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LONDON, CANADA, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9, 1899.

WHOLE NO 11,219.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

DIED. DAVIDSON-At the family residence, 307 Dufferin avenue, on Aug. 8, 1899, Margaret, widow of Charles Davidson, in her 88th year.

Funeral on Thursday, at 3 o'clock, services at 2:30, to which friends are kindly invited. Funeral private. PARKINSON-In this city, on Aug. 9, 1899,

Lily Kershaw, beloved wife of Thomas A. Parkinson, in her 32nd year. Funeral will leave the family residence, 197 Grey street, on Friday, Aug. 11, at 3 p.m., services at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

Hamilton papers please copy. MULLIGAN-In this city, on Aug. 8, 1899, Patrick Mulligan, in his 71st year. Funeral from his late residence, 755 King street, Thursday morning, at 9 o'clock, to St. Peter's Cathedral. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

Amusements and Lectures

TONIGHT — TECUMSEH PARK — BAR-GAIN night for ladies and children. The biograph, bicycle races and Harpers. Admis-sion—Ladies 10c, children 5c. Said prices for this night only.

COME TO DETROIT WITH COURT ORI-GRAND MOONLIGHT EXCURSION—
Via L. E. & D. R. and steamer Urania,
Thursday, Aug. 10. Fare only 600 from London.
Trains leave 5:15 and 6:50 p.m. 19u BICYCLES CHECKED AND CARRIAGES

D taken care of at Tecumseh Park, every evening during Biograph exhibition. b SPECIAL EXPRESS VESTIBULED trains of the London and Northwestern Railway run between Liverpool, Riverside station, and London, Euston. Allan and Cunard ships land you alongside Riverside station and passengers pass to special train in waiting. F. B. Clarke, agent, Richmond street, next Advertisor.

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Meetings.

O. O. F.-VISITING MEMBERS ARE 1 invited to attend Dominion Lodge, No. 48, this (Wednesday) evening. Geo. Arnett, N.G.; Thos. D. Hastings, R.S.

ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY — USUAL monthly meeting, Thursday evening, 10th. All members specially requested to attend. E. T. Essery, Pres.; R. Cadwallader, Sec. b

Domestics Wanted.

WANTED-GENERAL SERVANT-MRS. F. C. Jarvis, Delaware, Ont. 18k ANTED - FIRST - CLASS GENERAL Small family; no washing. 534 Queen's ave-

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10c for Coffee. Get it for 25c, at

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FOR SALE-ONE GLADSTONE, PRICE \$35; also one wagon and buggy cheap.
Apply W. Cater, 145 Fullarton street. 18k BUGGIES AND BICYCLES SELLING out at great bargains. Making room for large stock of stoves. Stringer's, 141 King street.

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McKenzie & Co., 374 Richmond street.

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BEST HARD COAL AND WOOD DELIVERED in all parts of the city. W. G. Eadey, 771 Dundas street. Phone, 1134.

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Notice to Manufacturers of and Dealers in Portland Cement.

THE time for receiving tenders for Portland Coment is hereby extended up to 16 o'clock, on Tuesday, the 15th of August, 1899. By order,

L. K. JONES, Secretary. Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, 28th July, 1899. Ottawa, 28th July, 1888.

Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department will 16n not be paid for it.

Serious Situation

Boers Decline Secretary Cham- tled. The misinterpretation of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's remarks by the berlain's Proposal

For a Joint Commission of Inquiry.

Large Proportions Assumed by Anglo-Canadian Trade.

Revolution Follows Famine in the Russian Province of Bessarabia.

Capt. Dreyfus Physically in a Bad Way-Vessel Sunk by a British Battleship.

London, Aug. 9 .- Dispatches from Pretoria, capital of the South African republic, say the volksraad has declined to agree to the suggestion of Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, British secretary of state for the colonies, that the effect which the Transvaal franchise reforms will have on the Uitlanders should be inquired into by a joint commission. The volksraad, however, con-

sents to receive friendly suggestions. The Daily Mail publishes the following dispatch from Johannesburg: By a special article added to the grondwet (the constitution of the Transvaal), the president is authorized, in the event of war, rebellion, or other emergency, to proclaim martial law, and to compel every inhabitant of the republic to bear arms in its de-fense. The Pretoria forts are being strengthened and Boer agents are buying up all the available draught oxen in Bechuanaland." All the dispatch-es from the South African correspondents of the London morning papers take it for granted that the secret session of the volksraad will confirm the rejection of Mr. Chamberlain's proposal, but leave the way open to continue negotiations. They also dwell upon the serious situation thus arising, and upon the consternation of the Uitlanders over the addition to the grondwet compelling them to fight for the Transvaal, which seem to indicate that the Transvaal Government is expecting hostilities. The Times correspondent at Pretoria says: "A gloomy view is taken here of the whole situation. The general impression in Boer circles is that Mr. Chamberlain is foreing on a war, and that consequently it would be futile to make advances.'

BRITISH-CANADIAN TRADE. The imports from Canada in Jul, reached the following amounts: 16,-858 cattle, valued at £287,614; 8,614 sheep and lambs valued at £13,283; 453,537 cwt of bacon, valued at \$40,495; 19,540 cwt of hams, valued at \$41,382; 34,424 owt of butter, valued at £146,-965; 234,915 owt of cheese, valued at £496.065; eggs, valued at £714, and 834 horses, valued at £22,566. The total imports reached the value of £2,705,while the exports aggregated £458,609.

FAMINE AND REVOLUTION The Vienna Neue Freie Press says the peasantry of portions of Bessarabia (a government of Russia) have revolted, being driven desperate by famine. Troops, it is added, have been sent there, and several encounters have taken place. A score of peasants have already been killed, and many have been wounded.

MR. CHOATE CALLED DOWN. Regarding Mr. Choate's comments on Sir Wilfrid Laurier's recent speech parliament, the Canadian high commissioner, Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, said to a press representative: "Sir Wilfrid Laurier's remark was merely a figure of speech, and not a political dodge, as intimated by Mr. Choate. Sir Wilfrid Laurier could not descend to such a thing, nor did he in any way mean to challenge the United No sensible man could re-States. gard war as possible, but Canada is simply taking a leaf out of the United States' book in demanding now what the United States demanded in the Venezuela case. Canada is now a nation, though closely allied to Great Britain. As such, she must protect her rights. We merely ask for an equitable settlement through arbitration, following the United States' lead. We believe President McKinley is thoroughly in earnest in his endeavor to have the question honestly set-

Bicycle Livery.

CLEARING SALE-STRARNS, \$50 AND \$75 Wheels at \$20 and \$25 each. J. H. Cunningham, Bicycle Livery, 704 Dundas street. Telephone 1223.

MORTGAGE SALE—DEFAULT HAVING been made in the payment of a certain mortgage, dated the 11th day of August, 1897, made by Francesca R. LeBel and John D. LaBel, to the vendors, there will, under power of sale contained in said mortgage, be sold by public auction by John W. Jones, auctioneer, at his auction rooms, 242 Pundas street. London, Ontario, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of August, 1899, at the hour of 2 o'clock, p.m., the following property, viz., lot number 26 on the north side of Wolfe street, in said city of London According to a plan made by Thomas H. Tracey, Esq., P. L. S., for the City of London Trust, and registered in the registry office for the said city as No. 225. This is an excellent property, and comprises a fine two and a half the said city as No. 225. This is an excellent property, and comprises a fine two and a half story brick dwelling house with slate roof, veranda and all modern conveniences. The premises are in good condition. The location is one of the best in the city. Terms of sale—Ten per cent of the purchase money will be required to be paid at the time of sale, and the balance within fourteen days thereafter. A portion of the purchase money way he secured portion of the purchase money may be secured by mortgage on the property. For further par-ticulars apply to Greenlees & Becher, vendors' solicitors, London, Ont., or to J. W. Jones, auctioneer, London, Ont. London, Aug. 3, 1899.

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The misinterpretation of Sir United States press is unfortunate. Any bitterness or abuse by the Canadian press is absolutely unauthorized. The negotiations are progressing, and I believe a satisfactory settlement of the Alaska question will be achieved." A sensational saber duel was fought

THIS WAS NOT A FRENCH DUEL. on Monday between Herr Wolf, the notorious German Radical member of the reichsrath, and Herr Krzekep, a German Liberal deputy. It was a ferocious encounter. Herr Wolf received a wound in the head, severing an artery. The spectators declared him incapable of continuing the duel, but he persisted, although his face was bathed in blood, Ultimately he sustained a second wound in the head, and was carried home in a dangerous condition. The duel arose from Herr Krzekep accusing Herr Wolf of always answering political attacks by fighting duels against incapable antagonists.

SUNK BY A BATTLESHIP.

The British battleship Sans Pareil, while returning from the maneuvers, sank a full-rigged ship Monday night off The Lizard. One man was drown-ed. The warship communicated the news to the other ships of the fleet by McFarlane, which left Manila Feb. 9, for Nantes, France, where she arrived

MOTOR WAGONS ARE ALL RIGHT. Last week the Self-Propelled Traffic Association had an elaborate series of public tests at Liverpool of motor wagons. Six different types of Englishmade wagons competed, carrying loads of from two to three and a half tons with smooth iron tires, which the gov-ernment bylaws prescribe as an element of safety. On the steepest gradient, one in nine, the motors stopped half-way to test their power of restarting in the middle of the hill, and take the 9:45 train for Washington. five out of six succeeded, the wagon built by the Thornycrofts, builders of the Shamrock, achieving the feat with the least apparent trouble. The other the least apparent trouble. The other tests included the hilly Liverpool streets, along rough, heavy roads, and over many graded railway bridges. All the wagons acquitted themselves satis-The Liverpool corporation has re-cently introduced motor dust wagons, it is said, at a saving of 50 per cent on the cost of haulage. All the great English engineering firms are now de-

of improved motor wagons. DREYFUS IN BAD SHAPE. Rennes, Aug. 9.—The condition of Dreyfus is disquieting. His wonderful will power alone is lending him strength to go through the present order. The condition of the papers that President McKinley and he were not agreeable upon the policy and the papers that President McKinley and he were not agreeable upon the policy and the Philippines Mr. deal. Physically he is extremely weak. His stomach refuses all solid food, and he is only able to take milk. His fam-

ily is very anxious.

BITTER ATTACK. A Paris cable to the Journal says: Henri Rochefort, editor of l'Intransigeant, has renewed his virulent attacks on Dreyfus. In his paper yester-day he called him "scoundrel," "trait-or," "unspeakable wretch, worse than McKinley adds interest to his words. his kinsman, Judas Iscariot." France, he says, is on trial for her life, and, although "every general knows that Dreyfus is a red-handed traitor, he may go free because of the personnel of the court-martial trying him, composed, as Rochefort alleges, of weak and unknown men, who are "sus-ceptible to the allurements of the Jewish money bags." The editorial is two columns long, and reeks with vile epithets hurled at the prisoner at Rennes. JAPANESE-CHINESE ALLIANCE.

don Daily Mail says the Italian Gov-ernment has received positive information of the report that China and Japan have concluded an alliance. PEROT FAMILY TROUBLES. A writ of habeas corpus for the custody of Gladys H. Perot, who is charged with abducting the child from Baltimore, Md., has been granted to Mr. Newton Crane, in behalf of Mr. W. H. Perot, father-in-law of Mrs. Perot. Mr. Chas. Matthews, whom Mrs. Perot re-

The Rome correspondent of the Lon-

tained as leading counsel, threw up the CABLE NOTES.

America did not respond to the appeal of the Cromwell movement to erect a statue at his birthplace at Huntingdon, which has proved an ignominious failure. The total amount raised was only \$250.

Secretary Carmichael, of Sir Thomas Lipton's company, was committed for trial at the Southwark police court, charged with being in possession of a large quantity of fruit declared by a medical inspector to be unfit for use. The Rome correspondent of the London Daily Mail says that Admiral Dewey will arrive there on Wednesday, and that he has asked an audience of the pope. Admiral Dewey, at Naples, exchanged visits with the general commanding the army corps. The reception accorded the American admiral

was of a brilliant character. Marshal Martinez de Campos, president of the Spanish Senate, in an interview just published, predicts a ministerial crisis in November.

Lieut. Freiherr Von Strombeck, who, on Thursday, delivered to Queen Victoria at Osborne House, a letter from Emperor William, has handed to his majesty the Queen's autograph reply to his communication.

M. M. Mallet-Prevost, secretary of the Anglo-Venezuelan boundary arbitration commission, in his presentation of the Venezuelan case, argued that the Dutch never claimed territory which Great Britain now says they owned.
Miss Maude Spencer, of London England, has broken her engagement with George Arundel, a young engineer, and secured \$250 damages in a breach of promise suit because her lover returned her letters with the errors in spelling and grammar corrected in red ink.

Major Toral, who was acquitted on the charge of having surrendered Santiago de Cuba to the United States forces without exhausting all means of defense has been liberated.

A gunboat has been ordered to assist the island authorities in restoring order. The islands form part of the French colonial possessions.

Great Comoro Islands are in revolt.

NEARLY 104 YEARS OLD.

Devinney, who was born in county Donegal, Ireland, February, 1796, and died here Sunday, was nearly 104 years old. He came to America 50 years ago. In 1861 he was issued a physician's certificate that he was only 45 years old, and he enlisted. His wife felt so badly about his going away that he soon got his discharge. He was really 66 years old, and he soon enlisted again in the 13th Pennsylvania. enlisted again in the 13th Pennsylvania Cavalry, and was in some of the hot-test battles of the war. When his wife died in 1887 he walked from Pennsylvania to this county.

MacArthur's Forces Defeated Six Thousand Insurgents.

Enemy Left Many Dead and Wounded on the Field.

War To Be Pushed to a Finish-Secretary Root Has Taken Hold in Earnest.

Manila, Aug. 9-12:25 p.m.-Gen. Mac-Arthur's force, consisting of 4,000 men, advanced five miles beyond San Ferwireless telegraphy. The vessel was advanced five miles beyond san ret-the British ship East Lothian, Capt. nando today, and encountered and defeated a Filipino force of 6,000 men. The enemy retreated, leaving many dead and wounded. The American loss in killed and wounded was twenty.

WAR TO BE PUSHED. Plattsburg, N. Y., Aug. 9.-The war in the Philippines is to be prosecuted with a vigor that ought to result in up steep, zigzag, stone-paved gradients, speedy cessation of hostilities there. The correspondent of the Associated Press saw Secretary of War Root last | with the reading of the Queen's speech night just after he had said good-bye as follows: to the president and was preparing to "Will the war in the Philippines be

Mr. Root turned on his heel and replied quick as a flash: "Yes, sir; the war in the Philippines from now on will be prosecuted with all possible enfactorily. These tests were made at an average speed of 16½ miles an hour.

The Liverpool corporation has reall the supplies necessary to end the trouble in the islands will be furnished at the earliest possible moment."
"How large a force will be at the dis-

posal of the commanding general there?" was asked. "There will be 50,000 men there ready voting their energies to the production for active service at the close of the rainy season, about the last of October. and more will be sent there if neces-

to be pursued in the Philippines, Mr.

Root said:
"Of course, that is all nonsense." When asked whether Gen. Otls would be relieved of the command of the American forces in the Philippines, Mr. Root replied that he had nothing to say on that point at this time. Secretary Root seldom talks for publication, and

SUSPECTED OF ROBBERY

Ex-Clerk of Molsons Bank, Winnipeg, Arrested-\$60,000 of Stolen Money Recovered.

Winnipeg, Aug. 9 .- John W. Anderson, aged 24 years, an ex-clerk of the Molsons Bank here, was arrested here yesterday, on suspicion

About \$60,000 of the stolen money. which had been hidden, was recovered today. The detectives are after alleged ac-

complices. DETAILS OF THE DISCOVERY. Winnipeg, Aug. 9 .- The mystery of the robbery of \$62,000 from Molsons Bank here between Sept. 28 and Oct. 4 last has been solved, and John W. Anderson, former junior clerk in the bank, is now in jail charged with the crime.

now in safe custody. Last March a dapper little chap named Davis drifted into town, and secured employment as clerk at a leading drygoods store. He took up lodgings at the same place where Ander-son boarded, and the two became intimate friends. This intimacy led to the discovery of Anderson's crime. Davis, through his friendship, succeeded in working admissions from Anderson, and finally locating the

The money has been recovered, and is

ing Anderson on one of his pilgrimages see that the money was safe. The money, which comprised \$42,000 in non-negotiable or traceable bills, and \$20,000 in bills of ordinary circulation, was in a valise, buried some depth in the ground, and was recov-

cached money near the city by shadow-

ered Monday afternoon. The money has not been counted, but

bank for the recovery of the money and apprehension of the prisoner will go to Davis, who is a Canadian from Thessalon, Ont. Anderson came to Manitoba from

Hastings, Ont., and is heir to a large sum of money left by his father, who was a prominent banker. He is about 22 years of age. A short time ago he left the bank and entered the employ of the McClary Manufacturing Company.

THEY'RE OFF.

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 9.—About one hundred members of the Canadian Press Association left the Union Station yesterday on the special excursion to the coast. The special consisted of four sleepers and a baggage car. Several of the members were accompanied by their wives. On reaching Gravenhurst the party will stop off Jackson, Mich., Aug. 9 .- Cornelius for a trip on Lake Simco

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Prorogued This Afternoon by

PARLIAMENT

Royal Commission. Significant Reference Made to the "Unrest" in the Transvaal,

London, Aug. 9 .- Parliament was prorogued at 2 o'clock this afternoon by royal commission. The House of Lords met and summoned the Commons to the bar. The proceedings terminated

"My Lords and Gentlemen:

"My relations with the other powers continue friendly. The conference summoned by the Emperor of Russia to consider measures for promoting the maintenance of peace has completed its sittings. Although the result of its deliberations did not fully correspond with the lofty aim which it was summoned to accomplish, it has met with a considerable measure of success. The institution of a permanent tribunal of arbitration cannot fail to diminish the frequency of war, while the extension of the Geneva convention, will mitigate

its horrors." After a reference to the conclusion of the Anglo-French convention on the subject of the Nile Valley and the Anglo-Russian convention in regard to the railway enterprises in

China, the special continued: "We have received a petition from a considerable number of my subjects residing in the South African republic praying my assistance to obtain a removal of grievances and disabilities of which they complain. The position of my subjects in the South African republic is inconsistent with the promises of equal treatment, whereupon my grant of international independence to that republic was founded, and the unrest caused thereby is a constant source of danger to the peace and prosperity of my dominions in South Africa. Negotiations on this subject with the Government of the South African republic have been entered into and are still pro-

Another paragraph deals with the satisfactory reports of the recovery of the agriculture and trade of India from the depression caused by the famine, but it adds fears are now entertained of the prospects of harvest in Western and Central India, owing to the insufficient rainfall, though the officials are taking timely precautions to meet

any scarcity. The speech then reads: "I regret to add that the plague, though still confined to the total of 199 areas affected during the winter, shows no sign of abatement.'

The speech thanks the commons for

the liberality with which they have provided for the naval and military defense of the empire, and concludes with reference to the benefits which may be expected from the domestic legislation passed. London, Aug. 9 .- President McKinley's secretary, Mr. John Addison Porter, and Solicitor-General John K. Richards, visited the United States embassy

ATROCIOUS CRIME

today ,and were afterwards introduced

to Speaker Gully. Hhey witnessed the prorogation of parliament.

Report of Marquis Romano on the Lynching of Five Italians.

Washington, Aug. 9.-The state department has received from the Italian authorities a copy of the report made by the Marquis Romano, secretary of the Italian embassy, on his investigation of the lynching of five Italians in Louisiana. The report presents the affair in a serious light, and shows that the Italian authorities view the occurrence as one of unusual atrocity. It contends that there were no mitigating circumstness; that Dr. Hodges first drew a weapon, and that the first shot fired by Defatta was in defense of his fallen brother and not a wanton at-tack. Describing the affair in detail, tack. Describing the anair in uctain, Anderson was taken into custody yesterday afternoon, after a warrant yesterday afternoon, after a warrant the most made a second and then a the most made a second and then a The reward of \$10,000 offered by the third visit to the jail, whence they reank for the recovery of the money moved and lynched the other three Italians, all of whom, it is contended. were in utter ignorance of the wound-ing of Dr. Hodges. Conceding some extenuating circumstances in the lynching of the two men immediately concerned in Dr. Hodges' case, Marquis Romano contends that the lynching of the other three was a thing of particular atrocity.

> SUDDEN DEATH OF REV. DR. LAMSON.

St. Johnsbury, Vt., Aug. 9.—Rev. Chas. H. Lamson, D.D., of Hartford, Conn, president of the Canadian board of commissioners of foreign missions, died here suddenly, of neuralgia of the heart. He was 56 years of age.

Minds of moderate caliber ordinarily condemn everything which is beyond their range.—Rochefoucauld.

TWO DROWNINGS

Fatal Runaway in the Vicinity of Uxbridge.

Tramp Killed While Stealing a Railway Ride-Fatal End of a Spree.

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 9.—The body of Mrs. George Dixon, 214 Richmond etreet west, was discovered yesterday in Grenadier's pond, High Park, float-ing face downward in four feet of water, about 25 yards from the shore. The case was evidently one of deliberate suicide, as Mrs. Dixon, before entering the water, had removed her bonnet, skirt and boots and stockings, and laid them on the bank. Mrs. Dixon had been suffering from melancholia, and she is believed to have committed the rash act while in a demented state.

Fred W. Woods, 18 Wright avenue,
bank olerk at Toronto Junction,
was drowned while bathing in the
Humber at 7 o'clock last night. Woods, with two companions named Harvey and Bell, started to swim across the widest part of the river. The lastwidest part of the river. The last-mentioned two had crossed safely, but when in the middle Woods went down. Bell swam back to hils assistance, but could not save him.

FATAL RUNAWAY.

Uxbridge, Ont., Aug. 9.-James Vanderburg, sen., aged 78 years, of the sixth concession of Scott township, was driving out of town yesterday morning, when his horse became frightened at a traction engine, and ran into an incoming train. Mr. Vanderburg was knocked unconscious and died within a few minutes. He was one of the oldest settlers in Scott township. His horse had to be killed.

FATAL SPREE. Simcoe, Aug. 9 .- William Lee, a dissipated bricklayer, while drung, laid down on the railway track, and was ground to pieces by a train. He had a wife and family at Aylmer.

A TRAMP KILLED. Portage la Prairie, Man., Aug. 9 .-William Nutter, a tramp, who was stealing a ride on the Imperial Limited, was instantly killed while jumping off the train as it entered the station yesterday morning. He struck the platform and was thrown under the wheels, being horribly mangled. From letters found on his person, it appears his parents live at Corinna, Me., and he was coming from Hern Bay, Ont.

LITTLE BOY DROWNED. Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 9.—The 7-year-old son of E, Marault, of Cumberland, feil into the Ottawa River on Monday and was drowned.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Ottawa, Aug. 9 .- Michael Butler, who, with his wife, occupied half of a house at the corner of Eccles and Preston streets, John Kennedy and his wife occupying the other half, was burned to death on Monday evening. The building took fire. Mrs. Butler was rescued by the firemen, but her husband was found at the head of the stairs suffocated. Butler was about 45

POISONED AT A PICNIC.

Elmira, N. Y., Aug. 9.—Four young men in Elkland, Tioga county, Pa., dfed suddenly within 24 hours up to 10 o'clock a.m. All were similarly affected previous to death. It is thought that they all drank wood alcohol at a seriously ill, and two are expected to

THE DEADLY OIL CAN.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 9.—A few minutes after 6 a.m. yesterday, Mrs. Catharine Czaja, 428 Lovett avenue, started to her kitchen, to prepare breakfast for her family. Frank, her little baby, 1 year and 4 months old, toddled after his mother, holding on to her wrapper. Mrs. Czaja built a fire, applied the match, and, to hasten the flames, poured kerosene on the smoldering wood. An explosion followed, and mother and child were fatally

August Knitter, of 415 Williams avenue, returned home at noon in a great hurry for dinner. Mrs. Knitter started a fire in the cook stove, and poured kerosene oil into the stove from a can. There was a terrible explosion, and Mrs. Knitter was enveloped in flames, and so terribly burned she cannot survive. The unfortunate woman is in a delicate condition,

MORLEY'S MISTAKE

laused the Landsdowne's Mishap, Says Capt. Firbey.

Windsor, Aug. 9.—Protests have been filed by the owners of both the transfer Lansdowne and the W. B. Morley, and from them comes the first author ized statement of the collision Sunday morning. Capt. Fireby, of the Lansdowne, says

that the boats collided about 800 feet from the Caradian shore, near the foot of Church street. The Morley was further inshore than his boat, so the Lansdowne gave one whistle to go to starboard, but this was answered by two blasts, owing to some mistake on the part of the Morley's captain.

From the talk of officials of the Grand Trunk Railway, the owners of the Lansdowne, it would appear that they do not wish to carry the matter to the courts if it can be helped. An extreme estimate of the ferry's cost of repairs is placed at \$12,000 by

BRIGHT'S DISEASE

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills

Mr. Richard Jennings, a farmer living in Goderich township, states: "About three years ago I was taken down with Bright's Disease of the and placed myself in the care of the family physician. After some months a consultation was deemed necessary, and I was told I could

not live.
"In sheer desperation I began to use Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. The first pill gave relief, the first box produced a decided change for the better, and continuing the use of them, I improved in health, unnow I am taking the heavy share of work on the farm, No tongue can tell what I suffered previous to using these pills, and I owe my secovery to them." Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills,

one pill a dose, 25 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates &

L. J. Ferritor, Grand Trunk superin-

Capt. Baker's divers examined the Morley, and found that her entire stem was knocked in and the star-board bow had a hole in it six feet wide and more than twenty feet long. A similar hole was found in the port

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Spain will have to import both wheat and sugar this year.

Vancouver's customs receipts in 12 years have increased 100 per cent. Andrew Carnegie has given \$50,000 to found a public library at Keighley,

Yorkshire, England. Senator Bellerose's condition contin-

ues to be very low, and he may not live more than two days. The first case of yellow fever reported among the United States army troops at Havana was announced Tuesday.

Assessment on Chicago's big office buildings have been increased from \$14,- | ment. 000,000 in 1898 to \$20,000,000 this year. Seventeen cases of poisoning figure in the murder trial at Temesvar; a town in Hungary, not far from the Roumanian border.

Lord George Hamilton yesterday definitely announced that the government is determined to establish a gold standard in India.

-John R. McLean, editor of the Cincinnati Inquirer, is a strong candidate for the governorship of Ohio in the Democratic interest.

A raging fire in the fine grove at Calderwood, near Kingston, Ont., the residence of Ald. J. B. Walkem, did damage to about seven acres of bush.

A gang of Toronto rowdles terrorized Oakville on Monday. Four are now under arrest, one of the men they saulted being in a precarious condition. On Monday last the Toronto street

railway carried 139,000 passengers, ex-clusive of transfers, being an increase of 18,000 passengers over the numbers carried in 1898. With a view to stop importation of

ladies' fine gloves, and for other alleged reasons, glove manufacturers of the United States are about to form a \$30,-000,000 combine. Brutal treatment is alleged to have

caused the death of James McGuire in the Manhattan State Hospital on Ward's Island, New York, and four attendants are under arrest. Thomas P. McMaster, aged 73, for 17

years proprietor and editor of the Lud-ington, Mich., Record, died suddenly after the Epworth assembly concert Monday night at his summer cottage on the grounds. The G. T. R. offices at Allandale re-

port an enormous increase in Muskoka traffic this year. To date the Muskoka express has carried 13,448 passengers, an increase of 6,311 over the corresponding period last year.

While trying to prevent his father from killing himself. Archie Hunnel was shot through the heart at Des Moines, Iowa. The father then slashed himself with a knife, but was arrested before inflicting fatal injuries.

Monrado Jaiconah, who killed his wife in Hoboken last May because she rederclothing.

John Thompson, private in the the reader, and to give life a new as-Twelfth York Rangers, who was attacked with sunstroke at the military WHISPER FROM THE INVISIBLE Niggara on Tune & and wa taken to Toronto General Hospital, died of heart disease at that institution Monday.

Mr. M. C. Laven, auditor of the Pacific Postal Telegraph Company, San Francisco, and formerly superintendent of the Dominion Telegraph Company at Hamilton, is dead. He was one of Hamilton's best known and most popular citizens in the seventies.

A train of 20 freight cads was wrecked in tunnel No. 4 on the Cincinnati and Southern Railway by the explosion of a tank loaded with naphtha. The wreckage caught fire, and the entire train will probably be a total loss. There were rumors of loss of life, but these

are denied by the railroad officials. Brantford police have unearthed, in a literal sense, a stolen bicycle. Acting on some information received, two constables drove to a town near St. George and there dug from a hole, where it had been buried, a stolen bicycle. A young man named Joseph Green has

been arrested, suspected of the theft. United States Navy Paymaster John C. Sullivan was dismissed in 1894 for alleged irregularities. Congress found the sentence unjust, and March 3, 1899, reinstated him with rank of lieutenant-commander. It has been decided that he is entitled to full credit for former service, and he will thus get better pay than if he had remained in the service and been promoted in the usual man-

SUPERB PLUCK

Woman Has Her Fingers Amputated Without a Moan.

New York, Aug. 9.—Mrs. Lillian Smith, while cleaning her bicycle had both fingers cut off by being caught between the chain and the sprocket. She was alone, and without a scream or a faint called a friend, with whom she quietly walked to the Harlem Hoswhere, without anesthetics, she submitted to an amputation, which the surgeon thought necessary. She is regarded at the hospital as a woman with the most superb pluck on record.

DIVINE HEALERS

In Jail-Charged With Being Responsiple for the Death of a Patient.

Chicago, Aug. '9.—Mrs. Henrikka Bratz and "Elder" D. C. Holmes, "di-vine healers" and officials of Dr. John Alexander Dowie's institution, were held to the grand jury yesterday by the coroner's jury in the inquest over the death of Mrs. Annetia Flanders. They are charged with being criminally responsible for the death of Mrs. Flanders, who died of blood poisoning at St. Luke's Hospital on July 28, after receiving their "divine healing" treatment. The specific charge was criminal negligence and malpractice. Mrs. Bratz and "Elder Holmes, who were present at the inquest as witnesses, were arrested immediately, taken in a patrol wagon to the county jail and Officials of the Dowie Inlocked up. stitution who called to offer bonds for the release of the prisoners were informed by Assistant States Attorney

of court, and Mrs. Bratz and "Elder" Holmes were not released. Some men haven't ambition enough

to get out of their own way

A. C. Barnes of the necessity of secur-

ing a habeas corpus writ or an order

Practice of The Presence

Sermon by Rev. D. B. Knox, Editor of the Irish Presbyterian, Ballybay, Ireland.

Exodus xxxiii., 14. xxviii., 20.

These are the words of the Lord Jehovah of the Old Testament, who is the Lord Christ of the New Testa-

I have a friend who says that "Ecce Homo," the book that created such a sensation in the early seventies, marked an epoch in his life. I cannot say that it made a very powerful indent on my own mind, perhaps because its teaching had percolated through a hundred sources and had become my property before I read it. The book is a noteworthy presentation of one aspect of a great truth, and I imagine it has been a potent factor in giving be-ing to the modern altruistic spirit and the countless praiseworthy efforts to

THE GREATEST BOOK is the one that gives us most knowledge of God. If this definition-truth is God we find him and possess part of his being are our lives well lived. The themes that should engage our attenof our true life is in him-but he wishes to be a real presence to us be-cause he needs us. The heart of infinite love needs the human heart to bestow its affection upon. God's unlimited love needs human objects, and asks response. No flower wastes its beauty, for God delights to look upon it. The divine gardener planted every flower, and smiles on his handiwork. Has he not more interest in the human flower, with its mind capable of understanding his words, and its heart cap-able of responding to his affection? Yes, God wants to be present with man. And we need God, thought we

may not want him. No book has impressed the need of the constant presence of God on men's minds in such a striking way as the cide yesterday in his cell in the Jersey City jail. He hanged himself with a rope made of strips torn from his underclothing. be ranked among the epoch-making ones; a book that tends to transform

WORLD. you seem to hear John speak, out of a heart brimful of the love of God-nay, you hear Christ speak, divinely simple and divinely profound. When Nicholas Herman speaks, you hear one who is honest with God and honest with men; and he has the right to advise us, for he has a white soul, and God has highly exalted him. Shall we ask him to be our instructor in the method of obtaining the constant presence of God?

I warn you that Nicholas Herman to not a modern, for he was born in the seventeenth century; so if you must have the most recent teaching, say good-bye to Herman of Lorraine. I warn you, too, that Nicholas Herman was not one of the world's great men. So if you must have advice only from philosophic and cultured mind, say good-bye to Herman of Lorraine; for he was an uneducated man, a foot-man, a soldier and a cook. But there was once a tent-maker called Paul, and wise men such as Newton and Glad-stone learned from him. And there was once a fisherman called Peter, and great intellects such as Butler and Browning listened to him. And there was once a young earpenter called Jesus, and the world's supremest minds have been glad to sit at his feet. So it may be that Nicholas Herman, cook and erstwhile soldier, of Lorraine, who was instructed in the school of God, may have the right to

TEACH US ONE OR TWO LESSONS. What did Herman learn from God, that we go to him for instruction? learned one lesson so well that not many in the world have learned better, and he actualized It in his experi-He practiced the presence of God.

The only criticism that I wish to Herman is, that while he does not overlook the fact that God was manifested in the man Jesus in order that humanity might more readily have access to God by man, yet he does not sufficiently emphasize this helpful truth. He does not seem to recognize clearly the fact that Jesus, by the revelation of his divine brotherliness, purposely makes communion with himself, the God-man, more easy, so that we who have journeyed with him so often through Palastine may the more readily take him as our comrade in our daily walk, and place our hand with utter confidence in that human hand that touched with gentleness the blind eyes-in that divine hand that molded this huge world. Now, with Herman as our instruc-

tor, I shall ask and attempt to answer two questions: 1. Why is the habitual presence of God to be practiced? 2. How is the presence of God to be prac-

I. Why is the habitual presence of God to be practiced? It is to be practiced, first of all, because of

OUR NEED OF GOD'S ASSISTANCE. If we could but realize how much the habitual companionship of God would mean to us, we would not be content to be without his presence for a moment. We should solve the problem of life if we had the constant presence of God; that is to say that if God were continually with us our lives would fulfill their design. We would live up to the full measure of our powers and we would glorify God.

Life is so full of surprises, new de-partures, apparently conflicting duties, that those of us who recognize the insufficiency of human wisdom to cope with life's perplexities and difficulties with life's perplexities and difficulties love, and for the love of him to rewill readily acknowledge our need of nounce all besides. I abandon myself divine wisdom and succor. If God be in his hands, that he may do as he ly to God, and tell him our troubles

"My presence shall go with thee."- | with us day by day and hour by hour, we are certain to be rescued from our "Lo, I am with you alway."-Matthew selves-our wayward thoughts, our evil desires, our base ambitions, our errors of judgment, our blunders in action; and we shall be rescued from the unwearied spiritual enemies that in-cessantly attack the citadel of our life. Then the fact that succor and guidance are insured

FORTIFIES OUR COURAGE. Imaginary foes disappear, and spiritual enemies that are real and vindictive appear less formidable when God is with us. With his coming into our life comes again the cheering message; "The battle is not yours, but God's." To have God with you in your kitchen, your parlor, your office, your field, your shop, your study, your pulpit, your pew, gives a godlike courage, doesn't it? And

IT GIVES YOU JOY AND PEACE. Let us hear Herman's experience. For thirty years his soul was filled with elevate our fellow-creatures. "Ecce joys so continual that he was forced to Homo" is one of many books that use means to modify them and to hinhave power to alter men's lives. der their appearing outwardly. His biographer tells us that his example was a stronger inducement to those who beheld his life to walk in the presence discovered—be correct, then the most of God than any arguments. "His very intimate acquaintance with God will guarantee the possession of the greatest amount of truth. Any book that could not but affect the beholders. And puts us in the way of ascertaining, it was observed that in the greatest God's character and wishes is a book of hurry of business in the kitchen he momentous interest. God wishes to reveal himself more and more to our consciousness. We know that only as hasty nor loitering, but did each thing in its season, with an even, uninter-The rupted composure and tranquility of atten-spirit." "The time of business," said tion, the supreme themes, are God's Herman, "does not with me differ from relation to us and our relation to God. Not only does God desire to make himself known to us—to make him- persons are at the same time calling for self to us a real and a loved presence different things, I possess God in as because he knows that the completion great tranquility as if I were upon my knees at the sacrament." keep him in perfect peace whose mind is stayed on thee."

II. Now, we shall ask and attempt to answer the question: How is the presence of God to be practiced? Herman, in enjoining the practice of the presence of God, which he defines as "an habitual silent and sacred conversation of the soul with God," is no fanatic. He remarks:
"I do not say that we must put vio-

lent constraint upon ourselves. we must serve God in a holy freedom; we must do our business faithfully, without trouble or disquiet, recalling our mind to God mildly, and with tran-quility, as often as we find it wandering from him."

His views are those of a man who has had experimental acquaintance with the mode of life that he recommends. He has failed and he has succeeded, and he shows us what to do in case of failure. For there are hindrances to a life habitually in the presence of God. There is the

UNWILLINGNESS TO PERSEVERE single mind and the utter simplicity of a soul at one with God. As you read you seem to bear look and the utter simplicity of "in order to form a habit of conversing you seem to bear look and the utter simplicity of the order to form a habit of conversing you seem to bear look and the utter simplicity of "in order to form a habit of conversing you seem to bear looks and the utter simplicity of the utter simplic in the continuous walk with him who we do to him, we must at first apply to him with some diligence; but that after a little care we should find his love inwardly excite us to it without any difficulty." "When he failed in his duty he only confessed his fault, saying to God, 'I shall never do otherwise if you leave me to myself; it is you who mus hinder my falling, and mend what is amiss." After this he gave himself no further uneasiness about his failure If we adopt this method we shall soon become accustomed almost unconsciously to turn with humble thanks giving or appeal to the divine Com-panion beside us.

I should say that the greatest obstacle to the practice of the presence of God is

FORGETFULNESS OF THE DUTY. There is such a pressure of earthly in terests and constant appeals from th world of sense, that our ears are du to the voices that come from the work of spirit. Even during prayer our thoughts wander from eternal to earthly interests. Herman's cure for this mental dissipation during devotion is to let the will, which rules all the faculties, recall the thought and carry them to God. Let the recollecting power subdue the mind when you converse with God, "Let it be your business," says Herman, "to keep your and in the presence of God."

There is for this fault of forgetfulness even better treatment than Herman advises: Trust the Lord to keep you in remembrance of his presence. Ask him the first thing in the morning to remind you throughout the whole day of his gracious companionship. He who said. "The Holy Spirit shall bring to your remembrance all that I said unoffer on the conversation and letters of to you," will make certain that you won't forget. Now as to

THE POSITIVE DIRECTIONS given by Herman for obtaining the habitual sense of God's presence. He tells us that we must consider God as the terminus of all our thoughts and desires. We are to think of him so as to impress his existence deeply on the mind and heart. This is to be done not by profound reasoning, but by devotional meditation and the exercise of faith. "We must know," says Her-man, "before we can love." In order to think thus of God we must

BANISH TRIVIAL THOUGHTS, and the heart must be kept vacant for God. "At all times," says Herman, only at the appointed times of prayer, but even in the height of my business, I drove away from my mind everything that interrupted my thought of God."
We should establish ourselves in a

sense of God's presence by continually conversing with him. "A little lifting up of the heart suffices, a little remembrance of God, one act of inward worship. Accustom yourself by degrees to this small but holy exercise. Nothing is easier than to repeat often in the day these little internal adorations, as, for instance, 'My God, here I am, all devoted to thee. Lord, make me according to thy heart.' We ought to act with God in the greatest simplicity, speaking to him frankly and plainly, and imploring his assistance in our affairs, just as they happen."

The whole life must be surrendered to God if we would have the habitual sense of his presence. "At my entrance into religion," says Herman, "I took a resolution to give myself up to God, as the best return I could make for his

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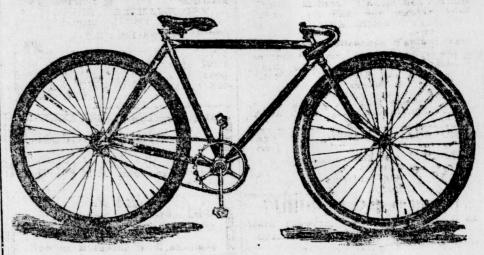
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pleases with me. Sometimes I consider myself as a stone before a carver, whereof he is to make a statue; presenting myself thus before God, I desire him to form his perfect image in my soul, and make me

ENTIRELY LIKE HIMSELF." Shall you and I, taught and inspired by this man who lived so close to God, resolve to follow his example and prac-tice the presence of God? Let us bring God into our daily life. He is aware of the faintest longing of the loving heart, and in response to our appeal he will hold with us the sweet commerce of love. Let us have God with us con-stantly, not only in moments of exalt-

and joys and failures and success Let us ask him to direct us in hife's mazes, and to impart wisdom to us, and hearts full of sympathy for the unloved and degraded and konely and poor. Let us resolve that we shall never more be discourteous to the waiting Christ by neglecting to converse with him, and assuredly Jesus will company with us on the way, and will make our lives full of meaning and beauty and usefulness and power.

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Woodstock's Ten Errors Lost cricket match between Canada and the United States was concluded here Them the Game With Guelph.

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Canadian League Standing. Won. Lost. Per.Ct.
 London
 30

 Woodstock
 23

 Guelph
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 Hamilton
 21

BASEBALL

GUELPH DEFEATED WOODSTOCK. Guelph, Ont., Aug. 9. - Woodstock made enough hits today to win any game, but their fielding was of the worst possible kind, having a total of ten errors to their credit. Guelph was not strong at the bat, but played a good game in the field. Score:

R. H. E. Woodstock ..0 1 6 2 0 0 0 0 0 9 12 10 Guelph 2 1 1 0 4 2 0 0 10 7 2 Batteries—Thompson and Reid; Kostal, Lafleur Umpire, McKeever. THE AMATEURS.

An interesting game of ball was played on St. John's A. C. grounds Monday evening, between St. John's Choir Boys and Leaders. R. Falls pitched a beautiful game for the Choir, giving only one base and allowing only three hits, and W. Boucher, who pitched for the Leaders in all but the first inning, also did great work, allowing only two hits and giving one base. The other features were A. Dean's work as catcher, W. Carlisle's as shortstop, and J. Woolley's as first as shortstop, and J. Woolley's as first base, for the Choir, and H. Dunn's work at first and M. Francis' as fielder for the Leaders. As only four innings were played, it was decided to nings were played, it was decided to finish out the game at a later date. The score:

NATIONAL LEAGUE-TUESDAY. At Philadelphia-R. H. E.

 Pittsburg
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 12
 1

 Philadelphia
 5
 14
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 Batteries — Lever, Tannehill and Schriver; Donohue and Douglass. At Washington-Washington 10 Chicago 1 6 0

Batteries-McFarland and Duncan; Taylor and Donahue. At Baltimore-Batteries-Howell and Robinson; Sudhoff and Schreckengost. New York 5 7 3 Louisville 4 9 1

Batteries-Carrick and Warner; Dow- J. Weld, ling and Zimmer.

Batteries-Taylor and Peitz; McJames

At Boston-Batteries-Bailey, Hickman and Bergen; Bates and Sugden. EASTERN LEAGUE-TUESDAY. At Providence-R. H. E.

and Kennedy and Farrell.

Providence 4 10 10 Batteries—Horton and Bransfield; Braun and Leahy. Umpire, Gruber. At Syracuse-Montreal 2 11 1

Syracuse 6 14 1 Batteries-Felix and Jacklitz; Kimball and Steelman. Umpire, Boyd. At Rochester-Toronto 4 5 2

Batteries-Brown and Butler; Becker and Smink. Umpire, Wise. At Hartford-Springfield 5 12 Hartford 8 12 3

Batteries-Baker and Phelps; Hodson and Urquhart. Umpire, O'Loughlin. WESTERN LEAGUE-TUESDAY. At Buffalo-Indianapolis 9, Buffalo 4. At Minneapolis Minneapolis 7, Kansas City 6.

At St. Paul-St. Paul 8, Milwaukee 5. At Grand Rapids-Detroit 11, Grand Rapids 2. FOR THE FANS.

Fielder Crawford, formerly of Chat-ham, but now with Grand Rapids, is attracting great attention in the Western League. Manager Loftus is receiving offers every day for him. CRICKET.

THE INTERNATIONAL MATCH. Toronto, Aug. 9.—The international mile yesterday at Leicester in 25 min-

yesterday, the Americans winning by 34 runs in two innings. The Can-adians were in the lead on the first inning by 16, but only made 169 in their second venture. Laing, Goldingham, Chambers and Lyon, all of whom were depended on for runs only secured 9 between them, while Saunders, who made 45 on Monday only got 6 today. The tail-end of the Canadians made a strong rally—the last four men putting on 111, but they could not recover after the disaster which had befallen their best men. Mason (captain of the Americans) made 51, the best score during the match. Following are the complete scores: Americans, first in-ning, 206; Canadians, first inning— The following is the complete score of the first inning of the Canadians:

AMERICANS.

Second Inning-

J. H. Scattergood, b Laing 0 S. G. Climenson, not out 11 Extras 29

CANADIANS. Second Inning-W. H. Cooper, c Scattergood, b A. G. Chambers, b Climenson 3
J. M. Laing, b Climenson 3
P. C. Goldingham, c Goodman, b

AUSTRALIA VS. WARWICKSHIRE. Birmingham, Aug. 8.-In the cricket match between the visiting Australians and a Warwickshire eleven, which began here yesterday, the Australians. in their first inning, were all out to-day for 312 runs. In their first inning yesterday Warwickshire players were all out for 135 runs. At the close of play today the Warwickshire team, in their second inning, had scored 196 runs for seven wickets down.

LAWN BOWLING. WALKERVILLE DEFEATED LON--DON.

A rink of Walkerville and a rink of Windsor bowlers came here on Saturday and defeated two of the Forest City rinks. Scores: London. Walkerville.

W. H. Isaac, G. Germain, Dr. Hoare. A. D. Green, A. W. Ridout, J. H. Brown, skip......16 skip......18 London. Windsor A. Stevenson. H. T. W. Ellis, C. Emery, C. Mattheson, R. McDonald.

E. Weld.

skip...... 9 skip...........13 SEAFORTH BEATS CLINTON. Seaforth bowlers visited Clinton yesterday and played a game with the local club. Result: Clinton, 49; Sea-

A. J. Arnold,

AQUATIO.

TO DEFEND CANADA'S CUP. Toronto, Aug. 8.-Three trials were sailed off Toronto Monday to decide on the defender of the Canada's cup. The Beaver, Toronto, and Hamilton, each scored a victory.

Minnetooka (McLeod boat) won the first of yesterday's trial races, beating Beaver, the Payne boat, by about 100 yards. Toronto was third, 100 yards behind Beaver. The Hamilton boats-Hamilton, Myrtle and Weir-finished bunched in the order named, 300 yards in the rear.

EMPEROR WILLIAM'S BOAT WON. Ryde, England, Aug. 8.—Emperor William's yacht Meteor won the chief prize in the Royal Victoria regatta here today, defeating the Duke of Abruzzi's Bona, and Mr. Orr-Ewing's Rainbow.

SPORTING NOTES.

Jake Kilrain says that as so many of the old-timers are going back into the ring, that he is willing to try conclusions with some of the third-raters. Will Curley, the crack British bantam-weight. wants to come to this country and try conclusions with the winner of the McGovern-Palmer

SWIMMING. NEW WORLD'S RECORD. London, Aug. 9.—The amateur swimming champion, J. A. Jarvis, swam a

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utes 13% seconds, thus eclipsing the world's record held by J. Nuthall. TURP.

FASTEST PACING EVER SEEN IN CANADA. Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 9.—Searchlight's three heats in the 2:04 pace of the Fort Erie grand circuit meeting yesterday were the fastest ever paced or trotted in Canada. Bogash was not able, however, to push the winner to the limit.

Electric City stake, trotters, 2:24 class, \$2,000: Owyhee, b. h. 1 1 2 2

True Chimes, b. g. \$ 1 3 3 Time—2:14¾, 2:16¾, 2:19½, 2:20½. 2:20 class, trotting \$1,500 (unfinished): Venus II., b. m.1 Dorothy S., blk. m. 8 Viola, b. m. 3 Nell Gwynne, gr. m.8 6

WINDSOR RACES. Windsor Race Track, Aug. 9 .- Yesterday's results: terday's results:
First race, 7½ furlongs, selling—
Cuirassier won, Rena Campbell 2, Ballista 3. Time, 1:36%.
Second race, % mile, 2-year-olds,
maidens—Eous won, Profit 2, Two
Annies 3. Time, 1:03%.
Third race, 1 mile, allowances—Red
Pirate won, Kunja 2, Lady of the West
3. Time, 1:424.

WINNERS ON OTHER TRACKS. St. Louis, Mo.-Katharine D., Necklace, Ladas, Kodak, Ferroll and Havi-

Hawthorne, Chicago-Emma Nora, Florisar, Cherry Leaf, Espionage and Milton.

THE I. C. U. MEETING. Montreal, Aug. 8.—At today's session of the delegates of the International Cyclists' Union, it was officially given out that the League of American Wheelmen is the on'y body governing cyclists in the United States that will be recognized by the International Cyclists' Union. This ends the hopes of the National Cyclists' Association, or the "Outlaws," as they have been callof the National Cyclists' Association, and explained the situation in the 3 United States. After his withdrawal Extras 14 meet for 1900 was awarded to France,

and will be held at Paris. BALD RETIRES. Edward C. Bald, the bicycle racer, has practically decided to abandon the field in which he has excelled for several years. He will leave for Europe on Tuesday with Jockey Tod Sloan.

SANTO DOMINGO

Revolutionary Forces Have Crossed the Frontier and Taken Dajabon.

Port-au-Prince, Hayti, Aug. 9.-The revolutionary Dominician troops which assembled at Ounaminthe have crossed the frontier and have taken possession of Dajabon. The garrison at that place retired to Fort Belair, a strategic position commanding the town. The foreign population and the Haytian consul left the place. It is considered probable that Jiminez, the leader of the revolution, will attempt to make a landing on the island, in order to join the revolutionary troops at Dajabon and take direction of the movement. The Haytian government is taking measures to prevent Jiminez landing in Its territory.

Fall Exhibitions.

WESTERN FAIR, LONDON, SEPT. Industrial Fair, Toronto, Aug. 28-Sept. 9. East Elgin, St. Thomas, Sept.6-8. Central Canada Exhibition, Ottawa

Sept. 11-23. South Lanark Fair, Perth, Sept. 11-13. Kingston District Fair, Kingston, Sept. 11-14. Quebec Exhibition, Quebec, Sept. 11-16. Owen Sound, Sept. 12-14.
West Middlesex Exhibition, Strathroy,

Sept. 18-20. Southern, Brantford, Sept. 16-21. Northern Exhibition, Collingwood, Sept. 19-22. Central, Guelph, Sept. 19-21.

Northern, Walkerton, Sept. 19-20. North Bruce Union, Port Elgin, Sept. 21-22. Northern Fair, Ailsa Craig, Sept. 21-22. North Riding of Oxford Agricultural Society, Woodstock, Sept. 21-23. Provincial Exhibition, Halifax, Sept. 23-

North Brant, Paris, Sept. 25-26. North Waterloo, Berlin, Sept. 26-27. North Simcoe, Stayner, Sept. 26-28. Center Bruce, Paisley, Sept. 26-27. South Grey, Durham, Sept. 26-27. Haldimand, Cayuga, Sept. 26-27. Northwestern, Goderich, Sept. 26-28. West Kent, Chatham, Sept. 26-28. Center Wellington. Fergus, Sept. 27-28 South Waterloo, Galt, Sept. 28-29. North Perth, Stratford, Oct. 3-4.

Forest Hort. and U. Ag. So, Forest Oct. 3-4. North Dorchester Agricultural Society, Dorohester, Oct. 4. South Norwich, Otterville, Oct. 6-7. Fat Stock Show, Guelph, Dec. 5-8.

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Searchlight, br. h. 1 1 1 poration, to which the Grand Patriarch

London, reported that the order had not been booming, though holding its own, and that one new encampment, Lake View, No. 83, Ruthven, had been instituted during the year. Complaint was made that some encampments are very slow at sending in their returns. The board of directors of the Oddfellows' Home has been incorporated. Several localities have already made enticing offers for the home. The progress of the Encampment branch during the six months ending June, 1899, is measured by a net increase of 22 mem-The membership, Dec. 31, 1899, was 3,358; total amount of relief, \$3,579 82; total amount of annual re-venue, \$7,124 93. The receipts for 1898 are not as good as those of the previous year, necessitating the practice of great economy.

The report of the grand treasurer,

Edmund Beltz,, announced a balance on hand of \$1,702 83. The grand patriarch, Mr. Law, in presenting his report, regretted that his ill-health had kept him from attending to the duties of his office with the closeness he would otherwise have desired. Mr. Law urged the members to become subscribers to the official

The following officers were elected patriarch, for the ensuing year: Grand patriarch, Wm. Potter, Chatham; grand high patriarch, L. Ferguson, St. Thomas; grand scribe, M. D. Dawson, London (re-elected); grand treasurer, Ed. Beltz, London (re-elected); grand senior warden, F. Jeffrey, Stratford; grand junior warden, E. J. Spackman, Exeter; grand marshal, L. B. Cooper, Belleville; grand finside sentinel, J. Breen, Windsor; grand outside sentinel, J. Sanders, London; representative to Sovereign London; representative to Sovereign Grand Lodge, S. R. Law, Guelph.

DAUGHTERS OF REBEKAH. The ninth annual meeting of the Daughters of Rebekah took place at the I. O. O. F. hall, College and Yonge streets, when an address of welcome was given by Ald. Graham, Mayor Shaw being absent. The chair was occupied by the president, Mrs. Bull, who residented the delegates from all over welcomed the delegates from all over Ontario. Mrs. Frank Smith, district grand deputy, gave an address upon the benefits of the lodge. The annual reports of the lodge were read by the president and the grand secretary. The degree of Rebekah elected offi-Mr. Batchelder outlined the objects cers as follows: President, Sister N. Ackland, Brockville; vice-president, Sister Bascomb, Galt; warden, Sister N. Harvey, Deseronto; secretary, Sister Waddell (re-elected); treasurer, Sister N. Dodson, Chatham (re-elected). Following the usual custom, the following nominations for next year tions were received: President, Sister Bascomb; vice - president,

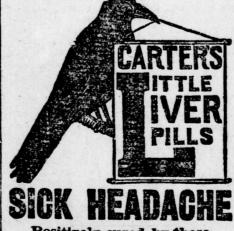
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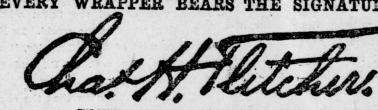
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A New Canadian Transcontinental Railway.

A new Canadian transcontinental railway has been gradually taking shape, but whether with conscious design or not, even the members of the Government did not profess to know, when the topic was discussed in the House of Commons. The work has been carried on quietly; a piece of road has been built here and a piece there, until now there is the distinct outline of a railway spanning nearly the whole continent. Some, including the Toronto Globe, affirm that these links belong to the one chain. The scheme begins with the Booth railway, from Ottawa to Parry Sound. The next section is the projected Rainy River Railway, from Fort William to Winnipeg, for which liberal subsidies have been granted by the Dominion, the Ontario, and the Manitoba Governments. From Winnipeg the railroad-the Canada Northern-is already built and in successful operation as far as the Swan River district, in Northwestern Man-Stoba. A subsidy has just been granted for an extension from Swan River, 100 miles westward, to Prince Albert. on the Saskatchewan River. From Prince Albert to Edmonton, 300 miles west, there is a gap, but a subsidy has been given in aid of a spur from Edmonton, 50 miles westward, which will carry the new railway almost to the foot of the Rockies. Permission has also been given to occupy the Yellowhead Pass, through the Rockies, and it is said to be the intention to ultimateby extend the line into British Columbia | book studies and imparting zest and

along the valley of the Upper Fraser, through the rich Cariboo mining district, to Fort Simpson, on the Pacific coast. Fort Simpson is a magnificent natural harbor, the first in Canadian territory, below the disputed Alaska

It is expected that within two years half of this new transcontinental railway will be built. The remaining gaps will be filled in as circumstances allow. The route in the Northwest and British Columbia varies from 200 to 500 miles north of the C. P. R., and will run through the fertile valley of the Saskatchewan, one of the finest wheatproducing areas in the world. In New Ontario, west of Lake Superior, it will run south of the C. P. R., and traverse the rich mining district.

It is a relief to know that the country will pay no such appalling price for the new railway as it paid for the C. P. R. The land, the heritage of future millions, will not be alienated to a corporation. The Rainy River is the most heavily subsidized section, receiving \$6,400 a mile in addition to provincial grants. The extension to Prince Albert and the spur from Edmonton westward are subsidized at the normal rate of \$3,200 per mile. But the Government will exact services to the extent of 3 per cent per annum on the amount of these advances. Under these terms the subsidies are not gifts, but loans. More than this, the Government, profiting by experience, have retained a large measure of control over the subsidized portions. They have reserved running rights for other railways, and the power to fix the rates. They have also decreed that these new systems shall not amalgamate or combine with any other, or enter into an arrangement to pool receipts. The intention is to prevent the new lines becoming absorbed by, or feeders of, the C. P. R. It is desirable that if there is another transcontinental route it shall be of a competitive character, and the Government have done all that they technically can do to assure this end. The public interests have been consulted as never

London and the Old Boys. The International Association of London Old Boys formed on Monday night, will, if plans are realized, mean much for London in a practical, as well as a sentimental sense.

The movement may be the germ of this, the prettiest of all Canadian cities. Officers of the Chicago branch of the association predict that from one or two thousand Chicagoans will visit London next year. If the sentiment is equally vigorous among London Old Boys in other places, the reunion will grow to great proportions. The city should, and doubtless will rise to the situation by providing entertainment on a sufficiently handsome scale-varied, too, to suit different tastes. A regatta, a band tournament, a saengerfest, or other elaborate attractions might be included in the programme. The presence of thousands in London at these annual reunions, would, like the Western Fair, be a splendid advertisement for the city, and a source of immense enjoy-

ment to the citizens and visitors alike. It is a capital and original idea, this Old Boys' gathering, and it is one that should be developed.

Manual Training in the Schools.

During his last visit to England, Prof. Robertson spent some time in studying manual training in the schools. The training is chiefly in woodwork; occasionally in iron work. To quote Prof. Robertson:

"The object is not the turning out of boys with a trade, but the education of the boys in natural ways through training them to use their hands skillfully. The most marked results are the habits of accuracy, close attention to the work in hand, self reliance and thoroughness which are formed. Her Majesty's inspectors unanimously report that more progress is made in all the book subjects where manual training is part of the course, and also that the work in book subjects is of better quality. The development of manual training in schools, instead of exclusive bookish and theoretical studies im pressed me most favorably and deeply as being capable of application Canada, with far-reaching and lasting benefit to the country."

A great many people confound manual training with technical education. They are different things, though manual training is the proper basis for the other. The idea of manual training is not to drill a boy in a trade or handicraft, but to teach him to use his hands skillfully so that he can turn this facility to account in any occupation in which he may afterwards engage. Physiologists tell us that this training, to be effective, must be commenced when the boy is young, as the motor nerves begin to lose their pliancy after the age of 16 or there abouts. Educationists lay great stress not so much on the physical as the mental value of manual training. Besides affording the pupil a relief from

novelty to school routine, it cultivates habits of alertness, accuracy and orderly arrangement, and develops the powers of original suggestion. Technical education grounds the pupil in some special branch of mechanics or applied science; a preliminary manual training enables him to bring to this technical course an intelligence and a definess of hand which aid him in the advanced work, particularly in the practical features.

There is no doubt that manual training will, in the near future, be grafted on the regular school system of Ontario. This has been done already in some States of the Union, notably Massachusetts. Ontario cannot lag behind in the race of industrial develop-

Reports from Manitoba say the harvest is great, but the laborers are few

Even Oom Paul's fron nerve would have trembled could he have heard the Canadian Senate singing "God Save the Queen," after passing the anti-Transvaal resolution.

It is probably the salvation of Dreyfus that the present court-martial is sitting in public. The brutal animus of the president of the court is so evident that if the trial were secret the infamy of the last one might be re-

A German has invented artificial coal and says 94 per cent of the substance is common earth. Common earth is too valuable in this fine agricultural district to be turned into fuel. The invention may give Hamilton a chance to get rid of the land wart, which they call a mountain there.

The British naval maneuvers demonstrate that a convoy of food ships from Canada can elude a hostile fleet and reach Great Britain in safety. This is very satisfactory. As the hostile fleet in this case was a British one, there is not much chance of a foreign foe ever doing the trick.

A negro of American citizenship has been brutally assaulted by a Boer policeman, who mistook the negro for a Kaffir. The Washington Government will ask reparation, and, if necessary, will send warships to Delagoa Bay to enforce the demand, and avenge the outraged honor of the great American nation. If the same negro, equally innocent, had been lynched in the United States, the outraged honor of the great American nation would be hard to find with a microscope.

Ambassador Choate Insinuates that Sir Wilfrid Laurier's speech on the boundary question was an election dodge. Lord Strathcona, the Canadian High Commissioner, takes Mr. Choate sharply to task. The latter is judging Canada by the American standard of politics. President Cleveland and Pres ident Harrison considered tail-pulling essential to a second term, and President McKinley is now afraid to do justice to Canada, because arbitration would offend the cities on the Pacific coast, and injure the Republican ticket. By the way, Mr. Choate hasn't learned the diplomat's first lesson keeping his mouth shut on contentious

What Others Say.

There Are Others.

[Ottawa Journal.] His worship the mayor seems to talk first and think afterwards.

Understands His Business. [Pittsburg Dispatch.]

Sir Julian Pauncefote's elevation to the peerage is an indication that the English government appreciates a man who may not talk much, but also abstains from writing indiscreet letters, and attends to his business, doing what the slang of the day describes as "getting next.'

The Old Boys

[Toronto Telegram.] These excursions of "Old Boys" and others resident in Toronto to the homes of long ago illustrates the enduring strength of the ties which join the city to many thriving communities in Ontario. Time cannot blot out the associations which join the city's "Old Boys" to the villages by the memories of the past, and the new boys of the villages to the city by the hopes for

Manual Training.

the future.

[Hamilton Herald.] The subject of technical education in connection with high schools might better be left in abeyance for a while, The best way is to begin at the beginning, and introduce manual training in the primary schools. But it is encouraging to know that the deputy minister of education so heartily and unequivocally indorses the general principle that manual training is an important factor in education.

A People's Church.

A "people's church" has been started in Baltimore, the meetings taking place in the Lyceum Theater. The audiences are reported to be large. The Outlook says that the church is organized to reach the floating classes of people who would be more likely to be reached by a theater meeting than by the usual There is no formal creed, but instead a "bond of union." which is as follows: "We believe in

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EARLY CLOSING-We close Wednesday afternoon, sharp at 1 o'clock. Kindly make your purchases in the forenoon and assist in the early closing movement.

Last Thursday inaugurated our semi-annual discount sale, and to say it has been a success would be putting it mildly. Every department in the house has felt the effect of the discounts, which means a big saving to the customer, when you consider our regular closs prices, and then take 25 or 121/2 per cent off every dollar for seasonable goods that are wanted RIGHT NOW. Everything in the following list will be found exactly as advertised:

MID-SUMMER SPECIALS.

Boot and Shoe Dept.

Lot No. 1-50 pairs Women's Chocolate turn-sole, leather lined, new shape, Oxford Shoes, all sizes, regular price 75c a pair, DISCOUNT SALE ON-EIGHTH OFF.

Lot No. 2-73 pairs Women's Dongola, turn soles, kid toe caps and cloth top patent toe caps, Oxford Shoes, regular price 95c and \$1, DIS-COUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER

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Lot No. 4-106 pairs Women's Oxford

Shoes, Dongola M. S., patent tip, Dongola extension, sole and turn sole, and Chocolate Trilby Shoes, newest shapes, regular \$1 25, DIS-COUNT SALE ONE-EIGHTH OFF. Lot. No. 5-23 pairs Women's Nice Kid and Dongola Oxford Shoes, pointed toes, sizes 2½ to 4½, regular \$2, DISCOUNT SALE ONE-HALF OFF. Lot. No. 6-64 pairs Women's Chocolate and Dongola Oxford Shoes, fancy vesting tops, turn soles, newest

shapes, regular price \$2. DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF. Lot No. 7-38 pairs Women's Chocolate Dongola, Laced and Button Boots, regular price \$2 25, DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF.

Dress Goods Department

10 Pieces Figured Lustre and Satin Cloths, in black only, 42 inches wide, regular price 25c a yard. SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-EIGHTH

Pieces Striped Crepon, black only, 46 inches wide, bright, new goods, regular 50c a yard. SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-EIGHTH OFF. 10 Pieces Fancy Figured and Striped Dress Goods (Priestley's black), regular price 75c, 85c and \$1 a yard, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF.

Pieces only 46-inch Black Henrietta, satin finish, regular price 60c a yard, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-EIGHTH OFF. Pieces 42-inch Black Serge, heavy

twill, regular price 25c a yard, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-EIGHTH OFF. Pieces 44-inch Black Coating Serge, fine even twill, regular price 40c a yard, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-EIGHTH OFF.

25 Dress Lengths, 51/2 to 7 yards each, including fancy blacks and black crepons, prices range from \$1 to \$3 50 a yard, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF.

over our personal freedom or religious

child, I suppose you mean?" said the one else has the slightest authority

Light and Shade.

Askington-Poor Gabbleby doesn't appear to have any too much sense, Grimshaw-No: his lack of brains seems almost inexhaustible.

Miss Maud-Do you understand the language of flowers, Benson? Benson-No, Miss, an' I hopes you don't neither, for I know what they're sayin' at bein' picked in that way .-Brooklyn Life.

Be noble and the nobleness that lies In other men, sleeping, but never dead Will rise in majesty to meet thine

Then wilt thou see it gleam in many Then will pure light around thy path be shed And thou wilt nevermore be sad and

-James Russell Lowell.

"Goodness! We'll miss the opera," she said, impatiently. waiting a good many minutes for that mother of mine." "Hours, I should say," he replied,

somewhat acrimoniously. "Ours?" cried she, rapturously. "Oh! George, this is so sudden." fell upon his neck .- Standard and Catholic Times.

"Are you a native of this parish?" asked the sheriff of a man called to testify in a case of distilling. 'Maistly, yer honor," was the reply. "I mean, were you born in this par-

"No, yer honor, I wasna born in this

GEO. HURDIS

Writes from Carleton Place, Ont. that Laxa-Liver Pills have made her "smart and healthy."

Most of the misery and ill-health that humanity is burdened with arise from disorders of Stomach, Liver and Bowels. If you're feeling out of sorts, have bilious spells, headaches, sour stomach, heart-burn, water brash, bad taste in the mouth, coated tongue, sallow or muddy complexion—are troubled with dyspepsia or constipation, you feel that life's not worth living, take a few doses of Laxa-Liver

Pills and note the change. The tongue gets clean, the breath sweet, the headache ceases, the complexion clears up, the dyspepsia vanishes, the constipation is cured—everything in

life takes on a brighter aspect. Hear what Mrs. Geo. Hurdis, Carleton Place, Ont., says: "I have used Laxa-Liver Pills for serious Liver Complaint and they did me a world of good. I don't know how much to praise them, as I verily believe from the condition I was in that they saved me from an early grave and made me smart and healthy.

Suit and Skirt Depart- Staple Dept-Prints, Musment

All Print Wrappers at 75c, \$1, \$1 25, \$1 75 and \$2. DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF.

only Linen Crash Skirts, regular \$1 25. SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF. All White Pique Skirts at \$1, \$1 75, \$2 50 and \$3 50. ONE-QUARTER OFF.

only New Blue Covert Cloth Suit, jacket lined with black satin, skirt with linenette, and velvet-faced, regular price, \$30. DISCOUNT regular price, \$30. I SALE ONE-THIRD OFF. only Navy Blue Ladies' Cloth Suit,

jacket lined with cardinal satin, skirt with cord sateen, regular price \$30. DISCOUNT SALE PRICE ONE-THIRD OFF. New Brown Covert Suit, lined

with brown silk throughout, velvet faced, regular price \$35. DISCOUNT SALE PRICE ONE-HALF OFF. only Bronze Covert Suit, lined throughout with mercerized sateen

regular price \$20. DISCOUNT SALE PRICE ONE-THIRD OFF. only Blue Twill Coating Serge Skirt, lined with linenette and velvet-faced,

price \$15. DISCOUNT SALE ONE-THIRD OFF.

Discount Sale of Silks

ONE-QUARTER OFF - This lot includes Colored and Black Bengaline, at 75c and \$1 a yard.

Fancy Blouse Silks, at 69c, \$1, \$1 45 and \$1 65 a yard. DIS-COUNT SALE ONE-QUAR-TER OFF.

Special Bargains in High-class Silks during this sale.

Hosiery and Glove Department

Very Special-Ladies' 4-Button White Chamois Driving Gloves, colored stitching, regular price, \$1, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER

-Clasp Black, Tan and Terra Cotta Kid Glover, regular. 89c a pair, all Sizes, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF.

ammot's Celebrated 3-Clasp Kid Gloves, in cream, white and pearl gray, price \$1, DISCOUNT SALE ONE-EIGHTH OFF. dozen only Black 4-Button Kid Gloves, best \$1 goods, sizes 5%, 6 and 614 only, DISCOUNT SALE

PRICE, per pair, 49c. the Fatherhood of God, the Sonship of parish, but I'm maistly a native for a Jesus Christ and the brotherhood Man. We believe Jesus Christ to be "You came here when you were supreme, and we also believe that no

sheriff. "No, sir; I'm here just about six

Then how do you come to be mostly a native of this parish?" "Weel, ye see, when I cam' here, sax years syne. I just weighed eight stane, an' I'm fully seventeen stane noo; sae ve see, aboot nine stane o' me belongs to this parish, an' I maun be maistly

Mr. George Sanders, sen., has been appointed postmaster of Erin village, in room of Mr. Robert Wood, resigned. Rev. Joshua Roberts, pastor of Oxford Street Baptist Church, Woodstock, has resigned, and will take a trip to

"Prof." T. C. Stuart, a patent medicine vendor, was fined \$25 and costs at Thedford on Monday for illegally practicing medicine.

T. W. Walley, of Dundas, has purchased the Arthur Enterprise, and Mr. M C O'Donnell, the former proprietor, publishes his valedictory this week. Ingersoll town council has refused a franchise to the American syndicate of the streets of the town for the proposed electric road from Woodstock. Detectives have been spending the past couple of days in Thedford investigating a clue to the Fuller bank robbery. There is at present a fair prospect of bringing the crime home

to the guilty parties. The Guelph Pavement Company have got the contract for the laying of 16,-000 feet of cement walks in Renfrew. The Guelph Pavement Company have at the present time men employed at Brampton, Mount Forest, Oshawa and Aylmer, in putting down walks.

Effle May, wife of Fred C. Elliott, of Port Rowen, and daughter of Frank W. Nixon, of Ingersoll, died at the residence of her father Monday morning. Mrs. Elliott had been a sufferer for some months past from tumors, and a short time ago she submitted to an operation.

A lady bicyclist in Brantford is alleged to have written to the newspapers complaining of having been summoned for riding on the city sidewalks. The letter insinuated that a fund was thus being gathered to give the police commissioners a holiday. Police Magistrate Woodyatt fined her

The G. T. R. station at Northwood few miles from Chatham, was broken into on Monday night and robbed. The thieves got only \$6 in cash and some postage stamps at the station, but they later paid a visit to the residence of A. W. Legallais, and carried off some silverware, dishes and provisions.

The large frame barns belonging to H. P. Welford, who lives on the 2nd concession of Blandford, were burned to the ground on Saturday night. All the season's crops were destroyed, to gether with three horses, six head of cattle, a number of hogs and chickens. The flames spread so quickly that it was absolutely impossible to save anything.

Word was received in Woodstock on Monday announcing the death in Maritzburg. Natal, South Africa, of Major W. G. Boyes, at one time a well known citizen of Woodstock. Letters were received by Mr. John Millman and

lin, Ginghams, etc.

Scotch and Fancy Ginghams, in plaids and stripes, regular price 8c, 10c, 121/2c and 15c. SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-EIGHTH OFF.

Fine Scotch Ginghams and Zephyrs,

20c, 25c, 30c and 35c yard, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF. Fancy Dress Muslins, including all the finest French Organdles, at 8c, 10c 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c and 45c a yard, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-

QUARTER OFF. 1,000 Yards Fancy Ginghams, regular price 121/2c a yard, during the sale

200 White Honeycomb Quilts, regular price \$1 25 each, special 79c. 50 White Honeycomb Quilts, extra size regular price \$1 50, during the sale,

each. 95c. Pieces 62-inch Unbleached Table

Linen, pure flax, our regular price 45c a yard, DISCOUNT SALE ONE-EIGHTH OFF. Pieces Only Bleached Table Linen,

64 inches wide, regular price 69c a yard, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-EIGHTH OFF. Pieces Only Bleached Table Linen, 68 inches wide, regular price \$1 25 a

yard, during the sale 98c.
Bleached Tablecloths, sizes 8x4, regular price \$1, \$1 25, \$1 60 and \$2 each,
SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF.
II Ends of Bleached and Unbleached
Table Linens at reduced prices
during the Special Sale.

Millinery Department Hats, Flowers, Trimmings, etc., all at special prices during the sale.

Smallwares, Laces, Ribbons, etc.

One lot, White and Cream Lace, 1 to 6 inches wide, including Valenciennes, Torchon, Oriental, etc., regular 5c to

25c a yard, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF.
One lot of Colored and Black Veiling. spots and plain, regular 15c, 20c and 25c a yard, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ON-QUARTER OFF.

n assorted lot of Ladies' Handkerchiefs, plain and fancy edges, regular 10c, 15c, 20c, 30c and 40c each, SPE-CIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-

QUARTER OFF. Special lot of Toilet Soaps, Glycerine, Lana Oil, Buttermilk, etc., DIS-COUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER

One lot of Shirt Waist Sets and Belt SPECIAL DISCOUNT Buckles. SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF.

Mr. James Scarff from members the family. Deceased was taken ill on June 18 with internal paralysis, and his death ensued on July 4. He was

about 70 years of age. Capt. Aldred, Windsor, got up during the night for a drink of water. He stumbled and fell down the entire flight of steep stairs. The noise of the fall awakened members of the family, who found him lying unconscious at the foot of the stairs. Although no bones were broken, Aldred was severely cut and bruised and injured internally. It was several hours before the injured man regained consciousness. Capt. Aldred is 71 years old, and for over 30 years was captain of the Grand Trunk transfer Great West-

CONFIRMED BY MR. TUTTLE.

A Brantford Man Testifies That Dodd's Kidney Pills Will Cure Permanently.

Brantford, Aug. 7 .- R. S. Tuttle, proprietor of the American Hotel here, received a letter lately from a Toronto centleman, asking whether his cure of Bright's Disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills had been permanent or not. It seems the writer is especially interested in Kidney Diseases, and their cure, was anxious to ascertain if Dodd's Kidney Pills cured these complaints permanently.

Mr. Tuttle's reply read as follows: Brantford, May 31, 1899. Dear Sir,-Yours of the 25th received and in reply would say that Dodd's Kidney Pills have done me any amount of good. The cure has been entirely satisfactory. Yours truly, R. S. TUTPLE.

Mr. Tuttle had Bright's Disease for six years, and used five boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Threshers' Supplies, English Oak-Tanned Leather Belting, Endless Rubber Belting, Rubber Belting, all sizes in stock, Deering Binder Twine,

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LONDON ONTARIO

THE MARKETS.

Mining Stocks. Toronto, Aug. 8.—Following are to-day's closing quotations on the Toronto Mining and Industrial change: Bid.

 Colden Star
 47%

 Olive
 85

 Sawbill
 24

 Superior G. and C. Co 27 1/2 Cariboo 121 Minnehana 22 Waterloo 22 Waterloo. 9 Cariboo Hydraulic 152
 Smuggler
 2

 Fontenoy
 17

 Oid Ironsides
 110

 Krob Hill
 96

 Toronto and Western
 107

 Athabase
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 3116 Two Friends.
Wonderful Group. ice A..... | Alice A | Bright | Northern Belle..... Novelty.... St. Paul. Silver Bell Con.....
 Virginia
 25

 Victory-Triumph
 7

 War Eagle Con
 361½
 White Bear. 4
B. C. Gold Fields 41/2 Can. G. F. S.... Morrison..... Winnipeg.....

MORNING SALES—Waterloo, 500, 500 at 8½. Dardanelles, 500, 1.500 at 13½; 500 at 13½. Van Anda, 5,009, 5,000, 500 at 40½. Golden Star, 300 at 48. Deer Trail, 500 at 25.

AFTERNOON SALES—Olive, 500 at 78. Fontenoy, 1,000, 1,000, 500 at 16. Dardanelles, 500, 500 at 13½. Rambler-Cariboo, 500 at 31½. Van Anda, 500, 500 at 10½. Silver Bell, 500, 500 at 3½. Golden Star, 500 at 47½; 500 at 47½.

HAMILTON'S SEED STORE

IS THE PLACE TO BUY BINDER TWINE.

Local Market.

A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT. London, Wednesday, Aug. 9.

Wheat, new, per bu63c to 66c Wheat, red, per bu67c to 69c Wheat, spring, per bu69c to 70c Oats, per bu321/4c to 33c Rye, per bu56c to 56c

WEEKLY REVIEW.

Wheat deliveries continue light, and prices show no signs of any improve ment; the outside markets decline almost every day, and this market follows at a distance, the light receipts being the only feature prevents it responding more rapidly. New wheat has become a common sight; the average sample is of fairly good quality. Prices close about steady for old and 3c lower for new.

The demand for oats was good, and some days much greater than the sup-On these occasions prices were forced up considerable. At today's session very few offered, and the demand was light; the only buyers being commission men, who wanted them for private parties. Sales ranged from 93c to 98c for the week. 98c being the price today; only one load offered. No business was done in any other kind of grain.

Hay sales were made at \$6 50 to \$8. the latter price being realized at Tuesday's session, receipts were only moderate, and the demand good. Live hogs displayed a stronger tone

all week; before the close \$4 75 was paid for choice. Dressed hogs were steady, and wool

unchanged. Quotations:

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Corn per 100 lbs	75	0	75
Barley, per 100 bs	85	60	1 00
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Beans, per bu	75	@	80
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		0	12
VEGETABLES		200	
Potatoes, new, por bu	90	æ	1 25
Squash, each	10	10	25
Tuentpa, new per doz	25	24	30
Vegetable Marrow, par doz	50	0	75
Gram Corn, per doz	6	(1	10
Green peas, per quart	10	63	13
Beans, per peck.	40	0	50
Cabbage, per dox.	25	(0)	50
Cauliflowers, per doz	75	0	1 00
Celery, per dozea	40	0	50
Cucumbers, per doz	15	a	25
Radishes, per doz. bunches	15	(0)	20
Lettuce, per doz. bunches	15	0	20
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Onions, per doz bunches	20	@	20
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Beets, per dez bunches	15	0	29
Butter, pound rolls, backets	19	0	20
Butter. lb, large rolls or crocks	18		19
Butter, per lb, rotail	21	(4)	22
Lara, per lb	9	@	10
Lard, per lb. LIVE STOCK.			
Beef, per 10	3	@	4
Hogs, light, per 100 ips 4	60	@	4 75
Pigs, young, per pair 2	50	a	4 00
Sows, per 100 lbs 3		0	3 50
Ducks, per pair	60	a	70
Spring ducks, per pair	90	à	1 00
Spring ducks, per pair Chickens, spring, per pair	40	a	65
Hens, per pair	40	a	55
True patrician	10		00

HAY AND SEEDS MEAT, HIDES, ETC. Beef, per lb. Beef, per lb.

Mutton, quarters, per lb.....

Veal, quarters, per lb..... Lamb, quarter 9
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Dressed hogs, 100 lbs, light 6 15
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Sheep Pelts.
Lambskins
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St. Thomas Market St. Thomas, Aug. 7.-Wheat, old, per bu; 70c; wheat, new, 65c; oats, new, 30c; oats, old, 32c to 35c; peas, 50c to 60c; barley, 35c to 40c; rye, 50c; corn, 45c to 50c; beans, 70c; flaxseed, per cwt, \$2 45

Oil Markets PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 9.—Oil opened and closed today at \$1 27.
PETROLIA. Aug. 9.—Oil open— and closed at \$1 45.
OIL CITY, Aug. 8.—Credit balances, \$1 27; sertificates, \$1 23% bid for cash.

English Markets.

Buling prices for the past four market days-

WHEAT-	A	ug. 2.		ug. 3.	A	ug. 4.	1	ug. 8.
Red Winter	3	8	5	8	5	7	5	736
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July		0	0		0	0	0	ō
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New	3	314	3	314	3	334	3	3¾
Old	3	1	3	4	3	414	3	41%
July	0	ō	Ó	0	0	0	0	0
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heese, white			45	0	13	0	45	6
Cheese, colored	10	6	15	6	15	6	46	0

American Markets.

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.-The weak cash situation and a sharp drop in foreign markets pushed wheat to a new low level today, September cosing weak, at %c to %c decline from yesterday. Corn was steaded by good shipping inquiry, and closed slightly higher. Oats closed irregular, a shade lower to 1/3c higher. Provisions declined sharply; closed 71/2c to 121/2c net lower. Opening prices for September wheat showed a decline of 1/3c to 4/c from yesterday. September starting at 68% c to 68% c, and that proved to be the high point of the 11%c per lb, dressed weight; refrigeraday. Interest in the market, which has tor beef is firm, at 9%c per lb. been slack for several days, was, if possible, even duller than yesterday, and the market for the greater part of the session kept within a range of %c. The weakness at the start was due to a decline at Liverpool of %d since Friday. It was apparently the prevailing opinion that it was a hopeless task to attempt to bull the market while there is so little demand for wheat abroad, and what little buying was done was against puts, to which price (1/2c to 5/c) the market declined shortly after the opening. Broomhall's figures of the European visible indicated a large increase, and was a bearish feature of the morning's trading Bradstreet's figures, however, showed a decrease of 1,267,000 bu, and for a time this steadied the market, causing a rally in September, which had in the meantime declined to 68%c, to about 68%c to 68%c, but no substantial support was forthcoming, and prices soon sagged again. New York reported sales of ten boat loads. Not a bushel was placed from here. Northwest receipts were 190 cars, against 296 last week, and 49 a year ago. Chicago receipts were 116 cars. 12 of contract grade. Atlantic port clearances amounted to 370,000 bu. A slightly better feeling developed near the close, shorts being fair buyers at the bottom, and the market rallied slightly cleared. the market rallied slightly, closing at 68½c to 68%c.

The leading future; closed as follows: Wheat

No. 2, Sept., 63%c to 68%c: Dec., 70%c; May.
71%c. Corn—No. 2, Sept., 30%c; Oct., 28%c to
13%c; May. 23%c. Oats—No. 2 Sept., 19%c to
13%c: Dec., 19%c; May. 21%c. Pork—Sept.,
88 36; Oct., 88 40. Lard—Sept., \$5 27%; Oct.,
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88 36; Oct., 88 40. Lard—Sept., \$6 21%c; No. 2 red.,
69%c to 70c: No. 2 corn, 32c; No. 2 oats, 20c to
20%c; No. 3 white, 21%c to 24c; No. 2 red.,
69%c to 70c: No. 2 corn, 32c; No. 2 oats, 20c to
20%c; No. 3 white, 21%c to 24c; No. 2 rye, 53c;
No. 2 barley. 34c to 35c; No. 1 flaxseed, 99c;
Northwest, 31 09%; prime timothy seed, \$2 40;
mess pork, 37 60 to \$3 35; lard. \$5 10 to \$5 25;
short rib sides, loose, \$4 80 to \$5 15; dry salted
shoulders, boxed, 5%c to 5%c; short clear
sides, boxed, \$540 to \$5 46; sugars, cut loaf,
86 62; granulated, \$5 50; clover, contract grade,
86 30 to \$3 35; eggs, firm, fresh, 12%c.
RECEIPTS—Flour, 17,000 bbls; wheat, 73,000
bushels: corn, 357,000 bushels, oats, 587,000 bushels.
SHIPMENTS—Flour, 8,000 bbls; wheat, 4,000 bushels; barley, 5,000 bushels: oats, 463,000
bushels; barley, 5,000 bushels.
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68%c to 68%c; May, 74%c to 74%c; Dec., 71%c. Corn Sept., 30%c to 31c; Dec., 28%c to 28%c; May, 29%c. Oats, Dec., 19%c; Sept., 19%c to 19%c. Pork, Oct., \$8 40. Lard, Oct., \$5 32%; Jan., \$5 45. Ribs, Sept., \$5 62%; Oct., \$5 07%.

AVAILABLE SUPPLY. New York, Aug. 8.—Special caldes and telegraphic advices to Bradstreet's show the following changes in available supplies as compared with the last account: Wheat-United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increase 533,000 bushels; Liverpool Corn Trade News reports affoat for and in Europe, decrease 1,800,000 bushels—total decrease, 1,267,000 bushels. Corn—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decrease, 1,700,000 bushels. Oats-United States and Canada, east of the

Rockies, increase, 994,000 bushels. The Dairy Markets.

LINDSAY, Aug. 8,-Victoria county cheese board mot here yesterday. The buyers present were: Whitton, representing Watkins, of Belleville; Fitz-Rollins, of Bremon & Son, Belleville, and Mr. Flavelle, of Lindsay. One terday at the family residence, 755 five boxes were boarded; Mr. Rollins of 71 years. About a year ago deceastock 600 at 10%; Mr. Fitzgerald, 500 at ed suffered a paralytic stroke, and the 10%c; Mr. Whitton, 475 at 10%c, and second stroke yesterday proved fatal. Mr. Flavelle, 131 at 10%c. The next sale Mr. Mulligan was for 25 years an enwill be held on Aug. 28.

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INGERSOLL, Ont., Aug. 8.—Offerings, 1.040 boxes; no sales; 9%c bid;

gineer on the G. T. R. Latterly he had been street commissioner for the east end. The funeral will take place salesmen holding for higher prices. NEW YORK, Aug. 8.-Butter firm; western factory, 11c to 14½c; do, creamery, 15½c to 18½c; do, creamery, 15½c to 18½c; do, do, creamery, 15½c to 18½c. The services will be held, and thence to the Catholic cemetery. Four daughters—Mrs. Margaret Dwyer, and Misses Aggle, Mary and Rose Mulligan, of this city, and Rose Mulligan, of this do, creamery, 151/2c to 181/2c. Cheese quiet; large white and colored, 94c to 94c; small do, 94c.

16c. Cheese firm, at 9c to 10c. CAMPBELLFORD, Ont., Aug. 8.—At the cheese meeting held here today

there were 1,564 boxes boarded. Cook bought 320 at 101-16c; Watkins, 185 at Cook 10 1-16c; Rollins, 125 at 10 1-16c; Rollins, 100 at 915-16c; balance unsold. Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 8 .-Cattle-There were no fresh sale cattle, and about the usual Tuesday inquiry, which was about steady; the calf market was steady and unchanged. Sheep and lambs-The offerings were light-only three loads, two of which were left over; not enough on sale to affect the market; prices ruled un-changed. Hogs—The market was somewhat slow, and the offering moderate—19 loads; heavy hogs ad at \$4.75 to \$4.80; heavy grassers quotable at \$4 70; mixed, \$4 85 to \$4 90; Yorkers, \$4 90 to \$4 95; grass Yorkers, \$4 80; pigs, \$4 90 and slow, there being only a few sold, and not many here; the close was easy.

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—The demand for cattle today was better than is usual on Tuesday, and prices were firm for nearly all classes; good to fancy, \$5 40 to \$6 10; common grades, \$4 60 to \$5 35; stockers and feeders, \$3 25 to \$4 80; bulls, cows and heifers, \$2 25 to \$5 15; bulls, cows and heifers, \$2 25 to \$5 15; the EUMS, ALLAYS all PAIN; CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for Texas steers, \$3 90 to \$4 50; calves, \$4 to \$7 10. Calves were in active demand. Offerings of hogs were large, but the demand was good and prices on Tuesday, and prices were firm for but the demand was good and prices steady; heavy hogs sold at \$4 to \$4 65; mixed, \$4 35 to \$4 75; pigs sold at \$3 50 to \$4 74, and culls, \$2 to \$4. Offerings of sheep and lambs were somewhat light, and with an active demand prices took an upward turn; sheep sold at \$2 25 to \$3 25 for culls, up to \$4 50 to \$4 75 for good to choice wethers; lambs sold at \$3 50 to \$4 25 for culls, up to \$6 40 to \$6 50 for choice grades. Receipts—Cattle, 2,500; hogs, 21,000; cheep, 10,000.

TORONTO, Aug. 8.—Receipts—Fifty-five loads of cattle, 1.784 sheep and lambs, 1,960 hogs, and 25 calves. Export cattle—A number of sales were

The following table shows the quotations per central at Liverpool for the three previous somewhat at variance; one choice lot market days. In the case of wheat highest prices are given.

Aug. Aug. Aug. Aug. Aug. The demand was not good, and nothers somewhat higher. Butchers' cattle—The demand was not good, and nothers were wanted. ing but the best grades were wanted; one choice lot brought \$4 per cwt, but that could not be taken as a standard. Sheep and lambs—The market was good, prices remaining about the same, with a slight inclination to raise. Export sheep brought as high as \$3 80 per cwt, but the prevailing price was \$3.75 per cwt. Hogs—An unusually large shipment was received, but notwithstanding that the prices raised slightly, first quality bacon hogs sold for \$5.50 per cwt, and light bacon hogs for \$4.75 per cwt.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—Beeves—Receipts, 856; nothing doing; feeling steady; no later cables. Exports, 8. cattle and 5,500 quarters of beef; to-morrow 810 cattle and 4,460 quarters. Calves-Receipts, 19; steady; veals, \$5 to \$7; grassers and buttermilks nomin-Sheep and lambs-Receipts, 5,004; 26 cars on sale; steady for both sheep and lambs; two cars lambs unsold; sheep, \$3 25 to \$4 50; choice wethers, \$5; lambs, \$5 to \$7; culls, \$4 to \$4 25. Hogs—Receipts, 2,105; no sales before change; nominally steady, at \$4 90 to

OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, Aug. 8.—At Liverpool and here prices for cattle are no better. American steers are quoted at 10%c to

Arrangements Completed for a Tremendous Demonstration in This City.

One Thousand Visitors From Hamilton Labor Organizations to Take Part-Woodstock, Ingersoll and St. Thomas Also in Line.

The Trades and Labor Council met last night to make arrangements for the celebration of Labor Day, Monday, Sept. 4. The day will be celebrated in London this year on a tremendous scale. Large delegations will be present to take part in the celebration from the trades and labor organizations of Hamilton, Woodstock, Ingersoll and St. Thomas. The Hamilton contingent alone will be over 1,000 strong. The visitors will arrive by special train at 10 a.m. They will be met at the railway station by a local reception committee and a parade will be formed to Queen's Park. The visiting delegations will lead the way, followed by the local organizations in the following

FIRST DIVISION.

Carriage and wagon workers, painters and decorators, tailors, stonecut-ters, cigarmakers, machinists, bakers confectioners, general teamsters, iron moulders.

SECOND DIVISION.

Grocery clerks, street railway employes, printers, coopers, railroad teamsters, garment workers, metal polishers, platers, buffers and brass workers, boiler makers and stove mounters. THIRD DIVISION.

Shoe workers, bricklayers and masons, Industrial Brotherhood, including building laborers and draymen; railroad brotherhoods, including telegraphers, conductors, engineers, firemen, trainmen and trackmen; coal employes. amalgamated engineers, amalgamated carpenters and hackmen. There will also be five bands in the parade and innumerable floats. A splendid programme of sports, to be held at Queen's Park, has already been prepared.

Obituary

Mr. Patrick Mulligan, an old and eszerald, of Hodgson Bros., Montreal, teemed resident of this city, died yesthousand, seven hundred and eighty- King street east, at the advanced age tomorrow from the family residence, at 9 a.m., to St. Peter's Cathedral, where city—and one son, Mr. John Mulligan, of Petrolia, survive. Mrs. Mulligan 9½c; small do, 9½c.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Butter firm; gan was born in county Monaghan, creameries, 13½c to 18c; dairies, 12c to Canada since 1853, previous to which he lived on Canandaigua, N. Y.

MRS. CHARLES DAVIDSON. One of London's oldest residents died yesterday in the person of Mrs. Chas. Davidson, aged 88 years. Mrs. Davidson had resided in this city for over 60 years. She was a native of Inverness-shire, and came to Canada early in the thirties with her husband, died some years ago. Deceased lived on Dufferin avenue with her two daughters, Mrs. McDonald and Mrs. Roe. She was a member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

MRS. THOMAS A. PARKINSON. The death occurred this morning of Lily Kershaw, wife of Thomas A. Parkinson, the well-known stove dealer, on Richmond street. The deceased was 32 years of age, and had suffered for some time with lung trouble. Mr. Parkinson and four children survive. The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon from the family residence, 197 Grey street.

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Hosiery.

Wonderful bargains in Ladies' and Children's Hosiery. SPECIALS—Fine Cashmere Hose, 25c; worth 35c per pair. Fine Maco Two-Thread Silk-Finished Hose, 4 pairs for 50c; worth 20c per pair.



Twenty-Second Annual Convention for Ontario at Niagara Falls.

Dr. Oronhyatckha Answered Many Questions-Women To Be Admitted to the High Court.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Aug. 9.-The 22nd annual communication of the High Court of Ontario, Independent Order of Foresters, opened yesterday in the town hall, Niagara Falls, Ont. The following officers were present: H. C. R., W. R. Hickey, Bothwell; P. H. C. R., A. H. Buckus, Aylmer; H. V. C. R., been making several alterations around Rev. J. H. Courtney, Port Stanley; H. S., Frank E. McConmick, St. Thomas; H. T., Rev. Evans Davis, London; H. Physician, J. M. Cameron, Galt; H. Counselor, J. H. Porter, Simcoe; H. Auditor, C. H. Merryfield, Monkton, and W. L. Wilkinson, Niagara Falls; H. Chaplain, Rev. J. C. Farthing, of Woodstock; H. J. S. R. A. Harrington. Chatham; H. S. W., H. C. McBride, London; H. J. W., R. D. Cameron, Lucknow; H. S. B., Charles Kollon, Windsor; H. J. B., Harry Hoar, Atwood; H. Marshal, A. Almas, Sarnia; H. Conductor, H. E. Simpson, Niagara Falls; H. Messenger, James R. Dickinson, Orwell; H. Assistant Messenger, James Dunlop, Bealton.

Supreme Chief Ranger Oronhyatekha obligated the newcomers, and instructed them in the secret work of the high court degree.

After the committees had retired to carry out the work assigned to them, and there being no particular business before the meeting the supreme chief ranger, Dr. Oronhyatekha was called on to address the members, and answer any questions they might see fit The venerable chief kindly acquiesced

and thanked the brethren for the warm reception given him. He urged that while waiting for the reports of the officers, the meeting should resolve itself into a social affair, and talk over in a general way the work of the order He said the new rates are exactly where they should be, and he would not, under any circumstances, like to see the old rates renewed.

William Nichols, London, asked why the extension of the order tax was brought into force in the face of the fact that such a large surplus existed. The supreme chief ranger stated that owing to the necessity of supplying revenues given up at the request of the government, and also to make up for losses sustained through enforced reductions in its charters, and interest on accumulated fund, it was found necessary to create a new capitation tax whereby the order would be kept in the foreground, the membership tended and the rate of mortality kept down. He contended that every cent received from this tax would be spent in the extension of the order, and in making it the talk of the insurance men of the world. Regarding supplies he informed the meeting that enough revenue was received from this source to pay all salaries. He said the new rates were solid, sound, and could be depended upon.

The rest of the afternoon up to 5 o'clock was taken up by the members asking questions of a minor nature, and the supreme chief ranger was kept busy dealing out answers, giving apparent satisfaction to all. REPORT ON CONSTITUTION AND

LAWS. Bro. Davidson, of Stratford, submit-

ted the report of the constitution and laws committee. One was to the effect that the code of bylaws for the use of the high court-clauses 302 to 311 of the constitution and adopted at its last session—should form the basis of a code of bylaws for this court, should be revised and made to harmonize therewith, and further that the members of the high standing committee be the committee of revision thereof, and that the same, after having secured the supreme chief ranger's sanction, be printed in a suitable form for distribution and reference. Other clauses approved of the financial ac-tions of the supreme court and should be readily acquiesced in and loyally defended by every member of the order. Approval was also given to the action of the supreme court in substituting the recording secretary for court deputy in handling the official corespondence.

NEW BUSINESS. The report of the committee on new business asked in the first clause to

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bow to the action of the supreme court and approve of the legislation of the supreme court. Clause 1 approved of the action of the supreme court in ad-mitting women to the order. Clause 2 did not favor their being represented

in this high court. Bro. Peebles, of Hamilton, moved an amendment approving of the ladies being represented therein.

Considerable discussion here took

place, and on the vote being taken there was a majority for Peebles' amendment. Court then adjourned till Wednesday morning.

ILDERTON.

Ilderton, Aug. 8.-The quarterly meeting of Birr circuit was held in Ilderton Methodist Church Sunday last, when Rev. Mr. Cousens, pastor of the circuit, preached an eloquent sermon. Rev. A. Rhodes, of the Episcopal Church, preached the annual sermon of the A. O. U. W. on Sunday evening. Squire Wm. Patrick is making preparations to become one of the residents of Ilderton. He is repairing one of his houses by enlarging it, and making a

brick veneer of it. Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Mason, of Muncey, will preach in Ilderton Methodist Church on Sunday, Aug. 13, in the interests of the Women's Missionary Society. Rev. Mr. Mason will preach at 10:30 a.m., and Mrs. Mason will take the evening service at 7 p.m. Mr. John Martin went to Toronto to-

day to attend the I. O. O. F. convention, which is in session. Mr. and Mrs. John Paisley, of Ilderton, visited friends in Caradoc and Strathroy last week.

Miss Court, of London, is the guest of Miss Rost Clatworthy. Mrs. John McDonald and daughters, Misses Minnie and Maggie, took in the excursion to Kincardine last week; also Miss Flossie Clatworthy, Mrs. John Paisley, and daughter, Mrs. Catter-mole, accompanied them. Messrs. Paisley and Cattermole have

their homes, which gives them a very Mr. and Mrs. Cattermole and a number of village people have taken in the excursion to Port Stanley today.

Mrs. Dunsford, of Exeter, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Knight, of Ilderton. The harvest is nearly a thing of the past, and threshing is the order of the

The yield of grain is not as large as many farmers expected, but Capt. T. E. Robson has come to the front in this, as well as in stock-raising. Messrs. Lipsett and Robson threshed for him last Saturday and his wheat yielded 45 bushels to the acre of good clean wheat. Who can beat this?

Robson Bros. shipped thirteen head of their thoroughbred stock to attend the principal fairs of the Western States. Miss Emma J. Cattermole is spend-

ing her holidays with friends in Chatham, Windsor and Detroit. Mr. John McDonald is beautifying his house by a coat of paint.

YOUTH OF 19 DIES OF TREMENS. Jackson, Mich., Aug. 9.-John Cubaged only 19, died yesterday of delirium tremens. For the past few years he was quite an odd chap and hung about saloons, and the tremens was the end.

WEST INDIAN CYCLONE. Havana, Cuba, Aug. 9.—The weather bureau here has warned all stations in Cuba, as well as Kingston, Jamaica, that telegraphic communication is cut off east of Cuba. The hurricane center is apparently approaching Porto Rico, and will probably pass north of that

A CYCLONE'S WORK.

Port de France, Island of Martinique, Aug. 9.-A cyclone struck the town of La Point-a-Pitrie, Island of Guadeloupe, on Monday. The disturbance lasted until 4 p.m. A number of houses had their roofs blown off and were flooded and demolished, but no fatalities were recorded. Twenty-three flat boats and fishing boats were sunk in the harbor, in addition to schooners, two small steamboats and another steamer, the Hirondelle, which were wrecked at other points. At Saintes two schooners were sunk. COLORED MASONS AT CLEVELAND

Cleveland, Aug. 9.—The next meeting of the grand council of Scottish Rite Colored Masons will be held in Washington in August of next year. The report of the secretary shows that 80 temples are working under the jurisdiction of the grand council. Committees were appoitned to select a location for a Masonic home, and to arrange for a national temple. The blue lodge, representing the different grand lodges in the United States, met today. eral questions of interest to the order were discussed and papers read.

Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

Forest wen from the London Asylum Club yesterday by an inning and 55 runs. Goldsmith 36, Bluett 24, and Boddy 106 (not out) were the chief scorers for Forest.

LIFE SAVED .- Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me: I certainly believe it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me good

MAPLES AND ELMS

Joseph Meehan Tells How to Grow Them From Seed.

A correspondent wrote me recently, asking if it was advisable for him to sow sugar maple seeds in the spring, as he had 15 acres of land he would like to cover with sugar maple trees. I wrote him that it would be useless to sow the seed in spring if it had been kept in a dry condition, but if it had been in damp soil all winter, if only slightly damp, it might then be sown with reasonable chance of its growing. But as stated before in these columns, it is not wise on the part of amateurs to attempt the raising of tree seedlings unless it be of sorts which grow readily from seed, as it is not at all the same thing as raising vegetable or flower plants. It is much more satisfactory to obtain a lot of seedlings and set them out where wanted. A 15-acre let planted with seedlings two or three feet in height, and kept cultivated for a few years, would make a surprising growth. Cultivation is necessary, that no weeds take the food the trees should have. In this way a young forest of almost any kind of tree could be had in a short space of time. In this way nurserymen bring on acres of shade trees in a few years, and it is just as easy for farmers to de the same thing. There are but very few cases where it would not be very much more satisfactory to set out bought seedlings than to attempt the raising of the plants at home.

There are a few trees which ripen their seeds in early summer, and among them some that farmers might like to sow. The white maple, red birch, red maple and all elms ripen very soon after flowering, and if sown at once make fair plants the same season. The white maple treated in this way will make plants of two or three feet high the same season in favorable times. But neither this nor the red maple is of much value in the way of timber, not as much as elms are. The way to sow these seeds is to secure them as soon as they fall from the trees and sow them in convenient beds, from which they may be transplanted in a year or two, when of proper height. Beds four feet wide are of convenient size, permitting of the pulling out of weeds and the watching of seedlings as they grow. The seeds are to be covered to about their own depth; and if all goes well they appear above ground almost at once. A somewhat singular fact is that if these seeds are kept till fall and sowed then, with other seeds at the usual time, rarely do any of them grow. Fresh white maple seeds grow so readily that it is quite feasible to sow a few seeds in squares, much as corn is often sown. two or three seeds be sown together the would certainly be one plant to a hill, and if more come, the strongest one only should be left. There is some danger of missing altogether here and there under this plan, but on the other hand the young trees that do start do not receive the slight check which those do that have to be transplanted. There is much interest in watching the growth of seedlings, and this should lead many to collect and sow these seeds, aside from what there may be attached to it in the way of profit. -Practical Farmer.

Shying in Herses.

The vice of shying is one of the most annoying and dangerous, and many farmers cannot understand why horses shy in the first place, and why it is so difficult to break them of this evil and dangerous habit. They do not stop to reflect that shying is simply a revival of an old habit essential to the very existence of the horse when it ran wild on desert or plain. Every horse from coltbood up was obliged to be on the look. out for an enemy. Were it not for its speed the horse would be almost as defenceless as a sheep. The only reasonable way to break a horse of this habit is to require it to stop whenever it shies and let it see that there is nothing to be afraid of. Man himself is not much afraid of anything he clearly sees and understands. It is the unknown, the mysterious, that which comes suddenly and takes us unawares of which we stand in fear .- Rural World.

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Toronto Stock Market.	
TORONTO, A	
Ask.	Off
Montreal	264
Ontario	133
Toronto	236
Merehants	168
Commerce	151
Imperial	216%
Deminion	265
Standa	191
Hamilton	193
British America	12534
Western Assurance 164	1621/2
Consumers' Gas	231
Montreal Gas	203
Dominion Telegraph	130
Northwest Land Company, prof. 53	51
Canada Pacific Ry. Stock 97%	975/8
Commercial Cable Company185%	184 %
Commercial Coupon Bonds105	104
Com. Registered Bonds105	104
Bell Telephone Company192	190
Richelieu and Ontario110	1091/2
Montreal Street Railway	115%
Toronto Street Railway116	176
London Street Railway	118
London Electric112	75
Dominion Savings and Invest	180
Huron and Eric L. and S	100
Huron and Krie, 20 per cent	66
London and Canada L. and A 70	00

Montreal Stock Market. MONTREAL, Aug. 9. Canadian Pacific...... 97%
 Canadian Pacific
 97%

 Duluth, common
 6%

 Duluth, preferred
 15

 Commercial Cable
 186

 Com. Cable Coupon Bonds
 186

 Commercial Reg Bonds
 172

 Montreal Telegraph
 172

 Richelieu and Ontario
 111

 Montreal Street Railway
 324

 Montreal Street Railway, new
 325

 Toronto Railway
 116

 Montreal Gas Company
 295

 Bell Telephone
 195

 Royal Blectric
 179

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 Ontario Bank

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Marchants' Bank 172 206 Quebec Bank..... New York Stocks.

Reported by F. H. Rutler, 15 and 16 Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser. New York, Aug 9.

Yesterday's				
Close.		High.	Low. 1	p.m.
Atcheson 2034	2014	203/4	2014	20%
Atcheson Pfd 6234	63	6334	63	633%
N.Y. Gas 17834	178	180	178	178%
Brooklyn Tran115%	11476	1153%	11434	1153%
Canada Pacific				
C., B. & Q13614	13634	13714	13614	1871/8
C. & N W 160%	161	161%	161	16138
Chicago Gas 120%	1205%	120%	1203/8	1203/8
Gen. Electric 124	124	125	124	125
Jersey Central 118%	11816	118%	1181/2	11834
K. & T., Pfd 3616	363/8	36%	3638	36%
L. & N 7416	74%	7136	741/4	74%
Manhattan118	118	11834	118	118
Metropolitan St 209%	210%	211	209 1/2	20934
Mo. P 4834	4814	4834	484	48%
N. Y. Central 138%	1383%	1301/4	1383%	13914
Northern Pacific 78%	787	1301/4	78	78
Ont. & Western. 2636	26%	261/2	261/4	2638
P. M 47	47	47	4676	4676
R. I1181/	118%	118%	1184	118%
Reading 60%	60%	6114	605%	61%
St. Paul 13155	131 36	132	131 1/2	131 7/8
Southern Ry, Pfd 52	52	521/8	52	521/3
7. C. I 79	79	79	7834	79
U. Pacific 7634	771/2	78	171/2	7734
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English Markets.

Liverpool, Aug. 9—Closing.
Wheat—Spot, firm; spot No. 1 Cal., 5s
4d to 6s 2d; No. 2 red western, winter, steady,
6s 6d; No. 1 red northern spring, steady, 5s
16d; spot No. 1 red northern, Duluth, steady,

6 10d.

Corn—Spot, American mixed new, quiet,
a 3½d; do, old, steady, 3s 4d; futures, steady;
lept., 3s 3½d; Oct., 3s 4½d; Nov., 3s 4½d.

Plour—St. Louis fancy winter, dull, 7s 9d.
Peas—Western, 5s 10½d. Canadian, 5s 9d.
Beet—Steady; prime mess, 55s; extra India
ness steady, 60s.

Beef—Steady: prime mess, 55s; extra India mess, steady, 60s.

Pork—Firm; prime mess, fine western, 55s; do. medium. western, 42s 6d.

Hams—Short cut. 14 to 16 lbs., firm, 53s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut. 28 to 30 lbs., firm, 34s; short ribs, 18 to 20 lbs, firm, 31s 6d; long clear middles, light, 80 to 36 lbs, steady, 30s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, steady, 30s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, firm 29s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 23s 6d.

Bhoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 29s.
Lard—American refined, in pails, steady, 28s 2d; prime western, in tierces, steady, 27s 6d.

Cheese—American finest white, firm, 45s 6d; colored, firm, 46s; do, old, firm, 46s 6d; ordinary, new, 43s 6d.

colored, firm, 46s; do, old, firm, 60s of; ordinary, new, 43s 6d.

Butter—Finest American, 90c; good, 68s.

Tallow—Prime city, firm, 23s 6d; Australian,
London, steady, 25e 3d.
Cottoneed oil—Hull refined, nothing quoted.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast), nominal, £4

10s to £4 16s.

Turpentine spirits—Strong, 36s 6d.
Rosin—Common, steady, 4s.
Petroleum—Refined, 6½a.
Linseed oil—22s 9d.

Chicago Exchange. CHICAGO, Ang. 9.

Fellowing are the fluctuations on the Chicago

Oct.... 5 07 Puts 68% Calls 69%. American Markets. NEW YORK, Aug. 9.-Flour-Recelpts, 16,334 bbls; sales, 3,000 pkgs; state and western steadier, but quiet.

Rye flour easy; sales, 150 bbls; good to fair, \$2 90 to \$3 10; choice to fancy, \$3 15 to \$3 30. Wheat-Receipts, 50,900; sales, 750,000; options opened firm on cables and small Northwest receipts being sustained all the forenoon by covering; May, 79%c to 74%c; Sept., 74%c to 74 7-16c; Dec., 76 13-16c to 77c. Rye dull; state, 55c; No. 2 western, 59%c, f.o.b., afloat, spot. Corn—Receipts, 167,700; sales, 15,000; options stronger on talk of hot weather and small interior offerings; Sept., 37c to 371/c. Oats-Receipts, 539,200; options quiet; track, white state and western, 26c to 35c. Butter-Receipts, 2,907 pkgs; strong. Cheese-Receipts, 5,209; dull; large white and colored, 94c to 94c; small white, 94c; small colored, 94c to 94c. Eggs-Recelpts, 7,833 pkgs; firm. Sugar—Raw firm; refined quiet, but firm. Coffee steady. Hops quiet. Lead quiet; bullion price, \$4 35; exchange price, \$4 55 to \$4 60. Potatoes steady.

Live Stock Markets. CHICAGO, Aug. 9.—Hogs—Estimated receipts today, 25,000; left over, 5,552; ed receipts today, 25,000; left over, 5,302; market still steady to strong for light; packers lower; mixed and butchers, \$4 35 to \$4 75; good heavy, \$4 45 to \$4 65; rough heavy, \$4 to \$4 25; light, \$4 50 to \$4 90. Cattle—Receipts, 15,000; market strong; heaves, \$4 50 to \$6. market strong; beeves, \$4 50 to \$6; cows and heifers, \$2 25 to \$5 10; Texas steers, \$3 75 to \$5 20; stockers and feeders, \$3 50 to \$4 80.

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Latest Probabilities

Toronto, Aug. 9-10 a.m.-Probabilities for the lower lakes region for the next 24 hours. Moderate to fresh easterly to southerly winds: fine today. Showers or thunderstorms in many localities on Thursday.

-Miss Sarah and Master Gordon Walton, of Montreal, are visiting relatives in this city. -Mrs. Oliver Leslie and Miss Bessie

Leslie left yesterday on a two weeks' trip down the St. Lawrence. -About twenty members of the London Old Boys Association of Chicago, attended the I. B. S. picnic yesterday. -Mr. E. A. Wells, of Galt, who has been spending a few days here renewing acquaintances, returned home yes-

—Miss Jennie Steele, of the London Conservatory of Music staff, will leave tomorrow on a holiday trip to Montreal and Quebec.

—Dr. O. M. George and Mrs. George of Bellows Falls, Vermont, who have been visiting Mrs. Geo. Scott, King street, have returned to their home. -The fire department were called to two grass fires this morning—one on Piccadilly street and the other on Ed-

ward street, South London. No damage. -Mr. Gilbert Boston, of Hastings, and Miss Bina Boston, of Villiskey, Ia., have returned to their homes after making a five weeks' visit with Gov. Robert Boston, city, and Hon. George W. Ross, Toronto.

Guest of Mrs. W. Spence, of 13 Napier | namentations. Mrs. Spence will remain in London about two weeks before leaving for Stratford and Toronto, where she will visit relatives and friends.

-During the past two days City Engineer Graydon has accompanied Manager Carr over the street railway route to point out where grading is to be done on the roadbed, for the condition of which the street railway company is responsible. Mr. Carr promised to have men put to work at once. -In the absence of the president

Mrs. Wright, the W. C. T. U. meeting was in charge of Mrs. Heaman. Practical consecration was the subject for the educational half hour, and a very excellent paper on "Consecration," was given by Mrs. Douglas, and was listened to with interest and profit. POLICE COURT.

Meredith Grass was charged with assault by his wife, Isabelle Grass, at the police court this morning. Mrs. Grass said every time he came home he would ill-use her. Grass was bound over to keep the peace in \$200 security. A couple of drunks were discharged. TEACHERS' CONVENTION.

The annual teachers' convention of the Sisters of St. Joseph is in progress. The programme includes lectures by Mr. R. M. Graham, principal of the London Model School, and Mr. W. M. Althouse, principal of Rectory street school. Mr. Graham will deal with the following topics: "The Elements of the Science of Education," "The Functional Activities Involved

Learning the Psychology of Number,"
"The Psychological and Logical Nature of Arithmetical Operations," "The Corelation of Studies," "The Value of Literature Methods in English." The subjects upon which Mr. Althouse will lecture are: "Will Training as a Basis for Moral Culture, and Its Relation to Discipline and Self-Government," "Methods in History, Geography and Drawing" The convention will last three days.

COMMISSIONERS INACTIVE

Mr. John Bowen, a London "Old Boy of Chicago, Kept Waiting - Hs Presses His Complaint Against P.O. Robinson.

Messrs. J. S. Lively and J. Bowen, two London "Old Boys" of Chicago, waited upon Mayor Wilson this morning to urge immediate action on the part of the authorities regarding Mr. Bowen's complaint that he was assaulted by a city policeman on Satur-

day night without cause. A meeting of the police commission ers would be held shortly, the mayo said. Mr. Bowen would have returned home two days ago but for the inactivity of the commissioners. It is understood from the mayor that Mr. Bowen intends to bring the matter before the United States consul unless something is done at once. It is alleged that P. C. Robinson struck Mr. Bowen with his baton when the po-lice attacked the crowd on Dundas street Saturday night.

The little Waldensian Church of the Alps counts 16 congregations; it maintains a missionary establishment of 160 churches in other parts of the world. Only one man in 203 is over six feet

LEFT IN THE LURCH NOT

Success of the Santo Domingo Revolutionists

Gen. Pachico Desert Their Commander.

Cape Haytien, Hayti, Aug. 9. - Gen. Francisco Lyrano, sent from Monte Christi by the Dominican Government to attack Gen. Ramon Pachico at Dajabon, the headquarters of the revolutionists, was abandoned, when he arrived in front of the enemy, by his troops, who, without firing a shot, deserted and entered the camp of Gen.

The advanced posts of the latter are at Las Aguas, and the revolutionists are masters of the fords across the River Yaque, thus cutting off communication between Monte Christi and the

The forces of Don Juan Isidro Jiminez, leader of the revolution, are being augmented every day, and the news from all parts of the Dominican Repub-He is favorable to him.

NEW THEATER FOR LONDON

The Old Music Hall Will Be Replaced by a Handsome, Up-to-Date Theater.

The old Music Hall on Dundas street is no more. Its place has been taken by one of the prettiest theaters in Canada. The whole interior of the building has been reconstructed. Steel girders and stanchions have replaced the old wooden supports. Even the walls have been changed. The old new ones put in. The ceiling has been raised and a gallery built.

The new stage is 55 feet by 30 feet, with a 45-foot gridiron. It is being most liberally equipped with the handsomest scenery obtainable. Mr. Henry Drolshagen, of Detroit, who has painted the scenes for many of the leading theaters in American cities, is engaged on the work. The arrangements for sceneshifting are of the most modern type. Instead of the scenes sliding back in the wings, they glide smoothly and noise-lessly away up out of sight. The dropcurtain will be an exquisite pastoral scene, executed in Mr. Drolshagen's best manner.

The dressing-rooms, of which there are ten, are most convenient, and are separated from the theater by fireproof doors, walls and ceilings.

The new theater will have a seating capacity for 1,200 people. So perfectly have the plans been prepared, that the entire stage is visible from any seat in the house. The chairs will be similar to those in the Auditorium. The balcony and the gallary, which are built in horseshoe form, have very graceful curves. The theater will be decorated with staff and relief works. The walls will be done in cream and terra cotta on rough plaster. The boxes, of which -Mrs. H. E. Spence, of Lafayette, Ind., wife of a former Londoner, is the green and carmine red, with gold or-

The ground floor slopes gradually from the rear, and is unbroken by steps. It will be divided by three aisles. The entire building will be lighted by electricity. One of its best features ts the perfect ventilation. The air will be kept fresh and sweet in all parts of the house. The theater is being built by Alexander Harvey. Moore & Henry are the architects. It will be ready to open the season early in September.

JUMPED THE TRACK

Run-Off on the Canadian Atlantic Road -Two Lives Lost.

[Special to The Advertiser per C. P. R.] Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 9.-The Canada Atlantic fast train which should have arrived here at noon today jumped the track at St. Polycarpe Junction. Fireman George McCuaige and a second-class passenger, whose name cannot be ascertained, were killed. Another report says seven are killed and ten wounded.

LATE SPORTING

Meeting of the Canadian League-London's Players May Be Reserved,

MAY RESERVE PRESENT PLAY-ERS. A meeting of the Canadian League

magnates was held in Hamilton last evening. Secretary Sheere, of the Londons, was in attendance. The sole business of the meeting was to arrange for next year's work, and it was decided to put up the necessary protection for a four-club league, to be composed of Hamilton, London, Guelph and Woodstock clubs, so that present players may be reserved. The arrange-ment as to the number of clubs in the league and the places represented is subject to change. Blastern League Standing.

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[Special to The Advertiser per C.P.R.] Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 9.-The privileges and elections committee reported to the house today the West Huron election case. It was received without comment. The report merely submits the evidence, the case being incom-

Government Troops Sent to Attack Mr. Chamberlain So Describes the Transvaal Situation.

> British Predominance Menaced by the Action of the Transvaal.

French Fishing Boat Fired on by a British War Vessel, and the Helmsman Killed-Significant Movemen of European Troops in China.

London, Aug. 9.—Replying to various questions in the House of Commons today, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain said no official confirmation had been received of the report that the Transvaal had declined to agree to a joint injuiry into the effect which the franchise reforms will have on the uitlanders. Several regiments, he added, were about to be dispatched to South Africa for the defense of Natal, in response to the request of the Natal Government, and preparation was being made for all contingencies.

Later, replying to Mr. T. P. O'Connor, Mr. Chamberlain deprecated a resumption of the debate on the Transvaal situation, which, he pointed out, while not serious.

STILL REMAINS DOUBTFUL. The colonial secretary added that he sincerely hoped that the report saying the inquiry proposals had been rejected was untrue. While he regretted the necessity of answering Mr. O'Connor, it would be a fatal mistake to allow the latter's views, that a war was entirewindows have been bricked up, and ly needless, and that the government ought to express willingness to wait may be 25 years, for a redressal of the grievances, of which they complained, to be considered. He added:

"The representative opinions of even the small minority in the House of Commons, or anything but the most Insignificant minority in the United Kingdom, on the government's policy, have been clearly expressed. We recognize the grievances of the uitlanders, and have said that these grievances are not merely themselves a serious cause for interposition, but are

A SOURCE OF DANGER to the whole of South Africa. We say our predominance is menaced by the action of the Transvaal in refusing to redress the grievances, or give consideration to requests hitherto put in the most moderate language of a suzerain power. We say that this state of things cannot be tolerated. We have put our hands to the plow, and won't draw back. With that statement, I propose to rest content."

FRENCH FISHING BOAT DIS-ABLED BY A BRITISH SHOT. Folkstone, England, Aug. 9.—The a satisfactory answer from the respectively. British torpedo gunboat Leda this ager, the men at once quit work. morning found a French fishing boat, the Etoile de Mer (Star of the Sea), belonging to Boulogne Sur Mer, fishing within the three-mile limit. The fishermen attempted to escape, and did not stop

when a blank shot was fired. The Leda then fired a shot which disabled the Etoile de Mer, and killed the latter's helmsman. fishing boat was afterwards towed to this port, with the body of the helmsman on her deck. The arrival of the Etoile de Mer here caused much excitement, where it is hoped the regretable incident will draw attention to the serious inroads made by foreign fishermen in British waters.

The British admiralty office express surprise at the fact that the fishing boat disregarded the Leda's signal to heave to, and in the absence of official report, they assume that the commander of the Leda only resorted to drastic measures when other means were ineffectual. The captain of the Etoile de Mer has been arrested.

CHINESE NEED CHECKING. Paris, Aug. 9.—The Politique Coloniale says: Owing to the serious Chinese attacks upon the French consul at Mong Tse, Governor-General Doumer has massed 2,000 European troops in readiness to occupy the town. Twelve hundred men have been landed on account of similar trouble at Kwang Chau. It is said that Gen. Doumer intends to resign unless the government acts decisively.

DELCAS MISSION A FAILURE. London, Aug. 9 .- The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Mail, telegraphing with reference to the mission of M. Theophile Delcasse, French min-ister of foreign affairs, who is now in the Russian capital, says: I learn from a good source that M. Delcasse, in his conferences with the Russian foreign minister, has failed in his endeavor to strengthen the Franco-Russian alliance by placing Russia's colonial policy on a basis of absolute solidarity with that of France. Count Muravieff approved and even urged a Franco-German rap-prochement. Nothing was arranged about the czar's visit to Paris during the exposition. M. Delcasse will not stop in Berlin on his way home.

THE DREYFUS COURT-MARTIAL. Rennes, Aug. 9.—The secret session of the Dreyfus court-martial today lasted from 6:30 a.m. until 11:45 a.m. Gen. Chanoine nearly completed his part of the explanation of the dossier. He will be heard tomorrow for about a couple of hours, and then M. Paleologue, of the foreign office, will take up the task, which, it is understood will be completed on Friday next. A public session, therefore, will take place Saturday morning. The dossier consists of about 400 documents, of which 50

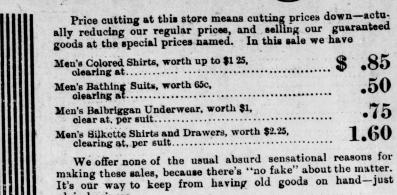
were disposed of yesterday. Several of the documents are written in German. During the proceedings today a German dictionary was sent for, and the correspondent of the As-sociated Press learns from a sure source that when certain words and expressions could not be exactly understood, even with the aid of the dictionary, Dreyfus, who is a perfect German scholar, volunteered a translation, and was allowed to give explanations, which were of valuable assistance to the members of the court. The precau-tionary police measures today were much more stringent than yesterday. .548 .548 .542 .505

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THE NEW YORK SUN'S TROUBLE

Printers Struck in Anticipation of a Lockout-The Cleveland Situation.

New York, Aug. 9 .- About 75 of the non-union men who came from Philadelphia to work on the Sun newspaper, started on their return to that city, their expenses being paid by Typo-graphical Union No. 6. With the exception of four, who are at work in the Sun office, the remainder of the 104 men who arrived are being cared for by the officers of "Big Six," who will give them "traveling cards," and in a few days will send them to their homes under the escort of a commit-

tee of union men. J. P. Farrell, president of the typographical union, gives these reasons for the strike: "The employes of the Sun quit work in anticipation of a lock-out, and they sent a committee to the office asking for a conference. The committee told Business Manager Paddock that it had evidence that a system was to be introduced which would practically oust all the union men from the Sun office, and demanded that he sign a contract that only members of the Allied Printing Trades' Council

should be employed. "To this Mr. Paddock replied: 'I am only an employe and have no power to make such a contract.' He also said that he had tried to reach Mr. Laffan, the publisher, on the telephone, but had failed."

"When the committee failed to get a satisfactory answer from the man-"We sent an agent to Philadelphia, and he found that a man of the name of Edwards, who signed himself 'sup-erintendent of printing,' had sent out circulars offering work to non-union men on the Sun. Edwards was concerned in the 'ratting' of the Tribune some years ago, and always turns up in emergencies like this."

COAL MINES CLOSED. Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 9.-The Fernier coal mines have been closed, owing to a strike among the drivers. The men's wages have been advanced during the past few months from \$1 50 to \$2 25, but they were not satisfied, but wanted \$2 50, which the company is unwilling to pay.

THE CLEVELAND STRIKE Cleveland Aug. 9.—The last company of militia left the city yesterday, the authorities having decided that there is no probability of any further trouble in connection with the street car strike. So far as the strike itself is concerned, there is not the slightest sign that it is any nearer a settlement today than when it was inaugurated. A Wade Park avenue electric car, of the Big Consolidated line, was blown up near the Euclid avenue barn at 1:30 this morning. The car was badly torn. The motorman was hurt. The trucks were blown from under the car. The single passenger on board was un-hurt. The perpetrators escaped.

MESSENGER BOYS QUIT. Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 8.-A number of Western Union messenger boys em-ployed in the downtown offices went out on strike for an increase of pay this morning.

PINKERTON TACTICS

Detectives Charged With Assaulting Union Men Who Determined to Quit Work.

New York, Aug. 9.-Mr. Farrell, an official of Typographical Union, No. 6, accompanied by A. J. Bertram, Thos. J. Lucas, Thomas H. Colombine and Max Langbart, appeared before Magistrate Braun, in the Center street police court today and asked for warrants for Business Manager Paddock, of the Sun, and several Pinkerton detectives, on the charge of assault.

The last four-named complainants are stereotypers, formerly employed by the Sun. They went to work Monday night, and determined to stop work last night. In the room where they quit work they allege were several Pinkerton detectives, who hustled them into an elevator, and upon reaching the lower for kicked and beat them. Lucas and that two of his teeth had been knocked out; Colombine had been beaten on the head and face, and Langbart had a bruise on the head. Magistrate Braun refused warrants, but said he would issue summonses. Two were issued, one for Paddock and one for John Doe.

THE ALMENTARY CANAL. Dr. Sir James Grant, of Ottawa, has been led, by his studies of the alimentary canal in its function of discharging the secretions of the various glands, to a high appreciation of the importance of its operations in connection with the elaborate and complex nervous system associated with it. It is reasonable, he believes, to suppose, that the activity of these nerves is injuriously affected brow
When first I kissed the teardrops to evidence of organic disease appears, and that, hence, want of care in the digestive process can not and noes not fail "to bring about results of a most telling character in the very process of sanguinification." Believing that irregularities of the digestive process in the alimentary canal are more frequent than is generally supposed he holds that "the internal sewage of the sys-

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tem" can not be too critically examined with a view of preventing the illeffect of toxic accumulations upon the nerve centers. "That the recently discovered neurones," he adds, "play an important part in the vitalizing of nerve energy is a reasonable deduction. A path is now open in which life, under ordinary circumstances, may be prolonged, provided no organic disease is

NEAR-BY PLACES

Detroit Free Press: John Powell's wife was granted a divorce July 25, and given the custody of her son, who is now 13 years old. Powell took the boy away to Strathroy, Ont., and left him there. Her father's story is that Powell came there Saturday and took the boy away, saying he was going to take him out for a walk. Instead, he is alleged to have spirited him away to Detroit, Mrs. Powell's father wired her and she went to Judge Donovan yesterday morning and told her story. The judge made an order for the sheriff to intervene, and Deputy Sam Stewart laid for Powell when he came over from Windsor, and took the boy away. Powell made a great howl when the deputy waylaid him, and wanted him to invoke the aid of the Queen and other British authorities, but calmed down on being told how dangerous it was to disobey the orders of the Wayne circuit court. He went back to the Canadian side without the boy.

THAMESFORD.

Thamesford, Aug. 8.-We are pleased to note that Mr. John Empey, teacher of school section No. 7, Lobo, has again shown his ability as a teacher by the fact that all his pupils were successful in their late examinations. He succeeded in passing five for public school leaving, three for entrance and a number for promotion.

Mr. Norman Black, of our school, is

passed twelve out of a class of fourteen. Earl Empey is rapidly recovering from his late sickness, having been out for the first time yesterday. Farmers are rapidly finishing their

also to be congratulated for having

harvest and some have commenced threshing. Rev. Dr. Smith, pastor of St. Andrew's Church, Thamesford, is expected to resume his duties as pastor on Sabbath next after three weeks' vacation spent in Montreal.

WESTMINSTER COUNCIL.

O'Dell's Hall, Aug. 1.-Westminster Township Council met pursuant to adjournment. All the members present. Minutes of last meeting read and sustained. Vernon Field was appointed pathmaster in place of Mr. Whetter, deceased. Mr. James Mills, sen., addresed the council regarding watercourse on Bostwick line, objecting to the course taken by Mr. Moore, township engineer. Mr. Moore then addresed the council regarding the above ditch and informed them that Mr. R. Mills had notified him not to proceed with said ditch. Bylaw No. 580 was read the third time and passed, fixing the rate at 5 mills on the dollar for county rate, township rate and statutory school grants. The whole council was as a committee appointed to meet at 9:30 a.m. on Aug. 12 to fix a price on the McKerlie side road between 12 and 13 from Commissioner's road to the river. Also to go to Byron on same date at 1:30 o'clock and to Chester street at 3 p.m. Next meeting of council first Tuesday in September. George

Riddell, clerk. The woman who really thanks a man for doing something never says a word; she just looks it.

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Miss Dillingham had it, and she had it severely. No other member of the family showed any trace of it. In fact, Miss Dillingham was a living exem-plification of the family tradition that one individual, and only one, in each generation was possessed of the Dil-lingham conscience. In her case, however, it might be more correct to say that the Dillingham conscience possessed her.

Her mother was disappointed and distressed when she saw the first indications that the family conscience was developing in her eldest daughter. She did her best to ward off the calamity, but to no purpose.
"If it had only been Almira instead

of Cornelia, I wouldn't care so much,' she complained; "but to think that the best-looking one of them all should be the one to have it-oh, dear! 'And now Cornelia will be prevented

by the conscience, and Almira by her plainness from making good matches. I don't believe either of them will marry at all; though there is a possibility that Almira may, Cornelia won't, I know."

"There was Great Uncle Richard," said Mr. Dillingham. "He had the con-science, and he married." But Cornelia is different. She never

will marry; she is a born old maid. And if Almira stays single, too! Just think of it! Two spinsters out of four girls! Isn't it dreadful!"

Cornelia's mother didn't know all the possibilities of the Dillingham conscience, and no one was more surprised than she when Cornelia became

engaged. She hardly comprehended the fact, and had doubts and misgivings up to the very day when Cornelia was actually married.

There had been two young men who wanted to marry Cornelia. Her mother would have preferred Robert Weston for a son-in-law, but as she could not be suited in everything, she was only too glad to see her daughter married to Willard Carter. She did not know, and neither did Cornelia, nor any of her friends, that Carter was by far the better man of the two.

For nearly a year Cornella and Willard seemed very happy together; then there began some vague, indifinable trouble. Williard would come home un-expectedly, to find Cornelia in tears, and she would make no explanation to

This made hime very unhappy, and as her spells of depression became more and more frequent, he began to have a care-worn and harrassed look. Finally, one evening, he told her she must tell him what was the trouble.
"But I can't," she protested, tear-

"Why not?" he demanded. "Don't you know what it is yourself?"

"Then for heaven's sake tell me, if you don't want me to go insane.' He thought that she was about to yield, when there came a ring at the door. With an impatient exclamation Willard answered the call, and Cornelia heard him greeting someone. "Why, Weston, old fellow, have you

got home? Come in." The two men had been friends in the old days. They shook hands cordially, and Willard led the way into the room where Cord lia sat. This was the first time she had seen her former admirer since her marriage, and she looked from him to her husband occasionally with an odd expression in her eyes.

When their caller had departed and Willard had come back from seeing him to the door, he found Cornelia crying, with her face buried in a sofa cushion. He cast a despairing glance at her, and went and stood beside her. After a few minutes she said, in a quiet voice:

"Willard, it makes me look like a fright to cry, so if you will turn down the lights I will tell you everything." When they were in the semi-darkness she asked him to come and sit

"About a year ago you married a Httle fool." she began, "and tonight, for the first time, she has had a glimmer of sense. It will take her a long time, even new, for her to get over her old feolishness, but I begin to have hopes of her.

"You have heard of the Dillingham conscience of course; but I have never told you how it worked in my case. All my life I have liked to do things because I didn't like to do them. That was my chief happiness. But as I grew older it got harder and harder: for I kept getting to like to do the

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things I did not like to do, and so, of course, I wouldn't like to do them any longer. Do you understand?"
"I think so," said Willard, quite

gravely.

"Well, it finally occurred to me that
if I married a man I did not like I would have something to do all my life that I would not like to do, in being nice to him."

She paused, and in the dusk put out her hand to find his. When she found it she held it tight. "When you came along, Willard, I

thought you were that man, but I made a big mistake. You were so kind and nice in every way that—I began to fall in love with you. And my abominable conscience made me miserable in consequence, for you see I was good to you then because I liked to be. I tried hard to see your faults, and some of your little ways which I thought I disliked gave me great comfort then. But it was no use. I began

to like them, too, pretty soon.
"But even then there was one thing which kept me up, and that is what I hate to tell you worst of all." She paused, then went on, slowly, "I must tell you, though, and you musn't mind it, for you know I was a little fool." She paused again, and seemed to find

"Well," she went on, desperately, "I thought all along I liked Mr. Weston better than you, and this made me feel happier a part of the time and wretched the rest. "But it grew worse and worse, be-

cause I didn't think of him much. Tonight when he came I was fgrightened at first-don't forget for a moment that I was a little fool-my horrid conscience said that if I found I did like him best I would be all right again; but I didn't want to like him. "When I saw him and heard him talk I wondered how I ever could have

cared for him. I looked at you and wondered still more. I know he is your friend, but I hope you will excuse my saying that I think he is odious and I can't bear the sight of

Wilard had been very quiet during the confession, but now he laughed. "Is that all?" she asked.

"Yes," she answered, that's all, and enough, too. Can you forgive me?" Willard put his arm around her and drew her close, and his silence was very eloquent.

But why were you crying when I came back into the room?" he asked a little later, when the lights were burning brightly.

She looked up to him, smiling. "Why," she said, "I was just shed-ing a few tears for the poor old Dillingham conscience-for it is dead, you

Dickens' Grave is Unmarked

The suggestion has been made that a monument to Charles Dickens should be erected in one of the public places of this city. It is not at all likely that the proposal, however warmly it might be supported by the English people, will ever be carried into effect, for any such scheme of perpetuation would be in direct oposition to the expressed wish of the great novelist, who desired by his work atone to live in the hearts of his countrymen. The will of Charles Dickens, from which the following lines are taken, very clearly expresses the master's

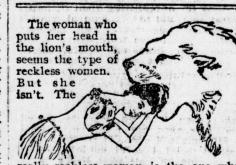
"I conjure my friends on no account to make me the subject of any monuor testimonial whatever. I rest my claims to the remembrance of my country upon my published works and to the remembrance of my friends upon their experience of me in addition thereto."

To this wish the members of the family have always given the strongest adherence, and have already discountenanced, and will continue to discourage, any attempt to set the provision of the will at naught.

Some few years ago Edwin Elwell, a gifted American sculptor, completed in marble a full-length portrait of the novelist, with little Nell looking upwards to the face of her creator. This charming group the sculptor offered to the London county council for erection in some suitable place in London, but owing to the attitude of the famwho out of respect to the wishes of the novelist, refused to countenance the movement, the offer was declined. these circumstances it is hardly probable that any memorial, at least of a public character, will be attempted.-London Mail.

ONE CONSOLATION. "They say young Folley has been wandering in his mind lately," said one

man to another. was the heartless reply. "from what I've seen and heard of him he's safe enough; he can't wander very



really reckless woman is the one who braves Nature day after day, by neglect of the health of the delicate womanly organs. "Crime and punishment blossom on one stem" savs Emerson. When the cycle of self-neglect is complete it includes the pains and sufferings which are the inevitable penalties inflicted by outraged Nature. The drain which today is counted an inconvenience, becomes in succeeding days a horrible and offensive stigma. The passing depression of an hour grows into a permanent mel-

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The 150th Anniversary of the Birth of Goethe Will Be Celebrated by Germans Everywhere the Wide World Over on August 28 Next-A Sketch of the Man.

One hundred and fifty years have passed since Goethe was born. Germans everywhere will celebrate the auspicious day which ushered in a new era in the world's literature, Aug. 28, 1749. The celebration will be one long to be remembered. A sketch of the man may be opportune at this time.

From the house at the Hirschgraben in Frankfors, where the cradie of the son of the old Reichsstadt stood, to the prince's mausoleum in Weimar, what a wonderfully rich career! After flery youth passed in luxury, but also under the destructiveness of passion, there was a quick turn into the course of orderly life, a phenomenal ascent to the highest honors of official life, to a high social position achieved through the friendship



of a genial prince. Goethe was never touched by the misery of life which gnawed at the genius of Schiller, and thus there grew beneath the peaceful shadow of the tall trees on the Ilm the Apollo who in youthful beauty had touched the golden harp to a Jupiter whose brows made the literary Olympus tremble. When he first appeared in Weimar Goethe was the favorite of the muses and graces, of the women and of the girls; even men enthused for him. For he was a child of fortune, just because he had the understanding to meet the fortune which met him. This period of wild abandon and material enjoyment passed by, but the yearnings of his heart which filled his life with light and sometimes with shadows remained with him to the end.

And what a blessing was to the aged poet the growing recognition of his contemporaries! What was the height be had reached in the world's literature! The devotion of his enthusiastic disciples, the admiration of the masses, the homage given him by the superior minds of other nations—has ever a poet's brow been crowned with richer laurels?

But it was not always thus, and Goethe's life, which in its totality appears so sunny and light, had its dark hours. the sanguine man, full of animal joy, had his hour when he wrote upon the walls of his forest retreat:

Die Voegel schweigen im Walder Warte nur, balde Ruhest Du auch!

The sunlight of fame did not always lighten his life, and in such shadowy hours he may have doubted his star. The growing of classicism is a dark mystery; there were epochs, and these of years' duration, when the nation did not believe in its poet. Goethe had with his "Goetz" and his "Werther" a success which made him a fashionable poet. But fashion is evanescent, and when the poet pursued different lines the nation would not follow him. Nearly all his masterpieces, which form the pedestal of his worldwide fame, are contained in the complete edition of his works published from 1786-90 in Leipsic, and it appears that this edition rested like lead upon contemporary literature, for Goethe himself

"The edition of my collected works fell into a period in which Germany knew no longer of me, nor wanted to know, and I think I can perceive that the publisher does not like the undertaking."

This dark epoch is flooded with the light which is now spread over Goethe's life. He himself wrote as late as 1823 to Eckermann:

"My books can never become popular; whoever thinks they can and strives for it is in error. They are not written for the masses, but for single individuals who want to achieve similar results."

But, at a closer scrutiny, one finds other shadows in Gothe's fortunate career. Sickness, anger over the petty annoyances with which Weimar society pursued him for years, particularly on account of his relations with Fraeulein Vulpius, wrath over the intrigues of his enemies, especially on the part of Kotzebue, and finally the loss of his only son.

On the other hand, the poet's joy was in his works, of which he himself says: They are not shadows which a dream

create: know they are eternal, for they are. Goethe as thinker and poet lived in nature. The mystery of vegetation was known to his penetrating view; he searched deeply into the origin of color; studied animal nature; even astronomy, with the fervent and ineatiable thirst for knowledge to which he has erected an indestructible monument in his "Faust." With his "Faust" the poet could say full well what in wonderful nature a kingdom had been given him and the power to feel and to enjoy it. Thus genuine and unadulterated nature in human life was open to his muse, and inasmuch as the "eternal womanly" is closest to nature be knew how to imbue his woman with unchangeable magic. His Gretchen, Claerchen and in a higher style his Iphigenia and all the numerous figures of women of his romances belong in the gallery of the world's literature to those creations that will never be equalled. His male figures, on the other hand, are often vacillating and weak characters, like Clavigo, Werther, Weislingen, or he made them the impersonation of the changing views he himself felt, like Tasso and Fanst.

Goethe differs from all other great writers, except perhaps Milton, in this respect, that his works cannot be understood without a knowledge of his life, says one of his biographers, and that his life is in itself a work of art, greater than any work which is created. This tenders a long and circumstantial biogra-

the poet seriously. At the same time he is so great that we are even now scarcely sufficiently removed from him to form a correct judgment of his place in literary

He is not only the greatest poet of Germany; he is one of the greatest poets of all ages. Posterity must decide his exact precedence in that small and chosen company which contains the names of Homer, Dante and Shakespeare. He was the apostle of self-culture. Always striving after objective truth, and sometimes attaining to it, he exhibited to the world every phase of his plastic mind in turn. and taught both by precept and example the husbandry of the soul. The charge of selfishness so often brought against him cannot be maintained. His nature responded to ever influence of passing emotion. Like a delicate harp, it was silent if not touched, and yet gave its music to every wooing of the willful mind.

The charge of unsympathetic coldness roused the deep indignation of those who knew Goethe best. He learned by sad experience that the lesson of life is to renounce. Rather than cavil at his statuesque repose, one should learn to admire the self-conflict and self-command whichmolded the exuberance of his impulsive nature into monumental symmetry and proportion. His autobiography, "Wahrheit and Dichtung," has done him wrong. It is not the story of his life, but of his recollections. He needs no defense. nothing but sympathetic study. As Homer concentrated in himself the spirit of antiquity, Dante of the middle ages and Shakespeare of the renaissance, so Goeth is the representative of the modern spirit, the prophet of mankind under new circumstances and new conditions, the appointed teacher of ages yet unborn.

HOLDS CRICKET RECORD.

Fourteen-Year-Old Boy Has Beaten W. G. Grace's Historic Record With 628 Runs, Not Out.

A. E. J. Collins, 14 years old, has at last surpassed William G. Grace's historio record at cricket. Grace has long been reckoned the champion cricket player of the world. He is now 51 years old, and began playing good cricket in 1864. He



MASTER A. E. J. COLLINS.

that time. But he has never made a record equal to that of young Collins, and lovers of the game are firm in the belief that the lad's accomplishment will long stand unequalled. Young Collins is the orphan son of an East Indian civil cedented tally of 628 runs not out was made at a house match, but the record is regarded by Englishmen as authentic. In no way did his opponents neglect an op-



and endurance, his accurate batting and clever placing, frustrated all their attempts. Both Grace and Collins are of English birth, a circumstance which tends to console the Briton for the shattering of an idol. And the fact that the new champion is but a boy by no means embitters the disappointment felt by friends of Mr. Grace

Not a great while ago librarians and book lovers in general were discussing the deterioration in the quality of paper

Spontaneous Combustion Among Paper.

of late years. It is curious to learn from Her Majesty's Waste Paper Office that one result of the change of materials has been a decided increase in liability to are wherever paper waste is accumulated in any great quantity. It is the rarest thing to find paper made of rags nowasays. It is made from wood and other regetable materials which, chemically, ere not very different from the compon ant materials of a hayrick. If paper waste is stacked in large masses, and especially if it happens to be a little damp, heating takes place just as with prematurely stacked hayrick, and sponkneeds combustion may at any time break out in flame, as it has often been thown to do in the farmyard. Of late rears the greatest care and vigilance have been necessary to guard against this.

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At a recent South African banquet, ir Walter Hely-Hatchinson mentioned hat the monthly output of coal in Netal had increased from 12 000 tops in 1892 to 10,000 tons in 1898. He added as a notable face that on April 18 last the chips a Durbas Harbor loaded 1,000 tons of bal in the day.

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A DAIRY GLOSSARY

The Meaning To Be Attached to Certain Words in Dairy Journals.

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and other dairy papers have the following significance: Ration .- The total allowance of feed for 24 hours.

Digestible Natriments.-That portion of the organic matter which can be digested by the animal and does not pass off through the bowels as excrement. Protein.-That part of the digestible

nutriments which goes to the formation of lean meat, ligaments, hair, horns and the casein (or curd) of milk. It is generally believed, also, that protein may be, and many times is, converted into the fat found in milk. The basis of protein is nitrogen, hence the protein elements are frequently termed the nitrogenous parts of the food. They are also called albuminoids.

Carbohydrates. - That part of the digestible nutrients which is the primary source of sustaining animal heat and furnishing the power for keeping the animal mechanism in operation. They are composed of the woody fibre of the plant and grain, and the starch, sugar, gums, etc., and in the published tables of chemical analyses are usually subdivided into the terms crude fibre, which is the least digestible portion of feeding stuffs, and nitrogen free-extract, so-called because it does not contain any nitrogen.

Ether Extract .- That portion of the digestible nutrients which may be dissolved out of the food stuffs by ether. It has been the star performer in nearly all is frequently called crude fat. Whether the great English cricket elevens since fat is actually digested and thus passed on into the circulatory system in a changed form or whether it is simply separated from the other elements and always maintains it identity is an unsettled problem. It can be used by the animal for maintaining the body temperaservant, and just now is a student at ture, and for this purpose is from 2.2 to Clifton College in England. His unpre- 2.5 times more efficacious than the carbohydrates. It is maintained by some that the fat in the milk comes largely from the crude fat in the food, but it has been demonstrated that it is not apsolutely necessary for this pure pse.

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Riviere du Loup at 5:05 p.m., and Lattle Metis at 8:25 p.m.

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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Aug. 8, 8 p.m.-Pressure continues low over the eastern and northwestern portions of the continent, northwestern portions of the continent, and high in the lake region. Rain has fallen in many portions of the Territories and Manitoba, and very heavily in the vicinity of Winnipeg. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 56-62; Kamloops, 58-78; Calgary, 44-70; Qu'Appelle, 58-80; Winnipeg, 62-74; Port Arthur, 46-62; Parry Sound, 46-72; Toronto, 52-79; Ottawa, 56-72; Montreal, 52-66; Quebec, 48-58; Hallifax, 52-76.

Local temperatures—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Tuesday, Aug. 8, were 78 and 40.5 degrees.

Today sun rises at 5:15; sets at 7:31. Moon rises at 8:26 a.m.; sets at 8:32

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-Miss Lilian Bell is visiting her cougin, Miss Edith George, of Stratford. -Mr. J. T. Lackie and family, West London, are spending two weeks at Port Stanley.

—Miss Etty Price, of Aylmer, is vis-iting Mr. and Mrs. E. R. C. Struthers, Richmond street.

Stanley street, city. -Alfred Blackwell, a G. T. R. yardman, fell off a box-car yesterday, and

was badly shaken up. -Mr. and Mrs. W. A. M. Goode arrived last Wednesday in London, England, where they will reside.

-Miss Lizzie Kidd, who has been the guest of her sister, Miss Sadie Kidd, 447 Dundas street, has returned home, having spent a very pleasant time. -Rev. Father Joseph Bayard, late

ment gives general satisfaction. -Johnston Bros., the London bakers,

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--Hon. George W. Ross, minister of education, inspected the Normal School building Monday, and instructed Inspector of Public Works O'Byrne to have the building ready for occupation not later than Jan. 15, 1900.

-Mrs. Rooks, of north Wellington street, on Sunday evening stepped on a broken sidewalk plank on Piccadilly street, and was thrown heavily, sustaining a serious shake-up, and painfully scraping the right side of her face. She has since been under medical treatment. There are altogether too many loose and broken planks in north end walks.

HOW IT HAPPENED. A lady living at 394 Waterloo street advertised in last evening's Advertiser for a lost stick-pin, and this morning she telephoned to have the advertisement discontinued, as she had found the pin. The lady who called with it stated she had seen the advertisement in The Advertiser. This is but another proof that The Advertiser is the most

widely-read paper in London. DEATH OF JOE KNIGHT'S FATHER Mr. Adonijah Knight died on Monday at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Hubbard Ellison,39 Jackson street, St. Thomas, in the 71st year of his age, after a short illness, from the effects of paralysis. The deceased, who was a carpenter by trade, resided in St. Thomas for twelve years, going there from Port Stanley. His wife died in 1886, and he leaves three children, Byron Knight, Joe Knight, and Mrs. H. Ellison. Mr. Knight was one of those entitled to a Fenian raid medal, and was before his death anxiously waiting to receive the coveted trophy. He was a member of the Port Stanley volunteer

FOUR GENERATIONS AT A PICNIC. A reunion of the different branches of the Sutton family was held at Springbank on Monday last in honor of Mrs. L. M. Potter, of Flint, and Mrs. Josephine M. Tennant, of Saginaw. Mich. There were about 50 persons present, conspicuous among whom were the venerable Samuel Sutton, of Kilworth, and James Sutton, of Scottsville. A and James Sutton, of Scottsville. A James Duffield, J. W. McIntosh, Edd notable feature also was the presence Paladino, Wm. Moore, W. H. Brophy of four generations. A most enjoyable time was spent in renewing old ac-quaintances and forming new ones, and Wm. Moore and W. H. Brophy (chairquaintances and forming new ones, and in discussing events past and present. The affair closed with a bountiful picnic supper, served in the pavilion.

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GRAHAM BROS., two gold metals, the Irish Bene-Scandrett, president of the Irish Bene-Volent, were awared to Mr. and Miss Dawe. The second prizes (cash) were won by Mr. Roadhouse and Mrs. O'Day,

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The Irishmen's Picnic a Huge Success.

All Previous Records Thrown in the Shade.

An Immense, Delighted and Orderly Crowd-The Programme and the Prize Winners.

The Irishmen made a record yesterday. Port Stanley, in all its history, of monster picnics, was never so crowded before. Fully 10,000 people swarmed on Fraser's Heights and the fun lasted all day long. The bulk of the holidaymakers-over 6,000 of them-were Londoners. The others came from St. Thomas and the country surrounding the Port. It is estimated that at least 1,000 people drove or wheeled to the popular resort and that 300 or 400 came by boat from nearby ports along the lake shore. It was an immense crowd. But the success of the outing in the matter of attendance was not all. It was a record breaker in another par-ticular also. The energetic committee provided excellent entertainment for the holidaymakers. In addition to the regular programme of races and danc-—Mrs. John Crotty, of Walkerville, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Short, 43 an exhibition of his skill on the lawn in front of the Fraser House. The game of ball on the beach attracted the baseball enthusiasts. Many people went on board the Urania and indulged in a trip upon the water. The boat houses were well patronized, and for some the temperature was not too cool for bathing. The Seventh and Musical Society Bands played enlivening music throughout the day, and the services of Prof. Day-ton's orchestra were much appreciated by the dancers. The weather was perdeministrator of London diocese, has been appointed vicar-general of the diocese by Bishop McEvay. The appoint-said a prominent visitor at the close of the day. "It's wonderful. I wonder how that is?" A good old Irish worker, was or not the crowd was "sure" orderly, and withal having a good time.

H. Ruthven McDonald sang a couple of songs from the Fraser House balcony, which were much appreciated. The officers of the Irish Benevolent Society are: President, Thos. W. Scandrett; first vice. J. L. Fitzgerald; second vice, James Murray; secretary, B. C. McCarn; financial secretary, F. Boyle; treasurer, John W. Pocock. C. McCarn; financial secretary, P And among the others who were active in making the outing a success were Messrs. John Forrestal, Jerry Collins, M. F. O'Mara, B. C. McCann, James Egan, Ald. McPhillips, John M. Daly, John Lewis, Dennis Mason, John M. Keary, Wm. Brophy, James Murray, W. D. Regan, R. M. C. Toothe, James S. Brown, N. P. Graydon, Jerry Mc-Donald, Mayor Wilson, Wm. McPhillips, Ald. Carrothers, W. A. Martin and P. H. Boyle.

The actual number of tickets sold in the city was 6,155, and in St. Thomas 2,125 or a total of 8,280. The immense crowd was handled very successfully by the L. E. and D. R. R.

THE RACES. The starters in the races were Messrs. J. L. Fitzgerald, Dr. Fred Guest, of Shedden, and John Stevely, and the judges were Messrs. John W. McIntosh, John Forrestal, John Lewis, Ald. McPhillips, Wm. McPhillips, B. C. Mc-Cann and Wm. P. Regan. The results

Boys under 10 years-1 Samuel Angles, 2 John Sanderson, 3 George Finch. Girls under 10 years-1 Nellie Price, Ada Whitwan, 3 Lillian Lyttle.

Boys under 13 years-1 Arthur Shaw 2 Richard Haylock, 3 Bert Spittal. Girls under 13 years—1 Charlotte Pembroke, 2 Vera Weekes, 3 Flossie

Mulvey.
One hundred yards dash—1 J. Jones,
2 F. Chittick, 3 H. Blinn. Boys under 15 years—1 H. Burns, 2 E. Ryckman, 3 R. Ballantyne. Girls under 15 years-1 Charlotte Pembroke, 2 Mary Mockler, 3 Vera

Weekes.

Men over 50 years—1 J. Hennessy, 2
Wm. Burrows, 3 James French.

Boot and shoe race—1 Wm. Deadman, 2 T. Dyer, 3 F. Chittick.

DANCING. The judges of the Irish jig and Highland fling were Messrs. Dennis Daly, James Duffield, J. W. McIntosh, Lou man of the committee on dancing) named the winners in the waltz. The prizes were awarded as follows:

Irish jig, girls, in costume—The gold medal, presented by Mayor Wilson, was won by Miss Josie Grayson; second, Miss Susie McGill; third, Miss Florence Small. Two special prizes, presented by Mr. James Duffield, were won by Miss Barbara Sparks and Miss Ina

Riddell. In the Irish jig for boys, in costume, the gold medal, presented by Ald. Mc-Phillips, was won by Eugene Lockhart; second, Willie LeClair.

Irish jig for men-1 James Butts, 2
Martin Morkin, 3 John Butts.

Irish jig for women—Mrs. Walsh and Mrs. Sullivan tled for first and divided both first and second prizes equally. Highland fling, girls, in costume-Five equal prizes were given to Misses Ina Riddell Susie McGill, Tottie Sparks, Barbara Sparks and Florence Small. The waltzing contest was watched with interest by a large number. The

and the third prizes went to Mr. G. Vaughan and Miss Small. Mrs. O'Day also won a gold medal presented by Mr. Charles Stevens for the best lady waltzer.

Messrs. Denis Daly, J. Duffield. B. C. McCann, Ald. McPhillips and Ald. Garratt were judges in the baby show. The winner of the first prize was Mrs. Peter Lewis' baby; Mrs. Richard Payne's second, and Mrs. John Somerville's third. THE BABY SHOW.

OTHER EVENTS.

Mr. R. Errington won the quoiting contest, with Mr. W. Baskerville second, and Young brothers, of Port Bruce, tied for third. Mr. Wm. Wiley, of this city, was judge.

A ball game between the Rockets and Oregons for a prize of \$10 resulted in favor of the former. George Cooper, of the Londons, pitched for the Oregons, and stuck out nine men in six innings.

Mr. James Ward was umpire. The score: OREGONS.

Ryan, 1b.
Saunders, r.f.
A. Healy, 3b.
Fitzmaurice, 2b.

Fralick, s.s.....

Oregons. 1 2 1 1 1 3 0 - 9
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THE BANQUET. The banquet at the Fraser House in the evening was in keeping with the day's successes. T. W. Scandrett, president of the Irish Benevolent Society, was in the chair, and among the others present were Mayor Wilson, Rev. George Gilmore, E. T. Essery (president St. George's Society), Dr. George Wilson, Harold Richardson, Dr. Drake, R. C. Macfie, B. C. McCann, W. A. Martin, John M. Daly, John Stevely, W. McPhillips, Thomas Weston (president), C. D. MacPherson (vice-president) dent), President W. A. Small (secretary), Jos. Lively, George Iredale, of the London Old Boys' Association of Chicago; Ald. Rumball, Ald. Douglass, John Forrestal, Dr. C. A. Cline, Ald. Mc-Phillips, W. D. Killens, and Dr. Fred Guest (Shedden), H. B. Elliott, J. W. Pocock, Ald. Jolly, Thos. Blakeney, R. M. C. Toothe, J. C. Lockhart, J. W. MoIntosh, Wm. Wanless (president St. Andrew's Society), W. Murray, W. H. Brophy, Ald. Reed, S. Stevely, Lou Paladino, W. H. Portwood and N. P. Gray-

The speeches at the conclusion of the dinner were brief. President Scandrett said the promoters of the picnic had looked forward to a great success, but that all expectations had been ex-

ceeded. Mayor Wilson said the members of the committee and of the society de-served high praise for the manner in which they had entertained their

Mr. E. T. Essery was quite positive in his statement that the day's crowd was the largest that had ever been on the heights. It was the best picnic the

society had ever held. Mr. W. Wanless commented on the energy of the committee, and congratulated the society on the success of the

outing.
Mr. W. A. Small, speaking on behalf of the London Old Boys of Chicago, in attendance, said the outing was a grand finale to their first visit to London. They had met more old friends during the day than they had in the three days previous. He believed that next year's "Old Boys" reunion would be attended by associations from California to Maine, and he hoped they would then have the pleasure of again attending the I. B. S. picnic.

HOUSE OF COMMONS

Manufacture of Liquor in the Yukon Prohibited-Penitentiary Binder Tain:

Ottawa, Aug. 9.-In the house yesterday the bill respecting seed grain indebtedness in the Northwest Territories was read a second time. In committee Mr. Davin urged an amendment which the minister refused to accept. The bill was reported. On the third reading Mr. Davin proposed his amendment, to the effect that these claims for seed grain indebtedness should be handed over to the local government of the Territories for collection or redemption by statute labor. The amendment was lost on a vote of yeas, 17; nays, 56; and the bill was read a third

The bil! to amend the Yukon Territory act was read a second time. This bill provides for the granting of powto the commissioner and council of the Yukon territory with regard to the administration of affairs in the dis-

Yesterday the senate Yukon bill was amended on motion of Mr. Flint, so that liquor permits can be granted only by the governor-general-in-council, and not by the Yukon commissioner. Mr. Foster suggested a clause prohibiting the manufacture of liquor in the Yukon territory, and the government accepted the amendment. which was adopted. Mr. Taylor moved in amendment that no liquor should be imported into the yukon except for medicinal and manufacturing purposes. This amendment was lost, and the bill was put through its final stages.
The Quebec harbor commissioners'

bill was read a third time.

The Montreal harbor commissioners' bill was reported. The senate bill to amend the criminal code was struck off the order

The weights and measures bill was read a third time. On motion to go into supply, Mr. Foster complained that a return he had asked for was incomplete, and, pitching it on the middle of the table, declared that he would stay here five months till

he got a complete return. Mr. Clancy protested against the remarks of Hon. David Mills in the senate upon the methods employed in the Bothwell election, and demanded an inquiry, but the premier directed attention to the fact that Mr. Clancy was out of order in referring to a senate

PENITENTIARY BINDER TWINE. Mr. Taylor moved an amendment to the motion to go into supply, stating

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that the system of disposing of binder twine at the Kingston Penitentiary is not satisfactory. Mr. Taylor and Mr. Henderson spoke on the amendment at some length, urging the re-imposition of the duty on twine. The former said that no matter who bought the twine, it found its way into the hands of the ring headed by the Hobbs Company,

of London. The premier, in reply, stated that the government had adopted the policy of disposing of the twine by public tender, and did not feel disposed to go back on that policy.

The house adjourned at 1:40 a.m.

CAN'T STOP IT!

Chicago Man Utterly Unable to Ceas Laughing.

Chicago, Aug. 9.—An interesting clinic will be held at the county hospital today to discover the reason why Julius Mattas, 513 West Eighteenth street, is unable to cease laughing. Mattas is a laborer. Last evening he surprised members of his family by bursting forth in peals of laughter. His mirth appeared to be unceasing, and after an unremitting spell of half

an hour Mrs. Mattas became alarmed, and sent for neighbors. Still Mattas laughed. The police were called, and Mattas, still laughing boisterously, was taken to the hospital. At an early hour this morning Mattas was uncon-scious, but still laughing, and those who attended him were nonplussed. The Biograph drew another good audience to Tecumseh Park last even-

ing, and every person went away delighted with the programme presented. for Tonight will be "bargain night" ladies and children, when special reduced rates will be in order. No citizen should miss this wonderful exhibition, as it is certainly the best ever put on in this city.

Blessed is the man who has found his work. One monster there is in the world, the idle man .- Carlyle. The greatest depth to which a ship has been anchored is 2,000 fathoms considerably more than two miles. Spain's Greatest Need.

Mr. R. P. Olivia, of Barcelona, Spain, spends his winters at Aiken, S. C. Weak nerves had caused severe pains in the back of his head. On using Electric Bitters, America's greatest Blood and Nerve Remedy, all pain soon left him. He says this grand medicine is what his country needs. All America knows that it cures liver and kidney trouble, purifies the blood, tones up the stomach, strengthens the nerves, puts vim, vigor and new life into every muscle, nerve and organ of the body If weak, tired or ailing you need it. Every bottle guaranteed; only 50 cents. Sold by W. T. Strong & Co., druggists. The world owes every man the right

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