

VOTE OF NEARLY TWO TO ONE FOR SPRING WATER

HIGH PRESSURE MAKES GREAT RUN; KOMOKA SCHEME LEADS IN VOTE

Filtered River Water Secures 877 Votes on First Choice, But Komoka Gets Hold of Second Choice Votes.

Total Number of Ballots Cast Was Comparatively Small—2,417 Out of About 6,000.

By a vote of nearly two to one, the people of London, who took the trouble to vote by the mail order scheme of the commissioners, decided in favor of spring water as against river water. Out of about 6,000 or more persons entitled to vote on the question, only 2,417 voted. Had the entire vote been polled, the probability is that the vote for spring water would have stood nearer three than two to one.

Promptly at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon Chairman Darch, Commissioner Saunders, Secretary Nelles, of the board of trade, John D. Jacobs, of the Trades and Labor Council; Engineer Moore, of the waterworks department, and Secretary Ellwood, took the ballots upstairs and counted them in the general committee room.

The First Count.

The count of first choice showed that the filtered river water scheme proposed by Engineer Maury, had the advantage slightly, the vote being as follows:

River water	877
Komoka scheme	820
Independent high-pressure	628
Titus	77
Spoiled ballots	15

Total 2,417

The second choice, however, was in favor of the Komoka scheme, and it placed the plan of the commissioners in front place, as follows:

Komoka scheme	1,943
River water	941

The commissioners first credited to

each scheme all the ballots which were marked as a first preference for it. In order to understand this statement, it should be stated that in the voting the Hare-System was used. That is, the people could vote for the four schemes, marking each one as they regarded it, 1, 2, 3 and 4.

It was when all the ballots marked "1" were counted and separated, that the filtration scheme took the lead. But under the system, consideration had to be given to people who voted for one scheme with the understanding that if that was defeated, they had the right to name another as a second choice.

Titus Second Choices.

The Titus scheme having been found to be the lowest on the first count, it was dropped, and note was taken of the second choice on the 77 ballots recorded for that scheme. The analysis showed the following: Second choices:

High pressure	23
Komoka	15
River water	8
No second choice on ballots	31

Total 77

Fifteen choices for the Komoka scheme and 8 for river water, were then added.

High-Pressure Second Choices.

Then the independent high-pressure scheme which also had been dropped because it was the next lowest, was taken up, and the second choices recorded on each ballot, were counted, with the following result:

For Komoka scheme	206
For river water	58
No second choice expressed	264

Total 628

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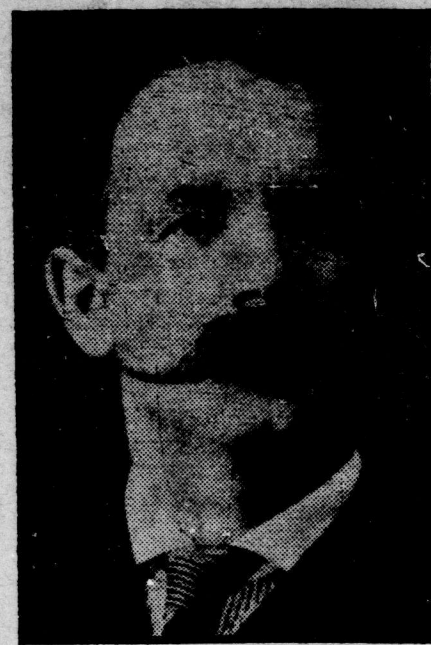
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ENTERTAINMENT OF THE BRITISH JOURNALISTS

Mayor Makes Arrangements for the Reception by City Council.

Mayor Judd today began the making of arrangements for the reception to the British newspapermen who will visit London on July 31. It is likely that the committee from the city council which will greet the Britishers will include the mayor, Ald. Gillen, Beattie and Stevely.

A trolley ride around the city at 8 o'clock on the morning of Aug. 1, is contemplated.



MR. GEORGE BURDICK, Of London, President of the Master Painters' Association. Now Meeting in the City Hall.

Hanged Six Then Herself

Copenhagen, July 23.—Griest-stricken by the receipt of a notification that her services would not be required after the end of this month, Mrs. Nielson, a housekeeper for a land-owner named Ullkjaer, of Jutland, yesterday hanged three of her employer's children, as well as three of her own, and then killed herself by hanging.

NO ANNOUNCEMENT AS TO CHANGE

Premier to First Have Consultation With His Party Friends.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, July 23.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier visited his office this morning and received several party friends who were in the capital to see him. No announcement of any contemplated changes will be made, however, until he has had an opportunity of consulting his party friends. The Premier leaves on Friday for a brief visit to his old home in Arthursville, when he will return to Ottawa.

MASTER PAINTERS IN CONVENTION

Fourth Annual Gathering of the Organization Now in Session in This City.

If you see anyone with a red badge, wandering aimlessly about the streets, don't have him arrested for wearing partisan colors, but take him firmly by the hand and lead the way to the city hall, for this is one of the master house painters, and that is his destination.

The fourth annual convention of the Master House Painters' and Decorators' Association of Canada was called to order at 10 o'clock this morning by G. A. Burdick, president of the local association.

Mr. Burdick called on Mr. Andrews, of Memorial Church, to open the convention with prayer, after which Major J. C. Judd welcomed the visitors on behalf of the city. His worship especially welcomed the ladies who are attending the gathering, for, as he said, "even master painters will be improved by their refining influence."

"When we do anything in London," continued Mr. Judd, "we do it well, and we hope your convention will keep up this reputation."

Ald. Booth and Gillen also spoke briefly. As Mr. Gillen said, "The town is yours. The police are away, the chief is on a vacation, and the detectives are on the outskirts. You can paint the town as red as you like."

Mr. Brooke, the association's president, then took the chair, and after the routine business had been completed, he addressed the members. He pointed out the practical nature of the subjects to be discussed, and urged that the best attention be given to the papers, and that all join heartily in the discussion.

Mr. E. J. Lillington, of Toronto, was to read a paper on "Shellac," but like many other members of the association, Mr. Lillington had not arrived at the time, and the gathering adjourned to meet at 2:30 this afternoon.

The main hall in the municipal buildings presents a very attractive appearance at present, for the horse decorators have been exercising their skill on it to good effect. The galleries and pillars are tastefully hung with bunting, while many companies who manufacture such supplies as are constantly used by the painters have very fine exhibits.

Some of the goods displayed are particularly attractive. The Conedated Plate Glass Company, of Toronto, has some beautiful mirrors, which, however, are so shaped that they reflect anything but a beautiful image, no matter who stands before them. Despite the uncomplimentary things this exhibit shows up, however, there is an amused crowd before it at all intervals.

The local painters are bent on giving their guests a good time, and some excursions will likely take place tomorrow.

PLEASANT SURPRISE FOR THE FORELADY

Miss Annie Watts, of D. S. Perrin & Co.'s, Remembered By Her Friends.

A very pleasant surprise awaited Miss Annie Watts, forelady of the hand-dipping chocolate room of D. S. Perrin & Co., when her friends presented her with a very handsome suit case.

The address was read by Mr. James Baldwin, and expressed deep regret on the part of her friends, as she is about to leave for Manitoba.

The presentation was made by Miss Bea Brennan.

Condition of Mr. John Loney Grows Very Grave at Hospital

Patient Is Making No Progress Toward Recovery—Complications Are Feared.

Mr. John Loney, the Cartwright street man injured in the wreck of the Crystal Hall, is today in a very precarious condition at Victoria Hospital.

Though for the past few days Mr. Loney gave every sign of recovering rapidly, his condition today gives cause for much anxiety on the part of his physicians.

He was injured very badly in the wreck, and it is now feared that complications may set in, as he suffered a fracture at the base of the brain. Misses Ethel Earl and Libbie Smith were discharged from the hospital today. They were not seriously injured

in the Brewster store wreck, though they were buried in the ruins. All the other patients are recovering rapidly.

The Advertiser today received the following letter of thanks from relatives of the late Joseph Long, who was killed in the wreck of the store of Hamilton, Long & Co.:

"Mrs. James Long and family desire through The Advertiser to convey to their many friends their heartfelt thanks for the many expressions of sympathy shown them during their sad bereavement."

Mr. F. P. Betts, the well-known local lawyer, who is summing in Quebec, wired Mayor Judd as follows:

"Little Metes, Que. July 22. To Mayor Judd: "Universal sympathy felt here for London in her great sorrow; unbounded admiration expressed for bravery of citizens in rescue work. "F. P. BETTS."

Good Start for Relief Funds Bishop McEvay Sends \$100

Subscriptions Will Be Received by Newspapers and by Fund Treasurer.

The Dundas street disaster brought privation to a number of deserving people. This fact has been ascertained by a number of gentlemen who have made personal inquiries, and they ask the citizens of London for aid in relieving immediate distress.

Some of the wounded will be unable to return to work for weeks. In most cases others were dependent in some degree upon them, and will suffer hardship, through being deprived of their earnings. In one or two cases the relatives of persons killed in the disaster are in need of help, though none have solicited it.

A committee of well-known citizens will attend to the distribution of the relief fund. The money will be placed where it is most needed, and with the most delicate regard for the feelings of the recipients.

The Advertiser and Free Press have been authorized to receive subscriptions in any amount. These will be publicly acknowledged. Today The Advertiser received a check from the Bishop of London for \$100 toward the relief fund. This example of generosity will no doubt be followed by many other sympathetic citizens. Subscriptions may be sent to The Advertiser by mail or left in the business office. The fund is starting off well, as the following list of donations show:

Bishop McEvay	\$100
Dr. J. D. Wilson	25
Phillip Pocock	25
William Abbott	10

Subscriptions may be sent also to Mr. Phillip Pocock, of the London Shoe Company, the treasurer of the fund.

TAKING THE BODY HOME.

Boston, July 23.—On board the Cunard steamship Ivernia, which sailed today for Liverpool, was the body of the late Admiral John Pearce MacLear of the British Royal Navy, who died at Niagara a few days ago. The body is being taken to his old home in Chiddingfold, Surrey, for interment.

JUDGES PLEAD FOR BARRINGTON.

Ask Commutation of Death Sentence for the Bogus Nobleman.

Jefferson City, Mo., July 23.—Many telegrams have been received by Governor Folk urging executive clemency for "Lord" Seymour Barrington, under sentence to be hanged at Clayton, Mo., Thursday for the murder of James P. McCann. Two were received from Missouri Supreme Court, asking for a commutation of sentence.

The first was a telegram from Judge Valliant. In my opinion, the State of Missouri cannot face the world with that record and say she gave Barrington a fair trial. (Signed) L. B. Valliant.

The second is the form of a petition signed by Judges Valliant and Graves. It says: "We believe the ends of justice will be better served by a commutation of the death sentence imposed upon F. Seymour Barrington to imprisonment for life than would be his execution, and we therefore recommend such commutation."

Judges Valliant and Graves were the judges who handed in a dissenting opinion when Barrington's case came before the court. Governor Folk promises a decision in the matter today.

Jefferson City, Mo., July 23.—Governor Folk today granted a respite of thirty days to "Lord" Frederick Seymour Barrington, under sentence to be hanged at Clayton, Mo., on July 25, for the murder of James P. McCann.

NEW TRAIN FROM THE PORT

Will Leave the Resort Every Evening At 8:30 O'clock.

Beginning this evening, the Pere Marquette will put on a new train out of Port Stanley for the city. This train will leave the Port every evening at 8:30, and should prove a great convenience, as heretofore there have been no trains between the hours of 6 and 11. The service will be continued well into August, or until such time as the traffic justifies its removal.

KHEDIVE IN PARIS

Spends Two Days Inconspicuously Without Parisians Learning of It.

Paris, July 23.—The Khedive of Egypt, Abbas Hilmi, has spent two days in Paris in such strict incognito that his presence did not become known until after his departure for Switzerland last night. He will visit England before returning to Egypt.



MISS FAY NORTHCOTT, Winner of the MacRobert's Medal in the High School Examinations.

ROW OVER STAR BOARDERS

Boardinghouse Competition Culminates in Assault Charge.

A free-for-all fight is alleged to have occurred in front of Mrs. Niosi's residence on Queen's avenue west, last night resulting in a charge of assault being laid by Mrs. Niosi against Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pasquale, and Mr. and Mrs. Vita. The latter couple deny having anything whatever to do with the affair. According to the story the whole trouble is due to competition for three star boarders between Mrs. Niosi and a neighbor, the former claiming that the latter has been enticing them to leave her place.

REV. DR. PIDGEON'S CALL REFERRED TO TORONTO

[Special to The Advertiser.]

St. Thomas, July 23.—The adjourned meeting of the London Presbytery, held at Knox Church, St. Thomas, this morning, referred the call of the First Presbyterian Church, London, to Rev. Dr. Geo. C. Pidgeon, of Toronto Junction, to the Toronto Presbytery, and appointed Alexander Henderson, clerk of the London Presbytery, to appear before the Toronto body to sustain the call on behalf of the First Church and London Presbytery.

VERY WARM IN ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis, July 23.—Three deaths and eight prostrations from the heat were reported last night. The thermometer registered 93 degrees for four hours yesterday.

THE WATER COMMISSIONERS ARE SATISFIED WITH VOTE

See Victory—in for Spring Water at Every Stage—Mayor Gives His Views.

Chairman Darch, of the water commission, was seen by The Advertiser today in regard to the vote on the water question, and he expressed himself as well pleased with the result.

"The result of the plebiscite taken by mail, shows the people to be overwhelmingly in favor of spring water," Mr. Darch said to The Advertiser. "The spring water vote was split up so that on the first count the river water had a slight lead, but this was soon overcome by the opinions expressed by the high-pressure voters and the Titus, in their second choices."

"It was plain to be seen that the people of London are still for spring water."

Mr. Darch also claimed that if the fight had been between the filtration scheme and the Komoka scheme alone, the former would have received its quietus.

ARE NOT DECIDED AS YET

Mr. Darch would not say anything in regard to what the commissioners intend to do until a meeting has been held, and the whole matter has been gone over.

He had a talk with City Solicitor Meredith this morning regarding the legality of submitting two schemes to the people.

Mr. Meredith pointed out that the two bylaws could not be submitted, but that it would be quite legal to submit two schemes, and then ask the Legislature to issue debentures to carry out the work of the scheme which had received the highest number of votes.

Only a majority of the votes cast would be necessary in this case, Mr. Meredith says, to carry the scheme.

Of course, if an informal vote, such as Mr. Meredith suggests, were taken, instead of putting a bylaw to the people for one scheme only, there might be trouble in getting the Legislature to sanction the issue of the debentures.

MAYOR JUDD SEES VICTORY FOR SPRING WATER.

Mayor Judd, like Mr. Darch, appears thoroughly convinced that the people are still strong for spring water. Had not there been three spring water schemes before the people, he felt that the Komoka scheme, which he and the commissioners championed, would have carried hands down.

The big votes cast for the Komoka scheme and the independent high-pressure scheme, as well as the second choices expressed on the latter, and also on the Titus ballots, are ample proofs for his worship that the people of London want spring water and will have no other.

MR. SAUNDERS IS WELL SATISFIED.

Commissioner Saunders is out of the city today, but it is understood that he, like Mr. Darch, is not prepared to talk until a meeting of the commissioners is held.

Mr. Saunders stated last night, however, that the vote upholds the contention of those who declare that the people of London will not drink river water.

"When you come to consider that out of 2,417 ballots cast, river water only secured 77 votes," said a prominent citizen to The Advertiser today, "it is quite plain that the people of London do not want river water at any price."

Grand Rapids Lawyer in London Looking After Smirlies' Interest

Latter Is More Likely to Look for Than Pay Damages, He Says.

Mr. Joseph Kirwin, of Carroll, Kirwin & Hollway, solicitors, Grand Rapids, Michigan, is in the city looking after the interests of Mr. Peter Smirlies, the Greek-American, whose proposed poolroom in this city was wiped out by the wreck of the Reid building on Tuesday last.

Mr. Kirwin states that it is not the intention of Mr. Smirlies to ask for an adjournment of the inquest.

Mr. Smirlies is ill, but will be in London just as soon as it is possible for him to get here, Mr. Kirwin said. Asked if he had any statement to

make on the matter of the wreck, Mr. Kirwin replied in the negative. "We prefer to wait until the evidence comes out at the inquest," he said.

"Mr. Smirlies doesn't propose to be made liable for any of the damage if he can help it," suggested the reporter. "It's hardly likely that any men would under the circumstances," Mr. Kirwin replied, "and in the present instance, it is more than likely that Mr. Smirlies should look for damages to someone."

The work of clearing away the Reid wreck is proceeding daily. This morning portions of the old building were pulled down, and they made such a noise when they struck the sidewalk that people in the adjacent streets rushed to doors and windows, fearing another accident.

All Should Attend Concert in Park

Tomorrow night in Victoria Park a band concert will be given by the splendid band of the Twenty-sixth Middlesex Regiment of Light Infantry.

The concert is being given in aid of those who are in need of assistance as the result of the terrible accident in Reid's Crystal Hall.

It is not a money-making scheme in any sense of the word, save that it aims to make money for the wreck sufferers.

The bandmen will not receive a cent for their services, and the men at the gates, who are representative Londoners in all walks of life, are giving their services gratis.

Bandmaster Pococke has prepared a magnificent programme of choice music, and all who desire to help the sufferers of the Reid accident should avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing a first-class concert, and of being able to place a few shillings on the plates for the sufferers.

It is expected that every citizen of London who is able to get out on Wednesday night will attend the concert and contribute his or her mite to the fund.

Among those who will sing at the concert are Mrs. (Dr.) Kingsmill, Mr. Gordon Hunt and Prof. Dump. Heinzmann & Co. have also consented to loan a piano for the occasion.

BULLET MEANT FOR U. S. DESERTER KILLS KINGSTON LADY AT THE 800

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., July 22.—Miss Elizabeth Caldenhead, of Kingston, was accidentally shot in the Michigan Soo today by one of the guards at Fort Brady, who was pursuing an escaping prisoner. The deceased lady at the time of the accident was accompanied by her brother, George Caldenhead, of the Canadian Soo, and his daughter, Katie, of Strathroy, all of whom were returning from viewing the fort building. The ball entered Miss Caldenhead's head at the ear and came out over the eye. Several persons were on the street leading to the fort at the time of the accident. The guard had been placed under arrest, and a coroner's inquest will be held tomorrow. Mr. G. Caldenhead already has taken proceedings in an action against the United States Government for damages.

It is said the shot was fired at a deserter.

WOODS' FAIR

Bargains in our Ready-To-Wear Department

Ladies' Lawn Waists, Special Price, each, \$1
Lawn Waists, front made of lace insertion, embroidery and tucks, square yoke, buttoned back, collar and cuffs, tucked and finished with lace edging; sizes 34 to 40. Regular \$1.25. Sale price this week, each, \$1.00

Corset Covers, each 15c

Plain Corset Covers, ready for trimming, bound neck and sleeves, full front, taped waist, sizes 34 to 42. Special price, each 15c

Children's Colored Dresses, 50c

Children's Colored Dresses, Hubbard and French style, colors, navy, light blue and black and white check; sizes 2, 3 and 4. Special price this week, only 50c
5 dozen Children's Straw Hats, regular 15c to 25c. Clearing out price only, this week, 10c

J. M. THOMSON.

LONDON'S SOCIAL GLORY FADING

The Brilliant Seasons Known Before the Boer War Are Gone.

London, July 22.—At the commencement of the London season hopes and prophecies are heard that now at least the lengthy, brilliant seasons of before the South African war days will come again. Year by year these hopes have been blighted and the prophecies falsified. Last year hopes were higher than ever that the glories of the past were to be revived for sure, but disappointment followed. Critics within and without society are now agreed that the London season is fast sinking into the category of the glorious past. One society writer laments the fact that the season must now be recognized to be a thing both shorter and far less brilliant than it was. The writer argues that the prohibitive class distinctions here nowadays may be said hardly to exist, or at any rate are extremely elastic. Provided one has a certain amount of money one may emulate the pleasures of fashion's follies of any class.

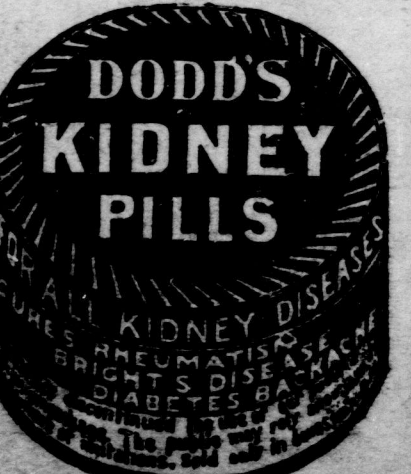
Most ranks of society, however, are as inaccessible to outsiders as in former epochs, but the outer circle long since has thrown down any barriers it may ever have possessed, and day after day hordes of invaders join the throng just within the walls. In plain English, the middle classes have risen up and asserted their rights to enter society, and as a preliminary step have invaded London during the season.

The shortness of the season now is such a serious factor in its decline as to make it seem to many hardly worth while giving anything to it. Moreover, there is in society a distinct tightness of money. The great landed proprietors feel the depreciation of the land war, which is still responsible for much enforced economy. The stock exchange is notoriously depressed. Certain great families, above all such social magnates, not the South African magnates, not to mention the plutocratic traders who have arrived in high places, are expected to keep the ball rolling and set money in circulation. But it is rumored everywhere among the initiated that some of even the most high placed have fallen upon evil days, and that the estates of certain of the most mighty of all are mortgaged up to the hilt to keep pace with gambling follies.

Such a state of affairs naturally affects the glory of the London season. King Edward and Queen Alexandra do their part nobly in the interests of trade to withstand the ebb of the tide. His majesty has set his face against the week end habit and as often as is consistent with the dignity of a sovereign honors his personal friends with his presence at social events. Then, no doubt, the great increase in luxury has effected a curtailment of the season, for it is only the immensely rich who can keep the ball rolling at the present scale of expenses for longer than a few weeks at a time.

Probably the advent of the automobile is killing the London season. The average educated member of the upper classes, known as society, is in spite of the detractors in the smart set a person of fairly cultivated mind and wide interests, and the possibilities which motoring have opened out to the most intelligent of these is simply limitless. There are speed lunatics and motor maniacs, but these are in the minority. The great majority values the open air life and increased knowledge of men and countryside which motoring gives and receptions and overcrowded dances are apt to go by the board in consequence.

The deer really weeps, its eyes being provided with lachryman glands. Ibsen's son has placed on the poet's grave a granite obelisk about sixteen feet high.



SON TO TAKE UP BARTEL'S FIGHT

Visits Father in Jail—Declares Brewer's Fortune Has Shrunken \$300,000.

Toronto, July 22.—Incensed at the sight of his father, the former Auburn, N. Y., brewer, tottering to meet him along the jail corridor, clad in jail uniform—the old man scarcely able to articulate as the result of an apoplectic stroke, induced by excitement, Hermann Bartels, jun., states emphatically that he never will rest until someone has been brought to book in connection with this now celebrated case.

Hermann Bartels, jun., a determined-looking Syracuse business-man, visited his father at the jail with Mr. Bartels's sister. They were shown into a side room where, after a time, Mr. Bartels, who was sent to jail for 90 days for escaping from custody, came in. The three stayed together only some fifteen minutes, and afterward Mr. Bartels, jun., returned to Syracuse, and his aunt went back to Auburn, N. Y.

"When I look at father now and think of him as he used to be it breaks me all up," said the son. "Yes, he was a millionaire and over some time ago, but this affair, with my certain knowledge, and I am business manager, has already cost him \$300,000. How? Why, in the fact that his securities depreciated and he had not the time nor the opportunity to look after them. He is still, however, a man of means, and these means will be used to see justice done."

The elder Bartels is now in the hospital. He is pretty nearly all in, and the doctors fear the result of another stroke such as the one that has contracted his right side so that to speak is difficult for him.

The old man while in the hospital, is relieved from the discipline of jail life to some extent, but so far no special privileges have been accorded him in the shape of food of a superior variety to what the others get.

FRAUD IN NAVY BUILDING

Defective Casting in Construction of the King Edward VII.

London, July 22.—What is described as a "gross and deliberate piece of deception," in connection with the contracts for warships is revealed in the first report of the committee of public accounts, just issued. It appears, says the report, that twelve months after the rudder casting for H. M. S. King Edward VII. was received and built in to the ship the admiralty were informed by a dismissed employee of the firm in question—the Ayrshire Foundry Company—that on a certain Sunday the management collected some of the castings, and by means of electric welding concealed a large fault in the casting.

An examination of the man's story showed prima facie evidence that the stated defect did exist, and the admiralty decided that the casting must be a new one. This offer was accepted but the second casting was full of flaws and defective, and a third proved no better. The admiralty then decided that the casting should be made in the dockyard and the cost charged to the contractors.

"The pecuniary loss in this case was small," adds the committee, "but the conduct of the firm would appear to have provided proper matter for a prosecution for fraud, and your committee on the evidence before them do not understand why some attempt was not made to bring the persons to trial."

"The loss of admiralty orders and the rumors of this transaction brought such financial loss to the Ayrshire Foundry Company that it shortly became bankrupt. Your committee hopes that it will not again be their duty to investigate a case where a British firm, for any commercial advantage, will callously hazard the lives of hundreds of their fellow countrymen."

The report also mentions that a case of payment of secret commissions to certain stewards in one of the naval depots accidentally brought to light grave irregularities. Four stewards were employed to examine and pass ready-made clothing received from the contractor. They received from the contractor a commission of 5 per cent on all the clothing examined, and in payment amounting to £266. When called upon for an explanation the contractor said that he thought it was the custom, and the men pleaded that they were doing what their predecessors had done.

GOOD-BYE TO EXETER HALL

Famous Home of Religious Thought Soon To Be Destroyed.

London, July 22.—Many tourists today went to Exeter Hall to bid a last farewell to the famous home of religious thought and action which is soon to be destroyed. The farewell took the form of meetings lasting throughout the day. Many were present and spoke who used to throng the building before it passed into the possession of the Y. M. C. A.

It is now the property of a restaurateur, who has promised not to use it as a saloon, dance hall, theater, or for any other purpose not in keeping with the past. The Y. M. C. A. has taken temporary quarters in the Strand prior to occupying the new building soon to be erected at a cost of a million dollars.

Relics of an equally historic building of a widely different nature aroused interest yesterday, when the fittings of Old Babel were offered at auction.

A BENEFACTOR TO ALL.—The soldier, the sailor, the fisherman, the miner, the farmer, the mechanic and all who live lives of toil and spend their existence in the dull routine of tedious tasks, and who are exposed to injuries and ailments that those who toil do not know, will find in Dr. Thomas' Eucalypti Friend and benefactor in every time of need.

HE WEDS A NEW BRIDE ANNUALLY

Brazilian Grandee Appears in New York With Fifth "Venture."

New York, July 22.—Gossip murmurs through the corridors of one of Gotham's famous hotels, buzzes among the women in the parlors, hums among the men in the cafe, and breaks out in queries to the clerks in the office. The object upon which all this attention is bestowed is a Brazilian, and the reason for it is that he is here on his fifth annual honeymoon.

Every summer within five years he has come to this hotel with a new wife. They have been real brides, and no mistake. They have been variegated as to sizes and shapes, complexions and temperaments, but alike in one particular—all have been young and exceptionally handsome.

The man is about 50, has the looks and manner of a Spanish grandee, and spends money as though he had plenty of it. He does not splurge or plunge, like a new millionaire, but behaves like a gentleman born and bred to affluence. He is said to be a mine owner. Upon his third arrival with a third bride in 1905 the landlord of the hotel deemed it expedient to find out whether it was a bona fide honeymoon, with a genuine marriage to authenticate it. He approached the Brazilian very cautiously on the subject, but was received with frank good temper.

"Come to my room," said the guest, "and I will show you a marriage certificate. I have brought along, also, papers to prove my divorce from each of the wives with whom I have visited your hotel before. Oh, you need not apologize, sir. It is quite right that you should take care of the reputation of your house."

Upon his fourth advent in town a year ago an explanatory account of his marital vagaries came along with him. A Scotch American who knew him well was a fellow guest, and "There is no secret about his singular conduct," said this biographer. "He is a pious man, in his own way, and a stickler for obedience to the law."

Every year he picks out a beauty for a transient summer bride to take on his annual trip to New York. There is always a regular formal and duly recorded marriage service, and plenty of day the couple set sail for the States. In two or three months they return to separate immediately, and with little delay he begins divorce proceedings. The law in Brazil grants a divorce to a husband who can bring proof that his wife before her marriage with him, and unknown to him, had an indiscreet life. Now, in a general way he was aware of it. In short, he took good care that they should thus be qualified to be divorced.

The young women understood the arrangements perfectly, too, and went in, it is supposed, with the resolute determination to outdo each other in the display of luxury. Besides, it gave them a luxurious and exclusive class hotel in New York, along with the experience of being a legal bride. This gentleman is not eccentric in any other respect, but his annual marriages have made him celebrated in his own country.

The bride of 1907 is a smallish blonde girl of more than 20, quite unlike the type of acutely sweet prettiness. The gossip of the hotel has it that she is different from her four predecessors; that she has no past at all, and that when the husband comes to the divorce feature in her case he won't be able to carry out the usual programme, unless she voluntarily permits it. It may be that she has agreed to such a course, but it is a surprise that she has won, or is winning, the love of this whimsically marrying man, and that he may be glad to make this fifth marriage permanent.

FULL OF OLD JUNK

Canadian To Undergo Odd Operation in New York Hospital.

New York, July 22.—A. J. Pierce, a professional sword swallower, is in Bellevue Hospital believed to be full of delusions, nails, chunks of glass, jack-knives and miscellaneous hardware.

Pierce is 26 years old and for a time has lived at No. 78 East One Hundred and Thirty-Eighth street. For years he has made a living amusing a discreditable public with feats of sword eating. Dr. Henry, of Bellevue, who used to be connected with a hospital in Montreal, recognized Pierce the moment he was brought in.

"I know him well," said the doctor, "for I operated on him in Canada. He had accumulated some nails and we removed them."

Pierce has a habit of taking a score of small shingle nails in his hand and pecking them in his mouth. While the great American public strains its optics to see him take them out, he swallows with powerful effort. Then, while the audience is expressing astonishment, Pierce drops the nails, which he held in his hand all the time, in his pocket. But once in a while he makes a mistake and one or two drop down his throat. He doesn't care much until a whole keful of canals. Then he becomes said and can't go on with the show.

The doctors fear the sword trick has affected his mind. He is supposed to swallow a Confederate cavalry colonel's sabre right up to the hilt, and it is believed he now imagines he has succeeded too well and filled his stomach with such implements of war.

As soon as the "bug doctors" have investigated the young man's mental condition, the surgeons will get out the X-ray and take a picture of his internal works. If enough trumphy is piled up in his stomach to prevent digestion, that useful organ will be opened and relieved of its load. Then, if nothing appears wrong in the upper story, Pierce will be turned loose to continue his more or less entertaining exhibitions.

He was first taken to St. Francis' Hospital last night when to the Har- lem Hospital, and then to Bellevue.

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HAROLD VANDERBILT LOST

Sailed Away in a Sloop Yacht and Hasn't Turned Up.

Norfolk, Va., July 22.—Harold S. Vanderbilt, brother of Wm. K. Vanderbilt, jun., who left New London, Conn., July 19, on his pole mast sloop yacht Trivia, en route from Newport to the Jamestown Exposition, has not yet arrived or been heard from. Capt. Crowley, of the Trivia, who was sick when Mr. Vanderbilt left, and decided to follow by steamer to Hampton Roads, arrived Saturday. Though diligent inquiry has been made, Capt. Crowley has neither heard from Mr. Vanderbilt nor been able to get in touch with anyone who has spoken to his boat. Mr. Vanderbilt started on the Trivia, taking the route via the Raritan Canal, Delaware River, Delaware and Chesapeake Canal, and the Chesapeake Bay, for the Jamestown Exposition.

JEWEL LOSS A HOAX

This Writer Asserts That No Theft Occurred at Dublin.

London, July 21.—The report of Conan Doyle having offered his services to his relative, Sir Arthur Hockley, in the elucidation of the Dublin Castle jewelry theft is without foundation, and the mystery still remains unsolved.

There is no lack of would-be Sherlock Holmeses, eager and anxious to undertake the role which Doyle would not assume, and some amazing theories have been ventilated. One of these is put forward by a Dublin correspondent who signed himself "Lex," and whose contribution is displayed with great prominence by several of the most conservative London papers.

"Lex" states boldly what has been frequently hinted during the past few days, viz., that the insignia has not been stolen at all, but merely put out of the way until after the King's visit to Dublin, in order that there will be no installations in the most illustrious order of Knights of St. Patrick.

Conan Doyle, meanwhile, is devoting more attention to the Edalji case than the Dublin Castle mystery. This is the case of one George Edalji, a minister's son, near Witley, England, who, in 1903, was sentenced to seven years in prison on exceedingly unsatisfactory evidence. Later he was released. The case was the outcome of a series of diabolical mutilations of cattle. Doyle is firmly convinced of Edalji's innocence.

The former matter came up in the House of Commons last week, when P. E. Smith, a young barrister member from Walton, who created a sensation by his maiden speech in the house, and who has been regarded ever since as a ministerial possibility, delivered an impassioned plea for the compensation of the victim in this miscarriage of justice. Home Secretary Gladstone has assumed a non possumus attitude, and the subject has been dropped, for the present at least.

Doyle, however, will return to the charge in his endeavor to right the wrong which has been done by the state.

"It concerns our nation's honor and should be set right," he said in the course of arguments. In a lengthy letter printed yesterday Doyle mentioned that he was writing at the rate of thirty-five words per minute. An interesting calculation might be made

on how much he would earn on this basis by a recent charge of £200 for a 400 line article in the postscript of his latest letter on the Edalji case.

At a recent meeting of the Senate in Paris Prof. Deulafoy, commissaire du Gouvernement, recommended the prohibition of white lead as an ingredient of paint, and concluded his remarks by saying that to permit the use of white lead for painting the interior of houses was the same thing as knowingly to expose painters to the risk of being poisoned, although the laws of hygiene and the dictates of humanity gave them a right to protection.

The fear that wild animals have of man seems to leave them when other dangers render them helpless. When high waters cover the bottoms along the Mississippi river and deer and other wild animals have been known to seek the highest point, and with water completely surrounding them lose all fear of man, or at least become indifferent to his presence. In some instances they have seemed to welcome man's approach, seemingly feeling that he would be able to protect them.

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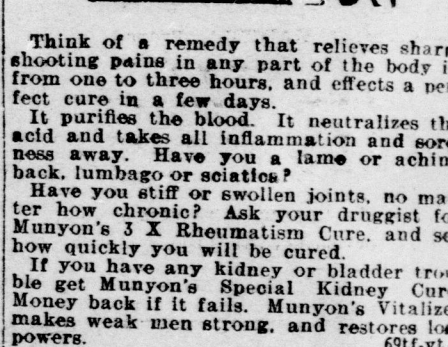
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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS.

DEATHS.

GILGOUR—In this city, on Tuesday, July 23, 1907, at her late residence, 238 Piccadilly street, Lillian S., wife of R. D. Kilgour.

Funeral private, Wednesday, the 24th inst., at 3 p.m., to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

PULFORD—At St. Louis, Mo., July 22, 1907, at 7 p.m., Sarah, relict of the late Wm. Pulford, beloved mother of Mrs. Thomas Gillies, of Toronto, and Mrs. Charles J. Forward, of St. Louis, Mo. Born at Broadstairs, Kent, England, Oct. 12, 1827.

Funeral from Smith, S. & Clark's undertakers, Dundas street, Thursday, 2:30 p.m., to the family lot, Woodland Cemetery.

Toronto and T. S. papers please copy.

TURNER—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on July 21, 1907, Miss Elizabeth Turner, sister of Mrs. John Traher, of 555 Colborne street.

Funeral from the residence of her sister, on Wednesday, July 24, at 8:30, to St. Peter's Cathedral, Requiem High Mass at 9 a.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

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TONY CORRIE'S ORCHESTRA WILL BE at Lake Huron Park, Sarnia, for summer. Outside engagements accepted.

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WANTED—THREE WAITERS OR WAITRESSES for Wednesday and Thursday, July 25 and 26. Apply Matt Loney, Post Street.

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LOST, VICINITY OF CHILSEA GREEN, Sunday, 15th—Gummed watch-owner's name inside. Reward, this office.

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IMPORT YOUR BULBS AND PLANTS direct from Holland and save 100 to 400%. Tulips, Hyacinths, Crocus, Daffodils, Snowdrops, Lilies, Iris, Begonias, Peonies, Philodendrons, Rudbeckia, Snicea, Tritoma, Poppies, Clematis, etc. Get import list. Orders must be in at once. A. J. MORGAN, 113 Dundas street.

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WE SELL GOOD DRY HARDWOOD AT \$2 and elab at \$1.50 per cord. Prompt delivery. The Forest City Best Goods Company, 585 Bathurst.

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FRESH FISH NOW ON SALE—F. S. ONY, Fish Market, Phone 1296.

ONE DOLLAR DOWN, DOLLAR WEEK later, 100 north household goods, furniture, ladies' spring coats. Goldbergs, 251 Wellington.

DANIEL'S NEW CENTURY MAGIC SALVE—For sale at all druggists, or 222 Clarence street, corner Richmond.

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THE WATER VOTE.

It is not easy to see at present wherein the result of the "mail-order" vote brings the water problem nearer a solution, or helps the commissioners out of a difficult position.

If the vote means anything, it means that the sentiment of the ratepayers is overwhelmingly in favor of the retention of spring water for drinking purposes, but upon this point there has never been a doubt. The commissioners to that extent have accurately gauged public opinion.

The showing made by the independent system is remarkable, considering what it had to contend with. It was represented on the ballot paper as being much costlier than the Komoka or the river filtration scheme. No mention was made in the circular letter sent out by the commissioners of the surtax to be levied on the properties protected by the high-pressure service. As the bulk of the cost would be defrayed by this special charge, the independent system would bear far less heavily upon the general tax rate than would other schemes.

By an unscrupulous advocate of river filtration the independent system was described as a scheme engineered by rich men, with large mercantile interest, to get special benefits at the expense of the less well-to-do ratepayers. "It is the rich against the poor; the strong against the weak," is a sample of this demagogic campaign. An attempt was also made to create prejudice against the meter system by representing that meters would restrict the legitimate use of water, increase water rates, and "make the workman help to pay for the protection of the downtown and mercantile districts." The appeals to class feeling in a matter of this kind revealed more anxiety to carry a particular scheme than to be honest with the public.

The independent system was brought forward by a few public-spirited citizens, from entirely unselfish motives. The Komoka scheme had been rejected, and the engineer specially engaged by the board had recommended river filtration. As a resort to the river for drinking water was put of the question for a community which prides itself on its pure and palatable spring water, the independent scheme was evolved as a compromise, which would help the city out of the dilemma. Its strong features were that it maintained spring water for domestic uses, and applied river water to purposes for which it was suited. Although the scheme was the last to enter the race, it is not far behind, and it may be ahead at the finish. The proposal is made by advocates of the Maury plan that two schemes—Komoka and river filtration—be submitted jointly to the ratepayers, but the independent system is not to be crowded out in this fashion, even if it were possible. It is not possible, however, to have a vote on alternative propositions in the form of money bylaws. The various schemes must go before the public one at a time. Meanwhile no one will complain if the commissioners take a few days to think over the next step.

THE ABDICATION AT SEOUL.

The abdication of the Emperor of Korea, while causing surprise to no one who has followed the course of events in the Orient, serves to demonstrate the strength of the hold Japan has upon the hermit kingdom. His downfall is due to an attempt on his part to defy the power whose vassal he is.

Ever since the seclusion of Korea was broken it has been shown to be the most egregious example of corrupt, tyrannical and impotent misgovernment of the present day. For years it has been plain that the ultimate fate of Korea was to fall under the sway of another and more virile power. Japan claimed traditional interests there. She sought to assert them against the effort of China to dominate Korea, and struggled still more strenuously against the attempt of Russia to do the same thing. By two wars Japan has won possession of Korea, and with it Southern Manchuria, and is now devoting her attention to the improvement of its government and the development of its resources. In short, Japan is doing for Korea what Britain has done for Egypt and India; what France is do-

ing to Algeria, and is trying to do in Morocco; what Russia is professing in Turkestan, and what the United States is attempting in the Philippines.

Since July, 1894, there have been a number of treaties, protocols and agreements affecting the relations of Japan and Korea, and they show that the latter has gradually assumed a status of vassalage, culminating in an agreement signed on Nov. 17, 1915, which established a Japanese protectorate in the fullest sense. The first article of this agreement provides that thereafter, the department of foreign affairs at Tokio should have control and direction of the external affairs of Korea, while the diplomatic and consular representatives of Japan should have charge of the subjects and interests of Korea abroad. Japan, by the second article of the treaty, undertook to see to the execution of the treaties existing between Korea and other powers, and Korea engaged not to perform any act or thereafter conclude any engagement of an international character except through the medium of the Tokio government.

In spite of this the Korean emperor without the consent or knowledge of Japan, authorized the demand of a Korean delegation for admission to the peace conference at The Hague, which was obviously a violation of the provisions of the treaty. His ministers, who are evidently men of greater wisdom, recognized the gravity of the situation, resulting from the emperor's course, and, acting perhaps on a hint from Japan, demanded that he atone for his breach of good faith by journeying to Tokio and apologizing to the Mikado, or abdicate. He has chosen the latter. The emperor's defense that the agreement of November, 1905, was not binding upon him because, while signed by his foreign minister, it bears neither his own signature nor the imperial seal, is a rather lame one, inasmuch as none of the treaties and agreements with Japan bears his signature, but in each instance his consent was signified either by active compliance with their provisions or by tacit acquiescence in them. Had he desired to express disapproval of this latest or any of the other agreements there were plenty of means of doing so, but there is no record of any protest on his part.

A new emperor, in the person of the crown prince, has been installed, doubtless with Japan's approval, who, if he is wise, will do the bidding of his country's protector; for no one can suppose that Japan, after fighting two wars costing thousands of lives and millions of money, will submit to any attempts at thwarting her as the master spirit of the Orient.

This is only the first heat of the water race.

The independent scheme was the dark horse.

Perhaps money is tight because the country is tipsy with prosperity.

Another week and the independent scheme would probably have been on top.

At any rate Londoners are not going to mix their drinks. They will stick to spring water.

The Canadian prime minister is a poor sailor, but it's worth an attack of sea-sickness to have such a welcome home.

Hon. G. W. Ross' description of Laurier "as a picture gallery in himself" shows that he retains his faculty of picturesque phrasology.

HAPPY DAYS.

[Exchange.]
Basil—When we are married, my love, we shall have a lot to struggle with.
Ella (consoling)—We shall have each other.

SURE.

[Chicago News.]
Tired Tatters—I saw a new moon over me left shoulder last night. I wonder who she's sign on?

Wesley Walker—It's a sign that we need place you as for work you'll get it.

WHAT TWO DOLLARS WOULD DO.

[Judge.]
"Sam, what would you do if you had a million dollars?"

"For de Lawd's sake! I'm sho' I dunno w'd I do if I had a million dollars; but I know w'd I do if I had two dollars. I've bin waitin' two years ter git married."

A HOPPING MATCH.

[Sporting Magazine of 1907.]
A match, twenty hops for 10 guineas, took place at Loughborough, Leicestershire, between James Shipley, of Nottingham, and a person named Moore, of Leicester. It was very closely contested, so much so that bets of 4 to 1 were laid and taken on each side. The match, however, was won by Shipley.

On measuring the distance it appeared that Shipley had hopped 75 yards or 10 inches, and Moore something more than 75 yards. The latter was to have run against Shipley on the same day, 140 yards for 40 guineas, but declined, and in consequence forfeited his deposit.

A MONTREAL PORTIA.

[Montreal Witness.]
Mr. Recorder Dupuis' judgment in a horse-mauling case has become as celebrated as that of Miss Justice Fortin in the case of Shyluck vs. Antonio. The recorder virtually held that the good people of Canada might pound a horse to any extent that might give them pleasure or satisfy their wrath, so long as they did not draw blood. On this ground he had beaten a horse most brutally, and persistently, one of them with a piece of steel rod. Woe, however, to the man who, while amusing him-

self whaling his horse, draws any drop of blood. We all remember the story of the man who was taken to the hospital with a wound on his head, according to his bond, but warned that if in doing so he split any drop of blood, his life and lands would be forfeit to the state. An unhappy horse-skipper named Orion Rose was brought before the recorder yesterday, and there upon the whip handle, was—yes, actually—the stain of blood. For this blood the writer was fined \$15, with the alternative of a month in jail.

YOUNG MILITARY HERO.

[Rochester Democrat.]
The young heir to the Spanish throne has enlisted in the Spanish army, and demonstrates his ability to swim the length of his bathtub he will be drafted into the navy.

EXPORTING CATS.

[London Tribune.]
The export returns for the month of trade for the current period will contain a notable addition, serving to still further demonstrate the cosmopolitan character of England's free trade. It refers to a shipment of 100 cats to India, via a shipper's office in the city was yesterday asked to arrange. The reason given for the novel consignment is that one of the plague districts is overrun with rats, and the cats are wanted to effect the necessary slaughter.

TOAD AS ASSISTANT GARDENER.

[Suburban Life.]
By actual inspection of a big fat toad's stomach it was found to contain not less than 50 large graptolite worms, 50 potato bugs, 50 cabbages, 50 angworms, and 50 cabbage worms, with, by way of seasoning, numerous flies and mosquitoes. Now multiply this, and I think you will appreciate the value of an army of toads required, according to the services that may reasonably be expected from one toad.

PEN JNOMY.

[Philadelphia Bulletin.]
The millionaire before filling his ink well disposed of two of his pens and poured the writing fluid upon them.
"Thus," he said, "I practice pen economy, prolonging three or four times the life of all my pens. You see, the corrosive power of the ink which is immensely strong, vents itself on the old pens kept in the well, and has little or no strength left wherewith to attack the pen I have in use."

SHOULD DOCTORS TELL?

[Hamilton Herald.]
Whether a physician is justified in deliberately deceiving a patient, suffering from a mortal disease, as to his condition, is a question regarding which it would be impossible to lay down a general rule covering all cases. The all cases in each case should determine the course to be followed in that case. If, through pity and kindness the physician does deceive and hold out hopes which he knows are vain, surely his conduct is reprehensible. But if he tells the truth, which had to be recorded, but which was blotted out forever by a tear left fall by the recording angel.

A POINTER FOR MR. JUDD.

[Toronto Saturday Night.]
Let it be granted that Mr. Judd never beholds an official without taking all available evidence. Even so, when he has conducted a couple of heads of the block, why should a decent fellow accept a third or a fourth assignment when he knows that he will end in another group of heads? Why does he not wash his hands and ask for another kind of job?

SUBSTITUTES.

[Toronto Star.]
His doctor says that Harry Thaw eats too much and smokes too much. But what of that? These are a rich young man's substitutes for thinking too much.

THE FIRST RADICAL PREMIER.

[Montreal Star.]
In office, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, however, showed himself to be precisely the sort of man whom the new Liberalism of England delights to follow. He is entirely free from Whiggism. He is the leader of the "Left Center." As the Nation—the new Liberal weekly—points out, "he does not belong to the 'smart set,' he is not a 'week-end.' He is Britain's first Radical Premier. Under him the Radical sections have a power and a free they of which they have nothing under Gladstone, and to which they could never have attained under Rosebery. Today it is the Whig wing of the party which is on the defensive, and not the Radical guerrillas to be tried to get some sort of recognition. This gives 'C. B.' great weight with the masses. When he rises to arraign the House of Lords, the people feel as if one of themselves were attempting a daring feat. Had Gladstone done it they would have been surer of success, they would have been more stirred by his majestic eloquence; but they would not have felt so keenly that it was their own particular fight."

HISTORY OF MARCEL WAVE.

[Pittsburgh Dispatch.]
"The Marcel wave," said the hairdresser, "illustrates how capriciously fate often bestows fame on a man by giving his name as discoverer to something he never discovered. The wave which we know as the Marcel wave was invented long before Marcel at his modest and not extraordinary shop in the Rue de l'Échelle began to use it. Then the wave was already widely popular, and the other hairdressers of Paris all practicing it, and the Parisian women of the world having taken to it. There was one difficulty. The wave was graceful and lent an air of great distinction, alas, yes. But it was so expensive, and alas! lasted so short a time. In a few hours at most the beautiful waves had collapsed to their natural limp lankness. Here was Marcel's opportunity. He devised an iron, a method, trained attendants. Under his enterprising hands the wave was put into hair, four or five days. Imagine the gratitude of the Parisiennes. To be kept chic for five days running and that with one-fifth of the former trouble and expense! M. Marcel became the object of their gratitude. All Paris flocked to him—at least, until other hairdressers could, more or less effectively, copy his method. How the women of other nations came, saw and demanded you one figure for yourself. So the wave spread, carrying with it Marcel's method, and that gave his name to the wave."

A scientist at Washington described a process of printing by the aid of the X-ray, which, he thinks, may some day supersede some of the present methods. This process is called typodigraph. One way to prepare the original copy is to print the text with adhesive ink, and then dust metallic powder over it which will remain only on the printed characters. The copy is next bound up with about 50 thicknesses of sensitized paper and subjected to the action of the Roentgen tube. Seven years ago the citizens of Munich consumed 120 gallons of beer each annually. They now average but 70 gallons each.

"A NEW SPIRIT IN LITERATURE"

Writer's Eccentric Advertising That Failed.

ALL NEWPORT AWAITS PRINCE

New York Too, in Flutter Over Coming of Prince William of Sweden.

New York, July 19.—That eccentric advertising pushed too far is unwise and expensive is indicated by the present case of George Sylvester Viereck. He came to New York a few months ago and before long had sprung into prominence—not fame, mind you—by his writings.

A mere boy—he is only 23 and looks younger—he was hailed by some critics as the creator of "A new spirit in literature," a seemingly intelligent looker-on at the City of New York and its people from an entirely new point of view. It cannot be denied that his poetry was curious, and it had in it some rather cleverly phrased salaciousness that won for it some vogue among certain persons. That almost any sort of a person who is in any way "different" can command a following was indicated almost instantly by letters which poured in upon editors and reviewers demanding to know why there was a conspiracy—for such it seemed to be to those who were complaining—to stifle this genius which was budding in a desert of literary commonplaces.

What They Learned.

These appeals prompted some editors, who had put Viereck's efforts aside with no thought that they were worthy of extraordinary, to inquire as to what manner of man this poet was. Their investigations were interesting. In about the same manner as were the poet's verses. He boastfully asserted his superiority over all poets of this age, declared that in him was born a new light destined to picture New York and America on a peculiarly illuminated page, and then some. Furthermore, he boasted equally of several personal peculiarities which he asserted that he possessed, among which was that he was the son of the son of an illegitimate son of an early German Emperor of historic greatness.

His Publishers Delighted.

These and other things, naturally, won for the youthful writer a certain wide publicity, and for a time increased the circulation of his few books. His publishers were delighted. Here was an author who not only wrote but was his own advertiser. They encouraged him in his efforts to keep in the public eye and the extremes to which the boy poet has gone in proclaiming his eccentricities has been a little short of astonishing.

But the reaction set in and George Sylvester Viereck doesn't appear to be so much of a muchness as he thought he was. The bibliophiles, so it is said, are now able to buy, at retail, his poems at wholesale rates.

Newport Awaits a Prince.

When his royal highness Prince William of Sweden gets here about August 20, Newport will be all a-flutter, for, so it appears now, the visit of the prince was arranged by none other than Harry Lehr, when they met in Berlin last year, and so, therefore, has a special lion on the royal envoy. There is small prospect of a superabundance of small lions at the social capital this summer and the coming of a representative of the royal house of Sweden naturally will be seized upon with avidity.

It seems to have been definitely arranged that Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish shall provide the chief function in honor of the distinguished guest. What Mrs. Fish has arranged in the way of an entertainment has not been divulged, but it is not at all uncertain that it will be something stunning. She usually does stunning things.

Will Be Many Disappointments.

Of course there will be a great struggle among the strivers to get a bid to this affair. Newport already is alive with polite grafters, social soldiers of fortune and similar persons who are aching to break into the swell set, and a few of them, of course, will succeed. But although Newport has been somewhat depleted of stars of the first magnitude, it has seemed to feel the criticism that has been meted out to it for its past offenses. It is recognizing almost anybody who has had the wherewithal in not been more cautious of late in taking in climbers. There is certain to be a considerable number of disappointed aspirants before the season ends.

Millionaires Take to Cottages.

Several millionaires with imposing homes in New York, Newport, Tuxedo, and the Meadow Brook regions are deserting their life in sure enough cottages that are little more than huts. It is not that they are threatened with malaria, but because they fear the malarial diseases which they spring out of place. Indeed, the strength in vegetable growth is wonderful. The most striking example is the Island of Aldabra, to the northwest of Madagascar. The island is becoming smaller and smaller through the action of the mangroves, growing at the foot of the cliffs. The roots break off immense pieces of stone which fall into the sea. Into the gaps thus formed the waves eat their way. In a few years it is likely that by the combined action of the waters and mangroves the island will disappear.—Philadelphia Record.

Lord Llangatock has sent a check to provide spectacles for 137 children in one of the Walworth (Wales) groups of the elementary schools, who have been declared to need them for the pursuit of their compulsory studies.

This store closes daily at 5 p.m. during July and August. Saturdays, 10 p.m. Open daily 8 a.m.

J. H. CHAPMAN & CO.
126, 128, 128 1/2 DUNDAS STREET.
A Popular Store for Everybody.

During the heated term shoppers will find it more to their comfort to go shopping in the morning hours.

Midsummer Sale

Merchandise for Personal Comfort

We are showing hosts of things for personal comfort and household uses, especially designed to render the present season comfortable and enjoyable. Just now we are showing many classes of merchandise at clearance prices—wearing apparel best suited to the hot season outdoorwear and underwear for women and children. Things to make the country and city home cool and pleasant. The goods are of the most desirable sorts, and such things as are in general demand just now.

Carpet Bargains

Have you taken advantage of any of our previous offerings in Carpets and Housefurnishings. Remember we have in stock at all times everything you require in Carpets, Rugs, Window Shades, Curtains, also Curtain Poles, Linoleums, Floor Oilcloth and Mattings. We have a number of specials in all of these, but are able to mention, this time, only the following Carpet Specials, which are worthy of your attention:

10 designs in our regular best quality, \$1 10 Tapestry Carpet, our regular \$1 25 English Body Brussels, sufficient quantity to cover double parlors, hall and stairs alike, in very handsome patterns, in all desirable colorings. These Carpets are suitable for any room in the house. Made and laid price for this week only.....\$2.25

Sample Ends of Tapestry Carpet; this is a fair assortment left of the big lot of these Carpet Ends, worth \$1 10 each, on sale at.....\$600

Wash Dresses

There is a considerable advantage in early choice in Ladies' Wash Dresses; all the season's best styles in Washing Fabrics. Every garment a quarter off regular price.

All mail or telephone orders from our advertisements will be promptly and carefully filled.

J. H. Chapman & Co., 126, 128, 128 1/2 Dundas St.

BRUCE OLD BOYS

Hundreds Arriving from All Quarters for the Reunion.

Kincardine, July 23.—Kincardine is rapidly filling up with Old Boys and their friends. Quite a number are here with automobiles, among them being J. J. Carrick, Port Arthur; Dr. Martineau, Detroit; H. J. McLeod, Duluth; D. H. and N. McDonald, Virginia, Minn. The Detroit contingent, about 250 strong, came on their special train at 6 o'clock. At their head was Thomas Williams, president; Charles Robertson, secretary; James W. Ballantyne, and T. H. McCart. In the evening a public reception was held in the skating rink. Mayor Temple read an address of welcome. Hugh Clark, M. P., and John Tolmie, M. P., seconded the mayor's welcome. The first old boy to respond was Norman Robertson, Walkerton. He was followed by the Right Rev. I. O. Stringer, Bishop of Selkirk, who made an able reply. Rev. L. E. Gear, Jackson, Mich., and Charles Robertson, of Detroit, followed in brief speeches. In the evening there was music and fireworks on the beach.

THE STRENGTH OF FERNS.

"Strength is not a thing usually attributed to maidenhair fern," remarked a local florist, "and yet if its roots have not sufficient room they will break the strongest flower pots. Blades of grass will force the curbs between which they spring out of place. Indeed, the strength in vegetable growth is wonderful. The most striking example is the Island of Aldabra, to the northwest of Madagascar. The island is becoming smaller and smaller through the action of the mangroves, growing at the foot of the cliffs. The roots break off immense pieces of stone which fall into the sea. Into the gaps thus formed the waves eat their way. In a few years it is likely that by the combined action of the waters and mangroves the island will disappear.—Philadelphia Record.

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LAST WEEK

Tomorrow we begin the last week of the greatest bargain event of the season, with former reductions scaled to a still lower plane of bargain-giving in many instances. Watch our daily advertisements until close of sale.



Initial Sale of Little Boys' Wash Suits. Tomorrow we begin the last week of the greatest bargain event of the season, with former reductions scaled to a still lower plane of bargain-giving in many instances. Watch our daily advertisements until close of sale.

Upstairs Take elevator. Another opportunity tomorrow. Take advantage of it. Cannot make a mistake, but quick action is necessary if you would profit by these remarkable offerings.

Our entire stock of little boys' Wash Suits, in blouse and Buster Brown styles. Complete assortment of sizes. We invite the mothers to be here tomorrow morning, when the following go on sale:

\$1 75, reduced to.....\$1 19
\$1 50, reduced to.....85c
\$1 00, reduced to.....85c
85c, reduced to.....65c
65c, reduced to.....55c
50c, reduced to.....39c

Also Boys' Tweed Norfolk Suits

In sizes 5 to 12 years; well-made and just the suit for vacation wear. Regular \$3 and \$3 50; this week.....\$2 25

Also Boys' Washable Shirtwaists

95c reduced to.....75c
75c reduced to.....59c
65c reduced to.....59c
50c reduced to.....39c

Boys' Summer Balbriggan Drawers

Gents' Furnishing Department left of main entrance.

Boys' Summer Balbriggan Drawers; all sizes; 5 to 14 years. Regular 35c, for.....25c
Boys' Blue Serge Yachting Caps, with patent peak; usual 25c for.....19c

All mail or telephone orders from our advertisements will be promptly and carefully filled.

CITY TURNS UNDERTAKER

Vienna Extends Enterprise to Funerals and Burials.

Vienna, July 22.—Municipalization, which Socialists say is merely socialism masquerading as something else, is carried further here than in any other city on the continent. Not content with buying out the principal undertaking companies, and monopolizing the funeral business, the city authorities have gone a step further. They have introduced a system of burial insurance by which folk will be able to shuffle off this mortal coil without putting their relatives to any expense. The premiums are so graded that the insured can arrange for simple or stylish obsequies, cheap or dear graves, a plain headstone or a monument, the inscription on which he may himself select. If he desires it, by paying an additional sum, he may enjoy the felicity of knowing that for all future time his grave will be kept green.

All this is to be carried through the medium of the Emperor Francis Joseph Jubilee Life Insurance Company, an institution which forms yet another department of the city's municipal activity. The insurance covering funerals and graves will be divided into ten classes, the monthly premiums in which will range from 40 heller (8 cents) to 9 kronen (\$1 87). The insured must be between the ages of 18 and 50, in good health, and not engaged in any dangerous occupation. In the event of death occurring within six months from the date of insurance the policy will be void, and the premium paid will be returned. Separate insurances must be effected for monuments, the premiums for which will range from 1 kronen (20 cents) to 16 kronen (\$3 33) a month. And finally, by payment of a capital sum the company will agree to keep graves in order and to decorate and illuminate them on the feast of All Souls in every year, so long as the cemetery is in existence.

This latest venture in the field of municipal enterprise is interesting for the various burial societies already formed in the city. And it also promises to be interesting for the monumental mason. As the city now owns

Wash Goods Clearing

At prices that show what an important money-saving event the midsummer sale really is.

Main floor—Center aisle.

Beautiful Printed Organdies, American Batistes, Embroidered Novelty Muslins in new colors and color combinations. Choice of twenty pieces of these most desirable Wash Goods on sale Wednesday morning, every yard of which is positively worth from 15c to 30c per yard; to clear at, per yard.....12c

See these goods in our east window.

Sale of Ladies' Hemstitched Linen Collars

Buy these at tomorrow's low prices.

Ladies' Fancy Hemstitched White Linen Collars, in sizes 13 1/2 to 14 1/2; styles up to the minute; reduced from 15c, 20c and 25c to, each 9c, or 3 for 25c

Embroideries and Spangled Chiffon

A bargain in very fine Cambric Embroideries, 8 to 10 inches wide; pretty open patterns for underwear; worth 20c a yard. A few insertions in the lot to clear at, per yard.....12c

Spangled Chiffon, double fold, for dresses; colors white and black, black and white, navy and scarlet. Regular price \$1 25 per yard; to clear.....89c

Leather Handbags

Do you require a handsome Leather Hand Bag? If so this is a golden opportunity to buy them less than 25 per cent on our regular prices.

Hand Bags, worth from \$2 00 to \$6 00, in fine black and colored leathers; no finer bags to be had; worth \$2 00 to \$6 00, at one-quarter off.

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VESSEL PASSAGES

extensive stone quarries, it is thought not unlikely that its next step will be to engage in the business of manufacturing and erecting funeral monuments.

DETROIT, JULY 22.—Up: Yuma, Morse, & Saturday night; Roman, 11; Hand, Cuddy, Commodore, 11; Stafford, McWilliams, Stackhouse, 1:15 Sunday morning; Osborn, Andrews, 1:40; Ogdensburg, 2; Cowie, 2:30; Van Hise, 2:40; Presque Isle, 3; M. T. Greene, 3:40; Rust, Pickard and Marston, Louisiana, 4; George Peavey, Frank Gilchrist, 8; Italia, Amazon, 9; Trevor, 10; James Wallace, Jenks, 11; Turret Crown, Staughnessy, 11:30; Gates, Morgan, 12:30 p.m.; W. L. Brown, 1:40; Hurlbut, Smith, 2:20; Heffelfinger, 2:40; Townsend, 3:30; Manchester, 4:40; Carey, 4:40; Wade, 5:40; Neosho, 6:15; Murphy, Northern King, 6:40; Zenith City, 7; Coultly, 9.

Down: Michigan, 9:30 Saturday night; Kendall, Troy, Moore, Miami and barge, 10:40; Amasa Stone, 11; Waldo, Orinoco, Wisniewski and barge, midnight; Warner Thompson, 12:20 Sunday morning; Phil Minch, Marlon, 1; McVittie, 2:15; Corbin, barge and barge, 4:40; Phoenix, 6; Vance, 7:15; Brisson, 8:15; Gurey, 8:40; Stearns, 11; Empire City, noon; Jenks, 12:15 p.m.; Oaledonia, 12:40; Vulcan, 1:40; Troy, Marla, 2:30; Glasgow, Abyssinia, 3; Badger State, C. H. Green, 4; Lansing, 5:30; D. O. Milla, 6:15; Uranus, 7:30; Topeka, Tempest, Bloom, 7:40.

Port Huron, Mich., July 22.—Charles Green, 11 Sunday morning; Milla, 12:30 p.m.; Topeka, Uranus, 1:40; Portage, 2:30; Kerida, 4:10; Neptune, 4:30; Rees, 5:30; Pathfinder, Sagamore, 6:40.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., July 22.—Up: Midland King, 9:30 Saturday night; Butler, 11:30; Weston, 1 Sunday morning; Grawick (small), 5:40; Pellatt, 9; Capt. Wilson, 7:30; Chocoma, 9; Frechette, Arabian,

FOUND WOMAN GAGGED ON FLOOR

Another Batch of Witnesses
Heard in the Burton
Assault Case.

The case in which Joseph Gray and Charles Burton are charged with having assaulted Mrs. Burton, was once again before Magistrate Love at the police court this morning. The evidence of a number of witnesses was heard. An adjournment was made for another week, when the decision of the court will be given. The two accused were allowed out on bail.

Dr. Seaborn was the first witness. He said on being called to attend to Mrs. Burton on the evening of July 8. He found her injuries had been inflicted a short time previous.

Harry Williamson gave his account of the affair next. He came to Mrs. Burton's house about 3 o'clock to help her wash some dishes. While he was there the prisoner, Grey, came in and sent him (Williamson), for a quarter of eight of Mrs. Kelly entered shortly afterwards. He brought in the ale, which Mrs. Grey, Mrs. Kelly and William, who appeared for the defendants, then produced a witness on a previous occasion, stating that Mrs. Burton had been quite drunk on the day of the alleged assault. Williamson admitted that the signature was his, but stated that he could not remember having signed such a paper.

Corroborates Williamson. Mrs. Kelly was then called, and told a story which corroborated that of Williamson. Mr. Meredith then cross-questioned Mrs. Kelly, who admitted to him that Mrs. Burton had been drunk on the afternoon of the alleged assault.

James Ingre told of passing Mrs. Burton's house on Dundas street on the evening of July 8, and seeing a crowd. He went inside with a friend, Osborne. They found Mrs. Burton lying on the floor with a gag in her mouth and a gag in her mouth. They revived her, and sat her on a chair outside of the house. She never spoke to witness or his companion, but said to an old man who was present, "My God! the man attacked me."

P. C. Highstead produced the string and gag which he had found at Mrs. Burton's house, and witness identified them as being the ones he had seen at Mrs. Burton's house.

Mr. Meredith then cross-questioned witness at some length. A small boy swore to seeing Mrs. Burton lying on the floor with a gag in her mouth. He called two men, who rushed to his assistance, and removed the gag.

Mr. Meredith cross-questioned witness, and brought out the fact that the boy had cut the string off the woman's neck, but that the string had not been tight enough to do any serious harm.

Another small boy was then called, and his evidence corroborated that of the previous witness in all important particulars.

PRISONER'S ODD WAY James Bradley, who was arrested last night on a charge of being drunk and disorderly, was remanded to jail to permit of further inquiries being made as to his sanity. Bradley answered the questions put to him by the court in a very peculiar manner, and it is feared that he is suffering from insanity.

"Were you drunk last night?" asked the court.

"No," came the answer.

"Where do you come from?"

"Wingham."

"What do you do there?"

"Most anything."

"Are you a married man?"

"I was once."

"What do you mean by that?"

"Well, I mean that I would tell you if I was not."

"On good principle."

"Do you know anyone in Wingham to whom you can refer us to?" asked Chief of Police Williams.

"I know lots of them."

"Give us the names of some of them. Do you know the chief constable there?"

"Yes, I am well acquainted with him."

"What is his name, then?"

"Well, it would not be for me to tell his name."

At this juncture the prisoner commenced to question the court regarding what they knew about the chief constable of Wingham, and the magistrate ordered him to be removed and a physician called to examine him to ascertain whether he was sane or not.

DEATHS. OOK—In this city, on July 22, 1907, Mrs. Rosanna Cook.

Funeral private, from D. A. Stewart's undertaking parlors, on Tuesday, July 23. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

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COULDN'T DRIVE THE TENANT AWAY

Ripped Off Doors and Windows,
But Still the Old Lady
Stuck.

Robert Lawson was arraigned in the police court today on a charge of assaulting William Jackson, to which he pleaded not guilty. The prosecutor had not been notified and was not present, therefore, the case was adjourned until tomorrow morning, and Mr. Lawson's bail renewed. It is alleged that Lawson struck Jackson with his fist and kicked him without inflicting any serious bodily harm.

A young lady and a young man were in court to answer to a charge of damaging the property of an old lady and a neighbor, but the case was dismissed with costs.

The complainant, who lives at 695 Adelaide street, claimed that the accused came to her place, during her absence, and carried off several doors and windows, and the key of the water hydrant.

It was, however, brought out in the cross-questioning by Mr. Ed. Meredith, who appeared for the defendants, that she had been asked to leave the house, because her rent had not been paid for two months. She had refused to leave. The defendants claimed that they took the doors and windows away in order to cause the tenant to vacate the house, but even then she refused to go.

The defendants claimed that they had been hired by a lawyer who had charge of the property to remove the windows and doors.

Mr. E. T. Essery, who appeared for the prosecution, claimed that the removing of the windows and doors of the house was illegal, even under the circumstances, and that instead of taking the means they did to cause the tenant to leave, they should have resorted to legal proceedings.

The court dismissed the case, coming to the decision that the complainant ought to leave the place as requested.

William McDonald was fined \$10 or 21 days for having assaulted Wellington Wilson.

Mike Shephstone was fined \$7 and costs for having assaulted Jacob Silverstone. Shephstone pleaded guilty to the assault.

William Frazer, who is alleged to have broken up the furniture in his own home and chased his wife and the child out of the house while intoxicated, was remanded for one week to jail.

HIGH PRESSURE MAKES GREAT RUN

Continued from page one.

Titus' ballots, being added to the first choices for Komoka, a total of 1,041 has secured, while the addition of the 38 river water second choices from the independent scheme, with the 8 from the Titus scheme, ran the river water vote up to 943, or about 100 behind the Komoka scheme.

It was plainly evident from the number of people who voted first for the high-pressure scheme and second for the Komoka scheme, that the high-pressure were out for spring water for domestic purposes. And so were the Titus people.

Two to One for Spring Water. If the total vote for spring water recorded be taken into consideration, it will be found that there were only 877 for river water, and 1,525 for spring water.

And this in a vote of less than one-half the names on the voters' list of people who were entitled to vote on the question.

The independent high-pressure scheme, though it was the last to come before the people, made a magnificent run.

It is only a few weeks ago that Col. Little laid the scheme tentatively before the people, and it was only a short time since that Engineer Chipman's report on the matter was given to the public.

A Good Showing. Yet the scheme, despite the fact that it was dividing spring water holders with two other schemes, piled up a vote of between six and seven hundred.

Had the high-pressure proposal been as long before the people as the others it would assuredly have headed the poll. It was discriminated against in the ballot by the commissioners, and was attacked by the river filtration promoters, as a rich man's scheme, though it placed the cost of higher pressure upon those who would profit most by it.

McCLARY-BRANTFORD Local Nine Clash Tomorrow With 'Phone City Team.

McClarys and Brantford clash at Tecumseh Park tomorrow afternoon. A feature of the contest will be the appearance on the local nine of Morrison, the noted University of Michigan athlete. He will play second base, Jackson being unable to play. From here it looks as if a close contest is assured.

The line-up will be as follows: Brantford—Catcher, Mines; pitcher, Watts; first base, Griffin; second base, Hosie; third base, Arthur; shortstop, Davidson; left field, Taylor; center field, McIntosh; right field, Maddox.

London—Catcher, Pook; pitcher, Kerr; first base, McHugh; second base, Morrison; third base, Costello; shortstop, Ball; left field, Eccleston; center field, Males; right field, Phillips.

Grocery Stores Close at 1 o'clock. All grocery stores close at 1 o'clock p.m. Wednesday as usual. Get in your orders early, as the grocers and their clerks play baseball at Springbank in the afternoon.

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

—The Advertiser's splendid new story, "My Lady Cinderella," by Mrs. C. N. Williamson, will begin in tomorrow's paper.

—Mr. C. H. Gould has taken out a building permit for a story and a half brick residence on Dufferin avenue, east of English street.

—Messrs. Duncan and Hooper have been summoned to appear before Squire Chittick at the county court tomorrow on a charge of maintaining a nuisance at Cronyn Heights. It is alleged that they kept pigs at the above-mentioned place and that the way in which they fed them was a menace to the health of the community.

Demonstration of Color. The master painters will give a demonstration of color at the city hall tonight at 8 o'clock. All citizens are invited to be present.

Are Going to Port. The ladies' auxiliary, No. 131, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, have made all arrangements to hold their annual picnic at Port Stanley tomorrow. The members of the order expect a good crowd of their friends.

Pointer for Mr. Powell. Inspector Sanders of the Children's Aid Society, is anxious to learn the whereabouts of a man named R. B. Powell, lately out from King's Lynn, England. If Mr. Powell will place himself in communication with Mr. Sanders he will learn something which will be very much to his benefit.

The Springsbank Show. The vaudeville at Springsbank last night attracted quite a large audience to the theater at the summer park. The bill includes some excellent features, including the juggling act of the Ozarks and the German comedy sketch of Mills & Becker. Mr. Wm. Dyer also sings a couple of illustrated songs in a very pleasing manner.

Campbell—O'Dell. A quiet wedding took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock in St. Andrew's Church, when Miss Clara O'Dell became the wife of Mr. J. Henry Campbell, of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Johnston, of Montreal, in the presence of the immediate friends of the young people. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Campbell left for a trip to western points.

The Late Mrs. R. D. Kilgour. The death took place this morning of Mrs. R. D. Kilgour, at her late residence, 238 Piccadilly. She was the dearly-beloved daughter of the late T. S. and Florence Edwards. One daughter, Edna, and only brother, Mr. A. F. Edwards, of 183 Oxford street, besides the husband, mourn her loss. The funeral takes place tomorrow from her late residence to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

Scottish Picnic Thursday. Every arrangement for the big Scottish picnic and Caledonian games on Thursday at Port Stanley is now completed. The baseball match between the leaders of the City League and the Shamrocks of Ingersoll will prove a great attraction. The pipers will be on hand in full force, and the harpers will play both afternoon and evening in the park. The baby show, which no doubt be keenly contested. Don't miss the big picnic on Thursday.

THE GOSPEL TO CHINA New Party of Seven Missionaries Leave for Field in Fall.

Toronto, July 22.—In September five missionaries will leave for China in connection with the China Inland Mission. They are Mr. and Mrs. George Miller, of Toronto, who go straight to Shanghai as their field of labor. Mr. Miller was one of the pioneer Canadian missionaries who went to China in 1884 for the inland mission.

The young ladies who purpose going are Miss Agnes Barron, originally from Scotland, but now of Toronto, who is now convalescent after a severe illness, but expects to be quite strong in a few weeks' time; Miss F. L. Morrice, Toronto; Miss G. Morgan, of the United States; Miss E. I. Pilsen, of Chicago; and Miss L. E. Taylor, of Toronto. This party, with Mr. and Mrs. Miller, will sail from Vancouver on Sept. 19. The young ladies will not begin missionary work for some time, as they go directly to a training college to learn the language of the country.

Letters received at the China Inland Mission state that everything is peaceful. The local riots are not known beyond the little place where they happen, as few people in that country read the papers.

SURVIVORS OF COLUMBIA One Boatload from Wrecked Steamer Arrives at Shelter Cove.

Eureka, Cal., July 23.—Only one boat from the wrecked steamer Columbia landed at Shelter Cove, and not three, according to the first reports, which were received here. In the boat were the bodies of Mrs. Lewis, of Pasadena, who was drowned, and an unknown man, presumed to be a sailor. The bodies reached this city last night on a special train. The survivors in the boat were: B. B. Kriever, Prescott, Ia.; Jacob Kuro, Coldwater, Kas.; Armand Cadorette, New Bedford, Mass.; David Boston, fireman on Columbia; Charles McCoy, oiler on Columbia; Paul Hinner, quartermaster on Columbia; Mr. Lewis, Pasadena; Edw. Wallin, San Francisco; Mrs. Winkler, Dunn, Poplar Bluff, Mo.; Mrs. W. H. Angles, Oakland, Cal.; Miss Blanche W. Musser, Salt Lake City; Miss Ruby Cooper, Payette, Mo.; Michael Rodman, San Francisco; B. W. Graham, Portland, Oregon.

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PERSONAL ITEMS.

Miss N. Condon is holidaying in Hyde Park and Komoka.

Miss Jean Semple, of Grey street, has left to reside in Toronto.

Misses Irene and Margaret Walker, Hill street, are visiting with friends in Detroit.

Miss Edna Williams and Miss Evelyn Billing, of Delaware, are visiting friends in the city.

Mr. J. H. Wells, of 89 Bathurst street, is visiting friends in the neighborhood of Burford.

Miss V. Read, of Queen's avenue, has returned from visiting relatives in Hamilton and Brantford.

Mrs. Sheppard and Miss Mabel Jones, are the guests of Mrs. R. Griffith, at 553 Princess avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Potts and daughter Myrtle, have returned home after a brief visit to relatives in Guelph.

Miss Willis, of Windsor street, Detroit, is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. Kennedy, Wharncliffe road, West London.

Mr. J. F. Moralle, of the Dominion Express Company, has returned from his holidays, which he spent in western points.

Mrs. W. R. McKay, Miss Ella McKay and Master Clair McKay, 131 William street, are summering at Port Lambton.

Manager Geo. J. Oulette, of the Stoddard Stock Company, which will open an engagement at Springsbank next week, is in the city.

Misses Reta and Iva Clarke, Warwick West, Ont., are spending their holidays with their cousin, Mrs. John Bennett, 736 Talbot street.

Senator Geo. W. Ross, ex-premier of Ontario, has been, with his wife, spending a vacation at Muldavia, Indiana, a well-known health resort.

Mr. Wm. Hotham, of Adelaide street, has returned from a two weeks' trip to Chicago, St. Paul and Milwaukee, where he has been visiting relatives.

Miss Emma Ashton, of Toronto, formerly of this city, is spending her vacation with Miss Pauline Cowan and Miss Florence Wilson, of the Pipe Line Road.

Mr. Samuel Probyn, of the local police force, and Mr. St. Clair, accompanied by their wives and families, have returned home after spending two weeks' camping at Springsbank.

Mrs. Manuel Vega, wife of Manager Vega, of the Vega-Gaste Cigar Company, city, accompanied by Miss Helen Vega, Miss Isabel Vega and Master Robin Vega, have arrived here from Chicago, and will take up their residence in London.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stanley Dunlop, of Brandon, Man., who were married on July 3, are on a short visit to New York, a summer resident, routed by Kenneth avenue. The young couple will take a trip down the Gulf of St. Lawrence, and will visit other eastern points, before returning to Brandon, where Mr. Dunlop is principal of one of the public schools.

Miss Agnes Barron, of this city, is visiting the Misses Allen at Woodrow Beach.

Miss Kathleen Durkin, Dufferin avenue, is the guest of Miss Margaret McCall, Roseville, Strathroy.

Miss Ethelwyn Johnson, 371 Princess avenue, is visiting Miss Louie McClary at Grapevine Cottage, Port Stanley.

Mrs. Hyman, wife of the Hon. C. S. Hyman, is a guest at the cottage of her daughter, Mrs. Kerrigan, at Woodrow Beach.

Mr. Harry and Miss Irene Wickens, of Detroit, are spending their vacation with their uncle, Mr. James Quick, William street.

Mrs. George Webber, of Regina, Sask., sister of the late F. T. Howe, who has been visiting at the family residence, 552 Horton street, has accompanied by her niece, Miss Josephine Howe, who will spend the winter in Regina.

Rev. W. C. Beer and Mrs. Beer leave on Tuesday for a prolonged visit to the members of their family, who are all located in the West: Dr. F. L. Beer, in Carlyle, Sask.; Dr. E. C. Beer, and W. B. Beer, in Brandon, Man.; Mrs. P. Allen and J. Herman Beer, B.A., in Spokane, Wash. Mr. and Mrs. Beer may not return to the city till next spring.

PRIEST SLAYER'S REVENGE Armenian Who Gave Police Information Is Murdered.

New York, July 22.—H. S. Tavshanjian, a millionaire importer of Oriental rugs, was assassinated this afternoon in Seventeenth street, near Broadway, by a shabbily-dressed Armenian, who says that he came from Chicago especially to commit the murder.

After considerable persuasion, he gave the name of Bragan Hanpanzonian and made this statement:

"I did my duty to save my country. You can torture me if you like, but I will never tell who sent me to do it. I came here from Chicago yesterday, slept somewhere last night at someone's house, and then I waited for the man and did my duty."

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Thousand Isle Park, N. Y., July 17.—Totally blind and with his 14-year-old son armed with a tiny yacht cannon, as his only aid, Robert M. Jones, of New York, a summer resident, routed a band of burglars. Mr. Jones discovered them trying to enter the house early Monday morning and called his son, Walter, he told the boy to get the little cannon which was used for saluting passing vessels. Blank shells were used, but the burglars fled pell mell at the sound of the first shot.

ITALY HANDLES PORTUGUESE King Victor Emmanuel Responsible for Policy of His Fellow-Ruler.

Rome, July 22.—It appears that King Victor Emmanuel is responsible for the internal policy of Portugal during the present troubles. King Carlos, who is related by marriage to the Italian King, soon after the recent disorders asked his royal relative's advice as to how he was to manage the situation. King Victor Emmanuel wrote to him to be firm and rule the kingdom with an iron fist, at the same time observing all the provisions of the constitution.

This King Carlos did. It is said by prelates in a position to know that the Pope has recently sent a personal letter to the Portuguese monarch, advising him to resist the pretensions of the Republican party, because, the letter said, "the advent of a republic in Portugal would mean the persecution of the church."

News just received from Lisbon tells of a demonstration against the crown prince when he was embarking a few days ago at Lisbon on the royal yacht. The crew of a vessel anchored nearby were responsible, but all the efforts of the police were unsuccessful in running down the offenders.

Queen Amelia and Donager Queen Maria Pia will probably spend several months in Italy this summer as the guests of the Italian royal family.

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Corn—Open 52 1/2, High 53 1/2, Low 52 1/2, Close 52 1/2
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Soybeans—Open 42 1/2, High 43 1/2, Low 42 1/2, Close 42 1/2
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—Mr. and Mrs. Reid wish to thank their many friends for kindness shown them in the bereavement they suffered by the death of their son.

Inquest Tonight.

The adjourned inquest into the death of the late Agnes Ann Russell will be held at the police station tonight.

The Late Miss Turner.

The late Miss Elizabeth A. Turner, whose death was recorded yesterday's Advertiser, was a sister of Mrs. John Traher, 565 Colborne street, city.

Mrs. Newton R. Weekes, of Geneva, N. Y., Mrs. Edward Sculley, and Miss Lavinia Turner, of Oswego, N. Y., are also sisters.

The funeral takes place tomorrow at 8:30 a.m., from her late residence, 565 Colborne street, to St. Peter's Cathedral, where a solemn requiem high mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock.

Exfrid School Examinations.

Following is the report of entrance examinations for school section No. 4, Exfrid.

Honors—Florence McGugan.

Pass—Norman Murray, Clarence Eaton, Willie B. McAlpine, Earle McCallum.

Class III. to IV.—Frances Wrinn.

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Mrs. (Dr.) Balfour, of London, and family are at Maple Grove.

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Mr. G. H. Powell and Miss Snell, of Exeter, spent Sunday here.

Dr. Watson and Miss Hughes, of London, are the guests of Miss McCrimmon at "Reve d'ete."

Mrs. Wilson and family, of Oil Springs, are camped in "O-so-erie."

Mrs. James Rogers and Miss Beatrice Reid, of London, are registered at the "Imperial."

Mr. J. S. Luney, of London, spent Sunday with his family here at Huron View.

Mr. A. Somerville and daughters are visiting Mr. C. R. Somerville at Maple Grove.

Mr. Ross, of London, is holidaying here.

The Misses Edith Harding and Laura Vanstone, of Stratford, are at the "Imperial."

The service Sunday was taken by Mrs. Sutcliffe both morning and evening.

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