2 00	@	10 00
Calves, per cwt	4 50	@	5 50
Hogs, singers, off cars	5 75	@	5 75
Hogs, fats and lights, off cars	5 62½	@	5 62½

Export cattle and butchers' cattle are selling fairly well; no good export cows in today; milch cows slow, unless for choice milkers.

For Bath and Toilet Use.

Complexion Brushes, Rubber Massage Rollers, Pasta Mack, Cream Foam, Oriental Cream, Ongaline, Rosaline, Viola Cream, Formolid Cream, Toilet Vinegar, Parisian Massage Cream, Bath Mitts, Toilet Chamois, Flesh Brushes, Loofahs, etc.

STRONG'S DRUG STORE,
184 Dundas Street.

SUGAR MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, June 25.—Sugar—Raw quiet and steady; fair refining, 3⅛c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 19-32c; molasses sugar, 2 29-32c; refined quiet. Molasses—Firm.

LONDON.

London, June 25.—Raw sugar—Muscovado, 8s 3d, nominal; centrifugal, 9s 6d; beet sugar, June 7s 9¾d.

DAIRY MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, June 25.—Butter steady and unchanged; receipts, 10,823 pkgs. Cheese steady and unchanged; receipts, 6,384 boxes.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, June 25.—Butter steady; creameries, 16c to 21c; dairies, 15½c to 18c. Cheese, new, dull, 10¾c to 11½c.

BROCKVILLE.

Brockville, Ont., June 25.—At a meeting of the cheese board today 2,892 boxes were registered, of which 850 were white; balance colored; all sold at 10½c.

TWEED.

Tweed, Ont., June 25.—At Tweed today 765 boxes of cheese were offered; sales, 120 at 10 5-16c, 515 at 10⅜c; balance not sold on board.

KINGSTON.

Kingston, Ont., June 25.—At the cheese board meeting today 1,945 boxes were registered, 1,435 colored and the balance white; bid, 10 7-16c; only 455 sold.

NEW YORK.

New York, June 26.—Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3⅛c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 9-16c; molasses sugar, 2 29-32c; refined steady.

OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Pa., June 25.—Oil opened and closed at $1 50.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., June 25.—Credit balances, $1 50.

LONDON.

London, June 25.—Petroleum, American refined, 5 11-16d; spirits, 8½d.

PETROLEA.

The Topic's figures: Petrolea, $2; Oil Springs, less pipeage, $2 07; Pittsburg, $1 50.

BEAN MARKET.

Detroit, June 26.—Beans were inactive yesterday, but the close was at an advance of 2c to 5c. There was a good demand and no beans were offered. Cash, $2 19 bid; July, $2 20 bid; October, $1 85 bid.

HAY MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, June 25.—Baled Hay—Unchanged, at $9 per ton for car lots on the track here, with some dealers asking 50c more.

Baled Straw—The market is quiet, with plenty offering, and the demand light. Car lots on the track here are quoted unchanged, at $5 per ton.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, June 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 250 head; market slow and easier; prime and shipping steers, $5 to $5 50; butchers' steers, $4 25 to $4 90; culls and heifers, $2 75 to $4 75; bulls, $3 to $4 15; stockers and feeders, $3 50 to $4 40. Veals—Receipts, 760 head; steady, $5 25 to $7 25.

Hogs—Receipts, 9,100 head; market active, 5c to 20c higher; heavy, $6 05 to $6 12½; mixed, $6 05 to $6 10; Yorkers, $6 05 to $6 20; pigs, $6 25 to $6 30; roughs, $5 35 to $5 50; stags, $4 to $4 50; dairies, $5 90 to $6.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 3,700 head; steady; lambs, $5 to $6 75; yearlings, $5 50 to $5 75; ewes, $4 to $4 25; sheep, mixed, $2 to $4 75; wethers, $5 to $5 25.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, June 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; market steady; good to choice steers, $5 10 to $5 50; poor to medium, $4 25 to $4 90; stockers and feeders, $2 75 to $4 75; cows, $1 60 to $4 50; heifers, $2 25 to $4 80; canners, $1 60 to $2 80; bulls, $2 25 to $4 50; calves, $2 50 to $6.

Hogs—Receipts, 15,000; market 5c to 10c higher; mixed and butchers, $5 75 to $5 95; good to choice heavy, $5 90 to $6; rough heavy, $5 60 to $5 85; light, $5 80 to $6 10; bulk of sales at $5 85 to $5 95.

Sheep—Receipts, 7,000; sheep slow, lambs steady; good to choice wethers, $4 40 to $5; fair to choice mixed, $3 to $4 25; native lambs, $4 to $6 75.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, June 25.—About 300 head of cattle, 400 calves and 300 sheep and lambs were offered for sale at the east end abattoir today. Trade was fair at firm rates, lambs bringing higher prices than they have done for some time past. Prime beeves sold at about 5¼c per lb; a few head sold at $5 35 per 100 lbs; medium cattle sold at from 3¾c to near 5c, and the common stock at from 2¾c to 3¾c per lb; good calves sold at from $6 to $14 each, or about 5c per lb; common calves at from $2 50 to $5 each, or from 3c to 4½c per lb; sheep sold at from 3c to near 4c per lb; good lambs sold at from $3 75 to $5 each; common lambs at from $2 50 to $3 50 each; fat hogs sold at from 6c to 6¼c per lb, weighed off the cars.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

London, June 25.—Prices are steady; Canadian cattle are 9½c to 10½c per lb, dressed weight; American cattle, 10½c to 11½c per lb; refrigerator beef is 8½c to 9c per lb; sheep, 10½c to 13c per lb.

TORONTO.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, June 26.—There were 51 loads in today, including 1,500 hogs, 1,035 sheep and lambs, and 96 calves. Quotations:

Export cattle, choice, cwt.	$5 00	@	$5 50
Export cattle, medium	4 75	@	5 00
Export cows	4 00	@	4 25
Export bulls	4 00	@	4 25
Butchers' cattle, choice	4 50	@	4 70
Butchers' cattle, medium	4 00	@	4 50
Butchers' cattle, common	3 50	@	3 75
Feeders, short-keep	4 50	@	4 75
Feeders, medium	4 00	@	4 25
Stockers	3 00	@	3 50
Milch cows, each	30 00	@	50 00
Export ewes, cwt	3 75	@	3 90
Export bucks	2 75	@	3 00
Sheep, culls or butchers, each	2 50	@	3 50

ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, June 26—Closing.—Wheat—Spot, No. 2 red western winter steady, 6s 3½d; No. 1 northern spring, no stock; No. 1 California steady, 6s 8½d Futures quiet; July, 6s 5⅞d; Sept., 6s 4⅜d.

Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, 5s 1½d. Futures quiet; June nominal; July, 4s 8⅝d; Sept., 4s 6⅞d.

Peas—Canadian dull, 5s 9½d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter quiet, 8s 3d.

Hops (at London)—Pacific coast firm, £5 15s to £6 6s.

Beef—Extra India mess dull, 75s.

Pork—Firm; prime mess western, 87s 6d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 55s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, firm, 49s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, firm, 55s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, firm, 52s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, firm, 51s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, firm, 51s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 48s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, steady, 39s 6d.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, easy, 42s 6d; American refined; in pails, dull, 41s 6d.

Butter—Good United States steady, 75s.

Cheese—Quiet; American finest white, 52s; do, colored, 54s.

Tallow—Prime city firm, 25s.

Turpentine Spirits—Steady, 39s 3d.

Petroleum—Refined steady, 6½d.

Rosin—Common quiet, 5s 3d.

Receipts of wheat during the past three days were 211,000 centals, including 51,000 American.

Receipts of American corn during the past three days were 58,700 centals.

Weather—Raining.

MR. CHAMBERLAIN MAKES AN IMPORTANT STATEMENT

Constitutional Club Entertain Colonial Secretary.

RECEIVES REMARKALE OVATION

He Declares That Commercial Rather Than Political Union Should Be Fostered.

London, June 26.—The Constitutional Club today entertained Colonial Secretary Chamberlain at luncheon, and presented him with an address inclosed in a casket, in recognition of his services to the nation. Premier Balfour made the presentation speech. Referring to Mr. Chamberlain's colonial proposals, he said it would be absolute folly for the Conservative-Unionist party to make opinions on economic questions a test of party loyalty. The present economic position of the country demanded the most careful consideration. It must not be supposed that because self-government had been given to the colonies, that these could be regarded as separate political entities. On the contrary, they were integral portions of the British Empire. The question at issue was not new. But Mr. Chamberlain, more than any man, dead or living, had given life to the expression of the idea of imperial unity.

Mr. Chamberlain received a remarkable ovation when he rose to reply. The Colonial Secretary opened his remarks with repudiating the suggestions of personal competition between himself and Mr. Balfour, remarking that he could not conceive any occurrence that could shake the political association and friendship existing between them. He desired, on the eve of a great controversy, to publicly state that he believed the leadership of Mr. Balfour was essential to the success of the Unionist party. If the Unionist alliance was dissolved or weak-kneed, the "home rule snake, which was only scotched, and not killed," would again come to the front.

Mr. Chamberlain declared that the commercial union of the colonies would be far more profitable than their political union. It was not true that he had raised the cry of preferential tariffs for the benefit of himself or of the party, but it was because there was no other alternative to a man holding his position, and he believed that only thereby could the empire be held together. A policy of retaliation could be better described as a policy of negotiation. The ministers would endeavor to break down the existing wall of hostile tariffs, and if they failed in these negotiations they would endeavor to retain for their own country the vast possibilities for production and opportunity for employment, the lack of which was now driving British subjects to foreign lands. The time was surely drawing near when a decision must be reached on this question. But he was now speaking for himself alone, and he did not ask anyone to commit himself to the acceptance of his views.

BEST SCORE WAS MADE BY A LAMBTON COUNTY OFFICER

Results of the Musketro Instruction at London Camp.

Lieut. Fraser Heads the List—Wellington County Men Took Second.

The returns of the musketry practice held in connection with the camp of instruction for the London military district have been compiled by Col. Young, of No. 1 Company, R. C. R., the senior officer in charge of the work, and they will be of more than a passing interest to the 1,500 men who were under canvas, and who participated in the exercises at the ranges. Each man had ten shots at the miniature ranges on the heights, and twenty shots at the 200-yard range, and the same number at the 400 yard range at the coves.

While the instruction as a whole was satisfactory, it cannot be said that good shooting was done by every regiment in camp. Some of the individual members did very well—in fact, some of the regiments as a whole had good figures; but on the other hand some did very poorly. Particularly was this the case with the Thirty-Third Regiment, of Huron County, which, besides doing poor work at the ranges, had the "distinction" of being the smallest in point of strength, the average of the rank and file per company being less than ten men.

The work of the Thirty-third at the miniature ranges was poorer than that of any other corps, the average in a possible of 10 per man being .24. At the long ranges the shooting of the regiment was not a great deal better, the average at the 200 yards range being 2.31, and at the 400 yards, 2.09 points per man.

The Twenty-sixth, Thirty-seventh, the Thirtieth, the Thirty-second, the Twenty-ninth and the First Hussars—the remainder of the camp—did work which was far superior to that of the Huron corps, which in former years seemed to be fairly up to the mark, but which for various reasons seemed to fall far below expectations that year. Among the Indians of the Twenty-sixth Regiment some very good shooting was done, the crack shot of the red men being Pte. Tom Jackson, with a score of 120, placing him in the first class. Twenty of the Indians made over 100 points.

In the averages for companies the Thirty-second probably stands at the top of the list with 4.8 points per man at the miniature ranges, 54 points per man at the 200-yard ranges, and 53.192 points per man at the 400-yard ranges. The averages of every company in camp were not struck, but it is believed that the Thirty-second is first, with the Thirtieth second.

The highest score at the ranges was made by Lieut. Fraser, of No. 3 Company, of the Twenty-seventh Regiment, while the second best score was made by Pte. Hiller and Sergt. Crowe, of the Thirtieth, both of whom made 152 points. Lieut. (Ald.) Stevenson, of this city, and Pte. Hayden and Capt. Justice, of the Thirtieth, were next in order, each having made a total of 150 points. The best shots in the several regiments were as follows:

First Hussars—Sergt. Percival, of A Squadron, with 149 points.

Twenty-sixth Regiment—Lieut. H. A. Stevenson, with 150 points.

Twenty-seventh Regiment — Lieut. Fraser, No. 3 Company, with 155 points.

Twenty-ninth Regiment — Capt. Limpert, No. 5 Company, with 146 points.

Thirtieth Regiment — Pte. Hiller and Sergt. Crowe, No. 2 Company, tied with 152 points each.

Thirty-second Regiment — Capt. Buckley, No. 7 Company, with 140 points.

Thirty-third Regiment—Sergt. Carrick, No. 2 Company, with 130 points.

FARMER DIES SUDDENLY

Mr. John Way Succumbs to an Apoplectic Attack.

Lived in London Township for 37 Years—Had Been in Good Health.

Mr. John Way, a young farmer residing with Mr. James Elliot, lot 1, concession 12, London township, died very suddenly in bed at his home last night. He had been in the best of health up till this time. Death was due to heart failure.

He retired apparently in the best of health, and it was not until his bedfellow, Mr. Elliot, woke to find him struggling that it was thought he was ill. He said, when asked what the matter was, that he did not know, and expired. A physician was called and pronounced death to be due to the cause stated. Mr. Way was 37 years of age, and was born in London township. He had no relatives. The funeral will be held on Sunday at two o'clock.

MISCHIEF ON RAILWAY

Young Lad Tries His Hand at Train-Wrecking.

Opens a C. P. R. Switch—Engine and Cars Off the Track.

Brantford may have Indian boys who like to see barns burn, but London has some youngsters who prefer to see engines jump the track. The other day a couple of these youths were playing about the C. P. R. yards here, when the happy thought struck one of the boys (9 years old), that if a switch were opened there would be some fun.

Putting thought into action he opened the switch. Result: Engine and several cars off the track.

The boy appeared in the juvenile court this morning on a charge of "mischief on the railway." The case was adjourned for a week.

GAVE NOTICE OF APPEAL

Mrs. Roberts and Miss Burke Argue With P. M.'s Decision.

Found Guilty of Abusive Language—Fines Light, Cost Heavy.

The case in which Miss Julia Payne charged Mrs. Alice Roberts and Miss Bessie Burke with insulting language, was disposed of yesterday by Squire Lacey after a series of adjournments, which were made at the request of the defendants, and which were chiefly accountable for the heavy costs which accrued. In both cases the defendants were found guilty and fined $2 each, or in default ten days' imprisonment. The costs in Mrs. Roberts' case amounted to $12 50, and in that of Miss Payne to $11 52. Several adjournments cost $1 50 each, and the witness', magistrate's and detective's fees made up for the rest of the costs. Notices of appeal was given by the defendants in both cases, and they were allowed until Saturday to give bonds for appealing.

WESTERN FAIR PROSPECTS

Were Never Brighter at Any Previons 1st of July.

Implement Manufacturers' Combine Shows Signs of Disruption.

There is a possibility of the combine of implement manufacturers being broken in respect to their keeping away from expositions. Four years ago the largest of them combined by signing an agreement not to exhibit anything at any fair for five years. This coming fall therefore is included in the ban, but the Western Fair people have hopes of the combine being forced to abandon their scheme.

Secretary Nelles has received an entry from the J. T. Case Company, one of the largest manufacturers in the United States. They will exhibit here on a large scale, and the competition it is hoped will bring the combine to the same course.

Not only has the agricultural building been partly secured, but all the space in the carriage building has been already taken, all the former exhibitors having their entries in, as well as a large new concern.

Inquiries are coming in fast, and the number of entries made up to the present greatly exceeds the number at this period of any previous year.

The directors have completed the prize lists and almost 4,000 of them have been sent out within the past week. The prospects for the success of the Western Fair were never brighter at any previous first of July.

Seal Brand Coffee
IN 1 POUND AND 2 POUND CANS.
FRAGRANT IN ITS STRENGTH.
CHASE & SANBORN.

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

—The Street Railway Company will have a matinee performance given at the Springbank theater on Saturday afternoon.

—The Empress Avenue Methodists have decided to hold their Sunday school picnic at Springbank on Tuesday, July 7.

—Mr. J. N. Bastedo, of Detroit, the Canadian passenger agent of the Atcheson, Topeka and Sante Fe Railway, was in the city today on business.

—Letters of administration (with will annexed) of the estate of the late Oliver McClary, have been issued to the London and Western Trusts Company.

—The Rev. Walter Moffat will preach a special sermon to young men on Sabbath evening in Chalmer's Church, Waterloo street.

—Dr. Ferguson, South London, has returned home after an absence of two weeks in Toronto and Kingston, where he has been engaged at the spring examinations as a member of the board of examiners for the College of Physicians and Surgeons. The results of the examinations will be announced on the 3rd of July. Dr. Jack Ferguson, who took his father's practice, in his absence, has returned to Courtright.

CHARGED WITH ASSAULT.

Fred Thompson, arrested as the assailant of an old man, was brought before Squire Smyth and remanded until July 2.

ASSIZE COURT.

The circuit list for the fall and winter assizes was issued yesterday. The appointments for London are as follows: The chancellor, jury, Monday, Sept. 28; Mr. Justice Ferguson, non-jury, Nov. 30; Mr. Justice Britton, winter assizes, Monday, Jan. 11, 1904.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOLS' PICNIC.

All the public schools of Westminster have a picnic at Port Stanley on Tuesday, when the pupils will celebrate securing the liberty of the summer holidays. The trains will leave at 9:45, and will stop at Westminster and Glanworth.

GROCERY WAGON SMASHED.

A grocery wagon owned by Frank Moore, wholesale fruiterer, was struck by a trolley at the corner of Dundas and Maitland streets, yesterday afternoon. The rig was badly damaged, and a crate of strawberries spilled about the street. The driver of the wagon, Ernest Moore, escaped with a shaking-up.

CHILDREN NOT AT SCHOOL.

In the police court this morning a charge was registered against James Coveney of neglecting to send his children to school. The case was adjourned until July 3.

DEATH OF MRS. WESTBROOKE.

Friends will deeply regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Charlotte Westbrooke, wife of Mr. James Westbrooke, 781 King street. Mrs. Westbrooke had not been in good health for several years. She is survived by her husband, two sons, her mother and sisters, all of whom will have the sincerest sympathy of a large circle of friends and acquaintances. The funeral will be held on Sunday to Woodland Cemetery.

DIED AT ST. JOSEPH'S.

The death took place at St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday afternoon of Miss Sarah Ferguson. The deceased, who was about thirty years of age, had resided in the city only a few years, having come from Ireland to take a position as domestic. Latterly she has been employed by Mrs. T. H. Smallman, of South London. Miss Ferguson was taken ill at Easter. She had no relatives in Canada, and the funeral will be arranged by Mrs. Thomas Patterson, of Central avenue, who was a native of the same place in the old country as Miss Ferguson.

GOT LONG-SERVICE MEDAL.

Two members of No. 1 Company of the Royal Canadian Regiment, have received recognition of their long and faithful services in the permanent forces of the Dominion. They the Sergt.-Major Munro and Corporal Evans. Sergt-Major Munro has been in the Royal Canadian Regiment for nearly a quarter of a century, while Corporal Evans has quite recently passed the eighteen year mark, which every member has to reach before he is entitled to the long-service medal. The medal is of silver, of pretty design, and has on the reverse side the reason for its award. On Sergt.-Major Munro's are the following words: "For meritorious service." On the one received by Corporal Evans are these words: "For good conduct and long service."

There are a number of other members of the company who are approaching the stage where they will be entitled to the long-service medals. Next in the list is Quartermaster-Sergt. Dunlevy, whose eighteen years will expire next summer.

ARRESTED FOR ASSAULT.

A man named Frederick Thompson, a cigarmaker, was arrested last night by High Constable McLeod and Detective Paisley, on suspicion of having been one of two persons who committed a brutal assault on William Reid, an aged Scotchman living just outside of the city limits. The complainant was found in his cottage one morning about three weeks ago in a helpless condition. He told a story of how a man and woman came to his home, and, after being refused admittance, struck him over the head with a beer bottle. The attack, as related by Reid, was a most brutal and cowardly one. Thompson was suspected from the first, but his arrest was prolonged until last night, when the county detectives found him at a King street hotel.

He was brought before Squire J. B. Smyth, who remanded him until July 2.

Wedding Presents.
A full assortment of Clocks, Silverware, Gilt and Bronze Clocks and Candlesticks,
At ADKINS', The Jeweler
EAST LONDON.
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Call and See Our Wedding Cakes. They are Good Value.
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last week to the fact that our Special Sale was a very unusual opportunity to buy Diamonds, Watches, Fine Jewelry, Clocks, Sterling Silver, Plated Ware and Cut Glass at prices that are ridiculously low.
This opportunity continues for the present week. Take advantage of it.
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WANTED—THREE COMPETENT MEN to work nights; no skill required; good wages. Apply Thomas Case, at Metropolitan Hotel, between 4 and 6 p.m. 33c

Cant Use Salada Trade Mark.

Toronto, June 26. — The "Salada" Ceylon Tea Company, through their solicitors, Denton, Dunn & Boultbee, have issued a writ in the high court of justice against John Segsworth carrying on business as the East India Tea and Coffee Company, claiming an injunction restraining the defendant from imitating the "Salada" tea trade mark.

A June Wedding.

From Paris comes the report of a very pretty and fashionable wedding, the idea of which could be carried out equally as well and very inexpensively by a Canadian bride, whether her wedding is at home or in church.

At this wedding bridesmaids, maids and matrons of honor were omitted and their places taken by a "guard of honor." This guard was formed of twelve little girl friends of the bride. They were all dressed alike in low-necked and short-sleeved lace frocks worn over pink silk slips. The frocks were very simple, having as their only ornament two long pink ribbon streamers floating from the left shoulder and held in place by a tulle rosette. Large rose-trimmed hats crowned their pretty heads, which were fluffs of curls. The original touch was given in the order of march taken by the "guard," six of whom preceded and six followed the bride, inclosing her in a chain of rosebuds. At the chancel rail the chain bearers separated and gathered their chain into loops. The effect was charming and, as I said, would be an extremely easy arrangement to adopt at either an at home or church affair.

Color Photography.

The Lipmann color photograph is produced, says Engineering, by backing the photographic film with a layer of mercury, so as to make it highly reflective. The light waves are reflected back through the film, alternate light and dark bands being produced by interference effects. The plate is then developed in the ordinary way, and when viewed by reflected light these alternate dark and light bands reproduce the original colors by which they were formed. When a spectrum is photographed, and a film cut in two and viewed in section under the microscope, the dark bands at the red end of the spectrum are found much further apart than those at the violet end, the difference corresponding to the difference in wave-lengths between red and violet light. This is, of course, what one would expect. The process is, unfortunately, a very slow one, since the emulsion on the plates must be absolutely without structure, and that, as is well known, implies a slow-acting plate.

Stolen Camera Lenses.

"The sale of camera lenses is a comparatively new branch of the pawnbrokers' trade," said a dealer in photographic supplies, "but a large number from that source come to the trade to be refitted with shutters and flanges. A good lens costs anywhere from $50 to $150, and are as easy to raise money on as a good watch. But you will notice that the lenses you see in pawnbrokers' windows are without the flanges. That is a sure sign that they have been stolen. Very few sneak thieves know enough to lift out shutter and all, but they can get the lens and make away with it by a simple turn of the wrist. If a man who owned a camera were to take his naked lens to a pawnshop and say he owned it he would not be believed, and would have to be content with the extremely small loan usually made upon a stolen lens. Pawnbrokers are willing to take chances with them, because the risk of detection is almost nil, and the profits great when they make a sale. Amateur photographers who know their business can pick up a good many bargains in the New York pawnshops.—New York Times.

The elevated railroads of Manhattan are now maintaining a service representing 165,000 car miles a day.

The man who makes a habit of throwing bones to dogs will find that if his supply gives out the canines will want to eat him next.



This is the Doctor whose practice is vast,
His patients all trust him, he's never at fault,
In curing disease from the first to the last,
The prescription he uses is Abbey's Fruit Salt.

FEW REMEDIES are more often prescribed by physicians than Abbey's Salt. Almost the first question the doctor asks is concerning the Bowels. If they are made to act freely the cure of almost any disorder is already begun.

ABBEY'S SALT if taken daily will keep the system in perfect health. A teaspoonful in a glass of water every morning.

Abbey's Effervescent Salt
Pleasant to take—Keeps you healthy

HER EARNEST TROTH

CHAPTER XXX.

The thought of letting her sleep beneath the water like the water-lilies lost its charm. Why should the world be darkened and deprived of the light of those dark eyes even if they would not shine for him?

He thought with a shudder as he looked on the water and the water-lilies which pearled the stream: "Never again can I look on still water gemmed with its waxen flower-fairies, but I shall recall an hour of fierce sin-stained temptation. Oh, and long ago she taught me to loathe the scene of another sweet white blossom. I shall never again be friends with roses. Only one woman emblemed heartsease to me, and that was pansy-eyed Margery. Yonder sleeping passion flower has stirred my heart today to a hellish black depth, yet the danger has passed, and still she sleeps childlike without a dream of peril."

Presently the deep dark eyes unclosed and gazed with sleepy wonder on the gloomy face before her with its knitted brow and downcast eye. Her subtle sweet mockery of laughter aroused him; he looked up and she said:

"I have had such a delicious little nap—full of sweet scents, sounds, and the quintessence of slumber — soft repose. What are you thinking about to look so glum?"

"I was thinking that I should always hate the sight of lilies from this hour, as I sicken at the scent of white roses."

Bethel's peach-bloom shrank and faded as she said:

"How strangely you talk, Brinley."

"Do I, ma belle, I feel strangely today."

"Sing," said Bethel, with a pretty little air of command, and Brinley sang with a soft, full cadence, which stirred the birds to rivalry:

"And he is whispering words of sweet intent,
While I, half-doubting, whisper a consent;
Is this a dream? Then waking would be pain;
Oh, do not wake me, let me dream again!"

So sang he, while the full-throated birds mocked at his melody, and Bethel listened with a fevered heart in which had dawned a little ray of fear which threatened to burn into an effulgence of dread and distress. So they glided on together, each mistrustful of the other, each striving to still a fever of unrest, which lay a torture in their hearts.

They rowed on in silence, On the river bank a young woman with a sick child cradled on her breast paced to and fro the flowery walk of a nursery-garden, singing softly to hush the moans of the suffering infant.

Bethel listened to the words with an indescribable feeling of loneliness and longing. As the last words of the verse ended she repeated them softly as though she felt them true:

"The darkness deepens, Lord, with me abide."

She toyed with the blue forget-me-nots which Brinley had plucked on the river bank. Somehow the wee blue blossoms reminded her of a baby's eyes—from babies her thoughts flew to little Beth, and she lifted the flowers to her lips and kissed them.

Brinley noted the action and her softened looks and wondered what the thought could be to bring such a radiance to her looks.

When they landed and the flowers fell from her careless hand, he picked up the little bunch of blue flowerets and hid them in his breast as he said to himself:

"The memory of a fierce temptation I feit."

When she should have dropped out of his life, as he felt her surely doing, then these faded fancies of a summer day would speak to him of her and a dead passion which had bloomed in the glaring noontide of life, like a glorious tropical flower, a memory lacking sweetness.

Guests again to dinner and a hostess lovely as a poet's dream to entertain them—a hostess lovely of mind as well as person, with wit to fascinate and tongue to charm them; dressed in glimmering primrose-tinted satin softened with rows of black Spanish lace, rubies at her throat and wrists, damask roses at her breast. Such a picture of rich tints and subtle southern loveliness.

Beautiful Bethel! Her mood seemed to match the brightness of her looks, for she brought forth all her winsome witcheries to bear upon the humor of her guests; as she dazzled them with her beauty, so did she blind them with her wit.

Brinley watched her with a thoughtful look, and seemed ill at ease under the fire of her fierce eyes. He drank more wine than was usual with him, and seemed to enjoy himself later on in the drawing-room, took coffee from her fair hands with compliments, sang song after song at her request, and through all the changeful melody Bethel seemed to trace the sound of the woman's voice which she had heard that day singing amidst the flowers:

"The darkness deepens, Lord, with me abide."

In vain she tried to listen to the bright song of "Gayly the Troubadour." She still only heard the last sound of that woman's sacred melody.

Vexed at last by its persistency, Bethel took her harp and sang a stirring chanson,, then burst into "Men of Harlech." Through them all her eyes flooded, oh, so softly, and sadly, as she thought:

"The darkness deepens."

She laid her harp aside with a sigh, and begged Brinley to sing "The Thorn," which he did to perfection.

Later on she played a game of chess with the gray-haired village doctor, a man whom she loved for his many good deeds and old acquaintance sake.

He beguiled her for awhile with village gossip, but yet that still small voice whispered its warning, and left a chill upon her heart.

Like all things, the evening ended, and the guests departed with unanimous and hearty thanks for the enjoyment which had been afforded them, and Bethel was free to follow her own inclination and her legal lord's commands.

Brinley met her in the deserted drawing-room, and drew her on to talk, made her drink some wine with him and hear him sing another love-song, talked to her of Margery and his school days, of good plays he had seen —anything to detain her; but her restless eyes watched the golden timepiece with its fairy queen waiting to strike the hours with silver wand upon a little chime of bells.

As the wand fell with soft, silver sound, and the bells chimed out the hour, Bethel held out her hand with a pretty little yawn, and bade him good-night, saying, with a childlike grace, "she was so very sleepy."

He answered with severe brevity,and she went out with a little smile upon her lips. A little later, he passed the open door of the nursery on his way to the smoking-room and saw, through the open door, Bethel bending over her sleeping child, noting, with a mother's pride, its baby loveliness. She pressed a soft kiss upon the little dimpled hands, and went out of the room with a light upon her face which seemed to have strayed from heaven; so rapt, so softened was her beauty by some pure emotion, that it seemed almost as if the proud lips had prayed.

Lucy waited in the room while Bethel bade her maid go to bed, saying, as usual, that Mrs. West would assist her with her toilet for the night. As soon as the woman had reached her room, Bethel said:

"Have you some wine and a book, dear? I won't be long, for I am tired tonight, but I promised Dan to see him and he will take no excuse." Then, throwing her arms round Lucy's neck she said: "Oh, Lucy, how thankful I shall be when we are away from this and there is no further need of concealment and deceit!"

[To be Continued.]

UNLUCKY THIRTEEN

Were the Years Valentine Fisher Suffered From Sciatica—Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Him.

Collingwood, Ont., June 22.—Collingwood is in line with its list of complete and permanent cures by Dodd's Kidney Pills. Valentine Fisher, well known in the town and surrounding country, is one of the cured. He says:

"I was troubled with Kidney Disease for thirteen years. It developed into Sciatica, which located in my side, so that I could not walk without a cane. I had to use hypodermic injections of morphine to ease the pain.

"I tried medical men and medicines but got no permanent relief. Then I tried Dodd's Kidney Pills and three boxes effected a perfect cure. I can recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills."

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BLUES AGAIN TO THE FRONT; WON SHEEPSHEAD HANDICAP

Good Games in the Wholesale League at Springbank—General Sporting News.

By Way of Comment.

The Detroit Lacrosse Club is said to have more than one infraction of the rules as a result of their game with Chatham, to answer for. Noah Brusso, the pugilist, besides washing his face and combing his hair, donned a moustache and thus wore an almost complete disguise. This was discovered shortly after the match was played, but another trick since discovered was to have a couple of men stationed at a club house to the rear of the goal. Whenever a scramble occurred in this vicinity these men sallied forth and participated in the play, evidently unnoticed by the referee. At least he did not comment on the matter. Detroit consequently at times had fourteen men on the field. As Big Bill Devery, New York's ex-chief of police, says, this "is the end of the limit." Tactics of this nature are abominable to any good sportsman, and the only thing that can be admired is the nerve of the management which executed the trick.

THE TURF.

HIGHLAND PARK WINNERS.

Detroit, Mich, June 25. — Four favorites won over a heavy track at Highland Park today. The winning outsider was Easter Boy, in the mile event, and the ring was hurt by his victory, as he was well backed at 15 to 1. Summary:

First race, 6 furlongs—Maru, 4 to 1, 1; Brookston, 2 to 1, 2; Manzane, 15 to 1, 3. Time, 1:21¼.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Outfield, even, 1; Blackberries, 6 to 1, 2; Rowland M., 8 to 5, 3. Time, 1:07.

Third race, 7 furlongs—Briars, 8 to 5, 1; Artist, 5 to 2, 2; Prism, 5 to 1, 3. Time, 1:35.

Fourth race, 5½ furlongs—St. Juvenal, 4 to 5, 1; Blue Darter, 2 to 1, 2; Diamontina, 8 to 1, 3. Time, :59¼.

Fifth race, 1 mile—Easter Boy, 15 to 1, 1; Not Wisely, 8 to 1, 2; Model Monarch, 5 to 1, 3. Time, 1:48¾.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs—Barnacle, 2 to 1, 1; Nuptial, 6 to 1, 2; Moroni, 4 to 1, 3. Time, 1:20.

SHEEPSHEAD COURSE.

New York, June 25.—The Sheepshead Bay handicap for three-year-olds and upwards, at a mile, the feature of the card at Sheepshead Bay today, was won by the favorite, Blues. The Farrel horse opened at 6 to 5, but owing to his erratic performances he was little played, and his price gradually drifted back to 2 to 1. Blues ran one of his good races, and getting off in front, made all the pace and won driving by half a length from Hunter Raine, who closed with a rush in the stretch. Himself was third. The Zephyr, for 2-years-olds, went to the 12 to 1 shot. King Toledo made the running to the main track, where Race King took command, and won by half a length. The weather was clear and the track slow.

First race, 6½ furlongs, on main track, selling—Toscan, 110 (Burns), 18 to 5 and 7 to 5, 1; Ascension, 111 (Gannon), 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, 2; W. R. Condon, 105 (Martin), 11 to 5 and 4 to 5, 3. Time, 1:22.

Second race, 1 mile—Fire Water, 111 (Bullman), 11 to 10 and 1 to 4, 1; Payne, 108 (Redfern), 6 to 5 and 1 to 4, 2; Monte Carlo, 111 (Cochran), 8 to 1 and 6 to 5, 3. Time, 1:44⅘. Only three starters.

Third race, the Zephyr, last 5½ furlongs of Futurity course—Race King, 115 (O'Neil), 12 to 1 and 6 to 1, 1; Green Crest, 105 (Burns), 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, 2; Tim Payne, 108 (Dangman), 40 to 1 and 12 to 1, 3. Time, 1:09½.

Fourth race, the Sheepshead Bay handicap, 1 mile—Blues, 119 (Hoar), 2 to 1 and 9 to 10, 1; Hunter Raine, 110 (Odom), 5 to 1 and 8 to 5, 2; Himself, 95 (Creamer), 12 to 1 and 7 to 2, 3. Time, 1:42.

Fifth race, last 5 furlongs of Futurity course—Gold Shank, 111 (Michaels), 12 to 1 and 5 to 1, 1; Modred, 110 (Martin), 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, 2; Alliance, 110 (O'Neil), 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, 3. Time, 1:03.

Sixth race, 1-16 miles, on turf, selling—Lady Potentate, 101 (Haack), 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, 1; Arden, 103 (Cochran), 12 to 1 and 5 to 1, 2; Satire, 113 (Michaels), 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, 3. Time, 1:52.

WASHINGTON PARK RESULTS.

Chicago, June 25. — Flying Ship took the measure of Flo Carline in the Englewood stakes at Washington Park today. The Kentucky filly did it easily, after leading practically all the way. Don Domo clipped two-fifths of a second off the track record for four and a half furlongs in the second race, setting a mark of :54.

First race, 1 mile and 50 yards—Count 'Em Out, 3 to 1, 1; Jaubert, 30 to 1, 2; Frivol, 10 to 1, 3. Time, 1:44⅖.

Second race, 4½ furlongs—Don Domo, 7 to 1, 1; Geranium, 10 to 1, 2; Patsy Brown, 6 to 1, 3. Time, :54.

Third race, Englewood stakes, 1 mile—Flying Ship, 5 to 2, 1; Flo Carline, even, 2; Esherine, 8 to 1, 3. Time, 1:39⅘.

Fourth race, 11-16 miles—Epicure, 8 to 1, 1; Monarka, 6 to 1, 2; Bondage, 4 to 1, 3. Time, 1:47⅖.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs—L'Etrenne, 6 to 1, 1; John Peters, 5 to 1, 2; Walnamoinen, 4 to 1, 3. Time, 1:14.

Sixth race, 1 mile and 50 yards—Rolling Boer, 9 to 2, 1; Haviland, 7 to 2, 2; C. B. Campbell, 6 to 1, 3. Time, 1:43.

THE ST. LOUIS TRACK.

St. Louis, June 25. — The card at the fair grounds today, made up of six selling affairs, was a dull one. Orleans, in the last race, was the only favorite to win. Track fast.

First race, 6 furlongs, selling—Custus, 15 to 1, 1; Dottie Shute, 10 to 1, 2; Ciales, 5 to 2, 3. Time, 1:15.

Second race, 5 furlongs, selling—Magnolin, 20 to 1, 1; Perla, 4 to 1, 2; Atlas, 7 to 1, 3. Time, 1:02⅖.

Third race, 6 furlongs, selling—Zirl, 15 to 1, 1; Nath Woodcock, 20 to 1, 2; Brown Veil, 6 to 1, 3. Time, 1:16½.

Fourth race, 1 mile, selling—Mynheer, 4 to 1, 1; Croix d'Or, 3 to 1, 2; De Reszke, 10 to 1, 3. Time, 1:42.

Fifth race, 1 3-16 miles, selling—The Messenger, 8 to 5, 1; Never Such, 10 to 1, 2; The Way, 20 to 1, 3. Time, 2:02.

Sixth race, 7 furlongs, selling—Orleans, 11 to 5, 1; Pierce J., 8 to 1, 2; Bengal, 13 to 5, 3. Time, 1:23¼.

BIG RACES OF THE WORLD.

Although second in value to the Futurity race for 2-year-olds, which is run annually at the Sheepshead Bay race track the last Saturday in August, the American Derby is in reality the premier turf event in America. It draws greater crowds by many thousands than ever have been seen on a New York race track, and in spectacular features of crowd and grounds at the time of the race none of the big metropolitan features is to be compared with it. At Paris, at Epsom Downs in England, and at the Australian tracks at Melbourne, and possibly Sydney also, the attendance at the big events is much greater than is ever seen at the American Derby, and at all of these places the scene presents the spectacular features which are reproduced in a measure at Washington Park. The attendance at the Grand Prix at Paris two weeks ago was said to be close to 200,000. This race, however, is run on Sunday, so that comparisons are hardly fair in the matter of public interest in the race. England is the great race-loving nation. Its Epsom Derby is the greatest race of the world, and in many particulars the most spectacular. Australia, for its population, is the greatest thoroughbred racing province in the world. Crowds of 150,000 turn out to see the Melbourne cup, which is contested on magnificently equipped grounds, with splendid stands, and under the auspices of a jockey club composed of wealthy men of social and political importance. The American Derby seems to be keeping pace with the growth of interest in racing, although it is the one race which draws patronage largely from a class which seldom pays attention to any other race of the year.

LISTOWEL RACES POSTPONED.

Listowel, Ont., June 25.—The horse races were again postponed today on account of wet weather, till Friday and Saturday of this week.

REFUSSED BIG OFFER.

Minneapolis, June 25.—M. W. Savage, of this city, owner of Dan Patch and Directum, the two famous horses recently purchased by him, today refused an offer of $92,000 for the two horses from W. W. Gentry.

BASEBALL.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At New York (first game)—	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnat .....0 2 0 0 2 0 0 0 1—5	14	2	
New York .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0	4	2	

Batteries—Hahn and Bergen; McGinnity and Bowerman.

At New York (second game)—			
Cincinnati .....0 1 1 0 1 4 3 0 1—11	18	2	
New York .....0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—2	6	4	

Batteries—Phillips and Peitz; Taylor and Warner. Umpire, Emslie. Attendance, 8,300.

At Boston (first game)—			
St. Louis .....0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1	6	2	
Boston .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0	2	1	

Batteries—Currie and Ryan; Platt and Kittredge and Moran.

At Boston (second game)—			
St. Louis .....0 5 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—5	8	4	
Boston .....0 0 0 0 1 0 0 2 0—3	10	5	

Batteries—McFarland and O'Neill; Platt and Moran. Umpire, Holliday. Attendance, 2,733.

At Philadelphia (first game)—			
Pittsburg .....0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 2—4	10	2	
Philadelphia .....0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 1—3	4	2	

Batteries—Doheny and Phelps; Sparks and Roth.

At Philadelphia (second game)—			
Pittsburg .....0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1	5	2	
Philadelphia .....0 0 0 0 0 0 3 2 *—5	9	2	

Batteries—Vail and Phelps; Mitchell and Dooin. Umpire, Moran. Attendance, 5,093.

At Brooklyn (first game)—			
Chicago .....0 0 4 2 0 0 1 0 0—7	15	2	
Brooklyn .....2 0 1 1 0 1 5 1 *—10	15	1	

Batteries—Lundgren, Taylor and Kling; Schmidt and Jacklitz.

At Brooklyn (second game)—			
Chicago .....0 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 0—3	8	1	
Brooklyn .....0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1	5	3	

Batteries—Weimer and Kling; Garvin and Ahearn. Umpire, Johnstone. Attendance, 4,000.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Detroit—	R.	H.	E.
Detroit .....0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—2	11	1	
Philadelphia .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 1—3	10	1	

Batteries—Mullen, Kitson and McGuire and Buelow; Plank and Powers. Umpires, Carruthers and Hassett. Attendance, 2,800.

At St. Louis—			
St. Louis .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1	6	8	
Boston .....0 0 0 0 0 3 0 2 2—7	9	0	

Batteries—Siever, Powell and Kahoe; Winters and Criger. Umpire, Connolly. Attendance, 2,900.

At Cleveland—			
Cleveland .....3 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 *—4	8	2	
Washington .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0	5	0	

Batteries—Moore and Abbott; Townsend and Clarke. Umpire, O'Loughlin. Attendance, 2,582.

At Chicago—			
Chicago .....1 0 2 1 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—6	16	6	
New York.....0 0 2 0 1 1 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—6	14	5	

Called, darkness. Batteries—White, Patterson and McFarland; Wolfe, J. Tannehill and Beville. Umpire, Sheridan. Attendance, 2,460.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

At Toronto—	R.	H.	E.
Toronto .....0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 *—2	5	0	
Jersey City .....0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—1	6	2	

Batteries—Kissinger and Toft; McCann and Dillon. Umpire, Shannon. Attendance, 1,200.

At Buffalo—			
Buffalo .....0 0 0 1 0 0 0 5 *—6	6	0	
Newark .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0	6	3	

Batteries—Milligan and Luskey; Hesterfer and Shea. Umpire, Swartwood. Attendance, 3,018.

At Rochester—			
Rochester .....0 0 0 2 2 0 0 3 *—7	9	1	
Worcester .....0 0 0 0 0 0 1 4 0—5	11	2	

Batteries—Mills and Steelman; Pappalau and McAuley. Umpire, Latham. Attendance, 207.

At Baltimore—			
Baltimore .....3 0 4 0 0 0 0 0 4 *—11	15	3	
Providence .....0 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—3	3	6	

Batteries—McAleese and Fuller; Clements and Diggins. Umpire, Kelly. Attendance, 1,885.

TRANSFER RAISED RUMPUS.

New York, June 25. — President Pulliam, of the National League, has written to President Ban Johnson, of the American League, an open letter setting forth a protest of the New York National club against the playing of Elberfeld with the New York Americans after he was awarded to the Detroit team under the peace agreement between the leagues. President Pulliam characterizes this as a breach of the agreement, and the New York Nationals have asked of him the right to establish in the courts the validity of the contract with George Davis. President Pulliam holds that Elberfeld's case is identical with that of Delehanty and Davis, of the Washington club, whose services were taken from the New York Nationals by the peace agreement, and when a protest against their playing with the New York Americans was filed by President Pulliam, President Johnson agreed it would be a hardship and a wrong, President Pulliam says the spirit, if not the letter of the agreement, has been violated, and the New York National Club has been the only sufferer, and notifies President Johnson that the letter is notice to the effect that he will allow the New York club to exercise its legal rights as to the services of Davis.

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CLUB AND PLAYERS SUSPENDED.

Chatham has been notified of its suspension by President Lennox, of the C. L. A. This step was taken on the grounds that they had played Tierney and Lawlor, of the Wallaceburg club, in their game with Detroit. These players have also been suspended. The judiciary committee will hear the case at a meeting on Friday evening.

FOOTBALL.

TEAMS BROKE EVEN.

Berlin, Ont., June 25. — A junior championship match in the W. F. A. betwene Galt, champions in series A, and the Royals, of Berlin, champions in series B, was played here today, resulting in a tie, 1 to 1. The game was fast and interesting.

TRIGGER.

HELD REGULAR SHOOT.

The regular shoot of the Hyde Park Gun Club was held on Wednesday, June 24. Scores:

K. Routledge	0 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1—8
S. Lewis	0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1
J. Harrison	0 0 0 0 1 1 1 0 1 0—4
W. Hodgins	0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 1—3
C. Routledge	1 0 1 0 1 0 0 1 0 0—4
A. Harrison	1 1 0 1 0 1 1 0 0 1—6

THE RING.

YOUNG CORBETT DOWNED MURPHY.

Boston, June 25. — Young Corbett, of Denver, knocked out Hughy Murphy, of New York, in six rounds at catch weights in the Tammany A. C. in this city tonight. The contest was witnessed by upward of 3,500 people. Corbett nearly finished his man in the first round, flooring him twice in quick succession. Murphy's pluck prevented a knockout, for he crawled to his feet, each time, much to the delight of the audience. The Denver boy's inside fighting was superb, and he slashed with both hands with telling effect. In the fourth round only did Murphy outpoint Corbett, and then he made things look a litle doubtful. Jack Smith, of Boston, was referee.

THE OAR.

HARVARD DEFEATED.

New London, Conn., June 25. — Weather conditions were not at all favorable this morning for the annual contest between Yale and Harvard oarsmen, which was scheduled to take place on the Thames today. The day's programme called for the race between 'Varsity fours from the start opposite Gales' ferry, down stream to the navy yard, two miles. This was to be followed by the freshmen race from the navy yard to the railroad bridge. The 'Varsity eight race was scheduled to start promptly at 12:30. The weather conditions improved and the observation trains on both the east and west banks of the river arrived at the starting line about 11 o'clock, when the four-oared shells were launched, preparatory to the race. The 'Varsity four-oared race was won by Yale by three lengths. Time, 10:59 2-5.

Yale also won the 'Varsity eight race, Time, 23:39. Yale won by almost four lengths.

THE WHEEL.

PROGRAMME IS OUT.

Vancouver, June 26. — The executive committee in charge of the annual C. W. A. championship meet, to be held this year at Vancouver, B. C., have issued the following programme of events. Entries close on Saturday, 27th inst., and should be made to John A. Murray, secretary C. B. C., 830 Pender street, Vancouver, B. C.:

Championship — Amateur — ¼ mile championship, medal, value $25; ½ mile championship, medal, value $25; mile championship, medal, value $25; 5 mile championship, medal, value $25.

Professional — ¼ mile championship, medal, value $25; 1 mile, championship, medal, value $25; 5 mile championship, $25; 1 mile, open, professional, 1 $30; medal, value $25; 1 mile open, professional, 1, $30; 2, $20; 2 mile, professional, lap race, 1 $30, 2 $20.

Open events—1 mile novice, 1 medal value $20, 2 medal value $10; ¼ mile, handicap, 1 $25, 2 $10, 3 $5; ½ mile handicap, 1 $25, 2 $10, 3 $5; mile handicap, 1 $25, 2 $10, 3 $5; ¼ mile, open, 1 $25, 2 $15; 2 mile lap race, 1 $25, 2 $15, 3 $10, 4 $5.

High Whel championships—Half-mile high wheel championship, 1 $15, 2 $10. One mile, high wheel championship, 1 $15, 2 $10.

The C. P. R. will issue tickets on the certificate plan from all points on the line to Vancouver. The passenger will purchase single first-class tickets, taking a receipt from the ticket agent on the standard form. The secretary of the meet will give a certificate of the holder's attendance at the meet, when he will be granted free transportation back to the point from which the fare was originally paid. President Louis Rubenstein leaves Montreal on Thursday to act as official referee, and also to represent the C. W. A. executive board.

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PUT THE SCREWS TO THEM

That Is Ald. Gerry's Suggestion Regarding Gravel Contractors.

The Won't Live Up to Their Agreement; He Would Make Them.

The board of works had a hard question to deal with at its regular meting last night, that of the screened gravel supply. The trouble was that the contractors would not supply what man Wyatt, Alds. Gerry and Cooper, "putting the screws to them," as he expressed it.

The members present were: Chairman Wyatt, Alds. Geary and Cooper, Assistant Engineer Kirkpatrick and Secretary Bell. Mayor Beck was in the city but did not appear at the committee meeting.

The insurance companies' boiler inspector reported that the steam boilers at the city hall had been found in good condition.

A petition from L. Meredith and others was read, requesting a tile sewer on Albert street between the west side of Talbot street and 180 feet west. A sufficient number of names was attached and the matter will take the usual course.

A petition from Henry Paisley and others was read, against a sewer on Grey street west of Richmond street. The petition was sufficiently signed and was granted.

The city engineer wrote to say that it was absolutely necessary that they should get gravel for repairs on Bathurst, Horton, Richmond, Craig and other streets in No. 1 ward. As Hoss & Alexander had refused to deliver screened pit gravel and as they had called for fresh tenders and got no bid, the engineer recommended using unscreened pit gravel for repairs under the present contract. He drew attention to a committee motion ordering him to use nothing but screened pit gravel; therefore until he got permission he could not use unscreened pit gravel.

Ald. Cooper thought that unscreened gravel would do—in fact thought it better. His discourse on the subject did not succeed in satisfying Ald. Gerry, who advised making the contractors live up to their agreement. "Put the screws to them," he said. No one could tell him that they could not make the firm live up to their contract. He suggested letting the city solicitor deal with them, which Ald. Cooper thought would mean "another street railway business."

The latter moved that the matter be left to the city engineer and the chairman, and in amendment Ald. Gerry pressed his suggestion to force the contractors to live up to their contract. The motion was carried.

The paysheet, amounting to $382 02, was passed and the board adjourned.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT.

—Miss Beer, of London, is visiting friends in Dutton.

—Chas. W. Brown, of Chicago, is a guest of his brother, Mr. Joseph Brown, 3 Horn street.

—Mr. Bruce Dignan, of this city, acted as groomsman at the marriage of his brother in Exeter on Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Manchester, of Ottawa, are on a visit to Mr. P. C. Telfer, of the C. P. R. office staff, city.

—Mr. J. E. Vanderburg, liveryman, of East London, has purchased a chestnut carriage team from Messrs. J. Tune & Son.

—Librarian Blackwell, of the public library, is attending the Public Librarians' Association at Niagara Falls this week.

—Miss Vanbuskirk has leased her cottage, "The Bungalo," at Erie Rest, Port Stanley, to Mr. J. Macpherson, of London.

—Mr. Wm. McKenzie, of Toronto, and Mr. Fred McKenzie, of the Molsons bank of this city, are spending their vacations with their parents at Aylmer.

—Among the Londoners registered at Winnipeg hotels on Monday last were Messrs. J. Birnie Smith, Leonard Parker, W. H. Donoghy, George A. Moore and W. Algy.

—Among those who took part in a social given at St. George's Church, Thorndale, last night, were Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wheeler and Miss Ethel McKinuop, of this city.

—Miss Daisy White, of Waterloo street, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Wells, of Ingersoll, has returned home accompanied by Mrs. Wells, who is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Gordon, Waterloo street.

—Petrolea Topic: Rev. Walter Daniel, of Morden, Man., was a guest at the Baptist parsonage this week. While Mr. Daniel is on his holiday, his pulpit in Morden is in charge of Mr. Clinton Watson, of London.

—The sale of Mr. J. E. Vanderburg's farm in West Nissouri was not concluded by Mr. Thomas Knott, as stated the other day Mr. Vanderburg himself having effected the transfer. The farm is one of the best in the county.

—Mrs. (Dr.) B. Smilie and Master A. Smilie, of Ann Arbor, Mich., are the guests of the former's aunt, Miss M. A. McMordie, 346 Piccadilly street. Mrs. Smilie will spend a month with her mother, Mrs. Monteith, of Clinton, before returning home.

—There was a good crowd at the band concert in Victoria Park last night made up for the most part of sympathizers with the striking cigarmakers. The concert was in aid of the latter. The programme was rendered by the Musical Union Band, directed by Mr. Wm. Kitchen, and a good sum was realized.

—Mr. C. R. Somerville, of this city, and Rev. Dr. McCrae, of Westminster, have returned from Brantford, where they attended the annual convention of the Sons of Scotland. Dr. McCrae declined re-election as grand chaplain, but he was placed on one of the grand committees. He is succeeded by Rev. John E. Crawford, of Niagara Falls, as grand chaplain.

—Miss Alma James, of St. Thomas, whose excellent ability as an elocutionist was demonstrated Tuesday evening at the birthday party of the Wellington Street Methodist Church, should have been mentioned as filling four numbers on the programme instead of two. Her charming recitations will long be remembered by the large audience there, as a feature in the success of the splendid efforts of the ladies of the church.

HAD SISTERS HERE.

Mrs. Henry Evans, of Holmeville, died at the residence of her son George, in Toronto, Wednesday. She was a sister of Mrs. C. Armstrong and Mrs. T. H. Miller, of this city.

NEW ISSUE OF STAMPS.

On and after Wednesday next the new issue of stamps of the one, two, five, seven, and ten cent denominations will be on sale at the postoffice.

JUDGES APPOINTED.

Three gentlemen most competent to do the work—Messrs. John Robertson, John Talbot and J. S. Bell—have been appointed judges of the quoiting matches at the Caledonian games at Queen's Park on July 1.

MARRIED IN STRATHROY.

Mr. J. C. Beemer, of this city, and formerly of Strathroy, was married at the latter place on Saturday to Miss Adora Cockburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cockburn. The ceremony was performed at the bride's home by Rev. W. J. Knox.

LAID AT REST IN WOODLAND.

The burial of the late Mrs. Eliza McKee took place yesterday afternoon at Woodland Cemetery. The funeral was held from the residence of her granddaughter, Mrs. G. W. Brown, Cartwright street. Mr. W. J. Spence officiated at the service.

MAY STAY IN HAMILTON.

The Hamilton Times says that it is quite likely that Rev. Mr. Howitt, of St. George's Church, Hamilton, who has been appointed to Christ Church, this city, will remain at his present church. The congregation have requested him to do so.

BELVIDERE CLUB HOP.

One of the most enjoyable hops of the season was given at Springbank last evening by the Belvidere Club. The committee in charge were Messrs. E. Moule, M. Brown, W. Templeton, W. Fraser and W. Taylor. The weather was perfect and over fifty couples attended. The flor was in first-class condition and Dayton & McCormick's orchestra provided fine music.

A MIDNIGHT RUNAWAY.

Between 12 and 1 o'clock this morning a runaway occurred on Central avenue, which was short but decisive. An insurance broker and another gentleman were driving a spirited horse in a fine rubber-tired outfit east along Central avenue, when a car overtook them at Wellington street. The horse was almost unmanageable for the next half block, and it made a dash across the large boulevards, using its heels with great effect on the dashboard. Where the horse started for the house on the north side of the street it was dark and the driver and his companion scarcely knew what was going to happen. A collision with a tree brought them to a standstill, with the horse on a man's doorstep. When the occupants of the house awoke and brought a light it was found that more or less of the rig was demolished. Fortunately the horse was not hurt, nor either of the men.

McLEOD—McKAY.

Miss Margaret McKay, daughter of Mr. Wm. McKay, of Thamesford, was married at that place on Wednesday to Mr. Joel McLeod, of Glencoe. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Johnston, of this city, in the presence of a very small company. Mr. and Mrs. McLeod left in the evening for their home in Glencoe.

NEW BUTTONS FOR THE MILITIA.

It is altogether likely that in a very short time the uniforms of the permanent force and the militia will be adorned with new buttons, a decision having been reached to abolish the old style, with the letters "V. R. I." on the face, and substitute others with the letters "E. R. I."

GOES TO THE PRIVY COUNCIL.

The Grand Hotel Company, of Caledonia, have entered an appeal in an action entered against James Tune & Sons, of this city, and Charles Wilson, of Toronto, to restrain the defendants from using the word Caledonia in describing mineral water handled by those firms. The court recently decided that the hotel company had not the exclusive right to use the word and the company appealed. The case is now to go to the Privy Council. Mr. Frank Arnoldi, K. C., of Toronto, has sailed for the old country to argue the case.

AN ELOCUTION RECITAL.

Another Conservatory of Music recital was given last night before an audience that filled the hall. The pupils of Miss Jessie Hambly, director of the elocution department, gave a programme which exhibited the excellent talents of themselves and their teacher. The elocutionary work was thoroughly appreciated, as were also the assisting musical numbers rendered by pupils of Miss Brown and Mr. Barron. The following was the programme given:

Colombine ..... German
Miss Florence Scott.
This Canada of Ours.....Weatherington
Miss Hazel Smith.
(a) A Dream.....Bartlett
(b) Ilka Blade o' Grass (Scotch).....—
Miss Pauline Mowat.
The Bewitched Clock.....Anon.
Miss Ethel Kirk.
Nocturne, No. 2.....Liszt
Miss Scott.
Ducal Scene ("Merchant of Venice")—
..... Shakespeare
Shylock.....Miss Ethel Kirk
Antonio.....Miss Gwendoline Anthistle
Bassanio.....Miss Ella Mason
Fear Ye Not, O Israel.....Buck
Miss Mowat.
The Saving of St. Michaels.....Anon.
Miss Ella Mason.
Etude—"En Route".....Godard
Miss Scott.
Aux Italians.....Meredith
Miss G. Anthistle.
Angus MacDonald.....Roeckel
Miss Mowat.
Hunnery Scene ("Hamlet")..Shakespeare
Hamlet.....Miss Anthistle
Ophelia.....Miss Mason.

STILL OFF DUTY.

Conductor Adam Douglass, of the Grand Trunk, is still off duty in consequence of the injuries he received some weeks ago in the accident at Komoka. He had a severe cut on the top of the head which required several stitches, and while the wound has entirely healed, his physician has ordered him to remain off duty for a short time longer. Engineer Coote, who was also in the same collision, was able to leave the city hospital some days ago, but he is far from having completely recovered from the effects of the injuries sustained by jumping from his engine.

WELLINGTON CHAPTER'S RECITAL.

The Wellington Chapter of the Imperial Order, Daughters of the Empire, held a social in the city hall last night. Besides the serving of refreshments in the way of strawberries and cream, the chapter provided much in the way of music, the Italian harpers being in attendance throughout the entire evening. A vocal and instrumental programme was also rendered by local talent, among the numbers being solos by Miss Lang, Miss Scott, Miss Emma Grant, Miss Willis (Detroit), Mr. Thos. Havard, Mr. Milligan, and Mr. Johnston; piano solos, by Miss Fox, and recitations by Miss Colquhoun. Mrs. Geo. Craddock, regent of the chapter, had the supervision of the affair.

DANGER THERE.

A number of citizens who are in the habit of driving to Springbank have made complaint about the dangerous crossing of the street railway tracks at the pump house, in the waterworks park. The north side of the street railway track is lined with trees to within a very short distance of the crossing, and owing to this and the presence of a curve in the immediate vicinity, drivers of vehicles cannot see a car approaching from the east until it is close to the crossing. The other afternoon a party of four had been at the park, and when driving home had a close call from being struck by a car at this place. The removal of the trees for some distance further to the east has been suggested as a means of increasing the safety of vehicles and their occupants.

A GOOD CARD.

The card for this week at Springbank theater is one of the best yet put on by the street railway company. It contains something entirely new for Springbank, and it is accordingly all the more appreciated. Doherty's canine circus is the main attraction on the programme. The troupe is of fifteen small poodles, trained by a lady, and many of the tricks performed by them are far superior to those seen very often in a much larger dog show. The poodles are favorites with the children particularly, but the latter enjoy their many clever acts no more than do the grown up folks. In the comedy line, the street railway company have this week secured Lane and Lane, whose singing and rapid fire talking act is up to the mark. Kelly and Reno do something out of the ordinary line in acrobatic work, and a whistling artist gives some good imitations of birds and locomotives approaching crossings. Ruby, the serpentine dancer, is also on the bill.

SHERRY—HAYLOCK.

The marriage of Miss Emily Louisa Haylock and Mr. Robert Sherry, of the G.T.R. took place Tuesday evening at the family residence, 4 York street. Miss Minnie Haylock assisted the bride, and Mr. Joseph C. Ellison, the groom, Rev. Dr. Sowerby performing the ceremony. The bride was gowned insteel gray silk Lephyr, trimmed with chiffon and silk medallions. She carried orange blosoms. The bridesmaid wore a gown of white organdie and carried pink carnations. The ceremony was solemnized at 7 o'clock, after which the wedding breakfast was partaken of by the guests, consisting of the nearest relatives. The wedding was a quiet affair. Mr. and Mrs. Sherry will reside in this city.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.

The Chicago Tribune announces the engagement of Mr. H. M. Hudson, formerly of this city, and Miss Lora Mahoney, a clever musician of Belmond, Iowa.

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THE ATLAS CREDITORS

A Mass Meeting at St. Thomas Appoints a Liquidator.

St. Thomas, June 26.—A meeting of the creditors of the Atlas Loan Company was held in the council chamber of the city hall last evening. About 150 were present, and Ald. S. Chant occupied the chair.

The chairman read a letter from President A. E. Wallace, regretting his inability to be present. R. Home Smith was first called upon to explain the condition of the company. He explained the published statement, and in reply to numerous questions he admitted that the company had been investing in stocks on the margin basis, and that he could not make a statement as to the value of the securities held. He refused to say what quantity of stock was held by the company, but said it was distributed among several brokerage firms. He admitted that the securities were not in the Atlas Company's name, but in the name of the banks holding the scrip for securities for money advanced to the brokers to enable them to purchase the stocks.

Upon being asked to give the names of some of the securities held on margins by the defunct firm, he said they had considerable Twin City, Canada Pacific, Dominion Steel and Dominion Coal.

The meeting then proceeded to business, and after a discussion a resolution retaining the National Trust Company as liquidators was passed, also that a committee of the creditors act in conjunction with them.

Modesty of the Great.

In "Studies in Contemporary Biography," which James Bryce has just published, are two stories which have caused some of the critics to express astonishment at the "modesty of the great," says an exchange. The stories are these:

Meeting Mr. Gladstone in the lobby, and seeing his face saddened by the troubles in Ireland, Mr. Bryce tried to divert his thoughts by mentioning a recent discovery—to wit: That Dante had been saved from want in his last years by a lectureship at Ravenna. Mr. Gladstone's face lit up at once, and he said: "How strange it is to think that these great souls, whose works are a beacon light to all the generations that have come after them, should have had cares are anxieties to vex them in their daily life, just like the rest of us common mortals."

"The words reminded me," adds the author, "that a few days before I had heard Mr. Darwin, in dwelling upon the pleasure a visit paid by Mr. Gladstone had given him, say: 'And he talked just as if he had been an ordinary person like one of ourselves.' The two men were alike unconscious of their greatness."

It is only the little who think themselves great. They are like those who do not know much, and, therefore, imagine that there is not much to know.

A new law in New Hampshire requires boards of education to place a flagstaff on every public schoolhouse in the district under their control and procure a flag for display thereon under penalty of $10 for neglect to do so.

On the 37 acres of ground devoted to the live stock department at the World's Fair at St. Louis are being built 2,800 stalls.

A gravedigger in Holland claims to have buried 80,000 people.

LACE CURTAINS.

600 pairs of fine Nottingham and Swiss Curtains to be cleared at once under sweeping reductions—some are slightly soiled, some are single pairs, some are new goods just passed into stock, but are late for the season's selling and must be sold.

100 pairs fine Nottingham Curtains, 3 and 3½ yards long, 47 in. to 54 in. wide, new designs, in fine net with wreath and scroll designs and dainty ribbon effects, worth $1.25, $1.35 and up to $1.50 per pair, now **$1.00**

60 pairs fine Renaissance Curtains, heavy border with plain net centers, in single or double net, regular $2.50 and $3 Curtains, to be sold at $2 per pair—some slightly soiled, worth $2.50 to $4, to be cleared at... **$2.00**

Fine Nottingham double net, handsome Arabian Scroll and Guipure effects, Reproduction Curtains in real lace effects and imitation Battenberg, regular prices, $4, $4.50, $5 and $6 to be cleared at $4.50 and..... **$3.50**

Brussels Net Curtains in Swiss Applique and Tambour—new and handsome designs, slightly soiled in our great May selling—worth from $5 to $14 per pair, at great reductions, some half price, some less.

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Quaker Brand Corn, Peas and Beans, 3 cans	25c
Quaker Brand Tomatoes, the finest packed, 2 cans	25c
Canned Pumpkin and Blue Berries, 3 cans	25c
Columbia Soups, all flavors, regular 35c, our price	30c
Van Camp's Soups, all flavors, 2 cans	25c

SIX BARS SURPRISE SOAP, - - - 25c

Italian Macaroni, 2 packages for	25c
French Mushroom, equal to fresh, regular 25c, for	25c
Pure Olive Oil, all size bottles; also gallon cans at very low prices.	

NEW YORK GINGER ALE, 80c DOZEN QUART BOTTLES

Maple Syrup, very fine; pint cans 15c, 2 for	25c
Imperial Gallon Cans	90c
Mince Meat, per 1-pound package	8c
Seeded Raisins, per 1-pound package	11c

100 LBS. BEST BREAD OR PASTRY FLOUR, - $1.85

Fancy California Apricots, 2 pounds	25c
Fancy California Prunes, 4 pounds	25c
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1-LB. CAN BAKING POWDER, EQUAL TO ANY, FOR 10c

6 lb. Rangoon Rice	25c	6 lb. Pearl Tapioca	25c
5 lb. Patna Rice	25c	3 bottles Catsup	25c
3 bottles Worcester Sauce	25c	1 lb Keen's Oxford Blue	18c

Armour's White Label Soups, regular 35c, for 25c

7-LB. CAN KEILLER'S MARMALADE, - - 85c

Crosse & Blackwell's Mixed Pickles, regular 35c, for	30c
Crosse & Blackwell's Chow Chow, regular 35c, for	30c
Flett's Mixed Pickles, extra large bottle, for	25c
Chow Chow and Mixed Pickles, English make, per bottle	10c

ROSE'S LIME JUICE, REGULAR 35c, OUR PRICE 25c

Table Raisins, very best, per lb	20c	Layer Figs, per lb	12½c
FORCE, 2 packages for	25c	LIFE CHIPS, 3 packages for	25c
QUAKER OATS, 3 packages	25c	TILLSON'S OATS, 3 packages	25c

WHITE STAR SOAP, REGULAR 13c, OUR PRICE - 10c

Lime Fruit Marmalade, something delicious, regular price, 25c, our price, per jar 18c

LAMP CHIMNEYS, LARGE SIZE, - - 5c EACH

LIQUOR DEPARTMENT.

Claret, Chateau Chamfleuri, quarts, was $5 50, now	$4 50
Claret, Medoc, quarts, was $5 00, now	$4 25
Champagne, Amiot, quarts, per dozen, was $15 00, now	$11 00
Champagne, Amiot, pints, per dozen, was $8 00, now	$6 00
Champagne, Mumm's extra dry, at cost price.	
Whisky, very fine Scotch, quarts, was $8 00, now	$6 00
Ales, one lot, very fine, quarts, per dozen	$1 00
Ales, one lot, very fine pints per dozen	60c
Porter one lot, very fine, quarts, per dozen	$1 00
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