

BIG JOB AHEAD FOR COUNCIL TWO FRANCHISES IN THE AIR TELEPHONE CO. AND L. & P. R.

Independent Telephone People, It Is Alleged, Have Practically Abandoned the London Field—Pere Marquette Will Likely Seek Extension of the Lease of the London and Port Stanley Railway.

Franchises will attract the attention of the council as soon as the holidays are over. The Bell Telephone Company's franchise expires at the end of the year. The Independents have practically abandoned the field here, it is learned, and terms will likely be made with the Bell people.

\$4,000 A YEAR.

Under the present agreement the city receives \$4,000 annually from the company. There are certain restrictions, but they are somewhat limited. The new contract will contain some new clauses, it is expected, the most important one being with reference to long-distance equipment. Some of the aldermen are in favor of cutting down the price of long-distance telephones. It is thought in some quarters that the price is too expensive.

Will Meet the Company.

"I expect that within a short time the Bell Telephone Company will meet us and talk over a renewal of the franchise," said Mayor Stevely. "As soon as the holiday season is over, no doubt the district manager will take the matter up with us. I am awaiting word from him."

The L. and P. S. R.

The L. and P. S. R. lease of the L. and P. S. R. may also come up this year. The present lease to the Pere Marquette expires on Jan. 1, 1914, but it is well known that the company would prefer to have a longer lease, and it is possible that negotiations will be opened this autumn with the company for an extension of the present agreement for either five or ten years—possibly more.

Talking Improvements.

The reasons advanced for the desire to have the road for a longer period are that certain improvements and changes are needed, which would be made if the company had more than a five-year contract. They will not make them under the present lease, as the improvements in mind would require a considerable sum of money, and it would not be good business to incur this expenditure under a short term.

If a longer lease were granted, heavier rails would be laid down and better equipment generally.

The Revenue.

The city has secured as high as \$20,000 a year from the London and Port Stanley Railway. Last year, however, the percentage was smaller than usual, only the sum of \$3,500 being received from the Pere Marquette.

This year owing to improved conditions, the percentage will run much higher, probably \$5,000.

Opposition Expected.

It is likely, however, that a long lease to the P. M. will be opposed by certain people, in fact, probably by a large section.

The desire to electrify the London and Port Stanley road is taking definite shape in the minds of many people, and they are hopeful that within the time between now and the expiration of the lease, or a further extension of five years at the most, the city of London will be in a position to electrify the line between the city and Port Stanley and operate it.

While this would involve the expenditure of a large sum of money, it is not thought impossible of accomplishment, as the city would reap a large revenue from the road.

NEW RADIUM FIELD

Large Ledge of Wonderful Mineral Found in California.

Kennett, Cal., Aug. 19.—According to a story told by Dr. S. Wilkins, who arrived yesterday, enough pitch blende has been discovered on the McCloud River, north of here, to supply the world with radium for all time. Dr. Wilkins had in his possession fine specimens of the precious stuff and so impressed were some businessmen with his story that they sent an expert to visit the newly-discovered ledge which only the Arkansas River, but almost the confluence of that stream with the Pitt River.

DIZZY DASHES

Great Crowd Sees Opening of Indianapolis Auto Speedway.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 19.—The \$400,000 Indianapolis speedway was formally opened today with five automobile races, a 250-mile grind ending the day's sport.

The big grandstand was comfortably filled with automobile enthusiasts from all parts of the country, while hundreds of automobiles were massed in the immense parking space just a little way from the finish line down the stretch. It was here the real contests were expected, as the mile straightaway offered many temptations for tremendous speed.

Experts predict that the records for practically all the standard distances will be broken before the three days of the dizzy dashes around the big track are finished.

HORTON ST. WELLS AGAIN WORKING

Plenty of Water in the Reservoir and City in Good Position Once More.

WEATHER DOES GOOD

Gives the Springs a Chance to Pick Up—Engineer Moore Is Well Satisfied.

The artesian wells on Horton street are again in commission, the air compressor of the McGregor wells being installed and now in operation.

They are not pumping as much as under the old compressor, as it has not the capacity. According to Engineer Moore there are 2½ inches of water going over the weir. This is a little over 550,000 gallons of water a day.

The break occurred on Sunday evening, and the new compressor was at work on Tuesday afternoon, and since then has been working steadily.

As a result the reservoir is now filled, and there is little or no danger of a water famine so long as the compressor continues to work satisfactorily.

Good Shape Again.

"We are in good shape again," said Engineer Moore. "The new compressor does not possess the capacity of the one broken, and there are 2½ inches of water going over the weir. When the old machine was at work there were 4½ inches going over the weir, so we are not receiving much more than half the former quantity of water."

With the advent of cooler weather we are in a better position, the reservoir now being about full.

Effects of Cool Weather.

"It is really remarkable how much difference cool weather makes in the consumption. On Monday, with only Springbank to depend on, we gained a foot in the reservoir, so great was the decrease in consumption. We are looking for a larger compressor, but we may not have to use it, as the demand may not be so great from this time on."

The springs at Springbank are yielding about 4,000,000 gallons a day, their normal flow this time of year.

EMPLOYMENT FOR LONDON WORKERS

Will Be Furnished Just When Needed by Power and Water Plant Construction.

WIRES UNDERGROUND

If This Is Done It Will Mean an Expenditure of \$70,000 This Fall and Winter for Local Distribution.

With the commencement of construction on the hydro-electric distribution plant, and the artesian well plant, much work will be furnished the workmen of London.

Building throughout the city has been very brisk, and as a rule there has been plenty of work for the laborer.

A majority of the factories and manufacturing plants are running full time, with a regular complement of men, giving work to practically all of the workers in the city.

As a result there are few men out of a position, and there has been little complaint of lack of work.

In Good Time.

However, the erection of the poles, and other work will come at a time when other kinds of labor are slackening off, and it is more than likely that large numbers of men will be employed on the work.

Several thousands of dollars will be spent in this sort of labor, probably \$25,000 for the goods now on order, to be increased considerably later on. It now depends upon whether or not the council will order underground work as to the amount of money to be spent.

Wires Underground.

The estimated cost of placing the downtown wires underground is \$70,000, the major portion of which must be spent for labor.

The erection of the plant will mean plenty of work for the laborer just when it will be most appreciated.

FAST TRAIN ENGINE EXPLODES RAILWAY WRECK IN MICHIGAN

Marquette Flyer for Grand Rapids Ditched by Peculiar Accident Which Causes the Death of Fireman, But the Passengers Escape Unhurt.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 19.—The west-bound Pere Marquette passenger train which left Detroit at 9 p.m. with Cincinnati and Detroit sleepers for Grand Rapids and Petoskey was wrecked last night two miles east of Grand Ledge.

The first report reaching Pere Marquette officials here from the conductor of the wrecked train, who reached a telephone in a farmhouse, failed to explain the cause of the wreck, but newspaper reports say that the locomotive boiler exploded.

Automobiles were sent from Lansing, carrying physicians to the aid of the injured, a wrecking train was dispatched from Grand Rapids, and another train, carrying officials of the road, was sent to the scene of the wreck from Detroit.

The wrecked train was made up of a baggage car, coach and two sleepers. Word reached the railroad offices here indicated that the last sleeper was not derailed, and that the first one was not badly damaged. The locomotive, baggage car and coach stood the test of the shock, and on an ordinary night few passengers are carried in the coach of this train.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 19.—Engineer William Bradley and Fireman Fred L. Graves were killed about midnight when the boiler of a west-bound Pere Marquette passenger train exploded two miles east of Grand Ledge, wrecking the train. The coach was overturned and one of the two sleeping cars was derailed, but no passengers were seriously injured.

OTTAWA BY-ELECTION NOT IN OCTOBER

Understood Premier Will Sit for Quebec East, His Old Seat.

(Special to The Advertiser.) Ottawa, Aug. 19.—There will be no federal by-election for Ottawa in October, as anticipated, and there will be none until after the House opens. It is understood that Sir Wilfrid will resign his Ottawa seat and sit for Quebec East, which he has represented so long. However, under the law there would be difficulty during recess, resigning one seat without resigning both. He will, therefore, wait until the House meets, and announce his decision to sit for Quebec and the Ottawa by-election will follow.

OUT OF THE WHIRL

The Astor Wilks Take a Quiet Suite at Newport.

Newport, Aug. 19.—Society has again been disappointed in its hope that Mrs. Hetty Green and her daughter, Mrs. Matthew Astor Wilks, would cast themselves and the entertaining power of their millions into the social whirl. Mr. and Mrs. Wilks are in Newport for the remainder of the summer, but all the rumors that they would take a costly cottage and enter conspicuously into the life of the summer colony have been silenced. They have taken a small and modest suite in the Riggs' cottage, on Catherine street. Mrs. Green is expected to join them soon for a long visit.

The visits of Mrs. Green to her friend, the Countess Anne Leary, at her summer home here have given rise to the recurring report that the woman financier intended to lease one of Newport's finest villas. And when her daughter Sylvia married the eminently eligible relative of the Astor society was convinced that an important acquisition to the fashionable Newport set was imminent.

HAMILTON WANTS GROCERS' PICNIC

Suggestion to Hold in Alternate Years in London, Brantford and Ambitious City.

PRESIDENT RYAN SPEAKS

Thinks It Would Be a Good Move to Bring the Grocers to the Forest City—Hamilton Man's Idea.

The Hamilton Herald says: "In view of the large number of visitors who came from distant points to attend the iron molders' picnic last Saturday, John Hoodless, president of the Greater Hamilton Association, is out with a suggestion which is sure to meet with favor in many quarters."

"It is in connection with the annual picnic of the grocers of Hamilton, Brantford and London, which has been held for some years at Niagara Falls. So far as Hamilton is concerned, it is the big picnic of the year, and from 5,000 to 7,000 persons take it in every year. It is stated that about 6,000 went from Hamilton this year to take in the trip, and almost one-third as many from the other two cities. On a basis of \$2 for each person from this city, for transportation, meals and articles bought, about \$12,000 was taken out of the city. Nearly all of the excursionists go for the good time promised by the grocers—not for the sight-seeing."

A Suggestion.

"President Hoodless' suggestion is that the picnic be held in each of the three cities alternately—one year in Brantford, one year in London and one year in Hamilton. By this arrangement the large amount of money which now goes outside of the district, never to return, would be spent near home, and every third year at home. Mr. Hoodless intends to confer with the Grocers' Association in this and of other matters pertaining to the welfare of the city in the near future."

A Good Idea.

"The idea is a good one, and meets with my approval," said Ed. J. Ryan, president of the Retail Grocers' Association. "I will certainly agree to a proposition that will bring such a number of visitors to the city once in three years. We will do our part if the others will do theirs. I will get in touch with the promoter, and then I will bring it before the association. I think the idea is all right."

CITY OF 25,000 FAST SLIPPING INTO RIVER

Buildings Swept Away by Water Daily—The Fate of Derba Ghazi Khan Sealed.

Bombay, Aug. 18.—The fate of the prosperous Punjab city of Derba Ghazi Khan, which for months past has been gradually slipping into the River Indus, is now regarded as definitely sealed. Nothing can be done to prevent the encroachment of the water. The process of erosion is going on very rapidly.

From 50 to 100 feet of the river front is being swept away every day, and one by one mosques, mansions and hovels are disappearing in the swift stream. Every effort of competent engineers to devise a way to protect the city has been futile. Derba Ghazi Khan has a population of 25,000.

SIGN THE CONTRACTS WITHIN A FEW DAYS

Water Commissioners and Hon. Mr. Beck Have Almost Completed the Agreement.

The agreement between Hon. Adam Beck and the water commissioners regarding the wells and pumping plant has been approved by the board and Mr. Beck, and is in the hands of the solicitors of the parties concerned, to be completed.

This will not take much time, and it is anticipated that within a few days it will be signed.

The present time is going ahead on the plans for the new station. Engineer Sifton was summoned to Toronto today to confer with Mr. Glavin regarding the plans for the joint station, and the plans will be sent to the city for final ratification in a short time.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—FINE. FORECASTS. Toronto, Aug. 19—8 a.m. Moderate to fresh northwesterly to westerly winds; fine and warm today and on Friday.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations.	8 a.m.	Min.	Low.	High.
Victoria	50	42	47	78
London	50	42	47	74
Calgary	48	46	42	84
Edmonton	48	46	42	84
Port Arthur	50	42	47	74
Winnipeg	48	46	42	74
Regina	48	46	42	74
Saskatoon	48	46	42	74
Brandon	48	46	42	74
Manitoba	48	46	42	74
Montreal	50	42	47	74
Quebec	50	42	47	74
Halifax	48	46	42	74
Dawson	48	46	42	74
Admiral	48	46	42	74
Port Simpson	48	46	42	74
Vancouver	48	46	42	74
Seattle	48	46	42	74
Portland	48	46	42	74
San Francisco	48	46	42	74
Los Angeles	48	46	42	74
San Diego	48	46	42	74
Phoenix	48	46	42	74
Albuquerque	48	46	42	74
El Paso	48	46	42	74
Las Vegas	48	46	42	74
San Antonio	48	46	42	74
Fort Worth	48	46	42	74
Dallas	48	46	42	74
Houston	48	46	42	74
Memphis	48	46	42	74
St. Louis	48	46	42	74
Chicago	48	46	42	74
Indianapolis	48	46	42	74
Columbus	48	46	42	74
Richmond	48	46	42	74
Washington	48	46	42	74
Baltimore	48	46	42	74
Philadelphia	48	46	42	74
New York	48	46	42	74
Boston	48	46	42	74
Providence	48	46	42	74
Worcester	48	46	42	74
Springfield	48	46	42	74
Hartford	48	46	42	74
New Haven	48	46	42	74
Stamford	48	46	42	74
Waterbury	48	46	42	74
Meriden	48	46	42	74
Bridgeport	48	46	42	74
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Meriden	48	46	42	74
Bridgeport	48	46	42	74

SUGAR ADVANCES.

New York, Aug. 19.—All grades of refined sugar were advanced 10 cents per 100 pounds today, making standard granulated \$5.05.

NEW PITCHER.

Akron, Ohio, Aug. 19.—A deal was closed today whereby Richard Carroll, pitcher of the local team of the Ohio and Pennsylvania Baseball League, will join the New York Americans on Sept. 1. It is said \$2,500 was paid for Carroll's release. Carroll has a record of winning 25 games out of 31 this season.

SWEET FROM CAR PLATFORM WHEN CATTLE GUARD CAUGHT FEET

Well-Known Inwood Young Man Meets With Peculiar Accident While on Excursion—Succumbs in Hospital to Injuries Received.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

St. Thomas, Aug. 19.—Austin Taylor, of Inwood, died in Amasa Wood Hospital here this morning as the result of an accident that happened east of Courtright last evening. He was badly bruised and cut, and there was no hope of his recovery when he was brought in.

Yesterday the Inwood public library board ran an excursion to Detroit over the M. C. R. from Courtright. Taylor was with the party, and when returning in the evening was sitting on the railing at the rear of the last coach, dangle his feet over the side.

When a couple of miles this side of Courtright his foot caught in a cattle guard, and he was dragged off the train.

He was not missed until Bridgen was reached, when the train backed up to get him.

Terribly Crushed.

Taylor was found lying beside the track with his skull crushed, and badly cut and bruised. He was picked up and brought to the Amasa Wood Hospital here. He lingered until morning. Taylor was a young man—just 21 years of age—and a clerk in Dawson's store at Inwood. His father, the late Milton Taylor, a school teacher, well known in Lambton County, who died some years ago. His widowed mother alone survives. Deceased was born in Watford.

Mrs. J. E. Fowler, of Watford, is an aunt, and Miss E. Hume, of Inwood, is a cousin.

POLICE NOT TO BLAME IN MATTER

Some Misapprehension in Regard to Drowning Accident in the Thames.

POSITION OF FIRE CHIEF

Could Not Spare Men to Drag the River and the Chief Acted as He Thought Best.

The Advertiser has received the following letter in regard to the recent drowning accident on the Thames:

It is at times interesting to draw comparisons. Last winter many emigrants living in and about the city of Toronto, most of them outside the limits, were clothed, warmed and fed by the citizens of that city, thousands of dollars worth of material being donated for the purpose, the work of relief and distribution being carried on in an orderly way under organized leadership. These people had absolutely no claim—except the claim of common humanity—upon Toronto. They were not and never had been fellow-citizens, and very few were even fellow-countrymen. This week two little children, daughters of citizens of London were lost, and because their parents were summering outside the city, the London police would render no assistance to the searching parties, which went out in all directions to hunt for them. When the search proved fruitless, and it was deemed advisable to drag the bodies, the citizens and relatives were obliged to go out in boats and fish with rakes and spiked poles to recover the bodies, because it was outside the limits. Truly, London has reason to pride itself on its humanity.

A TORONTO GIRL.

Chief Williams' Reply.

From the above letter it is evident that some people are of the opinion that the police authorities will not take cognizance of anything that happens outside their immediate jurisdiction.

When Chief Williams was spoken to this morning, he remarked that if anyone had any complaint to make against the police department of the city it would be well for them to make it direct to him.

"The police department were intrusted with the preservation of law and order within the jurisdiction of the city," he said, "and naturally they would not presume to exercise authority outside those bounds. If, however, a request for help in case of such accidents as that mentioned were to come from outside sources, the department would certainly do their best to lend every assistance in their power. In the case of Springfield, however, it was different, as the city shared with the county responsibility for it."

Fire Department Appealed To.

As a matter of fact in this instance it was not the police, but the fire department who were appealed to, as they are provided with the necessary equipment for dragging the river. The fire chief evidently did not consider that he was warranted in sending out of the city the number of men that would have been necessitated for the work. When Chief Williams came down in the morning, however, he was notified of the facts of the case.

Is our man down there?

"Is our man down there?" he asked. He was informed that the man had not been ordered to go to Springfield till the afternoon, as was often the custom.

"Well, send him down at once," replied the chief. The bodies were found shortly after.

TAFT'S COUSIN KILLED BY BOLT

Trinidad, Colo., Aug. 18.—Charles Taft, a cousin of President Taft, was killed at Pryor, Colo., today by lightning.

GUIDE FOUND \$1,000 NOBODY CLAIMS IT

Montreal, Aug. 19.—A brief telegram received at the C. P. R. office today announces that a pocketbook containing a thousand dollars was picked up on the peak known as the Glacier, near Field, B. C. No owner could be found for the pocketbook, and it was turned in to the company by the guide who found it.

SWEDEN'S BIG STRIKE HAS PETERED OUT

Many Families of the Strikers on Verge of Starvation.

Stockholm, Aug. 19.—The end of the labor troubles which became acute in Stockholm the early part of this month is in sight. The leaders of the various unions have agreed to a truce with the employers, with the object of having the men resume work. The street railway company, however, has refused to relax its old men, being satisfied with its present staff. There is today much distress among the families of the strikers, some of whom are on the verge of starvation.

DRAY STAND IS NOT LIKELY TO BE REMOVED

No Suitable Place to Station Them Can Be Procured at the Present.

The board of works will again deal tonight with the Horton street petition for a curb and gutter, and the petition to move the draymen off York street.

These matters have come up continually for the past three or four months, but have not yet been settled. As the council will not meet for nearly three weeks yet, it is not thought likely that the board will settle them tonight.

From what can be learned the draymen will not be moved at the present time, as no suitable site can be obtained for a stand.

GOVERNMENT MAY TAKE A HAND IN GAME

Row Over Closing of Nelson St. Continues to Worry the City Fathers.

SUN FIRE

The oldest Insurance Office in the world
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GOOD FARE AND FUN FOUND AT LAKESIDE

Watermelon Supper and Golden
Glow Tea Among Other
Fanciful Functions.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Port Stanley, Aug. 18.—The following visitors are located at Maple Cottage, Colborne street: Miss Lotta Sheldrick, Hamilton; Miss Mabel Going, Detroit; Mrs. (Dr.) Black, Miss Rita Black, Miss Olive Ellwood, Mrs. C. Evans, Miss Margaret Evans, Mr. Ran-ny Davidson, Mr. McVicar, Mr. Vic Smith, Mr. James Carrothers, Mr. Tom Munroe, Mr. Hubby Nicholls, Mr. Geo. Templeton, Mr. Will Mountjoy, Mr. Alex. Macfie, Mr. Alex. Skelton and Miss Ella Campbell, all of London; Miss Verna Ball and Mr. Bert Nicholas, of Aylmer; Mr. Elliott Weston, of Hamilton; Mr. J. Fawcings and Mr. Percy Glover, of Union; Miss Beulah Emmett, of Sparta; Miss Nena Watson and Mr. Roy Calcott, of St. Thomas.

Miss Scandrett and Miss Tanton, of London, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tanton at Sunnack Ridge, Orchard Beach.

Mrs. Ed. Cosgrave, of Detroit, is the guest of Mrs. W. J. Brown, Valley View Cottage, Erie Rest.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown, of Valley View Cottage, Erie Rest, entertained their friends to a delightful watermelon supper Monday evening.

Miss Cloakey and Miss Edith Brock, of Toronto, are spending their holidays at Arcadia Cottage, Willow Beach.

Miss Marguerite, Messrs. Bernard and Vernon Brown, of Windsor, are visiting at the cottage of L. E. Scandrett, Orchard Beach.

Messrs. Redingold and Hubert Keenleyside, of London, are spending the day with Russell Eckert at The Cooler, Orchard Beach.

The Get-up-Early Camp, of London, which has been holding forth on Orchard Beach for the past three weeks, broke up today.

Mr. Graham Symington and Dr. Teetzel, of St. Thomas, spent Tuesday on Hill Crest.

Mr. Gordon Munoch, of London, is camping in New Orchard Glen.

Miss Bernice Sanderson, who has been visiting Miss Ella Smith, Shady Nook, Orchard Beach, returned to her home in Sparta today.

Mr. and Mrs. Bell and daughter, of London, are spending a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Alex. Purdon, Orchard Beach.

Golden Glow Club's Tea.
The Golden Glow Club held its weekly tea at The Knoll, New Orchard Glen, the residence of Miss Ethel Welch, this evening. A most delightful evening was spent by the girls. These weekly teas are becoming very popular.

The home-made cooking sale, held by Christ Church Guild at Chestnut Grove this afternoon, was a great success.

STORM AT GRAND BEND

Barns and Garage of Brenner Hotel
Struck by Lightning and Burned.

Grand Bend, Aug. 18.—Last Monday noon the barns and garage of the Brenner Hotel were struck by lightning and burned to the ground. No insurance. The house struck a flag staff. The adjoining two story house was badly scorched. It was used as an annex to the hotel. Mr. Brenner will rebuild. Mrs. Wm. Fritz is the proprietress.

AGAINST LOAN SHARKS.

Hamilton, Aug. 18.—The Hamilton police are starting a campaign against loan sharks under the new law passed recently by the Ontario Government. Saturday a case will come before Magistrate Jeffs, when S. License, pawnbroker and money-lender, will be asked to explain why he failed to have the rate of interest he charged printed on his slips, signed by the borrowers as notes.

"BUNCOMBE"

It Don't Always Pay To Be Skeptical.

When a newspaper writer and proof-reader that works nights can feed himself out of dyspepsia, which most all that class suffer with, it is worth while to know the kind of food used. This man says:

"Being a newspaper writer and proof-reader, also a graduate in medicine as well, though not practicing, makes a combination that would produce a skeptic on the subject if anything would."

"Day after day I read the proof on the Grape-Nuts advertisements with the feeling that they were all 'buncombe.' All this time I was suffering from dyspepsia from the improper food I was eating at the restaurant."

"One day I saw a package of Grape-Nuts at the restaurant, and tried some with good, rich cream. The food took my fancy at once. After a few lunches at midnight I noted an improvement in my feelings, and was able to work with less fatigue."

"I have used Grape-Nuts as a regular diet since then, and have improved greatly. The old dyspepsia and bad feelings that I thought were necessary adjuncts to night work all disappeared, and I am able to do much more and better work with less effort than ever before."

"I was nearly ready to give up night work, and seek health in some other walk in life, but thanks to my change in diet I am now all right." "There's a Reason."

Read "The Road to Wellville," in packages.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

THAW TAKES CRACK AT JUSTICE MILLS

Says Man Who Sent Him Back
to the Madhouse Was
Unjust.

White Plains, N. Y., Aug. 18.—Harry K. Thaw was taken from the Westchester county jail back to his old quarters in the Matteawan Asylum for the Criminal Insane yesterday afternoon. He bade goodbye to some of the jail attendants, and accompanied by William H. Moore, one of his personal employees, left the jail in custody of Dr. Baker and two attendants from the asylum. Thaw carried his belongings in a suitcase, and appeared to be fairly cheerful. His mother bore up well, and will move to Matteawan on Friday to resume her residence near the asylum.

Before departing Thaw made the following statement:

"I don't question Justice Mills' honesty, but surely his opinion is not as good as Dr. Adolph Meyer's or Dr. Schmidt's and all the other alienists who examined me or the judges or laymen who know me well. The judge was wrong in relying upon Dr. Baker as impartial when, out of 257 clippings, he produced 27 connected with Stanford White, mounted on pasteboard, but completely left out 240 others containing quotations from Lincoln's speeches, articles by Professor Brashers, etc. Also the judge was mistaken in trusting anything Dr. Baker said after he swore he had forgotten that he told Dr. Pilgrim and Mr. Peabody and me, at the end of eleven weeks of careful examination, that he and Dr. Lamb were positive I had no trace of paranoia. He also swore he told Mr. Graham that Dr. Lamb had found no evidence of it after, as told by his own testimony, I had fully answered all their questions. Did the judge forget that Mr. Jenson was afraid to let Dr. Baker testify as an expert?"

"I wish to express my appreciation of the respect and courtesy the judge showed my mother, but if my mother breaks down, or the bad conditions at Matteawan, surrounded by dangerous lunatics and general privations, should ruin my health, Justice Mills will be responsible for sending me there, for his decision is not supported by lawful evidence."

"It was hard to be acquitted by twelve men and then locked up by one. One man should not be permitted to imprison another man for life. This same judge over a year ago stated in this same court that he believed the time would come when Mr. Thaw should have a trial by jury.—(Signed) H. K. THAW."

TO CONFER WITH STRIKE LEADERS

Nova Scotia's Premier Will Endeavor
to Settle Strike.

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 19.—E. S. McCullough, vice-president of the U. M. W. of A., and Daniel McDougall, president of District No. 26, arrived in the city from Glace Bay at noon yesterday.

The object of their visit is to confer with Premier Murray, with reference to the strike situation in the colliery districts of Glace Bay and Springfield.

Their trip to Halifax was the result of a telegram from President Thomas L. Lewis, president of the U. M. W. of A., asking them to see the Premier, and the indications are that the conference will be held this afternoon or tomorrow morning.

Neither Mr. McCullough nor Mr. McDougall knew from what source the suggestion to hold a conference with the Premier had come, and to the correspondent they stated that any proposition with settlement of the strike in view would have to come from the Premier.

The result of the conference is awaited with interest.

GENERAL MARINA STARTS AFTER RIFFS

Madrid, Aug. 18.—According to advices received here today from Melilla, Morocco, the Spanish cruiser Princess de Asturias has begun a bombardment of Nador, a point on the coast where the moored and concentrating General Marina, the commander of the Spanish forces, has sent a thousand men by sea down the coast to disembark and turn the position of the Riffs on Guruga Mountain.

This movement will be supported by the main army, which will march out in the direction of Nador.

General Marina has forbidden the correspondents at Morocco to send out dispatches during these operations.

WILLOUGHBY WORRIED SAY RELATIVES

Jury Will Investigate a Purchase of
Strychnine Made Two Weeks
Ago.

Toronto, Aug. 18.—A brother of Thomas Willoughby, who shot his daughter at Norwood, and then expired, lives at Grace street, Toronto. He has gone to take charge of the dead man's affairs. Besides this brother, Charles, the deceased has other relatives in Toronto. Mrs. William Forward, of 261 Clinton street, and Mrs. Charles Hallett, of Lipplins street.

Charles Willoughby said today that his brother had stomach trouble, which tended to make him melancholy. His letters indicated that he was brooding, but none of the Toronto relatives had ever heard of any trouble in the family.

The unfortunate man bought strychnine two weeks ago, saying it was to poison rats, but it is not known at present whether this had anything to do with his death.

THREW THE LAMP AT A DETECTIVE

Glass Broke and Cut Officer.
Who, However, Kept On
Up the Stairs.

Toronto, Aug. 18.—Detective Alex. Montgomery had five stitches put in a badly lacerated head in St. Michael's Hospital yesterday afternoon as the result of an encounter with a negro.

The negro's name is Sam Garrison, and the detective went into 10. Alice street to place him under arrest. Garrison saw him coming, and as he mounted the steps a lamp was hurled at the detective's head. He put up his right hand to protect himself, and when the lamp hit, it broke in a hundred pieces.

Montgomery kept right ahead, and soon he and Garrison were having a beautiful mix-up. It resulted with the handcuffs on Garrison, who looked more like a redman than a black one from the blood from the injured head.

After the prisoner was securely locked up, Montgomery went to the hospital, where Dr. Parker dressed the wounds.

The original charge against Garrison is one of theft. The police state that he enticed Joseph Stark into a cheap lodging house, and when Stark awoke this morning \$19 was gone.

Garrison is well known to the police and has appeared in court several times.

THE ARBITRATORS IN FORT WILLIAM CASE

Ottawa, Aug. 18.—The men representative on the conciliation board in the Fort William freight handlers' dispute and the C. P. R., are Frederick Urry, secretary of the Fort William Trades and Labor Council. The C. P. R. representative is W. J. Christie, of Winnipeg.

TWO FINE HORSES KILLED BY BOLT

Stratford, Aug. 18.—During a storm yesterday, two valuable horses belonging to Mr. Henry Daub, of Amuletree, were killed. The owner was sitting inside the barn and holding the horses, which were on the outside, when they were struck. Mr. Daub was unhurt, although badly shocked.

ROUGH WORK AGAIN AT GLACE BAY MINES

A Special Constable Attacked by Three
Men and Badly Beaten.

Glace Bay, N. S., Aug. 18.—Assaults on miners who are working appear to be breaking out here again. Several affairs of this kind have been reported within the last few days. A tragedy was narrowly averted at the reserve colliery this morning. Special Constable John McDonald, while making his rounds at Norway Crossing, was accosted by three men and asked what he was doing.

The officer made a reply, and as he started to leave one of the men grabbed him with his fist. The officer grabbed his man and knocked him down. The other two assailants then started kicking the officer and landed some nasty blows on his head, chest and stomach. The man whom the officer knocked down then made his escape.

McDonald grappled with one of the assailants, and pulling his gun, he pressed the cold steel against the other's throat and pulled the trigger. The gun missed fire and once again the trigger was pulled, with the same result.

McDonald knew one of the parties, as a man named Stein, and he was arrested this afternoon. Ball was secured and the trial set for next week before Magistrate Smith.

MONTREAL PAID TWICE FOR REMOVAL OF SNOW

Men Took Loads a Few Yards and
Then Dumped It Down.

Montreal, Que., Aug. 18.—Extraordinary revelations were made before the royal commission yesterday morning by a witness named Julien, as to the administration of the snow cleaning section of the civic road department.

In the course of his evidence the witness swore that workmen were forced upon the foreman, and that Ald. J. B. A. Martin had threatened him with dismissal unless he found work for a man named Montpelier whom that alderman sent to him.

He had known carters take a load of snow a few yards in their carts, dump it right down on the road, and return at once for another load, for which they were paid so much per voyage, and under the system as it has been practiced the foremen, if they were not honest, could pad the pay list to a considerable extent, and so obtain money from the city by false tickets without fear of detection.

BIG SEASON ON LAKES

Nearly All the Boats Will Be Operated
This Year.

Detroit, Aug. 18.—President Livingston, of the Lake Carrier Association, says:

"But 55 per cent of the lake tonnage was in commission last year. This fall between 90 and 100 per cent of the boats will be operated. Grain rates have not yet been fixed, but vesselmen expect to get three cents per bushel when the fall rush starts."

"One rate is 65 cents per ton, but in all probability and judging from the increasing conditions of prosperity, carriers will get a rate of \$1 the latter part of the season. Next season will be one of the best in the history of lake commerce, according to the present indications. All available tonnage will find business."

THE MEN MUST USE THE POWDER PUFFS

Fashion Also Decrees the Wear-
ing of White Pique
Collars.

New York, Aug. 18.—Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, and likewise Mfs. Pankhurst, must forever retire into oblivion.

Men have usurped the formerly undisputed domain of woman, and today are dictating the styles that are to be worn by people of both sexes.

This is what the style show at New York has taken place in the exhibits, and it has been advanced by the heartless advocates of true fashion that men must resort to the powder puff. And the style shows it.

For example, we learn: "If you will but truly chlo, don't overlook a white orchid for the lapel of your frock coat and morning coat."

"Canary-colored Ascots to match the modish chamolios gloves are an innovation of note."

"Monograms and initials on handkerchiefs and neckties are the season correct, but conventional. The new coat is the family coat of arms."

"One hears whispers of white silk gloves for the evening dress, but it is very doubtful if they would prove acceptable."

"The latest whisper of the mode is a white pique collar. While the fashionable Londoner has been wearing it several seasons, only this autumn has it been noticeable to any extent on this side of the transatlantic ferry."

"A startling idea for evening dress is black patent leather shoes with white kid uppers."

"A man looks his best or worst in evening clothes—there is no betwixt. The least hint of negligence is fatal to grace and distinction. At a smart husband's many little evening dress trifles are shown this season that are not to be found elsewhere."

For example, there is a cardcase of delicately flowered silk, stamped in gold, with the wearer's coat of arms. Another case, a bit larger, is designed to hold the evening handkerchief of crinkle silk or soft velvet. Yet a third contains a tiny tin of powder, with which to sprinkle the hands when they become too moist from wearing gloves while dancing."

THIRTY-EIGHT ENTER FOR THE AERIAL DERBY

All Records for Long Distance
Flights Likely To Be Broken
at Rheims.

New York, Aug. 18.—Thirty-eight aeroplanes have been entered in the aviation competitions which commence next Sunday at Rheims, France, and the records for long distance flights will fall, the names of the pilots for the various aeroplanes have been received today from abroad indicates that all records for long distance flights will fall. The names of the pilots for the various aeroplanes have been received today from abroad indicates that all records for long distance flights will fall.

Besides the valuable cups, which have been offered for the events, 200,000 francs have been put up as prizes. Aviation week at Rheims will open next Sunday with the French elimination races, for the international aviation cup offered by James Gordon Bennett, and the Aero Club of France, will select three pilots, making the best flights, to represent it in the big race. The distance is 20 kilometres or twice around the aerodrome. The final contest for the Bennett cup will take place on Aug. 28.

Besides the elimination race for the Bennett cup on Sunday, the day will be the opening contests for the Prix de la Vitesse, or speed prize, which is a distance of 30 kilometres, and four prizes will be distributed to the machines making the best time around the course. Aeroplanists making the best time around the course of ten kilometres will be in the place of honor in other contests, will be awarded three prizes, and designated winners of the Prix du Tour de Piste. The Prix des Aerodromes will be awarded to the pilot making five tours of the aerodrome course in the best time.

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The Wyoming Consolidated Asbestos Company possesses one of the richest and easiest worked deposits of Asbestos in the world. Development work has gone far enough to prove that the deposits are practically unlimited—the rock easily worked—and the fibre of excellent quality. The first shipments of fibre will undoubtedly begin very soon.

Meanwhile more money is needed for quarrying, for further development, and for erecting new mills. That is why I am able to offer a block of Capital Stock at 20c per share. Now is your opportunity.

Properties

The Wyoming Consolidated Asbestos Company have 260 acres of Asbestos Grounds at Smith Creek, and 270 acres more on Casper Mountain, both in Natrona County, in Southern Wyoming, Casper Mountain is

Within 9 Miles of the C. & N. Railroad

On which Casper is a divisional point. Smith Creek is within about ten miles of a branch railroad. Excellent wagon roads connect both properties with Casper.

Practically Inexhaustible Deposits

In both properties the Asbestos occurs in serpentine rock, in the form of cross-fibre veins. These veins vary from a fraction of an inch to two, three, and even four inches in thickness, and in some places are so abundant that they form from 20 per cent to 50 per cent of the banded rock.

Mr. Joseph Taggart, County Attorney at Kansas City, Kansas, after carefully examining the mines, in the interests of a number of present and prospective stockholders, gives his opinion to the "Casper Press" as follows:

"I am satisfied that there is an inexhaustible supply of Asbestos in Casper Mountain and in Smith Creek mines. I believe that just as soon as it is put on the market, the world will wake up to the fact that Wyoming Asbestos affords an opportunity for a safe investment."

Easily Mined and Milled

Mr. E. B. Craven, an Asbestos expert, recommended by Prof. J. S. Diller, of the United States Geological Survey, says that the Wyoming serpentine rock is so much softer than that in Quebec deposits, that twice as much can be treated by the same machinery. He also says that the Wyoming rock can be more easily and cheaply mined, and that it contains a higher percentage of Asbestos than the Canadian. He states that almost all the rock put through the mill will be utilized at a profit.

Over 40 Per Cent Fibre

The Lowell Lumber and Asbestos Company, of Lowell, Vt., have just completed a mill run of asbestos-bearing rock from the Wyoming Consolidated mines. They report over 40 per cent of fibre, and say they can mill it with one-third the expense of the Canadian

First-Class Chrysotile Asbestos

The Asbestos is of the chrysotile variety, which is the most valuable for commercial purposes. In the solid rock it is olive green and amber green, and when fiberized becomes a mass of soft, clinging, silky-white threads, which can be carded on fine cotton cards. Some has been mined which had a length of 4 inches.

Fit for the Highest Commercial Uses.

This length and quality of fibre fits it, of course, for the highest class of Asbestos manufacturing.

The Denver Asbestos Covering Company, of Denver, writes:

"In regard to the samples of Asbestos which I have received from the Wyoming Consolidated Asbestos Company, I would say that they are of extremely fine quality and texture. The samples are of long, strong, white fibre; silky to the touch, and suitable for spinning or any of the numerous other uses."

"We pay \$400.00 per ton for most of the fibre we use, as well as \$35.00 freight charges, and in comparing the Canadian and Wyoming products I greatly prefer the latter."

Hundreds of Tons of Rock for the Mill

Development has been pushed vigorously, particularly on the Smith Creek property. A large area of rock has been stripped and excavated to a considerable depth. A substantial ore chute has been built leading to the storage bin on the mill-site in the valley below. Hundreds of tons of rock, practically half Asbestos, are here ready to be fiberized. Bunk and cook houses for the men, and a stable for the horses, have been built, and other preliminary work completed.

In fact, just as soon as the mill is completed, Asbestos can immediately be fiberized and sold. The following telegram shows how soon that will be:

W. A. FISHER,
132 St. James Street,
Montreal, Canada.

Casper, July 21, 1909.

"Large force of men erecting mill, extra teams hauling machinery; work going on fast and successfully. Not long now till we can make shipments."
(Signed) "Wyoming Consolidated Asbestos Company."

\$400 a Ton

High-grade Canadian Asbestos sells today at \$400 per ton—with the demand far exceeding the supply. The average cost of mining and milling is from \$14 to \$17.50. You can figure the profits yourself.

An Opinion From the Spot

W. A. Fisher, Montreal, Can. Mitchell, Neb., July 3, 1909.
Dear Sir—Having invested quite heavily in stock of the Wyoming Consolidated Asbestos Company, I decided to go to Casper and investigate the situation.

I found the home people investing liberally and very enthusiastic over the proposition. I found it a better investment than you had represented, and I bought more stock. Yours truly, C. M. LOONEY, (Of Babbit & Looney, grocers and grain merchants.)

Attractive Terms

The company are so confident that they will make early dividends that they will take half the purchase price out of your dividends and the other half cash down or in monthly payments. You draw half your dividends till the other half has completed the payments on your stock, and then you get the dividends in full.

FOR EXAMPLE—Cash payments are at the rate of 10 cents per share as per table below:

TABLE:
200 shares cost \$20 00 cash or \$2 00 with order and \$2 00 each month for 9 months.
400 shares cost \$40 00 cash or \$4 00 with order and \$4 00 each month for 9 months.
500 shares cost \$50 00 cash or \$5 00 with order and \$5 00 each month for 9 months.
1,000 shares cost \$100 00 cash or \$10 00 with order and \$10 00 each month for 9 months.
5,000 shares cost \$500 00 cash or \$50 00 with order and \$50 00 each month for 9 months.
10,000 shares cost \$1,000 00 cash or \$100 00 with order and \$100 00 each month for 9 months.

STOCK IS NON-ASSESSABLE.

This table shows the cash payment, and an equal amount is charged to the dividends.

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W. A. Fisher, Financial Agent, 132 St. James street, Montreal: Inclosed please find for \$..... being full (or part) payment for shares of fully paid and non-assessable capital stock of the Wyoming Consolidated Asbestos Company, at 10c a share, cash. Balance to be paid by dividends.

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DEFENSE CONTROL IN THE DOMINION

Would Not Clash With Views of Admiralty According to Lord Tweedmouth.

Ottawa, Aug. 19.—A London cable brings the statement that Canada and Great Britain have come to an agreement as to naval defence upon the lines laid down by Sir John Fisher in 1907.

Just at this particular juncture, when so many ministers and most of the deputies are absent, it is difficult to get line on just what Admiral Fisher's proposals were. The blue book containing the proceedings at the colonial conference contains no reference to any memo by Sir John.

The opening speech made by Lord Tweedmouth, then first lord of the admiralty, at the opening of the discussion upon naval defence on April 23, 1907, however, contains a review of what the Imperial Government thought to be necessary. These essentials were:

The admiralty to have charge of the strategical questions which are necessarily involved in naval defence.

The admiralty to hold the command of the naval forces of the country and to arrange the distribution of ships in the best possible manner to resist attacks and defend the empire at large, whether it be our own lands or the dominions beyond the seas.

Contributions by the colonies need not necessarily be in the form only of money.

"His majesty's Government recognize the desire of the self-governing colonies to have a more particular share in providing the naval defence force of the empire, and so long as the condition of unity of command and direction of the fleet is maintained, they are ready to consider a modification of the existing arrangements to meet the views of the various colonies."

Local Defences.

"In the opinion of the Government, while the distribution of the fleet must be determined by strategical requirements of which the admiralty are the judge, it would be of great assistance if the colonial governments would undertake to provide for local defence in the imperial squadrons the smaller vessels that are useful for defence against possible raids, or for co-operation with a squadron, and also to equip and maintain docks and fitting establishments which can be used by his majesty's ships."

MODERN YOUNG WOMAN DOES THE PROPOSING

Chaperone Says the Old-Time Lovers Were Superior to Those of Today.

London, Aug. 17.—"In these days men do not fall on their knees and propose, as they used to do a few years ago. They hint at marriage and the girl completes the proposal."

A woman who has chaperoned many debutantes, and seen a great deal of the world, made the above statement in a recent conversation.

"A change seems to be coming over the modern young man. When I was a girl young men were mainly and outspoken in matters of love."

"The hearty, athletic young man of my early years made no bones about a proposal. If he meant to ask a woman to marry him, he did so without shilly-shallying. He went down on his knees, perhaps, told her that he loved her, and asked the question right away."

"I used to know a man whose proposal was refused by the girl of his choice. He promptly lifted her in his arms (they were in a field at the time) and carried her toward the public road, saying that he would go on carrying her until she took back her 'no.' She married him."

"I don't know that I recommend going quite as far as that, but that is the proper spirit, and is better than the methods of the present day young man."

"Today the average young man of the middle and upper classes is a queer, vacillating creature, to whom proposing is an agony. It is as much as he can do to suggest proposing, he is so nervous and apprehensive. He even tries to do it over the telephone sometimes."

"Girls, on the other hand, appear to be acquiring a greater stability of character. They do not suffer from that excess of sentiment which causes temporary paralysis of the brain and tongue in the young man. Proposing practically rests with the girl, or at least, the biggest part of it."

"What is the cause of this strange reversal? It may be that town life, with its rush and hurry and continual excitements, has brought into being a race of physically and mentally degenerate men."

"It is well known that women thrive on excitement, such as perpetual motor tours, theatre parties and other social distractions. They become blooming and healthy and never seem tired."

"Here, then, is one way of the proposal problem. Simply through the present conditions of living, men are losing their initiative and courage in matters of love, while women are gradually usurping man's place."

Miss Mabel Williams and Mrs. Maud P. Wood have started on a tour around the world. Their object is to study the condition of women in the different countries. They expect to be away more than two years. They will visit Japan first.

HARVESTER ARMY ARRIVES AT WINNIPEG

Men From Maritime Provinces First to Enter the Wheat Fields.

Winnipeg, Aug. 18.—The first contingent of harvesters from Eastern Canada has arrived in this city, and has gone forward to help the western farmers in the work of saving the greatest crop on record. A train from St. John, N. B., carrying about 600 young men, reached the city yesterday, the advance guard of a regiment of 2,600 from the Maritime provinces. They met a keen demand here, and had no difficulty in finding assurances of employment. The balance arrived early this morning, and they were also easily absorbed. They constitute a good class of help, and although all of them may not have shilly-shallying. He went down on his knees, perhaps, told her that he loved her, and asked the question right away."

The inquiry from the fields continues active, and although the harvest is only well begun, there is little prospect of any of the newcomers having to do without farm work if they want it. It is essential, of course, that they exercise discrimination in their selection of points at which to seek employment, and if they proceed entirely according to their own notions they may fare badly for a few days. The whole of the Maritime consignment is required in Manitoba, and if any of the excursionists pass beyond the borders of this province they run a risk of being compelled to wait for opportunities to be taken up by the local harvesters earlier here than it is in Saskatchewan, and the big demand will not develop until after the end of the present week.

Better System of Distribution. Improvement in the system of receiving and distributing the workers is already apparent, and it is evident that many mistakes which characterized the arrangements in other years will be avoided. The Canadian Pacific Railway, which has charge of most of the excursions, has been laying its plans for several weeks, and it has enjoyed the benefits of co-operation with the Manitoba and Saskatchewan Governments. The Government, as a matter of fact, are keenly interested in the solution of farm labor problems at this season of the year, because an adequate supply of help means millions in the saving of the crop. The Alberta Government is also concerned with the distribution of the laborers, as the increased areas under cultivation in that Province make it necessary that assistance for the farmers should be sent in from outside. The representatives of the Governments meet the incoming harvesters between Fort William and Winnipeg, and endeavor to give full information with regard to the needs of the various districts. There is no way of compelling particular individuals to go to certain points

against their will, and it is difficult in some cases to make the men understand the true situation. The low passenger rates granted by the railways are a great inducement to travel, and if a man is able to go a long distance for a small fare he may be tempted to take the trip, especially if he has not been over the ground previously.

FAMOUS VIOLIN FOUND Instrument Stolen in 1804 Worth \$15,000 Now.

London, Aug. 18.—Louis Blumenberg of New York, says he has found the famous Spohr violin in London. The story of this famous fiddle and its loss is one of the romances of music. Louis Spohr, the greatest artist of his day, was travelling through Germany in 1804 with his friend Eck.

Spohr's trunk, containing all his personal effects and his beloved violin, was carefully lashed to the back of the coach on the way to Goettingen. There were numerous highway robbers in those districts in those days, and when Spohr reached Goettingen he found his trunk gone.

From that day to this there has been no trace of the famous violin. Good records, however, have been kept of its peculiar design and marking, and when it came before Mr. Blumenberg's eye he identified it.

At present the violin is in the possession of Miss Elsie Playfair, a young English musician of marked ability, now appearing in London, who recently signed a contract with R. E. Johnson, of New York, to appear in America under his management.

A friend of Miss Playfair recently bought the instrument from a German violinist for a small sum. Neither had any idea of its real value, but Miss Playfair recognized its beautiful tone and it was presented to her.

When full proof of the instrument's identity, which Blumenberg is now seeking in Germany, is secured, it will be worth at least \$15,000.

AUTOMOBILE PLOWS ARE COMING.

Among the possibilities for Saskatchewan in 1950 are a population of eight million people, automobile ploughs, and rural telephones. Sir Walter Scott points to this and other significant signs of development as confirming Senator Seward's statement of fifty years ago, that Canada represented "a region grand enough to be the seat of a great empire."

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ROOSEVELT'S SPECIMENS. New York, Aug. 18.—Twenty casks and nine cases containing specimens, trophies of the hunt, collected by the Roosevelt expedition in South Africa, were brought here today on the steamer Provincina, from Marseilles. The casks and cases contain the skins, skulls and skulls of lions, giraffes, spotted hyenas, zebras, leopards, rhinoceros, buffalo, hippopotami and other animals.

The consignment was shipped on the steamer Adour at Mombassa on June 28 and transferred to the Provincina at Marseilles. The specimens will be forwarded from Premier Institution in Washington.

MYSTERY BAFFLES THE ROMAN POLICE

Valet, Monk and Titled Personages Have Shared \$800,000.

Rome, Aug. 18.—The high court at Naples is occupied with an extraordinary trial, in which many well-known names are involved.

A millionaire duke, his duchess, and a lady's maid are alleged to have been poisoned, and a valet, a monk and several titled personages are mentioned as having taken some part in the tragedy.

The Duke of Montfort, one of the wealthiest noblemen of Naples, resided with the duchess in a chateau outside Naples with a small household, which included a lady's maid, named Egner, and a valet named Salvatore Siciliani.

The valet is stated to have had a remarkable influence over the duke and duchess, owing to his having discovered secrets which both were unwilling should be made public.

In September, 1907, the lady's maid died suddenly, and her money, amounting to \$50,000, disappeared at the same time. A few days later the duchess died, and on Nov. 21 the death of the duke followed, the cause being given as a syncope.

No will could be found, and a number of jewels which belonged to the duke and duchess and a large sum of money were missing. It was ultimately discovered that \$800,000, deposited in various banks by the duke, had been withdrawn on the day of his death by an individual representing himself to be the duke. It was found that the fact of the duke's death had been concealed for 48 hours.

After 15 months' fruitless investigation by the police, the authorities received an anonymous letter accusing Fr. Valeriano, a monk of robbing the duke at the time of his death. Fr. Valeriano was arrested, and it was then discovered that the letter had been written by the valet, Siciliani.

The valet was arrested, and he and the monk accused each other of poisoning the duke, the duchess and her maid.

At the moment the court began the hearing of the trial, Fr. Valeriano died suddenly of poisoning. The case has in consequence been adjourned.

STRATHCONA COMING.

Winnipeg, Aug. 18.—In view of Lord Strathcona's honorable position for many years in the Hudson Bay Company, his relations to the early days as head of important bodies, and his unique position today as almost the only living man who knew well, personally, many of the early Selkirk settlers, his lordship will be unanimously tendered the position of honorary president of the Canadian International and Selkirk Centennial Exposition.

Lord Strathcona will arrive in Winnipeg on Aug. 26, and has acknowledged the receipt of a cablegram from Premier Roblin welcoming him to the city.

AFRAID OF RABIES.

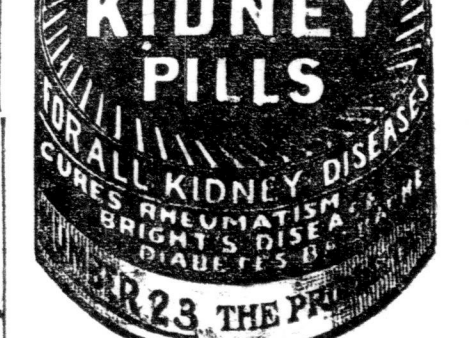
Hamilton, Aug. 18.—Harold McQueen, a small boy living in the east end, was bitten this afternoon by a dog belonging to a man named Harrison, which has shown signs of rabies.

Dr. Groves intends to destroy the dog and send its head to the Government analyst at Ottawa for examination.

The little boy was not badly bitten, but his parents are greatly worried over the possibility that the dog was suffering from rabies.

MONTREAL REALTY.

Montreal, Que., Aug. 18.—Increase of nearly \$18,000,000 is reported in real estate assessment by the city assessors. Last year the total was \$216,000,000, and this year it is \$234,000,000.



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THE DETROIT TEAM DROPS INTO THIRD POSITION

THE CHAMPIONS LOSE TO THE WHITE SOX AND DROP TO THIRD POSITION IN RACE

Boston Passes Detroit—Tigers' Misplays and Big Ed. Walsh's Spitter Combine to Give Sullivan's Men a 2 to 0 Victory—Jennings' Outfit Had Opportunities to Score But Could Not Hit With Men on Bases—Cobb's Batting Was a Feature of Game.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.				
Standing.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.	
Philadelphia	42	42	.500	
Boston	42	42	.500	
Detroit	42	42	.500	
Cleveland	42	42	.500	
Chicago	42	42	.500	
New York	42	42	.500	
St. Louis	42	42	.500	
Washington	42	42	.500	

Yesterday's Results.
Chicago 2, Detroit 0.
Philadelphia 2, Washington 1.
Boston 6, New York 3 (second game).
Cleveland 3, St. Louis 0 (first game).
Cleveland 3, St. Louis 2 (second game).

Today's Games.
Chicago at Detroit.
Philadelphia at Washington.
Boston at New York.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Detroit, Aug. 18.—When Ed. Walsh handed the Tigers a shut-out yesterday, 2 to 0 was the score, thereby knocking them down into third place, he made the tactical mistake of his career. It has been pretty soft this season for the man who worked harder than them all a year ago, and with the Sox hopelessly out of the flag hunt, it looked like a good fall in which to stall and save one's self. Officially Walsh's arm was not in good condition, and he had pitched but one game since his club left Chicago for the east. In addition to the lameness, he has never been better than intermittent, by far, in the last few days. But there seemed to be nothing the matter with his arm yesterday, and the ancient Detroit hoodoo did not hang over him. In fact, he had the only break in the last few days, the outcome of the game. So it looks like steady work for him from now on.

The Team's Chances.
There never was a chance, the way it was hitting—or not hitting—for the Tigers to win this one, but they might have gone into overtime with a 1 to 1 score, but for one little slip—failure to handle a bunt in the first inning. That started the Sox scoring. With this play made, the best Chicago would have gotten would have been one tally. As Cobb opened the ninth with a double, the chances were good for a run here had it been possible to play for one, instead of necessary to hit for two. But they couldn't hit Walsh. It differed from Tuesday. Then they couldn't hit with men on. Yesterday the men weren't on. There was only one chance to break it up, and then two were out.

The Score.				
Detroit.	A.B.	R.	H.	O.
Jones, I. f.	3	0	1	0
Bush, s. s.	3	0	1	0
Cobb, r. f.	4	0	3	1
Crawford, c. f.	3	0	1	1
Delehanty, 2b.	4	0	3	2
Moriarty, 3b.	3	0	1	2
Rossman, 1b.	3	0	0	0
Schmidt, c.	3	0	1	0
Mullin, p.	3	0	1	0
Totals	30	0	5	27

Chicago.				
A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Altizer, c. f.	5	1	1	0
Parent, s. s.	3	1	1	0
Isbell, 1b.	3	1	1	0
Dougherty, 1. f.	4	1	0	0
Hahn, r. f.	3	2	0	0
Tannehill, 3b.	4	1	0	0
Atz, 2b.	4	1	1	0
Sullivan, c.	4	0	7	3
Walsh, p.	4	0	2	0
Totals	34	2	9	27

Two-base hit. Cobb, Mullin, Altizer, Dougherty, Parent; stolen bases, Parent, Isbell; first base on balls, by Mullin 7, by Walsh 7; double plays, Schmidt, Moriarty and Bush, Schmidt and Bush; time, 2:10; umpires, Connelly and Kerin; attendance, 4,188.

NATIONALS LOSE TO PHILADELPHIA

Plank Has Better of Groom and Mack's Men Win, Two to One.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 18.—Plank outpitched Groom today in the game between the Philadelphia and Washington clubs, the former winning by the score of 2 to 1. Plank weakened in the final round, but pulled himself together in time to strike out McBride with one run and two men on bases. Score:

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Washington.	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	Other Sports on Page

RED SOX DEFEAT THE YANKEES TWICE

Make Record of Consecutive Victories and Go Into Second Place.

New York, Aug. 18.—The Boston Americans made their record of consecutive victories 11 today by twice defeating New York. The scores were 3 to 0 and 6 to 3. In the first game Wood held the locals to three hits and just one player reached second base. Niles, a New York cast-off, batted in two of Boston's runs and scored the other.

In the second game New York had a safe lead up to the seventh inning, when, after Chesbro had passed Speaker and Gessler had gone out, Wagner, Stahl and McConnell made long hits, three runs resulting. The fourth run of this inning was due to brilliant base running by McConnell.

First Game.				
Boston.	A.B.	R.	H.	O.
Niles, I. f.	5	1	2	1
Lord, 2b.	3	0	1	0
Speaker, c. f.	4	0	1	3
Gessler, r. f.	4	0	0	2
Wagner, s. s.	2	0	0	1
Stahl, 1b.	3	0	1	1
McConnell, 2b.	3	0	0	4
Carrigan, c.	4	1	2	4
Wood, p.	3	1	0	3
Totals	31	3	7	22

New York.				
A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Demmitt, c. f.	4	0	2	0
Keeler, r. f.	4	0	2	0
Engle, I. f.	3	0	1	0
Elberfeld, s. s.	2	0	3	2
Laporte, 2b.	3	0	3	2
Knight, 1b.	3	0	1	2
Austin, 3b.	3	0	1	4
Kleinow, c.	2	0	2	2
Sweeney, c.	1	0	1	0
Wilson, p.	2	0	0	1
Hemphill, p.	1	0	0	0
Totals	28	0	3	27

*Batted for Wilson in ninth.

Boston 3, New York 0.

Two-base hits, Stahl, Carrigan; sacrifice hits, Wood, Lord 2; stolen bases, Keeler, Niles, Speaker, Wagner; left on bases, Boston 9, New York 3; double plays, Kleinow, Laporte and Knight, McConnell and Stahl; struck out, by Wood 3, by Wilson 2; bases on balls, off Wood 1, off Wilson 5; hit by pitcher, by Wood 1 (Engle); passed ball, Sweeney; time, 1:48; umpires, Perrine and Sheridan.

Second Game.

Boston.				
A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Niles, I. f.	4	1	3	0
Lord, 2b.	3	0	1	4
Speaker, c. f.	3	1	0	4
Gessler, r. f.	4	1	5	0
Wagner, s. s.	4	2	3	1
Stahl, 1b.	4	1	2	2
McConnell, 2b.	4	1	2	2
Carrigan, c.	4	0	2	0
Cicotte, p.	3	0	0	4
Totals	34	6	9	27

New York.				
A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Demmitt, c. f.	3	0	1	0
Keeler, r. f.	3	0	1	0
Engle, I. f.	4	0	3	0
Elberfeld, s. s.	4	1	5	2
Laporte, 2b.	4	1	1	2
Knight, 1b.	3	1	1	0
Austin, 3b.	3	0	3	2
Sweeney, c.	3	1	2	1
Chesbro, p.	3	0	0	3
Totals	30	3	5	27

Boston 6, New York 3.

Two-base hits, Laporte, McConnell; three-base hit, Wagner 2; Stahl; sacrifice hit, Demmitt; sacrifice fly, Keeler; stolen bases, Stahl, left on bases, Boston 5, New York 4; double play, Cicotte, Stahl and Carrigan; struck out, by Chesbro 5, by Cicotte 1; bases on balls, off Chesbro 1, off Cicotte 2; time, 1:42; umpires, Perrine and Sheridan.

BLACKBURN TO THE SOX

National Commission Decides Comiskey Owns Shortstop.

Cincinnati, Aug. 18.—The national commission today decided that shortstop Blackburn, of the Providence team, for whom Pittsburgh and the Chicago Americans have been contending, belongs to Chicago. The testimony in the case brought out the fact that President Comiskey paid for Blackburn what is said to be the highest price ever given for a minor league fielder.

According to the decision of the commission, the Pittsburgh club, after agreeing to pay a certain price for Blackburn, besides turning a player over to the Providence team at once, failed to send a player to Providence, and the latter club felt it was relieved of this agreement. The Chicago club paid \$5,000 in money and two players valued at \$3,500 in exchange for him, thus fixing Blackburn's value at \$10,000.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

At St. Paul—

St. Paul 4, St. Paul 0.

Batteries—Hogg and Pietz; Leroy and Spencer.

At Milwaukee—

Columbus 2, Milwaukee 1.

Batteries—Pickett and James; Manske and Turner.

At Minneapolis—

Minneapolis 6, Minneapolis 2.

Batteries—Graham and Howley; Olmstead and Block.

At Kansas City—First game—

Kansas City 8, Kansas City 10.

At Kansas City—Second game—

Kansas City 4, Kansas City 8.

At Toledo—

Toledo 2, Toledo 6.

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HI! PIPE THIS ROYALS BEATEN

Maple Leafs Got in Among the Men From Montreal and Won Both Games.

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EASTERN LEAGUE.

Standing.

Won. Lost. P.C.

Rochester 62 47 .569

Newark 58 49 .538

Providence 57 49 .538

Toronto 52 55 .486

Buffalo 54 58 .482

Jersey City 50 54 .481

Montreal 50 60 .455

Baltimore 49 60 .450

Yesterday's Results.

Rochester 6, Buffalo 1 (first).

Rochester 8, Buffalo 7 (second).

Jersey City 1, Baltimore 0 (first).

Jersey City 1, Baltimore 0 (second).

Providence 6, Newark 2 (first).

Newark 2, Providence 0 (second).

Toronto 16, Montreal 1 (first).

Toronto 6, Montreal 4 (second).

Today's Games.

Rochester at Buffalo.

Providence at Jersey City.

Baltimore at Newark.

Toronto, Aug. 18.—Toronto reversed the order of things by taking both games from the Royals today and walloping them for keeps into the bargain. They won the first game by 16 to 1 and the second 6 to 1. Montreal used five pitchers in the two games. The score:

First Game.

A.B. R. H. O. A. E.

Joyce, I. f.

Yeager, s. s.

Cockill, 1b.

O'Neill, r. f.

Jones, c. f.

Starnagle, c.

Woolly, c.

Colvin, 2b.

Winter, 2b.

Keefe, p.

Adams, p.

Totals

Montreal

Toronto

Home runs—Yeager, Mahling. Two-base hits—Kelly 2, McDonald 2, Rudolph, O'Neill, Jones, Winters. Sacrifice hits—Homer, Rudolph. Struck out—By Keefe 1, by Adams 2, by Rudolph 7. Left on bases—Toronto 6, Montreal 5. Double plays—Mullen to Mahling to Houser; Vandy to Mahling. Passed balls—Vandy. Hit by pitcher—Mahling. Base on balls—O'Neill 1, off Adams 3. Umpire Byron. Attendance, 3,000. Time 1:45.

Second Game.

A.B. R. H. O. A. E.

Joyce, I. f.

Yeager, s. s.

Cockill, 1b.

O'Neill, r. f.

Jones, c. f.

Krichell, c.

Durlin, c.

Colvin, 2b.

Starnagle, 2b.

Wilder, 3b.

Swaidge, p.

B. Jones, p.

Totals

Toronto

Montreal

Sunday's game, by colliding with McDonald, r. f.

Houser, 1b.

Mahling, s. s.

Mullen, 2b.

Weidy, I. f.

Vandy, c.

Totals

Montreal

Toronto

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Weidy, I. f.

Vandy, c.

GRAYS AND INDIANS DIVIDE DOUBLE-HEADER

An Even Break Was Best Providence Could Do With McGinnity's Men.

Providence, Aug. 18.—An even break was the best that Providence could do with McGinnity's men today. The Grays took the first game by 6 to 2 and Newark the second 2 to 0. In the first game Providence came to bat in the last of the seventh and literally tore Brady to pieces.

A UNIQUE CEMETERY FOR NIAGARA FALLS

Plot Near Whirlpool in Which to Bury the Undeidentified Dead.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Aug. 19.—If the plan proposed by the members of the Queen Victoria Park Commission for the disposal of the Niagara's undeidentified dead is carried out, this city will have one of the most unique cemeteries in the world, for there will be no after row of graves, each containing the body, invariably maimed, of an unknown person.

The problem of disposing of the undeidentified bodies found each year in the Niagara River is one that has long puzzled the city officials, and quite recently the undertakers practically refused to handle the bodies, especially those taken from the whirlpool, unless some one guaranteed them the penses. The task is a tedious and difficult one, for the path from the river bank to the top of the cliff is through dense underbrush. It never takes less than two hours to cover the distance from the edge of the pool to the top of the bank, and from four to six men are employed. The undertaker must pay for this labor from his own pocket.

The undertakers declared that to bring a body from the pool to the top of the bank and hold it for a couple of days or more until they bury it was worth \$50, providing the city would furnish and open the grave.

At a conference between the members of the town council and the park commission, which has jurisdiction over the Niagara Park system, of which the grounds adjacent to the whirlpool are a part, it was agreed that the city would furnish the grave and have it opened if the park commission would pay the undertaker.

It is proposed to have the unique cemetery located near the whirlpool. When a body is recovered it will be locked up carefully and notations made of every peculiar mark on it that might lead to an identification. The clothes will also be saved and a description taken. The grave in which the body is placed will be numbered and a record kept showing the description of the body in that grave. That record will be kept by the city and will come under the direction of the coroner.

FOUND DYNAMITE IN THE COAL

London, Aug. 19.—A dispatch from Portsmouth to the Daily Graphic says there is much alarm there owing to the discovery three lately of supposed dynamite cartridges among coal shipped to Portsmouth for the battleships. The latest find of this character was during the coming yesterday of the cruiser Duke of Edinburgh.

The correspondent says the mystery has not yet been accounted for.

EDWARD BANQUETS AUSTRIAN EMPEROR

Marienburg, Aug. 19.—King Edward abandoned his incognito for a day today, and attended as a sovereign the public ceremonies in honor of Emperor Francis Joseph's 75th birthday.

The British sovereign and a birthday banquet at the Kursaal, in the course of which he offered a toast to the emperor, expressing the hope that he would live for a long time, and exercise a mighty influence for the happiness of Austria-Hungary.

THESSALON EXCITED OVER SILVER FIELDS

More Discoveries in the Thessalon District Draw a Large Number of Prospectors.

Thessalon, Aug. 19.—There is a big rush of prospectors into the Thessalon district, and local bushologists have gone in from Thessalon, and much of the territory is being staked out. It is hardly possible to get a town on account of the rush, and the livers are doubling their equipment to meet the demand. Each train brings in the early bird to explore the new-found silver fields directly north of Thessalon, and there is yet to be one who is not greatly taken up with the country. They state it is far beyond their expectations.

It is bitterly complained that there is no recording office nearer than the Soo, and the board of trade has been asked to look into the matter and establish one immediately. The board is acting, and it is expected the Provincial Government will give immediate attention, to cut out over 80 miles of the trip to the recording office.

Two prospectors, Ingham and Earl, made the discovery last fall, recorded their claims and came back a short time ago, and disposed of his claim to property to E. G. Kerr, of the Georgian Bay Lumber Company, of Blind River, for a tidy sum. The samples from this claim brought prospectors from all quarters of the north before the townspeople had an inkling of the riches so close at hand.

DIES WHILE TOURING

St. Louis Man Expires on Boat Between Montreal and Quebec.

Quebec, Aug. 18.—A man named Maurice Glazer, belonging to St. Louis, Mo., expired on the R. and O. steamer this morning while the vessel was on its way here from Montreal.

Deceased had been in ill-health for some time, but his condition suddenly became worse shortly before reaching Three Rivers.

A doctor was summoned on the arrival of the steamer and he, together with the boat's physician, worked with the patient, but was unsuccessful. The man formed one of a party of seven people.

AUTOMOBILE FLOWS ARE COMING.

Among the possibilities for Saskatchewan in 1950 are a population of eight million, a large number of automobiles, ploughs, and rural telephones. Sir Walter Scott points to this and other significant signs of development as confirming Senator Seward's statement of fifty years ago, that Canada represented "a region grand enough to be the seat of great empire."

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SERIOUS SHOOTING AT GLACE BAY

Miner Whose House Was Repeatedly Stoned Shoots a Stranger Who Approaches.

Glace Bay, N. S., Aug. 18.—George McEachren, a striker, was shot this morning at the Hub, a crossing near No. 2 Colliery. The shooting is alleged to have been done by Edward Keith, who was arrested by Chief of Police McEachren today. He was taken before Stipendiary McGillivray, and admitted to bail. The hearing of the charge will take place next Tuesday.

Mr. Keith is a very respectable and sober man, and has been working at No. 2 through the strike. On one or two occasions his house has been stoned. Early this morning, between midnight and half past 2, stones were again thrown at his house, several windows being smashed. One brick and a large stone came through the window.

The last stoning occurred just after 2 o'clock. Mr. Keith had tried to catch the perpetrators of this outrage in the act, but without success. After the last stoning this morning he watched out of the window. About half-past 2 he saw three men approaching the house. He went out in the yard, taking a revolver with him, and called on them to halt. They kept on coming in a threatening attitude, and he fired the revolver. One of the men, who proved to be George McEachren, was struck and fell to the ground. Mr. Keith recognized the other two men. It is said, as Ben McIntyre, and another named McLeod.

McEachren was struck by the bullet in the fleshy part of his thigh. He was afterwards taken to St. Joseph's Hospital, and Dr. E. O. McDonald was called. He probed for the bullet, but was unable to find it. The bullet shattered some of the pelvic bones and McEachren's condition is considered serious. The greatest danger is feared from blood poisoning.

ASQUITH BESIIEGED

Suffragettes Waiting to Interview at Entrance to Home.

London, Aug. 19.—The militant suffragettes, who have been picketing the House of Commons for the past six weeks, with the object of securing an interview with Premier Asquith, have extended their operations to the Premier's residence on Downing street.

Mrs. Despard and Mrs. Sanderson this afternoon took up their stand outside Mr. Asquith's house, and declared that sentries would be maintained uninterruptedly until the Premier granted an audience.

The Premier, however, is able to slip out through a garden in the rear of his house to which the public does not enjoy access.

LIFT TO PROVINCES

State Secretary Explains the Metropolitan Racing Charter.

Ottawa, Aug. 18.—Hon. Charles Murphy, secretary of state, when asked what he would do about the demand for the cancellation of the Metropolitan racing charter, said that he had nothing to add to what he had already said. The granting of the charter was a matter of departmental routine, which had been dealt with in the usual way.

The application for the charter as to betting at race-tracks is a matter which would come to be dealt with by the attorney-general's department of Ontario. The regulation of racing and betting on race-tracks rests with the provincial authorities, who, it is presumed, have the power to allow racing and betting within the Province as they see fit, notwithstanding any powers granted to an interprovincial association by the federal state department. Officials of the justice and state departments today reiterated the view that the federal authorities could not refuse the application of the incorporators of the Metropolitan Racing Association to carry on a business, which is not illegal in Canada, and which is being conducted by other incorporated associations throughout the country.

HODGINS ENDS PROBE.

Ottawa, Aug. 18.—Col. Hodgins, D. O. C., has ended his probe into the evidence taken in the army service corps inquiry in connection with charges against Major Delaronde, chief of police, and his son, Captain Delaronde. The evidence was today forwarded to the command headquarters at Kingston, with comments by the D. O. C.

BACK TO BADDECK.

Petawawa Military Camp, Ont., Aug. 18.—For the first time in weeks both Messrs. McCurdy and Baldwin are away from camp. Both young aviators have gone to Baddeck, N. S., to arrange to bring an aerodrome back here for further experiments. While there is nothing really definite, it is likely that the Baddeck No. 1 will be the choice, and that after being repaired it will be brought back.

WITHOUT A HOME.

Montreal, Aug. 18.—Sent to a false address in Montreal from Burlington, Vt., Germaine Huot, 12 years old, went to the streets without money or home or friends, until she fell exhausted. She was taken in by Councilor Martel, of Montreal West.

Her story is that her father died when she was young, and left her mother well off. He was a doctor at Joliette, P. Q. Her mother died three years ago, and her money was put in the Banque St. Jean, of which Hon. P. H. Roy was president. The bank failed and she lost all. When the woman with whom she lived in Burlington found that she could get no money out of her, she sent her to Montreal without money and to a false address.

OXFORD OLD BOYS

Association Organized at the Reunion at Ingersoll.

Ingersoll, Ont., Aug. 18.—With the object of binding together throughout America the sons and daughters of old Oxford, and commemorating their return to Ingersoll, a well attended meeting of old boys was held in the town hall in connection with the reunion. Organization was effected, and the society will be known as The Oxford Old Boys.

MUST COMPLY WITH LAW

No Extension of Time in Proprietary Medicine Act Probable.

Ottawa, Aug. 19.—This proprietary medicine act went into force April 1, but merchants having on hand medicines purchased before that date were granted an extension of time in which to procure the stamps required by law. The time was extended by order-in-council to Sunday last, Aug. 15.

A NATIONAL HYMN

New Canadian Anthem Written by a Toronto Lady.

The Christian Guardian says: We publish on our cover this week the national hymn composed by Mrs. McCulloch of Toronto. In a recent competition conducted by Collier's Weekly to secure simple English words which might be sung to the delightful tune, "O Canada," composed by Calixte B. Vallee, a French-Canadian, this composition won the prize over the large number contributed. Professors Edgar, Dr. Broome, and Mr. Hector Charlesworth being the judges. Our readers are sure, will not only acknowledge the beauty of the hymn, but will be struck by the fact of how delightfully they seem to fit the music for which they were written. Mrs. McCulloch is the wife of Dr. E. M. McCulloch, and daughter of the well-known Methodist physician of this city, Dr. N. A. Powell. It is to be hoped that the new Canadian national hymn will receive the warm welcome that it merits from the Canadian public. We give its gifted author our warmest congratulations.

FIRE CHIEFS CONVENED

Big Demonstration of New Apparatus at Grand Rapids.

Grand Rapids, Aug. 19.—In A. H. Leshure, of Springfield, Mass., here, the oldest chief in the world is attending the international convention of fire chiefs. He is 81 years of age. Chief Tom O'Brien, of New Orleans, is older in point of service—58 years in the service, and with former Chief Benner, of Chicago, aged 79, and Chief A. J. Harris, of Tampa, Fla., attracts much attention.

Interesting trials of auto fire engines and other fire apparatus were made here, and a race was run on Upper Canal street, which was roped off for the occasion. An auto engine made by the Webb Motor Company, of Vineland, N. J., was the winner in five minutes and forty seconds, and in six minutes and thirty seconds was throwing water on an imaginary fire. The engine to force water into a car, paratus is making a great hit with the chiefs because of the speed with which it can move.

Chief Broderick, of Former Chief Kendall, of Detroit, are among the visitors. Broderick admires the auto because of its speed, but fears they are not so serviceable as horse engines in other particulars.

Delegates see the exhibit of fire-fighting apparatus made here is exceedingly fine. In New York, seven years ago, when a much larger room was available than could be had here, the election of officers and selection of a new place of meeting for tomorrow, Boston, Baltimore, Milwaukee and Syracuse want the next meeting.

HERBERT'S CATS AND DOGS

Will Be at the Western Fair Sept. 10 to 18.

In arranging a programme of entertainment for the public it is always the idea to please everybody, therefore, when Herbert's cats and dogs are scheduled, it is a certainty that everybody will be pleased. The antics of these dumb, but wise, little animals, causes everybody to marvel, especially children, in this entertainment to the children, for everyone knows that trained domestic pets are always adored by the little ones. It is no exaggeration to say that Prof. Herbert's dogs and cats are the best trained in the business. It really seems as if there is nothing too difficult for the dogs to do. The cats also year for attention. The cats also year for attention. The cats also year for attention.

ADAMS SURRENDERS.

Boston, Aug. 18.—It was announced here today that counsel for A. D. F. Adams, the fugitive, under indictment in New York, had arranged with District Attorney Jerome that Adams should surrender himself to the authorities in New York tomorrow morning. Adams, therefore, will not be placed under arrest in Boston. The indictment against Adams followed the disclosures regarding alleged hypochondria of stock certificates which followed the arrest in New York of Donald L. Persch.

JOHN HANLEY DEAD.

Sandwich, Ont., Aug. 19.—John Hanley, 82 years of age, and one of the oldest citizens of Sandwich South, is dead. Senility was the cause of his death. Mr. Hanley lived in Sandwich South all his life, and was an authority on matters concerning the town.

An Angler's Elysium.

According to advertisements all summer resorts are alike. They are the best ever—but if fishing is better anywhere else than it is in Georgian Bay, we do not know where it is. There is a greater variety of fish in this water than anywhere else, and they are always hungry. The only place where you can afford to fish is where the fish are numerous, big and delicious in flavor, and the place is Georgian Bay—so the fishermen say. Suppose you send for booklet, issued by Grand Trunk Railway System free, telling about the home of the bass, pickerel, and the noble trout family. Apply to Grand Trunk City or Depot Agents.

Men Wanted in West.

On Monday, Aug. 23, special train through cars for Winnipeg will leave London at 1:45 p.m. for the Canadian Pacific. Twenty thousand men are wanted to work in the harvest fields of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. Rate going \$10. Home again for \$18, any time before Nov. 30. Ask for conditions from any C. P. R. agent. W. Fulton, C. P. R. and T. A. 141 Dundas street, corner Richmond, London. 480

RIOT STICKS OUT AT MCKEES ROCK

State Constabulary Charge the Mobs and Troopers Guard the Works.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 19.—Mounted, and using their hickory riot clubs, members of the Pennsylvania State Constabulary are today keeping strikers on the move in the Pressed Steel Car Company's strike scene at McKees Rock. It is estimated that over 500 shots were fired last night and early today by strikers and sympathizers, who had gathered on the O'Donoghue bridge, near the works. During the night the troopers and other police remained inside the mill, orders having been issued to take no action unless the strikers attempted an entrance to the plant.

The constabulary was out on the streets this forenoon, however, compelling the strikers to keep moving. Troopers took possession of the O'Donoghue bridge, and efforts of the strikers to congregate at any one point were met with galloping horses and riot sticks.

Strike leaders today explained the shooting and disorder. They are of the opinion that the workmen are being held in the mills against their wishes. The shooting, they said, was the result of bringing the constabulary from the plant to the bridge, and give the few men an opportunity to escape from the works. The troopers stayed inside.

GIFT OF A FINE BELL

From Christ Church, Petrolia, to St. Jude's, Mount Brydges.

Through the generosity of the rector and congregation of Christ Church, Petrolia, the congregation of St. Jude's Church, Mount Brydges, are installing an 800-pound bell in their new tower. This bell is the one recently taken down from the tower of Christ Church in Petrolia. Mount Brydges deeply appreciate the Christian spirit of the Anglican Church people at Petrolia in so kindly giving them this bell. The Bishop of Huron will visit the parish of Mount Brydges on Sunday, Sept. 5, and it is probable that a consecration of the new tower and dedicate the bell.

ASTRONOMICAL FAKES

Society of Star Gazers Out Against Fearsome Comet Stories.

Lake Geneva, Wis., Aug. 19.—When the Astronomical Society of America begins work at Yerkes Observatory, Williams Bay, today, the most important business will be the discussion of a resolution deploring and aiming to correct the too ready acceptance by the general public of sensational astronomical news.

Such items as occasionally are given out about comets being headed for the earth at a rate that will cause a collision in a few days, months or years, as the case may be, have come under the ban of the society, and it is probable that a campaign looking to the better education of the general public on astronomical topics will be undertaken.

HORSES HOLD "AT HOME"

Reception at Housewarming of New Rest at Westcroft Farm.

London, Aug. 18.—The quadruped pensioners and patients of the Home of Rest for Horses have held an at home to their friends on the occasion of the housewarming of their spacious new premises at Westcroft Farm, Crickleywood.

Thirty-six superannuated old favorites have been placed by their owners in the home, whereby they will end their days in honorable retirement, and eighteen horses and donkeys who spend their days in the service of the cab drivers, costermongers and coal dealers, are now being nursed back to health and strength in the home.

Wearing gaily-colored ribbons and rosettes, the animals received the Duchess of Portland, who was accompanied by Duke, in their stalls. Bands of women also came, carrying bouquets of new carrots and packets of sugar for the old pensioners. Each animal came in for a share of the petting.

"Texas" on Saturday.

Mr. A. J. Small, owner of the Grand Opera House, has announced a preliminary opening of the house on Saturday night next, with a comedy drama of life in the southwest, "Texas" is a play in four acts, and is under the management of Broadhurst & Currie. The latter being a former resident of this city, Mr. W. H. Currie, the season promises some surprises in productions. Fair week "The Burgomaster" will be played on Sept. 13 and 14. The great American success, "Man From Home," Sept. 15 and 16. "Forty-five Minutes From Broadway," Sept. 17, and "King Dodo," Sept. 18. This variety the customary habit of giving an entire week's performance of one show. Two other shows are booked before the regular season. "The Talk of New York" the 27th, and "Paid in Full" on the 28th.

Mr. W. E. Calger, a former treasurer of the Grand here, will be the acting manager until the new manager is appointed.

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NOTES OF INTEREST FROM MAPLE CITY

Death of Old Resident—Near-by Farm Sells for \$8,000—Kick Against P. M. R.

Chatham, Aug. 18.—George Nightingale, an aged citizen of Lorne avenue, expired very suddenly on Monday night from heart failure. He had become quite unwell lately, but such a sudden collapse was not anticipated.

Charles Austin spent yesterday at the beach. The name of the Very Rev. Dean Davis, of London, is mentioned as the probable high chief ranger of the western court of I. O. F. George W. Wands, of this city, is named as probable vice-I. O. F.

High Constable Coogan made a trip to the country yesterday and issued five summonses—nearly all of them liquor cases.

Residents on the corner of West and Harvey streets are complaining that the electric lamp in their neighborhood is never lighted.

Mrs. Jane Douglas, wife of William K. Douglas, died on Monday evening at Pine Brae Cottage, Lake Erie. The late Mrs. Douglas has been a resident of Chatham for 40 years, her late husband having been crown attorney for a long time.

Emma Fobert left the local jail today for a two years' residence in the Mercer Reformatory.

Capt. Louks has just left St. Joseph's Hospital, where he had been very ill. He has now completely recovered.

The proprietor of the Metropolitan cafe, who was recently fined for breaking the bylaw, by doing business on Sunday evening, is away in St. Louis on business at present, but when he returns the cafe is to be fought to a finish in the Toronto courts.

William Ellison, who pleaded guilty yesterday to relieving Ben Bryan of some money, while Ben was having a sleep in a local hotel, has been allowed till Monday next to produce references as to character before sentence is passed.

An engine on a Pere Marquette train from the Eau, jumped the track last night, and the passengers were unable to get back to the city till between 3 and 4 in the morning. Many stayed at the Eau all night, and the conductors declined to take their return tickets as being overdue. Much vicious indignation was let off in consequence.

The county jail is said to be working to "capacity" business at present.

Windsor beat the Kent Mills team in the baseball game at Leamington yesterday, the scores being 7 to 3.

Besant pitched in fine style for the Millers, and horrid rumor has it that the umpire was not very kind to the Chatham home team.

B. Tole, of Glenholm, is staying here at present.

Mesdames Georgia and Karrie Guttridge are spending a holiday at Erieau.

Miss Marion Roe, of William street, has returned from a vacation spent under the parental roof.

Al. Bragg has sold his fine 100-acre farm on concession 4, Chatham Township, to Mr. Malcolm McGregor, one of Dover's most prosperous farmers. The deal involved the transfer of nearly \$5,000.

THE ELLEN CHOSEN.

Marienburg, Mass., Aug. 19.—According to the signals from the race committee's tug it was learned officially that the Ellen, owned by Charles P. Curtis, jun., of the Boston Yacht Club, was selected this forenoon as one of the favorites for the three boats to compete against the German craft in the international races. The Ellen did not start in today's races, but was towed back into the harbor.

THE SALT WOOD STAKES.

Folkstone, Eng., Aug. 19.—The Salt Wood 2-year-old plate of 100 sovereigns, distance, four furlongs, was run here today, and won by R. R. Keene's Coronal. Baracca was second, and the Wise Saw filly third. Fourteen horses started.

The Cinque Ports welter handicap of 100 sovereigns for 3-year-olds and upwards, distance five furlongs, was won by Maude Patch, J. R. Keene's gelding, and second, and Scandian third. Seventeen horses ran.

NELL GETS SIX MONTHS.

Windsor, Aug. 18.—Nell Leach, colored, convicted of stealing provisions from the home of William Burnie, was sent to the Mercer Reformatory for six months. Several other charges of the kind have been brought against Nellie in the past. The woman told the magistrate she had kleptomaniac.

LEFT TO HIS WIDOW.

Toronto, Aug. 18.—August Wilhelm, a musician of Toronto, who went home to his birthplace at Volkers, Bavaria, to die a few months ago, left all his property, which is in Toronto, to his widow. The estate is valued at \$15,130.

BURIED UNDER GLACIER.

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 19.—The search for the bodies of Joseph Stevens, of Trenton, N. J., and T. F. Callaghan, of Seattle, lost on Mount Ranier, has been temporarily abandoned. Guide Jules Stamphrey, and his party have returned and are of the opinion that the bodies never will be found. They discovered tracks leading toward a 500-foot ice cliff at the head of the White glacier, and it is possible the men lie below. The searchers are made from above, owing to the danger, and it is doubtful whether there is a route to the foot of the cliff.

WILD WEST REPORTS.

Cheyenne, Wyoming, Aug. 19.—Wild west sports began in earnest yesterday in connection with the Frontier Day celebration. In the wild horse race, sixteen men pitted their skill against the animals. One man was thrown, several carried through fences, and one other was painfully hurt from a kick in the breast. The race was won by Mrs. Bernie St. Clair, who holds the title of champion woman rider of the world, succeeded in subduing a vicious buckler.

TODAY AT LONG BRANCH

Duke of Cornwall and York Match To Be Shot.

Long Branch Rifle Ranges, Aug. 19.—This is the third day of the Ontario Rifle Association's meet, which has already eclipsed last year's attendance, and which for the remaining two days promises to be a splendid success. The weather this morning is fine. The wind, which constitutes a slight breeze, is from the north, right in the backs of the marksmen, which is a strong factor for good shooting. The chief feature on today's card is the Duke of Cornwall and York match in commemoration of the visit of their royal highnesses, the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York, now the Prince and Princess of Wales, in October, 1909. Seven rounds to be shot at 600 yards and seven at 800. The prizes amount to \$500 in addition to the silver and bronze medals of their highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York. Other matches of lesser importance also will be contested.

BARGE GOES DOWN WITH ENTIRE CREW

Saunderstown, R. I., Aug. 19.—Tugs Valley Forge and Monocacy arrived here this morning with news and the captain of the Valley Forge reported the loss of the barge Shawmont, with a crew of 12 men during the gale early Tuesday morning. It is feared that the big barge went to the bottom with all hands.

SEES DANGER IN CHEAP TRANSIT

London Lancet Says People Will Lose Their Physical Faculties.

London, Aug. 18.—The Lancet publishes a strong warning against the danger to the race arising from too cheap transit facilities. It says:

"The inducement to ride rather than walk is a temptation which continually confronts the public. It is not difficult to see in this process which is calculated to lead to physical, and not improbably mental demoralization. If a man can reach his home by a tram car or omnibus for a cent he is not going to walk the distance. He thus loses a valuable and healthful form of exercise because travelling is so cheap. Formerly he walked to save the relatively costly fare."

"The lift is another example of modern innovation which encourages idleness and which, indeed, threatens to make the staircase superfluous and obsolete. Another example of the demoralizing tendency of cheap transit is seen in the travelling platform, which is designed to save as much walking. Everywhere machinery is devised to save physical effort, as though we possessed no means of getting about ourselves. Surely this state of things cannot count for sturdiness and healthful activity in the future generation, but is more likely to lead to a state of atrophy, which must react unfavorably upon the individual. It is open to question whether the human race is better off for the number of facilities which are constantly thrown in its way."

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VEGETABLES WERE STRONG FEATURE

Offered in Large Quantities, But the Demand Was Not as Brisk as Usual.

NEW OATS ADVANCING

Sales Reported as High as \$1.50, But Some Sold as Low as \$1.32—Other Quotations.

Vegetables were the strongest feature on the market this morning, and they were offered in very large quantities. The demand, however, was not as brisk as usual, due probably to the very large sales of the past few days. Tomatoes were selling at 20 to 25 cents a basket, and had a very good sale. Corn was somewhat lower in price, bringing 10 cents a dozen, potatoes, of which there was a very considerable supply offered, sold at 90 cents to \$1. Gherkins appeared for the first time this morning, and opened at 20 to 30 cents a hundred.

Supply of Fruit.

The supply of fruit was very large, though the smaller fruits are beginning to disappear from the market. There are still a very few black currants and raspberries, but these are practically done. Thimbleberries were quite plentiful, selling at 9 to 10 cents a box, and dewberries were offered at 10 to 12 cents. Apples are still a great luxury, though there were more offered on this morning's market than usual. They brought 40 cents a basket, and \$1 to \$1.25 by the bushel.

New Oats.

New oats showed a very decided tendency to advance today, one load going as low as \$1.32, but other loads were reported as high as \$1.47 and \$1.50. Old oats remained at the regular figure that has prevailed for the past few days, \$1.25 to \$1.30. Hay again advanced in a very pronounced degree. Twelve dollars was the lowest price paid, while the better quality sold readily at \$13. There was a comparatively small supply, some dozen loads in all, and the demand was very strong.

Other prices are as follows:

Grain.	
New wheat, per bu.	\$1.25 to \$1.30
Old wheat, per bu.	\$1.15 to \$1.20
Oats, per cwt.	13 to 14
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Barley, per cwt.	12 to 13
Corn, per cwt.	10 to 11
Peas, per cwt.	10 to 11
Buckwheat, per cwt.	10 to 11
Beans, per bu.	11 to 12
Rye, per bu.	10 to 11

Hay and Straw.

New hay, per ton.	12 to 13
Straw, per ton.	6 to 7
Straw, per load.	7 to 8

Dairy Produce.

Butter, creamery, lb.	24 to 25
Butter, rolls, lb.	20 to 21
Butter, crack, lb.	20 to 21
Eggs, fresh, doz.	20 to 21
Honey, strained, lb.	10 to 11
Honey, in comb.	10 to 11

Poultry, Dressed.

Turkeys, per lb.	12 to 14
Old fowl, per lb.	9 to 10
Ducks, dressed, pair	90 to 115
Spring chickens, pair	60 to 80

Butchers' Meats.

Beef, by the carcass	5.50 to 7.00
Beef, hindquarters, cwt.	7.00 to 7.25
Mutton, per cwt.	7.00 to 7.25
Veal, per cwt.	6.00 to 6.25
Spring lambs, per lb.	13 to 15
Spring lamb, by the piece	5.00 to 6.00
Dressed hogs, per cwt.	10 to 12

Hides and Wool.

Wool, washed, per lb.	20 to 22
Wool, unwashed, per lb.	12 to 14
Hides, No. 1, per lb.	10 to 12
Hides, No. 2, per lb.	9 to 10
Hides, No. 3, per lb.	8 to 9
Calfskins, per lb.	14 to 15
Sheepskins, each	1.00 to 1.40
Tallow, rough, lb.	6 to 7
Tallow, rendered, lb.	5 to 6

Live Stock.

Select hogs, per cwt.	7.00 to 7.50
Slack hogs, per cwt.	5.00 to 5.50
Spring lambs, per lb.	13 to 15
Export cattle, cwt.	4.50 to 5.00
Milk cows, each	20 to 30

Vegetables.

New potatoes, per bu.	90 to 100
Sage, per dozen	20 to 25
Lettuce, per dozen	20 to 25
Raspberries, per dozen	20 to 25
Rhubarb, per dozen	20 to 25
Green onions, per dozen	20 to 25
Cucumbers, per dozen	20 to 25
Peas, per bushel	10 to 12
Beets, per dozen	20 to 25
Carrots, per bushel	20 to 25
Beans, per peck	20 to 25
Tomatoes, per basket	20 to 25
Cauliflowers, per peck	20 to 25
Celery, per dozen	20 to 25
Corn, per dozen	20 to 25
Pickling onions, per quart	10 to 15
Onions, per peck	20 to 25
Vegetable marrow, each	5 to 10
Hubbard squash, each	10 to 15
Gherkins, per hundred	20 to 30

Fruits.

Black currants, quart.	12 to 14
Black currants, 1/2 qt. has.	12 to 14
Red currants, per box	10 to 11
Black raspberries, 10 to 12	
Apples, per bu.	10 to 12
Peaches, 1/2 quart basket	40 to 50
Pears, 1/2 quart basket	40 to 50
Dewberries, 10 to 12	
Apples, per basket	40 to 50
Thimbleberries, 9 to 10	

Milled.

Shorts, wholesale, ton.	22.00 to 23.00
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Old fowl, per lb.	9 to 10
Young ducks, per lb.	9 to 11
Spring chickens, pair	60 to 80

GRAIN.

Toronto, Aug. 19.—The break in flour prices has had no effect as yet upon the wheat market, and there is little change in today's quotations. Oats continue dull, and a good deal of western oats are offering.

Ontario Wheat—No. 2 new winter, 95c to 96c outside.

Manitoba Wheat—No. 1 northern, \$1.20; No. 2 northern, \$1.19; No. 3 northern, \$1.18; on track at lake ports.

Ontario Flour—New, 70c to 75c; 80c, Toronto; freight; Canadian, 75c to 76c, Toronto; freight.

Ontario No. 2 white, 48c, on track at Toronto; No. 2 white, 45c; No. 3 white, 44c; outside; Canada western, No. 2, 44c; No. 2, 43c; outside; Canada western, No. 2, 42c; 47c to 48c on track at Toronto; new Ontario oats, for first shipment, 38c to 39c; outside; 40c to 41c, on track.

Barley—Old stock exhausted; new barley, for first shipment, 55c outside.

Rye—No. 2 nominal, 75c.

Manitoba Flour—Quotations at Toronto: First patent, 45c; second patent, 42c; strong bakers, 40c; for export 90 per cent patent, 32c; Glasgow freight, 3c; Corn—American—New, 70c to 75c; on track at lake ports.

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SUPPLYING LIQUOR TO INDIAN LISTERS

Ira Halliday Is Charged With This Offense.

Information was laid yesterday against Ira Halliday on the charge of supplying liquor to an Indian lister. The man in question has repeatedly been in court, but it was impossible to discover where he had obtained the liquor, until a police officer saw him obtaining it from Halliday.

The large number of listers in the city has encouraged quite a flourishing trade in supplying them, the scale of prices for procuring the liquor is said to run from 5 and 10 cents a bottle upwards. These men are breaking the law in two respects, by selling liquor without a license and selling to Indian listers, and it is likely that they will be severely dealt with.

FOREST COMPANIONS

Woman's Branch of the A. O. F. in Biennial Session.

Toronto, Aug. 18. The High Circle, Companions of the Forest, closed their biennial session this forenoon, and will hold the session of 1911 in Hamilton. Over 150 circles were represented, from British Columbia to Nova Scotia.

The officers elected are: Mrs. Rockwood, Toronto, H. C. C.; Mrs. Steadman, Sarnia, H. S. C.; Mrs. C. Fleischer, Ingersoll, H. M.; Mrs. Jackson, Toronto, H. G.; Mrs. Bockus, of Montreal, H. S.; W. Williams, permanent secretary, and H. C. Wilson, high which the companions are the women branch, hold the same offices in the companions. Mr. Walter Richards, of London, and Mr. H. J. Bobby, Toronto, installed the new officers.

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London and District.

The Alma College board has engaged J. Parnell Morris, of this city, as instructor and director of vocal music.

Meeting Postponed. The hospital trust, which was to have met yesterday afternoon in the mayor's office, postponed, owing to the unavoidable absence of some of its members.

Buried in Woodland. The remains of Henry V. Chase, of Windsor, who died in that place on Sunday last, arrived in the city yesterday and were removed to Woodland Cemetery, where Rev. M. Elliott conducted the service.

Cholera Infantum Victim. Francis Walrick, the infant child of

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Walrick, of 532 York street, died yesterday from cholera infantum, adding another name to the long list of victims to this scourge of childhood. The funeral will take place this afternoon.

Attending Convention. Chief Aitken, of London, and Chief TenEyck, of Hamilton, have gone to Grand Rapids, Mich., where they are attending the annual convention of fire chiefs of America. The Hamilton chief is vice-president of the association for Ontario.

Battery Men Leave. A gun-laying party of nine men from the Sixth Field Battery left last night for Petawawa to attend the annual military artillery camp. On the 25th some sixteen men will follow this detachment to take part in the annual practice. They will use the guns of the permanent force instead of taking their own with them.

Hawkins-Robson. Saturday Sunset, Vancouver, B. C.: An interesting event took place at St. John's Presbyterian Church on the 15th inst., when Mr. Norman H. Hawkins, a prominent artist of this city, and second son of the late E. J. Hawkins, A. M. I. C. E., Victoria, Australia, was married to Miss Alma A. Robson, youngest daughter of the late James Robson, of London, Ont. Rev. A. G. MacGillivray performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins will reside in this city.

Clentree-Cook. A most wedding took place yesterday morning at Waterloo Street Methodist parsonage, Stratford, when Laddie Pearl Cook, of London, was united in marriage to Arthur George Clentree, lately of Regina, but now of Clinton, Rev. D. E. Martin performed the ceremony. They will reside at Clinton on their return from their honeymoon—Stratford Beacon.

Late Mrs. Mutch. The funeral of Mrs. Dorothea Mutch, wife of Mr. Franklin Mutch, of Woodstock, took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Wheeler, of Waterloo street. The ceremony was of a private nature owing to the serious illness of Mr. Mutch. The service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Ketchel, of Hamilton, and the pallbearers were Messrs. John Gibson, S. D. Dulmage, of Toronto; J. A. Mutch, of Detroit; C. E. Wheeler, H. Smith and J. T. Moses.

LOCAL OPTION BEER. Toronto, Aug. 18. — It looks very much as if the hotelkeepers who have been cut off, and have taken out restaurant licenses, can now sell all the local option beer they like on Sundays or any other time, according to the way the case against Abraham Bernstein went in the police court today.

Barnstein has a place of business on York street, and as soon as his counsel, J. W. Murray, K. C., produced the restaurant license the case was dismissed.

"If a person has a restaurant license he can sell food and drink on Sundays as well as any other day," said Inspector Stephens afterwards.

"All there be any other prosecutions," the newspaper inquired.

"I want say anything more," was all the inspector would say.

ATTEMPTED INCEST. Ottawa, Aug. 18.—In police headquarters this morning, Elzear Pol-leaux, aged 30 years, was remanded for a week on a charge of attempted incest, the victim being his daughter, a child of 7 years. The girl is in a critical condition.

LONDON QUOTERS HONOR MR. AND MRS. LEWIS

Visited Hyde Park Yesterday and Made Presentation to a Popular Couple.

The Forest City Quoit Club yesterday visited Hyde Park to pay their respects to Mr. Sam Lewis, of that village, one of the oldest members of the Quoit Club, on the thirtieth anniversary of Mr. Lewis' wedding.

The afternoon was spent in quots, in which Capt. T. E. Robson, president of the club; Dr. Wyckoff, secretary; Robt. Walsh, John Talbot, Sam Lewis, W. Rutledge, P. Mulhall, R. Hennessy and others took part.

A fine luncheon was served the visitors by Mrs. Lewis, and on the completion of the meal, Capt. Robson, on behalf of the Forest City Quoit Club, presented Mr. and Mrs. Lewis with a handsome case of silver knives.

He spoke of the high regard in which Mr. Lewis was held by the members of the club, and of his interest in it. He recalled many fine visits to the home of Mr. Lewis, whose hospitality was unbounded. The quoters of London sent their congratulations and wished him many years of happiness and prosperity.

An Unexpected Kindness. Mr. Lewis made a brief reply in which he thanked the members of the Quoit Club for their unexpected kindness, and hoped that they would make many visits to his place, without, however, considering the question of a gift. He appreciated it to the fullest extent, and it would long be cherished.

Short speeches were made by Dr. Wyckoff, Rev. Dr. Nixon, Hyde Park; Matt Brown, Ald. J. H. Saunders and others.

The evening was spent most enjoyably.

HAVE FLOUR PRICES NOW REACHED LOWEST MARK?

Mr. J. I. A. Hunt Thinks the Best From the West Has Now Been Heard.

The expected drop in flour, which was chronicled in Friday's edition of The Advertiser, became operative as was expected on the 16th, and a day or so ago the local millers dropped their prices 20 per cent. Manitoba flour is now selling at \$5.80 a barrel, instead of \$6.20, and poorer grades in proportion. Mr. J. I. A. Hunt, of Hunt Bros., when seen by an Advertiser reporter, remarked that he had no hesitation in saying that the price had reached its lowest point.

"We have heard the best from the west now," he continued, "and the harvest will soon be commencing, and this will undoubtedly modify our views. I think that this reduction is just what the bakers need, and it is likely that it will fall somewhat below the published reports."

Reduction Justified. Mr. J. C. Middleton, manager of the Lake of the Woods Milling Company, saw in the depleted reserve stock a condition that will prevent the price of flour dropping to any great extent.

"I think that this reduction is justified on the prospects from the western wheat fields," he remarked, "but we must remember that the stock is greatly depleted, and the price will have to be kept up to even matters."

Price of Bread. Local bread men when interviewed regarding the probable effect of the drop in the price of flour on bread prices, were unit in claiming that there was little likelihood of any drop at the present at least. They are all heavily supplied with flour, bought at the old price they say. Western grain will not be on the market for a month yet, and the bakers would not be using it till a month after that.

In any event the drop is not sufficient to warrant a decrease in bread at this time.

LONGWOOD ACTIVITIES HEALTHY BOOM STARTED

The Old Village Is Now Wide Awake—Crops Are Good and Business Brisk.

Longwood, Aug. 18. — As The Advertiser seems to have a large circulation in this place, a few items from here may be interesting to its many readers. Longwood, although an old village, for some unknown reason has never grown much. Surrounded by one of the best farming sections of country to be found anywhere in Ontario, the farms for miles around being up-to-date in class, raising great quantities of hay, grain and live stock of all kinds—a boom has now struck the village, which will doubtless be the means of a large amount of business being done in the future.

Mr. George Dyer, who has kept the general store and hotel here for the last three years, has leased his store to Mr. Lambert, who has put in a large assortment of goods, including almost anything the farmers require, and he is working up a large trade.

Mr. Dyer has leased the hotel to Mr. Kenzie, who has fitted it up as a first-class temperance house, with all the improvements and conveniences that travellers or other patrons may require.

Mr. Charles Lucas, of Middlemiss, is erecting an up-to-date grain house and elevator, and expects to have it completed in a few days. It will cost in the neighborhood of \$2,500, and will have a storing capacity of about 12,000 bushels. Mr. Lucas is a man of ample means, and very popular, and is expected to do a very large business.

The Grand Trunk Railway Company have during the last month repaired and fitted up their large station, and their interests are well looked after here by their popular agent, Mr. James Stewart, who seems to have the facul-

ty of pleasing everybody. The station is always kept in a neat and tidy condition.

Crops Are Good.

Crops around here are good. Hay is fully up to the average. Winter wheat is an extra crop. Many who have threshed their grain report a yield of from 25 to 45 bushels per acre, and the sample No. 1 oats in some fields were on the light side, while many are extra heavy. Barley has not been a heavy crop. Corn, potatoes and roots are looking well, and since the bountiful rain on the 16th, will no doubt show a large yield. The early varieties of apples are a failure. Winter-apples will be an average crop.

Mr. George Dyer, the great potato shipper here, is making every arrangement to handle large quantities of potatoes as soon as they are ready to ship, and is now corresponding with foreign markets as to price and condition of the potato crop in other countries.

POPE PIUS SHOCKED AT ELIOT'S RELIGION

Says It Can Easily Be Refuted and May Publish a Reply To It.

New York, Aug. 19.—A Rome dispatch to the Times says that the address delivered by Charles W. Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard, on July 22, at the Harvard summer school of theology on "The Religion of the Future," has been translated by the Pope's ex-liturgist, Bishop Ryan, of Philadelphia, Bishop McFall, of Trenton, and other American ecclesiastics, who hastened to the defense of their church and faith.

It is believed that a semi-official reply to Dr. Eliot's address on Mass suggested by the Pope himself will appear in the Civiltà Cattolica, the most representative Catholic magazine.

Dr. Eliot outlined his idea of the new religion in substance, in part as follows:

"The new religion will not be based upon authority, either spiritual or temporal; the present generation is ready to be led, but not driven. As a rule the older Christian churches have relied on authority. But there is now a tendency toward liberty and progress and among educated men this feeling is irresistible. In the new religion there will be no personification of natural objects; there will be no edification of remarkable human beings and the faith will not be racial or tribal."

LONG BRANCH SHOOT

Londoners Continue to Win at the Big Turcuney.

Long Branch, Aug. 18.—In the second day's matches at the Ontario Rifle Association meet, Pte. F. E. Weir, of Nelson, B. C., won the honors and high money, in the Bankers' match. Four Ontario men and a Saskatchewan man divided the prize in the Mackenzie match, all making possibilities, and Pte. Bibby, of the Seventy-first Regiment, Frederickton, N. B., and Pte. Patterson, of the Oxford Rifles, made bunched the prize money.

Londoners scores: City of Toronto match, Pte. S. McDonnell, Seventh, won \$4; McDonald match, Pte. H. M. Lee, Seventh, won \$4; Pte. F. E. Weir, Seventh, won \$3, and Pte. F. N. Allen, Seventh, \$2. Bankers' match, Major W. A. McCrimmon won \$4; score 60. Mackenzie match, Capt. T. J. Murphy, Seventh, won \$4; score 32. Pte. F. N. Allen same. Tyro, Pte. H. M. Lee, Seventh, won \$3; score 27.

WESTERN MEN WILL BE BIG FIGURES IN EAST

Prominent Turfmen Congregate at Sheephead Bay.

New York, N. Y., Aug. 18. — Western race-horse owners are expected to figure prominently in the racing at Sheephead Bay this fall. Most of them who are now at Saratoga have engaged a room at the bay and will begin shipping their horses there next week. John Sanford, J. E. Seagram, H. G. Dedwell, J. B. Restess, R. L. Thomas, P. T. Chinn and others, who took no part in the spring meetings, will race here, and it is expected that this meeting will be the most important of the season.

THE HANDBOOK MEN.

Toronto, Aug. 18.—Three of the alleged handbook men captured in the police raid Friday last, were convicted in the police court this morning, while a fourth escaped. The convicted men are Wm. Muir, a mantle agent, of 26 1/2 King street east; Thos. Johnston, a barber, of 1347 Queen street east, and Charles W. Varcoe, a grocer, of 103 Shuter street. The case against James Ward, a bartender of 48 King street east, was dismissed. Varcoe was allowed to go on remanded sentence, as he pleaded he took the bets as an agent of Muir only to oblige a friend. In the case of the two other men convicted, Col. Denison consented to grant reserved cases for the higher court. Sentence was deferred for a week.

ATTACKED YOUNG SHAH.

Rome, Aug. 18. — According to advices received here from Teheran, Persia, the recent report of the attempt of the young Shah of Persia to commit suicide really was an attempt to assassinate the boy, made by his father, the deposed shah, who struck his son with a dagger.

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DOWN TO FINALS IN WALKER TROPHY

Results in Ontario Cup and Toronto Trophy Competitions.

The finals in the Walker Trophy, the chief event of the Dominion Bowling Association's tournament, will be played this afternoon at 3 o'clock between J. S. Willison (Canadas), and T. Rennie (Granites). In the unfinished Trophy game, which was stopped on account of darkness in the twelfth end Tuesday evening with the score a tie at 11 points, Tom Rennie defeated R. F. Argles by 15 to 11.

Toronto Trophy—Third Round. Prescott. London. J. A. McGill.....17 C. Abbott.....13

Ontario Cup—Fourth Round. London Thistles. Brantford. Dr. Scott.....15 W. Turnbull.....14

Fifth Round. London Thistles. Granites. Dr. Scott.....14 G. H. Orr.....11

BRYSON KNOCKED OUT ABOVE THE OHIO RIVER

Police Had No Jurisdiction and Scrap Was Held on a Steamer Near Evansville.

Evansville, Ind., Aug. 18. — Joseph Bryson, of Chicago, knocked out Kid Bryson, of Louisville, in the fifth round of a prize fight held last night on a steamer in the Ohio River. The police made no efforts to stop the fight, as they have no jurisdiction on the Ohio River.

ATTELL-STONE FIGHT A FEATURELESS DRAW

Tame Contest Till Eighth When Stone Carried Fight to Champion.

Saratoga, Aug. 18.—Abe Attell, the featherweight champion, and Harry Stone, of New York, fought ten rounds to a draw tonight before the Saratoga Athletic Club. Until the last two rounds, when Stone carried the fight to the champion from bell to bell, it was a tame and featureless exhibition. Two thousand racing men, owners and trainers witnessed the bout.

FOG STOPS RACES

Sonder Yachts Delayed as First Event Was To Be Started.

Marblehead, Mass., Aug. 18. — A sudden heavy fog delayed the continuation of the sonder yacht contests today just as the first race was about to start.

The committee split the fleet today as follows: First division—Alarm, Bandit, Bessie, Demon, Ellen, Sally F., Spokane III and Vlm. Second division—Crooner, Bel, Joyette, Lady, Manchester III, Skeezix, Wag and Wolf.

JACKSON MAY BE IN SOUTHERN.

New Orleans, Aug. 18. — It is said Jackson, Miss., has secured an option on a Southern League club franchise. Citizens are asked to subscribe \$10,000 by Thursday night.

THE THISTLES WON.

The Thistles defeated four rivals from St. Marys yesterday afternoon on the local greens, the scores being:

Thistles. St. Marys.
E. W. MacKee, S. Dunsteth, 20
T. K. Poole, S. Fraleigh, 19
H. H. Kelly, James Maxwell, 20
J. Minnick, John Poole, 20
skip.....11 skip.....20

A. Beal, T. L. Shickler, 20
T. A. Lovelace, A. E. Brown, 12
A. A. Langford, N. Tier, 12
O. H. Gidley, J. W. Baird, 12
skip.....21 skip.....12

J. W. Westervelt, W. E. Andrews, 19
F. O'Brien, C. Brown, 19
A. J. Smith, M. J. Doherty, 19
A. J. McGuffin, S. McCherson, 19
skip.....20 skip.....19

J. M. Underwood, W. A. Lofft, 17
H. M. Peterman, L. Harstone, 17
Mel Hueston, J. Stevenson, 17
W. Govecock, J. M. Adams, 14
skip.....15 skip.....14

Total.....67 Total.....63

THE DUTCHMEN WON.

[Special To The Advertiser.]
Bein, Aug. 18. — Ten rinks of the Brantford Iceheaters were defeated here today, the scores being:

Bein, Brantford.
F. Weaver, J. Rudy, 19
C. Carrick, J. Ogilvie, 19
skip.....23 skip.....8
W. Lawson, J. Miller, 17
skip.....19 skip.....17

J. Veir, A. Pequegnat, 18
skip.....17 skip.....18
L. Morrick, R. Burns, 18
skip.....19 skip.....18

M. Schiedel, W. Miller, 11
skip.....18 skip.....11
E. Wettlaufer, T. Wood, 9
skip.....19 skip.....9

E. Clement, Dr. James, 11
skip.....17 skip.....11
D. Forsyth, D. Watson, 21
skip.....13 skip.....21

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