

FOR PEACE CONFERENCE

Powers Soon Again to Be Addressed on the Subject.

Roosevelt Won't Be Happy Till He Gets It—Last Winter Every Power Addressed Except Russia Responded Favorably, and the Czar Accepted the Principle Then—So Far the Prospects Seem to Be Bright.

Washington, Sept. 18.—According to a statement made by an official of the State Department yesterday it is practically certain that President Roosevelt will soon address the powers again on the subject of an international peace conference at The Hague. The step may be taken within a week, but it is more likely that nothing will be done until the President returns to Washington and confers with Secretary of State Root regarding the matter.

When Mr. Roosevelt does call the attention of the powers to the matter again, taking up his plan where it ended last winter, when the Russian Government spoiled the chances of a conference by refusing to participate until the war in the east had come to an end, the first step will probably be a circular note to the powers, suggesting that the time is now opportune for a discussion of the subjects which shall come before the conference. When the plans become partly defined, the Government of the Netherlands will issue a call for the conference. Such was the plan outlined last December, and it is not likely that it will be changed to any great extent.

Every power addressed ten months ago by Secretary Hay on the subject responded favorably with the exception of Russia. The St. Petersburg Government, however, accepted the principle of the conference, but said that under the existing circumstances the war—it was not practicable for Russia to enter into a peace conference. Japan consented to participate, at the same time making a condition that none of the questions of the war then existing be discussed. It is believed here that it will take some weeks for the various powers to reach an understanding as to the subjects to be discussed by the conference and it is not thought probable that the meeting can be convened before some time next year.

There have been many questions brought to prominence by the Russo-Japanese war just ended, and these will undoubtedly be set forth by either Russia or Japan for discussion.

ARMISTICE IN EFFECT.

Pickets and Forces Are Moved Back—Red Cross Figures.

Godzuanyu, Manchuria, Sept. 18.—An order by Gen. Linewich putting into effect the stipulations of the armistice arranged by Gens. Ovanovsky and Fukushima, has been published and distributed to the army. The order directs the immediate cessation of hostilities, the retirement of pickets to the neutral zone and the establishment of a post of communication. It forbids all other communications between the armies.

Armies Move Back. Gunshu Pass, Manchuria, Sept. 18.—As a result of the armistice which was effective Saturday the outposts of the main positions on both sides will move back about two-thirds of a mile and hereafter will display white flags.

A representative of the Red Cross administration shows that altogether 80,000 beds and twenty trains were supplied, and \$11,000,000 were expended during the war.

Komura's Condition. New York, Sept. 18.—The following bulletin was issued yesterday on the condition of Baron Komura, the Japanese envoy, who has been ill in this city for some time: "The condition of Baron Komura continues favorable in every respect and a prompt convalescence is expected by his physicians."

A SUCCESSFUL RAID.

Dutch Worst in Eastern Seas—The Germans Win Battle.

The Hague, Sept. 17.—An official despatch reports a successful raid made by the pretender, Sonnebat, of the Timor Archipelago, who recently invaded Dutch territory, killed 32 persons and carried off 82 captives.

More Fighting. Berlin, Sept. 18.—An official despatch from Harushas, German Southwest Africa, says: "Major Kellers column of colonial troops engaged the insurgent Hottentots westward of here September 13. After five hours' fighting the natives gave way, leaving 20 dead. Two Germans were killed and 12, including Major Laereker, were wounded."

U. S. General in India. Washington, Sept. 18.—Major-Gen. Arthur MacArthur, who has been the senior United States military attaché with the Japanese army, will not return immediately to this country, but has received orders to travel to India for the purpose of inspecting the British military forces in that country.

Falls Overboard and Drowned. Chatham, Sept. 18.—Bert Richmond, a fireman on board the steamer City of Chatham, is thought to have fallen overboard when the boat was docked at Detroit Saturday night, and drowned. He was about 25 years of age and his home was in Dover.

Jammed Fingers in Vice. Belleville, Sept. 18.—The 7-year-old son of Sam Hibbard was playing with some other children with a vice Saturday morning, and in some way got the fingers of one of his hands so badly jammed that one of them had to be amputated.

Sir Gilbert's Lecture. Ottawa, Sept. 18.—Sir Gilbert Parker addressed the Canadian Club on Saturday night. Dr. Courtenay presided, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier was the guest of honor.

Yellow Fever Bulletin. New Orleans, Sept. 18.—The yellow fever report to 6 p. m. yesterday: New cases 24, total to date 2,573, deaths 2, total to date 285. Cases under treatment 228, cases discharged 1,918.

Sweater Time

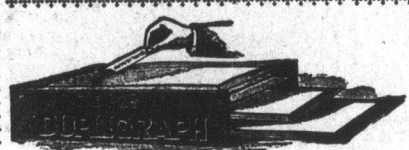
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SCALDS IN THRESHING ENGINE.

Crawled into Firebox to Make Repairs and Was Caught.

London, Sept. 18.—James Hood of London Township, when trying to make some repairs on his threshing engine Friday afternoon, was fatally scalded. He attempted to stop a leak in a pipe shortly after he had raked the fire and shut down steam. Crawling into the fire-box to do so, the first tap on the pipe caused the remaining steam and hot water to fill the fire box and Hood was terribly scalded. He was pulled out with much difficulty and brought to the Victoria Hospital, where he died yesterday afternoon.

O. J. C. FALL RACES.

Toronto, Sept. 18.—The first day of the O. J. C. autumn races—Saturday—saw cloudy weather, with a fast track. The record:

First race, 8-4 mile, any age—1. Merry England; 2. LaLonde; 3. Light Brigade. Time, 1:12 1-2.

Second race, 5-8 mile, 2-year-olds—1. Miss Anxious; 2. Away; 3. St. Joseph. Time, 1:00 1-2.

Third race, 1-16 miles, 3-year-olds and over—1. Our Bessie; 2. Arrah Jowan; 3. Crestfallen. Time, 1:46 3-4.

Fourth race, 1-4 miles, 3-year-olds and over—1. Sir Ralph; 2. Wire In; 3. Gay Minister. Time, 2 mins.

Fifth race, 13-4 miles, 3-year-olds and over—1. Butler Laddie; 2. Ben Crockett; 3. Frank Somers. Time, 3:22 3-4.

Sixth race, 3-4 mile, 3-year-olds and over—1. Chateleine; 2. Albert; 3. Miss Morgan. Time, 1:13 3-4.

Seventh race, 3-4 mile, 3-year-olds and over—1. Blumenthal; 2. Bonnie Reg; 3. Sand. Time, 1:13 3-4.

PEACHES

Persons desiring peaches fresh from the tree of that finest of all peaches, the Crosby, or of the most noted peach in the world, the Elberta, can have their wants supplied either by my agent, C. D. Williamson, or personally by myself at any time after the 18th of September. Every basket guaranteed to be honestly packed.

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Put in half a dozen cans of Corned Beef, Cambridge Sausage and Soups. The first test will prove the economy and convenience of Laing's Canned Goods.

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WARD-HEELING, WIRE-PULLING CHARACTERIZE OUR SCHOOL BOARD

Such is the Serious Expose and Character of the School Board—Newspaper Proprietors and Editors Check by an "Influence They Won't Touch"—Messrs. Robertson and Paxton are Criminally Liable to Heavy Fines—Transact Business Without Manipulating the Merits—Could Not be Elected by Citizens at Large—Such are Mayor's Charges.

The Public School Board—and incidentally the proprietors and editors of the local newspapers—have a grand opportunity to-day to "see ourselves as others see us," or, at least, as some others see us; for Mayor Cowan held up the looking glass with considerable energy at last night's City Council meeting, and the reflections his worship found therein were not particularly complimentary.

It is seldom that a public body receives a more drastic or terrible arraignment than that which was handed out to the School Board. They were plainly told that their institutions and proceedings were permeated with graft, and wire-pulling and ward-heeling. They were assured that it seemed "almost impossible for these men to do things on their merits" and told that they "couldn't be elected by the reputable people of the city at large." An impersonal exception was made to "a few of them," but three at least were singled out for special serious attention. Trustees Wm. Robertson and Richard M. Paxton were definitely accused of graft and informed that they were criminally liable to disqualification and heavy fines—and a third, unnamed, was instanced as supplying the "influence" that the editors and proprietors of our city papers don't come up against.

More than that, the Mayor intimated that a very similar state of affairs must exist in the Collegiate Institute Board, as he said, Rev. Dr. Battisby—a member thereof—had called him up to congratulate him upon his determination to do away with it and said, "If you knew the facts of the workings of this Board as I know them, you would never stay your hand till its extermination was accomplished." The charges arose during the discussion of Ald. Austin's motion to abolish the C. I. and P. S. Boards and form a Board of Education in Chatham. His worship read the report of the last meeting of the School Board from The Planet and the criticisms of some of his statements and figures made by the trustees.

"Now," said the Mayor, "I have taken pains to verify my figures as to their expenditures of this Board from their own figures. I find them as follows:—

Central School, \$6,000.00

Heating plant, 5,500.00

Fitting up additions, new lavatories, floors and walks and fitting up two new rooms now occupied, 2,500.00

Repairs, 500.00

\$14,500.00

McKeough School, \$84,000.00

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KING STREET WEST.

The city engineer informs this journal, in alluding to the editorial suggestion in Saturday's issue, that it is now too late in the year to lay a new brick pavement on the block between the post office and Aberdeen bridge, where the present cedar block pavement is being torn up for the laying of the steam heating pipes and the electric road lines.

This being the case, would it not be well to act upon the suggestion in the spring? The cedar blocks have done good service, but are now rapidly beginning to show that their term of usefulness is at an end. Why not take steps now, when the pavement is being torn up, to ensure the laying of a good, substantial pavement in the spring?

REAL L.O.D.

A member of the English nobility paid Chatham a visit without Chathamites, generally, being aware of it. Lord de Veskey, related quite closely to the present King of England, is accompanying the Irish Guards on their tour and was with them when they were in Chatham. He is a young man of about 24 years of age, quite ordinarily dressed. This he explains by saying he is out for a good time rather than to attract attention. He is the head of an ancient Irish house. He had his private car attached to the special train used by the band.

GALT BEAT ENGLISH

Galt, Sept. 15.—The Pilgrims are not crack bowlers and the Galt Club are. It therefore happened that the match arranged for this afternoon was a one-sided affair. It was witnessed by an ebb and flow audience of citizens, who came and went during its progress, and who were drawn more by curiosity than expectation of seeing something lively in bowls. The all-Englanders were an easy mark for the practiced home players and the three rinks played very badly beaten.

Lady Kirkpatrick occupied a seat on the piazza and watched the play with interest. With her were a few Galt ladies who had come to pay their respects. Mrs. Hon. Jas. Young, Mrs. Dr. Mackendrick, Mrs. Bond, Mrs. Hetherington, Mrs. Dame, Miss Ora Wells, and others. This evening the visitors were banqueted by the Galt Bowling Club at the Imperial Hotel, and returned to their Preston headquarters at eight o'clock.

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TELEPHONE TALKS.

TO TELEPHONE USERS AND THE GENERAL PUBLIC.

During the almost continuous discussion of telephone matters which has been going on in Canada for a number of years, no country has been so frequently referred to as Sweden, and it may be added, regarding no other country have the conditions been so little comprehended.

Sweden has been the scene of the keenest telephone contest that has probably ever been witnessed—a contest absolutely unique, inasmuch as it is between the general Government operating a complete local and long distance system, and a private company operating practically a local system only. The usual conditions are therefore reversed. This will render a study of the results particularly interesting.

The contest has centred about Stockholm, the capital and chief commercial centre of the country. The Company charges in Stockholm a flat rate of \$27.00 or a partial service rate of \$21.60 and \$16.20, under which the subscriber pays \$13.50 as installation fee. The Government charges in Stockholm a flat rate just one half of the Company's rate.

With all the prestige of the Government, with the advantage of a general connection by its long distance lines with its exchanges throughout the country, it would naturally be expected that the Government exchange in Stockholm would greatly outnumber its competitor in the number of subscribers. Not so, however. The Company has 34,000 subscribers to its exchange and the Government but 11,000. The fight has been going on for a number of years with little advantage on either side, but organized administration and good service is seemingly at last giving the Company the victory.

That the Government recognizes that its rate in Stockholm is an artificial one is shown by the fact that it charges a higher rate in its small exchanges where it has no competition than it does in Stockholm.

The conditions for service in Canada cannot fairly be compared with conditions in Sweden. The purchasing power of money is more than double in Sweden what it is in this country. Labor, material, everything, is cheaper there. When the fight is over and normal rates and other conditions resumed, it will be time enough to draw lessons from that country.

The development of the telephone in Sweden has been enormously exaggerated. It was stated before the Special Committee to be one telephone for 14 of the population of the country, but it now transpires that this average applies only to Stockholm, which is not as great as the development at Winnipeg and not much higher than Montreal and Toronto.

We have not a great deal to learn even from much-misrepresented Sweden.

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THE STAGE

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

At The Grand—
The Wayward Son—Sept. 15.
Floradora—Sept. 22.
Isle of Spice—Sept. 25.
Down By The Sea—Sept. 27-28.
The Isle of Bong Bong—Oct. 5.

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FLORODORA.

The Russell theater is fortunate in having such a strong attraction for fair week as Florodora, which last evening opened a five-night engagement. This pretty lyric comedy had many friends in Ottawa and the number was largely increased last night. Absolutely clean and wholesome, jolly and rollicking, Florodora goes with a merry swing from first to last. The music is as tuneful and catchy as one could desire. The famous sextet, Tell Me, Pretty Maiden, Under the Shade of the Palms, Galloping, Queen of the Philippine Island, and I Want to be a Military Man, were the biggest hits, but there were a dozen others that pleased.

The music, of course, is the feature, though there is a plot to give the musical numbers some peg to hang on. But what dialog there is, is short, crisp and bright. The company is an unusually large one and the costuming and scenery on a lavish scale. There are quite a number of very attractive ladies, though the company seems to have been selected with more regard to good singing than the symmetrical appearance in ensembles. The chorus work was wonderfully well done, showing excellent training as well as talented vocalists. James McIntyre as Abercree, Thos. Kiernan and Miss Delong did some fine work. Ralph Riggs in his comedy work was very good, especially in the second act. Florodora will be here all week with matinees to-day and Saturday, and nothing short of a full house at each performance is looked for.—Ottawa Citizen, Wednesday, Sept. 13, 1905.

FALL FAIRS

Amherstburg—Oct. 3-4.
Bridgen—Oct. 2, 3.
Blenheim—Oct. 13-14.
Chatham—Sept. 26-27-28.
Comber—Oct. 2-3.
Dresden—Oct. 5-6.
Essex—Sept. 26-27-28.
Florence—Oct. 5-6.
Glencoe—Sept. 26-27.
Highgate—Oct. 13-14.
Harrow—Oct. 10-11.
Muncy—Oct. 10-11-12.
Ridgeway—Oct. 11-17-18.
Rodney—Oct. 6-7.
Thamesville—Oct. 3-4.
Wallaceburg—Oct. 17, 18, 19 and 20.

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TWO FACTORIES

Local Briefs

Guns and Ammunition at Brisco's. Lots of good ten cent Cigars, but only one best—the Lord Lake. Miss D. R. Miles and niece, of Edgerton, spent Saturday in the city. For quality, workmanship and every detail, Sugar Beet Cigars lead, 5c. T. H. Leatherdale, of Dresden, was a Chatham visitor yesterday. When you require a bill of hardware call on Drew & McCallum. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Elliott, of Cleveland, were guests in the city yesterday.

Miss Burns has reopened classes in China Painting at her studio on Thames street, opposite greenhouses. Miss Bertha Palmer, of New York, is visiting Mrs. N. G. Storey, of this city.

Miss McGregor, of Chatham, is spending a few days with her friend, Miss Nellie Baird, of Leamington Post. Dr. C. E. Oliver, of Merlin, will be a member of next year's Canadian team, which will shoot at Bisley, England.

The week of Sept. 26, 27 and 28 promises great things for the children. Come and bring them to the Fair. They will enjoy it and remember it for years.

Miss Ada Dillon left on Tuesday to resume her studies at the Graceline Academy, Chatham.—Merlin Mirror.

It is expected that the Honorable Minister of Agriculture for Ontario, Mr. Monteith, will be on hand to open the Fair on Sept. 26, 27 and 28. Mr. and Mrs. John Piggott, Sr., are attending the manufacturers' convention in Quebec. They left Chatham last Thursday and will remain away for a week.

The trials of speed for the Fair on Sept. 26, 27 and 28 promise to be better than ever. Local horsemen are taking great interest in them and many entries have been received from the horses trotting at the London Fair.

Friday's storm was a record breaker on Lake Erie. Four boats sought refuge from the tempest in Erieau harbor. Two of them belonged to the Montreal Navigation Company, one to a Sarnia firm and the other was a pleasure yacht.

In order to secure the full benefit of the Government grant, the directors of the Fair on Sept. 26, 27 and 28, have increased the prize list to a considerable extent. The result is more entries and a better showing than ever.

The longest bridge in the world is the Lion bridge, near Saugoung, China. It extends 5 1/4 miles over an arm of the Yellow Sea, and it is supported by 300 huge stone arches. The roadway is 70 feet above the water and is enclosed in an iron network.

Humane Officer James McGregor was a busy man Saturday looking out for abusers of animals. Two farmers were spotted, both driving horses with lame shoulders. The officer ordered them to have the animals castrated for and warned them not to drive the horses in their present condition.

Ernest Marantette received word on Friday to report at the agency of the Bank of Montreal, Portage la Prairie, and he left on Saturday, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Marantette, as far as Toronto. Mrs. Marantette returned to New York, after spending a fortnight with friends in the city.

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DISTRICT DOINGS.

TILBURY

Sept. 18.—Roy Struthers, of Detroit, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents here. Mr. and Mrs. James Struthers. H. Sloan returned yesterday from a two months' trip to Manitoba. H. S. Shaw, of Detroit, spent Sunday at his home here. Miss V. Pook, of Detroit, spent Sunday with relatives here. Mrs. V. Campbell has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Jos. Tiernan, in London, the past week. Burleigh Campbell and J. H. Dennis attended an "At Home" given by Mrs. C. Purvis in Leamington on Friday evening. Frank and Robbie Wilson, who are attending Chatham Collegiate Institute, spent Saturday and Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wilson. Mrs. Donald Turner, of Southwold, is visiting Mrs. Richard Carless at Rosedale.

FORCIBLE FAIRS.

One-sixth of the deaths from disease are due to consumption. Ninety-eight per cent of all those who have used Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for "weak lungs" have been perfectly and permanently cured. Cornelius McCawley, of Leeburg, Armstrong county, Pa., had in all 81 hemorrhages. He says:—"My doctor did all he could for me but he could not stop the hemorrhages, and all gave me up to die with consumption." What doctors could not do, "Golden Medical Discovery" did. It stopped the hemorrhages and cured their cause. This is one case out of thousands. Investigate the facts.

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BUXTON.

The picnic which was held in John Roe's Grove, by the Foresters was a very successful one. The day was fine and a large crowd gathered from far and near, and some very exceptional music and singing was rendered by J. R. Smith, of Chatham, and Miss Smith, of Dutton. Also a few interesting speeches were given by H. S. Clements, M. P., Archie McCaig, M. P. P., Geo. Wands and Jas. Chinnick.

The football match which was played between Buxton and Merlin ended 2 to 1 in favor of Merlin.

The ball which was given by the I. O. F. in their new hall, was the best held in the village. People gathered from Chatham, Blenheim, Charing Cross, Cedar Springs, Merlin, Elton, and many other points. The music was furnished by the McPherson's orchestra, of Cedar Springs.

Thomas Young, relieving operator on the Pere Marquette R. R., spent a few days with his parents here.

Miss Helton Young left for Detroit this morning.

Miss Nellie Gilhula, who has been spending her holidays with her friends and relatives at Oustry and Buxton, left this morning for her home in Detroit.

Rev. Newton Hill and wife, of Toronto arrived here this morning after a trip through the Western States, to spend a few days with Mr. Hill's brother, John Hill.

We are pleased to learn that the west Chatham batteries.

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TALES OUT OF SCHOOL.

More Merry Mistakes By the Author, Henry J. Barker, M. A.

A lady teacher, on returning from church service with her string of little pupils, said to one of them whose hand she was holding:

"Well, dear, and how did you like the service this morning?"

"Oh, so much, so very much!" replied the little dot.

"And why so, dear?"

"Cause they sang my fav'rite hymn—that about the she-bear."

The teacher, very much puzzled, requested the child to repeat those lines referring to the bear, and they turned out to be:

"Can a mother's tender care Cease towards the child she bare? Yes, she may forgetful be, Yet will I remember thee."

A mistress wanted to elicit from the little ones the fact that the oldest trade was that of gardening, and accordingly she asked—

"What trade or occupation did our first parent follow?"

"Please, mam, he was a dustman," responded one of the mites.

This reminds me of an equally naive answer which a child gave on a kindred subject—the life of Adam and Eve in Paradise.

"What," asked the teacher, "what was the name of that tree which stood in the midst of the Garden?"

And one little child responded: "The Tree of Porridge of Good and Evil!"

Some time ago a certain noble lady—a duchess, indeed, she was—paid a visit to a north-country school, and found the lads engaged in a drawing lesson. The object to be drawn was a carrot, and a fine specimen of that vegetable lay on the table. The duchess—after a word with the master—ventured to put a question to the little rustic. Taking the carrot in her hand, and holding it up before them, she said:

"Can any of you tell me what animal, useful, sagacious, and intelligent, is fond of eating this?"

One eager little yokel promptly held out his hand, proud to give an answer. "Well, my little mam, what animal is it?" asked the duchess.

"Please, mam, oursel's" was the confident reply.

A certain master of a school situated in an agricultural district had been giving a lesson on bees—their manner of swarming, how to live them, how to cure the bees caused by their stings, etc. The lesson was practical and interesting, and the lads thoroughly enjoyed it.

Towards the conclusion the master put one or two questions to the lads to see whether they had intelligently followed all he had said.

"What lessons," he asked, "do these wonderful little insects teach us?"

And one lad gave the surprising and practical answer:

"To keep away from the hives!"

Queen Alexandra and Jap Princess.

Queen Alexandra has taken a great liking for the Japanese Princess Arisugawa, says the Marquis de Fontenay, and she has far more of her during her stay in England than would appear from the newspaper records of the doings of the former Crown Prince and Crown Princess of Japan during their sojourn in the United Kingdom.

Not only did Princess Arisugawa present the Queen with some exquisite Japanese embroideries on crepe, advising her on the best way to have them made up into dresses—both the Queen and of this Princess appearing in gowns of this kind at the last court ball held at Buckingham Palace in honor of the Japanese Imperial guests—but she likewise went all over the palace with the Queen, advising her with regard to the embellishment of corners, corridors, and alcoves in Japanese fashion. As soon as the Princess reaches home she will make a large collection of rare Japanese bric-a-brac and art furniture, as well as draperies, which will be brought to England by skilled workmen from the Imperial Palace at Tokio in order to put into execution at Buckingham Palace and Windsor Castle, under the personal direction of the Queen, the suggestions made by the Princess.

The latter is a quiet, gentlemanly, shy little woman, possessed of all the exquisite breeding of the Japanese great lady—just the kind of woman, in fact, to appeal to the sympathy and liking of Queen Alexandra, and I have no doubt but that the close friendship which has sprung up between these two Imperial ladies will exercise an important influence upon the future relations of Japan and England. It must be remembered that until now there has been no intercourse of the kind between any of the feminine members of the reigning dynasty in Japan and those of the royal houses of Europe. Whatever relations have existed have been of an epistolary character, and there has been a marked disposition to treat Japanese royalties with a sort of patronizing and almost contemptuous condescension, which has been bitterly resented at Tokio. The friendship of Queen Alexandra and Princess Arisugawa marks the inauguration of a new era.

Moral For Bargain Hunting.

"A little incident that occurred at a fashionable society wedding last week should serve as a warning to the bargain hunter at the summer sales," says The London Chronicle. "A woman in a new hat—sat serene and self-satisfied in one of the top pews. To her came an agitated lady's maid. A whispered colloquy followed, resulting in the blushing discomfiture of the serene and self-satisfied woman. The maid fumbled in the chignon, dealing havoc among the spring, summer and autumn flowers that bloom with such amazing spontaneity on hats of this sort, and finally retired with a label, but not before a masculine one had read on it the compromising legend, 'Reduced from —.' This is a true story."

In London. First Citizen—I'm told the Duke of Noctash has married four different heiresses.

Second Citizen—That's right.

First Citizen—He has been extremely successful, eh?

Second Citizen—Yes; he is one of the best selling dukes we have.

CUPID'S MIRROR.

"The beauty of a woman's face or figure is but the external sign of the good health within," says Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., the specialist in women's diseases.

Further, to be happy and beautiful one must naturally have good health.

Now, if a woman has dragging-down feelings, together with constantly returning pains and aches, a too great drain upon her vitality and strength, the feelings of nervousness, the befogged mind, the ill-temper, the pale and wrinkled face, all result from those disorders peculiar to women, and the only way to effect their cure is to strike at the source of the difficulty.

There is every reason why she should write to a great specialist, one who has made the diseases of women a specialty for a third of a century like Dr. R. V. Pierce, founder of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, of Buffalo, N. Y. All correspondence is held absolutely confidential, and he gives his advice free and without charge.

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A BACK NUMBER.

Why the Hale and Hearty Old Gentleman Felt Sad.

"Son-in-law of mine, too," groaned the hale and hearty old gentleman, "the bright a young fellow as I ever knew."

"I loved him as though he were my own flesh and blood. I never got such a throw down from the time I began to work at 50 cents a day to the present time."

"You always told me that he was a veritable Napoleon of finance."

"So I did, and so he is." And the old gentleman made a sorry attempt to laugh. "And I encouraged him in it."

I must admit that, I literally drummed it in a him that business was his, and that sentiment, friendship, even relationship, had to be put aside when it came to striving for money."

"But what has he done? Nothing criminal?"

"Taken me at my word, the world will say. I'm going to retire. I'm out—frozen out. You know the factory in which I have my biggest investment and controlling interest?"

"Certainly. It is costing money, and your salary as president is \$20,000."

Here the old gentleman groaned again. "I went away for a vacation. What more natural than that my son-in-law should vote my stock? I gave him authority to do so, and I've no doubt that the young rascal recalled all that I had told him. He elected him self president, chose his own board of directors and increased the salary of his position \$5,000 per annum. He just jolies me when I take him to task and tells me I should have no cares for the rest of my life. I'm simply turned out to pasture. My, what a boy!"—Detroit Free Press.

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MAY BE FATALITY.

Motorman Throws Conductor Off Car After Altercation.

Winnipeg, Sept. 16.—A fight between a motorman and a conductor on a street car here will end fatally and the former may have to face a serious charge. Arthur J. Waddham of Alexander street, conductor, was riding to work on the front of a Broadway car when he commenced an altercation with Motorman Charles Thompson of Logan avenue. The latter finally threw him off the car and the man fell on his head and was taken to St. Boniface Hospital, suffering from concussion of the brain. The doctors held out no hope for his recovery. Thompson was arrested at 9.30 p. m. and taken to the police station pending an inquest. He alleges Waddham was drunk and used insulting language.

Arrested For Murder.

Port Arthur, Sept. 16.—Mat Pennanen, a Finlander, was arrested here Thursday night for murdering Thomas Wyttil on August 12, on the railroad track, between Duluth and the American Soo. He was arrested by Chief Connor in a disreputable Finlander house. A desperate fight ensued. Sheriff Lipsett took the prisoner to the Michigan Soo yesterday morning for trial.

Two Years For Embezzler.

Quebec, Sept. 16.—George White, aged about 30, who, a few weeks ago absconded with five hundred dollars belonging to the Canadian Pacific Railway, was yesterday sentenced to two years imprisonment in the penitentiary.

FRESH MURDERS AT BAKU.

Feeling That English Companies Should be Compensated For Losses.

London, Sept. 16.—The Times publishes the following from its correspondent at Baku, dated September 14th:—Several fresh murders to-day caused renewed tension. The Association of Naphtha Producers and Refiners have resolved to postpone their decision regarding the resumption of work until September 25. In St. Petersburg there is a strong impression that the English companies should be adequately compensated for their losses.

The Baku Workmen's Alliance, which disapproved of the demand for compensation, issued a proclamation deprecating racial feuds. The Russian workmen present a united front to the owners, and in a proclamation Armenians, especially the members of the Technical Association. Independent Russian and foreign opinion also blames the Armenian extremists.

NEW YORK LIFE CHEQUE.

Gave \$48,000 as Contribution to Republican Campaign Fund in 1904.

New York, Sept. 16.—George W. Perkins, member of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. and first vice-president of the New York Life Insurance Co., was the principal witness at yesterday's session of the special legislative committee which is probing life insurance companies. The climax of the day came when Mr. Perkins was asked concerning an entry of \$48,000 in the ledger marked "Ordered paid by the president." Mr. Perkins stated that it was a contribution to the National Republican campaign fund and had been paid to Cornelius N. Ellis. Mr. Perkins said: "This payment was made after very careful deliberation. It was paid because we felt the assets of the New York Life Insurance Co. would be jeopardized by a Democratic success."

G. T. P. Tenders Opened.

Montreal, Sept. 16.—Tenders for the construction of that section of the Grand Trunk Pacific from Fort William to Lake Superior Junction, where it will join the main line, were opened yesterday at noon in the office of Frank W. Morse, the vice-president and general manager of the company. This section of the road is 210 miles in length, and almost from beginning to end, the work will be of a heavy character. This is the kind of work railway contractors prefer, and for this reason the number of tenders received has been unusually large. No award has as yet been made.

Death of Edward F. Blake.

Toronto, Sept. 16.—After only a short illness Edward F. Blake, second son of Hon. Edward Blake, died at his home at 449 Jarvis street yesterday morning. Deceased was 39 years of age. For some time he had suffered from anemia, and recently was taken to his bed. He had not worked since July, although in the beginning of September he returned to his law office intending to start work. He leaves a wife and four children. The funeral will be private.

The Winnipeg Terminus.

Ottawa, Sept. 16.—The transcontinental commission yesterday considered the situation re. securing land owned by Mackenzie and Mann for terminal facilities. A meeting will be held at Quebec at a later date when an amicable settlement is expected.

Weak Ankle Causes Death Fall.

Toronto, Sept. 16.—A weak ankle is blamed for the death of a Miss Miss McCormack, who died last night from the results of a fall down stairs at 129 Jarvis street. She was about 30 years of age, and her neck was dislocated.

The Cholera Record.

Berlin, Sept. 16.—The official bulletin yesterday announces eight new cases of cholera and three deaths in the twenty-four hours ending at noon, making a total of 130 cases and 63 deaths.

Czar Revokes High Duty.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 16.—An Imperial ukase was issued yesterday revoking the order placing a higher duty on certain goods of United States origin.



For the Little Ones

To Keep Their Digestion Perfect Nothing is so Safe and Pleasant as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets

Thousands of men and women have found Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets the safest and most reliable preparation for any form of indigestion or stomach trouble.

Thousands of people who are not sick, but are well and wish to keep well, take Stuart's Tablets after every meal to insure perfect digestion and avoid trouble.

But it is not generally known that the Tablets are just as good and wholesome for little folks as for their elders.

Little children who are pale, thin and have no appetite, or do not grow or thrive, should use the Tablets after eating and will derive great benefit from them.

Mrs. G. A. Crostley, 588 Washington St., Hoboken, New Jersey, writes: "Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets just fill the bill for children as well as for older folks. I've had the best of luck with them. My three-year-old girl takes them as readily as candy. I have only to say 'Tablets' and she drops everything else and runs for them."

A Buffalo mother, a short time ago, who despaired of the life of her babe, was so delighted with the results from giving the child these Tablets that she went before the notary public of Erie Co., N. Y., and made the following affidavit:

Gentlemen: Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets

were recommended to me for my two-months-old baby, which was sick and puny and the doctor said was suffering from indigestion. I took the child to the hospital, but there found no relief. A friend mentioned the Stuart Tablets and I procured a box from my druggist and used only the large sweet lozenges in the box and was delighted to find they were just the thing for my baby. I feel justified in saying that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets saved my child's life.

MRS. W. T. DETHLOPE.

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HENRY KARRIS, Notary Public in and for Erie Co., N. Y.

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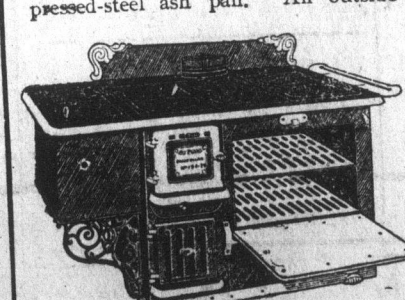
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Births, Marriages and Deaths

BORN.
MEYNELL—On Saturday, Sept. 16th, 1905, the wife of Geo. Meynell, of a daughter.

PROBABILITIES.
Special per G. N. W.
Toronto, Sept. 18.—11 a. m.—Wind increasing fresh and strong breezes, easterly to southerly, showers again during the night and on Tuesday; not much change in temperature.

The following figures were registered to-day at 7 a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:

THERMOMETER.
Highest yesterday, 68.
Lowest during night, 57.
This morning, 61.
Barometer, 29.36.
Direction of wind, southwest.
Rainfall, 107.35 tons to the acre.

LOCAL BUDGET

Mrs. W. J. King, Montreal, is visiting Mrs. W. J. Laird, Grey St.

Mrs. Judah, of Toronto, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Henry Weaver, who is quite seriously ill.

Robert Griffith, formerly of the Austin staff, had a quite critical operation performed on his ear this morning.

Will Tackaberry has returned from a two weeks' holiday trip to Cleveland, Buffalo, Cambridge Springs and Toronto. He arrived home last evening.

Dr. C. N. Emery, Dominion Secretary for the Royal Templars of Temperance, will visit Chatham tomorrow. The district meeting of the Templars will be held here on that day, when representatives will be present from every lodge in the county. A public meeting will be held in the Park street Methodist Sunday school room in the evening, when Mr. Emery will deliver an address.

A. I. McCall left this morning for Brussels, having received word that his father, who has been seriously ill, is dead. Mr. McCall, Sr., has been ill for over a year. Last week he was reported being in a serious condition, when A. I. visited him, but returned to Chatham with the good news that his father was better. The improvement, however, was short-lived, and death relieved the patient of his suffering.

Mr. Brent, of Uxbridge, the new organist of the First Presbyterian church, arrived in the city on Saturday and took charge of the musical portion of the service of the church yesterday. Mr. Brent comes highly recommended, especially as a piano player. His playing yesterday gave evidence of the truth of the high recommendations. The church is very grateful to Miss Vera Smith, who has played the piano during the past two months. Miss Smith is a talented pianist and gave universal satisfaction.

AGED RESIDENT

An aged and highly respected resident of Chatham died Saturday in the person of Mary B. Smith, relict of the late Colonel Smith.

The deceased lady who, at the time of her death, had attained the ripe age of 87 years, will be buried this afternoon from the residence of her son, Geo. Witherspoon, Wellington street.

WILL VISIT CITY

Mayor Cowan has received word from the secretary of a large concern he has hopes of landing for the Maple City. The letter states that the officials of the company will visit the city within ten days or two weeks to talk over the details and, if favorably impressed, decide upon a site for the industry. It employs over 200 hands and will be a "boost" for the city if secured.

HEAVY TRAFFIC

On Saturday, as announced in this journal, under the orders of the Railway Commission, an account was kept of the traffic over the Queen and William street crossings of the G. T. R. It was found that, between the hours of seven a. m. and seven p. m., 1,500 foot passengers and 1,028 rigs crossed. Those travelling on Queen street outnumbered those on William street two to one.

An account was also kept Sunday and to-day, but these figures are not available yet. Neither are the figures showing the traffic Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights.

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DRAWN GAME

Combined Cricket Team Play in Chicago—J. W. Aitken Represents Chatham

J. W. Aitken, one of the most enthusiastic as well as one of the most proficient of the local willow wields, has returned from Chicago, where he has been playing on the combined Chatham, Pittsburgh, Cleveland and Detroit team against the Chicago Wanderers.

The team played Friday and Saturday. In the first day's play Chicago made 112 and the combined widders, by making 158, gained a good lead. The second day, when play concluded, the visitors had five wickets to fall and needed only 38 runs to tie. "Chum" is enthusiastic over the trip and the Wanderers' hospitality.

The prospects are that a team representing the west, and composed of players from Chicago, Detroit, Chatham, Cleveland and Pittsburgh, will play the Philadelphia cricks next year. Such a team ought to be well nigh invincible. In addition to this a full team from here will likely attend the Chicago tournament next year and will also visit Toronto.

SIGNAL CORPS

To be Added to 24th Regiment—Maxime Gun Corps to Follow

Adjutant Coltart has received the outfit for the signal corps which will soon be added to the 24th Regiment. The corps uses colored flags, called semaphores, to transmit orders on the field of action—their duties being very important.

The local corps will be in charge of Captain N. D. Harper. He will be assisted by Sergeant Graham and six men, who will be recruited especially for the purpose. The art is quite an intricate one and will require diligent study to master. A maxim gun and the requisite quota of men, therefore, will be the next acquisition to Chatham's already efficient battalion.

The new caps for the officers have arrived. They are of the naval staff pattern, heavily braided and with peaks short and close to the forehead. They present a very smart appearance.

HIGH COURT

The autumn and winter sittings of the High Court for the County of Kent were opened at the Court House yesterday afternoon at half past two before Hon. Mr. Justice Britton. Owing to his train being late his honor was half an hour late in arriving, which caused the delay in opening.

Among the members of the legal profession who were present at the opening were Mr. Wilson, K. C., J. W. Hanna, Windsor, Crown Counsel; H. D. Smith, G. A. Sayer, J. G. Kerr, John S. Fraser, Wallaceburg; Ward Stanworth, W. G. Richards, J. H. Coburn, Walkerville; Thomas Scullard.

The following is a list of the Grand Jurors as sworn in:

Alex. Calderwood, Bothwell; Jas. B. Carscallen, Dresden; Jas. Chinnick, Raleigh; Jas. Clayton, Raleigh; Daniel Covenay, Dover; John Crowder, Toward; Everette Elby, Bothwell; W. J. Fleming, Dover; E. Galbraith, Howard; Joseph Hornall, Orford; H. D. Reynolds, Harwich; T. A. Smith, Chatham; D. W. Stonehouse, Wallaceburg; Asa Ribbie, Dresden.

Mr. Chinnick was selected foreman of the Grand Jury.

In addressing the Grand Jury His Lordship briefly outlined their duties. He explained that there was just one case to come before them—a case of rape—and he advised them to be as speedy as possible in their deliberations.

The following is a list of the civil cases:

BY JURY.
Drader vs. Lang—W. Stanworth for plaintiff, and Dickson & Co. for defendant.

Richardson vs. Lake Erie & Detroit River Railway—Wilson & Co. for plaintiff, J. H. Coburn for defendant.

NON-JURY.
Bank of Montreal vs. Scott—J. G. Kerr for plaintiff, and Wilson & Co. for defendant.

Geo. Williams vs. The Alpena Oil Co.—G. A. Sayer for plaintiff, and R. L. Gosnell for defendant.

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Death is but the dropping of the flower that the fruit may swell.

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VIGILANT'S 30 SHOTS

Riddle Big Erie Fish Poacher, the Barnhurst.

But Capt. Nick Fassel's Vessel, After An Eight-Mile Chase, Manages to Crawl Into Harbor With Upper Works In Ruins—Capt. Dunn Was Generous and Left the Tug Above Water—His Buoy Week.

Erie, Pa., Sept. 18.—The fourth of the fish tug incidents of the past week took place in mid-lake Erie yesterday, when the Canadian cruiser Vigilant riddled the big steam tug Harry G. Barnhurst with small shells from the rifle on the patrol boat.

Capt. Nick Fassel of the tug admitted after he escaped that the Vigilant could have sent her to the bottom if Capt. Dunn had so desired. They ran more than eight miles under full head of steam before they crossed the boundary line and escaped from the Canadiana.

More than thirty shots struck the vessel, and of these fifteen of the small shells landed with telling effect on the upper parts, so the boat careened to one side with the mass of wreckage when she came into port.

Having been used for merely a pleasure steamer the Barnhurst is of large size and well fitted with steam equipment.

Fireman Fainted.
The fireman, Magnus Johnson, fainted in the hold from over-exertion in keeping the steamer going ahead. He was reported killed, but revived after reaching shore.

Two fishermen were cut in the face by splinters shot away by the bullets. The Barnhurst, according to Capt. Fassel, was about five miles over the line drawn by nets when the Vigilant appeared. The other Erie tugs, the Valiant and the Boyd, were also over the line and ran away when the chase started.

Capt. Dunn ordered the Barnhurst to stop, but instead of doing so Capt. Fassel put on full steam and started for the line. He took a southwesterly direction and could not be headed by the Vigilant.

It has become quite the custom for the Erie fishermen to cross the line, regardless of strict orders, and the companies employing them, and having exciting brushes with the Vigilant. The Barnhurst lost a quantity of nets.

"VIGILANT" TAKES THIS ONE.

Erie Fishing Tug Is Captured in Canadian Waters.

Detroit, Sept. 18.—An Erie (Pa.) dispatch says the Keystone Fish Co. received a telegram from Port Dover, Ont., late Friday, sent by Capt. Morrison of their tug E. C. Oggel, a 65-foot boat, saying the fish tug had been captured and taken into port by a Canadian cruiser Vigilant, while fishing in Canadian waters.

The captain, engineer and four men on the boat were taken to Port Dover, where they were released. The tug, valued at \$2,000, will be held pending a settlement of the case.

SCHR. KETCHUM BURNS.

Mate Anderson and Mrs. Ames, The Cook, Are Lost.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Sept. 18.—The schooner V. H. Ketchum, bound from Duluth to Cleveland, byed Saturday night off Parisian Island, Lake Superior, and two members of the crew were drowned while attempting to leave the burning vessel in a boat. It was seen that the fire was beyond control the nine members of the crew, including Mrs. D. Ames, cook, launched the boat and prepared to row to the steamer Nottingham, close at hand. In attempting to lower the woman into the boat the craft was capsized, and was borne down by the weight of the helpless woman, and both sank to death.

WE CELEBRATE ON OCT. 21.

Whole Empire to Join in Nelson Centennial.

London, Sept. 18.—One hundred years ago last Thursday His son embarked at Portsmouth on his ship, the Victory, for the voyage which crowned his marvelous life and made him a British national asset for all time.

That day was the occasion of the launching of a movement for a centenary memorial under the auspices of Lord Brassey, Lord Kinnaird, Sir Thomas Sutherland and many other distinguished people.

Oct. 21 all parts of the British Empire will celebrate the Nelson centennial. In the afternoon of that day there will be a great gathering at the Albert Hall, followed by a big evening concert.

Collections are now being started, the proceeds of which will be devoted to the benefit of the royal mercantile and fishing fleets.

Dates For Election Trials.

Toronto, Sept. 18.—Before Mr. Justice Magee at Osgoode Hall on Saturday counsel discussed the most convenient dates for the trial of election petitions not yet disposed of, and reached the following: The Sault Ste. Marie petition will be tried in Toronto to October 7, Monck October 19, Welland, West Huron, North Norfolk, South Norfolk, October 7, South Ontario October 2. The dates have not been fixed for Prince Edward Island and South Oxford.

Dr. Osler as Lecturer.
London, Sept. 18.—Dr. Osler has accepted the post as lecturer of medicine at St. George's Hospital, London, next spring, and will give a series of lectures on the diagnosis of abdominal tumors.

Mrs. Neil Burgess Dead.
New York, Sept. 18.—Mrs. Neil Burgess, wife of actor and niece of J. H. Stoddard, died early yesterday at her home in Highlands, N. J.

MAYOR ACTS

By-Law to Be put Through at To-night's Session to Oust P. M. from Head St.

Some time ago the Mayor was given power to act in the Head street spur matter. The result is that at to-night's session of the City Council he will introduce a resolution that the tracks be removed.

This is the result of a conference with the city solicitor, who has but recently returned. For thirty days after the passing of the resolution objections to it will be received. If there are any they will be heard and taken into consideration.

KILLED BY A TRAIN.

Unknown Man Run Down by Freight Near Port Hope.

Port Hope, Sept. 18.—An unknown man was struck and instantly killed by a freight train between 7 and 8 o'clock Saturday night.

The body is that of a man between 35 and 40 years of age, about 5 feet in height, and 200 pounds in weight, and of a fair complexion.

He was rather poorly clothed, in a dark grey tweed suit, and a small coin was all the money found in the pockets, along with several small articles. The dead man is believed to have been a Frenchman, who had been noticed wandering about the neighborhood during the afternoon. The only wound inflicted was a deep gash on the back of the head.

Small Boy's Wanderings.
Ottawa, Sept. 18.—George Prudhomme, aged 4-1/2 years, strayed from his home on Thursday. He has been located in Montreal in the Chenneville street police station, but how he got there is a mystery. The Montreal police found him on the streets. He is too young to tell anything about it. He evidently strayed down to the Central station and got on board a train.

Race Fight in Tennessee.
Germantown, Tenn., Sept. 18.—A clash between white men and negroes occurred here Saturday, in which Eugene Scott, a constable, was shot and stabbed; a negro named Smith, from Cordova was killed, Robert Harr of Germantown was cut about the head, and three or more negroes shot. Fifty or more shots were exchanged. The trouble arose over a race.

Came Back With His Man.
Shanghai, Sept. 18.—The British Vice-Consul, who left here last Friday for Quinsan to secure the release of a British subject held prisoner there by the Chinese authorities, returned yesterday with the man.

Minor's Lintment Cures Distemper

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
BOARD WANTED—By two young gentlemen in a private family. Apply Box A, Planet Office.

SERVANT WANTED—For general housework. Apply to Mrs. P. S. Coate, King street west.

FOR SALE—One sanitary couch and folding bed combined; a bargain. Apply corner Victoria and Gladstone avenue.

WANTED—Immediately, a reliable servant for a family of two, Raleigh street, Oldershaw Terrace, third house from Cross street.

BURGER WEATHER STRIPS.
F. W. HAZLETON, Harvey St., has secured the Local Agency for the celebrated CHAMBERLAIN METAL STRIPS, and will give estimates for fitting in residences or public buildings. Call at residence or drop a card in the P.O.

FARM FOR SALE
South half of lot 17 in 4th concession, Township of Harwich, 90 acres more or less; also south by quarter lot 19 in 4th concession, Township of Harwich, 60 acres more or less. Apply to A. C. White, Charing Cross P. O.

\$50.00 REWARD
Dover Township Council will pay \$50.00 reward to any one giving such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who upset a wagon loaded with coal into the McFarlane drain, on Baldson street, belonging to the contractor at work on the drain, and doing other damage.

FOR SALE
House and lot in excellent location on Harvey street; contains hall, double parlors, dining room, kitchen, pantry, one bedroom down stairs, and four bedrooms up stairs, summer kitchen and woodshed; lot 41 x 128. Apply to

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Wednesday, September 20th,
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A Word About Jackets.

All our new Jackets have been made specially for us since August 30th so that they are the very latest styles shown in the New York Market.

You will find the values exceptionally good and the styles entirely different from last year.

Furs.

All indications point toward a big demand for small furs of all descriptions with Brown as the leading color. We have both the largest and most carefully selected stock we have ever had to show you. Quality, in Furs is the first consideration and we guarantee all the Furs we sell.

Handsome New Styles in Fur Jackets to show you also, from \$30.00 to \$175.00. When you want furs better come to Austins's.

PRIESTLY CRAVENETTES

For Rain-Coats, guaranteed thoroughly water proof and not to spot, full 60 inches wide, special range of colors, Castor, Dark Olive, Grey, Light and Dark Fawns, per yd. \$1.50.

Plain Olive and Castor shades, with one inch hair line check, very special at \$2.00 a yd.

NEW SHAWLS

French Knitted Shawls, for cool evenings, in Greys, Black, Cream and Cardinal, plain honey comb centre and fancy patterns plain or knotted fringe at 50c, 75c \$1.25 \$1.50 \$2.00 each.

Tartan shoulder shawl, 35 x 36 inch, Black and White check, Red and Black checks, and fancy Plaid, at 50c and 75c each.

Large size fancy Scotch Plaid Shawls, \$2.75 each.

Plain Black Shawls, 75c \$1.00 \$1.25 \$1.50 each.

Heavy Velvet Shawls reversible, plain or fancy pattern, suitable for Winter wear \$1.25 \$1.50 \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, each.

NEW CORDUROY VELVETS

For Ladies Coats, waists and suits, in plain shades of Red, Castor, Navy, Myrtle, Grey, Reseda, Cardinal, Cream and Black, per yd. 50c.

Pin Dot Velvets, for fancy waists, of dresses in Black, Navy, Green Brown, 50c a yd.

All the popular shades in Plain Velvets for Ladies Costumes or Childrens Dresses 50c a yd.

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We're positive its here. We've suits you can put right on, wear away and be proud of your appearance.

Our suits look right and are right in every way. Handsome in fabric and stylish in cut, faultless in fit, and withal at a reasonable price.

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We are showing the New Brown Mixtures, handsome overplaid and checks in single and double breasted styles narrow colors and long full lapels, well formed built shoulders and handsomely tailored trousers cut correctly.

\$750 or \$10 00 Suits for the men with the Conservative taste.

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It is our pleasure to extend to our patrons and all the ladies in Chatham and vicinity a cordial invitation to visit this store on **Wednesday Next** and witness the display of the New Fall Millinery and Dress Fabrics

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Young Cattle for Sale

The undersigned have been instructed to sell, by public auction, a carload of young cattle, at C. P. R. Stock Yards, near Hadley's Mill, Chatham, on Saturday, Sept. 23rd. Sale will commence at one o'clock, sharp. This car is composed of a good class of grade yearlings, and will be sold to the highest bidder. Farmers and others wishing to get young stock for winter feeding will do well to attend this sale.

Terms—Strictly Cash.

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Auctioneers.

NOTICE

The Mammoth and Great Eastern Milling and Mining Co.

Chatham, Ont., Sept. 16, 1905.

A meeting of the Stockholders of The Mammoth and Great Eastern Milling and Mining Company will be held at the Head Office of said Company, in Chatham, Ontario, Canada, at 3 o'clock p. m., on the 3rd day of October, 1905, for the purpose of considering the matter of disposing of such other business as shall properly come before the meeting.

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WORLD OF SPORT

BASEBALL SATURDAY.

The Eastern League.

Toronto 0000121-4
First on bases—Providence 1. Left on bases—Providence 8, Toronto 4. Bases on balls—Off Long 2. Struck out—By Long 3. Three base hit—Rock. Two base hits—White, Soffel. Sacrifice hit—McFarland. Stolen bases—Morgan, Soffel. Double play—Morgan to O'Brien, hit by pitcher—Long 1. Passed ball—Schultz. Umpire—Conway. Time—1:25. Called on account of darkness.

At Newark. R. H. E.
Rochester 0000000-0 3 2
Newark 2102000-5 5 2
Batteries—Schultz and Payne; Hustler and Connor. Umpire—Egan. Game called; darkness.

At Baltimore. R. H. E.
Buffalo 200220010-7 1 1
Baltimore 000012000-3 9 5
Batteries—Morgan and McManus; Bushnell and Hearne. Umpire—Zimmer and Moran.

Second game. R. H. E.
Buffalo 100005200-1 5 2
Baltimore 100000000-1 5 2
Batteries—Kiehl and McManus; Morgan and Byers. Umpire—Zimmer and Moran.

At Jersey City. R. H. E.
Jersey City 000000000-1 8 0
Batteries—Roy and Lattimer; Lindaman and Vandergrift. Umpire—Hassett.

Second game. R. H. E.
Jersey City 0000000-0 1 2
Montreal 0020000-0 2 1
Batteries—Pappalano and Lattimer; Mack and Vandergrift. Umpire—Hassett. Game called on account of darkness.

National League.

New York 3, Boston 1 (first game); New York 3, Boston 1 (second game); Philadelphia 8, Brooklyn 2 (first game); Philadelphia 4, Brooklyn 4 (second game); Cincinnati 6, Pittsburgh 0. Standing of the clubs:

American League.

New York 5, Washington 2 (first game); Washington 6, Boston 2 (second game); Philadelphia 6, Boston 2; Detroit 1, Cleveland 2; Chicago 12, St. Louis 2. Standing of the clubs:

Sunday Baseball.

Providence 202131213-12
Toronto 0000200-2 1 4
First on bases—Providence 2, Toronto 1. Left on bases—Providence 7, Toronto 8. Bases on balls—Off Poole 2. Struck out—By Poole 4, by Crystal 2. Base hits—White, Brodie 2, Rock 3, Jacklich, Houser, Kelly. Two base hits—McFarland, Brodie, Jacklich, Conn, White. Sacrifice hit—White. Magoon. Double play—Harley to Rock. Hit by pitcher—By Poole 1, by Crystal 2. Wild pitches—Crystal 2. Passed balls—Kelly 3. Umpire—Conway. Time—1:45.

Providence. R. H. E.
Providence 03135-12
Toronto 00002-2 1 4
First on bases—Providence 6, Toronto 4. Bases on balls—Off Poole 2. Struck out—By Cronin 6, by McPherson 2. Two base hits—McFarland, Harley 2, Dunn 2, Brodie, Jacklich 2, Rock, Magoon, Zimmerman. Sacrifice hit—Harley, Morgan, Stolen bases—Conn, Rock, Soffel. Umpire—Conway. Time 1:50.

At Newark (East). R. H. E.
Newark 000100100-2 9 1
Rochester 10000100-3 10 2
Batteries—Schultz and Connor; McLean and Payne. Umpire—Egan and Hassett.

Second game. R. H. E.
Newark 1230000-11 5 3
Rochester 0300000-3 1 3
Two out when game called on account of darkness. Batteries—Payne and Connor; Schultz, Walters and McCabe. Umpire—Hassett and Egan.

At Chicago (Amer.). R. H. E.
Chicago 000004000-1 2 9
Cleveland 000001000-1 2 9
Batteries—Altrock and Hart; Jose and Buell.

At Cincinnati (National). Pittsburgh v. Cincinnati game postponed; rain.

At Albany. A pitched-up State League team, representing Albany, defeated Brooklyn here by a score of 6 to 3.

At St. Louis. R. H. E.
St. Louis 000001000-1 5 3
Detroit 001010000-2 8 0
Batteries—Hawley and Suggden; Menden and Dryden. Umpire—O'Loughlin. Attendance—7200.

At Chicago (Nat.). First game—R. H. E.
Chicago 000001001-2 7 1
St. Louis 300000000-3 5 2
Batteries—Schultz and Connor; McLean and Grady. Umpire—Bausewille.

Second game. R. H. E.
Chicago 100000102-4 10 3
St. Louis 020000010-3 7 2
Batteries—M. Brown and Kling; C. Brown and Grady. Umpire—Bausewille. Attendance—12,000.

Irregularity in some things soon gets to be a regular nuisance.

It's all right to rise above one's station if the rise is not too great.

Coal Goes Up.

Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 18.—At a meeting here Saturday of representatives of the New Pittsburgh, Sunday Creek, Fairmount, Kanawha and other coal companies in Ohio and Pennsylvania, it was decided to raise the price of all grades of coal at the mines from 10 to 15 cents.

Passenger Train Derailed.

San Antonio, Sept. 18.—Piles of iron on the track, supposed to have been placed there by wreckers, derailed a San Antonio and Arkansas passenger train Saturday night near the city limits.

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PEACE IS NOW ASSURED

Latest News From the Norway-Sweden Conference.

Expect That Preliminary Result Will Be Reached For Submission to the Riksdag and the Storting Will Be Reached on Wednesday—Christiania Thankful For Peace—Part Played by King Edward.

Kalstad, Sept. 18.—The Norwegian and Swedish delegates sat in conference yesterday from noon till 2 o'clock, and from 5 until 7, at which time they adjourned until Monday. The question of fortifications is still being discussed, and some unforeseen difficulties have appeared. It is expected the discussions will be concluded Wednesday and the preliminary result will then be submitted to the Riksdag and the Storting. The Riksdag's approval of the result of the negotiations is sure, but that of the Storting is doubtful, especially if the Norwegian delegates yield on the questions concerning the fort.

The first official announcement indicating that the delegates of Norway and Sweden were approaching an understanding in their effort to establish a modus vivendi for the countries as separate Governments was given out Saturday night at the close of the joint session of the delegates. This announcement reads: "The probabilities are that in the near future the negotiations can be brought to a definite result."

Thankful For Peace.

Christiania, Sept. 18.—Peace between Sweden and Norway being assured a quieter feeling prevails here. The press is unanimous in hoping for a speedy settlement of the questions. There are some misgivings entertained that peace may have been bought too dearly, but all the newspapers express relief that peace has been secured, provided it is on an enduring basis.

The Aftermath says there are still some difficulties to overcome, but they cannot, according to human calculation, lead to a rupture.

The candidacy of a prince of the House of Bernadotte for the Norwegian throne is now considered to be settled.

King Edward's Part.

London, Sept. 18.—There is reason to believe that King Edward has taken a direct personal interest in the matter, and it is known that messages bearing on the situation at Kalstad have been continually passing between the Foreign Office and the King for the last two days. In fact, it is believed that King Edward suggested a modus vivendi.

Naval Collision Kills Three.

Christiania, Sept. 18.—A Norwegian mine boat Saturday night collided with a Norwegian torpedo boat near Tonsberg. An officer and two men were killed.

BRITISH EMIGRATION.

In 7 months, 67,728 Went to the U. S. and 57,249 Came to Canada.

London, Sept. 18.—British Government returns show that between December 31, 1904, and July 31, 1905, 67,728 persons of British origin emigrated to Canada, an increase of 10,000 over the number of British emigrants during the corresponding period of last year. Australasia took only 5,235, but this number was 460 more than in the corresponding period of last year.

The emigrations to India showed a decrease of 278, the number being 1,421. The quota to British South Africa for the seven months was 12,972, as compared with 13,513 in the same months of 1904. Other British colonies received 2,076 British emigrants.

The total number of British subjects who left the mother country for the colonies during the seven months was 80,465, an increase of about 10,000. Those who during the seven months left to foreign countries numbered 70,664, of whom the United States received 67,728.

The total of emigrants of British origin for the seven months was 150,909, an increase of 13,447 over last year.

INDIA'S ARMS DEFECTIVE.

New Guns Damaged In Shipment Must Be Returned.

London, Sept. 18.—Substantiation has now been furnished by unimpeachable sources for the rumors that the new guns supplied to the Indian army have been found to be so defective that they are being returned to England for alteration.

The delivery of their mechanism is such that not one of them survived the voyage eastward to a state of efficiency. When tested after disembarkation the guns were found to be quite unequal to the requirements of active service.

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FOR PEACE CONFERENCE

Powers Soon Again to Be Addressed on the Subject.

Roosevelt Won't Be Happy Till He Gets It—Last Winter Every Power Addressed Except Russia Responded Favorably, and the Case Accepted, the Principle Then—So Far the Prospects Seem to Be Bright.

Washington, Sept. 18.—According to a statement made by an official of the State Department yesterday it is practically certain that President Roosevelt will soon address the powers again on the subject of an international peace conference at The Hague. The step may be taken within a week, but it is more likely that nothing will be done until the President returns to Washington and confers with Secretary of State Root regarding the matter.

When Mr. Roosevelt does call the attention of the powers to the matter again, taking up his plan where it ended last winter, when the Russian Government spoiled the chances of a conference by refusing to participate until the war in the east had come to an end, the first step will probably be a circular note to the powers, suggesting that the time is now opportune for a discussion of the subjects which shall come before the conference. When the plans become partly defined, the Government of the Netherlands will issue a call for the conference. Such was the plan outlined last December, and it is not likely that it will be changed to any great extent.

Every power addressed ten months ago by Secretary Hay on the subject responded favorably, with the exception of Russia. The St. Petersburg Government, however, accepted the principle of the conference, but said that under the existing circumstances—Russia was not practicable for Russia to enter into a peace conference. Japan consented to participate, at the same time making a condition that none of the questions of the war then existing be discussed. It is believed here that it will take some weeks for the various powers to reach an understanding as to the subjects to be discussed by the conference and it is not thought probable that the meeting can be convened before some time next year.

There have been many questions brought to prominence by the Russo-Japanese war just ended, and these will undoubtedly be set forth by either Russia or Japan for discussion.

ARMISTICE IN EFFECT.

Pickets and Forces Are Moved Back—Red Cross Figures.

Godzyuany, Manchuria, Sept. 18.—An order by Gen. Linewich putting into effect the stipulations of the armistice arranged by Gens. Ovanovsky and Fukushima, has been published and distributed to the army. The order directs the immediate cessation of hostilities, the retirement of pickets from the neutral zone and the establishment of a post of communication. It forbids all other communications between the armies.

Armies Move Back.

Gunshu Pass, Manchuria, Sept. 18.—As a result of the armistice which was effective Saturday the outposts of the main positions on both sides will move back about two-thirds of a mile and hereafter will display white flags.

A representative of the Red Cross administration shows that altogether 30,000 beds and twenty trains were supplied, and that 100,000,000 were expended during the war.

Komura's Condition.

New York, Sept. 18.—The following bulletin was issued yesterday on the condition of Baron Komura, the Japanese envoy, who has been ill in this city for some time: "The condition of Baron Komura continues favorable in every respect and a prompt convalescence is expected by his physicians."

A SUCCESSFUL RAID.

Dutch Worst in Eastern Seas—The Germans Win Battle.

The Hague, Sept. 17.—An official despatch reports a successful raid made by the pretender, Sonnabait, of the Timor Archipelago, who recently invaded Dutch territory, killed 32 persons and carried off 42 captives.

More Fighting.

Berlin, Sept. 18.—An official despatch from Harushas, German Southwest Africa, says: "Major Kesslers column of colonial troops engaged the insurgent Herero warriors, of here Sept. 13th. After five hours' fighting the natives gave way, leaving 60 dead. Two Germans were killed and 12, including Major Laereker, were wounded."

U. S. General in India.

Washington, Sept. 18.—Major-General Arthur MacArthur, who has been the senior United States military attaché with the Japanese army, will not return immediately to this country, but for the purpose of inspecting the British military forces in that country.

Falls Overboard and Drowned.

Chatham, Sept. 18.—Bert Richmond, a freeman on board the steamer City of Chatham, is thought to have fallen overboard when the boat was docked at Detroit Saturday night, and drowned. He was about 25 years of age and his home was in Dover.

Jammed Fingers in Vice.

Belleville, Sept. 18.—The 7-year-old son of Sam Hibbard was playing with some other children with a vice Saturday morning, and in some way got the fingers of one of his hands so badly jammed that one of them had to be amputated.

Sir Gilbert's Lecture.

Ottawa, Sept. 18.—Sir Gilbert Parker addressed the Canadian Club on Saturday on "Canada 30 Years After." Dr. Courtenay presided, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier was the guest of honor.

Yellow Fever Bulletin.

New Orleans, Sept. 18.—The yellow fever report for 9 p. m. yesterday: New cases 24, total to date 2,712, deaths 3, total to date 335. Cases under treatment 323, cases discharged 1,913.

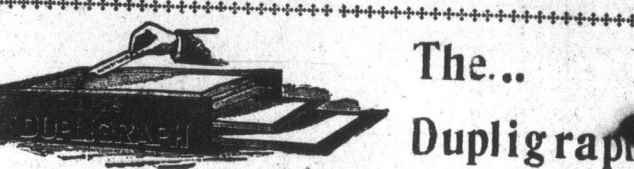
Sweater Time

Our Fall Sweaters for MEN and BOYS are ready, not a man who is at all athletic or a boy at all, but what needs one, if he hasn't it already.

You'll find ours finely made, accurately shaped and evenly knitted. you won't find tight places that bind or loose threads that break or ravel. All colors, all sizes, many qualities. All reliable at these prices.

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O. J. C. FALL RACES.

Toronto, Sept. 18.—The first day of the O. J. C. autumn races—Saturday—saw cloudy weather, with a fast track. The record:

First race, 3-4 mile, any age—1, Merry England; 2, LaLonde; 3, Light Brigade. Time, 1:12-2.

Second race, 5-8 mile, 2-year-olds—1, Miss Anxious; 2, Away; 3, St. Joseph. Time, 1:40-1-2.

Third race, 1-16 miles, 3-year-olds and over—1, Our Bessie; 2, Arrah Jowan; 3, Crestfallen. Time, 1:43-4.

Fourth race, 1-14 miles, 3-year-olds and over—1, Sir Ralph; 2, Wire In; 3, Gay Minister. Time, 2 mins.

Fifth race, 1-3-4 miles, 3-year-olds and over—1, Butler Laddie; 2, Ben Crockett; 3, Frank Somers. Time, 3:23-4.

Sixth race, 3-4 mile, 3-year-olds and over—1, Chatelaine; 2, Albert; 3, Miss Morgan. Time, 1:13-4.

Seventh race, 3-4 mile, 3-year-olds and over—1, Blumenthal; 2, Bonnie Reg; 3, Sand. Time, 1:13-3-4.

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WARD-HEELING, WIRE-PULLING, GRAFT MAN SOUGHT CHARACTERIZE OUR SCHOOL BOARD

Such is the Serious Expose and Charge of Mayor Cowan—Newspaper Proprietors and Editors Held in Check by an "Influence They Won't Come Up Against"—Messrs. Robertson and Paxton are Disqualified and Criminally Liable to Heavy Fines—Board Cannot Transact Business Without Manipulation and on Its Merits—Could Not be Elected by the Reputable Citizens at Large—Such are Mayor's Conclusions

The Public School Board—and incidentally the proprietors and editors of the local newspapers—have a grand opportunity to-day to "see ourselves as others see us," or, at least, as some others see us; for Mayor Cowan held up the looking glass with considerable energy at last night's City Council meeting, and the reflections his worship found therein were not particularly complimentary.

It is seldom that a public body receives a more drastic or terrible arraignment than that which was handed out to the School Board. They were plainly told that their institutions and proceedings were permeated with graft, and wire-pulling and ward-heeling. They were assured that it seemed "almost impossible for these men to do things on their merits," and told that they "couldn't be elected by the reputable people of the city at large." An impersonal exception was made to "a few of them," but three at least were singled out for special serious attention. Trustees Wm. Robertson and Richard M. Paxton were definitely accused of graft and informed that they were criminally liable to disqualification and heavy fines—and a third, unnamed, was instanced as supplying the "influence that the editors and proprietors of our city papers don't come up against."

More than that, the Mayor intimated that a very similar state of affairs must exist in the Collegiate Institute Board, as he said, Rev. Dr. Batisby, a member thereof—had called him up to congratulate him upon his determination to do away with it and said, "If you knew the facts of the workings of this Board as I know them, you would never stay your hand until its extermination was accomplished."

The charges arose during the discussion of Ald. Austin's motion to abolish the C. I. and P. S. Boards and form a Board of Education in Chatham. His worship read the report of the last meeting of the School Board from The Planet and the criticisms of some of his statements and figures made by the trustees.

"Now," said the Mayor, "I have taken pains to verify my figures as to their expenditures of this Board from their own figures. I find them as follows:—

Central School.
Addition \$6,000.00
Heating plant 5,500.00
Fitting up additions, new lavatories, floors and walks and fitting up two new rooms now occupied 2,500.00
Repairs 500.00
McKeough School.
Heating plant \$84,000.00

MAYOR DECLINES

Says It is Extremely Improbable He Will be a Candidate for a Second Term

Mayor Cowan in conversation with a Planet reporter this morning stated that he would not be a candidate for re-election to the mayoralty chair next January.

"I think I have done my duty by the city," said he, "in sitting several terms as alderman and one as Chief Magistrate. I am not tired of it but, naturally, the drain on my time is very severe and, consequently, my business has suffered. Instead of lying awake nights thinking of my own affairs I have to think of civic matters."

This announcement will be received with regret by the Mayor's many friends. During his term he has gained a reputation for fearlessness and outspoken conduct when civic affairs have demanded it—a reputation which will not soon be forgotten. In addition to this his energy and ability have made his administration one of the most successful on record.

NOTED ARTIST

A. M. Fleming, Chatham's popular and talented artist, came off with flying colors at the London Fair, where he exhibited some of his paintings. Mr. Fleming secured the first prize and received most flattering notices on his work from the London newspapers. Mr. Fleming has exceptional talent and gives promise of wonderful achievements.

Repairs 500.00

Total—\$19,000.00

Now, I want to call the attention of the citizens to the class of men who sit at this School Board and their methods of doing business. We hear nothing of their mismanagement or their wire-pulling in the press. You never see a particle of criticism on their actions no matter how rank they may be. What individual on the Board holds them in check? He exerts the influence that editors and proprietors of our city papers will not go up against. They are silent.

"And yet we know—the public know—that it is wire-pulling and manipulation from start to finish. It seems almost impossible for men on this Board to do things honestly concerning their figures. Who is this man Paxton? One of the worst ward-healers in Chatham. Who is this man Robertson? Another of the same stripe. The reputable people of our city have no confidence in them. They couldn't be elected by the general vote of the reputable citizens at large. What is the record of these men? I see by their accounts that Paxton receives \$25 from the School Board for inspection of the Central school addition. Robertson, on the other hand, secures contracts for repainting McKeough school for which tenders are never asked. Such things are illegal; they are criminally punishable. They would not be tolerated by reputable men.

"It is just to avoid the election of such men as these that we want a general vote and a Board of Education. The Act provides that these men are now disqualified—that the County Judge shall declare their seats at the Board void and that a penalty of \$20 fine shall be assessed against them for every meeting they have attended."

"The School Board has been conducted along these lines for a long time. It is time we called a halt. A few of them no doubt act honestly and conscientiously, but the atmosphere is bad and the methods are worse."

"Under the new state of affairs men can be elected that will not be objected to. An ex-Trustee in whom the city has great confidence told me he would offer himself as a candidate for the Board of Education but never for the School Board. Such is their present reputation.

"Is the C. C. I. Board much better? Rev. Dr. Batisby, who is a member of it, called me up to congratulate me on the stand we were taking. Said he, 'If you knew the facts about this Board as I do, you would never stay your hand until its extermination was completed.' That's significant enough, surely.

"That's all, gentlemen. I have to say about the School Board at present."

GENEROUS ACT

Big Hearted John Pleasence Equips Young Crippled Lad This Morning

"Say," said a little one-legged lad of about twelve years of age, to Barrister W. F. Smith and a couple of on-lookers this afternoon, "I'm very glad and happy and I can't help telling it, even if he told me not to."

Mr. Smith drew the smiling-faced little cripple out and he told his sad story. This morning he was playing around the Hotel Rankin when the burly, big-hearted proprietor, John Pleasence, noticed him. He procured his story and forthwith served him a generous meal. Then he purchased him a new shoe, a new hat and a new crutch and sent him on his way rejoicing—with but one caution, that he say nothing about it and try to become a good and useful young man.

But the happy child with his glowing face and eager determination to prove worthy of the kindness and trust extended to him, was an inspiration to all who saw him. This is, perhaps, an age of grasp and selfish consideration, but every now and then one stumbles upon a shining evidence of consideration for "one of the least of these." And how often it comes from sources least looked to!

No man's a failure until he's dead or loses his courage, and that's the same thing.

SUICIDE'S END

Intoxicated Unfortunate Twice Endeavored to Drown Himself in the Thames

Wife Attracted Attention and He Was Rescued—Fire Dept. Called Out

The usually quiet neighborhood in the vicinity of Pigott's mill, on King-St. West, was thoroughly aroused last evening about half-past six o'clock, by the screams of a child who appeared at the front of her home crying for help.

It was not long before the attention of two men who were standing near, was attracted and they learned that a man was trying to drown himself in the river. Both of the men rushed down to the spot indicated and found conditions as described. The man was up to his neck in the water, and his wife, who was trying to keep him from suicide, was holding on to a scow with one hand while with the other she madly clutched the clothing of the man in the water.

The two men who were attracted to the scene managed to pull the man out, in spite of his desperate struggles to the contrary, and finally got him home and locked him in his bedroom.

The man was Richard Masters, who had returned home in the evening intoxicated, and was seized with a burning desire to end his life. His home is on the river bank, and he made a dash for the water through the rear gate; not, however, before his wife learned of his intention and followed him, with the above mentioned result.

The second alarm came at seven o'clock. Masters, still intent upon ending his life, had broken out of his bedroom window and was once more making his way to the bank of the river. His wife again arrested him and held him until assistance arrived, and he was once more pulled out of the water. Word was telephoned to the Police Station and Tom Groves arrived in time to escort the would-be suicide to the Police Station. Almost at the same time the Fire Department was called out. They came on the scene with the hook and ladder truck, but by this time a crowd had gathered and Masters realized his game was up.

He came up at the Police Court this morning and was remanded till Monday. Masters denies all knowledge of the affair this morning and claims he was too drunk to know what he was doing.

IN THE FAMILY

Vital Goodreau is carrying a Detroit Free Press around to-day and proudly exhibiting it to his jealous rivals in the art of fishing. The following item, which appears under the Canadian News, is at the root of Vital's powder pigeon stunts:—

"Vital Benoit, of Anderson, caught a muscalonge, in the Detroit river, Sunday, which weighed 35 pounds, ten ounces, and measured over four feet in length."

People generally wonder why Vital is so deeply interested in the item until he proudly explains that Vital Benoit, the young man mentioned in the item, is one of Mr. Goodreau's nephews and also a namesake. Vital claims that his nephew is an understudy of his, and this has given grounds for the suspicion that the item may be grossly exaggerated.

DETROIT EASY

The Pilgrims Roll Up Large Score Against the Pick of the Western Elevens

At Detroit, yesterday, before a crowd numbering only 500, the picked team from the western section of the Peninsular League were defeated by the touring English soccer by the score of 10-2.

The Peninsular Leaguers started out strong, but soon tired before the continued and practiced onslaught of the Englishmen. The passing of the latter was high and this, coupled with the fact that they used a great deal of head work, confused the losers.

The formation of the Englishmen was quite different from that usually used in this country. Their defence played close to the forwards so that only short kicks were required to feed the forward line, instead of the long relays necessary when the defence plays back.

The match was played under English rules. Woodward, the star centre forward, shot five of the English soccer's goals.

REPORT CONFIRMED

Word has been received in this city confirming the sad report of the sudden death in Cleveland of Miss Lucille Rockey, who spent the summer months in Chatham. Miss Rockey died of typhoid fever at the home of her aunt in Cleveland.

Ladies and Gents...

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SAT TILL AFTER MIDNIGHT TO LAND HEAD ST. SPUR

Council Rescinds Old By-law and Orders Pere Marquette Removed Within Two Weeks—Mr. Faxon puts Some Straight Railroad Questions for Harvey St. Residents—Other Matters

The clock tolled the midnight hour, but the members of the City Council sat on, and on—and on!

Finally they reached it, and the by-law rescinding the old by-law giving the Pere Marquette running privileges on Head street was passed and two weeks given for the removal of the tracks.

There were other railroad matters of interest. The Harvey street residents protested vigorously against the proposed tracks of the Windsor and Essex road and R. M. Paxton on their behalf put a series of energetic questions to his worship.

"The first question I want to ask the Mayor," said Mr. Paxton, "is why this railway, which I am led to understand is only a railway on paper, changed its first-proposed route from King street west so as to come down Harvey instead?"

The Mayor—The route was changed before the Council had an opportunity to deal with the first proposition.

Mr. Paxton—Why were Lacroix and Harvey chosen, when the company could have secured running powers over the present road on Raleigh street?

The Mayor—They'd have to make terms with the other road.

Mr. Paxton—Have they a charter from any Government into the city?

The Mayor—I don't know about a charter.

C. J. Leggett, of Windsor, solicitor for the road—We have a charter from the Government.

Mr. Paxton—The Council is here surely to look after the city's interests and there should surely be no manipulation about a matter like this. I do not believe this Council has any moral right to deal with the matter. They were not elected to do so—and they have no right to consider their individual ends.

The Mayor—You have a mistaken idea.

Mr. Paxton—You have your hands full already with railroad matters, and I don't believe these things should be rushed into recklessly.

The Mayor—Confine your attention to the subject.

Mr. Paxton—The Harvey street residents want to be consulted ere they are tied up in the manner proposed.

W. H. Carswell and D. Jordan also spoke. "We have a railroad behind us," declared the latter, "and a railroad at the side of us and now you want to put a railroad in front of us. We better quit paying taxes and let our property go. We elected the Council to protect us."

Mr. Leggett, of Windsor, said the road was bona fide and, if the necessary franchises were obtained, work would be commenced by October 1.

The Mayor—I want to ask a question, Mr. Leggett. Parties have been kind enough to circulate the report that Ald. Austin and Mayor Cowan got you to change your first idea of coming in by King street west, because they had property there. Is it true?

Mr. Leggett—I can deny it absolutely.

All the members of the Council were in their places promptly on time.

The usual routine accounts were presented and referred to their respective committees.

Ald. Marshall presented a letter from Henry Terrington complaining that the pound-keeper was not performing his duties; also drawing attention to work which he claimed had been promised for his property by the city last spring.—Referred to Board of Works.

Several requests to trim trees were referred to the Chief of Police with power.

Ald. Marshall presented a report from the City Treasurer, as to the way in which the various departments were keeping within their estimates. The cemetery was the only institution overdrawn and that by reason of special work done.

Ald. Dunn presented a petition for

three-foot sidewalk on south side McKeehan avenue.

The Mayor said the sidewalk was below regular width and referred it to Board of Works.

Ald. Dunn presented petition for electric light at corner of Head and James streets and earnestly advocated the granting of it. Ald. Edmondson seconded Ald. Dunn's motion that the petition be granted as soon as the new dynamo was put in.—Carried.

Ald. Dunn presented a petition from Head street residents asking for the removal of the P. M. tracks on Head street. Ald. Dunn gave notice of motion in the matter.

W. E. Risin called attention to the needed raising of pavement in front of Eberts building. Ald. O'Keefe said the matter would be attended to.

Ald. O'Keefe moved that the Council take the initiative on new pavement on Wellington street east of market.—Carried.

Ald. Potter presented petition from Lacroix street residents against the laying of electric railway tracks.—Referred to Railroad committee.

A. H. White and J. P. Dunn asked for insurance of market building.—Referred to Market committee.

The Chatham Gas Co. wrote asking that the city consent to negotiations for lighting the city.

Chris. Farrell asked consent to remove porous tile on Sheldon avenue. Ald. Edmondson moved that the request be granted.—Carried.

Barrister Geo. G. Martin wrote submitting petition of retail grocers for repeal of early closing by-law, signed by a majority of retail grocers as requested by the Council, and asked for action.

The Firewriters Association wrote enclosing report of fire department.—Property.

Sir C. West for Raleigh street residents wrote asking that all earth excavated be turned over to ratepayers on the street, who paid for excavation.—Board of Works.

E. B. Jones withdrew his resignation in consideration of grant of \$200 man him.

The Canadian Woodman asked for photos of the city for souvenir number.—Industrial.

A. T. Mounter called attention to certain sewers needing flushing.—Board of Works.

Norris & Rowe wrote asking reduction in circus license.

A delegation from the Peninsular Fair, consisting of A. D. Westman, J. H. Glassford, and others, asked for the grant of \$300 as was granted last year. Both Messrs. Westman and Glassford made short and earnest addresses.

Ald. Edmondson and Westman moved the grant, which was carried.

John Pleasance asked for reduction in taxes commensurate with absence of license.—Finance.

On motion of Ald. King the Harvey street residents were heard.

Ald. Marshall for Finance reported that a portion of the City Solicitor's bill had not yet been paid in connection with the Labombard case.

Ald. King for Market committee reported in favor of concrete floor under open market shed and tenders asked for; that a "gas main be put in building; that architect get 3-1-2 per cent. of plans accepted and work under construction.—Report adopted.

Ald. Potter for Parks and Cemeteries reported that requests of H. B. Darr and Thos. McCrossin be allowed.—Adopted.

Ald. Westman for Property reported that Mr. Moffat's offer for plates for Mayors be accepted; that better fire protection be given Sheldon avenue; that city electric plant was examined and recommendation was made for purchase of new dynamo.

With the exception of the last clause the report was adopted. The last clause was amended empowering the committee to go ahead to secure prices, etc., while opportunity was given for a consideration of the proposition of the Gas Co.

Ald. Dunn said the Underwriters were calling for improvements in the waterworks plant and it would be best to consider that point before taking action.

The yeas and nays were taken on the amendment.—

Yeas—Austin, Marshall, Dunn, King, O'Keefe, Ainsworth and the Mayor.—7.

Nays—Potter, Westman, Edmondson.—3.

Ald. Dunn reported in favor of the sale of the property on the corner of Head and Barthe Sts. for \$75. Carried.

Ald. Edmondson drew attention to "dangerous spots" on VanAllen Ave. and Joseph St.

Ald. Dunn drew attention to a similar state on Selkirk St.

John Whalen, Park St. West, was heard in connection with the trunk sewer needed and promised in that district. Board of Works.

Ald. Westman moved that the Gas Co. be asked to make their proposition in reference to civic lighting. Ald. Austin seconded and the motion carried.

Ald. Potter pointed out that he thought if a little more firmness and accuracy had been displayed by the Supt. better results would have been secured in the past. He did not favor the Chatham Gas Co.'s proposition, being in favor of municipal ownership as far as possible.

After the Mayor had declared the motion lost the yeas and nays were called for and resulted as follows:—

Yeas—Austin, Marshall, King, O'Keefe, Ainsworth.—6.

Nays—Potter, Westman, Edmondson and the Mayor.—4.

The circumstances of the rescinding of the Mayor's declaration and Ald.

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Westman voting against his own motion caused considerable amusement.

Ald. Westman gave notice of by-law to repeal early closing grocers' by-law in response to ex-Ald. Martin's letter.

Ald. Austin moved that the matter be referred to a committee to consider the premises and the facts submitted in the petition.

Ald. Edmondson and Marshall opposed further procrastination. A by-law had been prepared annulling the existing by-law and it should be dealt with.

Ald. Austin withdrew his motion, saying Ald. Marshall had requested it. Ald. Marshall denied it, and a somewhat warm series of lively contradictions amused the Council for some moments.

Ald. Potter drew attention to several names on the petition of people who did not keep grocery stores, and made an earnest plea for an investigation of the whole circumstances.

Ald. Potter moved that the matter be referred to Finance committee for investigation of both sides of the question. Again the Mayor declared it lost, and the yeas and nays rescinded his declaration.

Yeas—Austin, King, O'Keefe, Ainsworth, Potter, Mayor.—6.

Nays—Marshall, Dunn, Westman, Edmondson.—4.

Ald. Austin submitted his resolution for the formation of a Board of Education.

The Mayor suggested that a meeting be called to consider the matter.

Ald. King asked what provision was made for county representatives.

Ald. Austin said their position was just the same as at present.

Ald. Westman said that the act did not provide for a High School district such as ours.

The Mayor said that this was not the case.

Ald. Westman said that the Attorney-General should be consulted as to the meaning of the act. He asked Ald. Austin to get both city solicitor and Attorney-General's opinion.

The Mayor said the whole thing was as clear as the nose on a man's face.

The Mayor said he believed the new regime would improve the management of school affairs.

The Mayor then read The Planet's report of the School Board trustees' comments on his suggestion, and comments thereon as elsewhere reported.

Ald. Austin's motion then carried.

Ald. Westman reported that he had received a bona fide offer of \$12,000 for the front of the market, 40 feet and the old building, and spend \$8,000 or \$9,000 at once upon the building. He moved that the Council ask for legislation to sell. Ald. Ainsworth seconded.

Ald. Edmondson said he could not support the resolution unless the matter were laid before the electors and their endorsement secured.

Ald. Potter also took the same view of the matter in a strong and vigorous address. He thought the various propositions should be submitted to the ratepayers. He gave notice of a by-law to that effect.

Ald. Austin moved in amendment that the Property committee devise ways and means of improving the market property with a view to retaining ownership, and report. The amendment carried.

On motion of Ald. Westman, Sam. Moore was allowed two weeks' holidays.

Ald. Dunn and Edmondson moved that the initiative be taken to pave Head St. Carried.

The by-law giving the Pere Marquette permission to place a track on Head St. was then repealed by by-law. This means the beginning of the end of the Head St. track, the city engineer being instructed to tear up the track at the end of two weeks if not removed by the company.

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THAMESVILLE

Sept. 15.—The special train leaving London at 8.30 p. m. gave many the opportunity of spending the day in London to enjoy the fair.

Will De Pencier is at Dr. Stewart's to-day.

Dan Stewart goes to London to-day for the closing of the fair.

Mrs. Davies and Master Reford Davies returned yesterday from London, where they were the guests of Mrs. Homer Black.

W. B. Albertson returned to his duties, after a few days' absence.

Several from our village attended the State Fair in Detroit.

George Weekes, from Brant, is spending the fall in the west.

Sept. 18.—Jack Stewart, arrived at his home here from Berlin. He will spend his two weeks' vacation at his home.

Norman Willson gives up his position as teacher at the end of this month. He leaves early in October for Winnipeg, where he will begin the study of law. We shall miss an excellent teacher, but wish him all success in his profession.

A number left this morning to attend the fair at Stratford.

The stock attraction there is an attraction for those interested in it.

Russell Platt, from Detroit, came to Thamesville on Saturday, a guest of Mrs. Stewart.

One of the most severe storms of the season swept over the village Friday about four o'clock in the afternoon. The lightning was very sharp, and the rain came down in torrents.

It is rumored in town that the large white hotel will be fitted up for a boarding house. Such a place is much needed.

BLENHIM

Sept. 18.—Hon. A. C. Rutherford, of Stratford, Alberta, who has been appointed the first Premier of the New Province of Alberta, is a brother of our townsman, Mr. James Rutherford.

Mr. Nellie Forbes has taken a situation at Mr. A. Bell's store.

Neil Finlay, of Kalamazoo, Mich., is visiting relatives in town.

The Methodist church choir went to Zion church last evening to take part in the entertainment held there last evening.

Miss Nettie Walker is visiting friends in Detroit and Cleveland.

David Clark, who has been working at Moosejaw, N. W. T., and vicinity, returned home last week.

He will spend the winter here but expects to return again in the spring.

Robert E. Wodehouse and J. G. Crookshank are spending a few weeks here with their parents prior to returning to their respective colleges for the winter term.

The annual harvest home services in connection with the Presbyterian church were held on Sunday last. The attendance at each service was as good as could be expected.

owing to the inclemency of the weather. The Rev. A. H. Hare, of Kent Bridge, preached at both services.

Mrs. John Ward, milliner, will move into J. F. Titus' old store as soon as it is renovated.

THE STAGE

"All the world's a stage and all the men and women merely players."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

At The Grand—

Florodora—Sept. 22.

Isle of Spice—Sept. 25.

Down By The Sea—Sept. 27-28.

The Isle of Bong Bong—Oct. 5.

(Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)

FLORODORA.

At the Grand Friday Night.

That the hold which "Florodora" has had on the public favor during the past five years has not relaxed in any degree is proved by the large audiences which have witnessed ev-

ery performance of the new production of this delightful musical comedy this season.

The famous "Pretty Maiden" sextette, is still the popular musical hit of the play that literally abounds with pretty and popular musical hits, and the beauties far prettier than even the original sextette, who won fame and fortune while appearing in this bewitching song and dance, though strangers when the curtain rose on the first performance of this season, have, with the witchery of the nod and the wink that accompanied it, won over the friends and admirers of every other "Pretty Maiden" who ever before appeared in that now famous song.

With a gorgeousness of stage setting equal to that which made the

original production of "Florodora," the most expensive musical comedy ever staged, the return of this tuneful play is something in the nature of the coming back of an old friend.

There is the same lifting, catchy tunes, the same old humor, and the same cheerful effects so familiar to all theatre-goers.

BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

This body wound up their business Sunday evening at First Baptist church. Sunday was devoted to covenant meeting and preaching of memorial, doctrinal and closing sermons. The Lord's Supper was administered in the afternoon. Supply speakers were furnished for several churches in the city for both services during the day. Financial committee reported that the total amount raised from the several departments was \$330.40.

The executive board met Saturday at three p. m. and reported the missionary work of the past year to have been good and productive of much advancement.

The following officers were appointed for ensuing year:

President—A. S. Shreeve.

Secretary—M. C. Green.

Treasurer—J. G. Brown.

The Women's Home Mission met at 2.30 p. m. Saturday, presided over by Mrs. J. Saunders. The address of welcome and response were given by Miss M. Hammond, and the president respectively followed by devotional exercises. The regular business was then entered into. Funds collected, amounting to \$154, were used for the upbuilding of churches throughout the district, besides the starting of a foreign mission fund.

Secretaries: Mrs. I. Small.

The place of next meeting for the Association will be with the Queen street Baptist church, Dresden, in September, 1906.

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By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Man seldom speaks of a wife's devotion without getting in a good word for himself.

Levee's Y-Z (Wise Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder is a boon to any home. Disinfects and cleans at the same time.

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TO-NIGHT

Baseball practice, Tecumseh Park, at 7.30.
Young Men's Club, Park St. S. S. Hall, at 8.
Chatham Lodge, No. 28, I. O. O. F., Oddfellows' Temple, at 8.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.
Toronto, Sept. 19.—11 a. m.—Winds increasing to strong breezes and moderate gales, southerly, shifting to westerly, fair and warm until evening, then local showers and thunderstorms. Wednesday, strong westerly to northerly winds, fair and cooler.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

The Victoria Avenue Methodist League purpose giving a reception to strangers and students Friday evening.

Fred Vickery ran a pin deep into his finger this morning, the point breaking off. Chloroform was administered and the pin removed.

FAREWELL

Austin Employees Fete Departing Colleague and make Presentation

Miss K. Delahanty, who has been an employee of the Austin Store ever since that institution opened its doors, leaves Thursday for Chicago. There she will accept a lucrative position with her brother Tom, now a prosperous business man of that city.

In view of her coming departure the staff of the store, to the number of sixty, assembled last night in the carpet department, where tables were set and a farewell banquet given their departing colleague, followed by a program. Miss Delahanty's popularity among her associates was quite inadequately attested both by the speakers and in the generally voiced regret over her departure, heard on all sides.

The loss is not only that of her associates and employer, but also that of the community—regret over her departure only being tempered by the thought of the rich success the future holds in store for her.

R. Kilop presided over the program, which consisted of vocal solo numbers by G. Braekin and A. Martin, and a reading by Miss Mabel Carlier. In addition to this a quartette composed of Messrs. Martin, Griffith, Braekin and Smith gave two selections, and a quintette composed of Misses Tickner, Gwilt, Terry, Clements and Carlier sang "Chatham Town." Speeches were delivered by Misses A. O'Reilly and Lottie Morris, and by Messrs. McArthur, E. White, Wm. Primeau, Arthur Dell and Tom McIntyre. Miss A. O'Reilly, gifted with a talent for poetry, composed an original piece for the occasion, which was received with much applause and many complimentary remarks concerning the composer.

As a souvenir of her stay among them Miss Maud Harper presented Miss Delahanty with a splendid diamond ring, the address being read by G. A. Gray. The gathering concluded with "Auld Lang Syne" and other appropriate choruses.

THE ASSEIZES

The Assizes were continued to-day at the Court House.

The Grand Jury brought in a true bill in the case of Rex vs. George Storms for rape and the trial is now being heard.

Richardson vs. the Lake Erie Railway Company was settled out of Court.

The evidence in the case of Drader vs. Laing was heard and the Judge took the case partially out of the jury's hands. This is a case where W. M. Drader sues Mr. Laing for 8,000 apple barrels purchased by the latter. The judgment has not yet been given out.

Don't talk about horse sense to the fellow who owns an automobile.

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Diseases: Eye, Ear and Nose treated and
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SWELL TURNOUT FOR WINNIPEG

The Wm. Gray & Sons' Co., Limited, sold during the Toronto Exhibition, to Jos. Maw & Co., of Winnipeg, seven of their latest and up-to-date traps. These vehicles were the very acme of perfection in style and design and were among the handsomest vehicles which this noted firm has ever shown at any Exhibition. This speaks well for Winnipeg and indicates that the driving public there are evidently open to invest in the very best that is going, and it is a credit to Mr. Maw's enterprise to have secured such handsome vehicles.

O. J. C. AUTUMN RACES.

Toronto, Sept. 19.—Yesterday at the O. J. C.'s fall meeting the weather was clear and the track fast. The record:

First race, 3-4 mile, 3-year-olds and over—1, Claude; 2, La Londe; 3, Peter Paul. Time, 1:13.1-2.

Second race, 5-8 mile, 3-year-olds—1, Away; 2, Ossineke; 3, Jillett. Time, 1:02.

Third race, 1 mile and 20 yards, all ages—1, Elliott; 2, Factotum; 3, Wye-field. Time, 1:45.1-2.

Fourth race, 5-1-2 furlongs, 4-year-olds and over—1, Femrock; 2, Morris; 3, Lulu Young. Time, 1:08.3-4.

Fifth race, 2 miles, 3-year-olds and over—1, Ben Crockett; 2, Opuntia; 3, Bob Alone. Time, 4:31.1-4.

Sixth race, 1 mile, 3-year-olds and over—1, Highland Fling; 2, Cheripe; 3, Colonist. Time, 1:43.1-4.

Seventh race, 5-1-2 furlongs, 4-year-olds and over—1, Albert; 2, Vine-tides; 3, Blumenthal. Time, 1:08.3-4.

Toronto Man Killed.

Detroit, Sept. 19.—On Saturday George Johnson, a mason, employed on the new Breitmeyer building, was instantly killed by falling down the elevator shaft from the fifth story. He came here not long ago from Toronto. A 14-year-old son lives in Toronto. An appeal to the public has been made on Mrs. Johnson's behalf.

The Cholera Bulletin.

Berlin, Sept. 19.—The official bulletin issued yesterday says there were 103 fresh cases of cholera and five deaths from noon Saturday to noon Sunday, and three new cases and one death from noon Sunday to noon yesterday, making the totals 202 cases and 77 deaths.

Got the Franchise.

St. Catharines, Sept. 19.—The application of the Cataract Power Company to the city council for a 25-year franchise came up again at last night's meeting of the council and was passed by a good majority, after some minor amendments had been made.

Sees Icebergs.

Father Point, Sept. 19.—Capt. McNeill of the steamship Athena of the Donaldson Line, from Glasgow, reports the 16th inst. passing several large icebergs, also one very large berg and several small pieces 64 miles west of Greenly Island.

CHARMING MUSKOKA LAKE.

No more delightful region in America for a vacation, among the cedars, palms and balsams. Hundreds of beautiful cottages, and new hotels have been built in the last few years. If you are boating, canoeing, life and health, Muskoka. Low rates from Chatham, good all season. Full information and tickets at Grand Trunk City Office. W. E. Rispin, City Ticket Agent, 115 King street.

NOTICE

To the Secretary Catholic Order of Foresters:

Dear Sir,—I have much pleasure in acknowledging receipt of cheque in payment of amount of policy on the life of the late William M. Kelly. Thanking you for the promptness with which the money was paid.

Yours truly,

J. B. KELLY,

Chatham, Sept. 19, 1905.

Young Cattle for Sale

The undersigned have been instructed to sell, by public auction, a cargo of young cattle, at C. P. R. Stock Yards, near Hadley's Mill, Chatham, on Saturday, Sept. 23rd. Sale will commence at one o'clock, sharp. This car is composed of a good class of grade yearlings, and will be sold to the highest bidder. Farmers and others wishing to get young stock for winter feeding will do well to attend this sale.

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FIRE CAPTAIN KILLED

Thoms Worrell Caught Beneath a Falling Floor.

Capt. Sargent Seriously Injured and Fireman Fox and Robinson Also of the Toronto Brigade Buried Beneath Debris in An Early Morning Blaze—Brown Milling Co.'s Elevator, Princess Street, Goes Up in Smoke.

Toronto, Sept. 19.—One fireman under a blazing pile of debris and watered floor, another fireman seriously injured, and about \$100,000 loss was the outcome of an early morning fire in the Brown Milling Co., with premises at the foot of Princess street. Within 10 minutes after the outbreak of the fire the main floor of the four building fell and buried four firemen—Captain Thomas Worrell of hose 4, who was killed.

Captain Sargent of hose 7, lying seriously injured at the General Hospital, and Firemen Robinson and Fox of hose 7.

Went to Death.

The big doors used for the entrance of the cars were thrown open and the Berkeley street section, the first to arrive, went down the lane at the side, the smoke there seeming the thickest. While the men were laying out their branch the Wilton avenue hose wagon pulled up, and Robinson and Fox, noticing the door, crawled inside. The smoke was very dense, but they found the water from their branch cleared the air.

Suddenly they heard an ominous creaking overhead. Hastily scrambling under the cars, the two awaited the fall, in the meantime playing their stream in the burning walls of the elevator.

Chief to Rescue.

As soon as they were safely ensconced the fall came. Turning to look toward the door they were surprised to see Worrell, followed by Sargent, entering the door. They gave a shout of warning, but before it could be heeded the floor overhead fell. The floor above had four bins, and the floor became saturated, and so when it fell it was like a mass of paste.

As soon as the crash was over, Chief Thompson led the rush for the opening. He stumbled against Capt. Sargent coming out. He was covered from head to foot with paste. He was led to the railway tracks and the rescuers turned back for more.

Sargent told them of Worrell, but he did not know of the presence of the other men. Chief Thompson ordered streams into the opening and made a desperate attempt to find the missing man. He thought others were missing, but could not be certain.

Worrell could not be found anywhere and made no response to the cries of the rescuing party. Suddenly from under the freight car, crawled Robinson and Fox. They were suffering from small cuts, but continued the fight.

Dr. Larratt W. Smith Dead.

Toronto, Sept. 19.—Dr. Larratt W. Smith, K. C., M. A., D. C. L., president of the Consumers' Gas Co., died at his residence yesterday, at the age of 84 years. He was born on November 20, 1820, at Stonehouse, England, and came to Canada with his parents in 1824. He was educated at Upper Canada College and King's College, and practiced as a solicitor for over 50 years, and was eventually appointed Q. C. by the Ontario Government. He was an interesting links with the days of long ago.

Kingston Election Protest.

Kingston, Sept. 19.—Although the protest for the trial of the protest against the return of E. J. B. Pense, Liberal, to the Ontario Legislature, has not yet been decided, both parties are strongly preparing for it. On Friday Mr. Pense will be examined for discovery, and the same day the Liberals will have Donald McIntyre, the Conservative candidate, up for examination in connection with the counter protest.

Remarked By the King.

Toronto, Sept. 19.—George Durnan, for 52 years in charge of the light-house at Gibraltar Point on Toronto Island, His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor yesterday presented him by command of the King with the Imperial service medal for faithful service. Mr. Durnan is uncle of Eddie Durnan, the oarsman.

Woman Gets Five Years.

Toronto, Sept. 19.—For assaulting Mrs. Mick, an attendant at the Mercer Reformatory, Police Magistrate Denison sentenced Tilly Robinson to five years in the Penitentiary yesterday. The woman has a hard record, averaging five convictions a year for several years.

Tin Box Wasn't Safe.

Chatham, Sept. 19.—Word has been received of a robbery near Cedar Springs. Richard Gill, who lives in Raleigh, near the village, had \$175 taken from his house last week. The money had been deposited in a tin box.

Yellow Fever Bulletin.

New Orleans, La., Sept. 19.—The yellow fever report to 6 p.m. yesterday: New cases, 34; total to date, 2,605 cases; deaths, 0; total to date, 341; new foci, 9; cases under treatment, 311; discharged, 1,593.

Vigilant Wants Quick-Firing Gun.

Ottawa, Sept. 19.—Capt. Dunn is applying to the Department for a quick-firing gun for his boat. It appears that American poachers do not pay any heed to the weapon which the captain has now on board.

Eight Hour Day in Guelph.

Guelph, Sept. 19.—An agreement has been signed between the Guelph Typographical Union and the employers providing for an increase in wages and the eight-hour day, to take effect on January 1, 1906.

Stays As It Was.

Washington, Sept. 19.—The Geological Survey Department reports that the accuracy of the old Vermont-Canada boundary line, which was recently disputed, is undoubtedly correct.

Cash or Cure

If Shiloh's Consumption Cure fails to cure you Cold or Cough, you get back all you paid for it. You are sure of a Cure or the Cash.

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TO RENT—Four roomed house corner Queen and Mercer streets, south of fair grounds. price \$3.50 per month. Apply on premises.

PONY FOR SALE—The undersigned has a Shetland pony with carriage, harness, etc., for sale. For particulars apply to Mrs. J. H. McVein, Dresden.

PIANO FOR SALE—A Grand Heintzman upright piano for sale cheap as owner had to give up house-keeping owing to illness; purchased a few months ago and as good as new. Enquire at this office.

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**INITIATIVE NOTICE**

VITRIFIED BRICK PAVEMENT. Notice is hereby given that the Municipal Council of the city of Chatham will proceed under section 669 of the Municipal Act, and under the General Local Improvement By-law, No. 377, of 1899, to construct a

Vitrified Brick pavement on a concrete bed with combined concrete curb and gutter (to be in width 24 feet over all) on Head street from Victoria avenue easterly to the city limits, after the expiry of one month after the last publication of this notice for two weeks in The Chatham Daily Planet and The Chatham Daily News newspapers, and the assessment of the costs of such work made upon the real properties to be benefited thereby, such real properties all front or abut on said street between the points above mentioned and the annual special assessment for such work will be spread over 15 years, unless the majority of the owners of properties according to the last Revised Assessment Roll, representing at least one-half in value thereof, petition the Council against the same within one month after the last publication of this notice.

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W. G. MERRITT,
Clerk of Chatham.

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Heavy Velvet Shawls reversible, plain or fancy pattern, suitable for Winter wear \$1.25 \$1.50 \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, each.

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Births, Marriages and Deaths

BORN.

SMITH—At Toronto Junction, on Friday, Sept. 15th, 1905, the wife of Rev. T. Beverley Smith, of a son.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Guns and Ammunition at Brisco's. Lots of good ten cent Cigars, but only one best—the Lord Lake.

Ed. Dunn, formerly of this city, now of London, spent Sunday at his home on Dover St.

When you require a bill of hardware call on Drew & McCallum.

Miss Best, of Detroit, is the guest of Mrs. Frank DeL. Lansdowne avenue.

Will accept limited number of violin pupils. E. T. Jones, P. O. Box 461.

Miss Burns has reopened classes in China Painting at her studio on Thames street, opposite greenhouses.

Mrs. Geo. Baker and children, of Dresden, are spending the week with friends in Chatham and Raleigh.

Rev. A. B. Kinder preached in Holy Trinity on Sunday, Rev. Mr. Hodgins conducting harvest thanksgiving services in Dresden.

It is expected that the Honorable Minister of Agriculture for Ontario, Mr. Monteith, will be on hand to open the Fair on Sept. 26, 27 and 28.

Mr. C. H. Merriam, of Cherokee, Kansas, left for home to-day accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Milton Bogart and Miss Helene Bogart, who will spend several weeks in the South.

In order to secure the full benefit of the Government grant, the directors of the Fair on Sept. 26, 27 and 28, have increased the prize list to a considerable extent. The result is more entries and a better showing than ever.

J. O. Lewis left yesterday afternoon for Montreal, where he takes passage for London, Eng. Mr. Lewis has been a resident of Chatham and vicinity for the past six months and was a member of Holy Trinity church choir.

D. Fairman, formerly of Blenheim, but late of this city, left yesterday afternoon for Montreal, where he takes passage for London, Eng. Mr. Fairman was a valued member of Holy Trinity church choir and has been a resident of Chatham and district for about three years.

Miss Ethel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Carswell, Park street, pleasantly entertained 25 of her little girl friends on Friday, it being the anniversary of her eighth birthday. The tea room was beautifully decorated for the occasion.

ASK YOUR GROCER
—FOR—
RED FEATHER TEA.

CANADA
Toasted Wheat, Ready to Eat
FLAKES

THE SESSION

The Market Building committee of the City Council held a session yesterday afternoon. Details connected with the erection of the building were considered. The heating of the structure was also considered. The steam heating company have been asked to submit a proposition but have failed to do so. Moreover, it is doubtful if their route will take in that locality. The Police Station is heated by a plant of its own and such will have to be arranged for the market sheds if the steam heat is not available.

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Smoke Quail on Toast Cigars, 5c. Clear Havana filled.

L. J. Keycraft, of Ridgeway, is a Chatham visitor to-day.

D. J. Dutton, of Dutton, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

W. R. Hickey, of Bothwell, is spending the day in the city.

Will McWha, of Dresden, called on his Chatham friends yesterday.

Miss Ireland, of Stratford, is the guest of Miss Kingsmill, William street.

A. D. Dams, of Galt, is spending a couple of days with Chatham friends.

Capt. Asa Ribble, Mayor of Dresden, is attending the Fall sittings of the High Court.

Mr. and Mrs. Ireland, of Stratford, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Gardiner, William street.

Geo. Baird, of Blenheim, is in the city attending the district meeting of the Royal Templars of Temperance.

Geo. Irwin and Gus Smith both paid paid fines at the Police Court this morning for being drunk and disorderly.

Ten-meeting in St. Andrew's Church on Monday, Sept. 25th. Good Supper and Program afterwards. Admission 25 cents.

W. T. Campbell is still selling coal at the old hotel, Victoria Block, Fifth street; phone 109.

Fair nights at the Grand Opera House there will be a treat, one of the funniest shows that ever played Chatham.

Miss Mabel Baird and Miss Carlyle McNaughton, of Detroit, returned home this morning after spending a few days with Miss Laura Dean, Stanley avenue.

Shakespeare advises to "give to a gorgeous message an host of tongues," but if your message is a Want Ad, you can only do this by printing it in a paper, such as The Planet, with a host of readers.

Fair nights at the Grand Opera House one of the best plays of the season will be presented—"Down By The Sea"—with 35 people, including new and popular singing and dancing specialties.

It is learned that Mr. Sharper, against whom an information has been laid under the Transient Traders Act, will fight the case. It comes up next Monday and promises to be interesting.

Noble Gardiner, who has been spending the summer vacation at his home here and also with a survey party in New Ontario, leaves this afternoon for Montreal, where he will take up his second year's work in McGill University.

The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of Park St. Church was held on Wednesday, Sept. 13. The attendance was large and the ladies decided to hold a tea-meeting in connection with the anniversary services of the church, some time the latter part of October.

Mrs. Robinson and Miss Rice, who live on the westerly limits of the city, have complained to the police of a number of boys and young men who have been stealing their chickens. These ladies have a fine lot of chickens and during the past few days fifteen young ones have been missing. The case will be investigated.

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Autumn Millinery...

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With the brightest prospects for the very best season yet. Our best and biggest stock and our most popular prices and styles assures both buyer and seller satisfaction.

Dress Goods Dep't..

This Fall we take an advanced position with the finest stock of Dress Goods in our history, in all the fashionable weaves at lowest prices. **Call on us Wednesday.**

We expect your company and shall merit your appreciation.

SPECIALS FOR FAIR WEEK.

WILLIAM GORDON

FUNERAL DELAYED

While the funeral of the late James Lambie was in progress Saturday morning a telegram was received from a daughter in the West to postpone it until her arrival. Consequently, in deference to her wishes, such was done and the body lay in the church until Sunday.

STANDING ROOM ONLY

The coming of "Florodora" the English musical comedy, billed to play the Grand on Friday night, is an event of first importance with local music lovers. Seats went on sale yesterday and already big success is assured. The company which will present "Florodora" in this city is one of the largest musical organizations on tour and is the only company playing the piece.

Secure your seats as soon as possible, as Manager Brisco has the "Standing Room Only" sign ready, and says he will surely hang it out for this engagement.

CURED OF LAME BACK AFTER 15 YEARS OF SUFFERING.

"I had been troubled with lame back for fifteen years and I found a complete recovery in the use of Chamberlain's Pain Balm," says John G. Bishar, Gullam, Ind. This liniment is also without an equal for sprains and bruises. It is for sale by all druggists.

DASHING HORSES

A runaway which, fortunately, was attended with no serious results, occurred on King street about noon yesterday. Coming around the Standard Bank corner the tongue of the T. H. Taylor Co.'s delivery wagon broke. The driver was thrown off and the high spirited team commenced to run toward the C. P. R. station.

The team are black thoroughbred colts and of running stock. Maddened by fear they made a dashing race down King street, the wagon away from behind them. The escapes of some other rigs were miraculous. Several barrels and sacks of flour were on the wagon. They were scattered along the street, strange to say, without spilling any of the contents.

When they struck the stretch of road on King street over the C. P. R. tracks the horses found the going so heavy that they soon stopped of their own accord.

Confidence inspires consideration in places where it is looked for the least.

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PHONE 147.

NOTICE

The Mammoth and Great Eastern Milling and Mining Co.

Chatham, Ont., Sept. 16, 1905.

A meeting of the Stockholders of the Mammoth and Great Eastern Milling and Mining Company will be held at the Head Office of said Company, in Chatham, Ontario, Canada, at 3 o'clock p. m., on the 3rd day of October, 1905, for the purpose of considering the matter of disposing of a portion of the company's interests, receiving reports and the transaction of such other business as shall properly come before the meeting.

Mammoth and Great Eastern Milling and Mining Co.

WILLIAM GORDON, Secretary.

DR. A. W. THORNTON
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Our Dress Goods section now at its best all the latest weaves are now in stock—A Call Solicited.

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GRAND OPERA HOUSE..

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

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FLORODORA

FEATURE CAST

ENLARGED ORCHESTRA

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CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY
Corrected Aug. 1st, 1905.

GOING EAST **GOING WEST**

7 a.m. daily, ex. Sunday 1.03 a.m.
7.23 a.m. ex. Sunday 1.11 a.m.
7.32 p.m. " " 9.50 p.m.

This train runs daily except Sunday
starts from here and remains over night.

GRAND TRUNK
Takes effect Sunday, May 14, 1905.

WEST

3.59 a.m. for Windsor, Detroit and intermediate stations except Sunday
12.45 p.m. for Windsor and Detroit.
4.18 p.m. for Detroit, Chicago and west.
8.19 p.m. for Detroit, Chicago and west.
International Limited, 9.08 p.m. daily.

EAST

7.37 a.m. for London, Hamilton, Toronto, Buffalo
12.00 p.m. for London, Toronto, Montreal, Buffalo and New York
5.13 p.m. for London, Hamilton, Toronto, Montreal and East.
9.09 p.m. for London and intermediate stations.
Daily except Sunday: "Daily."

THE WABASH RAILROAD CO.
GOING WEST

No. 1 6.47 a.m. No. 2 12.23 p.m.
3.07 p.m. 4.11 p.m.
13-1.25 p.m. 6-1.32 a.m.
5-9.30 p.m. 8-2.48 p.m.
9-1.13 a.m.

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Leave Chatham or Benham, Mich.
Round-trip and West 7.55 a.m.
Express 7.55 a.m.
Arrive at Chatham
From
Walkerville 9.25 a.m. 6.45 p.m.
St. Thomas 9.35 a.m. 6.55 p.m.
Sarnia 9.45 a.m. 7.05 p.m.

SUMMER SERVICE—CHATHAM AND ROND BAR
Commencing June 26, following service will be in effect—Leave Chatham 4.35 a.m. 9.45 a.m. 1.14 p.m. 3.25 p.m. 6.05 p.m. 8.05 p.m. Special train leaves Chatham 7.25 p.m. commencing June 26, except Friday July 7th.

Central Standard Time—one hour slower than city time.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM
LOW RATE EXCURSIONS
SEPT. 21, 22, 23.

Detroit \$1.50; Chicago, \$7.75; Bay City, Mich. \$1.75; Cincinnati, \$8.50; Columbus, \$6.50; Dayton, \$7.50; Grand Rapids, \$5.45; Indianapolis, \$8.70; Saginaw, \$4.45; Paul or Minneapolis, Minn., via Chicago or North Bay, \$28.40; via Sarnia and Northern Navigation Co., \$31.90. Returning until Oct. 9th.

Harvest Excursions
\$30.00 to \$10.50. To points in Manitoba, Assiniboia, Alberta and Saskatchewan going Sept. 26th, returning within 60 days.
Special One-Way Colonist fares to points in British Columbia, California, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, Utah, Washington, etc., going daily Sept. 15th to Oct. 31st.

For tickets and full information call at City Office, W. E. RISPIN, P. & T. A., 115 King Street; J. C. PRITCHARD, Depot Ticket Agent.

THE WABASH SYSTEM

On September 21st, 22nd and 23rd the Wabash will sell round trip tickets at single fare, from all stations, good to return until October 9th, 1905, to Detroit, Chicago, Columbus, Cincinnati, Grand Rapids, Saginaw, Bay City, Dayton and Indianapolis.

All tickets to read over the Wabash, the short and true route to the above points.

Full particulars from any Wabash Agent, or J. A. RICHARDSON, District Passenger Agent, North East Corner King and Yonge Streets, and St. Thomas; W. E. RISPIN, P. & T. A., Chatham; J. C. PRITCHARD, Depot Agent.

CANADIAN PACIFIC
WESTERN EXCURSIONS
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Detroit, \$6.60; Bay City, \$7.50; Saginaw, \$7.40; Grand Rapids, \$9.35; Chicago, \$12.40; Dayton \$12.15; Columbus \$11.55; Indianapolis \$13.75; Cincinnati \$13.35; Cleveland \$5.35; \$8.55, \$7.40, \$9.10, \$11.05, according to route; St. Paul, Minneapolis, \$28.40 or \$31.90, according to route.

FROM TORONTO. Proportionate rates from other points.

GOOD FOR RETURN UNTIL OCT. 9
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Harvest Excursion Sept. 26
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ASK FOR THE OCTAGON BAR.
SUNLIGHT SOAP washes the clothes white without injuring the hands.
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District Doings

DOYLES.

Mrs. Terry, of Cleveland, Ohio, is spending a few days the guest of her brother, Lawrence Doyle.

Miss Ella O'Connor, of Detroit, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Patrick Hogan, last week.

Dennis O'Neill is home on his vacation.

M. Deacon is paying a kindly visit with friends on the 9th.

Leo Lahey and Thomas Dillon were the guests of M. Larke Sunday.

Mr. Thomas Canning is at present attending the Toronto Exhibition.

W. Connolly, of Merin, passed through this vicinity last Saturday.

Eugene Carley is sporting one of Gray & Sons finest rubber tire vehicles.

Mrs. Margaret Waddick and Mary Clowery, of St. Thomas, have returned home after a visit with Miss Mary Waddick.

Joseph J. Doyle left here on Tuesday for a few weeks visit with friends in St. Thomas.

Samite is paying a visit with her sister, Mrs. Spence, of Ridgetown.

Ed. Kelly spent Sunday with A. Doyle.

Mrs. Samuel Towl, of the city, is visiting at Mr. George Towl's.

Miss Mary Carley is in the city for a few days.

GLENWOOD.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. McGee and son Harold, returned on Wednesday last from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Lake City, Mich.

Miss Lizzie Estabrook spent Sunday and Monday with friends in Merin.

Will Chute, of Leamington, spent Sunday with friends in the village.

Mr. H. C. Fredericks, of Windsor, was a visitor to our town on business last Thursday.

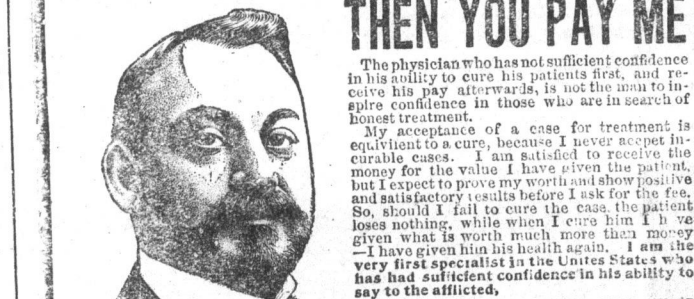
Two autos of sightseers from Detroit passed through the village on their way to Chatham last Wednesday.

Our old friend Isaacstein, of Detroit, who drives the scrap iron wagon, was in town on Tuesday last renewing old acquaintances.

Messrs. James Charlton and W. Foxton spent Sunday with friends in Merin.

Miss Alice Estabrook left on Tuesday to take a position as teacher in the Central school, Chatham.

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If you are in or near the city you should apply for treatment in person. But if you live too far away, write me a full and unreserved history of your case. You will receive my careful consideration and a most judicious attention as if you were in my office daily. As men in different parts of Canada and Mexico, as well as all over the United States, are being cured by my system of home treatment, I feel fully justified in claiming that it is the most perfect and successful system ever devised. All physicians coming to me for consultation over obstinate cases which they are occasionally called upon to treat will receive the usual courtesies of the profession. Medicines for Canadian patients shipped from Windsor, Ont., all duty and transportation charges prepaid.

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A SCIENTIFIC PRINCE.

Japan Has One Like His Counterparts In Europe.

Japan, like Austria, Russia and Bavaria, has a Prince of the blood who devotes himself almost entirely to scientific pursuits; and the oriental counterpart of the learned Grand Duke Constantine of Russia, president of the Imperial Academy of Sciences at St. Petersburg, or Archduke Louis Salvator of Austria, whom I portrayed in these letters a few days ago under his incognito, "Prof. Neufeld," and of the eminent oculist, Duke Charles Theodore of Bavaria, is to be found in the Imperial Prince Kikunaro Yamashina, who, at 33 years of age, is in the line of succession to the throne of the Mikado, says the Marquis de Fontenay.

Whereas, most of the other members of the reigning house of the Land of the Rising Sun are identified with the army and with the navy, this particular scion thereof has devoted his time, his energies, and his considerable wealth to scientific pursuits and investigations, and has just established on the summit of Mount Tsukuba, on the eastern coast of Japan, fifty miles from Tokyo, the most magnificently equipped meteorological station in the length and breadth of Asia. Indeed, it may be questioned whether it is not the finest in the world, being furnished with all the most recently invented instruments, not merely for the recording of meteorological changes but also of those seismic movements which are so frequent and so severe in Japan.

Indeed, Dai Nippon is the land of earthquakes par excellence. No better spot could have been chosen for the establishment of this station than Mount Tsukuba, which, according to Japanese legend and national tradition, was set up by the divinities, Izanaga and Izanami, the creator and the creatress of Japan, as a bulwark against the tremendous waves of the Pacific ocean. It is a curious fact, and in a line with Japanese traditions, that this bulwark, along with the entire eastern coast of Japan, has been rising gradually higher and higher from the sea for centuries past. Geologists have verified this.

Near the summit of the mountain, which commands a superb view not only of the Pacific ocean but also of the entire plain and city of Tokyo towards Mount Fujiyama, there is an ancient and more picturesque temple dedicated to Izanaga, which is the bourn of many pilgrimages.

Max O'Rell's Ideal Wife.

The following original description of the perfect wife is taken from a book by the late Max O'Rell, the French humorist, published in Paris:—"Marry a woman," he writes, "smaller than yourself. Do not marry a woman whose laugh is forced and does not spring from the heart, but marry a woman who enjoys a joke and looks at the bright side of everything."

"Marry a girl who is a bit of a philosopher. If you take a girl to the theatre, and hearing there are no seats in the stalls or circle, she calmly exclaims: 'Now mind, let us go into the gallery!' marry her. It will be easy to live happily with a girl willing to sit even on the back benches with her husband."

"Do not marry a woman who has the fast ways of what is called 'smart society.' If you go to pay a visit and must wait half an hour while she finishes her toilet do not marry her. But if she comes to you immediately her hair put up in a hurry, but neatly and simply dressed, she is a girl of common sense. Marry her, especially if she is not too prolix in her excuses for appearing in negligé."

"Marry a girl who cares a lot for her father, who takes an interest in seeing that his study is in order, who likes to sit on his knee, and who calls him by all sorts of loving and infantile names. The girl who shows so much affection for her father, who won't let him go out without seeing that his clothes are immaculate, who, when at length satisfied with papa's appearance, kisses him before he goes off—that girl will make a model wife."

Art Works Destroyed.

On New Bond street, in London, last year a Turner worth \$60,000 was destroyed by a charcoal drawing. The Turner was a water-color drawing, and a painting in oils hung beside it. The owner pointed to the painting and said:—"That picture is dusty. Rub a damp cloth over it."

But the charwoman by mistake rubbed her damp cloth over the water-color, turning it into a blot, a smudge, and thus one of the finest Turners disappeared from the world. A boy shot a marble from a sling in Paris two years ago. The marble went through a window of the Luxembourg Gallery and utterly destroyed a Meissonier worth \$17,000. A Macmonnies statuette was stolen from a van in Boston, and some ignorant students on Commonwealth avenue stood it up and saved it.

A collector brought from Japan last year an ivory tusk that was carved from end to end with monkeys—over a hundred monkeys, walking amicably together, holding one another's tails. The piece was fifteen century work, and it was valued easily at \$7,000. He dropped it out of a fifth storey window one night.

A Negro's Trick.

"It may be that the average negro is ignorant," says Representative Moon of Tennessee, "but I had one in my employ who was one of the shrewdest fellows I ever ran across."

"Jim, for that was his name, was a good negro, but he loved gin better than he did his Maker, and he would not pay a debt if there was any earthly way to get out of it. One day Jim went to the store armed with a gallon jug and asked for a quart of gin, telling the merchant that he was preparing to settle. The fluid was put in, and then it was discovered that Jim had no money. Forthwith the merchant poured the quart back in the measure, while Jim picked up his jug and walked out smiling."

"He had put in about a quart of water, and, of course, he had put in, and much gin and water in the jug. The grocer's gin in his barrel was a little weaker, but Jim's quart was strong enough to bridge over on."



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There is not another range built in which the heat may be regulated so that you can bake in the oven and cook on the top at the same time without spoiling one or the other.

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DISTRICT DOINGS.

GUILDS.

Mrs. W. Bentley is visiting relatives in Lapeer, Mich.

Mr. John Nevills is on the sick list these days.

J. Bonham and Miss Wrickel, of Highgate, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Cumming on Sunday.

Mr. Grant Freestone, of Ridgetown, spent Sunday in the village.

Miss Noah, of Ragland, gave a very interesting paper at the League last Thursday night.

Mrs. Rufus Mallory has been suffering with a severe attack of neuralgia.

Rev. C. W. Bristol and wife arrived home after visiting relatives near Hamilton and Toronto.

Mr. Ross Cumming spent Sunday back of Blenheim.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wiley arrived home last week after visiting for the last month with Mrs. Wiley's sister, Mrs. Geo. Cumming.

GROUP IS DEADLY!

It must be stopped quickly. Nothing so serious as Nervine. Give it internally, and rub it on chest and throat—croup soon vanishes. No doctor can write a more efficient prescription than Polson's Nervine, which reaches the trouble and cures quickly. The marvellous power of the Nervine will surprise you: it's the best household remedy for coughs, colds, sore chest, croup, and internal pain of every kind. Large bottles have been sold by all dealers for nearly fifty years at 25c.

CHARING CROSS.

A very pretty event took place on Wednesday, Sept. 14th, when Miss Olive Drury, daughter of George Drury, Charing Cross, was united in

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Lime, Cement, Sewer Pipe, Cut Stone,
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marriage to Mr. Ernest Avery, a prominent farmer of Thamesville. Rev. Mr. Salton performed the ceremony, while Miss Edna, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, and Mr. Avery, brother of the groom, as best man. After a sumptuous repast the happy couple left for Thamesville, where they will reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery Hunt are very happy over the arrival of their daughter. Congratulations!

Robert Wilson and his two sisters, Alice and Katie, visited Toronto Fair last week. They report a very pleasant time.

Mrs. Wier, who has been visiting her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Wier, for the past two weeks, left Tuesday morning for her home in Chicago.

Mrs. H. Russell, who has been under the doctor's care for a week, is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Hunter, who have been summering at Erie Beach during the warm months, leave Thursday for their home in Washington.



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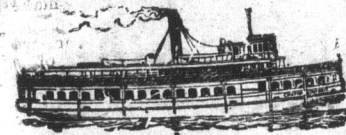
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"You do? That certainly does surprise me!" Interrupted the cruel girl.

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FIRE FROM MIDST OF SEA.

Sicily's Horror—Submarine Flare Formed Near Eolie and Surface Was Covered With Clouds of Steam.

Rome, Sept. 18.—Another earthquake occurred Saturday in the Province of Messina, Sicily, and in the Islands of Stromboli, Lipari and Eolie. The eruption of Stromboli is still very violent, and lava is flowing into the sea on the side of the island opposite Sicily, causing a terrific noise.

Between the Island of Eolie and Milazzo, Sicily, the sea suddenly rose up and flames and smoke issued from the midst of the waters, which were covered with dense steam for a distance of two kilometers. Geologists say that this is due to the opening of a submarine fissure, and that it shows the seismic disturbances are not yet finished.

M. Capitelli, prefect of Messina, has left for Lipari and Stromboli, and the population is completely terrorized and is sleeping in small boats, fearing to pass the night ashore.

Vesuvius, too, is very active, and there is a strong flow of lava, accompanied by subterranean rumblings.

There were also fresh shocks of earthquake at Catanzaro, Monteleone and Cosenza. The Cathedral of Monteleone threatens to fall and will have to be demolished. At Scigliano during the earthquake the earth opened and the river Saruto was swallowed up, but afterward reappeared. At Pizzo the water of the streams turned hot.

CAZAR AIDS OIL MEN.

Calls Conference and Orders Troops to Aid Oil Area.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 18.—The Emperor has ordered the convening at the end of September of a conference of oil men, industrial representatives of Central Russia, representatives of the Volga Steamship Co., and those persons in Government Departments interested to examine into the situation and to report to the Minister of Finance.

The Emperor also ordered the immediate concentration in the vicinity of the oil fields of a sufficient number of troops to guarantee order and the formation of a police force, recruited from reservists, for the protection of the works.

Acting on an Imperial mandate, the Solsky commission will commence next week the elaboration of plans for a Ministerial Cabinet, the work to be completed before the meeting of the National Assembly.

Will Allow This Congress.
Moscow, Sept. 18.—M. Golvin, president of the Moscow Soviet, Saturday visited Governor Greys, with reference to the forthcoming Zemstvo congress. The Governor-General said that the congress would be permitted, but that its program must be confined to three points: first, participation of Zemstvos in town elections for the Douma; second, organization of the electoral campaign, and third, participation of Zemstvos in towns in the work of assisting the famine-stricken districts.

Paying the Penalty.
Sébastopol, Sept. 18.—Two of the mutineers of the Georgi Pobiedonostay were executed here Saturday. The sentence of death on a third man was reduced to penal servitude for life.

Shedlands For the Children.
The cry of the children is for a perfect pet. What the rattle and the doll are of the earliest years of us, that the Shetland pony is of later years for older childhood. This animal is the one only pet that won't at some time or other make reprisal on the hand that nags. The dog—every dog—will bite when the child becomes too familiar. There are elements in a cat's nature that puzzle and repulse the child, a something that makes it walk "by its wild lone." The goat is inadequate. We could analyze a Noah's Ark of animals in this way only to find that the one satisfying safe living pet is the Shetland pony. If more than eight children ride his back he will shake himself like a wet Newfoundland and then stand motionless, while they pick themselves up and out from his four hoofs. A large and more highly nerved grade of horse would trample the children and their tripping him—Country Life in America.

A Lesson In Punctuation.
A school inspector visited a certain Scotch town in order to make a round of the schools, and very courteously called first on the Mayor, to invite his Worship to accompany him, according to the Dundee Advertiser. On the messenger announcing his presence to the Mayor, the inspector, who was waiting in an outer room, overheard the remark, "I should like to know why he said nothing, but bided his time. At one of the schools, as he was asking a class a few questions in grammar, His Worship remarked, 'We don't bother about commas and such like.' Whereupon the inspector bade one of the boys write on the blackboard the words, 'The Mayor of Chessington says the inspector is an ass.' 'Now,' he continued, 'put a comma after 'Chessington' and another after 'inspector' and see if they make any difference.' The Mayor thought they did."

She Said Grace.
A visitor of noble birth was expected to arrive at a large country house in the North of England, and the daughter of the house, aged seven, was receiving final instructions from her mother.

"And now, dear," she said, "when the Duke speaks to you, do not forget always to say 'your Grace.'"

Presently the great man arrived, and, after greeting his host and hostess, he said to the child:—"Well, my dear, and what is your name?" Judge of his surprise when the little girl solemnly closed her eyes and, with clasped hands, exclaimed:—"For what we are about to receive may we be thankful, amen?" The Tattler.

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Every careful housewife knows that the surest precaution against stale eggs is to break each one individually into a cup before adding it to others in a bowl. One of the greatest sources of same care is observed in the large bakeries, and one in London employs several men who spend ten hours a day breaking eggs used in the various mixtures. Devoting themselves to breaking alone, they have gained such experience that an old hand will break one thousand eggs an hour or ten thousand in a working day.

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Answering the Emperor.
The following story of Kaiser William II. and one of his generals is told by a biographer of the German emperor:

At a review in Berlin the Kaiser impatiently reprimanded old General von Meerscheidt for losing his wits at a critical moment.

"If your majesty thinks I am getting too old, I beg of you to allow me to resign."

"No, no," replied the emperor. "You are too young to resign. Indeed if your blood didn't course through your veins quite so fast you would be a more useful army leader."

On the evening of that day the Kaiser and the general met at a court ball.

"Ah, Meerscheidt," cried the emperor, "that is right. Get ready to marry. Take a young wife, then that excitable temperament of yours will soon vanish."

The general bowed low as he retired.

"I beg to be excused, your majesty. A young emperor and a young wife would be more than I could possibly stand."

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Second game—R.H.E.
Baltimore . . . 2 5 0 1 0100—9 15 1
Buffalo . . . 1 0 0 0 1—2 7 0
Batteries—Adkins and Hearn; Green and McManus. Umpire—Zimmer and Moran. Attendance—1858.

National League.

At Boston, first game—R.H.E.
Boston . . . 2 5 0 1 0100—9 15 1
Brooklyn . . . 1 0 0 0 0000—1 2 6 3
Batteries—Fraser and Needham; Strick-
let and Litter. Umpire—Johnstone. Attendance—1858.

Second game—R.H.E.
Boston . . . 0 0 0 0 202—4 7 0
Brooklyn . . . 0 1 0 0 000—1 3 1
Batteries—Willis and Moran; McIntire and Bergen. Umpire—Johnstone. Attendance—1858. Called on account of darkness.

American League.

At Chicago—R.H.E.
Chicago . . . 0 0 1 1 2000—4 7 2
St. Louis . . . 0 0 0 0 000—2 7 0
Batteries—Lundgren and Kling; Thiel-
man and Leahy. Umpire—Bausewine. At-
tendance—2200.

At Cleveland—R.H.E.
Cleveland . . . 0 0 0 0 0000—0 3 0
Detroit . . . 0 0 0 0 0000—0 3 0
Batteries—Rhoades and Wakefield; Kil-
lian and Drill. Umpire—Connolly and Connor. Attendance—1879.

At Washington, first game—R.H.E.
Washington . . . 1 1 0 0 0020—4 7 1
Boston . . . 0 0 0 0 2000—2 6 0
Batteries—Hughes and Heydon; Gibson and Criger. Umpire—Kittredge and Whit-
tor. Attendance—2200.

Second game—R.H.E.
Washington . . . 0 1 0 0 0020—3 11 2
Boston . . . 0 3 4 0 2000—5 16 19 2
Batteries—Adams and Jacobson; Knoll and Armbruster. Umpire—Hurst. Attendance—2270.

At St. Louis—R.H.E.
St. Louis . . . 0 1 0 1 1000—3 8 2
Chicago . . . 0 0 0 1 0001—2 6 0
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Essex, Sept. 19.—John Croft, aged 40, wandered into the woods a few miles from his father's home, in Maldstone Township, five days ago, and was completely lost until yesterday. Croft is not mentally sound.

Offer Was Not Made.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 19.—Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and party are here. They have plans for the opening up of the Similkameen country. He makes a denial of the \$70,000,000 offer for Northwest lands.

MORE DEADLY THAN FAMINE.

Neglected catarrh sooner or later causes consumption, which destroys more human beings than famine and war combined. The way "Catarrh" cures catarrh is very simple; it first kills the germs that cause the irritation; then by soothing away the congestion and inflammation it cures the discharge, hawking and dropping in the throat. "I suffered so continually from nasal catarrh," writes Ernest R. Dakin, of Rosemont, "that I scarcely knew what it was to be free from headache, and pain over the eyes. Catarrh-cure relieved me at once and made a thorough cure." No other remedy cures like "Catarrh-cure"—try it for your next cold.

THERE IS NO MORE LAND

Premier Whitney's Answer to Northwest Veterans.

Says Their Request For Recognition By the Government Will, However, Be Considered With Favor—Volunteer Land Grants a Blunder as the Recipients Do Not Benefit—Speculators Stealing the Timber.

Toronto, Sept. 19.—"It is absolutely impossible for the Government of Ontario to give you any land, because there is no more land to give."

This was in part Premier Whitney's answer to a deputation of nearly 100 members of the Northwest Field Force Association which waited upon the Government yesterday and asked for land grants similar to those given to the veterans of 1866, 1870 and of the South African war.

The Premier added that in the future the Government would have to most earnestly consider if there was any other way of carrying out its obligations to those who had been called upon to defend the country than by making grants of land. So far as the deputation was concerned, the request that something should be done would, he said, be considered "by the Government with a leaning towards you." But they need have no more ideas about land grants; the land was not there.

Recipients Do Not Benefit.

The Premier reiterated his previous expressed disapproval of the volunteer and grants act as conceived and put into operation by the former Administration. Its working out had led to a great series of blunders, resulting in disadvantage, both to the men who deserved a reward for their services and to the Province. A portion of the land had already found its way into the hands of speculators, who, in order to defeat the law in regard to settlement of land, had gone to the lengths of selling the land for the purpose of stealing the timber, and as soon as the timber was gone they would leave the land. Very few of the men entitled to such land grants ever received any benefit from them. Many of them had no intention of settling on their locations, and could not, owing to the restrictions, sell at a fair price. If the Government had given a cash grant of, say, \$40 to each man, everyone concerned would have been better off, the men would have got something and the Government would have the land.

It will take ten years to survey townships enough to allot the applications that have already been put in by the veterans of 1866.

The Deputation's Spokesmen.

President Lieut.-Col. C. Greville Hart, in outlining the request of the association, said that personally he thought a mistake had been made in making the land grants, but since they had been made the men who fought in 1866 were as much entitled to a share as any others. Brief addresses were also made by Alderman S. Alfred Jones, Privates Lionel Dent and W. J. P. Hart, Staff-Sergeant Bewley, Sergeant-Major Tilley, Sgts. Lewis and Fowler, Mr. B. Cairns and Capt. T. Burke, Peterboro'. Several of the spokesmen, while frankly admitting that they received something from the Government, pointed out that the conditions required settlement within one year. This was impossible for many of them, and their scrip was sold cheaply, the land speculators being the only persons to benefit.

LABOR CONGRESS.

Twenty-First Convention of Canadian Organized Labor Meets.

Toronto, Sept. 19.—The twenty-first convention of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada opened yesterday morning at the Labor Temple with an attendance of about 150 delegates. One of the speakers at the morning session was Prof. Goldwin Smith, who received an ovation.

Dr. Smith dealt with various questions of labor, and pronounced the arbitration law a failure. President Roosevelt was a peace-maker criticized for ordering more battleships just after ending a war.

The executive committee's report was received and committees appointed for the work of the convention.

Sir Robert Gunther Dead.

London, Sept. 19.—A Crimean veteran died yesterday in the person of Sir Robert Gunther Bart., Conservative member of Parliament for the Barkston Ash division of Yorkshire. Born in London in 1831, and educated at Rugby, he joined the 4th Dragoon Guards in 1851 and served with that regiment through the Crimean war, for which he held medal and clasps and Turkish medal. In his later life Sir Robert became known all over the world as the owner and breeder of the Wetherby short-horn herd, and especially of the Netherby Duchess tribe.

Landslide at Goderich.

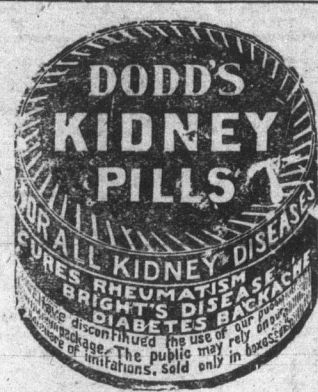
Goderich, Sept. 19.—A big landslide occurred yesterday morning on the north bank of the Maitland River here, where the contractors for the work on the Guelph and Goderich Railway have a large steam shovel at work. Seven gunners were thrown off the tracks and rolled to the river bed below, a distance of about 60 feet, and the rear end of the shovel was smashed. Two men were on the shovel at the time, but saved themselves by jumping.

Dog Bites Off Child's Ear.

London, Sept. 19.—Mary, the two-year-old daughter of John McIntosh, had her left ear torn off by a pet collie yesterday morning. She was feeding the dog, when her cat appeared and the dog sprang for tabby and caught her ear.

Woodstock Progressive.

Woodstock, Sept. 19.—By a vote of 427 to 166, the bylaw to raise \$50,000 to expend on improvements and extensions to the electric lighting and waterworks plants of the city was carried by the property-owners yesterday.



C.M.A. MEMBERSHIP.

Question of Raising Fees Discussed at Annual Meeting at Quebec—Membership Increases.

Quebec, Sept. 19.—The Canadian Manufacturers' Association 34th annual meeting opened in the City Hall yesterday afternoon, W. K. George, president, in the chair. There was a good attendance. The chairman said they would proceed directly to business without speeches. He thanked the City of Quebec, the Mayor and officials for supplying such a meeting-place.

George Booth, treasurer, presented his report, showing a membership of 1,874, an increase of 375. A discussion along the line suggested by Mr. Booth, of increasing the membership fees from \$10 to \$15 ensued.

J. W. Piggott thought there was strength in membership. A serious struggle was facing manufacturers. Labor was better organized than ever and he would not like to do anything that would limit the membership.

A. W. Thomas (Toronto) suggested a contingent fund, for laying aside a certain amount of revenue every year to be available for special occasions. This suggestion did not appear to meet with favor and a motion to refer to a committee was lost.

The treasurer's report was adopted. R. J. Younge, secretary, read his annual report. It was adopted after a short discussion, as was also the report of the Parliamentary committee.

The City Hall was handsomely decorated this evening, the occasion being the reception by the Mayor, in the name of the citizens, G. A. Vandry, president of the Quebec section, also read an address of welcome. Mr. George, president, replied at length, and at the conclusion of his address supper was served. The band of the R. C. G. A. discoursed sweet music.

DELEGATES PART.

Sweden Has Promised to Sign An Arbitration Statement.

Karlstad, Sweden, Sept. 19.—The Norwegian and Swedish delegates were in conference for two hours and a half yesterday and adjourned to meet when an agreement has been reached on certain points submitted to a sub-committee.

A certain element in Norway is opposing the proposed terms of agreement, thus placing difficulty in the way of the delegates. It is understood that as a basis of the agreement Sweden has promised to sign an arbitration treaty as soon as Norway is recognized as a separate state, while Norway agrees to destroy all the new frontier forts. The other conditions are still under consideration.

Norway Not Mobilizing.

Christiania, Sept. 19.—Another semi-official denial was issued yesterday of renewed charges of a Norwegian mobilization of troops made in yesterday morning's Swedish papers.

It is declared that Norway has made no military preparations except such as were absolutely necessary from a defensive point of view.

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OBJECT TO TURKS FORTIFYING.

Russia Does Not Want the Bosphorus Imperilled.

Constantinople, Sept. 19.—The steady progress of work on the new fortifications on the Bosphorus is causing friction between the Russians and the Porte. The fortifications were hastily commenced at the time of the mutiny on board the Russian battleship Kniaz Potemkin, Turkey seizing upon this pretext as a means for carrying out a scheme of fortifications which she had long desired, but which had always been opposed by Russia.

It is understood that the question was discussed at the recent audience which the Russian Ambassador had with the Sultan, in the course where he pointed out that the further fortification of the straits was incompatible with friendly relations between Turkey and Russia.

In the meanwhile the works are being actively pushed, though they can hardly be completed for several months.

The Porte continues its irreconcilable attitude in regard to the proposed international financial control of Macedonia.

BIG FIRE AT NOME.

Some Twenty-Five Buildings Destroyed—Loss May Be \$500,000.

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 19.—Despatches received in Seattle tell of a disastrous fire that swept the heart of the business section of Nome on the night of September 12.

From the meagre information given, it is believed that twenty to twenty-five buildings were destroyed in the vicinity of Lanesway, and that the fire area covered from two to three blocks.

If the fire burned in both directions from Lanesway, it is estimated by Seattle persons familiar with the class of business houses in that vicinity that the loss will reach \$500,000.

Advices received yesterday say sixty buildings were destroyed by fire at Nome, Alaska, on the night of Sept. 13, causing a loss of \$200,000. The city hall was destroyed, but the records were saved. No loss of life is reported.

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