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The Cause Of Appendicitis

English Professor Says
America Steel-Rolled
Flour Responsible

A few interesting facts and
Opinions Concerning this
Dreaded Disease

London, Aug. 29.—William Henry Battle, F.R.C.S., in a remarkable lecture delivered in St. Thomas' Hospital, declared his belief that the spread of appendicitis was due to the world-wide use of American steel-rolled flour. Such an authority as The Lancet says: "We are inclined to think there may be good foundation for Prof. Battle's theory." Several theories have been suggested lately on account of the enormous increase in the prevalence of the disease. After discussing some of the suggestions, Prof. Battle brings forth the idea that minute particles of iron are the real cause. He shows that the great increase in appendicitis first occurred in America just after steel and iron rollers had been introduced for grinding wheat. The increase in appendicitis occurred first, he says, in towns, where rolled flour was first used. Then it spread to villages, and lastly to negroes, who earlier had escaped, and this spread corresponded with the spread in the use of rolled flour. An invasion of England followed. The much lower cost of American flour made it almost impossible for any extensive grinding of flour to take place in this country. If Prof. Battle's explanation be correct, it should be expected that iron particles would be found in the centre of the appendicitis concretions, and so they are. Prof. Battle says that in a typical case of appendicitis in which an operation was performed, he found in the centre of the concretions irregular fragments of iron.

Six Cattle Poisoned.
London, Aug. 29.—Six high-class Jersey cows, pastured on the eastern outskirts of the city, are dead from arsenical poisoning.

18,000 Houses Submerged.
Tokio, Aug. 29.—The havoc wrought by the torrential rains in the central provinces during the last few days is assuming alarming dimensions. In the Gumma prefecture alone more than 18,000 houses have been submerged, 49 lives are known to have been lost and 25 persons are missing.

CARNEGIE EULOGIZES KAISER

He says Germany's War
Lord is a Truly Great
Man

Berlin, Aug. 29.—Andrew Carnegie's estimate of Emperor William, probably derived from his passionate interviews with His Majesty at Kiel in June last, appear in a periodical, The Morgen, to-day, under the title of "Emperor William's Mission." Mr. Carnegie recalls the remark Cardinal Richelieu made to King Louis XIII. one day: "A great man has arisen in England, your majesty. His name is Cromwell." Continuing, Mr. Carnegie says: "I say that a great man has arisen in Germany—the Emperor. It is impossible to follow his deeds without feeling that there is a personality, here is a power which is able to do good or evil in the world. Hisberto he has given Germany a stimulus to industrial activity. German ships are the fastest on the ocean and Germany's waterways are being developed according to his plans and soon will play an important role in the internal development of Germany. The Emperor's head and hand assisted in making Germany the second largest steel producer in the world. He is at once the Emperor and the vital energy of the empire." Mr. Carnegie advocates a union of the European states for the maintenance of peace, saying: "Such amalgamations of peoples, merely the dream of poets, are bound to come sometime as the race progresses." He adds: "As the Emperor of Russia took the initial step towards uniting the general peace of the world, by calling The Hague conference, so the other mighty Emperor, inspired by thoughts that he owes it to himself and Germany, to play a leading role as the liberator of the continent from the pressure that bears heavily upon it, and free it from the pale, paralyzing fear of war and annihilation between the members of the same body."

He who is not rich having nothing. The optimist looks forward to tomorrow, the pessimist sighs for yesterday.

POISONING OF CANINES IS GOING MERRILY ON

Four More Valuable Dogs Join the Great Majority in the Happy Hunting Ground—The Police Will Take Extreme Measures to Solve Mystery

Four more canines fell victims to the dog-poisoner's wiles, yesterday afternoon. They were the property of the following citizens:
Collie dog, owned by John Blake, Queen street.
House dog, owned by Mrs. McGeorge, Queen street.
Cocker spaniel, owned by John R. Smith, Queen street.
Cocker dog, owned by Andrew Thompson, market square.
This makes a total of eight dogs in all which the poisoner has made away with. A number of other dogs showed symptoms of having been poisoned, but were noticed in time to be doctored successfully.
So far, no definite clues have been secured against the ruthless individual who has been setting the poison out for these poor, dumb, unsuspecting brutes. It is expected

French Commander To Be Given All Troops He Needs

General Drude Sends Part of His Army South—Assassination of The Sultan Not Confirmed—Wire Fences Used

Paris, Aug. 29.—In announcing the Government's attitude on the Moroccan question at yesterday's Cabinet session, Premier Clemenceau declared that Gen. Drude, the French commander, would be given all the troops he needed to carry out the mission with which he was charged.
M. Clemenceau said the Government had repudiated a number of questions to the French commander, who had not yet answered them.
M. Clemenceau added that the Government had no confirmation of a rumor that the Sultan of Morocco had been assassinated, and was ignorant of the real purpose of Mulai Hafid, proclaimed Sultan at Morocco City.
The Premier said Gen. Drude had more troops than he had asked for, adding: "While at Karlsruhe I took the initiative and advised that more men of war and an additional battery of artillery be sent to Casablanca." Cabling from Casablanca, a correspondent of The Journal says the indications are that the Arabs are preparing for another general attack on the French forces. Everything, he continues, is being done to give them a warm reception, and wire entanglements are being fixed around the camp.
Gen. Drude, the French commander, has decided to despatch a portion of his army, about five miles south of Casablanca, to a position near Tadla, where he will endeavor to draw the Moors into a trap.
The police officials here yesterday opened the preliminary trial of fifty-three prisoners charged with assassination, robbery, pillage or cognizance with the hostile Moors.
Sultan's Troops Defeated.
Tangier, Aug. 29.—Advices received here from Fez says that the Zahrana tribe defeated a column of the Sultan's troops, sent to collect tribute from the tribesmen.
Spain Sends Ships.
Madrid, Aug. 29.—Orders have been sent to the battleship Polayo and the cruiser Carlos Quinto to be ready to sail for Morocco at a moment's notice.

A BIG CONVENTION

President Warns Delegates Against
Frisk Legislation

Toronto, Aug. 29.—That municipal debentures increased in the three years ending Dec. 31, 1906, by \$35,000,000, as against a total issue of \$26,700,000 by the Provincial Government, and that the municipal indebtedness of Canada totals \$150,000,000, as against a total provincial indebtedness of \$100,000,000, was clearly shown to the convention of Ontario Municipalities, in session at the City Hall yesterday afternoon by Dr. Morley Wickert, who delivered, by invitation, an address upon "Municipal Statistics and Debentures." He suggested that many municipalities stood in their own light by issuing debentures in a slovenly manner, sometimes carelessly written with pen and ink or typewritten and upon flimsy note paper of all shades and sizes, and payable at obscure village banks. He also criticized the dearth of municipal statistics. There was no uniform method and comparisons could not be made by students of political economy.
The convention was opened by an address from the president, ex-Mayor Ellis, now city treasurer of Ottawa. About 100 delegates are in attendance and nearly every important municipality in old Ontario is represented. Mr. Ellis warned the association against frisk legislation.

ARMAMENT FOR VIGILANT.

Four Modern Quick-Firing Guns Have Just Been Mounted.

Ottawa, Aug. 29.—Four modern quick-firing 11.2-pound guns have just been mounted on the Canadian fishery protection cruiser Vigilant on Lake Ontario.
They have a range of 11.2 miles, and take the place of some old-fashioned ten-pound muzzle-loaders.
The modern guns came with the boat as part of her original equipment. However, they were kept in a shed in stores, and not mounted because of some changes which have to be made in the deck arrangements and because the decks would require strengthening to support the guns.

WAR ON THE WHITE PLAGUE

Earl Grey Dedicated King
Edward Sanitarium
Yesterday

Weston, Aug. 29.—Before a brilliant assemblage yesterday afternoon, the Governor-General of Canada officially opened the new King Edward Sanitarium for Consumptives, which has been established in connection with the Toronto Free Hospital for Consumptives at Weston, through the generosity of H. C. Hammond and Robert Mulholland. Each donated \$10,000 to build two magnificent buildings for the treatment of advanced cases.
His Excellency and party spent 15 minutes in going over the sanitarium. "It is a great privilege to be here," said Earl Grey. "I think I am not wrong in assuming that the proceedings here to-day has established conclusively that Canada is in earnest in trying to sweep from the country the terrible white plague."
The proceedings commenced with a beautiful reverent prayer from Dr. Potts. He prayed that the light of the Lord would be with the gathering. That prayer has been answered. He also prayed for the wiping out of the white plague, and it is our wish to-day that that prayer may soon be answered.
"It was an established fact," said Earl Grey, "that consumption could be removed, just as leprosy; it was a standing shame and reproach to the Government and individuals that there was not more care taken by the people of Canada to protect themselves from the cause of consumption."

Artist Found In Gutter.
New York, Aug. 29.—George Heinkeusch, once an artist of merit and whose pictures are said to adorn many local drawing-rooms, was picked up from the gutter of a street leading from the Bowery, Tuesday night, with a fractured skull.
King's Valet Dies In Jail.
Milwaukee, Aug. 29.—Walter Donisthorpe, alias Wilson, said to have been a former valet of King Edward VII., died at the house of correction. He was 65 years of age.

End Of The Eau Season

Unique Programs Being
Arranged For The Last
Few Days

A Record Season For
Fishing and Swimming.
The Big Catches

Erieau, Aug. 29.—The Erieau season bids fair to end in a blaze of glory. Enterprising residents and cottagers are diligently planning several typical holiday functions for the few remaining evenings. These include the ever popular bonfires, corn-roasts and beach parties. Pyrotechnics are promised, and night boating parties, with a series of craft brilliantly illuminated with Chinese lanterns, are scheduled.
With the approaching home-going of the holiday-seekers who have spent the summer at the Eau are commencing to recount the season's achievements. In this connection it is interesting and satisfactory to learn of the large number (particularly of the ladies) who have this year accomplished the task of learning to swim. The Bar is especially fortunate in providing unexcelled facilities for "learning to swim." A mathematically inclined resident estimates that no less than thirty-three young lady visitors have succeeded in mastering the art during the present holiday.
More than any other season in several years the present has been productive of excellent fishing. In some respects the catches have not been any more numerous, but their substantial character has been highly satisfactory to the followers of the piscatorial art. More "big fish" have been caught during the past three weeks than the records show have ever before been landed in a similar space of time. "Lunge's" lead in the list of captures, and they have ranged all the way from Mr. Perkins' forty-odd pounder to Judge Houston's mysterious appropriation recently at or near the pier. Pike, pickerel and bass have been the most plentiful victims to the lure of busy Erieau residents. Altogether, as has been said, the season promises to go on record as one of the best in history. It should not be overlooked that many of the year's triumphs have fallen to the ladies. The fair fishers have been uniquely and uniformly successful. Mesdames J. M. Park and J. E. Oldershaw have been particularly fortunate and have established for themselves very enviable reputations as capturers of the elusive finny specimens.

BONFIRE OF MONEY

Crazy Actor Throws Jewelry In Sewer
and Shoots Himself.

Iowa, Aug. 29.—In sight of an astonished crowd, Carl Pressley, an actor, Tuesday made a fire in the street of his paper money, threw his jewelry in the sewer, and then announced to a group of friends that he was going to kill himself.
He drew a revolver from his pocket, walked across the street, and calling to a number of persons in the vicinity to watch him die, fired a bullet into his brain.
Wife Attempts Suicide.
Winnipeg, Aug. 29.—Shamed by her husband's arrest at Morris, Man., Mrs. Morley, wife of R. G. Morley, who accompanied her husband in an automobile in his flight from justice and who tented with him at night on the open prairie, Tuesday ran towards a nearby creek with the avowed intention of throwing herself into the water.
Constable Bestwick had just placed his hand on Morley's shoulder when the prisoner's wife announced that she was going to end her life, and promptly set off towards a creek in which was water six or seven feet in depth. Morley was remanded in the Police Court until to-day.

A Roast For Deakin.

London, Aug. 29.—(C. A. P.)—Senator Sir Joseph Symon, interviewed by The Sydney Morning Herald on his return from a tour in England and Canada, denounces unapologetically the conduct of Australian delegates to the Imperial conference. He accuses Deakin of entering the lists with Tory reactionaries to fan the flame of protection in England.
As to who sent Sir William Lyne to the conference, the Senator declares he does not know, it was reported he simply introduced himself, and Deakin put the best face on it he could.
5,000 Want to Come.
Ottawa, Aug. 29.—Brig. Howell of the Salvation Army, who is just returned from England, met the Premier yesterday.
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Clergyman and His Guide Stumble Upon Source of Wealth While Caribou Hunting—Pearls in Lobster Cans—Micmac Indians Excel As Hunters and Trappers—Single Gem Found Worth \$1,500.

Somewhere in one of the many small streams which flow into the Bay of Islands, Newfoundland, is a valuable deposit of pearl oysters. From that deposit hundreds of pearls have been taken, one at least valued as high as \$1,500. Its exact location is known to but two men: one Rev. Elwood Worcester, rector of the Emmanuel Church, Boston, and the other his trusty Indian guide, who has accompanied the clergyman year after year during his caribou hunting expeditions into the island.

Deposits of pearl oysters are not rare in North America by any means. Hundreds of them have been discovered, but they are located as a rule in southern waters, in the Gulf of Mexico, in the Caribbean Sea, and on the Pacific coast. Even in some of the rivers of the northern part of the continent the pearl mussel is abundant, yet the occurrence of good pearls in these shells does not appear to be frequent.

Trusted Writings of Explorers.
Many good pearls have been found from time to time in the rivers of New England, and the Canadian rivers have yielded fresh water pearls of considerable size and beauty, especially in the small streams in the country north of Quebec.

Columbus found pearls plentiful among the Indians when he discovered America, and took back to Ferdinand and Isabella hundreds of beautiful stones. The Indians recognized them as stones of beauty and Indian maidens wore strings of pearls which would create a sensation at an up-to-date horse show or opera. The Cabots, John and Sebastian, sailing westward from England under direction of King Henry VII., found a few in the Newfoundland rivers and took them back to their patron, who was delighted with them.

It was from the writings of these latter explorers, says Dr. Worcester, that he gleaned the information which led to his finding the pearl deposit. He conceived the idea suddenly while on a caribou expedition into Newfoundland, and having read in a report to the King of the early discovery, set out to find the pearl oysters, with but a vague idea of their location and little hope of finding them.

It happened some years ago. Dr. Worcester has for many seasons journeyed to Newfoundland to hunt caribou, and has there a small schooner which he calls into use occasionally in going from place to place along the bleak coast.

Being much interested in Newfoundland, Dr. Worcester had read all of the history and much of the literature about the island. While he was serving as rector of a prominent Philadelphia church he made his annual visit to the country, and when his schooner was anchored in the Bay of Islands he recalled the pearl discovery of the Cabots and determined to make a search.

Struck a Rich Deposit.
Going up into one of the streams with his faithful Indian guide, they watched the bed of the stream closely. Some distance up they discovered a lobster bed, and the Indian began to dig from a small boat after them. Time and time again he dove and came up with one or two shells. He had gone down perhaps twenty-five times when he returned to the shore where Dr. Worcester was standing, with him two shells which seemed to be pearl bearers. They opened the first one, but it was empty. On opening the second the eight they beheld almost took their breath away. Reposing snugly in one corner of the shiny white shell was a beautiful gleaming pearl.

It was most encouraging start. They had found a deposit. Whether it was the one referred to by the Cabots or not Dr. Worcester did not know, and he didn't care much. Persevering, they found 305 pearls, large and small. But Dr. Worcester had made the welcome trip to Newfoundland for hunting and recreation, and so he left the pearl deposit, and with his guide set off into the interior of the country in search of the mighty caribou. Later, in Philadelphia, Dr. Worcester was offered \$1,500 for the first pearl he found. It was a gem of unusual size and luster and perfectly round.

Some months after returning to Philadelphia, Dr. Worcester received a half-dozen cans of lobster from his Indian guide. They were put away in the cellar until one day, feeling that he would like some lobster, a can was brought up and opened. It was a number of small pearls. Opening the other cans, Dr. Worcester found sixty in all. The Indian had sent them as a surprise, and a surprise they were.

Hunting the Big Deer.
But it is the glorious opportunity for sport in the island that inspires enthusiasm in every sportsman who has visited it. Caribou are numerous in the interior and, not being very much hunted, have little fear of man so long as they do not wind him, and often allow a man to approach without making off. Terrible battles take place among them, and it is rare to find a full-grown stag whose antlers are not battered. In these battles the powerful antlers are used, sometimes with fatal effect, and instances have been known where the antlers have interlocked and both participants died of starvation.

Without an Indian guide the caribou hunter in Newfoundland is at a tremendous disadvantage. The Indians there are of the Micmac tribe, and are unexcelled as hunters and trappers and in lumbering, boat building, poaching up rivers and all the incidents of the backwoodsman's craft.

POLICE OF LONDON.

German Experts Who Investigate Their System Loud in Praises.

A special German police mission has been visiting Scotland Yard to compare the London detective police methods with those of Berlin. The visitors have been given every opportunity for an insight into Metropolitan police methods, and have been personally conducted by experienced detectives over all parts of London. As the outcome of their investigations the German delegates have declared London to be "the best policed city in the world."

Berlin is known as "a city of police," for officialdom there is in full control, so Scotland Yard authorities accept this opinion as one of the greatest compliments ever paid them.

The German visitors were shown all over New Scotland Yard, and taken at night to the "sights" of the West End and down into the East End.

In the lowest lodging houses and criminal haunts they saw for themselves how very quietly and expeditiously the London policeman works.

Marvelous System.
Our marvelous system of traffic control aroused their admiration, and they were astonished to find how popular the police are, in spite of their authority.

"The power of the police in Germany is far greater than yours, but their success is not so great," said one of the German visitors in discussing his experiences.

"You can hardly accomplish anything in Berlin without consulting our police and obtaining their permission."

"The district police inspector has to pass and sign your insurance papers, and if you engage or discharge a servant you have to supply a German police with name, grade, nationality and religion."

FAMOUS CARTOONISTS.

Sir John Tenniel, Veteran Punch Artist, Celebrates 87th Birthday.

Sir John Tenniel, the famous Punch cartoonist, who celebrated his eighty-seventh birthday the other day, is still a fine military-looking man, with all his faculties intact, and as active as when he drew his first cartoon, says M. A. P. At a very early age he displayed a marked talent for drawing, although his great ambition as a small boy was to be a circus clown. This interesting period passed, however, and he went to school to become an artist, and he was only sixteen when his first picture was exhibited. Henceforth he progressed steadily, and gained widespread praise for some illustrations to "Aesop's Fables," which were so admired by Douglas Jerrold that he resigned from the staff of Punch, that famous wit advised Mark Lemon to give young Tenniel a chance. The advice was acted upon, and in 1851 the future Knight began his fifty years' connection with The London Chartered Bank of the Pacific, which was then a comparatively short time his name was known all over England. Among his many admirers was the late Prince Bismarck, who became the possessor of one of the artist's original sketches. In 1893 Tenniel received the Knighthood, and his retirement from Punch came in 1901. Apart from his work for that famous paper, nothing that he ever did was cleverer than his illustrations to Lewis Carroll's "Alice in Wonderland," and "Through the Looking-glass." Sir John lives quietly in a pretty house near Maidenhead, where, surrounded by his favorite pictures, he enjoys a well-earned retirement.

King Edward's Perquisites.
Among the most curious of his Majesty's perquisites is his right to every whale or sturgeon captured on the coast of the United Kingdom and brought to land. Both of these perquisites date back to the days of the Norman Kings, and it appears that the Sovereign and his consort, the Queen taking the head in order that her waist might be replenished with the whale-bone needed for the stiffening of her royal garments.

Another of the King's perquisites is a certain number of magnificent sea-bone sharks, which are despatched to him every year from the kingdom of Cashmere. They vary in value, as a rule, from £60 to £250 apiece. Another class of royal purveyor is called upon to present annually a tallow, while from other sources again he is entitled to an annual contribution of such varied "types" as white doves, white hares, curlew, fire tongs, scarlet hosiery, nightcaps, knives, lances and crossbows. Moreover, at the coronation, the Lord of the Manor of Addington must present to the Sovereign a dish of potatoes composed of "almond milk, brown of capons, sugar, spices, chickens parboiled and chopped." At the same ceremony the Lord of the Manor of Haydon is obliged by virtue of his tenure from the Crown to present the monarch with a towel, the Lord of the Manor of Workeup gives the Sovereign a "right-handed glove. These are only a few of the various perquisites to which King Edward is entitled, by tradition and usage.

Value of a Shekel.
The shekel was a unit of weight, and two authorities estimate the shekel of silver at 54 cents and 64 cents, the same authorities differing still more in their estimates of the present value of the gold shekel, one saying \$6.00, the other \$8.00. The varying purchasing power of money makes accurate statement of equivalents impossible.

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STRATHCONA ON WAY BACK.

Demonstration in Honor of High Commissioner At Montreal.
Montreal, Aug. 28.—Lord Strathcona left on a special train over the Rutland Railway at 6:45 p.m. for New York, when he will sail this morning for Liverpool on the Oceanic.

There was a large gathering of personal friends at the Windsor Station to bid the high commissioner farewell, including Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and leading members of the Canadian Society, whose piper Matheson, marched up and down the platform producing weird sounds from the bagpipes.

Strathcona seemed in excellent health, and his strenuous energy during his short stay in Canada does not seem to have affected him in the least.

Do You Think For Yourself?
Or do you open your mouth like a yawn and let some one else tell you what to do? You can't afford to do that. You must think for yourself. You must be able to make up your mind. You must be able to stand up for your own rights. You must be able to defend your own honor. You must be able to do all these things for yourself. You must be a man. You must be a woman. You must be a person who can think for himself. You must be a person who can stand up for his own rights. You must be a person who can defend his own honor. You must be a person who can do all these things for himself. You must be a man. You must be a woman. You must be a person who can think for himself. You must be a person who can stand up for his own rights. You must be a person who can defend his own honor. You must be a person who can do all these things for himself. You must be a man. You must be a woman. You must be a person who can think for himself. You must be a person who can stand up for his own rights. 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LOCAL

Mrs. Wm. Blight is visiting friends in Toronto.

Miss Merle Bedford is spending a few days at Erieau.

Lyle Oldershaw is spending two weeks holidays in Detroit.

J. C. Stewart is in Windsor and Sandwich to-day on business.

Miss A. McLean, Gray street, is spending a few days in Detroit.

Miss Alice M. West is spending her holidays with friends in Detroit.

Miss Lena Harper has returned from a visit to friends in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Halliday, of Fletcher, spent yesterday in this city.

Ben. Rothwell, of Paris, is in the city renewing old acquaintances.

R. W. Baxter and family are visiting friends in Detroit and Birmingham.

John McCorrie has installed a new electric coffee grinder in his grocery store.

Mrs. Frances Banning, of Chicago, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Alice Sullivan, Selkirk street.

Mrs. W. A. Wilson, of Sudbury, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lambert, Wellington street.

Miss Hazel James and her friend, Miss Florence Bothwell, of Smith Falls, are spending the day in Detroit.

Mr. Clayton McKenzie, who has been visiting friends in Chatham, returned to his home in Andarior, Mich., this morning.

Mrs. John Reame, of Tacoma, Wash., and her two daughters, are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. John B. Kelly, Queen street.

A. A. Fraser, of the law offices of Wilson, Pike & Company, is visiting his parents, Auditor General and Mrs. John Fraser, of Ottawa.

Riddle & Sons' workmen have taken the crib off the front of the recently completed concrete at the point of Tecumseh Park, and the name, Tecumseh Park, which has been cut in the concrete wall, can be plainly seen for quite a distance down the river. The concrete work will be constructed later on for a distance of 200 feet up the river on the north side.

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- Puff Boxes.
- Baby Foods. All the Leading Brands.

S.F. Park & Co.
DRUGGISTS
2 DOORS EAST OF MARKET

LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS

Blight & Fielder's workmen have commenced the preliminary work on the Thames St. pavement. When the concrete is laid on this street, the preliminary work on the Fifth street approaches will be started. The construction of the sewer on Inches avenue was commenced this morning. City Engineer Jones is to-day drawing up the plans for work. These plans will be presented to the C. P. R., under whose trucks the sewer will have to be laid. Over a mile of pipe will be used in the construction of this sewer. There will be 4,175 feet of six-inch pipe used, 353 feet of eight-inch pipe, and 2,190 feet of main sewer.

IRISH CANDIDATE ARRESTED.

Declares Government Will Cause Revolution in Its Present Course. Longford, Ireland, Aug. 29.—Mr. McKenna, the Irish Nationalist candidate for election to Parliament for South Longford, and 17 of his supporters, were arrested yesterday on charges of "participating in an unlawful assembly likely to cause a riot." They were committed for trial after Mr. McKenna had protested that the policy of the Government did not make for peace and asserted that it would cause a revolution in the situation in South Longford, where an election takes place next week, owing to the resignation of Edward Blake on account of ill-health. The speakers at the political meetings are advising the people to drive off the cattle from the grazing lands.

Broker Kept the Cash.

St. Catharines, Aug. 29.—Yesterday afternoon Charles V. Mutar, broker, charged with the theft of \$151, proceeds of a draft given him by A. E. Fennell shortly before 1 o'clock yesterday, and before it was got under control had totally destroyed Fennell's hide store and two frame buildings belonging to J. Gochard, together with a quantity of coal. All the buildings were partially insured, but the loss will be many thousands dollars.

Jumped Into Lake.

Calgary, Alta., Aug. 29.—At Strathmore, Alta., a small town 30 miles east of Calgary, an unknown man committed suicide by jumping from a trestle into Eagle Lake. Four section hands were walking along the trestle in the direction of the trestle when they saw the man leap into the lake.

Theft or Tragedy?

Brookville, Aug. 29.—Monday evening a respectably-dressed young couple, strangers in town, hired a boat at a local livery, leaving the impression that they were going for a short row on the river, but since then neither the man, woman nor boat has been located.

Handling of Explosives.

St. Thomas, Aug. 29.—The M. C. R. has issued a voluminous document of special instructions here in regard to the handling of explosives. Trainmen are up in arms because in the rules specify that any slip in the orders will mean instant dismissal from the service.

Shock In Martinique.

Port de France, Island of Martinique, Aug. 29.—A strong earthquake shock was felt here at 10.50 p.m. on Tuesday. No damage has been reported.

Firemen Poisoned.

New York, Aug. 29.—As result of fire in Hagan & Co.'s dye warehouse, several firemen have been poisoned, their blood turning brown.

TUG SWAMPS; THREE DROWN.

Alert Being Towed—Tight Line Caused Accident. Sault Ste. Marie, Aug. 29.—According to advices received in the Soo yesterday morning from Cutler, a drowning accident, resulting in three fatalities, occurred in Georgian Bay at a late hour Tuesday afternoon.

It appears that the tug Seymour was towing another small tug, the Alert, behind which was attached a raft of logs. The lines slackened for a moment, and when they tightened, the small tug was unable to stand the strain and was swamped.

Of the five men who were on board were three drowned. Their names are: Capt. Kennedy of Thessalon, Engineer Joseph Smith of Sudbury and William Boyer, a resident of Cutler. The bodies were all recovered yesterday morning.

Accidentally Shoots Mother.

Brookville, Aug. 29.—Mrs. Ralph Wardell was accidentally shot at Sand Creek by her little son, aged eight years. The boy was playing with a rifle and did not know it was loaded. The bullet struck his mother, entering one breast and lodging in the other. She is expected to recover.

Lake Steamer Sinks.

Detroit, Aug. 29.—Off Port Point in Lake Erie Tuesday night, the freighter A. G. Bowen, up-bound, and Isak's L. Elwood, down-bound, collided, and the Elwood went to the bottom with a large hole amidships.

Explosion on Battleship.

Lisbon, Portugal, Aug. 29.—An explosion of gas occurred yesterday on board the Portuguese battleship Vasco da Gama. Several sailors were injured, but no death has been reported.

Minard's Liniment cures Burns, etc.

SPORT

BASEBALL

	Won	Lost	To Play
C. F. M.	7	4	5
Wagon Works	6	4	6
Tammany Heelers	6	5	5
Motor Car	2	8	6

Baseball Next Monday

TAMMANY HEELERS VS. ST. CLAIRE.

In the morning the Tammany Heelers will play the first St. Clair team. This team has won the river front pennant and is now touring Western Ontario. A good game is assured. The game will be played at ten o'clock on the Park.

C. F. M.'S VS. WALPOLE ISLAND.

At 2.30 in the afternoon the C. F. M.'s will cross bats with the Walpole Island team. This team has been playing good ball, and as the C. F. M.'s now lead in the city league the game no doubt will be fast. This game will be played on Tecumseh Park.

PICKED TEAM VS. SAMARITANS.

At 2.30 and 4.30, on the Agricultural Grounds, the Samaritans, of Detroit, will play a picked team from the four city teams. The Samaritans is one of the latest amateur teams in Detroit, and they will give the picked team a hard fight.

ABERDEENS VS. THAMESVILLE.

The Aberdeen Intermediates, of North Chatham, will journey to Thamesville to play the fast Intermediate team of that place. Johns in the box and Clements behind the bat will be the battery for the Aberdeens. All players are requested to be at the G. T. R. station at 8.30 sharp.

BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

Eastern League.
Newark 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 2
Toronto 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4

Two-base hits—Zacher, Hurley, Scarf, Crooks, Flynn, Bases on balls—McCarthy 4, off Rudolph 3. Struck out—By McCarthy 4, left on base 1. Wild pitch—McCarthy. Left on base 1. Time—2:00. Umpires—Conway and Owens.

Securities—Dovey. Three-base hit—Home run—Flynn. Three-base hit—Home run—Flynn. Stolen bases—Engle, Cockman, Mullen. Bases on balls—Off Whitely 4, off McGinley 5. Passed ball—Whites. Left on base—Newark 7, Toronto 5. Time—2:00. Umpires—Toronto 5, Time—2:00. Umpires—

Rochester 2 2 2 0 1 2 2 2 13
Jersey City 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1
Buffalo 1 0 0 1 2 0 0 0 4
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American League Scores.
At Cleveland—0 1 0 0 2 1 5 12 3
Cleveland 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 0
Chicago 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Batteries—Rhoades and Bender; Walsh, Piene and Sullivan. Umpire—Connelly.

At Detroit—0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 5 1
St. Louis 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Detroit 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
At New York—First game—R.H.E.
Boston 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 3 11
New York 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 3 8
Batteries—Morgan, Young and Shaw; Orth, Doyle and Thomas. Umpire—O'Loughlin.

Second game—R.H.E.
Boston 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 0
New York 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 0
Batteries—Crosby and Noonan; McGinnity and Brennan and Curtis. Umpire—O'Loughlin.

At Philadelphia—R.H.E.
Pittsburg 2 0 0 0 4 1 0 2 11
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Batteries—Willis and Gibson; Brown and Dootin. Umpires—Carpenter and Riggler.

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CENTRAL SCHOOL PICTURES

A number of school teachers from London, while in the city, yesterday, took advantage of the opportunity to see what an up-to-date school looked like, and visited the Central School. They were lost in admiration of the outside and interior appearance of Kent's banner public school. They expressed themselves as greatly taken up with the beautiful surroundings, and especially with the decorations inside. They had nothing but praise for the building throughout, till they came upon a picture of Teddy Roosevelt hung on one of the walls. This apparently took the breath away from the visiting pedagogues, whose exaggerated British sentiments were unduly roused. Pictures of Abe Lincoln and George Washington further riled the gentlemen from the Forest City, who, apparently, could not see the necessity for anything but British portraits on the school walls. They even went so far as to vent their views to some local citizens, who appear to feel badly about the matter.

For the benefit of the local citizens who were affected by the discovery of the part of the visiting school teachers, it might be stated that the pictures hung in the Central School have, many of them, been donated by local public-spirited citizens. Any British pictures which these gentlemen would like to see decorating the walls of the school will, doubt, be thankfully received by the officials of that institution.

SEIZE BAND OF TRAITORS.

Police Arrest Naval Mutineer and All His Followers.

Odessa, Aug. 29.—The police have succeeded after much difficulty in arresting the sailor Matuschenko, who led the mutiny on board the Russian battleship Knyaz Potemkin in the summer of 1906. Matuschenko had been for two years in New York, and last July returned to Russia in disguise. The officers of the law, however, took no action until Matuschenko formed a revolutionary organization. All the members of this band were taken into custody, along with their chief, and thrown into the Odessa prison. They will be court-martialed.

Priest Goes Free.

Windsor, Aug. 29.—Rev. Father Bertrand, a Windsor priest, who was charged in Detroit with disorderly conduct, was discharged yesterday afternoon by Justice Jeffries. Only one of the girls who caused his arrest appeared in court and the justice took no stock in the case.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. W. G. Richards, Wellington street west.

BOOK-KEEPER WANTED—A young lady who has had experience preferred. Address Box 555, Chatham.

AUTOMOBILE FOR SALE.—Ford, Model "C," in good condition; owner going to California. Price \$500. Apply to Geo. Moore, Bothwell, Ont.

WANTED—Tailor, paint and vest maker, also an apprentice to learn tailoring. Will pay wages to good girl who really wishes to learn. Apply E. M. Coyne's Tailoring Co.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—Cheap—On Lacroix Street, east side, next north C.P.R. Railway. Good furniture, and in good condition. Liberal terms. Apply to Ward Stanworth, Solicitor, Chatham, Ont.

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RE-OPEN TUESDAY, SEPT. 3rd.

MISS STEPHENSON will return on Tuesday afternoon, and will be pleased to have you call and arrange a date for your Fall Outfit.

We have already booked considerable work for early delivery, so that if you require your dress early kindly make your arrangements as early next week as possible.

OUR SPECIAL SKIRT DEPARTMENT,

Under the capable management of MISS MONTAGUE, will also RE-OPEN ON THE SAME DATE.

The excellent reputation that this Department enjoys for turning out on short notice perfect fitting, stylish Skirts, will be fully sustained this coming season.

A CHOICE RANGE OF NEW DRESS MATERIALS TO SHOW YOU.

Study the fashion reports closely, then come here and you will find a full representation of all of this season's favorite shades and materials. Prices just as reasonable, too, for the ultra fashionable materials as for the ordinary kind.

BEAUTIFUL DRESS TRIMMINGS.

You will find Braids will play an important part in the finish of your dress this season. Our stock is now complete with an exceptionally large and handsome range in both Black and Colored Braids.

TWO SPECIALS THIS WEEK HALF-PRICE.

Silk Chiffon and Mousseline De Soie, suitable for Fancy Waists, Dresses and Trimmings, in white, pink, black, sky, rose, navy, mauve and red—50c. value.

Sale Price 25c. yard

EMBROIDERY 5c. Yard.

Swiss Embroidery Insertion and Edging, from 1/2 to 3 wide, 7c, 8c and 10c value, 5c. yard

The Greatest Sensation of the Year

—THE—

SKIDOO SALE

Austin & Co.'s Men's Store

Saturday, August 31st

\$7.50, \$10.00, \$12.00

MEN'S & YOUTHS' SUITS,

SKIDOO SALE PRICE,

\$5.23.

AUGUST WIND UP BEST EVER OFFERED

OVER 100 SUITS. SEE WINDOW.

Men's and Youths Tweed, Worsted, and Serge Suits, broken sizes of the season's biggest sellers, single and double-breasted styles. Clothes suitable to wear any season. Not a suit less than \$7.50 on up to \$12.00. Saturday they must go. You take your choice at \$5.23 Saturday Morning.

"The Whole Story," We Must Have Room.

150 Pairs of Men's Tweed Pants

SATURDAY SKIDOO SALE PRICE

\$1.23

Dark and Medium Mix Tweeds. Regular \$1.50 to \$2.00 Pants

Just in 80 doz. Four-Ply English

Linen Collars

About The Plums

AT 15c A CAN

They have turned out much better than we had anticipated, and they are remarkably good value at the price. We have a can opened, so you can see for yourself.

CANNED PEARS,
20c. a can.

CANNED PINEAPPLES,
20c. a can.

CANNED PEACHES,
35c. a can.

CANNED STRAWBERRIES,
25c. a can.

CANNED RASPBERRIES,
25c. a can.

Our English Breakfast Tea—40c. a pound—makes a delicious drink.

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In Consequence at...

POILE'S

Summer-y Jewelry
is Marked for Sum-
... many Dismissal...

POILE,
The Jeweller That is Different
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TINSMITHING AND PLUMBING

You probably need some Plumbing, Gasfitting, or Tinsmithing of some kind that you have been neglecting.

Now, let us suggest that you have it done now. We can give it better attention now than we can later in the season, when the big rush is on.

Let us know and we shall be glad to call and see you about anything you need in our line, and we shall guarantee to give it prompt and skilled attention.

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The Up-to-date Hardware Man

Auto and Motor Boat Supplies

High Test Gasoline
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For a Good Meal Any Hour Day
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Business Man's Lunch 50c
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Neat, Clean and Wholesome Food.

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ALL HOME COOKING.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

T-O-NIGHT

Catholic Order of Foresters, in their hall at 8.
Choir practice of William St. Baptist Church at 8.
Local branch of Steam Engineers, in their rooms in Eberts' Block, at 8 o'clock.

LOCAL

Brisee's bicycle livery and repairs. Last Concert to Eau to-morrow night.

Band Concerts, Erieau, Friday nights only.

Miss Dora Boylan is spending her holidays at Dresden.

Last chance to have a dance at the Eau to-morrow night.

Public General Hospital days at Wonderland—Sept. 3, 4 and 5.

H. W. Burgess, of Wallaceburg, was in the city yesterday on business.

Be Wise! Save 50 per cent. on Skirts, Waists, Jackets, etc. New York Cloak Store.

Mr. Robert Burroughs, of London, recently paid a flying visit to Maple City friends.

Don't fail to attend the Public General Hospital Days at Wonderland, Sept. 3, 4, 5.

Mrs. Jas. Dunkley, Lorne Ave., is spending a week's holidays in Toronto.

Miss Nora Ford, of Gordon's store, is attending the millinery openings at Toronto.

You can see the cream on Maple City Creamery clarified and bottled milk. Phone 242.

Miss Flossie Bothwell, of Smith's Falls, is the guest of Miss Hazel James, Lorne Ave.

"Frenchy" is now owner of the Metropole barber shop, opposite the Rankin House. Call! You're next!!

Miss Minnie Schwemler is spending a couple of weeks at Port Lambton.

Beautiful Silk Undershirts, all shades, fast selling at Bankrupt Sale Prices. All New Goods. New York Cloak Store.

Parties having accommodation for boarders, ladies or gentlemen, should leave their names and addresses at the Business College.

Mrs. John Blake and daughters, Pearl and Hazel, Queen street, are spending a week with friends in Ridgeway.

A young girl about 17 years of age is wanted for office and to assist in store. Apply Box 4, Planet Office.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Kerr, have returned from a very pleasant trip to Montreal, Quebec and other eastern points.

Beautiful shades in enamel for interior decoration at dissolution sale prices. Geo. Stephens, D. H. Douglas, Phone 6.

Miss Josie Trumpp, who recently returned from Muskoka, speaks of it as the ideal spot to spend a summer holiday.

It's not too late yet for genuine bargains at the New York Cloak Store. Muslin and Silk Shirtwaists at less than half price.

Mrs. J. A. Wilson and daughters Eva and Bessie left yesterday on an extended visit to friends in Bid Axe, Cass City and Dearborn, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Plummer, of Swanton, Ohio, have returned home, after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. John Blake, Queen St.

Miss Ruby More, Harvey St., returned home Tuesday evening, after a vacation of two months at Dresden, Thamesville, Wabash and Boston.

No salesmen needed at the New York Cloak Store; the prices do the selling. Everything goes—Skirts, Waists, Suits, Jackets, etc.—all new goods. Bankrupt Sale Prices.

James Pollock, an employee at the Chatham Wagon Works, met with a serious misfortune yesterday morning. While operating a saw his arm was badly cut at the elbow.

The wound was dressed and it is now thought that amputation will not be necessary.

Protection Brand Asphalt Ready Roofing carries a ten year guarantee. It is water, fire and wind proof. No nails exposed to impair the appearance of the roof. Geo. Stephens, D. H. Douglas, Phone 6.

Mrs. Charlton, wife of Mr. Edward Charlton, B. A., of Oil Springs, has returned home, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Kiborn, after several weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Geo. J. Fielder, this city.

Cheap Rates to Michigan State Fair will be on sale by C. P. R. from Aug. 29th to Sept. 6th; \$1.40 for round trip, returning on or before Sept. 7th. For further particulars call at C. P. R. City Ticket Office, corner of King and Fifth streets.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Holmes, Mrs. S. F. Gardiner and Mrs. Stinson, of Winnipeg, spent yesterday at Mrs. Hooper King's, where they enjoyed a lawn supper and family reunion.

Mrs. Hooper King is a sister of Mr. Holmes.

A gentleman buying a bottle of Veteran's Balm Cure, said: "This is a small bottle for 50c." I replied, make a calculation. A 12 oz. bottle of other medicine costs \$1; the dose is 1 tablespoonful 3 times a day, equal to 11-2 ozs.; the 12 oz. lasts 8 days (that 50c. V. B. C. bottle contains about 150 days' medicine; 83-4 times as much as the large bottle—a saving of \$18.00. In the one you pay for water and glass.

V. B. C. is concentrated medicine without water. It is the medicine for all classes; 50c. and \$1 bottles. At druggists'. Mailed anywhere by The V. B. C. Med. Co., Chatham, Ont.

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CLOTHES TO YOUR ORDER.

OPPOSITE RANKIN.

OPEN EVENINGS

The Roller Rink will be open to-night.

Millinery Apprentices Wanted.

Apply Wm. Foreman & Co.

Roy Hamford, of Detroit, is visiting friends in the city.

Miss Elizabeth Hogan is spending a few days at her home in Dover.

George Thompson, of Church St., left to-day for Detroit, where he will visit his son.

Miss Agnes Rilly and Miss G. Guttridge left yesterday for Toronto, where they will spend a few days.

Miss Ida Westman and Miss Lena Rudd have returned to London, after a three weeks' visit at Chicopee cottage, Erieau.

Samuel Halliday and bride, of Fletcher, passed through the city yesterday on their way to Detroit, Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

Mrs. Harry Jacques and son Harry, Raleigh street, have gone on a two weeks' visit to relatives and friends in Toronto and Dundas.

Now is your chance to buy Fall and Winter Jackets. New swell lot just in before bankruptcy, going at old bankrupt stock prices. New York Cloak Store.

Mrs. William Newkirk, down the river, Dover, gave an evening to a number of friends last night in honor of her guests, the Misses Ethel and Edith Keir, of Detroit.

A hayrack party, composed of 18 boys and girls, enjoyed a fine trip down the river last night, where they had a bonfire and a corn-roast.

Mrs. Christner entertained a number of friends at her home on Emma street last evening. About twenty-five were present, and cards and dancing were the items on the evening's program. Refreshments were afterwards served.

Last Band Concert to the Eau To-morrow Night!!!

FALL DRESS FABRICS

Our reputation for carrying the most complete lines of Dress Goods has been established for many years past and it is due to our past success and continuous effort that

The Gordon Store is Recognized as
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Never before have we been so well stocked as at present, with such a variety of beautiful textures, weaves and colorings surpassing competition—such as Broadcloths, Shrunken Venetians, Panamas, Cords, Novelty Checks, Plaid Tweeds, Taffeta Cloths, Voiles, Etc., direct from England, Germany and France. SEE WINDOW.

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We leave nothing undone to be leaders of the FUR TRADE of the City and Country and ever maintain our well-earned reputation for the finest qualities, latest styles and lowest prices in Fur Goods.

We shall be pleased to have you call early and inspect, select and secure, by paying a small deposit, what Furs you shall need later on.

Fashion Sheets
For September

WILLIAM GORDON

Standard
Designers for
September

BRITISH HOUSE PROROGUES.

Over Sixty Bills Passed In Long and Arduous Session.

London, Aug. 29.—With picturesque old-time ceremonial the British Parliament was prorogued yesterday, thus ending one of the longest and most arduous sessions, during which the royal assent was given to over 60 bills which the two Houses passed.

The members of the House of Commons assembled at noon and shortly afterwards they were summoned to the House of Lords, where the King's speech was read.

The statements made were of the usual, colorless character, referring to the recent royal visits and the friendly relations existing between Great Britain and the other powers, the conclusion of the agreement with Spain and the peace conference at The Hague, concluding with a review of the most important bills passed during the session.

His Majesty's Hopes.
London, Aug. 29.—On the prorogation of Parliament the King in his speech said:

"The meeting of Prime Ministers and other leading statesmen of the dominions beyond the seas with representatives of the Imperial Government was a source of deep satisfaction to me, and I note with gratification the arrangement for future meetings at fixed intervals under the title of the Imperial Conference, for the free discussion of questions of common concern."

TRIES TO KILL HIMSELF.

Son of King of Milan Attempts Suicide by Poison.

London, Aug. 29.—A message from Constantinople says that Geo. Christich, the legitimized son of the King of Milan, attempted recently to commit suicide while visiting Prinkipo Island, in the Sea of Marmora.

He applied for admission into the Theresianum in Vienna, and for the purpose asked for a medical certificate from the Austro-Hungarian embassy at Constantinople. His family wished that the certificate be made out in the name of George Obrenovitch, the latter the family name of the King of Milan, but the embassy physician declined on the ground that he had no knowledge of any such individual.

The refusal exasperated the young man, who is of a highly nervous temperament, and he determined to end his life by taking a dose of arsenic. His purpose was discovered in time to apply remedies, and he is said to be out of danger.

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No. 10—(Daily except Sunday) 6:45 a. m. for London, Woodstock, East Toronto and all points North and East.

GRAND TRUNK

EAST BOUND—
Mail train, 8:37 a. m., daily except Sunday.
Mixed, 12:40 p. m., daily except Sunday.
Express, 2 p. m., daily.
International Limited, 5:18 p. m., daily.

WEST BOUND—
Aero, 8:30 a. m., daily except Sunday.
Express, 12:52 p. m., daily.
Mail, 4:18 p. m., daily except Sunday.
International Limited, 9:24 p. m., daily.
Mixed, 11:30 p. m.

PERE MARQUETTE

Leaves Chatham for—
Blenheim and Rond Eau, 6:45 a. m.
South and P. M. West, 8:20 a. m.
M. C. R. West, 9:05 a. m., P. M. East
Blenheim and Rond Eau, 10:30 a. m.
M. C. R. West, Blenheim and Rond Eau, 4:40 p. m.
South and P. M. West, 5:15 p. m.
South and P. M. East, 6:15.

Arrive at Chatham from—
Rond Eau and Blenheim, 8:55 a. m.
East, 9:35 a. m.
West, 10:25 a. m.
Rond Eau, etc., 4:00 p. m.
East, 6:33 p. m.
Rond Eau, 7:50 p. m.
Walkerville, 7:35 p. m.

From the North—
Arrive from Chatham 9:05 a. m.; 6:11 p. m.
For Sarnia 9:35 a. m.; 6:33 p. m.

THE WABASH SYSTEM

Wabash trains leave Chatham:—
WEST BOUND.
No. 1—7:12 a. m. for Detroit, Chicago and St. Louis.
No. 3—1:04 p. m. solid train for St. Louis.

No. 15—1:20 p. m. for Detroit and Chicago.
No. 5—9:38 p. m. solid train for Detroit and Chicago.
No. 9—1:10 a. m. fast mail for St. Louis and Kansas City.

EAST BOUND.
No. 2—1:05 p. m. for St. Thomas, Willoughby, Simcoe, Buffalo, New York and Boston.
No. 4—11:57 p. m. fast train for St. Thomas, Buffalo, New York and Boston.

No. 6—2:02 a. m. for St. Thomas, Niagara Falls and Buffalo.
No. 8—3:07 p. m. fast mail for St. Thomas, Buffalo and New York.

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—FOR—
LABOR DAY
Monday, September 2nd, 1907

Will sell round trip tickets at single first class fare between all stations in Canada, also to Detroit, Mich., Suspension Bridge and Buffalo, N.Y. Tickets on sale August 31st, Sept. 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st.

For information and tickets apply to Wabash Agents, W. E. Bishop, C.P.A., 115 King Street; J. E. Briddard, Depot Agent, Chatham; or J. A. Richardson, District Passenger Agent, Northeast corner King and Yonge Streets, Toronto and St. Thomas.

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All tickets valid returning on or before Sept. 10th, 1907.

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Victim of Morphine.
Winnipeg, Aug. 28.—Dr. F. R. Almas, a graduate of the University of Toronto, who came here recently from Havre, Montana, attempted suicide about midnight by taking acetic. He is now in the General Hospital. He has a brother residing at Hagersville, Ont. He has been a victim of the morphine habit.

Car Hit By Train.
Lacrosse, Wis., Aug. 28.—A fast passenger train on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway struck a street car filled with passengers, on a street crossing in North Lacrosse yesterday morning. Only one man was seriously injured.

Deck Strike Over.
Halifax, N. S., Aug. 28.—The dock laborers' strike is at an end, the union men going to work on the steamer Katinka yesterday morning. The non-union men were not put to work.

Buy's Kingston News.
Kingston, Aug. 28.—S. M. Newton concluded the purchase of the plant and good will of The Kingston News, the Conservative paper here.

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CANADA'S GREAT FAIR

Earl Grey Performs Inauguration Ceremony at Toronto.

Many Thousands Present In Spite of Rain—Representative Gathering of Public Men—Great Collection of Agricultural and Industrial Exhibits—New Buildings Much Admired.

Toronto, Aug. 28.—It wasn't exactly ideal weather for the 29th annual opening of the Canadian National Exhibition. The skies were leaden all day long and, what was more, rain poured at intervals of varying regularity from the forenoon until well on into the night.

But for all that, the scattered thousands who were attracted to the opening ceremonies were denied only two features of the day's program. The air ship did not ascend into the murky ether and the grand stand performance at night, including the spectacle of the fall of Badajoz, the fireworks and the Duss band, had to be called off.

The button was, however, officially pressed by Earl Grey, the doors of the various buildings were thrown wide open and the afternoon performance was held within the enclosure, providing excellent entertainment for a gathering of 8,000.

Big Crowd, Just the Same.
Just how many people passed through the gates was not made the subject of official announcements, but considering how unkind the elements were, the attendance was wonderfully good. It is true that early in the evening the grounds took on a somewhat deserted and desolate aspect, inasmuch that the bandmen of the 48th Highlanders quit their posts through lack of listeners, but the rain was beating down pitilessly enough to dampen the enthusiasm of the most ardent music lover.

The assembly at the directors' luncheon was the most representative gathering of public men ever brought together on such an occasion in the history of the fair.

What the Show Looks Like.
The public found the buildings and their contents looking more attractive, probably than had been anticipated. In the manufacturers' building practically every exhibit was in a state of finished completeness, and the same was true of the new horticultural building, whose striking architectural design was a revelation to most of the visitors. The art gallery, with its fine collection of paintings, Canadian and foreign, the women's building, process building, national history building, and, indeed, every nook and corner of the grounds, was invaded, and everything had the freshness of novelty, for the exhibition really never grows old.

In one regard only was impatience shown. There was no slight vexation and disappointment over the failure of Aerial Navigator Robinson to carry out his contract, after keeping the spectators waiting in a driblet for more than an hour. The reason given was that there was danger of the airship being carried out over the lake, but as there was only a very moderate wind blowing, and as the claim had been made that the airship was much more navigable and independent of weather conditions than a balloon, the would-be sightseers had their faith in the Knabenshue invention rather severely shaken. It is understood that the exhibition management were somewhat exercised, and that every effort will be made to ensure an ascent this afternoon.

Borden in Quebec.
Montreal, Aug. 28.—R. L. Borden has mapped out a program for his Quebec tour, which is interesting, as the Conservative leader will now for the first time invade a purely French-Canadian district.

Mr. Borden has several times spoken in Montreal, but has never tried Three Rivers. He will speak in Quebec on the 29th. Three Rivers on the 30th, in Valleyfield on the 31st, in Montreal on Sept. 3 and in Ottawa on Sept. 6.

After the Montreal meeting Mr. Borden will attend the Sherbrooke Industrial Fair.

French-Canadian Treaty.
London, Aug. 28.—(C. A. P.)—A representative of the Canadian Associated Press, writing yesterday morning from Paris, says Fielding and Broder continue to have daily conferences with French Government representatives respecting the Franco-Canadian treaty. The protracted nature of the conferences suggests that there have been some difficulties, but the present indications are deemed favorable.

Pte. Gillette Acquitted.
Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Aug. 28.—The court martial held here to try Private Cyrus Gillette, of Fort Brady, who accidentally shot and killed Miss Elizabeth Oadenhead of Ferguson, Ont., last July, has returned a verdict of acquittal.

An effort will be made to serve a warrant on Gillette and have him tried in the state courts on the charge of manslaughter.

Big Fire In Japan.
Yokohama, Aug. 28.—A conflagration which Sunday destroyed 70 per cent. of Hakodate caused much suffering among those who resided in the burned district.

More Cardinals.
Rome, Aug. 28.—It is said in Vatican circles that the Pope will hold a consistory in the autumn to confer the red hat on several Italian and foreign bishops.

Girl Burned to Death.
Ottawa, Aug. 28.—The little daughter of I. Hamelin of Rockland was burned to death as the result of playing with matches.

New Cotton Factory.
Montreal, Aug. 28.—The Canadian Cotton Spool Company has purchased Riverside Park, and will build a large factory there.

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CHINESE RAISE FUSILADE

Trouble Likely to Arise Over Recent Raid At Regina.

Regina, Sask., Aug. 28.—When officers of mounted police and city police raided Chinese resorts in Regina on Friday evening and took into custody for a few hours some sixty-five members of the Chinese colony they raised a fusillade of international privilege and serious developments are likely to follow.

Yesterday summons were issued before Magistrate William McCansland requiring the presence in his court of city police authorities, while civil proceedings are started in another direction. The Chinamen, who have not taken the oath of allegiance to the British crown, claim residence rights in a foreign country, and as subjects of the imperial empire they are seeking the protection of the consulate.

An appeal is to be made to the Pekin Government, and it is expected that an international question will be raised.

Civil action is to be taken against His Worship Mayor Smith by a number of Chinamen, and it is possible that a similar suit will be entered against Frank Ford, deputy attorney-general, claiming damages for their alleged action in authorizing the arrest and detention of Chinamen.

CONDEMN NEW TARIFF.

West Australia's Legislature Consider It Is Dangerous.

London, Aug. 28.—(C. A. P.)—At Perth, West Australia, the Premier's resolution that the new tariff would injuriously affect the primary industries of West Australia, in bringing about a state of depression, fraught with the gravest danger to her existence, was carried in the Legislative Assembly by a large majority.

At Melbourne, speaking in the House of Representatives, Sir J. Forrest said the preference was largely illusory. The figures quoted by Lyne were inaccurate.

Australian Tariff.

London, Aug. 28.—(C. A. P.)—A Melbourne cable states that Sir William Lyne, interviewed, said the new tariff accorded with the statements made by Premier Deakin when in London. The customs revenue for the financial year was estimated at eight and a quarter million pounds with a preference in favor of Great Britain as proposed, but if the preference were not given the revenue would be one and a quarter millions more. The preference in favor of Great Britain was thus 13 per cent.

OPERATOR DEPORTED.

Public Meeting Called to Discuss Telephone Trouble.

Port William, Aug. 28.—The local telephone trouble is about to be settled by the practical deportation of the chief operator, brought here from Springfield, Ill. Although she has refused it is practically a deportation. The chief operator, who was brought here from the same place, has also resigned.

At the request of a number of ratepayers, a public meeting has been called for Thursday night, for the citizens to discuss the situation.

Heading For Winnipeg.

Dauphin, Man., Aug. 28.—The second contingent of Douks on the pilgrimage from Thunder Hill district, arrived in town yesterday afternoon. They number 30, counting the children, who were drawn for the march in small two-wheeled carts with a caravan top. They looked quite respectable in their blue gowns, but showed signs of having a hard time the last few days, taking them four days to arrive from a distance of 15 miles. The roads were bad and it having rained all Monday.

When asked what they were looking for they gave the same cry as the first contingent, that they were hunting for a warmer country and were heading for Winnipeg.

Titled Christian Scientist Dead.

London, Aug. 28.—The Earl of Dunmore (Charles Adolph Murray), the most prominent Christian Scientist in England, died Monday night at Trimley Manor, near Canterbury. He had not complained of being ill, was suddenly attacked by illness and died before a doctor could be summoned.

The deceased was born in 1841. He married a daughter of the second Earl of Leicester, and leaves one son, Viscount Fincastle, a major of the Sixteenth Lancers, and five daughters. He was honorary colonel of the Fourth Battalion of the Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders, and owned about 78,800 acres of land.

A. O. F. In Session.

Galt, Aug. 28.—The sixteenth session of the subsidiary high court of Canada, Ancient Order of Foresters, is in progress. Yesterday morning Mayor Thomson welcomed the visitors.

One thing noted in the report of the executive council was the great increase in membership. Up to June 30, 1907, there were 1,759 new members.

The following is the laws committee: W. J. Vale, W. Jeffrey, H. J. Spelgrove, H. Cheek and W. Douglas.

Father Drowns Child.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 28.—Albert Stemmlen, a bookkeeper, became insane yesterday and taking his two-year-old daughter to the Belle Island bridge threw her into the Detroit River, and watched her drown. Stemmlen believed he was making an acceptable human sacrifice to God for the sins of the world.

Leaving the bridge he went to police headquarters and told what he had done.

Editor Drowns.

Worcester, Mass., Aug. 28.—Eugene M. Moriarty, editor and proprietor of The Worcester Post, and a prominent Democrat, was drowned while bathing in Lake Quinsigamond late yesterday.

Peace In Central America.

City of Mexico, Aug. 28.—It is announced here that peace in Central America is now assured through intervention of the United States and Mexico.

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DISTRICT

CEDAR SPRINGS.

Ed Jones will leave on Monday for Berlin, to attend the High Court, L. O. F., as representative from Court Talbot.

Thomas Doey had the misfortune to have his house burned down on Saturday afternoon. Most of the contents were destroyed.

Messrs. Clark, of Ridgeway, were the guests of W. B. Wigle on Sunday.

Messrs. Dot and Anna Clark spent

day at Thekla Cottage, the guests of Theo. Pickering, Erieau.

Mr. W. D. Gatto and wife, of the 15th Con., Raleigh, attended church here on Sunday night.

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Colonial Statesmen Honored by the City of London—Ministers Attending Conference Presented With Gold Caskets Containing Certificates as Freeman—Description of the Box Presented to Sir Wilfrid.

Each of the Prime Ministers attending the Colonial Conference were presented with 18 carat gold caskets, together with the freedom of the City of London by that great municipality. The illustration is that of the casket presented to Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

The casket, which is strikingly original in its bold conception and freedom of design, will be seen, takes the form of the Globe, surrounded by a finely-modelled figure of Britannia, as represented on coins of the realm.

The Globe, which contains the Scroll of Freedom of the City, rests on a framework particularly graceful in character. The four supports are beautiful curved, their lower portions having the Maple Leaf and Wheat, the floral emblems of Canada, entwined around them. Pendant from the frame, to which they are attached by artistic scrolls, are four escutcheons, bearing the arms of four colonies enameled in proper colors.

The Globe and frame stand upon an oval platoon of solid silver, richly gilt, rendered light and graceful by four supporting open arches, and on the platoon beneath the Globe appears the following inscription:

Presented, with the freedom of the City of London, to Right Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, K. O. M. G., Prime Minister of the Dominion of Canada, by the Corporation of the City of London, Guild Hall, E. C. April 16, 1907.

The finely modelled figures of lions flanking the casket and its supports



CASKET PRESENTED BY CITY OF LONDON TO SIR WILFRID LAURIER.

are representative of the power of unity, as exemplified by the union of the Mother Country and her colonies. The obverse of the Union Jack, the ground formed by the Union Jack and the royal standard both in enamel, with the full blazon of the arms of the City of London in the centre, the Dragons being modelled in silver, and the shield, crest and motto enameled in proper colors, while on the reverse appears the arms of Canada, and on the ornament above the recipient's monogram, which is thus associated with the arms of the colony for which he acts.

At each end of the platoon are given the arms of the two remaining colonies.

Caskets were also presented to the Hon. Alfred Deakin (Australia), the Hon. Sir Joseph George Ward, K. O. M. G. (New Zealand), the Hon. Leander Starr Jameson, C. B. (Cape Colony), the Right Hon. Sir Robert Bond, K. O. M. G. (Newfoundland), the Hon. Frederick Robert Moor (Natal), General the Hon. Louis Botha (Transvaal), which were identical in all respects with the casket illustrated, with the exception of the position of the various coats of arms and the floral emblems, which are as follows: Australia, wheat; New Zealand, ferns; Cape Colony, arum lily; Newfoundland, bushes, with berries and reeds; Natal, silver leaf; Transvaal, Dis a Grandi flora.

The caskets were designed and manufactured by the Goldsmiths & Silversmiths Co., Limited, London, W.

Under a Spell.
An English lady has become possessed of a mysterious necklace, which has bestowed her persistent ill-fortune since the day she received it as a gift.

The necklace, which is composed of pearls and turquoise, has a curious history. Originally it belonged to the Maharajah of Oodey. While he was in her possession she was robbed of a quantity of valuable jewelry. Her husband, the Maharajah, also lost some of his best racing ponies by death and breakdown.

At last, matters reached such a crisis that it was determined to seek the advice of a "wise man" or pundit. His advice was startling. He declared that the necklace was to blame—and that it brought bad fortune to everyone who possessed it. He prescribed a change of ownership and a voyage across the sea for the necklace, in order that the spell might be broken.

Accordingly, the beautiful string of precious stones was given as a present to an English lady. Since then good fortune has returned to the Maharajah and his wife, while bad luck has persistently dogged the footsteps of the new owner of the necklace.

Gullotine For Stingy Rich.
George Bernard Shaw, the British dramatist and critic, addressing a meeting of the national art collection fund recently in London, referred to the deficit for the year and the urgent need of money. He regretted that the people with big unearned incomes did not take much interest in the society's work, says a special cable from London to The New York Sun.

There was, he said, \$2,500,000,000 in England belonging to people who did not work. Therefore the society must take the rich class that more money was needed to be raised by coming in sharp competition with America. If wealthy people did not respond to the demand they ought to be guillotined.

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FALCONIO'S NARROW ESCAPE.

Archbishop In Small Boat Caught By a Squall.

New York, Aug. 28.—The American Archbishop Falconio, successor to Mr. Satoli as papal delegate to Washington, was in grave danger of losing his life Monday, during a pleasure trip on the Sound.

The prelate came from Washington without letting even the priests of this diocese or that of Connecticut know about his arrival. He was badly in need of a few days' rest.

Monday the hosts of the cardinal, who is president of Georgetown University at Washington, decided to take him for a spin up the Sound. They rigged up a little launch, and started out. They had gone five miles when a squall arose. The tiny craft soon was half filled with water.

The archbishop did not lose his placid mien. He quietly aided his friends in keeping the vessel afloat, and after a hard struggle against the choppy water they beached in Norwalk harbor.

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A century ago they were popular. To-day people want something easy to apply, certain in results, and, above all, a clean liniment. When Nerviline is applied aches and pains disappear. The pores absorb its soothing, healing properties. Nerviline penetrates to the core of the pain, eases instantly, and leaves no oily, bad smelling memory behind. Good to take in, capital to rub on, and five times more powerful in relieving pain than any oily liniment. Don't fail to get a large 25c bottle.

A Rhyming Will.

Perhaps the most peculiar will ever written was probated in England at doctors' commons, July 17, 1789. It ran as follows:

I give and bequeath,
When I am laid underneath,
To my two loving sisters, most dear,
The whole of my store,
Which I twice as much more,
Which God's goodness has granted me here.

And that none may prevent
This my will and intent,
Or occasion the least of law racket,
With a solemn appeal
I confirm, sign and seal
This the true act and deed of Will Jacket.

THE CAUSE OF HAY FEVER.

It's a microbe that floats in the air, gets into the throat and lungs, develops rapidly, excites inflammation, etc. The cause is as simple as a thistle in the finger. Extract the thistle, away goes the pain. Destroy the Hay Fever germ—you get well. That's why Catarrhoseone acts so marvelously in Hay Fever. Its fragrant vapors to you brings cure, but to the microbe death. Catarrhoseone is as quick to act on these microscopic organisms as lightning. Prevents as well as cures, and is always successful. Druggists, 25c; \$1.00, or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

A Wonderful Creature.

The polyp is the most remarkable creature on earth. It cut transversely or longitudinally into several parts, each will become a perfect animal. Trembling turned them inside out and they ate and enjoyed themselves as much as ever. He slit two longitudinally, placed the halves together and united them into two animals. He divided two transversely and created one with two heads. He pushed one down the throat of another, and third formed a creature with three heads.

Henry Elliott, Esq., of Sherbrooke, N. S., Inspector and Supt. of Bridge Construction for Nova Scotia, says: "A bottle of MINARD'S LINIMENT cured me of a very severe sprain of my leg, caused by a fall while building a bridge at Doherty Creek, Cumberland Co."

Quail on Toast is the best 5 cent cigar in the market—made by O'Brien Bros.

A man who cannot mind his own business is not to be trusted with that of the king.

Lord Lake is the best 10c. Cigar in the market—made by O'Brien Bros.

CANADA'S GREATEST NEED.

People of the Dominion Must Stand For Better Education.

Canada as a Confederation is just forty years old and one is reminded of the message of Moses to Israel. "Thou shalt remember all the way by which the Lord thy God led thee these forty years." To the nation, as to the individual, there comes always the danger "lest we forget."

We can appreciate now more fully than at the first the constructive statesmanship that welded together our provinces, opening a new prospect of national unity and growth. We can recall those early years of Confederation when reciprocity had been cancelled and the southern markets had been closed, when the American tariff severely upon us, when we had not found our way to the markets across the seas and our problems of transportation and of tariff seemed almost more than we could solve. We can recall the opening of our great West that had hitherto lain silent and empty, the rebellion that threatened our peaceful possession of it, but that served only to unite our provinces more firmly than acts of Parliament could bind them, the spanning of prairie and mountain by railway, attended by the vanguard of immigration "the first low wash of waves where soon would roll a human sea." Little wonder that it took so long for other nations to know much about us when it took so long for us to know ourselves. But we have in some degree attained our bearings, and have begun to realize our possibilities. We have tapped our resources at a sufficient number of points to assure us of great material wealth; we have checked the outflow of our own people by providing employment for them at home; we are receiving accessions to our population at a rate that now calls for increased care about their admission; we have developed so many enterprises that there is nothing in such demand as labor; from sea to sea there is a pulse of life and hopefulness that makes it seem as if to-day every Canadian must be an optimist.

Yet there are needs that must be remembered and remedied. One only I would here insist upon, a great and comprehensive one, the need of a better educated people. We are a democracy, and education is the very basis of democratic progress, but our advance in popular education is far behind our commercial and industrial development. The demand of our rural schools to-day compared with that of thirty years ago. The interests of education, like those of religion, require to be urged upon public attention. The distribution of mental and spiritual food is regulated by the laws of supply and demand that rule in beef and wheat. We require to be reminded of our higher needs lest we forget that man does not live by bread alone. And so we can better afford to have than in our educational system. Eager immigrants are crowding each other as they press in by our open door, and it is by the public school that these incoming families are to be fashioned into patriotic Canadians. This is the mind in which the nation is coming from many countries is to be stamped with the maple leaf and with the superscription of the King.

If we Canadians are to be worthy of our heritage, by whatever lines we may as fellow-men be divided, we must be united in promoting the interests of education, not merely in one class of schools but in all, from kindergarten to university, if for no other purpose than that in this way we may produce a robust and lofty patriotism—Principal Gordon in Courier.

Celebrating Hudson River.

The plans for the so-called Hudson-Fulton celebration two years hence have been submitted, and it is evident that the Hudson river, not its discoverer nor the first exploiter of steamships, is to be the centre of the celebration. Festivities for the purpose are to extend over eight days, from Sept. 18 to Sept. 26, 1909. This period includes the date of Hudson's half on the up trip and his return downstream, Sept. 19 and 23 respectively.

Fulton's celebrated trip up the Hudson in the pioneer steamboat Clermont took place Aug. 11, 1807, and this event is brought into the celebration of 1909 for convenience. In the past, the Hudson river, which will close the ceremonies, models of the Hudson ship, the Half Moon, and of the Clermont will be escorted up the river. Thus the names and the deeds of these two will be linked with the river which the destiny of civilization would have made the highway of the Hudson nor Fulton ever sailed upon its waters. However, their names are inseparably associated with the river, and it is fitting that they be linked in the manner proposed in the program of the celebration.

Good Fishing in the Lakes.

The present season promises one of the largest catches of fish in the great lakes in many years. The usual output of the lakes for several years past has been close to 150 million pounds annually of which Lake Erie produced over half. For the past decade there has been a general falling off in the quantity of fish caught in the great lakes. This year, however, the nets of the fishing companies along the coast of lakes have almost invariably been overrunning when lifted. The success of the fishermen who fish every day during the season contradicts the supposition that the lake supply of fish is giving out. The increase in the catch this year is doubtless due to the protection to fish given by the various recently enacted laws.

Skeletons Unearthed.

In the Village of Bloomfield, Ontario, while laborers were excavating the cellar of a house, they came across the skeletons of several bodies, which it is supposed had many years ago been interred in an Indian burying ground, some four or five skulls were found, and pronounced those of Indians.

Some men's idea of popularity is to have a great, big funeral.

Cracker Charm

There is all the difference in the world between eating biscuits and biscuit eating. One

may eat a biscuit and not taste it, but when you think of biscuit eating you think instantly of

Mooney's Perfection Cream Sodas

Crisp, delicious and tasty.

Absolutely and distinctly superior to any other make.

Say "Mooney's" to your grocer.

HALDANE BUYS IN AMERICA.

War Secretary Refuses to Pay Hurd to Protectionists.

London, Aug. 28.—The British War Secretary, Mr. Haldane, answering a question in the House of Commons last evening, announced that he proposed purchasing army stores in America when he can get them there, equally good or better than elsewhere, at more satisfactory prices, without apologizing to the local protectionists, who insist that British firms should be given the preference, irrespective of price or quality.

The matter was brought up by Sir Howard Vincent, Conservative and free trader, representing the central division of Sheffield, who asked for explanations of why the War Office ordered 100,000 pairs of horse shoes in the United States for the use of the British cavalry, instead of supporting British industries and workmen.

Mr. Haldane, in his reply, said the American goods were satisfactory, both as regards price and efficiency, and in the interests of the economical administration of the army he declined to disregard this source of supply.

Two Cobalt Accidents.

Cobalt, Aug. 28.—Alex. Groulx, of middle age, who lived at Latchford, was almost instantly killed yesterday afternoon by being struck on the head with a piece of ore, which weighed about a quarter of a pound. Groulx was walking on the road which crosses the railway and leads to the Nipissing dock, when a blast occurred on the Nipissing property and hurled the fatal chunk of rock across the Cobalt lake. The rock struck on the forehead of the unfortunate man's skull, crushing it in and also caused a slight abrasion near the nose. He lived only a few minutes after the accident.

Yesterday, while near the Nipissing landing on Cobalt Lake, Moses Menard, a French Canadian, was seriously injured by a large chunk of rock, loosed from a blast, on the Government right of way. The rock struck his foot with such force that it not only badly smashed it, but forced it through the bottom of the boot. The boot at once sunk and Menard was picked up by the Nipissing launch.

Emma's Reign of Terror.

Amsterdam, Aug. 28.—A small army of detectives of almost every nationality is here to watch the delegates to the anarchist congress now in session. The Dutch authorities are most anxious to have special precautions taken to guard the Government buildings against outrages.

It is understood that at Monday's session, which was held behind closed doors, Ernest Malatesta and Emma Goldman made violent speeches, the latter advocating a "reign of terror" as the means of readjusting social conditions in the United States.

Doctor's Double Life.

Westchester, Pa., Aug. 28.—Judge Butler yesterday sentenced Dr. Ben Holbrook, who was convicted of robbing schoolhouse and railway stations, to five years imprisonment. Dr. Holbrook by day was a well-bred, courteous physician and by night an audacious burglar, looking for railway stations for miles around Coatesville, where he made his home.

101 Years Old, He Weds.

Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 28.—John P. Burden, 101 years old, and Miss Rose McGuire, the sweetheart of the youth, herself almost a centenarian, were married in the presence of a large crowd, in a tent erected over the spot where the two kept secret trysts when young. Adams was president of the United States.

General Loses 10,000 Francs.

New York, Aug. 28.—The loss in Montreal, Canada, of a few days ago of a letter of credit for 10,000 francs, in favor of General Magrin, a retired French army officer, traveling in this country, and now in New York City, was announced Monday by J. C. Buchanan, local representative of the Credit Lyonnais.

Find Body in Lake.

Paterson, N. J., Aug. 28.—The body of Miss Agnes Maguire, a Brooklyn school teacher, who mysteriously disappeared from a carriage at Nolan's Point, Lake Hopatcong, N. J., on Saturday night, was found in the lake yesterday. The coroner expressed the opinion that Miss Maguire had committed suicide.

FOUR AMERICAN JUDGES.

U. S. Delegates to Hague Suggest Composition of Arbitration Court.

The Hague, Aug. 28.—Joseph H. Choate and James Brown Scott, for the American delegation to the peace conference, have drawn up a new proposition with respect to the allotment of judges for the international high court of justice.

In this proposal the United States announces the willingness of all the countries of the American continent, including the United States, to have altogether four judges, to be appointed for the 21 countries comprising the continent, on the understanding, arrived at through diplomatic channels, that this will reduce the matter of judges to 15.

SEND CATS TO INDIA.

English "Mousers" to Kill the Rats That Spread Plague.

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If, on the other hand, the miners win, freedom is assured on the Rand, and it will spread thence throughout South Africa.

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LETTERS

A NERVE RACKER.

To the Editor of The Planet:
Sir,—Citizens do not like to complain against factories, as we are all too pleased to see them in active operation. But, at the same time, they think that the factory proprietors should show some consideration for the nerves of the citizens and not become a nerve-racking nuisance to the whole community.

The factory I refer to is that excellent institution in the East End, the Bending Works. It is a good factory and gives employment to a good number of citizens; but it contains a machine, whether a saw or blower I do not know, which makes more noise than all the other machinery in Chatham combined. That machine commences a booming howl at 7 a. m. and continues the same monotonous roar till 6 p. m.

Now, we know the proprietors are good citizens, who would not intentionally do anyone an injury, and have not thought of the terrible torture that machine in inflicting on the sick and nervous in their vicinity.

Since their attention has been drawn to the fact we have no doubt that they will take measures to abate the horror.

CITIZEN.

Chatham, Aug. 29th, 1907.

BELOW AVERAGE

Blenheim, August 28.—The harvest is nearly all in here now, and taken altogether the crop is much below what would be called a good crop.

The oats were hurt much by the army worm, a striking instance of which took place in a field of Mr. James Steel, Guilds. A twelve-acre field there gave indications of producing 75 bushels to the acre a few days before being out, it being one of the best looking fields in the country. The army worm got to work in the grain, however, and in a few days it was ruined and yielded only 34 bushels when threshed.

Doing good is, perhaps, the only enterprise in which there is positively no element of risk.

BASE BALL LABOR DAY

At 2.30 p. m., on Tecumseh Park

The Famous Walpole Indians

vs.

A Picked Team from Chatham

A good game may be expected as Walpole has one of the fastest teams in the west.

NOTES FROM ERIEAU

Erieau, August 29.—Mrs. Charles Fleming and Miss Candace Fleming visited Erieau friends yesterday.

Miss Mildred Richards is holidaying on the bar, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. A. F. Falls.

A very happy little visitor at Centreville is Miss Helen Barfoot, Dufferin avenue.

Mr. O. K. Morris and family, of Blenheim, have closed their cottage, Branksome Lodge, for the season.

Miss Olive Richards, of King street west, is spending a few days with Mrs. J. E. Oldershaw.

Miss Josie Moore, of Chatham, is spending the closing days of the summer holiday with her friend, Miss Mabel Bennett, at Outlaw's Inn.

While out sailing the Awa in a stiff breeze yesterday little Miss Gladys McRitchie met with an interesting adventure which proved the calibre of the plucky and expert young skipper. In an exceptionally heavy "puff" the foresail ripped and partially descended. Not a bit daunted the resourceful maid shortened sail and tied the torn remnant to the mast, making the moorings in a brisk beat with the improvised pocket handkerchief.

Probably the most successful veteran fisherman at the Eau is Mr. Milner. Last evening, in company with his daughter, Mrs. J. E. Oldershaw, he put out in the row boat near sundown and within twenty minutes had gathered in one of the catches of the season, a fine large pike.

The largest flock of wild ducks yet seen this season was noticed this morning in flight over the western marsh lands. As the duck season opens on Monday this spectacle was a source of considerable satisfaction to the would-be nimrods.

Messrs. Alex. Clark and Murray Reeve spent yesterday as guests at Judge Houston's summer cottage.

Rev. Mr. Matthews, pastor of the William street Baptist church, Chatham, spent yesterday the guest of Judge Houston at his Erieau cottage. With the Judge at the tiller a pleasant party spent a goodly portion of the day in sailing in the trim little Houston yacht, the Victoria.

Misses Etta and Riva English were Chatham visitors yesterday.

Mr. George Abraham, of "Underwood Farm," is a guest at Crown Attorney Smith's cottage.

Mr. John Turner's family have left for town and their pretty cottage Belvedere has again donned its winter aspect.

Mr. George Heyward, of the Queen City Oil Company, is visiting friends at this resort.

Miss Ida Powell, of Chicago, and Mrs. Powell, of Blenheim, spent yesterday with friends on the bar. Miss Powell, who has been in Blenheim during the summer, leaves for Chicago on Friday to attend the wedding of her friend, Miss Silliman.

Miss Josie Moore returned to her home last evening after a few days with friends here.

Mrs. John Sheldon has closed up her pretty summer house, Waverley Lodge, preparatory to the return of herself and family to their home in Ridgeway.

The good people of Centreville availed themselves of the delightful weather last evening to call together an impromptu gathering of a few of the nearby residents for the purpose of participating in a "bon-fire." Around the cheerful light of the huge fire the young folks assembled and enjoyed, to the full, a jolly taffy pull. The presence of the genial Mr. George S. Heyward gave the gathering an appropriate and entertaining master of ceremonies. The earlier hours were devoted to the entertainment of the young folks,

FADED IN THE BLOOM

Lines in memory of Archie Murphy, who died at his home in Camden, Ont., Aug. 16th, 1907; written by one in sympathy with the family.

Dear Archie, thou art gone above To this bright world of light and love;

Thy ever happy smile has gone To light and cheer another hour.

Still we shall miss thy smiling face, Thy cheering words and gentle ways;

The sunshine of thy happy home—How sad thy fate so soon should come.

You suffered none your griefs to share; Alone your burdens you would bear; And always in a hopeful way You smiled the fears of anxious friends away.

Oh! Archie, may we live and die That we may meet again on high, And there united be again, With father, mother, brothers, friends.

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11c Yard

In this lot there is almost every class of embroidery you could desire from the fine dainty Swiss to the Cambric, some very wide others fine, but not so wide, a splendid lot, special 11c yard.

18c Yard

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