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SUNDAY IN LONDON

What Is Going On in the Leading Churches of the City

A THANKSGIVING SERVICE FOR the peace which has been declared in South Africa will be held in St. James' Church, South London, on Sunday.

ADELAIDE STREET BAPTIST Church—Rev. E. J. Stobo, B.A., B.D., will occupy pulpit both services tomorrow.

ASKIN STREET METHODIST CHURCH —Rev. J. W. Holmes, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

CENTENNIAL METHODIST CHURCH —Service, 11 a.m., conducted by Mr. E. L. Liddicott; evening service will take the form of service of praise. Anthems, "Oh, Praise the Mighty God" (Emerson), "Lord, I Have Loved" (Torrance), "Tarry With Me" (Baldwin), "There is a Green Hill" (Gounod); duet, "The Sinner's Friend" (Solomon); solo, "A Father's Care" (Dr. S. B. Jackson); solo, "The Ninety and Nine" (Edward Campion).

CHALMERS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH —Rev. Walter Moffat, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

COLBORNE STREET METHODIST Church—Rev. A. K. Birks, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. The pastor will conduct both services.

CRONYN MEMORIAL CHURCH, CORNER Queen's avenue and William street—Second Sunday after Trinity. Thanksgiving for peace. Rector, Rev. C. C. Owen, B.A.; assistant, Rev. W. Woodroofe, B.A. Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; divine service, 11 a.m., 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 3 p.m.; Bible Class, 3:15 p.m. Rev. C. A. Sadleir, of South America, will preach in the morning.

DUNDAS CENTER METHODIST Church—Morning, Rev. F. Mallott. evening, Rev. Mr. Deacon. Morning—Anthem, "The Heavens Declare the Glory of God" (Cuthbert-Harris); solo, "Out of the Depths" (Norris). Evening —Anthem, "My Soul Doth Magnify the Lord" (Bunnett); anthem, "Awake, Thou That Sleepest" ("Daughter of Jairus," Stainer); duet, "Come to the Saviour" (Campana); solo and chorus, "Heaven, Sweet Heaven" (Maunder).

EMPRESS AVENUE METHODIST Church—Rev. T. E. Harrison, pastor. Morning Mr. Wm. Gibson; evening, conducted by Epworth League; addresses by Mr. Gillespie and others.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST (SCIENTIST)—Services Sundays, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Wednesdays, 8 p.m. David S. Robb, C.S.B., First Reader.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH—CORNER Wellington street and Dufferin avenue. Public services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. The pastor, Rev. George J. Bishop, will preach both morning and evening.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. W. J. Clark, pastor. Services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by Rev. R. Martin, B.A., Erskine Church, Hamilton. Sunday School and Society for Bible Study at 3 p.m.

HAMILTON ROAD METHODIST Church—Rev. S. J. Allin, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

KING STREET PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. Thomas Wilson, pastor. Morning, children's service; pastor will give a talk illustrated by clocks. Mass meeting at 3 o'clock. Evening, "Jubilee Service Over Peace in South Africa." Strangers welcome.

MAITLAND STREET BAPTIST Church—Rev. J. J. Baker, M.A., will preach at both services.

NEW ST. JAMES' PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. A. J. MacGillivray, M.A., pastor. Services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by pastor. Sunday School and Bible Class, 3 p.m.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. Robert Johnston, D.D., pastor. Thanksgiving service. The pastor will preach at both services. 11 a.m., "The Price of Peace"; 7 p.m., "Heroes of War"; 3 p.m., Sabbath School and Pastor's Class.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH, WEST LONDON—Special thanksgiving service for the restoration of peace at 7 p.m. b

ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL—MORNING —"Venite" (Hervey), "Te Deum" (Woodward, in D), "Benedictus" (Woodward, in D). Preacher, Rev. Canon Dann, B.A. Evening—"Magnificat" (Tours), "Nunc Dimittis" (Tours); anthem, "Give Peace in Our Time, O Lord." Preacher, Rev. Canon Dann, B.A. Collection for mission fund.

TALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH —Rev. Dr. Sowerby, pastor. 11 a.m., "An Unexpected Blessing in the Nick of Time"; 7 p.m., "Jonah, a Despicable Deserter." This is the first of a series of illustrated sermons for Sunday evenings. Come and hear them.

WELLINGTON STREET METHODIST Church—Rev. R. D. Hamilton, pastor. Morning—Anthem, "Hark, My Soul" (Sudds); "Alleluia" (Stainer). Evening, Rev. A. Thomas; anthem, "Sweet is Thy Mercy" (Barnby); "Hear me, Holy Jesu" (Ambrose). Choir concert on Tuesday, the 17th.

MEETINGS.

NOTICE—THE GENERAL ANNUAL meeting of the shareholders of the London and Southeastern Railway Company will be held in the Board of Trade rooms, Richmond street, in the City of London, on Tuesday, the 24th day of June, 1902, at 4 o'clock p.m. J. W. Little, secretary and treasurer. London, May 23, 1902. 98k-t

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DIED.

MORAN—In this city, on June 5, 1902, Martin Moran, aged 62 years.

Funeral from his late residence, 235 Wellington street, on Monday, June 8, at 8:30 a.m., to St. Peter's Cathedral at 9 a.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. 3u

WILKIE—On Saturday morning, June 7, 1902, at the residence of Frank Yeigh, 667 Spadina avenue, Nellie, widow of Robert Grant Wilkie, and daughter of of the late William Westlake, formerly of London, Ont.

Funeral private. Interment at London on Monday.

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Dundas street—Two story brick, 9 rooms, modern conveniences; corner lot. Suitable for physician.

Waterloo street—Two story and attic brick, contains 10 rooms; all modern conveniences; corner lot.

BUILDING LOTS.

Very choice building lots in all parts of the city, ranging in prices from $100 to $5,000.

LOANS.

Money advanced in sums of $100 and upwards to complete purchase price, build (money advanced as building progresses), remodel the old house and pay off old mortgages.

A. A. CAMPBELL,
Real Estate, Loans and Investments, Molsons Bank Buildings, London, Ont.
C. H. ARMITAGE, Field Manager.
74tf Telephone 642.

P. Walsh's Bulletin.

Piccadilly street—A new two story brick residence, 10 rooms, modern improvements; lot 42x130 feet. Price on application.

Queen's avenue—Two story brick residence, 10 rooms, modern improvements; handsome grounds. Price, $5,000.

260 Talbot street—A large two story frame house, on brick foundation, 11 rooms, in good order; lot 50x110 feet. At a reduced figure.

76 Albert street—A two story brick residence, 10 rooms, all modern improvements; large lot. Price, $2,600.

Cheapside street—Two story brick store and dwelling, doing a satisfactory business. Price on application.

St. James street—A new two story brick house, 9 rooms, modern improvements; frame barn; corner lot. Price, $2,400.

474 Colborne street—Two story brick house, 10 rooms, modern improvements; lot 33x110 feet. Price, $2,700.

Smith street, south of the Hamilton road—One and a half story frame house, 7 rooms, in good repair; one acre lot; outside city taxes. Price, $1,300. Inspect at once.

366 Grosvenor street—A large frame cottage, 7 rooms; frame barn; half acre lot. Price, $1,200.

582 King street—Two story frame house, 10 rooms, in good repair; frame barn; lot 56x175 feet. At a bargain.

555 St. James street—One and a half story frame house, 6 rooms, in good order; lot 50x132 feet. Price, $700. A snap; owner leaving the city; inspect at once.

A splendid lot on Piccadilly street, near Waterloo street. Four cheap lots on Grosvenor streets, $225 each. Two lots on Richmond and Oxford streets.

562 English street—A new frame cottage, 7 rooms; finished in style; lot 37x148 feet. Price, $800.

P. WALSH,
'Phone 1,021. 110 Dundas St.

LONDON REAL ESTATE AGENCY.

Great Chance—Unfinished brick house, Waterloo street, near St. James, 9 rooms; no cash required down if house is finished. $325 buys fine building lot, Oxford street. Villa residence, Woodward avenue "Highlands," West London; 8 rooms, barn and trees, $1,500. Labatt Estate, Grey street, fine substantial brick residence and ample grounds; $3,000 buys. Modern brick cottage, nearly new, 857 Adelaide street; must be sold. Splendid building lots, Waterloo street, near Piccadilly street, cheap. Shanly Estate, Piccadilly street, at a great bargain, 426 Piccadilly street, beautiful home; cheap. W. D. BUCKLE.

HOTEL CARDS.

HOTEL NORMANDY, 489 AND 491 Richmond street—Choice wines, liquors and cigars. T. F. Lewis, proprietor.

OFFICE HOTEL AND RESTAURANT—Excellent lunch counter, only one in city. W. J. Wright, proprietor.

THE IROQUOIS, TORONTO, CANADA—Popular hotel. Popular prices. Newly fitted and refurnished. G. A. Graham proprietor, late Imperial Hotel, Galt.

ROYAL HOTEL—OPPOSITE G. T. R. depot. Central location. First-class in every respect. Louis Risk, proprietor.

THE ST. LAWRENCE HOTEL, MONTREAL—Centrally located and first-class in every respect. H. Hogan, proprietor.

MEDICAL CARDS.

DR. BAYLY HAS REMOVED HIS office to 211 Queen's avenue.

DR. C. C. ELLIOTT, AT DR. HODGE'S, 234 Queen's avenue.

DR. N. R. HENDERSON, 238 QUEEN'S avenue. Eye, ear, throat and nose only.

DR. E. PARDEE BUCKE HAS REMOVED to 300 Queen's avenue. 'Phone 504.

H. A. KINGSMILL, M.D., M.R.C.S. (England), has resumed practice. Office, 443 Park avenue. 'Phone 200.

DR. MEEK, QUEEN'S AVENUE, LONDON. Specialty, diseases of women. Hours, 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

DR. ANGUS GRAHAM—OFFICE AND residence, 463 King street. 'Phone 609.

DR. McLAREN, 193 QUEEN'S AVENUE, five doors east of Richmond street.

DR. McLELLAN, EYE AND EAR SURGEON—Graduate New York Eye and Ear Hospital, 1889. Cataracts removed, cross eyes straightened. Office, 497 Talbot street.

HADLEY WILLIAMS, M.D., F.R.C.S., England. Specialist (surgical diseases only). 439 Park avenue. 'Phone 324.

DR. JOHN D. WILSON, OFFICE AND residence, 360 Queen's avenue. Special attention paid to diseases of women and children. Office house, 12:30 to 6 p.m.

J. B. CAMPBELL, M.D., 389 DUNDAS street. Hours, 12 to 4, 6 to 8. 'Phone 522.

R. OVENS, M.D., 225 QUEEN'S AVENUE. Eye, ear, nose and throat.

R. W. SHAW, M.D., L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., England. Office, 287 King street. Telephone 839.

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

LIVERY STABLES.

LILLEY'S LIVERY—NO. 619 DUNDAS street, East London, Ont. Telephone 666.

Odontine

(C. & L.)

is indorsed by the leading dentists and the most refined and cultured people of the city.

It is a dentrifice of great merit, and is absolutely without an equal for imparting to the teeth a pearl-like whiteness, restoring and retaining by its continued use a healthy condition of the teeth and gums through life.

Be sure you get the genuine.

ONLY 25 CENTS.

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

Ontario Loan and Debenture Company

Dividend No. 77.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a dividend of 3 per cent upon the paid-up capital stock of this Company has been declared for the current half-year ending 30th inst., and will be payable at the Company's office on and after 2nd July next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 16th to the 30th inst., both days inclusive.

WM. F. BULLEN, Manager.
London, Ont., June 2nd, 1902. 4u-ty

Agricultural Savings and Loan Company.

Dividend No 6.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a dividend at the rate of 6 per cent per annum has been declared for the current half-year upon the capital stock, payable on and after July 2nd next.

Transfer Books will be closed from 16th to 30th inst. By order of the board.

C. P. BUTLER, Manager.
London, June 2, 1902. 4k-J7,13,19,28

Household Furniture By Auction.

At Jones' Auction Room, Tuesday, June 10, at 10:30 a.m.

Parlor, dining and bedroom furniture, folding bed, cook and gas stove, refrigerator, etc. J. W. JONES, Auctioneer. b

TENDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP to Saturday, June 14, 5 o'clock p.m., for certain alterations to the FISH MARKET.

Specifications may be seen at the office of the City Engineer. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

A. O. GRAYDON, City Engineer.
ALD. W. H. WINNETT,
Chairman No. 2 Committee.
4c-tyw

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED for alterations and fitting up of premises for the People's Loan and Building Company. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. H. C. McBRIDE, Architect. 4u

THE HURON AND ERIE LOAN AND SAVINGS COMPANY.

Dividend No. 76.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a dividend of four and one-half per cent for the current half year, upon the paid-up capital stock of this Company, has been declared, and that the same will be payable at the Company's office in this city on and after WEDNESDAY, JULY 2nd, 1902.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 18th to the 30th June, both days inclusive. By order of the Board,

GEO. A. SOMERVILLE, Manager.
London, June 4th, 1902. 4u-J7,21

SEE POSTERS ADVERTISING AUCTION sale of Smith properties, four cottages, 505 to 511 Bathurst street, Saturday, June 14th, 3 p.m., on premises, and cor. King and Ridout streets, store and dwellings, Monday, June 16th, 3 p.m., on premises. Good investments. Easy terms. Particulars at sale or apply to G. N. Weekes, Solicitor for Executors, cor. King and Richmond streets. 4u-tv

INSURANCE.

Queen Insurance Co.

Funds available for security of Queen policy holders, $64,000,000.

J. A. NELLES, Agent,
422 Richmond Street.
'Phone 343. ywt

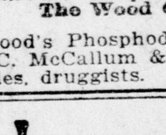
SUFFERED BY A CLOUDBURST.

St. Joseph, Mo., June 7.—A cloudburst Thursday night destroyed the greater part of Courtland, Neb., a small town near Beatrice. Seven inches of water fell. Fields are devastated. It is impossible to tell whether any lives have been lost. Several buildings have been wrecked by the storm. A heavy rain also fell in other parts of the country, and in places the damage is very great.

The furniture manufacturers of the province have decided to increase prices 20 to 30 per cent.

The steamer Admiral, now at Cleveland, was the steel freighter which collided with and sank the Canadia schooner Glenoffer, in the American channel, at the St. Clair flats on Monday.

Before. After.



Wood's Phosphodine,

The Great English Remedy.

Sold and recommended by all druggists in Canada. Only reliable medicine discovered. Six packages guaranteed to cure all forms of Sexual Weakness, all effects of abuse or excess, Mental Worry, Excessive use of Tobacco, Opium or Stimulants. Mailed on receipt of price, one package $1, six, $5. One will please, six will cure. Pamphlets free to any address.

The Wood Company, Windsor, Ont.

Wood's Phosphodine is sold in London by C. McCallum & Co., and Anderson & Nelles, druggists. ywt

Unseated!

A Member of Parliament may lose his seat, but a graduate of The Western Ontario Shorthand Academy, 76 Dundas street, never loses a situation. Pupils may join our classes at any time. We give individual instruction. Day and evening classes continued during summer.

Miss E. Gauld has been placed with the Hastings Hat and Cap Company.

WM. C. COO, C.S.R., Principal.

THIS ADVERTISEMENT CHANGES EVERY DAY.

176-178 Dundas Street, London, Saturday, June 7, 1902.

WOODS' FAIR

THE BEST ...CORSETS

The up-to-date, sensible woman does not try to force her body into corsets that are not adapted to her figure. Our D. & A. Corsets feel comfortable, and at the same time improve the figure. They fit better and wear longer than others. All the latest and most improved styles here.

Ventilated Summer Corsets at, pair.....25c and 50c

CORSETS AT 39c.

Short Black Corsets, white lined, steel filled, short hips, lace trimmed, in odd sizes, Monday, pair 39c

Empire Corsets ecru, with blue stitched bands, steel filled lace and ribbon trimmed, at top and bottom, Monday, pair 39c

CORSETS AT 50c.

French Bias Cut Corsets, in drab jean, covered steel filling, 4-clasp cork protected steels, lace and ribbon trimmed, Monday, pair 50c

Clito Corsets, medium length, steel filled and stayed waist line, in drab jean, 4-clasp cork protected steels, Monday .. 50c

CORSETS, $1.00.

Girdle Corsets, of fine sateen, broad strapped waist line, steel filled lace and ribbon trimmed, Monday, pair.... ....$1 00

CORSETS, $1.00.

Straight Front Corsets —In white and gray, fine contil, with bias-cut gored hips, covered steels, strapped waist line, 5-clasp, tab front ribbon trimmed, Monday $1 00

CORSETS, $1.00.

Tape Girdle Corsets, double clasp at bottom, washable; the latest in corsets; Monday, pair $1 00

SHOULDER BRACES, 35c. Made of corded contil, tape-bound, rubber shoulder straps, buckle front easily laundered, a splendid kind 35c

Corset Waists, for Children at 25c, 35c and..... 50c
Gloria Corset Waists, for Misses, at..... 75c
Gloria Corset Waists, for Ladies, at.....$1.00

BIBLES, 95c.

A line of beautiful Bibles, leather bound, turned edges, clearly printed page with gilt edge with concordance references, Bible helps and maps, different sizes, regular $1 25 to $2 50 Monday, clearing at each.. .. .. 95c

A WEDDING GIFT.

30 only, beautiful Butter Dishes, handsome engraved silver top, silver cooler, heavy cut glass bottom, regular $3 50 Monday special, each $1 25

MORE SCREEN DOORS.

Another shipment arrived today. Prices up from 75c

CORONATION TRAYS—A NICE SOUVENIR.

4 dozen only, Round Nickel-Plated Coronation Trays, each 25c
8 dozen only, Oval Coronation Trays, large size, each 35c

TINWARE.

Jelly Tins, regular 7c, Monday, each 5c

Large Perforated Pie Tins, Monday, each 5c

Colanders, regular 10c, Monday, each 5c

Knife and Fork Holders, painted and decorated, regular 25c, for, each 15c

CUPS AND SAUCERS.

20 dozen White Semi-Porcelain Cups and Saucers, regular 80c dozen, Monday, a cup and saucer for 5c

MILK PITCHERS.

50 large Milk Pitchers, plain white, and with green pattern, regular 20c and 25c, Monday, each 10c

Good Dog Collars, regular 25c, clearing Monday, each..... 5c
A few of those Good Brooms at, each..... 15c
See our Oil Stoves. Prices up from..... 50c

Visit Our Wall Paper Department.

WOODS' FAIR.

SPECIAL NOTICES

Buy your trunks and bags at manufacturer's prices, and get old ones repaired. Tackaberry & Co., Richmond street.

Notice—We have a large stock of goose feathers on hand, also iron and brass bedsteads, mattresses, woven wire springs, pillows and cushions, at the Feather Bed and Mattress Cleaning Factory, 593 Richmond street, north end. J. F. Hunt & Sons. Telephone 997.

Saturday to Monday Summer Excursions.

Commencing Saturday, June 7, and until Oct. 25, 1902, the Grand Trunk Railway will issue round trip excursion tickets from London, good going by all trains Saturday and Sunday, valid for return Monday following date of issue. Small booklet showing fares and points to which they apply on application to Grand Trunk Railway ticket agents. E. Le la Hooke, city agent. 2 tf

Lower Rate Excursion to California

During the coming summer frequent opportunities will be offered by the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway to visit California at the lowest round trip rates ever offered, with choice of routes from Chicago via Kansas City, Omaha or St. Paul, or going and returning via different routes. Electric lighted trains. Route of the Pioneer Limited. Famous Train of the world. Write for full information to F. A. Miller, general passenger agent, Chicago. 2-c-eod

A French engineer proposes the erection of a moving platform six miles long to facilitate travel in Paris.

Catarrhal Poisons and Their Remedy

The poisonous secretions from Catarrh are dangerous because they affect the stomach and bowels, giving rise to an unhealthy condition of these organs. Catarrh is the source of much ill-health, and was considered practically incurable until it was demonstrated to the satisfaction of the medical profession that by the use of Catarrhozone any case of nasal or throat trouble can be permanently and quickly cured. Catarrhozone by its unusual merit has enlisted the support and indorsement of the most prominent medical authorities, who freely state that anyone giving it a trial is sure to receive permanent benefit. Sold for $1. Small size, 25c. At druggists or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

Pure Oil is the name of a new tank steamship built in Newcastle, England, for a Pennsylvania firm.

HOW TO CURE ALL SKIN DISEASES.

Simply apply Swayne's Ointment. No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, etc., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other remedy. Ask your druggist for Swayne's Ointment. ywt

The production of silver in the United States this year was practically the same as last.

Diseases of the Kidneys.

Dr. Albert Wesley Kahle, Specialist in Diseases of the Kidneys, No. 190 Delaware avenue, Buffalo, N. Y., will furnish information free regarding his treatment of Bright's Disease, Cystitis and Diabetes, upon application, either in person or writing to the above address. tf

The Prohibitionists Heard From.

At a meeting of the London Prohibition League, held last night, the following was ordered sent to the city press:

At the close of the late provincial campaign The Advertiser made serious charges concerning both the motives and methods of the promoters of the movement that culminated in Mr. Daly's candidature. Not a vestige of truth has been adduced in support of any of these charges, which are set forth editorially May 30, as follows: "That the nomination of Mr. Daly was a Conservative strategem to defeat Col. Leys;" "that early in the campaign Conservatives, masquerading as temperance men, sowed the suggestion of independent action" and then "deserted Mr. Daly at the eleventh hour and slunk back into their own party."

We desire to brand the above assertions as false in every particular. The committee that decided on independent action was composed of three Reformers to one Conservative, and no more disinterested or honorable men can be found in this city than the members of that committee.

The sub-committee charged with the selection of a candidate, was politically divided in the ratio of one Conservative to two Reformers. Not until Mr. Daly was in the field did Conservatives in any number gather about the prohibition standard.

Two men are named by The Advertiser as foremost amongst the Conservative politicians, who are said to have played the traitor toward the Prohibition League, to wit, Dr. Roome and Ald. Winnett. This is an easily-refuted slander. Neither of these gentlemen belong now, or ever did belong, to either the "London Prohibition League," or its outgrowth, the "Prohibition Voters' League."

Six weeks before the "Voters' League" was formed, and when independent action was only a vague possibility, Dr. Roome was invited to speak at a meeting under the auspices of the Prohibition League. The five-minute address given on trat occasion began and ended Dr. Roome's connection, either public or private, with the movement.

Mr. Winnett was never friendly to the league, and the league disclaims any responsibility for his actions.

The league feels that it would be to Mr. Winnett's own advantage to deny, if he can, the statement that he canvassed votes for Mr. Daly.

In another editorial column of the same date the real and only reason for the running of a prohibition candidate is given in these words: "Col. Leys was defeated by the mistaken (?) zeal of a few who place the question of temperance before all else." The prohibitionists of this city believed that prohibition was the only important issue before the electorate. They acted accordingly. The denial of the right of free citizens to advance their reasonable opinions, as they may elect (in print, on the platform, and at the ballot-box), is one of the worst illustrations of violent partisanship.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

June 6.	Reported at	From
Tunisian	Rimouski	Liverpool
Manitou	New York	London
Polania	Father Point	Hamburg
Rosarian	London	Montreal
Citta Di	New York	Genoa
Saxonia	Boston	Liverpool
Fuerst Bismarck	Cherbourg	New York
Merion	Queenstown	Boston
Pennsylvania	Plymouth	New York
Montevidean	Montreal	Bristol
Devonia	Montreal	Cape Town
Concordia	Montreal	Glasgow

A BIRDSEYE VIEW OF RECENT WAR

Important Incidents of the South African Conflict.

COST IN LIFE AND TREASURE

Trouble Lasted Two Years and Two Hundred and Thirty-Two Days—The Leading Spirits.

Began Oct. 11, 1899. Peace signed May 31, 1902. Duration, two years and 232 days.

COST IN LIFE.

	Officers.	Men.	Total.
British killed or died from wounds and disease	1,063	21,138	22,201
Sent home invalided	3,030	70,942	73,972
Boers (not exactly known).			
Losses reported of all kinds in 1901			18,320
Losses reported of all kinds in 1902			6,500
Probable actual number of Boers engaged			70,000
Highest number of British engaged in campaign.....			250,000
Boers in the field reduced at end of war to			8,000
Prisoners at Ceylon, St. Helena, Bermuda and Cape			40,000
Cost in money to Great Britain (estimated)			$1,250,000,000

Territory gained by Great Britain, square miles 167,465

An area equivalent to all the New England States, New York and Pennsylvania.

Population before the war (white) 350,000

STAGES OF THE WAR.

October, 1899—May, 1900—(a) relief of British garrisons.

Feb. 15, 1900—Relief of Kimberley.

Feb. 28, 1900—Relief of Ladysmith.

May 18, 1900—Relief of Mafeking.

February, 1900—June 5, 1900—(b) Lord Roberts' march to Pretoria.

November, 1900—May, 1902—(c) Guerrilla war and blockhouse campaign, under Lord Kitchener.

MEMORABLE INCIDENTS.

Dec. 10-15, 1899—British "black week" disasters at Stormberg, Magersfontein and Colenso.

Dec. 18, 1899—Sir Redvers Buller superseded by Lord Roberts as commander in chief, with Lord Kitchener as chief of staff.

Jan. 23-24, 1900—Spion Kop.

Feb. 27, 1900—Cronje surrenders to Roberts at Paardeberg with 4,000 men.

March 13, 1900—Bloemfontein occupied.

June 5, 1900—Pretoria occupied.

March 27, 1900—General Joubert dies.

May 28, 1900—Annexation of Orange Free State proclaimed.

Oct. 25, 1900—Annexation of the Transvaal.

July 30, 1900—Surrender of Prinsloo with 3,000 Boers.

Sept. 11, 1900—President Kruger flies from the Transvaal.

Dec. 11, 1900—Lord Roberts sails for home.

December and January, 1901—De Wet's raid in Cape Colony.

February, 1901—Unsuccessful negotiations for peace.

Septemer, 1901—Botha's unsuccessful raid on Zululand.

February and March, 1902—Kitchener's big drives of De Wet and Delarey.

March 3, 1902—Delarey's capture of General Lord Methuen.

March 23, 1902—Peace negotiations begun.

March 26, 1902—Death of Cecil Rhodes.

CHIEF OFFICERS OF THE WAR.

British—

Sir Redvers Buller, succeeded as commander in chief by

Earl Roberts, British commander in chief, who in 1900 handed over command to

Lord Kitchener of Khartoum, commander in chief in South Africa.

Sir George White, former commander in chief in India; defender of Ladysmith.

Generals Sir John D. T. French, Kelley-Kenny, Sir Archibald Hunter, Neville, Lyttleton, Sir Charles Tucker, Sir H. Rundle, Sir W. Gatacre, Sir Charles Warren, Sir H. Hildyard, Walter Kitchener, Hart, Bruce Hamilton, Ian Hamilton, Baden-Powell, Clements, Sir W. Knox, Sir J. G. Maxwell and Kekewitch.

Boers—

General Joubert, succeeded on his death by

Gen. Louis Botha as commander in chief.

Commandants Cronje, De Wet, Lucas Meyer, Delarey, Koch, Erasmus, Kritzinger, Viljoen and Schalk-Burger.—New York Herald.

Revised Election Figures.

Bruce North gives C. M. Bowman (Liberal, a majority of 268.

Durham East—J. J. Preston's (Conservative) majority, 684.

Elgin, West—502 majority for Macdiarmid.

Glengarry — McLeod (Conservative), 2,123; MacPherson (Liberal), 1,644. Majority for McLeod, 484.

Hastings, West—Morrison (Conservative), 321.

Lanark, N., official returns—Caldwell (Liberal), 1,811; Greig (Conservavtie), 1,730. Majority for Caldwell, 81. There were 18 rejected ballots.

Haldimand—Holmes (Liberal), 1,705; Beck (Conservative), 1,557. Majority for Holmes, 148.

Lincoln—Jessop (Conservative), 3,193; McKinnon (Liberal), 2,504; Wilson, 184; Jessop's majority, 689.

Nipissing East gives Dr. James (Liberal) 204 majority.

Ontario North—W. H. Hoyle (Conservative), 2,219; W. J. Kestern (Liberal), 2,034; majority for W. H. Hoyle, 185. Eleven rejected ballots, one spoiled ballot.

Peel shows a majority for Smith (Liberal) of 123.

West Victoria gives S. J. Fox (Conservative) 99 majority.

Wentforth North—Thompson (Liberal) 31 majority.

Weak Back and Spinal Pains

Pains in the back number their victims in thousands. Only very powerful and penetrating remedies will reach these distressing complaints, but Polson's Nerviline is as sure to cure them as anything in this world can be sure. Rub Nerviline over the sore parts night and morning, and see how quickly it drives out the pain. Five times stronger than any other. Good for internal and external use. Large bottles, 25 cents.

Electricity is being used as a pumping agent for irrigation in California.

NO REASONABLE MAN expects to cure a neglected cold in a day. But time and Allen's Lung Balsam will overcome the cold and stave off consumption. Cough will cease and lungs be sound as a new dollar. xt

Chamberlain (Dem.) has been elected governor of Oregon, while the legislature is strongly Republican.

DR. PITCHER HELPS SUFFERING WOMEN

Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets Bring Ease and Comfort, Health and Strength, to Many Pain-Racked Health-Shattered Women.



There are thousands of women in Canada to whom life is an absolute burden on account of the unceasing ache in the back, the dragging pain in the loins, the side-aches, headaches, and weary, worn-out feelings which are an invariable accompaniment of kidney troubles.

Many women, too, are suffering from forms of kidney troubles, such as scalding, irritability of the bladder, frequent rising at night, pain and distress in making water, high-colored urine, etc., about which they are reticent, not caring even to mention the fact to their physician.

To every woman suffering from kidney trouble in any way Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets come as a veritable boon and blessing. They clear out the clogged-up kidneys, cure the backache and urinary trouble, roll away the burden of pain, and give health, strength and energy.

PIERCING PAIN.

Mrs. Alice Saunders, whose home is No. 55 Bartlett avenue, Toronto, and a picture of whom appears here, gave the following statement of her case: "I take great pleasure in acknowledging the benefit I derived from the use of Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets. I can now eat or drink anything, and no increased action of the kidneys takes place. The pain has left my back entirely. These Tablets are worth their weight in gold to anyone who has kidney trouble. I am feeling better now than I have in a long time. Prior to taking the Tablets, I had to give up my work; the pain in my back would be like some sharp instrument piercing through my kidneys. I have had such good results from the use of Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets that I stand ready to recommend them to anybody suffering from kidney or bladder troubles."

"THOUGHT I WOULD DIE."

Mrs. Joseph Young, Division street, Welland, Ont., says: "I have suffered from backache and kidney trouble for four or five years. At times I could hardly shut my hands they were so swollen, and my feet the same. Going upstairs hurt my back so I thought I would die, and my breath grew awful short. I tried almost everything, with no relief. Black specks floated all around, and my eyes were very bad. The pain ran from the small of my back to the base of the brain. I could not sleep lying on my back. I went and got a bottle of Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets, and they have been a great boon to me. They are just splendid. I can see to thread a needle, and the pain in the head is about gone. All the old feeling of cracking and creaking in the base of the head is gone, and the back comfortable. The old spells that came on any time night or day are gone, and I feel like living again. I can work now with comfort and go upstairs fast with no trouble. I am only too glad to recommend them to everyone. I used to be afraid to turn over at night, and could not sleep, and now I am not afraid at all and can sleep well."

TENDER, SORE KIDNEYS.

Mrs. George Noble, Hunter street, Peterboro, says: "My back for four or five years has given me a lot of trouble, and the kidneys were tender and sore. I got a bottle of Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets and they have done me a lot of good. I have been able to work right along. They never upset me a minute. I am very glad to be able to give this good word for the medicine."

There is not a woman who suffers from kidney complaint but can find prompt relief and a positive cure by using Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets. Then, why suffer any longer?

Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets are 50 cents a bottle or three for $1 25, at all druggists, or sent by mail, post free on receipt of price. The Dr. Zina Pitcher Co., Toronto, Ont.

Remedy for All Weakness.

Dr. McLaughlin Gives His Reason for the Popularity of His Electric Belt.



Electricity, as furnished by my Belt, cures by giving back to the weakened nerves, muscles and organs the vitality they have lost, reducing inflammation, developing the full vigor of health and removing the effects of overwork, exposure to weather and long-continued sickness. You can be cured if you will grasp the opportunity. My Electric Belt has restored to health and strength thousands of nervous, debilitated and pain-worn men and women. It fills your nerves with electricity while you sleep. Its power goes into the body in a gentle stream, saturating every nerve and charging them with its vital element until they are as strong as steel.

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An official of one of the oldest and most conservative banking houses in New York city has subscribed for $12,500 worth of stock, and states that he may double his subscription this week.

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School Report.

Report of school section No. 3, West Nissouri: Arithmetic, 120.—Junior IV.—C. Holland 106, L. Cockburn 98. Junior IV.—Eva McCutcheon, 112; Louie Belton, 110; Nellie Wilson, 98; Maggie Wilson, 95.

Mrs. Charles D. Kingdon, mother of Mrs. George Jay Gould, New York, was robbed at the Waldorf-Astoria of jewels worth $8,000.

The British steamer Manchester City from Manchester, May 5, for Montreal, has called at Queenstown, and is taking on the cargo of the British steamer Manchester Trader, which is now repairing at Passage dock.



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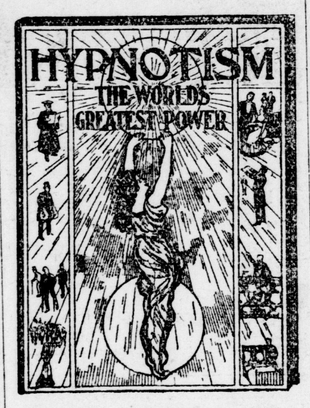
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TWO MEN DROWNED.

Newburgh, N. Y., June 6.—Two Swedes, whose names are unknown, were drowned off Newhamburg last night i na collision between the tug Hercules and a stone barge. The men were in a rowboat, which was caught between the colliding vessels.

BOTHA BELIEVES IN BOERS' LOYALTY

Says They Will Lose No Time in Coming In.

THE LONELINESS OF LONDON

Leads to the Institution of the Colonial Troopers' Club—A $50,000 Fee.

London, June 7.—Highly satisfactory news continues to come from South Africa. Mr. Bennet Burleigh has been assured by Gen. Botha that the burghers will loyally observe he capitulation and will lose no time in tendering their submission.

COLONIAL TROOPS' CLUB.

London, June 7.—The loneliness of London to those who come to it as strangers in a strange land is the justification of the Colonial Troops' Club. It is mainly intended for the entertainment of colonial troops in London for the coronation, and Mr. Chamberlain yesterday undertook the very congenial task of performing the opening ceremony. He enlarged upon the debt which Britain owes the colonies in connection with the Boer war for moral as well as material assistance. They saw with keenness and instinct, which were not surpassed by even the most patriotic Englishmen at home, the magnitude of the issue at stake. The colonial secretary's remarks were interrupted with cheers, but perhaps the loudest applause was reserved for the statement that the colonies had sent an army to South Africa greater in number than the British army at Waterloo.

TEXAS CATTLE FOR BOERS.

A big deal in Texas cattle had its initiative in the recent shipment of 6,500 head of such cattle from Pensacola, Fla. It is the first of many shipments of cattle to South Africa to be used in restocking the depleted veldts.

It is understood that Maud & Carrow, of Fort Worth, Texas have a contract to supply the British Government with young breeding cattle in South Africa. The shipment from Pensacola consisted of high grades and pure-blooded cattle.

SURRENDER OF 1,500 BOERS.

Cape Town, June 7.—The surrender of over 1,500 Boers has already been reported, covering various points. Commandant Fouche brought his command into Cradock, Cape Colony, consisting of 26 Free Staters and 212 rebels. Fouche is ill.

Commandant Conroy's men, on hearing that peace had been concluded, threw their hats into the air,

CHEERED FOR KING EDWARD,

and sang "God Save the King." These incidents dissipate the fear expressed that the Cape Colony commands would refuse to accede to the peace terms.

Gen. Christian Dewet is personally superintending the surrenders of the Boers in the Vredefort, Orange River Colony district.

Gen. Schalkburgher (former acting president of the Transvaal), who is the guest of the governor of Natal, Col. Sir Henry Edward McCallum, at Pietermaritzburg, in an address to the burghers in the concentration camp, asked them to make the best of the situation, and to

FORGET AND FORGIVE THE PAST

He pointed out the uselessness and hopelessness of continuing the struggle, urged the Boers to accept and act in accordance with the terms of surrender, which he intended to uphold. He desired them to work for the good of South Africa.

KRUGER'S CHOICE.

It is reported here that Mr. Kruger has declined the facilities offered by Great Britain for his return to South Africa, but has accepted Queen Wilhelmina's proffer of a Dutch vessel to convey him to South Africa when he decides to return there.

THE ALL-BRITISH SHIPPING COMBINE

May Not, After All, Turn Out To Be an Assured Actuality.

EARLY REPORTS DISCREDITED.

The Barings, Lord Strathcona, and Other Prominent Men Not Cognizant of the Scheme.

London, June 7. — The statements which have recently appeared in the English press, and which forecasted the formation of an all-British shipping combination seem to be open to grave doubts. Judging from careful inquiries made by the Associated Press in the most influential quarters of London, almost all of what has so far been printed is not only premature, but inspired, and its purpose is to assist toward the realization of the shipping project, which is almost as visionary today as it was a month ago.

DUBIOUS STATEMENTS.

The circumstantiality with which these published reports have been adorned contrasts strangely with the statements of those who believe that such a combine would probably be futile. Even the cardinal point upon which these published stories were hung, namely, the utilization of Canadian subsidies, seems to be untrue. In face of recent remarks on this matter of Joseph I. Tarte, Canadian minister of public works, the Associated Press has been officially informed that Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, high commissioner for Canada, has received no proposition with respect to Canadian subsidies, and so far as the high commissioner knows the offer of the Canadian Government of subsidies, while still open, has not been negotiated for.

Such negotiations might be made direct to Ottawa, but it would be a curious coincidence if Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, in his dual position of Canadian high commissioner and a large holder of shares of the Canadian Pacific Railway, were ignorant of the occurrence.

Lord Rothschild, whose financial assistance in the proposed shipping combine would almost certainly be asked, has not heard a word of the combine, with the exception of what he has seen in the newspapers, and these reports he appears to discredit.

Baring Bros., who are intimately connected with mercantile finance, entire discredit the possibility and advisability of British opposition to the American shipping combine.

A VISIONARY PROJECT.

One of the leading figures in the English business world, whose name ranks with that of the Rothschilds, said yesterday: "Personally, I have not heard a word, which makes me think this British project is other than a visionary one. If it materialized it would not have the support of the best financial circles of England. It is an entirely unnecessary step, and you may be sure that the leading men of England not only do not share in the press agitation over this matter, but deprecate any suggestion of a resort to what is so hysterically called American aggression. There is no necessity for such a combine so long as Americans are willing to pay twenty shillings on the pound. It is much better that England should understand that the statements published in the newspapers are quite unauthorized."

THE MORGANS UNDISTURBED.

"The Morgans are quite undisturbed at the press reports of the projected combine or at Mr. Tarte's speech. Their information, which is obviously likely to be correct, leads to the belief that absolutely nothing has been accomplished between the British ship owners, and that there is small probability of any satisfactory basis of operations being reached. The Morgans and other members of the original Atlantic shipping combine profess utter indifference as to whether or not the new project materializes, and declare frankly that such competition would be no more formidable than that which they at present have to face and can definitely stand. More than one of the lines which are now mentioned in connection with the British combine were spontaneously offered to the Morgan interests, and promptly refused by them."

Sir Alfred Jones, chairman of Elder-Dempster & Co., who is supposed to be one of the most prominent movers in the new combine, said this afternoon that he could not make any statement at present.

THE CONGREGATIONALISTS

Discuss Referendum and Will Vote for Prohibition.

Manitoba Prohibitionists Arrange to Hold a Convention.

Ottawa, June 7.—The Congregational Union of Ontario and Quebec yesterday morning discussed the referendum in Ontario on prohibition, and recommended through resolution that the members of the church turn out in strength and vote for prohibition.

Winnipeg, Man., June 7.—The executive of the Dominion Alliance for the province decided to call a provincial convention of the alliance during the exhibition week in Winnipeg, at which the future policy of the alliance will be finally defined. It was also decided to ask that each local branch in the provincial constituencies see that a candidate in the next local election is secured, who can be depended upon to give independent support to the cause of prohibition.

Woodstock, June 6.—At the morning session of the Hamilton Conference today, a resolution, moved by Rev. T. J. Parr, expressive of the loyalty of the Methodist denomination to King Edward VII. and the British Empire, was enthusiastically carried by the entire gathering rising and singing "God Save the King." The motion also congratulated the King on the prospects now in sight for a magnificent coronation, seeing that peace has been consummated in South Africa. It was resolved to forward the resolution to the King.

An instructive address was given by the Rev. Thomas Colling, on "The Elements of a Successful Church."

Last night most gratifying reports were received from the connexional officers of the conference.

Hutchinson, Kan., June 7.—Kansas prohibitionists in state convention here nominated Rev. F. W. Emerson for governor.

Orillia, Ont., June 7.—The convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, of the county of Simcoe, yesterday voted unanimously in favor of repudiating the referendum.

Carey Thoms, president of Bryn Mawr College, Philadelphia, announces that $256,000 has been contributed to the institution to meet the conditional offer of $220,000 made by John D. Rockefeller.

Poor Girl, Pity Her

Growing! Yes, into weakness, but not strength. Studies—plenty of them. Tired, of course she is, and weak, too. Does not get enough, and digests far less than enough. This condition is so frequent, but how seldom noticed even by fond parents. Give her Ferrozone, then watch her appetite improve, her cheeks and lips grow ruddy, her step elastic, her spirits buoyant. All this simply the result of eating and digesting enough, making blood, and thereby strengthening the nerve and brain power. Ferrozone gives a woman's strength to weak girls. Your daughter of wife needs Ferrozone. Get it today at W. T. Strong & Co.'s.

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MRS. A. JOHNSON.

Miss Mabel Meyers, Argentine, Kansas, collector for the Kansas Temperance Union, writes: "Peruna has proved a friend to me for it cured me when I was sick and the least I can do in return is to acknowledge its value to the public. Since I was 17 years old I have suffered with headache, backache and pains in the shoulder blades. I caught cold easily and my lungs were weak. Catarrh of the lungs was what the doctors called my trouble. I took their medicine for eighteen months without any benefit, and hearing about Peruna I decided to try it. I used nine bottles and was restored to health. This was two years ago, and I am now in perfect health."

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After only five months of married life, Mrs. Mary Denner, 17 years old, who lived in the Dutch Kills section of Long Island City, ended her life by jumping into the East River from the stern of the Thirty-fourth street ferryboat, Long Beach, after a spat with her husband.

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London's Foolish Policy.

The city of Toronto expects within a year to be in receipt of 10,000 horse power from Niagara Falls. The municipality will undertake to sell it at cost price to manufacturers and others, as a means of encouraging and attracting industry.

In the city of Hamilton the factory wheels are turned by electrical power generated by the Cataract Power Company. A wonderful impetus has been given to manufacturing enterprise in that city, and several large concerns have recently located there to secure the advantage of cheap power. In fact Hamilton's successful rivalry has driven Tronto into the costly project of transmitting electricity all the way from the Falls.

Meanwhile what is London doing to hold her own as a center of industry? The City Council of London is trying to impose on the city an electrical monopoly and prevent the manufacturers from procuring cheaper power, which competition would bring. A local manufacturer, doing business on a small scale, writes The Advertiser today that he has been driven out of business under present conditions. Yet we have a set of corporation-ridden aldermen who are voting to perpetuate this state of affairs. What do the ratepayers think of it? The Council should be compelled by the force of public opinion to re-open the whole question at once.

Americans and the Tariff.

The tariff is again in American politics. It has been overshadowed by the money question in the last two presidential elections, but the ghost of free silver has been laid, and the Democrats have been hunting for an issue which will reunite the party. The trusts have given the opening, especially the operations of the meat trust, which have done more to bring the tariff into odium than all the theorizing of economists in a generation. The Republicans begin to realize that they will have to face the music and the Washington Government is trying to appease public wrath by setting the law in motion against the trusts. Two Republican conventions last week declared in favor of tariff reform—"a revision of the tariff without unreasonable delay which will place upon the free list every article and product controlled by any monopoly, and such other articles and products as are beyond the need of protection." These conventions renominated Congressional representatives who stood on a tariff reform platform. The Washington Post, a Republican paper, declares that there is not a single Republican State in the Union that is satisfied with the present tariff. While holding that the protective policy has been vindicated the Post says the country is moving irresistibly toward free trade by the protection route.

Another omen is the speech delivered on Wednesday night by J. J. Hill, the great railway magnate, before the Illinois Manufacturers' Association. He declared that whatever good the protective tariff could do in the way of building up infant industries had already been accomplished. The growth of the enormous iron and steel industries, which had been credited to a protective tariff, could more surely be traced to the abundance of the raw material.

That the presidential election of 1904 will be fought on the tariff seems certain.

The Business Man's Parliament.

The Canadian Trade Conference closed in Toronto yesterday. Several important question were handled too hurriedly for effective discussion, but the conference paid serious attention to the two issues of leading importance, defense and imperial trade relations. The tone of the discussions was admirable throughout. There was hardly a suggestion of party spirit, and the delegates, French and English alike, showed a robust Canadianism. By a narrow majority the Montreal Board of Trade's resolution was passed, approving a general scheme of imperial defense, but declaring that any money contributed by Canada for the purpose should be expended by the Dominion Parliament. Mr. Pattullo, of Woodstock, moved an amendment to the effect that the colonies should provide for the defense of their own trade, and in times of common danger should contribute to the strength of the Empire. Mr. A. E. Kemp, the Conservative member for East Toronto, thought a plan of naval and military dfense should be considered, but that Canadian military and naval establishments should be under the control of the parliament of Canada, whether for service at home or abroad. These amendments by Mr. Pattullo and Mr. Kemp were rejected by almost tie votes. It is gratifying to note that in every resolution the principle is affirmed that Canada should control any expenditure of Canadian money for military purposes.

Mr. Sanford Evans, the Conservative editor of the Winnipeg Telegram, objected to any Canadian contribution toward the cost of naval protection on the ground that Britain was not spending a dollar more on her navy by reason of Canada being a part of the empire. We believe Mr. Evans is perfectly correct. The North Atlantic squadron is maintained to protect not the Canadian coast but the British merchant marine, and to keep the ocean an open highway for British food supplies. We do not think the resolution of the conference can be construed as a mandate to Sir Wilfrid Laurier to take up the question of imperial defense at London. Canada's first military duty is at home, and that duty will be loyally discharged.

Canada's Agricultural Progress.

The progressive condition of Canadian agriculture is attracting the attention of the British press. The somewhat conservative London Morning Post, speaking of Canada, says the "growth of her agricultural trade—always a sure foundation of national greatness—is without parallel in the world's industrial history."

In 1896, the total value of our exports of foodstuffs was $35,773,133; last year it was $63,098,841. The difference between these two sums does not fairly represent our progress in agriculture, because the home consumption has also grown during the past five years, owing to the great increase in the industrial and mining population. No doubt our farmers have profited much by the fact that the departments of agriculture of the Dominion, and of the Province of Ontario, are in the hands of business men—men who are in a position to look after the commercial side of the industry. Markets and proper facilities for shipping are almost as essential as the food supply itself.

The tenor of that portion of the British press which has taken up the subject is that the colonies are outdoing the mother country, and are able to give the British agriculturist pointers. The idea of co-operation, which was implanted among Canadians, and especially Canadian farmers, has grown, and is bearing fruit. The Agricultural College, Experimental Union, Farmers' Institutes, and agricultural journals, are now important factors with nearly every farmer and stock raiser. The more the farmer makes use of the knowledge and means at his disposal, the more assured will his success be, as well as that of the Dominion, as a whole.

Lennox was a tight squeeze, but so was North Perth, and luck was with the Conservatives there.

The Canadian teachers who have just arrived in South Africa will be more needed than the last contingent of Canadia troops.

The Council has shown a woeful want of backbone in dealing with the Street Railway Company and the London Electric Company. It's time for a change.

The Boers are now cheering for King Edward. It is only sheer obstinacy that prevents Mr. Whitney from throwing up the sponge and calling for three cheers for Ross.

The New York World says that the Americans have caused the death of 600,000 Filipinos to date. Uncle Sam should drop the water cure and try Kitchener's recipe.

When the majority of the aldermen voted to throttle electrical competition in the city, the mayor uttered not a syllable of protest. Will he assist in undoing the wrong?

"Build up Ontario" is the winning policy of the Government. "Build up London" should be the policy of the City Council, but the aldermen prefer to build up monopoly.

The Free Press speaks of the "nebulous appropriation" for the armory and then complains that this nebulosity is in the bank drawing interest. Is there anything nebulous about good hard cash?

Sir Oliver Mowat, in 1894, came out of the elections with a majority of 8. Mr. Hardy, in 1898, came back with a majority of 5. Mr. Ross, in 1902, emerged with 4 to the good. There is some ground for the Tory complaint that the Government is an unconscionably long time in dying

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The Globe calls attention to the case of one John D. Edwards, who was sent to the Central Prison for a year. His wife is dead, and he leaves four daughters, the eldest being a cripple, the third being laid up with pneumonia and the fourth being a baby. The second one is only a young girl. Edwards has made restitution for a large part of the money which he owed, and the Globe thinks the Minister of Justice would be justified in remitting the sentence. The Globe's heart is in the right place. There is a moral in it, too, for some callous people in this city.

Exactly What We Thought.

[London Lancet.]

Too much batting is harmful, as it tends to maceration of the superficial part of the epidermis and occasions probably too rapid a proliferation of the cells of the malpighian layer.

Premature Complaint.

[Sanitary Era.]

"You're a fraud, sir," cried the indignant patient. "You guaranteed your medicine to cure after everything else failed, and——"

"Well, my dear sir," replied the medicine man, "probably you haven't tried everything else."

The Elder and the "Caff."

[Holman F. Day.]

Oh, old Widder Bugg was a-weanin' her caff—
Took a ha'f for herself an' gin him a ha'f;
Had a nice leetle tro'f an' the caff et there,
As calm as a sassige, I dew declare.
Parson he called on the Widder one day,
Offered to help her pitch daown hay;
"An' the dear leetle caff," says he with a la'f,
"I reely must feed that dear leetle caff."

Oh, there's work for me an' there's work for you,
Hi-deedle-deedle, there's work for to do;
But it seems to me that each man's hands
Better stick to the job that he best understands.

"Lawk," says the Widder, "yew'll mess your clothes!
Better let me"—but the parson goes,
Pours the nice warm milk in the nice leetle tro'f,
But, drat his hide, that caff hangs off.
Parson he pokes that leetle caff's nose
Down in the tro'f, an' the caff he blows—
Woosh! an' the parson, I vum an' deciare,
Was a river of milk from his toes to his hair.
She told what he said, did the Widder Bugg,
An' the church has fired him out, kerchug!

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Hi-deedle-deedle, there's work for to do;
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How She Felt.

[Tit-Bits.]

Harold—What did she say when you turned out the gas and kissed her

Rupert—Said she felt as if she never wanted to see my face again.

Martinique.

[Cleveland Plaindealer.]

Alas! and must this fairy isle become a wilderness—
With crumbling walls and trackless wilds to mark Fate's fearful stress?
Along the sea-kissed, smiling strand will foot of man ne'er tread?
Are human hearts henceforth to shun this island of the dead?

To the Disputed Points.

[June Smart Set.]

Attorney for the Defense—You are a blackguard and a bluff, sir!

Attorney for the Prosecution—And you, sir, are a shyster and a rogue!

The Court—Come, come, gentlemen. Let us get down to the disputed points of this case.

MURDER OF MOTHER AND TWO CHILDREN

Butchered With Hatchet and Then Burned.

BRAKEMAN'S TERRIBLE FATE

Struck by an Engine, a Torpedo Exploded in His Pocket—Other Casualties.

Hammonton, N. J., June 7.—William Dix, whose home is in Downingtown, Pa., met a horrible death at Winslow Junction. Dix was employed as a freight brakesman on the Jersey Central Railroad. After riding a freight car in on a side track, he thoughtlessly walked on the south "Y," upon which track the engine of his train was coming. The engineer could not see him on account of a curve in the track. The cowcatcher struck Dix, knocking him down and pushing his body slowly along the track until his foot caught in a frog, holding him fast while the pony trucks of the engine passed over him, cutting his right leg off at the hip joint.

At that instant a railroad torpedo, which Dix carried in his pocket, exploded, and tore a great hole in his back. The explosion was the first intimation the engine crew had of the disaster.

As the unfortunate man lay dying he gasped out: "I don't blame any of you, boys. It was nobody's fault but mine. Good-bye!" Coroner Litchfield gave a certificate of accidental death.

MOTHER AND CHILDREN MURDERED.

St. Joseph, Mo., June 7.—A careful investigation into the deaths of Mrs. Bell Smith and her two children, at Hardin, Mo., who were found dead in the ruins of their home, revealed a triple murder preceded by robbery. Mrs. Smith was a widow and kept in her home $1,000, received on an insurance policy, carried by her late husband. The victims had been killed with a hatchet which was found in the ruins of the burned home.

THE WRECK NEAR CALGARY.

Calgary, N. W. T., June 7.—The bodies of Engine Driver Chris Doran and Car Inspector Corsey have been recovered from under the wreck. Fireman stephenson, who escaped, saws he knew nothing of the wreck until he found himself in the water.

LANE'S STORY UNSATISFACTORY

Windsor, June 6.—Charles William Cantwell ,the father of Carrie Cantwell, the young girl who met death at the hands of Norman Lane, the 14-year-old son of George Lane, of Ruthven, is not satisfied with young Lane's explanation, and an investigation will likely be had. Several neighbors are said to have stated that they heard the two quarreling before the shooting.

ONCE A MILLIONAIRE.

Kansas City, Mo., June 7.—John Howry, once a millionaire lumber dealer of East Saginaw, Mich., who had Boston connections, died at a hospital here at 4:30 p.m. yesterday from the effects of a dose of morphine taken with suicidal intent at a lodging house on Monday night. Howry was 70 years old. He planned his death deliberately. He had written a note to a local undertaker, giving instructions for the care of his body, and had prepared a message to his sons, who were associated with him in the cattle business at Marra Vista, N. M. His note included the words, "I took morphine. Cause, business troubles with my son, J. H. Howry."

WIRE WOUNDS.

My mare, a very valuable one, was badly bruised and cut by being caught in a wire fence. Some of the wounds would not heal, although I tried many different medicines. Dr. Bell advised me to use MINARD'S LINIMENT, dilute at first, then stronger as the sores began to look better, until, after three weeks, the sores have healed, and best of all the hair is growing well, and is NOT WHITE, as is most always the case in horse wounds.

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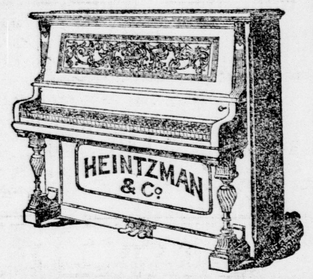
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THE ARRESTED CONDUCTORS.

Toronto, June 7.—In addition to the eleven men arrested in connection with the robbery of the street car fare boxes, T. W. Timms, 126 Parliament street; Albert K. Ferguson, 69 Elm Grove; Joseph Wagner, 4 Robinson street, and Gilbert Nelson, 37 Fuller street, were also arrested today in connection with the alleged conspiracy. Timms and Wagner are alleged to have disposed of stolen tickets. The eleven men arrested Thursday night appeared in the police court yesterday and elected to be tried by jury. The case was adjourned for a week. It is stated that the company has evidence against over 50 employes, but proposes to secure the arrest only of the chief offenders.

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THE MARKETS

THE LOCAL MARKET.

London, Saturday, June 7.

Wheat, white, per bu.....81c to 81¾c
Wheat, red, per bu.....81c to 81¾c
Corn, per bu.....61c to 62c
Oats, per bu.....45 9-10c to 46½c
Oats, per bu.....46½c to 46¾c
Peas, per bu.....75c to 90c
Barley, per bu.....53c to 60c
Beans, per bu.....70c to 80c

Notwithstanding the unfavorable weather of this forenoon, there was a very fair attendance at the market today. The bulk of the offerings was small stuff and garden truck. The display of the latter by the gardeners was excellent, and the quality would be hard to beat anywhere.

Grain—A few loads of wheat sold at $1 35 to $1 36 per cwt. Over 20 loads of oats sold at $1 35 to $1 37 per cwt.

Hay and Straw—Ten loads of hay sold at $8 to $8 50 per ton; a couple of choice loads brought $9 per ton.

Butter and Eggs—Both of these commodities were in good demand, at slightly higher prices; butter was in fair supply, at 15c to 16c for pound rolls, and occasionally a lot of gilt edge grade sold at 17c; crocks sold mainly at 15c per lb.

Vegetables and Roots—There was quite a lot of potatoes on sale, and prices were about steady, at 80c to 90c per bag; rhubarb was plentiful, at 20c per dozen bunches; radishes, 15c to 25c per dozen, asparagus at 40c to 50c.

Fruits—The first home-grown strawberries of the season were offered today at 20c per box; they were of excellent quality.

Poultry—Offerings were large in this line; last year's birds, dressed, sold at 65c to 80c per pair; fine ones at 60c per pair; spring chickens sold at 60c to 75c per pair; a few spring ducks, the first of the season, were offered today; they weighed 8 lbs to 9 lbs per pair, and sold at $1 25; turkeys, dressed, sell at 11c per lb, and 9c per lb live weight.

Dressed Hogs—Not many on sale; those offered sold at $8 50 to $8 75 per cwt; prices are expected to go lower.

Live Hogs—The market has taken quite a slump, and it is expected that not more than $6 25 per cwt will be paid on Monday next; prospects are not very bright.

Meats—Plentiful, with no change in prices of any note; the general trend of the market is for lower prices within the next couple of weeks.

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Wheat, red, per 100 lbs	1 35	@	1 36
Oats, per 100 lbs	1 35	@	1 38
Peas, per 100 lbs	1 40	@	1 40
Peas, per 100 lbs	1 20	@	1 20
Barley, per 100 lbs	1 10	@	1 25
Beans, per bu	70	@	80

HAY AND SEEDS.

Hay, per ton	8 00	@	8 50
Straw, per ton	6 00	@	6 00
Clover seed, red, per bu	4 50	@	5 00
Clover seed, alsike, bu	9 00	@	9 50
Timothy seed, per bu	2 50	@	3 50
Hungarian seed, per bu	60	@	70
Millet seed, per bu	60	@	70
Apples, per bag	1 25	@	1 50
Apples, dried, per lb	5	@	6

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Butter, per roll, baskets	14	@	16
Butter, crock, per lb	13	@	15
Eggs, doz, basket lots	13	@	13
Eggs, doz, new-laid	13	@	14
Honey, strained, per lb	11	@	12½
Honey, in comb, per lb	14	@	15

POULTRY.

Ducks, per pair	65	@	90
Turkeys, per lb	13	@	13
Geese, each	70	@	90

MEATS.

Dressed hogs, per cwt	8 75	@	9 00
Pork, by the quarter	8	@	10
Beef, by the carcase	5 00	@	8 00
Beef, by the quarter	6 00	@	8 00
Veal, quarter, per lb	5	@	6
Mutton, carcase, per lb	6	@	8
Spring lamb, per lb	9c	@	11

LIVE HOGS AND CATTLE.

Hogs, selects, per cwt	6 25	@	6 25
Hogs, small, per pair	5 00	@	7 00
Stags and sows, cwt	2 00	@	4 00
Fat cattle, per cwt	4 50	@	5 60

HIDES AND SKINS.

Wool, unwashed, per lb	6	@	7
Wool, washed, per lb	12	@	12
Tallow, rough, per lb	3	@	3½
Tallow, rendered, per lb	5	@	5½
Hides, No. 1, per lb	6½	@	6½
Hides, No. 2, per lb	5½	@	5½
Hides, No. 3, per lb	4½	@	4½
Sheepskins, each	60	@	65
Lambskins, each	60	@	65
Calfskins, No. 1, per lb	9	@	9

VEGETABLES.

Potatoes, per bag	80	@	90
Cabbage, per doz	75	@	1 00
Celery, per doz	35	@	50
Beets, per bag	50	@	60
Lettuce, per doz	20	@	30
Green onions, per doz	12½	@	15
Green rhubard, per doz	20	@	20
Green parsley, per doz	20	@	30
Radishes, per doz	15	@	25

TORONTO HAY MARKET.

Toronto, June 5.—Baled Hay—There is a good demand for No. 1 timothy and prices are steady at $10 and $10 25 on track here. Poor grades of hay are not in demand here. Baled Straw—Offerings are liberal and demand is good for the best. Prices are strong at $5 25 to $6 on track here.

London, June 5.—Cattle are unchanged at 14c to 14¼c per lb. (dressed weight); refrigerator beef is 11c per lb.

SUGAR.

MONTREAL, June 6.—Following are the prices of sugar, f.o.b., Montreal:

Paris lumps, 50-lb boxes	$4 20
Paris lumps, 100 lbs boxes	4 10
Redpath's granulated	3 60
St. Lawrence granulated	3 60
Acadia granulated	3 55
Phoenix, St. Lawrence	3 40
Cream, Redpath's	3 35
Coffee sugar	3 25
Yellow sugar	2 95

LONDON, June 6.—Raw sugar, Muscovado, 7s; centrifugal, 7s 6d; beet sugar, June, 6s 3d.

ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, June 7—Closing.

Wheat—Spot dull; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 4½d; No. 1 California, 6s 3¾d. Futures quiet; July, 5s 10⅞d; Sept., 6s 1d. Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, new, 5s 9d; American mixed, old, 5s 9d. Futures nominal; July nominal; Sept., 5s 2¼d; Oct., 5s 2½d.

Peas—Canadian steady, 6s 10d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter firm, 8s 9d.

Hops (at London)—Pacific coast firm, £4 10s to £5 5s.

Beef—Dull; extra India mess, 98s 9d.

Pork—Steady; prime mess western, 76s.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 54s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, firm, 53s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, firm, 55s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, firm, 55s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, firm, 54s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, firm, 54s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 54s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, firm, 40s.

Butter—Nominal.

Lard—Quiet; American refined, in pails, 52s; prime western, in tierces, 52s.

Cheese—Steady; American finest white, old, 56s; do, new, 51s; American finest colored, old, 59s; do, new, 52s.

Tallow—Prime city steady, 29s 6d.

Turpentine spirits—Strong, 36s 9d.

Rosin—Common steady, 4s 1½d.

Petroleum—Refined, 7d; steady.

Linseed oil—Steady, 33s 3d.

SHEEPSKINS.

London, June 5.—A sale of sheepskins was held here today, at which 4,294 skins were offered, nearly all of which were sold. There was an average attendance present, who bid for longer stapled merinos and fine crossbreds, which sold freely at an advance of 5 per cent. Shorter grades were not quotably lower. Long and coarse sold at occasionally cheaper prices. The sales in detail follow: New South Wales, 151 skins; clothing and combing, 3¾d to 4¾d. Victoria, 1,324 skins; clothing and combing, 3¾d to 8½d. South Australia, 70 skins; clothing and combing, 3¾d to 8¾d. West Australia, 615 skins; clothing and combing, 3¾d to 7½d. Tasmania, 661 skins; clothing and combing, 3d to 7¾d. Punta Arenas, 338 skins; clothing and combing, 3¼d to 6⅝d. Falkland Islands, 80 skins; clothing and combing, 4d to 5⅛d.

OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 6.—Oil opened at $1 20.

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 6.—Oil closed at $1 20.

OIL CITY, Pa., June 6.—Credit balances, $1 20; certificates, no bid.

LONDON, June 6.—Petroleum, American refined, 6 13-16d; spirits, 7d.

ANTWERP, June 6.—Petroleum, 18 francs.

BREMEN, June 6.—Petroleum, 6 marks 35 pfennings.

PITTSBURG, June 7.—Oil opened at $1 20.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

TOLEDO, O., June 6.—Wheat—Firm; cash, 81c; June, 80½c; July, 74½c; Sept., 73¾c. Corn—Dull but strong; cash, 63½c; July, 62¾c; Sept., 59½c. Oats—Active and strong; July, 37⅝c; new, 40c; Sept., 30c; new, 31¾c. Rye—No. 2, 58c. Clover seed—Dull but firm; cash, $5 12½; Oct., $5 17½.

CHICAGO, June 6.—Fears of a wet harvest in winter wheat, very small sales of corn by farmers, a sharp cash demand in oats, and a call for pork to repay for old stuff, stimulated buying in all the speculative pits on 'change today. Trade was largely limited to the professionals, and several crop reports had a dampening effect on the spirit of the bulls. In the end, however, July wheat gained ¼c to ⅜c, July corn ⅝c and July oats ⅜c; provisions closed 2½c to 5c and 17½c to 20c higher. Local receipts of wheat were 4 cars, none of contract grade; Minneapolis and Duluth reported 256 cars, making a total for the three points of 260 cars, against 47 cars last year. Primary receipts were 394,000 bu, compared to 645,000 bu last year. Seaboard clearances in wheat and flour equaled 288,000 bu. Argentine shipments were 668,000 bu, against 382,000 bu last week and 1,032,000 bu a year ago. Export demand was almost dead. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 10 cars; corn, 350 cars; oats, 115 cars; hogs, 22,000 head.

The leading futures closed: Wheat—June, 72⅝c; July, 71⅝c; Sept., 703/8c to 70⅞c. Oats—June, 40c; July, 36⅜c to 36⅞c; new, 39¼c; Sept., 29c; new, 31c; Dec. 29¼c; new, 31c. Pork—June, $17 40; July, $17 40; Sept., $17 45; Jan., $16 30. Lard—June, $10 20; July, $10 25; Sept., $10 27½; Oct., $10 20; Jan., $9 37½; May, $9 25½. Ribs—June, $10 15; July, $10 15; Sept., $10 02½ to $10 05.

Cash quotations: Flour easy. No. 3 spring wheat, 70c to 72c; No. 2 red, 73c. No. 2 oats, 42c to 43c; No. 2 white, 46c to 46½c; No. 3 white, 45c to 46c. No. 2 rye, 59c. Fair to choice malting barley, 66c to 68c. No. 1 flaxseed, $1 56; No. 1 northwestern, $1 76. Prime timothy seed, $6 30 to $6 35. Mess pork, $17 45 to $17 50; lard, $10 22½ to $10 25; short ribs sides, $10 10 to $10 20; dry salted shoulders, 8c to 8¼c; short clear sides, $10 50 to $10 60. Clover, contract grade, $8 35. Eggs easier, 15c to 15¼c for fresh.

Receipts—Flour, 11,000 bbls; wheat, 25,000 bu; corn, 197,000 bu; oats, 144,000 bu; barley, 4,000 bu.

Shipments—Flour, 11,000 bbls; wheat, 176,000 bu; corn, 241,000 bu; oats, 140,000 bu; barley, 1,000 bu.

DETROIT BEAN MARKET.

Detroit, June 7.—No change in beans; the demand for July is increasing, and there is some trading in October prime. Quotations: Cash, $1 50; June, $1 50 asked; July, 1 car at $1 44, 1 at $1 45; Oct., $1 50 bid; Oct., prime, 2 cars at $1 25.

DAIRY MARKETS.

OTTAWA, Ont., June 6.—There were 946 boxes listed on the Ottawa cheese board today, 767 white and 179 colored; the price paid was 9⅜c, at which figure the bulk of the offerings were sold.

KEMPTVILLE, Ont., June 6.—At the cheese board here this evening 1,100 boxes of cheese were offered; none sold on the board; all sold after at 9¾c.

PERTH, Ont., June 6.—Sixteen hundred and fifteen boxes of cheese were brought into the Perth cheese market today, all white and May make; all sold; Fowler got 950, Bissell 380, Webster 270, Howe 75; ruling price, 9⅞c to 9 15-16c.

NAPANEE, Ont., June 6.—At the cheese board today 1,884 boxes of cheese were boarded, 1,179 white and 705 colored; sales, 435 white and 100 colored, at 9⅝c; balance changed hands after the board closed. Buyers present: Van Luven, Alexander, Thompson, Cleall, McKinnon, Bissell and Brenton.

BRIGHTON, Ont., June 6.—At today's meeting of the Brighton cheese board five factories boarded 295 cheese—180 white and 115 colored; price offered, 9⅝c; Whitton got 50 at that figure. Buyers present: Whitton, Bird, Magrath. Board adjourned to meet at call of the president.

NEW YORK, June 6.—Butter quiet; receipts, 4,627; creamery extras, per lb, 22¼c to 22½c; do, firsts 21½c to 22c; do, seconds 20½c to 21c; do, lower grades, 20c; state dairy tubs, fancy, 21½c; do, firsts, 20½c to 21c; do, seconds, 19½c to 20c; do, thirds, 18c to 19c; state dairy tins, etc., 18c to 19c; western imitation creamery, fancy, 20½c; do, good to choice, 19c to 20c; do, lower grades, 17½c to 18½c; renovated, fancy, 20c; do, common to prime, 17½c to 19½c; western factory, firsts, 19c; do, seconds, 18c to 18½c; do, thirds, 16c to 17c; packing stock, 17c to 18c. Cheese irregular; receipts, 4,270 boxes; state full cream, small colored, choice, 9¾c to 10c; do, fair to good, 9¼c to 9½c; do, white, choice, 10⅜c; do, fair to good, 10c to 10¼c; do, large colored, choice, 9¾c; do, white, choice, 10c; do, fair to good, 9c to 9½c; light skims, small choice, 8¼c to 8½c; do, large choice, 7¾c to 8c; part skims, prime, 7c to 7½c; do, fair to good, 5c to 6¾c; do, common to 4¼c; full skims, 2½c to 3c. Eggs weaker; receipts, 8,718 cases; state and Pennsylvania, fancy selected white, 18½c to 19c; do, average best, 17½c to 18c; western, northerly sections, fancy, candled, 17¼c to 17½c; do, graded, uncandled, 16½c to 17c; do, ungraded, 16c to 16¾c; do, southerly sections, graded, 16½c; do, ungraded, 14½c to 16c; Kentucky, 14½c to 15½c; southern, 13½c to 14c; dirties, 13c to 15c; checks, 12c to 14c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, June 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,873; market active; steers uneven, steady to 15c higher; bulls and cows strong; medium and common, 10c to 15c higher; steers, $5 60 to $7 50; bulls, $2 75 to $5 75; cows, $2 75 to $5 60; heifers, $6; cables steady; exports, 200 cattle; tomorrow, 1,378 cattle, 180 sheep and 9,150 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 807; market steady; veals, $4 50 to $7 50; extra, $7 50; culls, $4; buttermilks, $5; city dressed veals firm at 8¼c to 11c per lb. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,032; sheep and yearlings opened steady; top grades wanted; lambs opened steady, closed 15c to 25c lower; sheep, $2 to $5; culls, $2; yearlings, $5 50 to $6 65; lambs, $6 75 to $6 85. Hogs—Receipts, 254; market barely steady; state hogs, $7 40; western hogs nominal.

EAST BUFFALO, June 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 200 head; good steady; common lower. Veals—Receipts, 525 head; firm; tops, $6 75 to $7; fair to good, $6 to $6 50; common to light, $5 to $5 75. Hogs—Receipts, 7,300 head; fairly active; heavy, $7 40 to $7 50; medium, $7 20 to $7 35; Yorkers, $7 05 to $7 15; light do, $6 85 to $7; pigs, $6 75 to $6 80; roughs, $6 60 to $6 85; stags, $5 25 to $5 75. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,600 head; steady; top lambs, $7 to $7 25; fair to good, $6 to $6 50; culls to common, $4 to $5 50; yearlings, $5 50 to $5 75; sheep, top mixed, $5 to $5 25; fair to good, $4 25 to $4 75; culls, $2 50 to $4; one load extra lambs, $7 50.

CHICAGO, June 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,500; good to prime steers, $7 25 to $7 50; poor to medium, $5 to $6 90; stockers and feeders, $2 50 to $5 25; cows, $1 50 to $5 75; heifers, $2 50 to $5; canners, $1 50 to $2 50; bulls, $2 50 to $5 50; calves, $2 to $6 50; Texas steers, $4 to $6 40. Hogs—Receipts, 34,000; opened steady to 5c lower; closed active; mixed and butchers, $6 95 to $7 35; good to choice heavy, $7 35 to $7 45; rough heavy, $7 to $7 25; light, $6 85 to $7 15; bulk of sales at $7 to $7 25. Sheep—Receipts, 7,000; steady; lambs, choice steady; good to choice wethers, $5 25 to $6 15; fair to choice mixed, $4 50 to $5 25; western sheep, $5 25 to $6 15; native lambs, clipped, $5 25 to $7; western lambs, $5 40 to $7; spring lambs, $7 50.

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Hopeful Words to Childless Women. Two Grateful Women Tell How They Were Helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

How shall a mother who is weak and sick with some female trouble bear healthy children?

How anxious women ought to be to give their children the blessing of a good constitution!

Many women long for a child to bless their home, but because of some debility or displacement of the female organs, they are barren.

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$5000 REWARD

Owing to the fact that some skeptical people have from time to time questioned the genuiness of the testimonial letters we are constantly publishing, we have deposited with the National City Bank, of Lynn, Mass., $5,000, which will be paid to any person who will show that the following testimonials are not genuine, or were published before obtaining the writers' special permission.—LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO., Lynn, Mass.

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"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Before I took your medicine I suffered for years. Life to me was a torture. I often wished I were dead. I had no children, and the doctor said I never could have. Menstruation was very painful, also suffered with severe pains in left ovary, had pains in my back and heart, terrible headaches, and weakness of the kidneys. I tried everything, had womb dilated twice but that did no good. I got discouraged and concluded to let the doctors go and try your medicine. After writing to you explaining my case, I followed your advice carefully and with the result that I never felt so well in all my life. I am indeed a new woman and have a loving little baby girl which is the happiness of my home. I feel that I owe my life to **Lydia E. Pinkham's Medicine,** and feel very proud to recommend it to others. I hope that many others will follow my example and that homes may be brightened as mine has."—MRS. LUCY DE BETT, 80½ S. Halstead St., Chicago, Ill. (March 1, 1901.)

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I must write and tell you what your Vegetable Compound has done for me. Before taking your medicine I was unable to carry a babe to maturity, having lost two—one at six months and one at seven. The doctor said next time I would die, but thanks to **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,** I did not die, but am the proud mother of a six months old girl baby. She weighs nineteen pounds and has never seen a sick day in her life. She is the delight of our home."—MRS. A. D. JARRET, Belmont, Ohio.

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E. Beyer resigns his commission. To be lieutenant, Second Lieut. O. J. Zryd, vice W. Brewster, promoted. To be second lieutenant, supernumerary, Henry Wright.

30th Regiment, Wellington Rifles—Supernumerary Second Lieut. D. McLeay retires to enlist in the Canadian Mounted Rifles for special service in South Africa.

31st Grey Regiment—Quartermaster and Honorary Captain J. F. McCallum resigns his commission. To be quartermaster, with honorary rank of captain, Provisional Second Lieut. J. McQuaker, vice J. F. McCallum, retired.

32nd Bruce Regiment—Captain J. K. McD. Gordon resigns his commission. To be captain, Lieut. J. C. Milne, vice W. J. Douglass, promoted. To be lieutenant, Second Lieut. G. W. Nelson, vice J. C. Milne, promoted.

6th London Field Battery—To be major and to accompany the battery, Capt. T. W. Van Tuyl, vice C. O. Fairbank, retired. To be second lieutenant, provisionally, C. R. Hunt, gentleman, vice T. W. Van Tuyl, promoted. To be medical officer, with the rank of surgeon-lieutenant, G. O. Wilson, M.D.

There Is Hope for Even Such As Have Glimpses of the Dark Valley.

PAINE'S CELERY COMPOUND

The Medicine That Saves Life and Restores Health.

A merciful Providence still keeps the spark of life in thousands of wasted and feeble bodies. The fitful, flickering spark will burn with decreased power as the hot days of summer approach. There is still hope for even those who are now catching glimpses of the dark valley. The use of Paine's Celery Compound during the month of June will at once arrest the progress of wasting disease. It will strengthen the weak and inflamed nerves, rid the body of morbid waste material, make the blood pure and give healthy action to the stomach, liver and kidneys. Nervousness, sleeplessness, rheumatism, neuralgia, liver and kidney troubles quickly vanish when Dr. Phelps' marvelous prescription is used. Mrs. A. Perry, Port Maitland, N. S., says:

"For two years my system was all run down, and I suffered more than I can describe from nervous prostration and insomnia; at times I almost lost my reason from severe pain at base of the brain. My husband advised me to try Paine's Celery Compound, which I did, and the effects were wonderful. I soon began to sleep well, the pain left my head, my whole system was strengthened, and I am now enjoying very good health."

COUNTY COUNCIL SESSION IS OVER

June Meeting Was Brought to a Close This Morning.

The county council adjourned this morning to meet on Monday, Dec. 1.

The bylaw fixing the minimum length of county bridges at 20 feet was rescinded.

The report of the road directors recommending that the county pay one-third of the cost of a bridge over the Au Sable at the junction of Middlesex, Lambton and Huron, was adopted.

It was decided that the county should take over the bridge opposite lot 1, con. 7, West Nissouri.

Nominating officers for the election of county councilors at the January election were appointed as follows:

Division No. 1—W. Ellwood, Lucan.

Division No. 2—Wm. McCallum, East Williams.

Division No. 3—T. A. Langford, London township.

Division No. 4—Wm. Lee, West Nissouri.

Division No. 5—W. C. Harris, Westminster.

Division No. 6—Dugald Campbell, Caradoc.

Division No. 7—Mark Walker, Mosa township.

Division No. 8—John H. McIntosh, Strathroy.

MILITIA APPOINTMENTS IN WESTERN ONTARIO

Changes in Corps Announced in General Orders.

The following appointments, retirements and promotions appear in the militia general orders:

25th Elgin Regiment—To be second lieutenant, provisionally, J. S. Atkinson, vice P. H. Stavey, retired.

27th Lambton Regiment—To be lieutenant-colonel and to command the regiment, Major F. J. Kenward, vice C. S. Ellis, transferred to reserve of officers.

28th Perth Regiment—To be lieutenant, Provisional Second Lieutenant S. W. N. Monteith, vice A. H. Monteith, promoted. To be quartermaster, with honorary rank of captain, Supernumerary Second Lieut. O. E. Stalker, vice J. Hamilton, transferred to 22nd Regiment.

29th Waterloo Regiment—Captain G.

HUNDREDS SURRENDERING

Large Numbers of Boers Laying Down Their Arms.

All Who Submitted in Cape Colony Rejoiced That Peace Had Come.

London, June 7.—Lord Kitchener, in a dispatch from Pretoria, dated today, announces that the progress in the surrender of Boers is entirely satisfactory. Four hundred and forty burghers have laid down their arms at Middelburg, Transvaal. They also brought in a pompom complete, with ammunition, and indicated the hiding places of a howitzer and a Maxim gun.

Two hundred and eighty-nine Boers have surrendered their arms at Standerton, Transvaal.

Lord Kitchener confirms the report that 255 Boers, of whom 219 were rebels, surrendered at Cradock, Cape Colony.

Many more surrenders are expected today. All the Boers who surrendered in Cape Colony expressed themselves as being rejoiced at the fact that peace had been arranged.

An Ottawa dispatch says: The South African memorial fund to erect distinctive memorials on the graves of Canadian soldiers now amounts to $2,964 90.

Mrs. Alice Hanger, wife of a farmer living about 30 miles west of New Albany, Ind., was taken from her home by a band of 20 white-cappers, tied to a tree in the yard and severely switched, because, it is claimed, she neglected her stepchildren.

Obstinate Case of Itching Eczema

Leg and Foot a Mass of Sores That Doctor Could Not Heal—A Thorough and Lasting Cure by

Dr. Chase's Ointment.

This letter from Tilsonburg, Ont., is an unsolicited testimonial to the extraordinary healing powers of Dr. Chase's Ointment. This is one more example of how this great ointment cures when all other means have failed. There is something almost magical about the way the preparation heals and cures. People who have not used it can scarcely understand how it can be so effective.

Mr. W. D. Johnson, Tilsonburg, Ont., writes: "My father has been entirely cured of a long-standing and obstinate case of eczema by the use of Dr. Chase's Ointment. His leg and foot were a mass of sores, and he suffered something terrible from stinging and itching. Though he used a great many remedies and was treated by one of the best doctors, he could get no permanent relief until he began the use of Dr. Chase's Ointment.

"This preparation was so cooling and soothing that the very first application brought relief, and it was not long until the leg and foot were perfectly healed and cured. It is a pleasure for him to recommend this ointment because of the great benefit he has derived from it, and he will gladly answer any questions from other sufferers."

Dr. Chase's Ointment is useful in a score of ways. For every irritation or eruption of the skin it affords prompt relief. It heals and soothes wounds, scalds and burns, and has never been equaled as a cure for eczema, salt rheum, tetter and scald head. Sixty cents a box at all dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

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Ladies' Skirts, extra good quality of cotton, flounce trimmed with row of lace insertion, only, each.....75c

Ladies' Skirts, fine cambric, cluster of six tucks and deep flounce of embroidery, only, each.....$1.00

Ladies' Skirts, fine cambric, flounce trimmed with two rows of lace insertion and deep frill of lace, special, each.....$1.39

Ladies' Drawers.

Ladies' Drawers, extra good quality of cotton, trimmed with lace or embroidery, only, per pair.....25c

Ladies' Drawers, extra good quality of cotton, cluster of six tucks, embroidery trimmed, at pair.....39c

Ladies' Drawers, very fine cambric and hemmed with deep frill of embroidery or torchon lace, at pair.....50c

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The clash between Scott & Tate and the city of Hull, over the ownership of Brewery Creek water power, reached a crisis on Friday, when the agent of the Scotts engaged a squad of twelve men to demolish the city works. The work proceeded for an hour, when the whole party was arrested.

New York wants to celebrate the tricentennial of the arrival of Hendrick Hudson, on Sept. 11, 1909, seven years hence, and has commenced talking up plans.

GRAVEL CURED.

Remarkable Case of a Quebec Gentleman—Passed Stones Four Years Ago—How He Was Cured.

Bristol, Quebec, June 2.—Reuben Draper thought he had the gravel, but was not sure, and sent for a doctor, with no good result.

A short time afterwards he had another bad attack and sent for another doctor, but all to no purpose, he was getting weaker all the time, and the pain he endured was something fearful.

He was advised to try Dodd's Kidney Pills by a man who had said they cured his mother. In a week after he had taken the first dose he passed a stone as large as a bean, and about four days later another about the size of a grain of barley.

This gave him great relief, and he continued to improve and gain strength until he was soon as well as ever.

This is four years ago, and he has not had the slightest pain since.

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For Infants and Children.

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Children Cry for CASTORIA.

PENITENTIARY SUPPLIES.

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED "Inspectors of Penitentiaries, Ottawa," and indorsed "Tender for Supplies," will be received until Monday, 16th June, inclusive, from parties desirous of contracting for supplies, for the fiscal year 1902-1903, for the following institutions, namely:

Kingston Penitentiary, St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, Dorchester Penitentiary, Manitoba Penitentiary, British Columbia Penitentiary, Regina Jail, Prince Albert Jail.

Separate tenders will be received for each of the following classes of supplies:

1. Flour (Canadian strong bakers).
2. Beef and Mutton (fresh).
3. Forage.
4. Coal (anthracite and bituminous).
5. Cordwood.
6. Groceries.
7. Coal Oil (in barrels).
8. Drygoods.
9. Drugs and Medicines.
10. Leather and Findings.
11. Hardware, Tinware, Paints, etc.
12. Lumber.

Details of information as to form of contract, together with forms of tender, will be furnished on applications to the Wardens of the various institutions.

All supplies are subject to the approval of the Warden or Jailer.

All tenders submitted must specify clearly the institution, or institutions, which it is proposed to supply, and must bear the indorsation of at least two responsible sureties.

Papers inserting this notice without authority from the King's Printer will not be paid therefor.

DOUGLAS STEWART,
GEO. W. DAWSON,
Inspectors of Penitentiaries.

Department of Justice,
Ottawa, May 12, 1902.
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AUCTION SALE OF CHOICE BUILDING LOTS.

THERE WILL BE SOLD BY AUCTION on the grounds, corner English street and Dufferin avenue, East London, on Saturday, June 14, at 4:30 p.m., 35 building lots, situated between Queen's avenue and Princess avenue, in the best residential part of East London, and must be sold to close the estate. For plans see posters. Terms: One-fourth cash, balance on easy terms. For full particulars apply to DR. W. M. ENGLISH or to J. W. JONES, auctioneer. 3c-wtx

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TODAY'S MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, June 7.

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

	Yesterday's Close.	Open.	High.	Low.	2 p.m.
Anaconda	113¼	113¾			
Amal. Copper	68	68¼	68¾	68¼	68¾
Atcheson	79½	79½	79¾	79½	79¾
Atcheson Pfd	98¾	98½	98½	98¼	98¼
B. & O	105½	105¾			
Brooklyn Tran	67	66¾	67	66¾	67
C. P. R	135½	135¾	136¾	135¾	136¾
C. C. C	105¾				
C. F. I	98¾	99¼	99¼	98¼	99
Erie	36½	36¾	36¾	36¾	36¾
K. & T. Pfd	56½	56¾	56¾	56¾	56½
L. & N	137½	137	137¾	137	137
Manhattan	130½	130¾			
Metropolitan St.	148¾	148½	148¾	148¼	148¾
Mo. P	99½	99¾	99¾	99¾	99¾
N. Y. Central	154¾	154½	154½	154	154
Norfolk and W	56	55½	55½	55¼	55¾
N. Pacific Pfd					
Ont. and West	32¾				
Pacific Mail					
Pennsylvania	149¼	149¾	149¾	149	149
People's Gas	100¾				
R. I.	171¼				
Reading	62¾	62¾	62¼	63¼	62¾
St. Paul	168¼	168	168½	168	168¾
Southern Ry	31¾	34½			
Southern Pacific	64	63¾	64⅝	63¾	64¼
Texas	40¾				
T. C. I	62¼	62¼	62½	62¾	62¼
U. Pacific	104¾	104½	104½	104¾	104½
W. Union	90¾				
TRUSTS—					
Leather	84¾	85			
Sugar	126¾	127			
U. S. Steel, com.	39¾	39¾	40	39¾	39
U. S. Steel, pref.	88¾	89	89¾	88¾	88¾
Rubber					

TORONTO STOCKS.

TORONTO, June 7.

SALES: Ontario, 10 at 130, 2 at 130¼, 10 at 131½; Toronto, 2 at 243, 15 at 241½; Commerce, 20 at 158¾, 5 at 157⅞, 20 at 157⅞; Dominion, 4 at 245, 40 at 244½; Imperial, 1 at 229; Traders', 4 at 147, 32 at 146½; R. and O., 50 at 112, 100 at 112¾, 12 at 113¾, 12 at 112; Northern Navigation, 15 and 10 at 160; Winnipeg Railway, 18 at 140; Dominion Steel, preferred, 50 at 95⅝, 20 at 95½; Dominion Steel, common, 25 at 54½; C. P. R., 150 at 135⅞, 425 at 135⅝, 200 at 135⅞, 50 at 135⅝, 50 at 135½, 125 at 136, 100 at 135¾, 50 at 135⅝, 175 at 135½, 10 at 135¾, 100 at 135⅝, 215 at 135½, 50 at 135⅞, 50 at 136, 35 at 135¾, 150 at 135⅞; Western Assurance, 25 at 101, 25 at 100½; Toronto Railway, 25 at 122⅝, 18 at 122¾, 50 at 122½; Twin City, 25 and 25 at 120, 275 and 125 at 119¾, 100 and 25 at 119¾, 200 at 119⅝; Coal, 50 at 129, 17 at 137½; Superior, 25 at 29¾; Canada Permanent, 430 at 122; Dominion Steel bonds, 1,000 at 92½.

MONTREAL STOCKS.

MONTREAL, June 7.

SALES: C. P. R., 500 at 136, 100 at 135¾, 125 at 136, 150 at 135½; C. P. R., new, 150 at 129; Steel, common, 50 at 53, 150 at 53¼, 25 at 53½; Steel, preferred, 10 at 96½, 5 at 96½; Steel bonds, 8,000 at 92¾, 1,000 at 92¾; Dominion Cotton, 50 at 91; Payne, 1,000 at 22½; Power, 245 at 104¾, 25 at 104¼, 100 at 104⅞, 175 at 105, 50 at 104⅞, 50 at 104¾, 150 at 104, 125 at 104, 225 at 104, 125 at 104; Montreal Street, 25 at 282½, 25 at 280, 50 at 280; Land bonds, 8,000 at 102½; Toronto Railway, 25 at 122½, 25 at 122¼; Twin City, 56 at 120¼, 75 at 119½, 25 at 118¾; Detroit Railway, 100 at 79½, 10 at 79½, 50 at 79, 10 at 79⅝; Montreal Telegraph, 7 at 169; Bell Telephone rights, 1 at 7½, 2 at 7¼, 7 at 7½, 25 at 7⅜, 21 at 7¼, 25 at 7⅜, 25 at 7¼.

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

Toronto, June 7.—Wheat—Steady, at 77c to 78c for red and white, middle freights; goose, 69c for No. 2 east; spring, 76c to 77c for No. 2 east; Manitoba steady, at 86c for No. 1 hard, 83c for No. 1 northern and 82c for No. 2 northern, grinding in transit. Flour—Unchanged, at $2 90 for 90 per cent patents in buyers' bags, middle freights; choice brands are 15c to 25c higher. Millfeed—Steady, at $20 at $20 50 for cars of shorts and $18 50 to $19 for bran in bulk, middle freights. Barley—Quiet; No. 3 at 52c east. Rye, 61c, middle freights. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 36c east. Peas—Quiet, at 75c to 76c bid, middle freights. Butter—Choice dairy pound rolls are offering in limited amount, and will continue so as long as the weather is cool; after that it will come in pails and tubs; that now coming is very choice, with a rich, grassy flavor; demand good for all choice stock, and the prices are steady; creamery prints, 19c to 20c; solids, 18½c to 19c; dairy tubs, 14c to 16c; pound rolls, choice, 15c to 16c; large rolls, choice, 14c to 15c; medium, 13c to 13½c. Eggs—Market is steady, at 14c; demand is strong and offerings are liberal.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

NEW YORK, June 7.—Flour—Receipts, 13,000 bbls; sales, 6,700 pkgs; market was steady but quiet; Minnesota patents, $3 90 to $4 10; winter straights, $3 75 to $3 85. Rye flour—Firm; fair to good, $3 20 to $3 45; choice to fancy, $3 55 to $3 70. Wheat—Receipts, 146,825 bu; sales, 1,315,000 bu; wheat was active and firm this morning on higher cable reports of a wet harvest and foreign buying; July, 78 9-16c to 78¾c; Sept., 76 12-16c to 77c; Dec., 78c to 78⅝c. Rye—Firm; state, 63c to 64c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 65¼c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 70,350 bu; sales, 120,000 bu; corn sold off sharply with light country offerings, further rains west and strong cables; Sept., 64¼c. Oats—Receipts, 34,500 bu; early strength in oats resulted from rain talk, covering and sympathy with corn. Sugar—Raw firm; centrifugal, 96 test, 3½c; molasses sugar, 2 11-32c; refined firm. Coffee—Quiet; No. 7 Rio, 5¼c. Lead—Quiet. Wool—Steady. Hops—Steady.

NEW YORK, June 7.—Butter—Ungettled; receipts, 8,520 pkgs; creamery extras, per lb, 22¼c; do, firsts, 21½c to 22c; do, seconds, 20c to 21c; do, lower grades, 19½c; state dairy tubs, fancy, 20¼c; do, firsts, 20¼c to 21c; do, seconds, 19½c to 20c; do, thirds, 18c to 19c; state dairy tins, etc., 18c to 21c; western imitation creamery, fancy, 20c to 20¼c; do, good to choice, 18c to 19½c; do, lower grades, 17½c to 18½c; renovated, fancy, 20c; do, common to prime, 17½c to 19½c; western factory, firsts, 18¾c to 19c; do, seconds, 18c to 18½c; do, thirds, 16c to 17c; packing stock, 17c to 18c. Cheese—Irregular; receipts, 4,743 boxes; state full cream, small colored, choice, 9¾c; do, fair to good, 9¼c to 9½c; do, white, choice, 9½c; do, fair to good, 9c to 9¼c; do, large colored, choice, 9¼c; do, white, choice, 10c; do, fair to good, 9c to 9¼c; light skims, small choice, 8c to 8¼c; do, large choice, 7¾c to 8c; part skims, prime, 7c to 7¼c; do, fair to good, 5½c to 6½c; do, common, 4c to 4½c; full skims, 2½c to 3c. Eggs—Dull; receipts, 13,485 cases; state and Pennsylvania, fancy selected white, 18½c to 19c; do, average best, 17½c to 18c; western, northerly sections, fancy candled, 17¼c to 17½c; do, graded, candled, 16½c to 17c; do, ungraded, 14½c to 16c; Kentucky, 14½c to 15½c; southern, 13½c to 14½c; dirties, 13c to 15c; chicks, 12c to 14c.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

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

CHICAGO, June 7.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—July	72¼	72½	71¾	72¼
Sept.	71¼	71¾	70¾	71¼
Corn—July	63	63¾	62⅝	63⅛
Sept.	59	59¾	58¾	58⅝
Oats—July	37	37¼	36⅞	36¾
Sept.	29¼	29¼	29	29
Pork—July	17 40	17 47	17 35	17 42
Sept	17 50	17 50	17 40	17 45
Lard—July	10 25	10 27	10 22	10 25
Sept.	10 27	10 30	10 25	10 30
Ribs—July	10 17	10 20	10 15	10 17
Sept.	10 10	10 10	10 02	10 07

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WEATHER BULLETIN

Sunday—Fair and Rather Cool.

Toronto, June 6—8 p.m.

Showers have occurred today in New Ontario and portions of the Northwest, while elsewhere in the Dominion the weather has been fair, with a general tendency to higher temperatures, except near the coast in the Maritime Provinces.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 42—66; Kamloops, 44—68; Calgary, 34—54; Prince Albert, 30—52; Qu'Appelle, 26—58; Winnipeg, 46—64; Port Arthur, 46—62; Parry Sound, 40—74; Toronto, 38—70; Ottawa, 46—70; Montreal, 46—70; Quebec, 38—72; Halifax, 40—58.

Saturday, June 7—8 p.m.

TEMPERATURE.

STATIONS—	Sa.m	Min.	WEATHER.
Calgary	38	32	Clear
Winnipeg	64	42	Fair
Parry Sound	56	56	Cloudy
Toronto	62	54	Cloudy
Ottawa	58	58	Rain
Montreal	60	58	Cloudy
Quebec	54	46	Cloudy
Father Point	44	38	Fair

FORECASTS.

Today—Fresh winds, shifting to northwest; partly fair and warm, with local thunderstorms.

Sunday—Fresh northwesterly winds; fair and rather cool.

WEATHER NOTES.

The weather has improved in the Northwest Territories and Manitoba, and the outlook is more favorable for warmer and fairer conditions. Rain has fallen throughout Ontario during the night, and is likely to extend into the Province of Quebec.

Local temperatures: Friday—Highest, 78°; lowest, 41.5°.

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

—The band of the 26th Regiment will play for the union picnic of the city schools to be held on June 13.

—Earl Mercer, son of Mr. John Mercer, is suffering from a broken leg, received by falling out of a tree.

—The grand lodge officers of the Canadian Order of Foresters will be entertained next week by the local lodge.

—Mrs. Alfred Cave, of Marley Place, South London, daughter-in-law of Mrs. C. Cave, left this morning with her child on a visit to Philadelphia.

COUNTY COUNCILORS PAID.

County Treasurer McEvoy today paid out to the members of the county council the sum of $296 50, their fees and mileage allowance.

DAY OF REJOICING.

The Canadian Gazette today contains an official proclamation calling on all subjects to observe June 26, Coronation Day, as a day of rejoicing. A royal salute will be fired from all saluting stations at 12 o'clock noon on that day.

TEAM RAN AWAY.

A team of horses belonging to W. A. Wilkins, fruiterer, and attached to a vehicle, ran away on Dundas street at noon today. They were caught at Talbot street, and while being driven back to Mr. Wilkins' store they again got away from their driver. They were recaptured after running three blocks east. No damage was done, but several people had narrow escapes.

EPWORTH LEAGUE CONCERT.

On Thursday evening last a very successful concert was given under the auspices of the Junior Epworth League of Colborne Street Methodist Church. This league is the largest in London district, and at the present time consists of 75 members. The league is under the charge of Mr. H. Pratt, and to his efforts belong the credit of its present high standing.

S. O. E. MEETING.

At the last regular meeting of Lodge Trafalgar, Sons of England, held on Thursday evening, Bro. Wm. Box, a past president, addressed the lodge, after a period of absence, and spoke very feelingly in reference to the death of his wife, who passed away on May 13. They had not been married quite two years. A vote of sympathy was unanimously tendered by the lodge to Bro. Box in his sad bereavement. Bro. Box replied, thanking the members for their kindness.

THE PAVILION FIRE.

Toronto, June 7.—The loss by the fire that destroyed the pavilion and city palm house in Allen Gardens Friday a.m. will be over $50,000, with insurance of $28,000. The city buildings were set down as worth $44,500 and were insured for $22,000. McConkey, who served the banquet to the trade conference, had about $8,000 worth of plate and linen in the building, which are insured for $5,000. The caretaker had a small insurance.

THE LATE SIR JOHN A. MACDONALD.

Kingston, Ont., June 7.—Eleven years ago—the 6th of June, 1891—the late Sir John A. Macdonald passed away. Yesterday afternoon Mayor Shaw, Dr. Ryan, president of the Liberal-Conservative Association; Ald. F. G. Dunlop, president of the Macdonald Club, and others, drove out to Cataraqui Cemetery on behalf of the members of the Kingston Macdonald Club. A large and magnificent wreath of white carnations, pink roses and white sweet peas, was placed on the grave. Prayer was offered by Rev. Eber Crummy, of the Brock Street Methodist Church, and addresses were made by Mayor Shaw, Ald. Dunlop and Dr. Ryan. The Conservative Association added a choice wreath to the floral tributes.

S. Beaudien, K.C., battonnier of the bar of Montreal, has been elected battonnier of the provincial body. Mr. Globensky was re-elected secretary.

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G. T. R. INCREASES WAGES

Conference Between Manager McGuigan and Trainmen.

Advance Amounts to 50 Per Cent in Some Instances.

The joint grievance committee of the conductors and trainmen on the G. T. R. system concluded their conference with Manager McGuigan, at Toronto, yesterday afternoon. Several meetings were held, and all matters under discussion were arranged in a very satisfactory manner.

The management has very considerably advanced the wages of the employes represented, in some exceptional cases as much as 40 or 50 per cent being added. This was done without any demands being made by the men of a formal nature. The new schedules will not be announced until the committee return and report to the conductors and trainmen.

SUCCESSFUL AT 'VARSITY

London Students Who Passed Examinations.

List Includes Twelve Who Made Creditable Standing.

The results of the recent examinations at the University of Toronto were given out last night.

The following students from London were successful:

Fourth year, arts—W. C. Bray, Miss Ada Campbell, Neil R. Gray, A. A. Magee, W. H. Little (supplemental in English).

Second year—Miss J. I. Anderson, G. R. Elliott.

First year—Miss Irene C. Love.

Third year, medicine—Mr. Ernest Cullen.

Second year—P. McGibbon.

First year—Duncan Graham.

Pharmacy—R. Etherington.

CLEARING HOUSE FIGURES SMALLER THAN EXPECTED

The First Week's Transactions Amounted to $872,790—Comparisons With Other Cities.

The first report of the London clearing house was issued today and covered the transaction of the past week.

Mr. O. H. Sharpe, accountant at the Bank of Toronto, was manager of the clearing house during its initial week of operation. The report shows clearings of $872,790, and balances amounting to $150,745. This is not the total amount of the financial business of the city, as it does not take into account the dealings with loan companies.

The total of the clearings was not as high as some of the local managers expected. The clearings for Winnipeg in the week ending June 5 amounted to $3,380,968; in Hamilton the total was $931,055, and in Halifax $1,806,820. The only city in Canada of the ten reported, whose clearings were less than London's was Victoria, with $495,208. Vancouver's was $1,207,756.

A PRETTY LAWN WEDDING

Nuptials of Miss M. E. Stinchcomb and Mr. T. A. Walden.

Interesting Event Solemnized in Presence of Many Friends.

A very pleasant event occurred at the residence of Mrs. A. E. Stinchcomb, 52 Irwin street, West London, when her grand-daughter, Miss Nellie E. Stinchcomb, became the bride of Mr. T. A. Walden, of this city. Miss Walden played the Wedding March, and Rev. T. E. Harrison performed the wedding ceremony, which took place on the lawn at Mrs. Stinchcomb's residence. The groom was supported by his brother, Mr. Guy Walden, and the bride, who was handsomely gowned in white organdy, and carried a bouquet of bridal roses, was assisted by her sister, Miss Maud Stinchcomb, who was dressed in blue organdy, and carried a bouquet of carnations. Only near relatives were present. After the ceremony on the lawn they withdrew to the dining-room, where a wedding luncheon awaited them, and a few social hours were spent. The many beautiful presents received showed the esteem in which the young couple were held. Mr. and Mrs. Walden left on a wedding tour to eastern cities, and Mrs. Walden will be at home to her friends after the 15th of June at 52 Irwin street, West London.

NEW MEXICAN CRATER EMITS ONLY HOT AIR

Prof. Herrick Doesn't Believe the Crack Is Dangerous.

Albuquerque, N. M., June 7.—Dr. C. L. Herrick, former president of the New Mexico University, and one of the most eminent geologists in the west, has carefully examined the supposed volcano crater, fifteen miles from Gallup. He gave a description of the locality and said:

"There is a fold and fault, which is interesting because of the metamorphosis that is going on. From cracks in the sandstone overlying the lignite, there is issuing a constant stream of heated air, carbon dioxide, sulphurous oxide and vapor. The solfataric action may be attributed to the slow oxidation of shales in the presence of water. From this point eastward is a series of cracks that have been filled with iron and lime, serving still further to show that, along this fold and break, water at one time ascended."

Dr. Herrick does not believe there is any passibility of dangerous eruption from this crevice.

DEATH OF MRS. WILKIE AT TORONTO TODAY

Had Passed Her Girlhood in London and Was Well-Known Here.

Mrs. Nellie Wilkie, widow of the late Mr. R. G. Wilkie, formerly of London, died at Toronto this morning.

The news of Mrs. Wilkie's death will be learned with profound regret by many friends in London, where her girlhood was spent. She was a daughter of the late Wm. Westlake, of this city, and was married here to Mr. Wilkie a number of years ago.

For cuts, wounds, rheumatism, stiff joints, burns, scalds, bites of insects, croup, coughs, colds, Hagyard's Yellow Oil will be found an excellent remedy. t

A boat containing eight Spanish artillery officers was run down by a steamer today at Gigon, Spain, and five of the officers were drowned.

Rev. Henry Latham, master of Trinity Hall, Cambridge, is dead. He was born in 1821.

Lord Braybook (Charles Cornwallis Neville), died suddenly today (Saturday) at Saffron Walden. He was born in 1823.

The loss by the fire that destroyed the pavilion and city palm house in Allan Gardens, Toronto, on Friday morning will be over $50,000, with insurance of $28,000.

RECOUNTS IN DEMAND

By Conservatives in Grey, North and Welland.

In Former Place McKay Has 9 Majority—Gross Has 121.

Owen Sound, June 6.—Mr. R. McKnight, returning officer for North Grey, today made his official announcement as to the result of the recent election, declaring Mr. A. G. McKay, the Liberal candidate, elected by a majority of 9. Application has been made for a recount, which takes place Tuesday next before Judge Morrison.

RECOUNT IN WELLAND.

Welland, June 6.—The Conservatives have demanded a recount in Welland county, which will take place on Saturday here. As Mr. Gross, the Reform candidate, had 121 majority it is not seen what benefit a recount will be, but it is claimed that it is done in order to get more time to consider the advisability of entering an election protest.

Stratford, Ont., June 7.—The recount of the votes in recent election in North Perth is taking place here before Judge Barron. Up to adjournment for lunch the Stratford vote had been gone over. The judge allowed four votes for Monteith that had been rejected by the deputy returning officer, and five for Brown, and threw out one vote that had been counted for Monteith. This leaves the count a tie, so far.

GOOD ARRANGEMENT FOR INTERCOLONIAL

Made With Canada Atlantic—Gains Entry to Wheat Belt.

Halifax, June 7.—The Chronicle announces that an arrangement is about to be entered into between the Dominion Government and the Canada Atlantic, which will result in giving to the Intercolonial entry into the wheat territory of the west. The scheme, in short, is that in return for permanent traffic arrangements on the C. A. R. the government will guarantee the interest on the bonds of the company, to enable them to double-track their line from Coteau to Depot Harbor. It is further stated that the Dominion will hardly be ever called upon to expend any money on interest account, and it will place the Intercolonial in a position to successfully compete for the export grain trade. If this arrangement is consummated, the I. C. R. will have practically a direct line from the great lakes to the Atlantic seaboard, and be in a position to supply export business at both of the ports of Halifax and St. John.

DEFENDED HIMSELF AGAINST ATTACK

Judge Holds Young Neely's Action Was Justifiable.

Judge Edward Elliott this morning acquitted Allan Neely, son of Robert Neely, of West Nissouri, after hearing the evidence against him on a charge of assaulting and wounding Thomas W. Johnston. The evidence showed that Johnston had been drinking and had picked a quarrel with the boy, who is not yet out of his teens. The boy picked up a stone and warned Johnston to keep off. Johnston, however, caught him by the throat, and choked him, and the boy then struck Johnston on the head with the stone, cutting him severely. Judge Elliott held that Johnston was the aggressor, and that Neely was justified in picking up the stone to defend himself.

Mr. McKillop appeared as prosecutor and Mr. Judd for the defense.

On June 6 (Friday) Mont Pelee was still in violent eruption.

Vessels lately leaving the Island of Martinique report experiencing violent upheavals of the sea.

Oxford University at the forthcoming encenia (an annual commemoration at Oxford, in honor of the founders) will confer the honorary degree of Doctor of Civil Law on Joseph H. Choate, the United States ambassador.

DR. ROUTLEDGE KEEPS HIS SEAT

Judge Edward Elliott Declares Him Elected.

MAJORITY OF TWENTY-ONE

Judge Counts in Ballots Numbered on Back by Two Westminster Deputies.

Judge Edward Elliott, after concluding the recount of ballots cast in last week's election in East Middlesex, this morning declared Dr. Routledge elected over Capt. Robson by a majority of 21 votes. The result was somewhat of a surprise, for it was feared that the action of the deputies in two polling subdivisions in Westminster township, who numbered each ballot on the back, would result in the invalidating of all the votes in the two subdivisions. This would have given Capt. Robson about 90 majority. Had this been done, an appeal would have been immediately made at Toronto. The result, however, is one that will prove satisfactory to those who so heartily supported Dr. Routledge through the campaign.

The result of the recount was that Dr. Routledge's majority was reduced from 34 to 21. The result was arrived at by the allowing of a number of ballots rejected by deputies on account of irregularities in marking. Two or three errors in counting were also discovered. In several subdivisions ballots were found wrongly counted, the error being in Capt. Robson's favor in some cases and in Dr. Routledge's in others.

Capt. Robson's net gain in London township was one. In subdivision 2, where the deputy returning officer had allowed Robson 68 ballots, only 67 were found. The judge allowed two rejected ballots, making a gain of one. One ballot had the cross to the left of the name, and the other had an almost erased cross for Routledge, with a good mark for Robson. In subdivision 4, the deputy rejected a ballot with three crosses opposite the name of Robson. The ballot was held by the judge to be good. In subdivision 5 a ballot marked for Robson had the name of "A. Hayball," written on the back. The deputy counted the ballot, but Judge Elliott rejected it.

In West Nissouri Capt. Robson gained five votes. In sub-division 1, one of Dr. Routledge's ballots had been counted for Capt. Robson. In Subdivision 2, one rejected for Robson was allowed, the cross being on the name. In sub-division 3, a ballot marked with three crosses for Robson was allowed. In sub-division 7, the actual count was: Robson, 41, Routledge, 53; instead of Robson, 38, Routledge, 55, as returned by the deputy. Two Robson ballots were found in the Routledge package. A third ballot with the cross on Robson's name was allowed.

Capt. Robson made his greatest gain in North Dorchester, where seven were added. In subdivision 1, a Routledge ballot with the figures 43 on the back was thrown out by the judge. In subdivision 2 three ballots with crosses on the left side of the name were allowed for Robson. In subdivision 3 one ballot paper with a single horizontal line opposite Dr. Routledge's name was disallowed. In subdivision 4 the actual count was: Robson, 76; Routledge, 50; instead of Robson, 75; Routledge, 51.

There was no change made in the figures in Westminster. The deputy returning officers in subdivisions 5 and 10 of Westminster, in addition to placing their initials on the back of the ballots had also written the number corresponding with the number of the voter on the pollbook. Counsel for Capt. Robson contended that this afforded a means of identification of the voter, and that they were therefore invalidated. Division No. 5 gave 9 votes for Robson and 66 for Routledge; No. 10, 52 for Robson and 97 for Routledge.

In No. 9 of Westminster, where the vote stood 82 for Routledge and 60 for Robson, the deputy had inadvertently inclosed his ballots in the envelopes indorsed "unused ballots." These Judge Elliott counted, subject to the objection of Capt. Robson's counsel. The objection was not made until after Judge Elliott had opened the envelope and taken the ballots therefrom.

Judgment was reserved on one Routledge ballot bearing a cross on the back, in West London, and one Robson ballot in subdivision 2, Westminster, which bore an equivocal cross. The ballots were both allowed this morning. The proceedings were adjourned till 10 a.m. today for consul to put in argument on the numbered ballots, and those on which judgment had been reserved.

At this morning's session after hearing argument from counsel, the judge decided that the disputed ballots should all be allowed, this decision taking in the Westminster numbered ballots, the Westminster ballots inclosed in the wrong envelope, and the 2 ballots in which judgment had been reserved. Judge Elliott then declared Dr. Routledge elected by 21 majority.

THE VACANT SENATORSHIP.

(Special to The Advertiser.)

Ottawa, Ont., June 7.—Frank Frost, ex-M.P. for Leeds and Grenville, whose name has been mentioned in connection with the vacant senatorship for this district is in the city today. It is in the xzfiiiffffi xzfiiiffffi zfiiiffffiiiffffi likely the matter will be decided today.

Wedding or Vacation Trips.

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A Plattsburg, N. Y., telegram says: The smuggling of Chinese across the Canadian border, which has been practically confined to the vicinity of Toronto and Niagara Falls, has commenced anew in this section.

A fortune of $142,000 in cash awaits the heirs of an old man who passed under the name of Charles Hill, and who died at the Good Samaritan Hospital, Los Angeles, Cal., two weeks ago.

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DID NOT HAVE THE TRUE RING

Rev. J. S. Cook Criticises the Christian Guardian.

ATTITUDE OF DR. COURTICE

On the Temperance Question Was Not Firm Enough, He Thinks—Pulpit Changes in July.

Sarnia, June 7.—At yesterday's session of the London Conference Rev. A. C. Courtice presented the report of the Methodist Book Room and Christian Guardian. The merchandise department showed an increase in sales of $2,138; the increase in the printing department was $707, and in the bindery there was a decrease of $1,591. There was a decrease of 272 in the circulation of The Guardian, which, however, reaches upwards of 20,000 families every week, and an increase of 122 and $34 in that of the Methodist Magazine and Epworth Era respectively. The Sunday school papers, under the charge of Dr. Withrow, showed an increased circulation of 9,043. The increase in the income from periodicals from subscriptions and advertisements was $,500 and with a total increased revenue from all sources of $5,332 there was only an increase of $240 in the net profits. The proportionate reduction in the net profits was due to the large increase in wages in every branch of the manufacturing department. The appropriation from profits of the Book Room to the superannuation fund last year was $12,000, and for the quadrennium $42,500, as against $31,000 for the

Rev. A. H. Going offered a resolution expressing appreciation of the report presented, and indorsing the action of Dr. Courtice and the policy he has pursued in the Guardian on religious and moral questions, especially in relation to the temperance question.

Rev. J. S. Cook criticised the manner in which the Guardian had been conducted. Too much attention had, he said, been given to certain questions relating to the Bible, which had a disturbing tendency upon the Methodist people. The Guardian had been too much of a preachers' paper and not enough of a people's paper, and had been altogether too one-sided in the discussion of some of these questions. Too much prominence had been given to the higher criticisms, and too little attention paid to the traditional and conservative side of the question. The paper had also failed to ring out as truly as it ought on

THE TEMPERANCE QUESTION,

and had, on the other hand, gone to the extreme on other questions that had not advanced the spiritual life of the people.

Rev. Dr. Young stoutly defended the Guardian. If it had been sound upon one question more than the other it was the temperance question. The fact that Dr. Courtice had been able to place the late Principal Grant on the defensive upon the prohibition question was a sufficient answer to criticisms regarding his position in reference to temperance. The trouble, he thought, was not so much the question of Dr. Courtice as editor, as it was his allowing so many long-winded letters to find their way into the paper.

Rev. Wm. McDonagh regarded the higher criticism as folly and nonsense, but in reference to the temperance questions he commended Dr. Courtice's answer to the people who passed "the abominable thing called the referendum." The resolution was adopted.

Rev. Dr. Courtice acknowledged in appreciative language the expression of sympathy and approval, and incidentally pointed out that the Guardian, as the official organ of the church, could not be anywhere else than behind the policy adopted by the general conference through its standing committee upon the temperance question.

THE BIBLE IN THE SCHOOLS.

The report of the memorial committee, presented by Rev. G. J. Kerr, was provocative of discussion. The first clause disapproved of the memorial from the London district in reference to the use of the Bible as a text book in the schools, while approving of the reading of the Bible in public and high schools. Rev. S. J. Allin pressed for the adoption of the memorial from the London district, calling upon the minister of education to require that the Bible be made a text book in the public, high and provincial normal schools. He insisted that the time has come for the Methodist Church to take action, such as the memorial indicated. The proposal of the Teachers' Association that the Bible be placed in the schools as a book of literary and poetic merit was not sufficient to meet the needs. The Bible should be taught in the schools for the moral and religious instruction. The action of the committee in setting aside the memorial was hardly worthy the importance of the subject. Rev. A. K. Birks strongly opposed the adoption of the memorial if the expression "text book" meant that the Bible was to be explained and expounded by the teacher as though it were an ordinary reader. But if it meant that the Bible was to be read so as to give the Scriptures a place in the religious exercises and recognition in the religious and moral life of the community, he was in hearty accord with the proposal. If the children are not now instructed upon the simple truths of the Bible it was the fault of the home, the Sunday school and the church in which they were reared. Rev. Joseph Gundy suggested that the memorial be changed to read "used systematically" instead of "as a text book," and, after further discussion, the whole question was recommended to the committee.

NEW MINISTERS TO TAKE CHARGE IN JULY.

It was directed that the ministers who are taking up new circuits be responsible for the work in their new field on and from the first Sunday in July.

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This beautiful and stately woman wore a dress of pale lavender moire, exquisitely trimmed with point lace, with a magnificent set of diamonds. She looked and moved like a gracious and lovely queen, and the face of many a friend lighted with pleasure as they beheld her, for this was her first appearance in fashionable life since the restoration of her fortune.

Behind her came Mr. Wellington, upon the arm of another usher, and many who, as yet, knew nothing of the recent revelations regarding Max's identity, wondered who this dignified gentleman could be. He was followed by Mr. Trowbridge, and then everybody began to watch for the appearance of the bride and her betrothed.

Presently the door in the rear of the chancel opened, and Max, attended by an usher and the silver-haired clergyman, slowly approached the altar.

At the same moment a lovely group came gliding down the main aisle of the auditorium.

First there were two maidens in cream-white India silks, and bearing baskets of tea-roses in their daintily gloved hands. Just behind them there came a tall, slender, vailed figure in dead white—Agnes, looking the embodiment of purity and loveliness, in her trailing Lyons satin and exquisite Brussels-net veil, which had been fastened to her golden-crowned head with the lilies of pearl presented by Mr. Wellington, while about her fair neck and arms, at her throat, and in her ears, gleamed the remainder of her gift. In her hands she carried an exquisite bunch of long-stemmed white roses, tied with a heavy satin ribbon.

"Perfect!" "Exquisite!" "Beautiful!" were the low-breathed tributes paid the lovely girl, as she slowly moved down the aisle to meet her waiting bridegroom, while just behind her there followed two more nymphs, in palest of pale-blue, bearing baskets of forget-me-nots.

"How unique! What a lovely idea to send this pure maiden to the altar attended only by maidens as pure as herself, and surrounded on every hand by flowers and perfume! It is an ideal wedding!" murmured many of the observing friends.

Arriving at the chancel, the two bridesmaids in advance and those in the rear separated, those in front stepping back into line with the others, thus bringing one maiden in cream white and one in blue on each side, but a little back of the bride.

Max now came forward, took the hand of Agnes, while the fair attendants formed a half-circle behind them, and waited thus while the ceremony was performed.

The rector made the service very impressive. It seemed as if he was more than ordinarily imbued with the spirit of the occasion, for his voice was low, earnest, even thrilling, and a peculiar sacredness pervaded the whole audience.

When the words were pronounced which made Max and Agnes husband and wife, and the benediction had been uttered, with the hand of the aged rector resting upon the head of each, the bridesmaids parted as before, allowing the newly wedded couple to pass out before them; then closing ranks again, they followed as they had entered, while the triumphant chords of the "Wedding March" echoed through the lofty building.

A reception, to which this impressive ceremony was but a fitting prelude, awaited the guests in the future home of the happy couple, during which not the slightest accident or mischance occurred to mar the occasion, and at two o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell D. Remington started upon their wedding journey, followed by the blessings and good wishes of a multitude of friends.

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In a small room of a second-rate lodging-house—while this sacred rite was being performed in Grace Church—a girl lay sobbing and moaning upon her bed, and feeling that life, thus far, had been a wretched failure with her.

It was Laura Remington, who—alone, friendless, poor, her heart aching with a sense of unrequited love—believed herself to be the most miserable girl in all the world.

And yet, even in the midst of this dark hour, there was a gleam of comfort, though just then she could not pay much heed to it.

In her hands she held a crumpled note, which Agnes had sent her only a few days previous, together with cards for her wedding.

"Dear Laura," it ran, "believe me, nothing but a real desire to prove to you that my friendship for you remains unchanged, prompts me to send you the inclosed cards. If it will give you pleasure to attend my wedding, it will gratify me to have you do so; if it will cause you pain, do not come, and I shall not take your absence amiss. Again I ask you to let me be your friend. You are comparatively a stranger, and alone in this country; your life, as well as my own, has been a peculiar and also a trying one; but let us make the future as bright as possible—let us try to cultivate flowers instead of thorns along our pathway, and what is more beautiful than a true, sincere friendship? I know that you are very proud and impulsive, Laura—pardon me for writing thus plainly; I am only proving my loyalty by so doing. Pride and impulse are the greatest defects in your nature, and I know that you can overcome them if you will. Do not turn coldly from me, because I have been the innocent cause of pain to you, for you can help me in many ways by your decision and strong self-reliance—if they are rightly directed—in matters regarding which I sometimes lack those attributes; while I hope I am not egotistical in thinking that I can help you by my more equable temperament. Inclosed you will find a check for an amount which you will receive every quarter until you tell me that you do not want it any longer; accept it for friendship's sake from one who only wishes you all that is good and pleasant in life. Agnes."

When Laura first received this note she crushed it angrily in her hands and cast the check and cards upon the floor, crying out in a tempest of passion:

"Does she think to mock me with her happiness?"

Then, with a sob of misery, she threw herself prone upon the floor and wept until she was exhausted.

A second reading of the kind epistle, however, served to calm her somewhat, and, as days passed, she gradually realized that Agnes was true and sincere; that she had written to her with only the purest motives and with an earnest desire to make life more hopeful and pleasant to her.

She was almost ill upon the day appointed for the wedding, for she had loved Max with all that was best and strongest in her nature, and it was not easy to uproot a passion that had taken such firm hold upon her heart.

During the hour set for the ceremony she had shed the saddest tears of her life. They were the purest, too, for they were tears of renunciation, as well as of anguish, and, with Agnes' note clasped in her hand, she gradually grew to feel that she would make the truer and better wife for Max.

With this more reasonable view of their union came the resolve that she would accept the kindly-proffered friendship of the lovely girl, and that she would try henceforth to emulate those virtues in her character which made everyone admire and love her.

So, out of the greatest sorrow of her life, the rootlets of a better nature began to grow, until in time she realized that to be chastened is to be purified.

It may as well be said here that Agnes did not forget her on her return, and amid the cares and pleasures of her new life. She went to see her once every week, until by the charm of her goodness and sweetness, she wholly won her heart, and ere six months had passed the purest love that that proud and ungoverned girl had ever known fastened itself upon this gentle, insistent friend.

It was a long time, however, before she could persuade her to visit her in her beautiful home. Laura's proud heart shrank from meeting the man to gain whose love she had forfeited honor and truth; but one day, at Agnes' earnest request, Max took the initiative and called upon Laura with his wife. After that they met frequently, and once, when Max was obliged to leave home for a few days, Mrs. Remington insisted upon her coming to make them a little visit. Max, however, returned unexpectedly and found her there, but made everything so easy and pleasant for her that she never afterward felt sensitive about visiting Agnes, and gradually Mr. Trowbridge's manner softened to her.

Thus a really strong character was redeemed by the persistent efforts of the pure and gentle woman whose whole life was filled with just such acts of winning kindness and love; and, three years later, Laura married a good man, to whom she was first introduced in Agnes' home, and who offered her a competence with his heart and hand.

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Max and Agnes' wedding journey was very delightful in every way. They were absent a couple of months, and then returned to their beautiful home to find a warm welcome awaiting them.

For a year their life was like a poem, then a sad event occurred, which for a time cast a shadow over their lives. Mr. Trowbridge was one day brought home in an insensible state, having been stricken with apoplexy while upon the street. He rallied after a few days, but told them all that he knew he had not long to live.

Agnes did not attempt to deceive him with false hopes, for it was evident to everyone that he had not long to stay with them. Instead she talked with him calmly and hopefully of the great change awaiting him, and with much tact and gentleness persuaded him to change his will; or, rather, to add a codicil in Laura's favor.

After his death it was found that he had bequeathed to her the snug sum of twenty thousand dollars, a gift for which Laura told Agnes she knew she was indebted to her.

Mr. Wellington's health gradually improved after taking up his residence with his son, and, although he had previously believed that his days were numbered, he lived several years, long enough, indeed, to see three of Max's babies rocked in the ancestral cradle, and to relate to their wondering ears the romantic incidents connected with it, while the homely, clumsy thing was always regarded as one of the most sacred treasures in their beautiful home.

It was not until the eighth year after their marriage that Max and Agnes were called to part with the father whom they had both learned to love with a deep and abiding affection.

Mrs. Remington was one of the peculiar charms in this delightful household for many years. She grew lovelier as she grew older, Father Time gently dropping the snows of revolving years upon her head until he had wrought a snowy crown of glory for her.

Her dear children guarded her with the most devoted care, while their noble sons and fair daughters worshiped the lovely grandmamma, whose gentle counsels and charming stories—especially the tale of their own mamma's mysterious disappearance and wonderful restoration—were a source of never-failing delight to them.

[The End.]

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TORONTO BASEBALL CROWD ANGRILY MOBBED A PLAYER

He Had Assaulted Their Captain and Riot Almost Ensued.

Fourth Day of the Hamilton Races—Today's Games at Springbank and Tecumseh Park.

A new star has risen in the turf firmament. "Skeets" Martin, the plucky little Yankee jockey—who, by the way, is a cousin of Mrs. J. J. Cox, wife of the proprietor of the Dominion House in this city—when he won the Derby, the premier horse race of the world, the other day, at once became the most-talked-of boy in all horsedom. Even King Edward, who sat in his royal box at Epsom Downs, was forgotten in the general applause which greeted the winner of the great classic, the blue ribbon of the turf. Sceptre, the favorite, the fleet filly sired by the King's great racehorse Persimmon, ran unplaced. Royal money was wagered that she would win. But the skill of the American lad who crouched low on his splendid mount and rode with flawless judgment of pace and with hands as soft as thistledown on the willing, eager but tender mouthed Ard Patrick, proved greater than royal favor or royal breeding.

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The career of J. H. ("Skeets") Martin is an eloquent object lesson on the value of perseverance. Going abroad in the early summer of 1898, "Skeets" was for many moons unable to keep his English mounts from swerving, and his erratic course during a race frequently brought upon him the adverse decisions and criticisms of the English authorities. Eventually, however, Martin conquered the difficulties arising from the change in the style of racecourses, and no jockey has of late displayed a more perfect and complete control of his mounts.

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Up from Memphis, Tenn., there comes a pretty story which indicates that "Skeets" Martin, in the hour of his triumph, hasn't forgotten the fond old father who first taught him to love horses. The elder Martin, who is over 70 years of age, was the happiest man in all Tennessee when the news of his son's victory flashed over the cable.

"I knew he would do it, for both he and his wife wrote me 'Skeets' would win," exclaimed the old man, joy fairly radiating from his features. "'Skeets' is the greatest jockey in the world and he will show those English jockeys how to ride if they give him a fair showing."

When "Skeets" was a little chap of 10 summers, his father placed him on his first mount. That happened at a country fair near Los Angeles, and not so long ago when you stop to think. Since "Skeets" went to England he has sent his father many pressing invitations to join him there; but the old gentleman is content to bask in the glory of his son's achievements as reflected on this side of the water.

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In spite of the fact that there is to be no race meeting here this year, many of the old guard of race-track swipes have again found their way to the city. Oddly enough this is almost an annual event in London. Queen's Park, with its home-like old barns, seems to have an abundance of attraction for them, and it is a dull day when two or three of them cannot be found moping around. Let one of them but mention the Abbott or Cresceus, or some other of "the great ones," and at once his tone becomes so confidential and knowing that a bystander, uninitiated in their ways, would be led to believe he was listening to either owner or trainer. Yet it is seldom, indeed, that you find a bad heart among the swipes. They are loyal to one another, and, above all, to their horses. They would starve to a man, rather than disgrace themselves by ordinary work; but put one in charge of a good horse and note the change. He becomes at once all interest and energy. He loves his horse and considers himself an essential to the "bahns'" out-riggings. And so he is.

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Lovers of manly sports will be kept busy following events in the local field today. The first C. L. A. championship game at Tecumseh Park this afternoon will no doubt attract an immense crowd. The fans who are following the interesting race in the Wholesale League will flock to Springbank Park, where two games are scheduled; and lovers of the pigskin game will have an opportunity of seeing the newly-organized Association team battle with the Woodstock seniors.

BASEBALL.

A RIOT AT TORONTO.

Toronto, June 7.—A row that developed during the ball game between Montreal and Toronto yesterday assumed the proportions almost of a riot. Kelly, Montreal's left fielder, had been having trouble with Capt. Bannon, of the Torontos, and the wrangle became so heated that in the ninth Kelly stepped over to Bannon and dealt him a fearful blow on the jaw, felling him. Bannon lay where he dropped for a moment, in a half-dazed condition, and in that moment pandemonium broke loose. The crowd swarmed out on the field and began to mob Kelly, who was placed under arrest. The mob struck at the prisoner, and it was only by lining up in a row, batons in hand and forcing a way through, that the prisoner was safely got away. Several persons were struck by the police, but no one was seriously hurt. Montreal put another man in Kelly's place and won the game 7 to 4.

PITTSBURG WILL PLAY AMERICAN CHAMPIONS.

Philadelphia, June 7.—Barney Dreyfuss, president of the Pittsburg club, made an offer which is very likely to be accepted by the team which wins the American League pennant.

"I am willing to back my team to the extent of $5,000 for a series of five games with the team which wins the American League pennant," said Barney. "I am willing that the opposing team may take on any player in the American League to strengthen up with. I think the Pittsburg team is the best ball team in the country, and, though I do not care to be personally interested in a post-season series, I am willing to put up the money for my men and let the winners of the series take the entire gate receipts. I think this is a fair proposition, and it should bring about a series of games after Oct. 15."

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Boston—		R.	H.	E.
Boston	0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 1	3	7	3
Cincinnati	0 1 1 1 0 0 1 0 0	4	10	4

Batteries—Malarkey and Kittredge; Thielman and Peitz.

At Philadelphia—				
Philadelphia	2 4 0 0 0 0 2 0 *	8	16	2
St. Louis	0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 2	5	13	3

Batteries—Vorhees and Jacklitz; Yerkes and J. O'Neil.

At Brooklyn—				
Chicago	1 0 0 4 0 0 0 1 0	6	7	2
Brooklyn	0 0 2 0 0 0 0 1 0	3	11	1

Batteries—St. Vrain and Kling; Hughes and Ahearn.

At New York—				
Pittsburg	0 0 0 1 0 3 0 0 0 0 0	4	8	4
New York	0 0 0 0 2 0 0 2 0 0 0	4	10	1

Called in the 11th. Batteries—Doheny and H. Smith; Matthewson, Evans and Yeager.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Cleveland—		R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	0 0 0 3 6 1 4 0 *	14	21	2
Boston	1 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	3	10	4

Batteries—Wright and Wood; Winters, Prentiss and Warner.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

At Toronto—		R.	H.	E.
Toronto	0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 2	4	7	3
Montreal	0 0 1 2 2 0 2 0 0	7	8	2

Batteries—Yeager and Toft; Souders and Tracey. Umpire, Snyder.

At Buffalo—				
Buffalo	0 0 0 0 2 1 2 4 *	9	12	1
Rochester	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	1	5	3

Batteries—Gray and Shaw; Horton and Phelps. Umpires, Murphy, Hawley and Dillon.

At Worcester—				
Worcester	0 0 0 1 1 0 1 3 *	5	12	3
Jersey City	0 0 2 0 0 1 0 0 0	3	7	0

Batteries — Hastings and Steelman; Woods and Butler. Umpires, Kelly and Daly.

At Providence—				
Providence	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0	2	8	3
Newark	0 0 1 0 1 0 0 3 2	7	10	3

Batteries—Conn and Brown; Hemming and Jope. Umpire, Egan.

With the Amateurs.

POPLAR HILL CHAMPIONS.

In the inter-school baseball games at the Lobo picnic yesterday, the Poplar Hill school defeated all comers. In the first game they defeated the aggregation from the Melrose station school by 10 runs to 8. The score by innings was as follows:

Poplar Hill	2 3 3 1 0 1	10
Melrose	2 0 0 0 2 4	8

In the second game the team from Ivan, S. S. No. 5, fell victims to the Poplar Hill nine by 6 runs to 1. The score:

Poplar Hill	3 1 2 *	6
Ivan	0 0 0 1	1

The Ivan team defaulted to the Melrose nine for the second prize.

The teams were as follows:

Poplar Hill—Lyman Zavitz, M. Macarthur, A. Fletcher, P. Zavitz, A. Blair, A. Cutler, L. Cutler, J. Zavitz, Gordon Zavitz.

Melrose—Bert Shaw, G. Shaw, G. Fonger, Harry Alway, Ernest Pucham, Frank George, Elmer George, E. Morris, B. Holland.

Ivan—Warren Daniel, Gordon Hicks, George Williams, Stanley Sinker, Herman Sinker, George Cameron, George Forbes, Harvey Walters, Stanley Forbes.

CRAIG CHAMPIONS DEFEATED.

At the Lobo schools picnic yesterday, Strathroy ball team defeated the Ailsa Craig Stars in a hard-fought battle. The score:

Strathroy.	R.	H.	E.
Kellestine, s. s., p.	1	1	0
Frank, l. f.	2	2	0
D. Butler, c.	2	2	0
Russell, 3 b.	2	1	0
Bishop, 1 b.	0	2	0
McIntosh, c. f., s. s.	0	1	1
F. Butler, 2 b.	0	1	2
Howson, r. f.	0	1	0
Harrison, p., c. f.	0	1	1
Totals	7	12	4
Ailsa Craig.	**R.**	**H.**	**E.**
Edwards, c. f.	1	1	1
McCall, 1 b.	0	2	0
Barnes, c.	1	0	0
Kennedy, l. f.	1	1	1
Campbell, r. f.	1	1	0
Finan, p.	0	0	0
Gunn, 3 b.	0	0	0
McKay, 2 b.	0	1	0
Mahler, s. s.	1	1	0
Totals	5	7	2

Strathroy	0 1 2 0 1 0 2 0 1	7
Ailsa Craig	2 0 0 2 0 0 1 0 0	5

IVYS WON.

The Ivys defeated the Princess Avenues yesterday afternoon on the C. P. R. diamond by 11 to 10 runs. Batteries—Collins, Dwyer and Brennan; Wood, McKay and Stoneman.

ILDERTON VS. HYDE PARK.

Hyde Park, June 6.—A return match between the Ilderton and Hyde Park baseball clubs was played Saturday at Hyde Park. Score 11 to 7 in favor of Ilderton. Batteries—McFalls and Atkinson; Mason and Shortt. Mason did excellent work for the home team, striking out fourteen men. It was his first appearance in the box. Three costly errors by the home team lost the game in the last part of the sixth inning.

Facts to Tickle the Fans' Fancy

It is not generally known that Geo. Stallings made an offer to Lajoie to join the Bisons, but the offer did not prove alluring enough for the big Frenchman.

The ax is being wielded by Manager Armour in an attempt to cut down the salary list, and Charley Hemphill has been handed his ten days' notice of release.

"It takes a long time to play an outfield position properly," says Willie Keeler. "The greatest difficulty that a new man has in playing line hits is a disposition to slow up on running in and take them on the bound."

THE TURF.

AT HAMILTON.

Hamilton, June 7.—The biggest crowd of the meeting thus far turned out at the Hamilton Jockey Club's track yesterday. The weather was fine and the track fast. The books again came out ahead, all of the favorites in the five events being bowled out, first money going to outsiders. Flaneur, at 30 to 1, got away well in the first and won by a couple of lengths. In the second Enue got his nose in front of Cockade at the wire after the latter had led the bunch for 5 furlongs. Wainwright gave Dubious a good hard ride in the third, and beat Vere de Vere in the last twenty jumps by half a length. The steeplechase was a beautiful sight. Bromo fell at the seventh jump, when leading by 20 lengths. Dixon, Rising Sun and Tate's Creek were bunched, coming into the stretch, but Dixon had the best of the sprint home. Annie Lauretta was heavily backed to win the fifth, but Honeywood beat her out in the last 50 yards. Summary:

First race, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs—J. Clay's Flaneur, 100 (Murphy), 30 to 1, 1; W. Pember's Medford, 108 (Blake), 10 to 1, 2; Mrs. F. Mossom's Messina, 95 (Lorenz), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:16½. Taxman, Sheppard, Crestfallen, Caller Herrin, Fernie Tickle, Tom Cosgrove, Charley Thompson, Colchester and Supa also ran.

Second race, 5 furlongs for 3-year-olds—John Walters' Enue, 105 (Blake), 6 to 1, 1; J. E. Seagram's Gold Cockade, 106 (Dangman), 7 to 1, 2; Wm. Hendrie's Cantilever, 109 (Walker), 11 to 5, 3. Time, 1:03. Kite, Lee Ridley, Boittie and Expo also ran.

Third race, 3-year-olds, 7 furlongs—S. T. Parmer's Dubious, 106 (Wainwright, 15 to 1, 1; J. E. Seagram's Sir Vere de Vere, 117 (Dangman), 9 to 2, 2; Geo. Hendrie's Khaki, 117 (Blake), 3 to 5, 3. Time, 1:30. Fluke, Opuntia, J. Patrick, Maple Sugar and New Amsterdam also ran.

Fourth race, Walker cup, steeplechase, about 2 miles—C. Kean's W. H. Dixon, 157 (Gallagher), 11 to 5, 1; R. J. Laughlin's Rising Sun, 157 (C. Brown), 7 to 5, 2; Lieut.-Col. Sewell's Tate's Creek, 149 (Moxley), 11 to 5, 3. Time, 4:29½. St. Sulpice, Bromo also started. Bromo fell.

Fifth race, 3-year-olds and up, 1 1-16 miles—M. Stowe's Honeywood, 98 (Murphy), 13 to 5, 1; R. P. Dodson & Co.'s Annie Lauretta, 98 (M. Johnson), 20 to 1, 2; G. W. Graydon's Jack McGinn, 104 (L. Thompson), 30 to 1, 3. Time, 1:52½. Kettle Court also ran.

A DAY AT WINGHAM.

The correspondent of an American turf journal who recently made a tour of Ontario, writes entertainly of his visit to Wingham, where he met Al Proctor, the pilot of Harold H., 2:04, the great Canadian pacer which many horsemen consider is likely to prove one of the sensations of the present year. He says: From Listowel I went up to that good little city of Wingham, made famous as a horse town by Mr. Swarts and his horses, Harold H., 2.04; Walter K., 2:14¼, and their talented pilot and prince of good fellows, Al Proctor, the latter being almost the first man I met. Although it was quite late in the evening a couple of hours were spent very pleasantly at horsemen's headquarters, the Queen's Hotel, the party being composed of Landlord Geo. B. Roe and Chief of Police V. Van Norman. The latter is a genial gentleman, likes a good horse and has one in the brown 15.3 hand mare, Minnie Blackthorne, 2:29¼, by Bonair, dam by Bob Hunter, so Al says, and he knows what he is talking about, though the year book does make lots of mistakes. For instance, Mr. Roe has the pacer named Little John that he tells me has a mark of 2:24¼, and sired by Postmaster. He is a 15.3-hand bay gelding, and as Postmaster seldom got anything but grays of a dirty color, as I know, I referred to the year book once more and found Postmaster credited with a gray horse named Little John, with a trotting record of 2:29¼. According to Al this is the same, but should be given as a bay gelding. I found two other Little Johns, one a bay pacing gelding with a mark of 2:21¼, and the other a bay pacing gelding, pedigree untraced, that got a mark of 2:22 last September at Marquette, Mich. However, this Little John up at Wingham, Roe says, has a pacing record of 2:24½, and a trotting record of 2:29¼. Certain it is that this Little John don't know hardly which to do, pace or trot, and it seems very reasonable that he is both the Postmaster gray horse and the Marquette, Mich., untraced bay gelding, and that the year book is mixed. He is better than his mark and has trotted miles close around 2:22, and drew a wagon in 2:31¼, at a recent whip race. And by the way the chief's good mare won that race and the whip. Some of the boys are mean enough to insinuate that others did not dare to beat the chief of police. One thing is sure she is a fine and speedy roadster.

Al was feeling quite happy over the receipt that morning of the splendid watch presented by his Toronto friends and mentioned by me last week. Besides Harold H., 2:04, he has in his stable at present the bay gelding Looking Glass, the famous ice horse, dubbed the "cold storage horse," by one writer, but if he keeps coming along it looks as though he might yet make some of the boys think they are around close to 100 in the shade before the season is over. He and Al seem to get along well together. Another well-known horse in this stable is Black Joe, 2:14¼, by Wildbrino, dam by Helmsford, owned by Ed. Jackson, of Newmarket, and Joe is acting pretty well, too. But just keep an eye on the little chestnut pacer Edelman, a fellow without mark owned by Mr. J. E. Swarts. He is one of the busiest, most energetic chaps I ever saw in harness, a dainty, 15-hand gelding, sired by Simmocolon, out of a mare, by Grand Sentinel, goes without straps, and I am told was timed a mile last year in 2:12¼. Dr. Forest, of Uxbridge, who owns Looking Glass, also owns two others in this stable, Clearwater, a fine big bay mare got by Captain Walter, dam by Clear Grit, a green pacer that can show close to 2:20, and goes clean and nice, and Alvolio, a 5-year-old green pacing stallion just being educated, sired by Malvolio, 2:17¼, dam Nellie Bly. He is stepping quarters around 35 seconds. Mr. Proctor himself owns a sweet little bay mare sired by Bourbonnais, dam by Royal George, she is a clean pacer and can go right out any time and beat 2:30. Harold H. is fine as silk, and Al believes that he is good for 2:02 this season if he keeps right. Last year he paced more heats below 2:10 than any of them, and in his racing career out of 27 starts got 23 firsts, two seconds, a third and once behind the money. I am told that Mr. Swarts refused $8,000 for him recently. The old money maker, Walter K., 2:14¼, is down Quebec way now.

By the way, Mr. Van Norman also has a colt sired by King Eagle, son of Eagle Bird, dam Timline, by Onward King, second dam by Grit Planet, son of Clear Grit, that he thinks lots of. He recently sold the stallion King Eagle, 2:30, to Thos. Elton, of Bolton, Ont.

Dr. J. R. McDonald is driving Baby Brino, a grand little 15.1-hand bay mare that can trot fast, sired by Wildbrino, dam by Red Feather, being a full sister to Captain Brino, 2:07¼. He also owns a nice little 6-year-old bay mare, sired by Alien Wilkes, 2:21¼, dam Letter B., by Thompson's Golddust.

The Beattie Brothers have a number of good ones, a green trotting mare by Pilotoga, dam by Ridgewood, that Proctor says he drove a mile last fall in 2:15½, and that it going well this spring.

Another good prospect is a 4-year-old gray gelding, Wana, by Bryson, out of dam of Wanda, 2:17¾, by Ridgewood, a mare formerly owned by them, and that was sold for $2,700. They own the dam yet and she has foaled in all nine foals and is again in foal to Captain, a son of Kremlin. She is a daughter of Wideawake Golddust.

Yesterday at the Big Race Tracks.

AT GRAVESEND.

First race, the Kensington hurdle handicap, 1¾ miles, over hurdles—Biggun, 137 (Fry), 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, 1; Jim Megibben, 164 (G. Wilson), 4 to 1 and 6 to 5, 2; Draughtsman, 143 (Carson), 5 to 1 and 3 to 1, 3. Time, 3:12⅗.

Second race, handicap, all ages, about 6 furlongs—Northern Star, 104 (H. Cochran), 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, 1; The Musketeer, 121 (O'Connor), 2 to 1 and 7 to 10, 2; Dublin, 125 (Landry), 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, 3. Time, 1:09⅗.

Third race, 1 1-16 miles—Swiftmas, 108 (Shea), 13 to 5 and even, 1; Flying Buttress, 96 (Shea), 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, 2; Royal Bellario, 106 (Wonderly), 5 to 1 and 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:47.

Fourth race, 2-year-olds, 5½ furlongs, selling—Daisy Green, 107 (Shea), 4 to 5 and out, 1; Bernard, 105 (Brennan), 5 to 2 and 3 to 5, 2; First Chord, 115 (Landry), 30 to 1 and 8 to 1, 3. Time, 1:07⅘.

Fifth race, 1 mile and 70 yards—Caller, 111 (H. Cochran), 40 to 1 and 15 to 1, 1; Emshee, 114 (O'Connor), 5 to 1 and 2 to 1, 2; Daffadowndilly, 111 (J. Woods), 8 to 1 and 23 to 1, 3. Time, 1:46⅘.

Sixth race, 1 mile and 70 yards, selling—Agnes D, 101 (Shea), 16 to 5 and 6 to 5, 1; Ascension, 94 (Boiesen), 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, 2; Bessie McCarthy, 99 (Wonderly), 40 to 1 and 8 to 5, 3. Time, 1:45.

AT LATONIA.

First race, 6 furlongs—Lord Frazer, 111 (Aker), 10 to 1, 1; King Tatius, 108 (Irvin), 6 to 1, 2; Judge Hargis, 101 (J. Hicks), 4 to 1, 3. Time, 1:15¾.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Flora Willoughby, 107 (Aker), 7 to 2, 1; Our Sallie, 112 (R. Williams), 5 to 1, 2; Grace Honta, 102 (Castro), 5 to 1, 3. Time, 1:02.

Third race, mile—Ed Adack, 99 (J. Hicks), 7 to 10, 1; Ethel Davis, 92 (Gilmore), 12 to 1, 2; Chorus Boy, 111 (Robertson), 9 to 2, 3. Time, 1:42¼.

Fourth race, hurdle, handicap, 1⅛ miles—Sophie S., 126 (Mophen), 3 to 2, 1; The Esmond, 127 (Jackson), 3 to 1, 2; Ceneroz, 125 (Scott), 10 to 1, 3. Time, 2:07¼.

Fifth race, 5 furlongs—Rosanco, 113 (Robertson), 9 to 2, 1; Joe Buckley, 105 (Castro), 2 to 1, 2; Model Monarch, 107 (Aker), 3 to 1, 3. Time, 1:01¾.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs—Similar, 108 (J. Hicks), 8 to 1, 1; Pompino, 111 (Troxler), even, 2; Weird, 111 (J. Martin), 15 to 1, 3. Time, 1:15.

AT HARLEM.

First race, 6 furlongs—Federal, 111 (Coburn), 7 to 5, 1; Burnie Bunton, 102 (Waldo), 13 to 10, 2; Imp. Rose Tree, 104 (Miller), 12 to 1, 3. Time, 1:13⅘.

Second race, 4½ furlongs — Silver Fringe, 103 (Otis), 11 to 10, 1; John C. King, 103 (O'Brien), 25 to 1, 2; Dr. O'Neil, 103 (Birkenruth), 20 to 1, 3. Time, :55⅗.

Third race, steeplechase, full course—Henry Gibbs, 133 (Wilson), 9 to 1, 1; Precursor, 130 (Downs), 7 to 1, 2; Dick Furber, 147 (Clay), 7 to 2, 3.

Fourth race, the Lassie stakes, 2-year-old fillies, 5 furlongs—Mary Lavvana, 115 (Winkfield), 3 to 5, 1; Rheta, 115 (Coburn), 6 to 1, 2; Navata, 115 (H. T. Wilson), 4 to 1, 3. Time, 1:02⅘.

Fifth race, 1⅛ miles — Otis, 95 (J. Walsh), 7 to 2, 1; Boney Boy, 90 (W. Waldo), 10 to 1, 2; Marshal Neil, 107 (Lyne), 7 to 1, 3. Time, 1:56.

Sixth race, mile and 70 yards—Compas, 101 (Donnolly), 8 to 5, 1; Radiant Heat, 107 (Knapp), 30 to 1, 2; Tyrshena, 110 (Hoar), 4 to 1, 3. Time, 1:49⅘.

AT ST. LOUIS.

First race, 6 furlongs—Prince Plenty, 124 (Fauntleroy), 7 to 2, 1; Lou Ann, 110 (J. Ransch), 3 to 1, 2; Sam Lazarus, 121 (C. Nuthall), 5 to 1, 3. Time, 1:16½.

Second race, 4½ furlongs — Happy Chappy, 107 (Fauntleroy), 3 to 1, 1; Pour Quoi Pas, 107 (Bell), 5 to 1, 2; Flora Levy, 107 (Earl), 5 to 1, 3. Time, 56.

Third race, steeplechase, about 2 miles—Alva II., 131 (Dupee), 9 to 2, 1; Eva Moe, 167 (McAuliffe), 11 to 5, 2; Terry Ranger, 150 (J. Gormley), 5 to 2, 3. Time, 3:59.

Fourth race, mile and 70 yards—Corrigan, 101 (J. Ransch), 20 to 1, 1; Nobleman, 98 (Louden), 10 to 1, 2; Varro, 95 (E. Mathews) 13 to 10, 3. Time, 1:45.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs—Joe Goss 121 (Dominick), 4 to 5, 1; John Grigsby, 124 (Morse), 5 to 1, 2; Frank Pearce, 121 (Lampard), 8 to 1, 3. Time 1:17.

Sixth race, 7 furlongs, selling—Miss Golightly, 103 (T. Walsh), 7 to 2, 1; Brewer Schorr 105 (Beauchamp), 16 to 5, 2; Nearest, 103 (Bell), 8 to 5, 3. Time, 1:28¾.

RACE MEETING AT CREEMORE.

Creemore, Ont., June 7.—The race meeting here yesterday was very successful. The weather was fine, the attendance good and the races well contested. The summary:

Open trot, purse $100:

Little Fred, W. Barnes, Toronto	1	1	1
Nitchie, J. Wilcox, Stayner	2	2	2
Minnie, S. W. Smith, Woodbridge	4	4	3
Birdie J., H. Hulse, Bradford	3	3	4

Time—2:27¼, 2:27, 2:24¼.

2:35 trot, purse $75:

Texas Rooker, P. Stone, Collingwood	1	1	1
Cooksville Boy, F. Hawkins, Toronto	2	2	2
Ernie Hunter, Joe Powell, Orillia	3	3	3

Time—:53, :53¼, :53¼.

Starter—S. Passmore, Orillia.

DEATH OF WELL-KNOWN STARTER.

James F. Caldwell, who for years was the premier race starter of the country, died suddenly last week. For the past two years Caldwell had been off the starter's stand, as failing eyesight and a shattered nervous system unfitted him for that responsible position. Of all the positions at a race track, the starter's is the hardest, and, at the same time, the most thankless. For years Caldwell stood alone as the best man in the land, and his services were in constant demand. He worked practically the year round, and the nervous strain began to tell. In the latter part of his career he drifted West and started at several tracks. For the past few years he had been engaged in the breeding of horses near Saratoga, where he dropped dead.

PRIMROSE WILL SEE CANADIAN DERBY.

A Buffalo exchange says: George Primrose, the famous minstrel man, has written to a local friend, stating that he will be in Buffalo next Tuesday afternoon to see the Canadian Derby run at Fort Erie and to be present at the ringside when Surley Supples and Art Simms battle in the ring of the International A. C. in the evening. He must be going to bring a party of friends with him from New York, for he has asked his friends to secure the best box in the arena for him. Mr. Primrose is an admirer of Simms' and never overlooks an opportunity to see him fight when one presents itself. Both Simms and Supples are training faithfully for their meeting and they will, no doubt, furnish a pretty contest.

BOXING.

AL NEIL OUTCLASSED.

Chicago, June 7.—Jack O'Brien, the Philadelphia middleweight, knocked out Al Neil, of San Francisco, in the third round of a scheduled six-round contest here last night. Neil was outclassed in every way.

YOUNG CORBETT'S AMBITIONS.

New York, June 7.—It is reported on good authority that if Young Corbett defeats Terry McGovern at New London next August he will be asked to go to England to meet Ben Jordan at the National Sporting Club. The British sports are desirous of seeing Corbett perform, as they regard any man who can defeat Terry McGovern as a veritable wonder. Sam Fitzpatrick, on behalf of Young Corbett, is at present negotiating for the match. Jordan is the best man at Corbett's weight in England just now. It is said he can easily get to 122 pounds and be strong. If the match with Corbett is made, the weight will have to be at 123 pounds, or at catch-weights, as Corbett is fast outgrowing the featherweight division. Corbett, it is understood, would like to have the mill decided in this country. It is reported that Corbett will not go to England unless a purse of $11,000 is guaranteed.

JEFF HUNTS COONS.

San Francisco, Cal., June 7.—Both Jefferies and Fitzsimmons have commenced in earnest the work of training for their contest in this city on July 25. For the past few days at Harbin Springs Jefferies, attended by Joe Kennedy and Kid Egan, has been doing road and gymnasium work. Rain last Saturday kept him off the road, which loss, however, was more than made up in the evening by a coon hunt over the hills with the hounds. Eleven miles on the road were disposed of by Jeff Wednesday morning. The gymnasium at Harbin is a perfectly appointed one, containing nearly all modern appliances, besides conveniently adjoining a handball court, in which the champion spends much of his time. Fitz worked hard Wednesday at Skaggs Springs.

Twelve miles of road work in the morning preceded a rub-down, and the midday rest was followed in the afternoon by six rounds with Tom Wilson and half an hour of bag punching in the gymnasium. But for a canvas cover the gymnasium at Skaggs is completed, much to the satisfaction of the ex-champion. Through Jack Stelzner, his one-time sparring partner, Fitz has received word that Hank Griffin would like to join him at the springs. Fitz expects to communicate with Griffin shortly. George Dawson of the Chicago Athletic Club, who trained the Cornishman for his fights with Sharkey and Ruhlin, has informed Fitz that he will leave Chicago on June 24 to join him.

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STRATHCONAS WON.

Guelph, Ont., June 7.—The lacrosse game last night between the Excelsiors of Brampton and the Strathconas of Guelph resulted in favor of the latter by a score of 4 to 1.

Among the Stick Handlers.

With the Stick Handlers -d 6.. 6

Toronto Telegram: London's team, they say, is a dark horse, and they certainly played like an English fog when they were down here last week.

Well, a fog is a bad thing to get mixed up with.

The emigration department of the C. P. R. may have its busy season, but the emigration department of the Brantford lacrosse club has it beaten miles. Their agent has been at work down in Montreal impressing upon Messrs. Hoobin and Brennan, of the Shamrocks, the many beauties of the Telephone town and the excellence of the Grand Trunk service. Montreal papers stand aghast and wonder where they are at, and if they are going to lose any more players. If they do the Shams will have to call upon the M. A. A. people to help them defend the Minto Cup, and that would be an awful come down. Both Hoobin and Brennan say that they will not leave dear old Montreal because it is such a nice town and the people are so hospitable; but wait, keep your eye skinned and see what you will see. Brennan and Hoobin with Brantford. Dade and Hendry are there, and this will no doubt have some effect upon the Easterners. A Montreal paper states that the Brantford agent did not see Brennan or Hoobin. Do you mean to say, that the agent would travel all the way to Montreal and not get what he was in search of—an interview? They're not built that way in Brantford. The papers call it a scheme, this agent coming to Montreal. 'Tis no scheme at all, it's a straight business proposition to play lacrosse in Brantford and get a good position into the bargain. Is there anything wrong in that? Ye gods, you would think a man would jump at the chance of getting away from Montreal, and it will not be surprising to pick up the papers some fine morning and see where Messrs. Hoobin and Brennan have changed their postoffice address—Toronto "Want Ad." Bulletin.

FOOTBALL.

FERNHILL WON.

At the Lobo schools picnic yesterday the Fernhill football team defeated the Strathroy Collegiate Institute Cadets by 2 goals to 0. Mr. F. Strobridge, of Stratford, was referee. The lineup:

Fernhill.		Strathroy.
M. Cheller	Goal	J. Wilson
C. Barnes	Back	A. Malone
R. Richardson	"	D. Fletcher
H. Campbell	Half-back	D. Norris
D. McLauchlan	"	J. Murray
F. Owen	"	W. Rapley
H. McNeill	Forward	Poulkinghorn
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A LOCAL BUDGET.

—The corner stone of the English Church at Melbourne will be laid on June 10 by Bishop Baldwin.

—Bishop Baldwin will conduct confirmation in Trivitt Memorial Church, Exeter, on the evening of Thursday, June 12.

—The handicap committee and secretary of the London Hunt Ladies' Golf Club will give a tea at the Kennels on Monday afternoon, June 9.

—John Coursey, killed on the C. P. R. at Calgary, was the son of a Biddulph citizen and a cousin of ex-Police Constable Richard Coursey, of this city.

—Rev. Father Aylward, rector of St. Peter's Cathedral, will attend the golden jubilee of Laval University, in Montreal, on July 24. He is a graduate of the university.

—The morning service in St. Andrew's Church tomorrow will be a thanksgiving service for the declaration of peace. Rev. Dr. Johnston will preach on "The Price of Peace."

—A feature of the big picnic at Poplar Hill yesterday was the brilliant evening illumination of the grounds, which was done by the Electrical Construction Company, under the supervision of their electrical expert, Mr. Frank Shuff.

—Special services will be held in King Street Presbyterian Church tomorrow. In the morning a children's service will be held, when the pastor will give a sermon illustrated by clocks. A mass meeting will be held at 3 o'clock. In the evening jubilee services will be held on peace in South Africa.

—Rev. Dr. Sowerby will begin a series of illustrated sermons tomorrow evening, which will be both interesting and practical. He aims to help all classes of men, and will use Jonah as a study.

—At the fourth annual meeting of the National Association of Managers of Newspaper Circulations, to be held at Detroit on June 16, 17 and 18, Mr. J. R. Taylor, of the Press, Grand Rapids, Mich., will read a paper on "The Best Method of Handling Newsboys." Mr. Taylor is a son of Mr. Alf. Taylor, of this city.

—Rev. S. B. Culp, of Tully, N. Y., has been called to the pastorate of the Christian Church, corner of Dundas and Elizabeth streets, and will occupy the pulpit and preach his introductory services Sunday morning and evening. He is a speaker of influence and ability, and will be pleased to meet all members of the church and friends in the Sunday services.

—A pretty home wedding took place on Thursday evening at the residence of Mr. George Berry, 748 Princess avenue, when his eldest daughter, Georgina, was married to Mr. Charles H. Pierce, of this city. Rev. C. C. Owen, of Memorial Church, performed the ceremony. The bride was supported by her sister, Miss Maud Berry, and Mr. H. Pierce acted as groomsman. About 50 guests sat down to the wedding breakfast.

—The Young Women's Christian Association expects to be located over the public library after July 1. This will be quite a central place, and afford more and better room for the general work until it is possible to have the use of the new building which they are striving for. The officers expect that every member will help to make the temporary quarters over the library as pleasant, homelike and attractive as possible.

POLICE COURT.

The police are starting a crusade against persons who neglect to send their children to school. At the police court this morning William Steer faced that charge. He said, however, that his boy had become unmanageable and consequently no action was taken. Thomas Murray apologized and paid the costs of court for using abusive language towards Malcolm Murdoch.

ROSS—EDWARDS.

Mr. John D. Ross, of this city, and Miss Elizabeth Edwards, of con. 6, Westminster, were united in marriage Thursday at the Anglican rectory, Belmont. Rev. Mr. Sutton performed the ceremony, and Miss Louie James, and Mr. Charles Jackson, of Nilestown, were bridesmaid and groomsman. Mr. and Mrs. Ross will live in this city.

MASONIC DIVINE SERVICE.

The Masons of this city will probably celebrate St. John's Day, the coronation and the establishment of peace in South Africa by attending divine service at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church on Sunday, June 22. The sermon will be preached by Rev. Dr. Battesby, of Chatham, if arrangements can be made for an exchange by Rev. Dr. Johnston. Dr. Battesby is a past master of Wellington Lodge, No. 46, Chatham, and a past grand prelate of the Great Priory of Canadian Knights Templar. W. Bro. John Metherall, P. M. of Corinthian Lodge, No. 330, has been appointed grand marshal for the occasion.

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WILL TRY NEW SYSTEM.

The Thames Fishing Association will try a new system of stocking the river with black bass. In place of putting the fry in the river, where they fall a prey to large fish, the fry will be placed in ponds close by the river and connected therewith by small streams. In the fall, when they have grown to a size at which they may reasonably be expected to take care of themselves, they will be turned loose.

MILITIA CHANGES.

It is announced that Col. White, commander of the 3rd Special Service Battalion, R. C. R., will remain at Hamilton in command of the regiment, and that Col. Wadmore, second in command, and formerly of London, has been appointed D. O. C. at Fredericton. It is also stated that Col. McDougall, of Fredericton, who is in charge of No. 4 depot, will go to Halifax as second in command of the Royal Canadians.

DECLINED CALL.

Louisville Kentucky, papers announce that Rev. Dr. Johnston, of this city has declined a call to the Second Presbyterian Church of that city. Dr. Johnston has had this call under consideration for several weeks. It is the second time that he has been asked to become the pastor of this congregation, which is the largest of the Presbyterian denomination in the state, and is regarded as the most influential in the Southern Assembly. Dr. Johnston preached there a year ago while on a visit to the South.

LITTLE RED DEVILS.

Mini Makes Peculiar Things.

Coffee almost kills some people before they are willing to admit that coffee is really the cause of the trouble. Yet it is easy to break off the habit providing Postum Coffee, well boiled, is served in its place.

A lady says: "After coffee drinking had become a habit with me, I experienced a sense of faintness in the stomach with lassitude and dullness of the mind. This was accompanied with severe pains in the region of my liver.

"Gradually my health failed and I became thin and a nervous wreck, having sick headaches every day. Then insomnia set in and I suffered for four years such torments as those who have been through the experience know of. At night I would grow so nervous over the continual distress in my stomach that I would imagine hundreds of little red devils had strings attached to the back of my stomach and were trying to pull it out. I was compelled, at times, to take laudanum to relieve the distress and cramps.

"This condition lasted with some variation for about three years. I tried various physicians and finally was advised to try leaving off coffee and use Postum, and I began to get well.

"When I recovered and thought I was well enough to go back to coffee again I tried it, but after using it a short time the old stomach trouble came back and I threw the balance of the coffee in the stove. There has never been a grain of the old-fashioned coffee in the house since and never will be as long as I am running it.

"Postum Coffee is delicious when made according to directions and served hot with good cream and some sugar. The whole family use it and enjoy it greatly. I have gained 40 pounds in the last year and my nerves are fast becoming a thing of the past. I sleep perfectly all night and am a well woman, thanks to Postum." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

SOUTH LONDON MAN'S VERY SUDDEN DEATH

Mr. William Applegate Passes Away With Scarcely Any Warning.

Mr. Wm. Applegate died very suddenly early this morning, at his home, Clark street, South London. On retiring he had felt in his usual health, and it was only after sleeping a while that he awoke, choking for breath, and died almost immediately. An affection of the heart is said to have caused death.

Mr. Applegate was born in England and had lived in the city for about 40 years, during which time he was highly esteemed as a good citizen. He attended Christ Church. Two nephews, Messrs. Edmund and William Hayden, beside his wife, are the only relatives living in the city.

LAID THE CORNER STONE

Interesting Function at Granton Presbyterian Church.

Ceremony Witnessed by Hundreds of People From That District.

Several hundred people witnessed the laying of the corner stone of the new Presbyterian Church at Granton yesterday. It is being erected through the efforts chiefly of Mrs. F. W. Gilmour, wife of the pastor, and to her was given the pleasure and distinction of laying the corner stone.

Two other stones were laid—one by the Independent Order of Oddfellows, the other by the Canadian Order of Foresters. Each of these societies showed their interest in the undertaking by contributing $100 towards the building fund. After the laying of the stones, addresses were delivered by Rev. James Grant, of St. Marys. Tea was served on the lawn, and in the evening an entertainment was held for which the use of the Methodist Church was kindly given.

The new church is if stone and brick, and it will have accommodation for about 250 persons. It is to be quite modern in every respect. The old church, which was situated about a mile from the village, has been torn down, and in the meantime the congregation is worshiping in the village hall.

THREE CIVIL DOCKET CASES

Short List for Next Week's County Court.

In None of the Cases Are Large Amounts Involved.

Three cases, two jury and one non-jury, comprise the civil docket for next week's sitting of the county court. One case was given in yesterday's issue, and the two since entered are given below. The first is a jury case and the second a non-jury:

Pring vs. Wyatt—An action for alleged injury to reputation caused by defendant, executing a search warrant on the plaintiff's premises in search for a lost collie dog. Pring is a market gardener and Wyatt is a coachman. Weld, for plaintiff; Meredith & Fisher, for defendant.

Barfitt vs. Ferguson & Campbell — Action by Chas. Barfitt, of this city, to recover $189 75 for work performed on a railway near Ingersoll, for which the defendants were the contractors. Weld, for plaintiff; Buchner, for defendants.

The Crescent Street Presbyterian Church, Montreal, has formally called Rev. John MacKay, of Lucknow, to be their pastor.

By the Dominion census Fergus had a population of 1,396, but a special census just taken makes the number 1,630, and on the strength of the special census a fourth liquor license has been granted.

Principal A. J. Walker, of the Alvinston public school, has sent in his resignation, to take effect at the end of the present month. Mr. Walker has resigned owing to ill-health.

William Dalton, who was struck on the head at Windsor on Wednesday with a billiard cue by Angus McCloud, is improving. Dalton is suffering from concussion of the brain. McCloud has been arrested. When he was arraigned before Magistrate Bartlet, his employer, George Coll, appeared in his behalf and testified that the blow was struck in self-defense. McCloud was remanded for one week to await developments in Dalton's condition.

The corner-stone of the new beet sugar factory at Wiarton was laid on Thursday by President Mills, of the Ontario Agricultural College, the ceremony being attended by a very large number of visitors. A parade, including friendly societies, banks, volunteers and fire brigade, was formed in the center of the town. Addresses were delivered by Professor Mills, H. Cargill, M.P., and J. C. Simons, president of the company. In the evening a banquet was held, at which addresses were delivered by G. M. Boyd, A. G. McKay (the candidates in the recent election), Dr. Horsey, M.P. H. Cargill, M.P., Professor Mills and others.

Dr. Pingel is visiting the principal cancer sanitariums of the west. 1c xwt

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Letters to the Editor.

THE ELECTRIC MONOPOLY.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

Noticing the contention of the new electric and old electric light and power companies, I think my case might throw a little light on the subject.

When doing business at 164 Maple street I wanted about 6 horse power, and put in a motor for it. I was asked to pay $50 bonus to have the line run to my building, and was forced to pay $25, of which I have a receipt to produce. Further, there was installed for me such a small copper line that it was impossible for me to get satisfactorily more than 2 horse-power for my work.

Then, as regards price for this power I was required to pay $350 per year for a 6 horse-power rate, and I have evidence to show that there are 8 and 10 horse-power motors used more continuously than mine which had a rate lower than $300 per year here in the city.

All the power which I paid for was paid under protest, on the advice of Ald. Douglass, who knows how I was overcharged.

The above circumstances are the causes of my being unable to continue a good paying business, and I feel that there are no words too strong to express my disapproval of their actions which I am sure would have been different had there been a competing company in the city.

J. BENNETT.

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

DAILY PICTURE PUZZLE.



Find Robinson Crusoe's goat and parrot.

SOLUTION OF YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE—With the upper part of the picture as base, the person speaking may be found in the lower right-hand corner, formed in the branches.

MAMMOTH PRIZE COMPETITION
TO BE HELD IN CONNECTION WITH
GOLD SOAP $2,500.00 IN PRIZES.

In order to get thousands of people in all parts of the country to see how pure and economical GOLD SOAP is for all manner of washing and cleaning, the manufacturers have decided to hold a Mammoth Prize Competition, to start May 15, 1902, and end November 15, 1902. The prizes will be awarded to the person sending in the greatest number of GOLD SOAP wrappers before November 15, 1902. The full list of prizes will be found below, and all those who do not win a prize will receive a regular Gold Soap premium in return for their wrappers—varying in value according to the number of wrappers sent in.

The manufacturers of Gold Soap could not afford to offer such an astounding inducement to the public were it not for the fact that they feel sure that once Gold Soap is tried it will be used constantly, as no good housekeeper would think of going back to one of the common, impure soaps after using the soap that is "worth its weight in gold." GOLD SOAP is the purest, handiest and most economical soap that it is possible to make, and if used constantly will keep down expense, make the washing more quickly and easily done, and will bring the clothes out beautifully white.

THERE ARE 5,213 PRIZES.

If you start now to save your Gold Soap wrappers you will have quite a lot by November, and you will then share in the big Gold Soap competition. Do not be afraid to send in your wrappers, no matter how many you may have, because you are CERTAIN to receive a prize or a regular Gold Soap premium.

Please note that you are not asked to send any money or do any work of any kind—simply use the best soap in the world, save the wrappers and we send you a prize or a premium. This is the greatest offer ever made to the public, and will make GOLD SOAP known from ocean to ocean—and wherever it is known it is liked and recommended.

Of course, if you prefer to have one of the regular Gold Soap premiums that are described on the backs of the wrappers, you may send in your Gold Soap wrappers at any time, with a note telling which premium you wish. All Gold Soap premiums are guaranteed, so you don't take the slightest risk.

DIRECTIONS—Save your Gold Soap Wrappers and send them into Gold Soap, Toronto, marked "Competition," before November 15th, 1902, with your own name and address inclosed. The prizes will be sent out on November 24th with a full list of the winners. You may send your wrappers in at any time so long as your name and address comes along with each lot. Do not send in the whole wrapper, but just the center part, with the words "Gold Soap, Good as Gold."

LIST OF PRIZES IN THE MAMMOTH PRIZE COMPETITION:

1st PRIZE—(For the largest number of Gold Soap Centers received) $100 in Cash.
2nd PRIZE—(For the second greatest number) $50 in Cash.
3rd PRIZE—$30 in Cash.
Each of the next 50—A 14-k Gold-Filled Watch for Lady or Gentleman, guaranteed.
Each of the next 10—$10 in Cash.
Each of the next 50—A Handsome Silver Watch for Lady or Gentleman.
Each of the next 100—One dozen Silver-Plated Teaspoons, guaranteed.
Each of the next 3,000—A Handsome Piece of Silverware—Silver Sets, Cream Jugs, Ladies' Novelties, Sugar Bowls, Salts and Peppers, Butter, Knives, etc., etc.
Each of the next 2,000—A Copy of the Famous Picture, entitled "King of the Forest," designed especially for Gold Soap. This Picture cannot be procured elsewhere.

CONDITIONS:

All wrappers sent in must have contained soap; we have a secret process for detecting bogus wrappers. Consumers should be careful never to buy Gold Soap unless it is wrapped in the regular black and orange wrappers. All wrappers (or centers) must be plainly marked "Competition," and must contain the name and address of the sender, and be mailed to Gold Soap, Toronto, on or before November 15, 1902. Those that receive prizes will not receive any premium as well, but all those not winning prizes will receive a regular Gold Soap premium in return for their wrappers. In case two people send in the same number of wrappers, the prize will be divided. Persons giving information leading to the conviction of anyone trying to defraud Gold Soap will be liberally rewarded. Address all communications simply GOLD SOAP, TORONTO. 4tf t

VERY GRATIFYING STATEMENT BY EX-CHANCELLOR GOSCHEN

On the Firm Financial Standing of Great Britain.

BALFOUR ON THE PEACE TERMS

Says They Possess the Elements of Absolute Certainty and Stability —Respects Fighting Burghers.

London, June 6.—Prior to the second reading of the loan bill in the House of Lords today, Lord Goschen (Liberal, and a former chancellor of the exchequer), announced that he desired to say a few words on the financial position of the country. Consols, which were now paying only 2½ per cent, stood at 97. Before the convention of 1888, 3 per cent consols stood at 101. If they had been converted then, they would have been worth only 82, so that now the stock was really 15 points higher, and that after a costly war and the borrowing of £159,000,000 ($795,000,000). The country might well congratulate itself on a situation which showed such an economic statement, he said.

The premier, Lord Salisbury, said such words, coming from such a high authority were very gratifying and would be widely read.

BALFOUR ON THE PEACE TERMS

London, June 7.—Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, in a speech at the Conservative banquet in London last night, referred to the South African war. He said the load was only thoroughly realized now that it had been removed, and that peace had not been bought by unnecessary concessions. Mr. Balfour said he believed the terms of peace possessed every element of certainty, permanence and stability, and that a new and happy era had dawned in South Africa.

"To have acted upon the advice of Lord Rosebery and Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman (the Liberal leader in the house), said the speaker, "and bought peace at the price of complete amnesty would have been to put a premium on rebellion, while to have engaged with Mr. Kruger and his advisers would have been a calamity."

Mr. Balfour said he could respect the fighting burghers, but not those who had deserted the republics in South Africa. The contention of the Liberals, he continued, that peace might have been secured a year ago, was untenable, because Gen. Botha then demanded independence. "It would have been absolute lunacy," added Mr. Balfour, "to have granted a representative government at once, and had we been able to secure peace on those terms there would have been no security for an enduring peace."

Mr. Balfour devoted the latter part of his speech to ridiculing the divided counsels of the Liberal party.

ROYAL FUNCTION.

King Edward and Queen Alexandra held the fourth court of the season at Buckingham Palace last night. Unfortunately, as upon the three previous occasions when court was held, rain and a cold wind again marred the spectacle for the crowd which had assembled outside the palace gates. The scene within, however, was unusually brilliant. His majesty's bodyguard of gentlemen-at-arms was on duty in the state apartments, the Yeomen of the Guard were on duty within the palace, and a guard of honor, selected from the Irish Guards, were stationed in the quadrangle.

DEWET'S ADVICE TO THE BURGHERS

"Show British That Boers Can Be Good Colonists."

GAVE CHEERS FOR THE KING!

Signs of a Trade Rush to South African Colonies—Germans Make the First Start.

London, June 6.—Lord Kitchener, in a dispatch from Pretoria, dated today, announced that the British commissioners in the various districts report that 1,154 Boers laid down their arms yesterday.

Afterwards the commissioners addressed the Boers, who gave three hearty cheers for King Edward.

The best possible relations exist between the Boers and the British, and there has been no hitch in the proceedings anywhere.

DEWET'S GOOD ADVICE.

Vredefort Road, Orange River Colony, June 6.—General Christian Dewet, addressing the inmates of the concentration camp here, explained the circumstances leading to the termination of hostilities, and urged the burghers to do their utmost to show Great Britain what good colonists the Boers can make. The speech made a favorable impression. General Dewet's wife will rejoin the general here today.

SATISFIED WITH TERMS.

London, June 6.—The peace terms are well received at Johannesburg, says the Times correspondent. It is recognized that they contain little which would not have been granted anyhow through the generosity of the British Government. Sensible men are satisfied with the language provision, seeing compulsion would have created a grievance, and would have made the study of Dutch a point of honor among the Boers. Although satisfaction is felt that there was no concession with respect to amnesty, no one will criticise spontaneous exercise of clemency.

RUSH TO SOUTH AFRICAN COLONIES.

The correspondent of the London Times at Vienna notes early signs of a rush of commercial and industrial classes to South Africa under the English regime. Even easy-going Austrians are forming syndicates for that purpose, but the Germans are first in the field, hoping, with the home markets secured by high protective tariffs, and exports encouraged by subsidized shipping, and the rates on state railways reduced to meet the unprotected British trade on more than equal terms.

The correspondent urges consideration of the question whether British manufacturers and the working class, who have been subjected to heavy burden of taxation, should be further handicapped by such unfair competition. The most severe competition is to be expected from that great European nation which confessedly aims at depriving England of her maritime predominance.

The correspondent suggests that the precedent set by the action of the British government in the sugar bounties may be further extended.

New Billiard Cue.

Quite different in many respects from the ordinary billiard cue is the new one just patented. The parts of which it is composed are a support, a cue moveable therson, a spring latch or trigger and a moveable sleeve, which is arranged upon the free end of the support, and which is designed to regulate the effect of each stroke. There is also another sleeve at the other end, and between the two sleeves the cue can slide freely. After a stroke has been given the spring causes the cue to recoil and return to its normal position.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

AN IMPROVEMENT AT TRADE CENTERS

Good Business Outlook in the Dominion.

BIG INCREASE IN CLEARINGS

The Movement in Fall Goods Continues to Increase—Crop Prospects Are Bright.

Toronto, June 6.—Bradstreet's trade review, weekly summary:

Canadian trade advices are good. Failures number 15, as against 11 last week and 24 a year ago. Clearings for May, though 5 per cent less than those of April, were still among the largest ever reported, being 25 per cent larger than a year ago. For the week just ended they show a gain of 15 per cent over last week and 296 over last year, and some of the individual increases are exceptionally heavy, ranging from 191 in the case of Winnipeg to 8 per cent returned by Quebec.

At London the trade conditions are satisfactory. The fine crop outlook is giving confidence to country traders, who are placing liberal-sized orders for the fall. The outlook for business is good.

At Hamilton the movement in wholesale trade has been very satisfactory. Shipments of goods to sort stocks for the summer are large, and the fall business being booked now is encouraging.

Business at Ottawa is fairly active for this season. There has been a good demand for current needs of retailers and the orders taken for the fall trade so far compare well with previous seasons at this period.

Trade at Toronto has been better this week. The movement in fall goods is improving daily, and the outlook for the balance of this season as well as for the coming fall is very encouraging. The good crop outlook is having an important influence in country retail trade circles. Payments have been very fair for this season. Values of staple goods continue to be firmly maintained.

There has been increased inquiry for sorting parcels for the summer season at Montreal this week. The business in fall goods booked so far this season has been very satisfactory. The outlook for the jobbing trade for the balance of this month is encouraging. The market for staple goods is very strong. Payments are getting better in some departments of trade. There have been few failures of importance. The crop outlook is generally good, and the future for business is bright.

Business at Winnipeg is showing some improvement. The rains recently interfered with the movement of trade, but now there is a better demand, and retailers are sending in good orders to sort stocks as well as liberal orders for the fall trade. The crop outlook is bright and indicates a prosperous condition of trade the coming season.

There has been some improvement in trade at Pacific coast centers the past week, and the outlook seems to be improving. There is fair inquiry for goods from inland provincial points. Payments are still somewhat slow.

Dun's review says of Canadian trade: Whether conditions at St. John have been unfavorable for trade, but fishing has been good and crop prospects are satisfactory, with the yield of hay assured. Trade in hardware, which has been exceptionally heavy this spring at Halifax, has quieted down, but groceries continue active. Cool weather has retarded operations in millinery and light dry-goods. The country store business in Nova Scotia has fallen off temporarily, owing to the activity on the farms.

Wholesale trade is brisk at Toronto, with an increased demand for autumn goods, while seasonable weather has helped retail trade and the crop outlook is more encouraging.

Unsettled weather has delayed sales at Hamilton, and collections are only fair. Similar conditions prevail at Quebec, but there is activity in shipping.

No indications of unsoundness are apparent at Montreal, everything pointing to another prosperous year, with remittances excellent.

Retail trade at Winnipeg is retarded by inclement weather, but wholesalers report fair sales and collections improving.

Wholesale trade in British Columbia is good and collections improve. Lumber is especially active.

Failures in Canada this week, 16, against 20 last week, 12 the preceding week and 20 last year.

GENERAL DEFENSE IDEA FINDS FAVOR

With Delegates to Board of Trade Conference.

RESOLUTION PASSED, 40 TO 32

All the Amendments to Montreal's Proposal Voted Down—Fiery Orator Called to Time.

Toronto, June 6. — When the conference of boards of trade met this morning the members congratulated each other on the fact that the pavilion in which last night's great banquet was held had not taken fire, while the banquet was in progress. If it had, so rapid was the destruction of the building, which was entirely of wood and glass, that a panic could not have been averted.

When business was begun, Chairman Ames, for W. F. Cockshutt, of Brantford, said that a remark by that gentleman, that he was glad that the delegates from Quebec were not afraid to show their colors on the defense question, had been regarded as a matter of offense by the Quebec delegates. He had intended it as a compliment. Mr. Perrault said that this was his own view of the remark.

The debate on the defense resolution was resumed and Mr. McFarlane, of Ottawa, wanted to put in a substitute motion, favoring a special tax on foreign importations, the proceeds to go to naval defense.

The chairman, when Capt. Gaskin, of Kingston, began an impassioned speech on loyalty, promptly called him to order, and said all present were loyal, and the conference was a business one to discuss defense on a business basis. F. X. Perrault, of Gaspe, quoted Sir Wilfrid Laurier's remark that Canada was satisfied with the present relations, and that in favoring the expending of money in developing Canada's material strength, rather than on military expenditures, the government was following a maxim long ago laid down by Palmerston. The government, the speaker declared, should not be trammeled in its action.

Mr. Kemp, M. P., at this stage, interrupted to say that Mr. Perrault was introducing controversial matters.

Mr. Perrault continuing, drew a lesson from the secession of the colonies of 1775, of the danger of taxation without proper representation. Canada, he said, should not be asked to send money abroad for defense, but should have her own army and navy, and handle them herself.

Mr. Pattullo, of Woodstock, favored a general resolution favoring the making of adequate provisions for the defense and protection of colonial trade at home and abroad, and declaring that the government keep in touch with the home and colonial governments with that end in view, as well as to the end that the colonies should in time of common danger contribute to the strength and integrity of the empire.

Mr. Ames made a vigorous speech in favor of the Montreal resolution, which affirmed that Canada should contribute a direct sum in aid of imperial defense, to be expended as the government of Canada might think best.

Mr. Hatheway, St. John, N. B., said the conference had better stick to business. It was not convened to settle the militia organization of Canada. Only 10 boards of trade out of 168, he pointed out, had replied to the defense part of the resolution. The resolution, Mr. Hatheway declared, should be left over till next year. Many members joined in this view, and others favored the appointment of a committee to report.

Capt. Conlon, of St. Catharines, declared that the military spirit was altogether too widespread.

After further debate the Montreal motion, that it was the duty of the Dominion, as an important division of the empire to participate in the cost of general defense of the empire and therefore that an annual appropriation should be provided in the Dominion budget for this purpose, to be expended as the Dominion Government may direct, was adopted by 40 to 32.

An amendment by Mr. Pattullo along the lines of his speech was defeated 34 to 36, as was one by Mr. Kemp, M.P., expressing the opinion that the time had arrived when a plan of naval and military defense should be considered; that our military and naval establishments should be under the control and direction of the parliament of Canada, whether for service at home, or in other parts of the empire.

The conference, with but little debate, passed resolutions favoring the appointment of a properly constituted railway commission; the granting of additional federal aid to ship-building; the right of Canada to make its own laws on the subject of copyright, without which its rights as a self-governing colony are incomplete, and closer trade relations with other colonies. The conference was a very marked success and the delegates warmly praised the arrangements of the Toronto Board of Trade before finally adjourning.

BRIDE AND GROOM HISSED AT MARRIAGE

Thousand Women in Church Show Their Scorn for the Couple.

Worcester, Mass., June 7.—More than 1,000 women gathered in St. John's Catholic Church on Wednesday and vented their disapproval of the marriage of Dr. Maurice W. Quinn, of Brockton, to Miss Mary E. Donaher, of this city, by a storm of groans and hisses. The detail of police stationed at the church entrance had anticipated trouble, but their efforts to prevent the hissing were unavailing, and not until the bridal couple had left the church did the hostile demonstration cease.

The angry women crowded in the church were championing the cause of Bertha E. Condon, who figured in an alleged attempt to kill Dr. Quinn at Brockton on May 14. Miss Condon fired four shots from a revolver at Dr. Quinn, who she said had ruined her upon his promise of marriage. The young woman was arrested and is now held in $1,000 bonds for trial. It was feared that she would make an attempt to kill Dr. Quinn at the altar this morning, but she did not appear, to the evident disappointment of the large crowd of women who sympathized with her.

Dr. Quinn and his bride left on their wedding journey in the afternoon, and the couple were guarded by a squad of police until they went aboard the train.

COUNTY COUNCIL STRUCK TAX RATE

Practically Same Rate as That of Last Year.

MAY BUY PROOF LINE ROAD

Councilor Jackson Introduced Motion Which May Solve Important Matter.

At yesterday afternoon's county council the county tax rate for the ensuing year was adopted. The new rate produces practically the same amount as last year's rate, the increase being only $17 40. The rate on Middlesex proper is a trifle higher, being 0.994 mills, as compared with 0.94 last year. While the rate for the whole of Middlesex is a little lower, being 1.254 instead of 1.03. The other business included the consideration of several lengthy committee reports, and the adoption of an important resolution by Councilor Jackson, suggesting a method by which London township may be enabled to acquire the Proof Line road.

THE TAX RATE STRUCK.

The second report of the finance committee was as follows:

Your committee report that they have examined the estimate of revenue and expenditure submitted by the treasurer for the year ending June 30, 1903, and adopted by the council at its present session, and we recommend that a rate of 0.994 mills on the dollar be levied on Middlesex proper, $29,205 05, for the purpose of paying the debenture interest and providing the sinking fund required by 53 Vic., Chap. 90, in the said estimates mentioned, also that a rate of 1,254 mills on the dollar be levied on the whole of Middlesex, producing $42,782 66, to meet the estimated current expenditure. The following are the amounts to be levied on each of the local municipalities for said purposes:

Municipality.	Whole of Middlesex.	Middlesex Proper.	Total.
Adelaide	$2,359 50	$1,863 15	$4,215 65
Biddulph	2,137 27	.....	2,137 27
Caradoc	2,743 40	2,174 59	4,917 99
Delaware	1,344 01	986 08	2,330 09
Dorchester, N.	2,613 93	2,071 97	4,685 90
Ekfrid	2,571 85	2,038 61	4,610 46
Lobo	2,935 02	2,326 48	5,261 50
London	6,326 08	5,014 46	11,340 54
McGillivray	3,554 43	.....	3,554 43
Metcalfe	1,650 18	1,308 04	2,958 22
Mosa	2,089 85	1,656 55	3,746 40
Nissouri, W.	3,009 33	2,385 39	5,394 72
Westminster	4,067 52	3,224 18	7,291 70
Williams, E.	2,108 24	1,667 16	3,770 40
William, Ws.	1,566 05	1,241 35	2,807 40
Ailsa Craig	163 02	73 55	236 57
Glencoe	269 61	213 71	483 32
Lucan	175 56	.....	175 56
Newbury	83.35	66 06	149 41
Parkhill	276 25	218 98	495 23
Strathroy	788 51	625 03	1,413 54
Wardsville	62 70	49 70	112 40
Totals	$42,782 66	$29,206 05	$71,988 71

COMMITTEE REPORTS

The first report of the finance committee recommended no action on the smallpox accounts submitted by Ekfrid, West Nissouri and Mosa townships. The former must submit detailed statement of expenditure, the second must certify to payment of all accounts, and the latter will be dealt with at the December sessions. No action was recommended upon C. C. Harbottle's application for grant to the Ontario Rifle Association. Grants of $50 each were made to the East and West Middlesex Teachers' Associations. The refund of $14 09, overcharged interest, to Adelaide township, was recommended. The report was adopted.

The jail committee reported that it had visited the jail and found it clean and orderly, with 15 males and 2 females in custody. In reference to Assessment Commissioner Grant's letter re sidewalk on west side of Ridout street, the clerk was instructed to notify the city council of the agreement between city and county, and the resolution passed at the January session, by which the county agrees to pay 35 per cent of the cost of walk on Ridout street. Commissioner Talbot was instructed to have the jail furnace put in proper repair. The clerk was instructed to purchase coal stoves for the jail kitchen, the jail laundry, the jailer's office and the woman's corridor. No more wood to be purchased. The committee recommended that the main corridor and side halls of the jail be relaid with a cement floor. The committee expressed itself as satisfied with the repairs being made to the jail walls. The rooms of the local master in chambers were recommended to be kalsomined. Robt. J. Webster's tender to supply hard and soft coal at $6 50 per ton was accepted. The report was adopted after discussion.

The first report of the House of Refuge committee recommended that the building be given a new roof and eavestroughing, and that it be painted, the roof to be of red cedar shingles laid in mortar. The report recommended that a silo be built, that the engineer have the hot water heater repaired, and that a secretary be furnished for the use of the keeper. The report was adopted.

The special committee to audit high school accounts reported the following deductions: Strathroy Collegiate Institute, $492 85; Glencoe High School, $450. An error of $50 in the Strathroy account and one of $8 in Lucan High School account was found. The report was adopted.

The first report of the agricultural committee recommended the acceptance of the application of Daniel Willey, of Strathburn, for appointment as county pupil at the Ontario Agricultural College. The report was adopted.

The first report of the educational committee recommended that the reports of School Inspectors Johnson and Thompson be adopted and printed in the minutes. The report was adopted.

The first clause of the second report of the board of road directors recommended that the building of a bridge over the Aux Sauble River, at the junction of the counties of Middlesex, Huron and Lambton, be not laid over as recommended by the special committee, but that the county of Middlesex pay one-third the cost of such bridge, and that the county commissioner co-operate with the commissioners of the other two counties in arranging for its erection, tenders to be opened on or before Dec. 15, 1902, and the bridge to be completed by July 15, 1903. The second clause of the report recommended no action in the repairing or rebuilding of a bridge opposite lot 1, con. 7, West Nissouri.

The latter clause was discussed in committee of the whole. It was pointed out by Councilor Neely that the bridge was in a dangerous condition, and should an accident occur, county would be liable. The chief objection on the part of other members to the assuming of the bridge by the county was the fact that it was less than 20 feet long, the minimum limit fixed by the bylaw for county bridges. Several members expressed themselves in favor of rescinding the bylaw. The report was laid over to allow of the introduction of a motion to rescind the bylaw.

AN IMPORTANT MOTION.

The following resolution was moved by R. W. Jackson, seconded by Geo. Neely, that a committee consisting of the warden and the mover meet A. W. Campbell, the deputy minister of public works, with a view of discussing the best means of spending Middlesex county's portion of the government grant under the good roads act, and also to ascertain the opinion of the deputy minister as to the possibility of the government allowing London township to appropriate its share of the grant to the buying of the Proof Line toll road.

Mr. Jackson pointed out that the suggested conference would have a beneficial effect, as it would be held in public, and the councilors and others interested could attend and hear explained the details of the expenditure of the government grant. The acquiring of the Proof Line road was a matter of importance to the northern portion of the county, and if the scheme outlined by him could be carried out, it would prove an easy and long-desired solution of a difficulty.

The motion carried without opposition.

The engineer was instructed to have Glencoe registry office repaired.

John Poole was appointed trustee of Glencoe High School in succession to the late John A. Leitch.

Council adjourned to meet at 9 a.m. on Saturday.

The Jaffa Gate of Jerusalem.

Outside the Jaffa Gate, which adjoins the Tower of David, and is the chief entrance for trade, travel, and pilgrims into the Holy City, is a large square surrounded by cafes, commission and brokerage offices, livery corrals and khans, the busiest place in all Judea, where all the centuries and all the races meet and hustle each other. It is the horse and camel market of Jerusalem, the headquarters of the saddlers, farriers and veterinarians, the starting place of the caravans that leave and the camping place of those that enter the city. It is the rendezvous of buyers and sellers of all classes of produce and merchandise, a general market at which anything can be bought or ordered, a sort of bourse or exchange and chamber of commerce. It is the court and the parliament of the masses, where they hold public meetings, discuss politics and theology and gossip about the state of affairs. It is an employment agency, where groups of laborers and husbandmen and mechanics sit around and sleep in the sun while waiting to be hired, and where angry women come to hunt for truant husbands and lovers. Here complaints are made to the police officers, and lawyers consult with clients from the country, says William T. Curtis, in the Chicago Record-Herald.

It is an unpaved and dusty forum, littered with dirt and filth, swarming with mangy dogs, obstructed by ugly camels, which chew their cud indifferently and give their whole mind to the purpose of their stay there, which is rest. Professional letter-writers, with a scholarly air, wearing spotless white turbans and long white cotton cloaks, sit around with ink-horns and blocks of paper in convenient corners, sheltered by umbrellas from the heat of the sun, just as they have done in the public places of Jerusalem since the days of David. Money changers have little tables with piles of coins before them; dealers in pottery, saddlery, groceries, bread and other necessaries of life required by the caravans have little stands against the walls. Arab and Jewish girls are about chaffing their admirers and selling baskets of fruit; venders of lemonade and sherbert, with pigskins hung over their shoulders, which look as if they would burst with their contents, clink their brass cups with a musical rhythm to attract attention. Sharp looking old men offer the camel drivers rosaries, beads and amulets to hang around the necks of their animals to keep off the evil eye; itinerant barbers do a brisk business all day out of doors shaving the heads of the Bedouins. You can hire here horses, saddles, camels, donkeys and any other kind of beast by the hour or the day or the week, or by the distance; you can charter camel trains for any place within the limit of Asia Minor or Egypt; you can contract for the transportation of freight to any point, and you can buy or sell anything that is marketable.

Whence Comes Electricity?

At a time when electricity is rapidly transforming the face of the globe, when it has already in great measure annihilated distance, and bids fair to abolish darkness for us, it is curious to notice how completely ignorant "the plain man" remains as to the later developments of electrical theory. Some recent correspondence has led me to think that a vague notion that electricity is a fluid which in some mysterious way flows through a telegraph wire like water through a pipe, is about as far as he has got; and if we add to this some knowledge of what he calls "electric shocks" we should probably exhaust his ideas on the subject, says the Academy. Yet this is not to be wondered at. Even the most instructed physicians can do nothing but guess as to what electricity is, and the only point on which they agree is as to what it is not. There is, in fact, a perfect consensus of opinion among scientific writers that it is not a fluid, i.e., a continuous stream of ponderable matter, as is a liquid or a gas; and that it is not a form of energy, as is heat. Outside this limit the scientific imagination is at liberty to roam where it listeth, and although it has used this liberty to a considerable extent, no definite result has followed up to the present time.

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PICNIC AT POPLAR HILL SETS PACE FOR UNION HOLIDAY

London's Outing Must Be Good to Equal Lobo's.

SCHOOLS UNITE FOR PLEASURE

Great Crowds Gathered at the Monster Picnic Held Yearly for the Children

The local school trustees this year believe that the generations of the future will sing their praises, as the men who first instituted the union school picnic. They think that they have established an event which in years to come shall probably remain as one of the most interesting and enjoyable features of school life, and the public grants them all credit for securing to the school children a holiday for play, in the pure air, out among trees, and away from any thought of books and studies. But it is not a new idea. It has been borrowed from the country, which in this particular thing, as in many others, is away in advance of the city. The annual picnic of the united schools of Lobo has for a long time been one of the features of the year in that fertile and prosperous township, and every summer finds the good people of Lobo awaiting with eager expectance the day that they spend with their children in the beautiful natural park near Poplar Hill. The annual picnic there has become as famous throughout the country as any of the fine fairs that Middlesex takes such interest in, and for pure enjoyment, it excels them all. Although, like the fairs, it brings all the people of that part of the country together, it is essentially a day for the children. The boys and girls rule at Poplar Hill. That it is their day is never once forgotten, and they reap the full measure of fun that is provided by the men of tireless energy into whose capable hands the arrangements for the picnic for 1902 was held yesterday, and its success showed in the most unmistakable way that the people of the township of Lobo appreciate it as one of the pleasantest events of the year. Hundreds and hundreds of farmers, with their wives and healthy-cheeked children, attended it, and from early afternoon until evening the roads leading to Poplar Hill were lined with carriages headed for the scene of the day's pleasure. A great many from this city and from Strathroy went to the picnic, which yesterday attracted a crowd little less in number to that which usually goes to the famous Donnybrook Fair at Dorchester. The committeemen were generous in their programme of entertainment. It began at 1 o'clock, when the school children, headed by the Seventh Band, which provided excellent music during the day, paraded in sections on the school grounds and sang a number of patriotic songs. The afternoon was then given over to ball games, football matches and a long list of interesting sports for the pupils. A concert, in which the band assisted, was held in the evening, the most enjoyable numbers being given by the popular vocalists of this city, Mrs. Alice Calder Stock and Mr. Arthur Garthwaite.

Addresses were made by Messrs. W. S. Calvert, M.P., and Malcolm McGugan, M.P., and Dr. Wilson presided.

PRIZE-WINNERS.

The winners in the sports, which were very keenly contested, were:

100 yard race, for boys, 12 years or over—1, S. McGugan, school section No. 8; 2, H. Alway, school section No. 8; 3, B. Shaw, school section No. 9.

75-yard race, girls, 12 years or over—1, S. Clare, school section No. 3; 2, E. Zavitz, school section No. 4; 3, J. Fonger, school section No. 3.

75-yard race, for boys under 12 yards—1, E. Woodward, school section No. 4; 2, G. Hicks, school section No. 5; 3, E. Rycroft, school section No. 3.

50-yard race, girls, under 12 years—1, L. Zavitz, school section No. 4; 2, A. McIntyre, school section No. 8; 3, P. Zavitz, school section No. 10.

50-yard race, for boys, under 8 years—1, M. Smith, school section No. 1; 2, H. McKay, school section No. 4; 3, T. Ward, school section No. 4.

50-yard race, girls, under 8 years—1, T. Crawford, school section No. 3; 2, R. Cutler, school section No. 3; 3, S. Newell, school section No. 4.

Obstacle race, 50 yards, for boys—1, N. McIntyre, school section No. 7; 2, J. Crawford, school section No. 6; 3, G. Zavitz, school section No. 4.

Boot race, 50 yards, for boys—1, O. McGregor, school section No. 8; 2, G. Zavitz, school section No. 10; 3, J. Crawford, school section No. 3.

Boot race, 50 yards, for girls—1, E. Zavitz, school section No. 4; 2, B. McArthur, school section No. 8; 3, G. Ward, school section No. 4.

Fatigue race, 50 yards, for boys, 10 years and over—1, E. Woodward and G. Zavitz, school section No. 4; 2, R. Graham and D. Wilson, school section No. 8; 3, B. Shaw and H. Alway, school section No. 9.

Egg and spoon race, 50 yards, for boys—1, G. Ward, school section No. 4; 2, R. Graham, school section No 8; 3, C. Wilson, school section No. 4.

Three-legged race, 100 yards, for boys, 10 years and over—1, B. Shaw and E. George, school section No. 9; 2, McGugan and Graham, school section No. 8; 3, C. Story and H. Zavitz, school section No. 4.

Three-legged race, 50 yards, for boys, under 10 years—1, O. Zavitz and John McArthur, school section No. 10; 2, R. Smith and W. Ladelle, school section No. 4.

Needle and thread race, 50 yards—1, L. Harris, school section No. 4; 2, E. Ward, school section No. 4; 3, A. McIntyre, school section No. 8.

Needle and thread race, for boys and girls, under 10 years—1, G. Ward, school section No. 4; 2, E. Neff, school section No. 4.

Sack race, 50 yards, boys, 10 years and under—1, C. Stone, school section No. 4; 2, L. Neff, school section No. 4; 3, R. Smith, school section No. 4.

Sack race, 50 yards, for boys, under 10—1, E. Zavitz, school section No. 10; 2, W. Ladelle, school section No. 4; 3, R. Smith, school section No. 4.

Throwing baseball, boys 12 years and over—1, H. Alway, school section No. 9; 2, E. Rillham, school section No. 9; 3, J. Crawford, school section No. 3.

Throwing baseball, for girls, 12 years and over—1, Maggie Smith, school section No. 3; 2, J. Fonger, school section No. 2; 3, L. McGugan, school section No. 3.

Throwing baseball, for boys, under 12 years—1, E. Woodward, school section No. 4; 2, W. Campbell, school section No. 3; 3, G. Hicks, school section No. 3.

Throwing baseball, for girls, under 12 years—1, M. Smith, school section No 8; 2, J. Zavitz, school section No. 10; 3, G. Ward, school section No. 4.

Cross-country race (through the bush), quarter mile, for boys—H. Alway (9), James Crawford (3), O. McGugan (8).

THE COMMITTEES.

The committees to whom credit belongs for the success of the picnic were:

General Chairman—Dr. D. A. Stuare.

Secretary—Mr. Melvin Payne.

Grounds Committee—Messrs. Hawacher, Fraser, H. Zavitz, McKay, D. Macarthur, W. Zavitz and M. Campbell.

Entertainment Committee—Messrs. Ramsey, McGugan, Ward, D. R. Owens, Stuart, Gillis, J. Sinclair and J. McGugan.

Sports Committee—Dr. Glass and Messrs. Graham, Ward, Payne, W. Macarthur, D. Scholey, D. McKellar and H. W. Harris.

Booth Committee—Messrs. McGugan, G. Barclay, Gillis, H. Cutler, R. Marsh and A. Crawford.

MILES TALKED TOO MUCH

Is Charged With Having Betrayed Official Secrets.

Report That He Has Been Summoned to Washington Contradicted.

Kansas City, Mo., June 6.—The Journal this morning says: Lieut.-Gen. Nelson A. Miles, commanding the army, passed through Kansas City last night on his way from Fort Riley, to Washington, called there by President Roosevelt, and threatened with an immediate court-martial on a charge of having betrayed official secrets. Gen. Miles went through here the day before attended by several other members of the board convened to observe long-range gun tests at Fort Riley, to be so engaged for several days. He came back yesterday afternoon entirely alone, and in such haste that he had not even reserved a sleeping-car berth.

A Journal reporter read to Gen. Miles a special dispatch saying that he was suspected in the White House of having furnished details of the scandal involving Lieut. Arnold to Senator Culberson.

Gen. Miles' comment was:

"Senator Culberson seems to have made an answer as full as one could make, and as explicit as Senator Beveridge or anyone could demand."

"But for yourself, general?"

"I repeat that Senator Culberson seems to have made the reply for which you are asking."

"There is a second dispatch, general," was then remarked, "to the effect that you are peremptorily ordered back to Washington to face this charge."

Gen. Miles would make no reply to this question. He left for Washington at 6:30 o'clock, a short time after his arrival from Fort Riley. While there he did not leave the Union station.

PER CONTRA.

Washington, June 6. — Secretary Root said today that Gen. Miles has not been summoned to Washington. The general, it is said, is now en route from Fort Riley, Kansas, to West Point, in response to an invitation to attend the centennial celebration there next week.

BY BRIBING THE NERVES with opium you may stop a cough, but the inflammation goes from bad to worse. Allen's Lung Balsam, containing no opium, goes to the root of the trouble and cures deep-seated affections of throat and lungs. 25

THE ORANGE GRAND LODGE

Decides to Make No Change in the Rate of Insurance.

Dr. Sproule, M.P., Grand Master—Other Grand Officers Chosen.

Niagara Falls, Ont., June 6. — The Grand Orange Lodge of British America yesterday dealt with the reports of the different committees.

The credential committee's report showed 200 delegates present, representing every part of the Dominion and Newfoundland. The finance committee's report contained a recommendation of a grant of $200 to the True Blue Orphanage at Picton, which was indorsed by the grand lodge.

Dr. Nesbitt, M. P. P., Toronto, chairman of the committee on correspondence and indorsation of the grand masters' and secretary's addresses, submitted his report, which was adopted. The insurance committee's report recommended no change in the rates, and very little change in the rules and regulations. The committees on returns and petitions and appeals also submitted their reports, both of which were very favorable.

The grand lodge having finished discussion on reports of committees, proceeded to the election of officers, which resulted as follows: Grand master, Dr. T. S. Sproule, M. P., Markdale; deputy grand master, William Galbraith, Montreal; grand chaplain, Rev. William Walsh, Brampton; grand treasurer, W. J. Parkhill, Midland, Ont.; grand secretary, William Lockhart, Alliston, Ont.; grand director of ceremonies, W. H. Code, Smith's Falls, Ont.; grand lecturer, J. F. Harper, Hamilton, Ont.; deputy grand treasurer, L. C. Wallace, Woodbridge, Ont.; deputy grand secretary, Daniel McDougall, Glace Bay, N. S.; deputy grand lodge auditors, W. A. Stewart, Warwick, Ont., and J. H. Delmere, Lynden, Ont.

Advice to Mothers.

If your little boy or girl comes home with a sore throat, the first thing to do is to rub the throat and chest with Polson's Nerviline. Don't be afraid to use Nerviline freely—a whole bottleful wouldn't burn or blister the tenderest skin. Rub in until all taken up by the pores, and just before the child goes to sleep give him a glass of hot water into which 30 drops of Nerviline has previously been stirred. This is a sure, pleasant and speedy cure. Large bottle, 25 cents.

"Common Sense"

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WESTERN ONTARIO

Theo. Pastorius and Charles Heath were arraigned before Magistrate Smart, of Kingsville on the charge of having stolen canned goods from the warehouse of the Kingsville Canning Company. Pastorius was sent up for trial, and Heath was acquitted. Edward Campeau, wanted in connection with the crime, is still missing.

Mr. John McPherson, a hardware merchant, of Belmont, met with a painful and serious accident on Wednesday. With a number of others he was engaged in raising a barn for the purpose of working at the foundation. Mr. McPherson was manipulating an iron jack, which broke and a metal splinter struck him in one of his eyes, causing a wound which will necessitate the loss of the eye.

Nathan Ryan, jun., a colored youth of 20 years of age, son of Nathan Ryan, of Yarmouth, was arrested Tuesday afternoon. At 2 o'clock that morning Ryan knocked at the door of Mrs. Sarah Chilnew, St. George Street, St. Thomas, stated that he was Manley Mailing, and that Richard Haney wished to see her. On the woman coming out, the negro attacked and attempted to assault her. Mrs. Cudney is the mother of five children, and lives alone, her husband being out of the city. The accused was held for trial.

A strike started on Tuesday morning among the men employed by Contractor Dart on his steel gang at Tilsonburg. Twenty-seven of the 40 men arranged among themselves to be at the station with their dinner pails, and when the train was ready to steam out, refuse to go without an increase in pay. Mr. Dart heard on Monday night of this move on the part of the men, and arranged, in case of trouble, for a full force. On Tuesday morning, therefore, when he was ready to pull out, the men made their demand. Mr. Dart gave the signal to pull out and the men went with him, except some half-dozen. Their places were filled at Ostrander.

The developments in connection with the arrest at Ridgetown of the supposed embezzler from Minneapolis are interesting. It appears the individual who is wanted in the American city is a Norwegian or Swede, and the man arrested has the appearance of a Scandinavian, but a perfect English accent, and denies in the most indignant manner that he is the person he is suspected of being. Moreover, he is exceedingly wrathy at being confined for ten hours in the lock-up, which he describes as very close and foul. With the assistance of his solicitor, Mr. Mills, of Ridgetown, he was on Tuesday released from solitary confinement, but was kept under close surveillance at the Queen's Hotel, where he has been staying with his wife for several days. He threatens Constable Wills with legal action for having arrested him, and is said to be only awaiting the arrival of the officer from Minneapolis to prove he is not the culprit, to take proceedings against either the constable personally or the municipality as his employer. In the meantime he is a prisoner in the Queen's Hotel, with permission to pace the hallway from his room to the parlor.

Mr. W. C. Schreiber, who was well known over the Grand Trunk Railway lines in Ontario, died at his home near Petrolea on Wednesday night. Mr. Schreiber held a number of important positions on the road prior to his retirement a few years since. He began his railway career in the capacity of inspector of ties for the Northern and Northwestern, with headquarters at Allandale, and later he was appointed general purchasing agent for the same line at Toronto. With the absorption of the Northern by the Grand Trunk, the deceased was made stores inspector, and he occupied this position until the year of the St. George disaster, when he was appointed storekeeper at London, to succeed E. R. Baines, who was one of the victims of the accident. He remained here until six years ago, removing to a point near Petrolea, where he had an interest in some oil wells. Mr. Schreiber was popular in railway circles. He leaves a family of four sons and two daughters—Bert, in Owen Sound; Thomas, in Toronto; Leonard, at home; Lefroy, at the Tunnel; Miss Schreiber and Mrs. E. F. B. Johnston, of Toronto.

John McNeill, a well-known and highly-respected citizen of St. Thomas, died on Sunday evening in the 60th year of his age. Mr. McNeill was born in New Brunswick, and went to St. Thomas 26 years ago, being in the employ of the Grand Trunk Railway as baggage master. In an accident at Canfield Junction four years ago, Mr. McNeill received severe injuries, from which he never fully recovered.

The Carnegie library bylaw was carried at Paris, Ont.

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OLD WINDSOR'S MANY SIGHTS

English Royal Castle Is a Great Treasure-House.

Some Interesting and Wonderful Things About the Historic Pile of Buildings.

Windsor Castle is one of the greatest treasure houses in the world, and by the King's command the public are to be given the privilege of inspecting the gorgeous state rooms of the palace, which contain some of the most beautiful and the most costly of the treasures.

The entire castle, says a London writer, has been overhauled since the late Queen's death, and during the many months that have elapsed skilled workmen have been busy preparing a new home for the King and Queen. New pictures of almost priceless value have been hung in the state apartments, armor and art treasures worth millions of pounds, furniture of the most superb description, carpets that cannot be purchased anywhere, and curios of untold value have been collected and arranged by the most eminent authorities in England, and the finishing touches are being put on for the public view.

Having received the free ticket of admission from the lord chamberlain's office, the visitor will bear to the left and proceed along the North Terrace (from which a magnificent view is always obtainable), to the grand entrance, a lofty doorway, through which the public will now be conducted to the state apartments instead of by the old, inadequate doorway in King John's tower, near the grand quadrangle. From the vestibule the public will come to the grand staircase, about which has been arranged by Mr. Guy Laking the finest collection of arms and armor in the world. On the lower landing is a full-length statue of George IV. by Chantrey. Close by, too, will be seen a representation of the King's champion, exactly as he appeared at the coronation of George IV.

A GOLDEN TIGER'S HEAD.

At the top of the grand staircase is a tiger's head from the throne of Tippoo Sultan. This throne was of considerable magnificence. It was octagonal in shape, having at the corners eight tigers' heads of gold. The legs of the throne were fashioned in the shape of the legs of the tiger, which appeared to support the whole on his back. Tippoo had adopted the tiger as the emblem of his state, and upon most of his arms is a cipher, signifying "The Lion of Gog is the Conqueror." After the storming of Seringapatam, in 1799, this head was brought to England by the East India Company, and was presented to William IV. It was seen for the first time by the public on Easter Monday.

There is also here the golden bird from the throne of Tippoo Sultan. Over the throne was a golden canopy, and on the top of this canopy was the splendid bird. It is about the size of a small pigeon and is intended to represent the fabulous bird of antiquity which is well known to Persian scholars. It is called "the human bird"—a bird peculiar to the east, supposed to fly constantly in the air and never touch the ground. It is looked upon as a bird of happy omen, and that every head it overshadows will in time wear a crown.

FINE ARMS AND ARMOR.

A description of the arms and armor would take up nearly a page of a newspaper. Many of them were gifts from Lord Roberts and Lord Kitchener to the late Queen. Here are a few picked out haphazard:

The khalifa's coat of mail, with padded coat and cap, found in Omdurman.

A shield mounted with silver, belonging to Ras Alula, taken by the dervishes at the battle of Gallabat, in 1899 and captured in Omdurman.

Ancient helmets belonging to the former kings of Darfur and captured in Omdurman.

King John's saddle and trappings, taken by the dervishes after his death at the battle of Gallabat and found in Omdurman.

A crown which belonged to the Queen of Shoa, a kingdom of South Abyssinia. It was brought to the late Queen and presented at Buckingham Palace in 1843.

The royal cap of King Theodore of Abyssinia, which was given him by the Patriarch of Cairo. It is of red velvet, with a gold tassel, and was presented by Lord Napier of Magdala in 1868; also King Theodore's imperial seal of gold, elaborately chased.

Six pieces of plate, which formed part of seven pieces sent to the Queen by the Thirty-second Regiment. They were injured by a shot which struck the plate chest during the siege of the residency of Lucknow in 1857.

THE ZUCCARELLI ROOM.

Passing through Charles II.'s banqueting room (known more familiarly as the state ante-room) the visitor will come to what has long been known as the Zuccarelli room, on account of the principal figures in it being painted by Francesco Zuccarelli. These have, however, been removed, and replaced by some of the finest pictures in the world. This room is now an art gallery in itself, and will be much talked about. The apartment, by the way, used to be known as the "Queen's state drawing-room." Here is now to be seen Quintin Matsys' famous work, "The Misers," which picture-lovers from all parts will visit Windsor to see. Then there are magnificent works by Guido, Titian, Canaletto, Corregio, Holbein and many others.

The visitor next enters the old ballroom, now usually styled the "Vandyck room," on account of the paintings contained therein being the production of that master. Here one sees a picture of Thomas Killigrew, who, by his exhaustless store of wit and humor, rendered himself peculiarly acceptable to Charles II., in whose household he held the post of groom of the bedchamber. At the restoration he received the additional appointment of master of the revels. During the king's exile he was employed as his majesty's resident at Venice.

HE REMINDED THE KING.

Once, seeing the king so entirely absorbed by pleasure as utterly to neglect the great and pressing interests of the country, he hit upon the following expedient to admonish him of his extreme negligence. Having equipped himself in a pilgrim's habit, he made his way to the monarch's apartment. The king, surprised at the oddity of his appearance, immediately asked the meaning of it and whither he was going.

"To the infernal regions," replied the actor.

"Prythee," said the king, "what can your errand be to that place?"

"To fetch back Oliver Cromwell," rejoined Killigrew, "that he may take some care of the affairs of England, for his successor takes none at all."

Close to the Vandyck room are the splendid Rubens Audience and Presence rooms, the guard chamber, the council chamber, the throne room and the ante-throne room. In the throne room there is a handsome ivory throne, a gift to the late Queen by the Maharajah of Travancore, which is now uncovered; the beautiful carpet in the room is of garter blue. Then the visitor can peep in at the Waterloo chamber, which is covered with a magnificent carpet made by the convicts of Agra and presented to the late Queen; also St. George's hall (looking splendid with its panels of unstained oak, and which will be the scene of much splendor and gayety this year). The Gobelin tapestry in the great reception room will be much admired by the visitor, and when he emerges into the open air, near the grand quadrangle, he will have had a surfeit of wonderful sights.



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THE DEMON DYSPEPSIA.—In olden times it was a popular belief that demons moved invisibly through the ambient air, seeking to enter into men and trouble them. At the present time the demon dyspepsia is at large in the same way, seeking habitation in those who by careless or unwise living invite him. And once he enters a man it is difficult to dislodge him. He that finds himself so possessed should know that a valiant friend to do battle for him with the unseen foe is Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, which are ever ready for the trial.

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Acquaintances Formed on Board Ship—Pleasures of the Palate.

Each year witnesses a greater exodus of tourists bound for European shores for the summer vacation. Indeed, a very considerable part of the population of Switzerland and Northern Italy exist solely upon the gains derived, directly and indirectly, from foreign visitors. It is amusing to hear a group of innkeepers, guides and couriers busily engaged in reckoning up the prospects of the summer tourist "crop," using precisely the same terms their agricultural countryman makes use of in discussing his grain or potato crop. This year the English coronation and other special attractions, which the steamship companies are so alluringly setting forth as bait to tempt the wavering, bids fair to attract an unusually large number of Uncle Sam's fair daughters; and—quite incidentally so far as the foreign innkeeper or shopkeeper is concerned—of their accompanying husbands, fathers and brothers. Incidentally, for, in the eyes of mine host and other speculators in the "tourist crop," it is the lady who is to be conciliated, flattered and wheedled; she it is who contracts the bills, the male members of her family being merely the functionaries, visible or invisible, who pay them. Such is the popular opinion entertained abroad of the "beautiful, fascinating and expensive sex."

If it's only a question of getting your money's worth, there is small doubt that a brief tour of Britain and the continent with the two ocean voyages, the trip down the Rhine and innumerable little cruises on the Swiss lakes, is by far the most delightful way of spending one's vacation. Such a vast deal of history and romance, of art and nature and love-making and of evanescent but very delightful new friendships can be crowded into a few short weeks.

EXCITEMENT OF DEPARTURE.

From the moment one hurries along the pier, elbowing his way through the throng of fellow-travelers-to-be shouts from the porters and crew noisily loading the piles of trunks and boxes, portmanteaus and hampers, until he hastens on deck eight or nine days later to view the distant speck on the horizon which he is assured is land, the ocean voyage is full to overflowing with new and strange experiences for the novice, and all kinds of new feats to be accomplished.

First and foremost there is the feat of appearing not to be a novice, which is not so difficult as it might at first thought appear to be, but which deprives one of some of the pleasant features of the trip. There are innumerable little comforts provided for the passengers of the great steamships which are to be had for the asking, and the great mistake of the first voyager lies in not inquiring about them, for fear of appearing "green." It is not so easy a matter even for the old skipper to detect a novice, as many have the air of old sailors on their first voyage while those who have crossed again and again are often perennially verdant.

ON THE BRIGHT BLUE SEA.

Having seen that his baggage is properly deposited in his stateroom the traveler hastens on deck to witness the last good-byes ere the gong sounds and the gang plank is drawn in. In the large steamers class lines are rigidly drawn and the sign "For first class only" assigns certain portions of the deck to their exclusive use. Very nice and often very wealthy people, however, travel second class, as the difference in point of comfort between first and second cabins is only nominal, while the difference in expense is well worth considering. Of course there is a degree of luxury and elegance in the first cabin which the second does not possess, but if the weather is propitious and one is a good sailor the time one spends there is compartively little. And if there is less wealth and ostentation among the second cabiners there is often a much greater amount of real intelligence and culture.

When the last gong has sounded and the last of the friends have hastily jumped to the pier, the steamer begins slowly plowing her way out of the harbor, while the shouts from the shore become less and less distinct and the vibration of the ship greater and greater. As long as it is possible to see, the passengers remain on deck, from the first class to the steerage, waving their handkerchiefs toward the fast receding shore. And then each seeks his or her stateroom to prepare for dinner, devoutly praying in his heart that the head steward has placed his card at table among congenial people.

PLEASURES OF THE PALATE.

As a rule the meals on the Atlantic liners are very good, and as each steward is mentally calculating the size of the tip he will receive from each occupant of his table at the end of the voyage, they are remarkably well served. The dining-rooms are as elegantly appointed as those of the most expensive hotels on land. Conversation is free and lively, for there is a certain spirit of democracy and good fellowship to be met with on shipboard which one finds nowhere else in the world. Except by a prudish few, introductions as a rule are not deemed necessary, and acquaintances are quickly formed.

Dinner over the gentlemen usually seek the smoking-room for a game of cards, while the ladies retire to the saloon for a chat and to enjoy various impromptu recitations and music. If the night is fine the younger contingent seek the rear decks to view the "phosphorescence" in the wake of the vessel, and to enjoy conversation undisturbed by lights or investigating mammas.

The experienced sailor makes a point of going to the upper deck bright and early for his morning walk, to view the sunrise and to enjoy a cup of the delicious coffee the steward leaves in the smoking-room for the initiated. Even when the decks are wet, not by the swabbers' brush but by the spray from a vigorous sea, this early morning exercise and hot coffee are recommended. They are great preventives of sea sickness.

TWO PHASES.

Seated in some sheltered corner away from the too intrusive ocean breezes, in a comfortable steamer chair warmly wrapped in rugs, one may pass a whole morning with one's book or one's thoughts and think it is but an hour, unless reminded by the cravings of a sea-air appetite. The marvelous flight of time on shipboard, indeed, is a favorite topic of conversation with the passengers.

"How tempus does fugit on the water," one frequently hears some comfortable-looking young lady remark to her companions in the words of the old college song. And the only dissenting voice is a groan from the unfortunate man in a distant chair writhing in the throes of the dreadful mal de mer. If he does not say "let her fuge" he uses the English for it.

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Unless the voyage be an extremely rough one, the average traveler thoroughly enjoys his eight days on the water. Even down in the sterage, where the people are herded together much after the fashion of cattle, there is a goodly amount of fun going on. But the cry of "land!" never fails to bring an eager crowd to the fore, and everyone is glad to find himself on terra firma once more.—Detroit Free Press.

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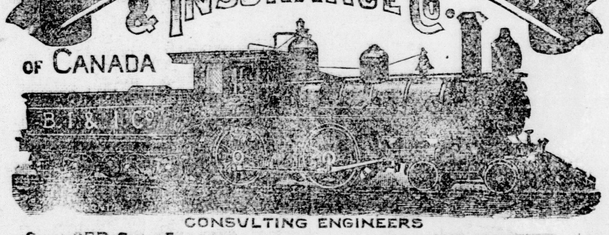
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THE REAL LADY OF THE SNOWS

English Spring Season Marked by Cold Weather.

As a Rule Spring Is a Backward Season, Says The Times—The Poets' Mythical Dreams.

The London Times of recent date contains the following account of spring in England:

Whitsuntide is upon us and the winter is still with us. This is a common experience of our English climate, and yet one that always takes us by surprise. There is nothing more enchanting to the spirit, the imagination and the senses than an ideal English spring, the spring of which Browning dreamed when he sang "Oh! to be in England, now that April's there," or Chaucer's "Aprille with his schowers swoote" when "longen folk to gon on pilgrimages, And palmers for a seeken straunge strondes"—some, that is, to put it into modern English, to enjoy the week-end, and others to play golf at the seaside. Too often, however, there is nothing more detestable than the reality. M e often than not spring of reality is a season of blizzards, of blustering winds and of blighting frosts—a belated winter with none of its compensations. The days are growing long, it is true, but, as the old proverb warns us, the cold strengthens as the day lengthens. It does strengthen in an intransitive sense, but assuredly not in a transitive. On the contrary, it weakens, it depresses, it irritates, and in many cases it kills. There is no cold which is so hard to bear, none which seems so penetrating and so petrifying, none which is so deadly to the aged and the ailing, as that which comes out of season. It is true again, that as the year advances the buds must burst and birds must sing, but not all the nightingales from the South nor all the growing greenery of the thickets they frequent can make a spring such as poets sing and all men love so long as the skies remain gloomy, the winds bitter, and the rain pitiless. However, hope springs eternal in the human breast. Every year as April dies and May is born we persuade ourselves that spring has come at last, and that even summer is at hand. It is nothing of the kind. There is frequently no summer in England before the longest day, and in some years the longest day is not much warmer, even if it is not actually colder, than the shortest. Snow in May is not uncommon, and frosts have been known even in June. "I'll May be out, ne'er cast a clout," says the old and wise adage. Our forefathers knew that May was a fickle and a bitter month, and in spite of the poets they clothed themselves accordingly.

BACKWARDNESS THE RULE.

There is really nothing exceptional in an unkindly spring and a May like the present month. The exception is rather the other way. Popular meteorology is almost entirely a generalization from exceptions. We talk about a old-fashioned winter, by which we mean a winter such as ours on an average once perhaps in ten or a dozen years, when the ground is white at Christmas and remains white and frost-bound until Candlemas is passed. Every foxhunter knows that that kind of winter is quite the exception. But when it comes it strikes the imagination and appeals to the taste of the young, and so fixes itself in their memory as a type that all other, and, if they only knew it, much more common, types of winter are apt to be regarded by them as exceptional and objectionable aberrations. This kind of generalization from a fascinating but quite exceptional experience, fostered by the poets of every age as well as by the poet that is in every one of us, is responsible for that ideal conception of spring and its enchantments which nearly every year that passes proves to be an illusion. We take the ideal for the normal, and then grumble that the normal arrives while the ideal tarries. It is natural and excusable to grumble—especially after such an experience as that of the present year—but let us still cling to the ideal and enjoy it at least in fancy. In too many years of our lives it is likely to be the only way in which we can enjoy it. Nevertheless the poets are right after all: it is only the seasons that are wrong. The spring of the poet, the spring of the poet that is in all of us, is perhaps the one thing in our lives that has the power to evoke that poet in the majority of us. Even amid the bleak and blighting experiences of this present May we may still think and dream of that ideal May which comes but rarely, it is true, but so overpowers us with its sweet fascination when it does come that it lifts the dullest of us into poetry for the nonce and compels us in fancy to invest all other Mays with its own evanescent but incomparable charm. This May or that may belie the poet's dream and tempt us in our disappointment to be traitors to the queen of all the seasons. Her reign is transient, it is true, often only momentary. But the spell of those rare halcyon days is so potent over all our minds that ever afterwards we must fain seek the hidden lineaments of that most sweet and gracious sovereign of the air even in the hailstorm and the thundercloud, in the nipping frosts and the biting blasts, of a May like the present.

NO CONSOLATION.

If we cannot console ourselves in this way—and it is cold comfort at the best with the thermometer at winter levels and the skies of more than wintry dullness—it is hard to see where any consolation can be found. We can only wait till the clouds roll by and until wind changes not merely in direction but in quality—for the peculiarity of the present season seems to be that from whatever quarter the wind blows it has an eager and a nipping touch. That is, perhaps, its only peculiarity, for there is certainly nothing exceptional in a May so wedded to the east wind as perforce to belie all the poet's ideals. The pity of it is that, common as a cold May is, indeed exceptional as anything but a cold May is, it invariably takes us unawares and unprepared. We regulate our habits by the calendar, not by the thermometer. It is just as cold when the thermometer stands at 55 degrees in May as it is when it stands at the same level in December; but in December we wear fur coats and hug our firesides, whereas in May we don summer clothing and take tea on the terrace of the houses of parliament. A railway passenger who asked for a footwarmer in May would probably be offered a ticket for Hanwell. It is difficult, to doubt to be always ready for a climate which consists only of samples. We must strike an average, but why not strike the average on the assumption that May will be a cold month? We should be much more often right in the long run than on any other assumption. The truth is that the seasons as traditionally reckoned appear to have little or no relation to the latitude or climate of the British Islands. True winter rarely begins until the year has turned, true summer hardly ever begins until the longest day has passed. There is a long autumn extending, perhaps, from harvest time till Christmas, though its earlier portion from the rising of harvest moon to the waning of St. Martin's summer is often the best imitation of summer—except for the shortening days—which this climate can produce.

NO GENTLE SPRING.

There is, properly speaking, no spring, that is, breathing the ethereal mildness of the poet. There are a few incomparable days sporadically dispersed over the months of April, May and June, and sometimes even of March, on which to live is to know what the poets meant when they sang of spring, and to believe ever afterwards, in the teeth of all experience, that what they sang applies, or ought to apply, to the whole of a season which is really for the most part merely winter belated and bewitched. Let us admit, then, that the only true seasons in this climate are summer, autumn and winter, and that spring as we know it consists merely of a few scattered days of brief but blessed reprieve from the torments of a winter which never really ends until summer really begins.

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At the close of the long struggle it is a matter upon which Canadians are entitled to congratulate themselves that from the beginning to the end the men who went from these shores acquitted themselves so well, and, indeed, shed such luster on the land that sent them. It is a byword that people see merits in their own that are not always discernible by others, but we are fortunate that in regard to the men of our contingents we have unimpeached testimony as to their heroism and soldierly qualities generally. Rather than blow our own trumpets, therefore, we may be content to listen to the trumpetings of strangers. In giving heed to such praises it is well to remember of what material our troops were composed. Scarcely a man of them had ever heard or seen a shot fired in anger. No inconsiderable number were innocent of the A B C of drill. Their main stock in trade, indeed, was a determination to act so that the young land from which they hailed would have no reason to be ashamed of them. They felt that in being chosen out of the many who wanted to go there was an obligation on them to do nothing that would justify the feeling that better men might have been sent. This appears to have been the standard in all of the contingents, for without exception each one of them was found true when the moment of trial arrived.

Paardeberg is a name that will always have a proud meaning for Canadians. How our troops bore themselves in this battle, the decisive battle of the war, has been told more than once, but we feel sure that at this juncture the testimony of three noted spectators of that struggle will not be considered out of place. Col. Colville, commander of the ninth division, of which the Canadians were an integral part, speaks in his book, "The Work of the Ninth Division," of their conduct on that fateful day when the Lion of Potchefstroom was laid in the toils, and notwithstanding the subsequent prolongation of the war, a staggering, irretrievable blow administered to the Boer defenses. After relating how the Canadians, accompanied by an entrenching party of engineers, rushed forward in the darkness to within a short distance of the Boer lines, and kept up a lively fusillade on the enemy, while the entrenching party were at work, Col. Colville states what was revealed after the surrender of Cronje:

"On pacing the distance between the trenches they were found to be 90 yards apart; and we also found that our new position, besides commanding the inside of the Boer laager, as we had known beforehand that it must do, enfiladed a trench running parallel to the river and which protected the laager from any attack from the south. Cronje was therefore wholly at our mercy. I know nothing of what his intentions may have been, beyond the Boers' statement that I have quoted. He may have intended to surrender that day or that day week, and me may not have hurried him a minute, but, whatever he may have intended, I am sure those 480 Canadians made it impossible for him to do anything but that which he did."

Somewhat further on Col. Colville relates that Lord Roberts expressed his desire to thank the Canadians, and to examine the ground where they had performed their gallant rush. Dr. Conan Doyle's description of the same event in "The Great Boer War" is as follows:

"The Canadians advanced in the darkness of the early morning, before the rise of the moon. The front rank held their rifles in the left hand, and each extended right hand grasped the sleeve of the man next it. The rear ranks had their rifles slung, and carried spades. Nearest the river bank were two companies (G and H), who were followed by the 7th company of Royal Engineers, carrying picks and empty sandbags. The long line stole through a pitchy darkness, knowing that any instant a blaze of fire such as flamed before the Highlanders at Magersfontein might crash out in front of them. A hundred, two, three, four, five hundred paces were taken. They knew that they must be close upon the trenches. If they could only creep silently enough they might spring upon the defenders unannounced. On and on they stole, step by step, praying for silence. Would the gentle shuffle of feet be heard by the men who lay within stone-throw of them? Their hopes had begun to rise when there broke upon the silence of the night a resonant metallic rattle, the thud of a falling man, an empty clatter! They had walked into a line of meat cans slung upon a wire! By measurement it was only 90 yards from the trench. At that instant a single rifle sounded, and the Canadians hurled themselves down upon the ground."

Dr. Doyle goes on to show that the great bulk of them were so exposed that they could not hold their places, and were ordered to retire, but that a number who were better placed held on and labored all night, so that by the morning they were entrenched, and the first intimation the Boers had of the ruinous change that had taken place in the situation was when one of their men was shot while filling his drinking can at the river. A half-hour's firing succeeded this episode, and then the white flag appeared on the crest of the Boer trenches. A writer whose picturesque and graphic accounts of the war have won for him a great reputation is one who signs himself "Linesman." He has contributed chiefly to Blackwood and the Spectator. In the March number of the Spectator he contributed an article on the part the spade played in the war, and took the rush of the Canadians on the Boer trenches at Paardeberg as one of the illustrations. He says:

"On the night of the 26th, Smith-Dorrien's defenses were within 700 yards of the Boer trenches. When day broke on the 27th they were within 50 yards, and enfilading them, and the white flag went up over that terrible laager! There was no finer feat throughout the war, nor has there been in any war, than the night march of the Canadians over that deadly 650 yards, but their bold hearts would have been still in death by sun-up had not a low but strong parapet—'risen like an exhalation'—frowned at dawn between them and the astounded Boers a stone's throw away. For the men, as they stole to the advance on their trench, had carried spades, and a party of engineers behind them sacks of earth. Their stealthy advance was undetected until they were within 50 yards of the great Boer trench on the flat, then the clang of a wire entanglement broke the silence, and a thousand rifles roared at them before the suspended tin cans had done rattling. Down went the sacks of earth, down went the gallant Canadians behind them, overhead into the sacks screamed and thudded the whirlwind of lead. Then, when the fierce outburst was passed, the spades went to work, the men lying prone as they dug, until before light the straggling line of battered sacks was a secure earthwork, and the grimmest, stoutest and wickedest Boer had fought his last fight for his country."

We have dwelt on the Paardeberg fight, because it typifies the spirit with which the Canadian troops, one and all, went through the campaign. It was the spirit of the Mounted Rifles and Dragoons under Col. Evans and Col. Lessard, of the batteries under Col. Drury and of the Strathconas under Col. Steele. It was shown at Klip River, when the conduct of the Mounted Rifles drew a eulogistic speech from Gen. French, the only speech with which the dashing cavalryman is credited during the whole war. It was shown by the gunners under Lieut. Morrison and the Royal Canadian Dragoons under Lieuts. Cockburn and Turner, when they threw themselves a sacrifice in the path of a charging line of Boers five times their number, and so saved the two retiring guns. It was shown in more glorious measure but the other day, when Lieut. Carruthers and his little band of heroes were almost exterminated, giving their lives up for the safety of the column to which they were attached. There were no Canadian correspondents there to sing their praises, but they have been sung, as before, by others, and the gallantry and brave determination of these raw troops have excited admiration as well as surprise wherever the deed has been told. Nor should we omit to chronicle the devotion to duty in the face of the deadliest peril shown by the Canadian surgeons and the ambulance staff. The cool work of Surgeon-Colonel Devine and his staff while the shells were threatening every moment to demolish the ambulance wagon, and actually killed a wounded man who was being operated on, is not the least worthy incident to be treasured as part of the Canadian annals in the Boer war.—Toronto Globe.

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ACTOR WARFIELD ILL.

New York, June 6.—David Warfield, the widely-known comedian, has been removed from his home to the General Memorial Hospital, where he is threatened with appendicitis. He closed the season on the road recently, and on Tuesday became ill.

FIRE LEAVES 2,000 MEN IDLE.

Chicago, June 5.—The planing mill and wood-working shop of the Illinois car and equipment works at Hegewich, Illinois, were destroyed by fire last night. Loss, 50,000. Two thousand men were thrown out of employment.

Birmingham, Ala., June 5.—A telephone message received in this city says the town of Calera, Ala., is burning, and has asked for assistance. Special trains have left here with fire engines.

MISS STONE SUED FOR $30,000.

Boston, Mass., June 6.—Suit for $30,000 damages was filed in the supreme court today against Miss Ellen M. Stone by Richard Heard and others, for alleged breach of contract to lecture under their management in regard to her experiences while in captivity in Bulgaria. The contract was made March 22, 1902, and under it Miss Stone was to deliver 100 lectures. She subsequently made an agreement with Major Pond, and is now lecturing under that contract. Heard and others recently brought a bill in equity in the superior court, and the decision was averse to them.

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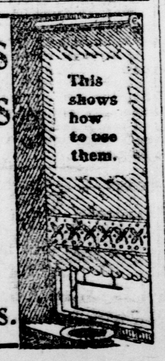
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The dear Lord, who watches the sparrow's flight and fall, and who has given us some faint glimpses of what is to be, will keep the wonderful promise, "I go to prepare a place for you," and we need have no disturbing thoughts, but on the contrary, perfect confidence.

Our chief concern should be how to make the best and the most of this life, for if we are in the right now we surely cannot go wrong hereafter. God has hidden certain benefits in the experiences through which we are called to pass, and it is important that as we go through the experiences we find a way to gather the benefits. I am convinced that no event in our lives is without its purpose, and if our minds and hearts are properly developed we shall not only discover what that purpose is, but have cause for gratitude and increased faith even amidst sorrows and tears and bereavements.

It should be our aim, therefore, to live as peacefully as possible—that is to say, we should reduce the friction of life to its minimum, and nothing will serve this end except a brainfelt and heartfelt religion. Peacefulness depends on interior qualities more than on environment and external circumstances. It is possible to have everything, and at the same time to practically have nothing. It is also possible to travel a ragged and wearying path with a light heart. It does not follow that you are well off because you are rich, but you may, if you will, be well off in spite of carking cares and strange uncertainties.

Everything depends on your outlook towards God and your inlook at yourself. If you can see a dim something beyond the stars when you look forth, and something worth your attention when you examine your own soul, you have the firm foundations on which to build a grand and glorious life. The riches disclosed by the two visions are beyond computation. In the consciousness that your destiny outreaches the limits of time, and that you are capable of appreciating the spirit of the Christ and of appropriating it to the economy of life, as he desired you to do, you become to a large extent independent of what is called good or ill fortune. You have a priceless comfort in your heart which nothing can purchase and of which no cunning theft can dispoil you, for the most secure of all your possessions is the ideal which you hope to attain.

While it might be rash to assert that you can become wholly indifferent to circumstances, it is safe to declare that if you have a comforting faith you can be infinitely happier as a poor man than you could be with all the wealth of the world at command if you had no faith at all. It is not the soft bed which gives refreshing sleep, but a quiet conscience and a serene trust. We know this to our sorrow. It is what you have in your heart, not what you have in your pocket, that makes you enviable A large bank account has a certain magic in it, but if you hope to find therein the means of happiness you will be disappointed. The necromancy of life has its source in heartbeats.

You wrong yourself and waste both time and energy in accumulation as the sole aim of life. It is impossible that God can have so arranged the world that dollars will buy what the poor need as well as the rich. The most desirable things must be within reach of the multitude, and I am sure that though you toil from day to day and bend your shoulders to the burden of hardship you ought to have, and you can have, great comforts and great joys. True religion is thoroughly democratic. It favors no class, and gives as plentifully to the unlettered as to the unlearned.

The picture of an ideal life which Christ offers us is wholly enticing and alluring—a father who listens to every cry of your heart; an Elder Brother who trod the path of anguish and sorrow, and who tells us how we may possess our souls in peace; a heaven in which there will be no more partings, for in its wide territory there is no graveyard; a host of angels with whom we may communicate, and whose influence is round about us from day to day. Can any soul ask for more? What is there else that you can desire? With these faiths you are armed and equipped for whatever exigency may occur.

I do not say that life will not be a very serious business, taxing your resources at times to the utmost; but I venture to assure you that you will have many comforts which can be earned, but not bought, and a certain quietness of soul which he alone can enjoy who knows what the present means and who sees the beckoning hand of the future. To rest calmly on the watchful care of Providence even when the way is dark and stormy; to feel in the inner depths that the Hand which guides knows how to guide; to yield in submissive resignation to whatever befalls, looking over to the mist-covered fields of Paradise as the refuge from grief and toil—this is to lead a very profitable and very comfortable life, one that will be a daily blessing unto yourself and an encouragement to every struggling soul in the world.—George H. Hepworth, New York.

Game in the Congo.

The natives are not heavy meat eaters. The domestic fowl—that marvelous combination of skin, bone and feathers—the old friend of all African travelers, and the inevitable bleating goat, are common to all districts. There are also some sheep to be had. But the darling pet of the Congo man is his pig. You can treat his wife and children as you like, but if you touch his pig, beware. To kill a man's pig that breaks through your fence and digs up your vegetable garden is to commit the unpardonable sin, and the owner never fogives you. Hog's flesh is equally dear to him. Game in some parts is plentiful, but more especially in Zombo, says the Geographical Journal. There we have several kinds of deer, antelopes, and wild hares; the only difficulty is to bag them. Guinea fowls, partridges, and pigeons abound, and there are some pheasants, and in the swampy valleys we find wild ducks and many other birds. Eagles, vultures and other birds of prey are common, and very annoying, while the woods are resplendent with the gorgeous plumage of the birds. Elephants, buffaloes and leopards are to be found, but must be sought for in the more sparcely populated districts.

NO DANGER FROM SUPPOSED VOLCANO.

Albuquerque, N. M., June 6.—Dr. C. L. Herrick, former president of the New Mexico University and one of the most eminent geologists in the west, has carefully examined the supposed volcano crater, fifteen miles from Gallup. He does not believe there is any possibility of dangerous eruption from the crevice which emits steam.

Three cases of smallpox have been discovered at Notre Dame, Kent county, N. B., fifteen miles from Moncton, in the house of James Johnston.

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"SIS HOPKINS" GETS DIVORCE.

Cincinnati, June 6.—A decree of divorce was granted by the common pleas court here to Rose Melville, widely known as the impersonator of "Sis Hopkins." She sued as Rose Hardy, wife of Harry Hardy. Mrs. Hardy was permitted to resume her maiden name of Smoch.

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WAS MAGISTRATE A "FENCE."

Paterson, N. J., June 6.—Jacob Simon, a justice of the peace in this city, has been arrested on a charge of receiving stolen property. Frederick Kreyer, a silk manufacturer, is held as an alleged accomplice. Simon is a barber, whose shop has been the rendezvous for prominent politicians. It is alleged he was the receiver for the thieves and that he bought the goods, shipped them to Lyndhurst, N. J., whence they were sent to a mill in another place and from there forwarded to New York as the product of that mill.

THE YUKON'S WHITE-HAIRED BOY.

Dawson, Y. T., June 6.—Governor Ross arrived Wednesday by the steamer Susie, with 300 of the most prominent citizens of Dawson, who went up the Yukon twenty miles to meet him. He was received by the band playing the National Anthem, accompanied by Major Wood and a large reception committee. Ross is a most popular man in the Yukon, having the perfect confidence of everyone, and his actions have greatly strengthened the government here.

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Unquestionably there is nothing connected with the business of farming which gives more annoyance, or which is as difficult to get on a satisfactory basis as farm labor. There are various causes which tend to bring about this state of things, and perhaps none more so than the unreasonableness of employers. Socialists tell us that the world could produce enough for its needs if every man worked but half the number of hours that is now considered a working day; but unfortunately on our Canadian farms it seems necessary for the farmer and his men to put to each day a solid day's work all the year round, and even then it is difficult to hold one's own among the keen competition. In these days when the relations between capital and labor have become so tense that a little extra strain at any time may bring about the most serious results, it is a matter of no small importance for farmers to consider whether something cannot be done to put the labor question, as it effects the farm, on a better basis.

In an ideal condition of affairs the employer should never ask or expect his men to do more work than was right or reasonable, and when hiring would in all cases be ready and willing to give a fair and just remuneration for services to be performed, and would endeavor to carry out a system of farming that would give employment to his men in the slack part of the year. The employed also would not take undue advantage of the employer because of a temporary scarcity of labor; would never shirk his work, but would be faithful in doing his duty whether his employer were with him or not, and would in all cases be ready to put forth an extra effort at a busy time.

It is scarcely to be expected however that such an Utopian state of affairs will ever exist, while frail human nature remains as it is, but by the exercise of a little thoughtfulness and mutual forbearance the relations between employer and employed may be much improved. In considering the question of farm labor as it effects the operations and profits of the farm, and the home life of the dwellers there, morally and socially, it will generally be found on large and moderately large farms that the employment of married men, boarding themselves, is altogether preferable to boarding men in the house. Outside the question of profits, there is the all-important consideration of home life. The home life cannot by any possibility be what home life should be when the farmhouse is nothing better than a boarding-house. It is not too much to say that the future life of many a bright boy or girl in this country has been a failure through too little attention having been paid to their yearning for home comforts. One of the first things to be aimed at in managing a farm in this way is to employ none but good men, and then do everything in reason to make their lives comfortable. Farmers have no right, even if they have the power, to make their men work from early morning until after dark at night; and looked at from no standpoint but that of personal gain, it is a decided mistake. Incidentally, it may not be amiss to say that the farmer ought not to ask his sons to do what no reasonable man would expect his hired men to do. Many a good boy has been driven from home by that sort of treatment.

Then, again, it is a matter of the first importance that the men serving shall be well treated. Their houses, if not large, should at least be made comfortable. The gardens attached should be large enough for them to grow vegetables for their own use, but not so large as to take up too much of their time; and if a few apples and small fruits can be grown on the ground, they would be more appreciated than by those who can afford to buy them. A cow is almost a necessity to a family on the farm, and an arrangement should be made to have it pastured but on no account wintered by the farmer. It is too severe a trial of human nature to allow a hired man to feed his cow from his employer's meal box, and is almost sure to cause trouble.

The faculty of getting on well with hired men on the farm is well worth cultivating. My own experience leads me to know that if you engage good men, there is little trouble in keeping them, if we, as employers, do our part. It is our duty to try to make them as comfortable as circumstances will permit. If we do so, we may expect faithful service, and from good men we will get it. Let the rules be strictly laid down and adhered to, and on no consideration keep a man after his time is out, if he has at any time given a word of impertinence.

However, owing to the conditions in which most farmers are placed, the larger number of farm hands are unmarried men, who are boarded in the house, and this is most likely the state of affairs that will continue for some time to come. It is a difficult question to deal with, and as far as both employer and employed are concerned, it is a most unsatisfactory state, largely arising from the fact that in many sections there is comparatively little work for one half the year, and just so long as the farmer has to look out for new men every spring, and the good man finds himself discharged at the first sign of winter or before, it will remain so, and no amount of philosophizing will put it right. The rapid extension of winter dairying during the past few years has done a great deal to insure steady employment the year round, but conditions are still unsatisfactory in many districts.

In conclusion, it may be said that as a general thing the best men are the cheapest. Try and get hold of good men, and where conditions will admit of it, have profitable employment the year round, and use them as you would like to be used if you were in their circumstances.

F. W. HODSON,
Live Stock Commissioner.

Management of Colts.

Mr. F. W. Hodson, live stock commissioner, writes:

Many people think that a mare should rest from work for several weeks before foaling. This is not so. If a brood mare has been accustomed to farm work, let her continue at such work until a few days before she is due to foal. Moderate work is not only harmless, but beneficial to mares in foal, provided proper care be taken not to overload them. It is certainly better than keeping them tied up in the stable, or permitting them to run at large in the fields with other horses. In the former case they suffer from want of exercise, and in the latter they are very liable to accidents from racing, playing or fighting with one another. After the foal is dropped, the mare should have a few days rest, not only for her own sake, but for that of the foal as well. When the time of foaling approaches, the dam should be turned loose in a large box stall, or if the weather be mild, in a paddock. When the mare is a valuable one, and the prospective foal is looked for with a good deal of interest, it is well to watch her closely, as many valuable animals have been lost, which, by a little attention at the right moment might have been saved. About the best time for foaling is the latter part of May, as there is then an abundance of grass, and the heat is not excessive. Autumn colts will do well if carefully wintered. Colts born during midsummer—fly time—should be housed during the day, and the mare fed green feed. These extra cares are an objection to this time of breeding. For a considerable period before foaling the mare should be fed on soft food, so as to keep her bowels open and stimulate the flow of milk. The foods that have been found useful in increasing the flow of milk in the cow, will have the same effect upon the mare. Wheat bran is particularly desirable, fed in the form of a mash; oats, clover, hay and carrots are all good, but plenty of good fresh grass is probably the best aid to healthy and abundant nutrition, for both mare and foal.

COLT SHOULD BE HEALTHY.

It is of the highest importance that the young horse should start life in full vigor, and to this end he should very soon after birth take a good draught of the colostrum or first milk of the dam. Colostrum has a purgative effect which is necessary in order to cause the bowels to assume their natural functions. If this is not accomplished naturally, a gentle purgative of castor oil should be given.

If the foal is born in the foetal membranes, it must be liberated at once, or it will suffocate. If the navel cord is not ruptured it may be tied tightly in two places near together, and cut between the cordings, or it mays be severed by scraping it with a dull knife about two inches from the navel. Colts will bleed to death if the umbilical cord is severed too close to the body, and too soon after the colt is born; careful watching is better than luck at such times. Foals are very subject to a disease called joint evil, which is almost always fatal, and when not actually fatal, renders the foal not worth raising. Recent investigations show that this disease is caused by blood-poisoning, the poisonous matter entering through the newly severed navel cord, from the litter or some other injurious substance touching the wound, and that by carefully disinfecting, the navel disease can be avoided in most cases. A weak solution of carbolic acid is very good for the purpose. Among the other common troubles of young colts are diarrhoea and constipation. The former is usually caused by overfeeding, or exposure to inclement weather, and should be checked at once by the use of such correctives as parched flour, rice meal gruel, and boiled milk. Constipation, on the other hand, may be relieved by the use of castor oil, and by injections of warm water to which soap has been added. In all cases of derangement, it is well to at once lessen the amount of feed of both dam and foal, thus assisting nature to restore the digestive tract to its proper condition.

WEANING THE FOAL.

At two or three months old the foal will begin to nibble grain from the mother's feed box, and by the time it has reached the age of five or six months it should be accustomed to eat all sorts of food. The weaning of the foal should be done gradually, and when it has grown used to eating, it should be confined in a loose box where there is nothing in which it can become entangled and fed on soft feed. The dam should then be put on dry feed and given moderate work. The milk must be removed occasionally, but it is better not to milk dry, as the secretion will cease sooner. As soon as the foal is properly weaned, he should have the run of a good pasture, as there is no food better than grass, no medicine as good as exercise fresh air and sunlight. As the weather grows colder the foal should be put in the stable at night, and fed a little oats or bran. As soon as the winter sets in, he should, if possible, have a loose box, and be let out every day for an hour or two for exercise, feeding a little bran mash, a few carrots and clover hay. With such care he will come out in good shape in the spring.

BREAK COLTS EARLY.

Whenever it is practicable the colt should be broken to halter while yet a suckling, and the earlier in life this process is commenced, the more easily it will be accomplished. He may soon be led by the side of the dam without difficulty, and when once accustomed to being guided by the halter, it will be an easy matter to lead him anywhere. By the time he is weaned, he will lead like an old horse, and when the time comes to break him to harness he will give little trouble; in fact, he is already broken. When a colt is two and one-half years old, hitch him alongside a steady, aged horse, and he will become accustomed to work. Use him to do light work the first winter and so prepare him to take a share in the spring seeding on the farm. Always be careful not to put him to the hardest work until he is fully developed, and capable of taking his side at anything that is to be done on a farm.

Stock Exhibits.

One of the very best advertisements for any breed is that their breeders exhibit the best specimens of the result of their skill in mating and handling them at the leading exhibitions.

So many breeders hold back because of a dread of being beaten in the show ring, and fancy, because two or three exhibitors have been successful for a few years perhaps, that those commencing are handicapped by the prestige of the old hands in the work. This is a decidedly foolish way in which to look at the matter, because if you admit as a fact that there is some truth in such a contention, we must also consider the fact that no animal has yet been produced that cannot be improved upon, and no breeder has been able to produce one that another breeder could not equal or surpass, and if the beginner repeatedly overtops his competitor he is sure to come to the front, and then he will find the equal reward to the effort necessary to secure it, and the tables being turned, he will find he has to work harder than ever to hold what he has got, and if a large number of the breeders of any class of animals are determined to win—note the tremendous advantage to the breed. Wherever you see keenest competition from several breeders of any one class of animals, you will see, also, the greatest improvement in that class, and the more competitors the greater the advance. Every exhibitor cannot win first prize in every case, but five times out of six, at the very least, the best animal gets it. I would urge upon a large number of the champions of every breed, to fit and exhibit at least a few of their best, with every effort to have them better than any person else can have them, and the recompense, through the advancement of the breed, even if you do not secure sufficient of the prize money to pay all the expenses connected with the preparation and showing, it will make the breed more attractive, and draw more custom and more profit.

Do not be afraid of the fellow who has been winning; if he has good stuff it will be all the more credit to beat him, and it can be done. I very well remember, when I began showing sheep, after the flock had dropped out of the ring for some twenty years or more, and when I felt sure the stock I put in the ring was equal to, or better, than those that beat them, and after I had gone through the fight, and come out only second best, one of the committee of judges, who I fancied had not been able to put as many of the prizes my way as he thought I was entitled to, said in my hearing: "The man who beats Mr. So-and-so must have them 50 per cent better than he has." I then and there registered a vow, that I would produce that 50 per cent if necessary, and "I got there."

I would very strongly urge upon those who have good stock, and wish to have them better if possible, to prepare and show a few at least, and as many as you feel will do you credit, and you will be surprised, perhaps, how much better you can have them the second or third year than the first. Do not be afraid to try.

Others hesitate to go to the larger fairs, because they are not in a position to take a full flock or herd with them. While in reality the man who fits a few head, say a pen of lambs and two or three older ones perhaps, or a herd of calves or other young cattle, or a few pigs, has the chances of success largely on his side. He has, in that case, fewer to give his attention to, and is very likely to feed and care for them himself, or very closely supervise it, and all along the line, the men who personally prepare their stock for showing meet with the greatest success.

Occasionally a man is found on this side of the ocean who will have as much interest in and devotion to the care of the animals in prparation for the show-ring, as the owner, but they are very rare, and generally, when a wealthy man succeeds in sweeping up the prize list, he does so largely with animals already prepared by the skillful care and attention of the previous owners, who had put their thought and time to bring them so well forward, and the profit is much larger, proportionately, to the man who breeds and fits his own animals, for his flock or herd is very much more likely to improve, he naturally gives more attention to the breeding and merit of the herd or flock from which he expects to produce the winners, than the man who buys up a whole flock or herd to show, and who, naturally, is a speculator rather than a breeder.—A. W. Smith in Farming World.

Humors

Come to the surface in the spring as in no other season. It's a pity they don't run themselves all off that way; but in spite of pimples and other eruptions they mostly remain in the system. That's bad. Hood's Sarsaparilla removes them and cures all the painful and disfiguring troubles they cause. Nothing else cleanses the system and clears the complexion like Hood's. d

YOU NEED NOT COUGH all night and disturb your friends; there is no occasion for you running the risk of contracting inflammation of the lungs or consumption, while you can get Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. This medicine cures coughs, colds, inflammation of the lungs and all throat and chest troubles. It promotes a free and easy expectoration, which immediately relieves the throat and lungs from viscid phlegm.

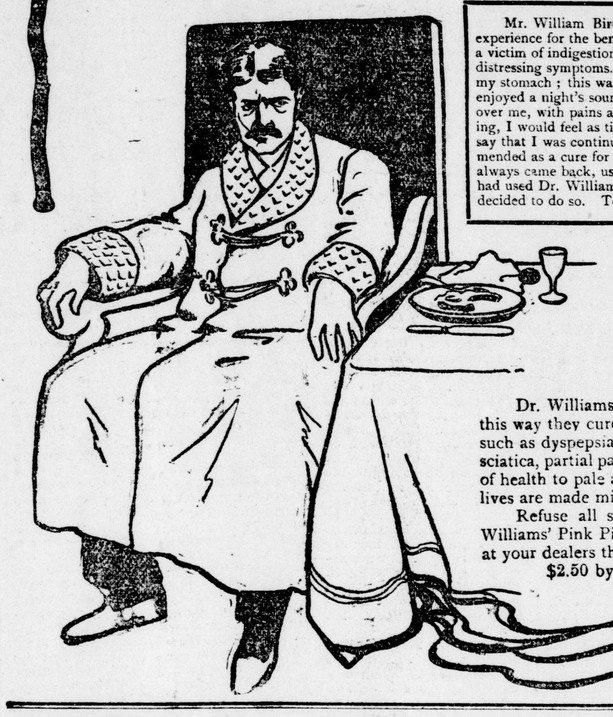
DYSPEPSIA

If there is any person more unhappy than the dyspeptic it would be hard to find him. Dyspeptic people are generally tortured by a constant desire for things they know they must not eat. Dyspepsia is a very common disease; most people, particularly those who do not take enough exercise, are inclined to it more or less frequently. The dyspeptic generally has recourse to various medicines which only offer temporary relief from the distress, but do not effect a cure. What the dyspeptic needs is

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

FOR PALE PEOPLE.

These pills are not a purgative but are tonic and strengthening. They act upon the stomach, nerves and blood, and are particularly good for dyspepsia and all stomach troubles. They give relief, but they do more than that. They remove the cause of the trouble and by strengthening the organs they effect a permanent cure.



Mr. William Birt, Pisquid, P.E.I., is one who suffered for years, and relates his experience for the benefit of similar sufferers. Mr. Birt says:—"For many years I was a victim of indigestion, accompanied by nervousness, palpitation of the heart and other distressing symptoms. My appetite was irregular, and what I ate felt like a weight in my stomach; this was accompanied by a feeling of stupor or sleepiness, and yet I rarely enjoyed a night's sound sleep. When I would retire a creeping sensation would come over me, with pains and fluttering around the heart, and then when I arose in the morning, I would feel as tired and fatigued as I did before I went to bed. It is needless to say that I was continually taking medicine, and tried, I think, almost everything recommended as a cure for the trouble. Occasionally I got temporary relief, but the trouble always came back, usually in a still more aggravated form. One day a neighbor, who had used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills with much benefit, advised me to try them, and I decided to do so. To my gratification, I had only been using the pills a few weeks when I felt decidedly better, and things began to look brighter. I continued taking the pills for several months, with the result that my health was as good and my digestion better than it had ever been. One of the most flattering results of the treatment was my increase in weight from 125 pounds to 155 pounds. It is more than a year now since I discontinued the use of the pills and in that time I have not had the slightest return of the trouble. We always keep the pills in the house now, and my family have used them for other ailments with the same gratifying results."

Dr. Williams's Pink Pills make new, rich blood with every dose, and in this way they cure all diseases having their origin in poor or watery blood, such as dyspepsia, kidney and liver troubles, stomach ailments, rheumatism, sciatica, partial paralysis, St. Vitus dance and anæmia. They restore the glow of health to pale and sallow cheeks and give renewed health to women whose lives are made miserable by the ailments that afflict their sex.

Refuse all so-called tonic pills that do not have the full name "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People" on every box. If you do not find them at your dealers they will be sent post paid at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 by addressing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

REMEDIES FOR FARM ENEMIES

Methods of Destroying Injurious Insects.

Turnip Aphis, Hessian Fly, Rocky Mountain Locusts, Squash Bug, Fungus Diseases.

The following bulletin, received from the department of agriculture, Ottawa, contain much interesting matter:

There is no subject of more importance to the farmer at the present moment than to be informed how to deal with his natural enemies, and to grapple with his annual and other foes in the most effective and economical manner. Detailed treatment of the various interesting insects of special importance is precluded by want of space; but all that is really necessary is here given.

The clover root-borer is best remedied by a short rotation and the plowing down of infested fields as soon as there is a pretty good growth after the hay has been cut. The best remedy for the green clover weevil is early cutting.

Among roots and vegetables, cabbage worms are a common enemy of the market gardener, but they can be exterminated by dusting with pyrethrum (which is insect powder) and lime, or some other dry diluting substance. In turnip fields, dust with one pound of Paris green, mixed with 50 pounds of flour, land plaster, slaked lime, or any other equally dry powder. For root maggots of cabbages, cauliflowers, radishes and onions, many experiments have been tried with more or less success. On cauliflowers and cabbages, Dr. James Fletcher, the Dominion entomologist, has secured the best results by using the Gough tar-paper discs. For the other crops, carbolized mixtures have proved of greatest promise.

SPRAY WITH KEROSENE EMULSION.

The best remedies for turnip aphis are spraying with kerosene emulsion or whale-oil soap solution, one pound in six gallons of water, at the time colonies first appear in August; also plowing down deeply the tops as soon as cut from the roots, as eggs are found to be laid upon these in large quantities. The pear leaf blister mite can easily be kept down by the use of lime, salt and sulphur spray, used in winter, but it is difficult to exterminate, and will reappear if spraying be neglected. For the mealy plum aphis, spray with whale-oil soap and quassia—one pound of soap in eight gallons of water. The red turnip beetle attacks turnips, radishes and the like, and the best remedy is to spray or dust the plants attacked with arsenical poisons, in the same way as for the Colorado beetle.

For the asparagus beetle, spray with either kerosene emulsion or whale-oil soap. For scab in potatoes, soak the tubers either for two hours in a solution of eight ounces of commercial Formalin (Formaldehyde) in fifteen gallons of water; or for an hour and a half in a solution of two ounces of corrosive sublimate in sixteen gallons of water. When dry cut up for planting Formalin has the advantage of being neither poisonous nor corrosive. Corrosive sublimate is a fatal poison if taken internally, and it also corrodes metals. The solution should, therefore, be made in wooden or glazed vessels. All treated seed should be planted, and any solution left over should be poured in a hole in the ground For flea-beetle in potatoes, mix four pounds of bluestone, four pounds of unslaked lime, four ounces of Paris green and add to 40 gallons of water. Dissolve the copper sulphate (by suspending it in a wooden or earthen vessel containing four or five or more gallons of water) Slake the lime in another vessel. If the lime, when slaked, is lumpy or granular it should be strained through coarse sacking or a fine sieve. Pour the copper sulphate solution into a barrel, or it may be dissolved in this in the first place; half fill the barrel with water, add the slaked lime, fill the barrel with water and stir thoroughly. It is then ready for use. A stock solution of copper sulphate and lime wash may be prepared and kept in separate covered barrels through the spraying season. The quantities of copper sulphate, lime and water should be carefully noted For potato-rot, use six instead of four pounds of copper sulphate.

HESSIAN FLY.

The remedies for Hessian fly are late sowing, the burning of all refuse either during winter or before spring, plowing down the stubbles deeply as soon as possible after the crop is cut, so as to place the insects so deep beneath the earth that the delicate flies, when they emerge, cannot reach the surface; or to run a harrow over the fields as soon as the crop is cut, so as to start the volunteer crop from grain which has dropped in harvesting and induce a growth of wheat on the field sooner than otherwise would be the case; but when it is found that a young crop of fall wheat is only lightly infested, it is possible to stimulate the growth of the plants by a light application of nitrate of soda. The wheat stem maggot may be remedied in the same way. The best remedies for checking the increase of the wheat-stem saw-fly are the burning or plowing deeply of all stubbles, also burning such straw as is not used by the following spring, and summer-fallowing in June every other year.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN LOCUST.

For the Rocky Mountain locust take one part of Paris green, one part of salt (the locusts will not touch it without), and eleven parts of bran. Mix into a mash, adding as much water as the stuff will hold. Spread in as small lumps as possible. A pound of Paris green should make enough mixture to spread a strip two miles long by fifteen yards wide. Spread fresh stuff every two days.

If the seeds have not been treated for pea-weevil fumigate with carbon bisulphide as soon as possible after the peas are ripe.

For the pea-moth add one pound of Paris green to one hundred gallons of water and add one pound of whale oil soap to every 25 gallons of the mixture, and spray. For the variegated cut worm, the parent moth of which in England is known as the "pearly underwing," Dr. Fletcher has found either of these remedies successful: The banding of freshly set out annual plants with rings of paper or tin; or the poisoning of the caterpillars either with traps of fresh vegetation tied in bundles, and, after being dipped in a mixture of Paris green and water, or other poison, distributed at short intervals over infested land, when the cut worms appear.

Beware of Ointments That Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

BEAUTY'S FATAL SPELL

Uncanny Story of a Handsome Young Woman.

Death Has Been the Portion of Several Men Who Fell in Love With Mrs. Underwood.

Mrs. Harold Frank Underwood, of Indianapolis, is on her way to Europe. There is little suggestion, if any, in this bare announcement of the contemplated European trip of Mrs. Underwood to arouse the interest of others than her friends. But, taken in connection with the facts in the strange and inexplicable mystery surrounding Mrs. Underwood, another story appears that not only interests those who know her, but arouses the curiosity of all who have heard the gossip recently associating itself with her name, says an Indianapolis correspondent of the Philadelphia North American.

Mrs. Underwood is a bride of only a little over three months. She is one of the most beautiful young women of Indianapolis. She is the daughter of a prominent and well-known family of Greensburg, where her parents have resided for half a century.

Altogether, she is not unlike other women, save, perhaps, that her beauty is greater and her culture more apparent.

Yet, for five years a fatality has pursued her at every turn, which only two weeks ago culminated in the tragic end of her husband and her own widowhood. Now, to escape the gossip which unkind tongues have raised, and to seek relief from her grief, she is en route to Europe.

Mrs. Underwood is 26 years of age. She is a graduate of the Indiana University, and of the Boston Conservatory of Music. It was in Boston, in fact, that the first tragedy in the life of Mrs. Underwood, then only 20 years of age, occurred. While she was a student in the musical school she met Richard Brigham, a wealthy resident of one of the old city's most fashionable suburbs. A few weeks later she met Leonard Rice, a young man who had only reached his majority, and whose wealth seemed limitless.

BOTH FELL IN LOVE.

The two young men fell in love with Mrs. Underwood, and both pressed their claims with equal fervor. In the end the girl gave her heart and hand to Brigham, and the day for the ceremony that was to make them man and wife was named. Mrs. Underwood began the preparations for the wedding. Two weeks before the event was to occur the entire trousseau was completed and exhibited to her intimate friends.

Then Mrs. Underwood returned to her home at Greensburg, Ind., where the ceremony was to be observed. Her sweetheart was to follow her a week later. Richard Brigham started on the trip westward. He sent telegrams from way stations between Boston and Buffalo. He expressed his anxiety to be with her again. That was the last word ever heard from Brigham. He disappeared as completely from that moment as though the earth had opened and swallowed him. Search instituted by his relatives failed to discover his whereabouts. Not even his baggage could be traced.

HER SECOND LOVE AFFAIR.

Mrs. Underwood remained with her parents in Greensburg for eighteen months. Then she came on a visit to Indianapolis. She was the guest of Miss Bertha Robbins. At the house party the young woman was introduced to Dr. Charles Stanton. He succumbed to the charms of Mrs. Underwood, and before the summer had drawn to a close she had pledged herself to become his wife. The marriage was to occur in October, 1897. Everything, as before, was in readiness, and on this occasion even the church at Greensburg, where the ceremony was to be observed, had been decorated. Dr. Stanton had made his preparations to go to Greensburg, and further than this, he had purchased tickets for himself and his promised wife to New York, where the two were going on their wedding trip.

The wedding was to occur Oct. 10. On Oct. 9, Dr. Stanton bade his bachelor friends good-bye, and instructing his intimate friend and best man to follow him to Greensburg, announced his intention of going first to Cincinnati, and from there to the town where he was to be married.

Dr. Stanton reached Cincinnati. In fact, he registered at a hotel there for one meal. After his dinner he checked his trunk for Greensburg. The train left in an hour's time.

Then Dr. Stanton disappeared. From that time to this he has never been heard of. No proof of his death was ever presented; but a year ago his widowed mother received the insurance on his life. Legally, Dr. Stanton is dead.

MILLIONAIRE'S STRANGE DEATH.

In the meantime, quite aside from any connection, however, with Mrs. Underwood, Rice, the Boston millionaire, came to a violent end. He was thrown from his horse and his neck was broken. On the day of his death he had written to the Indiana girl, again proffering his love and asking her hand in marriage.

In California, it is hinted by Mrs. Underwood's friends, during her two years' sojourn there, another man fell a victim to the terrible fatality that seemed to pursue her suitors with relentless fury. Whether there is any truth in this or not is not known. It is certain, however, that shortly after Mrs. Underwood's return to Indiana, she came to this city, where as before she met a man whom she learned to love, and to whom she gave her hand.

This man was Harold Frank Underwood, popular among his friends, well-to-do and of exemplary character and behavior. The wedding day was set and three months and a half ago the ceremony that united them as man and wife was observed in this city.

THE END WAS NOT YET.

At last, it was thought, the young woman had rid herself of the chain of unfortunate circumstances that seemed destined to ruin her life. The honeymoon was no sooner over than the friends of the young husband began to note that he was no longer the man of exemplary behavior and spotless character. He sank deeper and deeper into dissipation, until it seemed hardly probable that the three months' bride would continue to live with him. A divorce was predicted, but although such action was contemplated, it developed later. Before the papers could be filed, Underwood gave it out that he was called away to Denver to look after some mining property.

At Denver, shortly after his arrival, young Underwood committed suicide. He blew his brains out without leaving anything by which he might be identified. His absence and silence caused and investigation, and it was found that the Denver suicide was Underwood, of this city.

PILES — ITCHING, BLIND OR BLEEDING.

Symptoms. Moisture; intense itching and stinging, most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. Swayne's Ointment stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumors. At druggists' or by mail, for 50 cents. For a free sample address Lyman Sons & Co., Montreal, wholesale agents.

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