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Born, Married, Died.

DIED.

M'STAY—On July 11, at the residence of her brother-in-law, James Taylor, 181 Clarence street, Sarah, relict of the late James McStay, in her 85th year.

Funeral from the above residence, on Tuesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock; service at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances will kindly accept this intimation. Please omit flowers.

M'TAVISH—At Ilderton, on July 11, Mrs. Elizabeth, relict of the late Duncan McTavish, of, Marlette, Mich., aged, 63 years.

Funeral will leave the residence of Alex. McLean, con. 10, London township, Tuesday, July 13, at 10 a.m., for Ivan cemetery. Friends and acquaintances will kindly accept this intimation.

LASHBROOK—In this city, on July 10, 1897 at 623 Queen's avenue, Albert Frederick (Bertie), third son of Fred and Ella Lashbrook, aged three years and two months.

Funeral private, Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading, two cents per word, or ten cents per line each insertion.

BASEBALL—TECUMSEH PARK, WEDNESDAY, July 14—Hamilton vs. London; game called at 4 o'clock. Admission 25c; boys 10c; ladies free.

A GARDEN PARTY IN AID OF ST. James' Church will be held next Thursday afternoon and evening at "Idlewild," the residence of Mr. C. S. Hyman, Grand avenue, when the beautiful grounds will be lighted up and the Italian Band in attendance. b

SULPHUR SPRING PLUNGE OPEN FOR the season; water continuously changing. Also hot baths; attendants for both ladies and gentlemen. Dundas street west. 45tf

573 CENTRAL AVENUE—SWIMMING bath open for the season. Ladies or gents taught the art at moderate prices. 43tf

BICYCLE RIDING TAUGHT 176 RICHMOND street. "Dayton" bicycles, $30; "Tempests" $20. Fully guaranteed. See them. DAYTON & MCCORMICK.

Excursions.

$2 CLEVELAND AND RETURN — From Port Stanley, Monday, July 12, via the fast steamer A. J. Tymon. Tickets good to return for 10 days. For particulars apply F. B. CLARKE, 416 Richmond street, next door to Advertiser office. D. K. McKENZIE, St. Thomas.

SCOTTISH DEMONSTRATION AND Highland games at Port Stanley, Tuesday, July 20. Many novelties. Full particulars later. London, St. Thomas, Elgin and Middlesex will participate. Ample train service. 68u

STEAMER LEAVES LONDON DAILY—1:45, 3:30, 6:0, 7:45. Springbank—5:15, 7:00, 9:30. Harpers every trip. Bicycles free. 55tf

30 WORDS IS THE LIMIT OF THIS space. It is not sufficient to tell you about the advantages you obtain by purchasing tickets via the Allan and Beaver lines to the Old Country at FRANK B. CLARKE'S, Richmond street, next door to Advertiser Office.

90 DEGREES IN THE SHADE—KEEP cool by taking the Merchants' Line steamer at Port Stanley for Montreal via Windsor, Toledo, Cleveland, Toronto and other ports; steamer leaves Hamilton every Saturday, 9:30 a.m., for Montreal; call for folder giving map of route. F. B. CLARKE, agent, Richmond street, next Advertiser, E. N. Hunt, and C. C. Young.

Meetings.

IRISH BENEVOLENT SOCIETY—GENERAL meeting this (Monday) evening, Dufferin Block, 5 o'clock sharp, to make final arrangements for picnic. Full attendance requested. P. Mulkern, president; A. D. Huff, secretary. b

I. O. O. F.—SPECIAL MEETING OF Dominion Lodge No. 48, on Monday evening (6th inst). Installation of officers. John Brown, N. G.; Thos. D. Hastings, R. S. 68u

Male Help Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

YOUNG MAN TO ASSIST IN OFFICE—Must be competent and industrious. Apply in own handwriting. Box 27, this office. 69u

WANTED — A TRAVELER FOR THE clothing trade. Apply at once personally to BURNS & LEWIS, Richmond street. 49c

Female Help Wanted.

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WANTED—LADIES TO DO FANCY work at home. 432 Waterloo, north Dundas. 69n

Domestics Wanted.

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FIRST-CLASS GENERAL HOUSEMAID wanted. One in her teens need not apply. 87 Askin street. 69tf

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—GENERAL servant; able to cook well; references required. Apply to Mrs. BEDDOME, 132 Albert street. 68c

FIRST-CLASS DINING-ROOM GIRL — Apply European Hotel (Hub Restaurant). 68tf

COOK AND KITCHEN GIRL WANTED—Mrs. J. B. JENNINGS, Western Hotel. 68c

GIRLS, HURRY UP TO DWYERS' EMPLOYMENT Agency, good situations to fill at Sarnia, Chatham, Petrolea, Lucknow, Forest, Glencoe and Aylmer. Reliable help for city on hand. 391 Richmond street, phone 1,121.

WANTED — DINING-ROOM GIRL — Fraser House, King street. 67c

MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN FOR GENERAL housework; two in family. Mrs. WEST, 314 Burwell street. 67c

WANTED—COOKS FOR HOTELS AND private houses in and out of city; also housekeepers and generals. On hand dining-room girls and generals for summer resorts. None but respectable need apply at The Osborne, 56 Dundas street. Telephone 386.

Real Estate.

FOR SALE—TWO HOUSES AND LOTS on York street, near the car shops. Inquire 634 York street. 2tf zwt

REAL ESTATE—A FEW GOOD LOTS near car shops, and three good cottages; a few fine lots in North End; nice cottage on Ontario street, near Dundas, only $1,200. J. F. SANGSTER, 403 Richmond street.

Bicycle Liveries.

BICYCLES TO RENT — ALL NEW wheels. H. BEAMISH, Spencer Block. Also bicycle repairing. Riding lessons given.

CLEVELAND BICYCLES RENTED BY the hour, day or week. All new wheels. A. A. H. Crabb & Co., 359 Dundas street.

Articles For Sale.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

MORAN CART FOR SALE — LIGHT wood. R. DART, 313 Dundas street. 68c

FOR SALE—ONE 30 HORSEPOWER automatic "Brown" engine, built by Goldie, McCulloch & Co., Galt. Cylinder 16 inches, stroke 24 inches; can be run at 60 revolutions, or as high as 90 revolutions; also one tubular exhaust feed water heater. The engine can be seen at H. PORTER & Co.'s storage warehouse, Carling street, London, Ont. 6tf-3tf

REFRIGERATOR AND STOVES FOR sale cheap at Keene's furniture store, Masonic Temple, Market Square.

KEEP YOUR HAIR ON—BOTH OLD and young, for nothing looks worse than a bald head. When it comes first no man need be bald if he will use Cook's Sure Hair Restorer. Call and see what he has done for himself, Pork Shop, corner Hill and Wellington streets. Call and be convinced that he can do what he claims. zxv

BATHS, SINKS, PUMPS, WATER-CLOSETS, steam and hot water boilers. SMITH BRO., 265 Dundas street. z

BICYCLE CORK GRIPS, 25c PER PAIR —Cyclometers at 75c each. D. MCKENZIE & Co., 374 Richmond street. Phone 1,115.

PIANOS, PIANOS—NEW AND SECOND HAND, also a beautiful assortment of music and musical merchandise, and two good organs cheap. Anderson's Book Store, Nordheimer's Piano Agency, 183 Dundas street.

Houses, Etc., To Let.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

TO LET—A TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE —All modern conveniences; possession Aug. 15. Apply J. P. THOMPSON, 140 Dundas. 67tf

"ERIE REST"—West side Port Stanley—for rent for season; large, airy; newly furnished; good beach for bathing. Apply Mrs. BRYANSTON, on premises, or to A. A. CAMPBELL, Molsons Bank Buildings, London. 65u

TO LET—NO. 411 KING STREET—TWO STORY brick; large and comfortable rooms; nice situation. Rent cheap. Apply 409 King street. 35tf

STORE TO RENT—201 DUNDAS STREET, $20 per month. 29tf

Agents Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED—I CAN PAY TEN DOLLARS weekly to a lady or mature age, reliement and take to spend her time in a good cause. T. H. LINSCOTT, Toronto. 68bc

WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN WHO can work hard talking and writing six hours daily, for six days a week, and will be content with $10 weekly. Address, New Ideas Company, Brantford, Ont. 68bc

AGENTS—SECOND EDITION "QUEEN Victoria" exhausted; jubilee edition on press; best history of the Queen and Victorian era published; the only Canadian work accepted by her Majesty; sales unprecedented; knock the bottom out of all records; canvassers scooping in money; even boys and girls sell it fast; big commission or straight weekly salary after trial trip. The Bradley-Garretson Company (Limited), Toronto. 68bc

STUDENTS, TEACHERS AND AGENTS wishing a worthy and profitable occupation for the summer can get same by writing us. We have an entirely new thing. Don't promise $10 per day, but more than that per week. Address, J. L. NICHOLS & Co., Wesley building, Toronto. 68tf-d&w

Lost and Found.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent a word each insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

TWO DOLLAR BILL LOST THIS morning corner Albert and Richmond streets. Finder will be rewarded by returning it to 558 Richmond street. b

LOST—ON DUNDAS, BETWEEN TALBOT and Clarence—Purse containing money. Reward at this office. b

LOST—FRIDAY MORNING—BETWEEN corner Waterloo and Horton and Simcoe streets, lady's leather purse. Reward at this office. 69u

LOST—TWO LATIN BOOKS IN NORTHERN end of city. Finder please leave at Advertiser office. 68u

Business Chances.

WOULD LIKE TO HEAR FROM SOMEONE with capital to invest. Address "Capital" this office. 68c

SMALL GROCERY STOCK FOR SALE—good stand. Apply to FERGUSON & Co., 399 Richmond street. 68c

MILK ROUTE FOR SALE—APPLY AT once to 461 York street, city. 68n

SMALL FARM, AND MILK ROUTE FOR sale; two miles from city. Apply 461 York street. 59bu

GROCERY STOCK FOR SALE—SMALL, well-selected stock; central location; established four years; fixtures light. Good reasons for selling. Address P. O. Box 506, St. Thomas, Ont. 64h

SMALL FARM AND MILK ROUTE FOR sale; two miles from city. Apply at once this office. 59bu

Musical Instruction.

MRS. NOBLE, TEACHER OF PIANO, organ and harmony; terms moderate. Residence 526 King street. zxv

W. H. HEWLETT, ORGANIST DUNDAS Center Church, teacher piano organ and theory, 553 Dundas street.

MR. FREDERICK G. SIMPSON, ORGANIST Askin Street Methodist Church. Instruction in piano and harmony. Accompanist. 199 Richmond street.

Marriage Licenses.

LICENSES ISSUED BY THOS. GILLEAN jeweler 402 Richmond street.

MARRIAGE LICENSES AT SHUFF'S drug store, 549 Dundas street east, corner William. Trolley cars pass the door. No witnesses required.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY W. H. BARTRAM, 99 Dundas street.

WM. H. WESTON, GROCER, ISSUES licenses at his office, 64 Stanley street. No bonds required.

Summer Resorts.

HOTEL LONEY—LEADING HOUSE IN Port Stanley. Airy rooms, good table, large promenade, accommodation for 150 bicycles in special shed. Rates moderate. MATT. LONEY, proprietor.

RUSSELL HOUSE—PORT STANLEY—Remodelled and improved, electric bells, rooms large and airy, special rate to summer boarders, bicycle headquarters, meals at all hours. GEO. GRAY, proprietor.

"The Fraser."

Wm. Fraser, Prop., Port Stanley.

Saturday Night Hops.

Steamer will make short trips out on lake. All trains run around to the beach. Hot and cold water, swings, etc., free for picnickers.

Gave Away a Warship

Cape Colony's Present to the British Goverment.

Chamberlain's Latest Scheme—An Advisory Council.

The Powers Insist on the Submission of the Porte to the Terms of Peace.

Indications That the Sultan Will Still Continue the Game of Bluff.

THE PREMIERS VISIT GLADSTONE.

London, July 12.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Messrs. Reid and Seddon, respectively the premiers of New South Wales and New Zealand, lunched with Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone Saturday.

THE EGYPTIAN CAMPAIGN.

London, July 12.—It is announced that the Anglo-Egyptian expedition is to be increased by 1,000 men. The column will capture Omdurman, and reopen Darfur, Kardofan and other places. A portion of the forces will advance along the Nile to Khartoum.

FRIENDLY NEGOTIATION.

Paris, July 12.—After seven weeks of difficult but friendly negotiation, France and Germany have concluded a convention of delimitation of the hinterland between Togo and Dahomey. By the terms of the convention, France obtains exclusive possession of Gurma, while Germany annexes Sandanne Mangu to Togoland.

ACCIDENT TO EMPEROR WILLIAM

Berlin, July 12.—Emperor William, while walking upon the deck of his yacht at Odde, Norway, as one of the masts was being lowered, was struck a violent blow on the left eye by a rope, causing an extravasation of blood on the eyeball. A bandage was immediately placed over the injured eye and the pain ceased almost at once.

THE SCARE ABOUT INDIA.

A London cable to the Tribune says: There has been something like a scare about India, but without apparent reason. Journalists have been writing as though another mutiny were imminent because two British officers were murdered in Poonah and the police were compelled to fire upon the rioters in a suburb of Calcutta. Despatches have been concerned in these affairs, and there is no ground for apprehending an outbreak of a military revolution. Since 1857 India has been a military monarchy too strong to be overthrown.

Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED—SEPT. 1—A HOUSE—RENT must be moderate. Address J. W., the Grove, London township. 68u

WANTED — GENTS SECOND-HAND clothing; highest cash price paid. A. P. SAINSBURY, 99 King street. Mail orders attended to.

IF YOUR BICYCLE NEEDS CLEANING or repairing take it to HUTCHINSON'S, 651 Dundas street.

Jewelers.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO REPAIRING—J. T. WESTLAND, Engraver and Manufacturing Jeweler, 340 Richmond street (up stairs), London, Ont.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP—Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between us, the undersigned, as grocers in the City of London, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the undersigned partnership are to be paid to John W. Russell, and all claims against the undersigned partnership are to be presented to John W. Russell, by whom the same will be settled. Dated at London the 8th day of July, 1897. GEO. B. CLEGHORN, JOHN W. RUSSELL; witness M. M. Leech. b

L. E. & D. R. R.

GRAND MOONLIGHT EXCURSION

AT PORT STANLEY.

Tuesday Evening, July 13

Via the Elegant Steamer Flora. Good Music in Attendance.

Train leaves London 7.25 p.m., returning leaves Port Stanley 10:20 p.m. Two hours ride on the lake. Fare only 50c from London for Round Trip. Everything will be done to make this one of the most pleasant trips of the season. Come and bring your friends. b

Cheap Excursions.

Now is the time to take a cheap trip

TO Chattanooga, Tenn., Nashville, Tenn., Buffalo, N. Y., G. A. R. Encampment,

—VIA—

MICHIGAN CENTRAL

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JOHN PAUL, City Agent.
O. W. RUGGLES, General Pass. Agent. JOHN G. LAVEN, Can. Pass. Agent.

MONEY

Applications invited for loans on productive property. Special rates quoted for large amounts.

CREDIT FONCIER F. C., 98 Wellington street east, Toronto; W. E Long, manager. zxv

It is evident that the people of India are more discouraged than irritable or resentful. The native races are temporarily disheartened by plague and famine, but their unrest is not considered dangerous by British veterans in London who have spent their lives in India.

RIOTS IN HUNGARY.

London, July 12.—Riotous demonstrations, led by several members of the Chamber of Deputies, have occurred at Eger, Hungary. The trouble was caused by the refusal of the municipal authorities to allow a public meeting to be held in the town hall. The gendarmes were jeered at and insulted by the crowds which gathered, and the mob assumed such a threatening manner that it was found necessary to summon the troops to disperse them. Many arrests were made.

THE BRITISH WHEAT CROP.

London, July 12.—According to the Mark Lane Express it is generally estimated that the English wheat crop will show an average crop of 28 bushels to the acre, which is about two bushels below the normal.

The same authority, commenting on the report that the Russian crops have been so seriously damaged during the last fortnight that the government is preparing to take exceptional steps for the relief of agricultural distress, says: "This is a strange rumor to reach us in July, and we advise the public to be chary about it."

CAPE COLONY'S GIFT.

London, July 12.—The St. George's Club, the leading colonial club of London, gave a banquet Saturday night in honor of the visiting colonial prime ministers, all of whom, were present, with the exception of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, of Canada, Mr. R. J. Seddon, of New Zealand, and Hon. Geo. H. Reid, of New South Wales, who went to Hawarden, on a visit to Mr. Gladstone.

Mr. Geo. J. Goschen, who was one of the guests, announced that Cape Colony, through its prime minister, Sir Gordon Sprigg, had presented a first-class battleship to Great Britain. The gift was unconditional. The vessel would be built at the expense of the colony, as an addition to the British navy, and not for the defense of the colony. The announcement was received with enthusiastic cheers. Mr. Goschen warmly thanked Cape Colony on behalf of the empire for the gift.

CHAMBERLAIN'S LATEST.

London, July 12.—The Daily Chronicle says that Mr. Chamberlain, finding that his plan for colonial representation in the House of Commons is out of the question, wants Canada, Australia and South Africa each to have a representative in the House of Lords, and for this reason wished Sir Donald Smith, the Canadian high commissioner, raised to the peerage. Mr. Chamberlain hopes that when the premiers have returned home and consulted their governments they will arrange for the nomination of these representatives. Mr. Chamberlain also hoped eventually to constitute the colonial agents-general into a sort of advisory council, meeting regularly at the colonial office, and giving the colonial secretary the benefit of their counsel. In addition to the fact, however, that the conferences did not run as smoothly as Mr. Chamberlain would have liked, a majority of the premiers expressing surprise at the dilatory, easy-going methods of the imperial authorities, and the comparative indifference of the colonials towards the new problems created by the United States, whose recent action regarding Hawaii and Samoa, as expanding their power, introduced a new element into Australian politics.

THE POWERS AND THE PORTE.

St. Petersburg, July 12.—The Novoe Vremya has published another outspoken warning to Turkey, during the course of which it says: "Unless the collective note of the powers induces submission, the powers will be forced to resort to more impressive measures than a simple naval demonstration. A final check of the negotiations at Constantinople would prove the necessity of having done with Turkey as a European state for evermore."

London, July 12.—The Daily Chronicle's Athens correspondent says: "I have just seen an important communication from the foreign minister of one of the great powers, declaring that no power is inclined to undertake coercive measures to bring about a settlement between Turkey and Greece."

Constantinople, July 12.—Queen Victoria, Emperor William, Emperor Nicholas, President Faure and King Humbert have replied to the telegram received by them from the sultan, and all give notice similar to that sent by Emperor Francis Joseph. Emperor William says in substance that he regrets his inability to disassociate himself from the views held by the other powers. Replies to the circular of the Turkish Government to the powers relative to the frontier question have also been received by the ambassadors. They all decline to admit the Turkish pretension.

The Porte has sent another circular to the powers proposing that, in view of the disturbed condition existing in Crete, Turkey send reinforcements to the island. To this the powers have also replied, endeavoring to dissuade the Porte from such a step. This proposal on the part of the Turkish Government is held to indicate that the sultan does not intend to yield in regard to the frontier question.

CABLE NOTES.

The Boyer Company's world famous chemical works at Elberfeld, one of the largest German exporters to the United States, have been partially consumed by fire. All of the goods were burned, and the damage done is estimated at 1,250,000m.

Twenty-four warships and 34 torpedo boats will be engaged in the autumn German naval maneuvers.

Sir Patrick Alfred Jennings, K.C.M.G., LL.D., member of the Legislative Council of New South Wales, is dead. He was 66 years old.

The condition of Madame Lillian Nordica, the prima donna, who has been ill at the Hotel Savoy for several days, shows a slight improvement.

A Rome dispatch says: Captain Cei, of the Bersagilieri, has invented a rifle from which 80 shots a minute may be fired without removing the weapon from the shoulder. Tests of the new arm are being made by the government.

A dispatch from Montevideo says that severe fighting between the revolutionists and government troops has occurred at Acegua, in the province of Cerro Largo. According to the government reports the rebels were obliged to retreat.

A Hundred Victims!

Terrible Disaster on a Railway in Denmark.

Forty Persons Killed and Sixty Injured—Eight Carriages Wrecked.

Copenhagen, July 12.—A terrible railway disaster took place about midnight at Gjentofte. The express from Belsingoer ran into a passenger train standing at the station, wrecked eight carriages, killed nearly forty persons, and injured sixty others.

Most of the victims are of the artisan class. The dead and injured have been conveyed to this city.

THE RAND COMMITTEE

Dressing Up Their Report for the Commons—Colonial Office to Be Exonerated.

The London correspondent of the New York Tribune says: The South African committee is revising Chairman Jackson's report. With Mr. Labouchere privileged to dissent from it and Mr. Blake in retirement, it is confidently assured that the main report will reaffirm the conclusions of the Cape Parliament, censure Mr. Rhodes, exonerate the colonial office, and casually mention Hawksley's refusal to hand over the telegrams.

There is more interest in the probable action of the Commons than in the report itself. The opposition will raise a debate upon it, but probably without Sir William Harcourt's leadership, and it is hardly credible that the government can be forced to take any action when a committee recommends none. The best point to be made is against Hawksley, but he is an agent, not a principal, and it is not proved that Mr. Rhodes will be brought back from the Cape to produce the telegrams.

A strong effort may be made by the Radicals to have Mr. Rhodes expelled from the Privy Council, and in order to meet this attack the committee's censure of him in the report will probably be the most vigorous in phrasing. What is lacking is public opinion with an irresistible moral force. Englishmen are weary of the subject, and only anxious to have it buried out of sight.

In the Open Air.

Immense Meeting of the Delegates at San Francisco.

Today Closes the Christian Endeavor Convention.

San Francisco, Cal., July 12. — A great open-air meeting of Christian Endeavorers was held in Van Ness avenue Saturday. It is 25 feet wide and smoothly paved. For four blocks it was crowded with people.

At the first meeting, President Clark, of Boston, presided. The speakers were Rev. Matt. S. Hughes, of Minnesota; Bishop B.M.Arnett, of Wilberforce, Ohio, and Rev. Silas Mead, of Adelaide, South Australia.

Rolla V. Watt presided at the second stand, where the speakers were Rev. Howard H. Russell, Rev. Wm. Patterson, of Toronto, and Rev. Josiah Strong, of New York.

At the third stand General Secretary Baer conducted the services. The first speaker was the Rev. Robert Johnston, of London, Ont., whose subject was "Better Citizenship." Rev. George F. Pentecost then spoke, and was followed by Rev. E. L. Powell, of Louisville, Ky.

At the fourth stand, Treasurer Wm. Shaw, of Boston, presided, and addresses were delivered by Rev. Courtland Myers, of Brooklyn; Rev. B. B. Tyler, of New York. The meetings were extremely enthusiastic.

San Francisco, Cal., July 12.—With the meetings today in the Mechanics Pavilion the most successful Christian Endeavor Convention ever held will be brought to a close. The programme for the day and evening is an interesting one. Besides the early morning prayer meetings the Christian Endeavor missionary force spoke at the morning service, at the Mechanics' Pavilion, and the evangelical force will be at Woodward's Pavilion. In the afternoon the Mechanics' Pavilion and a school of practical endeavor methods will be at Woodward's Pavilion. At both pavilions special consecration exercises will mark the close of the proceedings.

Tuesday the visiting delegates, or a great majority of them, will attend a public reception to which they have been specially invited by a committee representing the citizens of Oakland. It is expected at least 1,000 will cross the bay and enjoy the hospitality of the Oaklanders.

While the number of persons seeking admission at the big pavilion this morning was not quite so great as on previous occasions, still there were packed houses, and the enthusiasm was as great as at any meeting since the beginning of the convention. In fact, it seemed as though everyone present desired to express his or her satisfaction with the way the greatest convention of Endeavorers ever held has been conducted.

DROWNED AT TORONTO.

Toronto, Ont., July 12.—Ernie Dawse, the 15-year-old son of Charles Dawse, bricklayer, 219 Logan avenue, was drowned in Ashbridge's Bay Saturday evening. Four companions who saw him go down made every effort to save him, but were unsuccessful. The body has not been recovered.

All persons afflicted with Dyspepsia, Diarrhoea, Colic, and all kinds of indigestion will find immediate relief and sure cure by using ANGOSTURA BITTERS. The only genuine is manufactured by Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons.

Standing Still.

An Immense Army of Coal Miners Idle,

With Every Prospect That the Strike Will Extend.

Many Industries Will Be Paralyzed For Want of Fuel,

While the Cost of Coal May Reach the Most Exorbitant Figures.

Pittsburg, Pa., July 12.—Today marks the beginning of the second week of the coal miners' strike, and already it gives promise of being one of the greatest wage struggles in the history of the country. On the hillsides, in the shade, there is an army of 18,000 unemployed, who are anxiously awaiting for more to join the troops of idlers. On nearly every railroad track leading to the mines there stand empty cars. The success that has attended the movement has greatly elated the miners, and during the next few days every effort will be made to bring out the men in the few mines that are still working.

Chicago, July 12.—As a result of the miners' strike every pumping station and all public institutions of Chicago are threatened with a coal shortage, and the city is in danger of having its water supply cut off.

Pittsburg, Pa., July 12.—The decision of the labor leaders to send organizers into West Virginia and furnish funds to bring out the miners in that state practically narrows down the strike to a fight between the coal operators of West Virginia and the labor unions of the country. Special organizers will also be sent to the mines of the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal Company to induce them to join in the movement.

A prominent operator said today that the local market will soon be well cleared out by the end of the week and higher prices will result.

THE CANADIAN ROADS.

Toronto, Ont., July 12.—The coal miners strike in the United States will not affect the G. T. R. and C. P. R. to any great extent, as both corporations claim that they have large supplies of coal on hand, and as a last resort they can get coal in Nova Scotia.

Springfield, Ill., July 12.—One thousand, six hundred miners who have been working in the Springfield district refused to return to work today. This action was decided upon at a delegate meeting held three miles from the city yesterday, attended by more than 100 delegates and 500 mine workers. Only three mines were not represented.

A MILLIONAIRE OPERATOR'S VIEW.

Chicago, July 12.—Col. Wm. P. Rend, the millionaire Chicago coal operator, has returned from Pittsburg, where during the past week he has been in conference with the other coal mine operators, and with the officials of the miners' organization, relative to a settlement of the strike. Mr. Rend says there is no telling right now when the strike will end. It will be fought out, he says, in the Pittsburg district. Whether or not it will spread to other fields of labor he cannot say, for a strike, like a conflagration, sometimes spreads to everything within reach, but he hopes for an early and peaceful settlement by arbitration.

Cincinnati, O., July 12.—There are 10,000,000 bushels of coal in Cincinnati harbor. Other cities are drawing on it heavily. Four hundred carloads daily go to Chicago. The coal elevators worked all day Sunday and are loading coal day and night.

Governor Atkinson and Adjt.-Gen. Appleton are preparing for trouble. Within the week 500 stands of arms have been secured from the government for the militia, with half a million rounds of ammunition.

It is announced that the Cleveland, Lorraine and Wheeling Railroad began today hauling West Virginia coal, but there has been no trouble so far, as the strike leaders are trying to keep their men from creating disturbances.

Sparks from the Wire.

The lake sailors report an increase of 20 inches in the depth of Lake Erie this year.

The consignment of Canadian dressed beef that was sent to England in cold storage on the Labrador arrived in Liverpool in excellent condition, and there are prospects of establishing a profitable business in this line.

Suit for breach of promise was brought against Frank Robinson, of Anderson, Ind., the day after his marriage to Malinda Personet, by his first wife, from whom he had been divorced a year before. She sued for $5,000, alleging that after the divorce he had wooed her and won her again.

A decided sensation was made in Ottawa civic circles Saturday by the resignation of eight aldermen. They opposed a particular make of fire engine, which the rest of the council decided to purchase, and have challenged the other members to resign and seek the verdict of the electors on the question.

A large cariboo was recently seen on the line of the Quebec Central Railway in the neighborhood of the station at Lambton. The employes of the railway report deer to be numerous along the line. They are said to run along in front of the train for a mile or more and then disappear in the woods. Others have been struck by the engine and thrown from the track.

Roughness and Robbery.

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Continuation of the Benham Murder Trial.

What the Coachman Saw—Mrs. Benham's Bad Spell.

Batavia, New York, July 12.—Frank Klein, Benham's coachman, was the first witness in the Benham murder trial Saturday. He testified that he frequently saw Benham and May Wiard together. Once, Benham told him he had been to Buffalo with Miss Wiard and had a very nice time. I asked him, continued the witness, what he wanted to go with that girl for, and he said he loved her. I said to him, "You have got a wife, and what do you want with that girl?" "Well," he said, "she'll do for future use."

When questioned about the bad spell Mrs. Benham had on New Years eve, witness said Benham asked him to stay in. Benham went upstairs, and in a few minutes I heard Mrs. Benham screaming at the top of her voice. Benham asked me to rub her hands and arms. Her eyes were wild and wide open; her mouth was also wide open and she was frothing. She vomited violently. The next day witness said to Benham: "Howard, if your wife had died last night it would have left you in bad shape."

"What did he say?"

"He said, 'Yes, it would, it would have left me $30,000.'"

"On that night of her bad spell, what did Benham do?"

"He just walked around, but did not do anything to help her."

"What did Mrs. Benham say besides calling for her mother and for Howard and her little boy?"

"She said, 'Oh, that medicine was too strong! I told you it was too strong!' That same night Benham started to go upstairs, and fell down at the head of the stairs. I picked him up and sat him in a chair. Mrs. Prentice found him with a newspaper, and I said to her, 'Let the —— fool alone.' That night I called him to one side and said to him, 'Howard, have you given that woman anything?' and he said, 'No.'"

Batavia, N. Y., July 12.—The court house was packed with people when the Benham trial was resumed this morning. The cross-examination of Frank Klein, Benham's coachman, was at once proceeded with.

Witness was asked: "On either occasion, when Mrs. Benham was ill or when she died, did Benham assist her in any way?"

"He did not," was the reply. Witness further testified that when he rubbed Mrs. Benham's hands her fingers were clenched and would open up slowly after he had rubbed them for a time. Witness testified to May Wiard's visit to Benham's house in October, and once before Christmas, remaining on one occasion all night with Mrs. Benham. He had also taken Mrs. Benham and May Wiard driving. Witness denied having told Attorney Watson that he knew nothing derogatory to Benham. He admitted having testified before the grand jury, whereupon Mr. Mackey asked for the minutes of the jury, but counsel for the people declined to produce them unless they were placed in evidence. In this he was sustained by the court.

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Harry Fewell, ex-alderman, Belleville, died Saturday morning at the hospital from appendicitis. He leaves a widow and two children. He was a member of Eureka Masonic Lodge.

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Jimmie Cockman Makes a Successful Debut

Friar Wins the $20,000 Realization Stakes at Sheepshead Bay — Golf Fatally Hurt.

The Racing Events at Fort Erie and Detroit.

Montreal in the Eastern League—Speculations as to the Winnipeggers' Chances of Winning at Henley—Variety of Sporting News.

BASEBALL

DEAN'S DUBS DOWNED.

Jimmie Dean is like Artemus Ward's tangaroo—"an amoosin' little cuss." He kicked on Saturday afternoon until he had worked the bleachers into a fine frenzy, and the grand stand rooters were black in the face, and then Jimmie had a hearty laugh to himself, and congratulated James Dean, Esq., on the sensation he was creating.

Jimmie was "playing the game," as he understands it. With the scrappy captain of the Hams, kicking and chewing are as much part and parcel of baseball as fielding and batting; in fact, he is rather more proficient in the former than in the latter. He has reduced ball playing with the mouth to a regular science, in which the other dubs from the mountain have proved apt pupils.

It is a question whether local enthusiasts do not take Jimmie and his jawsmiths too seriously. Of course, their mulishness is offensive to respectable people here (although it probably suits Hamilton), but the rooters may as well save their breath and leave the umpire to squelch the cantankerous crew, as he very properly did on Saturday.

The vials of wrath poured on Jimmie's head by the crowd were to him the sweetest kind of ointment, and the more it was rubbed in the more he enjoyed it.

Mr. Dean started to make life miserable in the third inning. How he restrained himself so long is marvelous. Gunther had reached first on a single and Cockman drove a long fly to left, which Hoffner allowed to percolate through his paws. The ball went to grass so near the foul line that no one could positively say—except Dean, of course—whether it fell inside or out. Umpire Weber gave the batter the benefit of the doubt, and Cockman reached third base, sending Gunther home. Here was the chance Dean had been waiting for. He rushed toward the umpire, with a well-feigned look of angry surprise, and as in duty bound all his minions followed him in. They surrounded Weber and snarled and growled and roared and howled until Joe pulled the watch on them. Dean kept up the bluff for about two minutes, walking, toward the bench and donning his sweater. But the umpire meant business, and Dean soon peeled off his sweater and trotted into the field again amid the jeers of the crowd. Having made his little kick he felt much relieved, and gave his jaw a rest for three more innings.

In the sixth he broke out again in the same spot, just after Weber had given proof of his impartiality by calling out Sechrist for interference. Cockman and Keenan opened with singles, and Sechrist came to bat. The former two attempted a double steal, and Conwell threw to third to catch Cockman, but Sechrist was in the way and the sphere went awry. Sechrist disclaimed any intention of interference, saying he merely stepped aside to get off Conwell's line of sight; but Weber called him out, and sent the baserunners back. Then Reid singled and the bases were full. Willie Kershaw came to bat, and the first ball pitched the umpire called a ball. From the press stand it looked like a strike, but the umpire was better qualified to judge. McCann, who has also learned to "play the game" according to Hamilton rules and specifications, set up a howl which gave Dean another golden opportunity. He rushed in again, shook his finger fiercely in Weber's face, and emitted a volley of choice expletives, which were drowned in the din from the grand stand. The fact that Dean could hardly see the ball from his position between first and second, had nothing to do with the case. He was kicking on the general principle of pure cussedness, goaded by the prospect of a whitewash. Weber's patience was exhausted, and he ordered Dean to the bench, an act that was loudly cheered. Dean professed to think Weber was only fooling, and marched out to his position, but he was soon forced to march in again, and our own Michael Carney went to center field, Malott going to second base.

This little rumpus over, attention centered on Kershaw. Willie had previously struck out twice, but he rose to the occasion, and sent a pretty single to left field, which brought in all three runs and landed Willie on third base. This remarkable coup was effected, not through errors, but through bad judgment, or razzle-dazzle. McDonald threw to Conwell to catch the runners at the plate, but as Cockman and Keenan had already crossed it, Conwell threw to second to catch Kershaw, who was stealing second. Malott did not wait for Kershaw, but returned the ball to the plate to nip Reid, who had kept on running. But Reid slid in ahead of the ball, and by this time Kershaw was on third. The crowd enjoyed the fun immensely.

In the seventh Hoffner complained of illness and Dean returned to his place at second base; but Capt. Ward would not permit this, recollecting that Dean refused to allow Sam Lee to play with London when Strowger broke his thumb, merely because Lee had not been on the bench in uniform. Dean retired sulkily to his bench, and Hoffner had to play the inning out.

In the eighth Hoffner declined to go into the field, and asked Dean to replace him. Dean said he would play second base or nowhere, but Ward still objected, and Dean chased himself to the outfield. Ward knocked the very first ball deep into foul territory at left, and gave Dean a run of several hundred yards. It greatly tickled the crowd to see the kicker sprinting in the hot sun.

Hamilton saved a whitewash in the seventh, only through an error of Hickey's in dropping a fly ball. In the fifth McAndrews opened with a triple, but stayed on third base, Hoffner, McCann and McDonald going out on infield swipes. Colonel Kershaw was heartily cheered for this feat. In the Ninth, with three men on bases and two men out Carney came to bat and vigorously punched the air three times.

Four of London's six runs were made by clean hitting. McCann, the Ham's new twirler, pitched speedy ball and had good curves, but the Londons found him regularly. Kershaw was amply avenged for the last game he pitched. Only six scattered hits were made off him in the first eight innings, and in no one inning, except the ninth, was he hit more than once. The score:

LONDON.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Hickey, c.f.	5	0	2	1	0	1
Sippi, 2b.	5	1	1	4	0	0
Gunther, 1b.	4	2	2	10	0	0
Johnston, 1b.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cockman, r.f.	3	1	2	0	0	0
Keenan, 3b.	4	1	2	2	4	0
Sechrist, l.f.	4	0	1	2	0	0
Ward, s.s.	2	0	0	1	2	0
Reid, c.	4	1	1	7	2	1
Kershaw, p.	4	0	2	0	3	1
Totals	35	6	13	27	11	3

HAMILTON.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
McDonald, r.f.	5	0	2	3	0	0
Dean, 2b and l.f.	4	0	1	2	1	1
Carney, c.f.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Phillips, s.s.	4	0	0	0	5	1
Lauer, 1b.	3	0	1	8	0	0
Malott, c.f. and 2b.	3	1	1	4	1	0
Conwell, c.	4	0	2	6	3	1
McAndrews, 3b.	3	0	2	1	1	0
Hoffner, l.f.	3	0	1	1	0	1
McCann, p.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	1	9	24	11	4

London .....1 0 1 0 0 3 1 0 *—6
Hamilton .....0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 —1

Earned runs—London 2.
Two-base hit—Sippi.
Three-base hits—McAndrews.
Bases on balls—By Kershaw, Lauer, Malott; by McCann, Ward 2, Cockman.
Struck out—By Kershaw, Conwell, Dean, McDonald, Carney 2; by McCann, Kershaw 2, Reid, Sippi 2.
Hit by pitcher—By Kershaw, McAndrews.
Double play—Phillips to Malott to Lauer.
Stolen bases—Keenan 2, Sippi, Cockman, Ward, Dean, Malott, Conwell.
Wild pitch—McCann.
Left on bases—London 8, Hamilton 9.
Umpire—Joe Weber.
Time of game—2:20.

NOTES.

Jawsmith Jimmie.

On moral grounds, it would never have done to whitewash those Hams.

Capt. Ward was presented by lady admirers with a handsome bouquet as he first stepped to bat. This so unnerved him that he went out on a foul fly.

Gunther has had his uniform laundered.

McCann's slow delivery was very annoying, and kept the game dragging. Slowness is a habit he learned in Hamilton, no doubt.

Jimmie Cockman made a brilliant debut. In four times at bat singles, a base on balls, and a long drive to left, which Hoffner missed. His throws were splendid.

Dean has too sublime a sense of his own worth and consequence.

Dean will never starve. He can always chew the rag when other food fails.

Keenan is playing in great form. Some of his stops and throws were really brilliant.

McAndrews' three bagger was a beauty.

Gunther, as usual, swiped at the first ball pitched, and hit it every time. He made two singles and two long flies to right field. Andy played a great first base.

Weber's umpiring was the best seen here this season.

It would take a pretty thick coat of whitewash to cover Dean and his dubs.

Gunther became ill in the ninth, and was replaced by Johnson.

Base runners took no liberties with Reid.

Considering the heat and the rival attraction at the Wild West Show the audience was a good one.

Hamilton has lost two straights. It seems hard for them to win straight.

London plays today at Hamilton. Johnson will pitch.

Dean's brawling brood acted like a lot of jays from—well, from Hamilton.

They say Pierre Ward's heart thumped so loudly when he received that bouquet that the umpire mistook the next ball for a foul tip.

If Keenan keeps up his present pace, London will have the best infield in the league.

Roberts has left Hamilton, but Dean is bound that the kicking department of his team shall not suffer by Hi-Yu's absence.

The Londons are a great hitting team.

ONE GAME THROWN OUT.

Louisville, Ky., July 11.—President Pulliam, of the Colonels, has received a letter from President N. E. Young, of the league, stating that the first game played by the Colonels in New York on June 3 had been thrown out by the directors of the National League, and must be played in this city, under sections 45 and 47 of the league constitution. The directors decided the game was illegal. This increases the percentage of the colonels and decreases that of the Giants.

CANADIAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	Pc't.
Hamilton	15	11	.577
London	14	12	.538
Guelph	10	12	.454

WATERLOO LEAGUE.

At Galt on Saturday—Galt 15, Waterloo 6.

At Berlin on Saturday, Hespeler and Berlin again strove for honors in baseball, the visitors losing by a score of 35 to 5.

GUELPH WINS A GAME.

Stratford, Ont., July 12.—A game played here on Saturday between Stratford and the Maple Leafs, of Guelph, resulted in favor of Guelph by 18 to 7. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Stratford .....2 1 2 1 0 0 0 0 1—	7	6	12
Guelph .....2 0 0 0 5 4 1 6 *—18	12	12	

Batteries—Daly and Cummings; Congalton and Dark.

THE CHAMPION KICKERS.

Dean and his team "played the game" in Guelph as they did in London, and they were roasted by the Guelph press for their conduct. The Herald says:

They kicked in the field and they kicked at bat,
They kicked every inning of the game.
They kicked for no reason,
They kicked out of season,
But they fell in the soup just the same.

Guelph Herald: Those Hamilton fellows will kick if they win the pennant. . . . The Hams are not such a world beating aggregation—when they haven't Patton with them. . . . Dean doesn't want the earth, but there is nothing in the baseball department of it that he won't ask for. . . . It was impossible for the spectators to keep cool. It was difficult for Jimmy Dean and his associates to maintain a frigid attitude. Maybe they kicked to keep warm. Hi-Yu Roberts remarked: "Never mind their kicking; they're paid for doing that; I had to do it when I was down there."

If Dean is not careful, sometimes when he is making a brilliant play he will swallow the ball. His mouth is evidently many sizes too big, but that is not his fault.—Guelph Mercury.

THE UMPIRE'S DUTY.

Many were talking yesterday about Umpire Burnham's action in putting a man out of the bleachers for abusing him, and question his right, but Burnham was right in taking the step. Section 1 of rule lv. of the playing rules is as follows: "The umpire is master of the field from the commencement to the termination of the game, and is entitled to the respect of the spectators, and any person offering any insult or indignity must be promptly ejected from the field."

EASTERN LEAGUE GAMES—SATURDAY.

At Wilkesbarre—	R.	H.	E.
Wilkesbarre	1	6	2
Buffalo	5	5	2

Batteries—Keenan and Diggins; Gray and Urquhart.

At Springfield—Second game—			
Springfield	5	11	0
Syracuse	3	8	2

Batteries—Woods and Duncan; Willis and Shaw.

At Springfield—			
Syracuse	6	10	2
Springfield	5	9	5

Batteries—Kissinger and Ryan; Gildea and Dineen.

At Providence—			
Providence	12	16	4
Rochester	6	10	6

Batteries—Hodson and Dixon; Gannon and Baker.

At Scranton—			
Scranton	9	17	2
Toronto	10	12	1

Batteries—Gillon and Gunson; Staley, Dineen and Snyder.

EASTERN LEAGUE—SUNDAY GAMES.

At Syracuse—	R.	H.	E.
Syracuse	0	7	1
Buffalo	4	13	1

Batteries—Lampe, Willis and Shaw; Brown and Zahner.

At Providence—			
Providence	7	9	1
Rochester	11	12	1

Batteries—Rudderham, Eagan and Dixon; Yerrick and Baker.

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES — SATURDAY.

At St. Louis—	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	3	9	4
St. Louis	4	10	1

Batteries—Kennedy and A. Smith; Hart and Douglas.

At Cincinnati—			
Cincinnati	6	11	2
Philadelphia	3	9	3

Batteries—Breitenstein and Vaughn; Fifield and McFarland.

At Cleveland—			
Cleveland	3	6	0
Washington	1	6	2

Batteries—Wilson and Criger; McJames and Farrel.

At Pittsburg—			
Pittsburg	6	10	8
New York	15	17	5

Batteries—Tannehill, Hughey and Sugden; Meekin and Warner.

At Chicago—			
Chicago	8	14	2
Boston	7	13	3

Batteries—Korwan, Denzer and Donohue; Stivetts, Sullivan and Lake.

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES—SUNDAY.

At Cincinnati—	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	9	16	2
Louisville	4	13	6

Batteries—Dwyer and Vaughn; Cunningham and Wilson.

At Chicago—			
Chicago	2	8	5
Brooklyn	7	10	1

Batteries—Griffith and Kittridge; Dunn and Grim.

At Cleveland—			
Cleveland	15	20	2
Washington	4	13	4

Batteries—Powell and Criger; German and McGuire.

At St. Louis—			
Baltimore	22	23	4
St. Louis	4	10	3

Batteries—Pond and Clarke; Donohue, Coleman, Carsey and Douglas.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
Boston	45	17	.726
Cincinnati	40	19	.678
Baltimore	39	21	.650
New York	37	23	.617
Cleveland	33	29	.532
Pittsburg	29	33	.468
Brooklyn	29	34	.460
Philadelphia	30	36	.455
Louisville	25	34	.424
Chicago	27	37	.422
Washington	25	37	.383
St. Louis	13	50	.206

MONTREAL IN THE EASTERN LEAGUE.

Montreal, Que., July 12.—It is now an assured thing that the Wilkesbarre club will be transferred to this city. In an interview Manager W. H. Rowe said: "All the directors and myself are pleased with the enthusiasm exhibited by so many of the citizens of Montreal in connection with the proposed transfer. Negotiations are being made to strengthen the Wilkesbarre club, and the club will undoubtedly play winning ball when they assume the name of Montreal.

FLYS.

Joe Sullivan is reported to be sinking rapidly with quich consumption.

Pitcher Killen, of Pittsburg, has been fined $100 by his captain for sulking.

Kissenger, late of St. Louis, has signed with the Syracuse team of the Eastern League.

Shortstop Doolan, late of Louisville, will be given a try-out by the Phillies.

A Cincinnati exchange says: Sockalexis is improving in his fielding and deteriorating steadily in his batting.

Jesse Burkett's batting has improved of late, but the two year champion will scarcely lead the league sluggers again.

Hilliary Swaim refuses to be farmed out by Washington. He will become a real farm hand rather than become a baseball farmer.

Frank Martin, who was signed by Louisville at Chicago recently, is the youngest player ever signed in the National League. He is but 17 years of age.

Five major league teams have made offers for the services of the twirler Jack Taylor of the Phillies, and it is whispered that Ed. Hanlon was among those who put in a bid for the erratic Jack. It is a great thing to be popular.

A truism from Ren Mulford, jun.: Cranks are forgiving. Jimmy Donnelly, who helped ram the Pirates into a hole on the late eastern trip, was cheered when he made his reappearance in a Pittsburg uniform. Fans live only in the present, and past deeds—good or bad—interest them but little.

It is reported that Manager Tebeau, of Cleveland, has signed a new player in the person of a Japanese athlete and juggler, a half-brother to Matsada Sorakichi, the famous wrestler. Tebeau thinks the Jap will be the marvel of the diamond and the greatest player of the century.

The Australian team is traveling in hard luck in the United States. It has not nearly made expenses, and the members held a meeting last week and decided to go home. About $5,000 was subscribed in Australia for the expenses on this trip. This, and more, has been spent, and now the individual players are footing their own bills. They had more ill-luck June 23, when, having left their baggage in a pile in the hotel, they came back to find that a number of their dress suits and other clothing and valuables had been stolen. They will doubtless leave very shortly for home. One of them remarked that they found baseball in this country too fast for them.

Since Tom Tucker was injured the Washingtons have taken a big slump.

The league clubs have waived claim to Pitcher McDermott, of the Clevelands.

Tony Mullane won ten out of his first fifteen games in the Western League.

Fort Wayne has secured Watkins, the fine pitcher of the University of Michigan.

Indianapolis will take five pitchers on the coming western trip. Wolters will probably be left at home.

President Stroud had nothing to do with the appointment of Umpire Patton. His work was not satisfactory, but he was severe on both teams. The Londons played a better game than the Hams, and should have won, but luck was against them. A couple of decisions were close, but there is no doubt McDonald was safe at the plate and that Sippi was out when he went over third base.—Hamilton Spectator.

Pierre Ward, shortstop of the Londons has threatened to sue the Herald for libel, objecting to the criticism of his playing.—Hamilton Spectator.

THE TURF.

AT WINDSOR—SATURDAY.

First race, 9-16 mile—Margaret Ione 1, Balley 2, Arista 3. Time, :56. Tallawanda, Hoover, Flora, Bateson, Slattery, Lagano, Booker, Burns also ran.

Second race, 7 furlongs—Springtime 1, Rockwood 2, Henrica 3. Time, 1:29¼. Foldiral, Ashland, Susie Howze, G. R. Longhurst, Little Ben also ran.

Third race, 5 furlongs—Bounding Cecil 1, Mazeppa 2, R. Q. Ban 3. Time, 1:01¾.

Fourth race, 1¼ miles—Beau Ideal 1, Lady Doleful 2, Wolsey 3. Time, 2:10. Otho, Blasco, Tonica, Bender also ran.

Fifth race, ¾-mile, selling—Spokena 1, Lutie Lewis 2, Timorah 3. Time, 1:15. Will Wallace, Sobriquet, Negoncie, Reformation, Merry Chimes also ran.

Sixth race, 5 furlongs, selling—Lucy Bell 1, Elsie Ferguson 2, Sidney Bender 3. Time, 1:02¼. War Club, Loyal Prince, Ruth, Edith, Pete Kelly also ran.

AT FORT ERIE—SATURDAY.

First race, selling, ¾-mile—Rideau won by one-half length; Brighton 2, Lottie Hunter 3. Time, 1:16¾. Lady Mottie, Beuzetta, Hurl, Sweet Avon, and Jolly Son also ran.

Second race, selling, 1 mile—Frank Jaubert won by two lengths; Terra Archer 2, Will Elliott 3. Time, 1:42¾. Harrington and Test also ran.

Third race, 2-year-olds, ¾-mile—Brazilian won by a length; Judge Wardell 2, Lady Disdain 3. Time, 1:16. Marplot and Alice Farley also ran.

Fourth race, handicap, 1⅛ miles—Ulysses won by a neck; Our Johnny 2, Anna Lyle 3. Time, 1:53½. The Planter also ran.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles—Song and Dance won by four lengths; Snap Shot 2, Anger 3. Time, 1:46½.

Sixth race, steeplechase, about 2½ miles—Brother Bob won by four lengths; Prime Mac 2, by 20 lengths; Dodo 3. Time, 5:30½. Carmel and Tuscarora refused; Bondhead fell and Buckeye threw the rider; none of them finished.

Seventh race, selling, ⅝-mile, 2-year-olds—Julia Flynn won by three lengths; George Jo 2, by three lengths; Col. Rowles 3. Time, 1:03½. Annetburn and Helmsdale also ran.

FRIAR SCOOPED THE $20,000 REALIZATION STAKES.

New York, July 12.—A big half-holiday crowd gathered at Sheepshead Bay Saturday, at the closing day of the spring meeting of the Coney Island Jockey Club, and they saw The Friar walk away with the rich Realization stakes, with the second choice, Rensselaer second, and the favorite Scottish Chieftain, far off in the ruck, nothing being anywhere the two leaders at the end. Previous to the race, the jockey, Littlefield, had received his instructions to let his horse take his own position and not to choke him back, and he had in the two previous races. The flag fell promptly, and as the horses came out of the chute the crowd was surprised to see The Friar running along easily at the head of the procession, rating like the true race horse he is. Caldron was in second place, with Rensselaer third, Buddha fourth, and Scottish Chieftain and the others following, none being held or urged. A furlong from home The Friar was still going along easily, while Rensselaer was at his tail, hard ridden by Hewitt. That was enough for Littlefield, although he was on much the best horse, and he began riding The Friar, although it was entirely unnecessary, as they passed the judges with The Friar still rating calmly along in the fastest time ever made on the track. Rensselaer a length and a half behind, and Buddha third, twenty lengths away.

It is estimated that the Realization stakes netted $20,000 to the winner, $3,500 to the second horse, and $1,500 to the third.

In the second race Golf bolted into the fence and drove a sliver three feet long through the shoulder, dying as he staggered into the paddock. Summaries:

First race, 5 furlongs—Miss Lynnah 1, Braw Lad 2, Decide 3. Time, 1:01 1-5.

Second race, 1 1-16 miles, selling—Hugh Penny 1, Sun Up 2, Estace 3. Time, 1:48.

Third race, double event, Futurity course—Hamburg 1, Uriel 2, Mont d'Or 3. Time, 1:11 1-5.

Fourth race, Realization, 1 mile and 5 furlongs—The Friar 1, Rensselaer 2, Buddha 3. Time, 2:48 2-5.

Fifth race, 5 furlongs—Loiterer 1, Swango 2, Sly Fox 3. Time, 1:02 2-5.

Sixth race, steeplechase, full course—Lionheart 1, Royal Scarlet 2, Beaumont 3. Time, 5:20.

LORILLARD'S SANDIA WON A HANDICAP.

London, July 12.—The Lorillard-Beresford stable's 3-year-old brown gelding Sandia won the Lingfield summer handicap of 1,000 sovereigns (900 sovereigns to the winner), at the second day's racing of the Lingfield summer meeting Saturday. W. H. Palmer's Thursling was second, and Lord Ellesmere's Miss Fraser third, in a field of seven starters. The betting was 6 to 4 on Sandia.

SEAGRAM'S WINNINGS AT SHEEPSHEAD RACES.

New York, July 12.—The stable of A. H. & D. H. Morris heads the list of money getters at the Sheepshead races, which closed Saturday. Their winnings amounted to $26,475. Joseph E. Seagram is eighth on the list, having to his credit the respectable sum of $4,130. Mr. Seagram's horses ran first four times and third once.

TIPS.

Frank Helmer, of Aylmer, has just purchased off Walter Gray for $600, the black trotter Nancy Gray, 2:25¼, by Alvin.

THE WHEEL.

RACE FOR THE GRAND PRIZE AT PARIS.

Paris, July 12.—The Grand Prix cycle race at Vincennes took place Sunday. Bourillon finished first, but was disqualified on account of a foul, and the prize, 8,000 francs, was awarded to Morin, who agreed to divide the prize with Nossam, who finished third. The decision created at dissatisfaction among the spectators and a tremendous uproar ensued.

LACROSSE.

SATURDAY'S GAMES.

At Ottawa—Capitals 6, Toronto 3.
At Montreal—Shamrocks 4, Cornwall 2.

AQUATIC.

THE HENLEY REGATTA.

London, July 12.—The drawing for the heats in the contest for the stewards' challenge cup at the Henley regatta took place Saturday. This race is open to four-oared crews, and is the contest for which the Winnipeg four are entered. The first heat will be rowed between the Leanders and the Thames crews. The Winnipeggers are pitted against the Utrecht quartet of oarsmen in the second heat. There are three other heats before the final struggle will be reached. The opinion prevails among professional scullers and watermen here that the Winnipeggers will not be winners.

The race for the diamond sculls attracts as much interest as any, the entries being more numerous than usual, and the absence of Rupert Guinness and Guy and Vivian Nickalls making the race a really open affair. The dozen competitors are of about equal strength.

WHILE RIDING A BICYCLE.

Six-Year-Old Freda Heyer Collided With a Truck and Broke Her Neck.

New York, July 12.—Freda Heyer, a 6-year-old girl, who lived with her parents at 1,119 Third street, Roseville, near Newark, was killed yesterday while riding a bicycle near the corner of Fifth avenue and North Seventh street. Freda's mother and father are both good riders, and at the child's earnest solicitation they bought her a wheel recently and taught her to ride. Freda was an apt student, and after a while she was permitted to ride alone in the street in front of her parents' home.

Yesterday afternoon, at the request of Ethel Van Ness and Josie Stoddard, two of Freda's young friends, Mrs. Heyer permitted hep daughter to ride with them on the roads in the suburbs of Roseville. The children rode through the Oranges and returned by way of Park avenue, which is a continuation of Fifth avenue. Just before they reached Seventh street two trucks going south on the latter thoroughfare crossed the avenue.

Freda, who was riding a few yards in advance of her companions, spurted suddenly and scorched around the corner. Her machine struck the hub of the wheel of the rear truck. The force of the collision wrecked the bicycle, and the girl was thrown violently to the ground.

When she was carried to the sidewalk it was discovered she was dead. The physician who examined her said that her neck was broken. In the confusion which followed the accident the driver of the truck escaped, and the police have not been able to find him.

Trust not him that hath once broken faith; he who betrayed thee once will betray thee again.

Reckless youth makes rueful age.—Moore.



STITCH! STITCH! STITCH!

The woman who bends her back over a sewing machine for many hours each day needs to be strong and healthy in every way, or she is courting death. When her work comes hard, and makes her nervous, fretful and despondent, and she has "stitches in the side," pains in the back or abdomen, and headaches, she may be certain that something is radically wrong.

A local doctor, with a limited field of observation and experience, will probably say that the fault is in the stomach, liver or heart. Generally he is wrong. The fault is probably in the delicate and important organs that really constitute womanhood. They are weak or diseased. If such is the case, only a doctor of known reputation and wide experience should be consulted. A letter to Dr. R. V. Pierce, for thirty years chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y., will secure the free advice of probably the most eminent specialist in these diseases in the world. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has been used with success by tens of thousands of invalid women. Over 90,000 have acknowledged its merits over their signatures. It promptly cures all weakness and disease of the organs distinctly feminine. All medicine dealers.

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Increased Earnings of the C. P. R.—Changes Contemplated.

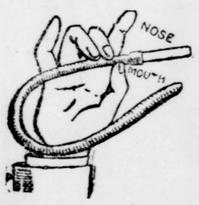
The Amherstburg council will submit a bylaw to the ratepayers shortly for the granting of a $25,000 bonus to the Windsor, Amherstburg and Lake Erie Railway.

Montreal, July 11.—The weekly statement of the C. P. R., issued last night, shows the following remarkable increase in earnings: Earnings, $475,000; same week last year, $371,000; increase, $102,000.

The C. P. R. has a gang of men making repairs between Cheltenham and Mono Road. The company, it is understood, will abandon the Toronto, Grey and Bruce line between Mono Road and Orangeville, extend the T., G. and B. westward, tap the branch that runs from Streetsville Junction to Teeswater somewhere in the neighborhood of either Cheltenham and Inglewood, and run the Toronto and Owen Sound trains on this Teeswater branch from the junction point thus formed to Orangeville. Two surveys have already been made, and a third one is in progress.

Since running its trains on the G. T. R. through to Suspension Bridge, the Wabash has brought trouble on itself by operating a line of chair cars between Chicago and the Niagara River free. Competing roads objected to the chair cars, but the Wabash refused to withdraw them. The joint passenger committee, which is made up of representatives of the Central Passenger Association and trunk lines roads, took exception to the cars and ordered the Wabash to discontinue their use. The Wabash went on using the reclining chair cars, as usual, and the question is now before the board of managers of the Joint Traffic Association. On the roads running between Chicago and New York some kind of agreement seems to exist between the railroad companies and the Wagner and Pullman sleeping car companies, that none of the roads shall run chair cars, but rather give the sleeping car companies a monopoly of all the business that can be forced into their cars. West of Chicago all the roads run reclining chairs, and they are also to be found on the trains to the northwest and to the south.

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DELIBERATELY SLIPPED IN.

Probable Suicide of a Sailor at Windsor—Complained of the Heat.

Windsor, Ont., July 11.—Jos. Coate, a deck hand on the steamer Cameron, was drowned at the foot of Ferry street, Windsor, Friday afternoon. He was on the wharf, and announced his intention to go in bathing, although he said he could not swim. He inquired how deep the water was, and when told it was over 20 feet, he said that it was of sufficient depth for him, and taking off part of his clothing he jumped into the water from the top of the wharf. He went down but came up again, and a rope was thrown to him, but he made no effort to take hold of it, although it was within his reach. He soon afterwards sank, and his body has not yet been recovered. Some persons who witnessed the drowning were of the opinion that the man committed suicide, as he showed by his movements in the water that he could not swim, and he must have known that the water was beyond his depth, for the steamer on which he worked was lying at the dock at the time. Another thing that strengthens the idea of suicide is that the man refused to grasp the rope thrown to him. the deceased was from Manitowaning, and shipped on the Carmona on its last trip down. He attended to his duties all right on the boat, and did not appear like a drinking man. A few letters and a bank book were found in his pocket.

A BABY DEPOT.

A London correspondent writes: During the five nights of the jubilee celebration that the streets of London were packed with a moving mass of humanity there was one feature in the crowd that would not fail to attract any one's attention. This was the enormous number of very young children and babies in arms that spent the long nights in the open. It was impossible to leave them at home by themselves for so many hours at a stretch, so they, too, had to come and see the sights. Fortunately, the crowd, huge as it was, was quiet and orderly, and no accidents happened to the very small fry that worked in and out between its legs. On the Tuesday, the good folk who represented the Salvation Army in the East End, took charge of many babies to allow mothers to be present at the celebrations. At night the babies were returned to their proper owners, right side up, and in good vocal condition. So much for the babies who had arrived on the scene of their earthly troubles in time to be able to say in after years that they were alive when Victoria celebrated the 60th year of her reign. Some, of course, arrived an hour or two late. A proud husband in Clapton writes to a morning paper to announce that his wife presented him with a daughter at the very time that the Queen was passing through the streets. He is anxious to receive any special gifts there may be going for the parents of jubilee babies.

Cabled Comment

On Events in Europe—Proposal for Promoting Marriage in France—Popularity of the Colonial Premiers.

The Engineers' Trouble—Kaiser Wilhelm's Plans—Storms in Germany—The Erratic Princess de Chimay—Growth of Catholicism in England.

London, July 12.—A curious remedy for the paucity of births in France is suggested by the scientific senators, Guyott, Labbee and Berthelot, who have introduced a bill providing that all married conscripts will only have to serve a year in the ranks. The promoters of the measure express the opinion that the reason the men do not marry is because military service comes just at the time when youths naturally contemplate marriage; but they hope that by the offer of deducting two years from their military service to entice large numbers into matrimony. In order to obviate the probability of conscripts marrying in order to escape being drafted into the army and then divorcing their wives at the end of a year's service, the bill provides that conscripts so acting will have to return to the army and complete their three years' service.

THE POPULAR PREMIERS.

The colonial premiers are receiving hospitality and attentions without end, but there is no practical evidence that definite progress has been made in the direction of imperial federation. Mr. Chamberlain and Mr. Goschen have been conferring with them, and many questions have been informally discussed, but the conviction is gaining ground that the general problem is beyond the range of practical politics under existing conditions. Mr. Chamberlain virtually admitted this in his speech at the Cordwainers' banquet, when he spoke of the Australian confederation and a similar movement in South Africa as policies which might open the way for imperial federation. The jubilee has enlarged, if not created, the atmosphere for imperial unity, but this is not yet any definite proof that new institutions have taken root with the promise of growth and vitality. The heartiness with which the premiers have been welcomed ought not to be underrated. It has promoted an era of good feeling in which anything short of the miraculous may be brought about in the relations of the mother state and the colonies. It has been a genuine English welcome, with Sir Wilfrid Laurier as the chief guest of honor. At the New Zealand dinner to Premier Seddon, an exciting dance of Maoris, stripped to the waist and grotesquely dressed and painted, was thrown in as a side show, but no melodramatic accessories have been needed to stimulate public interest in the colonial guests. Of loyal sentiment and popular enthusiasm there has been no lack, but the problem of squaring the circle of a world-wide empire has not yet been solved, even by so astute a statesman as Mr. Chamberlain.

A Paris dispatch says: It is generally thought here that Sir Wilfrid Laurier, premier of Canada, will receive the reverse of an enthusiastic reception in France, where he has been invited by President Faure. Sir Wilfrid's utterances have been followed by the Parisian papers, and their criticisms, without being demonstrative, are none too friendly. His unfavorable comparison of English and French institutions have created some comment, and this has been intensified by a recent remark of his that Canada is far more prosperous under British rule than she would have been under French.

THE ENGINEERS' TROUBLE.

The dispute in the engineering trades seems likely to range among the greatest labor wars. It is a deliberate trial of strength between the associated employers and their men. The trades unions are leagued to secure an eight hours' days of work at the present nine hours' wages, and unless there is some interruption, 100,000 engineers will be idle within a week. The trades unions are prepared to spend £350,000 of their reserve fund in support of their claims.

KAISER VS. PRESIDENT.

There is a great rivalry between Emperor William and President Faure, in the newspapers of their respective countries, as to which of them, the emperor or the president, will get the most honor out of the visits to St. Petersburg. On the one hand it is said that the czar will appoint President Faure colonel of a Russian regiment, and another story has it that 400 workmen are constructing a floating theater off an island in the Volga, where the French president will be entertained with a magnificent performance, the stage to be illuminated by 60,000 electric lamps. On the other hand, the German emperor is credited with a design to take the wind out of the sails of the French by entering Kronstadt escorted by a magnificent fleet of ten warships, by which he hopes to give his visit the character of a triumphal progress.

ANOTHER ANTI-BRITISH SCARE.

From Berlin comes word to the effect that the main business of serious import to be transacted during Emperor William's visit to the czar will be the formulation of a distinct understanding between Russia and Germany in regard to a frankly anti-British policy in the Orient, especially in connection with Japan and China. In the event of possible complications arising from the critical situation in India, Emperor William will pledge himself systematically to support Russian interests in that part of the world. Russia, on her part, is to promise the weight of her influence in favor of Germany in the event of annexation plans maturing in Samoa and elsewhere. The emperor hopes, notwithstanding the natural jealousy of France growing out of this programme, that an entente with the French republic will in most cases be possible also.

MME. NORDICA.

Madame Nordica, who has been ill with peritonitis for several days at the Savoy Hotel, is much better, but is still unable to sing, and the concert which she was to have given this evening has been abandoned. As soon as she is well enough to travel she will leave London for the continent, and will stay at the baths of Kreutznach until her complete recovery.

A very successful matinee of "David Garrick" was given by Chas. Wyndham and Mary Moore and the company of the Criterion Theater last Wednesday afternoon in honor of the colonial troops, about 1,000 of whom were present by invitation.

Olgo Nethersole is looking for a suitable London theater at which to play a short summer engagement before starting on her provincial tour, which begins at Birmingham on Sept. 6.

PROGRESS OF CATHOLICISM IN ENGLAND.

It is said that one of the chief features of Mgr. Sambucett's special report to the pope on the growth of Catholicism in England is the astonishing conclusion that the decrease of Methodism is due to the transfer of membership in that body to membership in the Church of Rome.

TERRIBLE STORMS.

Terrible thunder storms, hail storms and cloudbursts have devastated large districts of Wurtemburg, Baden and Alsace. In the district of Oehringen, Wurtemburg, alone the damage is computed at 10,000,000 marks, with no insurance. At Buchsweiler, Alsace, the hail destroyed the growing crops, killing many cattle and injuring scores of people.

PRINCESS DE CHIMAY.

The Princess De Chimay, formerly Miss Clara Ward, of Detroit, is now at Matrei, in the Tyrol, where she has caused a great sensation. She wears the Tyrolese costume when driving, and her maid acts as courier, on horseback.

SENSATION IN BERLIN.

A sensation has been produced by an editorial article in the Cologne Gazette saying that unless a total retracing of steps takes place at Berlin the next elections "will bring a volcanic eruption of popular indignation and a terrible defeat for the Ost-Elbisches-Junkerthum (the aristocracy or nobility of the territory east of the river Elbe.

The Munich Allgemeine Zeitung has published a scathing arraignment of Emperor William and his policy, condemning his habit of meddling with everything and saying that he thereby misses a correct survey of the general situation.

Physically, the emperor is unusually well. When he started from Lubeck on his northland trip it was generally remarked how healthy and sunburned he looked.

The empress, with her seven children, at Tegernze, has stormed and captured the hearts of the simple Bavarians. She and her children are the objects of ceaseless, spontaneous ovations. The two elder princes are being inducted into the mystery of chamois stalking and grouse hunting by veteran mountaineer hunters.

PRESS MEN ENTERTAINED AT GODERICH.

Goderich, July 12.—The steamer Carncona, with the Ohio Press Association on board, called here Saturday morning. The party were met on arrival by the mayor and council, and taken for a drive around the town. They left at 10 a.m., bound for Georgian Bay and the Soo, much pleased with the kind reception accorded them here.

NATURAL GAS AT PORT HURON.

Port Huron, Mich., July 12.—In a well which he had bored for water, 112 feet deep, E. R. Marcotte, a farmer, two miles out on Lapier avenue, heard a roaring noise, and went to investigate on Friday night with his lantern. Flames shot up 100 feet. Marcotte was badly burned, and the fire department was called out to save the house. Though the firemen shoveled dirt into the well, the fire continued to shoot up 30 or 40 feet. Marcotte believes he has natural gas enough to supply the whole city. Small wells have been opened up before, but they yielded little gas. More wells will be drilled at once.

ARSENIC IN THE BISCUITS.

Gaylord, Mich., July 12.—Joseph Bowser, who operates a camp at Rondo with four lumbermen, and Mrs. Franklin and her daughter, were poisoned by eating biscuits containing arsenic. The regular cook at the camp had left, and Mrs. Franklin took his place. She picked up a can lebeled "baking powder," and used three teaspoonfuls in the biscuits she was making. Shortly after dinner all seven occupants of the camp were taken violently ill, and were found to be suffering from arsenical poisoning. The doctor believes that the party, though very sick, will recover. They are not out of danger yet, however. An investigation showed that the powder in the baking powder can was pure arsenic, but how it got there no one knows.

UNITED STATES CROP REPORT.

Washington, July 10.—The July returns to the statistician of the department of agriculture indicate the following average conditions: Corn, 82.9; winter wheat, 81.2; spring wheat, 81.2; combined spring and winter wheat, 84.9; oats, 87.5; winter rye, 95; spring rye, 90; barley, 88.5; tobacco, 87.5; Irish potatoes, 87.8. The report on the acreage of corn, which is preliminary, shows a decrease of ½ per cent, as compared with that of last year. This represents a decrease of about 1,000,000 acres. The condition of winter wheat, 81.2, is 2.7 points higher than last month, and 5.6 points higher than in July of last year; that of spring wheat, 91.2, is 1.6 points higher than last month, and 2.1 points lower than in July of last year. The average condition of spring and winter wheat combined, 94.9, is 1.5 points higher than that of the corresponding period last year. The percentage of the wheat crop of 1896, reported as on hand on July 1, 1897, is 5.46. The average condition of the oat crop, 87.5, compares very unfavorably with that of July, 1896, but is only a small fraction of 1 per cent less than the average July condition for the last ten years.

Shortness of Breath.

"Since last year I have had serious heart trouble caused by malaria. Shortness of breath, smothering spells on retiring, violent palpitation, etc., often made me gasp for breath. On procuring Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills I found to my surprise and delight that they gave me almost instant relief. I got health, restful sleep, my heart troubles disappeared, and I now feel very well and strong indeed." Mr. Hugh Moore, Ingersoll, Ont., makes this statement for the public good.

AND NOW SHE IS IRISH.

The Queen's Descent From the Ancient Celtic and Pre-Norman Kings of Ireland—This Settles Her Title to the Throne of Erin.

In the Daily Graphic, of London, England, Mr. Standish O'Grady gives the following record of the Queen's Irish descent:

It is not generally known for a fact that her Majesty is lineally descended from Celtic and pre-Norman kings of Ireland. In tracing this line of descent, which is interesting and suggestive, I propose to start from King Edward IV., the royal genealogy back to that monarch being well known. Edward IV. was the son of Richard Plantagenet, Duke of York, who was the son of Anne Mortimer and Richard Plantagenet, Duke of Cambridge, grandson of Edward III.

We now leave the Plantagenets and follow the genealogical track through the Mortimers. Anne Mortimer, just mentioned, was the daughter of Roger Mortimer, Earl of March, who was the son of Edmund Mortimer, Earl of March, and of Philippa Plantagenet, Philippa Plantagenet was the only child of Lionel, Duke of Clarence, and Elizabeth de Burgh, the said Lionel being son of Edward III.

In this lady, Elizabeth de Burgh, we reach the first of the Queen's Irish ancestors, and the last of a most distinguished and powerful Irish family which, since the Norman conquest, had played a great part in the history of the island. She was the only child and sole heiress of William de Burgh, Lord of Connaught and Earl of Ulster. It was through her along the line of descent which we have traced that the Earldom of Ulster at last merged in the crown. The Prince of Wales is Earl of Ulster today. In what high estimation the Irish Earldom of Ulster was at one time regarded is shown by a singular fact in history. In the reign of Henry VII., Con, captain of the O'Neills, petitioned that monarch to create him Earl of Ulster. The king replied that the Earldom of Ulster was "one of the great Earldoms of Christendom, too great to be conferred upon any subject."

To return to William de Burgh, father of Elizabeth—he was son of Richard de Burgh, also Earl of Ulster and Lord of Connaught, called in Irish history "The Red Earl" of Ulster, who was one of the chief contemporary figures in the reign of Edward I. One of his sisters was wife of Robert Bruce, king of Scotland. The "Red Earl," Richard, was son of Walter de Burgh, Earl of Ulster, son of Richard de Burgh, son of William Fitz Adelm de Burgh, first Lord of Connaught, and in Irish annals styled William the Conqueror, inasmuch as all the medieval land titles of the west started with him.

The first of these de Burgh earls of Ulster was Walter in the foregoing list. He acquired the earldom by marriage with the only child and heiress of Hugo (the younger) de Lacy, second Earl of Ulster, the first being the famous John de Courcy, who was created Earl of Ulster by Henry II. The de Burghs' ancestors were a most potent family, and in fact the pillars of the Norman-Irish political and social system. When they fell that system all but collapsed.

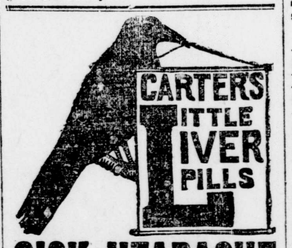
It is through the de Burghs that the Queen derives her line from the Celtic kings of Ireland. Walter de Burgh, son of Richard, son of William Fitz Adelm (the Conqueror), had for his mother Hodierna de Gernon, whose mother was Una O'Conor, daughter of Odo O'Conor, king of Connaught, son of Cathal Red-Hand, king of Connaught, son of Turlough O'Conor, king of Ireland, whose eldest son, Roderick, was the last king of Ireland. So the line of descent from Turlough, king of Ireland, whose floruit was circa 1140 A.D., runs down through the O'Conors, the de Gernons, the de Burghs, the Mortimers, and thence through the Plantagenets of the House of York as follows:

Turlough O'Conor, King of Ireland.
Cathal Red-Hand O'Conor, King of Connaught.
Odo O'Conor, King of Connaught.
Una O'Conor.
Hodierna de Gernon.
Richard de Burgh, Lord of Connaught.
Walter de Burgh, Lord of Connaught and Earl of Ulster.
Richard de Burgh, Lord of Connaught and Earl of Ulster.
William de Burgh, Lord of Connaught and Earl of Ulster.
Elizabeth de Burgh.
Philippa Plantagenet.
Edmund Mortimer, Earl of March.
Roger Mortimer, Earl of March.
Anne Mortimer.
Richard Plantagenet, Duke of Cambridge.
Richard Plantagenet, Duke of York.
Edward IV.

The connection between the house of de Burgh and that of O'Conor will be found carefully set out in Lodge's "Peerage," edited by Archdall.

Harper's Bazar for July 10 contains a very interesting paper by Lillie Hamilton French on "The Pundita Ramabai," the remarkable Hindoo lady who has done excellent work for her people during the recent famine in India, and a suggestive article on "French Business Women," by Madame C. E. Villiot.

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Sir Oliver and the Governorship.

Sir Oliver Mowat may or may not go to Government House, Toronto, as the successor of Lieut.-Gov. Kirkpatrick, whose term expired some time since, and who has expressed a desire to be relieved of office at an early date. It is largely a matter for the veteran statesman's own choice. He has worked for his country long and faithfully. He has given his aid to establish a strong ministry at Ottawa, and if he were now to see fit to accept the position of representative of her Majesty in his native province, which he served so well for half a life time, it would be a far from inappropriate rounding-off of a most successful career as a leader among men. This much can be said with propriety at this stage. The selection of a new lieutenant-governor will not take place till the return from the old country of the premier, and he is not expected till the end of August.

Construction on the Crow's Nest Pass Railway will begin at McLeod on July 15. It is understood that no United States contractors or laborers will be employed. This is an outcome of the harsh application of the alien labor law by the United States authorities that might have been expected.

We understand that Hon. Edward Blake, M. P. for South Longford, will sail for the Dominion on Aug. 12. While the majority of his colleagues take to the moors, Mr. Blake will take to the Atlantic. The water is the proper place these hot days.

The Anonymous Slanderer.

Hon. Mr. Tarte was at one time a Conservative, but he deemed it to be his duty to expose the robbery of the country by the henchmen of his parliamentary leaders, after they refused to take action against the delinquents. This courageous course has earned for him the hate of all those who were, directly or indirectly, the beneficiaries of the boodling then tolerated.

If Mr. Tarte had winked at, and condoned, the rascalities, he would today be leader of the Quebec Conservatives, instead of the best-abused man in the house. Mr. Tarte is paying the penalty, such as it is, of standing up for the right. Were he to treat his anonymous traducers with contempt, he would give them the attention they deserve, particularly as they often attack him solely for the purpose of "drawing" him.

No public man need hesitate to ignore the accusations of the man who is afraid to have his name printed at the foot of his accusation. The anonymous letter writer, who makes accusations or indulges in innuendoes against his fellows, is either a fool or a knave or a mixture of both. Malevolent statements made by irresponsible slanderers, hiding beneath the barn, should be treated with contempt by all honest men. We are astonished that any reputable paper prints them. The Advertiser will print no such cowardly innuendoes. Again and again, it has been presented with letters of this kind, and has been asked to print them under a bogus signature. When the writer has been requested to father his accusations, to put his name to them, he has invariably "funked." Why? Because he dare not assume the onus of proof. The newspaper that plays into the hands of these designing slanderers of their betters is not serving the public. It is the mere catspaw of the assassin of character. The anonymous calumniator should be shunned by all reputable newspaper men as they would shun a cholera pest house.

The age to which Dominion senators live, though surrounded by the excitements of parliamentary life, is a splendid proof of the healthfulness of Canada.

More than 1,000 hands have started work in W. C. McDonald's tobacco factory at Montreal. This was one of the establishments that shut down when the tobacco duties were advanced. One by one the factories resume, now that conditions are settled, and business promises to be brisk.

Sir Donald Smith.

The announcement that Sir Donald Smith (or Lord Glencoe, if he finally chooses to sit in the House of Lords with that title) will probably remain as high commissioner for Canada in Great Britain, has been received with much pleasure by the large majority of the Canadian people.

At one time it was stated that when Sir Donald was made a peer he would resign the post of representative of Canada in the motherland, but Sir Wilfrid Laurier's recent declaration shows that a change does not necessarily follow.

During his long and eventful career, first in the Hudson Bay Company's service, afterwards as a director and president of the Bank of Montreal, and as leading financier of the C. P. R. enterprise, Sir Donald has been uniformly successful. As high commissioner for Canada in Great Britain, he has performed his duties heartily and even munificently. He has striven to make the wonderful resources of Canada known to the people of the old world as they were not known before, and in every respect has attended to the duties of his office in an admirable manner. The Canadian government is fortunate in being able to retain the services of so eminently fitting a representative in Great Britain at a time when so much can be done to help along improved relations between the motherland and this nation.

—The name of Mr. J. A. Barron, Q.C., of Lindsay, has been mentioned in connection with the Senate as representative of the Midland Counties. Mr. Barron is a man of splendid abilities, and large parliamentary experience, and would be of great service in the Upper House.

The Dominion Finances.

The following is a statement of the finances of the Dominion for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1897:

Revenue.	1896.	1897
Customs	$19,681,139 23	$19,318,363 58
Postoffice	2,935,187 64	3,226,482 24
Excise	7,865,681 98	9,148,915 21
Public works, including railways ...	3,586,070 19	3,511,267 94
Miscellaneous	1,592,296 30	1,667,151 55
Total	$35,659,775 43	$36,872,170 52
Expenditure .	$30,557,274 02	$31,237,458 47

The expenditure on capital account has been as follows:

	1896.	1897.
Public works, railways and canals	$2,385,223 61	$2,032,464 62
Dominion lands	71,495 85	77,208 42
Railway subsidies	812,440 10	384,955 30
Militia	486,666 66	691,723 67
Total	$3,755,826 22	$3,186,352 01

Last April Mr. Fielding estimated the revenue at $37,296,655. Mr. Foster insisted that it would only be $36,000,000. When all the money is in, the revenue for the year will be fully up to Mr. Fielding's estimate.

London Illustrated.

ILLUSTRATED LONDON, CANADA; the Pioneer Period and the London of Today. London, Printed and Published by the London Printing and Lithographing Co., Limited, 1897.

This is a very timely souvenir of the city of London, Canada. It is by far the best history of this commercial and industrial center yet published, and it is beautifully illustrated. In its 130 large-sized pages is to be found a graphic history of the city, from the days when Governor Simcoe designated it as the future capital of Upper Canada to the present time, the historical as well as pictorial contributions being brought down to as late an event as the Diamond Jubilee celebration of June 22 last. The pictures in themselves would make a unique souvenir. With commendable research the compilers ransacked the private picture galleries, sketch portfolios and early albums of daguerreotypes for illustrations of persons, buildings, and landscapes in and around London at every stage of its really eventful history. There are pictures of the city as it was in its village and town days, as well as magnificent illustrations of every public building and many private dwellings. We have illustrations of the region of Victoria Park when 4,000 British regulars were under review in front of the wooden barracks. The companion picture is the beautiful public park, which has evolved from the old commons, and is now surrounded by handsome private residences. The pictures of leading industrial establishments, public schools and churches are in keeping with the nature of the work. Never before have there been shown together so many of the pictures of the pioneers of London. We have good portraits of Governor Simcoe, Col. Burwell, Col. Talbot, John Jennings, first warden, 1838; Hon. G. J. Goodhue, first president, 1840; Simeon Morrill, first town mayor, 1848; Judge Hughes, village clerk in 1840; V. Cronyn, oldest native born resident of the city; all the ex-mayors from 1855 up to the present incumbent of the office, Mr. J. W. Little; parliamentary representatives, and present day aldermen and other civic officials. To further show the comprehensive character of the book it may be added that a picture of the old Tecumseh baseball champions (1877) is given, along with the London team of 1897—as it was organized less than a month ago. Bound with the work is an excellent colored map of Western Ontario, showing the advantageous position which London occupies as a center of trade, railways, education and medical science. One cannot take even a casual survey of the contents of this work without being convinced that London has made steady and most satisfactory progress since its foundation, and that it is a city of which we may well be proud. We congratulate the compiler, Mr. Archie Bremner, and also the publishers, on the very satisfactory manner in which they have performed their labors.

The July magazine number of The Outlook is somewhat of a Geneva number, for it publishes two illustrated articles which have that Swiss city as a subject. One is on "The Higher Life of Geneva," and its treatment is similar to that already given by The Outlook to London, Paris, and to several American cities. We read with special interest about those peculiar features wherein Geneva is pre-eminent in comparison with other places—for instance, it leads all Europe in the proportionate amount spent on education. The same number has a timely article on the Debs Commonwealth, from a special correspondent, Mr. Ray S. Baker. The perusal of this article and the editorial comment which accompanies it gives to the reader a juster idea of the latest co-operative scheme than is obtained from some sources. There are many other interesting articles, and McCarthy's illustrated "Life of Gladstone" is continued. ($3 a year. The Outlook Company, 13 Astor Place, New York.)

Godey's Magazine, which is well illustrated, celebrated its 60th anniversary this month with a cover reproduction of the original. In the series of articles on "Music in America" the Chicago colony is appreciatively treated by Rupert Hughes. M. Bourchier Sanford pays a tribute to the women writers of Canada, and the homes of the California poets are given considerable treatment in this number. There are the usual descriptive articles, interspersed with verses and stories.

In July St. Nicholas the opening article is a quaint little story of long ago with the title, "How Grandma Met the Marquis de Lafayette." It is written in that when-grandma-was-young tone which we are always fond of. The "Last of the Drums," by Lieut. Perkins, of the United States marine corps, tells us that the doom of the drum in war is sealed. A fac-simile of a letter of Washington to a storekeeper regarding a pocketknife is interesting. Two entertaining articles are "The Little Drummers of the Woods," and "Hunting for Shells." Both are worth reading for the information they contain. "The Girlhood Days of Queen Victoria" is a timely article, and brings out facts not generally known. The usual installments of "Master Skylark" and "The Last Three Soldiers" retain the interest in the stories. Miss Nina Barron has several pretty jingles and stories.

OLD SAW FAILS.

[Kincardine Review.]

Rev. Dr. Buchanan, of Galt, received a cablegram from India bearing the one word "Wait". He is doing so, but everything is not coming to him.

PLEA IN MITIGATION.

[Detroit Free Press.]

"All the evidence goes to show that you were scorching," declared the court. "Anything to say for yourself?" "Yes, your honor, that woman with a rollin' pin in her hand, ridin' after me as hard as she could peg, was my wife."

PROGRESSIVE ENGLAND.

[Toronto Globe.]

Last year in London, England more than 12,000 children of both sexes were taught to swim. Doubtless in a humaner age that knowledge will be included in the regular course of instruction in the schools.

COUNTING THE COST.

Leslie's Weekly.

A mother told her little boy that, if he went out into the street, she would whip him. "But, mother," he replied, "if I let you whip me now, may I go out afterward?" The little fellow had a level head, and he was particularly wise in wanting the punishment in advance; or, at least, of being willing to take it then. And there are a great many older people like him.

A very large part of the "news" we read in the daily papers concerns the wrecks and the misdoings of humanity. We can find scarcely a page that does not contain one or more of these items. In most cases the unfortunates would have consented to take their whippings first, and then go out into the world of don't care. But if the punishment had preceded the desire, there might have been a different feeling.

There was a whole volume of truth and philosophy in that little bit of dialogue in Denman Thompson's play, when the ragged tramp returned. He was asked why he had left home. "Because I wanted to have my own way," he replied. "And ye look as if ye had had it," was the comment. There never was a time when sober, industrious living was more necessary than now. It is an age of self-restraint, and not of dissipation; a generation that counts the cost and has to do it or fail.

THE HOUSE FLY.

That we may know the least about what we commonly see, is well illustrated in the life history of the house fly. They are always with us, but we know very little of their comings in and goings out. The University of Minnesota has recently issued a paper on the subject—not telling us all we would like to know, but still adding considerable to the little we have. It is not certain that it is a real native of America, or whether it came as a stowaway in some early vessel from the old world. They were very active in Minnesota during August. Between 6 p.m. and 8 a.m. the next day one fly had laid 120 eggs. This was on Aug. 12; on Aug. 14 the eggs were hatched, and minute fly maggots were crawling about. The eggs usually hatch in 24 hours after being laid. The fly deposits its eggs in manure. The maggots moult twice. The larva is full grown in six days, when it becomes a pupa, and in five or six days emerges from its case a full-grown fly. Each female fly is capable of laying 1,000 eggs in a season; a few of the stronger live through the winter as flies, and start the brood next season. Many die in the fall from a parasite fungus, and may be seen fast to the window glass.—[Meehans' Monthly for June.

LIFE SAVED.—Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs, and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice, I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me; I certainly believed it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me any good."

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Lower Temperatures at Last Bring Welcome Relief From the Unprecedented Heat.

New York, July 11.—The fierce heat under which the greater portion of the country has sweltered since July 1 moderated in many localities today, and predictions from the weather bureau at Washington indicate that lower temperature will bring general relief within 24 hours. The record of prostrations and deaths approaches in magnitude that of a general epidemic.

Reports from all sections of the country received by the Associated Press shows prostrations numbering in the neighborhood of 2,000, with fatalities close to 350. In addition to this there were scores of deaths resulting indirectly from the intolerable heat, the death rate in many of the large cities showing a fearful increase over previous years. The Central States suffered more severely than other sections, the heat being most deadly in Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis. In number of fatalities Chicago heads the list with 87 deaths, Cincinnati and suburban points reporting 65, and St. Louis 42. Throughout the south the heat was intense, but the death rate much lower than in the north.

At midnight five additional deaths from heat were reported in Buffalo, making the total number of deaths for the day nine. The prostrations, many of which are serious, number over 50. Today a heavy thunder storm and a steady downpour of rain for three hours has cooled the atmosphere greatly.

There are in Cincinnati hospital 40 cases of sufferers from sunstroke, together with 358 cases under treatment, very largely from ailments superinduced by heat. The maximum heat marked by the weather bureau yesterday was 93 at 1 p.m.

Chicago, July 11.—Eighty-seven people have died from the effects of heat here since July 1. In addition six have drowned while bathing to escape the rays of the sun, seven have been driven insane, a like number have committed suicide, while 347 prostrations more or less serious have occurred. The health department reports show a great increase in the mortality among children and sufferers from chronic diseases, the average number of deaths for the past three or four days having almost doubled.

Since the commencement of the heated term there have been 17 deaths and 50 prostrations at Louisville, Ky.; 5 deaths at Nashville, Tenn.; 2 deaths and 4 prostrations at Omaha, Neb.; 15 deaths at New Orleans, La.; 2 deaths at Worcester, Mass.; 8 deaths at Kansas City, Mo.; 1 death and 28 prostrations at Columbus, Ohio; 4 deaths at Syracuse, N. Y.; 3 deaths at Philadelphia, Pa.; 53 deaths at Cincinnati, O., and over 400 prostrations; 22 deaths and 47 prostrations at Pittsburg, Pa.; 5 deaths and 27 prostrations at Cleveland, O.; 14 deaths and 52 prostrations at St. Louis, Mo.; 2 deaths and 7 prostrations at St. Paul, Minn.; 3 deaths and 13 prostrations at Milwaukee, Wis.—all due directly to the intense heat.

New York, July 11.—There were 31 heat prostrations in this city today; 4 fatal.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 12.—Buffalo suffered from heat Saturday as it has never suffered before. Up to 10 o'clock at night 44 cases of heat prostration and 4 deaths had been reported to the police. Reports of deaths from heat come from all surrounding towns and villages.

Four more deaths were reported early yesterday morning, making the number of victims 13. Yesterday was quite cool, a heavy downpour of rain causing a rapid fall in temperature.

IN CANADA.

Belleville, Ont., July 12.—Jas. Clark, of Sidney, died on Friday night from sunstroke. He was about 50 years of age.

Toronto, Ont., July 12.—Thomas Cocrofe, an old man, was overcome by the heat on Saturday and may die.

The prolonged hot spell is broken at last, and for the first day in nearly two weeks life has been worth living. Maximum temperature yesterday was 86, and heavy rain in the afternoon cooled the atmosphere considerably.

Stratford, Ont., July 12.—Mr. John Counter, a long time resident of this city, received a sunstroke while on his way home between 12 and 1 o'clock from the effects of which he never rallied, and died about 6 o'clock Saturday evening.

Brantford, Ont., July 12.—Jas. Turner, a carpenter working on the improvements at the waterworks power house, had a sunstroke Friday afternoon, and was removed to the hospital for treatment. He is now doing fairly well, and hopes are entertained of his recovery.

KINDLY SYMPATHY.

One of the governesses of the Queen's children, the daughter of a Scottish clergyman, lost her mother shortly after entering the royal service. A year later found her in the anniversary of her mother's death in the school room, and, as she performed her duties, she strove to conceal the emotion she felt. But the strain was too much for her; her fortitude gave way, and laying her head on the desk before her, she burst into tears, sobbing, "Mother, mother." The children stole softly from the room and brought the Queen. "My poor girl," said her Majesty, "how thoughtless of me to forget. Start at once for your mother's grave. I will give the children their lessons today."

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Local Market.

(Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.)

London, Monday, July 12.

Wheat, white, fall, per bu	60c to 60c
Wheat, red, fall, per bu	60c to 60c
Wheat, spring, per bu	60c to 60c
Oats, per bu	24c to 25¼c
Peas, per bu	36c to 39c
Corn, per bu	28c to 31c
Barley, per bu	29c to 31c
Rye, per bu	24c to 30c
Buckwheat, per bu	29c to 33½c
Beans, per bu	35c to 45c

There was a very small market today. Only a few loads of grain offered, very little fruit, and a few lots of hay. The prices paid were the same as on Saturday, and were as follows:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs	1 10	to	1 10
Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs	1 10	to	1 10
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	1 10	to	1 10
Oats, per 100 lbs	70	to	77
Peas, per 100 lbs	60	to	65
Corn, per 100 lbs	50	to	55
Barley, per 100 lbs	60	to	63
Rye, per 100 lbs	60	to	60
Beans, bu	35	to	45
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	80	to	80
PROVISIONS.			
Honey	8	to	15
Cheese, per lb	8½	to	8¾
Eggs, single dozen	10	to	11
Eggs, fresh, basket, per doz	8½	to	9
Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz	8	to	9
Butter, single rolls per lb	13	to	14
Butter, per pound, retail	16	to	17
Butter, per 1 lb rolls, baskets	15	to	15
Butter, per lb, large rolls or crocks	14	to	14
Butter, per lb, tubs or firkins	10	to	13
Lard, per lb	6	to	7
Potatoes, per bag	30	to	40
Chickens, per pair	35	to	50
Ducks, per pair	50	to	75
Turkeys, each	75	to	1 00
MEAT HIDES ETC.			
Beef, quarters, per lb	5½	to	6½
Mutton quarters, per lb	5	to	6
Veal, quarters, per lb	5	to	6
Lamb quarter	10	to	10
Dressed hogs, 100 lb	6 00	to	7 00
Hides, No. 1, per lb	7	to	7
Hides, No. 2, per lb	6	to	7
Hides, No. 3, per lb	5	to	5
Calfskins green	6½	to	6½
Calfskins, dry, each	4	to	6
Sheepskins, each	1 00	to	1 25
Lambskins, each	35	to	35
Pelts	20	to	20
Wool, per lb	19	to	19
Wool, unwashed, per lb	10	to	11
Tallow, rendered, per lb	2½	to	3
Tallow, rough, per lb	1½	to	2
HAY AND SEED			
Hay, per ton	6 00	to	6 50
Straw, per load	2 00	to	2 50
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.			
Cherries, per quart	6	to	10
Gooseberries, per quart	4	to	6
Currants, black	12	to	15
Currants, red	5	to	6
Strawberries, per quart	3½	to	7
Raspberries, black	14	to	14
Raspberries, red	12	to	13
Asparagus, per doz. bunches	15	to	20
Celery, per doz. bunches	60	to	60
Cauliflowers, per doz	50	to	2 00
Peas, per quart	5	to	5
Beets, per doz. bunches	30	to	40
Carrots, per doz. bunches	30	to	30
Tomatoes, per quart	10	to	15
Cucumbers, dozen	65	to	75
Cabbage, per doz	60	to	75
Lettuce, per doz	10	to	15
Onions, per doz. bunches	20	to	20
Radishes, per doz. bunches	12½	to	15
LIVE STOCK.			
Young pigs, per pair	5 00	to	6 00
Cows each	20 00	to	38 00
Hogs per 100 lbs	4 75	to	5 25
Chickens, per pair	25	to	40
Hens, per pair	30	to	50
Ducks, per pair	50	to	65

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The Oil Market.

PETROLEA

Petrolea, July 11.—Oil opened and closed at $1 40.

NEW YORK.

New York, July 10.—Petroleum—Pennsylvania crude steady; August, 85c bid; sales none.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, July 10.—Oil closed at 80c bid.

American Produce Market.

Chicago, July 10.

The leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat—No. 2 July, 69½c; Sept., 65¾c; Dec., new, 67c to 67¼c.

Corn—No. 2 July, 23½c; Sept., 25¼c; Dec., 27½c.

Oats—No. 2 July, 17½c; Sept., 18¼c.

Mess pork—July, $7 45; Sept., $7 50.

Lard—Sept., $3 95; Oct., $4.

Short ribs—Sept., $4 30; Oct., $4 37½.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 69½c; No. 3 spring wheat, 63c to 69c; No. 2 red, new, 69½c; No. 2 corn, 25½c to 25¾c; No. 2 yellow, 25½c to 25¾c; No. 2 oats, 17½c; No. 2 white, f. o. b., 21c to 22c; No. 3 white, f. o. b. 20c to 21¼c; No. 2 rye 34½c; No. 2 barley, nominal; No. 3, f. o. b., 31c; No. 4, f. o. b., 27½c; No. 1 flaxseed, 77c to 78½c; prime timothy seed, $2 75; mess pork, $7 45 to $7 50; lard, $3 87½ to $3 90; short ribs sides, $4 25 to $4 55; dry salted shoulders, 4¾c to 5c; short clear sides, 4¾c to 4¾c; sugar, cut loaf, $5 59; granulated, $4 97; eggs, quiet; fresh, 8c.

Receipts—			
Flour	4,000	Wheat	3,000
Corn	282,000	Oats	262,000
Rye	4,000	Barley	3,000
Shipments—			
Flour	2,000	Wheat	16,000
Corn	157,000	Oats	226,000
Rye		Barley	1,000

English Markets.

London, July 12.

Cargoes off coast—Wheat and corn nothing doing.

Cargoes on passage—Wheat, buyers indifferent; corn quiet but steady

Country markets—French, easy.

Liverpool, July 12.—12:30 p.m.

Wheat—Spot quiet; demand poor; holders offer moderately: No. 1 Cal., 6s 3d to 6s 4d; No. 1 red northern spring, 5s 10½d to 5s 11d; No. 2 red Western, winter, no stocks.

Corn—Spot quiet; demand poor; American mixed, new, spot, 2s 9½d; old, 2s 10½d.

Peas—Canadian, 4s 2½d.

Beef—Extra India mess, 53s 9d.

Pork—Prime mess, western, 45s.

Bacon—Long clear heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, 24s 6d; short clear heavy, 45 to 50 lbs, 24s; long clear light, 35 to 38 lbs, 25s.

Lard—Prime western, 20s 3d.

Butter—Finest United States, 80s; good, 55s.

Cheese—American finest white and colored, new, 41s.

Tallow—Fine American, city, 17s 3d.

Turpentine—Spirits, 20s 6d.

Rosin, common—4s 6d.

Petroleum—Refined, 5½d.

Linseed oil—15s 3d.

The Dairy Market.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, July 10.—Butter firm; creameries, 10c to 14½c; dairies, 9c to 12c. Cheese weak at 7¾c to 8c.

WATERTOWN.

Watertown, N. Y., July 10.—Sales of cheese on board of trade today, 7,000 boxes, at 7¾c to 7½c.

OGDENSBURG.

Ogdensburg, N. Y., July 10.—Thirty-one lots—2,259 boxes—cheese offered; 7¾c bid for Morristown delivery; 7¾c Ogdensburg delivery; no sales.

CANTON.

Canton, N. Y., July 10.—Three thousand large cheese sold at 7⅝c; no twins sold; 500 tubs butter sold at 16c; 200 at 16½c.

LONDON.

There was a fair attendance at the cheese market on Saturday. The bidding was brisk. Prices were about the same as last week. Cable quotation, 41s. The thirteen factories boarded 1,701 boxes, of which 1,421 were sold. The following factories were represented:

	Boxes.	Price.
Fingal	70	7 15-16c
Galloway	55	—
Oliver (white)	180	8¼c
Westminster	225	—
Ridgetree	160	8c
Pond Mills	65	8 1-16c
Forest, Uttoxeter, Galabank and Anderson's	480	8c
Appleton	100	8 1-16c
Delaware	186	8c

Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, July 12.—Estimated receipts, of hogs today, 41,000; left over, 2,000; estimated receipts for tomorrow, 21,000; market fairly active, 5c to 7½c lower; light, $3 40 to $3 55; mixed, $3 35 to $3 52½; heavy, $3 10 to $3 47½; rough, $3 10 to $3 25.

Cattle—Receipts, 21,000; market lower; beeves, $3 75 to $5 10; cows and heifers, $1 75 to $4 25; Texas steers, $2 75 to $4; stockers and feeders, $3 25 to $4 20.

Sheep—Receipts, 17,000; generally steady.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, N. Y., July 10.—Cattle—Receipts of sale stock were confined to about a load and a half. The market was dull and slow for any kind. Veals and calves—Only a few odd head on offer. The market was dull and weak for all kinds, as liberal supplies of both state and Canadian dressed were being received. The best sold at $7 50 to $8, which does not mean much over $5 to $5 25 for prime live veals.

Hogs—Receipts, 10 cars; fairly active demand, and prices were higher; good weight Yorkers, $3 82 to $3 85; mixed packers' grades, $3 75; medium weights, $3 75; heavy hogs, $3 70; roughs, $3 10 to $3 25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, only 90 head; the market was practically nominal with the prices of Friday, with the heavy stock still unsold; native yearlings, choice to prime, $4 25 to $4 50; good to choice, $3 90 to $4 15; common to good do, $3 40 to $3 75; culls to common yearlings, $2 75 to $3 25; export lambs, $3 75 to $4; spring lambs, $4 25 to $5 50; fair to choice mixed sheep, $3 25 to $3 75; culls and common sheep, $2 25 to $3; export sheep, $3 50 to $4.

NEW YORK.

New York, July 10.—Beeves—No receipts and no trading today; dressed beef quiet, at 6c to 8c per lb for poor to prime native sides; no change in cables.

Exports—730 beeves, 4,265 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 74 head; veals, ¼c higher; good grades, $6 25 per cwt; buttermilk calves, nominally $3 75 to $4 25; city dressed veals quiet, at 8c to 10 per lb.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4,634 head; 22 cars on sale; fairly active, but ¼c to ¼c lower all round; sheep sold at $3 to $4 40 per cwt; lambs at $5 to $6 25; dressed mutton, 7¼c to 9c per lb; dressed lambs, 8¼c to 11c.

Hogs—Receipts, 30,435 head; steady, at $3 60 to $4.

Our Neighbors.

Peculiar and Painful Accident to a Boy—Funeral of the Late W. S. Tooley.

The remains of the late W. S. Tooley, who died in Chicago recently, were buried on Friday in Dorchester cemetery, the funeral being largely attended. Deceased was a son of Mr. Richard Tooley, Ex-M.P.

The 7-year-old son of Deputy Reeve Brown, of Con. 2, Westminster, had his jaw broken in a peculiar manner Friday afternoon. He was driving a hayfork when the whiffletree broke, the end springing back and hitting him in the face. The little fellow was rendered insensible by the blow, and for a time was thought to be fatally hurt.

An estimable woman—Mrs. Elizabeth, widow of the late Duncan McTavish, of Marlette, Mich.—died on Sunday, the 11th inst., after a long and painful illness. The funeral takes place on Tuesday, July 13, from the residence of Mr. Alex. McLean, con. 10, London township, for Ivan cemetery. Deceased, who was 63 years of age, was born in Scotland, and came to Canada about 26 years ago. Her husband was engaged in the railway business, and they made their home in St. Thomas for some time, whence they removed to Marlette, Mich. Deceased leaves no family, and her husband has been dead for ten or eleven years. She was an esteemed member of the Presbyterian Church, and bore her prolonged illness with much patience and Christian fortitude.

AILSA CRAIG.

Thieves Making Depredations — Thedford Baseballists Easily Defeated at Craig — Oddfellows' Election.

C. Walker, Business Agent.

Ailsa Craig, July 10.—There has been considerable thieving going on in this village during the past few months. The last victim was Mr. A. C. Stewart, who had his gold watch chain and pocket-book, which contained a check for about $27, stolen on Thursday night, the front door being left open on account of the intense heat. The screen door was fastened by a hook, and the thief gained entrance by making a small hole through the screen, allowing his hand to get through and unfasten the door. Mr. Stewart's coat and vest were hanging in the hall, and contained the articles stolen.

Mr. Peter McLarty, of Bosanquet, formerly of Lobo, has been visiting his many friends in that township and this village for the past three weeks.

The game of baseball between the Thedford boys and the Ailsa Craig Stars here on Friday afternoon resulted in an easy victory for the home team, Score, 20 to 3.

The following are the elective officers of Saxon Lodge, No. 121, I. O. O. F.: N. G., Byron Cameron; V. G., David Atkinson; R. S., Angus McLean; P. S., John Alexander; treasurer, Jos. Rosser.

WOODBANK.

Preparations for the Camp Meeting—Incendiary Fire—Harvesting Makes the Farmers Hustle.

Woodbank, July 12.—At Wonderland extensive preparations are being made for the camp meeting, which will commence on the 15th. Two carloads of lumber arrived from the city, and an addition has been built to the synagogue, with seating accommodations for 500 people. Besides a number of shanties have been erected for those who will take an active part in the meetings.

On Thursday a barn on the premises of Allen Bogue, Brick street, was set on fire, it is supposed, by a boy, and burned to the ground.

The work of grading a cinder path is rapidly nearing a finish.

Farmers are very busy cutting and housing large quantities of hay, while the fall wheat is crowding close on.

Some light-fingered thief robbed Mrs. Sageman on the market Saturday of a purse containing $24.

Sir John Carling is at present staying with his son at the Cooper villa.

MOUNT BRYDGES.

The Farmers Want Rain—Moved from Lucknow—Great Raspberry Crop.

Mount Brydges, July 12.—The farmers want rain very badly. The wheat is ripening too fast, and the oats are not doing well. However, hay is a splendid crop, and things in general look well.

Rev. Mr. Walker and family have moved to Mount Brydges from Lucknow. Mr. Walker is a superannuated Methodist minister, having been an invalid for a great number of years. Mrs. (Dr. Smith), of this place, is his daughter.

Mrs. Cheesman, of Galt, is visiting Mrs. F. F. London.

Miss Oliver, of Hamilton, is visiting at Mrs. J. Betts'.

Mr. Ed. Tuck, clerk in the wholesale establishment of John Green & Co., London, is home for his holidays.

Troop Sunday school will hold their picnic on Weekes' flats next Wednesday.

Several Foresters went from here to attend anniversary services at Komoka yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Charles Martin and wife, of Michigan, are visiting with Mrs. Lipsit, sen.

Mr. Albert Thomas expects to have a great crop of raspberries. He has five acres under cultivation, and has 20 or 40 pickers employed to take off the immense crop.

Mrs. W. Simpson and son are visiting friends in Fingal.

Mrs. (Dr.) Bice is visiting her sister, Mrs. Edwards, of London.

Measles have been prevalent in the village.

Miss Mary West is visiting friends in South London.

Two 'busloads went through this village on Friday on their way to Moore's rock, near Komoka, looking for a cool spot.

FIGHT IN BARRIE JAIL.

Two Burglars Tried to Gain Their Freedom, But Did Not Succeed.

Barrie, July 12.—About 9 o'clock Saturday night, Maloney and Clark, the burglars, who have been doing the safe cracking in these parts, and who are lodged in jail here, attacked Jailer Sissons and Turnkey Caldwell, when the latter entered the corridor to put them into their cells for the night. The weapons they used were legs of a cell stool, which they had divested of its bars and seat, using the legs as clubs. Sissons was struck over the head, and Caldwell on the right arm, which carried a revolver.

A prisoner quite properly closed the corridor door, leaving the four men inside to fight it out. Caldwell covered Clark with a revolver and locked him in his cell. Maloney refused to surrender, fighting viciously all the time with the jailor and the turnkey at the jailer's request fired a shot into Maloney's right leg. He at once gave up and entered his cell. Doctors were sent for a considerable time to find the bullet, but did not succeed.

The jailer used a large kee freely on Maloney's head, leaving an ugly wound.

ABOUT SITTING DOWN.

Some People Don't Do It—The Majority of Humankind Squat—A Little Essay on the Attitudes of Rest.

From the New Review.

It would seem at a glance that there is nothing profitable to be said about sitting down. The humorist by trade could manufacture some jest out of attitudes and movements, no doubt; his ingenuity works up less promising materials. But what is there for serious debate? Sitting down "comes natural"—like eating. Persons not hasty to grant that a thing must be fashioned by providence for the use to which we put it may willingly allow that the thigh bones are padded in order that we may sit down upon them without discomfort. Until lately, indeed another purpose was assigned to those cushions. Our forefathers proved the manifest destiny of children to be whipped by the same anatomical arrangement; but logicians might call this a second cause. Anyhow, it has passed out of use. But if the operation be natural, all human creatures must sit down—and there is an end to the theory, for they do not. Reviewing, in fact, the population of the globe, it seems likely that the men and women who sit are less than ten per cent. To begin with, the millions of China and India must be excluded.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

Delhi, N. Y., July 12.—Edward J. Betts and wife, who reside on a farm five miles from Delhi, were killed by lightning last night. They had been to a neighbor's house, and were on their way home, when a shower forced them to take refuge under a tree. They were apparently killed instantly.

A Prominent Lawyer Says:

"I have eight children, every one in good health, not one of whom but has taken Scott's Emulsion, in which my wife has boundless confidence."

The best sort of revenge is not to be like him who did the injury.

We have no hesitation in saying that Dr. J. D. Kelogg's Dysentery Cordial is without doubt the best medicine ever introduced for dysentery, diarrhea, cholera, and all summer complaints, sea sickness, etc. It promptly gives relief and never fails to effect a positive cure. Mothers should never be without a bottle when their children are teething.

Are They Pickpockets?

A Pair of Alleged Experts Remanded Until Friday.

Geo. Ballantyne and Fred. McRoberts Charged With Robbing Sterling Bros.' Shoe Warehouse.

Henry Martin and Julius Fisher, the two men alleged to be pickpockets, came up before Police Magistrate Parke this morning. R. M. C. Toothe appeared for them, and asked that they be discharged, as the charge against them was only vagrancy, and that they had been sufficiently punished. Some $25 had been found on them, and they could not be termed vags.

Mr. McKillop asked that the men be remanded until Friday. The men were charged as vagrants merely to hold them. That charge could be proved any time. One of the men, he said, had been found with his hand actually in a woman's pocket, and from the articles found on them, he thought they were nothing more than traveling pickpockets.

The magistrate then committed the men until Friday next, and a more serious charge will likely be laid in the meantime.

Fred. McRoberts and George Ballantyne were arrested and placed on trial for robbing Sterling Bros', boot and shoe warehouse of several pairs of shoes. The goods were stolen and then hidden in the lumber yard at the corner of Bathurst and Clarence streets, where they were found.

Young McRoberts was arrested last night and locked up. This morning Ballantine and his companions were around the station door anxious to know what they were going to do with poor "Mac." Ballantine was the picture of innocence, but was arrested and locked up on the charge of aiding McRoberts in the theft of the goods.

Another of his companions looked down at his feet and exclaimed: "I've got a new pair of boots, too. Suppose I stole these, too?"

Ballantine and McRoberts pleaded not guilty, and said they did not want a lawyer. They were remanded until tomorrow.

John Griffin and Harry Bradford, two boys, were brought up for playing ball on the street. They promised to see that it did not occur again, and were let go with a warning.

John Thompson, the ex-ball tosser, Eusebius Neo, Mrs. Heard and Mrs. Grills were all up for allowing stock to run at large. They were let go meanwhile.

W. S. Vanstone, an erring bicyclist, was given another chance, as he was a green rider.

Fred C. Taylor, the Salvation Army soldier who was supposed to be wrong in his head, was discharged.

Soft Coal Famine.

Supplies in This City Are Very Low,

And None Can Be Got While the Strike Is On—Railroads Are All Right.

The miners' strike in the United States is seriously affecting the soft coal supplies in London.

Local dealers are unable to get any soft coal from the other side. All the shipments consigned to them have been seized by the railways for their own use.

Very few of the dealers have a week's stock; the majority have only enough for two or three days. Prices have not risen materially, but unless the strike situation improves no soft coal will be purchasable at any price by the end of the week.

The manufacturers will be the chief sufferers. The most of them have supplies for only a day or two, and they will be compelled to use hard coal, which is much more expensive. The street railway company have only 50 tons in stock, which will not last them beyond Wednesday. Fortunately, the hard coal supplies are not affected in the least.

Neither of the two big railroad companies have any fear of a coal famine. Even if the strikers manage to hold out, the Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific have sufficient supplies now on hand to last them for some time. While they have, of course, contracts with the American mines for coal, it is doubtful if supplies could be delivered under the present circumstances. Even if supplies now on hand give out, there are the coal mines of Nova Scotia, from which the railways can draw unlimited quantities. Indeed, if coal in the United States were to advance to a very high figure, it would be possible for coal from Nova Scotia to be exported to that country, and partially, at least, to relieve any coal famine there.

Biggs Broke His Back.

Sad Accident to a Young Man at the Sulphur Baths.

Jumped From a Ladder and Slipped While Doing So—May Prove Fatal.

Frank S. Biggs, while bathing at the sulphur springs yesterday morning, met with an accident which may prove fatal. The young man climbed up to the top of the baths to dive from a ladder that was stretched across from beam to beam. In making preparation to descend Biggs slipped, and fell headforemost into the water. In coming down Biggs struck his back against the ladder, and broke one of the segments, which is now pressing against the spinal cord, and produced paralysis of the man's body from head to foot.

Frank Jeffery saw Biggs go into the water swiftly and strike his head on the bottom. Biggs came to the top again and was brought out by Jeffery.

Dr. Teasdall was called, and had the man removed to the hospital, where Dr. Stutt is attending him. This morning Biggs' pulse was a little better than yesterday, but it is hard to say as yet whether or not the injury will prove fatal.

Mr. Biggs is a native of Bristol, England, and has been in the country for some time. He was up to a month ago employed as a clerk in the departmental store of Runians & Butler, when he went into camp as a volunteer.

Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

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A splendid purchase of high-class Wash Goods—first showing today. There'll be quick selling of this lot:

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At 20c	Pure Flax Linen Organdies, worth 25c, in three shades.
At 25c	Three colorings of French Pointed Canvas, high grade, and worth 37½c.
At 25c	Pure Silk and Linen, open work, in three shades, worth 40c.
At 10c	Lot of American Organdies, 8 patterns, worth 15c.

These lots are specially choice, fine goods, and in exclusive designs.

Bayley's

From the Orient.

The Usual Budget of Belligerent Operations.

The Foreign Colony in Daily Peril—Conspiring to Attack the Settlement.

San Francisco, Cal., July 12.—The Occidental and Oriental steamer Doric has arrived from China and Japan two days ahead of schedule time. She brought Yokohama advices to June 29. The Japanese mail gives a summary of correspondence from Tien Tsin, which shows that the state of the foreign colony in that city is alarming. Three Chinese were killed in the last days of May on the charges that they had stolen native children in order that they might serve as offerings to insure the safety of the foundations of the new French Catholic Cathedral, to be dedicated June 21.

A Tien Tsin correspondent says: It is reported that a conspiracy has been formed to attack the foreign settlement on June 21, and to burn the Roman Catholic Cathedral. The consuls of the various nationalities have deemed it prudent to telegraph the facts to their governments and to ask for the protection of men-of-war.

The gate leading from the foreign settlement to the Chinese quarter is closed every night at 1 o'clock. The Japanese gunboat Akagi is now at Taku in response to appeals from the Japanese consuls. Chinese soldiers are quartered in various parts of the city for the purpose of checking rioters.

BARNATO'S HOUSE.

The Bradley-Martins, of New York, Will Endeavor to Conquer Social London With Their Receptions.

London, July 12.—If rumor current in London is to be credited, the Bradley-Martins will hold their receptions during the next London season in the house which Barney Barnato, the Kaffir King, who committed suicide at sea, intended for his own occupancy.

This mansion, which Barnato had meant should be one of the finest in all London, is situated in Park Lane.

The street itself is a very valuable one, and in making plans for the house which was to adorn it, the millionaire had thrown all thought of economy to the winds. It was a fad of his, to have his town house outdo in splendor the mansions of all the nobles. In the earlier stages of its building he had personally directed the work, and for its furnishing and decoration had sent to Europe, Asia and Africa for materials and artifices.

The foundations were laid and the structure fairly under way long before the diamond king's death, and work upon it has been carried on without interruption ever since by the architects and builders whom he had employed.

The plot upon which the house stands is not long and narrow. It cost $1,250,000. Within a few yards are several private palaces, which "the crushings of all the land" could not buy. The shell of the house cost $1,000,000. The interior decoration, exclusive of furniture, was estimated at $100,000.

The ground floor feature is the hall, of carved oak, with a grand staircase of white marble. The reception room is in Moorish style. On the second floor is a ball room 70 feet long, a conservatory, a boudoir, and two drawing-rooms.

The ball room, unless Barnato's plans are changed by the Bradley-Martins, will be in Louis XV. style, the walls paneled with rich silk and the ceiling ornately molded and decorated with paintings by noted artists. The flooring throughout will be of polished oak parquetrie. The Bradley-Martins will have a fine scene now for their astounding social functions, though they have been considered pretty well fixed in the matter of houses.

Mal Macean, the Scottish estate, is one of the largest in the picturesque parish of Urquhart, Inverness-shire. It has been famous for centuries for its scenery, fishing and hunting.

FAGGED OUT.—None but those who have become fagged out know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength is gone, and despondency has taken hold of the sufferers. They feel as though there was nothing to live for. There, however is a cure—one box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dandelion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parmelee's Pills.

What a pity the crank cannot invent a flying machine and quit the earth.

To prevent pale and delicate children from lapsing into chronic invalids later in life, they should take Ayer's Sarsaparilla, together with plenty of wholesome food and outdoor exercise. What they need to build up the system is good red blood.

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

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It has always been a favorite in home circles, where its advertisements are carefully read in the leisure of evening by those who do the buying.

The Advertiser goes into thousands of homes where, through habit, and identity of opinion, it is the only newspaper taken. Without it, "the whole field" cannot possibly be covered.

The purchasing quality of the circulation of The Advertiser has been frequently tested in specific instances by leading merchants, with the most satisfactory results.

The circulation of The Advertiser increased 20 per cent during the past five months, and will more than maintain this percentage of increase throughout 1897.

There is one infallible test of the advertising efficacy of any newspaper—namely, results. Make the trial!

Estimates of cost, and proof-sheets of advertising, furnished on application.

Advertisers in these columns will find themselves in good company. Only clean advertising accepted.

ON THE MANNER OF AN INTRODUCTION.

It is mortifying to note how many persons pay little or no heed to what may be styled the etiquette of introductions. To the lover of good form there is something that sets one's teeth on edge on hearing an introduction so worded that a woman is presented to a man, or an elderly woman to a young one. The rules with regard to introductions are so simple and sensible that it would seem that the wayfaring man or woman, though a fool, could scarcely err therein. A man is always introduced to a woman, and it may be well in passing to add that a lady's permission should usually be asked before such a presentation is made. It is a simple matter to say, "Miss Smith, may I present to you Mr. Jones?" before uttering the formal, "Miss Smith, allow me to introduce Mr. Jones."

The man is, of course, always brought to the woman whom he is to meet; the woman should never be led to the man.

These rules might seem superfluous were it not that one so often observes their infraction among people who should know better. At a tea a matron who years before had arrived at the dignity of a grandmother, was piloted by her hostess to a young girl of 20, and they were made known to each other in the well meant words: "Mrs. Knight, I want to introduce you to my dear little friend, Mabel Day. Mabel, dear, this is Mrs. Knight, of whom you have so often heard me speak."

If the ladies were amused by the speech, they were so well versed in that knowledge of good form in which their hostess was lacking that they showed no consciousness of her error. —Harper's Bazar.



Is Your Heart Strong?

Or have you palpitation, throbbing or irregular beating, dizziness, short breath, smothering or choking sensation, pain in the breast or heart. If so, your heart is affected and will in turn affect your nerves, causing nervousness, sleeplessness, morbid anxious feeling, debility.

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Late Afternoon Markets.

Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, July 12.

	Ask.	Off
Canadian Pacific	66½	66
Duluth, common	4	2¾
Duluth, preferred	10	5¼
Commercial Cable	172¼	172⅛
Commercial Cable Coupon Bonds	..	..
Commercial Registered Bonds	107½	107
Wabash, common	..	..
Wabash, preferred	..	..
Montreal Telegraph, x-d.	170	167½
Richelieu and Ontario	94	87
Montreal Street Railway	217	216¾
Montreal Street Ry. new rights	212½	209¼
Montreal Gas Company	190	188
Bell Telephone, x-d	170	164
Royal Electric	144	141½
Toronto Railway	78¾	78½
Bank of Montreal	..	230
Ontario Bank	83	82½
Banque du Peuple	..	..
Molsons Bank	200	191
Bank of Toronto	229	227
Merchants Bank	175	172½
Merchants Bank of Halifax	190	173
Quebec Bank	..	122
Union Bank	..	..
Bank of Commerce	125	123
Northwest Land, pref.	..	..
Montreal Cotton Company	130	121
Canada Colored Cotton	..	..
Dominion Cotton	78	74

SALES—Can. Pacific, 25 at 64½, 300 at 66; Duluth pref., 100 at 6; Com. Cable, 100 at 172¼, 50 at 172¼, 50 at 172¾, 1 at 170¾, 10 at 172; Com. Reg. Bonds, 10,000 at 107½; Mont. St. Ry., 413 at 217, 100 at 217, 1 at 218; Mont. St., rights, 100 at 210, 1 at 210½; Toronto Ry., 25 at 78½, 1,100 at 78¼, 5 at 78; Bank of Montreal, 23 at 235; Merchants' Bank, 2 at 174; Mont. Cotton, 25 at 125; Dom. Cotton, 40 at 74½.

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, July 12.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	239	234
Ontario	84	82½
Molsons	..	..
Toronto	230	227
Merchants	176	172
Commerce	126	125
Imperial	183½	182½
Dominion	232½	231¾
Standard	171	169½
Hamilton	167	166
British America	124½	122½
Western Assurance	164¾	164½
Confederation Life	..	..
Montreal Gas	189½	188
Consumers Gas	..	205
Dominion Telegraph	129	127
Montreal Telegraph	..	..
Commercial Coupon Bonds	..	..
Commercial Registered Bonds	107½	107¼
Northwest Land Company, pref	45	39
Canada Pacific Railway Stock	66½	66¼
Commercial Cable Company	173½	172¾
Bell Telephone Company	167	164
Montreal Street Railway	217½	216
Montreal Street Railway (new)	..	..
Toronto Street Railway	78¾	78½
Dominion Savings and Invest	..	75
Farmers Loan and Savings	85	..
Farmers' L. and S. 20 per cent	65	..
Huron and Erie L. and S.	..	155
Huron and Erie 20 per cent	..	146
London and Canada L. and A.	75	..
London Loan	..	..
London and Ontario	..	..
Ontario Loan and Debenture	..	117

SALES—11:15 a.m.—Western As., 50, 50, 50 at 164½; Com. Reg. Bonds, 5,000 at 107½; Toronto Ry., 25 at 78½. 1 p.m.—British America, 25 at 122, 40 at 122½, 20, 20 at 122½, 2 at 122; Western As., 100, 50 at 164½, 50, 60, 50, 100 at 164¾; Com. Cable Reg. Bonds, 1,000 at 107½; Northwest Land, 10 at 40; Can. Pacific, 50, 50, at 66; Com. Cable, 6, 50, 15, 10, 135 at 173, 25, 25, 25 at 173; Huron and Erie, 20 per cent, 150 at 148.

COMMERCIAL.

IMPORTS OF WHEAT AT LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, July 12.—Following are the imports of wheat into Liverpool during the past week: From Atlantic ports, 28,400 quarters; from Pacific points, none; from other ports, 6,000 quarters. Imports of corn: From Atlantic ports, 58,000 quarters.

Toronto Produce Market.

Toronto, Ont., July 12.—Wheat—The offerings are not large, the farmers being busy with the harvest hay, the demand being fair; prices are steady at 65c for red and 66c for white west. Manitoba wheat steady at 72c to 72½c for No. 1 hard, afloat Fort William, 76½c for No. 2 hard Goderich, and 74½c for No. 2 hard.

Flour—Steady at $3 15 for cars of straight roller west; a good deal of 90 per cent patents has been taken for export from small mills the past week at $3 20 and $3 18 middle freights.

Mill-feed—Steady at $10 to $11 for shorts, and $8 50 to $9 for bran west.

Barley—Nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal.

Rye—Steady at 30c to 31c outside.

Corn—Firmer at 24½c to 25c for yellow west.

Oats—Firm at 22c for mixed and 23c for white north and west.

Peas—Steady at 42c north and west.

Baled hay steady at $9 to $10 for cars of good to choice here.

Baled straw steady at $5 to $5 25 here.

Butter—The deliveries are fair the demand good for local trade, and prices are steady at 11c to 11½c for good to selected tubs.

Eggs—The supply is large and the market is easier today. Concessions would probably be made for large lots. New laid, 9½c for large lots and 9½c for job lots.

American Produce Markets.

NEW YORK.

New York, July 12.

Flour—Receipts, 21,780 bbls; sales, 1,100 packages; state and western dull but steady; city mills patents, $4 70 to $4 95; winter patents, $4 30 to $4 65; city mill clears, $4 60 to $4 75; winter straights, $3 95 to $4 10; Minnesota patents $4 10 to $4 30.

Rye Flour—Dull; sales 100 bbls; superfine, $2 to $2 30; fancy, $2 35 to $2 40.

Wheat—Receipts, 135,775 bu; sales, 870,000 bu options, No. 2 red opened easy under weak cables, rallied on covering, but weakened again towards noon: July, 77½c; Sept., 71c to 71 1-16c; Dec., 72½c to 73⅛c.

Rye—Quiet; No. 2 western 37c c. i. f., Buffalo.

Corn — Receipts, 99,700 bu; sales, 50,000 bu; options, No. 2 was dull and easier owing to improved crop conditions; Aug., 30⅞c; Sept., 31¼c.

Oats—Receipts, 325,200 bu; options, No 2, quiet and steady; track white state and western, 24c to 30c.

Butter—Receipts 17,081 packages; steady; state dairy, 10c to 14c; state creamery, 11c to 15½c; western creamery, 11c to 15½c; Elgins, 15½c; factory, 7c to 10½c; imitation do, 9½c to 12½c.

Cheese — Receipts, 17,561 packages; quiet; state large, 7½c to 7¾c; state small, 7½c to 7¾c; part skims, 4c to 5½c; full skims, 2½c to 3c.

Eggs—Receipts, 7,095 packages; firm; state and Pennsylvania, 12c to 12½c; western, 11c to 12c.

Sugar—Raw, firm; fair refining, 3c; centrifugal 96 test, 3½c; refined, firm; crushed, 5½c; powdered, 5½c; granulated, 4½c.

Hops—Steady; state common to choice 1895 crop, 3c to 4c; 1896 crop, 6c to 9c; Pacific coast, 1895 crop, 3c to 4c; 1896 crop, 6c to 10c.

Lead—Strong; bullion price, $3 35; exchange price $3 65 to $3 75.

BUFFALO.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 12. — Spring wheat—Easier; No. 1 hard, 80½c; No. 1 northern, 77c.

Corn—Firm; No. 2 yellow, 31½c; No. 3 yellow, 31c on track.

Oats—Firm; No. 2 white, 25c on track, 24c in store; No. 3 white, 23c to 23½c on track.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, July 12.—Opening—Wheat, Sept., 65½c; Dec., 67c. Corn, Sept., 26½c; Dec., 27½c. Oats, May, 20⅞c; Sept., 18½c. Pork, Sept., $7 42½. Lard, Sept., $3 90. Ribs, Sept., $4 30.

Chicago Exchange.

Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, Broker, Masonic Temple. 'Phone 1,278.

CHICAGO, July 12.

		Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—	July	69¼	70	69⅜	70
	Sept.	65½	65¾	65¼	65⅞
Corn—	July	25⅝	25⅞	25⅛	25⅞
	Sept.	26½	26⅞	26⅜	26⅞
Oats—	July	17⅝	17⅞	17⅝	17⅞
	Sept.	18⅜	18½	17¾	18¾
Pork—	July	7 47	7 47	7 47	7 47
	Sept.	7 42	7 52	7 42	7 52
Lard—	July	3 82	3 82	3 82	3 82
	Sept	3 90	3 90	3 87	3 90
Ribs—	July	4 25	4 25	4 20	4 25
	Sept.	4 30	4 35	4 30	4 32

Puts, 65½; calls, 66⅜.

English Markets.

LIVERPOOL, July 12—3:45 p.m.—Closing.

Wheat—Spot No. 2 red western winter, no stocks; No. 1 red northern spring, dull, 5s 11½d.

Corn — Spot, American mixed new, dull, 2s 9½d; American mixed old, dull, 2s 10½d; futures steady; July, easy; 2s 8¾d; Aug., easy, 2s 8¾d; Sept., 2s 9⅛d.

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

Beef—Dull, extra India mess, 53s 9d; prime mess, 45s.

Pork—Dull; prime mess, fine western, 45s do, medium western dull, 42s 6d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., dull, 38s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs. easy, 25s 6d; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, dull, 26s; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, dull, 25s; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, dull, 24s 6d; short clear middles, heavy, 45 to 50 lbs, dull, 24s; clear bellies, 12 to 14 lbs, steady, 25s.

Shoulders—Square 12 to 14 lbs, steady; 25s.

Lard—Spot steady; 20s.

Cheese—American finest white and colored, easy; 41s.

Tallow—Prime city, steady; 17s 3d.

Cottonseed oil — Liverpool refined, steady; 15s 9d.

Turpentine spirits—Steady; 20s 6d.

Rosin—Common, firm, 4s 6d.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast), steady, 55s to 65s.

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STRATHROY.

Movements of Summer Visitors—Last of the Harvest Excursions.

Advertiser Agent, J. D. Meekison.

Strathroy, July 12.—Miss Mabel O'Neil, of London, is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. D. M. Cameron and family have left for their cottage near Sarnia, where they will spend the summer months, before taking up residence in London.

The death is announced at St. Marys of Mrs. Roger Hedley, sister of Mr. Thos. Douglas, of this town.

Miss Alice Winlow, London, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Edith Hance, of London, is the guest of Miss Helena Kinder.

Dr. G. Henderson was in Toronto last week, attending the homeopathic medical council.

Word was received last week from Alcona, Mich., of the serious illness of Mr. Duncan McNeil, a former resident of Caradoc.

The Ladies' Aid in connection with the Baptist Church held a strawberry and ice cream social Friday evening at the residence of Mrs. McGugan. The I. O. O. F. Band was in attendance.

Wm. Auld, proprietor of the Essex Free Press, visited friends in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Landon, of London, are the guests of Mr. A. Craig, Thomas street.

The last of the harvest excursions to the Northwest, via G. T. R. and C. P. R., is announced for July 20.

The new heater for the fire engine has arrived from Chatham, and a mechanic from that city is here to put it in working order.

Misses Lena and Nettie Frank and Masters Summer and Malcolm Blossom, of Chicago, are spending the summer at Woodlawn Farm.

Misses Edith and Minnie Harris, of London, are visiting friends in town.

Rev. A. Rapson, of Napier, who had been appointed by the conference to take charge of the pastorate at Camlachie, left for that place the beginning of the week.

Inspector Johnson is in charge of the departmental examinations here, and is assisted by Messrs. Macdonald, of Kerwood; McDougall, of Parkhill; Bell, of Glencoe, and Cuddy, of Strathroy. Principal Dunsmore is conducting the examinations at Glencoe, and is assisted by Messrs. Allin and Finlayson.

The marriage is announced of Rev. P. A. Walker, of Burke, N. Y., to Mary C. McLennan, daughter of the Rev. G. McLennan, of Pinkerton, Ont. The groom is well known in Strathroy, having attended the collegiate institute here for some time.

Providence Thanked.

It is with pleasure that I recommend B. B. B. for the cure of indigestion and impure blood. I had tried many medicines, but received no benefit, until, I thank Providence, I was advised to use B. B. B., and it resulted in a perfect cure. MRS. WM. LOCKE, Oshawa, Ont.

Topics of Today.

Chancellor Boyd has been appointed a commissioner to inquire into and report upon certain charges preferred against Judge Wood of the county court of Perth.

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In connection with the construction of the Crow's Nest Pass Railway, on a suggestion from Immigration Commissioner McCreary, an arrangement has been arrived at between the department of the interior and the C. P. R. authorities, whereby, in addition to the men employed by the local contractors, work will be provided for a further 2,000 men, who will be furnished by the immigration department. This arrangement has been made to assist young men and farm laborers who desire to settle in Manitoba and the Northwest, but are without sufficient means to immediately start farm operations. The agents of the Dominion Government in Scotland, Wales and Sweden will forward a considerable number of the needed contingent, while the agents in the United States will also forward a number of young Canadians desiring to return to their native country.

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A Buffalo manufacturer of beds and mattresses was in Niagara Falls, Ont., Saturday, looking for a site to establish a factory. Still they come.

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The Toronto World asserts that a carload of hogs from Essex county, fed on corn alone, were left unsold in Toronto market from Tuesday to Saturday last. They were offered at $5, but found no buyers, while pea-fed hogs brought $5 65. Pig-feeders may just as well understand that an exclusive diet of corn will not do for hogs intended to be sold for export and to fetch the highest price. In this locality, the farmers supply a mixed diet, and find a ready market for their hogs at the top figure.

Around the City

—Mr. John H. Ginge continues critically ill.

—Miss Dora Gleason is visiting friends in Toronto.

—Mr. Oliver Hobbs, of St. Louis, Mo., is visiting relatives in this city.

—C. A. Montandon, of Santa Domingo, West Indies, a noted sugar planter, is at the Tecumseh.

—Mrs. T. H. Webber and family are spending their holidays with friends in Clinton and Brussels.

—Port Stanley picnic fixtures: Wellington Street Methodist Sunday school, July 22; Catholic Club, July 27.

—James Springer was arrested for drunkenness this morning and remanded to jail until tomorrow.

—Mr. John Kendrick and daughter, of Rectory street, have gone on an extended visit to Cleveland and Lima, Ohio.

—Mr. F. X. Roederer, agent for the St. Louis Bridge and Terminal Association, is visiting his friend, John McLean, of 477 Colborne street.

—In the report of promotions from grade VII. to grade VIII., Colborne street school, it was Miss Hattie Fox who passed, not Miss Hattie Cox.

—Mr. J. Warcup Plewes, principal of the Wallaceburg public schools, is holidaying at home in the city. Mr. Plewes says Wallaceburg is prospering.

—James Brood has been summoned to appear before Squire Lacey on a charge of having assaulted Levi Howard. The case will come up tomorrow.

—Rev. H. Mackenzie, of the Christian Workers, has accepted the call to remain here another year. He was also extended a very pressing call from Toronto.

—J. W. Westervelt, city, has been elected vice-president and a member of the executive committee of the Business College Teachers' Association of Canada.

—The Christian Workers held their annual picnic on Peters' Hill in London West today. The children of the Sunday school were taken out in busses in the morning.

—Col.-Sergt. Cooper, Sergt. Cranston and Corp. Horner, of Wolseley Barracks, who are due to arrive on the Vancouver tomorrow at Quebec, are expected home Wednesday or Thursday.

—The City Hotel boarders will enjoy a moonlight trip to Springbank on Wednesday evening, and invite all their friends to join in. The cars leave the corner of Dundas and Talbot streets at 7:30 p.m.

—Mr. A. G. Fraser left on Saturday afternoon for a holiday trip up the lakes. Mr. Fraser left for Sarnia, and will visit Detroit, Cleveland, Buffalo and other places during the next two weeks.

—Mr. Fred Kingston, manager of the Philadelphia branch of the Eureka Silk Company, is visitng his father, City Clerk Kingston. Fred is both looking and doing well. He will spend two weeks in Canada.

—Nine men were up before Lieut.-Col. Henry Smith at Wolseley Barracks this morning, for having brought a keg of beer into quarters without permission and against the rules. The men, however, were all discharged without prejudice.

—On Wednesday or Thursday next the London Lawn Bowling Association will have a big day. Delaware and St. Thomas bowlers are expected to be here, and on that day one of the features will be a match between the presidents and vice-presidents.

—Mr. Ed. Ryan, who has been with T. A. Rowat & Co. for the past ten years, has purchased an interest in the business conducted at King and Richmond streets by Russell & Cleghorn. Mr. Cleghorn retires, and in future the firm will be known as Ryan & Russell.

—Six hundred Orangemen from London and district left the city today for Courtright at 8 a.m. on a special M. C. R. train. They sailed from Courtright to Port Huron to join the celebration there. A small number of the brethren went to Watford for the day.

—Rev. M. P. Talling, accompanied by Mrs. Talling, leaves tomorrow morning for Toronto and Cobourg. He will be absent about two weeks. Arrangements have not yet been completed for the pulpit supply, but on Sunday, July 25, Rev. Geo. Gilmour and Rev. Mr. Sawers, of Westminster, will preach.

—Trace Jackson, who was committed by Magistrate Parke last week on the charge of having stolen a bicycle from Arnoldi & Hare's store in Seaforth, was arraigned before Judge Edward Elliott this morning. He was represented by Mr. Toothe, who was not ready to plead. The case was adjourned until a week from next Friday.

—A partnership has been formed between E. J. Ryan (late with T. A. Rowat & Co.) and John W. Russell (of Cleghorn & Russell) as grocers, under the style of Ryan & Russell. They will continue at the old stand at the corner of Richmond and King streets, where they will be pleased to see their old friends and as many new ones as will favor them with their patronage.

—Mr. James Gleason, Talbot street, is out a box of cigars and a box of chewing gum, all because he trusted a young boy and was not a practical judge of human nature. The boy called on Mr. Gleason and offered to sell cigars and gum on commission. He was given the articles to sell at the camp, but whether he sold them or not Mr. Gleason doesn't know. He has not seen the boy since, and has forgotten the lad's name. He was 15 or 16 years old, and wore a red sweater.

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION TO PORT.

The first moonlight excursion of the season will be run from London to Port Stanley tomorrow evening. The trip includes a two hours' ride on the lake on the steamer Flora. The fare is only 50 cents for the round trip from London. The Lake Erie management will provide every comfort required and the boat people will have music on board. The train leaves London at 7:25 p.m. and returns from Port at 10:20 p.m.

THE PYTHIAN GRAND LODGE.

The grand lodge of the Knights of Pythias begins its annual session tomorrow in Berlin. The London delegates are: Supreme Representative F. J. Fitzgerald, Grand Vice-Chancellor R. Ironside, Grand Inside Guard H. E. Youngs, and Representatives Thomas Parkinson and Fred Harding, of Myrtle Lodge; H. J. Childs and R. Poulton, Mizpah Lodge; H. Plastow and S. Webb, Prospect Lodge; B. Noble and Wm. Smith, London Lodge, and Joseph Simmonds and E. H. Johnston, Columbia Lodge.

A PAIR OF FANCY TRAMPS.

Detective Ward had a nice chase after a burly tramp last night. Word was telephoned to the London West police station that two "hard-looking" tramps were on Beech street, begging, one on each side of the road, and that they were very impudent. Detective Ward went out to investigate, and when the tramps got wind of his approach one of them put off down toward the river. Ward followed him, and overtook him near the cove bridge. He was placed under arrest. About 200 people turned out and followed him. The other fellow was arrested near Dundas street bridge a little while after. They were brought before Squire Lacey today. The man who did the running said he was a Scotchman. He gave his name as John Rollston, and said he came from Montreal. The second gave his name as Peter McBride, and his home as New York. Both men found fault when Squire Lacey remanded them until Tuesday, and cursed the magistrate, and said it was only a "money-making scheme." Mr. Lacey thought it would be hard to get any money out of men who had to beg instead of earning an honest living, and sent them to jail.

THE CITY IS GROWING.

Assessment Returns Will Show a Substantial Increase in Population and Values.

The assessors have completed their rounds in wards 2, 3 and 4, and today Assessor Toll began work in No. 6 ward. Although the figures are not yet compiled, they will show a handsome increase in population and assessment. So far No. 4 is the banner ward, the population having increased nearly 250 in the year. No. 5 is expected to show up handsomely.

Major Hayes moved into the tax collector's downstairs office today, and is busy raking in cash. The taxes are coming in fast, and people are saving the discount. Messrs. Lester and McCoubrey are upstairs clearing up their rolls.

Mr. W. M. Gray has taken out a permit to erect a brick residence on Central avenue, east of Colborne, to cost $2,000.

The water rates are being paid with a rush.

TALBOT STREET SCHOOL.

Promotions From Grade IV. to Grade V.—Names in Order of Merit.

The following list was not sent in with the rest at the time of publication in Thursday's Advertiser:

Passed—Ernest Complin, Maud McMullen, Leonard Harkness, Athol Marshall, Ethel Hudson, Winnie Smith, Ernest Butler, Flossie Plastow, Harold Little, Ethel Harwood, Ethel McKay, Leslie Turner, John Kippan, Lily Corp, Lewis Brown, Clifford Hayne, Alice Heal, Thomas Heal, Reggie Callard, Arthur Reid, Ella Hamilton, Alice Wedmore, Lena Rapley, Howard Houston, Eddie Johnston, Gertrude Taylor, Iva Walker, John Bridge, Ralph Hunter, Sydney Saunby, Reta Spry, Harry Webb, Frank Atkinson, Noreau Willis, Fred Dykeman, Ethel Doe, Tom Kingsmill, Meta Kaiser, Gretta Slater, Florence Kordes, Tom Heal.

Recommended—Joe Murray.

Telegraphic Brevities.

Judge Joseph Amable Berthelot, one of the oldest judges of Montreal, is dead.

Mr. Amos Train has been nominated as the Patron candidate for Center Simcoe.

Mr. Nostrand Sprague is the Liberal nominee for Prince Edward for the Legislative Assembly.

Mr. Samuel J. Fox was nominated by the West Victoria Conservatives for the Legislative Assembly.

The Conservatives of East Huron will meet in convention at Brussels on July 20 to select a candidate for the Legislature.

Mr. James Cleland, M. P. P. for North Grey, was again chosen to represent the Liberals of that riding in the next election.

Col. C. W. Fraser, father of Virginia Fraser-Boyle, the poetess, is dead. Col. Fraser was one of the leading lawyers of Memphis, Tenn.

The Canadian Government has notified the collector of customs at Vancouver that no duty would be charged on salmon brought from the United States.

Hon. Geo. V. N. Lothrop, ex-minister to Russia, died this (Monday) morning at the Lothrop residence in Detroit. He was stricken with heat prostration a week ago, and had been in a comatose condition most of the time since.

A new difficulty has confronted the Frazer River canners by the announcement that a duty of 1 cent per fish would be charged on all salmon brought in from the United States side. As most of the canners have fish traps at Point Robertson, on the United States side of the line, the duty, if enforced, will amount to a considerable item in the expenses of the canners.

The Water Situation.

Six Feet in the Reservoir for Fire Protection.

The City Supply Is Being Pumped Direct — The Pressure Is Very Low—No Danger of a Famine.

The return of cool weather on Sunday relieved the anxiety of the water commissioners to a great extent, and the danger of a water famine is over for the present, at least. With the cooperation of the consumers it will be entirely averted.

The low pressure of the water on Saturday created quite a scare. Lawn services were almost useless. But this was a shrewd move on the commissioners' part, and awakened people, as nothing else could, to the necessity of avoiding waste. While the water was merely trickling through the taps in the city, the reservoir was being partly filled. It was almost empty, and had a serious fire occurred the situation would have been alarming. The commissioners decided to let lawns suffer rather than deprive the city of fire protection, and accordingly water was pumped into the reservoir to a depth of six feet. That six feet remains there as a sure protection against a blaze, while the city's supply is being pumped direct, and the reservoir is entirely disconnected.

The pressure today has averaged 30 degrees; usually it is between 70 and 80. In case of a fire, the reservoir supply will be turned in, and the pressure will rise to its former strength. This condition of affairs will be maintained until water is more plentiful at the springs.

There is no possible contingency that will require the use of river water. As a desperate resort, river water could be turned into the city mains in an instant, but the commissioners are not anxious to pollute the pipes with the dirty stuff.

Lawn sprinkling has not been canceled, but the pressure will be found very weak.

LATE SPORTING NEWS.

A Local Ball Game on the Erie Flats—Eastern League Standing.

BASEBALL.

EASTERN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
Buffalo	42	22	.656
Syracuse	39	26	.600
Springfield	34	27	.557
Toronto	32	27	.534
Scranton	25	25	.500
Providence	30	31	.508
Rochester	23	40	.365
Wilkesbarre	17	39	.304

A CITY GAME.

Following is the score of a baseball game played on Saturday on Erie Flats:

Askin Street	6	1	1	11	0	5	6	—30
Waverley	0	1	0	0	0	1	5	— 7

Game called in seventh by consent. Batteries—Askin street, Fisher and Fortner; Waverley, Jackson, McDonald and Maynes. Umpire—Bruce.

FLYS.

The Waterloos and Maple Leafs played a game of baseball on Springbank diamond Saturday, resulting in favor of the Waterloos by a score of 11 to 5. Batteries—Waterloos, Peel and Martin; Maple Leafs, Sims and Forbes. Umpire—Drew.

THE LINOTYPE.

One Operator Does the Work of Nine Ordinary Typesetters.

Philadelphia, Pa., July 12.—William Duffy, a linotype operator employed in the composing room of the Philadelphia Inquirer, set in six days last week the enormous amount of 469,300 ems of nonpariel type. His average per hour was 9,192 ems. He worked "off the hook," ordinary run of daily copy, principally markets and summaries of sporting events,leading his own matter, using one-point leads; did all his own correcting, passed galley proofs to next operator for correction, and kept no account of waits for copy or breaks in machine.

FATHER AND DAUGHTER PERISH

Quebec, July 12.—Fire broke out in a house on Commissioner street, occupied by Elzear Pain, wife, a son and daughter. Mrs. Pain and her son, a school teacher, awoke in time to save their lives by throwing themselves down the back stairs. Mr. Elzear Pain and his daughter Valleda were burned to death.

A FARMER'S HEAVY LOSS BY FIRE.

Alvinston, Ont., July 12.—William Hand's barn and contents, in the township of Eupremia, about seven miles from here, were burned Saturday; also one of his horses and a valuable young horse belonging to William Fitzpatrick, of this place. There were about 40 tons of hay ,all last year's wheat and oats and several farm implements in the barn. Cause of fire unknown. Insured in the East Lambton Mutual for $700.

MANY DROWNED.

New York, July 12.—There was an unusual number of drowning accidents in the waters adjacent to New York yesterday. F. R. Hope, an Englishman, 26 years old, ventured beyond his depth at Norton's Point and was drowned. An unknown sloop foundered in a heavy blow off Long Beach, L. I., late yesterday. Half a dozen or more persons were seen on the vessel by the guests at the Long Beach Hotel, but they were powerless to render any aid.

HAWAII AND JAPAN.

Washington, D. C., July 12.—Hawaii has offered to refer to arbitration the immigration question pending between herself and Japan, but the Tokio government has so far ignored the proposition. Telegraphic information to this effect has been received at the state department, and it is, therefore, possible to deny the report just published that Japan had agreed to arbitrate the vexed question she is discussing with the Hawaiian government. The Hawaiian authorities do not expect that Japan will accept arbitration.

It is the general expectation in administration circles that whether the Senate ratifies the pending annexation treaty or fails to take action during the present session, this government will have to settle with Japan the immigration question.

THERE is not a more dangerous class of disorders than those which affect the breathing organs. Nullify this danger with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil—a pulmonic of acknowledged efficacy. It cures soreness and lameness when applied externally, as well as swelled neck and crick in the back; and, as an inward specific, possesses most substantial claim to public confidence.

Afternoon Cables.

Death of Samuel Charles Allsopp, Baron Hindlip.

Celebration of the Battle of the Boyne at Belfast.

London, July 12.—Samuel Charles Allsopp, Baron Hindlip, is dead.

Belfast, July 12.—The usual celebrations in commemoration of the battle of the Boyne took place today. Twenty thousand Orangemen marched in procession and great crowds filled the streets. Everything passed off in the most orderly fashion.

Madrid, July 12.—The statement of the Bank of Spain, which has been formally gazetted, has increased the adverse comment on the bank management. It shows a note circulation of 136,000,000 pesetos in excess of the authorized issue.

Lisbon, July 12.—The budget will be submitted to the Cortes today by Senhor Ribeiro, minister of finance. It provides for a reorganization of the Bank of Portugal, a conversion of the external debt, a government monopoly in the manufacture and refining of beet sugar, the leasing of the state railways and changes in the tobacco and match monopolies.

Labuan, Island of Labuan, Northwest Coast of Borneo, July 12.—Matsalloy, the rebel leader, with 60 followers, attacked and burned the government station at Gaya at daybreak yesterday. He looted the town, sacked the treasury, securing about £2,000 on deposit, imprisoned the officers on charge and others, and killed a corporal of police. The British resident here has gone to Gaya with a small force of Dyaks.

London, July 12.—In spite of the formal denials, there is good reason to believe that an engagement has been virtually agreed upon between the Duke of Manchester and Miss Mary Goelet. Mr. Goelet is supposed to regard the arrangement with some disfavor, because, although the estates of the duke are large, his income is comparatively small.

Five thousand wrought nail makers in South Staffordshire and North Worcestershire have struck for a ten per cent advance in wages.

The Queen on Saturday at Windsor Castle received Senator Wolcott, former Vice-President Stevenson and Gen. Paine, the members of the United States bimetallic commission.

Acres of Burning Oil.

Lightning Strikes a Big Tank in Olean, N. Y.

Flames Threatening the City—Cannon Was Fired at Two Other Tanks to Prevent an Explosion.

Olean, July 12.—There are acres of roaring flames lighting the heavens for miles and rushing down on the city at a fearful rate. Hundreds of men are out trying to stop the flames from spreading. Their task is a difficult one, for the north side of the city is a mass of burning oil.

About 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, during a heavy thunderstorm, lightning struck a 4,000-barrel oil tank about two miles north of this city. The tank was full, and began to burn fiercely. There is a pump station near by, and the Standard Oil Company began pumping from the burning tank.

Last evening a large force of men repaired to the scene with a cannon and began shooting two other tanks that contained oil. As the last shot was fired the escaping oil ignited and began to burn so fiercely that the men barely escaped being penned in.

Men stretched booms to prevent the oil from floating down the creek that runs through the eastern part of the city.

Much property is damaged, but should the oil pass the booms a terrible loss may be sustained. There are over twenty acres of oil burning.

YANKEE DOODLE.

The National Rhyme Written by a British Officer.

It is not generally known that the original version of "Yankee Doodle" was written by a British officer. Before the American revolution took place, a British army was gathering to march against the French at Forth Ticonderoga in 1758. A large number of raw militia were coming in to join the force, and Army Surgeon R. Shuckbury wrote the following verses, dedicated to the raw recruits, who were furnishing much amusement to the British officers by their greenness and awkwardness:

"YANKEE DOODLE."

Father and I went down to camp,
Along with Captain Goodwin
And there we saw the girls and boys
As thick as hasty pudding.

Chorus.

Yankee Doodle, keep it up,
Yankee Doodle, dandy:
Mind the music and the step,
And with the girls be handy.

And there was Captain Washington,
Upon a stepping stallion,
And giving orders to his men—
I guess there was a million.

And then the feathers on his hat—
They looked so tarnal finey—
I wanted peskily to get
To give to my Jemima.

And then they had a swamping gun,
As big as a log of maple,
On a deuced little cart—
A load for father's cattle.

And every time they fired it off
It took a horn of powder;
It made a noise like father's gun,
Only a nation louder.

I went as near to it myself
As Jacob's underpinnin',
And father went as near again—
I thought the deuce was in him.

It scared me so I ran the streets
Nor stopped, as I remember,
Till I got home and safely locked
In granny's little chamber.

And then I see a little keg—
Its heads were made of leather;
They knocked upon 't with little sticks
To call the folks together.

And then they'd fife away like fun,
And play on cornstalk fiddles;
And some had ribbons red as blood
All bound around their middles.

The troopers, too, would gallop up,
And fire right in our faces;
It scared me almost half to death
To see them run such races.

Uncle Sam came there to change
Some pancakes and some onions,
For 'lasses cakes to carry home
To give his wife and young ones.

But I can't tell you half I see,
They kept up such a smother;
So I took my hat off, made a bow,
And scampered home to mother.

MR. BROWNS LOST CREEL.

Tardy Revelation of the Facts About the Loss of Fourteen Pounds of Trout.

"I lost a borrowed trout creel once," said Banana Bob Brown, the cigar man, "and was so mad at myself for not following it up and recovering it that I never told the owner how I came to lose it, but bought him another and never said a word. This happened up in Sullivan county.

"The creel was a fifteen pound one, and the morning I strapped it on, ready to start out after the fifteen pounds of trout necessary to fill it, the landlord of the house where I was stopping said:

"Where are you going, Mr. Brown?"

"'Where am I going?' I replied, a little ruffled. 'After trout, of course! Do I look as if I was going after whales?'

"'I asked you where you were going,' said the landlord. 'I didn't ask you what you were going after.'

"Oh,' I said. 'I'm going to Jumping Creek. Trout there, isn't there?'

"'Ought to be,' said the landlord. 'If the bears haven't fished 'em all out.'

"'Bears,' I said and I had to laugh.

"'That's right,' said the landlord. 'Sure! Bears can beat watersnakes catching trout. Watersnakes can beat coons, and coons can beat the best trout fisherman that ever went out carrying his fly hook where everyone can see it, and his bait box hid in his pocket.'

"'Fudge,' I said and went my way.

"I had great luck that day. The creel I carried belonged to a man who had always lived in the village. I borrowed it, because I thought my own creel was too small. It held only ten pounds. I had almost filled the fifteen-pound creel. I only lacked two pounds. I came to a pool where I knew I could get the needed two pounds of trout, and at first thought I would make short work of it by killing a two-pounder, but afterward made up my mind that it would be more sport to kill two one-pounders. So I prepared to do that. I had to clamber down a steep, rocky place to get to the pool, and I took off my creel and left it at the top, fearing that I might slip and fall, and spill the trout and lose 'em in the creek. I got down all right, and soon had a pound trout hooked. Away he went with a rush down stream, and I gave him line. He went a hundred feet before he stopped, and then stopped right where a tremendous big bear stood in the creek doing, as sure as you live, a little fishing for himself. Before I could reel my trout away from that spot the bear reached out and put the hooks of his big claw in my trout, and yanked it out of the water, grabbing my leader at the same time and breaking it. Then that aggravating and impudent bear held up the trout for me to look at, snapped his jaws at me in a way that made my dander rise right up, and waddled out of the creek into the bushes, taking my trout along. I can't remember when I had been so mad as I was to see that bear walk away with my prize.

"'Not if I know it, you don't get away with that fish!' I hollered, and shinned up that rock to head the bear off and make him stand and deliver up that trout or take the consequences. When I got back to the top of the rock I discovered that my creel of trout wasn't where I had left it. I looked all around, but it was nowhere to be seen. I hurried to the bushes. Pushed them aside, and there, making for the woods, I saw two bear cubs walking off with my basket of fish, carrying it between them! I was simply dumfounded, and while I gazed after those audacious young thieves they were joined by the old bear who had caught my big trout down the creek, and away the trio went, showing every evidence of hilarity over the way they had tricked me. Instead of bounding after that robber bear family, recovering the property they had looted me of, and administering them such punishment as they richly deserved, I was so taken aback that I stood there like a chump and let them escape. When I came to some degree of reason I was so mad at myself that I went home ashamed to tell how I really had lost the creel, and faked up some story of its having tumbled into the creek and been washed away. This is the first time I ever gave away the truth about losing that creel, and I feel better for it."

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Veendam	New York	Rotterdam
July 11.	At	From
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La Normandie	New York	Havre
Peruvian	Glasgow	Montreal
Burdaswold	London	Quebec
Marine	London	Montreal
City of Rome	Moville	New York

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GARDEN PARTY — IN AID OF ST. James' Church, Thursday, July 15, afternoon and evening, at Mr. C. S. Hyman's, South London; gates open from 4 p.m.: bicycles checked. 69u

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Mrs. Northup's Lodger.

A soft rain was pattering on the roof next morning, mixed with the chirp of nesting robins and bluebirds. The odor of growing things and opening flowers came in at her window, as Edith arranged her little work table, everything severely rectangular, to check the play of errant fancy and bind down her mind to the grindstone of duty. There she sat and wrought hour after hour, with the monotonous scratch of the pen going on over the paper without pause. Trains rushed by, shaking Mrs. Northup's little house with a giant's hand every fifteen minutes. The storm had cleared away, and now the sun blazed on the sloping roof, and turned the attic room to a fire bath. Wasps and flies buzzed about. The lovely blue sky, full of floating white clouds, invited her to look, but still Edith wrought on, feeling neither hunger nor heat, nor the small earthquake shocks of the trains.

It was four in the afternoon. She was still writing at her task with bent head, when voices were heard outside her door. Mrs. Northup was saying to some one behind her:

"I keep a-tellin' her she'll kill herself writin' day and night, and forgettin' to eat, but it don't do no manner of good."

Then came a dainty little rap, and Fanny Ashley, in an exquisite light summer gown and full feathered hat, stood smiling in the doorway.

"You see, I have hunted you down; I told you I should. And this is the room where you spin your pretty webbs?" and she glanced lightly about at the little oil stove, the two cracked teacups on the shelf, the breadth of faded carpet before the lame bureau.

"But I don't intend to leave you here slaving away all this beautiful afternoon. We are to have a matched game of tennis and then tea on the lawn, and later a drive in the cool evening air, and I have been ordered to fetch you straightway."

"I thank you so much," said Edith, her voice quivering a little, "but I can't possibly go; I have so much work on hand." She had not even asked her guest to sit down.

"But you must, Miss March. Papa has been reading your story in the Fireside, and he wants to know you; and it is so seldom he does care to know anybody, especially here in Littlefield."

"I am so sorry, Miss Ashley, but I have no time to spare."

"But you must come. Harry will be dreadfully disappointed, and will blame me if I don't fetch you, and so will Mary Trevor; they have all taken such a fancy to you."

Edith was pale now, and slightly tremulous. She arose and went slowly but resolutely up to the very positive young lady.

"Miss Ashley" she said, "I am grateful for your kindness; I shall never forget it as long as I live; but it is not possible for me to have friends like you."

Fanny Ashley looked blank at first during the half moment of silence, then her cheeks rosed lightly with injured feeling, "Why?" said she artlessly.

"Because you are too rich and I am too poor. If I gave myself up to your amusements I could do no more work. I should be spoiled for a laborious life, and my poor brother, who needs my help, what would become of him? Look about this room! Do you not see it is impossible you should associate on equal terms with a girl like me. Our paths in life lie too far apart. I am so sorry, for it would be delightful to know you and your family, but it would unfit me for work, for a life of narrow means and stern self-denial. Edith's eyes were full of tears and a dew had gathered on Fanny's lids.

"I don't understand it," said she, with a touch of petulance; "you want to cut yourself off from us when we all like you so much. I am sure there can be no necessity—"

"I'm afraid I can't explain any more or better," said Edith in a distressed tone; "but don't think me ungrateful."

Fanny walked reluctantly to the door. "I don't understand it, and I can't, but I know one thing: Harold will be awfully vexed with me, for he will think I have blundered." Edith stood pale and silent, and her visitor opened the door and shut it again slowly, and then she heard her go down the stairs. She wrote no more that day, but sat reflecting a long time on the curious fact that she had got into the best society of Littlefield without effort on her part, and had summarily dismissed herself from it by practically turning Miss Ashley out of the room.

CHAPTER IV.

In the deep, shadowy dusk Edith slipped out and sped away to the Littlefield hospital, carrying with her the MS. volume of poems. Fortunately Celestina was now awake, sitting up in bed, propped by pillows, her long thin face framed in the yellow gray curls, and strong enough to receive her rescuer. She greeted Edith with touching gratitude, and held her warm young hand between both her own wasted, chilly ones, pressing it repeatedly to her lips.

"If it hadn't been for you, my dear," she said, in a faint voice, "I should have died right there, alone in the woods, for I was growing weaker every minute. And I didn't want to die. Some old people say they do when they haven't anything more than a cat to live for, but the world is so beautiful, my dear, and I am such an adorer of nature, I want to live as long as I can to enjoy God's good gifts. Every fine day this summer I went to Deepdene woods to commune with nature. It was there I got my inspiration for my poems. I have written poetry ever since I was seven years old. Sometimes I forgot to eat until I was quite faint and hollow with hunger, so absorbed was I in my thoughts and musings, and it must have been so that day I tried the fatal experiment with the pink gills."

There was an extreme propriety and elegance about Miss Celestina's mode of speech, a delicate, refined aroma that shrouded all ugly facts in well-sounding words. "Do you know, my dear," said she, "they wanted me to become an inmate of the Old Ladies' Retreat—a beautiful place, a very beautiful place—but I shrank from it, because I love my independence; and though the house is all fitted up with hot and cold water and gas, my dear, one gets so little soul sympathy, so little appreciation of one's higher and finer feelings in a place like that, and those things have always been more to me than meat and drink. I don't mind telling you, my dear, I have had a good friend here in Littlefield, who could appreciate my extreme sensitiveness of nature, who has given me pecuniary assistance—a check every half-year—so delicately bestowed that I never have felt I was a recipient of charity. This good friend departed for Europe a few weeks ago to join her daughter, who is ill, and in the hurry of her departure she forgot the usual remittance, but I know she will remember me. I am looking every day now for a letter with the check. She admires my poetry, and I have dedicated a sonnet to her, which I hope I am not vain in thinking may link her name with mine, and keep it green long after the grave has closed over us both. So you see, my dear, it was fortunate after all that I had to come here, where I shall be well taken care of until her letter arrives. I am going to ask you to inquire for me at the post-office when you go for yourself. I should so like to have the letter come through you."

Edith went away feeling a new bond with her literary sister. She, too, was looking for a blessing through the post, and Celestina's mild, cheerful philosophy did her good. For days, even weeks, after this memorable day, Edith had flitting visions of Harold Ashley when she went into the street, but Fanny never came again to her room. She went no more to Deendene Wood, for fear of meeting some of the Ashley family, and gradually most of the streets in her own quarter of the town became no thoroughfare for her. Harold was always driving or walking, or sauntering about in those parts, and Mrs. Northup almost daily recounted some chance meeting with young Ashley. He seemed to loiter round corners in tennis dress, his racquet in hand, as if waiting for some one, and there was a suspicion in Mrs. Northup's mind that he watched a certain window in her house at night. Though she believed him guileful, she was half won over by his beautiful manners. "You ought to see him lift his hat to me, Miss March, as if I were a duchess, and such a bow and smile as he does give! I tell Northup there there was never anything like it. It's queer I should meet him so often in my walks to market, now ain't it? Miss Trevor and the rest of the family have gone to the seashore, and I can't think why he keeps a-staying on in Littlefield. As I say to Northup, with all his fine ways I guess that young man will bear looking after."

(To be Continued.)

A LAME BACK.

One of the Most Painful of Maladies.

Mr. Peter Millar Suffered for Years, and Experimented With Many Medicines Before Finding a Cure.

From the Brockville Recorder.

Perhaps no prettier place is to be seen in Ontario than that at Newman's upper lock on the Rideau Canal. At this station for a quarter of a century resided Mr. Peter Millar, who during that period acted in the capacity of lockman, and was, perhaps, the best known man on the canal. Mr. Millar is now a resident of Merrickville, having retired from active life. To a correspondent of the Recorder he related the following experience: "For many years I was troubled with a lame back, which gave me great pain at times, and caused me much loss of sleep. I tried different kinds of medicine, but found little or no relief. The spring of 1895 I was assisting at getting out ice one day when I felt something snap or give way in my back, and it was some time before I could straighten myself up. I now became so bad that when I lay down I was unable to rise without assistance, and I fully made up my mind that I had become a chronic invalid, and never expected to see a well day again. A couple of weeks after my back had almost entirely given out, I saw by an article in the paper that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills had cured a person troubled similarly, and I immediately sent and procured a box to test them. Before I had finished the box I found my back somewhat stronger, so I procured five boxes more, and by the time they were used I found myself completely cured. Since I took the last box I have not had a pain or particle of lameness, and my health has been far better than it had been for years before."

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About Baby Farms.

A London Establishment of This Description.

The Keeper a Woman Who Has Reared 41 Infants.

Often Does Not Know the Names of the Mothers.

Houses of This Kind Must in Future Be Licensed and Regularly Inspected.

A maternity boarding-house is something that nine-tenths of the general public know nothing whatever about, and this fact may, in a great measure, account for the heartless treatment that infants receive in some of these improvised institutions, and without a doubt the reason why the Local Legislature at its last session passed an act to regulate maternity boarding-houses for the protection of infant children.

Inspector Sanders, by special request accompanied a press representative to a London South "baby farm," kept by Mrs. Edward Ings. The external appearance of the cottage was neat, and a well-kept garden enhanced its appearance. Inside, however, was hardly as pleasant as the outside. The house was scantily furnished, though containing enough furniture to meet the requirements of so large a "small family." On a small bed in the corner of the dining-room lay Mrs. Ings, crippled with inflammatory rheumatism, and unable to get about. For the past five weeks she has occupied this couch, and will for a few weeks yet, in all likelihood. Mrs. Ings was very communicative, and readily answered questions. She is a native of Brighton, England, and married Edward Ings, some twelve years ago. She is passionately fond of children, and for this reason she has for many years carried on the business of baby farming. She came here with her husband and family about two years ago from West Nissouri, where she had a baby farm also. In the opposite corner of the room were two small cribs, each containing an infant baby a few months old. Beside these sat a third infant, a little girl, about 13 months old. Crib No. 1 contained a Jewish child, with remarkably fine features, but rather delicate. The mother of this child, the woman said, is now in Detroit. The child was born at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, and was transferred to the farm at 5 in the evening. The child is known only as Norman Wolfe, where he came from and to whom he belongs being kept a secret. Another child belongs to a girl in Exeter. A third one belongs to a girl named White, who is somewhat of a traveler, and seldom sends her remittance twice from the same place. A third one belongs to a fine-looking English girl who lived in the house, but was a stranger to Mrs. Ings. The keeper did not know the woman's name, and knew the infant son only as "Jimmy." There are two children the parentage of whom Mrs. Ings has learned nothing about. Mrs. Ings is the second wife of Edward Ings and has three children of her own. She is assisted at present by her step-daughter and the mother of "Jimmy."

"How often do you wash these children, Mrs. Ings?"

"Oh, gracious, they are washed twice a day—once in the morning and once at night."

"You have five children, and what are their ages?"

"From 9 to 18 months. There's a little girl 13 months old."

"I suppose you are very fond of babies?"

"Oh, yes; when they're gone away I feel terribly lonesome."

"And you have kept a baby farm since before your marriage, and all because you loved the little ones so much?"

"Yes."

"You must have raised quite a family during that term?"

"I should think I have. I have raised 41 children, and never had any trouble with none of 'em."

Mrs. Ings then told of where the infants came from. Some of them came from the city hospital, and some from other sources; of the origin of some of them Mrs. Ings knew nothing.

"Does this business pay you?"

"Oh, yes."

"About how much per month will they pay you for each baby?"

"Five dollars."

"Pay, pretty good, I suppose?"

"For the most part they do, and when they don't, why, I send the baby away—that is, some of 'em. Some of 'em I hate to see go away at all."

"They look pretty healthy?"

"Yes, they have all had the chicken pox and measles."

"It must cost you considerable for medical attendance?"

"Well, no; they have to pay the doctor themselves. If a child gets sick the doctor comes, and the bill is sent to its mother, and she pays."

"It seems strange that you receive letters from the mothers and know nothing about them?"

"Oh, they don't tell me anything. They send the money, and that's all."

"You don't have any trouble getting the money from them after they go away?"

"Some times I do. I had one girl staying here with me, and she got behind, and I was going to send her away. She couldn't read or write, poor girl, and when her letters came I would have to read them. She had a sister in Detroit who used to write to her. One day a letter came and she asked me to read it. The letter told her to skip out and leave 'the kid' with the woman that had it. She could have dropped through the floor when I read that to her."

"What do you feed children on—milk?"

"Not altogether: O no."

"Pure milk, I suppose?"

"No; half-and-half."

"That is—half milk and half water?"

"Yes."

Mrs. Ings went on to tell the inspector of how the babies were adopted. Sometimes she took charge of them from birth, and adopted them out. Some of them were taken away by the mothers, but she didn't know where many of them went to.

THE COUNCIL'S PART.

Inspector Sanders was of opinion that things were not altogether as they should be, and the council will be asked to pass a bylaw which will enforce the act regulating such places. The provisions of this act make it unlawful for any person to retain or receive for hire or reward any woman or girl for accouchment, or to keep women or girls (being mothers of infants and not being married) with infants for board or lodging, or to keep a maternity boarding-house except in a house which has been registered. It will then be unlawful for persons to receive more than one child under 12 months of age for reward or hire, except where permission is granted by the mayor or superintendent of the neglected and dependent children.

The board of health of every municipality or officer appointed for the purpose to keep and register the names of parties applying for a license, and from time to time the council may regulate by law the number of infants and girls or women who may be received; and should the house and person be unfit to have a license none will be granted. The person who secures a license will be compelled to keep a register containing the name of the infant, the name of the parents, the place and time of birth, the time received, by whom and from whom, and also as to the disposal of the infant, giving the date of removal, the party who removes it, and whether by the mother or by a stranger. For each offense against this act the offenders will be liable to a fine not exceeding $20, or imprisonment for six months at hard labor.

Every woman who receives and maintains an infant in contravention of this act is also guilty of a breach.

The cost of a license for an establishment of this nature is $25.

Western Ontario.

The Gospel Wagon Going Its Rounds at St. Thomas.

A Great Crop of Hay — An Exeter Youth Killed by a Cow.

Harvesting of wheat has been begun on Pelee Island.

The proprietor of the Petrolea Advertiser has made an assignment.

Alf. Widdifield, of Lawrence, has sold his hotel to John Marr, of Southwold station, for $3,500.

G. H. White, the well-known dry-goods storekeeper, of Ingersoll, has assigned to E. J. Henderson.

The kick indulged in by some farmer is that the barns aref ull of hay and the crop not half harvested.

Mr. Harry Rowland is preparing to start out next week on his annual assessment of the town of Ingersoll.

There is a Gospel wagon in St. Thomas, and meetings have been held on Mary street by the postoffice two evenings.

Present indications go to prove that spraying has had a wonderful beneficial effect on fruit wherever tried this year.

Over 444 citizens of Petrolea spent Wednesday at Stag Island with the Methodist Church and Sunday school picnickers.

Mr. T. M. Kay, formerly reeve of Usborne, has purchased Mr. Allan's cottage at Exeter, and will shortly move his family to town.

John A. Auld, M.L.A., of Amherstburg, has been elected president of the newly incorporated Peninsular Gold and Development Company of Ontario.

Thomas Henry Tims, aged 20, died of brain fever Saturday at the Hotel Dieu, Windsor, after an illness of two weeks. His remains will be conveyed to Dresden for interment.

Mrs. Mary Crosby, of South street, Aymer, died Thursday evening after a brief illness. Deceased leaves one child and a husband to mourn her loss. Interment in Tilsonburg cemetery.

Mr. C. C. Beemer was badly hurt on Thursday at Simcoe by a falling tree, which was cut down to make way for the old Misner building which is being removed from Robinson street.

A prairie schooner, belonging to two American gentlemen named Warr and Esson, of Brook, Ind., is attracting some attention in St. Thomas. They went to Port Stanley for a trip a few days ago.

Detroit News: The Windsor Times was published today (Saturday) for the last time. The owner will hereafter run a book and job office. The Review is to pass into the hands of a joint stock company next week.

A little 4-year-old daughter of Mr. John McLellan, of Lawrence station, got hold of some paris green the other day, and swallowed a quantity. Dr. Miller, of Lawrence, was summoned, and succeeded in saving the child's life.

On Wednesday night, Anthony Edwards, of Raleigh, lost two valuable horses by being struck with the express on the G. T. R. He valued the team at $225. At the same time David Johnson lost two yearlings and one spring colt.

Frank, the young son of Mr. H. Hooper, of Exeter, had his leg broken in two places by a cow stepping on him. The injured limb was set, and appeared to be doing well until Wednesday, when lockjaw set in and he died Thursday.

The returns are compiled for all convictions in police courts in the county of Oxford for the quarter ending June 8, 1897. Police magistrate Morrison tried 71 cases. Chief Skirving prosecuted 46 cases. Magistrate Field, Woodstock, had 51.

Mr. Wm. Moe, teamster for J. McNelly, of Aylmer met with a very serious accident Wednesday. While unloading lumber at the station, a tier of lumber fell off the car on him, breaking his leg below the knee, and otherwise using him badly.

T. B. Carling, of Exeter, received word on Thursday of the sudden death of Hugh Balkwell, who was killed in Chicago in a street car accident. Mr. Balkwell was well and favorably known in Exeter, which he left for Chicago about ten years ago.

Mr. J. H. Teal, president of the Pacific, Tilsonburg and Lake Erie Railway, says that the work on the Port Burwell harbor will commence at once and that within 60 days two coal ferries will be running between Cleveland and Conneaut, Ohio, and Port Burwell.

The young son of Mr. W. R. Smith, of Ingersoll, who recently had his foot injured in a horse-power at Mr. Hays' feed store, has not improved, and it was feared that amputation would be necessary in order to save the lad's life. The operation was safely accomplished.

Sarnia Observer: The many Sarnia and Point Edward friends of Mrs. John Irwin heard of her death on Thursday, at the early age of 24 years, 3 months and 6 days. Deceased was at the Sarnia General Hospital at the time of her death, having been taken there to be operated on for the removal of a tumor.

The three days camp meeting arranged to be held at Port Burwell on Aug. 4, 5 and 6 promises to be well attended. Rev. D. Spencer, of Brantford, has nearly completed his programme, and has a good list of excellent speakers. Platform and seats are in course of erection, and the railroads are facilitating the movement by special rates.

Another robbery occurred Thursday night in Exeter, when the house and store of D. Spicer was entered, and considerable silk and lace taken from the millinery stock of Miss Morgan, and then the premises set on fire. Mr. Spicer was awakened by the smoke, and rushed downstairs just in time to avert a serious conflagration. The stock was greatly damaged.

A special meeting of the St. Thomas electric street car committee was held Friday night in the city engineer's office to consider the proposition laid before the council and citizens by Mr. Still. The proposed track will be six or six and a quarter miles long. It would cost probably $80,111 50 without power house or park. It would cross under the M. C. R. at both ends. It was stated by Mr. Still that he considered a park necessary to make the road pay. The present road last year carried an average of 250 people per day for ten months of the year, and their receipts were $1,800. The new road would have to carry 900 passengers per day to make it pay. The company is not in a position to build and run the road without corporation assistance. No definite conclusions were reached by the committee, and an adjournment was made to Monday night next.

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AGENTS—E. De la Hooke, "Clock" corner Richmond and Dundas. Thos. R. Parker, southwest corner Richmond and Dundas streets, and F. B. Clarke, 416 Richmond street

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Black and White Silks, checks and stripes, regular price 65c, sale price 25c.

Swiss Muslins, white grounds, with black and colored spots, very fine, regular price 35c, sale price 20c.

Swiss Muslins, in black grounds, with colored spots, regular price 40c, sale price 25c.

60 pieces German Prints, genuine indigo blues, in neat stripes, spots and sprays, regular price 14c, sale price 11c, and they went last week at that price.

20 pieces Fast Colored Organdies, neat patterns, regular 8c and 10c, sale price 5c.

Lappet Muslins, handsome designs, regular 30c to 40c, sale price 20c.

Linen Crashes, scarce goods, 10c, 12½c, 15c and 20c while they last.

A special lot of Grenadines, a little over half price.

50 dozen Fast Black Ribbed Hose, one and one, sizes 8½, 9 and 9½, good value for 25c, sale price 15c.

Ladies' White Kid Belts, regular price 35c, sale price 25c.

Another lot of Silk Ribbons, elegant goods, half price.

A fresh lot of Sailor Hats just opened out, latest shapes and worth 75c to $1, sale price 25c.

Short-back Sailor Hats, trimmed, all colors, from $1 up.

Another lot of Flowers, regular price 70c to $1, sale price 20c a bunch.

White Satin Parasols, the correct thing, regular price $2 50, sale price $1 50.

Black Parasols, fine frames, gloria covering, regular $1 50 to $2, sale price $1.

White Lawns, new goods, from 10c up.

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Everything goes during this Big Building Sale. The masons started yesterday, and as the walls go up the prices come down, offering a rare chance to shoppers to buy new high class goods at building sale prices.

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FAIR AND COOL—SHOWERS IN SOME PLACES.

Toronto, Ont., July 11—11 p.m.—The shallow low area, which for some days was mentioned as being west of the lake region, has, during the past day, developed considerably and moved to the St. Lawrence valley, and the cool wave, which was retarded by the hovering of the low area, has spread over Ontario. Thunder storms have occurred both in Ontario and Quebec. Another pronounced heat wave has appeared in British Columbia, and is spreading across the territories.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Esquimalt, 54-70; Kamloops, 44-98; Calgary, 48-84; Qu'Appelle, 44-72; Winnipeg, 50-74; Port Arthur, 50-70; Toronto, 68-86; Ottawa, 64-90; Montreal, 70-88; Quebec, 64-86; Halifax, 50-60.

PROBABILITIES.

Toronto, July 12—1 a.m.—Probabilities for the lower lakes region: Fresh northerly and westerly winds; fair and cool; showers in a few places.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory Saturday were 94 and 62.5; on Sunday, 78.5 and 65 above.

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In the Dining-Room.

TUESDAY, JULY 13.

BREAKFAST—Bananas with currant juice. Hashed veal with scrambled eggs. Avena gems. Coffee.

LUNCHEON—Swiss sandwiches. Cucumbers. French dressing. Savoy cakes. Frothed chocolate.

DINNER—Green-corn soup. Flank steak broiled. Mashed potatoes. Tomato farci. Raspberry foam. Coffee.

Cut out these recipes and paste them in a scrap-book.

Bananas with Currant Juice—Cut the bananas an inch thick, place on a dish and sprinkle over sugar, one tablespoon to four bananas; then add the juice of a cupful of currants. Prepare the night before and set in a cool place.

Hashed Veal—Chop fine cold roast veal, or veal cooked in any style will answer. Moisten with two tablespoonfuls of veal gravy or water. When hot break into it four eggs. If you have a cupful of veal, if not half a cup of fine stale bread crumbs will answer nicely to make the quantity, add a large saltsponful of salt. Stir the eggs until cooked, add a tablespoonful of butter and a teaspoonful of chopped parsley, if liked. Serve quickly.

Avena Gems—Take one and one-half cups of cold cooked "avena." Season with a half-teaspoon of salt (if none was used in cooking), add two-thirds cup of milk (part cream is better) and white flour to make quite a stiff batter. Beat well, drop in hot gem pans, bake quickly. They are light, tender, sweet and very palatable.

Sweet Sandwiches—Mix equal parts of grated Swiss cheese and chopped English walnut meat. Season slightly with salt and cayenne. Spread between thin slices of bread, slightly buttered, and cut in fancy shapes.

Savoy Cakes—Beat together for twenty minutes the yolks of six eggs and one-half pound of powdered sugar. When light and thick add one-half of a pound of sifted pastry flour, the grated rind and juice of one lemon and four ounces of corn starch. Whip the whites of the eggs to a stiff, dry froth and carefully cut them in. Bake in a quick oven in finger molds that have been buttered, then dusted with flour and sugar.

Tomato Farci—Cut four tomatoes in halves, place them in a frying pan, the open side down, in one-half inch deep of hot fat. Move them about until they are cooked a little tender. Lift them from the pan carefully and place them side by side in a baking-dish. Pour around them two tablespoonfuls of sweet oil, sprinkled with a tablespoonful of chopped onion, one of parsley, a half-teasponful of salt, half a saltsponful of pepper and a good pinch of cayenne. Bake in hot oven twenty minutes and serve in same dish.

Raspberry Foam—Soak half a package of gelatine in half a cup of cold water until soft; heat to boiling two and one-half cups of red raspberry juice; sweeten to taste and turn over the soaked gelatine. Stir until perfectly dissolved, then strain and set the dish in iced water to cool. When cold beat the whites of three eggs to a stiff froth and stir into the thickening gelatine. Beat until the whole is a solid foam stiff enough to retain its shape. Turn into small mold previously wet with cold water, then pile roughly in a dish. Serve with whipped cream.

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ALMOST SUCCUMBED

to heat—doctors gave up all hope, but after taking a trip to SPRINGBANK by the electric cars revived immediately.

A Local Budget

—Master Livingston LeBel is spending his holidays in Sarnia.

—Mrs. Robert Gillespie, of Brantford, is visiting friends in the city.

—Mrs. George Coleman, of No. 2 Seale's terrace, is very seriously ill.

—Mr. McCrae Elson, of Cleveland, is home on a holiday trip in London West.

—The water pressure was so low yesterday morning that it was impossible to operate church organs.

—Mr. A. McPherson, and the Misses Cora and Ena McPherson, of Exeter, are visiting friends in London West.

—All classes of job printing executed in best designs and at lowest prices, at The Advertiser Job Printing Department.

—Mr. Leslie Lindsay, son of Lieut.-Col. Lindsay, has enlisted at Wolseley Barracks again for a three months' course.

—Mrs. W. Simpson Smith, of Bellevue, South London, is critically ill. Her eldest son, Major A. M. Smith, who is in England, has been cabled for.

—The belt line cars were prevented from running the South London circuit Saturday by a sewer cave-in at the corner of the Wharncliffe road and Askin street.

—Rev. Dr. Laing, of Dundas, one of the ex-moderators of the Presbyterian general assembly, is in the city, the guest of his sister, Mrs. Ferguson, Richmond street north.

—A garden party, under the auspices of St. James' Church, London South, will be given on Thursday afternoon and evening next on the grounds of Mr. C. S. Hyman, "Idlewyld."

—Hamilton Herald: James Hussey and Miss E. Welsh, of London, are enjoying a couple of weeks' holidays with George F. Pellow and family at Cadillac cottage on the beach.

—The Ancient Order of Foresters have completed arrangements with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company for their annual excursion to Detroit on Civic Holiday, good for two days.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Labatt, Miss Dora Labatt and Master Jack Labatt left for New York yesterday afternoon. They sail on Tuesday for Southampton by the North German Lloyd's steamer Saale.

—The nurses and graduates of the London training school in connection with the city hospital held their annual picnic to Port Stanley Saturday. A large number of their friends accompanied them.

—An Indian girl of about seventeen years was sunstruck on the local market Saturday morning, and she had to be carried to the Morkin House. A doctor worked on her half an hour and brought her around.

—Mr. F. Wolferstan Thomas, general manager of the Molsons Bank, who is confined to his home by illness, was this morning reported to be much improved in health. His speedy recovery is now looked for.—[Montreal Star.

—Miss May Shopland, principal of one of the London (Ont.) kindergartens, has arrived in Winnipeg on a visit to her uncle, ex-Mayor Taylor, says a Winnipeg exchange. Miss Shopland will take a trip to the Pacific coast before returning east.

—The Canadian jubilee steamps bear the likeness of the Queen as she appeared in 1837 and as she appears now. Some people have been tearing these stamps in two and putting one-half on each letter, and in every case the letter has been returned to the dead letter office.

—A dispatch from Benton, N. B., dated July 7, says: "An exceedingly pretty wedding took place this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents on York street, when Miss Janet Saunders Murray, only daughter of George Murray, of Murray & Co., was united in marriage to W. D. F. Jarvis, of London, Ont., of the firm of Arscott & Co., Benton. Miss Kate Saunders played the wedding march as the bride entered the parlor, leaning on the arm of her father. She was beautifully attired in white silk, with pearl trimmings, and carried a bouquet of white roses. She was attended by the little Miss Jean Saunders as maid of honor. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Harry Harrison. The rooms of their fine residence were tastefully decorated with flowers and ferns. The guests, numbering about 50 couples, were confined to relatives. Immediately after the ceremony luncheon was served, and the happy couple, under showers of rice, etc., left on the evening train for an extended tour through the Maritime Provinces. Mrs. Jarvis' presents were manly, as she was a deservedly popular young lady.

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—The employes of Smallman & Ingram have chartered special cars for an outing at Springbank this evening. There will be games and sports on the programme as well as lunch, and a game of baseball between the east store and the west store. Batteries—East Store, Ball and Harris; West Store, McPherson and Doherty.

A PROSPEROUS CHURCH.

Rev. Thomas Wilson yesterday concluded his first year's pastorate at the King Street Presbyterian Church. The year has been a very successful one. No fewer than 112 souls have been added to the church membership, and the Sunday school has fully doubled. At the time of Mr. Wilson's induction there was a floating debt of $600, which has been nearly wiped out. Since then the church has also cut loose from the augmentation fund, and is not wholly self-sustaining. The pastor's salary has been increased by $200. Rev. Mr. Wilson leaves this week for the upper lakes on a well-earned holiday. His pulpit will be supplied by Rev. Robert Adams, of Shedden, and Rev. Frank Ballantyne, formerly of Westminster.

AT PORT STANLEY.

A moonlight excursion will be run tonight.

The London Catholic Club will hold its first annual picnic at Port on Tuesday, July 27.

Mr. F. G. Greene, of Stoney Creek, shipped three race horses to Cleveland on Friday evening.

About 60 passengers arrived at Port on Saturday morning from Cleveland per steamer Flora, besides a large consignment of freight.

Mrs. George McColl and family, of St. Thomas, are spending a few weeks here, while her husband is on a trip to Scotland.

Miss Lottie and Masters Fred and Albert Johnston, of Detroit, are visiting at Mr. James Ferguson's.

Miss Minnie Ferguson and Mrs. Hugh Savage (nee Maggie Ferguson), of Detroit, arrived today to spend their holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ferguson.

The picnics booked for this week are as follows: July 13, King Street Presbyterian Church; July 14, Memorial and Congregational Churches; July 15, First Methodist and Dundas Center; July 16, Askin Street and Knox, and a Baptist Sunday school. All are from London.

The Wild West Show

Buffalo Bill's Troupe Draws Two Large Audiences.

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Buffalo Bill and his equestrians, or rough riders, as he prefers to call them, did a very good business in London on Saturday. About 3,000 saw the show in the afternoon, and about 6,000 at night. The open air seating arrangement was very acceptable to the spectators, who would have suffered greatly in a closed tent. The performance was satisfactory—so much so that the patrons would have liked more of it. It lasted only an hour and a half, but not a minute was lost.

The most striking and picturesque feature was the opening number, in which the entire troupe galloped into the enclosure. The variety of nationalities and costumes, the glittering accoutrements, and the perfect order, made a splendid and unique spectacle, which was enhanced when Buffalo Bill rode to the front on a beautiful charger. He was warmly received. The parade around the ring, headed by Buffalo Bill, aroused the greatest enthusiasm at both performances.

The rest of the programme consisted chiefly in daring feats of horsemanship by cowboys, Mexicans, Cossacks, Indians and German and Irish cavalrymen. The marksmanship of Annie Oakley, Johnnie Baker and Buffalo Bill was decidedly fine. The latter shattered the clay targets while riding at full speed.

The audience recognized old friends in Hassan Ben Ali and his Arabian tumblers, who repeated the marvelous performance given at the Western Fair last year.

The show concluded by 9:30, and before midnight the immense effects had disappeared as if by magic, and were stored away on the special train for Chatham.

Postage stamps are gummed with a starch made from potatoes.

Orangemen at Church

The Local Lodges, Accompanied by the S. O. E., Attend Divine Service.

Two Hundred Orangemen and Their Friends Listen to an Appropriate Sermon by Rev. J. H. Moorhouse.

The annual church parade of the local Orangemen (district No. 1) took place yesterday afternoon. The day was an excellent one for the occasion—plenty of breeze and no sun. The Orangemen, True Blues, Sons of England and the lady contingent numbered about 200, with the Seventh Band included. The small attendance was probably due to the fact that a large number of Orangemen had left for Port Huron and St. Thomas, where the "Glorious Twelfth" is being celebrated today. The different Orange lodges met at their headquarters, corner of Dundas and Richmond streets, and the Sons of England at their rooms at the corner of Carling and Richmond streets. The procession formed about 4 o'clock, and was composed of the Seventh Band, a delegation from each of the lodges of the Sons of England; Hackett L. O. L., No. 805, Wm. Fox, W. M.; Forest City L. O. L., No. 762, W. Johnston, W.M.; Ahoghill L. O. L., No. 220, John Walker, W. M.; Boyne L. O. L., No. 298, Hamilton Ramsay, W. M.; Covenant Preceptory, No. 346, Royal Black Knights of Ireland, John McDonald, worthy preceptor; L. O. L. No. 11, True Blues; Juvenile Orangemen and Juvenile Sons of England; the fife and drum band and the two lodges of ladies, Victoria L. O. L., No. 2, and Stanley L. O. L., No. 4.

Bros. James McKinn and James Tuffield acted as marshals, and, placing District Worshipful Master John Shouldice at the head of the procession, they marched to Christ Church by way of Dundas and Wellington streets. The Seventh Band headed the procession, followed by the Sons of England. Then came the fife and drum band, the True Blues and Orangemen.

The first few rows of seats had been reserved for the ladies. The body of the church was filled with members of the orders, and the sides well filled with their friends.

Rev. J. H. Moorhouse preached the sermon, and took for his text Psalms lx., 4: "Thou hast given a banner to them that fear thee, that it may be displayed because of the truth. Selah." He said every true soldier and every true patriot was proud of his banner and flag, and when this afternoon they, as representatives of certain organized bodies, unfurled their colors or banners, the members regarded them as symbols dear to their hearts. The symbol by which was established what would always be regarded as a public service, should remain holy and sacred. Some writers had noticed the expression in the verse and applied it to the Lord Jesus Christ. God gave to the people of this world Jesus Christ as their banner, which was openly unfurled, and around which the forces gathered. A true soldier was proud of his flag, his people, his banner, his country, and the Christian should openly show his colors among profanators, unbelievers, drunkards and men of immoral habits and of a profane tongue. No good soldier would see his banner dragged in the dust. Each had been sworn to protect it, and why not do the same for the banner of Christ? The speaker, after referring to the obedience incumbent upon the soldier of the cross, spoke of the qualifications of Orangemen, and quoted from the constitution of the Orange order. "Every member must have a firm and steadfast faith in the Saviour of the world, confessing that he is the only mediator between the offender man and the Great Creator." The very fact that a man was found under a flag indicated that he was a follower of a certain organization, or body, or leader. Every banner had some object. That of the Orangemen was Protestantism. What he had to say he would say in all kindness. The Roman Catholic Church did not meet with the approval of the Protestants. "We believe," he said, "that that branch of the Christian Church has fallen into error, and it is our bounden duty to protest against it." The banner of the Sons of England was to protect and honor their country, to foster and advance law and order. There were some who would rather die than see their flag fall, because it represented the nation, and when it went down the nation went down with it. He urged his hearers to fight and cluster round the banner of Christ. It was a noble flag. Intemperance polluted it; profanity discolored it; slough rotted every banner; pride burned it, and hatred, malice and bitterness rent it into pieces. The preacher again referred to the constitution of the order, and said that it might be ever so well framed, but the people and public could not read it. They themselves were the constitution that would be read, and he pleaded with them to live a life befitting the noble order and a constitution that bordered on perfection.

The music of the choir was under the leadership of Mr. James T. Dalton, who also ably rendered a solo, which was one of the most striking features of the service.

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To junior III.—Lulu Richardson, Lena Power, Lena Cooney, Flossie Mulvey, Maggie Mulhall, Loretta McKenna, Clement Howe, Annie Karn.

To senior II.—Ella Fallahe, Christina Ayers, Mary McNeill, Margaret Higgins, John Frederick, Stanton Donegan, Christopher Cooney, John McHugh, Douglas Wilson, Katie McHugh.

To part II.—Anna Fallahe, Lizzie Bigger, Thomas Maher, Norman Wilson, William James, Loretta McNeill, Mabel Delaney.

To part I.—James Kennedy, Florrie Baker, Anna James, Sylvester Pocock, Thomas Higgins, Stuart Wilson, Rose Gahagan, Anna Webb, Anna Tierney, Leonard Forristal.

A SUCCESSFUL EXPERIMENT.

Mr. T. Hazlehurst, of Brantford, Uses a Specific Remedy With Great Effect.

Brantford, July 11.—Interest has been revived here, through the published dispatches about the Kent case in Ottawa, in the extraordinary recovery from diabetes of Mr. T. Hazlehurst, an esteemed resident of the town. This gentleman suffered very severely from the complaint, losing a great deal of weight, and trying a number of remedies without success. At last when completely run down, he determined to try Dodd's Kidney Pills, and in an incredibly short time recovered his health and strength. He attributed his recovery entirely to the use of this valuable remedy, and has recommended it in several cases with marked success.

A good conscience is one that does not depend upon the condition of one's liver.

Pain in the Back.

Dear Sirs,—I was troubled with pain in the back for months, and after trying several remedies without effect, thought I would use Hagyard's Yellow Oil. I am glad to say that after using two bottles I was completeley cured, and cannot recommend this excellent remedy too highly. MISS ANNA CHAPMAN, South River, Ont.

OUR ANCESTORS AND WATER.

Water was in no great favor as a beverage in the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries. The Hospital says: "It needed a very bold man to resist the medical testimony of three centuries ago against water-drinking. Few writers can be found to say a good word for it. One or two only are concerned to maintain that 'when begun in early life, it may be pretty freely drunk with impunity,' and they quote the curious instances given by Sir Thomas Elyot in his 'Castle of Health,' 1541, of the Cornish men, 'many of the poorest sort, which never, or very seldom, drink any other drink, be notwithstanding strong of body, and like and live well until they be of great age.' Thomas Cogan, the medical schoolmaster of Manchester fame, confessed in his 'Haven of Health,' 1589, designed for the use of the students, that he knew some who drink cold water at night or fasting in the morning without hurt; and Dr. James Hart, writing about 50 years later, could even claim among some of his acquaintances 'some honorable and worshipful ladies who drink little other drink, and yet enjoy more perfect health than most of them who drink of the strongest.' The phenomenon was undeniable, but the natural inference was none the less to be resisted. Sir Thomas Elyot himself is very certain, in spite of the Cornish men, that there be in water causes of divers diseases, as of swelling of the spleen and liver. He complains oddly also that 'it flitteth and swimmeth,' and concludes that 'to young men, and them that be of hot complexion, it does less harm, and sometimes it profiteth, but to them that are feeble, old and melancholy, it is not convenient.' 'Water is not wholesome cool by itself for an Englishman,' was the verdict of Andrew Borde—monk, physician, bishop, ambassador, and writer on sanitation—as the result of a life's experience. * * But the most formal indictment against water is that of Venner, who, writing in 1622, ponderously pronounces to dwellers in cold countries it doth very greatly deject their appetites, destroy the natural heat, and overthrow the strength of the stomach, and consequently confounding the concoction is the cause of crudities, fluctuations, and windiness in the body."

Hundreds of requests from all over Canada, for the free trial treatment by inhalation for catarrh offered by Dr. Ray's Successful Remedy Company, Toronto, are being received daily. This is a branch of an old and successful English company, and the confidence in the treatment, shown by the offer of free ten days' trial, is the result of years of success. All interested should write for it.