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LONDON, CANADA, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1901.

WHOLE NO. 16,387.

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

DIED.
STANTON—In this city, on Thursday, Sept. 26, 1901, Albert Stanton, aged 55 years.

Funeral from the residence of Mr. J. W. Cahill, 104 Elmwood avenue, on Saturday, Sept. 28, at 2 o'clock. Funeral private.

PARSONS—In this city, on Thursday, Sept. 26, 1901, Ernest R. Parsons, aged 55 years, died at his residence, 104 Elmwood avenue, on Saturday, Sept. 28, at 2 o'clock. Funeral private.

Funeral from his father's residence, High street, on Sunday, Sept. 29, at 2 o'clock. Services at 3 o'clock, to Woodland Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

FEAR—In this city, on Sept. 26, 1901, Sarah Anna, relict of the late Edwin Wilcox Fear, in her 90th year.

Funeral from the residence of her son-in-law, R. S. Holmes, 22 Victor street, South London, on Sunday, Sept. 29, at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

TOOHEY—On Friday morning, Sept. 27, at 1:30, Mrs. Catherine Toohey, aged 80 years, widow of the late Patrick Toohey.

Funeral at 8:30 Monday morning from the residence of her son-in-law, R. Corcoran, 530 Maitland street, to St. Peter's Cathedral; thence to cemetery.

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MEETINGS.

LONDON COUNCIL. No. 23, ROYAL Arcadium, will meet this (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock, in Dufrail Block.

REGULAR CONVOCAION OF ST. George's R. A. Chapter. No. 5, will be held in Masonic Temple, this (Friday) evening at 7:30. Visitors welcome. C. C. Reed, Sec'y. E. J. W. Evans, A.

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GOOD TRACKMEN REQUIRED FOR extra work on Lake Superior Division. C. F. R. Strong, \$15 per day. Please apply to Agent C. F. R. Strong.

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STRONG BOYS WANTED AT ONCE. Apply D. S. Pettin & Co.

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FIFTY GIRLS WANTED IMMEDIATELY. Apply D. S. Pettin & Co.

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AGENTS—"THE LIFE OF PRESIDENT McKinley." by his devoted friend, that distinguished man of letters, Col. McClure, the biographer of Abraham Lincoln, has been in preparation for years, and will be published by the McClure, Phillips & Co. of New York. It is a masterpiece of research and style. It is a masterpiece of research and style. It is a masterpiece of research and style.

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FOR SALE—GOOD WORKING HORSE. Apply 532 South street.

GOOD HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE FOR sale; family are leaving London. Apply 277 Gray street.

PEACHES AND PLUMS ARE ARRIVING in large quantities now. Don't wait until the best of them are gone before you buy, as the season this year will be very short having so much hot weather. When you buy from us you buy direct from the grower. A. A. Peaches, 37 Dundas and Market Square, west of butter and egg building.

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WANTED.

WANTED—\$400 AT 4 PER CENT ON 30 acre farm in London township. Address Box 21, this office.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

W. J. E. DILLABOUGH, OSTEOPATHIC Physician, has removed temporarily from 74 Richmond to 459 Princess, corner Maitland.

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STAMPS—CURRENT CANADA, OLD collections, revenues, bought and sold. Adams, 401 Yonge street, Toronto.

LOST AND FOUND.
STRAYED FROM THE PREMISES OF the undersigned, about Sept. 1, two aged black-faced sheep and two lambs. Reward, D. G. Gray, Colliery P. O.

LOST—ON THURSDAY, WATCH PIN with gold piece attached. Reward at this office.

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LONDONERS VISITING PAN-AMER-ICAN can secure good private accommodation at 525 Plymouth avenue. Room, 52c; breakfast, 25c. West avenue and Grant street cars pass door on way to exposition. Write and secure rooms in advance. Mrs. Walter, 525 Plymouth avenue.

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A SNAP—GOOD RESTAURANT AND confectionery business, must be sold; best of reasons. The Favorite, 34 Richmond.

FOR SALE—BUTCHERING BUSINESS. Doing a good business; satisfactory reasons for selling. Box 29, Advertiser office.

FOR SALE—LIGHT LIVERY, CHEAP; doing good business, but must be sold. Address, 1015 Lapeer avenue, Port Huron, Mich.

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TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE, SLATE roof, furnace, bath and w. c.; all in first-class order; lot 4x220 feet. Price, \$15,000. This is a bargain. J. P. Sangster, 403 Richmond street.

FOR SALE—COTTAGE AND LARGE lot in London West, at a bargain. Apply Johnston & Casey, 90 Dundas street.

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JAMES MORDEN TELLS A STARTLING STORY

"Smash the Old Man's Head in With a Club"—The Alleged Remark of Gerald Sifton.

Rev. W. H. Cooper Tells of Gerald's Statement to Him That Dr. McNeil Had Demanded and Received \$1,000 to Refrain From Holding an Inquest—Attendance of Medical Experts Costs \$500 a Day.

Each day of the Sifton murder trial continues to furnish its quota of evidence sufficiently sensational to please the most morbid-minded. Yesterday afternoon's feature was the presence in the witness box of James Morden. He told the same story that he recited at the preliminary examination last year, including the alleged efforts of Gerald Sifton to induce him to "smash the old man's head in with a club," or "drop in the house, choke the old man to death, and hang him to a beam in the barn. The witness memory seemed to have improved in the meantime, for he recalled with ease and positiveness many details of conversation which he omitted in his recital of a year ago.

Rev. W. H. Cooper told of Gerald's statement to him that Dr. McNeil had demanded and received \$1,000 in notes to refrain from holding an inquest. The other evidence, given by Mrs. Hulda McFarlane, and John McFarlane, was not possessed of any particularly startling character.

EXPENSES OF THE TRIAL.
Some idea of the expense under which both defense and crown are working may be gathered from the fact that the attendance of medical men alone is costing each side from \$400 to \$500 every day. The Toronto Herald estimates that the crown's expenses will probably receive \$50 per day each, while the local medical men in attendance will get at least half as much. When to this is added the pay of the lay witnesses, and the large fees of the legal men, it will be seen that should the trial last a couple of weeks, as seems quite possible, the bill of costs on both sides will reach a very high figure.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON SESSION.
MRS. MCFARLANE CALLED.
Mrs. Hulda McFarlane, Mary's mother, took the stand on her daughter's leaving it. She first knew of Mary's engagement to Joseph Sifton at 10 p.m. on Friday, June 23. She

had, she said, gone to Gerald's house on the morning of Joseph's death, being driven part of the way by her son. Gerald came into breakfast at 6 o'clock. Mrs. Sifton and Walter Herbert were also there. Witness told about Joseph Sifton and Mary coming to her the night before, and told Gerald that Mary seemed determined to be married, though witness tried to dissuade her, because of Sifton's age. Gerald said he was going to see Rev. W. H. Cooper and find out if Mary and Joseph Sifton were married, and if they were not, he would put them so they would not be.

After the funeral, witness was going home from Gerald's, and she told Gerald she meant to take Mary with her. Gerald said, "Oh, no, we couldn't do without her."

Witness objected that Mary had to work too hard, and Gerald said if Mary would stay she wouldn't have to work hard, but could do as she wished. In cross-examination by Mr. Johnston, witness repeated the conversation had by Gerald on the morning of the tragedy. Gerald said he was going to fix his father's hay-fork, and said he would go to Cooper's on the way. Witness had said to Mary on the night before that it would be.

BETTER FOR HER TO BE DEAD than married to Joseph Sifton. Witness also said it would be better if it were her funeral than her marriage.

To Mr. Johnston, in cross-examination, Gerald told the witness that he didn't expect he would have to pay the money, as the notes could not be collected. Witness said she had considerable experience with deaths and funerals. He found that men under the influence of grief did things not done at other times. Witness knew the family affairs of the Siftons fairly well, and there

WAS NO ILL-FEELING between Gerald Sifton and his father, as far as witness knew. Witness saw blood marks on the ground and on the wall of the barn. The marks were under the upper opening and not under the lower. The marks were about ten or twelve inches apart, and between three and four feet from the wall. Witness saw bricks and one stone lying on the ground, near the pools of blood. There had

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FIRE AND DROUGHT

Over 20,000 Acres of Forest Burned Over in Hawaii—Sugar Crop Damaged.

Honolulu, Sept. 17, via San Francisco. Sept. 25.—Forest fires and drought have done enormous damage to sugar plantations in the Hamakua district. Although a small army of men have been fighting the fire, it has burned over 20,000 acres of valuable forest. Hamakua is also suffering badly from lack of rain. Next year's crop on 1,000 acres has gone to nothing. A young cane that is not ready for harvest is being rushed to the mills with a view

to getting what can be secured from it. Stocks have been removed to Hilo to prevent the animals dying from lack of water and there has been a general exodus of settlers.

Chicago capitalists have under consideration a project to bring water from the Koolah Mountains to the plantations. It involves an expenditure of two and a half millions, but it would assure a water supply.

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We are exceedingly proud of our Drug Store. We could talk for a week, and then not say all the nice things we think it deserves. It is a handsome, attractive, well-arranged store. Its fittings and furniture are both substantial and artistic. There is a place for everything, and everything is in its place. It is a clean store. Everything you see, and everything that is out of sight, is as neat as a new pin.

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It is an accommodating store. There's an atmosphere about it that makes you feel at home. You are treated courteously. You are waited on promptly. You get what you ask for without any argument. You are made to feel just as welcome when you buy a postage stamp or use the telegraph, as when you buy five dollars' worth of goods.

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Vegetables and Forage Raised for South African Garrisons.

Mail Train to Bloemfontein. Now Running at Night—Epidemic of Rinderpest Has Increased Difficulty of Transport.

London, Sept. 27.—An extraordinary rumor was prevalent among military club men last night that Lord Kitchener, in consequence of a disagreement with Mr. Brodrick, had resigned his post as commander-in-chief in South Africa. The rumor is not likely to receive credence in official quarters. It is known that Gen. Kitchener is anxious to enter upon the duties of commander-in-chief in India.

SURRENDERING GOES ON.

Bloemfontein, Sept. 27.—Gen. Wilton has sent 50 prisoners belonging to Kock's commando from Edenburg. They also brought in their saddles, rifles and ammunition. Batches of prisoners from Bloemfontein camp are being sent back every week to Durban, Natal. Small surrenders continue daily. The mail train is now running at night for the first time in fourteen months.

A SPLENDID SUCCESS.

Pretoria, Sept. 26.—The government farms established by Col. Morgan near all the principal garrisons have been a splendid success, and now supply more than sufficient green forage and vegetables for the local forces. Nearly 2,000 acres have been brought under cultivation. The crops have been phenomenal. The farms are under the management of Mr. Schlem, an Australian, and Mr. Roberts, a Cambridgeshire farmer. Bloemfontein, Sept. 27.—Business men in the Orange River Colony state that the small storekeepers are large gainers by the war, but the merchants, with the exception of those who have military contracts, are losers.

There is sufficient wheat for the entire population of the Orange River Colony for four months awaiting transportation from Thaba N'Chu and Basutoland.

The epidemic of rinderpest has greatly increased the difficulty of transport. It is almost impossible to obtain milk, sugar, salt, rice and paraffine, as the merchants find that there is little profit to be made, and they are not bringing any supplies beyond the absolute necessities.

The mining troubles in Hopkins county, Ky., have reached a crisis, and Governor Beckham has ordered out militia from Bowling Green and Owensboro to protect the property of the operators.

Lila Silverthorn, a Toronto girl of fifteen years, committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid on account of a disagreement with her lover.

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London, Friday, Sept. 27.

It will be a convenience, and secure earlier attention, if all communications intended for publication, or on matters relating thereto, are addressed to the EDITORIAL DEPARTMENT, The Advertiser, London, Ont.

Czolgosz Sentenced.

On Thursday, the trial of Czolgosz, the assassin of President McKinley, came to a conclusion with the formal sentence of the prisoner, who will be put to death by electrocution some time next month. The trial has been eminently dignified and satisfactory, without rest, yet without haste. Two upright and able members of the bar had been appointed to act on the prisoner's behalf, so that no anarchist could hereafter point to this trial and say that Czolgosz had not been granted the full measure of his legal rights. How infinitely superior this method of the calm process of law to "the mob justice" which some would have meted out to the wretched assassin!

It is satisfactory to learn that it is intended to keep the prisoner in complete seclusion until his execution, so as to prevent his obtaining the notoriety, unwholesome for himself and for the public, for which he may have craved. Czolgosz may well spend the few remaining days of his life in preparing himself for his exit from a world in which he has played a part so vile and cowardly. The prisoner, it is said, is losing that bravado which has for the most part marked his demeanor since the assassination, and it is possible that before he dies he may reveal the ramifications of the whole plot of which he was the despicable instrument.

The Use of Empire.

Mr. Asquith is one of those who are called Liberal Imperialists. He is a very able man and will not, we hope, have the sad fate of falling between the two parties. Recently he asked this important question, "What is the use of empire if it does not breed and maintain in the truest and fullest sense of the word an imperial race? What is the use of talking about empire, if here, at its very center, there is always to be found a mass of people, stunted in education, a prey to intemperance, huddled and congested beyond the possibility of realizing in any sense either social or domestic life?"

That is certainly a pertinent question. If we are to have imperialism in the sense of defense against outside foes, there must also be a recognition of the fact that the true imperialism means an endeavor to uplift the standard of life and character within the nation. In the ancient Roman empire the spoils of foreign conquest were used to corrupt, degrade and enslave Roman citizens. But that great empire, even from the moment of its birth, carried within it the seeds of decay. Others, with less vitality, traveled the same road at a greater speed. We have an opportunity of showing that imperialism can be combined with Liberalism; not Liberalism in any narrow party sense, but in the sense of true humanitarianism and real brotherhood. "Every society is judged," says Mr. Asquith, "and survives, according to the moral and material manner which it prescribes to its members." In Canada, Australia, and the outlying portions of the empire, these social problems are not so pressing. The young limbs of the empire are fresh and healthy, and every effort should be made to keep them so. Nearer to the heart there is greater danger. One writer asks: "Can we, even as a mere matter of business, any longer allow the millions of whom I have already spoken—the 'submerged fifth' of our nation—to be housed, washed and watered worse than our horses?"

Buffalo's Friendly Note.

It looks as if the early part of the twentieth century might see a wiping out of the feuds that antagonized the United States and the British Empire during part of the nineteenth and the latter part of the eighteenth centuries. Canadians have always desired to be on friendly terms with their neighbors, and indications point to a response in kind from the people of the United States. Concerning the attitude of Canadians towards the recent national sorrow which the United States has undergone, the Buffalo News contains the following suggestive paragraph:

"There will be offered an occasion on Friday, the 27th of this month, to show the gratitude we owe Canadians for their sympathy freely offered to the people of the United States in the hour of affliction. The 27th has been set down as Tuesday at the Exposition. On that day the mayor of Toronto, O. A. Howland, and the board of aldermen of Toronto will visit the Pan-American as the guests of the directors, and will remain the entire day on the grounds. The occasion should

be one of hearty greeting to the Canadians who will be present. Buffalo should show its gratitude by extended hands and a welcome as courteous as can flow from generous hearts. The time has passed when small differences can estrange those who have awakened to more exalted feelings, who are brothers of right and friends always. The brotherhood of mankind means something to those who can sympathize with each other in affliction. Canadians and Americans know each other better now than ever before, and will avail themselves of the opportunity to greet each other for friendship's sake."

Mr. Tarte's Temporary Disabling.

The many friends of Hon. J. Israel Tarte will learn with regret that the accident from which he suffered the other day in Quebec is graver than was at first thought. He is suffering from considerable deafness in the left ear, and his medical attendant strongly recommends that he should take as much rest as possible for some time to come. Mr. Tarte was to have been the guest of honor at a banquet to be given by the Montreal Chamber of Commerce on Oct. 3 next. The banquet has been necessarily postponed to a date to be determined later on. We hope to hear of Mr. Tarte's complete restoration to health. Ontario has a friendly hand for the energetic and plucky Minister, as is testified by the cordial reception always extended him whenever he appears on the platform in this Province.

All Elevators Should Be Inspected.

A source of danger in cities which is apt to be overlooked, is the operation of elevators. Elevators in factories, according to the factory inspector's report, are equipped with necessary safety catches and automatic gates and doors. But there are many elevators which do not come under the jurisdiction of the Factories Act, and which consequently are not under inspection; those, for instance, in offices, stores, warehouses, and public buildings, should be placed under the same or similar inspection as those in factories. Liability to accident would be appreciably lessened were each municipality to assign the duty of inspection to one of its officers, or appoint a special officer for that purpose. Let all elevators be inspected at regular intervals.

The Amsterdam Handelsblad's correspondent must be in a temper. At all events this is the Dutchman's view of Anglican preaching: "For inane, insipid, vapid and invertebrate sermons, commend me to the Episcopal clergy of England. Their halting weakness is impossible to describe, and, in my experience, unrivaled."

Many of our readers will regret to learn that the health of Hon. Clarke Wallace, M.P., is very unsatisfactory. On Wednesday last, while endeavoring to address a Sons of Scotland gathering in the neighborhood of Toronto, he was seized with a fainting spell and had to be carried from the grounds. The Advertiser does not ordinarily see things political eye to eye with the member for West York; but he is a man of no inconsiderable ability, and of kind heart. The Advertiser wishes for him a speedy restoration to health and strength.

The recent outrage against the life of President McKinley bids fair to be the cause for new federal laws on the subject of doctrines subversive to the peace of the country. Emma Goldman, for instance, is an incendiary teacher whose doctrines are dangerous, appealing, as they do to the weak, impressionable minds of such men as the late President's assassin. Such a woman is an undesirable member of any human society that stands for law and order, and upon the first utterance or threat, should be so guarded as to preclude her doing any harm. The Washington Star emphatically suggests that before winter is over, Congress should pass a law that will strike directly at the root of the evil and put a stop to the assemblage of persons preaching and entertaining views inimical to the institution of government in general.

Long and Patient Practice.

[New York Observer.] The unsuccessful teaching of English composition in the lower schools and in many of the colleges is largely due to the fact that the writing of one's own language comes by nature. Hence, even teachers of experience find it hard to realize that the high school pupil often needs drill upon sentence structure before he is prepared to write themes. Presumably he has been taught in the lower grades to compose short sentences on easy subjects; but as his ideas become more complex, the old means of expression is too limited and he has not acquired the skill for more elaborate linguistic efforts, so he founders helplessly in a maze of long involved sentences without logical beginning or end.

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No South—No North.

[President Roosevelt in an interview with a Southerner.] "My dear man," exclaimed President Roosevelt, grasping the congressman's hand vigorously, "I will have no use for dividing lines or sectionalism in this country during my administration."

tion, and I am sincerely grateful to you for offering to help me make my administration a national one. It will be my earnest and sincere desire to treat all the people of this country alike, without regard to sectional lines. I want you to understand that my mother was from Georgia, and that I have a very warm and kindly feeling for the people of Georgia and all the people of the South. I want you to remember that I am president of the whole country, and during my administration it will be my earnest desire to merit the affection and confidence of the people of the South, as well as those from the North, East, or the West."

"Our Canadian Brothers."

[Louisville Courier-Journal.] There was something more than mere formality in the expression which came to us from other lands on the assassination of President McKinley. There was also more than the sympathy which springs spontaneously from the shock of a blow that strikes at all humankind in the stroke dealt to one branch of it. Behind all this were, in many instances, evidences of sterling good will and good feeling to the American people, who should be, and are, highly prized by them. It was natural, no doubt, that these should be most notable among those of our blood and language. The British Empire, and it was as natural that they should be most pronounced among our close neighbors across the Canadian border. No American citizen was in Canada at the time of the death of President McKinley could have failed to be deeply touched by the bearing of the Canadians. It was as if the American were in his own land, so

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horses' feet were apparent. When they were being thrown into the lower hole, the horses would be standing about under the upper hole. This would be the natural way for them to stand when driven in from the north. Re-examined as to the conversation with Gerald about the notes given to Dr. McNeill, witness said he remarked to Gerald: "Gerald, you will have to be very careful. You will require, in my opinion, to pay one of the notes or part of one, and get a receipt for it, something in black and white for the McNeill did that, and he finds trouble brewing."

HE WILL BURN THE NOTES, and declare that no such transaction ever passed, and it will be simply your word against his."

There was no depression, that witness noticed, under the bricks. Witness saw two bricks where the blood pools were, a yard or so away were a couple of dozen, and still further away were other bricks. There was a quantity of stones and rubbish around. He told Mr. Johnston witness said that the bricks appeared to have been handled before he came, and that there seemed to have been a number of people there.

JOHN MCFARLANE, the brother of Mary McFarlane, said he was told something by John Sinker, in consequence of which he spoke to Gerald Sifton on Friday night, and told Gerald led witness aside and said, "If there is anything the matter with the girl my father will pay for it."

WITNESS NOT WANTED. Mr. Riddell here announced that he did not purpose calling Mrs. (Canon) Richardson, whose absence at a previous assize was given by the defense as a reason for postponement. Mr. Johnston said that he purposed to have Mrs. Richardson put in the box for examination, and he asked that she be retained for that purpose.

BIRN MEN TESTIFY.

Richard Lamborne, of Birn, swore he knew Joseph Sifton and saw him in the house on the morning of his death. Witness had no conversation with Gerald, but had with Walter Herbert. Witness saw the scene of the accident and the beam from which Sifton was alleged to have fallen. There were two pools of blood, and the blood-stained seat of the ground. Witness saw blood on two bricks.

Mr. Helmut took the witness for cross-examination. It was very brief, consisting only of a couple of minor questions. Jas. Armstrong, also of Birn, was at Joseph Sifton's house on June 30, having been there with Leonard at present. Witness had no conversation with Gerald, but had with Walter Herbert. Witness saw the scene of the accident and the beam from which Sifton was alleged to have fallen. There were two pools of blood, and the blood-stained seat of the ground. Witness saw blood on two bricks.

A MORDEN IN THE BOX. James Morden, brother of Martin Morden, was next called. He said that he was living in London at present, but at the time of Joseph Sifton's death he resided at lot 21, con. 7, London township, which was about one mile from Gerald Sifton's. Witness knew both Joseph Sifton and Gerald, knowing the latter for many years. Witness saw Gerald on Friday night, June 23, between 9 and 10 o'clock, when Gerald came to his residence. Witness did not know how Gerald came, and did not see any vehicle. Gerald was there between 20 and 25 minutes. Witness had just come out of his barn when Gerald came.

HE SEEMED MUCH EXCITED.

"I remarked to him," said Morden, "that he was puffing as though he had come through a long gravel that was out on the road in front. He said he didn't know what he rode through. Gerald said 'Excuse me,' and took me down next to the barn door. He said, 'I am going to tell you something, because I know you won't say anything. There is hell to pay at our house, and I will give you \$1,000 to help me out. I want you to go with me and catch the old man when he is coming home and

general and sincere was the engrossing interest in the tragedy, so mournful the regret, so strong the indignation. Truly it would have been a benefit to our country could have spent two days of last week in Montreal."

Where is the Poet?

[Chicago Tribune.] The tragedy at Buffalo sounded the whole gamut of human emotions. Love, hate, fear, anger, sympathy, compassion—all the primal passions were aroused. Nothing could have been more dramatic than the spectacle of a single, cowardly, skulking wretch throwing a nation into tears. Nothing could have been more pathetic than the deep, yet hopeful, silence in which the people waited for the news from Buffalo. Nothing could be more inspiring than the way in which they rallied from the shock and faced the future with the confidence that "God reigns and the government at Washington still lives." Nowhere was ever before the checkered and faded of devotion than that which bound together the president and his wife. Never was a deathbed illumined more brightly by the light of a Christian hope and faith. There was everything to inspire the poet. Yet though yards upon yards of verses have been written, the first poem has yet appeared. Is the poet dead? Or is the event yet too near for poetic treatment? It may be that the canvas is too large, the picture too heroic in size for poetic treatment. At any rate, it would seem that the great tragedy must inspire a poet. If there be one among us, to the writing of which shall be worthy of the theme.

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the barn." Gerald said he was going to fetch a hay fork track in the morning to his father's barn and would find him hanging there, and folks would think it was a case of suicide."

"What did you say to that?" asked Mr. Riddell.

"I said money was no object to me," was witness' reply, "and if he done that he would be hung or get someone to hang him. I said that I would like his father was not liked, that not very many liked the old man, and they

WOULD PAY NO ATTENTION to it, supposing he was killed. I said, 'Your father has always been a friend to me.' He said he knew that, and that was why he came to me. He wanted to get somebody to go that nobody would suspect of doing it."

Witness went into his own house, came outside again and asked Gerald in. Gerald came in and started to talk, but witness shook his head at him. Witness' sister was in the house. Gerald came out again with witness. Gerald took James' brother's coat from the house and put it on, as the night was cool.

Witness' sister and Edgar Morden were at the house. Martin Morden is a brother of the witness, and Edgar is a second cousin. "As far as I can make out," said the witness, "Gerald wanted to know

MARTIN MORDEN'S ADDRESS, and witness said he did not know it. Witness told Gerald in what block on Dundas street, London, Martin was living. It was between 9 and 10 p.m. when Gerald left. The distance to London by witness' residence was about seven miles.

Witness did not see Gerald again until the following Tuesday, when he was going to the railway station. How Gerald was getting on with his wife, Gerald replied: "Not so bad, only for this bloody accident." Gerald described to witness the accident and to Joseph Sifton, saying that in knocking off the boards he had fallen out.

"THE SECOND BOARD WAS TOO MUCH for father," said Gerald. Gerald also said it was a wonder his father was not killed long ago in runaway accidents. Gerald ended by saying that the least said about the accident, the least known.

Witness next saw Gerald a couple of weeks after, but said nothing important was said on that occasion. Gerald told witness on one occasion, before Joseph's death, that he had had

TROUBLE WITH HIS FATHER. His father had promised him to help Gerald for his house, but the first year he had paid off the mortgage on his own place, and the second year he had lost money in a law scrape. Gerald was going to get some horses and cattle from his father's place and sell them, and when his father would ask about them Gerald would say he sold them to some one else.

Witness told Gerald a couple of weeks after Joseph Sifton's death that the

BODY WAS TO BE EXHUMED. Gerald said he didn't care, as nothing against him would be discovered. Gerald said he would have been arrested a few nights before had it not been for his uncle Jack Sifton. He said that a policeman might be along trying to scare Walter Herbert, but he would not get much out of Herbert. Joseph Sifton when he had been living with Gerald.

CROSS-EXAMINATION. Mr. Johnston then took the witness, and had him in hand until adjournment to him witness said that he heard the statement made by Gerald on Friday evening. He knew on Saturday evening that the old man was dead, but he did not know that Gerald was the murderer of his father, yet had friendly relations with Gerald afterwards, borrowed a rifle from him and got some chicken feed. Witness said nothing to Gerald, accusing him of having killed the old man; said nothing of the threats made by the old man to the night before his father's death.

On the first occasion of going to Gerald's, witness said to Mrs. Sifton

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the chicken feed several days later at the Green place. Witness did not pay for the chicken feed or for feed got on a previous occasion, though it was understood that he was to do so.

A week and a half later witness went to borrow a rifle from Gerald because he wanted to go to a club shoot, "and more than that, I did not want him to have it." Witness would have

BORROWED THE RIFLE, even if he had not been going to the shoot. Witness went on the same occasion to tell Gerald what he had heard about the exhuming of the body. Gerald made no objection to loaning the rifle. Witness did not return it until Andrew Rogers came for it some months after.

The following week witness went down to Gerald's to "square it" with Gerald, as Edgar Morden had told witness that Gerald

INTENDED TO SHOOT HIM. Witness did not see Gerald that time. A few days later witness went to Gerald's again on the same errand. Witness did not see Gerald, but was speaking to Walter Herbert.

Witness next went to Gerald's on the day on which he came into the city to give High Constable McLoud the information. Witness signed no paper when he gave McLoud the information. On this occasion, in conversation with Gerald, witness did not speak of Gerald's intention to shoot him. Witness did not mean to ask Gerald direct, but meant to judge of his intentions from his manner of speaking. Gerald asked witness if he had any early potatoes, and witness replied that he would have some in a week and a half. Witness did not know at this time that he was going to give the information that day.

Witness was picking cherries at his own place that day, when Gerald passed. There was no conversation between them.

Witness went to borrow the rifle on Saturday, July 14. Up to the time of laying the information, witness and Gerald were apparently

ON FRIENDLY TERMS. Witness worked for Gerald for a month some five or six years ago, and said he would do nothing to call in on at Gerald's.

On the Friday when Gerald came to ask witness to kill Joseph Sifton, witness said he would do nothing of the kind. Witness asked Gerald about Mary McFarlane, and Gerald replied that the old man had got her in trouble, but he had done it in such a way that the

LAW COULDN'T TOUCH HIM. Mr. Johnston then examined witness at length as to his statements at the preliminary examination. Witness' memory had evidently freshened since that time, as he was shown to have repeated conversations with more detail yesterday than he did a year ago.

Mr. Johnston read the following question asked of witness at the preliminary examination, and asked witness what answer he wished to make. "Was there anything in any shape or form in any conversation you ever had with Gerald Sifton that would lead you to imply that

HE KILLED HIS FATHER, or had anything to do with his death?"

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whether he did or he didn't. I thought at the time he did."

Witness said that he took no precautions toward

WARNING OLD MAN SIFTON of Gerald's intention. Witness lived about three miles from Joseph Sifton's. Witness did not mention the matter to anyone that night, nor until the following afternoon.

When Gerald entered the house of witness on that Friday night he spoke in a low voice, as though to continue his proposition about killing the old man. Witness shook his head at Gerald, because he did not want his sister to know what Sifton was saying. Witness never let his sister

KNOW ANY OF HIS BUSINESS. Witness went down the lane with Sifton, because he wanted to warn him not to kill his father, and also because Gerald was talking so loud that witness was afraid Edgar would hear him. Witness did not wish Edgar to hear, because it would be talked all over the neighborhood.

Gerald did not tell witness that he wanted to get Martin Morden

TO KILL THE OLD MAN. Witness gave Gerald Martin's address, though he knew that Gerald wanted to get Martin to commit a murder. Court rose at 6 p.m. to resume at 9:30 Friday morning.

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A Winter Excursion.

[Winnipeg Free Press.] The Western Press Association, including in its membership most of the editors of Manitoba and the Northwest Territories, have mapped out an unique excursion for the winter months. They propose to go to California taking in, either going or calling, all the centers of population in the Western States; and if arrangements to that end can be made they intend to take with them a complete exhibit of agricultural products and resources of Manitoba and the Northwest Territories. The association intends to ask aid from the various governments, local and federal, in securing a thoroughly good exhibit and in making the trip a success as an advertisement for the Canadian West. A gathering of representative editors from Manitoba and the Northwest Territories would be a body of men admirably well-fitted to give first-hand information about this great country of ours; the scheme is worthy of systematic consideration by the governments interested.

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COMMUNION CUPS

New Revolution in the Method of Administering the Lord's Supper.

[From the Church Economist.]
We have received over 60 additional replies to our inquiry as to the response to the individual communion cups. Of these all are warmly in favor of the new method, with a single exception, and he only says: "We see no improvement."

From the Plymouth Congregational Church, of Seattle, Wash., the Rev. W. H. G. Temple reports: "Our people have been delighted with it from the beginning. I look upon the individual cup as the solution of some very unpleasant questions connected with the old method."

The Rev. H. N. Wilson, of Canyon City, Col., says: "Here in Colorado, where there are so many consumptives, and so much fear of infection, it is a sense of relief to be able to partake of the sacrament without fear of the results. I find many who say they had not communed for a long time now doing so, as all the former objections are removed."

The Rev. J. H. Adams, of the First Presbyterian Church, of the Andalgua, N. Y., reports: "We do not consider it decent to ask all who sit at our tables to drink from the same cup; why should we think that it is at the Lord's table?"

The Rev. Robert G. Taylor, of the Presbyterian Church of San Bernardino, Cal., says: "I think all recognize that in a place like this, where there are so many consumptives, the individual service is a necessity. It has come here to stay."

The Rev. W. Hayes Moore, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, of Santa Fe, N. M., says: "The sanitary value of the change alone is a sufficient reason for the adoption of the individual cup. I think our people never enjoyed the sacramental season as they do now."

The Rev. O. J. Hogan, of the Dutch Reformed Church, of St. Johnsville, N. Y., says: "I find the old system repulsive to me. At our synod communion I turned the one cup round so that I might use it where some one else had not. Wondered why that English up-to-date church had not made the change. I have kept account of communicants at four services and noted that they gradually increased in number."

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Meteorological.

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REMOVING TO LONDON.
The Advertiser's Komoka correspondent writes: Miss Minnie McKellar left for London on Monday evening, where she will reside in future. She will be greatly missed, as she was organist for the Methodist Sunday school. Her many friends wish her success in her undertaking.

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SERVICES AT ST. JOHNS.

A service is announced to be held in St. John's Church, Arva, on Sunday morning next, which is looked forward to with much interest. It will be especially for children and young people, and all the juveniles of the district have been invited. Each child and teacher is to bring an offering of fruit or flowers, which will be placed upon a large receiver in the church during the service, and next day sent as a present to the Protestant Orphans' Home. The money offerings will go to the Canadian Church Missionary Association. On the following Sunday, October 6, harvest thanksgiving services will be held, when Rev. J. W. Jones, rector of Invermay, will preach.

STUART-ROXBURGH.

Toronto Globe: "Cessnock" the residence of Mr. W. E. Roxburgh, of Norwood, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Tuesday last at noon, when his only daughter, Miss Beatrice Roxburgh, was married to Mr. Charles A. Stuart, B.A., LL.B., barrister, of Calgary, Alberta. The bride was Miss Theresa Foxwell, B.A., Hastings, cousin of the bride, and Mr. A. T. Leary, B.A., lecturer, Toronto University, was the groomsmen. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. James Somerville, M.A., of Norwood, assisted by the Rev. F. D. Roxburgh, M.A., of Smithville, brother of the bride, in the presence of about 25 guests only, the immediate relatives of the bride and bridegroom. The bride was in pearl gray silk, with Madagascan lace, and her bridesmaid had on a gown of gray silk. Both carried beautiful rose bouquets, and

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Death of a Respected Resident at the Age of Ninety Years.

A very old resident of London died yesterday in the person of Sarah Anna Fear, relict of the late Edwin Wilcox Fear, aged 90 years. Deceased, who passed away at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. R. S. Holmes, 23 Victor street, was born in England and came to Canada while a young woman. She resided in Guelph for some time, but removed to London 25 years ago, where she had resided continuously ever since. Her husband died six years ago. Four daughters survive: Mrs. R. C. Rogers, of Janesville, N. Y.; Miss Elizabeth, London; Mrs. Wm. Hamphreys, Guelph, and Mrs. R. S. Holmes, London. The funeral will take place on Sunday at 2:30 o'clock.

WERE MARRIED LAST EVENING

Mr. George Trudell and Miss Nellie Cavanagh United for Life.

A pretty wedding, though of quiet nature, was solemnized last night, when Miss Nellie Cavanagh, sister of Mrs. Charles Doe, 317 Hyman street, and Mr. George Trudell, foreman at Stevens & Burns, were made one. The happy pair were married by Rev. Dr. Johnston, of St. Andrew's Church, at the manse, at 7 o'clock. Miss Mabel Cavanagh, niece of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, and Mr. F. R. Ramsey, best man.

The bride wore white tulle silk with pearl trimmings, and carried a wreath of bridal roses and maiden-hair ferns. The bridesmaid was clad in white organdie, trimmed with white ribbon, and carried a beautiful bouquet of pink roses.

After the ceremony, the bridal party proceeded to the house of the bride's sister, Mrs. Charles Doe. The house was tastefully decorated for the occasion, and a dainty wedding repast awaited the guests.

The presents were costly and unusually well chosen. The present from the groom was a handsome upright piano, and the list included tokens from friends in Chicago and Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Trudell will be at home at No. 152 Horton street.

Laugh and Grow Fat.

FATHER (calling from head of stairs at 11:30 p.m.—Fanny don't think it's time to go to bed? Fanny—Yes, papa, dear. What on earth keeps you up so late?—Till-Bits.

NEAR ENOUGH.—Teacher—Now, Susie, you may construct a sentence in which the word "literary" occurs. Susie (after much thought)—Little Willie's hands were literary black with dirt. Philadelphia Press.

UNFINISHED WORK.

Baby May was having a hard time cutting her last teeth. One day her mother found her crying, and asked her what was the matter. Little May said: "God made me, but he didn't finish me. He left me to cut my teeth all by myself!"—Harper's Bazar.

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TONIGHT'S CONCERT TO AID 7TH BAND

Arrangements All Complete and Weather Propitious—The Programme.

All arrangements are now complete for the promenade band concert in Princess Park tonight. The prospects for good weather are most encouraging, and the rink will be found to be well ventilated and quite comfortable. It has been a host of friends who will be present, and there will be plenty of seating accommodation for those who desire to sit down.

PART I.
March—"Wedding" Mendelssohn
Overture—"William Tell" Rossini
Song—Kela Bala
(a) "The Lost Chord" Sullivan
(b) "Irish Folk Song" Foote
Song—Kela Bala
Nautical Selection—"A Life on the Ocean" Godfrey
Valse—"Germany" Kela Bala
Violin Solo—Maurice Poirer
Scottish Dancing—Miss Ida Riddell
PART II.
(a) Morceau Caracteristique—"The Dances of Love" Bax
(b) "Coeurs et Fleurs" ("Hearts and Flowers") Tchaikovsky
(c) "Love Song" Tchaikovsky
Violin Solo—Miss Dora Taylor
Selection—"The Gipsy" Tchaikovsky
"God Save the King"
Accompanist—Miss Raymond and Miss Walker.

HAPPILY WEDDED AT "CEDARDALE FARM"

Miss Annie Martin Becomes the Bride of Mr. Thomas Walker.

Belmont, Sept. 26.—A pretty home wedding took place at the residence of Mr. Wm. Martin, "Cedarvale Farm," on Tuesday evening, when his only daughter, Miss Annie, was united in marriage to Mr. Thomas Walker, a prosperous young farmer of Westminister. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. D. Moyer, pastor of the Methodist Church, of which the bride was an esteemed member. While Miss Ethel Walker, of Dorchester, played Mendelssohn's Wedding March, the bride and groom exchanged vows beneath a beautiful floral arch. The bride entered the room on the arm of her father, who gave her away. She was wearing a gown of white silk with white silk on train. The waist was made entirely of insertion and tucks, with fancy collar richly embroidered in silk and trimmings of mousseline de sole. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses. The bridesmaid, Miss Annie Walker, was becomingly attired in white silk organdie, over pink trimmed with Valenciennes insertion, and carried pink carnations. The groom was supported by Mr. D. Martin, brother of the bride, and a few intimate relatives and a few intimate friends witnessed the event. After the customary congratulations a dainty lunch was served in the parlour. The bride was a handsome blue-gray zibeline, with cream broadcloth facings, and was trimmed with black silk applique that contrasted with the blue. She also a large black Gainsborough hat. Mr. and Mrs. Walker left for a trip to Buffalo, followed by the congratulations of a host of friends.

Letters to the Editor

Across the Atlantic Coming West.

[By George W. Armstrong.]

It is said that the scum of Europe finds its way to America. No doubt this is true to some extent, as some pages in American history clearly prove. But this is not so to any great extent as regards Canada. Whether our laws are too exacting and too promptly carried out against evil doers or not, I will not say; but true it is, that with few exceptions, great criminals do not find our Dominion a desirable place for their machinations. Canada loves liberty, but detests libertines, and gives a hearty welcome to good citizens, no matter from what clime they may come. From external appearance the "emigrants" on board our westbound twin screw steamer were desirable citizens for our fair Dominion, but what diverse destinations they had. Some remained on our eastern coast—New Brunswick and the lower provinces; others were bound for our western boundary, the salubrious shores of British Columbia. A few went to our golden city in the gold regions of the Yukon, and others were scattered about in various parts of Ontario, Manitoba, and even the islands of our lakes.

The chief objection to a sea voyage is sea sickness; or, to put it in perhaps less objectionable phraseology, mal de mer. One could perhaps even tolerate this if it could be enjoyed in some quiet, secluded, out-of-the-way place. But the malady is no respecter of persons, has no consideration of times, circumstances or places, gives little or no notice of sinister designs, and is the delirious of the deep. The only consolation these sick ones receive is to be told, "That's right, it will do you good; it will remove the bile; you'll be all the better for it."

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when it's over." Job's comforters! It is said that bile is a great disturber of peace—both personal and domestic—and makes the best-tempered man somewhat cross; if this is the case, some of my fellow-passengers would be good tempered for the rest of their days, for they did not fail to deal out this commodity most lavishly. It is somewhat singular that when sea sickness is most prevalent, those who seem able to resist its attractions should make it the subject of their conversation and jests, until they have tempted Providence in this way, prepare themselves to become its victims. Considering the vast mercantile fleets that are constantly afloat, and the thousands of ships of all nations that plow the vast deep—it will be thought incredible that in crossing the Atlantic only about five or six ships are sighted; and though the good old Book which our late revered Queen is credited with saying is the secret of England's greatness and glory, states "So is this great and wide sea, wherein are things creeping innumerable, both small and great beasts; there go the whales; there is that leviathan, whom thou dost call the whale," yet in the nearly 3,000 miles of continuous briny water only four or five fishes (dolphins) made themselves visible, and two or three whales (scriptural delphins) displayed themselves to show what excellent temperance spouters they were.

We witnessed several icebergs, which was a great relief. Icebergs are very beautiful to look at, but are very dangerous if you come in too close contact with them. We were within the distance—two or three miles away—but brought them near with our powerful glasses.

Many of the ships are multiplied on the Banks of Newfoundland, icebergs and fogs of dense darkness are an unholy alliance. One night we had a fog so thick for several hours, until the "fog raised," and few of the passengers prepared themselves for their berths until safety was assured. We came within a few yards of dispatching a couple of fishing smacks into futurity. A fisherman's life is full of peril.

The faithful companions of our voyage were sea gulls—feathery friends. Eight or ten of these birds followed us incessantly until we reached the Newfoundland Banks, and then we lost sight of them owing to the fog, but in course of time they turned up again and remained with us until nearly the end of our journey. Sea gulls have a wonderful instinct for meal times; quite as powerful as the fat boy in Pickwick. If they were not visible an hour before, they were sure to be about when the important meal arrived. These birds appear to have a strong liking for flesh meat, and can detect this kind of food from vegetable and fish. They are very persistent in their quest. Several days we kept them near the vessel for hours throwing pieces of meat into the water; the rapidity of the motion and the eagerness of their aim was truly marvelous.

Our ocean greyhounds travel with almost the exactness of locomotives on land. The ship's officers could tell us at almost what hour of the day we would sight land and at what hour certain points would be reached and passed. Night or day seemed to be both alike to them. Ocean travel is now reduced to an almost "exact science." The gulf, then the month, then the day, and the hour, and the minute, and the second, and the fraction of a second, are all known. The ship's officers could tell us at almost what hour of the day we would sight land and at what hour certain points would be reached and passed. Night or day seemed to be both alike to them. Ocean travel is now reduced to an almost "exact science." The gulf, then the month, then the day, and the hour, and the minute, and the second, and the fraction of a second, are all known.

But what about the strangers who were reaching our shores for the first time? Their future was an enigma; their home a figment of the imagination; their friends largely unknown; their experiences would develop as the voyage progressed. It was a time of records of success or failure. All we could do was to give them welcome and load them with good wishes and trust they would be as good to Canada as Canada desires to be to them.

[New York Sun.]
"Most people think that hour glasses went out of style years ago," said a clerk in a Twenty-third street store, "along with perukes and knee breeches, but as a matter of fact we have more calls for them today than we have had at any time within the last ten years. That this renewed popularity of the hour glass augurs its universal acceptance as a time-piece by the coming generation, I am not prepared to say, but if such a renaissance were to be assured it would be no more surprising than the fact that the other recent fads based on a revival of lost customs. Anyway a brief study of the hour glass will do nobody any harm. There are thousands in this generation who have not the slightest idea what an hour glass looks like, and it won't hurt them to broaden their education along these lines."

Demand for Hour Glasses.

"Of the hour glasses sold at present the three-minute glass is in the lead. This glass is used almost exclusively to measure time in boiling eggs, and its usefulness naturally places its sale a little in advance of the more sentimental varieties. Next comes the five, ten and fifteen minute and full hour glasses, which are bought chiefly by musicians for piano practice and by judges and secretaries."

"The sand used in an hour glass affords the very finest that the world affords. The western coast of Italy furnishes most of it, as it is the best for age past. The cost of hour glasses is regulated by the ornamentation of the frame. A glass set in a plain rosewood case can be bought for \$1, while a mahogany frame comes to \$1.50 or \$2. Of course the price can be brought up still higher by fancy carving and decoration. Several lodges sometimes go to this extra expense, but most people are satisfied with the cheaper grades."

The Pastor of the Presbyterian church, Northfield, O. Rev. W. W. Rait says: "I have used Celery King for sick headache, and say without hesitation that it is the best remedy I have ever used for that purpose. It at once gives relief without weakening effects which usually attend the use of other medicines." 25 cents.

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