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PRESENT OF EQUIPMENT.

Art School Board Makes Present to Technical School.

Ten-Room Addition to Victoria Avenue School.

Architect Reports Building Safe Although Not Modern.

At a meeting last night of the Technical Committee it was decided to accept the offer of the Art School directors to hand over, free of cost, the equipment of the old Art School, which was closed by the Board after the city discontinued its annual grant.

Acknowledging the receipt of J. G. Witton's letter of Aug. 30, and statement of furniture and equipment required, would say I had an interview with W. A. Robinson the same afternoon with reference to the immediate requirements of the art section of the Technical School for appliances to be used for teaching the Saturday morning classes, and agreed that I would see Adam Brown and place the matter before him without delay.

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BEACH LANDS.

Cottage Holders Will Meet the Beach Commissioners.

A very large representation of Beach leaseholders met last night at the Royal Hamilton Yacht Club. As was announced in yesterday's Times the object was to discuss the question of asking the Government for deeds of the property they hold, or a 99-year lease in order that they may be able to dispose of the property if they so desired.

MORRIS SUIT.

Order of Master in Chambers Struck Out.

Chief Justice Meredith yesterday morning at Toronto directed that the order of the Master in Chambers requiring particulars to be furnished of the bribery charges made by R. S. Morris, of Hamilton, against the Hamilton City Council, in connection with the contract with the Hydro-Electric Power Commission, to be struck out, so far as it relates to the specifying of the form and manner of the representations which are alleged to have been made.

DOES THINGS.

J. Walter Gage Having a Big Sale at Ingersoll.

Warden J. Walter Gage, who has conducted many successful and satisfactory land sales, is announcing one to take place at Ingersoll on Labor Day. His new survey there is named Kensington Park, and its opening is to be the occasion of a fine function, in which the Mayor and aldermen, the Dufferin Rifles' Band and several prominent people will take part.

STOP TORTURES.

Tangier, Morocco, Sept. 3.—Mulai Hafid, the Sultan of Morocco, has promised the French consul at Fez that he will cause to be discontinued the cruel tortures recently inflicted by his soldiers upon rebellious Moors who were led captive into Fez.



H. C. F. WILLARD, Whose aeroplane fell into Lake Ontario, near Toronto last night.

MORE HOTELS; FEWER BARS.

Those Are the Objects of the Citizens' Committee.

Three-Plank Platform Adopted at Last Night's Meeting.

Officers Elected and the Campaign Will Now Begin.

Reduce the number of barrooms. Enforce the law. Good civic government.

These three planks constitute the platform which was adopted last night at an enthusiastic meeting of the Citizens' Campaign Committee.

The campaign is now on, and will be waged with vigor until the last vote is polled four months hence.

The committee has secured headquarters at 39 James street south, and there the meeting was held last night.

The object was to elect officers and prepare for organization. The officers chosen were:

President—Mr. Wm. Yates, of the London Machine Tool Company.

First Vice-President, Geo. H. Lees, of G. H. Lees Co., wholesale jewelers.

Second Vice-President—Henry Banwell, of Banwell Hoxie Wire Fence Co.

Third Vice-President—Ald. T. S. Morris.

Treasurer—Dr. Crawford.

Eric Bower was elected Secretary and Organizer at a meeting held some weeks ago. He will take up his office at the headquarters on James street on Tuesday next.

The meeting unanimously decided to concentrate their efforts on the election of aldermen favorable to more hotels and fewer barrooms, and not to undertake a plebiscite.

A long, lively discussion took place on the question of endorsing candidates for Board of Control. Some favored endorsing three, others, four. It was finally left with a committee to make nominations of strong candidates, and call a meeting of workers from all the wards to select and endorse candidates.

Big Contract For Hamilton

Westinghouse Company Gets a \$200,000 Job at Winnipeg.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 2.—The City Council this afternoon awarded the contract for transformers, switching and protective apparatus of the new power plant on Winnipeg River to the Canadian Westinghouse Company, Hamilton. The contract price is one hundred and thirty thousand dollars. Members of the power board will visit the Hamilton works to arrange details, at an early date.

The Westinghouse Company confirmed the above despatch today, and stated that the value of the contract is over \$200,000.

THE 2 T'S TWO WEDDINGS.

Two salesmen of the firm of Trudell & Tobey, well-known Chatham and Hamilton haberdashers, will be married next Wednesday. The wedding of Mr. Hugh Tobey, of the local branch, to Miss Helen Morrison, Innes avenue, is announced for Wednesday, as is that of Mr. Frank Armstrong, head salesman for the Hamilton branch, to Miss Edna Banks Green, to take place on Wednesday afternoon at Belleville.—Chatham Banner.

HIT ON THE HEAD.

Kingston, Ont., Sept. 3.—George Peters, laborer at Davis & Company's tannery, was struck on the head by a falling pulley and knocked senseless, but the doctors say he will recover.

CHINESE FINED.

Kingston, Ont., Sept. 3.—Ten Chinese were each fined \$3 and costs this morning in police court for failing to pay the recently levied fifty dollar laundry tax. They pleaded they had not the money and would have to go out of business.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES

To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills, silver and other valuables. TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.

NO LIGHT ON THE MYSTERY.

Many Rumors About Ethel Manning But No News.

Story of Brother Being Held For Ransom Is Denied.

Search Has Been Constant But Without Any Success.

Prolonged searching by organized parties for the missing Ethel Manning meet with failure. The police of every city and town on the continent have been asked to aid in the search, but so far not the slightest clue of her whereabouts has been discovered.

Local detectives have traced up every theory suggested, only to be confronted with a hopeless outlook, and their present perspective is not at all encouraging. When interviewed to-day the relatives of the girl could furnish nothing new.

Mrs. Manning, mother of the girl, said she had a strong presentiment that she could not shake off, that the girl had been murdered and thrown in the sea, but such an idea seemed preposterous, and it would be very difficult, if not impossible, to take a body to the lake without being observed by somebody, even if it were in the night time.

Frank King stands firm by his story of seeing her behind the crematory with a man, on Monday.

The rumor of two hours elapsed from the time she left the house until she arrived at Durrance's grocery store seems without foundation, as Mrs. Hulme's daughter, who lives directly opposite, was the only girl who saw her leave the house for the store. It was then after two o'clock in the afternoon, and she was in Durrance's store between two and three o'clock.

Miss Olive Maxwell, 157 Macaulay street east, was sitting in front of her house on Sunday afternoon and saw a man loitering the whole afternoon in front of the house where the girl lived. She also saw him dodge behind a post when anybody came out from 168. Miss Maxwell describes the man, from whom she could see of him, as he kept his back to her all the time, as rather short, wearing a dark suit and dark fedora hat. He also had a moustache, she thinks. His appearance was not very smart; in fact, it was inclined to create the impression the man was of a rough sort.

Perhaps the most sensational rumor of all is that when Mrs. Swan, sister of the lost girl, was living in a city in the States last year, her little boy, Jack, was kidnapped by some man and held in ransom for \$500. When asked if there were any truth in the matter the mother said there was not, and it was the first she had heard of it. She had no idea where such a story started, as she intimated it was ludicrous in the extreme. However, the rumor has become current around the district, and many think that for some unexplainable motive the girl has been lured away or kidnapped, by a man from the States.

The man who remarked to Samuel White, 158 Macaulay street east, about the fine looking girls in the district, is supposed to be a house agent, as he went into a near-by empty house. He was a tall, dark man, well dressed, and of a decided foreign appearance. That was yesterday week, the 20th of August.

Mrs. Quigley, 479 Wellington street north, who told the story of a girl and boy calling at her house at different times, was taken to where Mrs. Swan lives, to see the boy, and immediately identified him as the one, entirely corroborating her story of the girl seen with the man behind the crematory building on Monday afternoon.

Another feature not before brought to light is that when the girl went in the store to telephone she informed her sister it did not matter about hurrying home. That might tend to suggest that she had some premeditated plans prior to returning to the home.

The still popular theory is, the girl has been lured away, and is a victim of the white slave business.

Quite a number think she may yet be locked up in some room in the city. The mother is heart-broken over the incident, and can account for it in no way, as she says the girl had not one enemy, for all who knew her loved her.

MONTREAL JEWS

To Raise Funds to Open a Jewish Orphanage.

Montreal, Que., Sept. 3.—There are now close on to 30,000 Jews in Montreal, and they are making their influence felt in all walks of life. Last night a mass meeting of various Jewish congregations and organizations was held to take steps looking to the provision of a Jewish orphanage of a national character, which will care for children of Jews from all parts of Canada. In view of this, appeals for funds will be made to the Jews living in other Canadian cities.

CHILD BURNED.

Spark From Stove Set Fire to Toronto Girl's Dress.

Toronto, Sept. 3.—Louise Robin, the 11-year-old daughter of Thomas Robin, was assisting her mother in getting a meal ready, when a charcoal spark from the stove set fire to her dress. The child, with her dress aflame, ran out into the back yard, followed by her mother, who threw her to the ground and with the aid of a neighbor, Samuel Barber, beat the flames out. The child is badly burned, but will recover. Mrs. Robin and Mr. Barber both sustained burns to their hands.

Many Have Returned.

Many of our customers have returned from their summer homes, who find many tempting things added to our already large and varied stock of staple and fancy groceries. To-morrow will find us amply supplied with everything you can think of in the eatable line. Many kinds of imported and domestic cheese, chickens, ducks, squabs, vegetables and fruit of all kinds. Your early order will be appreciated.—Bain & Adams.

ASKS \$10,000 DAMAGES.

Clara Burden has entered action against the Hamilton & Dundas Railway for damages for injuries received as the result of an accident which occurred some time ago. While riding from Dundas the car ran off the track, and in the accident she had some ribs broken and her spine injured. She thinks the company is responsible, and instructed her solicitors, Messrs. Kerr & Thomson, to issue a writ for \$10,000 damages.



T. FLEMING, Instructor of the Police life-saving class.

THE MAN IN OVERALLS

Surely Chairman Allan does not intend to discharge the men on the Board of Works before fixing up the Jolley Cut. The road is both dangerous and a disgrace. There should be some way of compelling the city to fix it up.

If the Coal Oil Inlet is a navigable stream, as it may be made a fashionable bathing resort, the city should insist on having riparian rights over it.

I admire Dr. Roberts for speaking the thing he thinks. I wish some of the others had his backbone.

Then again those incendiary and fiery speeches of Allan Studholme may not be devoid of all connection in aiding the Fire Fiend to get in its work at the Queen's Park.

Liberal convention in Toronto next week. Who are the enthusiasts that will represent Hamilton?

Call around at the Times office when you have a minute to spare and admire the up-to-date fixings and embellishments of the business office. We are not proud, but we are pleased.

New story next week. A good 'un. No doubt the new Grand Trunk station will be a Grand affair.

Thinking as I do on the matter, Mr. Jelfs has a notion to raise the fine on the over-speedy chauffeur.

Some people think that that Parliament House fire was a judgment on Whitney and his unholy crew. Wouldn't wonder.

The corner of Charles and Main streets may be an ideal spot, as a contemporary says, for the new Public Library, but it is certainly not a central site.

Now hear the Toronto Mail and Empire blame the Grits for firing the Parliament buildings.

Is this Indian list law another of Whitney's bungles? Rather than have all this fighting and quarrelling about building an isolation hospital, I would build one myself—if I could afford it.

Is Dr. Cook, the explorer, any relation to the late lamented Capt. Cook, the explorer?

I am glad to hear that Jim Livingston has given up the last option fight. We were getting rather tired of it ourselves.

Gordon Wilson is mentioned in despatches as doing heroic work at the Parliamentary fire. I suppose, as usual, he threw cold water upon the proceedings.

Now let us have a few more resolutions and preambles from the Female Anti-Suffragette Society. There seems to be a lull in the conversation just now.

That joke about the North Pole and the Scotchman sitting on the top of it will now have to be gathered to its fathers.

Lord Beresford being an old salt, it may be as well to take his speeches with a grain of salt.

Whitney must have been neglecting his fire drill.

\$200,000 ON ROAD WORK

Is the Plan Laid Out For Next Year.

Arrangements to be Made With Street Railway at Once.

This Year's Inter-Track Work Below the Estimate.

The Board of Works on Tuesday night will appoint a special committee to confer with the Street Railway Company this fall about the new construction and road work to be undertaken next spring. The city officials are quite satisfied that the company will continue the policy pursued this year, when it renewed the tracks on James and Barton streets, until the entire system has been reconstructed. Chairman Allan estimates that the road work the city has mapped out for next year will cost about \$200,000. This includes the paving of James street north from Stuart street; York street west from Queen to the cemetery chapel; King street, west from Bay street to Marguerite, and Cannon street from MacNab to Wellington. Some of the aldermen are talking of asking the company to consider the matter of extensions next year. It is not thought, however, that any extensions will be made until the old part of the system has been rebuilt.

Chairman Allan announced to-day that he had enough money in sight, \$3,500, to proceed with the paving of King avenue from King to Main streets. The Finance Committee voted \$5,000 for paving John street from Hurter to Main street, and Park to King street. At the next council meeting Chairman Allan will ask permission to spend the \$3,500.

The Board of Works to-day received from the Street Railway Company an account for \$9,500, the city's share of the concrete work between the rails. This is much lower than the estimate. The city insisted on a guarantee that the work would not cost more than \$3.85 a yard, and it actually cost about 10 per cent less.

Two vital resolutions were adopted by the Ontario Municipal Association at their closing session yesterday. It was decided to ask for legislation to provide that no municipal franchise should be granted involving the use of public streets without the submission of the question to a vote of the electors. The association also decided to ask for legislation making it obligatory upon municipal councils to give effect to the majority vote of the people on all questions submitted to them. The association also favored the passage of a general act under which municipalities might adopt the commission method of government.

Mayor Geddes, of St. Thomas, was elected President, and City Solicitor Washburn and City Clerk Krue, of Hamilton, were appointed to the Executive Committee.

The city some time ago purchased from Thomas Wilson, 22 Wentworth street north, a piece of property for \$200, and opened an alley through from Barton to Cannon street. Thirty property owners who were benefitted were assessed on the local improvement plan. Twelve of them yesterday appeared before the Court of Revision and appealed against the assessment. The court, however, confirmed it.

The damage done at the Beach pumping plant by the breaking of the main shaft of one of the 2,500-gallon pumps will be repaired by Tuesday, it is expected, and the pump will be in commission early next week.

The following building permits were issued to-day: C. W. Stephenson, brick house on Homewood avenue, between Locke and Garth streets, \$2,000.

George Tait, frame house, corner of Gilkinson and Hilyard streets, \$700. G. W. Hogarth, brick addition to house corner of Hunter street and West avenue, \$1,200.

The Board of Education this afternoon will inspect the new Technical School.

HAND CUT OFF.

Painful Accident at the Merritt Mill Yesterday.

Edward Roberts, a young Englishman employed at the Merritt Brothers basket factory and mill, near Woodburn, met with a very painful accident yesterday. He was cleaning one of the carriers underneath a circular saw, and in some way which he could not explain had his left hand cut clean off above the wrist by coming in contact with the saw. No one else was near at the time, and the first the other employees knew of it was when Roberts walked out and said, "Boys, my hand is off." He was hurried to a doctor and attended to.

As Roberts is about 18 years of age, and lived with the Merritts. Those in the mill say there was no reason why he should have been close to the saw.

RURAL REPRESENTATIVES.

At the Ontario Municipal Association meeting in Toronto on Wednesday and yesterday, Messrs. J. W. Jardine and Reeve Lawson, of Dundas, were present for the local rural district. Owing to business affairs, J. Walter Gage, warden of the county, was unable to be present, as was also the case with Mayor Lawson, of Dundas. Mr. J. Jardine was re-elected to preside over the rural representatives of the Province, and Messrs. Gage and Lawson were appointed on the Executive Committee.

Saturday Tobacco Bargains.

Old Chum and cut T. & B. for 8c; King's Navy 7c; Bobs chewing and Empire smoking 8c; T. & B. bright plug 10c; Black Watch chewing 3 plugs for 25c, at peace's cigar store, 107 King street east.



F. A. ACLAND, Deputy Minister of Labor, who is in Nova Scotia studying the strike of the miners.

SCHOOL FOR BEACHERS.

Van Wagner School Closed Against Beach Children

And Parents Have Been Given Some Little Anxiety.

Commissioners Hope to Make Announcement To-morrow.

There has been some little anxiety among the permanent residents of the Beach about school accommodation for their children. A diversity of interests in the control of Beach affairs has led to the closing of the Van Wagner School to Beach children. Salfest controls the school and the Beach Commission controls the sand strip. The two bodies have not got along very harmoniously together and when the school opened two or three weeks ago the open door was not for Beach children.

The prospect of having to send their children to the city, paying non-resident fees and Radial railway fares, was not relished by the parents of bunches of children of the school age. One father figured out that to send his four to the city would cost \$11 a month.

The worry, however, will soon be over. Beach Commissioner Van Allen informed the Times this morning that the Commission had already seen the difficulty and was taking steps to make suitable provision for the Beach children.

"How soon do you expect to have it settled?" "I think we will complete arrangements to-day, and be able to make an announcement to-morrow so that the children can go to school on Tuesday."

HE JUMPED.

Squire Howarth Injured on Barton Street Yesterday.

Frightened by the firing of a fuse in the controller box, Squire Howarth, Belmont avenue, Crown Point, thought the street car he was on had got beyond control, so he jumped from where he was standing on the back of the car into a deep ditch, which was a few feet from the car tracks, near the Trolley street crossing.

He was picked up stunned and bleeding and taken to the surgery of Dr. Glendinning, Crown Point, where his injuries were attended to. He was afterwards taken to the City Hospital, but after further examination it was found his injuries were not so serious as they were at first supposed to be. At the time Howarth jumped the car was running at full speed, and he jumped thinking it to be the wisest plan. To-day he is doing fairly well at the City Hospital.

THE LAST ONE.

Labor Day will be the last summer holiday this year. The Hamilton Steamboat Company is preparing to carry the large number of citizens who intend visiting the Queen City on the holiday. Special service will be given with the fine steamers Macassa and Modjeska. The following time table will be in effect on Monday, September 6th. The Modjeska will leave Hamilton 8.00 a. m., 2.15 p. m. and 8.15 p. m. Toronto, 11 a. m., 5.30 and 11.15 p. m. Macassa leaves Hamilton 11.00 a. m. and 10.15 p. m. Toronto 8.00 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. The fare for the round trip is 50c, good returning until Monday, September 13th. The Modjeska leaving here at 8.00 a. m. will be in time for those who wish to witness or take part in the Labor Day parade.

AT LAKE MEDAD.

The ice cream social at the residence of William Wilson, near Lake Medad, in aid of the McLaren Auxiliary of Knox Church, Waterdown, last night drew a large number of the members and their friends from all parts of the country. A good time was spent by all. The programme was much enjoyed. The committee in charge are deserving of much credit for the able way in which they attended to the wants of all.

Moonlight Sail.

Every night during Toronto Exhibition via steamer Turbina, leaving Hamilton 5.30 p. m. Returning, leave Toronto 8 p. m. on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday; 10.30 p. m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. This late trip, at 10.30 p. m., gives the excursionists an opportunity to view Exhibition fireworks. Round trip only 50c. The street railway will have cars to meet all late boats, with no extra night fare charge.

Advertising Rates

Are too high to permit us to use space to tell you this interesting story of the collection of spices, but we can tell you that our spices are selected from the best sources, and that they are always satisfactory. We carry all kinds of select spices. Send us your orders.—Parke & Parke, druggists.

DAMAGE OF FULLY \$200.

Foreman Nelligan's Estimate of Injury by Traction Engine.

Charles Brown, of Oakville, Fined \$20 This Morning.

William Ferguson Admits the Assault on Young Coates.

This morning's Police Court was delightfully short. Four dog cases, an assault case and a theft, and a breach of by-law, made up the list.

There's an ice man in trouble. Two charges are registered against his name, which is William Ferguson, and his address is 478 James street north.

Some few weeks ago, it is alleged, he assaulted James Coates, a 14-year-old boy, by nearly choking him. It was necessary to take the boy to the doctor's. The alleged assault took place near the Franklin House, King street west, and was fully reported in the Times when it occurred.

"Fergy," who is popularly known, drives an ice wagon, when at liberty, but until to-morrow he will be a visitor at the residence of one Ogilvie. He pleaded guilty to the charge of assault.

In the other charge, it is alleged that in November last, 1908, he did unlawfully steal a quantity of iron, and one pair of field glasses, the property of one William Davenport. He pleaded not guilty, but admitted being in company with the man who did the stealing. He elected to be tried before His Worship, and was remanded till to-morrow.

"Fergy" was arrested this morning at 8 o'clock, while delivering the consolidated water.

From Wellington street to Victoria avenue, on the south side of Barton street, indentations have been made in the asphalt, and "you could put your little finger in them," said Chief Smith. "About \$200 damage is done to the road," said Ward Foreman M. D. Nellis. It was because he was accused of making the indentations that Charles Brown, of Oakville, appeared. He was driving a traction engine down Barton street east, last night, and the youthful officer P. C. Campaign, junior, summoned him for a breach of the city by-law, for destroying the asphalt. The defendant confessed ignorance of the law. Foreman Nelligan said the water getting in the depressions would rot the asphalt.

The Magistrate thought he was letting Charles down easily, by fining him \$20.

By the look on Charles' face, he thought otherwise.

There better than many canines had not been born, for it hath repeatedly been proven that they are expensive pets, and His Worship thinks unnecessary ones. But the dog's propensities are swelling the city treasury daily.

Four Johns had dogs with Bohemian propensities, which they were allowed to indulge in yesterday, whereat John Phin, John Dale, John Muldoon and John Will-gress each paid \$2.

ITS LAST DAY.

Maple Leaf Park Will Close With a Big Day.

Maple Leaf Park will close for the season on Labor Day and the management is arranging for special features to make the closing one that the patrons will remember for a time. On Labor Day afternoon a big bicycle meet will be held and riders from Toronto and other outside points will compete along with the best local riders. Special attractions are being arranged for the closing night. The South Wentworth Fair will be held at the park the latter part of this month, and the directors promise something in the way of a treat during the two days. A meeting of the creditors' committee, which has charge of the affairs of the park, will be held Monday to settle up the legal trouble which some of the employees of the former manager have stirred up.

WAS REFUSED.

Mrs. Dewey Applied For Injunction to Restrain Sale.

Chief Justice Meredith at Toronto yesterday morning refused the motion of J. H. Spence on behalf of Mrs. Carrie Amanda Dewey, of Hamilton, for an injunction to restrain the sale of her property at 218 Herkimer street under a mortgage for \$2,000 assigned to Miss Elizabeth Gillies, stenographer in the office of Mr. O'Heir. But leave is granted to file further material and renew the motion. Mrs. Dewey is the wife of Daniel R. Dewey, former president of the Dewey & O'Heir Ice and Fuel Company, Limited, of which she is half owner. Her application to wind up the company was dismissed, and judgment was placed in the sheriff's hands for costs of these proceedings, and of an action taken to set aside a transfer from her to her son Tracey Dewey, who reconveyed the property to her. Miss Gillies brought action against F. S. Dewey, Tracey F. Edna, Gladys, Carrie A. and Daniel R. Dewey, for possession of the premises, and the property is threatened to be sold on September 4. Mrs. Dewey says her husband is ill as a result of the litigation, and she has no other place to which to take him. An action is pending in the Court of Appeal, brought by the O'Heir family against her, on a guarantee that her husband would not enter into ice or coal business in Hamilton for ten years.

AT. R. MCKAY & CO'S., SATURDAY, SEPT. 4, 1909

First Showing of the New Fall Styles Early Choosing is Always the Most Acceptable

Grand Array of Saturday Specials

Selected From Our New Autumn Importations Sharp at 8.30 to-morrow morning the store places on sale many grand specials selected from the new Autumn importations.

75 Women's Sample Fall Suits at \$6.95 They represent the sample models of Tailored Suits, made to sell at a much higher price...

Now Come and Get Your New Fall Suit and Dress Length Sharp at 8.30 on Sale 25 Pieces New Fall Suitings, Worth Regular \$1.00, Sale Price 50c Yard

Final Clearance of Summer Goods Wash Suits \$1.98 On Saturday morning at nine o'clock we will offer any Wash Suit in our stock at \$1.98.

Swell 50-inch Two-Tone Stripe Suitings, Per Yard 75c Very smart Suiting Material for stylish fall and winter suits; come in very effective two-tone stripe effects; very special Saturday 75c yard

Cloth Skirts \$1.49 50 Skirts to offer at above price. They are worth from \$4.00 to \$5.00 and splendid assortment of styles and colors.

New Corduroys for Children's Suits, Worth Regular 50c, Sale Price Saturday 39c Yard On sale brown, myrtle, grey, red and cream; just the thing for children's fall and winter coats or dresses; on sale to-morrow per yard 39c

Special Saturday Sale of New Hosiery and Underwear

Ladies' Fall Weight Underwear 25c Ladies' White Vests and Drawers, extra finish, fall weight Vests; long sleeve, high neck, buttoned front; Drawers ankle length, special 25c

\$3 Waists for 98c We will put on sale Saturday morning 10 dozen only of Raw Silk Waists, traveler's samples, in brown, navy, green and cardinal, made jumper style, etc.

\$5 Net Waists for \$2.49 White and Eru Net Waists, made over silk slip and trimmed with linsing, director's sleeves, collar and cuffs edged with lace, all sizes, worth regular \$5.00, Saturday sale price \$2.49

Regular \$1 and \$1.25 Mode Veils for Saturday 49c Each 5 dozen new full mode Veils on sale to-morrow at a price for quick selling, in plain net and chenille spots, all shades in the lot, out they go at, each 49c

Specials in the Whitewear Dept.

35c Corset Covers for 19c Dainty Corset Covers, made of fine nainsook, Valenciennes yoke, all sizes, worth regular 35c, Saturday's sale price 19c

Drawers for 19c Fine White Cambric Drawers, made with deep tucked frill, Saturday's sale price only 19c

75c Drawers for 49c Children's Colored Print Dresses, made Buster style, sizes 2 to 5 years, in blue, pink and linen color, worth regular 95c, Saturday's sale price 49c

Regular 50c New Elastic Belts for Saturday 39c Each On sale in ivory, brown, green, mauve, sky and black. By a special purchase from a leading Belt manufacturer enables us to place on sale to-morrow the above lot.

500 Yards Fancy Silk 59c Yd., Worth \$1 and \$1.25 To-morrow we will offer on clearing sale over 500 yards of fancy French Silks, all smart effects and pretty colorings for waists and dresses.

Special Sale Black Beau-de-Soie 59c 400 yards of this specially purchased Silk to be cleared to-morrow, French Beau-de-soie, with nice finish, medium weight for coats and dresses. Every yard perfect. Regular 75c yard, clearing sale price 59c

Corsets 49c, Regular 75c For Saturday we put on sale a special line of straight front Corsets, made of fine white Batiste, with medium bust and long hip and back, whose supporters attached at front, sizes 18 and 26, regular 75c, for Saturday 49c

Corsets 79c, Regular \$1.25 A special line of straight front Corsets, made of fine quality white Coutil, with medium bust, long hip and the new long back, steel filled and guaranteed perfect fitting. Hose Supporters attached at front and hip, sizes 18 to 26, regular \$1.25 for Saturday's sale 79c

2c yd. Remarkable Sale of Odd Laces 2c yd. Sharp at 8.30 on sale 300 yards of Insertions and Galons, in lovely fine qualities, suitable for trimmings, in white, cream and black, worth regularly up to 25c yard, sale price only 2c yard

New Torchon Laces and Insertions, 3 Yards for 10c Just passed into stock a grand range of new Torchon Laces and Insertions and priced Saturday, for quick selling, worth regular 3c yard, Saturday sale price 3 yards for 10c

R. MCKAY & Co.

Black Bees-Wax. The black wax of Burmah, one learns from a note in Nature, is made by a small wild bee of the genus megarhona (M. leucophaea). This bee has nests in hollow trees, and forms a peculiar trumpet-shaped entrance to its hive. It is very commonly found in the kanyin trees in which large holes are made in tapping them for resin.

Love Finds the Way

CHAPTER LXVI. To return to the Hall. With the messengers rushing about in every direction, the women weeping and wailing over the body of Lady Melville, and Clarence in a dull stupor of grief by her side, Claude Ainsley had need of all his presence of mind. As for Sir Ralph he could do nothing more than endeavor to console Lillian, who stood gazing first at Clarence and then at the motionless form which the servants were raising in their arms to be carried upstairs. To the young girl this fresh trouble seemed more bitter than the first, for was not the man she loved in sorrow and absolute peril? "Oh, papa, let me cry!" she said, in answer to his entreaties that she should cease weeping and come with him. "Don't you see that my heart would break for him if it were not for these tears? Leave him! No! He did not leave us in our trouble and I will not leave him. You do not want me to go, do you, Clarence?" she asked. "Yes, go," he said, starting and turning his face away from her pleading eyes. "Take her, sir; I am not fit to be near her. Do you forget what I am?" Sir Ralph shook his head gravely and colored. "Heaven help us all," he said. "I have just heard that you are my own nephew and owner of the title and estates I hold."

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 To the Editor of the Times:
 Sir—Here we are again in this bustling great city, the metropolis of the universe, after the pleasantest voyage we have ever experienced. Three years ago in a letter I told you of our striking a Scotch traveler during a fog in the Firth of Clyde; last year of the thrilling rescue of two fishermen in a small boat in the middle of the ocean during a storm at sea. This year there was nothing of much interest to record, save the large quantity of ice; never saw such bergs, and so large, so beautiful; as we came up three passed by, assuming all sorts of fantastic shapes, and colored by the imagination they were a sight worth beholding. On arrival here, the first thing for a Canuck to do is to call at the Canadian Commissioner's office and register. Other years we have always met and had a chat with our representative, Lord Strathcona. He is away in Canada at present, so we left a picture of the school named after him, with our compliments, and there is no doubt he will send us his photo to place in it. One of the advantages of calling at this office and making yourself known, is you get the entire to a lot of places of interest that the ordinary Londoner could never get within a mile of, except by strong wire-pulling. The first day there probably comes to your hotel tickets of admission to the House of Commons and the House of Lords; the next day there will be tickets of entry to the King's mews, or stables, and for lovers of horses and their appointments this is a privilege very much enjoyed. In these stables are 120 magnificent horses of various breeds, saddles and harnesses used by the royal family and their equerries. Every horse is named after some famous place, battle or individual. The most interesting of all the bunch are the eight beautiful cream horses used only once a year to drive their Majesties in the state coach to the House of Commons. The stables are fine, lofty buildings, sanitary in every way. There is a large separate room for the harness, there being separate sets for each pair of horses and everything to match and in unison. There are thousands of pounds in value represented here. The other all of interest; but the most interesting object of all is the state coach itself. It is 148 years since it was first used by one of the Georges. It weighs over four tons, is 24 feet long; when the eight horses are attached it is 111 feet in length, and it is most polite and agreeable in showing one around. Every day almost there comes a ticket of admission to some interesting spot, so remember, Mr. traveler, and call at the Canadian Commissioner's office and register, or you will miss many pleasant experiences. We arrived in Liverpool just an hour before the Lucania was burnt, and saw her lying at the dock; saw the Mauretania also pull out for America. All the return boats are crowded with passengers. Wise is the man who had booked his berth beforehand, for there are hundreds waiting to return, so saveable berth to wait. I was one of the unwise ones who took the chance, and had it not been for some exceptional advantages a merchant possesses for pulling wires, we, too, would have been left. Met a very interesting personality at the hotel here; a very clever, entertaining Irishman, Mr. A. S. Lough, J. P., of County Cavan, and one of twelve members of the Board of Agriculture appointed by the Government to inquire into agricultural interests in Ireland, with a view to their betterment. He had met the late Hon. John Dryden, the applicant of the Canadian Government on this question, and thought very highly of him. He is very optimistic about Ireland, and from his account of things the darkness is disappearing, daylight is breaking and brighter days are in store. Two-thirds of the tenants are now small land-holders, and on the most favorable terms. Where they used to pay twenty pounds a year for their holdings, they now pay only sixteen pounds, and this money goes towards paying for the property, so that in forty-eight years the property becomes theirs absolutely. There is this advantage, too, that any improvement put on goes to their credit, and this will naturally create a spirit of independence never before possible. Each holder is allowed 20 Irish acres. This is equal to 30 English acres, and will make a fair living for any family. You say what about recent agrarian outrages? Well, while there is a little truth, it is mostly exaggerated newspaper report. There is about one-third of pasture land the owners refuse to sell; the people are determined they will sell, and a few inexcusable outrages have taken place;

but the Government has taken a firm stand, and legislation is being enacted now to settle the thing for all time. In the meantime things are quiescent. In travelling around one sees the commercial side of life. I went into one of these aerated bread companies the other day to rest and get a cup of tea and a roll. That, you know, is a common thing here. On the other side of the store sat an old chap munching away, and really seemed as if his nose went into his eyes and his chin down on his chest; and what a mouth! really it was comical and grotesque. One couldn't help laughing, and yet you felt sorry. It put us in mind of a story of a noted lawyer down south, who had a physical defect in the shape of a very large mouth. This lawyer had in the witness box a Georgia backwoodsman whom he was examining. During the examination witness stated a certain thing was a non-possibility. Quick as a flash the lawyer asked him if he would explain to his Honor the Judge, and to this intelligent jury what non-possibility meant. "Yes, pard," answered witness, "I will explain, and will illustrate, for instance, it would be a non-possibility to make your mouth any larger without putting your ears further back."
 Now, Mr. Editor, there are so many interesting things to write about, such as the suffragette movement, the German "bugaboo," which was mostly newspaper rot—and what a letter one could write on the subject of the streets of London and so many other things almost inexhaustible; but your readers are not, neither is the writer, so, au revoir. From, very respectfully yours,
 Chas. G. Booker.
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THE FARM
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 Dominion Dept. of Agriculture Branch of the Dairy and Cold Storage Commissioner.
 In visiting members of cow testing associations, organized by the dairy division, Ottawa, the inspectors are sometimes met with this statement by those farmers who are inclined to drop weighing and sampling: "I haven't got the time."
 In scarcely any instance can this be considered correct. Evidence from farmers the whole Dominion over shows cow testing to be one of the best time-saving organizations ever introduced. Why? Because it shows definitely that many men have wasted precious time on cows that do not produce enough milk and fat to pay the cost of feed. Thus, the very men who say they have "no time" to take up cow testing are the very men who unconsciously waste thousands of valuable hours. There is time, apparently, amongst the unthinking class of farmers for attending to thousands of profitless cows. With a herd of twenty unselected cows (out of which probably three are not making any profit) it would take the small total of twenty hours during the whole year, spread over three days each month, to keep such simple records as would enable the owner to select with certainty the most economical producers. Why waste time year after year on cows that average about 14 lbs. of milk per day for seven months, when a few minutes per month, plus a little brain power, will materially assist in building up a profitable herd?
 C. F. V.
 Ottawa, August, 1909.
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GRENFELL BOAT
 REPORTED LOST, BUT DOCTOR THOUGHT TO BE SAFE.
 Whole Crew Believed to Have Perished—Fishing Boat Hauled Up a New Log Line and Buoyed it Near Spot.

St. John's, Nfld., Sept. 2.—Information received here gives meagre details of the loss of a yacht said to be connected with the mission work of Dr. Grenfell. Last evening the inspector-general of police received a message from St. Anthony saying that the steamer Prospero (Capt. Kean) brought news of the supposed wreck of a steam yacht from New York, near the entrance to St. Anthony.
 It is believed that all on board perished.
 It is supposed to be the yacht that was given Dr. Grenfell for missionary purposes.
 A fishing boat hauled up a new log line and got it buoyed near the scene to mark the spot where the ship went down.
 Further news is expected on the arrival of the Prospero on Friday.
 It is hardly likely that Dr. Grenfell himself would be on the boat, as he always travels on the Strathcona, a yacht that was given him some years ago by Lord Strathcona. The yacht mentioned in the despatch is an American one, given him at New York. His headquarters, however, are at St. Anthony, where the wreck is reported from. About three weeks ago he left to return to the Labrador coast, after delivering lectures at Yale and Harvard Colleges on his work.
 The Andrew J. McCosh, a memorial to Dr. Andrew J. McCosh of Princeton, left New York last June to be used by Dr. Wilfred T. Grenfell as an emergency hospital boat on the Labrador coast. The yacht is fitted up with an auxiliary engine, but it was the intention to have her proceeded under canvas whenever it was possible.
 DEAD AT AGE OF 124.
 Joe Coture, of Owen Sound, is No More—Was Giant in Strength.
 Owen Sound Sun: Joe Coture is dead. And in his death Owen Sound loses one of its best-known figures. He was a giant frame, and strength consistent with his size, he was a conspicuous figure, whether on the streets, or in his boat sailing up the river. But of late the old man had been failing. His big frame grew gaunt, his step slow. About a month ago, while cutting wood, he gashed his foot with the axe. His system, enfeebled by age, was not able to withstand the shock. According to his own story, he was born in 1785, and was therefore 124 years old. His mother was a squaw, his father a Frenchman. The first three years of Joe's life were spent amid Indian surroundings, then his parents came to this locality and settled near the point where his cabin now stands. His early years were spent here; but the "wanderlust" of his Indian ancestors asserted itself, and for years he travelled, visiting many places in Canada and the Republic to the north. His wanderings over, he returned and spent the rest of his days here fishing and hunting and trapping until game became too scarce.
 On one occasion it is said he went to buy a barrel of salt for his fish. The merchant jocularly said, "Joe, you can have a barrel if you'll shoulder it." "All right," growled Joe, and stooping, he caught barrel by the chimes, and with a mighty heave hoisted it over his head and set it across his broad shoulders. Then, grinning at the discomfited merchant, he walked off, carrying the barrel. When one looked at the man a year or so ago—six feet four inches tall, and broad in proportion—the story was as yet to believe. Joe was a great boxer and wrestler.

SHOOT HIM.
 Arthur Scaillet Killed by Son-in-Law's Hired Man.
 Zealandia, Sask., Sept. 2.—Arthur Scaillet was shot down in his tracks about 8 o'clock last night by Edgar Harold Hope, the eighteen-year-old hired man of the victim's son-in-law. This afternoon Hope is undergoing a preliminary examination before Magistrate McLean at Zealandia, having confessed the shooting. It happened on the farm of Scaillet's son-in-law, Durnan or Durneya.
 Scaillet crossed over from his farm to that of his son-in-law, adjoining. He wanted to borrow a horse, but his son-in-law for some reason or other refused the elderly man's request; the two, gossip has it, never being on the best of terms. They fell to quarrelling verbally, and then to blows, and in the midst of this young Hope, Durnan's hired man, went into the house and, seizing a loaded shotgun, ran to the scene and let the father-in-law have the charge of No. 4 shot in the heart.
 Scaillet, it is said, died almost instantly. Word of the affair was rushed over to Zealandia, about ten miles west of where the shooting occurred, and Constable Grey went to the scene. The body of Scaillet and his slayer were taken to Zealandia, where they are now.
 The report of the R. N. W. M. P. officer to Captain Walker here this morning reads: "Edgar Harold Hope shot and killed Arthur Scaillet, ten miles east of Zealandia, last night. Hope arrested and made free confession of crime. Preliminary hearing takes place to-day."

MADE COMPLAINT.
 Canadian Sealers Have Grievance Against Japan.
 Victoria, B. C., Sept. 2.—The Governor-General, Earl Grey, met a deputation of local sealers last night and heard their representations regarding the disadvantages under which they work in view of the Japanese not being a party to the modus vivendi regarding pelagic sealing. In consequence, the Japanese are allowed to hunt at all times to within three miles of the rookeries with firearms, while the local sealers can hunt only in the open season outside a radius of sixty miles from the seal islands, and must use spears only.

MR. FIELDING HOME.
 Reports That His Mission Was Completely Successful.
 Quebec, Sept. 2.—Hon. W. S. Fielding, arrived by the Empress of Britain this afternoon. He looked the picture of health. When interviewed he admitted that his mission was a success in all respects. The French treaty was settled, but the West Indian matter was still undecided, but he had every hope after a commission had considered the question that an amicable arrangement would be arrived at.
 Mr. D. B. Hanna, of the Canadian Northern Railway, arrived this afternoon by the steamship Megantic. He refused to be interviewed, but admitted that his visit to Europe was a success.
 The Russian Czar rules over 100,000,000 persons.

Hanbury-Williams to be Brigadier-General in Scottish Command.
 Ottawa, Sept. 2.—Colonel Sir John Hanbury Williams, military secretary to His Excellency the Governor-General, has been offered by the British War Office and has accepted the appointment of brigadier-general in charge of the administration of the Scottish command. He will leave Canada in a few weeks, to assume his new and important post in Scotland. Sir John came to Canada with Earl Grey over four years ago, and has been one of the most generally popular and capable secretaries to viceroys in the history of Rideau Hall.
 Before coming to Canada, he served with his regiment in India, in Burma and in the Sudan and South Africa campaigns, and was mentioned in despatches for distinguished services. He was knighted last year on the occasion of the Quebec tercentenary celebration. In South Africa he was military secretary.
 Fact and Fancy.
 The potato, like love, grows less by parting.
 Lamps burn quite as much oil turned down as up.
 Some people are too polished ever to tell the plain unvarnished truth.
 The dragon fly can fly backward—a feat impossible to any bird.
 Perhaps it is the stale bread they are obliged to eat that makes dyspeptics so crusty.
 No insurance company will insure the Czar of Russia.
 Some of these seaside muffers have to wear belts to keep them from bursting with conceit.
 MR. JELLYFISH.

THE HAMILTON TIMES

FRIDAY, SEPT. 3, 1909.

POLICY SUITS BERESFORD.

Within a few days a local contemporary which has been persistent in insinuating that Canada has not done her duty with reference to defence, and which has advocated cash contributions and the presentation of Dreadnoughts to the Imperial navy, strongly opposing the idea of local fleets built and controlled by the several British nations, grasped at a few words from Lord Beresford's address the other day in Toronto as indicating that he favored its contention. One remark credited to him, and which gave our contemporary great comfort, as placing him in antagonism to the idea of the Canadian Government, was that referring to five nations with one flag and one fleet. It treated this as utterly excluding autonomous control by the several nations, remarking: "It is certainly inconsistent with the policy of establishing little local fleets by the overseas Dominions to be under local control."

But evidently Lord Charles is very far from sharing our contemporary's views, or thinking that Canada has been "sponging on Great Britain" as our contemporary charges. Speaking at the National Club banquet last night, Lord Charles took occasion to say that "he did not agree that Canada had done nothing. Canada had done all that was possible. Canadian history," he said, "was a story of unselfishness, and when men were needed she had sent them."

Coming to the question of Imperial defence plans he said: "I see it is suggested that the dominions should have cruisers of their own. If that is so I can only say that it is an excellent suggestion. I believe," said he, "that the principle is sound that it will unite the empire more, and certainly make its defence more effective if we did go to war."

But Lord Charles went further than this. The Toronto Mail and Empire thus reports him:

Regarding the talk that the dominions, if they had fleets, would want to keep alone, or become independent, Lord Charles thought it was rather a schoolboy idea. The Empire, he said, had got to rise or fall together. But if the colonies wanted to become independent, who would prevent it? That was their business. Britain would deplore any such action, but from his point of view he did not believe there was a shade of chance of any of them doing it. The Globe reporter makes him say: "Whatever share or part is to be undertaken by the overseas dominions, I am strongly of the opinion that whatever they like to do must be under their own control and administration. If the Government at home interferes in any way it will, I believe, place those dominions in what I call a subordinate position, in which they ought not to be." We leave our local contemporary to reckon with Lord Beresford. He appears to think the notion which it advances in opposition to the Canadian policy of defence is "a schoolboy idea." He sees no difficulty arising from autonomous control of local fleets. And he repudiates as warmly as every honorable Canadian will repudiate the contemptible charge that Canada has been "sponging" upon the mother country.

THE RETALIATION CRY.

The action of the United States Government in imposing a discriminatory tariff against paper pulp and pulpwood from the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec because those Provinces discriminate against the export of pulpwood from Crown lands, has led to a demand in some quarters for "retaliation." There is a cry raised by some people for a tariff war. Just what we are to gain by such a proceeding we are not told. It is true that our neighbors have shown little desire to deal with us in a neighborly way. But why we should place ourselves at a disadvantage in order to "be revenged" is not at all clear. Sensible people will probably be inclined to view the matter from a purely Canadian standpoint, and advocate only such actions as will certainly injure to the benefit of Canadians.

Not all Conservative organs effervescence and slop over as does the Toronto Mail and Empire. The Victoria Colonist, the leading Conservative organ of British Columbia, reads the Mail and Empire this lesson:

The Mail and Empire wants Canada to meet "tariff by tariff," and says "as a matter of fact our tariff upon United States goods will stand an increase." A very wise Conservative, no less a personage than "Sir John" Macdonald, once described this sort of retaliation as "cutting off one's nose to spite one's face," but, alas, some Conservatives seem to have fallen away from the common sense ideas which inspired the great leader, and, if they are not brought to their senses in some way, will keep their party in the cold shades of Opposition for the next quarter of a century. When a few United States politicians, inspired by some railway managers, sought to secure the abolition of the bonding privilege enjoyed by Canadians in respect to goods in transit through the United States, Sir John was urged by certain foolish people to deprive United States shippers of the same privilege on goods in transit through the Dominion, and it was then that he made the observation noted. Now, certain monopolists in the United States have persuaded Congress to impose duties that will impose hardships upon the people of that country, and the Toronto paper wants the Canadian Government to take the same people determine the fiscal policy of Canada. We hope that Mr. Fielding will be influenced by no such considerations. The Canadian people want a tariff framed in their interests, and absolutely without reference to what the United States Congress may see fit to do. Tariff wars are likely to be a pretty poor business. As a matter of fact, we do not know that one ever was inaugurated, except so far as the imposition of the sur-tax

in German imports might be so construed, and the circumstances in that case were very different from those existing in the case of the United States and Canada. Let Canada manage her own affairs in her own interest, and for the interest of her own people, and not trouble herself with attempts to control the policy of other countries or punish her own people for the folly of other governments.

We have no idea that the Canadian Government will enter upon any foolish tariff war. For many years a few Tory organs urged the Dominion Government to impose a prohibitory export tax upon timber and pulpwood. Neither Tory nor Grit Government would agree to do so. Then the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec, acting perfectly within their rights, made regulations governing the cutting of timber on Government owned lands, calculated to induce home manufacturing. In retaliation for this course, the Aldrich tariff was devised to penalize them. It will fail of its purpose; and the net result will be to compel United States consumers to sweat to fatten tariff combines. Shall we foolishly retaliate, and thus enable other combines to bleed our people? Not likely—at least, while a Liberal Government rules. Canada's tariff will be shaped as much as possible in the interest of the Canadian revenue and the Canadian people. If Uncle Sam chooses to injure his own consumers at the command of tariff combines, that is his affair.

FILLING UP THE COUNTRY.

Some idea of the rapidity with which the Canadian West is being peopled and brought into productiveness may be formed when it is said that during July 4,200 homestead entries were made. The stream of settlers is on the increase, as in last July the homesteads entered were nearly a thousand fewer. Besides these homesteaders other thousands purchased land from the railways and speculating land companies to which so much of our natural heritage was given in the period from 1876 to 1896 before the present Government put a stop to the parceling out of the country and inaugurated the policy of the land for the settler. There have been a large number who have obtained land from the British Columbia Government, and settlement will from this time on gradually filter into the north of that Province, which is wonderfully rich and needed only the building of the Grand Trunk Pacific to open it to the world. The fertile valleys and mineral-bearing mountains will soon begin to yield their riches to the hardy settlers.

And the quality of the population which we are getting is a matter for congratulation. It is "hand-picked," and when a poor specimen is found it is rejected. Moreover, many of the newcomers bring much wealth with them. In this way many millions in value are added to the general store of wealth. Many newcomers are from the United States, whence they come to better their conditions. They are people like ourselves, speaking our language, inheriting similar traditions, professing the same religion, and guided by the same principles. They will make good Canadians, and prove a bond of neighborliness and good will between the countries.

There is no longer any problem of the settlement of Canada. Indeed the time is measurably near when the cry of "Men for the West!" will be changed to that of "Room for the Homeseekers!" We should not be too eager to crowd the country. There are generations of Canadians to be considered.

AN EVIL CABAL.

Under the heading of "Furious Partisans" the Halifax Chronicle devotes a little attention to a few of the less scrupulous of the Tory organs which have been seeking to cast undeserved discredit upon Canada and Canadians for our attitude with regard to Empire defence. It says:

A persistent campaign is being conducted by a section of the Opposition press, including the Toronto Mail and Empire, the Toronto News, the Toronto Telegram, the Hamilton Herald, the Winnipeg Telegram, the Winnipeg Tribune and other furiously partisan organs, and echoes against the policy of naval defence adopted by the Canadian Parliament. Coupled with this clamor for direct contributions to the admiralty, as opposed to the development of a local naval force, upon an Imperial naval plan to co-operate with and, in time of stress and need, to be a part of the royal navy, is manifested a disposition to revive the despised worn-out cry that Sir Wilfrid Laurier is a traitor to the Empire. Nobody will be foolish enough to imagine that it is concerned for the safety of the Empire or for the self-respect of Canada as an integral part of the Empire which has inspired this outcry. These fatuous partisans are concerned only with making party capital and with fomenting an agitation which they hope will prove an embarrassment to the Government.

Our contemporary fully appreciates the situation, and its estimate of the end sought to be served by these unprincipled organs requires no amendment. The action decided upon by the House of Commons was taken with the unanimous approval of the members and expressed a determination on the part of Canada to do its full duty. Government and Opposition acted as one. Since that time, both Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. R. L. Borden have publicly and warmly championed this policy. That staunch Conservative, the doyen of Canadian statesmen, Sir Charles Tupper, has heartily approved of it in a notable article in the Nineteenth Century Review. The British press and statesmen view it with favor, and it appears to have commended itself to the Imperial Defence Conference. Even the representatives of Australia and New Zealand, where at first there was a cry for the presentation of Dreadnoughts to the British fleet, accept the Canadian Parliament's

resolution as being preferable to any such scheme.

Why do the unprincipled organs above referred to try to make this great Empire question, so happily agreed upon, a party issue, and to stir up sectional and racial prejudices? Do they think that there is a permanent advantage to be gained by such unpatriotic methods? Shame on those organs that have no higher or holier object in existence than traducing and damaging political opponents, and who, to do so, do not hesitate to do serious injury to our common country.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Perhaps the idea of those who put the aeroplane hat on the market is that when husbands get the bills they will go "up in the air."

In August the new incorporations in the United States totalled \$346,315,000. Business prospects are evidently improving over there.

Volivia, High Priest of Zion City, and successor to "Elijah" Dowie, has been jailed in default of a \$10,000 fine for libel. Now he can qualify as a martyr.

The revenue of the Commonwealth of Australia for the fiscal year closed on June 30 last was £14,350,460, being \$216,811 less than for the previous year. The population of the Commonwealth at the close of 1908 was estimated to be 4,233,645.

Thirty thousand dollars seems to be a very large figure to pay for a site for the Carnegie Library building—particularly when it is considered that it is proposed to sell the present library site, building and all, for less than that amount.

The "Indian list" is something to be laughed at—as it is dealt with in Hamilton. What does it mean? Does Inspector Sturdy not know how to do his part? Is the License Department playing with the work? or is something else the cause of the "show" being carried on?

New York and Buffalo grain exporters are clamoring for a reduction in rates between those cities. The rate at present is 51-2 cents a bushel, which, they say, renders it impossible to compete with the Canadian routes. Unless a reduction is secured they look for a further rapid decline of the United States grain transportation business.

A great war is being carried on in the "dry" counties of Indianapolis against the so-called "temperance" and "non-intoxicating" beers being shipped in to slake the thirst of the toppers. In all but one of many samples tested mal-tose was found, which brings them under the law against "malt" liquors. In most of them there was a very considerable percentage of alcohol.

Mr. T. L. Kinrade has dispelled any doubt as to the course he intended to pursue with regard to taking up his teaching position. In a letter from New York, he intimates that he will not again apply for the school. Mr. Kinrade is one of the oldest teachers of the city staff, and some curiosity had been expressed as to the reason that he did not earlier make known his intentions.

The case against Angus McKelvie, of New Liskeard, who was charged by the Ontario Government with bribing John Piche to induce him to leave the country and not give evidence in the suit brought by the Attorney-General of Ontario against the Temiskaming & Hudson's Bay Mining Company, affecting the title of that company, was tried at North Bay yesterday before Judge Leask, and McKelvie was acquitted, no evidence being furnished to show that the settlement which McKelvie made had any reference to the Attorney-General's suit.

The Denver food convention, which met last week, appears to have been pretty well packed with "food embalmers." After a long and bitter debate, the embalming interests by a vote of 37 to 42 carried a motion approving of the use of benzoate of soda as a food preservative. A committee which had been appointed to investigate the subject called upon President Taft to institute an official investigation. Its President declared that the use of these chemicals benefited only two classes of people, the manufacturers of benzoate of soda and the manufacturers of food of such a character that it could not be preserved or made fit for the table without chemical treatment.

Ald. Jatten will find that to divert the sewage now treated at Ferguson avenue works, or any considerable part of it, to works at the west end of the bay, is rather an impracticable proposition. But he is right in regarding the multiplication of sewage plants as a very unsatisfactory and expensive matter. The late Mayor Tuckett had a scheme for a great central sewer, with one sewage farm east of the city. He was not able to get attention; but there is no doubt it would have served real economy and saved the city many thousands of dollars of expense yearly. As very much of the municipal business is done, the sewage problem in Hamilton has been botched. It will cost a good deal of money now to remedy the blunders.

The Chicago Tribune attacks Mr. James J. Hill's statement that the stream of American immigration into Canada is composed of former Canadians going back to the land of their birth. It contends that "the great majority of the men who are now leaving the United States to cultivate Canadian wheat lands are American farmers, born and reared here. They understand their business

thoroughly, and Canada could have no more valuable acquisitions." Doubtless a large number of these immigrants are repatriated Canadians; but, as the Tribune says, thousands of them are citizens of the United States who come to Canada to better their position, and who will, in a short time, become excellent Canadians. They are bringing much money and more productive capacity with them, and Canada is giving them a warm welcome.

Placing Hon. Clifford Sifton at the head of a committee to provide for the conservation of the natural resources of Canada reads like a pretty good joke to those who are at all posted on that gentleman's past record in respect of the natural resources of the country.—Hamilton Spectator.

Of course the writer of that rather insinuating paragraph assumes to be "posted" on Mr. Sifton's record in that matter. Suppose he out with the facts which he fancies makes his appointment to this committee a "pretty good joke." As a matter of fact Mr. Sifton's record is an excellent evidence of his eminent fitness to well serve his country in the capacity of chairman of a committee to forward the conservation of her natural resources. The Spec's insinuation is without warrant of honorable purpose.

Our Exchanges

CALLING THEM IN. (Toronto Star.)

Straw hats are joining the ranks of the veterans.

KNOW IT ALL. (Toronto News.)

Soon there will be nothing left to discover—no mysteries to be solved. Everything will be known and common and uninteresting.

COOKED UP. (Brantford Expositor.)

And now they are wondering if the account of the discovery of the north pole is not a cooked-up affair.

LAURIER MONUMENT. (London Advertiser.)

Quebec admirers of Laurier will erect a monument to him in his native parish. May it be many years before Sir Wilfrid lies under it.

HAND PAINTED. (Philadelphia Record.)

Well—that's a beautiful fan Miss Giddigirl has. Belle—Yes. She said she bought it to match her complexion. Nell—Oh, I hadn't noticed that it was hand-painted.

IN GREAT GLEE. (Washington Star.)

"You persuaded your husband to join a glee club?" "Yes," answered Mrs. Beggins. "When he starts to sing at home I can now advise him not to tire his voice, and when he sings at the club I can't hear him."

GETTING WISE. (Washington Star.)

"I want to be well informed," said the ambitious girl. "I want to know what's going on." "Well," answered Miss Cayenne, "I would suggest that you get one of those telephones that will put you on a line with five or six other subscribers."

A REGULAR FAN. (Chicago Record-Herald.)

"Is your husband interested in baseball?" "No." "How strange. I thought all the men were." "No, John isn't interested. That isn't the name for his trouble. He is baseball crazy."

AND THEY WERE ALL TRUTHS. (Woodstock Sentinel-Review.)

The Hamilton Herald laments that it could find only four paragraphs on Hydro-Electric matters of one of its esteemed contemporaries which is opposed to the proposal. Surely the opposition is not showing signs of exhaustion so early in the fight.

BUILD THEM HERE. (Ottawa Citizen.)

We have copyrighted the suggestion that Canada's impinent navy be built on the Great Lakes, and then removed as required, to the ocean. Hamilton has a fine iron and steel plant, beautifully situated on the shores of Burlington Bay. Of course the United States will offer no objections, in view of Canada's kindness in waving the provisions of the Lush-Bagot treaty.

THE ROSS RIFLE. (Ottawa Free Press.)

Universal satisfaction was expressed at the D. R. A. meet in Ottawa last week by men who used the Ross rifle as to its accuracy and utility. In fact, the dissenters are very few and far between.

Sergt. James Freeborn, 13th Regiment: I use the Ross, and several of my regimental friends use it, and find it good.

Pte. F. Bibby, 77th Regiment: I like the Ross rifle, and I have done fine since I started to use it.

Sergt. W. E. Mitchell, 12th Regiment, Toronto: I believe in the Ross. It is a good rifle. The scores say so.

AT THE SUMMER RESORT. (Judge.)

First Mosquito—Hello, Bill, what are you crying about?

Second Mosquito—I have just lost my brother Tom.

First Mosquito—So. Why, that's too bad. What's happened to him, stranded on the bar?

Second Mosquito—No; it's a case of a romantic attachment. You know that pretty Miss Wiggles down at Long Branch?

First Mosquito—Yes; she was a beauty.

Second Mosquito—Well, I told Tommy to keep away, but he wouldn't, and last night he got completely mashed on her.

CHEAP TRAVEL.

See the Canadian Pacific advertisement in today's paper for particulars of excursion rates to Toronto Exhibition, also for Labor Day, and farm labor tours to Winnipeg, September 7th and 10th. Call at ticket office and get a copy of the official programme and time table for Canadian National Exhibition.

Manifest Piano Bargains

Special Clearance Sale of

Square and Upright Pianos

The arrival of new fall stock so overflows our warerooms that every used instrument, no matter how slight the use, must be sold at once to make room. Our imperative need of space is the reason for big price reductions, hence this remarkably fine list of bargains. Every piano on the list is fully guaranteed. Easy monthly payments can be arranged.

HALLET & DAVIS—7 octave rosewood square piano by Hallet & Davis, of Boston, has carved legs and lyre, four round corners, full iron plate, overstrung scale. Original price \$350. Special sale price \$68

HEINTZMAN & CO.—A Square Grand Piano by Heintzman & Co., Toronto; a fine piano, handsome rosewood case, four round corners, serpentine and plinth moulding, carved legs and lyre, overstrung scale and full iron plate. Original price \$450. Special sale price \$118

STECK—A handsome Square Piano by the celebrated house of Geo. Steck & Co., an exceptionally good piano containing the patent "Steck" overstrung scale, iron frame, etc., attractive case, carved legs and lyre. Original price \$500. Special sale price \$125

MENDELSSOHN—An attractive Upright Piano of small size, modern design of case with full length panel, three pedals, practice muffer, 7 octaves. This piano is manufactured by the Mendelssohn Piano Co., of Toronto, and has been used only a short time. It is just as good as new. Manufacturers' price \$275. Special sale price \$198

DOMINION—A fine Cabinet Grand Upright Piano, in figured walnut case with patent steel arch frame, 7 1-3 octaves, full iron plate, full overstrung scale, 3 pedals, Boston fall and full length, carved music desk. Manufacturers' price \$375. Special sale price \$210

MENDELSSOHN—A very handsome mahogany Upright Piano by the Mendelssohn Co., of Toronto, in case of new design, with full length plain panels, automatic folding fall board and music desk. Has 7 1-3 octaves, 3 pedals, ivory and ebony keys; has been used less than a year. Manufacturers' price \$350. Special sale price \$238

MASON & RISCH—Upright Boudoir Mahogany Piano, 7 octaves, iron plate, overstrung scale with brass agraffes, plain polished panels, ivory and ebony keys. Manufacturers' price \$400. Special sale price \$225

GERHARD HEINTZMAN—Large Cabinet Grand Piano, in San Domingo mahogany case by the Gerhard Heintzman Co., Toronto. Has full length polished panels and music desk, ivory and ebony keys, 3 pedals, 7 1-3 octaves; used only a short time. Manufacturer's price \$475. Special sale price \$289

GOURLAY—A beautiful Cabinet Grand Upright of our own make, in handsome Circassian walnut. This piano contains every improvement that it is possible to incorporate in the highest class Upright Piano. It has been used a short time but neither in its musical value or its durability has it been impaired. Special sale price \$293

GOURLAY, WINTER & LEEMING 66 King Street West, Hamilton

SHORT FLIGHT.

WILLARD AEROPLANE WENT OVER LAKE AND DIVED.

Aviator Received a Ducking—Propeller and Several Ribs of Airship Broken—Machine Will be in Shape Again by To-morrow.

Toronto, Sept. 3.—The first attempted ascent in Toronto by Mr. C. F. Willard in the Curtiss aeroplane, Golden Flier, was made at 7.30 o'clock last night at Scarborough Beach Park, and was a flight of about three hundred yards straight out over the lake at a height of about twenty feet, at the end of which the machine dived suddenly at a sharp angle into the water. Mr. Willard was thrown from his saddle clean through the network of wires and over the nose of the aeroplane into the ice cold lake. He swam back and climbed to the uppermost plane of the machine, where he was found sitting calmly when two minutes later a dozen canoes and rowboats scurried on the scene. "The whole trouble was," Mr. Willard explained afterwards, "that as soon as I got over the water I could not see a thing. It was just like flying in an inkpot. I could not tell how high I was, and when a gust of wind came along it lifted the tail of the machine right up. I wasn't high enough in the air to get righted. We will have it put together again in a couple of days."

Having waited in vain for the wind to drop completely, Mr. Willard decided at about 7 o'clock that he would make the attempt, despite the somewhat unsteady breeze. Accordingly the aeroplane was brought out and placed in position on the grass well back from the shore. Mr. Willard mounted the seat, preparatory to starting right off, but it was about fifteen minutes before the motor could be made to start. When it did start at 7.25 o'clock the machine swept at a tremendous pace down to the beach. Just at the top of the incline track which had been built for it at the shore it rose gracefully like a huge bird about thirty feet and soared out over the darkening water. It was not in the air more than ten seconds at the outside, but in that time from 300 yards to a quarter of a mile were put between it and the shore.

As soon as he had risen from the ground, the aviator said in discussing the flight later, he had shut the power down to half. When he saw it begin to plunge he stopped the motor entirely.

In an incredibly short time the ship was surrounded by small crafts, and eager to have a hand in bringing it back to land, and no less than six boats towed it in. It was back in its tent by 8 o'clock, half an hour after it had left the ground.

The injuries due to the aerial craft were surprisingly slight. Both blades of the propeller were broken, as well as several of the ribs and wires, but otherwise it is still intact. Four air cushions which had been fitted under the bottom plane were found to be quite sufficient to float it and it was undoubtedly these that saved it from suffering much greater damage than

was the case. The propeller is the most serious loss, as the only spare one which the aviator has is much inferior to that which was broken. Mr. Willard fully expects, however, to be able to make another flight by to-morrow.

WHERE'S BERNIER ?

He Left For Arctic Regions Well Over a Year Ago.

Montreal, Sept. 2.—The news of Dr. Cook's discovery of the North Pole has suddenly reminded the Canadian marine officials that Canada's own Arctic explorer, Captain Bernier, is somewhere between here and the Pole, while considerable uneasiness is felt in the department at his continued silence. Capt. Bernier left for the Arctic seas in July, 1908, and it is stated that no direct word has been received from him since that date. Last year whalers returning to Scotland reported that the Bernier expedition had hoisted the Union Jack over a good many frozen stretches of territory, but since Oct. 14, nearly a year ago, not a word has been heard from Bernier or of him.

While Captain Bernier was sent north to collect customs duties from American whalers and to plant the British flag on convenient spots on the Arctic islands, he has long had an ambition to go in search of the Pole. His long silence has had a number of the Marine Department officials to suspect that after assessing the American whalers he has tried his hand at a dash to the top of the world. Captain Bernier left Quebec on July 28, 1908, accompanied by officials of the Hydrographic Survey and the Meteorological Department, an expert photographer and a good crew.

The Arctic, of course, carried a big cargo of provisions, so that no anxiety is felt on that score, yet news of the vessel should have been received long before this time, he well within the zone of civilized communication, on his return trip.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson

JAPS FOUGHT DUEL.

Vancouver, Sept. 2.—A Jap named Junchi Abo lies in the General Hospital at the point of death, as the result of a duel with another Jap in the neighborhood of Stevenson. He is suffering from bullet wounds in the side, liver, legs and hands. His assailant is at large.

THE SALMON PACK

Vancouver, Sept. 2.—Canners report that the Fraser River pack will not exceed 420,000 cases. American canners estimate the Puget Sound pack at 800,000 cases. The Alaska pack is estimated at 1,000,000 cases. The fish are spawning and the Fraser fishers eagerly await the reopening of the season on the Illicitan hinstant.

SCRAP BOOK POETRY

THE SONG OF THE NIGHT FLYER. I own the lightning of the storm, the thunder of its roar. My eye a blazing meteor is, and sees what lies before. I carry a volcanic flame within my bowels of steel.

A pent-up majesty of might within my breast I feel. I do not stop to eat or drink; I do these as I go; In lakes whose bottoms and sides are iron I quench my thirst below. With mouth aflame I seize my food and roar with savage glee.

When it is quality number one, for then it just suits me, I fly. When I am fed a glory red I throw up on the sky; And on my cloud, white as a shroud, I see that glory die.

I glare upon strong strands of steel, from them I echo wring. And proud are they to be my slaves and own me as their king. Bright signals fall before my glance, they feel its mighty power, and the stars fade out and sink away behind my meteor shower.

My guards stand all along the line in uniforms of blue. And green and white and blood red light I see me safely through. I carry the power of light and death, I'm a god of weal and woe, As o'er the blazing lines of steel omnipotent I go.

I leap within deep caverns dark that a man has made of me. And the earth a-tremble quakes with fear as my midnight revelry. I shoot from the bowels of tunnels gum like a shot from a mighty gun. And my aim is true as I fly to greet the first beam of the sun.

And old Father Time keeps close to me with every turn of wheel, As I fly and thunder o'er my course; I'm a thoroughbred in steel. —John Clouston.

AMERICANS OF TITLE.

(Exchange.) The London Daily Express gives a list of American titled hostesses who are adding to the gaiety of the London season, and who have either married Englishmen or who make their permanent homes in London. The list is an interesting one and worth reproduction. Here it is:

- Duchess of Roxburghe.
- Duchess of Marlborough.
- Duchess of Manchester.
- Countess of Manchester.
- Countess of Stafford.
- Lady Chylesmore.
- Lady Bsteman.
- Countess of Craven.
- Lady Hesketh.
- Lady Dehurst.
- Lady Essex.
- Lady Lister-Kaye.
- Lady Newborough Drummond.
- Lady Paget.
- Lady Curzon.
- Helen, Lady Abinger.
- Margaret, Lady Waterlow.
- Lady Donoughmore.
- Lady Dufferin.
- Lady Willoughby de Eresby.
- Lady Tankerville.
- Lady Suffolk.

STYLE EXPOSITION

Arrival and Display of the New

Autumn Dress Goods

Some stores will have the new Dress Goods to show you, but OUR store will stand second to none in the beauty and variety of its offerings...

\$1.50 Autumn Suitings \$1.19

An introductory sale of the Autumn Goods. Stylish Diagonal Stripe Suiting in rich dark shades of olive green, brown and navy...

85c Black Suitings, Saturday 59c

Black All Wool Storm Proof Chevots, Panamas and Diagonal Stripe Suitings in serviceable qualities for skirts or suits...

\$1 New Cloth Suitings 69c

Plain Satin Amazons, autumn shades, shadow stripe Cloth Suitings, in green and brown, English Worsteds in black and white and navy and white shadow stripes...

75c Colored Wool Dress Goods 59c

For children's wear, small shadow check Cloth Tweed Effects, in dark colors, also all wool Navy Storm Serge and shepherd checks...

New Autumn Tailored Suits for the Holiday

Saturday's showing in the Garment Section will be the most comprehensive display as yet, embodying all the latest new style effects in Suits, Skirts and Coats...

Suits at \$15.00 to \$28.50 Dress Skirts at \$5.00 to \$15.00. Coats at \$7.50 to \$26.00

New Fall Dress Skirts \$3.95

New Fall Skirts, in Panamas and Venetians, in the good and hip pleated style, button and some satin trimmed. Colors in navy, brown, myrtle and black...

Holiday Covert Coats \$4.88

A Coat for early fall and holiday wear, in plain and stripe covers, in semi style, also a few Black Broadcloths, 32 to 36 inch lengths, cuff and pocket trimmed...

\$2.50 and \$3.00 Fall Underskirts \$1.98

Genuine Heathered and English Silk Underskirts, in black, brown, taupe and navy. Full, generous skirts, with rows of double flounces and frills...

Holiday Blouses Half Price

49c, regular to \$1.00 89c, regular to \$2.00 79c, regular to \$1.50 \$1.25, regular to \$2.50

Children's New Serge Reefers

Children's Navy, Red or Fawn Reefers, double breasted sailor style, with emblem sleeve and brass buttons, sizes 2 to 14 years, special sale...

Children's Cotton School Dresses

Half Price at 39c, 59c and \$1.19

The Last Day of Great Sale of Fancy and Table Linens

Rev. S. B. Russell has returned to the city after visiting Detroit, Grand Rapids and other American places.

RESIGNATION CAME LATE.

T. L. Kinrade's Case Before Board Last Evening.

Toronto Hits at the New Technical School.

Deputation Will Try to Get the Trouble Settled

Another echo of the celebrated Kinrade mystery was heard last night at the meeting of the Internal Management Committee of the Board of Education...

The reporters were not permitted to see the letter, which was dated Asbury Park, but some of the trustees who were appealed to for reading it, declared there was nothing in it to be serious about.

Principal Thompson, who is resigning, accepted the resignation and expressing appreciation of Mr. Kinrade's long services. The resignation was not permitted to see the letter, which was dated Asbury Park...

Stanley Mills & Co., Limited Friday, September 3rd, 1909

"THE STORE THAT MAKES GOOD"

And Now for the Needs of Labor Day and Fall

Labor Day generally signifies the beginning of Fall and with it comes the final clearing of all Summer materials and the announcement of the arrivals in Fall stock.

A Complete and Early Showing of Fall Suits

Have you noticed the decided change in costumes for the coming Fall and Winter? If you haven't, a glimpse into our Ready-to-Wear Department will reveal many new features...

Stylish Suits \$15.00

A STYLISH STREET SUIT of Fancy Striped Venetian, in taupe and green shades, 38 inch semi-fitting coat, deep vents in back, trimmed with self buttons...

Smart Suits \$25.00

SMART TAILORED SUITS of grey Venetian Cloth, with new shaped coat of three-quarter length, mannish effect, trimmed with stitching and buttons...

Skirts \$4.50 and \$5.50

NEAT SKIRTS of fine Venetian Cloth, navy, black and brown, made in a gored flared style, trimmed down front and around skirt at flounce depth with self fold and narrow satin strappings...

New Fall Suitings

A Splendid Showing in Dress Goods

SATIN CLOTH, in 42 inches wide, in the new stripe effects, shades of lizard and bronze green, plum, Burgundy, navy, wistaria and grey, per yard...

WORSTED SUITINGS, in shadow stripes in shades of grey, taupe, brown, blue and green, for suits, separate skirts, per yard...

FRENCH VENETIANS, in plain or stripe effects, in navy, brown, green, taupe and grey, on sale Saturday per yard...

BOX CLOTH, 50 inches wide, in shadow stripes of navy, green, taupe, black, wistaria, grey and old rose, suitable for suits and separate skirts, on sale per yard...

MILITARY COATING SERGE, special for children's fall coats, an all wool material, on Saturday per yard...

New Embroideries

DAINTY EMBROIDERY EDGING, 3 to 7 inches wide, dainty blind and open work designs, nain-sook quality, suitable for trimming underwear, regular 10 and 12c, special yard...

ALL-OVER EMBROIDERY, 18 inches wide, blind and open work designs, regular 25c, special per yard...

EMBROIDERY INSERTION, 2 and 2 1/2 inches wide, Swiss quality and dainty floral designs, regular 20 and 25c, special yard...

DAINTY CORSET EMBROIDERY, 18 inches wide, pretty floral and scroll designs, embroidered on crossbar muslin, per yard...

Leather Goods

6 DOZEN WOMEN'S STRAP PURSES, in tan, brown, black and green, lined with moiré silk, special...

1 GROSS CHILDREN'S PATENT LEATHER BELTS, in brown, red, blue, black and white, with steel buckles, regular 25c, for...

3 DOZEN BELTS AND DUTCH COLLAR PINS, in gilt, oxidized and black, in various designs and patterns, special...

1 GROSS HAT PINS, in jet, pearl and various colored stones, 8, 10 and 12 inches in length, special for...

3 DOZEN BOY'S COLLAR SET PORTS, with brilliants, pearl, tortoise and black settings, special price of...

Holiday and School Shoes

Clear cut and decisive bargains for Saturday's selling in the Shoe Department. They look good to you, don't they?

MEN'S BOX CALF and Dongola Kid, Blucher cut in straight laced, heavy double soles, double capped patent colt and black Dongola kid, with back straps, sizes 6 to 10, in single and goodyear welted, mill-regular \$3.00, on Saturday \$1.98...

WOMEN'S TAN VICE KID Oxfords, Blucher cut, Cuban heels, single or heavy McKay soles; sizes 2 1/2 to 7, regular \$2.00, on sale Saturday \$1.19...

A GOOD SCHOOL SHOE for girls' wearing, from 1 to 5, in heavy black chert cut, whole grained, double extra, Blucher cut, heavy extension tension soles, college back straps, in soles, extra back straps, laces 11 to 13, regular \$1.50, special on sale Saturday \$1.49 for sale on Saturday \$1.25

YOUTH'S TAN KIP BALS, Blucher cut, heavy extension tension soles, college back straps, in soles, extra back straps, laces 11 to 13, regular \$1.50, special on sale Saturday \$1.25

Grocery Specials for Saturday

Looking for a big day to-morrow. Be on hand for these "specials":

10 lbs. Redpath's No. 1 Granulated Sugar 50c (With other groceries)

Village Biscuits, regular 10c value, on sale 3 lbs. for 25c

Marsh-mallow Biscuit, regular 17c lb, 2 lbs. for 25c

Powdered Ammonia 5c

Gillett's Lye, 3 cans 25c

Old Dutch Cleanser, 3 cans 25c

Sunlight Soap, 6 bars 25c

Sunny Monday Soap, 6 bars 25c

Fairy Soap, 6 cakes 25c

A limited quantity of best quality Crown Fruit Jars, Pints, per dozen 69c; Quarts, per dozen 79c

The Kitchenware Dept.

Come quickly for the good things on Saturday morning. We have them here.

6 dozen Large White Enamel Colanders, regularly 30c, on sale Saturday at 23c sharp

Heavy Tin Wash Boilers, with copper bottom pit, Nos. 8 or 9; regularly \$1.35 and \$1.50, on sale \$1.19

Granite Tea Kettles, with flat or pit bottoms, No. 8 size, regularly 85c, on Saturday special 69c

Fruit Presses 35 and 45c

Ironing Wax 3 for 5c

Lunch Boxes 25c

Andrew Toasters 10c

Wire Strainers 25c

Fruit Jar Fillers 5 and 15c

Mrs. Potts' Iron Holders 10c

Charcoal Irons \$1.25

COOK AT THE NORTH POLE.

Sir Robert Ball Describes His Unique Position.

Italians Believe That Cook Could Not be Mistaken.

Vessel With U. S. Explorer Passed Cape Skagen.

New York, Sept. 3.—A London despatch to the World quotes Sir Robert Ball, professor of astronomy at Cambridge University and one of the most distinguished of British scientists, as saying of Dr. Cook's discovery of the North Pole...

"Two questions being asked all over the civilized world to-day are: First, why does any one want to go to the North Pole? Second, how does he know when he is there?"

"To answer the second question first, the mariner who finds his latitude in the northern hemisphere to be 90 degrees, knows he can be nowhere else than at the North Pole. The astronomer will tell you that to any one standing at the North Pole the sun rises and sets only once a year—six months daylight, six months night, mitigated only by a little twilight at the beginning, and end of a period of awful gloom, broken by occasional moonlight or aurora."

"The pole is truly a unique spot on the globe. Cook standing there faced due south. Which ever way he looked he was more than twenty miles nearer the centre of the earth than if he stood at the equator. His weight was greater than anywhere else on the surface of the globe. A plumb line in his hand pointed vertically upward to the pole of the

heavens, around which all stars revolve. Half of the stars he could never see; the other half never went below his horizon, and would have been visible throughout the six months of night. The famous constellation Orion circled around and around his horizon. The pole star added directly over his head.

"The gain to knowledge from Dr. Cook's discovery is inestimable. There still is much to learn of tides, currents, and the ocean. Meteorologists have a perfect torrent of questions to ask of any one speaking with authority from the North Pole."

"But there is another problem of the highest importance justifying all efforts to discover the pole. Many scientists believe the Arctic regions have borne at certain times in the mighty history of our globe a very different aspect from now. The ice and snow which have preserved the mystery of the poles, probably have not existed continuously throughout the ages."

"It is believed that in the course of geological time the regions around the poles have more than once enjoyed a temperate climate, permitting highly organized animals and delicate plants to flourish. If specimens of rocks containing the remains of fossil animals and plants have been brought forth, their scientific value could not be exaggerated. Thus and thus only could a very great chapter in the history of the earth be completed. Until the poles are explored man's knowledge of his dwelling place will be sadly defective."

"To mariners, Cook's momentous exploit must bring especial gratification. Hundreds of their hardiest forerunners have sacrificed their lives in the great quest which is now their prize before the aviators have had time to snatch it from them."

COOK ON BOARD.

Copenhagen, Sept. 3.—The steamer Hans Egede, with Dr. Frederick A. Cook, the American explorer, who is said to have discovered the North Pole, on board, passed Cape Skagen, the northern extremity of Denmark, at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

BELIEVE HE WAS THERE.

Rome, Sept. 3.—The question whether

Dr. Frederick A. Cook, the American explorer, did or did not reach the North Pole, brought out statements to-day from Italian scientists and Arctic explorers, including the Piedmont guide Abruzzi on his polar expedition of 1900. They are all to the effect that Dr. Cook could not possibly have been misled into believing he reached the Pole if he had not actually done so. He must have carried instruments, it is argued, and made observations, which will demonstrate scientifically the correctness of his assertion.

FINED \$10 EACH.

Eight Suffragettes Appeal Their Cases in London.

London, Sept. 3.—The eight suffragettes who were arrested on Aug 19 in Downing street in connection with the picketing of Premier Asquith's residence, were sentenced to-day to pay fines of \$10 each or spend seven days in the Bow street jail.

They gave notice of appeal, on the grounds that all subjects of the King have the right to approach the sovereign through his Ministers, and in endeavoring to interview the Premier they were merely exercising these rights.

DEAD GALLERY.

Pittsburg, Sept. 3.—A "gallery of the dead," in which is kept a thorough system of photographs and measurements of every unknown person brought to the institution, has been established at the county morgue here. Bertillon operators are in charge of the gallery. It is said the gallery is the only one of its kind in the country.

A telephone service is expected to be opened next year between London, Paris, Madrid, Barcelona and San Sebastian.

Society

Rev. S. B. Russell has returned to the city after visiting Detroit, Grand Rapids and other American places.

The engagement is announced of Miss Alice Muriel, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Amelius Baldwin, of Toronto, to Mr. Sebert Moore Glasco, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Glasco.

A very quiet wedding was celebrated in the Metropolitan Methodist Church, Toronto, on Saturday, August 28th, when Rev. Dr. Armstrong united in marriage Ethel May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Park Little, of Borden street, to Leonard Moore Tobin, of New York city. After a short honeymoon trip Mr. and Mrs. Tobin will reside in Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Crowley, of Bartonville, are visiting friends in the city.

At Belleville on Wednesday, September 1, at the home of Mr. D. M. Green, a pretty after wedding took place, when his oldest daughter, Edna Banks Morrice, was married to Mr. Frank Irwin Armstrong, of Hamilton, the ceremony being performed by Rev. A. H. Drumm, pastor of John Street Presbyterian Church. Miss Eva Cannon, of Buffalo, N. Y., assisted the bride, while Mr. R. Norman Bassett, of Whistler, was groomsmen. Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong left later for Chicago and Milwaukee, and on their return will reside at 126 Hughson street north, Hamilton.

Miss Lotta Swazie, of Mount Sinai Hospital, New York, is home for her vacation.

Mrs. Valancy Fuller and Miss Ruth Fuller are in town for Miss Fuller's wedding, which takes place in a few days. This happy event is the climax of a shipboard acquaintance, as has been the case with several marriages in high circles recently. Mr. Walsh is a handsome and that finished manner which much travel and intercourse with bright people ensures. Toronto has welcomed him heartily, and congratulations are even to the bride and groom-elect. The marriage will be celebrated privately, and Mr. and Mrs. E. F. B. Johnston have lent their fine new home in St. George street for the reception afterwards. The bride and groom will spend part of each year in travel abroad, and make their home in Texas, where Mr. Walsh is a prominent rancher.—Toronto Saturday Night.

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GOOD SHORT STORIES

"Do you keep chicken feed?" inquired the customer. The grocer grinned brightly.

"No," he said, "we sell it." The customer received the chicken feed. "Do you want some?" the grocer asked.

"No," said the customer. "I don't. But I guess I'll have to have it."

"What kind do you use?" asked the grocer. The customer scowled. "I feed it to the chickens."

"Oh, rats!" said the grocer. "Quit your kidding. Get down to facts. I'm busy to-day. You came here for chicken feed, didn't you?"

"Not much I didn't," said the customer. "I came here for a plug of tobacco. I want the chicken feed sent to the house."

"Where do your chickens live?" the grocer inquired. "I've forgotten the number." He grinned brightly again.

"They live in a chicken house," said the customer, with great precision. "It's a white-washed chicken house at the rear of 223 Johnson street. Don't trouble to knock. Just ask for Mr. Plymouth Rock." The grocer scowled in turn.

"Say," he said, "quit this foolishness, will you? There's people waiting on me."

"Wish there was somebody waiting on me," said the customer. "Hurry up. Put that order down. What time will you have it there?"

"I won't have it there," explained the grocer. "I'll have it here and you'll have it there." Then the customer took a handful of crackers from a barrel and departed.

WHAT BOTHERED HIM.

A peculiar instance of conjugal affection occurred some time ago in Vermont, according to the Boston Globe. An aged couple, who through half a century of married life had wrangled with each other in all probability soon to be separated. The husband was taken sick, and was believed to be near his end. The old wife came to his bedside, and, after carefully examining and taking stock of his condition, exclaimed: "Why, daddy, your feet are cold, your hands are cold, and your nose is cold!"

"Wah, let 'em be cold!"

"Why, daddy, you're going to die!"

"Wah, I guess I know 'at I'm bout' to die!"

"Daddy, w'at's to becom of me if you die?"

"I dunno, and I don't care. W'at I want to know is, w'at's to becom of me?"

HOW HE STARTED IN BUSINESS.

His name was Augustus Athroald Robinson, but in the business world where he had lately secured a position as office boy everybody called him Jim, on the ground that his name was too long for business purposes.

He was very keen on retaining his position, so when a caller came in one day and made a violent complaint about a letter that had not been posted to him, Jim listened in terror.

"Where's that boy?" cried his employer in a fury. "Here you imp, take your coat and hat and get out! I'm ashamed of you! Go to the cashier and get your salary, and don't let me see you here again, you wretched little bungler!"

Jim, terrified and almost crying, left the office and hurried away.

The next morning his employer called at his home and the youth came to the door.

"You young donkey!" exclaimed the visitor, "do you suppose I really sacked you yesterday? Of course not. Come on back to the office, and every time the caller makes a complaint and I sack you, go round the corner till the customer's gone and then come back."

And that's how Jim started in business, grew up to be the manager of the concern, and now has an office boy of his own whom he sacks regularly with every complaint that is made.

LUCKY TO THE LAST.

Cook—Taylor was always a fortunate man, but doesn't it seem wonderful that

his luck should stay with him to the very last?"

Raleigh—How was that?

Cook—He was operated on for the removal of a pearl which he had accidentally swallowed while eating oysters, and when the pearl was examined it was found to be valuable enough to pay for both the operation and the funeral."

TOO GOOD FOR THIS SPHERE.

"When it comes to ideal domestic women," said the proud young author, "the heroing of my new novel is the paragon."

"That's just the kind of heroine we're looking for," replied the busy publisher.

"Yes, sir, she is a woman you don't meet every day. In the first place, she never leans out of the back windows and criticizes her neighbors' Monday wash."

"She must be perfect."

"Nor does she hang over the back fence gossiping by the hour while the dinner seeps."

"I'd like to meet one like her."

"When new neighbors move in she does not criticize their old furniture and wonder if they paid for their new."

The busy publisher held up his hand. "Stop! That could not be a woman."

"Not a woman?"

"No, that would be an angel."—Chicago Tribune.

AFTER THE SHOW.

A well-dressed man, said to be an Englishman, has been arrested in Montmartre, Paris, on a charge of tending bad half-sovereigns for dinners and entertainment. Which reminds us of the story about the touring company which had been doing very bad business in "the smalls." While the proprietor and sole responsible manager was standing outside the temporary theatre (the Corn Exchange), a very small boy with a very large melon arrived and proposed to barter the fruit for a seat in the gallery. The bargain was duly concluded, and the scene now changes to the interior of the theatre after the performance. "Boy," says the manager severely, "that melon was rotten." "That's all right," returns the youthful critic, "so was yer show."—London Globe.

THE CABIN BOY.

William Shillaber, the secretary of the Newboys' Summer Camp on Staten Island, was praising newsboy character. The newsboy is a good fellow," he said. "His bitterest enemy can attack him without fault to him than his mischievousness. And mischievousness isn't a fault—it is only an excess—an excess of high spirits."

Mr. Shillaber laughed. "A newsboy friend of mine," he said, "took to the sea. He became a cabin boy on a tramp collier. He was a good boy, but—"

"Once when our White Squadron was at Newport, this collier steamed in her slow way shoreward with her ensign upside down, the signal of distress—distress of the direct."

"Instantly a pretty sight was to be seen. Every warship in the fleet lowered a life boat, and all those beautiful snowy boats, manned by ackies in spotless white duck, raced for the grimy old collier at breakneck speed. A pretty sight indeed."

"The captain of the collier stood on the bridge. He waved his hat. And the crews pulled all the faster."

"As they drew close, they heard the man's cries."

"Come on! Pull! Get down to it!" he roared, dancing about wildly.

"What is the matter, captain?" the first officer to reach the collier asked breathlessly.

"Why nothing's the matter" the captain answered, in a surprised voice.

New Fall Suits--Beauties

Women's Suits \$15
Made of swell cloths in greys, navys, greens, taupe, black, etc. Elegant long coats, silk and satin lined, plain gored and pleated skirts, trimmed with jet buttons, the best value you ever saw at, each \$15.00.

Very swell long coats, silk lined, just enough trimming on them to take them out of the commonplace class; skirts in the very newest styles, also the best shades, and special values at, each \$17.50, \$20.00, \$23.00.

New York Sample Suits
Still some of those New York sample suits left for Saturday, worth \$20.00 to \$40.00, for \$12.50, \$15.00, \$17.50, \$20.00



The A, B, C, D, Waist Fasteners

A most unique device for fastening the back of a blouse or waist. Practical and desirable, strong and light, and convenient. Attached to any waist, with one movement your waist is instantly and securely fastened and as easily unlocked. Detached in a minute for the laundry. Complete set 25c (Notion Department.)

Women's Cloth Skirts--A Sale

Women's Cloth Skirts, well made, silk strapped, splendid materials, worth \$3.95, for \$2.25
Women's Cloth Dress Skirts, made in great variety of materials, black and colors, pleated skirt, skirts made with plain folds and made with silk frills, good \$6.00 to \$7.00 values, for \$3.75
Women's Skirts, made of Panamas, Lustras, Poplin Serges, and Satin Cloths, pleated and braided, silk and satin folds, worth a full \$7.50, on sale Saturday for each \$5.00

- TOWELLING AT 7 1/2c: Tea or Roller, splendid 10 and 12 1/2c quality, nearly all lin.
- BATH TOWELS 12 1/2c: Worth 17c, good colors, splendid quality and large size, only 25 dozen of them.
- TURKISH TOWELLING 15c: Splendid heavy weight, dark color, 20c value, a bargain.
- BEDROOM TOWELS 18c: Good quality Huck, worth 25c, hemmed ends, extra large sizes, pure linen.
- TABLE DAMASK 29c: Mill ends, 1 to 2 yards, full bleached, worth 50 to 75c, good patterns.
- UNBLEACHED DAMASK 37 1/2c: Good width, full 50c value, and a good range of patterns.
- TABLE DAMASK 75c: 72 inches wide, all pure flax, full \$1.00 value, elegant patterns to choose from.
- JET BACK AND SIDE: Combs, very special values, at \$25, 50c and \$1.00
- HAND BAGS 50c: Fancy Alligator materials, good heavy frame, 2 inside pockets, worth \$1.00.
- HAIR PUFFS: 6 Puffs, worth \$1.00 for 50c; 4 Puffs, worth 75c, for 30c; All shades.
- MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS: Mercerized Lawn or Excela, big range of fancy borders, full 15c values.
- TOURIST FRILLING 10c: Put up 3 yards in a box, worth 15c, correct width.
- WOMEN'S BELTS: A range of New York sample Belts, elastic and silk, 50c to \$2.50 value, at from 19c to \$1.25
- WOMEN'S BELTS 29c: Black and Colored Elastic Fancy Buckles and good width of Elastic, worth 50c, a bargain.

Early Morning Sale of Underskirts

Sharp at 8.30 we put on sale 150 Women's Sateen and Moreen Underskirts, beautifully made garments, perfect in every way; most of them travelers' samples; black and colors; worth from \$1 to \$1.75; all go on sale at one price for each. 29c
No Mail or Telephone Orders--Only One to a Customer--See Window

30 Dozens of Underskirt Samples on Sale
4 sets of travelers' samples of Women's Underskirts, Sateens, Moreens, Taffeties, Heatherbloms, Silks and Silk Moirettes, black and colors, all in splendid condition, perhaps a little creased, nothing to hurt, all go on sale tomorrow, a regular whirlwind of Underskirt bargains, such as you only can get at the Shea store.
\$1.50 and \$1.75 Skirts for \$1.00
\$2.00 and \$2.50 Skirts for \$1.44
WOMEN'S SILK UNDERSKIRTS--The best made Silk Petticoats, the best quality of silk in them, the newest sleeves and the best fitting Petticoats you ever saw for the money, for each \$3.98, \$4.98, \$7.48
\$3.00 to \$3.50 Skirts for \$1.95
\$5.00 to \$6.50 Skirts for \$3.50

A Few More Wash Dresses

Women's Zephyr House Dresses, made in one piece styles, of most beautiful materials, cut in New York and perfect fitting. We have sold nearly 100 already this week. About 50 left for Saturday. Worth \$5.00 to clear at each \$1.95
Lawn Wash Dresses, worth \$5.00, to clear at each \$1.20
Lawn Dresses, worth \$10.00, to clear at each \$2.95

Hamilton's Greatest Corset Sale

Thousands of pairs of the best made Corsets in Canada, in a great variety of makes, all on sale at near half price in less than half price, all perfect goods, not a "2nd" in the lot, all sizes.
Steel Filled Girdle Corsets, 75c, for 39c
High and medium bust, long and short hips, with and without hose supporters, worth \$1.00, for 49c
All styles, worth \$1.25 and \$1.50, for 79c
Several styles, worth \$1.50 and \$2.00, for 99c

SHEA'S

SATURDAY, SEPT. 4, STORE OPEN TILL 10 O'CLOCK
TELEPHONE 1501
THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

Glove Bargains for Women

Pure Silk Gloves for women, black only, and small sizes, 18 inch length, full \$1.00 value, to clear at per pair 29c
Pure Silk Gloves for women, pink, brown, mauve and light blue, Jersey or Mousetraie wrists, 18 inch lengths, worth \$1.00, to clear at per pair 49c
Velvet Ribbons--Special Values
Black Velvet Ribbons, with satin back, beautiful firm quality, 1 1/2, 2, and 3 inches wide, very special values, at per yard 25, 35 and 40c
The best value in Canada in taffeta silk, and satin ribbon, 4 1/2 and 5 inches wide, per yard 19c

Women's Umbrellas \$1.49

Made with gloria top on a splendid paragon frame, natural wood handles with good gilt knob, worth \$2.50, on sale for each \$1.49
Women's Gloria Covered Umbrellas, steel rod, hollow ribbed frame, good natural crook and horn handles, worth \$1.50, our price \$1.00
Special values in extra good Umbrellas, at each \$2.50, \$3.95, \$5.50, \$5.00

Women's Lawn Blouses

Fashion says Lawn Waists are the thing. Comfort says the same. Economy says buy them at Shea's. Here are the prices for Saturday. Shop round and see what you can do. You'll buy from us.

\$1.00 to \$1.50 Lawn Waists for 69c
\$1.50 to \$1.75 Lawn Waists for 85c
\$2.00 Lawn Waists for \$1.19
\$2.50 Lawn Waists for \$1.49
\$3.00 and \$3.50 Lawn Waists for \$1.95

100 Tailor-made Waists, in very handsome striped Zephyrs, newest colors, New York made, worth \$2.50, on sale for \$1.50

Ladies' Golf Coats
Beautiful Pure Wool Golf Coats, in both Coat and Norfolk styles, white, grey, cardinal, navy, special values of \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50

2 Fall Coat Bargains for Women

Women's Jaunty Hip Length Coats, made of a splendid quality of fawn covert cloth, trimmed with buttons and velvet collar, \$7.50, for \$5.00
Cream Serge and Colored Cloth Fall Coats, elegantly made, \$5.00 and \$6.00 value, for \$2.95

Two Bargains in Women's Underwear

Women's Balbriggan Vests and Drawers, natural and white, worth 50c, on sale Saturday to clear at 29c
Women's Lisle Thread Vests, short sleeves, just the thing to finish the season, well worth 40c, on sale to clear at each 19c
New Fall Underwear all Ready for Early Buyers

SITE FOR THE NEW LIBRARY.

Members of the Board Like the Court House Square, But That Seems to be Out of the Question.

Will Likely be Settled Before the Next Meeting.

Up to the present the Library Board has not decided on a site for the erection of the proposed new Public Library. That was the chief topic of discussion at the meeting of the Board yesterday afternoon. No less than a dozen sites have been submitted to them, but all have something about them that does not meet with the approval of the Board.

The two sites among those submitted, that commanded the most recognition, owing to being in a central locality, were the northwest corner of King William and Hughson streets, and the southeast corner of Park and Main streets. However, they have been shelved, the former not being large enough, though, undoubtedly, if it were it would meet with unanimous approval.

If it were possible to get a suitable site in the Court House Square, the Board would jump at it, as the members think that would be an ideal spot, being central and also away from the street cars. They think the erection of a large handsome public building would very greatly enhance the beauty of the square.

At present there are barriers in the way of acquiring a plot of ground large enough for the requirements of the new library. In the meantime the existing building is still on the market, though offers ranging from \$10,000 to \$37,000 have been made for it and the \$37,000 have been tabled, as it is proposed to first give the city an opportunity of purchasing it for \$25,000, for use as a convention hall, etc.

If the city agree to pay that price, they will be allowed to have it, but if not, the \$37,000 offer will be considered, unless other higher prices are submitted.

Before the meeting of the Board next month it is expected a decision will have been reached about the disposal of the old building and the erection of the new, both as to its whereabouts and proposed cost.

The ordinary routine business was gone through, and that being the first meeting for three months, it was naturally a little heavier.

An account for \$1,868.31 was submitted and passed, \$112.73 of the amount to be charged to the East End Branch Library.

The number of books added to the library during the past three months was: By purchase, 406; by donation, 11; total, 417; borrowers' cards issued, 192; number of books issued, 31,987; a decrease of 4,521, owing to the library being closed for two weeks during alterations; petty cash received, \$258.48; petty cash paid out, \$75.57; balance, \$82.80.

A communication was read from Miss Annie Stewart (Mrs. Oermeyer), tendering her resignation. It was accepted, with regrets, and a motion put and carried to grant her \$30, three weeks' salary, in recognition of her twenty years' faithful service.

Mrs. Arland was placed on the permanent staff.

Communications were received from Miss Grace Simpson, Miss M. E. McKay and Miss N. Penderville, seeking appointment on the staff. They were deferred for consideration.

A MAD ACT.

Madman Leaps Head First Through Train Window.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 3.—Desperate on account of his capture by the authorities of the county home at Goodville after his escape last month, Jas. B. Hill, jun., aged 38, leaped from the train which was conveying him to the institution, and received fatal injuries last night. On the night of Aug. 6, when Hill disappeared from the asylum, a mysterious automobile was seen in the vicinity of the institution. It is thought that his escape was accomplished through the agency of the machine. Dr. Alvin Bulger and an attendant of the asylum traced Hill from New Cumberland, W. Va., to Rock Springs, Ohio, where he was apprehended. The party at once started for Pittsburg, and as the train was passing through a suburb Hill slipped away from his guards and the next moment crashed head first through the window. The train was immediately stopped, and Hill was unconscious with a deep gash in his head and suffering from a compound fracture of the skull.

Jas. B. Hill, jun., is a member of the Edwin M. Hill Lumber Co., which has a large plant in Pittsburg.

HER SAD END.

Former Actress, Orator and Populist in Denver Morgue.

Denver, Col., Sept. 3.—A woman's body, which has lain in the morgue two days unclaimed, has been identified as that of Helen Florence Dixon, former political orator and prominent in Populist circles, 20 years ago. In the early nineties when the Populist party was in power in Colorado, she was one of its leading exponents. She was known on the stage as Miss Helen Florence, and once was an instructor in an academy of music in Buffalo, N. Y.

For the last ten years Mrs. Dixon lived in seclusion in Denver. Her death is believed to have been caused by dependency.

"FOURTH" FOLLY.

Put Giant Cracker in His Mouth and is Now Dead.

Lockport, Sept. 3.—John Mulvey, 40 years old, Lockport's well-known character, who on July 5 last had his lower jaw and part of his face blown away by the explosion of a giant fire cracker in his mouth, died at 10 o'clock last night. He had apparently recovered from the Fourth of July injuries, but they brought on hemorrhages which caused his death. He is Lockport's second victim of this year's Fourth, a little Italian boy having been burned to death.

Mulvey and several companions were celebrating the Fourth on lower Main street. He made a bet with a companion that he could hold a giant cracker in his mouth and let it explode. He lit the cracker and placed it in his mouth. Before they were aware of his danger the cracker exploded, tearing away his face.

Fairy Tale.
Tommy—Tell us a fairy tale.
Guest—Once a man who had a baby that didn't cry and a dog that didn't bite went to live in a suburb without mosquitoes.—Harper's Bazaar.

Like the Historic Coon.
When Wu Ting-fang is not coming to the United States he is returning to China.—Boston Transcript.

Hixon—Did the operation on your wife's throat do her good? Dixon—it did us both good. She hasn't been able to talk for six weeks.—Boston Record.

SHOOTSDOCTOR AND HERSELF.

Physician Says She Suffered From Neurasthenia.

Both Are in Hospital and Probably Both Will Get Well.

Doctor Says He Will Make No Charge Against Her.

New York, Sept. 3.—Dr. Shirley N. C. Hicks, a young physician who has been practicing in Jamaica for the last nine years and is well known in that part of the greater city, was out making professional calls in one of his two automobiles yesterday forenoon when his aged mother answered a telephone call at his office at 28 Hardenbrook avenue, Jamaica. A woman at the telephone told Mrs. Hicks that her son, the doctor, was wanted immediately at the home of a Mrs. Condon in Dakota avenue, Dunton, a station on the Long Island Railroad just this side of Jamaica, who is one of the Long Island Railway surgeons and visiting surgeon to St. Mary's Hospital in Jamaica, called up Dr. Hicks' mother to tell her that Dr. Hicks had been shot through the left thigh by the Mrs. Condon who had sent for him, and that Mrs. Condon had sent her self just above the heart.

Dr. Hicks told his version of the shooting to the reporters as he lay in bed in St. Mary's Hospital, Jamaica, last night. In the room above him lay Mrs. Condon, who is charged on the blotter of the Richmond Hill police station with felonious assault and attempted suicide. Patrolman (artin sat outside her door and nobody was permitted to speak to her.

"I was called to Mrs. Condon's home," Dr. Hicks said, "and drove over there in a carriage shortly after luncheon. She and her husband, who is in the plumbing business in Brooklyn, have been patients of mine for some time.

"When I called at the house I found Mrs. Condon suffering from a complaint that has brought me to her house very often—neurasthenia. While I was talking to her and trying to quiet her as best I could she suddenly darted up stairs, leaving me in the parlor with her two children. She said as she left the room that she was going to kill herself. "A moment later I heard a shot upstairs and hurried up to her room. The first shot she fired was evidently with intent. As I came upstairs Mrs. Condon ran out to another room. I followed her to take the pistol away from her. As I was going through the corridor to follow her into the room to which she was fleeing she discharged the pistol again. Mrs. Condon shot toward the floor, but the bullet reached me first and is now lodged in my left thigh. The wound isn't dangerous, but it is painful.

STRUCK BY TRAIN.

Nineteen Persons Hurt, Two Fatally While in Hay Wagon.

Williamsburg, Pa., Sept. 3.—Nineteen persons were severely injured, two probably fatally, last night when a hay wagon in which they were being taken to a corn roast was struck by a freight engine at the St. Clair crossing of the Williamsburg branch of the Pennsylvania Railroad. Dorothy Henderson and Edna Sully, of this place, were caught in the upset wagon and dragged a great distance. Both were injured internally, and their condition is critical. The seventeen others, all young women and men, were painfully cut and bruised.

Shea's Saturday Sale.

We start the day at 8.30 sharp with a rousing early sale. Women's underskirts, sateens and moreens, black and colors, only 100 of them, nearly all came in yesterday, worth \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50, for 59c. Be here on time. Women's lawn dresses, worth up to \$8.00, for \$1.29. \$10 wash dresses and suits dresses, worth \$5.00, for \$1.95. A grand lot of bargains in lawn waists, \$1.50 and \$1.75, for 85c; \$2.00 for \$1.19; \$2.50 for \$1.49; \$3.50 for \$1.95. Women's balbriggan vests and drawers, worth 50c, for 29c. Lisle thread vests, 40c, for 19c. Following our early sale of petticoats we put on sale over 300 sample petticoats in sateens, moreens, moirettes, black and colors, worth \$5.00, for \$3.75. New fall suits at \$15.00, \$17.50, \$20, \$23. The best value ever shown. A quantity of New York sample suits at a third less than their value. A grand lot of bargains in our splendid staple department. Wash goods, worth from 20 to 40c, to clear at 10c. Shop early.—James Shea.

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GATHERING OF THE CURIOUS.
In front of the window a man was setting up a short stepladder, and eyeing the glass carefully, a couple of boys stopped and watched listlessly.
"That man's a window sign painter," continued the officer. "I have known him for years. He's a good fellow, and his business is perfectly legitimate, but he certainly does make some work for me whenever he comes around these corners."

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FLEET FOR EACH COLONY.

Speech by Lord Beresford at Toronto Canadian Club Banquet.

Be Supreme on Sea and Keep Trade Routes Open.

J. A. Macdonald on Canada's Place in the Empire.

Toronto, Sept. 3.—The Toronto National Club banqueted Lord Charles Beresford last night. In his speech he again and again emphasized his contention that the maintenance of the empire depended upon the keeping of its trade routes inviolate, and to do this it was essential that an Imperial fleet should be maintained which should be supreme on every sea. The part which the overseas dominions should take in the bearing of the burden was for themselves to decide, but he was convinced from the loyalty which he had seen expressed in Canada during his visit that this country, at any rate, would not be found wanting.

In characteristic phraseology he pointed out that "when another nation is increasing its defensive powers beyond the proportion demanded by its coast line and mercantile marine, it is time for us to keep our eyes skinned."

Quite a naval atmosphere was given to the banquet by the decorations. On every table arose tall flower stands modeled after the fighting tops of the moderns, and while flowers were also placed in miniature barbettes from which grinned the dwarf presentments of naval guns. On the wall opposite Lord Charles were lined parti-colored flags in the same combination as those which years ago floated from the high masts of Nelson's Victory and gave to the British race a watchword and a motto.

The President, Mr. G. T. Irving, presided, and among those who also presided were Senator Jaffray, Hon. W. J. Hanna, Mayor Oliver, Canon Cody, Mr. W. K. McNaught, M. P. P., Hon. Thos. Crawford, Col. G. T. Denison, Mr. J. A. Macdonald, Mr. A. F. Rutter, Hon. Dudley Carleton, Mr. W. K. George, Mr. J. S. Willison, Commodore C. G. Marlett, Mr. Frank Arnold, K. C., Mr. Wm. Stone, Capt. G. Jeffreys, Mr. R. M. Melville, Mr. W. P. Gundy, Mr. E. Bristol, M. P., Mr. G. H. D. Lee.

A letter regretting his inability to attend was received from Mr. G. H. Gooderham, M. P., President of the Exhibition. Lord Strathcona telegraphed from Winnipeg regretting that his engagements in the west prevented his acceptance of the club's invitation. The President also expressed regret for the absence of Sir James Whitney, who unfortunately had met with a slight accident in the course of the fire at the Parliament building. In his absence the address had been prepared was read by the Hon. W. J. Hanna.

WHAT IS CANADA'S PART?
After "The King" had been duly honored, Mr. J. A. Macdonald proposed "The Empire," a toast which he said would be received without recommendation or argument. They accepted the fact that Canada was an inseparable part of the empire.

There was a time when that was not taken for granted. In Canada or in Britain. Those were times when the permanence of such an empire, widely scattered and diverse, was in doubt. The world's history had no precedent. Men of today should not pride themselves over men of the past who doubted the stability of Britain's colonial empire. It would be to the disgrace of the present generation if they did not read the events of history which have made the empire advisable and Canada an inseparable part of it. They might differ on questions of politics, business, creed, or race, but they recognized that it rested upon them to prove themselves worthy of the day and to play their part as citizens of the world-empire, composed of the five free and united nations.

If Canada was an inseparable part of the empire she must also be a positive part of Canada, he said, "cannot be a sleeping partner in the firm of the 'British Empire.' Unlimited. Not because of what any nation has done or said, or may do or say, but because the old land has asked, but because of the Canadian impulse. That impulse bids us take our share and play our part."

Proceeding, he said that if the Dominion was an inseparable, and positive factor of the empire it must also be a defensive force in the empire. "We cannot look with blind eyes on what an Imperialist might do—but that empire statesman whose Imperialism no man would dare to doubt, Lord Rosebery, called this barbarization of Europe. Internationally we are still barbarians. Because of that fact Canada must play her part in the defence of a world-wide empire exposed to barbarism from without, if not from within. Whatever must be done, Canada must do it."

THE ADMIRAL'S SPEECH.
When Lord Charles Beresford rose to reply the entire assemblage sprang to their feet, sang "Rule, Britannia," and cheered again and again for "Conqueror Charlie." The gallant Admiral, in the opening sentences of his speech expressed appreciation of his welcome, and then referred to the Canadian incident as having been fortunately carried out when representatives of the press were present. Passing on, he paid a tribute to those officers and men of the navy who have played their part without coming prominently before the public, and to whom, as he modestly put it, the nation was equally indebted as to those upon whom the limelight had shone. "My old friend Sir Arthur Wilson did as much when single-handed he fought forty Dervishes till his sword broke, and then he fought them with his fists, and they had a devilish rough time."

Passing to the great topic which absorbs his mind, Imperial defence, he again expressed the gratitude felt in the old country that the overseas dominions should have voluntarily expressed themselves as prepared to assume some of the burdens which were inseparable from the defence of the empire, with its growing trade and population. He did not agree that Canada had done nothing. Canada had done all that was possible, and they must remember that the old country had to keep up the defence of the empire or lose possession, which she could not afford to do.

history was a story of unselfishness, and when men were needed she had sent them.

"I must say," he proceeded, "that at the present moment the overseas dominions have appreciated the danger of the present crisis more than we have. There is nothing wrong with the old country, but she is gone to sleep. She will wake up; she is not the blind, blithering, silly old country she is supposed to be."

If she did not wake up, then the time would come when they would find it impossible to extend their ship-building programme, in response to the efforts of other nations, because the ships would not be clear. It was exactly the position of the manufacturer's business to take notes, and without threats or hysterical shouting to be prepared. The British navy in proportion to its mercantile marine was maintained at a cost of £2.17 per ton. That of a neighboring nation cost £6.17 per ton, and when they saw a nation paying such a high rate of insurance for its mercantile marine it was necessary for them to keep their eyes skinned.

THE PRESENT CONDITION.
"What is the crisis?" he asked. "It is that we have got it into our heads that our fleet in the near future would not be in the unassailable position which we demand it should be." He was a practical man, and supremacy, to his mind, could only mean a supreme position on every ocean, protecting all trade routes, and only four weeks' food in Britain they could realize what an interruption of seaborne trade would mean. It is not the actual danger to the ships, but shippers would not ship, for they were the most nervous class of men, who perspired from the time they did ship until they got the telegram of arrival. It would mean that stocks and securities of all kinds would tumble down to zero. "Why risk such a thing at all?" he asked. "What does it matter having a few too many battleships as long as it makes it so that you will not have war?"

Then for a moment he touched upon the feeling of a man of experience on the horrible results of war. Proceeding, he said it was not his desire, and indeed it would be impertinent for him to do so, to offer any advice as to what Canada should do. For a public man to voice any such utterance would be to greatly harm and probably nullify the objects of the governments which were conferring on this important matter. He declared his faith in the continuance of the unity of the empire.

SHOULD HAVE THEIR OWN CRUISERS.

Proceeding, he said: "I see it is suggested that the dominions should have cruisers of their own. If that is so I can only say that it is an excellent suggestion. The difficulty you will encounter is in the training of your men. Any dominion can hire its defence, but it cannot buy its experience and discipline, and all that is necessary in time of war to make a man-of-war effective. If the Dominions do decide to have cruisers, they can be easily arranged. It will consolidate the empire more to have standardized cruisers and repairing stations. You can have four on the east coast and three on the west coast, and those on the west coast can change with the Channel fleet in times of training and so get to know each other better. We should find that the overseas dominions could teach us something. That would give the needle to the old country and she'd wake up a bit."

On the other hand the cruisers of the sister nations would have the advantage of the experience of the old country in naval affairs. "I believe," he said, "that the principle is sound that it will unite the empire more, and certainly make its defence more effective if we did go to war. It is the same as having a policeman on the beat. It is no use the policeman going to bed and then when a burglar comes ringing him up. The man's away with the swag by that time."

Once again he pointed out that imperial defence did not mean imperial aggrandizement, but it did mean that they must be prepared to attack. There was too much talk of hurrying the susceptibilities of other nations. "When you talk about hurrying the susceptibility of a nation you begin to lose it. The Empire stands in the ring and saying to a man, 'I don't want to hurt your susceptibility.' Why, he would give you a black eye in the first minute." Real security had to be backed by physical strength, and he had seen within a year how treaties could be torn up and flung to the winds. In conclusion the Admiral pleaded for the cultivation of patriotism. Let each of the component nations have its own flag, but let the old Jack ("There the old beggar, is blowing out," he said, pointing to an ensign, streaming in the breeze) "represent the empire, one and indivisible."

Cheer again broke out at the conclusion of Lord Charles' address, and the proceedings terminated with the singing of "God Save the King."

LESS WHISKEY.

Annual Report of the Inland Revenue Department.

Ottawa, Sept. 2.—The annual report of the Inland Revenue Department for the last fiscal years shows a considerable falling off in the production of spirits and in the consumption of tobacco, due, doubtless, to the financial stringency and the consequent economizing of liquor and tobacco users. The quantity of spirits produced during the twelve months was 3,176,048 gallons, a decrease of 1,673,715 gallons, or about 25 per cent, as compared with the previous fiscal year. The foreign demand for Canadian distillery products also fell off, the quantity exported being 311,314 gallons, a decrease of 101,543 gallons. The excise revenue was \$15,048,589, a decrease of \$929,073. The number of cigars taken for consumption during the year was 192,105,371, as compared with 200,133,255 in 1907. The number of cigarettes manufactured last year was 356,189,386, a decrease from the previous year of 28,304,674.

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Talcum powder of the finest quality, possessing most valuable healing and antiseptic qualities, superior to the talcum powders in cans and costing less than one half as much. It is very economical for family use. Only at Gerrie's drug store, 32 James street north.

School Opening Sale
Special prominence given all this week to all lines of interest to students and mothers of school children. The problem of what to wear made easy.



The Right House
"HAMILTON'S FAVORITE SHOPPING PLACE"

Sale Jap. Mattings
Entire remaining stock of Jap Mattings, divided into three lots, 28c and 29c values for 21c; 35c and 40c values for 25c; 50c and 60c values for 39c.

Huge purchases for spot cash give us price advantages that the people of Hamilton and vicinity cannot afford to ignore. It has been so other years, it is so in a still greater sense this year. Come, examine and be convinced.

White Enamelled Beds
Strong Iron Beds, some in plain white enamelled, some brass trimmed, others white enamelled with brass filling; plain colonial styles of neat square tubing, also plain and fancy designs in round tubing. Reliable beds that once purchased will last a lifetime. Prices all greatly reduced as follows:

\$2.98, reduced from \$4.25	\$5.25, reduced from \$6.75
\$3.98, reduced from \$4.75	\$6.29, reduced from \$7.75
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\$5.98, reduced from \$7.50	

Magnificent Brass Beds
Some magnificent all-brass Beds in both round and square tubing; designs from plain to medium fancy. You know what an all-brass bed is, and what a beautiful addition one of these is to the home. Here is a chance to get one of the very best—a RIGHT HOUSE value even at the regular price—now at a big reduction.

\$23.98, reduced from \$30.00	\$41.98, reduced from \$47.00
\$27.98, reduced from \$35.00	Others from \$40.00 to \$60.00

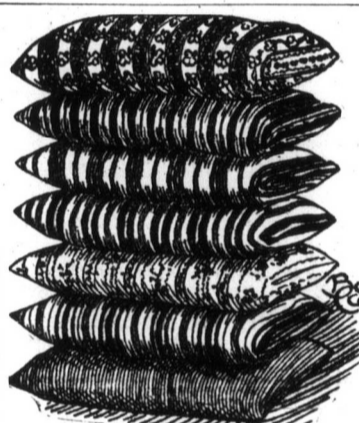
One very fine colonial design combination white enamelled and Brass Bed; exceptionally large square tubing posts, neatly capped with brass, also brass filling in head and foot. A very special bargain for someone. One only.
At \$22.89, reduced from \$37.00

Great Mattress Values
We have a very complete line of Mattresses, in one or two parts, and offer very special values in these to match the other magnificent bargains offered at our annual sale of Beds and Bedding.

WATKINS' SPECIAL Javoline Floss Mattress, in durable art tick, very lofty and exceedingly light to handle; guaranteed to retain its buoyancy. In one or two parts. Very special at \$14.80 for largest bed size.

SPECIAL all-cotton Felt Mattress, in heavy sateen tick, at \$7.39, reduced from \$9.50.

MIXED MATTRESSES—A very popular line and great bargains at the prices of \$3.75 and \$6.00.



Blankets at Sale Prices
Reliable and warm Blankets will never come cheaper than during this sale. If you need Blankets take advantage of this great RIGHT HOUSE sale to buy them at a good reduction. Fine, unshrinkable, beautifully soft blankets; bulk up finely and neatly finished at ends with stripe border.

64 by 84 inches, very special at \$3.28 pair
68 by 88 inches, very special at \$3.93 pair

Special very fine all-wool Blankets, made from pure well-washed good, cut and neatly finished at both ends with nice border. A magnificent quality woollen blanket.

66 by 82 inches, \$5.29, reduced from \$6.38
70 by 86 inches, \$6.39, reduced from \$7.38
72 by 90 inches, \$6.88, reduced from \$8.50

Cotton Blankets, very best quality and largest size. Sale price \$1.29, regular \$1.60.

Large White Quilts
White Quilts; full double bed size; in fine Marseilles designs.
Sale price \$1.19, regular \$1.35 value
Sale price \$1.61, regular \$2.00 value

Bed Springs: Special Values
Very special values in reliable Bed Springs, to make our bed and bedding sale complete. Prices \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.50, \$3.75 up to \$15.00.

Bed Pillows
20 by 26 inches, in art ticks; very special at \$1.48 per pair.
21 by 27 inches; in art ticks; very lofty and fine pillow; \$2.09 per pair, regular \$2.50 value.
20 by 27 inches, filled with choicest swan feathers; exceptionally fine and durable pillows; very special at \$4.50 pair.

Wool-filled Comforters
Lamb's Wool Filled Comforters; fine pongee art covering; very light and lofty; 72 by 78 inches; sale price \$4.69, regular \$5.50 value.
Other lines, very light and lofty Comforters; special art covering; in two prices. Very special at \$1.75 and \$2.25.

THOMAS C. WATKINS HAMILTON ONTARIO Established Sixty-six Years Ago

THE HOUSEKEEPER
NORTHERN CORNBREAD.
Sift together one and a half cups of yellow cornmeal and the same quantity of flour, two teaspoonsful of goods baking powder, one scant teaspoonful of salt, and one teaspoonful of sugar. Beat well one egg and stir it through the above dry ingredients; add two tablespoonfuls of melted butter and about one and half cups of sweet milk, enough to make a soft batter. Bake in a well-greased large, deep pie tin, or the largest size layer cake tin, in a hot oven.

SALAD DRESSING.
One tablespoonful of flour, three tablespoonfuls of sugar, one teaspoonful of salt, one of dry mustard or two of prepared mustard, a dash of red pepper; mix together, beat the yolks of three eggs light, add a teaspoonful of vinegar. Cook all together in double boiler until it thickens, add a heaping teaspoonful of butter, beat well. Let cool and if convenient add a little either sweet or sour cream, not milk. This dressing poured over finely chopped cabbage has made more than one dinner famous for me, and I have been immediately besieged for my recipe for making same.

HAM (SOUTHERN).
Slice a ham one inch thick. Have the skillet smoking hot. Put in ham and sear both sides; turn constantly until a golden brown. Lower the fire, add one tablespoonful sugar; spread it well over the top of the ham. Cover lightly and let cook slowly for twenty minutes.

NEWS IN BRIEF
The Emperor of Russia will visit Moscow next week.
President Taft will probably visit Alaska next summer.
Additional men are required for the Toronto police force.
Mr. E. W. Bruce has been appointed fourth inspector of Toronto Public Schools.
There are still forty miles of the National Transcontinental Railway to be laid with rails to complete the line from Winnipeg to Fort William.
The Lusitania clipped three hours from her best previous record, proving herself a real four-day boat.
Mrs. Anna Wilson, aged 28, the Toronto woman who shot herself last Monday in Buffalo, died yesterday morning.
Mr. E. Thomas will license Chinese laundries, and tax them \$50 a year, cancelling the licenses whenever liquor or gambling devices are found on the property of the recommendation of a special committee is adopted by the City Council.
A Pennsylvania Railroad train yesterday afternoon struck an automobile at Douglassville, killing W. Gault and wife of Temple, and the wife of Dr. Samuel E. Stiegel, a well-known dentist of Reading. Dr. Stiegel had both legs broken and cannot survive.
Raymond Hitchcock, the comedian, was given a clean bill on the Criminal Court records at New York yesterday, when the Court of General Sessions dismissed the remaining four indictments against him charging misconduct.
During the week Hon. A. J. Macpherson, the Provincial Treasurer, sold over \$300,000 in Ontario bonds, bringing the total sales under the present loan of \$1,938,000. Of this total nearly \$500,000 was received in small individual subscriptions ranging from \$100 to \$2,500.
While lighting a fire at her home, 104 Macpherson avenue Toronto, about 7 o'clock last night, Flossie, the four-year-old daughter of Mr. Frank Robbins, was badly burned about the limbs and body, and her mother, in trying to extinguish the flames, was also painfully burned about the arms and chest.
The Toronto District Labor Council last night passed a resolution to the effect that the names of contractors bidding for Board of Education contracts should be submitted to the District Labor Council before contracts were awarded, in order that the Council could decide as to whether they were fair employers of labor or not.
Yesterday Hon. W. J. Hanna, Provincial secretary, announced the appointment of C. R. W. Postlethwaite as inspector of asylums, succeeding S. A. Armstrong, who became assistant Provincial secretary on the resignation of Thomas Mulvey. Mr. Postlethwaite has been acting inspector during Mr. Hanna's absence in Europe all summer.
"The Government will take steps to proceed with the reconstruction of the damaged portion of the buildings at once," was the statement of Sir James Whitney to the newspapermen who interviewed him at the close of the special Cabinet meeting held yesterday afternoon to consider matters relative to the conflagration at the Provincial Parliament buildings. "In doing so," continued the Premier, "a fireproof roof will be placed on the damaged part of the building, and the question of extending this system of roofing over the entire structure will be considered."

Everybody Should Visit Canada's Greatest Exhibition
On account of the Canadian National Exhibition the Grand Trunk Railway System will issue return tickets at single fare to Toronto from all stations in Ontario, west of Cornwall and Ottawa daily until Sept. 11, inclusive. Good returning from Toronto on or before Sept. 14, 1909.
Special low rate excursions will be run from all points on certain dates, giving patrons of the Grand Trunk an opportunity of visiting Toronto at very small cost.
Don't fail to call on nearest Grand Trunk Agent for full particulars.
To Develop Coal and Timber Areas.
Edmonton, Sept. 2.—German capitalists have organized a four-million-dollar syndicate to develop rich coal areas and a timber reserve on a distance west of this city on the line of the G. T. P. As soon as the road reaches their property the mines will be developed and lumber mills will be erected.

BREAKFAST MUFFINS.
Soak one cup stale bread crumbs in one pint sour milk, one teaspoonful of soda dissolved in hot water, half a cupful of cornmeal, three tablespoonfuls graham flour, salt, tablespoonful of sugar, teaspoonful melted butter, two well beaten eggs, flour enough to make stiff enough to hold together. Sift one teaspoonful of baking powder in flour. Bake in hot buttered gem pans.

COOL DRINKS.
Make strong coffee by using one heaping tablespoonful of coffee to each half cup of boiling water. Let boil, then add half a cupful of cold water. Strain and add to it an equal portion of boiling hot milk, sweeten slightly, and chill by standing in a refrigerator or pack in ice. Serve in thin glass with whipped cream.

ABANDONED SHIP.
Nova Scotia Sailors Have a Trying Experience.
Halifax, N. S., Sept. 2.—Capt. Davis and crew of the schooner Zwicker, which sank off the east coast of Prince Edward Island, arrived at North Sydney to-day after a thrilling experience. The Zwicker left Sydney with coal for the Fame Point lighthouse, and when 64 miles off the coast of Prince Edward Island a heavy southwest gale sprang up. At midnight the schooner was headed for the coast, and the men kept at the pumps for 22 hours.
When fifteen miles off the east point, the water having constantly gained, it was decided to abandon the vessel, and twenty minutes later she went to the bottom. The exhausted crew started in a leaky dory. After two hours' rowing they were picked up by the American fishing schooner Emily Conroy and taken to Soursis.
To Lay Corner-Stones.
Ottawa, Sept. 2.—It is announced from Government House that His Excellency Earl Grey has accepted the invitations from the Provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan to lay the corner-stones of the new Provincial Parliament buildings at Edmonton on Oct. 1 and at Regina on Oct. 4.

CASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of
J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass., U.S.A.
A brain is worth little without a tongue.—French.

ICE TEA.
Steep required amount of tea in boiling water for five minutes. Pour tea off the leaves and dilute with amount of cold water necessary.
Fill glasses two-thirds full with cracked ice. Put a slice of lemon and a sprig of mint in each glass and pour in the tea—a most refreshing drink.

CREAMED ASPARAGUS SCRAMBLE.
One pint of chopped creamed asparagus tips, seasoned and heated. Break eight eggs into a buttered frying pan, shake generously with salt and pepper, and toss up lightly with a knife until they are well scrambled, but soft and tender. Quickly stir in the asparagus and serve with hot, crisp cheese wafers.

MUSKMELOON PUNCH.
Press the pulp of fine flavored musk melons through a sieve until you have a quart of juice. Add half the quantity of ice water and the juice of two lemons. Sweeten to taste, strain, and serve with cracked ice.
REFRESHING DRINK.
A cool, refreshing drink is made by using two teaspoonfuls of any fruit vinegar to a glass of water. To make the vinegar, put two quarts of any kind of berries, or grapes, in a crock, cover with good cider vinegar, and let stand for twenty-four hours. Then bring to the boiling point. Mash the fruit and strain through a cloth. Measure the juice and add an equal quantity of granulated sugar. Boil fifteen minutes and can or bottle while hot.

TO BAKE POTATOES.
While the fire is kindling place an asbestos mat on top of the stove or range, and on this immediately place your potatoes, which have been washed clean and wiped dry. Cover with a granite pan—a two-quart pan will fit the common asbestos mat. With one turning they will be ready to serve by the time the rest of the meal is prepared and will be found nearly until piping hot well under the usual waste of fuel and time in heating a cold oven and keeping it hot for an hour. They can be baked on a gas-line stove by slipping an iron stove lid underneath the asbestos mat.
BREAKFAST SALAD.
Scald two ripe tomatoes, peel them, and put them in cold water or fine ice to become cold; drain and either slice or divide into sections. Peel

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SPORTS BASEBALL BOXING BOWLING RACING RUGBY SOCCER ROWING GOLF YACHTING

TORONTO WON OPENING GAME WITH BALTIMORE.

Providence Took Double-Header From Rochester - Detroit Won Fourteenth Straight Game.

GOOD BEGINNING almost resulted in a bad ending for the Leafs at Diamond Park, Toronto, yesterday afternoon. The Leafs beat the Champion Orioles by 7 to 6, but the game was in the balance before the third man was retired in the ninth. It was a decidedly changed team which faced "Doc" Newton from the one which represented Baltimore on the occasion of the last Oriole visit. Pete Cassidy was missing from first base. Monte Cross, the old leaguer who led all the short fielders of the big circuits at different times, played shortstop and in centre field was Clark, a Tri-State Leaguer recently secured from Trenton. There were several left handed hitters in the bunch and when southpaw Newton started at them the game immediately took on the complexion of a Toronto victory, but "Doc" went to the bad in the fourth inning and aside from a temporary recovery of form in the seventh he got worse as the game progressed and when he had almost tossed off his own victory in the ninth he was placed on the retired list in favor of Rudolph. The Leafs hit and fielded well and succeeded in getting at least one man on base in every inning. McCloskey only gave two walks and struck out six batsmen, but he was peppered for twelve hits. Score: R. H. E. Baltimore 6 8 6 Toronto 7 12 0 Batteries—McCloskey and Hearne, Newton, Rudolph and Vandy.

AT BUFFALO. Buffalo, Sept. 3.—Both Pitcher Ford and Shortstop Foster went to pieces in the eighth and hits followed the latter's error allowed the Buffalos to put five runs over the plate. Malarky pitched a good game, misplays giving the Skeeters their three counts. Score: R. H. E. Buffalo 7 6 7 Jersey City 3 4 2 Batteries—Malarky and McAllister, Ford and McDonough.

AT ROCHESTER. Rochester, Sept. 3.—Providence invaded Rochester yesterday afternoon and to games through the fine pitching of Barberich and Lafitte. Score: R. H. E. Providence 4 10 3 Rochester 1 2 2 Batteries—Barberich and Peterson, Berger and Erwin. Second game— R. H. E. Rochester 0 7 2 Providence 3 7 3 Batteries—Ragon and Erwin, Lafitte and Fitzgerald.

AT MONTREAL. Montreal, Sept. 3.—Newark won two games from the Royals yesterday afternoon. After having a five-run lead in the first Newark had a tight squeeze. Montreal never had a chance in the

second; when poor fielding gave Newark three of their four runs. Score: Newark 4 8 1 Montreal 0 4 2 Batteries—Frill, McGinnity and Blair, Wicker and Krichell. Second game— R. H. E. Newark 4 8 1 Montreal 0 4 2 Batteries—Mueller and Blair, Winters and Starnagle.

IN THE AMERICAN. At Detroit.—By beating Boston yesterday, 8-5, Detroit accomplished the unusual feat of taking every game played with the four eastern clubs in the series closed by this contest. The victory was achieved, as has been a majority of others, by scoring enough runs in the first inning to give the team an advantage all the way. Boston hit harder than Detroit, but the latter ran bases in daring and took advantage of errors. Score: R. H. E. Detroit 8 7 3 Boston 5 10 3 Batteries—Willett and Stange; Collins, Pape and Donohue. At Cleveland.—Cleveland and New York broke even yesterday. Hughes held Cleveland safe in the first game. In the second Upp, a left-hander from Columbus, allowed New York only five hits. He won his own game by a single in the ninth. Score: R. H. E. Cleveland 1 9 1 New York 6 10 2 Batteries—Burger, Sinton and Benis; Hughes and Sweeney. R. H. E. Cleveland 2 9 1 New York 1 3 1 Batteries—Upp and Easterly; Warhop and Kleinow.

At Chicago.—Chicago defeated St. Louis 6 to 3 in a hard hitting game yesterday. St. Louis made five hits and three runs in the first, but Chicago tied the score in the same inning, when Dougherty's home run scored Parent and Cole in front of him. St. Louis had the bases full with one out in the ninth, but Parent made a remarkable one-handed catch of Stone's hot liner and tumbled it into a double play. Score: R. H. E. Chicago 3 9 0 St. Louis 3 5 0 Batteries—Smith and Owens; Batley and Graham and Criger.

IN THE NATIONAL. At Boston.—Boston won the first game of a doubleheader from Pittsburgh, one to nothing, and the visitors captured the second 5 to 3. It was the first time this season the locals have won from Pittsburgh. In the first contest, Curtis held the visitors to five hits, and his good support saved several runs. Mattern was hard in the third inning of the second game, deciding it. Score: R. H. E. Boston 1 0 0 Pittsburgh 5 3 2 Batteries—Adams, Camnitz and Gibson; Curtis and Graham. R. H. E. Pittsburgh 5 8 2 Boston 3 6 1 Batteries—Philippi, Camnitz and Gib-



HAMILTON ROWING CLUB'S SENIOR FOUR. From left to right: Pilgrim, Skelley, Sloan and Mahoney.

son; Mattern, Richie and Shaw. At Brooklyn.—Brooklyn turned the tables on Chicago yesterday, winning a hotly contested game by 3 to 1. Rucker had the visitors guessing, and allowed only four hits, while the locals found the two Chicago pitchers for ten. Meyers, the new Brooklyn outfielder, was the hero of the day, his hits driving in all the runs for his team. Score: R. H. E. Chicago 1 4 1 Brooklyn 3 10 1 Batteries—Reulbach, Higginbotham and Archer; Rucker and Berger. At New York.—Marquard struck out eleven men in seven innings, but his support was so poor that in this time St. Louis made five runs, which was enough to win from New York. Bebe relieved Raleigh in the sixth, after New York scored twice, and stopped the locals' run-getting. Score: R. H. E. St. Louis 5 5 2 New York 2 4 5 Batteries—Raleigh, Bebe and Phelps; Marquard, Crandall and Myers. At Philadelphia.—Philadelphia and Cincinnati split even in a doubleheader here yesterday. Score: R. H. E. Philadelphia 9 12 1 Cincinnati 3 11 1 Batteries—Corrigan, Sparks, Foxen and Dooin; Spade and Herbert. Second game— R. H. E. Philadelphia 3 9 0 Cincinnati 3 8 1 Batteries—Moore and Dooin; Howe and Castwell.

Athletic Club For Hamilton.

The Irish-Canadian Athletic Club, of Toronto, intend to establish a branch of their organization in Hamilton in the near future, and a meeting will be called in Hamilton to start the ball rolling. There is no reason why a city of the size of Hamilton, and turning out so many athletes of a high calibre, should not have an association to look after their interests, and the I. C. A. C. seeing the need of such a body in this city has decided to step in. Their idea is to have a local branch under local officers to foster track athletics, and to assist those who may wish to compete in the big meets anywhere, and who merit it. The Irish-Canadians are now incorporated, and are on a good sound basis. If the plan is carried out, intercity meets could be held occasionally, and additional interest aroused. It is the intention of the I. C. A. C. to form branches in all the cities, and towns where there has been going ahead in leaps and bounds since their reorganization.

GOING UP AGAIN IS "YOUNG CY."



"YOUNG CY" YOUNG. Minneapolis, Sept. 3.—Back to the big circle for "Young Cy" Young, the Millers' crack left-handed pitcher, who has been sold to the Chicago American league club. Being in the majors will be no novelty to Young, who before he came here was with the Boston Nationals. He has been pitching splendidly all season, and that shrewd judge of players, Chas. Comiskey, believes he is about right for another trip.

LACROSSE

The Tiger lacrosse team had a splendid work-out last night at Victoria Park, in preparation for their game with Newmarket on Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The grounds will be roped off and police protection will be supplied. This is a very important game to the Tigers, and the C. L. A. have instructed the executive to take every precaution, so that the game will not be interfered with. Toddman, in goal, was accepting every chance, and Manager Ratele is more than pleased with his showing. He is really showing junior form, and if he plays the same game as he does in the practices, the public will be treated to a fine display of goal keeping. The Hamilton defense is working splendidly, and the home will give a good account of itself. From the chalk talks given by E. C. Saunders, and practices, the team has improved greatly in every way, stick work and team play. Newmarket will have a large following, as they are running an excursion. The Tiger's executive hope that the public will be generous, as they have to play a return match on Labor Day in Newmarket, and it will cost a considerable amount of money for transportation. The game will be played rain or shine. The game will be no mistake, as all C. L. A. teams are under bonds to play their games as scheduled. From the amount of talk in regard to same, from the surrounding districts, there will be a bumper house on Saturday.

SOCCER

The Westinghouse and Sons of Scotland will meet Saturday afternoon at Norton Park. Kick off at 3:30 p. m. Westinghouse team: Teague, Thombs, Thoms, Graham, Newton, Wilson, S. Linton, Thombs, Wands, Hewitson.

Harriers' Meeting.

A meeting of the Central Y. M. C. A. Junior Harriers will be held to-night in the boys' parlor. All members are urgently requested to attend as the election of officers for the ensuing year will take place.

SPLENDID SPORT AT FORT ERIE YESTERDAY.

Bidding and Claiming Was Brisk After the Selling Runs—Racing Was Spirited.

AT FORT ERIE YESTERDAY with a return of fine weather came an influx of visitors and accounted for some splendid sport. Small fields were the rule throughout, but as the starters were of an even calibre, the racing was spirited, and speculation the liveliest of the meet. Messrs. Schorr, Johnson and Bellwell's colors were much in evidence during the afternoon, representatives from their stables accounting for six of the purses, each of the owners taking a pair. The other purses went to J. W. Fuller, whose General Marchmont scored a scratch victory in the closing dash. The feature race, a handicap at a mile and a sixteenth, went to All Red, which in his present form, seemed to outclass the others at the weight allotment, but was forced to his best near the end to outstay Old Honesty, the top weight. Grania, with her usual tactics, essayed the running for the first three-quarters, and succumbed to All Red and Old Honesty, the pair fighting it out to the finish, and the three-year-old drawing away steadily. The succeeding race brought together a fair band of sprinters, and it furnished an upset in the defeat of Al Muller by Hyperion II. The latter showed decided improvement over his early starts, and scored the easiest victory of the afternoon. Al Muller had little difficulty disposing of St. Jeanne for second place. Superior riding on the part of Guy Burns enabled J. W. Schorr to land the purses in the first and second races, with Paul Davis and Geo. W. Lebolt respectively. In the opener Galvesca was much the best, but C. Ross nipped her badly in the last few strides, which caused her defeat. Howard's inability to put up a strong finish in the second was instrumental in bringing about Marchmont's defeat. Burns lifting Geo. W. Lebolt home in the last stride. Ragman was pressing the pair closely near the finish, and would have won in a few strides more. Bedwell scored his initial success of the afternoon in the third race, when Right Easy sprang eagles. Dr. Wally Briggs and Sewell, winning in a common center. His The Wrestler, in the sixth, was the shortest-priced winner of the afternoon, and led Flora Riley and Alice, the only other starters, by a big margin from barrier rise to finish. The closing dash promised a rattling contest from the start, but Anne McGee's failure to get away from the barrier in a forward position eliminated her as a sharp factor. Ceremonious appeared to have the race at her mercy in the

before a minute had passed the boat had sunk from sight. Happily there is plenty of time to secure another shell from Toronto, and the local boys will still be able to compete in the eight-oared race. The Dominion Power & Transmission Company has promised to provide plenty of accommodation on the Radial and cars will be run every half hour from the Terminal station.

SCRAP TALK

San Francisco, Sept. 3.—Betting odds are announced on the Johnson-Kaufman ten-round fight. Referee Eddie Smith is prohibited from rendering a decision, but he is not debarred from stating his opinion of the match to newspaper men at the end of the bout. It is this opinion that will decide bets, and Corbett announced odds as follows: Two to one that Johnson will win decision over Kaufman in ten rounds. Ten to six that Kaufman will last ten rounds against the heavyweight champion. When Coffroth visited Johnson's quarters yesterday the big negro said: "Say, Coffroth, if I don't knock out that big white man for you in nine rounds you don't need to give me any further training." Coffroth at once took him up. A perfect dream of a hat makes a woman hate to wake up.

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Stores in Nine Cities ARE YOU WISE OR OTHERWISE? If it's wise to prepare for war in time of peace, why not PREPARE FIGHT NOW for your Fall and Winter wearables? Our pre-season sale of new Fall and Winter Suits and Overcoats should interest you. Ten Per Cent. Discount from regular prices on all orders taken before Sept. 18 for new Fall Suits or Overcoats for delivery now or as late as Nov. 1st. The saving is decisive and as positive as though it were clipped from gold bonds—the inconvenience of immediate outlay is also avoided—SIMPLY ORDER NOW—pay later on delivery. Regular prices for Suits and Overcoats to measure, \$15 to \$25. If we ever had occasion to pride ourselves on the quality and variety of our stock—it's right now! Positively the largest and most beautiful assortment of choice Woollens ever gathered are here. "Looking's free." When may we expect you? LYONS TAILORING CO 114-116 James St. N. Union Label on Every Garment

COMMENT AND GOSSIP

Since the Irish Canadian Athletic Club of Toronto is thinking of forming an athletic club in this city, no doubt the Athletic Association will wake up and get its organization going. The last named club would be more popular in Hamilton, but if the men behind the scheme continue to hesitate, and the idea hangs fire much longer, the Toronto club will step in and occupy the field.

Such a club is bound to be formed here sooner or later, and as the early bird catches the worm, it is up to the Tigers.

The deciding games in the single bowling competition for the Carr trophy at the Victoria Bowling Club will be played this afternoon. Messrs. Muir, Chambers, Gayfer and Guy have already reached the semi-final stage. Ald. George Guy is the dark horse. He succeeded in winning from C. E. Parkholder yesterday, and gave a good record on the score. Gayfer is a most careful and reliable player, who keeps a cool head in a critical situation. If the competition narrows down to the Scottish veterans of the game, Muir and Chambers, there is nothing for the other members to do but to adopt a bizz in their bowling vocabulary.

The following is the amateur definition that will likely be agreed upon by the Federation and C. A. A. U.: An amateur athlete is a person who has not competed in any individual athletic competition for a stake bet, money, private or public, or gate receipts or competed with or against a professional or professional in any game for an individual prize or prize. Who has never taught or assisted in the pursuit of any athletic exercise or sport as a means of livelihood; who has never directly or indirectly, received any bonus or payment in lieu of loss of time, while playing as a member of any club, or any money, consideration whatever for any services as an athlete, except his actual hotel and travelling expenses; or who has never entered into any competition under a name other than his own, or who has never been guilty of selling or peddling his prizes.

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HOW TEAMS IN THE BIG LEAGUES STAND

Table with columns for Eastern, National, and American leagues, listing teams and their win/loss records.

Many enthusiastic members of outside clubs will be on hand, including Joe Wright, Bush Thompson, Ald. Tommy Church, of Toronto, and many others. The Beach Commissioners have kindly given visitors permission to store their boats in the pavilion. An unfortunate accident happened to the local eight when they were out exercising last night. After a half an hour's spin around the bay they were returning to the club house when the boat struck a hidden pile and ripped a big hole in its bottom. The water flowed in the aperture at such a rapid rate that

DR. COOK'S GREAT FEAT.

Leading Students and Explorers on His Discovery.

No Reason to Doubt the Veracity of the Explorer's Statement.

Polar Exploration Will Not Cease Because of His Success.

New York, Sept. 2.—No matter what laurels Dr. Cook may bring back from the frozen zone, there is one group of people who will never forgive him. This is the Reed Hollow Earth Exploring Club.

Dr. Cook has asserted that all he could see at the pole was snow and ice, and he failed lamentably to find any hole. When the Hollow Earth Exploring Company was incorporated at Albany, William Reed and William Osborn contended that the earth was hollow, with an entrance to the interior at the north pole. The idea, before Osborn and Reed got it, was known as the "Symmes'" hole idea, and it had extensive publicity during the last generation. Reed declared that the earth had in its interior vast continents, oceans, mountains and rivers, with vegetable and animal life, and people as yet unknown to the dwellers on the earth's exterior surface.

NO REASON TO DOUBT. Winnipeg, Sept. 2.—The unanimous opinion among the scientists of the British Association who are still in the city, and especially those connected with the geographical section, is that there can be no possible reason for doubting the report of the discovery of the pole received from the intrepid explorer. "Dr. Cook is a man who has been closely connected with Arctic work for many years," said Sir Joseph Lamour, "and there is no reason for doubting his trustworthiness. He seems to have found an easier way than the others who have tried before him, but that he has found the pole I have no doubt."

Dr. Robert Bell, whose work in the northland has been extensive, gave as reasons for Dr. Cook's success the fact that he started in the winter, when the ice was hard and dry, and travelling was easy; the fact that he managed to procure good dogs and trustworthy Eskimos, and the further fact that he travelled in a somewhat different direction to that taken by those who made the attempt before him. If he had explicit faith in Dr. Cook's wonderful feat, Mr. Wallace has almost completed plans for an expedition to go to the relief of Dr. Cook. In his statement he said: "I have no doubt that Dr. Cook has reached the north pole. He is a man of extreme reliability, fairly scientific, and versed in geographical conditions in the Arctic regions."

MAJOR DARWIN SURPRISED. Major Leonard Darwin, President of the Royal Geographical Society, said: "There is no reason why the North Pole should not have been reached, and it is a very fine feat to have accomplished. In the absence of detailed information I am not in a position to express a critical opinion, but if, as reported, Dr. Cook reached the Pole on the floor ice, I must confess to surprise. That, however, does not make my congratulations any the less warm."

Commander of the British Antarctic Expedition of 1904, explaining the extraordinary rapidity of Dr. Cook's dash, said: "It may be that the new area discovered by Dr. Cook is a sheltered sea, over which he travelled. The heavy pressures of the Polar sea may have left this sea comparatively smooth, enabling him to make his rapid progress. The principal geographical interest in Dr. Cook's journey would appear to lie in the details of this hitherto unknown land and the absence of ice pressure in the Polar sea."

FRENCH SCIENTISTS DELIGHTED. Paris, Sept. 2.—The news of Dr. Cook's success was received with the greatest interest by the members of the French Geographical Society, one of whom said: "Dr. Cook apparently has succeeded where others failed. His success depended on the condition of the atmosphere and the positions of the glaciers, which, up to the present time, have jealously stayed the advance of man. Dr. Cook's record should determine whether or not there is a flattening of the earth at the pole, and verify the mathematical situation of the Polar star at the zenith."

ZEPPELIN TO FLY NORTH. Berlin, Sept. 2.—Prof. Hergesell, the scientific adviser of the proposed expedition to the North Pole in the Zeppelin airship, speaking to-day of Dr. Cook's achievement, said: "I am extremely glad an explorer has

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AMONG THE JEWS

Victor D. Brenner, is certainly in the public eye, but in all the accounts printed in the daily papers about the new Lincoln penny and the artist who designed them, there is no mention of the fact that Brenner is a Jew and a Russian Jew at that, who came to New York as a boy, sold matches in the street, and studied art at night in Cooper Union.

Dr. Henry Lesser, a New York Jewish surgeon, probably which he gratified the corner of the eye of a rabbit to the eye of a man, thus successfully restoring sight to the latter, who had been blind for fifteen years. The patient is now able to distinguish colors and go about unattended.

Free scholarships for the sons and daughters of Jewish farmers in the United States have been established. These enable the holders to take courses of instruction which will be of vast benefit to the children of farmers, and the subjects taught are of special importance to them.

The oldest inhabitant of Warsaw, Russia, is dead. He was a Jew named Jacob Baumstiel, and 104 years old. Up to two years ago he was actively engaged as a tailor. His oldest child is a daughter, 85 years of age.

Sir Henry Aaron Isaacs, former lord mayor of London, is dead at the age of 79 years. Sir Henry was a descendant of an old Portuguese family. His father was active in the stock exchange and Henry pursued the same avocation. He was charitable and took part in all movements tending toward the civic improvement of London. In 1887 he was made a sheriff of the city of London, and two years later he was elected the first Jewish lord mayor of London. He was knighted the same year by Queen Victoria. The celebrated attorney, Rufus Isaacs, probably the greatest lawyer of England, is his nephew.

According to the best estimates given for 1908-9, which are compiled from various sources, the total Jewish population in 1908 was 11,577,473. Of these the largest number, 5,215,805, was in Russia. In Austria-Hungary there were 2,076,378; in the United States, 1,777,185; in Germany, 580,948. Suppose, for the sake of argument, that all those less than 12,000,000 Jews were gathered together in the United States, they would make about one-seventh of the population, less than 15 per cent. So those who entertain the fear that the Jews are going to capture America may set their minds at rest. They may capture New York—but that is another story.

Dr. Jacob Vantor, a Jewish physician, who died recently at Budapest, made the following charitable bequests: 30,000 kronen for the purpose of founding a school in Budapest; 40,000 kronen to the Adele Brody Children's Hospital; 5,000 kronen to the Jewish Hospital; 4,500 kronen to the Chebra Badisha; a number of smaller bequests.

An estate of \$1,100,000 was disposed of in the will of Augusta Mannheim, widow of Dr. Michael Mannheim, of Chicago. Part of the estate is given to charity, but the bulk of it goes to the children of the testatrix. The sum of \$2,000 is given to the Chicago Art Institute for a prize fund or scholarship; \$10,000 to the United Hebrew Charities for the benefit of the Michael Reese Hospital. The testator suggests that a contagious disease ward for children be maintained. The Jewish training school is given \$5,000; Home for Aged Jews, \$4,000; Chicago Home of Jewish Orphans, \$4,000; and the Alexian Brothers Hospital, \$2,500. The coin collection of the late Dr. Mannheim is to be given to a museum or public institution. All of his medical books, consisting of many hundreds of volumes, are given to the Rush Medical College. With the books is a gift of \$3,000 to establish a library to be named after her husband.

A bill has been introduced in the Turkish Parliament with a view of encouraging Jewish immigration into Palestine. It is proposed to do away with the so-called "red passports," which had hitherto been given to every Jew landing in Palestine as an assurance that he would not stay there more than three months. It is believed that such a bill will greatly facilitate Jewish settlement in Palestine and remove the restrictions which deterred many Jews from taking up their abode there.

The agricultural school Kiriah Seter, near Lydda, which was founded by Herr Belkhd, has been closed. It is stated, however, that this is only a temporary measure, and that the school will be re-opened under the auspices of public Jewish bodies in Palestine and Germany.

Dr. Philip Fruchtmann, burgomaster of Strij and member of the Galician Diet, died recently at an advanced age. The number of Jews in the Diet has now been reduced to five.

FALL FAIRS.

Dates of Some to be Held in This Vicinity.

Ancaster	Sept. 28, 29
Aberfoyle	Oct. 5
Burford	Oct. 5, 6
Binbrook	Oct. 4, 5
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Dunville	Sept. 21, 22
Fenwick	Oct. 12, 13
Freelton	Oct. 6, 7
Glanford	Oct. 6
Jarvis	Oct. 5, 6
Onondaga	Sept. 29, 30, Oct. 1
Rockton	Oct. 12, 13
Smithville	Sept. 23, 24
Smooche	Oct. 12, 13, 14
Waterdown	Oct. 5

RULED BY A CAT.

Mrs. Brooks the Subject of Her Persian Kitten. London, Sept. 2.—A little pink Persian kitten sat for its photograph to-day in the studio of a well known animal photographer, wearing a gold crown on its head, a gold order around its neck. The pink Persian came from Windsor Castle, and now belongs to Mrs. Anita Comfort Brooks, president of the Gotham Club of New York, who is on a visit to London. This crowned kitten enjoys a perfumed bath every morning, and one of its favorite pastimes is to paw the keys of a grand piano.

"I was the first cat-lover to think of giving a cat diamond earrings," said Mrs. Brooks to-day. "Bangles and necklaces had become so very hackneyed, and I

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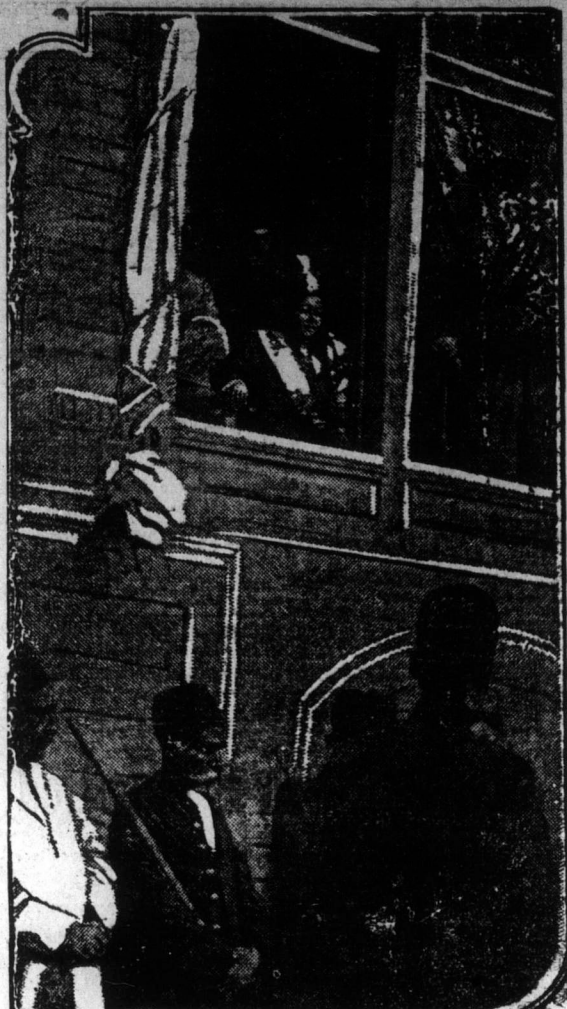
HAPPY EVENT AT CHARLTON.

Reception to Rev. W. J. and Mrs. Smith Last Night.

Presentations to Two of the Workers of the Church.

J. H. Turner and Wife Going to Owen Sound.

A very delightful and enjoyable social evening was spent last night in the Sunday school of Charlton Avenue Methodist Church when a very large gathering of the congregation gathered to extend a hearty welcome to the pastor, Rev. W. J. Smith, president of the Hamilton conference, and his wife. The event was also characterized by the kind reception given to Miss Hurd, the newly appointed deaconess, and presentations to Mr. J. H. Turner, superintendent of the Sunday school, and his wife, also Mr. R. W. Moore, a member of the official board and secretary of the envelope committee, and his wife.



A HISTORIC SCENE OF 1909 IN THE ORIENT PHOTOGRAPHED. First public appearance of the boy Shah of Persia, immediately after the crowning of the palace at Teheran and received the cheers of the crowds below. This photograph has just reached this country, coming by way of Constantinople and Paris.

Dr. Gillrie also spoke a few words on behalf of the congregation in welcoming Miss Hurd to the church as a deaconess, whose assistance they were all very glad to secure.

In reply Rev. Mr. Smith said he and his wife already felt at home in his new field, his new people had not taken long to make them feel they were welcomed there. One thing he had noticed about them was that they were kind to all, even the ungrateful. He was glad to meet them all and to reciprocate their kindness, both for himself and his good wife, who stood quietly by helping him in his duties and making his life what it is. They were here, he said, to serve the people, and to be a mission of Christ, and to be a servant of their people, and they were there to serve as best they could. He was glad to have Miss Hurd to assist him, as he had known her in another city, and was confident she was just the person to bear the responsibility placed upon her. She was a woman in whom he had great faith, and who would do her duty.

Miss Hurd made a few remarks in reply to the kind words said about her by the pastor, and thanked them all for the reception and welcome given her. She felt the great responsibility that the people belonged to her, and she would do her best to serve them, and to discharge the duties which devolved upon her. Three things she asked from them by way of co-operation—their prayers, sympathy and love. Her work would be impossible without these. She had already heard of the people of Charlton Avenue Church, and knew she had come to a kind people.

A solo was sung by Mrs. T. Allen very acceptably, after which Mr. R. W. Moore, who is disconnecting himself in an official way from the church, was called to the platform, and the following address read by Mr. E. E. Elmer, and presents made by Mr. H. E. Darling:

Mr. R. W. Moore, dear sir and brother—We, the members of Charlton Avenue Methodist Church, are pleased to take this opportunity to express to you our sincere appreciation of your faithfulness to this church. As a member of the church you have been ever ready to assist in the promotion of its welfare in all departments. You have been a most valued member of the Board, and as Secretary of the Envelope Committee, your labors have been most untiring and the work excellently performed. For many years your Sabbath evenings have been spent in the discharge of the duty you so agreeably assumed, and much of your time has also been given up to this work in your home. We are not unmindful of your dear companion, who has very ably assisted you with these labors, both in the church and in your home, and we wish to express our deepest gratitude to you and to your good wife for the great interest you have taken and for the time and labor you have both spent in the service. While we feel that your great reward awaits you in the better life to come, we would ask you, Mr. Moore, to accept this pocketbook and contents for yourself, and this hand bag and contents for Mrs. Moore, only as a small mark of our appreciation and kindly regards. Signed on behalf of your Charlton Avenue friends,

M. E. Gillrie, M. D. H. E. Elmer, E. H. Darling.

Mr. Moore made a very fitting reply on behalf of himself and wife, saying they had been entirely taken by surprise. He thanked them most heartily for the kind appreciation of their services.

A duet was then sung by Mrs. (Dr.) McNeil and Mr. J. P. Morton, choir-master, after which the following address was read by Mr. S. O. Dimmock, Secretary of the school, and the presentation made by Mr. W. C. Vansickle, ex-warden of Wentworth, and assistant superintendent of the Sunday School, to Mr. J. H. Turner and wife, who are leaving the city for Owen Sound.

Mr. Joseph H. Turner, dear sir and brother—Having learned with deep regret that you and your family are about to remove from our midst, we could not allow this opportunity to pass without giving some expression of our appreciation of the valuable services you have so cheerfully rendered to the Sunday School, church and community. During the seven or eight years you have presided over our school, we realize that it required no little sacrifice of your ease to be promptly and regularly in your place, prepared to forcibly impress the scholars' lesson upon the hearts of the scholars. We congratulate you upon your adaptability to Sabbath School work. To be able to enthuse the young to attend and show the attention they have to the different exercises of the school, we think is an abiding talent. On behalf of Charlton Avenue Official Board, Sunday School and congregation,

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Two Cases of Diphtheria Also at Prospect Place.

Other Nuisances In Township Are Receiving Attention.

The question of drainage of refuse into waterways, in the Crown Point district came up again at the meeting of the Barton township Board of Health last night. The orders given certain individuals there by the board to cease the practice have not been observed, and at one stage in the discussion as to what action should be taken in the matter, the members, on recommendation by Mr. F. Hills, decided to have the inspector get out a summons against the offenders. Mr. Hills said when coming to the meeting last night he and Dr. Alway made an inspection of one place and found the conditions very serious. Dr. Alway remarked that the stench at this place was worse than ever, and there was danger of typhoid or diphtheria being caused by it. He recommended that the board take such steps as were necessary to stop the nuisance at once.

Mr. Hills said he thought matters had reached such a stage that they were being trifled with, and in taking steps to do away with the trouble the board could not afford to consider any man's convenience in preference to the public welfare. The instructions of the board had been disregarded, and he suggested that legal action be taken at once. Mr. Lewis said his men had been picking berries in the vicinity, and had informed him that they could stand the stench no longer. If the members allowed this kind of thing to go on they would become the laughing stock of the community, and would leave themselves liable to very serious criticism, as much responsibility rested upon them.

Although the board passed a resolution that a summons be taken out and served on the perpetrators, Chairman Gage asked if it would not be a wise thing to have the inspector go down this morning and after making an inspection give those concerned a warning of the steps which the board had decided to take; if they complied with the mandate, he suggested that no legal action be taken, and for a day or so at least no summonses will be issued.

Reeve Gage then called on the Medical Health Officer for his report. The officer said that there was no diphtheria, and no new cases had been discovered in bed except in cases of diphtheria, of which two cases had developed at Prospect Place. He said, however, the danger point had not yet been passed, and suggested that both schools and churches be kept closed for another week at least. He was sorry that this was necessary, as he would like to see them opened. He thought perhaps they might be without any bad results following, but where there was a possibility of danger his advice was to keep on the safe side, and by so doing not only save the quarantine on the churches, they thought they would like to protect the interests of all, and this could only be done by keeping the schools and churches closed until all danger was over. Now that diphtheria had broken out, they thought it might be necessary to keep them closed for a week, or two weeks yet, as keeping down the disease and protecting life was the most important question of all just now. The board then passed a resolution that the quarantine be left on for the present.

Dr. Alway announced that he would probably free three or four houses from quarantine this week, and the cases would follow rapidly, as the disease was dying out. The board decided to leave this matter entirely in his hands, with power to raise the quarantine on the affected houses whenever he saw fit.

WRONG GIRL ELOPES

Man Discovers Mistake, But Marries Sweetheart's Twin Anyhow.

Youngstown, O., Sept. 3.—Eloping with the twin sister of the girl he loved, John Parker was game, when he discovered his mistake, and went through the ceremony with her sister, Cecilia.

Parker was a star boarder at the Curran home in Pittsburgh for more than a year. There he met the twin and soon fell in love with one of them. The girls are as much alike as two peas, even their parents being unable to tell which is who except by means of their teeth.

The parents objected to the match, it is said, because of the girl's age, she being but 16. Yesterday Parker arranged to run away, with the girl he thought was the girl he loved, they eloped to Youngstown. He did not discover his mistake until he applied for a license and the clerk asked the girl her name.

Pittsburgh officers armed with a warrant sworn out by his mother-in-law are looking for Parker.

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But then it's worth it, and you feel repaid for your labor when you see your little girl arrayed in all her glory for her first party. You know, but no one else does, how little that dress actually cost, since you made it yourself. And there's some satisfaction in knowing how much you have saved. You can see in your mind's eye a label on a child's dress exhibited in the window of some fashionable shop, "All made by hand; cheap at \$15." And somehow your mother's heart feels good to know your child is dressed just as well as Mrs. So-and-So's—for that's human nature.

THE ITALIANS.

Large Meeting In Barton Street Methodist Church.

A large and interesting meeting of the Italians of the city was held in Barton Street Methodist Church last evening. The meeting was under the direction of Mr. Ernest Taylor, English teacher and interpreter, who is pushing this work with great vigor. Dr. Tovell, pastor of Central Methodist Church, was present, and delivered an address which was interpreted by Mr. Taylor. Dr. Tovell expressed his great pleasure in the work which is being done in this church for the Italians, and exhorted them to become good Christians and worthy citizens. The pastor of the church, Mr. Livingston, was also present and said a few words. Some gospel songs were sung in splendid form by the Italians, and a scriptural lesson was taught by Mr. Taylor. A social evening for the Italians is being planned by Mr. and Mrs. Taylor.

TRUE BLUES

Blue Apron Chapter Elected Its Officers Yesterday.

At yesterday afternoon's session of the True Blue Grand Lodge the remainder of the officers were elected and the business completed. The additional elections were: L. Magill, Owen Sound, Grand Tyler. W. Arnold, Oshawa, Outside Tyler. W. M. Fitzgerald, Toronto; R. C. Newman, Toronto; Mrs. Fitzgerald, Toronto; Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. Stinson, Toronto, Orphanage Board.

The discussion as to whether it would be advisable to change the initiation took up most of the afternoon. The Blue Apron Chapter reported that the past year had been a most successful one, and vies with any of the preceding years. Although the progress in the past has been remarkable, they hope for even more prosperity in the year to come.

Yesterday this chapter elected officers. They are as follows: Rev. J. Irvine, Vancouver, B. C., Grand Master.

Alex. T. Mackie, Hamilton, Deputy Grand Master. W. G. Farley, Toronto, Grand Secretary.

George E. Hill, Toronto, Grand Treasurer. George Billings, Hamilton, Grand Chaplain.

F. F. Creeper, Belleville, Grand Director of Ceremonies. J. Worrall, Belleville, Grand Conductor.

W. Childehouse, Winnipeg, Inside Tyler. J. D. McKeown, Rosslyn, B. C., Outside Tyler.

The True Blues will hold their next convention in Kingston in August, 1910.

Saturday at McKay's.

Every woman should visit this store to-morrow to get a glimpse at the new fall styles, and as a double attraction you will find displayed and on sale many lines of the new style goods at very greatly reduced prices, such as 800 yards of new shadow stripe suitings, lovely material for early fall suits, Princess dresses, etc., on sale in seventeen different shades, one of the best dress goods bargains ever offered by this store, splendid value at \$1 yard, sale price on Saturday 50c. Also 5 dozen mode veils in plain net, chemise spot, worth regularly \$1 and \$1.25, sale price 49c each. And on sale on the third floor, 10 dozen black moire undershirts, worth regularly \$1.50, sale price on Saturday 98c. Also regular \$5 net waists, for Saturday, \$2.49 each. Would advise early shopping, for these special events.—R. McKay & Co.

RECEPTION AT TRINITY.

English Lutherans Heartily Welcome Their New Pastor

And Say Farewell to Rev. J. M. and Mrs. Bieber.

New Congregation Has Prospered In Its Short Career.

The members and adherents of Trinity Lutheran Church met in large numbers last night in their hall in the Conservatory of Music to extend a welcome to the new pastor, Rev. J. A. Miller, and his wife, and also to bid farewell to Rev. M. J. Bieber, field missionary, who organized the congregation and who has been acting as pastor, but who is now retiring. He will again resume his duties as field missionary.

Since the opening, about the first of the year, the attendances have steadily and rapidly increased at all the services, and the interest in all branches has been steadily growing. Now that the church membership has been increased to such large proportions it was thought proper to call a regular minister and allow Mr. Bieber to resume his regular organization work. The call was extended to Rev. J. A. Miller, and he accepted, and at last evening's gathering he was extended the welcoming hand on every side and given the assurance of the different organizations that he would have their hearty support.

Rev. Mr. Bieber acted as chairman, and in opening the meeting made reference to the steady advancement of the church. He thought the new pastor would prove a shepherd, and the members would welcome him not only to the church, but to their homes as well. Mr. E. Fess delivered the address of welcome on behalf of the church council. He said it was an occasion for rejoicing in the congregation, for less than eight months ago Trinity Lutheran Church was unheard of. Under the careful guidance of Mr. and Mrs. Bieber, the church was able to advance until it reached its present prominent position. He extended a hearty welcome to Rev. Mr. Miller and his wife. The reports that had preceded Mr. Miller assured the congregation that he would be a pastor of sterling worth, who would be able to continue the work which had been so ably started by Mr. Bieber. On behalf of the council he extended their loyalty, respect and gratitude, and hoped Mr. and Mrs. Miller would never regret their coming to Trinity. To Rev. Mr. Bieber he said he wished to thank them for all they had done. They had been with the congregation since first it was organized, and by their earnest work the church had enjoyed wonderful prosperity, and it was with the sincere regret of the congregation that they were leaving. Mr. Fess then presented Mr. Bieber with a Bible, and Mr. Bieber with an umbrella as a slight token of their good work in Trinity Church.

Rev. Mr. Bieber, in replying on behalf of himself and wife, said their stay among the congregation of Trinity Church had been a pleasant one, and one which they would long remember. All they expected before their departure was the good wishes of the people, but their gifts showed the sincere esteem which was held for himself and wife.

The Sunday school was ably represented by H. E. Siamkowski, who on behalf of that organization extended a welcome to Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Miller, and also expressed regret at the departure of Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Bieber. Mrs. L. M. Miller delivered the address of welcome on behalf of the Ladies' Aid. She said that the members would look up to the new minister and his wife as shepherds and guides, and they would always find a place in the homes of any of the members. She expressed regret that Rev. Mr. Bieber and his wife were leaving, and paid a high tribute to them for the part they had taken in the building up of the church.

The Lutheran League was represented by F. W. Otterbein, who said they were glad to welcome the new minister and his wife to the church, and to their homes as well. Although Mr. and Mrs. Miller had arrived practically strangers, they had not remained so, for their reputation as church workers had preceded them, and the league and the congregation joined in extending them a grand welcome. To Mr. Bieber and his wife he expressed his deep regret at their leaving, and also spoke of the many ways in which they had worked so earnestly in carrying the church work on.

Rev. Mr. Miller, the new pastor, in his reply to the addresses of welcome, said his first impression of Hamilton was a very favorable one, but since he had become acquainted with the people that impression had been deepened. Upon his arrival the climate was warm and so also were the hearts of the people, and judging by the reception it was evident that the warmth was of the lasting kind. Oftentimes joy is touched with sadness, which only tends to increase the joy, and so it was on that occasion, for Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Bieber were about to depart, but the memory of them would long remain, and even though the members might not again meet them, it was to be hoped that they would all be reunited on the resurrection morning. In closing, he asked them for their prayers that the work might be carried on so much more successfully, as the work in a large measure depended upon the prayers of the people.

The speech-making over, all those present adjourned to another room and sat down to enjoy the good things which had been provided by the ladies.

Rev. Mr. Miller will be inducted as pastor of the church on Sunday morning, and will preach his first sermon on Sunday evening.

BUMPED PRESIDENT.

Shunting Engine Crashes Into Sir Thomas Shaughnessy's Car.

Ottawa, Sept. 2.—Sir Thomas Shaughnessy was asleep in his private car, Killarney, at the Union Station, when a C. P. R. shunting engine collided with the coach about 4 o'clock this morning. The rear end of the Killarney was badly smashed, and the engine was somewhat damaged. Though the occupants of the car received a shaking up, no one was injured. The accident will be investigated.

HOME REMEDY.

A subscriber to the Times asks us to publish this recipe which, she says, is reputed to be a cure for smallpox and scarlet fever.

One grain foxglove (digitalis). One grain sulphate zinc. Mix with twelve tablespoonfuls of water and a half teaspoonful of sugar. Dose, one tablespoonful every hour. Of course, it is necessary to be careful in the use of digitalis, as it is a powerful and poisonous drug.

If a girl is afraid of the men her mother worries about it almost as much as if she was't.

INVESTIGATE TORONTO FIRE.

Rumors of a Sensational Character Are Now Current.

Loss of Books Depleted—Offers Made.

Col. Hendrie to Supervise Fire Proofing Work.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Toronto, Sept. 3.—Hon. Col. Matheson has announced that he will ask the House for an appropriation for re-equipping the library.



HON. JOHN S. HENDRIE.

highly probable that a searching investigation into the cause of the fire will be held. Rumors of a sensational nature are current, and an attempt will be made to probe their truth.

The form of the enquiry will probably be that of a Government fire inquest, and several names have been mentioned to conduct it.

Three hundred thousand dollars will not begin to pay for the books absolutely destroyed in the provincial library, was the discouraged remark of Mr. Avern Pardue, provincial librarian, who is this morning at work among the ruins of the south western wing of the Parliament buildings, destroyed in Wednesday's disastrous fire.

Temporary library quarters have been secured at No. 4 Queen's Park. One thing that is practically assured as the result of the fire is the practical reconstruction of the Parliament buildings from the standpoint of rendering them fire proof.

Nothing definite has been decided yet, but there is a probability that Hon. Col. J. S. Hendrie will be asked to supervise the work of fireproofing, and to submit a report on what will be necessary.

Colonel Hendrie was a caller at the buildings this morning and was in consultation with the Premier and Hon. Frank Cochrane, Acting Minister of Public Works. Seen afterwards by the Times, Col. Hendrie was outspoken in his condemnation of the present structure of the buildings.

CLYDE FITCH

Operated on For Acute Appendicitis in Germany.

Chalon-sur-Marne, France, Sept. 3.—Clyde Fitch, the American playwright, was suddenly stricken with an acute case of appendicitis while travelling from Germany in an automobile. Upon arriving here he was removed hastily to a private hospital and underwent an operation.

LORD NORTHCLIFFE.

Montreal, Que., Sept. 3.—Lord Northcliffe, the famous London publisher and capitalist, accompanied by Mr. C. F. Moberly Bell, the editor of the London Times, arrived in the city to-day and shortly afterwards left for a trip to the west.

It's Worth More Than It Costs to

Be well dressed. Clothes don't make the man, but they have a good deal to do with it. Fralick & Co. have planned to sell \$24 suits at \$17.50, \$16 suits at \$13.50, and \$15 suits at \$9.98. Watch our windows. You'll be repaid in many dollars saved. Fralick & Co., 13 and 15 James street north.

"CHARLEY'S AUNT."

"A Woman's Defence," this week's offering at Mountain Theatre, still draws good crowds and all seem well pleased with the production. For next week the well-known English farce comedy, "Charley's Aunt," is announced, and should be well received, as it is recognized as one of the greatest laugh-producers ever written. The first performance will be given on Monday next, Labor Day, at 2.30.

Worm Will Turn.

"Why do you call that horse Summer Beard?" "Because," answered Farmer Cornwell, "he don't do nothin' but eat and kick."—Washington Star.

NOTICE

Monday being Labor Day, the Times will not be published. Advertisers are asked to send in their advertisements early for to-morrow's paper.

NOTICE

On account of school opening, subscribers are not likely to have their papers delivered as early as heretofore, as the carrier boys attending school are not allowed to leave until 4 p. m.—Times Printing Co.

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

—R. L. Barwick, of Barrie, who was operated upon in the hospital here about a month ago, died at his home yesterday.

—J. M. Boyes, teacher of the piano, violin and theory, resumed classes on the 2nd inst., at his studio, 17 West avenue south.

—Mr. Camille De Vaudrey arrived in the city yesterday from Wheeling, Va., to take the management of the Britannia Rink during the coming season.

—Mr. D. N. Miller has returned from his holidays, and besides his usual smile he is wearing a coat of tan. He was visiting in Chatham and other places.

—Mr. D. O. Wood, of the Wood Milling Co., of this city, was yesterday elected first vice-president of the Dominion Millers' Association at the annual meeting in Toronto.

—W. M. McClelland, acting for the Watford Milling Co., Limited, has issued a writ against John W. Watson, grain dealer, for the sum of \$298.34 for flour sold and delivered.

—The bicycle thieves are still carrying on operations. George Weese, 30 Main street east, reports the loss of his wheel from in front of the Oddfellows' Hall, John street north.

—Rev. A. L. and Mrs. Huddleston, of Queen Street Baptist Church, St. Catharines, were tendered a welcome home by the congregation last evening and presented with a purse of gold.

—Mrs. House, Superintendent of the Hamilton Hospital, was elected secretary of the Canadian Society of Superintendents of Training Schools for Nurses at the annual meeting in London yesterday.

—Mr. Andrew Brown, of the Department of Customs, Ottawa, is in the city visiting friends and spending his holidays. Mr. Brown is an old Hamilton boy, who is making good at the Capital.

—Bandmaster Robinson and the Band of the Thirteenth Regiment went to Toronto to-day to play at a garden party, given this afternoon by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, at the Government House.

—Woodstock Sentinel-Review: Miss Blanche L. Newton, deaconess of Barton Street Church, Hamilton, returned yesterday, accompanied by her friend, Miss North, of Hamilton, after spending her holidays in the city.

—William Scott, 235 James street north, an employee of the Hamilton Bridge Company, fell from a bridge there yesterday and sustained a broken arm. He was taken to the City Hospital, where the arm was set.

—Rev. E. B. Lancelotti, of First Methodist Church, and family have returned from Muskoka. Miss Lancelotti also has returned from an extended visit to Calgary, Vancouver, New Westminster, Minneapolis and Chicago. Mr. Lancelotti will occupy his pulpit at both services on Sunday.

WESTERN CROPS

The West Favors Construction of Hudson Bay Road.

Captain Bernier Supposed to be All Right.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Ottawa Ont., Sept. 3.—Mr. M. J. Butler, Deputy Minister of Railways, has returned from a trip through the West. He is greatly impressed with the success of the crops and the strong sentiment among all classes west of the lakes in favor of the construction of the Hudson Bay Railroad. He expects a final engineering report on the route of the road within a short time, but preliminary reports show that the road can be easily and economically built. The only thing that remains to be done is to complete the examination of the water approaches and further observation of the navigating season in Hudson Straits. Mr. Butler reports that railroad work is active throughout the West, and that the C. P. R. is getting its system into fine shape, as follows: "The only thing moving this fall, but locomotives may be a little scarce."

The report that Captain Bernier is lost in the vicinity of the North Pole is baseless, so far as anyone knows. He left in July, 1908, and was to be absent two years.

Arrival of New Dress Goods.

Finch Bros. announce the arrival and display of their new imported dress goods and silks for the autumn season. "Oh, what an exquisite display of exclusive goods you have!" said one lady whose opinion you have! "The exclamation was a natural one—simply cause and effect. There seems to be no limit to the wealth of beauty and variety in our new stock. We think Hamilton women will decide our showing is unrivalled. It is none too early to plan for the autumn suit, and we invite your early inspection of these new fabrics. Besides this important display many other special values will be shown here, of which particulars can be had from their advertisement."—Finch Bros.

LOOKS LIKE SMALL SCORE.

Hamilton went first to bat in the two day cricket match with the Pilgrims of Philadelphia, at the H. C. C. grounds, this morning, and, at luncheon time had scored 62 runs for the loss of six wickets, as follows: W. B. Marshall, b Clark, 12; A. Beck, not out, 5; Manktelow, b Horder, 4; G. H. Southam, not out, 2; R. B. Ferrie, b Clark, 2; T. W. Seagram, run out, 11; S. F. Washington, b Horder, 0.

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Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths which are inserted in the Daily Times also appear in the Semi-Weekly Times. 60c first insertion; 25c for each subsequent insertion.

BIRTHS

ELLIS.—At 134 Florence street, on Friday, September 3, 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Ellis, a daughter.

MARRIAGES

MACCREA-REYBURN.—On September 1st, 1908, at the residence of the bride's parents, 32 Wellington street, Hamilton, by Rev. J. A. Wilson, St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Margaret MacCrean, youngest daughter of James and Mrs. Reyburn, to John Reuben MacCrea, of New Liskeard.

DEATHS

DOUGHERTY.—In this city, on September 2nd, 1908, Thomas Dougherty, aged 75 years. Funeral from his late residence, 102 Cannon street east, Saturday morning at 9.30 to St. Mary's Cathedral. Interment at Holy Sepulchre cemetery. Friends please accept this intimation.

SHAW.—At 28 Aikman avenue, on Thursday, September 2nd, 1908, Ellen, beloved wife of William Shaw, and third daughter of Daniel Ordery, aged 29 years. Funeral will leave above address on Saturday at 2.30 for St. Matthew's Church for service at 3 p. m. Interment at Hamilton cemetery.

THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS—Moderate to fresh southerly winds, generally fair and warm; a few local showers in some localities during the night and on Saturday.

Table with columns for location (Calgary, Winnipeg, Port Arthur, etc.) and weather conditions (Rain, Clear, etc.).

WEATHER NOTES.

Fine weather prevails over the greater portion of the Dominion. Another cool wave is, however, spreading rapidly into the Western Provinces attended by scattered showers in Alberta.

Washington, Sept. 3.—Eastern States and Northern New York—Increasing cloudiness and warmer to-night; Saturday showers; moderate variable winds.

Western New York—Showers late tonight and Saturday; warmer to-night; moderate to brisk south winds.

Lower Lakes—Moderate to brisk south winds with showers to-night and Saturday.

OBITUARY.

Death of Mrs. William Shaw—Funerals To-day.

Mrs. William Shaw passed away last night at her residence, 28 Aikman avenue, after an illness of eight months with Bright's disease. Deceased was 29 years of age. The funeral will take place at 2.30 on Saturday afternoon, and a service will be held at St. Matthew's Church at 3 o'clock. Interment will take place at Hamilton Cemetery.

The funeral of Mrs. Wm. H. Hamilton took place from her late residence, 103 Locomotive street, yesterday, and although announced as being private, was largely attended by sorrowing friends. Rev. A. E. Mitchell and Rev. S. B. Russell officiated at the house and grave.

The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful. The floral offerings were: Pillow, children; wreath, husband; star, brother, J. H. Williams and family, Detroit; spray, Mrs. J. R. Reid, Chatham; anchor, grandchildren; cross, Mrs. J. D. and Jack Bain; basket, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Bain; spray, Mrs. and Miss Roentgen; pillow, Mr. H. W. Bustin; stars, Mrs. W. McComb, Mr. P. D. Carse; wreaths, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bishop; Mrs. James Scott, Miss Knodell, Detroit; employees Times Printing Co., Otis-Fenson Co., Mr. and Mrs. Wes. Vollick, Erskine Church orchestra, Mr. and Mrs. John Vollick; sprays, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dodsworth, Mr. and Mrs. W. Nash, Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Strowger, Mrs. Slater, Mr. and Mrs. Bustin and family, Mrs. Thos. McDonald, Mr. Wm. Hancock and family, Mrs. R. Partridge, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wright, employees of R. McKay & Co., Miss Agnes Robertson, Mr. Thomas and family, Beach, Mr. Walter Jennings, Mrs. J. D. Hind, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Taylor, Misses Alice and Elsie Hanley, Mr. and Mrs. J. Baker, Mr. P. T. Ward; sickle, Mr. and Mrs. Organ.

The funeral of Esekiel Thatcher took place from the residence of his son George, 9 Aurora street, yesterday, and was largely attended. Rev. F. E. Howitt officiated at the house and grave.

The pall-bearers were: James, John, William, Thomas and Robert Gray, and Mr. Landsborough. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful and consisted of the following: Pillow, from widow; pillow, children; anchor, grandchildren, Gladys and George; wreaths, Ward No. 1 employees, Mrs. R. Gordon and son; sprays, Mrs. Glover, Mr. and Mrs. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Weeden, Miss Santry, Mr. Dalgleish, Amos E. Skinner.

The funeral of the late Mrs. McHarg took place this morning to Hamilton Cemetery from the G. T. R. station upon the arrival of the 11.15 train from London. Rev. W. H. Sedgewick conducted the services, and the pall-bearers were R. A. Robertson, W. Clark, Norman Clark, F. Clark, G. Green and John Begg.

The remains of the late Miss Mary McGlashan were laid to rest this afternoon in Hamilton Cemetery, the funeral taking place from the residence of J. Shearman, 5 Nightingale street. Archdeacon Forester, of All Saints' Church, officiated at the house and grave.

Mrs. Sarah Springstead passed away last night at her residence, 257 King William street, after an illness of four years. She was born in Saltfleet, but had resided in this city for the past 25 years. Deceased was 75 years of age, and leaves a husband, two sons and two daughters. The sons are Hartmann Springstead, of Toronto, and Arthur,

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We have made arrangements for a specially busy day to-morrow, owing to the holiday on Monday. We shall be able to offer you young chickens and ducks, prime beef, cooked hams and oxtongue, any kind of potted meat, game, etc. Over 100 varieties of fancy biscuits. Our stores will be filled with the best of everything, and a call will be appreciated. Peebles-Holston Co., Ltd.

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UNCLE SAM CLAIMS IT.

St. Louis, Sept. 3.—All new territory discovered by Dr. Frederick A. Cook when he reached the North Pole will belong to the United States by right of discovery, according to Rev. C. M. Charropin, S. J., professor of astronomy in St. Louis University.

Father Charropin to-day said Dr. Cook's statements would be accepted by scientists, who will attempt to confirm them.

A man may claim that he is too proud to beg and too honest to steal when he really hasn't the nerve to do either.

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of this city, and the daughters Mrs. Le Roy Jenkins and Mrs. Jesse Brennan. The funeral will take place from her late residence on Sunday afternoon to Stoney Creek cemetery, where interment will take place.

The remains of Arthur Cullen were laid to rest in Holy Sepulchre cemetery this morning, the funeral taking place from his late residence, Simcoe street east, to St. Lawrence Church. Rev. Father Cassidy said mass at the church and officiated at the grave.

WANTED—TWO OR THREE UNFURNISHED rooms, use of attic, storage, Decatur, ladies teacher. Box 5, Times office.

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STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS. Sept. 2nd. Lusitania—At New York, from Liverpool. Montreal—At Yokohama, from Vancouver. Baltic—At Cape Race, from Liverpool. Empress of Ireland—At Liverpool, from Quebec.

Greater Effort is Required. ON our part to engage the attention of small depositors than the larger. VERY many accustomed to large financial transactions know of and avail themselves of our service. BUT those whose banking is limited, or to whom the occasion is rarely presented, can avail themselves just as well with every assurance of careful attention and courtesy extended. The Traders Bank of Canada. 21 and 23 King West. WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT—King Street West.

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During the recent Joan of Arc fetes at Rheims a polychrome composition of the French heroine was erected in the cathedral. This statue is a composition of silvered bronze, ivory, marble and precious stones, and is the work of P. C. Epinay.

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MOUNTAIN TO-NIGHT THEATRE. THE SUMMERS STOCK CO. A Woman's Defence. 100 seats free with incline coupon ticket. Reserve seats 10c.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS' EXCURSION TO DETROIT. Via Grand Trunk Railway. TO-MORROW Saturday, Sept. 4. At 8 p. m. sharp. Tickets good for 4 days. Adults \$2.45 Children \$1.25

DETROIT EXCURSION. Via T. H. & B. and M. C. R. Saturday, Sept. 4th. Train leaves Hunter street station at 1 p. m. sharp.

A SOUVENIR. Ice cream and refreshments given free to all on train. Fare—Adults \$2.45; Children \$1.25. Tickets on sale at C. P. R. office, King and James streets, and Depot.

Britannia Roller Rink. GRAND OPENING. Saturday Evening, September 4th. LOMAS' ORCHESTRA.

MAPLE LEAF PARK. Big closing demonstration on Labor Day. Bicycle races and other sports. Regular Coney Island carnival.

LABOR DAY EXCURSION. STEAMERS. MACASSA and MODJESKA. Toronto and 50c Return. Good returning until Monday, Sept. 13th, 1908. LABOR DAY TIME TABLE.

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