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SERVIANS SHOW LITTLE INTEREST

Noticeable Lack of Enthusiasm Over New King.

THE MONTENEGRINS PLEASED

A Delegation From the Senate Sets Out to Bring the Sovereign to Belgrade.

Belgrade, June 16. — A deputation of the two chambers, composed of four senators and twenty deputies, headed by the presidents of the two houses, left Belgrade by special train last night to inform King Peter of his election to the throne. The officers who have been appointed to attend the King, went on the same train. The deputation is expected to return here with the King on Monday or Tuesday next.

The chamber met at 10 o'clock this morning and adjourned for the purpose of going to the cathedral, where a great thanksgiving service including a "Te Deum" was celebrated.

Extraordinary lack of interest is shown by the majority of the people in the events arising from the revolution.

The notice issued by municipal authorities yesterday, calling on the inhabitants to decorate their houses in honor of the new King, has met with scant attention and the town by no means has a festive appearance. The illuminations last night were not brilliant. A military band marched through the town playing lively airs, but a heavy rain soon cleared the streets.

MILAN IN TURKEY.

Constantinople, June 16. — The report published in New York that Madame Christich and her son Milan, whose father was the late King Milan of Servia, had left Constantinople for the Servian frontier, is unfounded. They have not left Constantinople, and have no intention of leaving. The unanimous election of King Peter is accepted as a definite settlement of the question of the succession to the throne.

The Servian legation has officially notified the Porte and foreign diplomats of King Peter's election.

MONTENEGRO PLEASED.

Cettinje, Montenegro, June 16.—The proclamation of Prince Peter Karageorgevitch as King of Servia was received with the greatest satisfaction by Prince Nicholas, King Peter's father-in-law, and the Montenegrins generally. Salutes were fired, bells were rung, and bands paraded the town, which was beflagged and was illuminated at night. Prince Nicholas made a speech to an immense crowd, extolling the virtues and bravery of the illustrious ancestors of King Peter and at the same time condemning the manner in which King Alexander was assassinated.

THE ROYAL INSURANCE.

London, June 6. — The Brussels correspondent of the Daily Telegraph learns that the late King and Queen of Servia were insured for $400,000 with a Belgian-Dutch company. Half of this sum will go to Queen Draga's sisters, and the remainder to ex-Queen Natalie.

The Times' correspondent at Belgrade says there seems to be no probability of the change in the Servian dynasty leading to international complications, or aggravating the existing situation in the Balkans. So far as known, none of the adherents of the late Government has been molested or arrested, except Col. Nijoloivitch, the late court marshal, who has been placed in the Belgrade fortress, and the late prefect of the city, who has also been arrested.

Semlin, Hungary, June 15. — The Skupshtina and Senate of Servia met in joint session precisely at noon today, and within fifteen minutes had elected Prince Peter Karageorgevitch as King of Servia. Long conferences were held between the ministers and deputies on Sunday night, and all this morning. These resulted in a cut-and-dried programme which went through without a hitch. The parliamentary gathering was held in the white and gold ball room, in the new wing of the palace, within a few yards of the spot where King Alexander and Queen Draga's bodies were thrown from the window. Not the slightest reference was made to the tragedy. The ministers of the provisional government sat at a table at the top of the hall, the prominent figure among them being the chief of the conspirators, Colonel Machin, Queen Draga's brother-in-law, who was resplendent in his full army uniform. The members of the Skupshtina and Senate entered the hall, and took their seats informally. President Velimrovics, dressed in evening costume, and wearing the broad red sash of the Servian order, rose immediately and began speaking amid breathless silence. He said the National Assembly had met to elect a king of the fatherland, having already agreed upon the principles of the new constitution.

Immediately the whole assemblage rose and shouted: "Long live Karageorgevitch."

The roll call followed, each member rising quietly in his place and saying "Peter Karageorgevitch."

There were no dissentient votes, and the proceedings closed with brief speeches delivered by the president and the Premier, congratulating the Assembly upon its day's work, which, it was hoped, foreboded better days for Servia.

Directly afterwards the soldiers outside took the oath of allegiance to the new king, the late Queen Draga's regiment being the first to do so.

The inhabitants of Belgrade are remarkably quiet and apparently unconcerned.

The new constitution closely follows that of 1888, and is even more democratic. It is described as making Servia virtually a republic with the King at its head.

PRINCE PETER ACCEPTS

Declares He Will Work For the Good of Servia.

Geneva, June 15.—Prince Peter Karageorgevitch has telegraphed his acceptance of the Servian throne. King Peter received calmly, but with evident satisfaction, the telegraphic notification of his election as king.

As he received congratulations, King Peter became more excited, laughed hysterically, marched vigorously up and down the room, and finally flung himself into a chair, trembling with excitement.

His acceptance of the throne is stated to be subject to four conditions: That the action of the Skupshtina is constitutional and entirely free from bribery or force. That those directly implicated in the assassinations and revolution should be exiled. That the civil list be increased. That an official delegation come to Geneva to confer with him.

King Peter in an interview announced that he had accepted the crown of Servia and would assume the title of Peter the First.

"I am profoundly touched," he said, "at the confidence shown me."

The King has addressed a proclamation to the people of Servia, which will be placarded and read throughout the country. In it he thanks the Servians, who have shown a desire to return to the traditions of their ancestors. He promises to be faithful to those traditions, drawing special inspiration from the memories of his regretted father. The King promises to ignore all that has happened during the past 40 years, and not to bear ill-will to those who opposed him. He concludes with promising to respect the right of all employes of the state, whom he invites to retain the positions to which they are legally entitled. King Peter will probably start for Belgrade Thursday evening, by way of Vienna, accompanied by his Swiss attendants. His residence is watched by private detectives. The many callers are rapidly filling up the new King's visitors' book with their congratulations. King Peter also telegraphed to the Emperors of Russia and Austria, and to the King of Italy, announcing his election, and adding that he hoped to work for the good of Servia.

WHALEN MURDER WORK OF TRAMPS

Jury in Collingwood Case Deliver That Verdict.

SOME SENSATIONAL EVIDENCE

The Indications Are That a Stranger to the District Committed the Awful Deed.

Collingwood, Ont., June 16.—The inquiry regarding the death of little Glory Whalen was resumed yesterday afternoon, and the evidence, while far from satisfactory to Crown Attorney Cotter, was sufficient to dispel the prevailing idea that the murder was done by some local person, and to confirm the people in the opinion that it was the work of two tramps, one white and one colored, who were seen on the Sunday previous loafing in the swamp where the body was found.

WHAT TWO WOMEN SAW.

This view is strongly supported by the evidence of Mrs. Findlay, who repeated her story of seeing the struggle between two men and a female on the track on the morning of the murder. She told of seeing the girl escape from the men and run south, towards the home of Mrs. Kendall, and also of one of them catching the child and carrying her down the embankment.

The statement of Mrs. Johnston, who heard a child's screams, and also a shot, on the morning of the murder, and at about the same time as Mrs. Findlay saw the struggle, also substantiates the theory, as does the testimony of William Pelch, as to seeing a white handkerchief around the neck of one of the two tramps he found sleeping in the swamp where the body was found.

THE PRESENT THEORY.

It is now generally believed that after dragging the girl from the track, a terrible struggle ensued in the tall grass between the track and the wire fence dividing the swamp from the railway property, after which the villains broke a strand of the fence and carried the defenseless girl into the bush, where she was most foully murdered.

When taking the evidence of Mrs. Findlay, Crown Attorney Cotter took occasion to inquire when she had first told of seeing the struggle, and was surprised to learn that it was not until the next day, and even later, when the news of it reached the authorities. He pointed out in forcible language the folly of her act of keeping such important information to herself, and characterized it as the most lamentable condition of affair he had ever known. He was confident that had the authorities been apprised of her story on the day of the deed, or even on the day following, that the murderer, or murderers, would today be under arrest.

Addressing the jury at the conclusion of the evidence, Mr. Cotter laid particular stress on the necessity of impressing on the authorities the advisability of taking into custody all suspicious persons who failed to give a satisfactory account of themselves. At the present the county was infested with many worthless vagabonds, and until drastic measures were taken by the authorities, both in the towns and rural districts, the lives of children who are necessarily more or less exposed would continue to be endangered.

THE VERDICT.

After a half hour's deliberation the jury reported their finding: "That Glory Whalen was foully murdered in the Town of Collingwood on or about Map 27, 1903, at the hands of some person or persons unknown, but the evidence points strongly towards two tramps, one white and one colored, who were seen in the neighborhood about that time. We strongly recommend that the authorities commit to the Central all tramps found in the future who are unable to give a proper account of themselves, and that the provincial authorities leave no stone unturned to discover the murderer or murderers, and that a liberal reward be offered by them as an extra inducement to such discovery, and, further, that the Town of Collingwood offer a reward."

Fire at Dutton.

Dutton, June 16. — About 2 o'clock on Saturday morning fire broke out in the frame dwelling situated on Peter street, occupied by Mrs. A. D. Miller, and owned by James Pool, private banker, and the building was totally destroyed. The origin of the fire is unknown, but it is supposed to have originated from a defective chimney. Loss $600.

FIVE HUNDRED PERSONS SWEPT TO DEATH BY A GIGANTIC CLOUDBURST IN OREGON

A Wave Twenty Feet High Rushes Down Mountain Gulch and Wipes Out Town of Heppner.

The Entire Population of the Town Reported Dead.

300 BODIES RECOVERED SO FAR

Relief Trains Rush to the Scene—Catastrophe Due to the Excessive Rains.

Portland, Ore., June 16.—Five hundred people lost their lives in a cloudburst that almost entirely destroyed the town of Heppner, Oregon, at 6 o'clock Sunday night.

Heppner is the county seat of Morrow County, and had about 1,250 inhabitants. All the telegraph and telephone wires are down, and no accurate information can be obtained, but the estimates of loss of life is based on the most reliable reports received up to last night. A report from Ione, 17 miles from Heppner, is to the effect that 300 bodies have been recovered.

A messenger who arrived at Ione said that a wall of water 20 feet high rushed down into the gulch in which Heppner is situated, carrying everything before it. The flood came suddenly—so sudden that the inhabitants were unable to seek places of safety, and were carried down to death by the awful rush of water.

Almost the entire residence portion of the town was destroyed, but some of the business part, which is on higher ground, escaped. Huge boulders, weighing a ton, were carried down by the current, and many people were killed by being crushed against the rocky bluffs.

CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Early on Sunday afternoon a thunderstorm occurred covering a wide region of country. Later a heavy rain storm set in, many of the small streams overflowing their banks in a short time. Bridges were swept away like straws.

As soon as possible after the flood had subsided the work of relief was commenced by the citizens of the town. Dozens of bodies were found lodged along the bends of Willow Creek, and in several places they were piled over one another.

Up to 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon 200 bodies had been recovered almost within the city limits. Hundreds of horses, cattle, sheep and hogs that had gone into the creek bottoms for water perished.

News of the calamity did not reach the outside world until yesterday, all the means of communication having been cut off. As soon as possible news was sent by courier to the nearby towns. The Oregon Railway and Navigation Company started a relief train with physicians and supplies from The Dalles shortly after noon yesterday. At 1:30 yesterday afternoon another relief train started for the scene. The citizens of Portland started a relief fund as soon as the news of the disaster spread over the city, and within a few hours $5,000 was raised. Supplies will be rushed to Heppner, as soon as they can be assembled.

Fifteen buildings in the Town of Lexington, nine miles below Heppner, on Willow Creek, were washed away, but with no loss of life.

Aa Ione, 17 miles away, considerable damage was done to buildings, but no loss of life is reported.

A GHASTLY ORDER.

Word has been received from Ione that 300 coffins were needed at once at Heppner. The weather is warm, and it is necessary that the dead be buried at once. One hundred coffins were sent last night, and 200 will follow.

The Portland office of the O. R. and N. received the following message from Heppner: "Roughly estimated almost all the people living on the banks of Willow Creek were drowned. Need relief in shape of a large body of men to help clear away debris and recover bodies. Haste is very essential."

A WALL OF WATER

The Inhabitants Taken Completely By Surprise.

Spokane, Wash., June 16.—A dispatch from Echo, Ore., says: Ni Tooker, of Portland, who was at Heppner when the disaster happened, was the first to bring out news. He says the rushing torrent came at 5:30 in the evening, when most of the inhabitants were at their evening meal. "All were taken so suddenly," said Mr. Tooker, "that nothing could be done to save them. Homes, stores and buildings in the main portion of the town were torn loose and driven onward.

"A low estimate places the dead at 300. The town has a population of about 1,500, but only about one half of the population of the town could be located. We do not know where they have gone.

"From the time the flood came until it went into the regular channel of the creek, flowing through the town, was about two hours. It was 5 o'clock when the storm first started to gather to the west of Heppner. It was a small, dark cloud at first, but it rapidly grew worse, accompanied by heavy wind and lightning. The cloudburst struck fairly in the canyon of Willow Creek, six miles above Heppner, and there was no warning until the mighty wall of water had reached the town. As it came rushing down the creek bed it tore down everything in its path. When it reached Heppner the water was more than fifteen feet high, splashing, falling, leaping and creating a mighty, roaring, rushing flood.

MAD RUSH FOR THE HILLS.

"Those who were on the streets shouted warnings as they rushed madly to the hills for their lives. In some cases men returned to save members of their families. Many were carried to their death in the effort. Those who had reached the high ground in safety, immediately formed themselves into rescuing parties. Persons were seen in midstream and their cries for help were heard, but we could only stand and see them go to their death.

"It is estimated that the damage done to property alone was $500,000. Some of the brick and stone buildings were swept from their foundations.

"The goods in several buildings were saved and the owners immediately told the relief committee to take what was wanted. People came by wagon and on foot from all directions to the assistance of the suffering. They could not come by rail, for nine miles of the track below town was washed away. All wire communication was prostrated.

"Leslie Matlock, at the first warning of the flood, mounted a horse and rode at breakneck speed down the canon, in front of the rushing water, to notify the people of Lexington, a small town nine miles below. He arrived at Lexington just ahead of the flood. The people were warned and immediately left for the hillside. When the flood had passed only two houses were standing."

EVERYTHING SWEPT AWAY

Entire Families Perished In Attempts to Escape.

Portland, June 16. — A dispatch from Ione, Ore., says: David McAtee, a business man, whose residence is on a "bench" above Heppner, was an eyewitness of the disaster.

"On Sunday afternoon," said McAtee, "there had been a severe rainstorm accompanied by much wind and lightning. I was standing in front of the house and noticed a cloud of remarkable density approaching. I turned for a moment, when a roar caused me to look again. I saw a wall of water rushing down the mountain, carrying immense trees, and timbers on its crest, and tearing the very rocks from their foundations.

"The terrific storm struck the upper part of the town first. The residence of Thomas Howard was the first to fall and his entire family was drowned. In the Krug home, also every person was drowned, as was the case in the Hale and Saling residences. All of these houses were about four or five blocks above the business center. The house of Abram Hamsick was demolished. The Palace Hotel was the first building to stem the tide, and all the guests were saved. But the houses below that structure were overturned and wrecked. The residence of G. A. Rhea was carried away and his wife and three daughters and Miss Adkins, a cousin, were lost.

"Mr. Rhea was at Portland attending the Masonic convention. C. E. Redfield, whose residence was completely destroyed, was also absent. His wife and baby were drowned.

MIRACULOUS ESCAPES.

"A. C. Gieger's house was carried away and Mr. Geiger was drowned. His family are in the east. George Conser's house was reached next, and the family succeeded in saving their lives by rushing to the upper stories, the house being carried down the creek three-quarters of a mile. Rescuers found that the house had been cut into and Mr. Conser was standing in water up to his neck, holding his wife on the roof. Dr. McSwat and J. Ayers, who were living in the same residence, were drowned.

"Oscar Miner's house was next demolished, and Mrs. Miner drowned. The rest of the family succeeded in saving their lives by clinging to the roof. All of the Wells family but two were lost and the house was carried away. With the Wells residence went the house of George Swaggert. Mr. Swaggert's two married daughters were drowned with their five children. The Malory house was carried 150 yards and lodged against a store.

HOTEL GUESTS PERISH.

"Mr. Malory, a crippled old man, was found safe, holding a baby. Jas. Mallock's house was next. Mr. Mallock was drowned, but his family was saved. Dr. Higg's house also went. Here one child was drowned, but the rest of the family escaped. The house of Mr. Boyd and Mr. Walton were also destroyed and both families lost.

"Mr. Barton succeeded in saving all persons in his residence, although they were badly bruised. The house itself was washed away.

"Perhaps the greatest loss of life occurred at the Heppner Hotel, which was carried away. It is supposed there were about 50 guests in the hotel and all are reported lost. The two proprietors were saved, but their families are among the dead.

"The house of Benjamin Paterson, Mr. Dunn and Mr. Noble were entirely demolished, and all persons in the three families drowned, as were the families of James Jones and Henry Blair.

"The entire residence portion of Heppner was destroyed, but the business houses, being on higher ground and generally built of brick and stone, were not so badly damaged. The school house and the court house, which stand on a side hill, were saved, but two churches—the Methodist and the Presbyterian—were completely destroyed.

"Around the depot the rising water left great heaps of driftwood piled higher than the roof of the station and the rescuing parties were forced to demolish these pyramids of timber in order to extricate the bodies which were tangled in the brush. Undoubtedly many of the bodies were carried by the rushing waters down the valley."

Every available man from a radius of 65 miles has been pressed into service at Heppner to clear away the debris and find and bury the dead.

About 100 persons were buried in Heppner's graveyard yesterday. Owing to the entire absence of proper facilities for caring for the dead, the victims were for the most part interred in common crates. A relief train sent from The Dalles reached Ione last night and will proceed to Heppner as soon as possible. A wrecking train with gangs of men to repair both the tracks and telegraph wires left here last night.

A HERO OF THE WIRE.

On board The Dalles train were five doctors, and six trained nurses, with all necessary drugs and supplies to care for the sick and wounded. There was also a car of provisions.

John A. Kernan, the railroad agent at Heppner, wired the news of the disaster to Ione and then attempted to escape from the rushing water, but he was carried down to death.

AID TO THE G. T. R.

Being Considered by a Cabinet Sub-Committee.

Ottawa, June 16.—The cabinet have referred to a sub-committee of four of their members the question of the nature and the extent of the aid to be granted to the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. The sub-committee were to have met Mr. C. M. Hays yesterday, but the Grand Trunk manager was indisposed. It is stated that, after a consultation with Mr. Hays, and deliberating upon the matter, the sub-committee will make their recommendations to the cabinet as a whole.

Plumbers Fall Out.

Chicago, June 16.—After a prosperous existence of over ten years, the National Association of Steam Fitters lost its standing in the American Federation of Labor last night, because it refused to amalgamate with the United Association of Plumbers, as ordered by President Gompers. The two organizations control over 60,000 workers throughout the country.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Sun rises 4:35 a.m. Moon rises 11:50 p.m.
Sun sets..8:01 p.m. Moon sets.10:44 p.m.

Tomorrow—Fair and Cool.

Toronto, June 15—8 p.m.—There are indications that the area of low pressure which passed westward across Ontario during Saturday and moved off the Middle Atlantic coast Sunday night will again move north to the St. Lawrence, and conditions will again be favorable for rain from the great lakes to the Maritime Provinces. Fine, warm weather is indicated for Manitoba and the Territories.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 54-70; Kamloops 56-90; Calgary, 40-70; Edmonton, 48-80; Qu'Appelle, 42-72; Winnipeg, 34-68; Port Arthur, 52-58; Parry Sound, 48-70; Toronto, 51-76; Ottawa, 52-78; Montreal, 60-72; Quebec, 48-58; Halifax, 48-50.

Tuesday, June 16—8 a.m.

FORECASTS.

Moderate variable winds and fair today. Showers or thunderstorms tonight.

Wednesday — Fresh northwesterly winds, fair and cool.

Temperatures.

Stations.	8 a.m.	Min.	Weather.
Calgary	48	44	Fair
Winnipeg	58	38	Clear
Parry Sound	56	48	Fair
Toronto	66	56	Fair
Ottawa	58	56	Cloudy
Montreal	54	54	Rain
Quebec	52	48	Cloudy
Father Point	42	38	Rain

WEATHER NOTES.

The weather continues showery in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, but is fine throughout Ontario. Fine weather prevails in Manitoba and the Territories and high temperatures are probable during the next few days.

Local temperatures: The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Monday, June 15, 1903, were: Highest, 71.5 above; lowest, 46 above.

THE THIRTY-MILE LIMIT CLAUSE

Railway Committee Says G. T. Pacific Limitation Will Apply to Territories.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Ont., June 16.—The Grand Trunk Pacific bill was again dealt with by the railway committee this morning, and was reported a second time after an hour's discussion. The application of the 30-mile limitation principle was the sole point of dispute. The C. P. R. holding that the Grand Trunk Pacific should be kept 30 miles from the Canadian Pacific in Manitoba as well as in the Northwest Territories.

The Grand Trunk Pacific stood out for the application of the limitation clause in the Northwest Territories, and the Government accepted that view.

Mr. Blair announced that the Government was prepared to ask the committee and to ask Parliament if necessary, to agree to the G. T. P. proposal. It would be impracticable to apply the restriction in Manitoba, as the Grand Trunk Pacific would be compelled to circle out of Winnipeg and their route would be seriously defected.

The committee, after some opposition from the C. P. R., sided with the Grand Trunk Pacific.

ASCOT MEET BEGINS

Zinfandel Wins the King's Gold Vase on the Historic Track.

London, June 16.—The Ascot race meeting opened today under more promising weather conditions, after almost a week's incessant deluge which caused the rivers to overflow, flooded vast tracts of the country and caused immense damage. The attendance at Ascot, however, hardly reached the average.

The royal procession left Windsor Castle about noon. King Edward, Queen Alexandra, the Prince of Wales and the Duke of Cambridge occupied the first carriage. Seven other carriages, all drawn by horses ridden by scarlet clad postillons, composed the rest of the procession. These vehicles contained guests, among whom were the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough. The royal party was accorded an enthusiastic reception on entering the royal box.

The race for the gold vase, presented by the King (for 3-year-olds and upwards, two miles), was won by Zinfandel. Florinda was second and Wavelet's Pride was third.

A BOMBARDIER DROWNED

George B. Reid Drowned Near the Deseronto Camp.

Deseronto, Ont., June 16.—George B. Reid, a bombardier of the Fourth Field Battery of Hamilton, now attending the artillery camp here, was accidentally drowned last night. The battery had been engaged in field practice all day and camped near Shannonville in the evening. Reid went in bathing and was taken with cramps and drowned before he could be rescued. He had no relatives in Canada. The body is being brought to the camp here.

POPE'S DAYS NUMBERED

His Health Said To Be Rapidly Declining.

Rome, June 16.—The health of the Pope is rapidly declining. His extreme feebleness and grief over the prosecution of French Catholic Associations by the Government is undermining his vitality. Dr. Lapponi was suddenly summoned on Saturday to exaine the Pope's legs, which were swollen somewhat. This is regarded as a bad symptom, in view of the pontiff's great age. No immediate danger is apprehended, but the days of his holiness are evidently numbered.

THE WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND

Good Reports Presented to the General Assembly.

ST. JOHN NEXT MEETING PLACE

Permanent Sunday School Secretary To Be Nominated—Ministers Superannuated.

Vancouver, B. C., June 15.—When the General Assembly resumed business this morning the first item was the report of the committee on the aged and infirm ministers' fund. The report was adopted, and it was resolved to make an effort to increase the endowment to $225,000, to amalgamate the eastern and western sections and to extend the age limit for connecting with the fund from 55 to 60 years, with proportionate increase in rates beyond the present age limit.

Dr. Warden presented the report of the widows and orphans fund, western section. It was the most satisfactory in the whole history of the church. There are 126 ministers' widows on the fund, receiving annuities of $150. Last year there was a reported deficit of $3,883. This deficit has been wiped out, and a credit balance of $2,021 remains. A gratifying feature of the report was the large numbers of ministers who connected themselves with the fund, during the year, being no fewer than 55, the largest number of any year since the fund was established. The committee hope to increase the annuity to $200. Rev. E. A. McCurdy, of Halifax, reported for the eastern section a most prosperous year for this fund. The number of annuities is 17, and the committee closed the year with a credit balance of $4,534 and reduced the rates from $14 to $12.

The Maritime Provinces committee reported credits of $7,839; expenditure, $3,304; balance of $4,535 to be added to capital. The assets of the fund at date are $134,488 56, against $122,367 12 reported last year, showing the very substantial and gratifying increase of $12,121 44. The committee of the miners' widows and orphans' fund in connection with the Church of Scotland report receipts of $15,284, expenditure $13,109, balance $2,175. The special committee of the assembly reported in favor of amalgamating these three funds.

Judge Forbes and Dr. Fotheringham, St. John, extended a very hearty invitation from the congregations of that city and asked that the assembly be held next year in St. Andrew's Church, there. The invitation was accepted and the date was fixed for the first Wednesday in June.

Rev. J. McD. Duncan, of Toronto, presented the report on the Sunday school publications. The report was very satisfactory, the outlook being very gratifying. The business of the year showed a credit balance of $8,784, the assets in excess of liabilities being $11,488.

The report on the Presbyterian Record, the monthly missionary magazine, showed a circulation of over 50,000 and a working balance of $12,306.

At the afternoon sederunt Dr. Torrance, of Guelph, convener of the committee on the distribution of probationers, presented his report. The committee had to deal with 27 presbtyeries, and during the year 83 vacancies reported for supply. Settlement has taken place in 41, leaving 43 still on the roll. The scheme has been adversely criticised, and some years ago was dropped. So much inconvenience and discontent was revealed that in a few years the scheme was revived in a somewhat modofied form.

An overture has been presented this year from the Presbytery of Hamilton praying for the abolition of the scheme. Against this proposition to abolish the scheme Dr. Torrance took a strong stand. After a thorough discussion of the matter it was voted that the overture be remitted to the Synods of Toronto and Kingston and of Montreal and Ottawa for a fuller expression of opinion to be reported to next assembly. This motion by Dr. Duval was adopted.

Fell Five Floors.

New York, June 16.—A passenger elevator at 27 West Houston street fell five stories today. There were five passengers in the car, but only one, a woman, sustained serious injuries.

Sofia Street Riots.

Berlin, June 16.—The Frankfert Zeitung prints a dispatch from Sofia, Bulgaria, saying that rioting occurred there yesterday between Socialists and Nationalists, in which two men were severely and six were slightly wounded.

THE SUSPENSION AT ST. THOMAS

A Liquidator Will Probably Be Applied For.

THE LAST ANNUAL STATEMENT

Securities of the Company Are Intact and Depositors May Be Paid in Full.

St. Thomas, June 16.—The president of the Elgin Loan Company, Mr. John Baird, who is now in charge, on being seen said he could not tell anything definite in regard to the affairs of the society. He said, however, that the securities held by the company were intact and that without the slightest doubt the depositors would be paid in full. The absence of Mr. Rowley was to him unexplainable, and complicated matters.

The officers of the company are: President, John Baird; vice-president, D. K. McKenzie; directors, Angus Murray, John McCausland, A. W. Graham, L. Millington, and Albert Couse. The manager was Mr. George Rowley, and the bankers the Imperial Bank of Canada.

Mr. Baird says the probability is that a liquidator will be applied for, but he could say nothing definite until there had been a meeting of directors at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

THE BOOKS EXAMINED.

The only way in which Mr. Rowley could secure the funds of the company was to convert deposits to his own use, and make no records of the amounts in the books of the company. This suspicion is strengthened in the minds of the directors by the fact that on Saturday last a wealthy depositor drew a check for $2,500 while there was only $400 to his account on the books of the company. The manager evidently had reasons other than those which appeared in the accounts for paying the money. He doubtless has a private memorandum somewhere which may reveal many such cases.

The manager was alone in the office. There was absolutely no check upon him except the auditors, who are Alex Darrach and T. Leitch, of Brantford. The directors and shareholders had perfect confidence in the integrity and judgment of their manager.

THE ANNUAL STATEMENT.

The 24th annual statement, issued in January last showed the net profits for the year 1902 to be $15,249 12, which, added to the balance brought forward from the previous year, $6,365 08, made a total of $21,614 20. Two half-yearly dividends at the rate of 5 per cent per annum were paid, amounting to $11,917 50; the sum of $1,280 was written off properties sold during the year, and $1,000 was added to the reserve. The balance to the credit of the profit and loss account was $7,416 70, and the surplus funds of the company amounted to a little over 11½ per cent of the paid-up capital.

The assets of the company on Dec. 31 last were $460,203 16, as follows:

Mortgages and other securities, $406,158 38; real estate, $2,427 25; cash in Imperial Bank, $20,193 73; with other loan companies, $31,423 80.

The liabilities were:

To depositors, $193,097 95; to the shareholders, stock paid, $239,688 51; reserve, $20,000; balance by profit and loss account, $7,416 70. Total, $469,203 16.

The auditors of the company are Thomas Leitch and Alexander Darrach.

It is learned that the deposits at the present time amount to $175,000 or $180,000.

ROWLEY HEAVILY INVOLVED

It is said that Mr. Rowley was somewhat heavily involved in the Atlas Loan, one statement being that he had $40,000 in that concern.

The subscribed capital of the company is $625,000, of which 50 per cent has been paid up, or $312,500. While it is certain, according to Mr. Baird and other officials that depositors will be paid in full, it may be that the shareholders will suffer some losses; but this cannot be ascertained until the books have been gone over, which will be done at once.

The suspension caused more immediately excitement in the city than that of the Atlas Loan. The west end particularly, was in a state of intense agitation. However, the securities have not been hypothecated, and from all quarters came the assurance that depositors will be paid in full.

The trouble of the Atlas Loan Company, no doubt, had an effect indirectly. The confidence of depositors was shaken and there were considerable withdrawals, it is said. Mr. Rowley's known connection with the Atlas was disturbing, and his sudden leaving left the directors no other course but to close the doors pending an investigation.

DIVORCES FOR LEPERS

Molokai Wants Separation of Husband and Wife.

Honoluiu, June 9.—As a result of the resolutions of the United States Senate committee that visited here last fall, and local agitation, the board of health is trying to arrange about 60 divorces at the leper settlement on Molokai, and the assistance of the Attorney-General has been invoked.

In all the cases under consideration the husband or wife is at the settlement while the other person is away.

About $3,000 in silver coins of the Hawaiian monarchy have been taken up at the leper settlement and exchanged for American money. The coin was all fumigated before leaving the settlement. It goes to San Francisco to be recoined into American money.

A Telephone Novelty.

Paris, June 16.—Interesting experiments have just been made on the telephone between Paris and Tours to test a new system by means of which two separate conversations can be carried on simultaneously on the same line.

The tests are stated to have proved so satisfactory that the question of putting the system into actual operation throughout the country is being considered.

The inventor is M. Petit, inspector of the electric service at Tours.

WOODS' FAIR

176 and 178 Dundas St., London, Tuesday, June 16, 1903.

25c and 35c Books, Wednesday 7½c Each.

500 in all, some bound, some linen covers, some paper covers. All choice titles by best authors. Come and see this great collection and save money. Wednesday, 25c and 35c books for each..... 7½c

25c and 35c Gift Books, Wednesday 15c.

Beautiful Gift Books, bound in linen, fancy fronts, with gold lettering, also colored front piece, a large list of titles to choose from. We will mention a few here; value 25c and 35c, Wednesday, each 15c

Life on the Top Floor.
Tapestry Weavers.
The Living Christ.
Cup of Loving Service.
The Will Fight.
The Boy Peddler.
The Outsider.
Baxter's Second Inning.
Our Children.
Little Bet.
Lays of Lowly Service.
Sermon in the Hospital.
A Tale of Two Roses.
The Blues Cure.
Jamie Mylies.
First.
Hospital for Broken Resolutions.
Just for Today.
Whiter Than Snow.
The Man Who Is Down.
The Changed Life.
Roland Gentleheart.
Bonnie Prince Charlie.

Beautiful Presbyterian Book of Praise.

Good cloth binding, real large type, on smooth paper, complete, with Psalms, value 35c, Wednesday 19c

Wee Macgreegor, When Knighthood Was in Flower, and Graustark, three very interesting stories, cheap edition, Wednesday 25c

35c and 45c Books, Wednesday 25c.

Fancy bindings in many different colors, with gilt lettering. A great list of titles to chose from.

Christie's Old Organ.
Talks to the Children About Jesus.
Line Upon Line.
Gold Dust.
Alice in Wonderland.
Erie Train Boy.
Queen of the Air.
Grandfather's Chair.
Vicar of Wakefield.
Through the Looking Glass.
Crown of Wild Olives.
Robin Hood and his Merry Men.
Crucifixion of Philip Strong.
Precept Upon Precept.
As Thy Days.

Artistic and Comic Postcards, Wednesday 2 for 5c.

A line of poets, beautifully bound, fancy fronts, very large type. Just a few of these left, value 75c, Wednesday, each 25c

Longfellow. Whittier. Scott. Shelly. Keats. Coleridge.

$1.25 Bibles, Wednesday, 75c each.

Beautiful Morocco Bibles, large type on smooth paper, fine gilt edges, complete with maps, value $1 25, Wednesday, each 75c

Watch the Echo for Big Saturday Bargains.

WOODS' FAIR.

DOCK-BUILDING AND RAILROADS

Government Measures Discussed in the House.

THE ANNUAL DISEASE BILL

Municipalities and Railroad Charters --Proposed Amendment to Grand Pacific Measure.

Ottawa, June 15.—Substantial progress was made today with Government business after the private bills had been disposed of. The order for the House to go into committee upon the bill to incorporate the Toronto and Hamilton Railway Company stood over at the suggestion of the Minister of Railways, and will probably be the first business on the order paper for Wednesday evening. Mr. Paterson's bill to amend the customs act was given its final stage, and a number of clauses in Mr. Blair's railway bill were passed in committee.

BILLS DEALT WITH.

This afternoon the following private bills were passed through their final stages:

To incorporate the Vancouver and Coast-Kootenay Railway Company.—Mr. Macpherson.

To confer on the commissioner of patents certain powers for the relief of James Sinclair McDougall.—Mr. Gallery.

Respecting the Canadian Steel Company (amended).—Mr. German.

The amendments by the Senate to the bill incorporating the Hudson Bay and Western Railway Company were concurred in.

Hon. William Paterson's bill to amend the cusoms act, which was held over at the request of the leader of the Opposition, when it was last under consideration, was given a third reading, and passed without further discussion.

Several clerical amendments were made to Hon. Sydney Fisher's bill to amend the patent act, which was reported by committee of the whole, and stands for third reading.

On the bill granting and for the encouragement of the construction of dry docks, Mr. Fielding explained that two clauses have been inserted since the measure was up before. One of these is that no tolls shall be levied without the consent of the Government. The other requires the company to submit to the Government a statement of the amount realized from its stock and bonds, and also the amount of aid realized from public bodies. The object of this clause is to enable the Government to fix such tolls as will yield a fair return on the money actually invested.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS.

The bill respecting infectious and contagious diseases affecting animals was amended so as to provide that when a diseased animal is slaughtered, the compensation payable to the owner shall be one-third of the value, but not to exceed $20 for grade cattle, and $60 for pure bred. When the animal has only been in contact with others that are diseased, the compensation shall be three-quarters of the value, but not to exceed $50 for grade cattle, and $150 for pure bred. When cattle have been slaughtered on insufficient grounds, full compensation will be payable, the compensation in all cases to be determined by the minister or some one named by him.

TRANSPORTATION.

The bill for the appointment of a railway commisison and the general revision of the Railway Act was taken up. Proceedings were smooth and rather dull until the clause was reached empowering the board of commissioners to decide upon terms a railway may be carried upon, along or across an existing highway.

Mr. Lancaster was against allowing a railway to take possession of a highway without the consent of the municipality.

In this protest Mr. E. F. Clarke joined.

Mr. Blair suggested that when an electric line asked for a charter a provision might be inserted compelling it to secure the consent of the municipalities before exercising charter privileges.

Mr. Clarke was not satisfied with the suggestion. He regarded it as an intolerable outrage, that the train car lines, when chartered by parliament, should have the power to enter cities without the consent of the municipality. "If," said Mr. Clarke, "the minister will allow this clause to stand, I'll try and get a lawyer to draft a sub-section that will meet the point."

Mr. Blair was willing, and the clause was allowed to stand.

It was agreed that where a highway runs under a railway bridge, the abutments of the bridge shall not be less than twenty feet apart, and the bridge not less than fourteen feet high.

An animated discussion occurred over the clause to permit railway companies to place poles for lighting, power, telephones, etc., along the streets, squares or public places of a municipality on such terms as may be prescribed by the board.

Mr. Blair said this would apply only to the light, power, telephones, etc., used for the direct purposes of the company and would not permit them to sell such things to the public.

Mr. Fowler will move in committee in the Grand Trunk Pacific bill that all freight originating in Canada and received along the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway intended for export across the Atlantic, shall be shipped through Canadian ports, when the route is not otherwise specially indicated by the shipper, and that the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company shall deposit all freight to the eastern Canadian seaboard as cheaply as to any American port on the Atlantic board.

Mr. Clarke will inquire: Is grain which has been inspected at Toronto for export from Montreal, inspected again at Montreal before shipment, and if so, why is the second inspection necessary? What is the cost of each inspection?

Keep your Stomach Healthy.

When you get up in the morning with a bad taste in your mouth that the tooth brush will not remove, a coating on your tongue, and a general "out of sorts" feeling, don't blame it on what you had to eat the night before. A healthy stomach would be able to look after that. It's poor digestion that makes you feel so badly. A teaspoonful of Abbey's Effervescent Salt in half a tumbler of water at rising will make you feel better—will cure you if you follow directions. Abbey's revitilizes every organ of the body—it clears away fermenting matter and refreshes and cleanses the stomach. It prevents the suffering that often follows a pleasant evening.

Abbey's Effervescent Salt

Is a pleasant, palatable and effective medicine for all stomach ills.

WHAT THE KIDNEYS DO.

They Are the Filters of the Body—Danger Signals.

Into everything we eat and drink, no matter how "pure" the food is labeled nor how careful we are, poisons enter. Were we not provided with organs especially designed to look after these poisons, human life would soon perish. The kidneys are the filters of the blood. They catch the poison in the food and expel it from the system. That is, they do these things when they are in healthy and vigorous condition. When they are weak, or overworked, or clogged, or handicapped by the ravages of disease in even a slight degree, they do their assigned work more or less imperfectly, or not at all. When the kidneys are not working well, the poison which should pass from the system is returned to the blood, to circulate through the body. Excess of uric acid in the blood causes inflammatory, muscular or articular rheumatism, for one thing, and those who have suffered from any of the forms of this distressing and dangerous malady will say that this is enough. The best authorities on the subject, however, believe that this is only a small part, and that to kidney irregularities are due a long train of bodily ailments. The kidneys often give warning though not always, and not always in time, of the dangers which menace the body from their abnormal condition. Among these danger signals are weakness of the back, pains or aches in the region of the kidneys, irregularity of the bowels and kidney action, chills, feverishness, puffy eyes, brick dust deposit or cloudiness, and a dropsical appearance of the ankles or wrists. When any of these symptoms appear blood poisoning to a certain extent is undermining the fabric of life. The result of the latest research into kidney troubles and their cure is the vegetable preparation known as Bu-Ju which is put forth by the Claflin Chemical Co., Limited, of New York, N. Y., and Windsor, Ont. It may be purchased at any drug store in boxes of 50 pills at 50 cents. It were well to pay no heed to efforts to substitute other so-called remedies for this dangerous condition, as Bu-Ju embodies all that these have with the addition of the latest-up-to-date discoveries and enhanced skill in preparation.

DEATH OF MAJOR MASON

Prominent Mason and Hamilton Ex-Mayor Passes Away.

Hamilton, Ont., June 16.—Major J. J. Mason, for many years a prominent citizen of this city, and grand secretary of the grand lodge, A., F. and A. M., died yesterday morning, at 4 o'clock. He was 61 years of age. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon. He had been an invalid for months, suffering from lung trouble, which was the cause of his death. Major Mason was one of the best known riflemen in the Dominion, being one of the first team of riflemen sent from Ontario to Wimbledon, in 1871, while in 1897 he commanded the team at Bisley.

He was a many-sided man. Grand secretary of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Canada; for long years lay secretary to the Niagara Synod; president of the Hamilton Reform Club, president of the Canadian Military Rifle League, ex-commander of a Bisley team, chairman of the Ontario Rifle Association, creator in chief of the fine musketry prowess of the Thirteenth Regiment, twice mayor of Hamilton—these honors do not by any means exhaust the list.

THE WEATHER TODAY—Partly fair, showers before night.



SILK SALE WEDNESDAY

Lest You Forget

Wednesday morning, at 9 o'clock, the biggest sale of Silks you have ever been asked to attend, will start. Don't you forget. Wonderful bargains in odd and broken lines of fancy colored and black silks—goods we know you want—goods we know you'd be willing to pay regular prices for. But we can't wait to sell these in the regular way. To mistake the sale day will be a distinct loss to you. Lest you should forget, we make this brief reminder. Monday's papers contained the facts in full. You know by experience how much it means to come early.

499½ yards of regular $1 to $1.25 Silks to go at per yard only..... 59c
466 yards of regular $1 to $1.50 Silks to go at per yard only..... 79c
154½ yards of regular $1.25 Silks, wonderful bargains, at per yard.....$1 00

Hundreds and hundreds of customers will buy these silks now and put them away for Christmas presents, though Christmas is a long way off.

MORE SECONDS IN NAPKINS.

The following offerings are wonderful values. They present an exceptional opportunity for hotelkeepers, boarding-house keepers and private families to supply themselves with good qualities at very small prices. On sale now and Wednesday morning.

1 lot ⅝ Napkins, regular $1 and $1.25 qualities, selling at per dozen..... 75c
1 lot 22-inch and ¾ Napkins, worth from $2 to $2.50 per dozen, to go at.....$1 35
Several other lines 22-inch and ¾ size clearing at little over half regular value.

**Fraser,
Campbell of Loudon,
Robertson,
MacKinnon,
Black Watch,
Royal Stewart,
Maclean,
Argyle,
Hunting Stewart,
King Edward VII.,
Queen Alexandra.**

SCOTCH PLAIDS.

Caledonian games at Queen's Park 1st July. Plaids will be required. Other town and cities nearby will likely have Scottish games. So complete a selection of Scotch Plaids will not be found elsewhere, and we know that those who buy in small quantities cannot touch our low prices. Colors are guaranteed fast and goods all pure wool. Order early. Write us and we will mail samples. City folk intending to participate in the local games are invited to inspect. Per yard only..... 75c

New Shipment Stylish Heptonettes.

Just received a shipment of very stylish Heptonettes—the rain garments that have no superior. In fawns, oxford gray, navy blue and black. Prices.....$6 50, $8 50, $9 50, $12 50, $15 00

SMALLMAN & INGRAM, 149, 151 and 153 Dundas Street.

JOTTINGS FROM NEARBY PLACES

Though correspondents' names are not published, they should always sign their letters.

APPIN.

Appin, June 15.—Appin Epworth League held a social at the home of Mr. A. D. McCallum, Adolphe, on Friday evening, June 12. Owing to the inclemency of the weather it was held in the house, which was packed with happy people, who listened to the good programme rendered—a beautiful contrast to the gloomy night outside. The chairman, Rev. Mr. Redmon, called the meeting to order by asking the Misses McLean, of Mayfair, to sing a duet, followed by the Rev. James Wilson, of Glencoe, in prayer. After this Miss Eva Finlayson, of Glencoe, in her rich soprano, sang, "O, Dry Those Tears," very sweetly; Mr. Atkinson, of Wardsville, sang solos, Rev. Jas. Wilson gave an address; Mrs. McLachlan, of Glencoe sang very nicely. Miss Ethel May McLean, of Mayfair, recited in her usual charming manner; Mr. Sexsmith, of Glencoe, delighted them all; Miss Frances Covey, of Appin, sang a Southern melody, followed by a selection by the Misses Minnie, Ethel and Laura McLean, which was highly appreciated. Miss Eva Finlayson sang the closing selection. The booth, amply provided, was well patronized. Thus ended an enjoyable evening, with many thanks to the genial host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. McCallum.

VANNECK.

Vanneck, June 15.—The youth and beauty of Lobo and London Townships joined in polishing the floors of Messrs. A. C. & Frank Attwood's new barn, an account of the raising of which appeared in The Advertiser a short time ago. As spiritualists say, the polishing materialized last Thursday night, the Douglass String Band furnishing the music. Although the dancing space would not compare with the mammoth affair of the McClary Company at Chelsea Green, yet we question if those who used it enjoyed themselves less. No trouble was spared by the proprietors in making the place comfortable and attractive. Nearly the whole barn, 36x73 feet, was floored and seated around the sides, and a whole wagonload of evergreens from Evergreen Hill Fruit Farm were used in decorating the floors and mows with arches and other artistic devices, and while at the wedding of Bellerophon "whole mountains of beef were hewn down, sir," there were here sandwiches in abundance. Tea and other refreshments supplied by the ladies at 12 o'clock sustained the full vigor of the company until 3 o'clock a.m. Aside from the flooring there was a dressed, waxed floor, 14x60 feet, which was kept well filled, 50 couples enjoying it in a waltz at one time.

Before the music started Mr. Attwood stated to the company that he desired they should not regard it is a public ball, but rather as a private party, as he was not aware that any person was present but those who were invited, and the aim had been to invite those who had assisted at the raising of the building. He desired and hoped that all there would enjoy themselves, but he felt he must make two restrictions: First, that there be no card-playing, and second, that no liquor should be used or brought about the building; that if he became aware of this being done, or if he smelt the breath of any person who had used liquor, he would certainly ask them to retire.

Just before lunch a short recitation was given by Miss Irene Carmichael. By actual count 200 sat down to lunch, not including children.

At the reasonable hour of 3 o'clock a Scotch reel was called for, which was tipped off in true Heiland style, after which "Home, Sweet Home" waltzing was joined in by all of those who had the floor, and the event was brought to a close.

Before the company parted Mr. Attwood congratulated them upon the success of the evening. He said he was pleased to believe that all had enjoyed themselves, and that no violation of his rules had taken place—in short, that no company in a gentleman's parlor could have conducted themselves with greater decorum and propriety; and as the evening was cold, he hoped the ladies would muffle themselves up well, and for fear of taking cold in their throats, that they do no talking to the boys on the road home, although he hardly expected them to punish themselves by following such good advice. He suggested that the floors of all new barns should be polished in the same way, not forgetting an invitation to "A. C."

Hood's Pills

Do not gripe nor irritate the alimentary canal. They act gently yet promptly, cleanse effectually and

Give Comfort

Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

POSTMASTER TALKS.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured His Bright's Disease and He Tells All About It.

Lovett, Ont., June 15.—Though well past the three score and ten mark, C. A. Harris, postmaster here, still carries his age well, besides holding the respect of the entire community. And Mr. Harris credits a large share of his wonderful health and vitality to Dodd's Kidney Pills. Speaking of the matter the postmaster says:

"In 1897 I was at the point of death from Bright's Disease. I was a complete wreck. I could not even dress myself. But now I am, I may say, a well man and I attribute it all to Dodd's Kidney Pills."

Mr. Harris' experience has led many people here to use Dodd's Kidney Pills and they have proved that the remedy that always cures Bright's Disease makes short work of any of the earlier stages of Kidney Disease.

Want Roosevelt to Act.

Washington, June 16. — The executive committee of the Independent Order of B'Nai B'Rith yesterday waited on the President and Secretary of State Hay and made representations to them regarding the Kishineff massacre. The council besought the President to use his good offices to secure the ear of the Czar. It was promised that everything that the executive could properly do without violating the principles of international comity would be done, but neither President Roosevelt nor Secretary Hay were able to make any definite promise beyond this, which was accepted, as satisfactory.

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The Cereal That Affords Ease, Comfort and Health.

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Fast G. T. R. Run.

Toronto, June 16. — A record run was made by the Grand Trunk between Montreal and Toronto on Sunday. A special bringing a deputation of hotelkeepers left Montreal at 8 o'clock on Sunday morning and arrived in Toronto at 2:26. It is a distance of 333 miles and the run was done in 386 minutes.

Farmers to Convene.

Toronto, June 16. — An international conference of Canadian and United States Farmers' Institutes will be held at the Parliament buildings here on June 23, 24 25 and 26. About 100 American and 25 Canadian institutes will be represented. Premier Ross will give the address of welcome, and Major J. G. Lee, of Louisiana, the reply. The Ontario staff of institute lecturers figure on the programme. The delegates will be taken by the Government to the Guelph College and farm on Thursday, June 25.

Accidentally Shot Himself.

Lindsay, June 16. — Geo. Bookeder, aged about 15, a native Assyrian, accidentally shot himself in the stomach Sunday in his bedroom while handling a revolver. He was taken to the hospital here, where he died last night. He had friends at Kingston and Trenton.

THE CONFESSION OF A WIFE

"PAINE'S CELERY COMPOUND Was the Medicine That Saved My Life."

This is the closing sentence of a thankful and grateful letter of testimony written by Mrs. Fred M. Wetmore, of Windsor, Ont. She suffered from kidney disease and heart trouble, which resisted the best treatment of her physicians. When all seemed dark and gloomy for the suffering woman, Paine's Celery Compound was brought to her attention. Mrs. Wetmore used the compound with faith and was happily cured. Mrs. Wetmore writes as follows:

"A year ago I was in such a low condition of health that my life was despaired of. Medical treatment failed to do me good, and my friends were greatly alarmed. The doctors said I was suffering from kidney disease and heart trouble, and might drop off at any time. My aunt procured a bottle of Paine's Celery Compound for me and I used it. After taking the second bottle, I felt stronger, and had hopes of getting well again. Six bottles of Paine's Celery Compound made me a new woman. I am now strong and well, good appetite, splendid digestion and sleep like a child. Paine's Celery Compound was the medicine that saved my life."

ECZEMA, NO CURE, NO PAY.

Your druggist will refund your money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Ringworm, Tetter, Old Ulcers and Sores, Pimples and Blackheads on the face, and all skin diseases. 50 cents. If your druggist hasn't it in stock send 50 cents in stamps to the Paris Medicine Co., St. Louis, Mo., who also manufacture Laxative Bromo-Quinine the celebrated Cold cure.





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Will Not Dissolve.

Minneapolis, June 16.—Louis W. Hill, son of J. J. Hill, president of the Great Northern Railway Company, said yesterday: "The Northern Securities Company will not be dissolved, even if the United States Supreme Court upholds every contention made in the cases that have been brought against the company.

Monkey Brand Soap makes copper like gold, tin like silver, crockery like marble, and windows like crystal.

WEAK And UNDEVELOPED PARTS of the BODY ENLARGED and STRENGTHENED!

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Ask your grocer for it.

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Many a man who would run a block to return a lost glove to the party that dropped it wouldn't go across the street to restore a plump wallet to its owner.

IF YOUR CHILDREN are troubled with worms, give them Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator; safe, sure and effectual. Try it, and mark the improvement in your child.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS.

MARRIAGES.

McMANNESS—RYAN—At St. Mary's Church, on Tuesday, June 16, 1903, by Rev. Father McKeown, Sara H. Ryan, daughter of James Ryan, Esq., of Culloden, Ont., to Mr. M. J. McManness, of St. Thomas.

DIED.

BARROWS—At Blytheswood, Ont., on June 15, 1903, Joseph C. Barrows, formerly of Nilestown, Ont., aged 44 years, brother of William Barrows, 225 Talbot street, city.

Funeral on Wednesday, June 17.

PIPER—On June 15, 1903, Henry Johnston, son of Dr. W. A. and Maud Gertrude Piper, aged 2 years, 10 months and 20 days.

Funeral private, on Wednesday, at 1 p.m.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

HAROLD JARVIS COMING

First Methodist Church, Tuesday, June 16, assisted by Mrs. Calder-Stock, soprano, Mr. Jordan, organist, and the full choir of the church. Tickets, 25c. For sale at the music stores. 14tf

SUMMER SEASON—PALACE DANCING Academy—Private lessons any hour. All arrangements made for dancing parties at Springbank Pavilion by applying W. Lowery, at Pavilion, or Dayton & McCormick.

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THE NEW TWIN-SCREW S. S. CARPATHIA sailed from Liverpool with 131 second and 912 third class. The Cunard Line offer very low fares via this ship, which sails Tuesday, July 7, from New York to Liverpool. F. B. Clarke, agent, 416 Richmond street.

GARDEN PARTY—THURSDAY EVENING, on grounds of Mr. McHarg, Horton and Adelaide streets. Ten cents admission. Twenty-sixth Band. 24u-yw

EXCURSIONS TO DETROIT, $2 65—London to Detroit and return, every Saturday and Sunday, via boat; also to Toledo and Cleveland. F. B. Clarke, 416 Richmond street.

MEETINGS.

THE LONDON HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY will hold an early summer flower show in the City Hall, June 17 and 18. A good display of flowers is expected. All members are requested to send in their exhibits as early as possible on Wednesday morning. Those who are not members are also requested to make exhibits. There will be no entrance or admission fee charged. b

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN AS PORTER. Apply at City Hotel. 24c

WANTED—TWO FIRST-CLASS BARBERS; none others need apply; highest wages paid. Apply John Cambridge, 244 Dundas street. 24tf

WANTED—COACHMAN, WHO THOROUGHLY understands the care and training of young horses; must be able to milk, also have a knowledge of gardening; must come well recommended. Apply W. M. Gartshore, "Beechwood," South London. 24n

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MEN TO LEARN BARBER TRADE—All the advantages of steady practice, instructions, etc., until competent; years saved; growing demand for graduates; positions guaranteed; tools presented; particulars mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill. 23bu

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WANTED—IF YOU EVER CANVASSED for anything, or ever expect to, send me your address and I'll surprise you with a prosposition. Wesley Linscott, Brantford. 14un

AGENTS WANTED IN EVERY UNREPRESENTED district in Canada, for accident and sickness insurance; experience not absolutely necessary. Apply The Accident and Guarantee Company of Canada, Temple building, Montreal. 19n

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WANTED—GOOD ALL-ROUND MAN, single; must be able to drive; references required. Apply to Mrs. Macbeth, 452 Princess avenue. 22c

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LOST — GENTLEMAN'S COLUMBIA bicycle, black; coaster brake. Reward on returning to Chapman's Bindery, 91 Dundas street. b

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FOR SALE—THE WHITE SULPHUR Springs and Mineral Baths. Apply 61 Elmwood avenue, South London. 10bu-tyw

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ALICE CALDER STOCK — SOLOIST First Methodist Church. Voice culture. 254 Queen's avenue. Concert engagements accepted.

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WASHERWOMAN WANTED—EITHER by day or to take clothes home. References required. Apply 386 King. 24c

WANTED—PASTRY COOK. APPLY Grigg House. 24c

WANTED—TWO DINING-ROOM GIRLS—Wages, $12 per month. Address Avinmore House, Toronto. 24c

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GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED. Apply at 387 King street. 24tf

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WANTED—DRESSMAKERS AND APPRENTICES. Apply Miss Logan, 169 Dundas. 22c

WANTED—LAUNDRY GIRLS. APPLY Victoria Hospital. 22c

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GENERAL servant. Apply in the evening, Mrs. A. M. Smart, 142 Kent street. 22c

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OPERATORS, DRESSMAKERS AND apprentices wanted. Helena Costume Company, 198 King. 15bu

COOK AND DINING-ROOM GIRL wanted. Apply Wellington House. 23tf

GIRLS WANTED FOR BISCUIT DEPARTMENT—McCormick's new biscuit factory; steady employment; big pay. 7tf

TWO DINING-ROOM GIRLS WANTED. Apply Britannia House. 21n

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REFRIGERATORS, GASOLINE STOVES and all kinds of stoves for wood and coal. A large stock of second-hand furniture at F. Keene's, 141 King street.

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FOR SALE—PIANO, HAYNES BROS., cabinet grand; good as new; owner leaving city. Apply 618 Dundas street. 24c

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FOR SALE—CANOPY TOP BUGGY, set of harness, first-class condition; also light buggy. Apply 471 Waterloo street. 22c

FOR SALE—HERCULES AND LION brand Portland cement; best on market. For rates apply Grey and Bruce Portland Cement Company, Limited, Owen Sound.

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WE ARE OFFERING 25 ORGANS AT $10, $15, $20, payable $1 and $2 per month. These organs are in first-class condition and guaranteed five years. Heintzman & Co., corner Dundas and Clarence.

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TO LET—LARGE HOUSE, 832 RICHMOND; in good repair; suitable for two families. Apply 829 Richmond. 20k-wtyt

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DR. BAYLY, 211 QUEEN'S AVENUE—Specialty, diseases of children. 'Phone 827.

R. OVENS, M.D., 225 QUEEN'S AVENUE—Eye, ear, nose and throat.

R. W. SHAW, M.D., L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S. (England)—Office, 287 King street. Telephone 839.

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FOR SALE—A VERY COMFORTABLE home, convenient to church, school, street car and store; first-class neighborhood; large lot; beautiful grounds. 12 Cathcart street, between Bruce and Elmwood avenue. 22n-tzywvt

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COTTAGES NOS. 74 AND 84 MAITLAND street for sale cheap on easy terms. Buchner & Gunn, 83 Dundas street. 22k-tywt

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SPECIAL RESIDENTIAL SALE.

St. James Street—Very superior two-story and attic brick, stone foundation, slate roof; contains 10 rooms; all modern up-to-date plumbing, electric light, furnace, plate glass, etc., etc., etc.; corner lot. Price, $3,700.

Hyman Street—Handsome two-story and attic brick, stone foundation; contains 10 rooms; well finished; grate, furnace, gas, electric light; all modern plumbing; art and plate glass; very handsome property. Price, $4,000.

Dundas Street—A pair of two-story semi-detached brick residences, stone foundation; each contains 10 rooms; furnace, gas, modern plumbing; everything in first-class condition. Price for the pair, $7,500.

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WOOLVERTON & BENTLEY, DENTISTS, 216 Dundas street, next Edy Bros., over Cairncross & Lawrence, druggists. Telephone 228.

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JOHN H. WILSON, VETERINARY Surgeon. Office and residence, 846 Richmond street. 'Phone 430.

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WANTED — GOOD MODERN TWO-STORY brick house, 8 or 9 rooms, within ten minutes' walk of C. P. R. station. Terms, cash. Address Box 59, this office. 23c

WANTED—CITY LOAN COMPANIES' stocks. John Wright, stock broker, London, Ont. 'Phone 693.

GENTLEMAN WISHES PLEASANT furnished rooms; central locality. Address Box 54, Advertiser. 16tf

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BRUNSWICK HOTEL, CORNER YORK and Clarence—$1 per day. M. J. O'Donohue, proprietor.

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BOARDING, ROOMS, ETC.

YOUNG LADY WISHES ROOM AND board in private house, centrally located. Address Box 56, Advertiser. 22c

TWO ROOMS, WITH GAS STOVE IN connection, to let at 376 Ridout street.

MONEY TO LOAN.

PRIVATE AND TRUST FUNDS TO loan at 4¾ to 5½ per cent on real estate security, in sums to suit. No commission charged. T. W. Scandrett, solicitor, 98 Dundas street, London.

PRIVATE FUNDS TO LOAN—LOWEST rates. Buchner & Gunn, 83 Dundas street.

$100 AND UPWARDS TO LOAN ON real estate at 4½ to 5½ per cent. Apply J. W. G. Winnett, barrister, 420 Talbot street. ywt

MONEY TO LOAN—$500,000 PRIVATE and trust funds on first mortgage, at 5 per cent; also on notes and other security. Tennent & Coleridge, barristers, solicitors, notaries, etc., 78 Dundas street. ywt

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NOTICE THE LINES IN YOUR FACE, caused by those new shoes pressing your corns, and also notice how awkwardly you walk. Have your corns and bunions scientifically treated at 288 Princess avenue, any Thursday, Friday or Saturday. ywt

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LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND Globe Insurance Company—Assets exceed $61,000,000. Losses paid since 1803, $200,000,000. Edward Towe—Office, corner Dundas and Richmond streets (over Bank of Commerce). Note.—Funds to loan at 4½ per cent on farm and 4¾ per cent on city property. ywt

Queen Insurance Co.

Funds available for security of Queen policyholders, $64,000,000.
J. A. NELLES, Agent,
428 Richmond Street.
'Phone 343. ywt

LONDON MAN MENTIONED

May Be Among Victims of Heppner Disaster.

A. M. Gunn's Friends Fear for His Safety.

Among the five hundred people who lost their lives in an Oregon cloudburst which almost wiped out the town of Heppner, may be a former resident of this city, Mr. A. M. Gunn, formerly of this city, and son of Mrs. Catherine Gunn, 311 Oxford street. He lived in the town of Heppner, and it is feared that he and his family may have been lost. Still communication in that district is so disorganized that he may be unable to get word to his relatives.

Mrs. Gunn, when seen this morning by The Advertiser, said that they were expecting word from Detroit. Mrs. A. M. Gunn was a Miss Elizabeth Ellis, daughter of Dr. E. R. Ellis, of Detroit, and her relatives in that city are endeavoring to obtain definite information. As soon as word is received in Detroit, Mr. Gunn's relatives in this city will be notified.

The Detroit Free Press today says: "Mr. A. M. Gunn, formerly of London, Ont., has lived with his wife in Heppner about fifteen years. Mrs. Gunn was Miss Elizabeth Ellis, of Detroit, daughter of Dr. E. R. Ellis, and sister of Major E. D. Ellis and Miss Jessie Ellis. She has four children. No word has been received, and it is feared that the Gunns are lost. Report says Mr. Boyd and family are lost. They lived next door to the Gunns.

"Mrs. Gunn was a teacher in the Pitcher school for several years, and is well known in Detroit."

A MAIL CARRIER'S EXPERIENCE.

CURED OF KIDNEY TROUBLE AND PAIN IN THE BACK, FROM WHICH HE SUFFERED MANY YEARS, BY

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MR. JAMES TAGGART, mail carrier for the past eighteen years, Palmerston, Ont., gives the history of his case as follows: "For a good many years I have had kidney trouble and pain in the back. It is so many years ago that I can hardly say what it came from, but think it came from a heavy lift; after that the back grew weaker and weaker. I tried everything, and never got a bit of relief until I got a bottle of Dr. Pitcher's Backache-Kidney Tablets. They cleared up the pain, soreness and kidney trouble, and strengthened the back."

The action of Dr. Pitcher's Backache-Kidney Tablets is rapid and positive, curing backache, eruptions, blood humors, dropsical swellings, gravel, smarting and scalding of the urine, frequent rising at night, rheumatic pains, and all kidney troubles of young and old. Price 50c. a bottle at druggist or by mail. The Dr. Zina Pitcher Co., Toronto.

LEGAL CARDS.

JOHN F. FAULDS, BARRISTER, ETC.—Robinson Hall Chambers, opposite Court House. Money to loan.

A. GREENLEES, BARRISTER, ETC., Canadian Loan Company's building, Richmond street, London. Private funds to loan.

PURDOM & PURDOM, BARRISTERS, solicitors, etc.—Office, Masonic Temple building, corner Richmond and King streets, London, Ont. Thomas H. Purdom, K.C.; Alexander Purdom.

W. H. BARTRAM, BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, etc.—Office, 99 Dundas street.

E. B. STONE, BARRISTER, ETC.—District manager Federal Life. Office, Masonic Temple.

STUART & GUNN, BARRISTERS, ETC.—Office, 112 Masonic Temple. Alex. Stuart, K.C.; George C. Gunn.

T. W. SCANDRETT, BARRISTER, solicitor, etc., 98 Dundas street, London.

T. H. LUSCOMBE, BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, ETC., 169 Dundas street, near Richmond. Money at lowest rates.

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BUCHNER & GUNN, BARRISTERS, etc., 83 Dundas street, London; 'phone 99. Money to loan, lowest rates. U. A. Buchner, J. M. Gunn, B.A.

MAGEE, McKILLOP & MURPHY, barristers, solicitors, notaries, etc.—Office, corner Richmond and Dundas, London. James Magee, K.C.; J. B. McKillop; Thomas J. Murphy.

GIBBONS & HARPER, BARRISTERS, etc., London. Office, corner Richmond and Carling streets. George C. Gibbons, K.C.; Fred F. Harper.

JARVIS & VINING, BARRISTERS, etc., 101 Dundas street. C. G. Jarvis, Jared Vining, B.A.

McEVOY & PERRIN, BARRISTERS, solicitors, Robinson Hall Chambers, opposite Court House. Money to loan.

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OUR SYSTEM IS SIMPLE AND ACCURATE—Test measures, for irregular figures, receive special attention. Lessons to modistes, and designing and copying costumes. Individual instructions. Terms moderate. 233½ Dundas street, London.

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WRINKLES CAN BE REMOVED, youthful complexion renewed, by using Madame Kennedy's preparations. Miller's Hair Store, 223 Dundas street.

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WATSON & CO., HOUSE MOVERS—Steam boilers and safes a specialty. 194 Hamilton road. 'Phone 1,231.

BINDER TWINE.

Will be sold at the Kingston Penitentiary to farmers at the following prices per pound, f.o.b., Kingston:

Pure Manila, 600 feet to the lb.........10¾c
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Terms, cash with the order.

Address all communications to the Warden of the Kingston Penitentiary, Kingston, Ont.

Papers inserting this notice without authority from the King's Printer will not be paid therefor.

J. M. PLATT, Warden.
Kingston, June 5, 1903. 24u-yt

THE ELGIN SUSPENSION

Is Sole Topic of Discussion in Local Financial Circles.

Belief Exists That Company's Action Was Unnecessary.

The suspension of the Elgin Loan and Savings Company of St. Thomas was the sole topic of discussion in local financial circles today. Following so closely upon the collapse of the Atlas Company of that city, it came as no little surprise. The Elgin Company was believed to be on a perfectly sound basis, and the loss sustained slight. The company had been established for a good number of years, and although a small concern, comparatively, having a subscribed capital of $600,000 and a paid-up capital of less than $300,000. It was well managed and prosperous.

London financiers expressed the opinion that the action of the Elgin Company in suspending payment was unnecessary, even if it were true that the manager was a defaulter to the extent alleged. The last statement of the company showed a reserve and contingent fund of $27,000. Press reports are to the effect that the manager of the company had turned over real estate to the value of $10,000 to the company, which, added to the contingency and reserve fund, made a total of $37,000, thus leaving a difference of only $13,000, which would be lost provided the manager is short the whole amount alleged—$50,000. This will have to be met by the shareholders, and as the latter have paid up $260,000 on their stock the loss of each one will not be heavy, about 3 per cent, while the depositors and debenture-holders cannot possibly lose anything.

There are some Londoners who hold stock in the Elgin, but the amount is said to be light. There are also former residents of St. Thomas residing here who have not transferred their deposits since coming to London. These are absolutely safe.

The London and Western Trusts Company of this city has been appointed interim liquidator for the company, and Mr. J. S. Moore, manager, is in St. Thomas in connection with this business at present.

TRUSTEES NOT SATISFIED

Call to Rev. J. W. Graham May Be Reconsidered.

The quarterly board of the First Methodist Church may be called together at an early date to reconsider the call recently extended to Rev. J. W. Graham, of Montreal, to succeed Rev. George Bishop as pastor in 1904. Some dissatisfaction exists at the action of the quarterly board, which it is charged, rushed the matter through without ever taking the other boards into its confidence. The trustee board talked the matter over at its last meeting and passed a resolution expressing its disapproval of the action of the quarterly body, on the ground that the question of a call was sprung without due notice, and asking reconsideration.

When seen today regarding the call to Mr. Graham, Mr. Bishop begged to be excused from making any statement for publication, preferring to await further developments. Mr. Bishop admitted that the trustee board had taken action to have the call reconsidered, but he would not say anything regarding the probable outcome.

HYDE PARK.

Hyde Park, June 16.—Mr. P. Herbert is preparing to reshingle his bran, which was badly damaged by the recent windstorm that swept through the village.

Master Barclay Fisher has been ill for the last week with quinsy. His many friends will be pleased to hear he is rapidly recovering.

The Woodmen of the World marched to the Church of the Hosannah last Sunday. Rev. H. H. Rhodes, rector of the church, preached an impressive sermon to a large audience.

Rev. Mr. Waddell occupied his pulpit last Sunday, after being absent to Conference.

A good time is expected on Thursday, the 18th, at the garden party to be held in the school grounds. James Fax, Canada's leading humorist, is to take part, also the Routledge Orchestra, assisted by other first-class talent. Refreshments will be served from 6 to 8 p.m.

Miss Porteous, principal of the Hyde Park school, met with what might have been a very serious accident while driving to the city on Saturday last. The horse became frightened and upset the occupants of the rig into the ditch. She sustained slight injuries, but was able to resume her duties on Monday.

Canadian Captain Dies.

Chicago, June 16.—Captain James R. Sinclair, Chicago manager for the Great Lakes Towing Company, died last night from paralysis. As an operating tug manager, Sinclair was considered the best on the entire chain of lakes. Captain Sinclair was born at Kingston, Ont., 49 years ago.

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Hear Harold Jarvis at the concert in the First Methodist Church tonight.

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TOWNSHIP COUNCILS.

WEST NISSOURI.

Council met 10th inst. The clerk was instructed to white the contractors for river bridge, requesting that the same be completed without further delay.

Thomas Duffin, ex-reeve, was paid $5 for services on committee appointed to attend the meeting of county council, soliciting a grant towards the erection of a steel bridge over the River Thames between lots 15 and 16.

Bylaw No. 135, confirming the purchase of a piece of land on lot 6, concession 4, for a gravel pit, was read and passed.

The following accounts were passed John Edwards, team on grader, $3 50; John Edwards, for ditching and graveling, $12 75; John Edwards for graveling west town line, $24 85; Wm. Lince, ditching, $3 37; J. C. Rumble, $13 50; E. Pearson, $10; Thomas Faircloth, repairing bridge, $5; Thomas Faircloth, for repairing culvert, $5; C. Waugh, for repairing culvert, $3; Thos. Wiseman for spikes, 50c; H. Brock, filling culvert, $3; H. Brock, graveling, $10; H. Brock, for repairing a washout, $3; James Smibert, concrete tile, $4; George Kew, ditching and cleaning culvert, $12 50; John Wetters, tile culvert, $2 50; John Salmon, cedar posts, 50c; C. Fitzzgerald, tile culvert, half cost, $2; G. W. Smibert, ditching and cleaning culvert, $21; F. C. Fitgerald, work on award drain, $10; C. Hardie, removing tree and shoveling snow, $2 50; Hugh McDonald, team on grader, $7; Wm. Aikin, team on grader, $7; John Edwards, team on grader, $6; Allen Woods, team on grader, $3 50; R. Sugden, team on grader, $3 50; E. Dunn, team on grader, $1 75; H. Case, team on grader, $3 50; James Hart, spreading gravel, $4; John Robbins, graveling, $15; Alex. Duffin, damage to sheep by dogs, $10 65, and Thomas Bedggood, fee as valuator, $1.

Mr. Elgie moved, seconded by Mr. Farley, that the county engineer be employed to examine the bridge at lot 35, concession 4, the same being considered unsafe for public travel. Carried.

W. B. Harding is to be paid for gravel and shoveling, $15 88; Jim McVay, gravel, $15; G. Uren, graveling, $8; J. Stuart, repairing culvert, etc., $2 50; Mrs. McFadden, monthly grant, $5. Adjourned till July 1.

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Trade in the Empire.

The sea-borne trade of the United Kingdom in 1900 was $4,387,250,000, of which $1,057,775,000 was with the colonies. These figures are always adduced to support the assertion that a preferential tariff means the "sacrifice" of three-fourths of Great Britain's trade for the benefit of the one-fourth which is carried on with the colonies. An examination of the exports and imports puts a somewhat different face on the matter. British imports from foreign countries in 1901 were $2,082,082,460, and from British possessions, $527,568,530. But foreign countries bought from Great Britain in 1901 only $850,000,000 worth of goods, while the colonies purchased from her $545,000,000 worth. In other words the colonies take 38 per cent of all the mother country sells abroad, while nearly 80 per cent of all she buys comes from foreign countries. It will be seen from this that the colonial markets are vastly more important to Great Britain than would appear from the bald statement that three-fourths of her trade is with foreign countries. The colonies buy as much from the mother country as they sell to her. Foreign countries buy from her to the extent of only 41 per cent of what they sell to her. Raw material and foodstuffs comprise the bulk of British imports. Of the former Great Britain buys seven times as much from the United States as from Canada, the figures being:

	Canadian.	American.
Wheat	£2,216,049	£13,475,541
Barley	122,762	872,694
Oats	317,488	1,185,928
Peas	225,046	153,481
Wheat flour	628,611	8,698,249
Oatmeal	45,206	497,335
Eggs	255,956	125,643
Fish	690,454	836,177
Apples	305,953	487,884
Lard	237,085	3,775,638
Meat, preserved	74,959	1,294,304
Pork, salted	22,700	207,356
Cattle	1,484,880	7,324,154
Sheep	99,506	463,519
Bacon and hams	1,226,331	13,465,667
Beef, fresh	40,503	6,761,587
Butter	1,008,002	689,164
Cheese	3,697,680	1,274,061

A preference in the British market would operate strongly in diverting these exports from the United States to Canada, and the day is not far distant when Canada will be in a position to supply the whole British demand in some lines, notably in wheat. Imperial preferential trade would be a great boon to the Canadian farmers and they may have something to say if the Chamberlain scheme is ever placed on the bargain counter. Hitherto it has been discussed chiefly from the standpoint of the Canadian manufacturer. Will the Canadian manufacturer consent to increased competition from Great Britain? This is the question which has occupied the foreground. But the Canadian farmer may put in his claim for consideration. He knows that a preference in the world's greatest market will be to his own advantage, and he knows also that a tariff against Great Britain is of no service to him. If he can get the preference by reducing the tariff on British imports, he will be apt to do it if he has the power. He may see no reason why he should not look out for number one. These difficulties are bound to be raised when the question enters the practical politics of this country. That time may never come, as the battle will have to be fought in the mother country first. Surface appearances are against the Chamberlain propaganda, but he has not begun his campaign in earnest yet. Five years ago no one dreamed that a British Government within a measurable future period would dare to tax the food of the people. The tax was imposed. The idea of its being reimposed is not nearly so revolutionary as was the idea of a corn duty five years ago. Great Britain has been always a beacon light to political economists, and her return to protection in any form would be a wrench to those in Canada and the other colonies who have held to sound principles of trade. They would have some satisfaction in knowing that protection in Great Britain, under the imperial preferential plan, would mean a modification of the protective system in the colonies. If the mother country moved toward protection, the colonies would move toward free trade to meet her half way.

Another Year of Plenty.

All indications point to another great crop in the Canadian Northwest. The C. P. R. has collected information from 218 stations in Western Canada, and all have the same story to tell. The seed went, in good time, into soil that was in excellent condition for its germination; and since it has burst upward to the light, the weather conditions have been such as to insure the promise of the sowing. The shimmer of green overlaying the ground has grown rapidly, and is now well on in its transformation into a sea of standing wheat spreading over the West—a sea of green that will turn later to gold. The growth is close upon a fortnight ahead of what it was at this date last year. It will be an early crop: and, provided no adverse conditions prevent its being all safely garnered, it will be a bonanza crop. Never has the outlook been brighter in mid-June for a rich yield throughout the West. We know what this means for the whole Dominion. A succession of good crops has diffused prosperity through the country and attracted the attention of the whole world to the Canadian Northwest. One bad harvest would not give the country a serious setback, but it might check to some extent the flow of immigration. On the other hand, another great crop this year will bring an enormous influx of settlers, and so long as people continue to pour into the country to till the prairies, so long will the present overflowing prosperity continue, and the manufacturers and distributors of Ontario be kept busy.

FIFTY DELEGATES HERE

Members of Synod Have Breakfast Together.

Dean of Huron Gives Address on Times of Hooker.

Today's proceedings of the Synod of Huron began at 8 o'clock, when over 50 delegates sat down to breakfeast at a city restaurant at 8 o'clock. At the close of the clerical breakfast, the chair was taken by Rev. Thomas Dobson, of Tilbury, who made a few remarks and then called upon Very Rev. Dean Innes, who gave an address on the life and writings of Hooker, describing the age in which Hooker lived and the struggle between Puritans and Roman Catholics. The speaker characterized the writer as eminently fair and just. Along the same lines Rev. Principal Waller and Rev. G. B. Sage led in a discussion in which a number of those present joined.

At 10:30 o'clock holy communion was celebrated at the cathedral. The services were conducted by the cathedral chapter, namely, the Bishop, the Dean, Ven. Archdeacon Davis, Canons Hincks, Smith, Hill, Richardson, Young, Brown and Davis and Rev. Principal Waller. The sermon was preached by Rev. David Williams from Romans i., 16. He spoke of the curse that was over the world at the time of the apostle and the Gospel being the only power to lift men out of this condition.

The synod began its business session at 3 o'clock. The meeting will last several days. Some important matters will come up.

COST MORE IN LONG RUN

Young Man Got Into Circus But Was Thrown Out.

At Police Court Today He Had to Pay a Fine of $3.

No clue to Klew was the report of the chief of police to the magistrate this morning when the aforesaid Klew's name was called out to answer to a charge of riding a bicycle on the sidewalk. He had not taken notice of a summons and when inquiry was made for him he could not be found.

Magistrate Love was in a good lecturing mood. All those who appeared before him had to submit to it, but they got off all right. The only man who was fined, with costs and without a lecture, was James Johnson, the man who was charged with keeping liquor for sale at the canteen of the Thirtieth Regiment in camp. He admitted having the liquor and was fined $20 and costs, the latter being $1 85.

The boy arrested at the fire the other evening for taking away a pair of overalls was dealt with. The magistrate gave him friendly advice instead of a lecture. The boy promised to do better in the future.

There were two intoxes, one man and one woman, both of whom were discharged to mark the occasion of this being their first appearance.

The circus was too much for two London citizens. One of these was a young fellow who decided to cross swords with the chief, denying that gentleman's statement that he was drunk in the main tent. He had got into the tent by paying an employe a quarter to let him under the canvas but another employe saw him getting up through the seats and commenced to throw him out. Then it happened that he was arrested. He went into the witness box and denied being drunk, but claimed to be a victim of circumstance. He was made a victim to the extent of $3 more.

The other gentleman had his refreshments affect him in another way. Symptoms were first noticed when he reached the railway track, where he insisted for a while that the flag man should give up his green flag. The latter was to Irish to surrender, however, and the man had to go on his way, but not without having the notice of a policeman drawn to the fact that he was intoxicated. The officer followed along, and after the man had spoken to a couple of ladies and ran into other people "for pure devilment," as the officer expressed it, he arrested him. The man did not remember being disorderly and a good word was said for him by his employer. The magistrate said that this being his first offense and in view of the fact that he was not using bad language and also of his previous good character he allowed him to go on suspended sentence.

THE GAMEY DEBATE

Premier Ross Will Move Adoption of the Report.

Toronto, Ont., June 16.—Premier Ross' motion to adopt the report of the Gamey commissioners, which will be moved tomorrow morning, says the House adopts the said report and thanks the commissioners for their just and impartial conduct in the matter referred to them.

BOARD IS RESPONSIBLE

Dr. Bryce Says Health Authorities Must Act.

Scarlet Fever Precautions Not Left to Hospitals.

Dr. Bryce, of the provincial board of health, has decided opinions on the subject of London's care of contagious diseases. He received a letter from City Clerk Edwards a short time ago, which referred to the trouble the city would have if the new regulations were enforced, and here is the reply that has come from him:

"I certainly shall expect the epidemic to extend, and would not be surprised if householders bring action against the board for damages in turning their houses into hospitals. Section 106 of the act is so clear that the municipality had no excuse for continuing to neglect to carry out the plain provisions of the act. Your own report of last year eloquently expresses the situation when it says 'that a police force would be necessary to keep the children in in scarlet fever cases.'

"Your board must not delay action in this matter, as it is not an affair of the hospital authorities, but of the board."

PRESIDENT GETS RATES

Old Boys Association Hears From the Railroads.

Fares Which Companies Agree Upon Announced.

President McCann, of the Old Boys Association, now has the rates which the railway companies have agreed to make for the home-coming excursions. He received letters today, which state that the rate to be given the New York association will be a fare and a half, good for return on the certificate plan. That is every purchaser of a ticket must get a certificate which will be signed by the secretary of the association here. The rate for places within 80 miles of London, all directions, will be a one way first class fare for the round trip. Tickets will be good going from Aug. 2 to Aug 3, inclusive and good to return until Aug. 10.

Outside of this distance, but not west of Sudbury, Port Huron, or Detroit, or east of Montreal, the rate will be a one way first class fare for the round trip, good going Aug. 1, 2 or 3, and to return up to and including Monday, Aug. 10.

West of Sudbury, and east and south of Montreal, the rate will be a single fare on the certificate plan.

ONTARIO DOCTORS MEET

An Attack on the Anti-Vaccination Society.

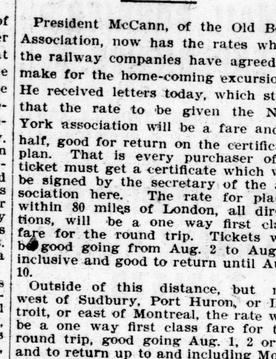
Toronto, June 16. — The 23rd annual meeting of the Ontario Medical Association opened this morning with about forty members present from outside Toronto. The press were excluded from the meeting, as the papers were purely technical. Dr. J. C. Mitchell, of the Toronto Insane Asylum staff, the president, delivered his address at the afternoon session. He commented on the new changes in the education department regulations, advised the establishment of a post-graduate medical course here, congratulated Lady Minto on the success of her cottage hospital scheme, and then launched into an attack on the anti-vaccination society, and especially Dr. Fyne, M. P. P., for introducing a bill in the Legislature to provide that vaccination shall not be compulsory. Dr. Mitchell also condemned the Canadian press for advertising quack medicines.

New Grand Secretary.

Toronto, Ont., June 16.—Grand Master Judge Harding, of the Masonic order has appointed Grand Trueasurer Hugh Murray, of Hamilton, grand secretary, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Major J. J. Mason, of Hamilton.

Spencer Pleads Innocence.

New York, June 16. — Wm. Spencer, the negro who, it is alleged, shot and killed Charles S. Macfarlane, superintendent of the Goddard Anti-Policy Society in the Criminal Courts building yesterday, was arraigned before Recorder Goff today and pleaded not guilty to the charge of murder in the first degree.



GIRLS AT SCHOOL

While they are accumulating knowledge on the profound sciences, are often so ignorant of their own natures that they allow local disease to fasten on them to the ruin of the general health. Backache, headache, nervousness, point to a disordered or diseased local condition which should have prompt attention.

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THREE CASES CAME UP

Judge Street Presides Over High Court Sittings.

His Lordship Threw Out Fitzgerald vs. Wallace Suit.

Justice Street heard three cases at a non-jury sitting of the high court of justice, which commenced yesterday afternoon and concluded this morning.

The most interesting case was that of Fitzgerald vs. Wallace, in which Jane Fitzgerald, of Watford, endeavored to have the will of the late Jane Merry, of the same place, set aside. Christiana Wallace, of Watford, and the infant heirs of the deceased were the defendants. Mrs. Fitzgerald, it appears, claims that she was not recompensed for her services to the deceased as a companion and housekeeper, and asked that she be either granted a portion of land, $3,000 with interest, in payment of her services, or $5,000 damages. The defendants denied that Mrs. Fitzgerald had not been paid for her services. His lordship caused the action to be struck off the list. Riddle, K. C., of Toronto, and Weir, of Sarnia, for the plaintiffs, and Hellmuth, K. C., Toronto, for defendant, and Betts, of London, for the infants.

Judgment was reserved in the case of the St. Lawrence Steel Wire Company vs. F. B. Leys. The action was to secure payment of an account which is was claimed defendant had agreed to guarantee. W. B. Carroll, of Gananoque, and Watson, K.C., of Toronto, appeared for the plaintiffs, while George C. Gibbons, K.C., of this city, was for the defense.

The third case heard was that of John McFadden vs. Annie Brandon. The parties in this suit reside in London. The action was on a covenant in mortgage, and the question in dispute was as to the collecton of the mortgage on a covenant for payment. The mortgage was made in 1874 by the late Annie Brandon, sen., and Annie Brandon, jun. The first mentioned died in 1892. Nothing was ever demanded by the plaintiffs and nothing was ever paid by the defendants. The terms of the mortgage made it for five years with interest at 8 per cent, payable yearly. A clause in the will said that if the interest was not paid punctually the principal would have to be paid. If the whole mortgage came due in 1880 the claim was barred by the statute of limitations, but if it did not come due until the expiration of five years it would not be barred. The plaintiff contended that it was at his option whether the mortgage fell due in 1880 or 1884. The defendant argued that the statute began to run in 1880, and that therefore the claim was barred. The judge reserved his decision. Ed Meredith, K.C., and Judd for plaintiff. T. H. Purdom, K.C., for defendant.

FREQUENTED BARROOMS

Mayor Brault of Amherstburg Was Summoned.

Amherstburg, Ont., June 16.—Mayor Brault and several other citizens were summoned before Police Magistrate McGee for frequenting barrooms on Sunday, June 7. All pleaded guilty except the mayor, who did not appear at the hearing. The summons was left at his home, as he could not be found. The hearing was adjourned until Monday next. The magistrate stated that if Mr. Brault did not appear then a bench warrant would be issued for him. The citizens are worked up over the loose way in which the liquor law is enforced in the town.

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THE LORDS ON FOOD TAX

Lansdowne Says Government Has Not Committed Itself.

London, June 16. — The discussion of preferential tariffs, was revived in the House of Lord yesterday afternoon by Lord Goschen (Liberal), who called attention to the recent declarations of cabinet ministers on the subject. Lord Goschen pointed out that the whole question rested upon the taxation of food. He considered that the colonies were asking infinitely more than they themselves were prepared to give.

Lord Lansdowne said he did not wish to disagree with the practical point Lord Goschen had raised, namely, to act with extreme caution before committing themselves to a radical departure from free trade principles. He wished it to be clearly understood that the Government had not proposed any measure to the country. The plan put forward was not one to which any member of the Government was committed. It had been broached simply because the signs of the times showed that such a discussion would soon be inevitable. It was impossible, after the resolutions passed by the colonial conference, to brush those suggestions lightly aside, but the Government was going into the investigation with a perfectly open mind. If it collected statistics it would not be with the object of supporting any particular thesis or theory.

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For the Denver C. E. Convention.

Very low excursion rates have been arranged from all points in Canada to Colorado, leaving July 6, 7 and 8, good for return up to Aug. 31. Everybody can go, the rate is wide open, and this is a splendid opportunity to spend a vacation among the Rockies at slight expense. The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway and connections will run special standard first-class and tourist sleeping cars through to Denver, besides the regular daily service from Chicago.

For full information, time tables, pamphlets, rates and sleeping car reservation, write to A. J. Taylor, Canadian Passenger Agent, 8 King street east, Toronto, Ont. 14-uc

Leave London at 7:15 p.m.

The Michigan Central train leaving London at 7:15 p.m. arrives New York 10 a.m. next morning via New York Central Railway. Through sleeping car from St. Thomas. 23-bk

Why Work for Others?

Now is your opportunity to find a place where you can be independent. Every day until June 15, 1903, the Great Northern Railway offers extremely low rates to points in North Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Washington and Oregon. Every ticket agent knows. Ask him or write to Charles W. Graves, District Freight and Passenger Agent, 6 King street west, Toronto, Ont., or F. I. Whitney, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, St. Paul, Minn. 82 tf ywt

There is a large and vacant field awaiting the man who will invent an automatic attachment to a man's head that will instantly bring the day of the month to his mind.

Polson's Nerviline Cures Rheumatism.

The remarkable strength and marvelous soothing power of Nerviline renders it quite infallible in rheumatism. Five times stronger than any other remedy. Its penetrating power enables it to reach the source of the pain and drive out the disease. Nerviline is stronger, more penetrating, more highly pain-subduing in its action than any other medicine heretofore devised for the cure of rheumatism. Sold in large 25 cent bottles everywhere.

People who think too much about what might have been would probably have been disappointed if things had taken a different turn.

HOUSEHOLD PACKAGES DYES.

The latest and most improved dye in the world. Have no equal for strength, simplicity, penetration or fastness. In thirty minutes they make suits, dresses, blouses, ribbons, etc., like new. All colors, at Cairncross & Lawrence's, 216 Dundas street; H. J. Childs', 632 Dundas street; T. H. Janes', Wortley Road. ywt

When a man is really and truly in love he is not of much use for anything else.

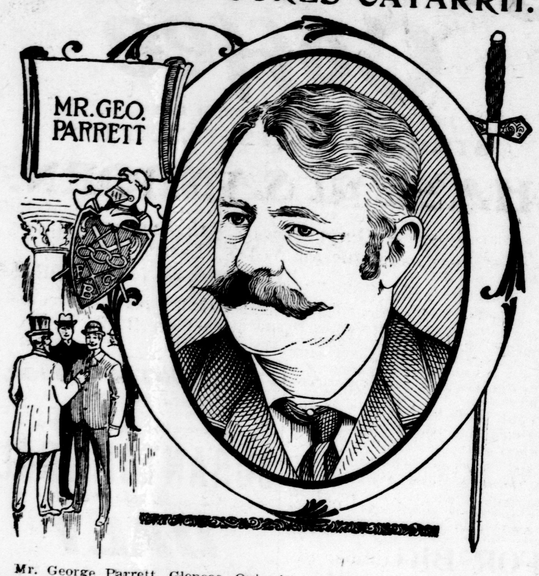
MILD IN THEIR ACTION.—Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are very mild in their action. They do not cause griping in the stomach or cause disturbances there as so many pills do. Therefore, the most delicate can take them without fear of unpleasant results. They can, too, be administered to children without imposing the penalties which follow the use of pills not so carefully prepared.

Dust saved, said the Improvident Pup, is dust earned.

ILL-FITTING BOOTS and shoes cause corns. Holloway's Corn Cure is the article to use. Get a bottle at once and cure your corns.

CATARRH Is Often A Disguised ENEMY.

PE-RU-NA CURES CATARRH.



Mr. George Parrett, Glencoe, Ont., is a member of the Noble Grand Lodge, No. 133, I. O. O. F., Glencoe, Ont. He writes:

"I have been using Peruna for some time for a cough and catarrh of the throat with very satisfactory results. Having neglected the cough catarrh developed, and my physicians said I was threatened with catarrh of the stomach. My breath was offensive, and I was troubled with nausea. Less than two bottles cured me."

GEO. PARRETT.

Hon. Thomas H. McKee, Journal Clerk, House of Representatives, Washington, D. C., writes:

"My friends here who have used Peruna for catarrh, speak great things in its praise. I do not hesitate to recommend it."

THOS. H. McKEE.

Mrs. Hettie Green, Inka, Marion County, Illinois, writes as follows of the efficacy of Peruna:

Last November I had catarrh, and felt so miserable I thought that I would go into consumption. I tried so many doctors and medicines, but nothing did me any good, only Peruna. After I began the use of Peruna I began to improve in every way. My head does not hurt me much, my stomach is all right, my bowels are regular, my appetite good, my complexion clear, my eyes are bright, and am gaining in flesh and strength. I think Peruna has no equal as a catarrh remedy."

MRS. HETTIE GREEN.

Rev. Irving Hamilton, Presiding Elder M. E. Church, of Ellis, Nebraska, writes as follows:

"Three years ago my system became debilitated, and I was an easy subject to colds and their unpleasant consequences. I suffered with indigestion and pains through my chest and shoulders, and was very nervous and found my mind wandering. A friend advised me to give Peruna a trial and I am very glad that I did. Four bottles restored me to health, and since then I always used it in my family with good results. I therefore advocate it as a reliable medicine."

REV. I. HAMILTON.

Chronic catarrh often makes its approach in disguise. Before a person knows it, he may become a victim of chronic catarrh. Its onset may be gradual, its development insidious, and at last the victim finds himself in the clutches of a tenacious disease. A slight cold, a tendency to sneeze, a puffiness in the nose and head, fullness or crackling in the ears, stringy mucous in the throat, slight cough or wheeziness, snoring during sleep; any one of these symptoms should be regarded as a warning.

What can be cured in the beginning in a week or two, by using Peruna, if allowed to become chronic, may require months of faithful treatment. You had better take Peruna now, for by and by you may be obliged to take it for some time in order to get well. Peruna is the remedy for catarrh. Almost everybody knows that by hearsay and thousands know it by experience.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Peruna can be purchased at any first class drug store for $1 per bottle.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

CONGREGATIONALISTS END FIFTIETH ANNUAL MEETING

Rev. Hugh Pedley Sums Up the Work of the Week—Officers Were Elected.

The fiftieth annual meeting of the Congregational Union of Ontario and Quebec has closed, a week's sessions being ended last evening. The afternoon session was important, for the election of officers for the ensuing year took place as follows:

Union secretary and statistical secretary—Rev. J. T. Daly.

Union preacher—Rev. E. D. Silcox.

Alternate preacher—Rev. W. S. Pritchard, B.D.

Representatives on the college board of governors—Rev. John Morton, W. H. Watson, J. K. Unsworth and Dr. F. A. Stevenson.

Delegates to the Union of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick—Revs. D. E. Hill and J. McKellecan.

Delegates to the Union of England and Wales—Revs. J. W. Pedley and E. D. Silcox.

Union committee for 1904—Mr. H. O'Hara, Revs. J. T. Daly, H. G. Price, Dr. Warner, E. M. Hill, F. J. Day, H. Pedley, W. R. Harvey and Messrs. T. Moody, S. P. Leet, T. B. McCauley and W. D. Lightall.

The church union committee to be the same as that approved by the Canadian Congregational Missionary Society.

During the afternoon also, a paper on "Congregationalism and Democracy" was read by Rev. W. E. Gilroy, of Toronto. An interesting feature was the hour with the veterans, in which, among the speakers, were Rev. M. S. Gray, who is 81 years of age, and Rev. John Wood, another old gentleman, still interested in the work, he having not missed a meeting of the Union in the 50 years. In reference to the late Revs. W. F. Clark and J. J. Hindley, two veterans who died during the year, resolutions of sympathy were passed.

At the evening meeting a resolution was passed symathizing with the English Congregationalists who are fighting for national education as against denominational education. The officers of the Union were thanked and resolutions were also passed thaking those who had so hospitably entertained the delegates to the Union during the past week. An address by Rev. G. A. McKenzie, of Stratford, on "The Philosophy of Christian Conscience," was listened to with interest and a very good idea was the summing up of the work of the Union by Rev. Hugh Pedley. He gave an excellent synopsis of the great thoughts that had been brought out during the progress of the meetings. Among the ideas especially brought out were the hope for closer fellowship among the various denominations and the removal of the church indebtedness by the acceptance of "the challenge to the churches."

The annual meeting which concluded with this session in the evening has been one of the most important and most hopeful for the Congregational Church that has been held by the Union or that body in Canada, and the delegates have gone to their respective homes with reports that no doubt will be complimentary to London as well as self-congratulatory in regard to the outlook of the church for the coming year.

'TIS A MARVELOUS THING.—When the cures effected by Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil are considered, the speedy and permanent relief it has brought to the suffering wherever it has been used, it must be regarded as a marvelous thing that so potent a medicine should result from the six simple ingredients which enter into its composition. A trial will convince the most skeptical of its healing virtues.

Though the wagon tongue is silent it always gets there ahead of the rest of the outfit.

An egotist is a man who is unable to disguise the fact that he is pleased with himself.

DIABETES,

A Long, Slow and Suffering Decay of the Kidneys.

Dr. Pettingill's Kidney-Wort Tablets

A Non-Alcoholic Medicine Rapidly Cures the Disease.

Diabetes is a wasting and terrible form of kidney disease. In its advanced stage it is marked by the passage of a large amount of urine containing an excess of sugar. The pronounced signs of Diabetes are, great thirst, loss of flesh, loss of strength, constipation, harsh, dry skin, dropsical tendencies and great physical weakness.

Dr. Pettingill's Kidney-Wort Tablets will almost immediately stop the wasting away of strength and rebuild the whole system. The Tablets begin their good work by revitalizing the kidneys, bringing them back to activity and strength.

Kidney-Wort Tablets have performed miracles for sufferers from Diabetes. They have restored thousands to robust health.

As soon as you note any of the threatening symptoms mentioned above, do not fail to use Kidney-Wort Tablets; they will do their work so well that you will experience cheering results in a few days. Kidney-Wort Tablets are widely recommended by the medical profession because they contain no alcohol. All druggists sell them.

RINGLING CIRCUS PLEASED GREAT CROWDS OF PEOPLE

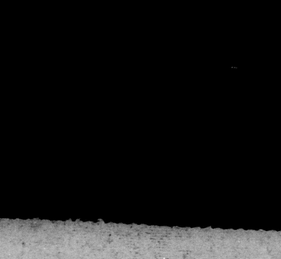
Show Was the Best Ever Seen in This City.

Thousands Attended Afternoon and Evening Performances.

The Circus.
[S. E. Kiser.]

Same old posters, same old show,
Same old decision not to go;
Same excitement when it comes,
Same band wagons, horns and drums;
Same white horses, same parade,
Same gay trappings, same tune played
On the old calliope.
Same old longing filling me,
Same old yielding, same old rush
After tickets; Same old crush.
Same old sideshows, same old sells,
Same old cages, same old smells;
Same old extra charge for seats,
Same old rings and same old feats;
Same old ladies riding nags,
Same old spangles, same old gags;
Same old peanuts to entice,
Same old "lemo," same old ice;
Same announcement as of old,
Of the concert that they'll hold;
Same decision not to stay—
Same old victim, same old way!
Same disappointment, then
Vow to never go again;
Same old crowding to the streets;
Same old clatter, same old dust,
Same pickpockets, same quick thrust—
Same old swearing, fit to bust!

The circus has come and gone again. Ringlings succeeded in pleasing a great crowd both yesterday afternoon and evening, their reputation made two years ago being fully sustained. The show is certainly a great one, even if it is only "the same old circus." The menagerie cannot be described as the "same old thing" for it is questionable whether in the days of Barnum there were more animals carried with a show. Ringlings' animals include almost every species, certainly more than are to be usually found in circuses, while the numbers of elephants and other animals of one kind were very large. A white deer was born yesterday afternoon, and the management decided to name the baby "London."





Ringling Brothers had a bigger crowd than they expected yesterday. At first they thought that if they had seats for about five thousand people that would be enough, but as the people started to pour to the grounds they saw that it would be necessary to make further accommodation, and when the performance started there were just 11,000 people seated to watch the proceedings. Almost as many people came at night, the number being 9,000, making in the neighborhood of 20,000 people who saw the circus in this city. It was a great circus crowd. All sorts and conditions of men were to be found there.

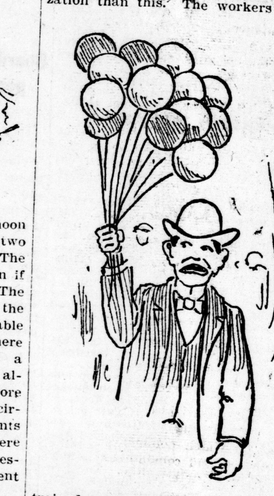


ALL WERE SATISFIED.

The general opinion of the circus was that it was a good one. The animals were well trained. That perhaps was the special feature. The acrobats included some of the most wonderful that have ever been seen here or anywhere else, while the aerial feats, though many of the same kind as people have seen for years, were deserving of high praise. The trained elephants and the trained seals attracted much favorable comment, but the horses came in for the most admiration. Numerous new tricks were accomplished with these and the sagacity of almost every horse was an object lesson as well as a pleasing sight for everyone. One of the new tricks was the work of two of the horses harnessed in carriages. Perhaps most pleasing of all was the sixty horse act in which one trainer had that many horses, all unharnessed, under his control.

The opening with a pantomime spectacle representative of Jerusalem was pleasing to the eye. The ballet in which several hundred women danced was pretty, while the music was excellent.

The management of a circus, if observed, is an object lesson which might well be emulated by people who have to do with organizations and their working. No show that ever came through this city had a better organization than this. The workers are a trained set of men ready at once for their work, and act follows act like clockwork. One act is scarcely finished before another is begun. It is a continuous performance, which would be impossible under any other circumstances than that all are so well organized. The property of the circus is handled with celerity and a performer is no more through than the trapeze or whatever property may be is down and something else in its place. In this way the people are able to see as much in two and a half hours as might have been seen years ago in four hours. The same systematic working order is observed in the horse races. That there were horse races goes without saying, for what an incomplete thing a circus would be which ended without a chariot race! Yesterday's were greatly enjoyed, bringing to a close a most enjoyable performance, for everybody, no matter in front of which ring they happened to be.





It would be hard to say what act pleased the most or was the most thrilling. Those people who enjoy chills running down their backs declared that the head balancing feat was the most wonderful thing they ever saw. Others thought that the trained seals was the greatest act. Most people agreed that the clowns were a satisfying crowd of fun-makers. It was a wonderful show and it pleased an immense number of people. The management also was delighted with the large business done here. They rate London among the three best show towns in Canada, Montreal and Toronto being the other two.

WILL START INQUIRY

Balfour Says Proposed Changes Will Be Considered.

London, June 16.—A number of questions bearing on Colonial Secretary Chamberlain's preferential tariff proposals were asked in the House of Commons today. Premier Balfour, replying to Mr. Labouchere (Advanced Liberal), said the inquiry into the suggested changes in the fiscal system would be conducted by the Government, which would be responsible therefor. Asked if it was proposed to protect Canada by retaliating on Germany, Mr. Chamberlain said the situation created by the differences between Canada and Germany was precisely that upon which he had invited a discussion, with a view of ascertaining the opinion of the country.

ADMITTED HER GUILT

The Montreal "Badgers" Get a Severe Sentence.

Montreal, Que., June 16.—Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Barber, who were found guilty last week on a charge of blackmailing a French Canadian merchant named Brosseau by forcing him to sign checks and notes to the amount of $13,000, when found with Mrs. Barber in a house in Westmount, were sentenced to seven and three years respectively by Chief Justice Lacoste today. The motion for a reserve case in connection with the judge's charge to the jury was denied. Before the sentences were given Mrs. Barber asked for permission to address the court in a few words. She admitted her guilt, but claimed her husband was innocent of collusion. The scene was pathetic in the extreme.

Wood's Phosphodine,



Before and After.

The Great English Remedy, is an old, well established and reliable preparation. Has been prescribed and used over 40 years. All druggists in the Dominion of Canada sell and recommend as being the only medicine of its kind that cures and gives universal satisfaction. It promptly and permanently cures all forms of *Nervous Weakness, Emissions, Spermatorrhœa, Impotency,* and all effects of abuse or excesses; the excessive use of *Tobacco, Opium* or *Stimulants, Mental* and *Brain Worry*, all of which lead to Infirmity, Insanity, Consumption and an Early Grave. Price $1 per package or six for $5. *One will please, six will cure.* Mailed prompty on receipt of price. Send for free pamphlet. Address The Wood Company, Windsor, Ont., Canada.

Wood's Phosphodine, sold in London by C. McCallum & Co., and Anderson & Nelles, druggists.

IRISH BILL COMMITTEE

Will Discuss the Fixing of a Minimum Price.

London, June 16.—The House of Commons yesterday afternoon went into committee on the Irish Land Bill. The question of fixing a minimum price is regarded as being one of the most vital and most contentious points of the bill, and when once settled the consideration of the rest of the measure is expected to proceed more rapidly and smoothly.

DON'T NEED TO BE TOLD

What Dyspepsia Is If You Have It—The Cure Is Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

If you have Dyspepsia you don't need to be told of the aches, the pains, the nervousness, the headaches and the despondency. You know all that only too well.

But if the Dyspepsia is only starting; if you feel only slight discomfort after eating, or food or gas rising in the throat, you have little or no idea of the terrors the future holds for you, the days of despondency, the nights of waking and pain.

In either case your duty to yourself and others is plain—use Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. They brush away the symptoms; they root out the disease if it is already there. Those who have used them will tell you this. Hear the experience of Edward Rosseau, of Bruce Mines, Ont.:

"For upwards of ten years I have been a severe sufferer from Dyspepsia," Mr. Rosseau writes. "I doctored almost continually and used almost everything I could hear of until I began to use Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

"I have taken two boxes and words cannot express the great good they have done me. I am now feeling like a new man."

DO NOT DELAY.—Do not let a cold or a cough fasten upon you, as it will if neglected. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil will break up a cold and cure a cough, and should be resorted to at once when the first symptoms appear. It can be disguised so that any unpleasant taste it may have will be imperceptible to the delicate. Try it and be convinced.

The modern pharisee knows enough to adopt the publican's prayer.

The sign of the dollar is the one most sought by this sinful generation.

IRON-OX TABLETS

are an effective, but gentle, laxative; therefore an immediately perceptible effect upon the bowels must not be expected from them. Therein lies their great merit.

QUICK ACTION MEANS VIOLENT ACTION

A violent medicine is sometimes necessary, but it is a necessary evil.

Never Forgot that IRON-OX TABLETS ARE NOT A CATHARTIC

50 Tablets, 25 Cents

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For Soft, White, Fragrant Skin, Use

BABY'S OWN SOAP

No other Soap is just as good. 031

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THE MASTER MECHANIC'S PURE TAR SOAP heals and softens the skin, while promptly cleansing it of grease, oil, rust, etc. Invaluable for mechanics, farmers, sportsmen. **Free** Sample on receipt of 2c for postage. Albert Toilet Soap Co., Mfrs. Montreal.

Diamond Flour.

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—lightest,
—whitest and
—most wholesome
—bread and
—rolls because
—it is the
—best and
—purest flour
—there is.
—The quality of
—"Diamond" Flour
—never varies,
—hence good
—results always
—follow its use.

Ask your grocer for "Diamond" Flour and refuse substitutes.

Hunt Bros.

Wholesalers of "Diamond" Flour.



You can make dirty picture frames, or any other such articles, look like new if you clean them the Sunlight way. Chop very finely a piece of Sunlight Soap and put it into a bottle with a teacupful of hot water, shaking it well and adding a wine glass full of spirits of ammonia. Paint the frames with this liquid, let it stay on a few minutes, then wash off with a soft brush and cold clean water, and polish with clean chamois leather. Sunlight Soap is the only soap that can be used successfully in every cleansing operation in the household.

SUNLIGHT SOAP

ASK FOR THE OCTAGON BAR

Sunlight Soap washes the clothes white and won't injure the hands.

LEVER BROTHERS LIMITED, TORONTO. 11a



Sunshine Furnace.

LARGE, CLEAN ASH-PAN.

"In most furnaces the ash-pan is considered a minor detail—in the "Sunshine" it is given as much care as the most important feature.

And the ash-pit is constructed so that all the ashes must fall into the ash-pan which is large and roomy—no scraping, shovelling and sweeping up ashes in taking care of this heater.

In no other furnace are the unseen, but really important little features given so much thought and care.

"Sunshine" furnaces make house-warming easy, cheap and sure.

Burns Coal, Coke or Wood. Booklet Free.

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WHISKARD'S 3 Busy Stores, 228, 230 and 232 Dundas Street.

A Thoughtful Person

WILL not overlook the exceptionally low prices we are offering in every department during our **Great Reducing Stock Sale** now in full go.

It's a fine opportunity, with great values and little prices. QUICK DECISION is advisable. Don't let these fine bargains go from you. Regrets always last longer than opportunities—therefore make an early choice.

1,500 Yards of Fine Ginghams and Chambrays.

In stripes and checks; these goods are sold everywhere at 12½c; we clear this lot, at, per yard 8c

Here's an opportunity for you. Colors are blue, pink, fawn, red, and gray, all the best colors.

1,500 Yards of Fine Sateen Finish Prints.

Light and dark, regular 10c and 12½c, sale price, yard, 5c, 6c, 7c

1,000 Yards of Light Ground Wrapperette.

In spots and fine fancy patterns, regular 8c and 10c, you can have them during this sale at half-price, yard 5c

We Are Clearing Out Our Laces.

Valenciennes, Torchon, Oriental and Appliques, at 10c, 15c, 20c and 25c for 12 yards, worth double the money. See them.

5 INCHES WIDE, fine patterns, Valenciennes Lace, worth 12½c, for, yard 5c

BEAUTIFUL ORIENTAL LACE—Very fine goods, worth 25c, for, yard 10c

See our large window for special values.

1,000 YARDS OF SERPENTINE INSERTION LACE, regular 10c, sale price, yard 5c

See Our Fine Skirting Embroidery.

For Ladies' Waists we are selling it at about half-price, in ladies' and children's widths. Very fine goods.

Linen Toweling.

We have 26 pieces of Linen Toweling we are going to clear out, regular 8c and 10c, bleached and dark linen, sale price, yard, 6c, 7c and 8c

Our Curtain Sale Continues

With better values than ever. We must clear them out.

$1 00 Lace Curtains for, pair .. 69c
$1 25 Lace Curtains for, pair $1 00
$2 00 Lace Curtains for, pair $1 50
4 yard Curtains, worth $1 75, for pair $1 25

NOW IS YOUR CURTAIN OPPORTUNITY. COME!

We Have a Splendid Opportunity for You in Hosiery.

Ladies' Fine Ribbed and Plain Cashmere Hose, seamless feet, only, pair 19c

You want to see them; you are sure to buy.

In Our Millinery Department Prices Are Cut to Clear.

Colored Chiffons, 12 inches wide, all colors, worth 25c, sale price, yard 10c

White Ribbon Chiffon, colored satin edge, regular 50c; we are clearing this line; have sold a lot of it; sale price, yard .. 15c

Price of Children's Muslin Bonnets cut in two, each 5c, 10c, 15c and 25c

Price of Children's Embroidered Muslin Hats cut in two, each 15c, 25c, 49c and 69c

Price of Black Ostrich Tips cut in two, 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c and 75c

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THE MARKETS.

STOCK MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

H. C. Becher, broker, Bank of Commerce building, received the following by private wire from Bartlett, Frazier & Co. today:

New York, June 16—Noon.—Further declines, short selling, bear tactics and lack of support, with an incidental supply of sinister rumors, were the characteristics of the forenoon stock market today. The bear party was active, and the sagging tendency of yesterday gave way to a sharp decline induced by a more active market. Specific features were few. Atchison, Baltimore and Ohio, Union Pacific, Reading, Rock Island, Norfolk, Southern Pacific, all showed pressure. St. Paul evidenced some support, but it was erratic. The pressure increased after the opening, but there was a rally before noon. It could scarcely be called healthy, and the feeling is nervous. The aggressiveness of the bear crowd is not conducive to a healthy feeling, but stocks look a purchase on drives. Sales to noon, [illegible]00,900 shares.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, June 16.

	Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific	121¼	121
Canadian Pacific, new	..	..
Duluth, common	..	..
Duluth, preferred	..	..
Winnipeg Electric	250	..
Montreal Street Railway	233½	233
West India	..	..
Toronto Street Railway	96½	96
Halifax Street Railway	94¾	..
St. John Street Railway	..	..
Twin City Transit Railway	94½	94
Twin City Railway, new	..	..
Richelieu and Ontario	78	77
Commercial Cable	165½	160
Montreal Telegraph	160	..
Bell Telephone	160	..
Dominion Iron and Steel, com	13¼	12¾
Dominion Iron and Steel, pref	40	36
Montreal Heat, Light and Power	76½	76
Nova Scotia Steel, common	85	83
Detroit Railway	73	72⅜
Laurentide Pulp	..	110
Montreal Cotton	..	..
Dominion Cotton	..	..
Canada Colored Cotton	..	..
Merchants' Cotton	..	..
War Eagle	..	..
Payne	..	..
Montreal Street Bonds	..	..
Republic	..	..
Virtue	..	..
North Star	..	..
National Salt, common	..	..
Dominion Coal, common	86½	86
Dominion Coal, preferred	..	..
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Bank of Montreal	..	..
Ontario Bank	..	..
British North America	..	..
Molsons Bank	..	..
Bank of Toronto	..	..
Merchants Bank	162	..
Ogilvie Milling Co., preferred	125	120
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Cable Registered	..	..
Colored Cotton	..	..
N. S. Steel Bonds	..	..
Toledo Bonds	26	25¼

SALES: C. P. R., 200 at 121, 125 at 120½, 125 at 120¼, 50 at 120⅝, 100 at 120¼, 25 at 120¾, 25 at 121¼, 225 at 121; Power, 35 at 75, 25 at 74¾, 75 at 75¼, 50 at 75⅛, 25 at 75, 3 at 75½, 125 at 75¼, 50 at 75½, 25 at 75¾, 125 at 76; Toronto Railway, 175 at 95, 10 at 96, 150 at 95, 50 at 95½, 5 at 96½, 25 at 96; Detroit Railway, 8 at 75, 100 at 73, 2 at 75, 175 at 72, 150 at 72¼, 200 at 72¼; R. and O., 10 at 77½, 30 at 76, 11 at 77, 50 at 75, 25 at 75¼, 25 at 75, 25 at 75¼, 25 at 75½, 25 at 75½, 200 at 75¾, 25 at 76¼, 50 at 76½, 25 at 76⅝, 25 at 76¾, 25 at 77; Twin City, 200 at 94, 75 at 93¾, 25 at 94¼, 250 at 94, 75 at 93¾, 25 at 93⅝, 25 at 94, 25 at 94¼, 50 at 94¼, 50 at 94⅛, 100 at 94¼, 25 at 94⅛; Montreal Street Railway, 25 at 232, 225 at 233, 125 at 233½; Coal, common, 25 at 86½, 75 at 86⅛, 100 at 86, 50 at 86¼, 150 at 86, 50 at 86½; Cable, common, 11 at 160; Iron, common, 70 at 13, 25 at 12¾; Scotia, 25 at 83½, 25 at 85, 75 at 83½, 50 at 83⅞, 25 at 83¾; Toledo Railway, 150 at 25, 26 at 25⅛, 25 at 25¼; Switch, 30 at 62½; Iron bonds, 2,000 at 61½; Molsons Bank 125 at 107.

TORONTO.

Toronto, June 16.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	..	..
Ontario	134	128
Toronto	240	..
Merchants	..	..
Commerce	..	159
Imperial	..	227
Dominion	240	239
Standard	..	..
Hamilton	..	225
Nova Scotia	..	270
Ottawa	220	210
Traders	..	137
British America	95	..
Western Assurance	95	..
Imperial Life	..	150
National Trust	..	..
Toronto General Trusts	..	156¼
Consumers Gas	210	..
Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land	..	84
Canada Northwest Land, Pref	..	96
Canada Northwest Land, com	..	..
Can. Pacific Railway Stock	121⅝	121¼
Can. Pac. Railway Stock, new	..	..
Canada Life	..	..
Royal	..	..
Toronto Electric Light	135	..
General Electric	170	..
General Electric, pref.	..	..
London Electric	106	..
Commercial Cable	..	160
Dominion Telegraph	..	..
Bell Telephone	156½	150
Richelieu and Ontario Nav. Co.	..	76
Niagara Navigation	..	118
Northern Navigation	134	132½
St. Clair L. and C. Navigation	134	..
Toronto Railway	..	96¼
London St. Railway	..	..
Twin City Railway	94⅞	94¼
Winnipeg St. Railway	..	175
Sao Paulo Tramway	85	83½
Toledo	..	..
Luxfer Prism, pref	..	..
Carter Crume, pref	..	..
Dunlop Tire, pref	..	..
W. A. Rogers, pref	..	..
Packers, A	..	..
Packers, B	..	..
Dominion Steel, com	..	12
Dominion Steel, pref	..	..
Dominion Coal, com	86¼	85¾
Nova Scotia Steel, com	84	82
Republic	..	..
Payne Mining	..	..
Cariboo (McKinney)	..	..
Canada Salt	..	119
British Canadian L. and I	..	70
Canada Landed and Nat. Inv	106½	104
Canada Permanent	..	119
Canada Savings and Loan	..	120
Central Canada Loan	..	150
Dominion Savings and Invest	..	70
Hamilton Provident	..	122
Huron and Erie L. and S.	..	182
Imperial L. and Invest	..	..
Landed Banking and Loan	..	119
Lon. and Can. L. and A.	..	..
Manitoba Loan	..	..
Toronto Mortgage	120	70
London Loan	..	..
Ontario Loan and Deb.	..	..
Peoples' Loan and Deposit	..	..
Toronto Savings and Loan	..	..
Dominion Steel Bonds	..	..
N. S. Steel Bonds	..	111

SALES: Ontario, 3 at 128; Commerce, 93 at 60, 50 at 59½; Imperial, 9 at 241; Hamilton, 5 at 225¼; R. and O., 50 at 75½, 5 at 77½; Northern Navigation, 5 at 133½; St. Lawrence, 5 at 132, X-allot.; C. P. R., 100 at 121¼, 225 at 121⅛, 50 and 5 at 122¾, 25 at 120½, 25 and 50 at 120⅞, 25 at 120¾, 5 at 120½, 100 at 121⅛, 100 at 121⅜; Canadian General Electric, 10 at 60; Twin City, 10 at 93½, 25 and 10 at 94, 100 at 93¾, 100 at 93½, 5 and 25 at 94¼, 10 at 93½; Cable, 55 at 160; Canada Permanent, 108 at 119; Central Canada, 100 at 150; Coal, 20 at 86, 100 at 85⅛, 150 at 85¼, 25 at 85⅜, 135 at 86; Dominion Steel, 2,000 bonds at 62, 1,000 at 61½; Nova Scotia Steel, 5 at 84½, 25 at 83¼, 25 at 82¾, 10 at 83; Dominion Telegraph, 20 at 118; Toronto Railway, 75 at 94⅞, 20 and 25 at 95, 5 at 96; Sao Paulo, 60 at 84½, 25 at 85, 25 and 25 at 84, 10 at 84½, 20 and 25 at 84¼.

NEW YORK.

Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Masonic Temple, for the Advertiser.

New York, June 16.

	Open.	High.	Low.	2 p.m
Anaconda	86⅛	..	..	..
Amal. Copper	53	54¼	52¾	54¼
American Sugar Co.	117¾	118½	117¾	118½
American Locomotive	22	22⅛	21¾	22
American Foundry	34⅝	35	34½	35
American Refining	45	45¾	45	45¾
Atcheson Com	65¾	66	64⅜	66
Atcheson Pfd	93	..	..	..
B. & O.	83½	84½	82¾	84⅜
Brooklyn Tran	56	56¼	55½	56¼
C. P. R.	121⅛	121⅞	120⅛	121⅞
Chesapeake & Ohio	36½	36½	36	36½
Chic. Great Western	17¾	18¼	17⅝	18¼
Chicag and Alton	26⅛	26½	26	26¼
Col. Fuel and Iron	65	66	63	65
Erie	30¾	31¾	30½	31⅝
Erie Pfd	64¼	65½	64	64½
Illinois Central	132⅝	133	132	133
Kan. and Tex. com	19⅞	20	19¾	20
Kan. and Tex. pref	48	..	..	..
Louisville and Nashville	108½	108⅞	106½	108⅞
Manhattan	135½	135⅞	135⅜	135⅞
Metropolitan St. Ry	125¼	125¼	124	124¼
Mexican Central	21⅞	21⅞	21¾	21¾
M. P.	101½	102¼	100½	102⅛
N. Y. Central	126½	127½	126¼	127⅛
Norfolk and W.	61½	62¾	60⅝	62⅜
Ont. and West	24	24½	23⅝	24½
Pennsylvania	124¼	125	124⅛	124⅞
People's Gas	96¼	96¾	95⅞	96⅜
Reading	45	46¾	44⅝	46⅛
Republic I. and S.	14	14½	13⅞	14⅜
Rock Island	32⅞	33½	32¼	33⅛
Southern Ry.	23¼	23½	22⅞	23½
Southern Ry. Pfd	87	..	..	..
Southern Pacific	47⅞	48⅝	47⅜	48⅝
St. Paul	150¼	150¾	149¼	150⅜
Texas	28	28¼	27⅛	28⅛
Twin City	94	94¼	93½	94
T. C. I.	50½	51	50	51
Union Pacific	89	79⅞	78¼	79⅞
U. S. Leather	9	..	..	..
U. S. Leather, Pfd	87	..	..	..
U. S. Steel, com	29½	30⅛	29⅜	30⅛
U. S. Steel, Pfd	79¾	80	79⅝	80
Wabash, com	22⅞	23⅜	22	23⅛
Wabash, Pfd	41¾	42	41	41⅞
Western Union Tel	84½	84¾	84½	84¾
Wisconsin Central	20	20⅛	19¾	19⅞

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

Reported for The Advertiser by F. H. Butler, stock broker.

Chicago, June 16.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—July	76	76⅛	75⅝	76
Sept	73½	73⅝	73⅛	73¼
Corn—July	48⅝	49⅞	48⅝	49¾
Sept	48⅛	49½	47⅞	49⅜
Oats—July	38¾	39⅛	38½	39⅜
Sept	33⅜	34	33⅜	33⅞
Pork—July	17 02	17 02	15 92	19 97
Sept	16 92	16 92	16 85	16 87
Lard—July	8 87	..	..	..
Sept	8 97	9 00	8 97	9 00
S. Ribs—July	9 35	9 35	9 30	9 32
Sept	9 30	9 32	9 27	9 30

LOCAL MARKET.

London, Tuesday, June 16.

Today's attendance was not quite as large as was expected. However, it was a fairly representative one for this day of the week. The principal part of the offerings were in the smaller products of the farm and garden. The offerings of strawberries were not as large as on some market days last week, when they were one of the features of the market. Sales were fairly brisk and prices were steady.

Grain—Over 20 loads of oats were offered; most of them met with a brisk demand, at 93c and 94c per cental. Several loads of wheat sold at $1 20 per cental.

Hay and Straw—Twenty loads of hay sold at $8 to $10 per ton, according to the quality; the demand was good for the best loads. Straw is dull and prices easier; one load of straw sold as low as $4 35 per ton.

Butter and Eggs—Very little offered in this line; prices were about as quoted.

Fruits—Strawberries were quite plentiful and sales were fairly good at 5c per box wholesale, for the majority of the loads offered; some of the choice loads gooseberries sold at 10c per quart.

Vegetables and Roots—A few lots of potatoes sold at $1 35 per bag; new butter beans at 10c per quart; green peas at 20c per quart; other vegetables as quoted.

A small supply of poultry was offered; there was, however, sufficient to meet all demands; prices were about as quoted.

Dressed Hogs—There were about 25 carcases offered, most of them selling at $8 per 100 pounds.

Wool went at 16c per pound for washed.

Butchers' eaMts—The supply was small and sales brisk at quoted prices.

Barley	31	@	43
Oats	92	@	94
Peas	85	@	90
Corn	58	@	72
Rye	53	@	55
Buckwheat	50	@	52

GRAIN, PER BUSHEL.

Wheat	72	@	72½
Oats	30	@	31
Corn	1 00	@	1 10
Rye	95	@	1 00
Buckwheat	90	@	1 10
Peas	1 40	@	1 50
Wheat, good	$1 20	@	$1 20
Barley	95	@	1 00

SEEDS, PER BUSHEL.

Clover seed, alsike	6 00	@	7 00
Clover seed, red	7 00	@	8 00
Timothy seed	1 50	@	2 00

HAY AND STRAW.

Hay, per ton	9 00	@	10 00
Straw, per ton	4 50	@	5 00
Straw, per load	3 00	@	3 00
Hay, baled, wholesale	7 50	@	8 50

LIVE STOCK.

Hogs, per cwt	5 65	@	5 65
Pigs, per pair	3 75	@	4 00
Sows, per cwt	4 00	@	4 50
Fat cattle, per cwt	3 25	@	3 75
Dressed hogs, per cwt	7 50	@	7 75
Cows, each	25 00	@	37 00

BUTCHERS' MEATS.

Pork, per cwt	8 00	@	8 00
Beef, per lb	6 00	@	8 00
Veal, per cwt	6 00	@	8 00
Veal, fronts, per lb	7	@	7
Veals, hinds, per lb	9	@	10
Spring lambs, each	4 50	@	5 00

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Butter, per roll, baskets	17	@	17
Butter, in crocks	15	@	16
Eggs, wholesale, per doz	13	@	14
Eggs, retail, doz	15	@	15
Butter, per roll, baskets	17	@	18
Butter, creamery, per lb	20	@	20
Butter, crock, per lb	15	@	16
Eggs, doz., basket lots	14	@	14
Eggs, doz., new-laid	15	@	15
Honey, strained, per lb	9	@	10
Honey, in comb, per lb	13	@	13

DRESSED POULTRY.

Turkeys, per lb	11	@	14
Chickens, per pair	75	@	90
Ducks, per pair	75	@	1 00
Geese, each	65	@	90
Spring chickens, per pair	60	@	90

LIVE POULTRY.

Chickens, per pair	70	@	75
Turkeys, per lb	9	@	11
Spring chickens, per pair	50	@	60

HIDES AND SKINS.

Wool, washed, per lb	15½	@	16
Wool, unwashed, per lb	9	@	9
Tallow, rough	3½	@	3½
Sheepskins, each	60	@	60
Calfskins, No. 1	8	@	9
Calfskins, No. 2	7½	@	8

VEGETABLES.

Potatoes, bag, wholesale	1 25	@	1 40
Potatoes, single bag	1 40	@	1 50
Turnips, per bag	25	@	35
Onions, per bag	60	@	65
Lettuce, per doz	30	@	30
Beets, per bu	30	@	40
Carrots, per bag	20	@	40
Cabbages, per doz	60	@	60
Celery, per doz	25	@	50
Radishes, per doz	30	@	35
Rhubarb, per doz	20	@	25
Cucumbers, per doz	60	@	1 00
Watercress, per doz	25	@	25
Green onions, per doz	20	@	20
Asparagus, per doz	50	@	50
Spinach, per bu	31	@	40
Tomato plants, per box	10	@	15
Lettuce plants, per box	10	@	15
Celery plants, per box	10	@	15
Cabbage plants, per box	12	@	15
Tomatoes, per lb	12	@	15

FRUITS.

Strawberries, per box	5	@	6½
Apples, per bbl	1 50	@	2 00
Apples, per bag	50	@	75
Dried apples, per lb	5	@	5½

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LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, June 16.—There were 66 loads in today, including 159 hogs, 993 sheep and lambs and 47 calves. Quotations:

Export cattle, choice, cwt.	$4 75	@	$4 90
Export cattle, medium	4 50	@	4 70
Export cows	3 60	@	4 00
Export bulls	3 85	@	4 15
Butchers' cattle, choice	4 25	@	4 65
Butchers' cattle, medium	3 85	@	4 15
Butchers' cattle' common	3 40	@	3 70
Feders, short-keep	4 50	@	4 80
Feeders, medium	4 00	@	4 20
Stockers	3 25	@	3 75
Milch cows, each	30 00	@	52 00
Export ewes, cwt	3 65	@	3 75
Export bucks	2 75	@	3 25
Butchers' sheep, each	2 50	@	3 50
Lambs, each	2 50	@	4 40
Calves, each	2 00	@	10 00
Calves, per lb	4 50	@	5 50
Hogs, singers, off cars	5 87½	@	5 87½
Hogs, fats and lights, off cars	5 62½	@	5 62½

Export cattle and butchers' cattle, bad trade; choice milch cows are selling fairly; medium or common, slow trade.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, June 15.—About 900 head of butchers' cattle, 1,000 calves and 800 sheep and lambs were offered for sale at the east end abattoir today. There was a fair demand and steady prices were paid for the best cattle, but all others were slow of sale at declining prices. A large number of rather poor sheep were on sale, and these brought lower prices, but good lambs brought higher rates than on last week's market. Prime beeves sold at 4¾c to 5¼c per lb, medium cattle at 3½c to 4½c and the common stock at 2½c to 3¼c per lb; many lots of cattle were left unsold; calves sold at $1 25 to $6 each; sheep sold at 2¾c to 3¾c per lb, and lambs at $2 to $4 each; fat hogs sold at about 6c per lb, weighed off the cars.

NEW YORK.

New York, June 15.—Beeves—Receipts, 4,283; steady and lower; steers, $5 to $5 50; bulls, $2 65 to $4 30; cows, $1 50 to $4; no exports. Calves—Receipts, 7,563; firm; veals, $4 50 to $7; tops, $7 15 to $7 50; buttermilks, $2 90 to $3 25; mixed calves, $3 37½ to $5 50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 21,950; steady; sheep, $3 25 to $5 25; culls, $3; lambs, $6 to $7; yearlings, $4 50 to $6.

Hogs—Receipts, 7,923; state and Pennsylvania hogs, $6 55 to $6 65.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, June 16.—Wheat—Steady to firm, at 73½c for No. 2 red and white, middle freights; Manitoba, 84c for No. 1 hard and 83c for No. 1 northern, lake ports, and 6c more grinding in transit. Flour—Steady, at $2 70 bid for 90 per cent patents in buyers' bags, middle freights; choice brands are 15c to 20c higher. Millfeed—Steady, at $17 for cars of shorts and $15 for bran in bulk, middle freights. Barley—Steady, at 44c for No. 3 extra and 41c for No. 2, middle freights. Rye—Steady; No. 2 at 50c, middle freights. Corn—Steady; Canada, 45c in car lots west; American, 55c for No. 3 mixed and 56c for No. 3 yellow in car lots on the track at Toronto. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 31½c to 32c, high freights west, and 32c to 32½c middle freights. Butter—Receipts fair; condition of dairy better; good demand and steady. Eggs—Good demand and firmer, at 14½c.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, June 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,000; steady; good to prime steers, $4 90 to $5 40; poor to medium, $4 to $4 80; stockers and feeders, $3 to $4 80; cows, $1 60 to $4 75; heifers, $2 25 to $4 85; canners, $1 60 to $3; bulls, $2 50 to $4 25; calves, $2 50 to $6 75.

Hogs—Receipts, 16,000; market 5c to 10c higher; mixed and butchers, $5 95 to $6 25; good to choice heavy, $6 15 to $6 30; rough heavy, $5 90 to $6 15; light, $5 80 to $6 15; bulk of sales at $6 05 to $6 20.

Sheep—Receipts, 8,000; sheep steady, lambs lower; good to choice wethers, $4 60 to $5 25; fair to choice mixed, $3 25 to $4 50; native lambs, $4 50 to $6 75.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, June 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 100 head; steady; prime and shipping steers, $4 90 to $5 50; butchers' steers, $4 25 to $5; cows and heifers, $2 75 to $5; bulls, $3 25 to $4 15; stockers and feeders, $3 50 to $4 50; veals, $5 to $7.

Hogs—Receipts, 900 head; active, 10c to 15c higher on light grades, steady on others; heavy, $6 35 to $6 45; mixed, $6 40 to $6 50; pigs, $6 50 to $6 55; roughs, $5 40 to $5 50; stags, $4 to $4 50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 850 head; steady; top lambs, $5 to $7 50; yearlings, $5 75 to $6; wethers, $5 to $5 35; ewes, $4 40 to $4 50; sheep, top mixed, $2 to $5.

ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, June 16.—Wheat—Spot quiet; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 3½d; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 7d; No. 1 California, 6s 8d. Futures quiet; July, 6s 3¾d; Sept., 6s 2⅜d.

Corn—Spot, American mixed, new, firm, 5s 1d. Futures quiet; June nominal; July, 4s 8½d; Sept., 4s 6¼d.

Hops (at London)—Pacific coast steady, £5 15s to £6.

Beef—Quiet; extra India mess, 80s.

Pork—Firm; prime mess western, 87s 6d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 55s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, steady, 48s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, firm, 54s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, firm, 52s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, firm, 51s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, steady, 51s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 49s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, firm, 41s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, quiet, 44s 6d; American refined, in pails, quiet, 43s 6d.

Butter—Good United States steady, 75s.

Cheese—Quiet; American finest white, 53s; do. colored, 55s.

Tallow—Prime city firm, 25s.

Turpentine Spirits—Steady, 39s.

Rosin—Common steady, 5s 7½d.

Petroleum—Refined steady, 6½d.

LIVERPOOL DAIRY REPORT, WEEK ENDING JUNE 5.

[Furnished by Hodgson Bros.]

Cheese has further declined, owing to easier cables, and the anxiety of importers to clear off supplies as they come to hand. Colored are still scarce and sell at a premium over white. We quote today: Finest new cheese, States and Canadians, white, 54s to 55s; do, colored, 56s to 57s; lower grades, full creams, 48s to 52s; skims and half-meats, according to quality, 25s to 46s; old cheese are now offered in very small quantities and sell at irregular values—white, 67s to 69s; colored, 66s to 68s.

Butter—The market is dull and easier on finest qualities, and stocks have accumulated of choice continental produce. Canadian fresh-made creamery is arriving, but is a slow sale. Medium grades of butter meet with limited demand. The Copenhagen quotation is unchanged for next week. We quote today: Choicest Canadian fresh-made creamery, in 56-lb boxes, 88s to 90s; do, dairy, in tubs and boxes, none here; States ladles and imitation creamery, 74s to 78s; choicest Danish in Kiel casks, 96s to 102s; choicest Russian, do, 86s to 90s; fine do, 82s to 85s; choicest New Zealand, in 56-lb boxes, 95s to 98s.

HAY MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, June 15.—Baled Hay—The receipts are fairly heavy, there is a moderate demand and the market is steady; cars of No. 1 timothy on the track here are quoted at $9.

Baled Straw—In fair supply; the demand is light and the market is quiet; cars on the track here are quoted at $5.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

TOLEDO.

Toledo, O., June 15.—Wheat—Cash, 77c; July, 76⅛c; Sept., 75¼c. Corn—July, 48s; Sept., 47¾c. Oats—July, 38½c; Sept., 33½c.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, June 15.—Wheat—Prices ruled higher, influenced by foreign cables. The Liverpool cables were unexpectedly up on wet weather in the United Kingdom, and the Austria-Hungarian crop report was bullish. Rumors were circulated claiming a short crop in Russia, Germany and France. Continued fine weather in the west exerted no influence, excepting at the opening. The visible supply showed a much larger decrease than anticipated, and the total is now 20,000,000 bushels—3,250,000 bushels less than a year ago. Estimated receipts for tomorrow, 35 cars.

Corn—The market was quiet but firm, the September and December options showing some advance. The cash market was strong, with cable offers accepted and bids made for more at full prices. Local receipts were in good demand, and the inquiry from the east improved. Country acceptances were practically nothing. The weather throughout the belt is ideal for replanting and cultivating. The Liverpool market was ¼c to ⅝c higher. Estimated receipts for tomorrow, 635 cars.

Oats were firm for the deferred futures, while the July option was excited and showed wild fluctuations at times. There was good selling of this future by longs on the advance. Weather is favorable for the growing crop, and local and shipping demand good. Estimated receipts for tomorrow, 220 cars.

Provisions opened easy on very large receipts of hogs, but in the absence of any selling pressure scalpers were able to maintain the market well all day, closing about as Saturday. We can see nothing in the situation to warrant present prices and look for a large shake-out some time this month. Estimated receipts for tomorrow, 18,000 hogs.

NEW YORK.

New York, June 16.—Flour—Receipts, 23,652 bbls; sales, 4,200 pkgs; flour was firm. Rye flour—Steady; fair to good, $2 50 to $3 20; choice to fancy, $3 25 to $3 50. Wheat—Receipts, 7,900 bu; sales, 800,000 bu; wheat was steady and unchanged, except July, which advanced on small stocks, but later reacted; July, 82⅝c to 82¾c; Sept., 78⅛c to 78⅜c; Dec., 78 7-16c to 78 11-16c. Rye—Steady; state, 56½c, c.i.f., New York; No. 2 western, 59c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 49,350 bu; sales, 75,000 bu; corn was generally firm and higher on more bullish crop news; July, 56⅛c to 57c; Sept., 54⅝c to 55c. Oats—Receipts, 75,200 bu; oats were quiet but steady. Coffee—Quiet; No. 7 Rio, 5⅛c. Lead—Quiet, $4 37½. Wool—Firm. Hops—Dull.

DAIRY MARKETS.

UTICA.

Utica, N. Y., June 15.—Transactions in cheese on the Utica dairy board of trade were 94 lots of 7,538 boxes at 10⅛c to 10¼c. Butter—Creamery, 164 pkgs at 23c. Sales of cheese on this board, June 15, 1902, 9,060 boxes at 9½c for both large and small.

ELGIN.

Elgin, June 15.—Butter declined 1c per lb on the board of trade today, owing to large receipts and excellent pasture, selling at 21c. The sales of the district for the week were $29,000 lbs.

NEW YORK.

New York, June 16.—Butter steady and unchanged; receipts, 17,992 pkgs. Cheese steady and unchanged; receipts, 9,027 boxes. Eggs quiet; receipts, 10,230 cases; Kentucky, 13c to 15c; southern, 13c to 14c.

OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Pa., June 15.—Oil opened and closed at $1 50.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., June 15.—Credit balances, $1 50.

LONDON.

London, June 15.—Petroleum, American refined, 5 1-16d; spirits, 8½d.

SUGAR MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, June 16.—Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3⅛c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 19-32c; molasses sugar, 2 29-[illegible] refined steady.

LONDON.

London, June 15.—Raw sugar—Muscovado, 8s 6d, nominal; centrifugal, 9s 6d; beet sugar, 7s 11¼d.

BEAN MARKET.

Detroit, June 17.—Beans are dull and a trifle lower. Cash, $2 22 asked; July, 1 car at $2 24; October, $1 84.

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CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

—Mr. T. F. Kingsmill has left for England on a purchasing tour.

—The high school entrance examinations will be held on the 24th, 25th and 26th of June.

—Lance Corporal Burnett, of No. 1 Company, R. C. R., is confined to the barracks with an attack of bronchitis.

—The friends of Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Piper sympathize with them in the loss of their infant child, who died yesterday.

—The sergeants of the Seventh entertain the sergeants of the regiments in camp tonight at their rooms on Richmond street.

—Mr. John A. Hogg and wife, of Lihue Kanai, Hawaiian Islands, one of London's old boys, who has been visiting his uncle, Mr. Charles J. Ashton, left for their home yesterday.

—Woodstock Express: It is now reported that the big seed drill company, the representatives of which were in Brantford last week, may locate at London. Hamilton and Brantford, however, still have prospects of securing the new factory.

—Owing to the largely increasing circulation of The Advertiser in the city during the past few months, the circulation department has been compelled to increase the number of carrier boys 40 per cent, thus causing a redistribution of the "rounds." For a few days, until the boys become familiar with them, some of our subscribers may be overlooked for a day or two, but any such irregularity reported at our business office will receive prompt redress.

WHOLESALE TEAMS MEET.

A game of baseball will be played tonight at Springbank between teams representing the Daly Cigar Company and Greene, Swift & Co. The first ball will be pitched at 6:30.

MR. WOODBURNE ILL.

Mr. Thomas Woodburne, principal of the Chesley avenue school, who is dangerously ill, is reported this afternoon as being no worse than yesterday, and a little more encouragement for his recovery is given by the attending physician.

BICYCLE MISSING.

A young man named Chapman left his wheel on the street last Friday and has since been unable to locate it. It is a Columbia, black enameled and with coaster brake. It has been advertised for and the police have been asked to be on the look-out for it.

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ARRANGEMENTS FOR BIG SCHOOL PICNIC COMPLETED

Board Has Gone to More Expense Than Last Year to Make It a Success.

The arrangements for the big school picnic to be held at Springbank tomorrow have been completed by the committees of the board of education, which have been at work for some weeks, and everything is now in readiness for the outing. The board has gone to more expense than last year to make the event one of the year for the little boys and girls, and with fine weather it is anticipated that few of the youngsters will not be at the river park.

A good part of the afternoon will be taken up with the sports. The committees have arranged these in such a way that they will be run off in seven sections, and the children can compete in none but the section in which their school is included. This will give every child an equal chance. The sections are as follows, the names of the trustees in the list being the committee to have the supervision of the events, the first-named in each case being the chairman:

Section 1—Victoria, Wortley road and Grand avenue schools; Trustees McCormick and Macpherson, Principals Wyatt, Gibbs and Wallis.

Section 2—Simcoe street, King street and Colborne street south; Dr. Teasdall, Trustee McLean, Principals Graham, Snelgrove and Miss Coyne.

Section 3 — Aberdeen and Colborne street schools; Trustees Evans, W. C. Fitzgerald, and Principals Kirk and Latta.

Section 4 — Princess avenue, St. George's and Queen's avenue kindergarten; Trustees Gammage and MacRobert; Principals Bryant and Baker.

Section 5 — Lorne avenue, Quebec street, Chesley avenue and Colborne street schools; Trustees English, Ziegler, and Principals Eckert, Althouse, Woodburne and Miss Buckle.

Section 6—Talbot street, West London, Richmond street north and the Protestant Orphans' Home; Trustees Hamilton and Blackwell, and Principals Beal, Liddicoatt, Miss S. A. Buckle and Mrs. Oliphant.

Section 7 — Collegiate Institute; Trustees Strong, Birtwistle and Dromgole, and Principals Radcliffe and Vice-Principal Little.

The following is the service arranged by the street railway company for the transfer of the school children to Springbank for picnic:

Leaving at 8:30 a.m.—Simcoe street school, from corner of Horton and Wellington streets; St. George's school, from corner of Waterloo and Oxford streets; Rectory street school, from corner Rectory and Campbell streets; Colborne street school, from Dundas and Colborne streets.

Leaving 10 a.m.—Chesley avenue school, from Hamilton road and Rectory street; Aberdeen school, from Hamilton road and William street; Princess avenue school, from Central avenue and Colborne street; Lorne avenue school, from Lorne avenue and Adelaide street; Talbot street school, from Richmond street and Central avenue.

The scholars of the Richmond street north and the Protestant Orphans Home schools will take the regular Wellington street cars at 9:45 and join the Talbot street school at Central avenue and Richmond street.

The West London school will take a car at the corner of the Wharncliffe road and Empress avenue.

Leaving at 11:30:

Victoria school, corner of Askin street and the Wortley road.

Wortley road school, from corner Wortley road and Elmwood avenue.

Grand avenue school, from corner High street and Grand avenue.

King street school will go in sections on regular Springbank cars from the corner of King and Ridout streets at 9:30 and 10:30 a.m.

SOLDIERS ON THE HEIGHTS GETTING ROUTINE WORK

Lord Dundonald Has Gone to Niagara—Sham Battle on Friday.

The district camp on Carling's Heights is proceeding very quietly. Lord Dundonald has gone to Niagara-on-the-Lake to take the supervision of the camp there, and in his absence affairs have passed into the hands of the D. O. C., Col. Peters. The work is of the routine character, including infantry drill and cavalry exercises, besides the practice at the miniature and the cove ranges.

The field day exercises arranged for Saturday last and postponed owing to the unfavorable weather, will be carried out on Friday afternoon next—the last afternoon of the camp—according to present intentions. Every regiment of infantry in camp, together with the Hussars, will participate. This will be the only event in connection with the camp which will be of a general interest to the public. At other camps there have been field movements, besides a military tattoo, not to speak of the concerts generally given by the bands in the evenings. Even the latter have been dispensed with this year, owing to the fact that only one band is in camp, and it is on duty at the officers' quarters every night until after 8 o'clock.

Col. Buchan, of Toronto, inspector of infantry, left this morning for the camp at Niagara, where he is to inspect the troops.

Lieut.-Col. Neilson, of Ottawa, director-general of the medical service, is at the camp at present. He has inspected the hospital and other accommodation for the sick soldiers and also the lines of the several regiments. He will go to Niagara from here.

The latest divisional orders include the appointment of the following noncoms. and men of No. 1 Company to assist in the musketry instruction: Sergt.-Major Munro, Sergt. Kibbler, Lance-Corp. Strong, Ptes. Walliker, Linwood, Jackson, Merrix, Harlow, McKeown, Lance-Corp. Freeland, Ptes. Kelly, Moule, Gardiner and T. Worswick.

SALVATIONISTS MEETING

Annual Convention of Officers Being Held in Somerset Hall.

Opening of Meetings Marked by Stirring Addresses.

About 100 officers of the Salvation Army of Western Ontario, representing 42 corps, met in annual session at Somerset Hall this morning. The convention will continue until Thursday night, and gives promise of being one of the most successful ever held here. Brigadier and Mrs. McMillan, who are in charge of this district, presided at the meeting. Several stirring addresses relative to the work of the army were given.

Adjutant McHarg, of the Guelph district, spoke on the financing of a corps, and Adjutant Cameron, of Chatham, and Adjutant Orchard, also gave interesting speeches.

Major and Mrs. Hargreaves, who succeed Brigadier and Mrs. McMillan, in this district, will be installed in their new offices in the course of the meetings.

Hear Harold Jarvis at the concert in the First Methodist Church tonight.

Mrs. Alice Calder-Stock will be heard for the last time at a public concert, prior to her leaving for Detroit, at the First Methodist Church tonight.

MAY REMOVE MINISTER

Czar Not Satisfied With Kisheneff Report.

London, June 16.—The Moscow correspondent of the Morning Leader gives under reserve a rumor which meets with credence in quarters usually well-informed, to the effect that M. Von Plehve, minister of the interior, is likely to be shortly superseded. It is known in official circles that there was recently a "protracted and very grave interview" between the Czar and M. Von Plehve. The former was not fully satisfied with the Minister's explanation of certain late events, it being at variance with the report of the officer specially sent to Kishineff to investigate.

BEARD SENTENCED

The Hamilton Embezzler Is Given Two Years.

Hamilton, Ont., June 16.—William Board, ex-accountant in the local office of the Canada Life Assurance Company, who pleaded guilty in police court yesterday to the charge of stealing $3,497 of the company's funds, was this morning sentenced by Magistrate Jeffs to two years and three months in Kingston penitentiary. Beard is a young married man with a wife and two children depending on him. He squandered the money in the poolrooms.

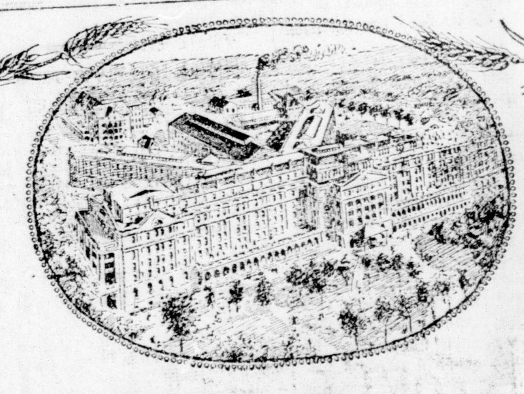
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Redistribution Committee.

The redistribution committee held another private session of about an hour's duration in Hon. Jas. Sutherland's room last night. When the meeting broke up the members one and all said that there was nothing for publication. Mr. Chas. Hyman, the chairman, stated that henceforward the meetings will be public, and the first one of this character has been fixed for Thursday next.



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HER EARNEST TROTH

He turned over the pages of a book lying at hand, a splendid edition of Spenser's poems; he found the bookmark at Canto VI., of the "Faerie Queen," and so read on from thence, and wondered why Margery hid her face in the pillows when he came to the words:

"And then her grief with error to beguile
She fayned to count the time again anew,
As if before she had not counted trew,
For hours, but dayes, for weekes that passed were,
She told but months to make them seem more few,
Yet when she reckoned them, still drawing neare,
Each hour did seem a month and every month a yeare."

"Poor Britomarte," said Brinley. "She loved the knight."

"But she was jealous."

"Well said, Margery; she had the right, you see."

"Hark, there is the luncheon bell; go, get your luncheon, and then come back to say good-bye. Give me the book; thanks, I will read till you return."

"Aye, and count the hours a moment," said Brinley.

"It will be my own fault if I don't," she replied, "seeing I have Spenser to entertain me."

It was but a sorry meal for Brinley; he could not eat, or stop himself from thinking of the sad change in Margery. He was relieved when his silent hostess rose from the dainty repast and stood with him before the window; then he asked:

"How long has Margery been so ill?"

"Ever since her return from Lufton," Lady Leigh replied in a tone of reserve, "I don't know what you did to my child down there, but she has never seemed the same since."

"Is she as ill as she imagines?"

"I don't know, I hope not; as soon as she is strong enough I am to take her to the south of France."

"I always thought Margery was so strong," observed Brinley.

"No, she was never really strong; those fresh-colored girls are so deceptive in appearance."

All at once the old lady burst into tears in such a wearied, heartbroken fashion, that Brinley was keenly touched; he soothed her as gently as he could, and she caught his hands and, looking up through her tears, said, quickly:

"You see the poor child will be so soon gone now, that I have no false shame in saying that I believe it has been hopeless love for you helped on the end. You see, she took it so to heart that the estate of Lufton was left from you, and she somehow blamed herself for the disagreement between you and Lord Lufton, and her hopeless love has told upon her. I suppose I must not blame you for refusing my poor girl, but I do blame you, Brinley, for making much of her years back. You must forgive a mother's misery if she seems unjust, but it hardly appears right to me, knowing that you guessed her secret, to let her witness your love-making to that worthless woman."

"Lady Leigh, be good enough to consider that you speak of my future wife."

"Oh, I remember. God help me! have I not good cause? Nevertheless, I contend she is worthless."

"Ah, I see you want to quarrel with me, Lady Leigh."

"Well, I confess I should enjoy it, boy; but I cannot afford to do so, for God pity my stubborn pride, it seems so hard to crave for my dear girl that which so many would crave to grant; but Brinley, come here, boy; see, I have pillowed you on this old breast when you were a desolate baby, pillowed you beside my only child, and loved you both, and out of that love painted a brilliant future for you both together. I am more to blame than my dear child, I wrecked her young life on the quicksands of unrequited love; for I taught her to look on you as her future husband; and seeing she was so lovely, good and winsome, can you blame me, being her mother, that I thought you bound to return the affection I had cherished in her? But listen to me, lad, I will forgive you all if you make the rest of her life happy by such simple little affections as cost you nothing, but which mean to her much. You see, we had hoped ere this to raise in her some interest in life, some desire to live—without it she must die; but all this has failed. But when she saw you, the life in her strengthened, strengthened still more at the sound of your voice this morning. Say you will come again, Brin, and often; remember, 'tis a mother pleads to you to prolong the life of an only child, and the mother is so old and lonely, you can't refuse her."

"How badly you must think of me to imagine that I need this plea of yours to make my duty manifest."

"Don't call it a duty, lad; suppose she heard you. Just say it's a pleasure, and I'll bless you for the pleasant life."

"But it is a pleasure, I assure you it is; there is nothing in the world I would not do to help you."

"Save marry her."

"You know my promise is given to another, or I could concede you that."

"Ay, boy, I know. Oh, that other! God help your faith in her, for it needs heavens' own proof to keep it up. But, there, we must not quarrel; say good-bye to my darling and mind you tell her that you will soon return."

Brinley left the room silently, owning to feeling a little vexed with his aunt for putting things so plainly before him. He found Margery still lying in her shady corner; she had fallen into a doze, and had a look so unlike life, yet without the terror of death, that Brinley strode to her side hurriedly, calling upon her name. She lifted her shadowy blue eyes with a startled look; she was not fully awake, and seeing him held out her hands with a pleased cry. He sank beside her couch terribly upset, and her soft, slim arms lay about his neck as he laid his cheek against the nearest arm, saying:

"It breaks my heart to see you so ill, my dearest old playfellow, my sweet sister."

"Aye, call me that always, Brin; remember I must still remain your sister, whoever holds the first place in your heart! the title of sister is mine by right of our childish affections, and all the days we have spent together; such happy days, Brin, though as a big boy you bullied me frightfully and lorded it over me like a young Turk!"

"No matter who holds what you are pleased to term the first place in my heart, little girl, you will always hold one as good; I never knew how dearly I held you till you put me to the possibility of losing you; but you must try to get well, little pet, if only to reward the mother for her care of you. I too, intend to be deserving of consideration, I can tell you; I am going to take up my old place here and bully you again."

Margery laid her soft cheek against his hand, saying:

"Do you know, Brin, it is worth all the pain of being ill to see how dear our dear friends are to us."

"Ah, dear, you taught me that long ago, ungrateful fellow that I have been to you, but I mean to be better now and repay a little of the happiness you have given me. Kiss me, pet—one of the old childish kisses you used to give me, with all your pocket-money, when I went back to school."

"You were a dreadfully hard-hearted boy, then, Brin."

"So I have been as a man, Margery, but I shall improve, see if I don't; but come, where's that kiss, that seal upon our new compact of friendship?"

Margery looked into his eyes, and, seeing them so earnest, stooped her head and rested her sweet lips on his in one long caress which stirred his heart strangely. Never before had his lips renewed their purity in a truly chaste woman's lips since he had grown to manhood. He held her closely and sighed to see the rich blood mantle to her face and throat as he released her.

As he rose to his feet, Dr. Pyne entered the room, shook hands with him and sat down by his patient, chatting pleasantly to her; he told her that she seemed brighter and better, altogether a more hopeful little party, and her blue eyes turned to Brinley gratefully, as if to him were due these good tidings.

[To be Continued.]

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There are four prohibition states — Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont and Kansas—and in Iowa there is a modified form of legislation on the same line. The most drastic laws are in Kansas.

W. R. CONDON WON STAKES IN THE MUD AT GRAVESEND

At Grosse Point Mrs. Frank Foster Won the Free Handicap—General Sporting News.

THE TURF.

GROSSE POINT RACES.

Detroit, Mich., June 15.—Mrs. Frank Foster, a consistent winner at Bennings, beat Corrigan's Sardine, the favorite, in the free handicap at Grosse Point today. Sardine ran a disappointing race in the heavy, rough going, and was lucky to be second. Two favorites and four outsiders finished in front. Weather clear. Summaries:

First race, 1 1-16 miles—Tibs, 12 to 1, 1; Neeburban, 10 to 1, 2; Honey Brook, 40 to 1, 3. Time, 2:04.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Lillianette, 6 to 1, 1; Blue Darter, 3 to 5, 2; Lyria, 7 to 1, 3. Time, 1:09½.

Third race, 7 furlongs—Makhoni, 6 to 1, 1; Emma C. L., 3 to 1, 2; Senor, 4 to 1, 3. Time, 1:40¾.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs—Mrs. Frank Foster, 8 to 1, 1; Sardine, even, 2; Bummer II., 6 to 1, 3. Time, 1:21½.

Fifth race, 1 mile and 20 yards—Fore and Aft, 2 to 5, 1; Bank Street, 3 to 1, 2; Leflare, 9 to 1, 3. Time, 1:55½.

Sixth race, 7 furlongs—Brank II., 7 to 2, 1; The Bronze Demon, 4 to 1, 2; Springbrook, 5 to 1, 3. Time, 1:38.

GRAVESEND RESULTS.

New York, June 15.—The heavy rains of the last two days have converted the track into a sea of mud, and nothing but the pronounced mud horses were in demand at Gravesend today. The May stakes, the feature event on the card, was won easily by W. R. Condon. Summaries:

First race, about 6 furlongs, selling—Locket, 101 (O'Brien), 6 to 1, and 5 to 1, 1; Daisy Green, 104 (O'Neil), 6 to 1 and 5 to 2, 2; Rostand, 100 (Michaels), 20 to 1 and 8 to 1, 3. Time, 1:12⅘.

Second race, handicap, 1 1-16 miles—Africander, 126 (Odom), 15 to 20 and 1 to 4, 1; Duke of Kendal, 100 (Martin), 8 to 1 and 5 to 5, 2; Colonsay, 92 (Creamer), 21 to 1 and 3 to 1, 3. Time, 1:50.

Third race, the May stakes, about 6 furlongs—W. R. Condon, 104 (Martin), 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, 1; Minotaur, 101 (Fuller), 5 to 1 and 8 to 5, 2; Toscan, 108 (Cochran), 7 to 2 and even, 3. Time, 1:12⅘.

Fourth race, the Astor stakes, 5 furlongs—Ocean Tide, 114 (Bullman), 7 to 1 and 5 to 2, 1; Lepee, 114 (Burns), 5 to 1 and 8 to 5, 2; Julia M., 114 (Odom), 6 to 2 and even, 3. Time, 1:03⅘.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles, selling—Silurian, 98 (Fuller), 2 to 1 and 3 to 5, 1; Lord Advocate, 101 (Gannon), 9 to 1 and 2 to 1, 2; Carroll D., 104 (O'Brien), 25 to 1 and 6 to 1, 3. Time, 1:53.

Sixth race, 5½ furlongs—Baseful, 120 (McCue), 5 to 1 and even, 1; Toledo, 126 (Waterbury), 11 to 5 and 7 to 10, 2; Reville, 104 (Redfern), 3 to 1 and even, 3. Time, 1:10⅘.

ST. LOUIS WINNERS.

St. Louis, Mo., June 15.—A fast track and good card drew a large attendance to the Fair Grounds today. The fourth race, a handicap at six furlongs, for 3-year-old and upward, was the special attraction. Nine of the speediest sprinters were entered. Father Wentker, Orleans and Scorpion acted very badly at the post, and Santa Ventura was left. Scorpion lasted just long enough to beat the favorite, Frank Bell, a neck. The favorite met with interference at the first turn. Anna Davis, Mafalda and Charles Ramsey were the winning favorites. Summaries:

First race, 4½ furlongs—Anna Davis, 6 to 5, 1; Wreath of Ivy, 5 to 2, 2; Liberty Bell, 10 to 1, 3. Time, :55½.

Second race, 6 furlongs—Vestry, 3 to 1, 1; Maverick, 5 to 2, 2; Flash of Night, 5 to 1, 3. Time, 1:15¼.

Third race, 5 furlongs—Mafalda, 6 to 5, 1; Arnold K., 8 to 5, 2; Atlas, 6 to 1, 3. Time, 1:03.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs, handicap—Scorpion, 9 to 2, 1; Frank Bell, 3 to 1, 2; Louis Wagner, 10 to 1, 3. Time, 1:14⅘.

Fifth race, 1⅛ miles—The Wizard, 30 to 1, 1; Kitty Clyde, 8 to 1, 2; Never Such, 7 to 2, 3. Time, 1:55⅘.

Sixth race, 1 1-16 miles—Charles Ramsey, 8 to 5, 1; Leenja, 6 to 1, 2; Josie F., 4 to 1, 3. Time, 1:48⅘.

HARLEM TRACK.

Chicago, June 15.—J. L. Slaughter's Badger Girl, an added starter, backed from 20 to 1 to 15 to 1 at post time, won the Petit stakes at Harlem today. Off last she gradually wore down her field and at the end ran over everything, finishing three lengths ahead of Determination, with Memories third. Handsome Florry, the favorite, was never a contender and finished next to last. The stake was worth $2,300 to the winner. Hargis, in the fifth race, was the only favorite that won. Weather fine; track good.

First race, 5 furlongs—Foresight, 9 to 2, 1; Freckman, 4 to 1, 2; Requirter, 12 to 5, 3. Time, 1:02.

Second race, 6 furlongs—Martinmas, 5 to 1, 1; Floral Wreath, 9 to 2, 2; Martin, 6 to 1, 3. Time, 1:14⅘.

Third race, 4½ furlongs, the Petit stakes—Badger Girl, 15 to 1, 1; Determination, 4 to 1, 2; Memories, 3 to 1, 2. Time, :54⅘.

Fourth race, steeplechase, short course—Golden Link, 50 to 1, 1; Duke of York, 11 to 5, 2; M. Grannan, 5 to 1, 3. Time, 3:32⅘.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles—Hargis, 7 to 5, 1; Glassful, 5 to 2, 2; Thane, 10 to 1, 3. Time, 1:46.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Alice Dougherty, 15 to 1, 1; Annie Thompson, 3 to 1, 2; Omdurman, 7 to 1, 3. Time, 1:41½.

GOOD YEARLINGS SOLD.

New York, June 15. — The yearlings from the famous Jancho Del Pazo farm, the property of J. B. Haggin, were sold in the Fasig-Tipton sale paddocks at Sheepshead Bay today. Sidney Paget paid the top price, $2,900, for the son of Imp. Goldfish-Cottage Girl. He also purchased the ch. c., by St. Gatien-Bellane, for $1,000, and the ch. c. by St. Gatien-Braw Lass, for $1,100. The other sales of $1,000 or over were: Bay filly, by Imp. Golden Garter-Aurania, P. Lorillard, $1,500. Bay colt, by Imp. St. Andrew, or Imp. Golden Garter-Bundoor, R. A. Smith, $1,800. Bay colt, by Imp. Star Ruby-Daralita, A. L. Aste, $1,700.

BASEBALL.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Pittsburg—		R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	0 2 0 1 0 0 0 0 *—3	6	2	
Chicago	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0	1	1	

Batteries—Leever and Phelps; Menefee and Kling. Umpire, Moran. Attendance, 6,400.

At Cincinnati—				
Cincinnati	0 1 0 0 0 2 0 1 *—4	10	2	
St. Louis	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3—3	8	2	

Batteries—Ewing and Bergen; Rhoades and J. O'Neill. Umpire, Halliday. Attendance, 2,500.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Philadelphia—		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1	3	2	
Philadelphia	0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 *—2	9	1	

Batteries—Donohue and Kahoe; Plank and Powers. Umpire, Carruthers. Attendance, 3,966.

At Washington—				
Washington	0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1	4	3	
Detroit	0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1	4	3	

Batteries—Patten and Drill; Mullin and McGuire. Umpire, Sheridan. Attendance, 1,800.

Rain at New York and Boston.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

At Toronto—		R.	H.	E.
Toronto	2 0 0 0 3 0 0 2 *—7	13	1	
Buffalo	0 0 2 0 0 1 0 0 0—3	7	2	

Batteries—Hardy and Toft; Milligan and Shaw. Umpire, Swartwood. Attendance, 2,800.

At Baltimore—				
Baltimore	0 0 2 0 3 0 1 0 *—6	11	3	
Rochester	3 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—4	6	2	

Batteries—Mills and Robinson; Becker and Lilly. Umpire, Brown. Attendance, 932.

Rain at Providence and Newark.

YACHTING.

LEFT FOR ERIE BASIN.

New York, June 15. — Sir Thomas Lipton's challenger, Shamrock III., in tow, left Tompkinsville early today for Erie basin, where the yacht is to be overhauled and refitted. Sir Thomas Lipton's steam yacht Erin accompanied the challenger. The Shamrock I., in tow, also left Tompkinsville for Erie basin.

WRESTLING.

GAUTHIER DOWNED.

Montreal, June 15. — A wrestling match took place here tonight between Tom Jenkins, the American champion, and Herbert Gauthier, of Montreal, and resulted in favor of Jenkins by two falls out of three. The first fall, catch-as-catch-can, was won by Jenkins in 20 minutes and 45 seconds. The second fall, Graeco-Roman, was won by Gauthier in 24 minutes and 50 seconds, and the third, catch-as-catch-can, was won by Jenkins in 11 minutes and 15 seconds.

FOOTBALL.

CHAMPIONSHIP FOR BRUSSELS.

Brussels, Ont., June 15. — Brussels W. F. A. intermediate football team, accompanied by 200 admirers, left on a special train for Mildmay to play the final game for the championship of district No. 5. The score was 1 to 1, which gave Brussels the championship, as goals count, Brussels having scored one more goal in the two games played between these two teams.

ST. GEORGE WON.

Hamilton, Ont., June 15.—A W. F. A. football match was played here this afternoon between Tavistock and St. George, resulting in a victory for St. George by a score of 1 to 0.

PLATTSVILLE VICTORIOUS.

Plattsville, Ont., June 15.—The first game in the semi-finals in the W. F. A. for intermediate championship of district No. 4 was played here this evening between the Berlin Royals and the home team and resulted in a victory for the visitors by 3 to 2. The game was fast and witnessed by a record-breaking crowd.

LACROSSE.

MONTREAL BEATEN.

Ottawa, June 14.—In a downpour of rain the Capitals opened the N. A. L. U. season Saturday by defeating the Montrealers by a score of 4 to 2.

FOR CITY CHAMPIONSHIP.

Toronto, June 15. — The Tecumsehs and the Torontos have arranged a series of games for the lacrosse championship of the city.

THE RING.

MATCHED FOR JUNE 18.

Chicago, June 14. — Otto Sieloff and Henry Fagin have been matched to box ten rounds before the Indianapolis, Ind., Athletic Club on June 18. They have agreed to weigh 138 pounds at 3 o'clock on the afternoon of the contest. Under the Indianapolis rules, which strictly forbid knockouts, and the order of the police officials that no hard hitting be indulged in, it is hard to tell what kind of a bout these light-weights will put up, as their main forte is slugging, pure and simple.

GARDNER AT PORT HURON.

Port Huron, June 14. — Gus Gardner, the Philadelphia light-weight, who is pressing Joe Gans for the championship title, arrived in Port Huron Monday, and immediately started to work training for his bout with Mike Ward, Canada's champion light-weight. The bout will take place at the Auditorium on Tuesday.

Gardner looks to be larger than Ward, but his manager, John R. Robinson, of Boston, claims that the Philadelphian will have no trouble in making the weight, 138 pounds, on the day of the contest. Gardner's weight is distributed in a truly symmetrical fashion, his arms and shoulders being those of a welter-weight. His limbs do not look to be as large and powerful as those of Ward, but the visitor says he expects no trouble from this quarter.

Santos-Dumont Again.

Paris, June 16. — W. K. Vanderbilt's horse Biltmore was fourth on Sunday in the race for the Prix de Villeron at Longchamps. During the racing M. Santos-Dumont in his airship No. 9 appeared over the course and went through a variety of maneuvers, which evoked great enthusiasm from the crowd. He descended unassisted in the center of the course, where a great ovation was given him.

MINERS MAY GO OUT

10,000 of Them in Bituminous Region Are Dissatisfied.

Altoona, N. Y., June 16.—Whether a strike of the 10,000 employes of the Webster Coal and Coke Company is to be declared, will be decided by the officials of the United Mine Workers in the local bituminous district who are in session here. The officials of the company will be asked definitely to declare their position. If the demands of the men are not granted every colliery and cooking plant of the Webster Company will be tied up tight. National President Mitchell telegraphed that the men will be backed in the fight. It is alleged that the Webster Company is now charging one half per cent per ton for blacksmithing after machine mining to pay the salaries of the big force of coal and iron police on duty.

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Silverton, Col., June 16. — Three miners were killed yesterday at the Toltec tunnel by an explosion of 503 pounds of giant powder which they were thawing. Two of them were blown to atoms.

Bulgarian Defeat.

Salonica, Turkey, June 16. — Several conflicts have recently occurred in Macedonia between insurgent bands and Turkish troops. Some thirty Bulgarians have been killed and many wounded.

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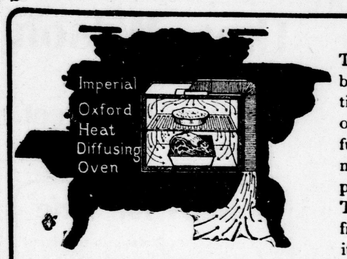
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LONDON AND DISTRICT.

—Mrs. Charles E. Stevens, of Quebec City, has returned home.

—Mr. Harry Ruse, night ticket clerk at the Grand Trunk depot, has resigned.

—Miss Annie Cahill, of the Wortley Road, South London, is the guest of relatives in Muskoka.

—The engagement is announced of Miss Ana Baldwin, daughter of the Bishop of Huron, to Mr. Alexander Robertson, of Montreal. The marriage will take place this month.

—Kathleen Cameron, of this city, eldest daughter of the late John Cameron, barrister-at-law, Strathroy, left last evening for Albany, N. Y., where she enters a hospital to train as a nurse.

—Mr. W. J. Strongman, head fireman for the Grand Trunk car shops here, has severed his connection with the company to accept the position of chief engineer for the D. W. Karn Organ Company, Woodstock. His many friends wish him success in his new field.

—The Vancouver World of June 9: "Miss May Martin, a niece of the late Mr. J. M. Martin, formerly M. P. P. for Rossland, arrived here on Sunday on a visit to Colonel and Mrs. Tracy. Miss Martin's home is in London, Ont., and Colonel and Mrs. Tracy are old friends of her family."

—Mr. Joseph C. Burrows, of Nilestown, died on Monday after an illness of a year's duration. He had resided there for eleven years and kept a general store. The deceased leaves a widow and three children, besides two brothers, William, of this city, and Edwin, of California. He was a member of the Universalist Church, also of the Foresters brotherhood, and was well known and highly esteemed in this city and neighborhood.

—Woodstock Sentinel-Review: Miss Jean Laidlaw, of London (formerly of Woodstock), has been conducting a fine art exhibition in Port Huron recently, which has attracted much attention, and is spoken of very highly by the local press. The exhibition comprises reproductions of the master sculptors of ancient, medieval and modern times. The productions are presented and arranged with much taste. The object of the exhibition is both educative and practical, and gives one an accurate idea of art from the earliest ages. It is the intention of Miss Laidlaw to hold a similar exhibition in Woodstock in the near future, which announcement will be received with pleasure by her many friends here.

BAD MEN DIDN'T COME.

The usual effect of the visit of a circus was not felt seriously in this city, as far as the police have discovered. During the whole day not a case of pocket-picking or thievery was reported, two drunks being the worst offenders.

SEVENTH GOING TO HAMILTON.

The announcement has been made by Col. Little that on Aug. 20 the Seventh Regiment will go to Hamilton for the day. The Hamilton Old Boys' reunion will be in progress on that day, and the city invited the local regiment some time ago. Col. Little went to Hamilton and has since decided to accept the invitation.

DIED AT BRUSSELS.

The death of Mrs. Benjamin Edwards in Brussels, Ont., is announced. Mrs. Edwards was 85 years of age. In 1836, her husband purchased the lot on which the G. T. R. depot now stands in London, the Forest City being but a quiet-going village at that date. He was once a soldier in the First Royals, and purchased his discharge previous to the regiment going to India.

CLEVELAND'S BOOKLET.

A booklet has been issued by the Cleveland Old Boys, giving information about the triennial home-coming to this city. It promises "three days of solid fun," and says that the excursion is not for Canadians alone, but for anyone who would enjoy a pleasant trip and would avail themselves of an opportunity of having a good time. The booklet states that "a more hospital people cannot be found than the residents of London, and every one can be assured of a warm welcome."

AN OUTSIDE OPINION.

The Montreal Witness prints an account of the Congregational Union held here, written by one of the delegates from that city, in which he says:

"London is a city of broad, well-shaded streets, and has a good street railway service with antiquated cars. A prominent notice on the latter asks passengers to move quickly getting off, and Montreal might copy the idea of sinking the names of the streets into the stone and cement sidewalks on the street corners. The city has hotels large enough, but of antiquated appearance and knowledge. The bookkeeper at the leading hotel did not know of any Congregational Church (there are two pretty large ones), but as they, or one of them, was built about forty years since, or perhaps fifty years later than the hotel, the discovery has not yet been made by the hotel. This cannot be said of the newspapers. They knew all about the union meetings, and made us feel proud to be Congregationalists."

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ST. ANDREW'S PROGRAMME

Details of Dominion Day Proceedings Finished.

Greatest Athletes in the Country Will Be Here.

A programme, just issued, gives the details of the St. Andrew's Society's grand combined concert, picnic and Caledonian games at Queen's Park on Dominion Day.

St. Andrew's Society will not hold a picnic to Port Stanley this year, and many families will picnic under the trees of the Western Fair Grounds on July 1. For picnic purposes the grounds will be open at 9 a.m., and meals may also ice had on the grounds.

As for the concert, there will be the new St. Andrew's Highland Cadet Band; also the Seventh Regiment Band, and the St. Andrew's Society Pipe Band, and several of the most famous pipers of the Dominion as visitors. The best Highland dancers in Canada will dance to their piping.

For the Caledonian games $1,000 in prizes will be given, and it is now known the most notable Scottish and other athletes of the continent will be present. There will be tugs-of-war by railway teams, and by Zorra against the field.

The evening programme will be equally attractive. Drill by St. Andrew's Highland Cadets, splendid band concert, Scottish dances by prize winners of the afternoon, bayonet contests, broadsword contests, together with a grand fireworks display by the Hand Fireworks Company, Hamilton.

In this effort to provide an immense home attraction, and a great drawing card from all Western Ontario to boot, St. Andrew's Society of London has been handsomely seconded by Mr. Carr, manager of the London Street Railway Company. All electric cars will go to Queen's Park. All the Springbank attractions for that evening will be given at Queen's Park instead.

Admission to the grounds and grand stand, for morning and afternoon attraction, 25 cents. Admission to the grounds and grand stand, for evening performance, 25 cents.

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CITY COUNCIL'S BUSINESS DONE UP WITH DISPATCH

Dozen Local Improvement By-laws Get a Third Reading.

Cement Flooring Contractors Want More Money.

The city council had little to do at its regular meeting last night, and strange as it may seem, it took little time to do it.

The mayor did not take the chair until five minutes after 8, and he pronounced the adjournment at five minutes to 9 o'clock, making the record time—for this year's body—of 50 minutes.

For a while it looked as if there would not be a quorum. It was feared that the circus had more attractions for some of the twelve than did the welfare of the city, but one by one they came in, until a majority were in their places. Ald. Forristal is still absent on his holidays, Ald. Becher was detained by duties at the camp, and Ald. Campbell was unable to attend owing to other engagements.

It is also worthy of note that the business went through without the least delay. There was no room for a kick—that is, a serious one.

WANTS HIGHER PRICES NOW.

Among the letters in the hands of the city clerk was one from the Forest City Paving Company, stating that when they took the contract for the cement floor in the market house in March last they did so on the understanding that the work was to be proceeded with immediately, and with the object of having something to keep their men together until the busy season opened. The floor had not been commenced yet, and the company claimed that in the meantime the price of labor had advanced 20 per cent and of cement 25 per cent. On this account they would not be able to do the work at the price quoted, and would require 15 or 20 per cent more. The letter was referred to No. 3 committee, which has charge of the market house matters.

A letter which also had reference to the repairs to the market house was from the city engineer to the contractors, J. C. Dodd & Son, notifying them that the tenants in the building refused to allow their refrigerators to be moved while the alterations were being made, and ordering them to stop work in the meantime. This letter was sent to the committee.

ENCROACHING ON STREETS.

An inclination on the part of some owners of property that might result in the beauty of the city being lessened was brought to the attention of the council by the engineer. Mr. Graydon said there was a desire in the direction of erecting buildings outside of the street line, and he instanced three cases that had come to his notice recently. They were all on Waterloo street, between King street and Queen's avenue. Two of the owners of the properties had erected verandas partly on the street, while the third had a veranda altogether on the street. The result was that the other owners of property in the blocks mentioned were protesting against the obstructions, and insisting on their removal. "I think it is a practice that should be stamped out in its incipiency," said the engineer in his letter, "as it would grow into a grave evil and destroy the beauty of the city." Mr. Graydon added that the boulevards were so wide that it created a tendency to build directly on the street line and put the steps on city property. He had been asked by three other persons inside of ten days for permission to erect the steps on the street, which was refused, as it was just the thin edge of the wedge. In the cases of the Waterloo street residents, the solicitor would have to issue writs of ejectment and have the verandas taken down, as none of the committees were vested with such powers under the bylaws. The matter was referred to the board of works.

AN IMPORTANT MATTER.

The whole council will attend a meeting of the London Township Council and the directors of the London and Aylmer Electric Railway Company to be held on Monday morning next to consider the application of the company to lay tracks on Trafalgar street, that having been the thoroughfare chosen for their line into the city, if the consent of the interested parties could be secured. The street is partly in the city, and partly in the county, and when the application of the company was before the township council recently, action was deferred at the request of the city until the latter should be able to take some action to protect itself. The street is of the greatest importance to the manufacturing interests now located there, for both the L. E. and D. R. R. and the Grand Trunk desire to lay switches on it.

WANTS INDUCEMENTS.

A letter from Peter Voss, of Strathroy, asking what inducements the city was prepared to offer him for the establishment of a furniture factory here, was referred to the manufacturers' committee.

The report of the provincial board of health committee on the new scarlet fever regulations and their intention, was filed.

The Trades and Labor Council was granted the use of the Victoria Park on June 25, to give a band concert in aid of the striking cigarmakers, provided the date does not conflict with any regular band concerts. Should the weather be unfavorable on the date mentioned, the concert will be given on the following evening.

The Horticuitural Society was granted the use of the city hall for June 17 and 18 for a free flower show.

The report of No. 3 committee contained only one clause, recommending the acceptance of the tender of Chantler Bros. for the relief wood, about which there was a little fuss at the last meeting. It was adopted.

The report of the board of works was more lengthy, but it went through without amendment. The same was the case with the finance committee report.

CAN DO WITH LESS LIGHT.

In connection with the accounts of the finance committee, Ald. Stevenson asked for information concerning the number of nights in a month when the electric lights were not in use. He was informed that the service was shut down on only one night, and he said that the city engineer might be more watchful in the matter, and have the lights off on a greater number of nights. To his knowledge, for he had paid special attention to the matter, there were three nights last month when the city could well have done without the electric lights.

Ald. Stevenson also asked if it was too late to do anything in the way of petitioning the Legislature for a change in the dates of the municipal elections. He was told by the mayor that it was.

Then Ald. Stevenson turned around and introduced a motion expressing approval of the action taken by the mayor in the matter of the new fenders for the street cars. Judging by the remarks of Ald. Stevenson he was somewhat disturbed by some reference to the matter made in the press, and he wanted the council to declare itself. But the mayor did not take the alderman seriously, and avoided putting the motion by holding that it had been offered by Ald. Stevenson after the council had passed on to the next order of business.

"We indorse anything the mayor does when he is away—if it is good," said Ald. Cooper.

SPEED OF AUTOMOBILES.

Ald. Becher's motion to place speed of automobiles in city at seven miles an hour was allowed to stand over until the next meeting, owing to the absence of the mover. It is hardly likely that the council will take any action in the matter, as the Legislature has passed an act fixing the speed in cities at seven miles an hour and in the country at ten miles an hour.

No action was taken on Ald. Stevenson's motion to have the engineer and solicitor instructed to take any action deemed necessary to prevent the street railway company from taking cars off the city lines for the Springbank service and leaving the uptown routes without proper accommodation.

Twelve local improvement bylaws were given a third reading. Ten were for permanent walks and two were for sewers.

Two readings were given the bylaw for the sale of a strip of land on South street, adjoining the soap works, to Mr. J. H. McMechan. The land is now used by carters as a dumping ground for all kinds of refuse, and as it adjoins his premises, Mr. McMechan wants to secure possession of it to abate the nuisance. The land is said to be practically worthless for any purpose, and the assessment commissioner and the chairman of the court of revision placed a value of $75 on it. There is some objection to the sale being closed, hence the bylaw did not get its final reading.

The bylaw allowing the water commissioners to furnish water to the works of the Manning Organ Company in London Township was given its final reading.

TEAM RAN AWAY

But Were Brought to Sudden Stop on Bridge.

A team of horses attached to one of Cushing's ice wagons ran away this morning, damaging the rig considerably, besides narrowly escaping a collision with a load of straw and giving a farmer a fright. The team was left standing at the corner of Albert and Talbot streets about 8 o'clock, when it became frightened and ran north on the macadam pavement on Talbot street. It continued to Oxford street where it attempted to turn west in the direction of the Oxford street bridge. The front wheels struck the edge of a permanent walk and the wagon went over, the result being that the back wheels and the box were left behind, the front wheels continuing with the horses. As the runaway reached the bridge, a farmer with a load of straw, drove on at the west end, and there was every indication of a collision. The runaway horses kept up their breakneck pace until they were within a few feet of the farmer's outfit, when the lines became wound around one of the wheels and brought them to a very sudden stop. The farmer was prepared to jump from the load, and he also expected that one or both of his horses would be seriously injured if not killed by the collision. The termination of the runaway was nothing short of miraculous and brought him much relief. One of the runaway horses was cut about the mouth, and the wagon was badly damaged.

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The water commissioners yesterday decided to purchase a portable steam engine for use at the waterworks. This was the only matter of any importance with which they had to deal. The engine, the purchase of which was recommended by Engineer Moore, will cost $300.

The present galvanized iron roof on the pumphouse at Springbank will be replaced by a gravel and felt paper one, the engineer considering that such would be more satisfactory.

The engineer also advised that mains be laid on Cromwell street, on Inkerman street north from Nelson street, and on Bathurst street east from Adelaide street. This recommendation was adopted.

The chief engineer of the Boiler Inspection Company of Toronto reported that the engines at the pumping station had been inspected and found to be in good condition.

The board was asked by the McClary Manufacturing Company for permission to maxe a 6-inch main connection with the city water main for fire protection at their new works. The engineer was instructed to make a report.

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SYNOD OF THE DIOCESE OF HURON CONVENES HERE

Morning Meeting for Divine Service at St. Paul's Cathedral—Business Session.

The Synod of the Diocese of Huron met this morning at St. Paul's Cathedral for divine service, with holy communion, the business session being arranged to start at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. The sermon in the cathedral was preached by Rev. David Williams, rector of St. James' Church, Stratford.

The executive committee met yesterday afternoon in Bishop Cronyn Hall, His Lordship the Bishop of Huron presiding. The report of the finance committee was adopted. The recommendations of the mission committee were as follows: 1. The adoption of the report of the bishop's commissioner to Lakeside, Thamesford and parts adjacent. (a) That Lakeside be detached from Thamesford, and be constituted a separate mission. (b) That Crumlin be detached from the Memorial Church, London, and be attached to Thamesford. The matter of the parsonage at Thamesford to be left an open question. 2. The adoption of the report of the bishop's commissioner to Mt. Pleasant, Norwich and other places. (a) That St. John's, West Brantford, be detached from Grace Church and attached to Mt. Pleasant. (b) That Kelvin be detached from Mt. Pleasant and attached to Norwich. (c) That Otterville be placed under the charge of a superannuated clergyman. 3. The adoption of the report of the commissioner to Shipley and parts adjacent. That Shipley be detached from Atwood, and attached to Listowel. 4. The adoption of the report of the committee on Indian schools. (a) That the present grant be continued. (c) That the missionaries in charge of such mission be required to visit said schools and examine the pupils, and to report on the same to the bishop every quarter. 5. That the appeal from Southampton against its assessment is too late for action this year. The report was adopted.

OTHER COMMITTEE REPORTS.

The committee on income and expenditure reported that $1,393 50 had been obtained since last meeting.

Leave was granted St. George's Church, Sarnia, and Trinity College, Blenheim, to sell certain properties to be applied to indebtedness.

An increased grant was made to Rev. S. Brigham, missionary at Walpole Island, and a special grant to Rev. J. G. Hooper.

Resolutions of sympathy were passed touching the death of Rev. J. H. Moorhouse and Messrs. A. H. Dymond and R. Shaw-Wood, members of this committee.

A preliminary meeting in connection with the synod was held last evening at Huron College, Rev. Rural Dean Hodgins presiding. Rev. Canon Davis, of Sarnia, read a paper on "How We Got Our Bible." On this subject, Rev. Charles Miles, of Kincardine, also spoke, followed by Rev. Dr. Mackenzie, of Brantford, on "The Development of the Church in Rural Parishes." Revs. Rural Dean Hodgins and A. H. Rhodes also made addresses.

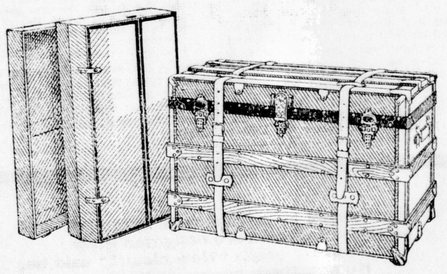
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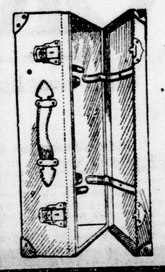
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