

CROWDS THROG GROUND AT THE ONLY WESTERN FAIR

Exhibits Are Greater and
Grander Than
Ever.

MIDWAY IS A
TENTED CITY

Noise of the Barker Again Heard
in the Land—A Peep at the
Exhibition Today.

The great Western Fair is on, and it is one of the greatest that the association has ever held.

That is, when you look at it from the standpoint of exhibits only. The crowd will make up the rest, and it remains for the people of Western Ontario to make it the greatest from every standpoint that they have known.

Every building is full to capacity, from the main building to the smallest upon the grounds.

There are no empty spaces to spoil the picture, as was the case even last year. This year it is full to overflowing.

The first day offers a splendid programme outside of the exhibits, and visitors are coming to take advantage of it.

The Grounds.
The grounds are in excellent condition. They are as pretty as they have been in many years. The freshly-painted buildings and the general appearance of cleanliness, make a good impression on visitors, and go a considerable distance towards making the show a decided success.

All that is wanted this week is weather—good weather. The directors do not care how much it rains from 10 p.m. to 6 a.m., as long as the weather is good the rest of the 24 hours.

The Main Building is a revelation this year. Every stall is filled to capacity. There are a few empty spaces, owing to one or two exhibits going astray on their way to the Fair, but these will be ready before the crowd gets on the grounds.

The Exhibits.
The character of the exhibits is somewhat different from other years. There are a considerable number of the manufacturers who have splendid exhibits. In addition, there is the Old Curiosity Shop, a splendid work, and well worth while. It is a capital idea, and when fully developed, will make the Main Building more attractive than ever.

The London kindergarten has a fine exhibit, one that will make the mothers of the kiddies glad when they see it. The art exhibit is, in point of numbers, the best ever held, and in point of quality surpassing the best ever shown.

The Live Stock.
It is in the live stock that this exhibition particularly excels. There is not a vacant stall in the horse sheds, and there is not a vacant spot in the cattle and sheep buildings. This is remarkable, in view of the fact that the sheds were enlarged this year, and it was thought they would not be filled until a few more exhibitions had been held. However, if next year's increase is anything like this year's, there will be need of more room.

The Horses.
The horse exhibit is fine. Every variety from the dainty Shetland to the mountainous Clyde is on exhibition, while there are a great number of stylish high-steppers, and the handsome roadsters and thoroughbreds. "It is a very fine show of horses," said Dr. G. A. Routledge, who is an expert on horses.

The Cattle.
The cattle exhibit is fine. Dairying has made great progress in Western Ontario during the past few years, and that development is shown in the large exhibit of milk breeds. Ayrshires, Holsteins and Guernseys are on exhibition in large numbers, and the milk breeds are fine.

Not that the beef breeds are neglected. There is a larger number and a finer class of beef on exhibition than has been seen in a long time. There are several grand herds of Shorthorn Polled Anus and Herefords. There is a good showing of grade cattle also.

The Sheep.
In sheep the entry list is considerably larger than heretofore. The sheep have not all arrived, but are on their way, and when they are ready for judging today there will be a fine exhibit. There is a fine lot of short wools shown.

The hog exhibit is very large, and some fine animals are on exhibition. The Yorkshires predominate.

The poultry exhibit contains practically all of London's finest birds, and that in itself will make a show worth while. But that is not all.

The dairy building is full to capacity.

CALL FOR REPEAL OF OBSOLETE LAW

Comment of the London Press
on Yesterday's Eucharistic
Procession.

London, Sept. 14.—It is evident that the Catholics, because of the refusal to permit the Host to be carried in the procession yesterday, consider that they have been badly treated. Father Sprankling, administrator of St. George's Catholic Cathedral in this city, in all the masses yesterday referred to Premier Asquith's action as one that would go down to posterity as an insult to millions of Catholics. Cardinal Vannutelli, in an interview after the procession, said: "It has been an admirable affirmation of faith and sympathy, which will not be easily forgotten by those who witnessed it. The demonstrations of sympathy came spontaneously, and were well accepted by all non-Catholics, who by their demeanor protested against the attempts to foment hostility against our pacific reunion. If those who solicited and obtained the prohibition to the carrying of the sacrament intended to inspire the faithful with greater enthusiasm, they can boast that they succeeded even beyond their expectations."

The London morning papers, in their editorials, take the line in most cases of careful avoidance of anything calculated to fan the flames of controversy, and they consider "all's well that ends well."

Nor is there any attempt to make political capital of the incident, beyond some expressions of regret at the delay in making the Government's frankly call for the repeal of the obsolete laws which caused the trouble, and frankly deprecate the attitude of some of the Protestant bodies.

Western Fair Directors Hold Meeting President Reid Praises Exhibition

Says It Is Far in Advance of
Anything Previously
Attempted.

A meeting of the directors of the Western Fair was held this morning in the Administration Building, and was largely attended.

There was little business to be transacted, all the machinery of the Fair being in good running order, with few complaints, and no difficulty. President W. J. Reid read his annual address, in which he congratulated the directors on the splendid exhibition. From an agricultural standpoint, it was the best in the history of the Fair, and if favorable weather prevailed during the week, it would be the best from every standpoint ever held in the city.

President Pleased.
"Our exhibition this year from an agricultural standpoint is away in advance of anything of past years," said Capt. Reid. "Three of the judges have completed their work, and they all agree that the exhibition is the best they have ever seen, and that although they have been acting as judges for years, there is the best display of roots, vegetables, grain and seed they have ever seen, and that competition in the different sections is very keen. A few comparisons with last year will give you an idea how our exhibition is advancing. In nearly every instance the entries are larger, as the following table shows:

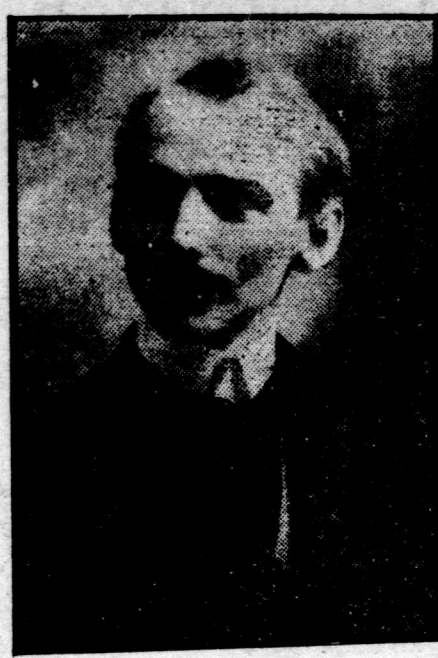
	1907.	1908.
Agricultural	27	35
Fruit	17	27
Dairy	73	83
Flowers	24	30
Referring to the live stock department, we can hardly tell at this time the number of head of stock of each kind, but a glance at the barns will		

THE WEATHER.			
TOMORROW—FAIR.			
FORECASTS.			
Toronto, Sept. 14—S. a.m.			
Today—Northeast winds; fine.			
Tuesday—Easterly winds; fair, with about the same temperature.			
TEMPERATURES.			
Stations.	8 a.m.	Min.	Weather.
Calgary	44	44	Clear
Winnipeg	46	46	Clear
Port Arthur	46	42	Clear
Perry Sound	54	48	Clear
Toronto	54	54	Clear
Ottawa	54	48	Fair
Montreal	56	52	Clear
Quebec	52	46	Clear
Father Point	46	44	Clear

The first column in the above table records the temperature at 8 o'clock this morning, and the second column records the minimum temperatures of 99 were recorded over parts of Southern Alberta and Saskatchewan.

WEATHER NOTES.
Since Saturday the pressure has increased over the great lakes and St. Lawrence valley, but has decreased over the Western and Maritime Provinces. The weather continues fine throughout the Dominion. Temperatures of 99 were recorded over parts of Southern Alberta and Saskatchewan.

The highest and lowest yesterday were 87 and 55.



MR. A. D. JORDAN.
Organist of the First Methodist
Church, who is seriously ill.

The Smith Fund

Canon Dyson Hague begs to acknowledge with pleasure the gratitude the following sums received by him for the Smith tuberculosis case:

A friend	\$5 00
A. O. Graydon	5 00
Mr. and Mrs. Hicks	2 00
A. E. Welsh	2 00
A. G.	5 00
A friend	1 00
Mr. and Mrs. Jerdon	1 00
John Stevenson	1 00
T. M. R.	1 00
L. M. R.	5 00
George M. Cox	5 00
A friend	2 00

WATCHING THE MANEUVERS.

Copenhagen, Sept. 14.—The British Government has sent a diplomatic commission to Frederica, in Jutland, whose special mission is to observe the maneuvers of German ships in Danish waters. The British vice-consul in Denmark, one of whom are Danes, received instructions recently to report to the home Government all movements of German warships. It is reported here on good authority that the British Government proposed to send a consul to Frederica, but Germany refused an ambassador on the ground that the honorable consul at Kiel was a Dane.

PREMIER AT STRATHROY

The visit of Premier Laurier to Strathroy on Saturday next has aroused the enthusiasm of Liberals of the district, and the stewards of the counties of Middlesex and Lambton are preparing to give the Premier such a welcome as he will not forget for many years. An effort is being made by London Liberals to secure a special train for the occasion, and the Grand Trunk Railway will make an announcement tomorrow. In case the special cannot be secured, the London delegation will leave this city on the regular train at 1:40. It is no easy matter to get a special train at this time owing to the great crowds being carried to the Western Fair.

The Londoners have engaged a pipers' band, and several hundred prominent Liberals will take in the trip.

Among those who will be on the platform with Sir Wilfrid Laurier will be Mr. W. S. Calvert, M. P., West Middlesex; Dr. G. A. Routledge, ex-M. P., P., and Liberal candidate for East Middlesex; Valentine Ratz, M. P., North Middlesex; F. F. Pardee, M. P., West Lambton, and Dr. C. O. Fairbank, Liberal candidate for East Lambton.

A single fare rate has been secured on the Grand Trunk. There will be several excursions to Strathroy in all probability.

ED. HUTCHINSON WAS DROWNED BY THE CAPSIZING OF A SKIFF

Brother of Dr. T. V. Hutchinson, Medical Health Officer of
London—Boat Went Down Off Vancouver—Man
Who Was With Him Was Saved.

A dispatch from Vancouver gives the following details of the death of a former Londoner:

"On Saturday afternoon, E. Hutchinson, 46 years of age, left the city in a skiff, bound for the northern harbor banks along with a young man, Percy McCurdell. The skiff capsized in the narrows and Hutchinson was drowned. A wife and four children survive him at Liskeard, Ont. He was a brother of Dr. Hutchinson, medical health officer at London, Ont. 'The craft was caught in the wash of a passing steamer. McCurdell clung to the boat and was saved.'"

The Doctor's Brother.

Dr. Hutchinson was seen by The Advertiser and declared that the man was his brother. "He went west about a year ago," said Dr. Hutchinson. "He lived in Toronto for many years, and then moved his family to New Liskeard in New Ontario. He went further west about a year ago, as I stated before. I have not heard the details of the accident, but I presume the account given is correct. I suppose he will be interred there. The craft was caught in the wash of a passing steamer. McCurdell clung to the boat and was saved."

Tuckett's May Come Back to London Employed Between 50 and 100 Men

Manager informed the Advertiser
Today That Move May
Be Made.

There is a strong possibility that the Tuckett Cigar Company, manufacturers of the Marguerite and other first-class cigars, will reopen its branch in London within a short time. Should they conclude to do so, it will mean that between 50 and 100 cigarmakers will find work in the factory again at good wages.

The firm owns property here, and, of course, since the spring it has been lying idle.

The manager of the head office in Hamilton was called upon over long-distance telephone by The Advertiser today, and he stated that while as yet there is nothing definite, there is a possibility that the company will come back to London.

Boarder Tried to Beat Landlady But Was Caught With Pillowslip

A Romance of the Police Court—
Other Cases Dealt With
by Magistrate Love.

James Hatch, a young Englishman, was arrested by P. C. Lucas on Saturday evening on a charge of stealing a pillowslip from Mrs. Ellen Showers, with whom he had been boarding for some time.

The pillowslip was but a means to an end, as Magistrate Love, after hearing the evidence, stated to Hatch in emphatic language, that he believed he had deliberately intended to try and beat Mrs. Showers out of \$66 that he owed for board.

Mrs. Showers had been letting Hatch stay at her place, as he was repeatedly promising to pay her what he owed.

Hatched a Plot.
On Saturday night, however, he came home and started to pack up his belongings. Not having a valise big enough to carry them all, he had taken a pillowslip belonging to Mrs. Showers and filled it with his clothes.

P. C. Lucas was called, and arrived in time to find Hatch climbing out a back window, preparatory to climbing over a roof and down to a back fence. He was at once arrested, and as the pillowslip was the first thing that Mrs. Showers identified as belonging to her, he was charged with stealing it.

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CITY COUNCIL TAKES A HAND IN THE POWER BYLAW TRIAL

Important Motion Launched by London's Legal Representatives
Asking That Certain Questions Be Eliminated From
the Trial of the Case.

The City of London has launched a motion in Toronto, whereby it is proposed to prevent the trial of many interesting questions in the trial of the power case in this city.

One of the motions which the city council, through their lawyers, particularly want to have struck out of the case, and withdrawn from trial, is as to whether the hydro-electric commission supplied to the city before the vote was taken "the terms and conditions upon which the power would be transmitted, and a form of the contract to be entered into."

Want This Removed Also.
They also desire all reference to the raising of \$235,000 by bylaw for the distribution plant to be removed from the consideration of the court in this action, and thereby would be avoided the trial of the question of whether it was at the voting represented to the people that this money would not be levied upon the property of the ratepayers, unless the power were furnished at a cost not higher than \$22 50.

As To Representations.
The city also desire to have all questions as to what representations were made to the city to induce the signing of the contract removed from the record, so that the same cannot be tried in this action.

They also move to have removed from trial in this case the question of whether the city council knew that there was no authority to enter into any contract which did not protect the city against paying for power at the city limits any greater price than \$23 50, as was provided in the bylaw.

They desired, too, to have removed from the record, as embarrassing the trial of the action, the question of whether it is a fraud upon the electorate to enter into an unlimited contract like the present, when the bylaw vote upon limited the price to \$23 50.

The motion will be heard in Toronto tomorrow.

Liners Clash in Forest Fire Fog S. S. Malinhead Beached To Save

Allan and Head Line Steamers in
Collision Below Quebec.

Montreal, Sept. 13.—The Head Line Malinhead and the Allan liner Corinthian were in collision early today, 40 miles below this port. The Allan boat left Montreal for London and Havre on Saturday morning, with 75 second and third class passengers. The Malinhead was inward bound from Cardiff with general cargo.

From advices which have reached the head offices of the Allan Line at Montreal, the Corinthian immediately turned back to Quebec. Messrs. McLean, Kennedy & Co., the local agents of the Head Line, stated tonight that the Malinhead was struck amidships, and her engine room was flooded. It was necessary to beach the steamer at St. Laurent in order to prevent her from sinking. She carried no passengers.

From what can be gathered here, there were no casualties, although the shock of the collision brought the passengers of the Corinthian tumbling from their berths to the deck in much excitement. Nothing can be stated by the Allan Line tonight as to the probable damage sustained. The passengers will be sent forward to their destination in all probability on the Hungarian, which reached port today.

Captain Campbell, an old servant of the Head Line, was in command of the Malinhead at the time of the collision.

This Week Will See Dissolution Polling Last Week in October

Secretary Scott To Retire and Be
Succeeded by Charles
Murphy.

Ottawa, Sept. 13.—Announcement of the dissolution of Parliament will be made this week by Sir Wilfrid Laurier. No official information as to the exact date of the election is yet available, but it is practically certain that the day selected for polling will be, as announced some time ago by your correspondent, either Wednesday, 28th, or Thursday, 29th, of October. Good progress has been made with the printing of the voters' lists, and the secretary of the state department is now sending them out to the various constituencies as rapidly as possible.

Sir Wilfrid, who leaves tomorrow night for Niagara Falls, where he will open his Ontario campaign, is in excellent health, and is confident that his administration will again be returned to power by a large majority. He expects to return to Ottawa for Wednesday next, when a cabinet meeting will be held, which will probably be followed by the announcement of dissolution.

It is stated on good authority that a cabinet change will probably be announced shortly. Hon. R. W. Scott, the venerable secretary of state, after over fifty years of useful and unblemished public service, is ready to be relieved of the constant stress of statecraft, and Mr. Charles Murphy, one of the foremost members of the Eastern Ontario bar, and a prominent Irish Roman Catholic, is said to be slated as his successor. Mr. Murphy will probably be the government candidate in Russell County.

Hon. Frank Oliver left for Alberta last night, and will remain west till after the election. Sir Hon. A. B. Aylesworth is expected to return to Ottawa from Europe on Friday next.

and shows that the floating element is wanting this year.

The largest increase is in ward 4, where 773 have been added. This north end ward is developing rapidly and the growth is healthy and steady. Ward 4 also shows a good increase in population. The increase is almost wholly in South London, where building has been rapid. Down-town there has been a slight falling off.

Ward 8 shows a healthy growth, but does not compare with wards 4 and 1. The increase in population for 1907 was something over 3,000.

The Assessment.
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Condensed Advertisements.

No Advertisement Accepted Less Than Fifteen Words.

Amusements—Ten cents per line each insertion, or two cents per word if set solid.
Meetings—When no admission is charged one cent per word each insertion.
Articles for Sale, to Let, Help Wanted, Situations Wanted, Board and Lodgings, Lost and Found, Rooms to Let, and all similar condensed advertisements—First insertion, one cent a word; each subsequent insertion, one-half cent per word. No advertisement less than fifteen words.

Births, Marriages and Deaths.

DEATHS.

DELMARE—In this city, on Sept. 12, 1908, Elizabeth Delmare, native of the Island of Guernsey, in her 90th year. Funeral from the residence of her niece, Mrs. J. Jenkins, 23 Euclid avenue, Monday afternoon at 4:30; service at 4.
LEONARD—In this city, on Sept. 14, 1908, Amelia, beloved wife of George Leonard, aged 62 years.
Funeral from the family residence, 661 Dufferin avenue, Wednesday, Sept. 16, at 3 p.m.; service at 2:30 p.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Woodland Cemetery.
GLENDENING—In Toronto, at the residence of his son, 9 Alcorn avenue, William James Glendenning, native of Cornwall, England, aged 68 years.
Funeral on Tuesday, Sept. 15, at 10 a.m. from the residence of his son, 9 Alcorn avenue, to Woodland Cemetery. Funeral private.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES

GRAND TONIGHT

The London Musical Comedy
Three Little Maids
PRICES: Night, 25, 35, 50, 75, 1.
THREE NIGHTS, COM. THURSDAY
Charley In Awakening
Grapewin of Mr. Pip
Seats Now: Sat., 25, 35, 50, 75, 1.
Night, 25 to 1.

Bennett's This Week

A SHOW OF HEADLINERS.
ED. REYNARD, VENTRILOQUIST, and his mammoth production.
A BIG HEADLINER—
THE BESSIE VALDARE TROPE OF GIRL CYCLISTS.
Matinee every day at 2:30.
Every night at 8:30.
Phone 1706.
Bumper benefit for Mr. Smith, victim of tuberculosis, Tuesday night.

LONDON MINERAL BATHS

SWIMMING POND

MORNING.
Boys, with their own towels and suit 10 cents; men, with their own towels and suit, 15 cents.
AFTERNOON.
With or without suit, 15 cents.
Sundays and holidays, 15 cents, all day.
Corner Dundas and Thames Streets.
Phone 2198.

TRACTION CO.

HOURLY SERVICE, and 60 cents return to Port Stanley during September. Tickets good till Oct. 1.
SPECIAL RATES between all stations and London during Western Fair.
HALF-HOURLY SERVICE between St. Thomas and London on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of Fair Week.

LEARN TO DANCE—B. MILLARD

36 Princess avenue, teacher of dancing. Advanced course Sept. 28. Call and register.

DAYTON & MCCORMICK'S NEW

Dancing Academy, Oddfellows' big hall, Dundas and Church streets. Classes open Monday, Oct. 5. Dayton & McCormick.

COPENHAGEN

Direct ships from New York to Copenhagen. No transfers. Baggage booked through to the boat. Through rates to Norway, Sweden, Denmark.
F. B. CLARKE, Richmond street, next Bank of Commerce.
TONY CORTESE ORCHESTRA—BRIGADIERALD HARPERS. At Lake Huron Park, Sarnia, for summer engagements accepted.

TROSSACHS

Lock Lomond—The Lady of the Lake and Rob Roy. Scott's beautiful scenery, but to appreciate it you must take it in yourself. The Allan and Anchor ships sail direct to Glasgow. F. B. CLARKE, Richmond street, next Bank of Commerce.

Allan Line

Weekly service between Montreal and Liverpool, Glasgow, Havre and London. Outward, returning, prepaid tickets at lowest rates. Correspondence invited.
E. DE LA HOOKE, Agent for all Ocean Lines, Clock Corner.

MUSIC FURNISHED FOR PARTIES

balls, banquets, etc. 125, Yorkville, Italian Harpers, 122 Queen's avenue.

MEETINGS.

MR. JOHN CRANE, OF VENEZUELA, in Gospel Hall, Hamilton road tonight, gives an address on missionary work in that country. No collections. Come.

REGULAR COMMUNICATION OF

Union Lodge, No. 380, A. F. and A. M. this (Monday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock, at Masonic Temple, Victoria road, James Dean, W. M.; J. Ward, secretary.

MEETING OF I. O. O. F.—EVERY

member of Eureka Lodge, No. 30, I. O. F. is requested to attend a meeting on Tuesday evening, the 15th. Business of a very important nature, which will interest every member. S. W. Priestley, R. S.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

AN EXCELLENT CIGAR AND BILLIARD business for sale. A very large, good reason for selling. Box 97, Advertiser.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY W. H. Bartram, 29 Dundas street.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST, SUNDAY EVENING, ON PARK AVENUE—Pearl and diamond pendant. Liberal reward. Mr. Fred Stratton, 55 Hyman street.

LOST—GOLD BRACELET, BETWEEN Colborne street, on Dundas or Oxford car, and Hyman street, or new Smallman's. Finder rewarded at Advertiser's office.

LOST, SATURDAY MORNING, ON POTTERBURGH car—A pocketbook. Finder rewarded on returning to 897 Princess avenue.

LOST—PANAMA HAT, PINK LINING. Blown from train about one hundred yards west of London, Canadian Pacific station. Leave same with Mr. Kingston, care Adam Beck. Reward, 50c.

LOST—BLACK AND WHITE FOX-ROUND, black and tan face. Anyone found detaining after this notice will be prosecuted. Reward, 75c Grey street east.

FOUND—THE BEST CIGAR ON THE MARKET, Mi Linda. Buy one and enjoy it. For sale at all stands. Manufactured by Vega Gaste Company. 27c.

LOST—AN OPPORTUNITY TO SMOKE a deliciously flavored cigar, if you did not know it. For Mi Linda. Clear Havana. Spanish made, manufactured by Vega Gaste Company. 27c.

LOST, SATURDAY MORNING—LADY'S diamond watch, with silver charms. Reward, this office.

MALE HELP WANTED.

CITY REPRESENTATIVE FOR PRINTING industry wanted. Apply Box 278, Postoffice.

WANTED—SALESMAN AND COLLECTOR with horse or bicycle. Steady position for hustler only. Salary and commission, 24 Dundas.

HEAD WAITER WANTED AT THE

Big Bell Restaurant.

C. P. R.

Wanted by Canadian Pacific Railway—First-class machinists, boilermakers, fitters, car inspectors, blacksmiths, carmen. Apply local agency, 179 Dundas street, London, from 2 p.m. daily. Agent can be met between 9 and 12:40 daily at Grand Central Hotel, St. Thomas.

WHO REPAIRS YOUR SHOES? ROYD

DING will make them like new. Done quickly, too. 304 Dundas street. Phone 257.

WANTED—100 MEN TO SMOKE MI Linda Cigars, the best on the market; clear Havana, Spanish made, manufactured by Vega Gaste Company. For sale at all cigar stands. 27c.

CANVASSER WANTED—SALARY OR COMMISSION. Apply Alfred Tyler, 365 Clarence street, London.

SALESMEN WANTED FOR "AUTO-SPRAY"—Best hand sprayer. Liberal terms. Cavers Bros., Galt.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

RELIABLE GIRL WANTED FOR GENERAL household work. Apply 56 Wellington street.

WANTED—MAID FOR GENERAL household work; no washing; good wages; references required. Mrs. Reid, 57, Wm. street.

WANTED—COOK, APPLY MRS. NIVEN, 423 Colborne.

EXPERIENCED GENERAL SERVANT wanted; no laundry work. Mrs. W. C. Wisner, 62 Talbot street.

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST with housework. Mrs. James Lundy, 9 Grand avenue, South London.

AN EXPERIENCED STENOGRAPHER and bookkeeper. State salary. Box 58.

WANTED—CHAMBERMAID, TO ASSIST in dining-room. Apply Western Hotel.

YOUNG WOMAN OR GIRL TO ASSIST in light housework, may stay home nights if desired. 45 Piccadilly street.

WANTED—GOOD COOK, APPLY MRS. Thomas Coffey, 304 Wellington street.

GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK, for family of three. Apply 331 St. James street.

LADIES WANTED TO INFORM THEIR

husbands and boys that MI Linda is the best smoke on the market. Manufactured by Vega Gaste Company. 27c.

MUSICAL INSTRUCTION.

JAS. CREWELL, MUSICAL DIRECTOR, and orchestral instruments. 43c King street.

TORONTO COLLEGE OF MUSIC

Will Reopen Sept. 3, at 261 DUNDAS STREET

G. B. SIPPI, ORGANIST ST. PAUL'S Cathedral, resumes vocal and instrumental instruction Sept. 3.

Mr. J. Lamont Galbraith, tenor, piano, and voice, advanced piano, 211 Dundas. Phone 2671.

MISS JEAN ROBB (MRS. COCHRAN), elocutionist, soprano vocalist, will be absent in Scotland during July.

V. L. HEWER, BARTON, SOLOIST and choir leader, Wellington Street. Methodist Church—Absolute voice production and concert engagements.

J. PARNELL MORRIS—VOICE CULTURE and singing. 44 Colborne. Phone 1661.

STOCKBROKERS.

WANTED—BEST RATE PAID FOR city loan companies' shares. John Wright, 457 Richmond street, London. Phone 637.

SURVEYORS.

F. W. FARNOCHE, CIVIL ENGINEER and surveyor, Bank Toronto Chambers, Richmond street.

ARTICLES FOR SALE.

SEE MCCORMICK'S EXHIBIT OF Favorite Stoves and Ranges at the Fair.

SOME GOOD SECOND-HAND TOY delivery wagons for sale. Abbott's Carriage Works.

HAND LAUNDRY

Work Called For and Delivered.

FAMILY WASHINGS A SPECIALTY

Prices reasonable.

Miss Strachan, 347 Wellington St.

FOR SALE—GOOD WORKING TEAM

of horses, wagon and harness. Apply 123 Matfield street.

FOR SALE—HAMMOND TYPEWRITER

Bringing from 1235, Bogard's hall. Alfred Tyler, 355 Clarence street, London.

SCISSORS, KNIVES, EDGE TOOLS

sharpened. Everything repaired. Percy Hodgins, 715 Richmond street.

PRIVATE SALE OF FURNITURE AND

carpets. Will exchange anything for large trunk. 84 Princess avenue. 51c.

F. J. GREENAWAY

Successor to JAMES GREENAWAY.

PLUMBING, STEAM AND

HOT WATER FITTING.

Prompt attention given repair work. Estimates free. J. J. Greenaway, 370 KING ST. W. TELEPHONE 681.

FOR SALE—CHOICE NEW MILK

YORKSHIRE cow, George Lewis, Baltimore, Ont. 10, con. 7, London Township. 51c-27c.

PRIVATE SALE OF HOUSEHOLD

furniture—No. 9 Marley Place, between 2 and 9 p.m.; also house to rent. 55c.

EXCURSIONERS TO THE WEST

Good, large Telescopes, 50c to \$1. Good, large Sundresses, \$1 to \$2.

JAS. MCCORMICK

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LONDON, MONDAY, SEPT. 14.

SIR WILFRID IN ONTARIO.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, tomorrow, at Niagara Falls, addresses his first campaign meeting in Western Ontario. He is obliged to return to Montreal for the manufacturers' banquet on Thursday, but will resume his tour on Saturday at Stratford, where there should be a great gathering of the electors of Middlesex and Lambton.

For reasons which perhaps no one regrets more than he, Sir Wilfrid has not made frequent public appearances in the intervals between elections. We have heard it said by a man who has public business at Ottawa and Washington, that the Premier of Canada is harder-driven and less accessible than the President of the United States. The President has no legislative duties, whereas the Premier must be in constant attendance upon Parliament, which is now in the habit of sitting the greater part of the year. It is fortunate for Sir Wilfrid and for the country, that he has learned the art of conserving his health, after a painful experience. He enters this campaign in better physical condition than he has known for the past ten years.

Sir Wilfrid's visit excites an interest and enthusiasm in Ontario, as in every other province, such as no other public man has commanded since the death of Sir John Macdonald. It was so before he became the Premier of Canada, and it is a proof of his essential greatness that after twelve years of the searching test of office he retains an undiminished hold on the imagination of his countrymen. His opponents feel and admit the spell, and long for a personality in their own ranks to challenge his unique pre-eminence and popularity. The arrows of slander and scandal pass over his head, and the most malignant partisans stop short of impugning his personal honor.

To this greatest of Canadians the people of Western Ontario of all parties join in extending a welcome. It may or may not be his last appeal for their suffrages, but few doubt that it will be successful. The twelve years of his premiership have lifted Canada out of stagnation and despondency, and the arguments for a change of administration are no more potent than in 1900 and 1904.

CANADA CAPTURING THE GRAIN EXPORT TRADE.

All indications point to Montreal retaining the lead it has gained in the export grain trade. A statement issued by the trunk lines shows that in May, June and July of last year Montreal exported 7,767,945 bushels of wheat, as compared with 4,497,516 by the ports of New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Baltimore, combined, while in the same months this year Montreal's exports increased to 10,891,303 bushels, as against 8,726,266 bushels by the four United States ports.

Naturally, the various trans-Atlantic lines loading from the United States ports are alarmed over the situation, and have petitioned the railway trunk lines to concede lower grain rates for export. The petitioners point out that the export grain trade is being diverted from United States ports to Montreal, and that Montreal is not only loading the regular tonnage, but the favorable grain rates from that port are attracting tramp steamers in addition to the regular lines.

In their reply, rejecting the appeal of the steamship people, the trunk lines contend that the general depression in lake traffic has diverted independently operated lake vessels from their customary service between upper lake ports to the longer routes to points of transshipment on the St. Lawrence or to Montreal direct, and the prediction is made that with the fall movements of grain these vessels will find it more profitable to confine their service to the upper lake ports. The trunk lines further claim that the rail lines from Georgian Bay ports to Montreal have not shared in the business, are suffering from all-water rate competition, and in view of increased crop movement have announced a 54-cent per bushel rate from Georgian Bay ports to Montreal. Finally, they express the belief that the conditions which have brought about the development of Montreal's grain shipping have been abnormal and temporary, and that before long the United States ports will once more receive their customary share of business. Taking this view of the situation, the trunk lines are unable to see their way to a reduction of their rates.

It is evident the United States railways do not yet fully realize the extent to which Canadians are profiting by their geographical position, which

with improved railway and canal facilities, is making the Canadian the favorite route. They overlook the fact that if it is necessary to maintain the present advantage of the St. Lawrence route, the Canadian Government will spend more money upon waterways, probably upon the construction of a new Welland canal.

ANNEXATION OF CONGO.

The adoption by the Belgian Senate last week of the Congo annexation treaty enables the Belgian Government to improve the material and moral condition of the natives of a portion of Africa vaster in extent than the whole of Europe, and practically puts an end to King Leopold's misrule in that region, which has for so long been a disgrace to civilization. It is true, an article of the treaty of Berlin stipulates that the signatory powers must be notified of the assumption of sovereignty by Belgium, so that they may, if so inclined, raise objections, but none of these powers is expected to offer opposition.

King Leopold and his Parliament have been bargaining for a long time over this matter. From the first the king seems to have had but one purpose, namely, to give as little as possible and to secure the highest price for it. Not only did he want Belgium to assume the Congo public debt and bear all the expense of administration, but to recognize as the private property of himself, or his concessionaires, the richest part of the country. As it is, the king makes a very good bargain, as the treaty as finally adopted leaves in the hands of himself and his grantees a vast extent of territory. The value of this is, however, greatly lessened by precautions which have been taken against the continuance of the system of forced labor within private concessions—a reform due largely to the moral pressure brought to bear by Great Britain and the United States. To the proposal that Belgium assume the Congo public debt, the Chamber of Deputies is unalterably opposed.

The Berlin act of 1885 promised freedom of trade in the Congo basin to all nations, and in view of the big commercial concessions held by private companies, Belgium will no doubt experience much difficulty in fulfilling the promise. But of far greater importance than this economical question, is the accomplishment of a great humanitarian object.

In assuming the maintenance of law and order and the development of social and industrial progress in the Congo country, Belgium has undertaken a serious administrative problem. The civilized world hopes she will prove equal to it.

No doubt the fear of riot was the only motive behind Premier Assolant's request of the Roman Catholic dignitaries to omit the carrying of the Host from Sunday's procession. In this country no one would have given it a second thought, and perhaps in England there would have been no suggestion of disorder but for the foolish protest of the so-called Protestant alliance. The English are not bigoted race, and nowhere do Roman Catholics enjoy more freedom than in English-speaking countries, as the Pope's legate graciously acknowledged at the opening of the Eucharistic Congress. The whole affair was merely an exhibition of prejudice by a few people, but it is not likely to leave any permanent soreness, or sully Great Britain's reputation for religious toleration.

A QUESTION OF VERACITY.

[Puck.]
"Waiter, is this egg fresh?"
"Yassah! Yassah! Laid dis mawnin', sah!"
"H'm! Waiter, was the hen under oath when she cackled?"

JOSH'S FUTURE.

[Washington Star.]
"So your son Josh is going to law school?"
"Yes," answered Farmer Cornloss; "but he don't pay no 'tention whatever to his books. I guess maybe he's goin' to be one of these here unwritten lawyers."

THEIR ESCAPE.

[The Wasp.]
A happy smile the young man wore, And yet I knew he must be sore.
His eyes were swollen nearly shut, His chin was bruised, his ear was cut.
And yet you saw, in spite of this, He fairly radiated bliss.
The girl seemed very happy, too, Although she was all black and blue.
Her face by scarlet spots was marked; In places, too, the skin was barked.
Her hat, poor thing, was knocked awry (She was uncommon sweet and shy).
I looked and wondered at the pair; They both seemed quite used up for fair.
The impulse I could hardly check To ask them all about the wreck;
Or why and for what fancied fault They had encountered the assault.
And why they showed no great distress, But really beamed with happiness.

LOATH TO DEPART.

[Detroit News.]
Summer is an old-fashioned dame, who puts on her shawl and bonnet and says, "Well, I must be going now," and then lingers to gossip a while.
PLAIN SPEECH, PLAIN TRUTH.
[Court Journal.]
It is scarcely just to say that British oratory has declined; the fact is that it is

declined, refused, rejected—the British people will have none of it. The well-rounded period, the sonorous phrase have gone out of fashion. It is not all due to a hustling age, but rather to an instinctive mistrust of flowers of speech, and a belief that oratory is more often used to conceal the truth than to proclaim it.

THE CARELESS NEPHEW.

[Hamilton Herald.]
She forgot to mention him in her will. Did his unforgiving elderly aunt. He had kept her house while she went abroad. And forgot to water the rubber plant.

'HOW THE RUMOR STARTED.

[Hamilton Herald.]
Just because a Glasgow crowd shouted "Hoot, hoot!" at Prince Arthur, a report is circulated that the prince was hooted in Glasgow.

NOT OF THAT VARIETY.

[Louisville Courier-Journal.]
"Are you fond of entertaining callers?"
"Yes," answered the lady addressed; "but few of mine are that variety."

HORNED AND DANGEROUS.

[Philadelphia Inquirer.]
Teacher (giving a lesson on the rhinoceros)—Now, can you name any other things that have horns and are dangerous to get near?
Sharp Pupil—Motor cars.

KILLING TIME AT ATLANTIC CITY.
[Judge.]
In Atlantic City—"What's done to kill time there?"
"Oh, the bored walk."

NOT AN IDLER.

[Chips.]
Old Lady—My little boy, have you no better way to spend this beautiful afternoon than by standing about idling away your time?
Boy—I ain't idling away my time. There's Mr. Hankinson inside making love to my sister, and he is paying me sixpence an hour to watch for pa.

MAY BE METHOD IN IT.

[Puck.]
Jinks—Mr. Mantox never spoke a harsh word to his wife.
"Yes," remarked a lady, "but was that due to kindness or caution? That's what I should like to know?"

HATES TO GO HOME.

[Philadelphia Press.]
The lover can't help showing That when he's slow in going He's positively "gone."

HYPOCRISY EPOSED.

[Halifax Chronicle.]
Take the Colchester episode as an example, and the election of John Stanfield as a type. With what measure of joy was that event acclaimed as a great moral victory over the powers of darkness! What moral lessons it served to teach! What high-down principles it gave point to! For nine long months a suffering public were invoked to ponder the moral lesson and worship the wooden god. A wash of lightning truth from the heaven of relentless justice, and the tatters of their robes of self-righteousness were singed from their skins, and their shrivelled hypocrisy was exposed to a derisive world. The ass when shorn of its lion's skin was not so ridiculous.

A NEW DANGER.

[New York Sun.]
Knicker—Let's sit out the dance in the conservatory.
Stella—But they say that plants have eyes and memories.

BLUE LOOKOUT.

[Toronto Telegram.]
It's three hundred years since Quebec City was founded, and R. L. Borden feels that it's going to be that long before he carries the province of that name.

A PRESS CENSOR.

[Judge.]
Bobby—Pa, what's a press censor?
Pa—He's a man who knows more than he thinks other people should.

STRONG TOMATOES.

[Le Canada.]
Judge—You were found drunk on the public highway.
Accused—Pardon me, your honor, I had taken nothing. I had merely had a bite at a Colchester tomato.

LAWYER PREMIERS.

[Ottawa Press Press.]
While Mr. Assolant is the first man distinguished as a barrister, to become prime minister of Great Britain, it is far different in Canada, where lawyers have been much to the front in political life. Three out of six prime ministers of Canada have been lawyers, and in Ontario only one of six has come from outside the ranks of the gown. In New Brunswick, out of a round dozen of prime ministers, every one has worn the gown. In Nova Scotia they have not gained so prominent a place—just turning the scale in numbers. In the west the lawyers have not so thoroughly engrossed the first seat, and at present the prime ministers are divided half and half—Alberta and British Columbia are guided by lawyers, Saskatchewan by a journalist, and Manitoba by a farmer.

TURKISH WOMEN'S UNION

Badly Scared Ex-Minister Who Feared Prison Again.
Constantinople, Sept. 12.—A number of distinguished Turkish women have formed a committee called a union, the first women's association on record.

Yesterday they chartered a launch and called upon several persons of distinction, demanding support for benevolent works. The launch stopped before the Bosphorus residence of Riza Pasha, ex-minister of war, who has just been released, and who was frightened almost to death, believing that it came to take him back to prison. He was relieved on ascertaining that it was only the gentle sex demanding money for the poor.

Turkish women are largely profiting by the advantages which liberty has afforded them, and they may shortly be expected to be seen dancing at balls given by Europeans.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Sept. 12-13.—New York-Caledonia, from Glasgow; St. Louis, from Southampton; Louisiana, from Bordeaux; La Touraine, from Havre; La Gascogne, from New York.
At Plymouth—St. Paul, from New York; At Queenstown—Carnegie, from New York.
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At Naples—Germany, from New York.
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At Southampton—St. Paul, from New York.
At London—Mount Temple, from Montreal.



The Cast.
Joseph Brooks, collector of the Latin-American Steamship Company, William L. Gibson.

Emma Brooks, his wife, Sara Perry. James Smith, superintendent of the dockage of the Latin-American Steamship Company, Albert Brown. Captain Williams, president of the Latin-American Steamship Company, formerly a South Pacific trader, Clarence Handyside.
Mrs. Harris, mother of Emma, and widow Captain Williams' late associate in business, Rose Snyder.
Beth Harris, her daughter, Pauline Darling.
Sato, the Japanese valet of Captain Williams, Allen Atwell.

This is the cast of the play, "Paid in Full," which appeared at the Grand Opera House on Saturday for two performances. Only ordinary audiences were present, although the play is one of the strongest and most interesting that has ever visited London.

The story is about the four principal characters, Captain Williams, Joe Brooks, James and Jimmy Smith. Williams, who is an old buccaner, settled down, organized the Latin-American Steamship Company, after a life as rough as the pirates of old. The venture was a success, of course, and the man made himself very fortunate. In his employ were two men, Brooks and Smith. Both were sailors after the hand of Williams' former partner, Harris. Smith was one of those good-natured fellows who were not to be expected from this view of the young men. Miss Harris married the egotistical young man who built the steamships for her in magnificent style. After marriage, however, did not go right with the young couple. Brooks had to settle down in a two by two flat, and his wife had to get along as best she could. Then Brooks starts to pilfer from Williams, with that keen sizing up of human nature that is supposed to be like the second sight of an American businessman, feels that Brooks is a crook, and then gives the young fellow an opportunity to embezzle. Brooks complies. He tells a most abominable lie to his wife, puts her in an up-to-date flat, and spends money like a drunken sailor. Then he takes a fly at the ponies to try and get the money back, but the natural ending soon comes, and when he had stolen \$16,000 Williams comes home, and demands a settlement from his clerk.

Brooks is caught, and craven that he is, he endeavors to buy his freedom with his wife's honor, and manages a meeting with Williams for her. Mrs. Brooks visits Williams' apartments one night. Smith, however, sees Williams before Mrs. Brooks, and threatens to kill him if he dishonors the woman. In a struggle as intensely dramatic as has been seen here in a long time, the woman conquers, and the sailor, who declared he knew she was good, and would not have helped her if she was bad, gives her a release of the family debt, and the account is paid in full. Mrs. Brooks goes home to her husband, gives him his freedom, and leaves him forever, despising and hating him for his treachery and degradation.

This outline will give an idea of the play, but will not reveal the dramatic intensity of every act. Every scene is a gripping one, and the interest of the audience is centered on the stage at all times.

There are also times when the play borders close on the immoral. Certain relationships are discussed nowadays with as much frankness as a toothache was discussed by our ancestors. The frankness of the play borders on the brutal, but it was American, and it was a hit. There was nothing smooth about it anywhere.

As stated before, the characters were admirably handled. Clarence Handyside, as Captain Williams, is a character actor of much ability. He is not unknown to Londoners, and has played here many times. His last appearance was with Francis Wilson last season. As the rough, shrewd sailor, he made a great hit, and gave an excellent portrayal of the role.

Miss Sara Perry, as Mrs. Brooks, is an intelligent actress. True, she did not rise to the occasion in several instances, but she gave a womanly, clear impersonation of her role, and must be classed as an actress of more than ordinary ability.

Albert Brown, as Jimmy Smith, made a decided impression. Jimmy was a philosopher. He was thrown into the world nameless and without a home, but he kept pegging on, always good natured and happy, and always getting the worst of it. If it is not a crime to be born good natured, the play did not prove it.

William L. Gibson was a fair Joe Brooks. He succeeded admirably in making one despise the man, for his weakness and his egotism, and to have done that was to have succeeded as an actor.

The other roles were capably handled. The only criticism of the dramatist is to be found in that third act. The denouement of the struggle between Brooks and the captain is intended to show that the captain has turned over a new leaf. When the scene is over there is a doubt as to whether the captain has really undergone a change of heart, or whether he is afraid of gun in the hands of Jimmy Smith. The staging was magnificent.

Bennett's Fair Week Bill.

The bill this week at Bennett's is unquestionably the best they have ever had, and it is credited to the management for placing such an aggregation together for Fair week. The bill is headed by Ed. Reynard, the well-known ventriloquist, and the special added attraction is Basile Valdere and her large troupe of pretty girl cyclists. There are seven acts on the bill, and this show will undoubtedly draw a bumper house for the week. There is to be a benefit tomorrow (Tuesday) evening for Mr. Smith, who is dying from consumption. The district committee has arranged to have a benefit for the sick bed of a wife who died some weeks ago. This benefit will mean a great deal to this poor man, and if the public take hold of the matter, as judging from the

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Solid 14k Gold, open face, extra heavy engine turned case, Waltham works; regular \$55, now.....\$40.00

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sale of seats they will, he should receive a considerable sum of money.

"Three Little Maids," most successful London musical comedy, is the bill for the first three nights of this week at the Grand. This fetching little play, with its tuneful lyrics and excellent interpreters, has recently completed a stay of over 200 nights in New York, following a period of two successful years in London. The complete production will be given here precisely as seen in the larger cities. A popular-priced matinee will be given on Wednesday.

Charley Grapewin. While the chorus with Charley Grapewin in "The Awakening of Mr. Pipp," which opens a three-nights' engagement at the Grand next Thursday, is by no means the one attractive feature of the performance, it is quite an attraction, for its members, it is prom-

ised can sing, and not the least bit of their worth is the fact that it is a chorus good for the eye. A special matinee at popular prices will be given Saturday at 2:30 p.m.

NEW TENDERS CALLED

For Two Sections of the National Transcontinental.

Ottawa, Sept. 12.—The National Transcontinental Railway commissioners are calling for new tenders for the two sections of the road in D and E divisions, not yet under contract. The districts comprise a stretch of 104 miles westerly from the end of Faquier Bros' Abitibi contract, and a stretch of 100 miles westerly from a point about sixty miles west of the easterly boundary N. J.

of district E, north of Lake Nipigon. When tenders for all the remaining unfinished sections of the Transcontinental were called for last month only one tender for each of these two sections was received. The commission found that these tenders were not strictly in accordance with the conditions prescribed, and have accordingly called for new tenders. Tenders are also being called for the construction of locomotive shops for the Winnipeg terminals.

Michael Duffy, 53 years old, a collector, was arrested in Chicago on a charge of embezzling \$400 from his employer.
John Domokas, a Hungarian carpenter, was found shot to death on the sidewalk in front of a boarding house in Chicago.
A four-year-old girl was found brutally slain in a gulley near Cliffwood.

The Wings of the Morning

BY LOUIS TRACY.

"Look out there!" he cried. "There is a lady here. If any Dyak moves, knock him on the head!"

But, with the passing of the chief, their last peril had gone. The next instant they were standing on the firm ground, and a British naval lieutenant was saying eagerly:

"We seem to have turned up in the nick of time. Do you, by any chance, belong to the Sirdar?"

"We are the sole survivors," answered the sailor.

"You two only?"

"Yes. She struck on the north-west reef of this island during a typhoon. This lady, Miss Iris Deane, and I were flung ashore."

"Miss Deane! Can it be possible? Let me congratulate you most heartily. Sir Arthur Deane is on board the Orient at this moment."

"The Orient!"

Iris was dazed. The uniforms, the pleasant faces of the English sailors, the strange sensation of hearing familiar words in tones other than those of the man she loved, bewildered her.

"Yes," explained the officer, with a sympathetic smile. "That's our ship, you know, in the offing there."

It was all too wonderful to be quite understood yet. She turned to Robert.

"Over thirty hours."

"It was a great fight!"

"Somewhat worse than it looks," said Anstruther. "This is only the end of it. Altogether, we have accounted for nearly two score of the poor devils."

"Do you think you can make them prisoners without killing any more of them?" asked Iris.

"That depends entirely on themselves, Miss Deane. My men will not fire a shot unless they encounter resistance."

Robert looked towards the approaching boat. She would not land yet for a couple of minutes.

"By the way," he said, "will you tell me your name?"

"Playdon—Lieutenant Philip H. Playdon."

"Do you know to what nation this island belongs?"

"It is no man's land, I think. It is marked 'uninhabited' on the chart."

"Then," said Anstruther, "I call upon you, Lieutenant Playdon, and all others present, to witness that I, Robert Anstruther, late of the Indian Army, acting on behalf of myself and Miss Iris Deane, declare that we have taken possession of this island in the name of His Britannic Majesty the King of England, that we are the joint occupiers and owners thereof, and claim all property rights vested therein."

These formal phrases coming as such a moment, amazed his hearers. Iris alone had an inkling of the underlying motive.

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The boat was yet many yards from shore when Iris ran forward and stretched out her arms to the man who was staring at her with wistful despair.

"Father! Father!" she cried. "Don't you know me?"

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He met naught save blank nothingness, the silence of the great ocean mausoleum. Not a boat, a spar, a lifebuoy, was cast up by the waves to yield faintest trace of the lost steamer. Every naval man knew what had happened. The vessel had met with some mishap to her machinery, struck a derelict, or turned turtle, during that memorable typhoon of March 17 and 18. She had gone down with all hands. Her fate was a foregone conclusion. No ship's boat could live in that sea, even if the crew were able to launch one. It was another of ocean's tragedies, with the fifth act left to the imagination.

To examine every sandpatch and tree-covered shoal in the China Sea was an impossible task. All the Orient could do was to visit the principal islands and institute inquiries among the fishermen and small traders. At last, the previous night, a Malay, tempted by hope of reward, boarded the vessel when lying at anchor off the large island away to the south, and told the captain a wondrous tale of a devil-haunted place inhabited by two white spirits, a male and a female, whither a local pirate named Taung S'All had gone by chance with his men and suffered great loss. But Taung S'All was bewitched by the female spirit and had returned there, with great force, seeking to capture her or perish. The spirits, the Malay said, had dwelt upon the island for many years. His father and grandfather knew the place and feared it. Taung S'All would never be seen again.

This queer yarn was the first indication they received of the whereabouts of any person who might possibly be shipwrecked Europeans, though not survivors from the Sirdar. Anyhow, the very dot lay in the vessel's northward track, so a course was set to arrive off the island soon after dawn.

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lengthen the list of Captain Anstruther's achievements by one item more. He sighed. A good sailor always does sigh when a particularly pretty girl is labeled "Engaged."

But he could be very polite.

"Captain Anstruther does not appear to have left much for us to do, Miss Deane," he said. "Indeed," turning to Robert, "is there any way in which my men will be useful?"

"I would recommend that they drag the green stuff off that fire and stop the smoke. Then a detachment should go round the north side of the island and drive the remaining Dyaks into the hands of the party you have landed, as I understand, at the further end of the south beach. Mr. Jan, the Mahomedan here, who has been a most faithful ally during part of our siege, will act as guide."

The other man cast a comprehensive glance over the rock, with its scaling ladders and dangling rope-ladder, the cave, the little groups of dead or unconscious pirates—for every wounded man who could move a limb had crawled away after the first shell burst—and drew a deep breath.

"How long were you up there?" he asked.

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WEEKLY REVIEW OF COMMERCE

Bradstreet's Report of Financial Conditions in Chief Centres of the Dominion.

Montreal: The past week has seen some betterment in the condition of general wholesale trade here. The fallers on the road report better orders for sorting goods and fall and winter business is taking on a brisker tone. The millinery trade has shown more marked improvement than any other line. The recovery in business is so far compares well with that of last year. General drygoods are moving fairly well. The light stocks which retailers are carrying are beginning to need replenishing. Linens and silks are active lines. Ribbon prices are firm. The grocery trade is only fair, although staples are moving steadily. Values are generally without change. The hardware trade is moderate. Metals and heavy goods move fairly well. The decrease in lumber activity has had some effect upon this branch of business. It has also lessened the demand for provisions, etc. Money is now fairly free, and there has been resultant activity in Canadian securities. Country trade is moderate and collections are still inclined slow. The outlook favors improvement in both connections.

Toronto reports to Bradstreet's say: Several causes have contributed to ending this past week. The closing week of the annual National Exposition is invariably visited by large numbers of out-of-town merchants, who take advantage of the opportunity to do business while at the market. The fall millinery openings have been under the way and the business done has been heavy. Orders for fall and winter drygoods are now good. A moderately good business is moving in all lines of hardware, and the demand for staple groceries is about normal. Taken together, the recovery in trade has been good during the past month and further improvement is confidently expected. Collections are as yet slow from many districts, but they are showing improvement. It is felt that even should not the country this fall enjoy a complete return of prosperity, conditions are so favorable that all outstanding obligations will be cleared off. Crop returns in all parts of the country assure this. Good shipments are being made to the west. Depleted stocks are beginning to make hurried purchases necessary. The C. P. R. strike is yet unsettled, but the company claims to be getting plenty of business. Provisions are coming forward fairly well, but prices mostly are firm in tone. Hides are quiet, but moderately active, and wool unchanged.

Winnipeg reports say confidence in future business seems to be restored in all lines of trade. Wholesale trade is brisker than it has been for many months. No doubt stocks were getting low in all parts of the country, and the excellent harvest has encouraged tailors to order goods for later trade. There has already been some improvement in collections and this fall should see long standing debts disposed of. A good millinery trade has been done during the past week. Hardware business is slightly more active, although building is still light. The

grain shipped so far shows excellent quality. Vancouver and Victoria. Trade all along the coast has a sunny tone. Wholesalers report a good demand for staple lines and values are steady. Collections also show improvement. The lumber trade is quiet on account of the lack of demand, but the mining companies and prices have dropped considerably during the past ten days. Dairy products keep firm. Local industries show no unusual activity, but an improvement is anticipated as the season advances.

Hamilton reports to Bradstreet's say the trade situation continues to show some improvement, although the volume of business is still below expectations. The millinery trade has been good and that in general drygoods and stocks held by the company, \$1,541,874. Total, \$2,446,999.

From this there has been charged a half-yearly dividend on preference stock at 2 per cent, \$940,340, and a half-yearly dividend on ordinary stock of 3 per cent, paid April 1, 1908, \$3,650,400. There has also been declared a second half-yearly dividend on preference stock of 2 per cent, \$976,066, and a second half-yearly dividend on ordinary stock of 3 per cent, payable on Oct. 1, 1908, \$3,650,400, leaving the net surplus for the year at \$5,579,715.

In addition to the above dividends on ordinary stock, 1 per cent was declared from interest on land funds. Working expenses for the year amounted to \$9,471 per cent of the gross earnings, and net earnings to 30.53 per cent, as compared with 69.96 and 35.04 per cent, respectively, in 1907.

The statement of earnings for the year ended June 30, 1908, shows receipts from passengers, \$19,900,432; from freight, \$44,037,507; from mails, \$739,755; from sleeping car, express, elevators, telegraph and miscellaneous, \$6,706,388. Total, \$71,384,173.

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FAIR WEEK CELEBRATION

GREAT FAIR WEEK SAVING OPPORTUNITIES

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Drop in here in the morning or afternoon; buy, and through your purchases save enough to pay for your fun at the fair.

\$1.00 Kid Gloves for 49c

It would not be Fair Week without our Glove Sale. These are Suede Kid Gloves, in black, white and a few colors. A manufacturer's odd lot, bought at a very low price. Sale for these will commence Tuesday morning at 8:30.

Dress Goods Fair Week Specials

Chevron Stripe Worsteds, newest material for this season's wear, in brown, navy, green and black. Regular 85c cloth for, 65c

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CANADIAN PACIFIC ANNUAL REPORT

Gross Receipts for Year Totalled \$71,384,173 and Expenses Were \$48,591,807.

Montreal, Sept. 12.—The twenty-seventh annual report of the directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company for the year ended June 30, 1908, has been issued to the shareholders. The accounts of the company for the year ended June 30, 1908, show the following results: Gross earnings, \$71,384,173; working expenses, \$48,591,807; net earnings, \$22,792,366.

Net earnings of steamships in excess of the amount included in monthly reports, \$1,112,759; interest on deposits and loans, \$484,560; interest from Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railway and on other bonds and stocks held by the company, \$1,541,874. Total, \$24,446,999.

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FEAR WATER FAMINE

Residents of Hamilton Suburb Hard Hit by the Drought.

Hamilton, Sept. 12.—The continued drought has put the residents of Kew-Elm, a suburb in the east end of the city, in a bad plight for a water supply. Several of their wells have already gone dry, and there are but a few remaining. There are two hotels supplied with city water in that neighborhood, but the city authorities have notified the proprietors not to supply the residents with city water on pain of being summoned to the police court. The residents say that if rain does not come in the near future there will be a regular water famine in that district.

KILLED IN RUNAWAY.

Carlton Place, Sept. 12.—Archibald Macdonald, aged about 78 years, a much respected farmer of Berks, was killed here today by his team running away and throwing him on the pavement.

SUGAR THIEVES.

Ottawa, Sept. 12.—The Grand Trunk Railway are mystified by a series of thefts of sugar, which is sent in bags in sealed cars from Montreal to Ottawa. The missing sugar sometimes has amounted to half a ton, when the consignment has been delivered. Apparently, in one of the two cities, a wholesale stealing system is at work, presumably in Montreal.

THE MISSING STEWART.

Ottawa, Sept. 12.—One of the oddest things in connection with the disappearance of Mr. D. M. Stewart, ex-general manager of the Sovereign Bank, is the announcement in the most recent militia orders, which states that leave of absence, with permission to travel abroad, has been granted Lieut.-Col. D. M. Stewart, Thirteenth Scottish Light Dragoons, from the 1st inst. to the 30th of November next.

SWEENEY PROMOTED.

Windsor, Ont., Sept. 12.—H. W. Sweeney, who for a number of years has acted as paymaster of the C. P. R. here, has been promoted to be local treasurer of the company at Winnipeg. Mr. John Dolg, the assistant paymaster, has taken over Mr. Sweeney's work, and it is expected he will later be appointed paymaster.

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Asylum Sports Were Successful Big Crowd Saw Annual Games

Special Event Proved of Immense Interest—The Winners in the Contests.

If anything was left undone to make the 21st annual athletic sports of the London Asylum on Saturday a most pronounced success it was not apparent to the vast crowd of spectators present. Every event was run off in the smoothest possible manner, and delays between contests were almost totally lacking.

Large fields and keen rivalry, made the various contests most enjoyable, and altogether the sports were the best ever held at the institution.

As in the past, the obstacle race proved one of the strongest features of the day's outing, although the barrel-boxing contest was a close second choice.

Francis Flynn proved too speedy for the other competitors in the race for boys, 13 and under, although challenged strongly by Roy Kitchen.

In the 13-year-old girls' race Marguerite Blake was fastest, with Mary Scott second to reach the tape.

Robert Trenaman again retained the honor of being the best all-around athlete among the male patients, taking first in the 100-yard dash; fourth, with his partner, Bowman, in the three-legged race; fifth in the boot-and-shoe race; and first in the 200-yard wheelbarrow event, and the sack race; third in the handicap match, besides taking premier honors in the obstacle race.

Boxing Contest.

A battle royal ensued in the barrel-boxing contest, which was won by William Last, an attendant, who was strongly pressed by Dr. Clare, who first learned to handle the gloves at Trinity College. There were numerous competitors in this contest, and the humorous part of it was that the larger competitors were defeated easily by the smaller boxers. Mr. Last and Dr. Clare boxed for at least fifteen minutes in the final, which was decided best three out of five falls. Time after time both competitors, in their eagerness, fell at the same moment. Eventually, however, Dr. Clare, who persisted in sitting on the edge of the barrel, was knocked down twice, and threw up the sponge.

Obstacle Race.

Robert Trenaman made a runaway of the obstacle race. The runners climbed under nets and over hayricks, and some of the manoeuvres executed by the unsuccessful candidates for prizes were highly humorous. Alfred Barrett, a strong contender last year, got his foot caught in one of the hayricks, and finished last. The nets came in for rough usage, some of the competitors mistaking holes in the same for exits, and tearing through, regardless of etiquette or hygiene.

Tug-of-War.

The tug-of-war between two asylum teams went to Capt. McGee's sturdy team in straight pulls. The winners apparently had the weight and the science, and the event was over in a few seconds.

One of the most pleasing innovations of the day was the special competition for dressed female patients. Five competitors entered this event, and it was some time before the judges could pick the winners, so cleverly gotten up were the girls.

Ida Burns, daintily dressed in a white dress, with blue trimmings, was the winner, the second choice being Eva Dowell, attired in a neat white and black polka dot dress.

Ball-Throwing.

Miss Stevenson proved herself a regular feminine Hans Wagner in the cricket, ball throwing contest for lady employees, heaving the heavy, hard ball over 100 feet. Some of the other competitors persisted in throwing the ball underhanded, with the result that there was as short as 50 feet were recorded.

There was any amount of fun in the three-legged, boot and shoe, and sack races, while all of the other contests were not devoid of humorous features.

The professor gave an exhibition which would drive many a professional to envy, and his efforts were much appreciated.

The Seventh Regiment Band was in attendance all afternoon, and it goes without saying that the musical end of the programme was all that could be asked for.

Much Credit Due.

To those in charge of the sports—unlimited credit is due for the capable manner in which the games were conducted. There were no hitches of any kind, and nothing marred the perfect day's sport.

The Sports.

Race for boys, employees' children—1 Francis Flynn, 2 Roy Kitchen, 3 Walter Flynn.
Girls' race, employees' children—1 Marguerite Blake, 2 Mary Scott, 3 Isabelle Blake.
Male patients, 100 yards—1 Robert Trenaman, 2 Wm. Milligan, 3 Wm. Anderson, 4 Ernest Wheeler, 5 Jesse Bowman, 6 Albert Barrett.
Female patients—1 Ethel Brearley, 2 Ellen Peers, 3 Maud Beers, 4 Ella Evans, 5 May Hardwick, 6 Victoria Velle, 7 Victoria Scott.
Three-legged race—1 Beaton and Laughlin, 2 Smith and McMillan, 3 Doan and Wilkins, 4 Trenaman and Bowman.
Boot and shoe race—1 Thos. Synott, 2 Wm. Milligan, 3 Alex. Marlett, 4 Peter Campbell, 5 Robert Trenaman, 6 George Laidlaw.
Throwing 56-Pound Weight.
1 Herbert Doan, 2 Frank Slater, 3

Arthur Throule, 4 Chas. Robinson.
Best distance, 20 feet 1 inch.

Wheelbarrow Race.
1 Robert Trenaman, 2 Wm. Milligan, 3 Wm. Anderson, 4 D. McBride, 5 A. Barrett, 6 Thos. Synott.
100-Yard Dash, Male Employees.
1 McMillan, 2 Last, 3 Wilkins, 4 Beaton 5 Christie.

Female Employees Race.
1 Miss Grim, 2 Miss Morkin, 3 Miss Gooderham, 4 Miss McLean, 5 Miss Dengerate, 6 Miss Simmons.

Sack Race.
1 Robt. Trenaman, 2 Francis Flynn, 3 Wm. Anderson, 4 Geo. Richardson, 5 John Beaton, 6 Wm. Mulligan.

Handicap Race, Male Patients.
1 Peter Campbell, 2 Geo. Ludlaw, 3 Robert Trenaman, 4 Wm. Milligan, 5 Duncan McBride, 6 Alexander Marlett.

Married Employees Under 40.
1 Thos. McLaughlin, 2 H. Doan, 3 H. M. Marshall.

Race for Female Employees.
1 Miss Gooderham, 2 Miss Sophia Cooke, 3 Miss Dengerate, 4 Miss Simmons, 5 Miss McLean.

Female Patients, Handicap Race.
1 Miss Beers, 2 Ella Evans, 3 Miss Peers, 4 Maud Beers, 5 Emil Atkins, 6 Victoria Velle, 7 Miss Brett.

Male Patients, Handicap Race.
1 John Fitzgerald, 2 Lionel Perton, 3 Wm. Anderson, 4 Geo. Ludlaw, 5 Duncan McBride, 6 Albert Barrett, 7 Thos. Synott.

Handicap Race, Female Patients.
1 Maud Beers, 2 Ethel Brearley, 3 Ella Evans, 4 E. Atkins, 5 Miss Peers, 6 Victoria Velle, 7 Victoria Scott.

Robt. Trenaman, 2 Geo. Richardson, 3 Wm. Milligan, 4 Wm. Anderson, 5 David Edwards, 6 Francis Flynn, 7 Roy Kitchen.

Boxing in Barrels.
1 Wm. Last, 2 Dr. N. Clare.
Ladies' Consolation Race.
1 Maud Beers, 2 S. Brett, 3 Victoria Scott, 4 Victoria Velle, 5 Miss Sheppard, 6 Frances Sheldrake.
Married employees over 40—1 R. B. Helgway, 2 Wm. Clark.
Quarter-mile open—1 D. Gooderham, 2 A. R. McMillan, 3 W. Smith, 4 J. Sanders.
Throwing cricket ball, female employees—1 Miss Stevenson, 2 Miss McLean, 3 Miss Cox.
Special prize, best-dressed female patient, with institution clothing—1 Ida Burns, 2 Eva Dowell, 3 Miss Warner.

The Officers.
The officers who conducted the successful sports were:
Judges—George Neely, M.L.A., Dr. Rutledge, J. C. Judd, Charles W. Leonard, George M. Reid, Dr. John D. Wilson, S. Frank Glass, F. Love, P.M., P. Moore, Thomas Gillespie, W. J. Reid, E. Reichtner, Mayor Stevely, C. C. Hodgins, Peter Elson, M. P. Duncan, Ross, M.L.A., S. Screaton, T. W. McFarland, T. H. Smallman, C. S. Hyman.

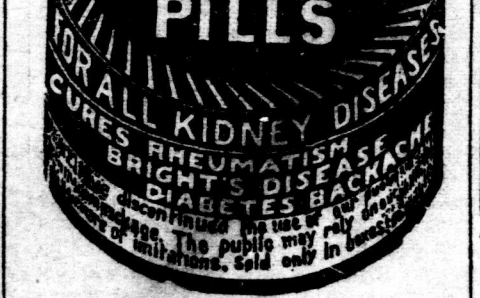
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*6:30 p.m., *8:00 p.m., 10 p.m.

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Depart for the east—*12:14 a.m., *3:40 a.m., 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., *11:38 a.m., 2:05 p.m., *4:25 p.m., *6:53 p.m. (Eastern Flyer).

The trains leaving at 7:30 a.m. and 2:05 p.m. stop at all stations.
Depart for the west—*4:00 a.m., 7:40 a.m., *11:18 a.m., *11:35 a.m., 1:40 p.m., *8:18 p.m.
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Arrive—10:00 a.m., *4 p.m., *6:50 p.m. (Eastern Flyer), 11 p.m.
Depart—6:35 a.m., *11:27 a.m., 2:26 p.m., *8:10 p.m. (International Limited).

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Depart—4:10 a.m., 10:20 a.m., 2:45 p.m., 4:55 p.m.
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Depart—For the east—*4:40 a.m., *2:28 a.m., *5:28 p.m. For the west—*11:28 a.m., *9:40 p.m., *11:00 p.m.

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St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 13.—After battling eleven innings against the Browns today, holding them to an even score, the Tigers saw victory slip away from them in a moment. An excusable error of commission by Herman Schaefer and an inexcusable error of omission by Ira Thomas, were to blame. It was the fifth extra inning game in five days for the champions. They lost, 2 to 1.

Rube Waddell faced them and went the distance. The old fault, inability to hit in the pinches, was much to blame for the defeat. They had chances, but could not come through. The rest of the time the Rube had it on them. Eddie Summers opposed him and pitched the same great article of ball that he has been delivering for the past month. Defeat was through no fault of his.

Tiger Hoodoo.

Jack Sheridan, the Tiger hoodoo, was again back on the job. Jack and the Tigers had their usual row. Summers claimed he was hit by a pitched ball early in the day and had a run-in with the veteran umpire. The worthy battle lasted through most of the day. The climax came in the eleventh round. With one out, Tom Jones grounded to Schaefer. The Dutchman had to make the play hurriedly to get his man and threw low. Jones was safe. Sid Smith, who somehow or other, has always been able to hit against the Tigers since he broke into the league with Philadelphia earlier this year, and smashed one over the Bennett Park fence, came to bat. Summers put over one strike, and with Jones leading off second, Thomas turned to Sheridan to say something about Smith being out of the batter's box. Jones saw that the catcher's back was turned and trotted to second. That lost the game, for a moment later Smith singled to right and Jones beat Cobb's throw to the plate.

Normal Hitting Lacking.

With the team hitting as it can hit and should be hitting, the situation would never have come up, for the game would not have gone into over time. However, in all truth, it must be said that the league leaders got none of the breaks in the luck of the game. Wallace, by a great catch, robbed McIntyre of a hit that would have broken up the game in the fifth. In the tenth Stone stole what would have been an extra base hit from Schaefer by another one of his freak catches, and in the eleventh, after Roseman had doubled, and Thomas had been walked, Mullin, batting for Perry, landed on one of the Rube's benders for a drive that would have won; but Bobbie Wallace, pulled off the greatest fielding play of the day, ending the chance. In the fourth, Crawford led off with one of the typical Wahoo brand of smashes. It was headed for the right field corner, ticketed for three sacks, but Tom Jones stuck out his mitt to defend himself. The force of the impact carried him off his pins, but he managed to crawl to first for the put-out.

ST. LOUIS.

	A.	B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Stone, 1st	5	0	2	1	0	0	0
Hartzell, r.f.	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schweitzer, c.f.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ferris, 3b.	5	1	0	1	0	1	0
Wallace, s.	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
Williams, 2b.	4	0	1	3	2	0	0
T. Jones, 1b.	1	1	1	3	2	0	0
Smith, c.	4	0	2	10	0	0	0
Waddell, p.	4	0	1	0	2	0	0
Hoffman, c.f.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	39	2	11	33	12	0	0

DETROIT.

	A.	B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
McIntyre, 1st	5	1	1	5	0	0	0
Schaefer, s.	4	0	1	1	3	1	0
Crawford, c.f.	5	0	1	1	3	1	0
Cobb, r.f.	5	0	2	0	1	0	0
Rossman, 1b.	5	0	1	12	1	0	0
Totals	35	1	7	20	13	2	0

All the Games in the Big Leagues

NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
Saturday's Games.			
At Philadelphia (first game).....	R. H. E.	5 16 1	
Philadelphia.....	5 16 1		
Eleven innings.			
Batteries—Ferguson and Graham; Corridon and Dooin. Umpire, Emslie.			
At Philadelphia (second game).....	R. H. E.	1 8 2	
Boston.....	3 4 1		
Batteries—Dorner and Bowerman; Sparks and Jackitsch. Umpire, Emslie.			
At New York.....	R. H. E.	3 10 3	
New York.....	6 9 2		
Batteries—McIntyre and Dunn; Mathewson and Brenahan. Umpires, Klein and Johnston.			
At Pittsburgh.....	R. H. E.	3 7 2	
Cincinnati.....	4 6 3		
Batteries—Ewing and Schell; Maddox and Gibson. Umpire, Rigler.			
At St. Louis.....	R. H. E.	7 10 2	
St. Louis.....	8 13 2		
Batteries—Cookley and Kling; Lush and Ludwig. Umpire, O'Day.			
Sunday's Games.			
At St. Louis.....	R. H. E.	3 9 2	
Chicago.....	0 5 2		
At Pittsburgh.....	R. H. E.	2 4 2	
Cincinnati.....	2 8 1		
AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
Saturday's Games.			
At New York.....	R. H. E.	1 8 2	
Boston.....	0 5 2		
Batteries—Manning and Kleinsow; Young and Criger. Umpire, Evans.			
At Washington.....	R. H. E.	4 9 2	
Philadelphia.....	4 9 2		
Batteries—Schiltzer and Lapp; Johnston and Street. Umpire, Connolly.			
At Detroit.....	R. H. E.	2 8 1	
Chicago.....	1 7 2		
Ten innings.			
Batteries—Smith and Sullivan; Winter and Schmidt. Umpires, O'Loughlin and Hurst.			
At Cleveland.....	R. H. E.	4 11 2	
St. Louis.....	5 11 1		
Batteries—Petry and Smith; Chech and			

SPORTING NEWS OF THE DAY

QUOTING, BOXING,
FOOTBALL, GOLF, CRICKET

STANDING OF THE LEAGUES

EASTERN LEAGUE.				NATIONAL LEAGUE.				AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.	Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.	Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Baltimore.....	80	61	.511	New York.....	81	46	.638	Detroit.....	75	64	.531
Providence.....	75	54	.582	Pittsburgh.....	81	51	.614	Chicago.....	75	58	.564
Newark.....	73	56	.568	Chicago.....	82	52	.612	St. Louis.....	74	59	.559
Buffalo.....	71	62	.534	Philadelphia.....	71	57	.555	Cleveland.....	74	60	.555
Montreal.....	69	74	.484	Cincinnati.....	63	70	.474	Philadelphia.....	62	66	.488
Toronto.....	56	75	.427	Boston.....	55	76	.420	Boston.....	64	68	.485
Jersey City.....	56	75	.427	St. Louis.....	45	85	.346	Washington.....	57	70	.449
Rochester.....	54	77	.412	Brooklyn.....	45	86	.344	New York.....	43	87	.331

OLYMPIANS COMPETE
AT NEW YORK MEET

Sheppard Takes the Half-Mile and Hillman the Quarter.

New York, Sept. 12.—John J. Flanagan, of the Irish-American A. C., a three-time Olympic runner, was the only athlete to establish a new record in this year's A. A. U. senior championship games of the Metropolitan Association, which were held at Travers Island today. Flanagan threw the 56-pound weight 39 feet 1 1/2 inches, beating his own world's record of 38 feet 7 1/2 inches made at Jamestown, Va., last year.

There were several Olympic competitors among the big field of athletes, who contested today and each one of them was accorded an ovation when he appeared.

Flanagan won the hammer throw and 56-pound weight events. Melvin W. Sheppard won the half-mile run handily, and Harry L. Hillman took first honors in the 440 yards run, beating Sheppard, who ran second. The meet resulted in a duel between the Irish-American A. C. and the New York A. C., the former winning by a score of 89 points to 43 for the New York A. C.

RUGBY PRACTICE GAME
NOT PLAYED SATURDAY

Owing to the excessive heat and the fact that the field had not been marked off, the rugby practice game scheduled for Saturday did not come off. Instead, the players, numbering some 35, indulged in good hard practice, kicking, passing and running being the chief features.

The team is rapidly assuming form, and before long can be expected to be in trim for the hard season coming.

The players on hand were the same ones that practiced nearly all last week, and included such men as Harrison, Sage, Bice, Whetter, Hague, Wilson, Kerry, Corcoran, Grafton, Bernhard and many others.

SCOTCH DOUBLES
TO BAKER BROTHERS

Toronto, Sept. 12.—The Globe Scotch doubles were won today by the Baker brothers of the Toronto Thistles, Milman and Langford, of London, won in the first and second rounds, but lost in the third round to the Baker brothers, by 10 to 15. Summary:

Semi-Finals.	
Alexandra.....	Petrolia.
Dr. Clarkson.....	J. G. Hutchcroft
E. McLain, sk.....	15 A. McDermott, sk.....
Alexandra.....	004020301015
Petrolia.....	2010201010210—10
Finals.	
C. H. Baker.....	W. D. Mitchell
R. Baker, sk.....	14 W. Murray, sk.....
Thistles.....	030201401209—14
Parkdale.....	202020100911—9

Short Metre Sport

Schane, of Innerkip, was defeated in the Woodstock quoiting tournament by Watson, of Chicago, by six shots in the final.

The Montreal Nationals defeated Cornwall on Saturday in a hard game of lacrosse by 6-3.

The Capitals met defeat at the hands of the Ottawa team 6-4.

A tie game was the result of the contest between the Canadian Olympic lacrosse team and the Tecumsehs at Toronto Saturday. Score 8-8.

The Granton baseball team Saturday trimmed the Motherwell team 8-7.

By winning from the Wilkesbarre Scranton Saturday made certain of the New York State League baseball pennant. Score 5-3.

Kramer, the American cycling champion, successfully defended his title against Clarke, of Australia, at Madison Square Garden, winning in straight heats at a mile and a half.

Wednesday afternoon four baskets of homing pigeons belonging to the Concourse Pigeon Club, of Toronto, will be liberated from the Western Fair grandstand and race to Toronto.

Dr. J. N. Wood proved the winner of the second competition in the inter-club bowling tournament completed on the London B. C. greens. The scores:

Semi-Finals.	
J. Gibson.....	A. W. Fraser
J. A. Connor.....	J. McDougall
Bert Scream.....	W. J. Snellgrove
Dr. J. N. Wood.....	J. Stevenson
skip.....	17 skip.....
George Wyatt.....	J. Bowman
A. J. Smith.....	R. J. Bland
W. Craig.....	G. R. Theodald
C. Abbott.....	Bert Heaman
skip.....	18 skip.....

Finals.

J. Gibson.....	George Wyatt
J. A. Cooper.....	A. J. Smith
Bert Scream.....	W. Craig
Dr. J. N. Wood.....	C. Abbott
skip.....	11 skip.....

HOOSIERS CHAMPIONS
OF ASSOCIATION

Indianapolis, Sept. 12.—The Indianapolis team captured the 1908 pennant of the American Association by defeating Louisville in today's game. The Indianapolis team has a lead now that cannot be overcome. They scored 19 points compared with 19 points for its nearest rival, the University of Chicago.

The throwing of the 56-pound weight, one of the features of the day, was never before witnessed in the west. Wilbur Burroughs, A. A. A., won with 24 feet 7 1/2 inches.

HURDLER SHOW
BREAKS RECORD

Chicago, Sept. 12.—A world's record for the 120 yards hurdles was established today at the annual meet of the Central Amateur Athletic Association on Marshall Field, when Ar-

OLDFIELD IS THE WINNER

Captures the \$2,500 Sweepstakes from Christie.

Cincinnati, O., Sept. 13.—Barney Oldfield was the victor over Walter Christie in the finals today of the \$2,500 automobile sweepstakes in which Oldfield, Christie and Charlie Soules competed at the Latonia race track.

No records were broken, Oldfield winning the last race of the match from Christie in 1:04 2-5. Before this Christie defeated Oldfield in 1:01. But as Oldfield had won the day before, honors were even and an additional race was necessary.

The best mile of the day was made by Christie in one minute flat in an unsuccessful effort to break his own record of 57 4-5. Only one accident marred the day's sport. Al Rust, a chauffeur, sustaining a broken nose and a fractured arm in dismounting from one of the cars entered in a novelty race.

CORNWALLS LOSE
TECUMSEHS CHAMPIONS

Cornwall, Sept. 13.—The Nationals Saturday afternoon put the Cornwallis out of the running for the lacrosse championship by defeating them after a hotly-contested match by a score of 6 to 3. This gives the Toronto Tecumsehs the championship of the N. L. U.

PAPKE AND KETCHELL
WILL MEET AGAIN

San Francisco, Sept. 14.—Despite recent predictions to the effect that Stanley Ketchell would not soon obtain another match with Billy Papke, who defeated him at Los Angeles last Monday, the men agreed last night to meet under the former conditions in this city on the night of Nov. 25, Thanksgiving Day. Promoter John J. Gleason made the match and half of the receipts will be divided between the fighters on a basis of 60 and 40 per cent.

TENNIS.

Toronto, Sept. 12.—The Ontario tennis championships were brought to a close Saturday afternoon. Baird, of Toronto, captured the open singles from E. R. Paterson in straight sets. Miss Moyes, of Toronto, defeated Mrs. Belson in straight sets, and is the lady champion. The results:

Ladies' championship—Miss Moyes beat Mrs. Belson, 6-1, 6-0.

Ontario championship—R. Baird beat E. R. Paterson 6-3, 6-4, 7-5.

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City and District

—Mr. and Mrs. Will Vasey wish to thank their many friends, who so deeply sympathized with them during the long illness and at the time of the death of their infant daughter, Florence Marjory. The funeral took place from their home in Broughdale on Sept. 4 to Woodland Cemetery, the services being conducted by Rev. Mr. Anderson, of the First Methodist Church.

The Weather.
The temperature last night reached 25 at the local observatory. This is within two degrees of the hottest point of the year. Throughout the night the weather remained very warm and at eight o'clock this morning the thermometer was still at fifty-nine. It rose at noon until it reached eighty-four, and has not gone down any during the afternoon.

Plaintiff Won.
Squire Chittick on Saturday gave judgment in favor of the plaintiff in the wage case of Percy Manning vs. James Murphy, Manning, an Irish boy, sued Mr. Murphy, of West Nissouri, for \$18 65, and the defendant had contested the action on the ground that while he had agreed to pay the boy \$10 a month, he had found him only worth \$3. Mr. E. W. Seathard appeared for the plaintiff and Mr. R. K. Cowan for the defendant.

Stratford Normal.
Stratford Herald: In addition to the members of the Normal staff who will be the regular teachers here and will devote all their time to this school, there will be two other instructors who will spend part of their time at the local school. Mr. Pickles, of the London Normal School, who is instructor in manual training there, will have charge of the same department in the Stratford school, and will come over from London for a couple of days each week. Miss Butchart, also of the London Normal School, will be instructor of domestic science here, following a similar plan to that of Mr. Pickles.

Coldstream Institute.
The Coldstream branch of the Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Isaac Zavitz. It was a decided success. A very interesting programme was given. Some of the features were very instructive talks on the "Remodelling and Dyeing of Winter Bulbs," and on "The Planting of Cloves." A splendid reading on "Woman and the Home" was given. Miss Cornell gave an informal talk on her visit to the home of the poet Whittier. Recipes were also given for banana salad and pickles. The music, which was contributed to the programme, was excellent. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John C. Zavitz. One of the most interesting features will be a debate "Resolved, That Woman Suffrage is Commendable." This will be announced more fully later.

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VISITORS EXPECTED AT COUNTY JAIL

Omnibus Proceeding of Governor Carter of the Jail.

Governor Carter, of the county jail, had an extra force of men at work getting the court house and jail and county buildings in shape for the influx of visitors during Fair week. The recent work of repapering and repainting the buildings has made much extra work for the governor's men and frequently Mr. Carter himself has been called upon to act as turnkey while the turnkeys were busy getting things cleaned up.

No difficulty has been experienced this summer in getting sufficient men to do the work around the jail and court house, for the number of prisoners in jail during the warm months has been exceptional.

HARVEST SERVICES AT CHRIST CHURCH

Annual Thanksgiving Services of Church and Sunday School.

The annual harvest thanksgiving services of Christ Church were held yesterday. There were large congregations both morning and evening, and there was a special children's service in the afternoon. The church was appropriately decorated with grain, fruit and flowers. The musical portions of the service, under the direction of Mr. Chert, were well rendered. In the morning Mr. Harry Wheatcroft sang "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth," and in the evening Miss Cullis sang sweetly, "Glory to God in the Highest."

The rector, Rev. R. S. W. Howard, preached at each service, this being his first Sunday at home, after an absence of three months abroad. He spoke on the general subject of thanksgiving. In the evening he dealt more particularly with the blessings which we enjoy as Canadians, as contrasted with the life in the old land, where there are so many out of employment, and where poverty is so great. He also spoke of the higher moral standard that seems to prevail here, as especially illustrated by the way women crowd the drinking places in the large cities of England and Scotland. He concluded by a brief reference to the great Pan-Anglican Congress, which he attended in London.

MR. W. J. GLENDENNING IS DEAD IN TORONTO

Former Well-Known Londoner Passes Away in the Queen City.

The friends of Mr. W. J. Glendenning, formerly of this city, will be grieved to learn of his death at the home of his son, Charles, in Toronto. He resided in this city for many years, and had made a large number of friends.

He is survived by the following sons and daughters, W. J., of Rossland, B. C.; Fred, of Chicago; Charles E., of Toronto; Miss Minnie, of this city; Mrs. A. E. Connor, of San Antonio, Texas; and Mrs. W. J. Boyle, of this city. She is at present in England.

The body will be shipped from Toronto, and the funeral, which will be of a private nature, will be held on the arrival of the train Tuesday morning.

GETS LARGE ROOM

Harry Thaw Given Big Hospital Ward in New Jail.

Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 13.—Sheriff Lane, of Westchester County, who is a delegate to the Republican state convention, learned today that Harry K. Thaw had been transferred from the Dutchess County jail to his custody.

He telegraphed instructions to the warden of the White Plains jail to place Thaw in the hospital ward of the prison on his arrival there tomorrow.

Sheriff Lane said that this ward is a large room, about 20 feet square, with barred windows and doors, and that Thaw would have no exercise except what he could get within its

walls. There would be no objection, he said, to his having meals sent in from a restaurant.

HEARST AND BRYAN.

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 11.—Two thousand persons listened to the formal nomination of John Temple Graves as nominee of the Independence party for vice-president of the United States at the Casino Theatre tonight. Presidential Nominee Hilsen, William Randolph Hearst and a score of others prominent in the party were on the platform.

Mr. Hearst in his address declared that Wm. J. Bryan was sincere he should not have approached him four months ago with the proposition to "support him (Bryan) in the campaign if he (Bryan) would support him (Hearst) in the next campaign.

London Missionaries in the Orient

Mr. and Mrs. Westaway, the missionaries who left London last October for Chentu, China, are having rather peculiar experiences in the field of labor.

A letter recently received by a friend in this city states that the heat being intense the coolies had left the mountains, as they were unable to stand it.

They secured a number of coolies, and left them in charge of their luggage. Shortly after they were astounded to find that the coolies had left with all their clothing, with the

SUNDAY IN THE LOCAL CHURCHES

Yesterday was communion Sunday at St. Andrew's Church, and in the morning the edifice was filled by a large congregation. Rev. Dr. Ross took as a subject for his morning sermon "The Vision of the Elders," based on Exodus xxiv, 9: "Then went up Moses and seventy elders and saw the God of Israel."

Dr. Ross drew a striking picture between the condition under which the Israelites learned religion and conditions after the coming of Christ. "The most enlightened of the ancient peoples, even Moses himself," said Dr. Ross, "had never had God presented to them as we have since Christ was on earth. Some people thought because the ancient peoples saw many miracles that they had a better chance to be impressed than people today. This was not true, as Christ, by coming on earth as a man established Himself as He was never established in the minds of the old teachers."

At St. Paul's Cathedral last night Canon Dann preached an excellent sermon on "Neutrality," in which he showed that in the matter of Theism it is impossible to maintain what some people call a neutral attitude. A person must either believe in God or not believe. There is no second choice. People must govern their lives either in the fear of God or else live without Him. Christianity, if anything, is a practical religion and a person who is a Christian must be progressing all the time toward a higher state. If he is not doing this he is going backwards.

In the morning Canon Dann preached at St. John's Church.

The local assembly of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew will meet in Cronin Hall on Thursday evening, when Mr. Boyes, of Chatham, will deliver an address.

A special appeal for aid for the Canadian mission work was made at Talbot Street Methodist Church yesterday morning by Rev. Mr. Daniel, representing the Baptist missions in the Northwest. Mr. Daniel gave a most interesting account of the conditions under which the work is being carried on in the West, and spoke of the great possibilities.

In the evening Rev. A. J. Vining preached on "The Siege of Jerusalem."

"Missions" was the subject of Rev. H. A. Graham's sermon at Wellington Street Methodist Church yesterday morning, in which he outlined very clearly that what is needed by most people is a sense of their obligations to those peoples who have not the advantages that we have.

In the evening Mr. Graham spoke on "The Fear of the Lord," showing how the careless, willful and neglectful people in the world have great reason for fear unless they repent and live close to God.

The pulpit of the First Congregational Church yesterday was occupied by Rev. D. S. Hamilton, who last evening discussed David's government over the Jews, and stated that many modern governments might profitably follow his methods.

Yesterday was Bible study Sunday at the New St. James' Church, and Rev. Thomas Mitchell yesterday morning gave a most interesting talk on the New Testament, in which he went fully into the manuscripts and different translations in discussing the versions recommended the revised version as better than the authorized version.

In the evening Mr. Mitchell spoke on the "Passing of Summer."

Special harvest thanksgiving services were celebrated at Christ Church yesterday, and large congregations were present both morning and evening to welcome Rev. R. S. W. Howard, who has just returned from London, England. In the evening Mr. Howard preached from Acts, xii, 10. Mr. Howard showed that we all ought to be deeply grateful for the splendid harvests and many blessings that have been bestowed on us during the year. God has called us to a life of great possibilities. We do not choose our own native land, but God calls us. We should try to follow the calling of God, there being no single soul who has not received a call to higher life.

In speaking of his trip to England, Mr. Howard said that the degradation and poverty of the lower classes, especially in regard to drink, is appalling. The drinking houses are more crowded with women than with men. We ought

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Mayor Saw Capt. Robert Aitchison

The Hamilton Spectator says: Mayor Stevely, of London, Ont., was in the city, and he had an interview with Capt. Aitchison, of the King William street fire station. It is understood that the mayor was invested with power to offer the situation of chief of the London fire department to Capt. Aitchison, who, it is said, was told that he could have the position if he wanted it. When seen this morning, Capt. Aitchison refused to give the name of his visitor.

Capt. Aitchison also denies that the mayor offered him the position of chief of the late Chief Clark's type, as close here. He refused positively to discuss

the matter when seen by The Advertiser in Hamilton. Mayor Stevely admitted to The Advertiser that he had seen Capt. Aitchison, but stated that he had not offered him the position of chief. "The council has the settling of that matter," his worship stated. "Rumor appears to be running wild in Hamilton. However, I found Mr. Aitchison to be a splendid type of man, young, big and strong, and with a reputation second to none in Canada as a fire-fighter. I was told that he is a man of the late Chief Clark's type, as close as it is possible to secure."

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