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LONDON, CANADA, SATURDAY, JUNE 24, 1899.

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Perhaps we can save you money, perhaps we can't. It is your business to investigate. We mean to crowd trade by reducing our prices all along the line, of Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes.

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conducted by the pastor. Commun-

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN

CHURCH.

Rev. Robt. Johnston, D.D., pastor,

3 p.m.—Sabbath School and Pastor's

SOUTHERN CONGREGATIONAL Church—Rev. W. H. Claris, pastor.

TALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

-Rev. James Banton, of Walkerton.

will preach morning and evening. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Seats

WELLINGTON STREET METHODIST Church—Rev. Joseph Edge, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Religious Services

MEN-HEAR REV. C. C. OWEN AT THE Auditorium, Sunday, at 4:15 p.m. The last meeting of the season. You will be inter-

Births, Marriages, Deaths

DIED.

residence, Central avenue, Major John Wil-

liams, of Her Majesty's Customs, in his 72nd

Funeral will take place tomorrow at 3:30

Amusements and Lectures

June 26 and 27,

London vs. Woodstock.

Game called at 4 p.m.

St. Thomas, Dominion Day, July 3.

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL-ST. JAMES Presbyterian Church, Tuesday evening.

THE BAND CONCERT AND BICYCLE races of the season (7th Band, 40 strong), Tecumseh Park, Friday evening, July 7. Gate 15 cents. Grand stand 10c.

Charles O'Rourke, aged 80 years.

service at 3 p.m.

27th. Tickets 20 cents.

ion at close of morning service.

will preach at both services.

Services-11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Wednesday-Prayer meeting.

Services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Monday-Y. P. S. C. E.

Class.

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Collection for the anniversary fund.

We Will Not Sell Shoddy Goods for the Sake of Making Attractive Offers.

OCOCK BROS.

What Is Going On In The Leading Churches Of The City.

ADELAIDE STREET BAPTIST Church-Pastor, Rev. Thomas S. Johnson. Rev. A. R. Park, of Forest, will preach morning and evening. All are welcome.

ASKIN ST. METHODIST CHURCH-Rev. R. Hobos, pastor. Services at 11 s.t. and 7 p.m.

CENTENNIALMETHODISTCHURCH -Rev. Allan C. Farrell, of Fullarton, will preach morning and evening.

CHALMERS CHURCH, WATERLOO street south-Rev. Walter Moffatt, pastor. Services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Morning prayer meeting, 10:15. Pas-tor's Bible Class and Sabbath School grounds Monday evening. Gates open 7:30 p.m. Musical programme by choir and orchestra. Selections on new Edison Phonograph. Admission,

CHRISTIAN CHURCH, CORNER OF Dundas and Elizabeth streets-Rev. C. Sinclair, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

COLBORNE STREET METHODIST-Rev. George Jackson, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

DUNDAS CENTER METHODIST Church-The pastor, Rev. Dr. Saunders will preach. Morning—Anthem, "Te Deum Laudamus" (J. Baptiste Calkin); duet, "Dear Refuge of My Weary Soul" (Nevin). Evening— Special service of sacred song, under the direction of Mr. W. H. Hewlett Rev. Dr. Saunders will preach. Subject, "Steps Heavenward." Solo and chorus, "I Was Wandering and Weary" (Barnby), and service of song.

DUNDAS CENTER SCHOOL FOR Baseball Championship Bible Study-Fifty classes, every class a Bible class. A cordial weicome to visitors and strangers. Musical service, 2:30; opening service, 2:45.

EMPRESS AVENUE METHODIST Church-10 a.m., classes. Morning, "Have No Rest"; evening, "Sin Sel-

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST (Scientists)-Duffield Block-Sunday services: Morning, 11 o'clock; even ing. 7 o'clock. "Christian Science." Testimonial meeting will be held on Wednesday evening, 8 o clock. Sunday school immediately after morning service. All welcome. D. S. Robb, C.S.B., first reader; Mrs. Edna Robb, C.S., second reader. Residence 293 Princess avenue. Christian Science Institute and Reading Room, room 7 Duffield block, open daily from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL-REV. J. W. Pedley. Morning—"Pulpit Pre-paration." Evening, "Oliver Crom-well, the Great Congregationalist."

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH-Rev. J. V. Smith, D.D., pastor, will preach both morning and evening. Morning subject, "Does God Care for Me? Has He Said So?" Anthem. "I Am Alpha and Omega" (Stainer);

T. Wolcott).

Evening—Subject, "The Exploits of a Plowman." Anthem, "Unfold, Ye Portals" (Gounod); quartet, "Rock of Ages" (Buck); chorus, "Crossing the Bar" (Woodward). J. Truman Walcott, organist and choirmaster.

RST PRESENTED 1. Master Tuner" (J. CRAND TRUNK EXCURSION TO DETAILS, TROIT, July 3 and 4, under auspices of Catholic Club. Tickets, \$1.75; children under 12, half fare. Special fast train leaves London 7:30 Monday morning, and returning leaves pool to return on any train July 4th.

TO SARNIA—ANGUERED

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH--Rev. W. J. Clark, pastor. Public worship at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by the pastor. Sabbath School, 10 a.m. Society for Bible

Study, 3 p.m. HAMILTON ROAD METHODIST Church—Rev. J. G. Fallis, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sun-

y School at 3 p.m. K G STREET PRESBYTERIAN urch-Rev. Thomas Wilson, pastor. I brning, "Counting the Cost Before I coming a Christian." Evening, "Last Words of Dying Men." Seats

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, South London-Rev. J. G. Stuart, B.A., pastor. Subject-Morning, "Our Work;" evening, "Nehemiah's Pray-

PATRIOTICSUNDAY-HILL STREET Methodist Sunday School-Interesting service tomorrow, 25th, at 2:45 p.m.. Special music, etc. Come.

T. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL—MORN-ING—"Venite" (Monk), "Te Deum" (Farebrother), "Jubilate" (Farebrother), "Jubilate" (Farebrother), Preacher, the Dean. Even-ing to Advertiser office. 79c ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL-MORN-

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Meetings.

Headquarters 7th Fusiliers, London, June 23, 1899 Regimental Order,
By Lt.-Col. A. M. Smith,
Commanding.

No. 1.—The regiment will parade for a route march, in drill order, at the Drill Shed, on Monday, June 26, By order, W. A. McCrimmon, Lieut. and Adjt.

CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY ALLI-ANCE Convention in Christian Workers Church, King street, Wednesday and Thurs-day, June 28 and 29, at 8 p.m. Speakers Dr. R. J. Zimmernian, of Peterboro: Pastor Fisher, of Toronto; Pastor and Bro. Philpott, of Hamil-ton, and Evangelist Kenney, of Toronto. THE GENERAL ANNUAL MEETING OF the shareholders of the London and South-Eastern Railway Company, will be held in the Board of Trade rooms. Richmond street, in the city of London, on Tuesday, the 27th day of June, 1899, at 4 o'clock p.m. J. W. Little, Secretary and Treasurer. London, May 26, 1899.

Board and Lodging.

TO LET-FRONT PARLOR BEDROOM, with or without board, suitable for two gentlemen, or man and wife. Apply 428 Park avenue. TO LET-PLEASANT FRONT ROOM, with board, nice locality. 348 Dufferin 78c wty RURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT FOR board of owner and child. Apply 585 Ridout street, city.

Female Help Wanted WANTED-EXPERIENCED FUR MA-CHINE operators. Fraser Cap and Fur Co., Richmond street.

Male Help Wanted.

O'ROURKE-In this city, on June 23, 1899, WANTED - STOUT BOY APPLY 804 Talbot street. Funeral from the residence of his son, 357 Eva street, at 8:30 Monday morning, to St. Peter's Cathedral. STABLE-MAN WANTED-FOREST CITY Laundry, 74 King street. WANTED-CARRIAGE PAINTER, NOT WILLIAMS-On June 24, 1899, at the family W necessary to be a finisher. Apply Henry Mann, Lambeth.

WANTED-BOYS AND GIRLS. McCOR-MICK Mfg. Co. MEN-OUR ILLUSTRATED CATA-LOGUE explains how we teach the barber trade in eight weeks, mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill."

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Railway Company intend increasing its present service, which will necessitate the employment of a few more men. Residents of London (married men) preferred. Special preference will be given to ex-employes. The London Street Railway Company.

WANTED — ORGANIST AND CHOIR LEADER for the Centennial Methodist Church. Applications, stating salary, will be received up to July 1, by E. L. Liddicott, 866 Dundas street, city. 78c eod

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WANTED-WOOD TURNER AT THE Kensington Furniture Co., Goderich.

WANTED-TEN COAT-MAKERS. GEO. 79u CLEVELAND AND RETURN, \$1-JULY 1-Tickets good on all trains Saturday, also special, 11 p.m. Boat leaves on arrival of special train. See posters for full particulars. STOUT BOYS WANTED IMMEDIATELY-D. S. Perrin & Co. 70tf

Domestics Wanted.

THE FRASER, PORT STANLEY—THE
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Special rates to parties giving hops. Regular
hops Wednesdays and Saturdays. For rates
apply to William Fraser, proprietor. 80n WANTED -AN EXPERIENCED HOUSE-MAID: references required. Apply Mrs. Harry Carling. 677 Talbot street. 79c 50 CENTS SARNIA TO DETROIT AND return via the St. Clair River, Monday, July 3. Special excursion Saturday, July 1. F. B. Clarke's, Richmond street, next Advertiser. Telephone 658. WANTED-KITCHEN GIRL AND SCRUB woman. Mrs. J. B. Jennings, Western

Hotel. Wanted - COOK - J. O'FLAHERTY - Wellington House. 79tf

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> > Miscellaneous.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE SILOAM Methodist Church will pay a reward of \$25 to any person giving such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of the parties who broke into the above church on June 22 or 23. Joseph McLeod, Secretary to the Board of Trustees.

PLANET READING OF BIRTH MONTH-15 cents to all; this month only. 24 Wilson

L ADIES WHO DESIRE TO CONTRIBUTE

ADIES WHO DESIRE TO CONTRIBOTA to the fund for procuring a new set of colors for the Seventh Battalion will kindly hand in the amount (one dollar or less), to Capt. Graham, 159 Dundas street, at as early a date

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WANTED - DINING-ROOM GIRL AP-PLY Office Restaurant, 378 Richmond WANTED-GOOD GENERAL SERVANT and nurse girl. 151 Oxford street, West WANTED - COOK - REFERENCES RE required. Mrs. Coffey, 562 Wellington 62tf

Foresters' union excursion, via Grand Trunk, July 3. Two days. 65m xtxtywtywt

\$1.75 TO NIAGARA FALLS—CHOSEN Friends' excursion, via Grand Trunk Railway, July 1. Three days. 65m xtxtywtywy

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part in coming meets in Tecumseh Park
can secure permits for training privileges for
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TO LET-AN ATTACHED TWO-STORY Drick house, 499 Queen's avenue; rent \$14 per month. Apply 465 Queen's avenue, 76i TO LET - SUMMER COTTAGE - NEW Orchard Beach, Port Stanley. Apply on premises, or J. A. Nelles, 422 Richmond street.

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Have your furniture carefully handled.
John Biggs, Catheart street, South London,
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FOR RENT - COTTAGE, FURNISHED-Fraser Hill Heights, Port Stanley. Inquire Strong's Drug Store, London. 73tf TO LET-COMFORTABLE HOUSE-NINE rooms, furnace and all mode rn conveni-Tooms, furnace and all mode rn convenience, stable, etc.; central location. Apply J. R. Shuttleworth, 388 Clarence street.

Real Estate.

FOR SALE OR RENT-NICE MODERN residence; central location. Apply A. N. Udy, over C. P. R. ticket office. FOR SALE-BRICK VENEER COTTAGE— East of city limits, situated on Homer street, near Hamilton road. Apply Lewis Clark, 358 Rectory street, or this office.

\$100 A YEAR WILL PURCHASE A fifty-acre farm in the township of Dawn, county of Lambton, or will exchange same for city property. Tennent, McDonagh & Coleridge, London.

TWO BUILDING LOTS-35x110-FINE view; Ridout, between Maple and Fullar ton streets. G. C. Jolly, 74 Fullarton street.

FARM FOR SALE OR RENT-LOT11, CON-7, London township, 50 acres, large orch ard Apply before July 1st to Shoebottom & Co., St. James Park P. O., South London. 74ut

TO EXCHANGE—BEAUTIFUL FARM, 80 necres, 70 cleared; first-class buildings, impliments, fences. land and stock, situated 13 miles from Port Huron, two miles from Blaine station, F. and P. M. R., in garden of Michigan; will exchange for farm within six miles London or for city property. Apply Dr. McLellan, 497 Talbot street, London. 30kt

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the following properties are now offered
for sale, viz.: Brick dwelling, No. 227 Queen's
avenue; 3 frame houses, Nos. 229, 231 and 233
Queen's avenue; brick dwelling, No. 432 Park
avenue; brick cottage, No. 350 Burwell street;
2 frame houses, Nos. 197 and 199 Mill street, and
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P. Walsh's Bulletin.

Frame house and barn with 10 acres of garden land, near Dreaney's corners; price \$750; a

20 acres of clay loam; 1% story frame h stone foundation, 8 rooms; frame barn; 50 fruit trees; 1½ miles from the city; price \$2,850. 6 acres near the military school; price \$750.

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Victoria street—A nice brick cottage, 6 rooms, in good repair; corner lot; fruit and shade trees; price \$700—cheap. Thornton avenue—A new frame cottage, 5 rooms; good lot; price \$700—a snap.

825 Queen's avenue—A splendid frame cottage, 7 rooms, in good order, good lot; must be sold. Inspect at once. Corner of Hill and Maitland streets; a solid brick cottage, 5 rooms, in good repair, corner lot: price \$600.

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COAL TENDERS.

TENDERS for supplying coal for the city buildings will be received at this office (where form of tender may be obtained), up to 5 o'clock on Wednesday, June 28.

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Articles For Sale.

BUGGIES, PHAETONS AND GLAD STONES exchanged on Palmerston bug gies. Selling for what they will bring. Great bargains this month. Stringer's, 141 King

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Real Estate on Saturday, July 1. TEIL COOPER has been instructed to offer for sale at his auction rooms, 241 Dundas street, a modern two-story residence, No. 637 Wellington street, lot 35x150. Splended chance to secure a good home near park. Best locality in the city. Sale at 3 o'clock p.m.

80c tyw NEIL COOPER, Auctioneer.

Auction Sale

UCTION SALE OF CITY PROPERTY, A on Tuesday, June 27, at 2:30 p.m., at auction rooms of Neil Cooper, 241 Dundas street, London, being part of lot 1, on the south side of Horton street, 47 feet frontage on Wellington street by 110 feet. Double frame cottage on Wellington street, Nos. 237 and 239 and another double frame cottage in rear. Property to be The Most Stupendous Shows of all Earth.

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> AUCTION SALE. Household Furniture, on Monday, June 26, at 198 Oxford Street.

NEIL COOPER has been instructed to sell contents of cottage, comprising in part contents of cottage, comprising in part square piano, New York make parlor suite, carpets, bedroom, dining-room and kitchen furniture, stoves, garden tools, etc. Sale at 10:30.

NEIL COOPER, Auctioneer.

Proclamation

To All Whom These Presents May Concern: Whereas the municipal council of the corporation of the city of London, at its session, held on the 19th day of June, inst., adopted the following motion, viz.:

"That His Worship the Mayor be requested to issue his proclamation calling upon the citizens to observe Monday, July 3, next, as a holiday, instead of Saturday, July 1."

These are therefore to make known that in compliance with the said resolution I do hereby request the citizens of London to observe Monday, July 3, as a holiday, instead of Saturday, July 1 Monday, July 3, as a notate,
day, July 1.

In winoss whereof I have caused this proclamation to be made public at London, this
20th day of June, A.D. 1899.

Mayor's office, June 20, 1899.

JOHN D. WILSON,
78i eod

Mayor of the City of London.

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Two Cent Postage Has Caused an Increase of Business.

The Loss of Revenue Not as Great as Expected.

Three Years Will Restore the Equilibrium - Laurier Fires Latin at Foster-The Mounted Police and Their Great Work.

Ottawa, June 24.-At the time of the reduction of letter postage to two cents | capacity; otherwise I am a democrat per ounce, Hon. Mr. Mulock estimated that the consequent loss of revenue would be for the first year about \$700,-000, but results, as was shown by the postmaster-general last night, have proved that the decrease in revenue this year will be but \$500,000. The steady prosperity of the country has brought an increase of 10 per cent in the volume of mail matter, and the reduction in revenue for the first six months will be but \$225,000. Events have proved that the postmaster-general was not so far in advance of the times as was asserted by opponents, and it is not too much to expect that within three years the equilibrium between the receipts and expenditure in the postoffice department will have been restored. In the meantime, the 90 per cent of Canada's population who use the mails more or less are given the cheaper rate, and are assisted at a comparatively trifling cost to the nation in the transaction of their busi-

THE YUKON INVESTIGATION. Sir Hibbert Tupper called attention to the delay in printing the evidence taken by Commissioner Ogilvie in his investigation into the conduct of officials in the Yukon.

The premier in reply state that the printing was completed, and the books there are 300 pages—were being bound and would be distributed on Monday.

RAILWAY RUNNING RULES. Mr. E. F. Clarke asked whether there was any truth in the statement, published in the Toronto papers, that it is the intention of the government to introduce legislation providing uniform running rules for the regulation of railways in Canada, and also referred to the adoption by the Grand Trunk railway of American rules, which, however, had not been put into active

Mr. Blair informed Mr. Clarke that he had notified the labor organizations interested that he would hear any objections the employes might have to the rules to be inaugurated by the Grand Trunk and Canada Atlantic Railways. A reply had been received as to the former that the employes had no objection to them, but subsequently representations were made that the officers of the organization who made the reply, were not empowered by the employes to do so, and accordingly the rules were suspended. Subsequently the government came to the conclusion to have a set of rules to govern the running of all railways incorporated in the railway act. A bill to that effect had been prepared and fore the rail committee of the house.

LAURIER AND FOSTER TILT. In committee of supply upon the supplementary estimates, Mr. Blair explained that the item of \$20,000 for rolling stock was to purchase 20 refrigerator cars in addittion to the 25 now in use on the Intercolonial.

On the item of \$3,500 to purchase a wharf at Mount Stewart, P. E. I., the opposition took the ground that in purchasing this wharf, which has been in use by the government railway for months, the ministry was usurping the functions of parliament in making this bargain before consulting the house.

Mr. Blair explained that the wharf was necessary for the operation of the Prince Edward Island Railway, and the tracks had been laid upon the wharf in order to facilitate the shipment of Not a dollar had been paid for the purchase of the wharf from the Provincial Government.

Mr. Foster said he was not opposed to the extension of the railway to the wharf, but was opposed to the manner In which the matter had been arranged, and continued to offer opposition to the adoption of the item.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier asked whether Mr. Foster was really opposed to the action of the government.

Mr. Foster replied that the premier's question was most childish, after he had expressed himself as not being opposed to the acquisition of the wharf. The house had a right to expect something different from the first minister. Sir Wilfrid Laurier said he would not bandy words with the honorable mem-

Mr. Foster-No; bandy arguments. Sir Wilfrid Laurier—No, I will not bandy arguments with the honorable gentleman, either Mr. Chairman, I will only say, "De minimis non curat

Mr. Foster-Give it to us in English. Sir Wilfrid-I will not; I should hope the honorable gentleman remembers the Latin, However, I will say to the committee, Mr. Chairman, that there are some minds too small to delight in great things; they only delight in small

tleman mean that all the opposition are men of small brains? Sir Wilfrid Laurier—Not all of them. Dr. Landerkin—Just one of them. (Cries of "Some of them.)
The item passed.

PRIVATE CARS. On the item of \$2,500 for repair of the governor-general's car Victoria. Mr. Foster asked if the premier had overcome his repugnance to riding in private cars. Mr. Blair said he had never seen the

premier in a private car, and therefore could not tell. The premier asked how Mr. Foster knew he had a repugnance for private

Mr. Foster replied that when Sir Wilfrid first came to Ottawa as premier he rode in a car with other people; the Liberal papers all spoke of it, and in an interview the premier said that he was not any better than other people. The premier said he had no recollection of being interviewed on this sub-

ject. "I have used private cars," he said, "when traveling in my official

Upon the item for mounted police, the premier said that when the government assumed power the force num-bered 750 men, and it had been the intention to reduce that number to 500 but owing to the exigencies of the service it had been found impossible to reduce the force in the Northwest as rapidly as desired. The estimate was \$353,750, and the expenditure had been \$403,750, leaving a shortage of \$50,000. which the vote asked for would cover. A question by Mr. Foster elicited from the premier the further information that the draft of 200 from the Northwest force for the Yukon had not broken the splendid morale nor injured the discipline of the force.

Mr. Sifton said that permanent barracks had been provided at Dawson and other permanent buildings erected at other points. There are 259 officers and men in the mounted police force in the Yukon, including 38 dogdrivers. There are 250 militia in the Yukon, divided into forces of 100 at Dawson and 150 at Selkirk.

Mr. Foster said that it had cost \$1,-\$700,000 for the police and militia force in the Yukon, and argued that the government had to give the house and country very, very good reason for incurring the expenditure. Mr. Sifton explained to Mr. Foster's

satisfaction the multifarious duties and the splendd work of the mounted police in maintaining order, protecting travelers, saving life, carrying mails, etc. The estimates passed.

THE SENATE.

On motion for the third reading of the Canada Permanent and Western Canada Companies' bill, Senator Clemow, in the upper house, protested against legislation amalgamating these large concerns. In this case they had a combined capital of \$14,000,000, not half paid up. He moved to refer the bill back to committee, but the amendment was lost on division, and the bill was read a third time.

There was a long discussion on an amendment to the criminal code, making it a punishable offense to retain dies, rolls, or plates from which Dominion bills or stamps may be printed. The object of the amendment is to get after Mr. Burland, president of the British American Bank Note Company, who has refused to deliver his stamps and dies to the postmaster-general until he has been paid for them. He has applied for a flat to carry his case to the courts, but the postmaster-general interfered to have it withheld.

TWENTY MINERS DIE OF THIRST

Lost Their Way in the Desert En Route to the Gold Region.

Chicago, June 24.-A special to the Record from San Diego, Cal., says: "Word has been received here that a party of twenty miners, bound for the Sierra Pintada Placers, lost their way in the desert, and wandered around a long time, finally dying of thirst."

"The information came in a letter received by J. F. P. Cantling, one of the charterers of the steamer Thomas Negus, which took a party of 60 prospectors to San Roque Landing, from L. G. Allen, purser of the Negus. The letter is dated at San Roque Bay, June 17.

"The corpses of the lost miners were accidentally discovered in the desert by a party bound in the same direc-

SOUTH ONTARIO ELECTION.

Toronto, July 24.-The clerk of the legislature has received the report of Hom. Justices Osler and Rose, the judges in the South Ontario election trial. The report states that the election was voided on account of corrupt practices by agents. No corrupt practices were proven to have been committed by Mr. Dryden or Mr. Calder. The following persons are reported as having been guilty of bribery: Simon Herritt, John Sullivan, William Morrish, William Gilmour, Patrick Sulli-William Stewart, Bryan Linton, William McCormack and Benjamin Palmer.

ART AT HOME.

"How are you getting on in your clay modeling, Kitty?"
"Oh—just lovely; I'm devoted to it."
"This is a fine head; who is it?" "Goodness-don't ask me; isn't he sweet? It is either Martin Luther or

Benjamin Franklin."-Detroit Free Mr. Foster-Does the honorable gen- Press.

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MAJOR WILLIAMS

Sudden Summons of a Well-Known Inland Revenue Official.

His Military Career-A Crimean Veteran-For Several Years Drill Instructor of the London Field Bat-

Major John Williams, for the past 19 years Western Ontario gas inspector in the inland revenue department, died this morning at his home, Waverly Place, here, this morning. He had ing conducted with satisfactory results. been seriously ill only four days. Stomach trouble was the cause of death.

Major Williams was born in Birmingham, England. 72 years ago, and Artillery, with which regiment he served in the Crimean war and the Indian mutiny. He was also located for a time at Gibraltar. In 1878 he came to London, Canada, and became drill instructor in the London Field Battery, a position which he held with great credit to himself and the battery until six years ago, when he retired with the rank of major. During his first years in London he was engaged in the real estate business, and later the marble business. He was appointed to the inland revenue 19 years ago, and was actively engaged in his work as inspector for the Western Peninsula until the time of his death. For seven years he was an alderman of the city of London. He was formerly grand chancel-lor of the Knights of Pythias, and held a membership in the Royal Arcanum. For one of his years, Major Williams was remarkably vigorous, and enjoyed excellent health, and his many friends will be shocked to learn of his sudden death.

leaves a widow and two sons: Fred M., of Detroit, Mich., and Charles D., of Atlin Lake, B. C.

♦0000000000000000000000€ WHISPERINGS OF THE WIRE

The North Hastings bye-election trial is to be heard on June 27, at Belle-

An Orange lodge has been organized in Walkerville, with David Lackie as American lumbermen will drag On-

tario's log law before the Canadian courts. Heidelberg University, Tiffin, O., has handed Andrew Carnegie the degree of

In Samoa, Mataafa has surrendered 1.850 rifles and the royalists have given up 2,000.

Rev. C. A. Eaton (Baptist), of To-ronto, has received a call to Winnipeg. Salary, \$3,000.

Jerry Mosgrove was burned to death last week in a cabin on Okanagan Lake, Vernon, B. C. The spire of the Western Methodist

Church, Napanee, was badly cut up by lightning Friday morning. For robbing the mails, Prof. J. Bully, Toledo, chorister and musician,

spend three years in prison. Major Nair, a judge of the New Zealand court, has been appointed acting consul for Great Britain in Samoa,

Rupert's Land Synod (Anglican) on Friday voted strongly against prehibition, only five delegates voting yea. Winston Churchill, Lord Randolph Churchill's son, has been selected as Conservative candidate for Oldham. At Calcutta the prize of \$16,000 in

the Derby lottery has been won by the daughter of a Bombay railway guard. Railroad building this year in the United States greatly exceeds that of The first six months show 1,181.45 miles of track laid.

Fire at Laurel, Del., early this (Saturday) morning, destroyed property valued at \$125,000 to \$150,000, including a number of stores and one hotel.

Lightning fired the barn of John Mc-Kinnon, con. 4, Culross, Thursday night, during a thunderstorm. Building and contents destroyed. Loss \$1,000. By the burning of the Chinese lazaretto at D'Arcy Island, British Columbia, two lepers perished, meeting their end but a few weeks before their time. At Holyoke, Mass., President McKinley said the position which temperance people take on the army canteen is absurd, but personally he favored pro-

The Atlantic Transport Line steamer Montana, from Baltimore, June 4, for London, has arrived at Falmouth, in tow of the British steamer Elderslie, from New York, June 7, for London.

The Thompson Line steamer Planet Mercury, which left Portland, Me., for Liverpool at an early hour this (Saturday) morning, is ashore breakwater near Bug Light, Portland. A livery barn in the rear of Exchange Hotel, Napanee, was set on fire Thursday, but the flames were put out before any damage had been done. The incendiary used kerosene.

Telegrams from Salem, N. Y., announce the death there of Abram Gould, a brother of Jay Gould. He was purchasing agent for the Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain Railroad Company.

The Imperial and the Canadian Governments have agreed to each pay Pickford & Black \$60,000 a year for a fortnightly service between St. John, Halifax and the West Indies, beginning next year.

Alleged non-support of his family brought upon James Briley, of Ross-wille, Ill., a brutal lashing at the hands of twelve whitecaps. He was stripped, tied to a fence, beaten, and finally smeared with tar.

The West Elgin election trial is to be proceeded with on Monday, June 26, at St. Thomas, before Justice Osler and Justice Meredith. A cross-petition against the Conservative candidate, McDiarmid, has been filed.

of the American people as Anglo-

The committee of discipline of the clusion as to whether or not Mr. Geog-hegan should be allowed a new trial.

No time was set for the adjourned

Gen. Pelleux, the premier, prorogued the Italian parliament after three weeks of successful obstruction by the opposition, without having secured the passage of the government bills to modify the rules of parliamentary procedure and to restrict the liberty of the press and freedom of speech the press and freedom of speech.

The Pittsburg Commercial Gazette "The Carnegie Steel Company has contracted with representatives of the Russian government to furnish that country with 180,000 tons of steel rails for its immense railroad enterprises in Siberia and China. This represents an outlay of between \$4,500,-000 and \$5,000,000.

At the closing proceedings of the Baptist convention in Ottawa, Rev. C. A. Eaton gave an address on British Columbia and Northwest missions. Though the Baptist Church had not increased as other denominations had immigration, still it was making substantial progress in the west as elsewhere, and the missions were be-

MEN OF MARK

when 18 years of age, joined the Royal | The Canadian Rifle Team Start for

Bisley-Who They Are. Montreal, June 24.-The Bisley team for 1899 sailed for Liverpool yesterday on the Tainui, Capt. Wm. Dunlop, as follows: Lieut.-Col. Hugh M. McLean, 62nd Fusiliers, commandant; Major R. A. Hemler, 43rd Batt., adjutant; Major F. B. Ross, 13th Batt.; Capt. Wilson, 33rd Batt; Capt. O. W. Wetmore, 74th Batt; Capt. A. D. Cartwright, Royal Grenadiers; Capt. R. Rennie, Q. O. R.; Surgeon-Lieut. Bertram, 77th Batt.; Lieut. A. Robertson, 77th Batt.; Lieut. R. A. Robertson, 13th Batt.; Lieut. H. C. Blair, 76th Batt.; Lieut. John Ogg, 1st B. F. A.; Sergt.-Major S. J. Huggins, 13th Batt.; Staff-Sergt. A. Gra-ham, 48th Highlanders; Sergt. C. R. Crowe, 1st B. F. A.; Pte. W. D. Heller, 30th Batt.; Pte. J. Weatherbie, 82nd Batt.; Pte. A. R. Fleming, Brandon Infantry Company; Lieut. John Buckley, 32nd Batt.; Corp. J. H. Sharpe, 1st P. W. F.; Pte. J. H. Simpson, Royal Grenadiers; Lieut. J. W. Gilchrist, 1st. B.

ENTERTAINING THE COMMIS-SIONERS.

Dominion Presbyterian.]

Hamilton has again opened her doors wide, and the three hundred odd commissioners are receiving of her best. Few of those whose every want is being anticipated know what it means to make matters so pleasant for them. For one part of the household, at least, it often means that the meeting of the assembly is a memory of the disturbance of household affairs, the fleeting vision of a new face around the table, or the remembrance of a strange voice discussing the latest overture or com-

mittee report with her husband. It is said that there is always a beneficial influence from the presence of a man of God in the home, and that acquaintances are then formed which often ripen afterwards into real friendships. Perhaps so, but we find it hard to believe that the ordinary commissioner, with his head full of the business of the church, exhales a sweet, subtle fragrance of character, that lingers about the room in which he slept at night or the seat he occupied at a table three times a day. Let us be sensible about this thing. It will gain nothing by sentiment. Our impression is that it is due to the exercise of Christian forbearance, that instead of friend-

ship there is not antipathy.
What is the usual routine? The host and hostess meet their guests thre times a day, when hungry men and women gather about a wellspread table, and greet them again any time between 11 and 12 at night, to wish them a good night's rest. The guest must perforce treat the home so hospitably put at his disposal, as a place where he eats and sleeps. He is sensible of the great kindness he is receiving, and sensitive, too, to the scant courtesy with which he necessarily, is treating his entertainers. When at length towards the close of the week, with little enough time to prepare for the approaching Sabbath, he takes a hurried leave of them, both he and they hear the gate click with a sigh of re-

lief. We are far from blaming either those who entertain or their guests. Certainly the former are worthy of all praise in the present instance, in that they have so generously thrown open their doors to the assembly commissioners. They, at least, do not need to be read a lecture upon the benefits of hospitality. It might be well, however, if guests, re cognizing the courtesy done them, would consider what can be done to make their visit conduce, in some small degree, to the brightening of the homes to which they have been so heartily welcomed.

APPRECIATED.

"Baseball's a great institution," exclaimed the acrimonious man. "I thought you were against it!" "I used to be, but I've changed my mind. It's a great thing. There ought to be more of it. It gives people

thing to talk about besides politics."

Some people do business just like clock-work-tick, tick.

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This is the universal note of praise that comes from thousands of Canadian homes where Dr. Fowler's Strawberry is always kept and recognized as a remedy that can be relied on to promptly check and cure Diarrhea, Dysentery, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, Cramps, Colic and Summer Complaint. Sold by medicine dealers everywhere at 35c a bottle.

How Longfellow Drew on His Imagination.

The Acadians of Nova Scotia Were Not Mistreated-The True Version.

There is an interesting contradiction between Longfellow's "Evangeline" and Prof. Roberts' "A Sister to Evangeline." The romance of Longfellow's heroine is responsible for most of the popular sentiment that attaches to the expulsion of the Acadians from Nova Scotia in 1755. While the poet did not specifically accuse the English of brutality, still the whole impression of his poem is most unfavorable to the Eng-

lish power. The familiar poem pictures a community of beautiful simplicity and piety; the homes were abodes of contentment and virtue; the warmth of hospitality bordered on communism; Acadia, in the character of its people no less than in its bucolic glory, was an Arcadia. To force into far and scat-tered exile such a people as the Acadians are thus represented to be, seems to readers of the poem to have been an act of the most inexplicable and un-

pardonable cruelty.

It is well known that Longfellow took as much license as he pleased in his description of the Acadian country. Visitors to the land of Evangeline are annually disappointed in not finding the "forest primeval" and other phy-sical characteristics of which the explicit verse seems like a guide-book. Although a day's sail would have carried the Cambridge poet to the appleblossom region, he never took the trouble to see it with his own eyes. And in giving his impressions of the peo-ple and of their calamity, he showed no greater care in the pursuit of accuracy. His guide in the view he took of the subject was Judge Haliburton, of Halifax, an eminent provincial writer, whose sentimental portrayal of the episode is well known. Perhaps the original source was the contemporary, Abbe Raynal, who wrote in France a pathetic description of a people whom he had never visited. Consequently, the popular idea has naturally that the New England soldiers of King George who conducted the expulsion obeyed monstrous and wanton orders. "A Sister to Evangeline" gives a decidedly different impression. Its schol-

arly author evidently has no desire to start a discussion or aggressively to upset popular views. Yet, as an historian himself, and thoroughly familiar with the documentary history and in close harmony, it may be said, with Parkman's account of the expulsion, he presents in this new novel a picture whose truthfulness cannot questioned. He throws around the simple folk of Acadia the charm of romance, and even introduces bits of glitter carried thither from the court of Louis. But he likewise tells the straight story of the protracted patience of the British Government towards a people who, after nearly half a century of English protection, peace and liberty, still refused to take the oath of allegiance; a people who aided the Indians in harrying and massacreing English settlers; a people whose priests had made them believe that allegiance to the heretic English king was like loyalty to the devil, and would bring them to perdition; a people whom the French Government supplied with arms and sought to use as a leverage to undermine English power in Nova Scotia.

Such an undermining of the English power in Nova Scotia at that time presaged the destruction of all our col-On the west of the seacoast strip onies. of English settlements was a chain of French ports full of French soldiers in allegiance with murderous Indians. On the north was Quebec and all the enginery of New France. If, in addition to these advantages, the French regained the mastery of Nova Scotia as a basis for sea power, they would hold the divided English colonies in a state of helpless siege. New England underly, and perceived that her salvation must be wrought in Nova Scotia.

The partisan Acadians thus were a perpetual menace and danger. the politics of their priests, while it was generosity and leniency unparalleled in this soft treatment was shrewd made it no less conspicuous or actual. The Acadians were the wards of the king, and while his subjects in the south were experiencing his negligence and rapacity, these French peasants lived in a Utopia of exemptions.

But they were impossible subjects. They were French. They were absolutely dominated by French intrigue sometimes knowingly and sometimes ignorantly. They were thrifty farmers, but they were not citizens, and were a treacherous presence. Consequently, in the new war between France and England, it was a military necessity that this dangerous population, which had abused its long probation, should be disintegrated once and for all.

The sad business was conducted with an extraordinary humaneness.Far less gentle were the British in the American revolution a few years later in the vexing management of this depopulation. Testimony agrees that the simple peasants were handled by the soldiers with a paternal solicitude. They took with them their money and their household effects. Families were kept together, and even villages, as far as possible. The officers fully realized the grave thing they were doing and behaved with extreme gentle-

It must be conceded that the whole act has had no parallel in modern history, and, at first view, it looks like some of the wholesale captivities of primitive times. On the other hand, the question whether France would wipe out the divided English colonies altogether was at issue. The war was begun by the initial act of Col. George Washington in shouldering back the sly French attempt to press through the Ohio Valley to the sea. Governor Shirley, of Massachusetts, was no less vigilant and patriotic in demanding that the dangerous and rebellious Acadians, who were an entering wedge of French attack in the north, should be

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LADY HARCOURT AN AMERICAN

The English Statesman Tamed by His Wife-Motley's Daughter.

Sir William Vernon Harcourt, the English Liberal leader, has an American wife, though the fact is not generally known or heralded, as in the case of Lady Curzon, Lady Naylor-Leyland, Lady Randolph Churchill and Mrs. Joseph Chamberlain, though she is as American as to parentage as any of

Lady Harcourt began life as the petted daughter of John Motley, the his-torian. Motley was a Boston man and his daughter was taught Bostonese of the most pronounced type. To this day, she is distinctly correct in conversation, absolutely reliable in word, exquisitely well read and neat to a fault.

Motley was minister to Russia, and afterwards minister to Austria. His last foreign post was that of minister to England. His daughter visited all these countries with him, and was at his side when he wrote his history of Wilhelmina's country and the wellknown English works. She married Mr. Ives, but was widowed, and then she married Sir William Vernon Harcourt, one of the wealthiest and most influential men in England.

Before his marriage to his present

wife Sir Harcourt was voted the most disagreeable man in England. There is a story of how six men, uniting to give a dinner, agreed that each was to ask as his guest the most disagreeable person he knew. No confidences were to be exchanged, leaving untrammeled the curiosity that centered upon the meeting when each man would be able to see wherein his particular selection was excelled. Covers were laid for twelve, but only six sat down.

Each man had asked Vernon Har-

He was called "the English lion," a great man so great that he had no need to be affable; and strange tales were told shiveringly of the dinners that were given by him when he sat silent throughout six courses, absolutely speechless, while his guests con-

versed in frightened whispers.
But when Lady Harcourt came upon the scene all was changed. She refurnished the old Harcourt mansion and introduced color and the reading matter of the day into it. She began giving charming entertainments at which Sir William was geniality itself. His face, beaming across the table upon Lady Harcourt, expressed contentment with the world. London society called her "the lion tamer" and she heard it

Lady Harcourt is so distinctly English that she knows politics well, as all English women do, yet she never meddles. She converses well and fluently upon them, but she is by no means the center-of-the-circle, as Lady Randolph Churchill always is. She is not a fas-cinating talker, but a very well-informed one. Differing from Lady Curzon, who fascinates by her beauty, and from the Duchess of Marlborough, who spends a fortune upon her guests, she makes an admirable contrast to other

American "girls" abroad. Lady Harcourt is rich in her own right, the income from her father's books being a steady one. She expends her money upon the typical English charities, and has an ever ready purse. Her name is always on the list of benefactresses and patronesses, and, like Mary Anderson, she has become so localized and acclimated that the English women include her in the societies as one of themselves

GAY ANNA GOULD

Her Love Experiences Before She Be came a Countess.

The Countess de Castellane, who was Miss Anna Gould, was married to the count in March, 1895, says the Philadelphia Times. The count had come to this country in the previous spring for the avowed purpose of marrying an American heiress, preferably Miss Virginia Fair or Miss Consuelo Vanderbilt. He had plenty of fine clothes, but was nearly penniless. At Newport stood this perilous situation thorough- he had a genuine social success, and met there for the first time at a dinner he gave to the Goulds the woman who is now his wife. He was trusted The for the dinner by the caterer, who fact that they had never thought for served it on the chance of his making themselves and had implicitly obeyed the match. Three months later the wedding took place. The countess is 24 years old. By the will of her father their excuse, in no way lessened their troublesomeness. The English had treated them for many years with a and her portion by the time she came of age had swelled to \$15,000,000. In English history before or since. That November, 1893, she was reported as engaged to Harry Woodruff, an actor. In January, 1894, her engagement to William M. Harriman, a New York banker, was announced by her brother. This was broken off. In June, 1894, her engagement to Prince Isenberg Von Birnstein was reported by cable. In July, 1894, her engagement to Prince Joseph of Battenberg was reported by cable, and in September of the same year her engagement to Comte Bosen de Talleyrand-Perigord was reported by cable. After a gorgeous fete given by the count and countess to the French aristocracy in 1896 the countess changed from a pronounced brunette to a dazzling Titian blonde.

SENTIMENT AND FACT. She-Do you remember how you used to put your arm around my waist, when we were engaged ten years ago? You never do so now. He-No! my arm has not grown any longer.-Boston Record.

A JUNE JULEP. "Oh, for a lodge in some yast wilder-

Some boundless contiguity of shade," With soda founts-a million, more or And countless rivers filled with lem-

-L. A. W. Bulletin.

Minard's Liniment lumberman's friend

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CASTORIA. Children Cry for CASTORIA.

Mrs. R. Stoddard, Delhi, Norfolk Co., Ont., writes as follows: Lawyer Hubbard says that Rev. W. household may need its timely assistscattered if they refused any longer to "I was troubled with Eczema for over twelve years, and M. Barrows, of Greenwich, Conn., who swear allegiance Mrs. George West, Huntsville, Ont. claimed he was imposed upon when he doctored during that time with four different physicians, but found It isnatural that compassion for the speaking of this great remedy, says: "I have used Dr. Fowler's Extract of married Perry Belmont and Mrs. that they could only give temporary relief. I saw Dr. Chase's Ointpitiful exiles should color judgment, D. Sloan, understood the matter fully But had they not been lifted out bold-Wild Strawberry in my family for years, and can highly recommend it ment advertised, decided to try it, and before I had used half a box and got \$500 for tying the knot. ly, the history of our country might German-Americans of Detroit, in mass meeting assembled, declared hosfound great relief and change. Altogether I have used three boxes, for Summer Complaint, Diarrhea, Cramps, etc." have been very different, and brought their calamity on themselves.

-Francis Bellamy in the Bookman. and am now completely cured. I have recommended it to my tility to an Anglo-American political neighbors, and can say it is the best I have ever used, and, in my alliance of any sort, and protested vehemently against any characterization estimation, worth its weight in gold."

> saxons. Synod of Niagara, which met to consider Rev. Thos. Geoghegan's appeal, adjourned without reaching any con-

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Hams Picked Crow

Cockneys' Fielding and Base- Lynden found it necessary to impose a Running Were Very Yellow.

The Reds Took Two Games From St. Thomas.

Woodstock and Guelph Play Tie Game-Darkness Intervening.

Toronto Argonauts De Fast Work at Henley.

London's Lawn Tennis Tournament Be gun-Racing, Cricket and Other Sporting Matters.

BASEBALL.

Canadian League Standing. Won. Lost. Per. Ct. Chatham Thomas..... Woodstock..... 1

Hamilton, June 23 .- [Special.]-London hit about as hard as usual in today's game, but failed to keep up its reputation for base-stealing and rungetting, and put up a poor fielding game. Baker held the visitors at his mercy. A single base hit in the first and one in the third were all that were made until the ninth, when Babbitt got a scratch hit, and then Jones made a long high fly to left. Schrall got under it, but as he caught the ball he ran into a post and Jones got credit for a three-base hit instead of an out. This gave one run. The other was made in the sixth, when Hagerty threw the ball over the first baseman's head and allowed Howell to make the whole circuit of the bases. Hamilton landed heavily on Crow, and he was not very A single by Dean and a double by Schrall got a run in the first; a base on balls, error by Babbitt and hits by Hagerty and Schrall, two in the second; a poor throw by Babbitt, a sacrifice, a base on balls, a two-bagger by McKevitt and a single by Conwell, three in the fifth; a single by Congalton, error by Cope and singles by Phillips and Conwell, two in the seventh; and a home run by Schrall, base on balls and two-bagger by McKevitt, two in the eighth. Crow got very sulky and then noisy towards the end of the game, and Lohman was violent in his demonstrations on account of a strike being called on him when he thought it should have been a ball. Umpire

Or Tumor

and testimonials. No Knife! No Plaster! but a pleasant no treatment. A. L. Stott & Jury,

(Mention Advertiser.)

Hagerty, 3b...
Dean, 2b.
Schrall, l.f.
Elton, 1b. McKevitt, r.f. 4
Phillips, s.s. 5
Conwell, c. 5 Two-base hits—Schrall, McKevitt 2.
Three-base hit-Jones.
Home run—Schrall. Sacrifice hit—Elton.
Sacrifice hit—Elton.
Stolen bases—Dean 2, Phillips.
First on balls—By Baker 3, by Crow 6.
Struck out—By Baker 6, by Crow 3.
Umpire—J. Lyndon.
Time—1:55. ST. THOMAS LOST BOTH. St. Thomas, June 24.-Chatham and St. Thomas played two games here yesterday, Chatham winning both of them. In the first game Sheehan was hurt, and will be out of the game for a few This makes the fifth accident of this kind in a month, and at present Manager Pears and Sheehan and Hardy laid up, causing a general shift. Of course this has a great deal to do with the poor showing they have made the last couple of weeks. However, they are playing good ball under the circumstances, and expect to be in shape next week. The score of the first game appears in another column. Second game: R. H. E. Chatham0 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0-3 6 3 St. Thomas...0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0-2 6 3 Batteries-McIlvaine and Sanders; Wagner and Reid. Umpire, England. WOODSTOCK AND GUELPH PLAY A TIE. Woodstock, June 24.—The Guelph Canadian League ball team arrived yesterday evening, and commenced their game at 6:15. The score resulted in a tie of 3 to 3 at the end of nine innings. Game called on account of darkness. Score: R. H. E. Woodstock ... 100100010—3 9 3 Guelph002000100—3 5 0 Batteries—Norcom and Pickard; Kostal and Burns. Umpire, Popkay.

Mohler, 2b..., 4 0 0 4 1 0

Howell, c.f. 4 1 1 0 0 0

Babbit, s.s. 6 0 10 0

HAMILTON.

A.B. R. B.H. P.O. A.

At Providence— R. H. E. Providence 8 12 1 Toronto 3 6 2
Batteries—Evans and Leahy; Brown and Duncan. Umpire—Doecher.
At Worcester— Montreal
At Springfield— Springfield
At Hartford— Hartford

Bowen and Smink. Umpire-Boyd.

EASTERN LEAGUE-FRIDAY.

WESTERN LEAGUE-FRIDAY. At St. Paul-Kansas City, 8; St. Paul, 7. At Detroit-Detroit, 8; Buffalo, 3. At Columbus-Indianapolis, 3; Co-At Minneapolis-Milwaukee, 9; Min-NATIONAL LEAGUE-FRIDAY. At Louisville-R. H. E. 3 10 1 Batteries-Dowling and Powers; Mercer and Butler. At Cincinnati-Cincinnati 8 13 2
Baltimore 3 8 3 Batteries-Hahn and Peitz; Kitson, Hill and Robinson. At Chicago-Batteries-Callahan and Donohue; Dunn and Farrell. At Pittsburg-Pittsburg 2 8 Lewis and Bergen. Batteries-Bates and Schecongost; Doheny and Warner. Batteries-Powell and Creiger; Piatt National League Standing.

Boston Philadelphia Western League Standing. Indianapolis.....

THE AMATEURS.

The following team will represent the Oregon club, of this city, in a game to be played at Highgate this afternoon: Carrothers, catcher; Wanless, pitcher; W. Bell, first base; J. Bell, second base; S. Lee, shortstop; Healey, third "ase; Simpson, right field; Carroll, center field; Pellow, right field; Cook, substitute. A number of the Oregons will accompany the team.

FOR THE FANS.

Hamilton Times: Owing to London and St. Thomas councils having decided to observe Dominion Day on Monday, July 3, some rearrangement of the Canadian League holiday games will have to be made. For that pur-pose a meeting of the league will be "Billy" Rhines, one of Pittsburg's pitchers, has received his uncondition-

The Hamiltons have released Pitcher Crystall and he has signed with

CRICKET. AUSTRALIANS VS. LEICESTERS. London, June 24.-At Leicester the Australian cricket team were all out in their first inning for 194 runs in their match with the Leicestershire eleven. The Leicester players, in their first inning, were all out for 95 runs.

LOCAL TOURNAMENT.

The first two games were played off in the local tournament yesterday afternoon. Following is the score: Robertson beat Muckleston, 4-6, 6-1

Lind beat Bayly, 6-4, 6-3. AT WIMBLEDON.

In the lawn tennis championship games at Wimbledon, England, on Friday, Hobart and Nesbit defeated the Allen brothers in the second round of the doubles, three sets to love.

LACROSSE. BRAMPTON LOST.

The Excelsior lacrosse team, of Brampton, were defeated by the Orangeville team at Brampton yesterday by 3 to 2. Brampton charges the visitors with having paid players, while they claim to be all strictly ama-The match was an exhibition game, and a large number of spectators were present.

ST. MARYS WON.

A lacrosse match of the intermediate series, C. L. A., was played at St. Marys on Thursday between the St. Marys Alerts and Stratford Classics. Score 12 to 1 in favor of St. Marys. Owing to one of Stratford's men being ill, only eleven men a side played. FISTIC.

WALCOTT WON.

Walcott, the colored welterweight, won again from Dan Creedon, the Australian middle-weight, after fighting 20 hard rounds, before the New Broadway Athletic Club, in New York, last night. Nine weeks ago these two men met at the Lenox Athletic Club, and Walcott knocked out the Australian in the first round. Creedon was in good shape last night, and put up a first-class defense against Joe's continued attack. Walcott was always on the aggressive.

TURF. BEL AIR RACES. Montreal, June 23.—The Bel Air track was fast vesterday: First race, purse \$200, 3-year-olds

KEEP THE HEAD COOL And the bowels open, and you will be well during the

warm weather.

"Keep the head cool and the bowels open" is old but eminently sensible advice for people to follow during the summer season. But the head won't keep cool, no matter what you do, if the bowels are

constipated. First thing, then, is to consider the bowels. If they don't move regularly

every day take Laxa-Liver Pills. They're the nicest acting little pill you ever tried. If you take one or two before going to

bed, they'll work while you sleep without a grip or gripe. In the morning your head will feel cool and clear, and your brain bright and

They're just the thing to keep you well this summer if you are subject to sick headache, bilious spells, dyspepsia, indi-gestion, sour stomach, constipation or

Miss Bessie Nason, Clover Hill, N.B., says: "I gladly recommend Laxa-Liver Pills, as they cured me completely of con-stipation before I had finished the third

Second race, purse \$200, 3-year-olds and up, selling, 6 furlongs—Tyrian won, The Bird 2, Flying Belle 3. Time, 1:16½. Logan, Bonniefield, Gomor, Waterproof and Madam Gerst also Third race, purse \$250, 3-year-olds

and up, selling, 6 furlongs—Dick War-ren won, Damocles 2, Farm Life 3. Time, 1:16. Violent, Mamie, Callan, Wild Arab and Ergo also ran. Fourth race, purse \$200, 3-year-olds and up, selling, 1 mile—Guilder won, Home Like 2, Albert S. 3. Time, 1:44%. Dogtown, Sallie Lamar, Red Monk and

Little Bramble also ran. Fifth race, purse \$200, 3-year-olds and up, selling, 6 furlongs—Amber Glints won, Rena Campbell 2, Minstrelsy 3. Time, 1:17. My Lizzie Liddesdale, Floridan and De Haven also ran.

WINNERS ON OTHER TRACKS. Hawthorne, Chicago-Tuilane, In Debt, Serano, Edneer, Pat Garrett and

Batteries—Tannehill and Bowerman; Lady Elite, Dutch Comedian, Rotha, Lewis and Bergen.

Batteries—Tannehill and Bowerman; Lady Elite, Dutch Comedian, Rotha, Barton and King Dellis. St. Louis, Mo.—Aunt Mary, Elbe, Go To Bed, Loving Cup, W. B. Gates and

WHEEL. DAVIDSON AND MILLER.

Guelph, Ont., June 24.—The matched bicycle race between Harley Davidson, of Guelph, and Roy Miller, of Hamilton, was won by Davidson, taking the second and third heats. Time, 2:15, 2:201/2, 2:21. Local amateurs rode a mile, which was won by Lehman; Mitchell second, O'Connor third. Davidson rode an exhibition mile in 2:04%. AQUATIC

CANADIANS AT HENLEY.

The Canadian scullers have started training at Henley, England. Goldman went over half the course in 4 minutes and 11 seconds. The Canadian eight did the same distance in 3 minutes and 32 seconds. During the day the Canadians did some fast work. Their eight rowed over the full course in 7 minutes and 1 second, at an average stroke of 36, which is reckoned a good performance, the record being 6 minutes and 51 seconds. The Canadian four did the course in 8 minutes and 11 seconds, to the astonishment of all

BETTING ON SHAMROCK. Major J. Jamieson, member of the British Parliament, an intimate friend of Sir Thomas Lipton, has made a wager on the coming yacht race, betting \$500 to \$1,000 that the Shamrock will win the America's cup. A wellknown book-maker took the American end of the bet. This is believed to be the first bet on the result of the race. NOTES OF SPORT.

W. C. Whitney has signed Jockey Odom, aged 14, for 1900, at \$10,000 a In New York they expect to see Fitz

and McCoy fight soon. Fitz is taking his beating sensibly. The stallion Gentry paced a mile on the Grosse Point track (Detroit) in

George Weber and Fred Riemauer broke the half-mile tandem record at Toledo by riding in one minute. Charlie Mitchell's challenge to Jeffries is looked upon by the majority of the American sporting contingent as a huge joke.

Successful Meet at Queen's Park Brought to a Close.

Dick French in Evidence-He Seems to Improve With Age-Jockey Lawrence Fined \$10.

The race meet at Queen's Park was brought to a close yesterday afternoon after four days' good racing. From the view point of the spectators the meet was an unqualified success. The sport was excellent. Directors of the association looking at the meeting in another light say it was not such a great success, financially. The attendance was too small. Yet they hope to break even, at least, and expenses have been heavy.
The attendance yesterday afternoon

was particularly light, though the day was an ideal one, and the programme promising. Unfortunately the association had not arranged for the run-ning event in time to make it generally known beforehand. In some respects the day's races were the most interesting of the meet. In the second and third events particularly there were "sensational features." Old Dick French got into fast company in the 2:20 trot and pace, and although he has been a familiar figure on Canadian tracks, winter and summer, for the past, 10 or 12 years, many old turfmen say he never did better than yesterday. "Look at those knees," and "He's like wine. He improves with age." "Go it old boy!" were some of, the expressions that could be heard on every side when the well-known chestnut was getting over the course. He broke two or three times, an unusual thing for him, but he traveled fast. Black Joe, the winner of the 2:30 trot and 2:35 pace, is a new comer, picked up at Grand's sale last winter,

for \$150, it is said. He is a great colt, and won handily. The run which took the place of the consolation race previously announced had six starters. Caspar was favorite for the first heat, and without much trouble. For the second heat Yellow Jacket was considered a moral, and was heavily backed. She was ridden by A. Lawrence, who kept her in the lead until the stretch was reached. Then

Dogma, with Jamieson up, gained rapidly, and was soon even with the little chestnut mare. Lawrence crowded close to Dogma as the horses neared the wire, and when in front of the judges' stand caught hold of Jockey Jamieson, and in such a manner pulled Yellow Jacket forward. F. Sage, owner of Yellow Jacket, at once protested to the judges against the conduct of his jockey. It was a deliberate foul, he said, to have the mare set back to second place. The judges fined Lawrence \$10 and exonerated Mr. Sage from any blame in the matter. Yellow Jacket carried 112 pounds. Summaries: 2:30 trot, 2:35 pace:

Black Joe, b. g., R. Benson, Toronto 1 1 1 Kitty Wilkes, P. Lawrason, Pres-

Park 3 4 4 Time-2:21¼, 2:20¼, 2:21½. Mahon, Peterboro.... 2 3 2 2 Pills.

% mile run, best 2 in 3: Dogma, br. m., R. Hueston,

Casper, ch. g., J. Hearns, Chatham1 Yellow Jacket, ch. m., F. Sage, London 4 4
Wilfrid Laurier, br., g., F.
Smith Southcote 6 5
Boundary Maid, b. m., J. John-

Mitchell Advocate: The London races were among the best ever held in Canada. On Tuesday Miss Delmarch competed in a very fast race and won second money. Had it not been that she met with a slight accident in the third heat the noble little mare would have been a sure winner. Gobel has a good mare, and refused \$1,800 for her this week.

Matches Caused the Death of a Little Girl in Toronto.

Open Verdict in the Supposed Suicide Case at Galt-Bay Drowned While Bathing.

PLAYED WITH MATCHES. Quebec, June 24.—An 8-year-old girl named Cote, while playing with matches, was burned to death Thurs-

died Thursday morning.

DIED FROM POISONING.

Galt, June 24 .- John W. Neff, a retired farmer, was found dead in bed at his home on Wednesday, June 7. It was at first thought that death had resulted from natural causes, but an investigation gave reason to believe that it was due to poisoning. The coroner's inquest was concluded Wednesday night, when the following verdict was returned: "In the opinion of the jury, fully proven that death resulted from carbolic acid poisoning, but whether the acid was taken with suicidal intent, or administered by another person, the evidence was not sufficient to determine."

DROWNED WHILE BATHING. Ottawa, June 24.-The 8-year-old son of J. B. Loughran, confectioner, Dalhousie street, was drowned in the Rideau River, while bathing on Thursday.

CUT HER HUSBAND'S THROAT. New York, June 24.-Grace Ramsey, 27 years of age, cut the throat of her husband, Harvey J. Ramsey, 50 years old, yesterday morning, while the man was asleep in bed in their apartments at the Garden Hotel on Madison avenue. The woman was arrested. Ramsey was removed to Bellevue Hospital. He is a ticket seller at Madison Square Garden. He cannot recover. When arrested, Mrs. Ramsey gave as the reason for her terrible deed, that her husband snored.

TOOK POISON BY MISTAKE. Hamilton, June 24.-Mr. Dennis Buckley, aged 74, one of the oldest residents of the north end of the city, and a man who had the respect of every citizen, died at his home, 253 John stret north, on Thursday. He took a dose of carbalic acid by mistake, thinking he was taking medicine. About a year ago he and his wife celebrated their golden

wedding. FATAL RUNAWAY.

Dunnville, June 24.—A runaway took place in Wainfleet on Wednesday, which has resulted fatally. Mrs. Jane Priestman, widow of the late John Priestman of that township, with her son Thomas, his wife and two children, were returning home, when their horses took fright and ran against a fence. All the occupants were thrown out with violence. Mrs. Jane Priestman received such severe internal injuries and shock that she died from the effects.

MINISTER'S TERRIBLE MISTAKE. Benton Harbor, Mich., June 23.-Rev. J. R. Omwega, pastor of the Church of God, is nearly distracted with grief His daughter Stella, a bright girl if 12, was just recovering from an attack of the measles and the preacher was attending to her wants. The doctor had ordered quinine for her and the father gave his daughter what he supposed to be a dose of quinine, but the drug given was not quinine, but morphine. The girl died yesterday.

NEW TARIFF ON OATS AND CORN. Chicago, June 23 .- The Grand Trunk has issued a new tariff on oats and corn, which it is thought will lead to a competitive cut by other roads. On both the domestic and foreign commodity the rate went down 4 cents on oats and 6 cents on corn. The move came as a surprise to the shippers.

MARVELOUS ESCAPE FROM DEATH.

Collinsville, Conn., June 24.-The eastbound midnight freight train on the Central New England Railroad was wrecked near Canton yesterday by running down a stray ox. The engine and eight cars were derailed and a portion of the wreckage caught fire. Engineer Tim Farrel was caught under wreckage, and it required three hours to extricate him. Greatly to the surprise of his rescuers, he was not badly injured. Fireman Dan Hickey was thrown some distance and sustained internal injuries. The engine and several cars were destroyed and traffic was blocked for several hours.

Startling Confessions.

Show that 25 per cent of men and women suffer the tortures of itching piles. Investigation proves that Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment has never yet failed to cure itching piles, and all of these men and women could end their sufferings at once by using it. of thousands have been cured by this treatment. Everybody can be cured in the same way.

All things seem easy to the man who never tries to do anything. Always keep your temper; it is worth more to you than it is to anyone

FAGGED OUT-None but those who have become fagged out know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength has gone, and despondency has taken hold of the sufferers. They feel as though there was nothing to live for. There, however, is a cure one box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dandelion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parmelee's NOT EXACTLY TACTFUL.

There are some clergymen who find it difficult to say the right thing at the right time, and not a few who are almost sure to say the wrong thing. An extraordinary instance of this was related to me by a lady. At a time of great grief-when, in fact, she had just lost her husband-she expressed a wish to see a clergyman, with the hope that some words of consolation might be spoken to her. The clergyman who came, however, was not an expert in such matters. After sitting with her for some time, mostly in silence, broken occasionally by some remark on general topics, he arose to leave, and in doing so said: "I was sorry, Mrs. —, to hear of your great grief. Do you think your husband was really dead when they embalmed him?"

FORCED INTO THE HILLS. Mamie-"Where do you expect to spend the summer, at the seashore or

in the mountains?" Gladys—"Oh, we've decided to go to the mountains. Bathing suits are to be more scant this year than ever, and I've lost at least twenty pounds since Easter."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Men seldom, or rather, never, for a length of time, and deliberately, rebel against anything that does not deserve rebelling against.—Carlyle Originality is a good thing for people who don't have it.



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Toronto, June 24. — Pearl Adelaide, the 3½-year-old daughter of Philip Smith, Dalhousie street, died from a burn. Last Saturday morning the little girl was playing with some matches in the back yard. Her clothing caught fire and her legs were badly burned. Pearl died Thursday morning.

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Dividend Notices.

Agricultural Savings & Loan Co

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
a dividend of 3 per cent upon the
paid-up capital stock of this company has been
declared for the current half year, ending Juna
30, and that the same will be payable at te
company's office, on and after July 3 next. T
transfer books will be closed from June 17
June 30, both days inclusive. By order of
board.

C. P. BUTLER,
London, June 12, 1899.

Manneer board. London, June 12, 1899. Manager. 72c J15,24,28 bw

THE CANADIAN

of London, Canada,

DIVIDEND NO. 47.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend of three per cent for the current half year upon the capital stock of this company has been declared, and that the same will be payable at the company's office in this city, on and after Saturday, July 1, 1899. The transfer books will be closed from the 15th to the 30th inst., both days inclusive, by order of the board.

M. H. ROWLAND,
London Inna 15th 1899.

Manager. London, June 15th, 1899.

The Dominion Savings & Investment Society

Dividend No. 54.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
a dividend at the rate of 2 per cent upon
the paid-up capital stock of this society has
been declared for the current half year, and
that the same will be payable at the offices od
the society, Masonic Temple Building, Richmond street, London, after Monday, the third
day of July, 1899.

The transfer books will be closed from the
15th day of June to 3rd day of July, 1899, both
days inclusive.

ays inclusive.
London, June 13, 1899.
NATHANIEL MILLS, Manager.
72c wtt

The London Loan Company of Canada.

Dividend No. 44.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend has been declared at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, for half year ending 30th June, 1899.

M. J. KENT.

London, Saturday, June 24, 1899.

The Trip to Michigan.

The Middlesex farmers who journeyed to Lansing on Thursday saw the highest excellence of Michigan agriculture, and returned with the greatest admiration for-Ontario. Neither in the average farms and farming operations as seen from the car windows, nor in the highly-developed model farm at the State capital, did they see anything which Ontario has yet to learn, unless it be the necessity of more liberally supporting the scientific and educational work at home. In no department is progressive competition more keen. and yet more friendly and mutually helpful than in agriculture. It is the one branch of industry in which there seems to be no effort or desire to monopolize special knowledge. Every new idea and product of original investigation is freely and voluntarily communscated for the betterment of mankind. While Ontario farmers can pride themselves on the assurance that they take second place to no other Province of the Dominion, or State of the Union. they must realize, and doubtless do, that they can keep in the van only by taking full advantage of the best educa-

The Ontario Agricultural College and model farm suffer nothing by contrast with the more elaborate and costly institution at Lansing. Without making invidious distinctions, it may safely be said that for purely agricultural purposes, the Ontario college is superfor, especially in the experimental processes. Financially, the comparison is favorable to Michigan, the Lansing college furnishing an exemplary lesson of public liberality in fostering and encouraging technical instruction, agricultural and mechanical. The Ontario Legislature cannot afford, in the public interests, to be niggardly with such institutions as the Guelph college. Those who complain of the expenditure are preaching a false economy. They have only to inspect similar work over the border to realize the necessity for generous treatment of the agricultural interests of this Province and to be conrinced of the splendid efficiency of the ntario institution in proportion to the eans at the disposal of the Govern-

Elsewhere appears an advertisement offering the Dominion Presbyterian for the balance of the present year for 50 cents: and also expressing willingness to send free specimen copies on application. The Dominion Presbyterian has met with a remarkably friendly welcome. Among its strong contrib- of Church House. An interesting feautors may be named Rev. Professor Jordan, D.D., who is about to leave the president of the council, has been Strathroy for Queen's University. The Dominion Presbyterian is one of the best religious weeklies of the continent; especially is it a journal for the home. Address C. Blackett Robinson,232 er Chinese ladies and will be attended St. James Street. Montreal.

Light and Shade.

Prominent Society Woman (to popufar lecturer)-Don't you get tired of saying the same thing over and over 'Yes; don't you?"-Life.

"So you have decided to spend the summer in the country this year?" 'No. sir, I have not. My wife has decided it."-Philadelphia North Am-

Fat Citizen-You're a pretty small chap to be running an elevator, ain't you, bub? The Small Chap-Yes, I guess I be.

They hired me 'cause the rope broke so many times with the heavier elevator And the fat man walked .- Cleveland

laindealer.

easy path in the lowland hath little of grand or new, a toilsome ascent leads on to a wild and glorious view:

pled and warmed is the valley lonely and chill the height, But the peak that is nearer the storm clouds is nearer the stars of light.

A story illustrating the reticence of the Scotch regarding their private af-fairs was told by Ian Maclaren when

A train was at a railroad station, when a porter put his head into a car

"Anyone in this car for Doun? Change for Doun! Anyone for Doun?" No one moved, and in a few minutes the train was speeding along, not to stop again for nearly an hour. Then an old Scotch woman turned to a lady

sitting near her, and said:
"I'm for Doun, but I'd no tell that

A DECEITFUL THING.

Mrs. Packinham-What a deceitful

thing Mrs. Ingleswitch is!
Mr. Packinham—Why? Has been saying things behind your back? Mrs. Packinham-I don't know that she has done anything of that kind, but she looked me right in the face when I called on her this morning and said she was glad to see me. She was all ready to go down town, and of course I knew better.

Mr. Packinham-That was rather barefaced. I suppose you set her a good example then by telling her you had just called for the sake of appearances, as you told me last night you would have to?

Mrs. Packinham-John, you're so coarse, sometimes. It is easy to guess that you never had the advantage of proper bringing up.

SADDEST WHEN SHE SINGS. [Chicago Times-Herald.]

"I cannot sing when I am sad," She yelled with all her might; "I only sing when I am glad, And when my heart is light." Her neighbor yelled across the way "Alas, it is too bad,

That when you sing, though you are The rest of us are sad."

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Great Rush for Tickets to the International Council of Women-The Queen at Windsor-Other Society

[Special Cable Letter to The Advertiser.1

London, June 24.-Royalties were much in evidence during the past week. Almost daily members of the royal family have been engaged in advancing the cause of charity, opening bazars and sales of needlework, or giving garden fetes. Tuesday, the anniversary of her majesty's accession to the throne, in 1837, was a specially busy day. The Duke of Connaught reviewed the Yeomen of the Guard at Buckingham Palace. It was a brilliant society function.

The Duchess of Albany's garden party, held in behalf of charity, was the rendezvous of most of the fashionable people.

The Albert Hall bazar, however, in aid of the fund of the Charing Cross Hospital, was the crowning charitable function of the season. The admirable, untiring work of Mesdames Paget and Ronalds in connection therewith is a matter of general comment, and promises to lead to insistent demands for their services at all future events of a similar character. It was an immense success, beyond the most roseate dreams. The receipts were over

MONEY SEEMS PLENTIFUL. The season, on the whole, is proving most successful, and the shop-keepers and dressmakers are jubilant. Money seems in every way more plentiful. The lavish entertainments of past seasons have been surpassed this season, and the sums paid to singers and pianists for private entertainments are

fabulous. Mme. Melba is booked for eleven private parties, at which she receives about \$2,100 each. Mrs. Harmsworth has issued invitations to a party early in July, at which Paderewski, Melba, Susan Strong and Cobelin will all per-

GREAT RUSH FOR TICKETS. The pressure of applications for admission to the International Council of Women, to open June 26, and last until July 5, has been so great that it was found necessary to change the place of meeting to the large convocation hall ture will be the attendance of Chinese delegates. The Countess of Aberdeen, notified by the Chinese ministers of the appointment of the wife of Shen, an attache of the Chinese legation, as an official delegate. She will be accom-panied by an interpreter and two othby Dr. Kang, who took a medical de-gree in America, and Miss Kang. A crowd of American women of all pro-

fessions will be in attendance. Baroness Von Suttner, who has taken an active part in the work of the council, has just arrived here from The Hague. She said to a representative of the Associated Press yesterday even-"I am most hopeful of practical results from the peace conference. I have already won notable support in Austria, but it is to the great country beyond the sea that we look to as the propagandist of peace. I deplore, as do many Americans themselves, the neessity of appealing to arms last year. But, we are not a peace-at-any-price people. We believe a righteous call to arms is still a necessity of the age, but it is impossible for me to believe there will be any future great resort to arms among civilized people. After the splendid awakening of the czar and with the Anglo-Saxons in the van of the peace movement, nothing in that direction is impossible.

THE QUEEN AT WINDSOR.

The Queen arrived at Windsor Castle yesterday (Friday), after spending a month at Balmoral Castle. Scotland. where the weather enabled her to enjoy constant driving to the benefit of her health. Great preparations are being made at Aldershot Camp for the review of troops by her Majesty, Monday. Most of the princes and princesses will be present.

PRINCE OF AUSTRIA'S TRAGIC

DEATH. Every now and then new versions of the tragic death of the Crown Prince of Austria are published, and they always attract interest. The West End now asserts that it has obtained the true story of the tragedy of Prince Rudolph's death, gathered from an undeniable source. This version of the affair says: "As is well known, the Crown Prince deeply loved the Baroness Marc Vetzera. He wrote a letter to the pope, praying for a dispensation and intercession with the peror to allow him to relinquish his title to the throne and retire into private life. The pope sent the letter to Emperor Francis Joseph, and an agonizing interview between the father and son followed, and lasted all night long. Finally Rudolph promised to give up the baroness, and the lovers met at Rudolph's shooting box, at Mayerling, for a last farewell. The company at dinner included Prince Phillip, of Coburg and Count Hoyos. The wine passed freely, and the evening was spent in singing and laughter, though it was remarked that the gaiety of Prince Rudolph and Baroness Marc Vetzera seemed forced. Towards one o'clock in the morning. The baroness complained of being ill, and retired to complained of being ill, and retired to her bedroom. At 2, having almost consumed a decanter of brandy, Rudolph bade his friends good night, and entered the baroness' bedroom. The next morning, Rudolph's confidant. Bratfisch, knocked at the door and there was no response. He then entered, staggered back and fainted at the ghastly sight. Lying on the sofa, completely covered with wild flowers, was Vetzera, dead. Alongside her lay her lover, Rudolph, clutching a heavy cavelry pistol, the back of his head

A doctor was summoned and his

lovers died together. He certified that I lovers died together. He certified that that baroness died at 1 o'clock from strychnine poisoning, and that Rudolph died at 2 from a pistol shot. The baronness left four letters, addressed to Emperor Francis Joseph, her mother, her cousin, Baltazzi, and to Prince Rudolph. The latter was the direct cause

The note is now in the possession of Emperor Francis Joseph. Baroness Vetzera's body was not removed to Venice, as asserted. It was buried in a little monastery near Mayerling, with nothing to mark the grave. AMUSEMENTS.

The success predicted for Nat Goodwin in "An American Citizen" seems to have been realized. Crowded houses are the rule at the Duke of York's Theater.

Nance O'Neill, the Californian actress, supported by McKee Rankin and a number of other Americans, makes her London debut at a trial matine Tuesday next.

IS MENACED

By a Large Army of Filipino Insurgents.

Aguinaldo Takes Command in Person Gen. Oti s To Be Reinforced.

Manila, June 24. - Aguinaldo has taken command of Gen. Luna's army and has massed the largest rebel force yet mobilized, bringing 2,000 from the Antipolo region. Gen. McArthur's men are constantly on the alert to repel any attacks by the rebels, sleeping upon their arms.

Railway trains between Manila and San Fernando have been stopped for several days, while permanent repairs were being made to the bridges along the route, but today traffic was resumed.

LOST 100 TONS OF STORES. The transport Centennial, while rounding Point Engano, on her way to this port, struck a rock and remained fast for several hours, during which time she was surrounded by swarms of natives in canoes, who became menacing. Capt. Eagle was compelled to throw overboard 100 tons of supplies in order to lighten the ship. Be-fore this was effected the Filipinos had towed the cases ashore and were fighting over the spoils.

REINFORCEMENTS.

A special from Washington says President McKinley will authorize the enlist-ment of additional men for the Philippines when he returns from Washington, Officials are figuring on the advisability of enlisting sufficient men to form ten complete regiments. Should the president authorize the formation of ten regiments, recruiting officers would have to obtain 15,700 men to

ON THE WAY.

San Francisco, Cal., June 23. - Four companies of the 24th United States infantry and 150 recruits sailed for Manila last night on transport Zealandia. The transport also carried an immense amount of provisions and supplies for the army in the Philip

CAPTURED A BAND. The outposts of the Washington regiment captured Gen. Pio Del Pillar's brass band of 32 pieces, the members of which somehow became separated from the rebel army and came near the American lines without having the means of resistance. Some Chinamen of Manila have filed a claim against the instruments, which it appears, were leased by the musicians of Gen. Pie Del Pillar. Four of the wounded of the 4th regiment in the recent fight with the rebels have died in the hospital.

MILLIONS OF STEPS

London 'Bus Conductor Does a Little Figuring on His Work.

You know how tiring it is to climb up a flight of steps, even when they are well made and nicely upholstered, but the chances are that you have never given the bus conductor a thought, although he probably climbs more stairs than any other individual in the world. An obliging London 'bus conductor has gone into the matter, and, being an adept at figures, as the majority of 'bus conductors are, he quickly evolved the following interest-

ing facts: There are," he said, "nine steps from the platform to the top of the 'bus, and it is rather underrating it to say that I climb that flight of steps twelve times an hour during the fif-teen hours I am on duty every day; twenty would be nearer the mark, but to be on the safe side we will put it

down at twelve. "Nine steps at 12 times an hour. 15 hours a day, seven days a week, makes the nice little total of 1,340 a week, 45,-360 a month, or 589,680 a year. The number of times I step off the 'bus and on again, and the incidental num-ber of steps I climb like any other individual in the ordinary course of life, brings the annual total up, I rec-

when at this job long? Well I've been working this route just twentyone years, so that I've climbed quite 12,600,000 steps during that time. I don't notice it now, but I did at first go off."-New York Telegram.

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dolph. The latter was the direct cause of the crown prince's suicide. Griefstricken at the sight of the dead woman, he found at her bedside a penciled note, wet with tears, as follows: "My only beloved Rudolph,—I die because I cannot live without you. You promised to make me your wife, but you have broken your word. I forgive you. If you love me, come, follow me," The note is now in the mean of Saturday and Monday Bargains at the "Ric Staturday and Monday Bargains at the "Ric Staturday

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ing; regular 10c, for81/2c Large Linen Bath Towels; regular price 50c, 60c and 75c each; Saturday and Monday, 371/2c, 45c and 50c Large Cotton Bath Towels; regular price, per pair, 60c and 70c; Sat-urday and Monday, per pair, 45c, 50c

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Ladies' Gowns, trimmed with embroidery and insertion; regular with deep embroidery and tucks, for Ladies' Skirts, deep hem and tucks. Very special 45c

Summer Corsets. 29c, 50c, 69c and \$1.

Ladies' Vests, short sleeves, extra heavy, regular price 8c; Saturday and Monday 5c
Ladies' Vests, in cream and white, laced trimmed, with or without sleeves, new goods, regular 18c each; Saturday and Monday 2 ed and unbleached, extra fine;

Black Cotton Hose, Hermsdord Dye, double heels and soles; very

Clothing and Furnish ings

Youths' 2-piece Suits, sizes 22 to 28, light and dark tweels and serges, light and dark twee is and serges, well and strongly made; regular \$2 50 and \$5 suits for\$1 and \$2 50 Men's Felt Hats, hard and soft, black and brown, regular \$1 25 each; Saturday and Monday 75c Men's Straw Hats, all sizes, worth 25c, 35c and 50c each, for Children's Tams in cloth and linen, worth 40c to 50c each; Saturday worth 40c to 50c each; Saturday and Monday 250

Saturday and Monday in Basement

2 pounds of Imperial Black or Mixed Tea, and 22 pounds Redpath's Standard Granulated Sugar for.. \$1 50 at import prices.

If you have not seen out Bedroom Ware it will pay you to do so next week. 6 pounds Redpath's Sugar and 1

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32-inch English Cambries, for waists or dresses; regular 121/2c a yard; Saturday and Monday Colored Dress Muslins, stylish, nice lengths, suitable for blouses, worth 20c to 35c, for 10c

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SAID FAREWELL TO THEIR PASTOR

Rev. Richard Hobbs and Mrs. Hobbs the Recipients of Handsome Presents.

Rev. Richard Hobbs will preach his farewell sermon at the Askin Street Methodist Church tomorrow. The congregation held a farewell meeting at the church last evening. Mr. Hobbs was presented with a purse of gold and Mrs. Hobbs with a handsome easy chair, worked in silk, which was procured at the Kilgour Furniture Company in this city. The presentations were accompanied by beautifully illuminated addresses. The address to the pastor was read by Dr. Reynolds and that for Mrs. Hobbs by Mrs. S. W. Fawcett. Mrs. Davey made

the presentation.

The address to Mr. Hobbs was as follows: "Dear Brother,-The bond between a pastor and his people is one of pe-culiar significance. He is to us not only a sympathizer in times of trouble and a sharer with us in times of gladness, but he is a fellow-worker in our efforts to lift humanity above the mere affairs of earth. He is our spiritual leader, to direct us by precept and example to a fuller and clear-er conception of divine love and will concerning us. A retrospect at that time when the relationship existing between us as pastor and people for the past three years is about to be severed helps us to realize more fully what your presence and influence have been in these respects. As a spiritual adviser we have never felt uncertainty as to the stand our leader took. His warning voice has been invariably and faithfully lifted when danger threatened, and although we may not always have received it joyfully, yet we have learned to admire the candor and courage of him who with a deep sense of his ambassadorship, courageously and fearlessly proclaimed what he believed to be God's message to his people. We lose in Mr. Hobbs a leader active in the temperance cause, earnest in all movements to better the conest in all movements to better the condition of man; energetic as regards their moral and social status, as well as faithful at all times in striving to bring men nearer to the cross of Christ, Our spiritual life has been quickened by your clear and earnest exposition of divine truth. We will long remember the intensity of your exposition of divine truth. We Will long remember the intensity of your convictions and the deep feeling of responsibility with which the Word was proclaimed, and although many

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will date their spiritual birth from your pastorate, yet we believe that fruit will yet be borne from the seed so faithfully sown. We feel that the impress of your personal example will long be felt among us, particularly among the young people, the nucleus of our future church. We realize also that you have had a partner in all your efforts—she who has supported your entires she will all your works amongst us. Mrs. Hobbs has won our esteem and affection. Her personal influence and Christian example have made a deep impression for right in all those with whom she has come in contact. Our earnest prayer is that as you go to your new field of labor, God's blessing may rest with you and your family, and that success may ever attend your family. ever attend your steps in the different spheres in which he in his providence may place you. And on the great day when we meet again, and the great book shall be opened, by him who

knows the right and does right, and the full meaning of all our actions and motives are made plain, our time of parting will be no more. We ask you, parting will be no more. Bro. Hobbs, to accept this purse, not because of its intrinsic value, but as marking our appreciation of yourself and your work, knowing that its value lies in the extent to which it expreses this rather than in itself. In bidding you good-bye, we again express the wish that God in the future as in the past will continue to crown your efforts with success. (Signed on behalf of the congregation) Wm. Gerry, re-cording steward; S. P. Reynolds, superintendent of Sunday schools; Thos. Spettigue, president Epworth League." Ven. Archdeacon Davis and Rev. Mr. Stuart addressed the meeting. There was also a musical programme, and refreshments were served at the close.

Don't Go Far Enough

Truger's Concessions to Uit- antagonisms in order to save the counlanders Insufficient.

Warlike Preparations.

Member of Parliament.

Russia's Peace Proposals Laid Before the Conference.

China Refuses a British Demand-All France Watching for the Arrival of the Noted Capt. Dreyfus.

London, June 24.-The Standard publishes a dispatch from Johannesburg, explaining that the adding of four seats to the representation of the Gold Fields in the Raad will not be a real concession, because the uitlanders will still be without power to vote. The six electoral divisions will be Johannesburg, Heideberg, Boaksburg, Krugersdorp, Barberton and another. There is an impression, however, according to the Standard correspondent, the armaments at present. But, he that President Kruger may yet yield added, he was of the opinion that if a cording to the Standard correspondent, enough to avoid a crisis.

The Shropshire regiment has been ordered to hold itself in readiness for immediate embarkation for Cape Town.

Joseph Chamberlain, in the House of Commons, in answering a question, denied the government was reinforcing the British troops in South Africa to a total of 40,000 men.

The British second-class cruiser Doris, with Rear Admiral Sir Robert Hastings Harris, commander-in-chief of the Cape of Good Hope and West African squadrons, left Simon's Bay for the east coast.

WARLIKE PREPARATIONS. The Wolksraad of the Orange Free State has voted £9,870 for the increase of artillery, tents and other supplies. A resolution was adopted, directing the government to adopt the Mauser rifle as the national weapon. A proposal to vote £22,500 for ammunition was discussed, but the debate was adjourned. Trade with Cape Town and Johannesburg is at a comparative standstill. The Germans, who are in sympathy with the Transvaal, are holding meetings, at which they adopt resolutions, requesting Germany to intercede in behalf of Pretoria.

LIBERAL ELECTED. In the parliamentary bye-election in the east division of Edinburgh, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the former Liberal member, Mr. Robert Wallace, who was seized with cerebral paralysis while speaking in the House of Commons, the Liberal and Radical candidate, Mr. George Mac-Rae, treasurer of the city of Edin-burgh, defeated the Unionist candidate, Mr. Harry G. Younger, by 1,930 votes. The voting was as follows: Mr. MacRae, Liberal and Radical, 4,-891; Mr. Younger, Unionist, 2,961-Liberal and Radical majority, 1,930. FLOOD AND FAMINE THREATEN

ED. Eastern and Northern Finland, according to a dispatch to the Times, from St. Petersburg, are threatened with famine and floods. The late cold weather has ruined the rye crops.

BRITISH DEMAND REFUSED. The Chinese war office has positively refused the demand of Mr. Bax-Ironside, the British representative, for the removal of the governor of Kwei Chau for not punishing the murderers of Missionary Fleming.

APPEAL TO HONEST FRENCHMEN M. Quesnay de Beaurepaire has issued an appeal "to all honest men" to unite to save the fatherland. He says: "I have worked several months to prepare for the salvation of the country on a broad basis. That is the plot I have publicly organized without accomplices. My dream has been French reconciliation, which we have sought in every rank by my counsels and prayers. Be a patriot." He adds that he has sowed earnestly, and hopes the country will reap the harvest. He ends his screed by declaring that he has witnesses who will incontestably prove at Rennes that Dreyfus is a

THEIR FIRST MEETING.

The first council of the new French ministry was held at the Elysee Palace last evening, President Loubet presiding. At this meeting the general lines of a declaration to be made by the government on Monday were decided A ministerial statement will be drafted at a council to be held on Sunday. At the instance of the Marquis de Gallifet, minister of war, the council decided upon the transfer of a number of superior officers of the army for "indulging in manifestations un-becoming soldiers." The Radicals decided to support the government, provided it defends the republic. this decision was made known, M. Charles Pelletex, the deputy for Aix (Circonscription), and a few others left

the chamber. PATRIOTIC AND DEVOTED:

M. de Blowitz, the Paris correspondent of the London Times, says the incongruity and lack of cohesion that characterizes the new French cabinet really explain its existence. These men have sunk their personal ambitions and

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WHEN WILL HE COME? East Edinburgh Elects a Liberal The inhabitants of Brest are absorbed in the pending arrival of Drey-The question on every man's lips is "When will he arrive?" but no one seems able to reply. It is understood that Dreyfus will be landed at the arsenal at night, and strict orders have been given to prevent anyone from entering the arsenal. He will then be whisked off to Rennes by special train without staying an hour in Brest. It would be easy, however, to land Dreyfus on the coast in the vicinity of Brest, and place him on board a train without the fact becoming known. No doubt a big crowd will be present to witness the landing of Dreyfus, if he is allowed to be seen. A detachment of secret police has arrived at Brest from Paris to be distributed around the

> THE HOUSE IN THE WOODS. The Hague, June 24.-M. De Staal, president of the peace conference, at a meeting of the commission yesterday, introduced the Russian proposals looking to the arrest of armaments, and read a declaration disclaiming all intention of proposing a reduction standstill could be agreed upon a

reduction would soon come of itself. Col. Gilinsky, of the Russian dele gation, moved that the powers should enter into an understanding for a term of, say, five years, not to increase the effectiveness of the peace footing of their forces, with the exception of the colonial troops, and not to increase the amount of their military budgets beyond their present

figure. The speeches and the resolution were ordered to be printed and circulated, and the discussion was adjourned until Monday.

A naval standstill resolution will be introduced later. The information from Germany is that Emperor William will not separate himself from the other powers in the delegates anticipate a favorable decision on that point. The work is now so far advanced that the conference probably will take a holiday after June 28, in order to allow the delegates to refer to their respective governments for final instructions.

"A TRAP."

The correspondent of the Daily News at The Hague says: Several delegates remark that Russia's proposals regarding disarmament contain a trap, since she could increase her troops to any extent in Siberia and other colonies. The Times correspondent says: There

is not the faintest chance of the Russian proposals being adopted, but it is likely some motion will be carried to the effect that, in the interests of peace and humanity, the conference hopes, that unless an emergency should occur, war budgets will not be increased.

HOT DEBATE. life aimed at by the employment of submarine torpedo boats should be permitted. A shell charged with asphyxiating gas need not necessarily destroy human life, he said, any more than chloroform, but might only place men hors de combat for a time, while submarine boat, stealthily approaching under cover of darkness, might send a thousand sleeping men to a watery grave. Why forbid retail asphyxiation

tion by water? A Russian delegate replied that the men might be picked up when the ship

by air and permit wholesale asphyxia-

sank. Capt. Mahan retorted by recalling the case of the British battleship Victoria, where, he pointed out, in a wholly disciplined fleet, in broad daylight and smooth waters, many hundreds of men were drowned, so sudden was the catastrophe and so short the available time to pick up the men. He reminded the committee, also, that this happeened when an immense fleet was close together and intent on doing its utmost to save life.

Capt. Mahan's arguments were altogether logical and unassailable, but this did not prevent the commission voting them down.

In the discussion regarding dumdum bullets, the Russian delegate, Col. Jilinskey did not mince matters, but plainly expressed the opinion that the dum-dum was uselessly cruel. He refused to accept the humanitarian amendment proposed by Capt. Crozier, of the American delegation, which would have been voted unanimously, that no bullet should have been adopted which caused unnecessary suffering. Altogether it must be obvious to all that giving a specific technical interdiction to certain features will not prevent the Introduction of other features capable

of producing more cruel results. When the vote was taken, Great Britain and America were left in the minority, England and the United States, therefore, are branded by the majority as uncivilized and anti-humanitarian states, while the Russians are to be congratulated on having served the cause of civilization and humanity. At least the eccentricities of the day's de-bate have almost put matters in that absurd light.

ANGLO-GERMAN CABLE. The Hamburgisher correspondent declares that the officials of the German foreign office are negotiating with British firms for the laying of the proposed German-American cable.

ONE OF THE BIGGEST

Immense Iron and Steel Works Factory To Be Established at Sidney, C. B.

Montreal, June 24. - Canada is to have one of the greatest iron and steel works in the world. A movement is on foot, and in fact a company is now in the process of formation, which will be known as the Nova Scotia Iron and Steel Company. The big financiers of Canada, aided by a large amount of capital furnished by United States capitalists, are to float the company, and it is understood that all the capital for the enterprise has been subscribed. The company will have a capital of twenty million dol-

dent of the Dominion Coal Company, is at present in the city on business connected with the project. The gentlemen who are prominently interested in the company are Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, Sir Wm. Van Horne, Mr. R. B. Angus, Mr. Hugh McLennan, Mr. C. R. Hosmer, Mr. James Ross, Mr. Abner Laing, Montreal; Senator Geo. A. Cox, Toronto; Mr. T. E. Kenney, of Halifax, and Mr. T. E. Kenney, of Halifax, and Senator McKeen, of Halifax.

CHICAGO SYNDICATE

Buys \$3,000,000 of Montreal Bonds.

Chicago, June 24.—Chicago financiers closed yesterday one of the most im-portant international transactions in the history of the city. In the face of the keen competition of the London money interest, and in spite of the eagerness of New York capitalists, an exclusively Chicago syndicate secured a new contract for the new issue of \$3, 000,000 of city of Montreal forty-year 3½ per cent gold bonds, on an interest basis of about 3½ per cent.

The purchasing syndicate is composed of the following banks and bankers: First National, Illinois Trust and Savings Bank, N. W. Harris & Co., Farson Leacand & Co., Devitt, Trimble & Co. The importance of this transaction to the financial interests of Chicago is the greater, owing to the fact that the previous issue of bonds of same kind have been promptly bought in with London sovereigns. America rarely being able to compete against the British demand.

The Remarkable Case of a Young Girl in Walkerton.

For Three Years She Could Only Go About With the Aid of Crutches-Had To Be Helpod in and Out of Bed -Her Restoration to Health Was is crowded with guests. Unlooked For.

[From the Walkerton Telescope.] A couple of Walkerton ladies were recently discussing the case of a mutual friend who, owing to the sudden development of a bad attack of sciatica, had been compelled to take to her bed, when a third lady present, but who was a stranger to the young woman in question, made the remark, "I would advise your friend to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills." Asked to arbitration question, and the German give her reasons for making this recommendation she proceeded to give the details of a most remarkable cure that had been effected by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills on the daughter of her nearest neighbor, a Mrs. Rebecca Greenhow, and the story as told by this lady, having subsequently been repeated in the hearing of the editor of this paper, we decided to investigate and find out from personal inquiry all the circumstances of this seemingly remarkable instance of the power of medicine over disease. That evening we called at Mr. Greenhow's residence. Both Mr. "Yes," replied Mrs. Greenhow in answer I believe Dr. Williams' Pink Pills saved her life." She then gave the circumstances of her daughter's illness

and cure as follows:

ance of a crutch. The octor said she was suffering from inflammatory rheumatism brought on an impoverished condition of the system. He pre-scribed various remedies but nothing seemed to do her any good and finally we decided to try another doctor. He also pronounced the trouble to be rheumatism, but though he gave her bottle after bottle of medicine, she still continued to grow weaker. By the end of the second year she was unable to leave the house and could only move from one room to another by the use of her crutches. We were advised to get her an electric belt and did so, but though she wore it for a long time it did her no good whatever. During the third winter she became so had that she had to be assisted into and out of bed, and could not even raise from a chair without assistance. We had given up all hope of her recovery when a Mr. John Allan, who had himself been similarly afflicted, but who had been cured by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, advised us to give them a trial. We had tried so many things without success that we hesitated to accept his advice, but he insisted so strongly that we finally yielded. The first five boxes seemed to produce no change, but before she had finished the sixth box we were sure we could notice some improvement, and we felt encouraged to continue their use. From that on she continued to improve steadly, and by the time she had taken eighteen boxes every trace of pain had left her. She threw away her crutches and soon for-got that she had ever needed them. For months past she has been filling a position in the rattan factory and can work as well as anyone. Indeed, I do not believe that there is today a healthier girl in Walkerton."

Such is Mrs. Greenhow's story of the cure of her daughter through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills after years of great suffering. We may add that a day or two later the writer called once more at the Greenhow abode in the hope of seeing the young lady herself. This time she was at home and she came into the room. She pre-sented an appearance of the most perfect health. She repeated the story of her sufferings in substantially the same terms that her mother had done,

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"It takes us about four years to learn to talk, and the other threescore-and-six to learn not to."-Life.

An enjoyable tea was given on Tuesday afternoon by Mr. Frank Reid in honor of his guest, Mr. Arthur King, of Kingsville. Refreshments were served on the lawn and the pretty light gowns of the girls made the scene charming one. Mr. King's departure the next day was much regretted.

Mr. Foster, of the Bank of Commerce, was in Toronto on Wednesday acting as usher at the wedding of Miss Ethel Mulock, daughter of the Postmaster-General, and Mr. Arthur Kirkpatrick, of Coolmine.

The women of London have risen nobly to the occasion in regard to the reorganization of the Seventh. They are collecting subscriptions for the new colors, which are to be presented in September. The idea was suggested by General Hutton during his here, and has been heartily indorsed by the feminine portion of our patriotic citizens, all of whom are anxious to have some part in the reorganization of the battalion, which promises to do great things for the reputation of our fair city. The ceremony connected with the presentation of the colors will be a very pretty one, and will probably be graced by the presence of the Governor-General and his lovely wife. All those who have not so far helped to forward this scheme will now be able to do so by handing in their subscription at Graham Brothers', on

Miss Gibbons left this week for the Queen's Royal Hotel, Niagara, where she will spend a short time in company with Miss Helen Gibbons, who has been visiting friends in Hamilton. Niagara is very gay just now, with the camp so near, and the Queen's Royal

Mr. George Watt, of Brantford. is to be married on June 28, to Miss C. Jennings, of Toronto Junction. Mr. George D. Watt, of the Bank of B. N. A., his nephew, who was formerly stationed in London, will be best man on the occasion.

The many friends of Miss Winnie Moore will be glad to hear that she has almost entirely recovered from her recent long and severe illness.

Mr. Darnell, formerly of this city, who has been living in Japan for several years, is at present the guest of Mr. Mackenzie, of Ridout street south.

Sincere regret is felt in the city over the sudden death of that kindly gentleman, Mr. Charles W. Davis, much sympathy is tendered Mrs. Davis by her many friends.

The Canadian society man-an Apand Mrs. Greenhow were at home, but preciation. As yet he has not figured their daughter had gone down town. as a hero in novel or poem, but is worth consideration for all that, and to a question in regard to the reported certainly promises great things for the cure. "My daughter has been cured; future—that Canadian society man of ours, who, unlike his English brother, works all day long, though like him, he enjoys himself all evening. Generous and open-handed to a fault, he is de-"Rebecca is now seventeen years of stinctly lovable, and fully appreciates The correspondent of the Times at The Hague says: This has been one of the most exciting days of the conference. There was a sharp controversy between the Russian and American naval delegates. Capt. Mahan very pertinently asked why the employment of gas should be interdicted, while the more cruel, wholesale destruction of human life aimed at by the employment of age. When she was eleven she was his country women, though now and ality is a lost virtue with him-he wanders in to spend the evening about 10 o'clock, but at least he knows how to be agreeable after he gets there. I hope you all appreciate him, you women. He is neither so blase nor so cosmopoliton as an Englishman, I acknowledge, but neither does he expect so much from the opposite sex as his American cousin. Altogether he is a delightful subject, but I must not let my pen run away with me.

> October is to witness the wedding of one of our prettiest girls. Unfortunately the happy man is not a native of London. So we shall lose her altogether.

> Mrs. Marshall, who, accompanied by her daughter, has been abroad for the last year and a half in Germany, Italy and the British Isles, intends returning home in October.

"You must have kissed the Blarney otone"-how often we hear it said! but I am sure that few can join me in acknowledging the soft impeachment. In a beautiful wooded park, a few miles from Cork, in Ireland, stands Blarney Castle, with its "tall round tower of other days," at the top of which, only to be reached through the mounting of a long and weary stone stairway, is the famous stone, yellowed by age and many kisses, for the kissing of it is a difficult task, it is far from impossible, and often accomplished. But I fear me that the old charm is lost, for soft words do not rise to my lips any more readily since I, too, kissed the Blarney stone.

THE WIND-UP

Closing Sessions of the Presbyterian General Assembly.

Hamilton, June 24.-At the closing sessions, Thursday, of the Presbyterian General Assembly, the question of re-ligious instruction in the public schools occupied the attention of the commissioners for a short time. Principal Caven presented a report from the committee on this topic, to the effect that conferences had been heldwith the Anglican Church committee, and the finding was there should be daily reading of the Scriptures in the schools and religious instruction twice weekly and for one-half hour on each occasion, based on Scripture, no sectarian or denominational element to enter into the teaching; the instruction to be given by the teachers, except where the school trustees desire otherwise.

Dr. Caven moved that the assembly approve in a general way these proposi tions and that it reappoint the committee to further discuss and carry on the

The motion carried.

The report of statistical committee

showed that there is an increase in membership and finances. The total receipts from all sources were \$2,241,708, an increase of \$22,562.

There was some sharp criticism on the report of the committee on publications of a book of aids for social worship, it being held by some that it tended to ritualism.

DR. WARDEN GAVE IT A GOOD START.

At the close of the session the mod-

erator announced that Rev. Dr. Warden had made the first donation to-ward the century fund. It was \$5,000. A committee was appointed at the evening session to consider the advisa-

bility of having an executive commit-tee appointed to consider urgent matters beween the meetings of the assembly

The session lasted until nearly mid-The next assembly will meet in Hall-

THE ODDFELLOWS

fax.

Grand Lodge C. O. O. F. Concludes Its Business-D. D. G. M.s Chosen.

business and adjourned to meet in Hamilton next year. The financial standing of the order is better than ever, the books showing a small specific to the property of the prope \$25,000. The death rate has been kept down to the normal condition of 7.58 for the past year. The age limit for the insurance department has been fixed at from the age of 18 to 49, but not over The charter fee was reduced from \$75 to \$50, and a full outfit of gavels, ballot boxes, officers' regalia, rituals, books, etc., will be included. The competition for the Davis trophy shall close June 1, 1900. The trophy, a magnificent silver urn on an ebony base, offered to the lodge initiating the most members during the past year, has been won by Advance Lodge, Hamilton, by adding 53 new members: Friendship Lodge, Galt, was a close second, with 49, and was presented with a handsome set of officers' regalia.

Following are the newly-elected district deputy grand masters: District No. 1, Bro. Richardson; No. 2, E. A. Cook; No. 3, left open; No. 4, R. E. Towie, M.D.; Nos. 5 and 9, J. E. Telford; No. 8, C. Lapp; Nos. 10 and 11, F. D. Boggt; Nos. 12 and 13, W. McWalters; No. 14, A. Widdifield; No. 15, open; No. 16, N. Misiner; No. 17, E. Rouse; No. 18, C. Maher; No. 19, W. E. Delong.

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THE CITY AND

Professor Goldwin Smith on the Advantages of Rural Life.

& Great Patron of Industry Picnic in Prince Edward County-Farmers Ask More Tariff Reform.

Sand Bank, June 19 .- A great day in Prince Edward county is the Patrons of Industry annual picnic at Sand Bank. Besides the annual round of pleasures—dancing, music, games, sliding down the banks of sand (which is always a feature)—the congregating of thousands of people from all parts of thousands of people from an part of the county is made an occasion for a special demonstration of the spirit of independence that the Patrons affirm to be the controlling sentiment of their party. Saturday the weather was fine and the many horses and vehicles that lined the roadway in close proximity to the grove represented a gathering at that beautiful spot of about 5,000 people.

The announcement that Prof. Goldwin Smith, of Toronto had intimated

his willingness to be present and to speak to the people lent a special attraction to the event, and the loud applause when he appeared and the frequent repetition whenever his name or writings were instanced was conclusive evidence of the pleasure his presence afforded. The others who addressed the large assemblage were Wm. Pettet, M.P.; R. L. Richardson, M. P. for Lisgar, Man.; W. D. Rogers, M. P., Frontenac; George Sandfield Macdonald; D. Lockie Wilson, president of the Patrons of Industry of Ontario, and J. W. Hyatt, president of the local Patrons of Industry. There were present also among those who sat upon the platform Senator Mc-Sweeney, New Brunswick; A. S. Carson, grand trustee of the Patrons of Industry; H. W. Williams, secretary of the local order; Mayor Clapp, E. Dorland, Mr. McPhail and John Allan,

The audience included many prominent Patrons from different parts of the country. Mr. Hyatt occupied the chair. The addresses were delivered from the balcony of the Lake Shore

ADDRESS TO MR. GOLDWIN SMITH.

Mr. A. S. Carson read an address to influence. Mr. Smith, as follows: To Prof. Goldwin Smith, LL.D., D.C.

"Most Worthy and Reverend Sir,— We, the Patrons of Industry of the ounty of Prince Edward, beg to acthe Province of Ontario, the honor you have conferred upon us by your presence here today. We realize the fact that at your advanced age you have made a great sacrifice, as well as taken considerable risk by making the journey you have made to be with us on the present occasion. We have long known you as one of the greatest thinkers and ablest writers of the closing century. We honor you for your courage and boldness, for the fearless and manly stand you have always inced as a commentator and freeed critic of party movements and

al events in this as well as other We realize that your highest ever for the right against the

gratulate you, sir, that has pleased God to extend to you long life, that by His providence you have been permitted to enjoy half a dozen years of life beyond the allotted three score and ten. We congratulate you, score and ten. We congratulate you, therefore, that you lived to be one of the last surviving members of the original Cobden Club of England. Your connection with so grand a movement, and at so early an age as yours then was, shows that while young your mind was subjected to the influence caused by the wants of men, and that you were alive to the re-quirements of the masses of your fellow citizens in the old land.

"Latterly, dear sir, we, the Patrons of Industry of Ontario, and independent element of the electorate, have had for some years your strong uplifting support. Your prolific pen has been wielded along lines which tend to broaden men's minds and to build up and strengthen the national life of our great Dominion.

"Again acknowledging your kindness and the honor you confer by your presence today, we cordially and fraternally welcome you to our annual demonstration. (Signed) J. W. Hyatt, H. M. Williams, A. S. Carson."

TOWN AND COUNTRY. In reply, Mr. Smith, after a few preliminary remarks, said: "One compliment paid me in the address I can without breach of modesty accept, for I am in advanced age. The other day

I read an obituary of an old member of my political circle in England that I received with an engraving of the portrait of a person who had also been a member of that circle. I wrote to thank my friend and to say how interested I was in finding that two of the old circle were still alive. I received an answer not from him but from his son, whom I remember as a bright mr. Macdonald said that the present son, whom I remember as a bright youth, saying that it was not his father but he that had sent the portrait, that he was himself 70, and that his father, if he were then alive, would be 102. You will, therefore, know that I am old, and have the weakness of age, and will not expect from me a long

"Why is it that there is such an immigration from the country into the town? Is it from the hope of higher wages, of a craving for the city's excitement or the attraction of those departmental stores which are killing so many small storekeepers? The inrush of population into the cities lowered wages. House rent is higher, and, though there may be more excitement, life is rarely less social in the country, when one knows his neighbors and goes around amongst them. In the city you may not know your next door neighbor. Is it that farm life is dull? It doesn't look dull today. Is the improving of your crops, watching the proving of your crops, watching the growth of your crops, duller than spending the day at work, routine work, in an office or a factory? Does ambition and the hopes for a higher discovery and the hopes for a higher discovery and the strong critical continue. Instead of paying subsidered to continue. Instead of paying subsidered to continue and the hopes for a higher discovery and the strong critical continue. calling tempt youths from the farm to the city? The professions of law and medicine are overstocked, and the ministry will likely soon be.

TRUE DIGNITY There is a mistaken idea about the relative dignity of callings, of honest callings. We are all equal in dignity, and that calling is highest for a man in which he can do his best. In an agricultural province like ours the farm is the solid basis of the common-Commerce and manufactures wealth. do their share, but in a province like ours the state and its prosperity rest mainly on the farm. By the farm is supported the gay mansions, the brilliant equipages, the fine dresses, which fill the social columns of the journals. Why, then, is it that the farm has not its due share of influence in the council of the state? Why is the farmer, like Issachar, crouching down between two burdens, or, rather, more than Why has the farmer less influence in politics than the commercial man or the manufacturer? Because commerce and manufacture are united, while the farming interest is divided. On election day a hundred farmers hitch up on one side and a hundred on the other, and they kill each other's

"The substantial interests of the country will never be fairly considered while the machines of politics pre-What is the difference between Conservatives and Liberals in Ontario? I once asked at a picnic, asked a far-mer, who, after some hesitation, reknowledge, on behalf of ourselves as mer, who, after some hesitation, re-well as the yeomanry of this section of plied: 'We hold the other party as corrupt.' (Laughter.) But there are more important differences than that. There is the difference between those who are promising and those who are keeping their promises. Promises are shocked, too, at those exposures of bribery at elections. There will always be bribery, at least there will always be corruption as long as the machine system lasts. You may put it down in one form, but it will reappear in another. In England they killed bribery at elections, but the only consequence was that the constituencies, under the name of nursing, were being bribed all the time. Nothing will put down corruption but the adoption of a national instead of a party system. The wonder is under the present system not that the ticians are not more pure than they are, but that they are not more cor-Very few of them have ever rup. gained anything from politics. The evil lies not there, but in the bids which they are compelled to make for is not expected that the system can be changed in a day. The yoke so long borne cannot be broken in a mo-Traditions so long charged cannot be at once forgotten.

THE INDEPENDENT MOVEMENT. "Some years ago an effort was made to give the farming interest an independent representation. After a temporary success the movement failed, the machines being too strong for it, and the movement having no organization or election funds. Do I believe that the spirit of independence then aroused, has died out? If the farmer still votes for party, he might look a little above and beyond party in hitching up to go to the poll for the party or candidate; he might still remember the interest which he left at

Mr. Smith concluded with an apology for his want of strength to address a large gathering. He would add no more than "godspeed the plow and prosperity to the man that holds it."

MORE TARIFF REFORM. Mr. Pettet, M.P., referred to the tar-

cold storage.

Mr. Macdonald said that the present government were adopting the same policy as the late government. The high protective tariffs were still in ex-istence; the railway subsidies still continued, and the knee was still being bent to the C. P. R.

Mr. Wilson was willing to support Sir Wilfrid Laurier if the latter carried out his pledges. He would vote every time for principle, whether or not it interfered with the party machines. He did not believe in Galician immigration. The governor - general was too highly salaried, considering what was paid to G. T. R. trackmen.

CONTROL OF RAILWAYS. Mr. Richardson strongly urged that the tariff be revised more than it had been; but his point of emphasis was to continue. Instead of paying subsi-dies the government should in future control all new railways. To attain to that end all men should forget party and remember that they were citizens bound by considerations justice to their fellow-citizens.

Mr. Rogers said that he was in his earlier days a Conservative, but acting according to his convictions he joined the Patrons. He wanted to know what protection had done for the country. He favored a further reduction of the tariff, and thought that the Patrons' representatives should be

The gathering dispersed with three cheers for Prof. Goldwin Smith and the Patrons of Industry.

SUB-EARTH DUCTS

Instructor Morrison Reports Favorably Upon Them.

Mr. George Hately, secretary of the Cheese and Butter Association of Western Ontario, has received the following letter:

Mr. George Hately, secretary of the Cheese and Butter Association of Western Ontario:

Dear Sir,-In reply to your request for information regarding to the sub-earth ducts which have been recently added to the curing rooms in my district, I submit the following re-

all laid close together with the eight-inch tile in the middle; over the tile there is a covering of rye straw. In digging the trench for the tile

a spring was found near the factory. The water from the spring runs in the bottom of the trench for its entire length, which possible some-what increases the moisture in the curing room. The in-take pipe is built with galvanized iron, fifteen inches in diameter and thirty feet high, with cowl on top.

simply a hole in the ceiling on the op-posite side to that at which the duct enters. On the day on which I visited Cals-

torville the temperature on the outside in the shade was 85 degrees. Inside the curing room a strong breeze was coming in from the duct at a tempolitical support at the public cost. It perature of 60 degrees. The temperature of the curing room did not exceed during the day 69 degrees. curing room at this factory is very poor. I am of the opinion that with a reasonably good curing room the temperature can easily be held at 65 degrees. The moisture in the curing room was from 80 to 82. There was no mold on the cheese.

At Woodburn, Caledonia, and Canboro, sub-earth ducts have been put in but were not ready when I visited these factories. On my next visit, I will take careful note of the results with the sub-earth ducts and report to you thereon. JAMES MORRISON. instructor.

RABBITS IN AUSTRALIA

Some of the Methods Employed in Exterminating the Pest.

[From Chambers' Magazine.] Some few years ago in Australia, drastic legislation was introduced which made all those who owned land down the rabbits. This produced considerable effect, and certainly checked the increase of the pest. Up to this time the destruction of the rabbits had been left to the unaided efforts of the amateur sportsman or the professional rabbit trapper-a class of men, who, seeing a chance of a free, but not easy life, with a fair wage attached to it, abandoned their original trade and devoted themselves to trapping.

The equipment of the men, who generally work in pairs, consists of a number of gin traps, a pony and cart, a tent and the other requisites for camping out. They go to some district in which rabbits are thick—if possible near a railway station-get permission to trap from the land-owners and start work. Some of them are paid a small direct wage and also receive a bonus, others again work wholly for the market. After choosing their ground they set their traps during the day in the most likely places and cover them carefully with earth. One man will sometimes have some dozens of traps set over a mile or more of country, and these he visits twice or thrice a night. His first round is about 8 or 9 o'clock, the second about 12 or 1, and the third just after sunrise. In each round he kills and evicerates the rabbits that have been caught, rests the trap and carries the dead ones back to the camp. In the morning, if enough have been caught, he or his mate takes them to the railway station or delivers them to rabbit buyers, who come around with large carts. The price varies from 2 pence to 6 pence per pair, and where rabbits are numerous the men make good wages. Their income is supplemented in various ways. They sometimes catch native cats or tame cats—turned out originally to prey on the rabbits—and make a fair profit by selling the skins singly, or after mak-ing rugs of them. The fox also gives them a dividend, when they are lucky enough to get him. It will be easily seen that the trappers would not be likely to exterminate the rabbit, as would be putting an end to their own living, and so the land-owners, under the pressure of the law, began to look for other methods.

ST. RAILWAYS

How the Chicago Franchise Is Watered Up.

An Instructive Lesson in the Methods of Corporate Manipulation.

[Montreal Witness.]

One of the first effects of the ownership by the city of Detroit of its street railway will be the reduction of fares to 3 cents. It is estimated that this rate will furnish a margin sufficient to pay off the purchase price in 50 years, besides building extensions, meintaining rolling stock, repairs and all other charges. As the property will cost about sixteen million dollars, the time does not appear too long, but the great point is that there will be no more watering of stock by which the public has been made to pay, and will still have to pay, dividends on fictitious capital. How this process is carried on and the enormous profits made out, it was recently shown by the Chicago Record with reference to the new traction company which proposes to take over all the street railway lines in that city. The new concern is capitalized at thirty-five million dollars, of which amount fifteen millions are preferred stock and twelve millions common stock. With this preferred stock goes six millions in common stock, given as a bonus to the holders of the preferred at the rate of half a share of common to every share of preferred stock. This six millions of common stock issued represent no equivalent value to the company treasury whatever. It is simply so much watered stock put on top of securities already heavily watered. These new securities are not issued in place of other securities of the old companies now outstanding, but in addition to them. They represent no increase of property, except as money paid to the company in return for them. In absorbing several companies, the new company has to separate the stock of different lines; on some it guarantees permanent divi-dends of 12 per cent, on others 6 per cent. There are, besides, two constituent companies, on which dividends of 35 and 30 per cent respectively are

guaranteed, and the new company undertakes to continue the payment of these enormous profits. Regarding these astonishing figures, it was naturally asked. What did these companies possess that they should be guaranteed such extraordinary dividends for the surrender? Investigation shows scarce-Caistorville—The sub-earth duct is completed and in operation. The duct is eight feet deep and extends 118 feet under ground. It is made of three rows of five-inch tile, two rows of sixinch tile, and one row of eight-inch tile all laid alors of the sub-earth duct is eight feet deep and extends 118 feet under ground. It is made of three rows of five-inch tile, two rows of sixinch tile, and one row of eight-inch tile watered sacuration shows scarce-inch tile all laid alors of the sub-earth duct is year 1903. This raises another question: Why should a new company step in and absorb all the old ones upon such terms, and in addition put out watered sacuration. watered securities? There is but one answer—because it expects to obtain franchise extension upon terms that will enable it to pay all the guaranteed dividends and something on the new watered securities as well. But if the company should fail to obtain the de-sired extension of franchises, what then? Simply that the new scheme of capitalization will have increased the alleged value to the same extent as if the franchise had been conferred, and the fact of such capitalization and the existence of so-called vested rights will owl on top.

The outlet from the curing room is mous claims the company would make make the for relinquishments of its rights. The renewal of the franchise, and one which Chicago investors seem to think it quite safe to bank upon, is the enormous profit derivable from the franchise, which will afford ample margin wherewith to buy up a majority of the council and to leave those newspapers which may resist such arguments like

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AGE MARRIED OR SINGLE.

ROCKEFELLER

The Standard Oil King Talks Over His Early Days.

Born in Poverty, He is Now Multi-Millionaire.

Started on Between \$2 and \$3 a Week The Advantages of Country Boys.

[The New Voice, New York.] In 1838 there lived on a small farm near Richford, in Tioga county, N. Y., a poor family by the name of Rockefeller. The family was one of the poorest in the neighborhood, and people driving past the farmhouse looked in pity on the weather-beaten structure and its inmates. The cottage was one of the most dilapidated imaginable. The roof was filled with holes, and when the son of the family lay in his trundle-bed beneath it he looked through at the stars and the moon. Certainly the name of Rockefeller carried with it no suggestion of wealth in those days, and no person in the district supposed

that it ever would. The son who has made the name fa-mous was born in July of that year, and they named him John Davidson. The child was not a handsome one by any means, and far from being strong, yet he grew rapidly, and seemed to thrive upon the scanty fare at the farmhouse. He seemed to take great interest in everything connected with the farm, and, like most farmers' children, he soon learned to take care of himself, and was doubtless toddling all over the place before he was two years old. Little "Johnnie," however, was not considered a very bright child by the neighbors, and it never occurred to them that he would amount to any-

thing in the world. The child grew very rapidly. He was rather tall for his age, and very slender, and his movements were slow and deliberate. He learned to do the chores about the place, and when old enough he was sent to the district school, several miles away. In the summer he was sent out to work on a near-by farm, for the farmer was able to attend to the tiny Rockefeller place

When the family moved to Cleveland, later on, the young son went with them, and in this city he grew into young manhood. It was here that he started on his rapid road to fortune, so that Cleveland is usually known as the home of the richest man in the world. I called upon this one-time farmer's

lad at his home in New York the other day to get some details about his boyhood days, for certainly the beginnings of such a career as his, however it viewed, are of great interest. One of his chief characteristics, however, is his dislike of publicity, and it is on rare occasions that he talks of his early experience, and then only when he is persuaded that the narrative will In New York Mr. Rockefeller lives in

an unpretentious house in Fifty-fourth street, which on the outside has more appearance of a boarding-place than the residence of a multi-million-Within, it is furnished in quiet taste, and every apartment has an air that it had been lost what it contains, of comfort and homelikeness. Mr. I called it ledger A, and I wouldn't Rockefeller himself is as quiet in appearance and modest in demeanor as is the house in its furnishings. He dresses always in black, walks with a slight stoop, and has long, heavy hair, which is slightly streaked with gray. He speaks in a low, clear voice, and utters each word with an accent which is not to be mistaken in its meaning. He speaks like one who is used to having his words obeyed.

Mr. Rockefeller seems to have a most vivid recollection of his boyhood days. He remembers many incidents, not particularly striking, which would have been forgotten by most men; but to Mr. Rockefeller they are dear remembrances of days gone by, and he cherishes them with care. "They are priceless possessions," he said to me, "and I would take nothing as a pur-chase price for them. It is these which have made me what I am. My boyhood days were training days."
"Is it true, then, that you worked

upon a farm?" I asked. Yes, it is true," was the reply, "I worked for many months as a farm-

er's lad, and the work was good for me. I would have continued working at it had I not removed to Cleveland." He worked usually, as he informed

me, for 25 cents a day, and from five or half-past four in the morning until

darkness fell in the evening. He was

grumbled at by the farmers because he

worked slowly. It was his custom to

it in the very best way." The farmers, however, did not appreciate this fore-

thought, and Johnnie Rockefeller was

considered "a leetle lazy." They did

not consider that while other boys

worked faster they did not work as

"It taught me patience," he says.

boy at school once more.

Mr. Rockefeller's school life was much

like that of any other country boy of

the time, and it was upon his removal

to Cleveland that his life became really

interesting. His parents were still poor

so poor that the boy had to con-

tribute to the family's support. He entered the firm of Hewitt & Tuttle

as an office boy, and in the beginning

received between two and three dol-

lars a week for his work. These days

were full of experience for the young

man, who was by this time filled with

ambition to make a place for himself in the world. He began work with a

determination to succeed, and he says

now that his removal to Cleveland was

one of the best things which could

have happened him. "It gave me a new insight into things, and I saw what

a great place the world is, and how

many people are struggling in it for

In these hard-working days Mr.

his home I had the privilege of look-

day, I thought I had lost the cover,'

fully, and I'm very much afraid that

Every young man should take care

this I earned \$25 a month. I was be-

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spend some time in laying out a piece of work before beginning it. "In this way," he said, "I was always able to do

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The boy was not fond of the work, but the man of today considers that it was splendid training for him. In winter the child attended a district school, which is yet standing near Oswego, N. Y., and which has been made famous by its distinguished pupil. Everyone knows the story of the millionaire's youthful determination, and the way in which it was exhibited at school. The children always gathered at noontime and at recess to play games, and in deciding what the game should be Johnnie Rockefeller had usually a strong voice. If the others would not agree to play his game, he would not play at all, but stood by and watched the others with an air of offended dignity. This story is typical, in a way, of Mr. Rockefeller's after-life. Those who have been associated with him in business know that he is accustomed to being the head, and that unless he leads in any matter he declines to take any part nals on Sunday last. whatever. Thus is the boy father to

the subject he admitted that he rather enjoyed the nickname. "It made me feel like one of them," he said, "and even now when I hear it I feel like a expanded with the Dominion till today expanded with the Dominion till today membership of the Smelter Employes'

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> development, until now the hotel dition to these enterprises, the company has developed a telegraph service across the continent, with wide ramifications. It owns and operates its own express system, and has also an extensive grain elevator business. It builds its own cars and locomotives, has its own Pullman car service, and employs a force of men estimated at close on All this has been the development of thirteen years from a line between Quebec and Port Moody at the head of Burrard Inlet, built as a necessity to the new political organization of the Dominion. The first transcontinental train over the new road required 136 hours to make the trip, which time will be reduced by the "Imperial Limited" to 99 hours 45 minutes. This brings London within ten days of Vancouver, and within twenty-one days of Japan, drawing the Dominion still closer to the mother land, and increasing our importance as a link in world-circling traffic.

> > The World's God.

[London Catholic Record.] We witnessed a one-act drama some time ago. The theater was a railway depot, the principal actor was a commercial magnate, and the other characters were assumed by sundry ladies and gentlemen of irreproachable char-

acters.

The magnate was in high good humor, for he was connected with a syndicate with a capital of some millions of dollars. The aforesaid ladies and gentlemen looked at him ravenously and reverentially, for he represented gold—money—the one thing loved earnestly by their little pitiful souls. It mattered little to them what claims to personal character were possessed the magnate. He might be a parody on humanity—a thing of flesh and blood, with not a thought or aspiration above stocks or sensuality; but he had money; that allows the biggest blackguard in the country to live and associate with honest citizens. We have nothing to do with the magnate and He is allowed at commercial pirate. large by the law and truckled to by a crowd of sycophantic individuals who have given a life lease of themselves to others. He will go his way, and we shall stand, hat doffed in respectful attitude, because he belongs to a syndicate that can put both hands in a nation's pocket, and receive the grati-

tude of the general public for what is termed commercial enterprise. He will speak and the hireling press will call our attention to his eloquence and

He will give away some thousands to found a library or a poor asylum, for his victims, and forthwith we read of his unexampled generosity. That money may be stained with blood shed by Pinkerton thugs, but it is money just the same. It may have been gained in a more dishonest manner than any ever attained by a footpad, but it never crosses the minds of some people that the destruction of small manufacturers and the fixing of their own price on certain products are not perfectly legitimate and commendable We see at times, in papers that are comparatively sincere and truthful, -, the great railway that Mr. king, or butter prince, or molasses mogul, has gone to Europe. What an item of interest to millions, and especially to those who are paying two prices butter or working in the machine shop for a starvation wage! His progress is daily chronicled for the delectation of the multitude. He will die one of these days and a charming collection of healthy lies will be engraven on his tombstone.

THE MECHANIC AND ARTISAN

During the month of May the American Federation of Labor received 63 applications for charters, 58 of which were granted.

Pattern-makers in Boston and Baltimore are on strike to inaugurate the It is feared that the strike of the

Union in Colorado will involve the entire mining industry of the Centennial President Michaels of the Waiters' and Bartenders' Union reports 13 char-

ters for new unions issued in one week. Since the reorganization the union is growing at a most rapid rate. The Colorado State Federation Labor, in annual session last week, laid on the table by a vote of 68 against 13

for a resolution tying that body up with the Socialist Labor party. At present there are only 23 cities in the United States and Canada in which carpenters work ten hours per day. One hundred and five have the eighthour rule, and 424 work nine hours a

The employers of the journeymen plumbers of Birmingham, Ala., have conceded the demand made during their strike of last week. Hereafter journeymen plumbers will receive \$3 50 per day of nine hours.

E. C. Hartshorn, of Denver, was by two judges denied an injunction against the Upholsterers' Union of Denver. Hartshorn made the plea that a boycott placed on his business is threatening him with financial ruin.

The Western Laborer, Omaha, announces that all disputes which have come to the surface between the exposition management and organized labor have been settled amicably and to the advantage of organized labor.

Alfred J. Lunt, attorney for the Omaha, Neb., board of education, presented his opinion to that body at its meeting last week on the union label resolution referred to him some time ago. His opinion was favorable, and the board lost no time in adopting it.

United Mine Workers' headquarters in Indianapolis is receiving encouraging reports from West Virginia in regard to the miners of that field, who are beginning to get themselves in readiness to demand better conditions employment. When the miners are in shape to do business upon business principles, and in a manner that will protect the operators who are fairly disposed from the unfair competition of those who are unprincipled, it is believed the operators will readily concede better conditions. Organization is the only means through which all

this can be accomplished. Anent raising the wages of 45,000 iron and steel workers last week, the Labor World, Pittsburg, has this to say editorially: "With the signing of the puddling and other scales by the iron and steel manufacturers the most important of the conferences has come to a successful end. The advances are nothing more than were warranted by the advanced prices in the iron and steel markets, and are in line with what the Labor World predicted would be the case in the event of an upward movement at the last sixty-day settlement. The wages of the workers affected will be raised to a point almost equaling those paid prior to 1892, when the period of depression struck this country and carried misery and want into the homes of many of our mill workers. The feeling displayed by the manufacturers in their conferences with the Amalgamated Association is what President Shaffer has worked so hard and faithfully to bring about, and the workers, as W. B. Taylor, the chairman of the manufacturers' committee, very aptly said at the conclusion of the conference, conducted themselves with gentlemanly deportment, business astuteness and a disposition to regard the manufacturers as friends. With a continuation of this policy the manufacturers and workers alike can enter upon the era of prosperity just dawning with light and cheery hearts, and any inclination towards strife in the future will be relegated to the rear.'

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Flashed, and bowed down the kings by

By grace of England held their hosts

The enthroned republic from her king-

Spake, and her speech was Cromwell's.

No lordlier presence. How should

By kinglets and by queenlets hewn in

Incarnate England in his warrior hand

Made ashes of their strength who

Smote, and as fire devours the blacken-

wroug her wrong, And turned the stronghold of her foes

His praise is in the sea's and Milton's

What praise could reach him from the

That rules by leave of tongues whose

Him, who made England out of weak

There needs no clarion's blast of broad-

blown fame
To bid the world bear witness whence

Who bade fierce Europe fawn at Eng-

And purged the plague of lineal rule

There needs no witness graven on stone

or steel For one whose work bids fame bow

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Speaks England and proclaims her

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the company operates a system, including leased lines, of 9,600 miles. Equipment has kept pace with the ex-tension of the system operated. The number of engines has increased from 336 to 644, and passenger and baggage cars from 289 to 622. In freight and cattle cars there has been an increase from 7,858 to 16,942, and in all essentials of operation and maintenance there has been the same rapid expansion.

Rockefeller was training himself for his career which was to come. He kept a small ledger in which he entered all his receipts and expenditures, and at

company has the Alberta, Athabasca and Manitoba on the upper lakes, two great ferry steamers on the Detroit river, more than a score of freight and passenger steamers and many adjuncts to the service on the inland ing at this remarkable book, and of having its entries explained to me. It waters of southern British Columbia. Some interesting figures as to the growth of the road and its business was in truth nothing more than a memorandum small, paper-backed memorandum book. "When I looked at it the other since the initial through train was dispatched in 1886 are given in the Mont-real Star. At that time three tracks said Mr. Rockefeller, "but on examination I found that I had utilized the sufficed for the company at Montreal, cover to write on. In those days I was but now there are thirteen at the Place very economical, even with paper. I Viger and seven at Windsor station. hadn't seen this book for a long, long In that year the railway carried 1,809,-319 passengers and 2,046,195 tons of freight, the number of passengers cartime when I found it the other day among some old things, and I supposed ried one mile being 150,466,149, and the that it had been lost. It is more than number of tons of freight hauled one mile being 555,438,159. Last year the exchange it now for all the ledgers in New York and their contents. A glance through it shows me how careful I was about my receipts and disburse-

number of passengers carried reached 3.674.502, the number carried one mile being 430,493,139. The freight traffic increased to 5,588,038 tons handled, or 2,148,319,867 tons carried one mile. This expansion has been accompanied by a there aren't many young men who take reduction of rates, the earnings per the trouble to keep an account like mile having decreased from 2.10 cents to 1.52 cents on each passenger, and from 1.10 cents to 0.75 cent on each ton of his money. It is a religious duty, I of freight. The earnings increased from \$10,018,803 to \$26,138,977, and the

think, for one to get all the money he can to keep all he can, and to give operating expenses from \$6,378,317 to away all he can. I have followed this \$15,663,605. In 1886 the company commenced the principle all my life, as is evidenced in this little book. It tells me exactly erection of its first hotel at Banff Springs, in the Rockies. That line of what I did with my money during my enterprise has kept pace with the genfirst few years in business. It shows that between September, 1855, and Janat Banff is but one in a complete uary, 1856, I received just \$50. Out of extending along the Canadian highthis sum I paid for my washing and way. These hotels include the Chateau my board, and managed to save a little money to put away. I find in look-Frontenac at Quebec, the Kaministiqua at Fort William, the Mount Stephen ing through the book that I gave a House at Field, the Glacier House, the cent to Sunday school every Sunday. It wasn't much, but this was all I Revelstoke, the Fraser Canyon House and the Hotel Vancouver. In could afford to give to this particular spirit of the enterprise that never fags object. I was giving to several other the company is now planning the erecreligious causes at the same time, and tion of a palatial hotel at Winnipeg what I could afford to give I gave regthat will equal or surpass any of its ularly, and this has been a life-long

present magnifieent hostelries. habit of mine. The next year after ginning to be a capitalist, and I supmoney. I paid all my own bills at this time, and had some money to give away. I also had the happiness of saving some. I not sure but that I was couldn't secure the most fashionable cut of clothing, but I dressed well enough—as well as I could afford, any-I certainly did not buy any clothing that I could not pay for. I did not make any obligations that I could not meet. I lived within my means, and my advice to every young

man is to do the same. "Between November, 1855, and April, 1856, I paid exactly \$9 09 for clothing. And I see one item here that must have been extravagant, since I usually wore mittens in the winter. This is a pair of fur gloves that I paid \$2 50 for. In this same period I find that I gave away \$5.58. In one month I gave to foreign missions 10 cents; to the Mite Society, 50 cents; and there is also a contribution to the Five Points Mission in New York. I was not then living in New York, but I suppose I thought the mission needed money, so I sent them 12 cents. I made other contributions of the same kind, though none of them was large, they brought me into direct contact with church work, and this has been a benefit to me all

to think that he must be rich in order to help others." "Since you were raised a country boy, Mr. Rockefeller, what do you think of the country boy's chances in

my life. It is a mistake for a man

life compared with those of the city boy?" I asked. "To my mind," said Mr. Rockefeller, "there is something unfortunate in being born in the city. Young men raisto ed in New York have not had the by struggles that we have had who were reared in the country. It is a notice-able fact that the country men are crowding out the city fellows who have wealthy fathers. They are willing to do more work, and to go through more for the sake of success in the end. Sons of wealthy parents have not a ghost of a chance in competition with the fellows who come from the country with a determination to do some-thing in the world."

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OUR SHORT STORY

"The Sixth Mrs. Washane."

till he up and died in the gutter, re-

she broke down when we told her he

good thing that I hope the Lord will

Jonh Washane walked home in a

"Lucia;" his voice was still somewhat

"Oh, John, why don't you say what

you start to, without repeating? Dear George used to speak so differently."

"Did he ever cuss you?" John had

"And strike you? Get drunk-seal

-neglect-come, Lucia, tell me; I want

Mrs. Washane's dimples became ap-

a twinkle in her brown eyes, "so I may

as well admit it. He was-oh, John,

dear, he did make my life so miserable,

demanded, pulling upon his knees the

wife whom hitherto he had hardly

dared to kiss; "you made me think he was an angel, all-but."

a playful tweak to the grizzled mous-

tache so near her face. "But, John, dear, I did it in self-defense. I'd heard

how you told your second wife of the virtues of Susan. And I'd heard how

she came at last to the conclusion that

you didn't think she was worthy to un-

tie your shoe-strings, and so died. And then you told your third wife that she

had been a treasure, that Matilda was

not to be mentioned lightly, that she

was a worker, a help-mate, a woman

of a thousand, and you could never

forget her worth; and then Jennie died

and you put on her tombstone what

you never told her you thought about

her; and then Carrie heard of Jennie's

goodness, and how you could trust her,

but died, not knowing that you trusted her, too; and then Mary, the sweetest woman that ever lived, I admit, for I

knew her, she was my own cousin-

all the others had heard, and so I gave

you the chance to hear the kind of talk

your wives had heard—and—John, dear, you're not angry, dear, are you—

because-well, it has been lovely here,

and I'm so glad that you married me

and gave me a chance to forget George

Douglas. You're not angry, John,

And John Washane kissed his pretty,

you'll never mention your 'dear departed' to me again, I'll tell you what I

think-I've got a wife now who is the

best and brightest, loveliest, sweetest,

cleverest, dearest woman-there, there,

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Boys and Girls.

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The Baby's Lesson.

"O boo'ful flower!" the baby cried,

She grasped the stem with her finger

And then with a sob the flower let fall,

For a thorn had pricked her, dimple

And reached for the rose in glee.

And a sorrowful baby was she,

"O Kitty, kitty!" the baby cried,

She pulled at his fur, alas, alas!

To the pussy-cat downy and wee,

For he turned and gave her, it came to

Before he scampered over the grass,

'O pretty, pretty!" the baby cried,

She cooed and called in her soft delight,

But when she caught at his wings so

He vanished suddenly out of her sight.

And a 'stonished baby was she,

As 'sprised as a baby could be,

Then into the house the baby went,

She had learned three strange and

The kitten has claws, and the rose has

And the beautiful butterfly-bird has

And a wise, wise baby was she

Now which of us wiser could be?

How a Little Indian Girl Plays.

[By Alice Cary Hewett.]

Lucy Hawk is a little Indian girl who

lives on a reservation in Dakota. Her

grandfather is the loved and honored

chief of his tribe, and Lucy is his fa-

vorite grandchild. She is a sweet little

girl with willing hands and feet ready

to do the bidding of the teachers at the

mission school where she lives for eight months of the year. She speaks

English with a pretty accent, and steps

about with a quaint dignity and grace

that pleases the eye and gladdens the

On cold or stormy days, after the school hours are over and household

tasks are done, Lucy turns with a hap-

py heart to the playroom, where she

amuses herself by making moccasins

ico, which perhaps some child in the far

away east put in the missionary barrel. When tired of the basies, she gets her

pebble tops, of which she has a num-

ber hidden away in the pocket of her

dress, tucked away in a corner of her

pigeon hole in a row of boxes in the

playroom, or buried safely under the

steps. It is only a common pebble with

for her funny babies, or making dresses

for them from the bits of bright cal-

-Youth's Companion,

Dear me!

And her face was grave to see.

wonderful things,

A scratch that was sad to see,

As red as a scratch could be!

As a butterfly lit on her knee.

Dear me!

Dear me!

Dear me!

As sad as a baby could be!

puss, don't smother me."

and all.

pass.

bright

stings,

wings.

heart.

"It's too bad." Mrs. Washane gave

"Why did you deceive me so?" John

"Someone has been talking," she said,

give him credit for, he's died.'

found his tongue at last. "Why, John?"

to know the truth."

so unbearable."

parent.

dazed condition.

People generally in Pottsville pitied Mr. Lawton grinned. the new Mrs. Washane that was to be. "I did," he said, with Not that Pottsville people were acquainted with her and allowed their acquainted with her and anowed their acquaintanceship to run riot with their sympathies. Not so; they knew of her by hearsay only, as a widow, Widow Douglas, they believed, of Green Mead-

But they did know John Washane. That was enough to know. John Washane, who had placed less than a year ago the plain yet touchingly inscribed stone to the fith Mrs. Washane. first Mrs. Washane's stone testified that 'None knew her but to love her:" the second, "Her price was above rubies." Mrs. Washane, third, was lamented as, one who "had done what she could;" the fourth, as "one whom the heart of her husband could safely trust in;"
while number five's epitaph was, "she
always made home happy." And now
number six was about to be offered at the connubial altar-so said Pottsvill-

It was talked over at the various sewing circles, and suggestions were offered, motions were made and carried as to the best way in which to apprise the new Mrs. Washane-to-be of her unenviable prospect; and one day-as it happened, only a wek prior to the marriage an anonymous epistle found its way to the Widow Douglas, of Green

"Dear Friend"-thus ran the letter-"Dear friend, though strangers to you, we feel it encumbent upon us to write you, ere you take upon yourself the vows of connubial obedience to one John Washane, of Pottsville. He is a good man. He is an honest man. He s a generous man. But truth compels us to state that in spite of many virtues he has worried his many former wives into untimely graves by nagging and bossing. That this may not be your fate is the wish and prayer of YOUR WELL-WISHERS."

The Widow Douglas read the letter, a curious little frown, which was half a smile, showing itself as she perused the anonymous missive.

The wedding ceremony was over. plished fact, and the twain, now one. having driven in their own hired hack all the way from Green Meadows to Pottsville, were about to enter the house which Sally Lancaster had with indignant vehemence gotten in readiness to receive the bride And now John, as soon as we can

get our clothes changed I think that you had better hang that gate while I am getting supper—I noticed it sags." 'Lu-Lucia-wh-what?" John Washane was plainly astonished at the admonitory tone of his new-made help-Mrs. Washane's answer was a trifle disturbed in tone, though sweet. "I hope. John, that you're not going to annoy me by causing me to repeat

my words—my dear departed husband always paid close attention when I spoke. I said, 'You'd better hang that gate as soon as you get your every-day clothes on, as it sags so." Thus was the beginning of John

Washane's sixth marital venture; when

he came into the house he was urged to take off his boots at the threshold and reminded, "Never did I thus have to address my first husband." Constantly was the statement made: "What would | dear?" my dear partner Douglas have thought had I been obliged to ask him to bring | coaxing, young wife, and said: up coal?" "Dear George would never have failed to procure the best meats and butter." Until at last John Washane became accustomed to the oft-repeated assertions, and actually felt that, compared with the late George Douglas, he, John Washane, was an outcast and a villain. No longer did he refer to Susan, Matilda, Jennie, Carrie and Mary as patterns for all future housewives to copy: what were they as compared with her to whom the sainted Douglas had bowed in allegiance before? His voice took on a humbler cadence when he spoke to or of Lucia. His? How had he ever dared to woo this piece of perfection-how had he been so favored to win her?

He referred to his own unworthiness one day to a neighbor lately moved into the town, a man who for years before had lived in Green Meadows.

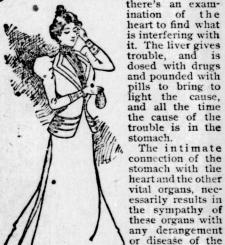
"As I think of her former partner, I wonder what she saw in me that should lead her to renounce the name of George Douglas? It may be that she saw my need and, as it were, was willing to snatch me as a brand from the burning-what were you about to say, Lawton?

"You never knew George Douglas Dersonally?" John shook his head.

"But you did, I dare say, by reputation at least?"

The woman who mislays her hat and

looks for it in her purse, among other im-possible places, is very like the physician who looks in all sort of impossible places for the cause of a disease. The heart be-gins to act irregularly and straightway there's an exam ination of the heart to find what is interfering with it. The liver gives



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would never call it a top; but Lucy drops it with a little twirl of the fingers which sends it spinning away with a dizzy rush, and she follows it up with her whip, lashing it until she is tired and out of breath, the pebble whirling faster and faster the longer the lashing continues. Sometimes she pastes bits of bright paper to the sides, and then the spinning pebble seems to be covered with rings of color. It is a pretty play and never loses its fascination for the little brown children. *666666666

When at her own home, Lucy goes coasting sometimes, and what do you think she has for a sled? You would "I did," he said, with a silent mirthful chuckle. "And so you are the man that married Lucia Douglas? A good never guess, so I will tell you. A big buffalo skin is spread on the snow at woman she, and a clever one. But George Douglas—well, yes, I knew him, the top of the terrace, which divides the prairies from the river bottom. Lucy too-lots of folks did-the grogshop keepers best of all. Thought that he was a kind of saint, did you? Well, and her sisters find a nice warm seat on the soft fur, the child in front gathers the end over her feet and holds on now, Lucia didn't when he used to tight and fast as those behind give a beat her till she was nearly dead; and starting push, and away they go, down she didn't when he stole Parson Grant's the steep slopes, and come to a quick colt; nor she didn't when he used to stop at the foot, a screaming, laughing, squirming heap of touzled heads swear blue streaks at her; nor when she used to have to keep herself and and twisted shawls. him from starving by taking in wash-

Sometimes the boys slide these steep ing-oh, she didn't think him a saint hills with a barrel-stave under each foot, and we have enjoyed watching lieving her of a nuisance. I mind now their agile jumps and somersaults at was dead, and said: 'He's done one

the foot. Like white children, the Indian boys and girls like to imitate their elders. In their play we see them unfolding their shawls to take the place of the Indian blanket, wrapping their babies and ty-ing them in stiff bundles to be carried awed as he addressed her, in spite of what he had heard. "Lucia—di—did on their backs, as they visit or play at

Again, they will set up their tentpoles in the yard, and use their shawls for covering the picturesque tepee. Then they play at building camp-fires, and cooking feasts for imaginary warriors

Boys and girls alike are full of spirits and laughter-loving fun, and they are never tired of listening to stories about white children. - The Outlook,

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"Let Us Go Home." "Let us go home, the day is done, And softly steals the pale, young moon.

A silver shadow of the sun Athwart the broken haze of noon. Let us go home: the summer night Is all for you and me, my lass; The years have stolen half our sight, But come! there's one more stile to

'Let us go home, the corn is ripe, All yellow falls the driven leaf, What are they but the golden type-The richer hope that springs from

Let us go home; the dawn was fair, The noon was full, the eve is sweet; The night may hide enough of care-But love shall guide our homeward feet

'Let us go home! we cannot stay. Our eyes are blind-or is it night? You, dear, shall lead our homeward Mary became your wife, and you never told her that she made your home as way; Let us go home; our love is strong, happy as heaven, and she died-and John, dear, I didn't want to hear what

But here, before you, stands the stile. My hand, good wife, 'twill not be long, I'll join you in a little while!" -Frederick G. Bowles.

Loafing Day.

The lazy boy sprawled on his back and squinted at the sky,
Wishing he were the long-winged bird that slantwise sailed on high; For day was lapsing swiftly, half-way from dawn to noon,

And the breeze it sang: "O lazy boy. what makes you tired so soon?"

But the lazy boy was silent, and he slowly chewed a straw, Vaguely mindful of the thrush that whistled in the haw

And half aware of bleating sheep and of the browsing kine Far scattered over slumbering hills to the horizon line.

Happy, happy was the boy a-dreaming sweet and long, Fanned by the breeze that tossed the haw and raffed the thrush's song; For the whole glad day he had to loaf, he and himself together, While all the mouths of Nature blew

the flutes of fairy weather. The year's great treadmill round was done, it drudgery ended well, And now the sunny holiday had caught

him in its spell, So that he lounged, a lazy lout, upsquinting at the sky, And wished he was the long-winged

bird that slantwise sailed on high. It's good to work and good to win the wages of the strong; Sweet is the hum of labor's hire and

sweet the workman's song; But once a year a lad must loaf, and dream, and chew a straw.

And wish he were a falcon free, or a catbird in the haw! -Maurice Thompson.

A Masquerader.

Sorrow once wearied of his sad estate, And, finding Pleasure sleeping in the

Put on his mantle, bargaining with Fate That she should tell of the exchange to none. through the city gates he made

his way, And eager crowds flocked round from far and near; But some who strove to grasp his gar-

ments gay Shrank back, they knew not why, with sudden fear, And there were those who gave him

of their best, Who set before him a most royal feast.

Doing him homage as a kingly guest-Till, as the music and the mirth increased. One peered beneath his hood and saw

with wild surprise The somber spirit looking out from Sorrow's eyes. -Christian Burke.

Almost in Despair.

"My wife suffered with pain and distress from an affection of the throat. caused by impure blood. She was almost in despair of ever obtaining a cure, but finally procused a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and after taking six bottles of this medicine she was completely cured." John Wecknar. Galt. Ont.

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HARD WORK

Brilliant Intellect Not the Main Qualification for Success.

The Talent for Toil Is the Thing-Experience of Famous People.

[Saturday Evening Post, Philadelphia.] It is a common mistake to suppose that intellectual cleverness or mental power is the main qualification for success in any career. Far more important than brilliant abilities is a talent for work-for hard, persistent, unremitting toil. Mental cleverness is the edge of the knife which makes it penetrate; but whether it penetrate deeply or not depends more on the force applied to it and the persistence with which it is applied than upon the sharpness of the blade.

sets all the mental machinery in motion. It is the man who not only resolves to succeed, but who begins and re-begins resolutely again and again after every rebuff, that reaches the goal. Take any calling or sphere of achievement—as literature, for example, a calling in which success would seem to depend chiefly upon intuition or inspiration—what men call "genius" -and what an amount of toil-of hard, unremitting, exhausting work—nay, even of drudgery, success in it exacts!

The will is the driving-wheel which

A poem like Gray's Elegy, or Coleridge's Ancient Mariner, or Pope's Epistle to Doctor Arbuthnot is not struck off at a flash. The most fastidious and exacting taste has been at work upon it for weeks and months. perhaps for years-blotting, expanding, condensing and polishing with ceaseless care, and it is not till after innumerable changes, blots and erasures that this quintessence of thoughts which have been refined in the crucible is at last given to the world, its different parts fused together and finished with all the care of a skilled jeweler setting his most precious gems.

The same thing is true of a great historical work like Gibbons' or Macaulay's. It involves an amount of labor and positive drudgery of which the reader who glides so easily over its pages has no conception. To produce a sterling history which shall abide the closest critical scrutiny, the writer must go back to the original sources of information, to the statutes of the period he is portraying, the diplomatic correspondence the orders and reports of military leaders, the records of debates in councils and parliaments, political pamphlets, street ballads and "broadsides," ships' log-books, contemporary memoirs, private diaries and letters, newspapers-even, in some cases, to old worm-eaten account-books and musty files of receipts. He must scrutinize piles of papers in foreign languages, or in the strange spelling and handwriting of centuries long past -in faded ink, too, and on browned parchments; and days, and even weeks of toil must sometimes be undergone in preparing to write a single page.

It is customary to explain the highest results of human effort—the achievements that immortalize men-by attributing them to a subtle, mysterious at first with great difficulty, so sucpower which no one has been able to cessful at last, not only as a novelist, define, yclept "genius." It is thought to vulgarize a great work to ascribe it to anything but direct inspiration from phleteer? It was a Herculean faculty heaven. Men are led into this error by of work, which manifested itself in contemplating the magnitude of a work Newton's Principia. or Milton's Paradise Lost, or a great invention-in its finished state, without considering the slow, gradual, creeping progress by which these things have been brought to their perfection. Unable to trace the weary steps by which the philosopher, poet or inventor has passed, in spite of many defeats and discouragements, from one mountain peak of thought to another, "thinking while others slept, reading while others rioted," till he has attained to his present lofty elevation, they cry out that he is "a miracle of genius!" "Yes," says Sydney Smith, "he is a miracle of genius, because he is a miracle of labor; because, instead of trusting to the resources of his own single mind. he ransacked a thousand minds; because he makes use of the accumulated wisdom of ages, and takes as his point of departure the very last line and boundary to which science has advanced; because it has ever been the object of his life to assist every intellectual gift of nature, however munificent and however splendid, with every resource that art could suggest and every attention that diligence could bestow

It is true that men have different degrees of aptitude for a particular pursuit; but it is equally true that all truly great men have become such by intense and persistent toil. Their superiority is not so much a superiority of natural endowment as a force of will and a faculty to toil which urge all their natural endowments into the very highest and most efficient activity. Slowly and painfully did Milton elaborate verse after verse of his sublime epic; and Newton left on record the assurance that he did not discover the law of gravitation by the aid of heaven-born inspiration, but by dint of a homely virtue within reach of all men-the habit of patient thought.

Nine-tenths of the most useful labor in any calling is drudgery-work which kindles no enthusiasm and elicits no praise-but without which signal success is impossible. "No man." the painter Innes, "can do anything in art unless he has intuitions; but between whiles he must work hard in collecting the materials out of which intuitions are made." All great artists understand this, and act upon it accordingly. What rare endowments of eye and hand had Michael Angelo! Yet neither he nor the many-sided Leon-They studied the human frame as if they expected to be doctors; the laws of matter as if they meant to be engineers; the nature of light as if they meant to be physicists; and the principles of optics as if they had resolved to be astronomers. All the great statesmen, scholars,

orators and writers of ancient and modern times have had a marvelous talent for work. "I know that he can toil terribly," said Queen Elizabeth of Raleigh. Look at Palmerston! "I have seen him." says his physician. Sir Henry Holland, "under a fit of gout which had used several remedies to no avail would have sent other men groaning to their couches, continue his work of reading or writing on public business almost without abatement, amid the chaos of papers that covered the floor as well as the tables of his room." What a Titanic and tireless worker was Gladstone, alike in boyhood, middle life and old age, when at 84 he sometimes read and studied ten hours a day! It was this talent and love for work which made his fellow-student at Oxford, the brilliant Arthur Hallam, the subject of Tennyson's In Memor-"Whatever may be our I am confident that Gladstone is are advertised to do. a bud that will blossom with a richar

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fragrance than almost any whose youthful promise I have witnessed."

Macaulay was an extraordinary worker, and when toiling at his history in 1848 rose at daybreak and wrought intensely—sometimes sitting! at his desk twelve hours on a stretch. "I have made myself what I am," said that giant of classical erudition, Porson, "by intense labor."

What made Bulwer, who composed but as an essayist, dramatist, historian, poet, orator and political pamspite of his lifelong invalidism, in not less than a hundred olumes, the he lived but sixty-eight years. Who needs to be told of Pascal, who killed himself by hard study; of Cicero, who narrowly escaped death by the same cause; of Walter Scott, rising to work daily at five o'clock in the morning. and "breaking the backbone of the day," as he used to say, pefore his family had assembled for breakfast; or of Arnold Rugby, always up to his ears in work, learning some new lan-guage, studying some fresh historical subject, or cheering on by his pen some progressive movement of age? Even Keen, the tragedian, whose impersonations were deemed so spontaneous and unstudied, "studied and slaved," says one who knew him, "beyond any other actor I ever knew." All these men were superior to other men because they took more pains that other men-because, as Turner said to the lady who asked the secret of his success as a painter, they "had no secret but hard work."

Let us be thankful, then, if we have a talent for work. Whatever our allotted task, let us buckle to it with energy and content.

BY EVERY MAIL.

A Toronto Man Is Deluged With

Letters. Wrote to People All Over Canada Ask-

ing About Dodd's Kidney Pills-Replies Have Been Coming for Two Weeks-Still They Come. Toronto, June 23 .- Replies to the letters sent out inquiring as to the lasting

qualities of certain cures made Dodd's Kidney Pills, during the last nine years, have been pouring in on the gentleman who sent them out, this last week. He, it will be remembered, is the compiler of a scrapbook which contains a great many of the thousands of cures by Dodd's Kidney Pills that have been reported from time to time. in the daily and weekly press of the country.

The letters come from all over Canada and in some cases are from people ardo da Vinci thought any detail of who were cured as many as nine years anatomy or physics beneath his notice. ago. All forms of Kidney Disease are ago. All forms of Kidney Disease are represented, including Bright's Disease. Diabetes, Rheumatism, Disease, Female Trouble, Paralysis, Bladder and Urinary Disorders. Nervous Diseases and Blood Poisoning. Up to the present no reply has received which showed that a cure by Dodd's Kidney Pills of any of these complaints has ever been otherthan permanent.

John McDonald, 130 Langlois avenue, Windsor, was reported in January, 1897, as being cured of Rheumatism and Dropsy of two years standing. He and finally he tried Dodd's Kidney Pills. After using but one box he was cured. The dropsical swelling in his legs, which had been severe, disappeared. Mr. McDonald is well known in Windsor and several persons vouched for his case at the time. Mr. Mc-Donald's recent letter reads as follows:

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Mining Stocks.

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Toronto, June 23Follow		
closing quotations on the To	ronto Minin	gand
Industrial change:		711
Warmand Door	Asked.	Bid.
Hammond Reef	25	231/2
Hiawatha. Golden Star	25	221/2
		591/2
Ohve	80	80
Sawbill	42	36
Superior G. and C. Co		18
Cariboo		116
Minnehaha		211/
Waterloo		81/4
Smuggler		3
Fontenoy		16
Old Ironsides		110
Knob Hill	97	94
Toronto and Western		153
Dundee	24	::
Dardanelles	13	123/
Fern Gold M. & M. Co	35	
Noble Five. Rambler-Cariboo Con	26	22
Rambler-Cariboo Con	33	291/
Wonderful Group	6	4
Van Anda	91/2	9
Big Three	20	171
Alice A	26	25
Empress	5	4
J. O. 41	4	23
Republic	1241/2	124
Commander	10	5
Deer Park	31/2	3
Evening Star	12	11
Iron Colt	12	. 103
Iron Horse	12	11
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Iron Mask. Montreal Gold Fields	19	. 16
Monte Cristo Con	8	7
Northern Belle		2
Novelty		21
St. Paui	21/2	13
Silver Bell Con		11
St. Elmo		73
Virginia		16
Victory-Triumph		73
White Bear	11/2	4
B. C. Gold Fields		45
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Fairview Corporation	9	83
		7
Rathmullen		12
Morrison		31
Winnipeg	****	at 6

Golden Star, 500 at 60%. Athabasca, 2,000 at 40%.

AFTERNOON SALES—Alice A., 4,000 at 24%. Golden Star, 500 at 60%; 500 at 60%; 500, 500, 500, 500 at 60; 500 at 59%. Olive, 1,000 at 89. Superior, 500, 500 at 17%. Waterloo, 500 at 8%; 1,000 at 8; 500 at 8%; 500 at 8%. Smuggler, 500, 250 at 3. Winnipeg, 500 at 33. Athabasca, 500 at 40%. Dardanelles, 1,000 at 13. Crow's Nest, 10 a; 36,00. Van Anda, 500, 500 at 9%. Deer Trail, 500 at 25. Deer Park, 500 at 3%. California, 1,500, 500 at 9.

Local Market.

London, Saturday, June 24. This morning's market was well attended. Vegetables were supplied in abundance, and the demand was orisk. For butchers' meat, with the exception of lamb, which advanced 2c, prices were unchanged. Poultry was a little more plentiful. Butter scarce and wholesale prices ½c higher. Eggs unchanged. A few crates of currants, red and white, were offered. The white currants brought 5c by the crate, and 6c per box, while red currants went for 4c and 5c. Strawberries brought 7c retail and 6c wholesale. Home-grown cherries made their debut and sold at 10c a quart. Green peas were plentiful and brought 9c and 10c. Quotations:

A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REVIEW.
London, Saturday, June 24.
Wheat, white, per bu72c to 74c
Wheat, red, per bu72c to 74c
Oats, per bu34c to 34c
Peas, per bu
Corn, per bu391/4c to 403/4c
Barley, per bu40% c to 50% c
Rye, per bu
Beans, per bu

Wheat sold at \$1 22 as a general thing today. The supply was fairly good and the demand steady. Oats brought 98c to \$1, mostly the latter. No other

kinds of grain came in. Hay sold lower at \$7 to \$7 50. Young pigs were slow at \$3 to \$4. Wool sold at 14c to 14½c for coarse and 15c to 151/2c for fine.

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GRAIN				3
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Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs		0	1385	
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Peas per 100 lbs		ě	1 00	S
Corn per 100 lbs	70		85	
Barley, per 100 lbs	85	0	1 00	
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Beans, per bu. PROVISIONS.	75	0	80	
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Eggs. fresh, store lots, doz	11	0	12	
Butter, pound rolle, baskets	14		15	S
Butter, lb, large rolls or crocks	13	0	14	ä
Butter, per lb, retail	16	0	17	
	9	9	10	
Lard, per lb	FRU	IT.		
Potatoes per bag	85	(0	90	
Turnips, per bag	30		35	
Green peas, per quart	13	@	16	
Parsnips, per dos. bunches	40	0	50	
Asparagus, per doz. bunches	25		30	

Radishes, per doz. bunches....
Lettuce, per doz. bunches....
Bhubarb, dozen...
Onions, per doz bunches..... Beets, per doz bunches.....LIVE STOCK.

Veal, quasters, per lb. 6
Lamb, quarter. 9
Dressed hogs, 100 lbs, light. 6 15
Dressed hogs, 100 lbs, heavy 4 00
Hides, No. 1, per lb. 7
Hides, No. 2, per lb. 6
Hides, No. 3, per lb. 5
Calfskins, green 8
Sheepskins, each 70
Sheep Pelts. 15
Lambskins 9
Wool, washed, per lb. 15
Wool, unwashed, per lb. 8
Turkeys, per lb 9
Geese, pet lb. 9

HAMILTON'S SEED STORE

IS THE PLACE TO BUY BINDER TWINE.

St. Thomas Market St. Thomas, June 21.-Wheat, per bu, 70c to 72c; oats, per bu, 33c to 34c; peas, per bu, 50c to 60c; barley, per bu, 48c to 50c; corn, per bu, 45c to 50c; beans,

American Markets. CHICAGO, June 23.-Wheat was weak all day today, and closed at a decline of ½c to %c from yesterday. Weakness in foreign exports and more favorable crop prospects kept buyers out of the Corn and oats were both heavy and declined about 1/2c each. Provisions lost 21/2c to 5c off their previous values. The board will adjourn from Saturday, July 1, to Wednesday, July 5. Minneapolis and Duluth reported arrivals of 669 cars, against 666 last week, and 194 a year ago. Chicago receipts were 109 cars. The total primary receipts were 978,000 bushels, compared with 89,000 bushels a year ago. Atlantic port clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 161,000 bushels. Towards the close the situation was improved somewhat by the cash business, which proved to be better than expected-240.-000 bushels in all being reported worke t

bringing that price at the close.

The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—No. 2 July, 74½c; Sept., 76½c to 75¾c; Dec., 77½c. Corn—No. 2 July, 34½c; Sept., 34¾c; Sept., 34¾c; Sept., 34¾c; Sept., 38 30. Lard—July, \$5; Sept., \$5 12½; Sept., \$8 30. Lard—July, \$5; Sept., \$5 12½; Sept., \$8 30. Lard—July, \$5; Sept., \$4 82½. Cash quotations as follows: Flour, steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 70½c to 74½c; No. 2 red, 75½c; No. 2 corn, 34½c to 34½c; No. 2 yellow corn, 34½c to 35½c; No. 2 oats, 25½c to 26½c; No. 3 white, 27¾c to 29¼c; No. 2 rye, 60c; No. 2 barley, 28c to 29c; No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 00½; Northwest, \$1 05; prime timothy seed, \$2 35 to \$2 40; mess pork, \$7.50 to \$8 15; lard, \$4 90 to \$5; short rib sides, loose, \$4 50 to \$4 80; dry salted shoulders, boxed, 4½c to 5c; short clear sides, boxed, \$5 to \$5 10; sugars, cut-loaf, \$6 62; granulated, \$5 64; clover, contract grade \$6 65; eggs, barely steady; fresh, 12c. bringing that price at the close.

here. This injected a little life into the market, and resulted in a recovery

in September to 761/4c to 76%c. It was

fresh, 12c. RECEIPTS—Flour, 10,000 bbls; wheat, 147,000 bushels; corn. 635,000 bushels; oats, 306,000 bushels; partey, 9,000 bushels; partey, 9,000 bushels.

SHIPMENTS—Flour. 9,000 bbls; wheat. 202.-000 bushels; corn. 704,000 bushels; oats. 225,000 bushels; rye, 600 bushels; barley, 10,000 bushels. CHICAGO, June 24—Opening—Wheat, Sept., 5½c; July, 73%c; Dec., 76%c. Corn, Sept., 34½c; Sept., \$5 10. Ribs, Sept., \$4 80.

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Oil Markets.

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 23.—Oil opened and closed today at \$1 13.
PETROLIA, June 23.—Oil opened and closed at \$1 45.
OIL CITY, Pa., June 23.—Oil opened and closed at \$1 13.

English Markets. Ruling prices for the past four market days— The following table shows the quotations por cental at Liverpool for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat highest

prices are given.		41 .	1			40.5	-	1
WHEAT-		ine		ine		ine		uno
Red Winter	-			-				
Red Winter	6	1	6	1	6	1	6	1
No. 1 Nor. Spring	6		6	3	6	3	6	3
No. 1 Cal		0	0	0	0	0	0	0
July	5	1134	5	111/8	5	115%	5	111/4
Sept	6	2	6	13%		15%		13/4
Dec	6	31/	6	234	6	278		23%
CORN-		074	0	474	0	-78	0	278
New	3	5	3	43/	3	434	3	41/2
Old	3	6	3	6	3	534	3	41/4
July	1 3	5	3	47/8			3	4%
August	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sept		614	3	6	3	6	8	6
Flour	18	6	118	6	18		18	6
Peas	1 5	11	1 å	11	5	11	5	11
Pork	42	6	42	6	42	6	42	6
Lard	26		26		26		26	
Tallow	22	6	22		23		23	0
Dogge Hobs	100		29					
Bacon, light					29		29	6
Cheese white	42	6	49	6	49	6	19	R

Liverpeol, June 24 Closing.

Wheat—Spot, steady; spot No. 1 Cal., no stocks; No. 2 red western, winter, dull, 6s ½d; No. 1 red northern spring, 6s 3d, nominal; stocks nearly exhausted; spot No. 1 red northern, Puluth, dull, 6s 2½d.

northern, Puluth, dull, 68.2%d.

Corn.—Spot. American mixed, new, quiet,
3s 4%d; do. old, steady, 3s 5%d; futures, quiet;
June, nominal; July, 3s 4%d; Sept., 3s 5%d.

Flour.—St. Louis fancy winter, firm, 8s.

Peas.—Canadian, 5s 11d.

Beef.—Steady; prime mess, 55s; extra India
mess 50s.

Beef—Steady; prime mess, 558; extra India mess, 668.

Pork—Firm; prime mess, fine western, 458; do, medium, western, 428 6d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., firm, 488.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs., easy, 308 6d; short ribs, 18 to 20 lbs, dull, 298 6d; long clear middles, light, 30 to 35 lbs. easy, 298; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, easy, 28s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, easy, 28s; clear belies, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 28s.

Shoulders—Sauare, 12 to 14 lbs, easy, 25s.

Lard—American refined, in 28-pound pails, steady, 2686d; prime western, in tierces, dull, 26s.

26s.

Butter—Finest American, nominal; good, 62s.

Onecse—American finest white, steady, 42s
6d; do, old, steady, 42s; ordinary, new, 43s 6d.

Tallow—Prime city, firm, 23s; Australian in London, 25s 6d.

Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, July, Aug., steady, 16s 6d.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast), nominal, 24
10s to 24 15c.

Turpentine spirits—Firm, 35s.

Rosin—Common, steady, 4s.

Petroleum—Refined, 64d.

Linseed oil—21s 9d.

Live Stock Markets. NEW YORK, June 23.—Beeves—Recelpts, 2,637; active and higher; common to choice steers, \$4.75 to \$5.60; bulls, \$3 65 to \$4 50; cows, \$2 25 to \$4 25. Cables quote American cattle at 11c to 12c; sheep, 10½c to 12c; refrigerator beef, 8¼c per lb. Shipments tomor-row, 680 cattle, 75 sheep and 5,952 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 367; higher; yeals, \$5 to \$7 37½; buttermilk calves, \$4 50 to \$4 65. Sheep and calves, \$4 50 to \$4 65. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,437; demand strong; sheep higher; lambs steady, for fair to choice: common lambs easy; common to choice sheep, \$3 50 to \$5 40; common to choice lambs, \$6 50; culls, \$5 50; yearlings, \$5 to \$6. Hogs—Receipts, 1,254; steady; prime western hogs, \$4 30; best state hogs, \$4 35. CHICAGO, June 23.-There was

good demand for cattle, and although good demand for cattle, and attributed receipts were large for so late in the week, desirable lots were 10c, higher in some cases; medium grades, however, were weak and lower; good to fancy beeves, \$5 05 to \$5 60; commoner grades brought \$4 50 to \$5; feeding cattle sold at \$3 65 to \$5; bulls, cows and helfers, \$2 25 to \$5 10—the latter for choice heifers; western fed steers, \$4 to \$5 40; Texans, \$4 to \$5, and calves, \$4 50 to \$7.25. Heavy hog receipts again made a weak market, and prices; suffered a further decline of about 5c; suffered a further decline of about 5c; light hogs brought \$3 65 to \$3 85; mixed lots, \$\$ 60 to \$3 82½, and heavy, \$3 50 to \$3 80; pigs sold at \$3 25 to \$3 70, and culls \$1 50 to \$3 50. The market for sheep and lambs was about steady; sheep were saleable at \$2 to \$3 50 for culls, up to \$5 to \$5 25 for choice flocks; yearlings. \$5 25 to \$6 25; clipped lambs, \$6 to \$6 70, and spring lambs, \$5 to \$5 70. Receipts—Cattle, 3,000, hogs, 33,000; sheep, 10,000. EAST BUFFALO, June 23.—Cattle-

The offerings were three loads, principally stockers; there was a fair demand at a shade lower figures on stockers of the choice kind, while on the next lower grade there was a wide difference; calves were in fair demand and moderate supply; choice to extra were quotable at \$6.50 to \$6.75; good to choice, \$6 to \$6.50. Sheep and lambs —The offerings were light, 10 loads; the demand was active and prices strong; lambs, choice to extra, were quotable at \$5.75 to \$6; good to choice, \$5.50 to \$5.75; common to fair, \$4.75 to \$5; sheep, choice to extra, \$5.00 to \$5.75; common to \$5.75 to \$5.25; good to choice, \$4 75 to \$5; common to fair, \$3 25 to \$4 50. The offerings were well cleared up, and the close firm. Hogs—The market opened fairly active, with 25 loads on sale; the basis was \$4 10 on the bulk of the sales in the early part of the day; roughs, \$3 40 to \$3 60; stags, \$2 75 to \$3; on the close prices were 2½c to 5c lower. pigs being quotable at \$4 05, and York-

TORONTO, June 23 .- The receipts of cattle at the western yards this morning were represented by 38 loads, and business during the early part of the day was brisk. Cables report a steady market in London and Liverpool, and prices here are unchanged. For shipping cattle exporters quote 5c per lb as the high price, with occasional transactions at a fraction advance on this price. Light exporters are quoted at from 4%c to 45%c. Butchers' cattle were in good demand, and the best animals brought fair prices. Sales were reported of choice stock at from 41/2c to 43/4c per Ib. and common at 3%c to 4c per Ib. The market for stockers was quiet, with dealers quoting from 31/2c to 4c per lb. In the small meats market the offerings were fair. Sheep were quoted at from 3½c to 3¾c per lb for ewes, and 2¾c to 5c per lb for bucks. Yearlings are quoted at from 4c to 41/2c per lb. Calves are quoted at from \$3 to \$8 per head. The run of hogs was light, being represented by about 600 head. The best selections are quoted at 5c per lb. Export cattle, per cwt, \$4 75 to \$5 121/2; do light, \$4 371/2 to \$4 621/2. Butchers' cattle, choice, per cwt, \$4 50 to \$4 75; do medium, per cwt, \$4 25 to \$4 37½; do, common, per cwt, \$3 75 to \$4. Stockers, per cwt, \$3 50 to \$4. Sheep -Ewes, per cwt, \$3 50 to \$3 75; bucks, per cwt, \$2 75 to \$3; yearlings, per cwt \$4 to \$4 50. Calves, per head, \$3 to \$8. Milch cows, per head, \$25 to \$40. Hogs -Choice, per cwt, \$5; light, per cwt, \$4 32½ to \$4 37½; heavy, per cwt, \$4 37½.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES. Liverpool, June 23 .- Prices here and in London for cattle are steady, and a shade better. American steers are quoted at 11c to 12c per 1b, dressed weight; live sheep are firmer, at 101/20 to 12c, dressed weight; lambs, 14c to 141/2c per lb; refrigerator beef is 81/4c

The Dairy Markets. MONTREAL, June 23 .- Cheese, 71/20 to 8½c. Butter, 17c to 18c for town-ships; 13c to 14c for western.

WINCHESTER, Ont., June 23 .- Cheese registered on the board here today, 806 boxes-493 colored and 313 white; price offered for both, 81/2c, with no sales; after the board adjourned two sales were made on the street at 8%c.

NEW YORK, June 28-Butter steady; western creamery, 15½c to 18%c; do, factory, 12c to 14c; imitation creamery. 13c to 16c; state dairy, 13½c to 17c; do, creamery, 15½c to 18½c. Cheese steady; large white, 8½c; small white, 8¼c; large colored, 8½c; small colored, 8½c. CHICAGO, June 23 .- Butter firm; creameries, 13½c to 18c; dairies, 11c to 15½c. Cheese firm, at 8c to 8¾c.

KEMPTVILLE, Ont., June 23.-On thousand and fifteen colored cheese and 50 white offered and sold here today; 116 colored from Hallville factory sold at 811-16c; balance sold at 8%c; buyers present, Bissell, Webster and Scott. OTTAWA, June 23 .- One thousand

four hundred cheese were boarded at today's meeting of the Ottawa cheese board, 1,000 white and 400 colored; there were seven buyers, mostly from Montreal, and good competition; the prices were 8½c, 8 9-16c, 8%c.

SHELBURNE, Ont., June 23.-Cheese board met here today; eight factories. 948 boxes, all June make; all sold at 8%c to 8%c; buyers present, Steinhoff, Gunne and Brill; board meets again July 7.

SOUTH FINCH, Ont., June 23.—Regular meeting of South Finch board; buyers present, A. A. Logan, J. R. Weir, M. Birdsell and C. S. Wood; number boarded, 1,769—1,387 white, balance colored; 250 white sold on board for sold for the colored colored. on board for 8%c; same offered for colored; none sold.

IROQUOIS, Ont., June 23.-At today's meeting of the cheese board 15 factories boarded 824 cheese, of which 689 were colored; bidding was rather brisk, and 8%c was offered for all on board; only one lot of 33 cheese was sold on the board, but since the board adjourned nearly all have been sold on the street.

PERTH, Ont., June 23 .- There were 1,575 boxes of white cheese offered at the cheese market here today; Bissell, Webster and Scott secured 975 between them, the remainder being shipped to Montreal; the ruling price but § 11-16c, but 8%c was paid for some.

A PRESSMAN'S STORY.

Mr. Parnham Tells How Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured His Lumbage.

Toronto, June 19 .- The story of the escape of the Globe pressman, Mr. John H. Parnham, from the agonies of Lumbago, by using Dodd's Kidney

Pills is unusually interesting.

Mr. Parnham writes to the Dodd's
Medicine Company (Limited) thus: "I am proud to testify to the wonderful efficacy of Dodd's Kidney Pills. About eight months ago I was attacked by severe pains in my back. I consulted an eminent physician, who said I had Lumbago, and told me to take Turkish baths. These did me no good. "A friend advised me to try Dodd's

Kidney Pills. I did so, and one box cured me. My back has never troubled

SPECIFICATIONS CALLED FOR. "Yes, that is Dr. Bloggs." "Allopath, homeopath, horse or diinity?"-Indianapolis Journal.

A taxpayer says the numerous investigating committees make war an



THE WEATHER TODAY-Fine and moderately warm.

WHAT WE HAVE WE SELL. WHAT WE HAVEN'T WE SET

Our aim at this season of the year, as well as all seasons, is to keep our stock well assorted. Goods are arriving almost constantly from the European and American mar.

kets, and, because we do not happen to have the article you are in quest of today do not conclude that we are never going to have it again-it may come to hand tomorrow. For instance, we have to hand another lot of Foulard Siks, scarce goods, so much in demand for summer dresses, 23 inches, selling at In mauve and white, navy and white, royal and white, cadet blue and white, 65°C. white with mauve, white with navy, white with dark green, navy with white spot, black with white spot.

MORE SCARCE GOODS Muslin Embroidered Insertion is very scarce goods. We have just received another small shipment which will not be with us long at the present rate of selling. Those who have been inquiring for them can be supplied while the supply lasts.

Ladies' 75c Night Gowns for 49c.

For the benefit of those who wanted them, but who couldn't get them at the time, we have placed out several lines of Whitewear—75c Gowns for 49c; \$1, \$1 15 and \$1 25 Gowns for 69c; \$1 35, \$1 50 and \$1 60 Gowns for 98c. Our regular \$1 Underskirts for 59c; \$1 25 Underskirts for 89c; regular \$2 Underskirts for \$1 19; regular \$2 75 Underskirts for \$1 69. CORSET COVERS—A special line at 10c and 15c, all sizes; trimmed, at 25c.

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red, blue or gold, fringed......12½c A very heavy Huck Towel, all linen,

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A line of black and colored Lisle Gloves, selling at 100 Black Lisle Frame Gloves, regular prices 25c and 35c per pair, now .. 121/2c Still a few pairs of cream and color-ed Lisle and Silk Mitts, regular 25c and 35c a pair, now for ..5c and 10c

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Three Men Were Killed by an Explos ion in the War Eagle Works-Two Badly Hurt.

Rossland, B.C., June 24.—An explosion occurred yesterday in the War Eagle mine, the scene of the fatality of a month ago, and three men are lying dead at the morgue, another is probably fatally injured and fifth is seriously hurt.

Five men were working in the 625 foot level with machine drills when one of the drills struck a "missed hole" where the shot had failed to go off the previous night. A frightful explosion took place and Charles Post and Charles Lee were instantly killed and Mike Griffin, a married man, was so badly injured that he died on the way to the hospital. Dan Green is injured beyond recovery. Charles Couson received severe injuries to his right arm, the flesh being torn off, but the surgeons have hopes of his

WORK AND WAGES

British Columbia Miners to Have the Eight-Hour Day-'Longshoremen Unite-Weavers Strike.

THE EIGHT-HOUR LAW. Vancouver, June 24.—It is now stated that the mine owners and men in South Kootenay are already on the way to arrange matters amicably with a view to the conduct of metalliferous mining under the new conditions of an eight-hours' working day, and there are indications that a similar result is being brought about in other up-country mining districts. Those who should know declare of South Kootenay in particular that by the middle of July practically every mine will be working that is at present capable of so doing with advantage.

ERIE UNIONIZED. Erle, June 24.-The organizers of the Longshoremen's Union have succeeded in forming a local union of all the men here employed on the docks, including coal and ore handlers.

WEAVERS ON STRIKE. Hespeler, Ont., June 24.-Mr. A. W. Brodie shut down the greater part of his woolen mill on Thursday. It can-not be learned how long it is to remain idle. The weavers are still on strike, and there are no further developments.

Steamship Arrivals,

June 23.	Δι	From.
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	New York	
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Campania	Queenstown	New You
	Hamburg	
Spennymore	Liverpool	Halifa

There are in the United States 23,000

summer hotels.

THE KHALIFA HEMMED IN

Tagallas Kill Five Hundred of His Followers.

Certain Defeat of the Boers Predicted

-Arrival of Dreyfus in France. Cairo, Egypt, June 24.-Deserters who have reached the British lines say the khalifa is confined in a narrow valley by the Tagallas, a friendly body of tribesmen. The latter claim to have killed 500 of the khalifa's followers during the recent engagement. It is not thought likely the Tagallas will be able to capture the khalifa.

PREDICTS DEFEAT FOR OOM PAUL.

Surgeon-General John B. Hamilton who was connected with the British army in India for 30 years, has arrived at Banff, B. C. Dr. Hamilton is much interested in the existing troubles in Africa, and in the event of a clash of arms, predicted certain defeat for Oom Paul. He ridiculed the fortifications, plans at Pretoria and other points in Kruger's reports, and declared British would make short work of them in the event of war.

DREYFUS. London, June 24.-The Evening News this afternoon publishes a dispatch from its correspondent at Rennes, France, which says: With all reserve, I send a report that Dreyfus arived here at 5 o'clock this morning. A special train, with four passengers, arrived here, and the passengers forthwith entered a closed carriage, surrounded by six gendarmes, and drove to the military prison, where the coachman was detained, presumably for fear of leakages. The authorities declined all information, and the railway officials are sworn to secrecy

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LAMBETH

Coming and Going Guests-Result of the Union Pienic Races at Port Stanley.

Lambeth, June 23.—Mrs. George Kelly left on Thursday to recuperate her health with friends in Imlay Ciay, Mich. Misses Letta and Jennie Britton leave today to visit their aunt and uncle in Sault Ste. Marie for a couple of months. Mr. John Warren is suffering with

blood poisoning.

The results of the races of the union picnic held at Port Stanley on Thursday were as follows: Boys' race under 9—Cecil Mann 1, W. Ireland 2, C. McPherson 3.

Boys' race, under 12-F. Arnold 1, C. Mann 2, E. Thomas 3. Boys' race, under 15-R. Bannatyne 1, G. Mann 2, E. Winters 3. Young men's race-H. Blinn 1, A. Ryckman 2, R. Bignell 3. Married men's race—G. S. Ireland 1. J. Clark 2, A. M. Hunt 3.

Smoking race-H. Blinn 1, A. Ryckman 2, E. Ryckman 3. Men's race, over 50 years-T. Kennedy 1, J. Poole 2, Mr. Thomas 3, C. Ger-Egg race-R. Adair 1, S. Winters 2,

R. Bannatyne 3. Novelty race-G. Mann 1, G. S. Ireland 2. R. Adair 3. Boot and shoe race-H. Blinn 1, G Mann 2, C. Bogue 3. Girls' race—Miss P. Mann 1, Miss Mabel Weld 2. Ladies' race-Miss E. Ryckman 1, Miss

A. Ireland 2. Baseball match-Tempo team wor. from Port Stanley by a score of 27 to 12. Batteries: Tempo, Griffith and Piper;

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New York, June 24.

Yesterday's

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Close. Open. High. Low. 2 p.m.

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TRUSTS:

Load. 28¾ ...
Leather. 68¾ 63½
Sugar. 151 152
Federal Steel. 58 59
Rubber. 53½ 53¾
Steel and Wire. 53½ 55½
Tobacco.. 92 68½ 152½ Continental..... 4034

Toronto Produce Market.

Toronto, June 24.-Wheat is steady at 71c to 711/2c for red and white, and 68c to 69c for goose west. Manitoba wheat steady at 85c for No. 1 hard, Toronto and west. Flour steady at \$2 95 to \$3 for cars of straight roller in barrels west. Millfeed steady at \$14 to \$14 50 for shorts, and \$12 to \$12 50 for bran west. Corn steady at 36c for Canada yellow west and 43c for No. 2 American west. Oats firm at 30c to 301/2c for white west. Peas steady at 66c west. Eggs firm at 13c. Butter is in fair supply; good prices; steady at 12c to 121/2c for dairy pails and tubs, and 8c to 10c for low grade and medium; creamery steady at 17c to 171/2c for prints and 161/2c to 17c for boxes and tubs.

Montreal Produce Market. Montreal, June 24.—Grain basis afloat here, grade 2, white oats, 341/4c. Buckwheat-59c. Peas-73c to 74c. Flour-Manitoba bakers, \$3 80 to \$4; spring patents, \$4 20 to \$4 40; winter do., \$3 75 to \$4; straight roller, \$3 40 to \$3 50; for bran, \$13 50 to \$14; shorts, \$15 to \$16. Provisions— Pork, \$15 to \$16. Lard, pure, 7c to 71/4c. compound, 5½c to 6c. Hams, 10c to 12c. Bacon, 10½c to 11c. Produce—Eggs, fair demand; choice candled, candled. 121/2c to 13c; ordinary 11c to 111/2c; No. 2, 9c to 10c. Maple produce dull. Syrup in wood, 53/4c; 65c to 70c per tin. Sugar, 8½c to 9c. Honey, slow; white comb, 8c to 9c; dark, 6c to 7c; white extra, 7c to 7½c dark. Beans jobbing at choice hand picked, 95c to \$1. Potatoes, firm, 80c to 85c.

Chicago Exchange.

CHICAGO, June 24. Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Beard of Trade furnished by F. H. Butter preker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1278. Close. 73 74½

 Wheat—July
 73%

 Sept
 75%

 Cern—July
 34

 Sept
 34%

 Dats—July
 24%

 Sept
 21%

 Pork—July
 8 05

 Sept
 8 25

 8 15 Sept. 8 25
Lard-July 4 97
Sept. 5 10
Ribs-July 4 67
Sept. 4 80 Puts, 74. Calls, 753%.

American Markets.

CHICAGO, June 24—Closing.—Wheat, July, 73; Sept., 74½ to 74½c; Dec., 76c. Corn, June, 34c; July, 34c to 34½c; Sept., 34½c; Dec., 33½c; May, 34½c. Oats. June, 25½c; July, 24½c; Sept., 21½c to 21½c; Dec., 21½c; May, 23½c. Pork, June, 33 15; July, 38 15; Sept., \$8 35. Lard, June, \$5; July, \$5 to \$5 02½; Sept., \$5 15. Ribs, June, 34 70; July, \$4 70; Sept., \$4 85. NEW YORK, June 24.-Flour-Re-

ceipts, 15,202; sales, 2,100 pkgs; state and western quiet and weaker; Minnesota bakers, \$3 10 to \$3 30; winter low grades, \$2 45 to \$2 55. Rye flour easy. Wheat-Receipts, 157,250 bu; sales, 915,000 bu; options, No. 2 red opened weak, and vas hammered by bears on the heavy Northwest movement and lower cables: July, 80 5-16c to 801/2c; Sept., 80 3-15c to 80%c; Dec., 81%c to 82c. Rye dull; No. 651/2c f.o.b., afloat. Corn-Receipts, 840,275 bu; sales, 25,000 bu; options, No. 2 opened easier with wheat, but improved a little on subsequent coverings. Sept., 39%c to 39%c. Oats-Receipts, 49.-300 bu; options, No. 2 were dull; track, white state and western, 33c to 38c. Butter—Receipts, 5,613 pkgs; steady; western creamery, 151/2c to 18% c. Cheese -Receipts, 531 pkgs; steady. Eggs-Receipts, 5,756 pkgs; firm. Sugar steady; refined steady. Hops steady. Lead dull. DETROIT, June 24.-Wheat-No. 1

white, cash, 76½c; No. 2 red 76%c; July, 77½c; Sept., 78%c. TOLEDO, June 24.-Wheat-Cash, 76c; July, 77c; Sept., 77%c. July, 34%c. Oats—July, 25c.

MILWAUKEE, June 24.-Wheat-BUFFALO, June 24.-Spring wheat-No. 1 northern, 79½c; winter, No. 2 red, 78c; No. 1 white, 77c asked. Corn

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The Strike Situation in Cleve. land. The street railway employes' strike

in Cleveland, like the strike in London, is still in progress. If it be true that the Company's policy in London is a part of the general Everett policy, this city has sufficient reason to keep under observation what is going on in Cleveland.

In the latter city, there was, first, the strike. Next, the effort of the general State Arbitration Board to bring the disputing sides together. They were brought together, the Company then laid down certain conditions; these were rejected by the men, who, it is said, will now send in counter propositions, through the City Council committee.

In Mr. Everett's letter of a few days ago, while negotiations were in progress for the return of the Cleveland men to work, these sentences occur:

"In this re-employment two things must, of course, be understood. First, the service of the former employes with the company's present employes must be loyal, and the latter must not be subject to annoyance or abuse by the former.

The trouble with this injunction of Mr. Everett's is this, that it is an effort to combine union and non-union ideas and employes-in other words, oil and water. If the union men adhered to their union, as they undoubtedly would, they would naturally keep up a perpetual propaganda of endeavor to get the non-union men to join their association; so that any cessation of what Mr. Everrett might stigmatize as "agitation," could only be temporary. It is clear that, in this year of grace eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, no bearers. settlement can be permanent that cold shoulders the right of the men to collective action, representation in their collective capacity in cases of dispute, and recognition of the general principle of arbitration.

We observe an article in a Cleveland journal. The Universe, on the street car trouble, which we consider worth

"Aside from the merits of the present contention between the employes of the Big Consolidated Street Car Company and its officials, no street car company should be permitted to impose inconveniences and hardship on the public at large on account of any lack of agreement with its men. The public is greater than any corporation, and in a case like this where the corporation depends for its existence on the privilage of using public highways, which belong to the people, there should be some power to force an agreement when the company itself fails to do so, and thereby fails to fill the provisions of its contract.

"It is manifestly unjust to force the public to suffer from the personal ideas of the organizations in question. If the company and its employes are so far apart in their mutual demands that they cannot come to any agreement, then some board of arbitration should be vested with sufficient power to require a statement of grievances from the parties concerned, and the additional power of binding both by its decision.

"There is no case where both parties do not suffer from the effects of strikes. The employes suffer the loss of wages and not infrequently the loss of positions. The company suffer the loss of business and suffer from the loss of a number of good and tried men, whom they frequently replace with those who are incompetent and dishonest.

"In these days when corporations by combination are imposing such tyrannical exactions on the public at large, and nowhere more than on the laboring classes, it is certainly straining a gnat to refuse any recognition of their fair demands. The lesson which labor must learn is not to make itself equally tyrannical by imposing terms and require the surrender of the managerial control of every enterprise to

the dictation of its representatives. "In the present strike the men have displayed good sense in keeping from violence of all kinds, and it is to be hoped that the public will accord them generous support. The whole affair is to be regretted not less because it puts the men in the light of asking more than they can reasonably expect, than because it places their employers in the unenviable position, of refusing what in all justice they should

concede. "Corporations too frequently forget that they are corporations, and that while they are insisting that the employe shall come before them in his individuality, they meet him by a combination of stockholders, the power of combined wealth and the whole municipal and state authority at backs. When the men attempt to op-pose this combination by a union of their individual strength and influence, they are employing, in their own way, very methods used against them. When they ask a hearing for their representatives at the bar of arbitration they do no more than corporations do when through their officers or attorney, they insist on a proper presenta-

rights to official representation that capital has, and it is the denial of this fair and reasonable demand that is imposing hardship and inconvenien on the city of Cleveland and thousands of workingmen, and this by men who could well afford to display a better leve of justice and fair play."

The Monetary Times, of Toronto, is another paper that has been discussing the subject of labor unions. The Monetary Times says: "These labor unions, if troublesome to employers, are valuable to workmen, and the time has come when a refusal to recognize them can have little effect; though recognition does not imply compliance with all demands which a union may make."

Latest Probabilities

Toronto, June 24-10 a.m.-Probabilities for the lower lakes region: Today and Sunday-Light, variable winds; fair weather.

-Benj. Hole will build a double brick dwelling on Waterloo street. -Mrs. W. J. Stout, of New York, a lifelong friend of Mrs. C. W. Davis, is at the Tecumseh House.

-The Catholic Club excursion will be held on Monday, July 3, to Detroit, Good to return any train on July 4. -Miss Muriel Weaver, of 272 Talbot street, has gone to St. Thomas to attend the closing exercises at Alma Col-

-Mrs. W. D. Mills and three little sons have gone to visit relatives and friends in Foxburg, Pa., and Wheeling, West Va. -Messrs. Jos. Nolan and John Mc-

Leod, two well known young Londoners, will open up a union cigar factory here early next month. -Miss Harris, who has for some

time been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. D. Mills, of St. James street, has returned to her home at Foxburg, Pa. -About 25 members of Oregon Club, East London, will wheel to St. Thomas and Port Stanley to-They will remain over Sunday.

-The police have found no owner as yet, for the dark-green bicycle with red rims, which was left in place of Mr. R. K. Cowan's at the London Club.

-It is stated on reliable authority that P. C. Thomas Howie is still an enthusiastic wheelman, but that he has discarded the road roller for a thoroughly up-to-date bike. -A dummy figure labeled "He Was

a Scab," was hung on the telegraph wire at the corner of Dundas and English streets last night. Early this morning it was taken down and cremated. -Mr. John Barned, of South London,

who has purchased the Riverview pro-

penty of Mr. Henry Tozeland, intends

to erect several brick residences immediately, which will greatly add to the appearance of this avenue. -The funeral of the late Mrs. Jas. Leslie took place this morning to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Rev. Robt. Johnston conducted the services. Four sons of the deceased-James, William,

Alexander and George-were the pall--Among the prominent men elected on the board of the National Life Association Company, at the shareholders' meeting held yesterday in Toronto, was Mr. Wm. R. Hobbs, of the

well-known firm of the Hobbs Hard-

ware Company, of this city. -Rev. Dr. Saunders will conduct a service of sacred song tomorrow evening in Dundas Center Methodist Church, the subject of which will be "Steps Heavenward." The under the direction of Mr. W. H. Hewlett, will render special music, ap-

propriate to this theme. -About 50 members of the Wellington Street Church Bicycle Club held a very pleasant run to Hyde Park last evening, where a garden party was held on the lawn of the Hyde Park Methodist Church. After refreshments had been served, consisting of strawberries and cake, all adjourned to the church, where a concert was given by the choir of the Wellington Street Church. All returned home early after having had a very enjoyable ride.

MILITARY FUNERAL TOMORROW. Major Williams' funeral tomorrow afternoon, at 3:30, will be military, The Seventh Battalion will furnish the firing party. Any officers, noncommissioned officers or men of the militia who wish to attend the funeral in uniform should meet at the drill shed at 3 o'clock.

SEVENTH'S ROUTE MARCH.

The Seventh Battalion route march on Monday night will take place from the drill shed, on Central avenue, to Richmond street, south to York street, west to Talbot street, north to Dundas street, east to Colborne street, north to Dufferin avenue, west to Wellington street, north to the drill

PICNICKERS AT PORT.

The St. Andrew's and First Presbyterian Sunday schools each held their annual picnic at Port Stanley today. Crowds of young people turned out early to spend the whole day by the lake side. Thirteen L. E. and D. R. R. coaches were required to carry the 700 or 800 picnickers. Another crowd went down from the city at 2:30. POLICE COURT NOTES.

Richard Scott was fined \$5 for being disorderly on the street, at the police court this morning. The charge against Albert Giese, for assaulting a Chinaman, was dismissed, the matter having been settled out of court. Uri McRoberts was charged with having assaulted Special Constable Wm. Hull. The case was enlarged until Wednesday. John Foley, a drunk, was allowed to go. BURGLARIZED A CHURCH.

Some parties made a forcible entry into the Methodist Church at Siloam on the night of the 22nd or 23rd June. Entrance was gained by cutting away some of the glass in the windows, and some damage was done to locks, desks, etc. The supposed object was to obtain some boxes containing missionary collections, but in this they were disappointed, as they had been removed previously. The trustees offer a re-ward of \$25 for such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of the offenders.

RAILWAY TIME CHANGED.

The summer time card for the L. E. and D. R. R. went into effect today. It shows some important changes in the train service between London and tion of their cause. the train service between London and ever, the manage with union of labor has the same Port Stanley. The train running through refuse admission.

to Port daily, leaving here at 11:35 and returning at midnight, is on again. Superintendent Young has succeeded in having a new train added this year for the convenience of the citizens of London and St. Thomas who summer at Port. It will start from London at 5:15 p.m. and St. Thomas at 5:45 p.m., arriving at Port at 6 p.m. THE NORMAL SCHOOL PRINCIPAL-

SHIP. The Stratford Beacon professes to be informed on reliable authority that Mr. F. W. Merchant, principal of London Collegiate Institute, holds in his pocket the appointment to the principalship of the Normal School, which is now in course of erection here. The Beacon speaks highly of Mr. Merchant's qualifications. It is probable that no appointment has yet been officially made, though Mr. Merchant would be highly acceptable to the people of London and to the teaching profession in general. CHARLES O'ROURKE DEAD.

An old and respected citizen died last night in the person of Mr. Charles O'Rourke, of Barker street, East London, after suffering for some two weeks with kidney trouble. Deceased was 80 years of age and had lived in London for 50 years. He was a gardener, and cleared the property on which he resided up to the time of his death. He was born in Glenmore, Ireland. Three sons and three daughters survive. They are James, of Chicago; John, of St. Thomas; Edward, city; Mrs. O'Hagen, city; Mrs. Cummings, Hartford, Conn., and Annie, at home. The funeral will take place on Monday morning from St. Peter's Cathedral to the Catholic

FIRST MONTH OF THE STRIKE

as a Magnet's Poles.

Meantime the Public Suffer-Heavy Drain on the Company's Finances -Support for the Men.

The street railway strike has lasted for a month. Neither side shows the slightest evidence of yielding. In the meantime the city is for all practical purposes deprived of the use of street cars. The merchants are probably the greatest financial sufthough the citizens genferers, are greatly exasperated erally the inconvenience. The first by month has cost the company at least \$10,000. The strikers do not believe the company will continue to stand the steady drain on its finances.

The men continue to receive encouragement on all sides. Assurances of sympathy and promises of financial aid are still coming in.

MISCONCEPTION CORRECTED. Chairman Garnett said today that it was an entire misconception to say, as

some were saying, that the men had in any sense whatever agreed to anything like a non-recognition of the union. They considered the employes' association, not as a menace to employers, but as a necessary and reasonable measure of self-protection. THE LONDON SOAP COMPANY.

The London Soap Company, desirous ing their sympathy with the men now endeavoring to better their condition of labor by an organized appeal to the street car company, present the accompanying case of Sweet Home Soap for distribution among the famllies of the workmen, and hope the men may early be reinstated, and the city resume its proper means of civic transportation. (Signed) J. H. McMechan, for the London Soap Company.

COURT FOREST CITY, A. O. F. The following resolution was passed unanimously by Court Forest City, No. 5,744, A. O. F.: Resolved, that we, the members of Court Forest City, No. 5.744. Ancient Order of Foresters. located in the East End, do hereby extend our hearty sympathy to our fellowworkmen, the London street railway conductors and motormen, we believe, by undue oppression, have been obliged to strike, as they had no other way of having their grievances heard by the said company, and we further pledge ourselves not to use the company's cars; and we, the members of this court, will use all our moral influence to induce our families and friends not to ride in the said cars until the said company sees fit in their wisdom to hear the men's grievances, and seek to adjust them. This court has 345 members. (Signed) W. Richards, secretary.

THE LADIES ALSO. The Pride of the East Circle, No. 55, A. O. F., Companions of the Forest, passed the following resolution unanimously: Resolved, that the ladies of this circle do hereby sympathize with the conductors and motormen in their strike, and we promise to use our utmost influence amongst our families and friends not to ride on the street cars, but to patronize the union 'busses

until a satisfactory settlement is made. (Signed) W. Richards, for the ladies of Circle, No. 83., COURT EXCELSIOR.

At the last regular meeting of Court Excelsior, A. O. F., it was unanimously resolved that the hearty sympathy and moral support of the court be tendered to the striking conductors and motormen of the London Street Railway Company in their struggle for their just rights, and that the members of ed not to ride on the cars until the strike is satisfactorily settled. (Signed) W. TROTT, C. R.; W. T. DUFF, Sec.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD. At the regular meeting of Pine Grove Camp, No. 2, C. O. W. O. W., the following resolution was passed unanimously: Resolved that the members of this camp extend their hearty sympathy to the street railway employes in the just and manly stand they have taken for justice and fair play, and be it further resolved that we will not ride on the cars till the company make a satisfactory settlement with the men. financially in their stand for right. McBRIDE, cor. com.

NO COLOR LINE IN CANADA. Montreal, June 24. - Judge Archibald's decision against the Academy of Music in an action by Sam Jackson, a negro, for damages on account of being refused admittance, was upheld by a judgment handed down in the court of appeals. Judge Archibald said that the theater manager had no right to refuse admission to a negro, but the appeal judges did not go that far, holding that the question was an open one on the contract or sale of tickets. However, the management had ni right to

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AGAIN NEAR SETTLEMENT

Cleveland Street Railway Employes Statement Practically Agrees to Company's Proposition.

Cleveland, Ohio., June 23 .- The strike among the employes of the Big Consoli- ! dated Street Railway is in a fair way to be settled at a meeting of the council peace committee tomofrow morning. On Thursday the officers of the Big Consolidated issued a statement that the company was willing to take back all but 100 men, which would mean that 80 per cent of the striking employes would be reinstated.

The strikers on Thursday night refused to accept the proposition of the com-pany, but framed a statement at a meeting today which practically agreed to the proposition of the company. They will allow the company to retain 100 of its present employes, and they put in a clause which said that hereafter in case of any difficulty between the company and the employes the employes should have the right to appoint a com-Men' and Company as Far Apart mittee which would discuss the griev-

> The final decision will be reached at a meeting to be held at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Matrimonial.

MUNRO-FITZSIMMONS.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert A Good Cigar Fitzsimmons, Ontario street, Clinton, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Wednesday evening, June 21, when their daughter, Anna T. was united to Ed. C. Munro, of Goderich. Rev. R. Millyard, pastor of Rattenbury Street Methodist Church, performed the ceremony. The bride was attired in white organdie, over pink silk, and carried a shower boquet of white roses. The bridesmaid, Miss Flora Watson, of Blyth, cousin of the bride, wore white organdie over yellow, and carried a shower bouquet of yellow roses. Miss Gertie Chant, daughter of H. B. Chant, was maid of honor. Robt. Imrie, jun., of Goderich, discharged duties of groomsman. The house was beautifully decorated with flowers, and the ceremony took place before a bank of ferns, hydrangeas and Miss Louie Holmes, daughter roses. of Robt. Holmes, M.P., played Wagner's bridal chorus. The bride was the recipient of numerous and costly presents. Mr. and Mrs. Munro left for Goderich on the evening train, and will commence housekeeping on Anglesia street, with the good wishes of many friends.

LOTAN-HOGG.

Miss Annie E. Hogg were united in holy matrimony by the Rev. C. Barl-trop, at the Methodist parsonage, Ap-Mr. James Lotan and Miss Lexie Hogg attended the happy pair, who, as soon as the ceremony was ended, started ed for Collingwood, where they will among friends spend their honeymoon among friends and relatives.

McLANDRESS-WALTERS.

Miss Minnie Jane Walters, daughter of Mr. Charles Walters, St. Thomas, was married Wednesday at her father's house to Mr. James A. Landress, of Dutton, Among the guests were Mrs. Dr. Lay, of Woodstock; Mr. and Mrs. L. McLandress, of Alvinston; Miss Johnson, of Iowa; Miss E. and Mr. D. McArthur, London, and others from Wallacetown, Dutton, Tyrconnel. Port Stanley, Shedden and St. Thomas.

30,000 AUTOGRAPHS

Death of Alexander Polonyi, Famous as a Collector. The owner of probably the greatest

private collection of autographs in the world, Alexander Polonyi, has died in Vienna. His collection was so large that it filled the entire upper story of his house. Polonyi possesses the autographs of over 30,000 persons, not only of moderns, but of medieval and renaissance persons as well, says Leisure Hour. He was not particular as to age, religion, profession. All he stood out for was that the autograph was to be that of a person of certain historical importance. He possessed original writings which have not yet been printed of Michael Angelo and Marie Antoinette, letters by Calvin and Luther, Schiller and Goethe, pages of music by Wagner and Beethoven, original documents from the eleventh century, private letters of Canovas. old Hebrew scrolls, and sermons by famous Hussites. It was Polonyi's greatest pleasure to show his treasures to scholars and to bewilder them with the wealth and variety of the materials which he placed before them in the calculated disorder we have attempted to describe. He began life as an apthe court and their friends be request- | prentice to a Leipzig bookseller. His greatest success was with a magnificent collection of Durer's drawings, which he happened on quite accidentally, and sold to the Royal Gallery in Berlin for a prodigious sum of money. Polonyi had no scientific or historical knowledge, but he had a genius for collecting, and it was as a collector he was known throughout the world.

VICTIM OF A RELIGIOUS MANIA. Toronto, June 24.-Mrs. Wm. Breckon. 23 Gordon street, died yesterday morning, having slashed herself in the abdomen with a butcher knife, while suffering from a religious mania. She was and that we help both morally and under the delusion that she had committed the unpardonable sin. Wm.Breckon, (Signed), W. A. HALL, clerk; J. W. the husband of the dead woman, is a electric street railway conductor, and they had no family. The deceased was 40 years of age. About the middle of last April she went to visit friends in York county, and while there became demented and cut her throat. Her husbland was sent for, and when she had recovered he had her removed to the asylum. While there she made two attempts upon her life.

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PETROLIA.

Petrolia, June 22.-Friendship Lodge, No. 65, are running an excursion to St. Thomas and Port Stanley on July 1. Tickets are good to stay until Monday, and the fare is very reasonable-\$1 to St. Thomas and \$1 25 to Port Stanley. No doubt this will be well patronized. The sittings of the eighth division court were held here today. The doc-ket was light and was disposed of by noon. Judge McKenzie, of Sarnia, pre-

Wednesday evening to play the return match with our club. The game was called at 6 p.m., and there was a goodsized crowd in attendance. Petrolia redeemed itself in an admirable manner by defeating the visitors by a score of 12 to 0. John Farrell returned on Tuesday

Sarnia baseball club drove here on

sided.

evening from Hamilton, and was chairman of a Sunday school entertainment on the eighth line the same evening.

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the securities (if any) held by them. And notice is hereby given that the said executor will, on the first day of August, proceed to distribute the assets of the estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he then has notice. Dated this twenty-fourth day of

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JESSAMINE.

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wonder if Mr. Wyllys knows anything bout this shocking business?"

"Of course he doesn't! How could he?" retorted Hester, turtly. "There are not three people beside myself, even in our city, who ever heard of it." "You said 'dozens' just now, Hes-ter!" ventured merciful Fanny, in a gentle rebuke.

Selina averted the burst of anger portended by the darkening visage of the monied belle.

"I thought Mr. Wyllys would be more likely to hear Mr. Fordham's side of the story than anyone else." she said, timidly. "You know they she said, timidly. are own cousins."

e own cousins."
"You don't say so!" ejaculated Hester, horrified; and by a simultaneous conviction of their indiscretion, the entire party was moved to glance at

She appreciated the extreme awkwardness of the pause; felt that their eyes were directed, like so many burn-ing glasses, to a focus that was herself, and mechanically went on playing with her cue and balls. Only Fanny Provost was in a position from which she could see that, while her fea-tures were steady and her eyes seemed to follow the red and white spher-oids in their windings and doublings, one swollen vein in her throat was beating like a clock, and the nails were bloodless where they pressed upon the cue.

'Come, we must finish our game!" said the young hostess, going back to the table. "Jessie has been perfecting her skill by a bit of private practice, while we are making havoc of our neighbors' characters."

At heart she was exceedingly displeased with the tale-bearer, but the courtesy of hospitality forbade her more emphatic expression of disap-

Jessie threw down the slender rod, and tried very unsuccessfully to

"I have done nothing except spoil your game for you. I thought you had found an occupation so far preferable that you would not care to go on with I give up my cue and my place. You must choose other partners and commence anew. I have forgotten how the balls were set up when we stopped to listen to Miss Sanford's thrilling ro-mance. I must go now, Fanny. My time is up!"

Bowing a general "Good afternoon," she made her way to the library where she had left her hat and cloak. Fanny

accompanied her.

"You will join us again this evening, I hope?" she said kindly. "Mr.

Wyllys is to give us some music
Hester has never heard him sing. By a somewhat strange series of mis-chances, she has never happened to be present when he gave the rest of us this pleasure. She cannot endure contradiction, as you see; so when she insisted that I should ask him for to-night I complied. I am often thankful Jessie, that I am not an only child, when I see how restless and irritable so much notice and petting has made her. It is a downright misfortune to be so wealthy as she is. Everything and everybody conspires to spoil her. She is more to be pitied than blamed, poor

Jessie said nothing in rejoinder to this ingenious apology for her cous-in's ilf-natured tattling, and Fanny was obliged to proceed directly to the

"I am sorry if you are leaving thus early on account of anything Hester has said." she continued, genuine concern depicted in her countenance— "sorry, if the slur cast by the idle of a party of thoughtless girls upon the character of your-of your friend, Mr. Wyllys' cousin-has woundfriend, Mr. Wyllys' cousin-has wounded or displeased you. Hester does not mean to exaggerate or misrepresent, but she has a wild, careless fashion of talking sometimes. I am convinced that there is some great mistake in the story we have heard. In details and in general bearing, it is not in keeping with Mr. Fordham's wellestablished character. If you knew him you would agree with rie in dis-crediting it, in toto." 'I do know him, and I quite agree

with you." Jessie was tying on her hat, and the action might have caused the slight quaver and weakness in her voice. was firmer when she spoke again. Fanny, in consternation at the unexpected disclosure, and the manner which said that more was behind the mere statement, could not summon words for reply.

"Mr. Wyllvs' courtq"-with unconsclous emphasis, Fanny imagined, was disdainful—"is not a stranger to me.
I have known him a long time. But say nothing to your friends about the acquaintanceship. They might fear they had offended me by their stric-I will-I may tell you more some other time. You will compre-hend then why certain things which said just now, have excited me more than I care to show. always just and tender-hearted, and I

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thank you for speaking when I could not. Good-bye!"
Her lips were set and hard to

fanny's soft kiss, and her eyes glowed dangerously as the latter attended her to the front door. The peace-maker, noting this, refrained from further endeavors to heal the breach between her relative and her new friend. Hester had been shockingly, shamefully im-prudent, even if what she stated were true. Jessie was hurt and angry, and she had a right to be. Yet she, Fanny, dared not advance another step without a distinct understanding in the case. For the present it was beyond her art. She tried to content herself by a cordial invitation to "run in tomorrow forenoon for a quiet billiard practice—only you and myself—if you cannot think better of your refusal to come tonight," and let her visitor go.

CHAPTER XI.

Greatly perturbed, Fanny returned to the circle of gossips. They had not recommenced their game, but were standing about, and leaning upon the billiard-table, busily rehearing the late scene, accentuating their animated periods by tapping the floor with the cues, and rapping the board with the ivory bails. All except Hester, who sat still upon her lounge, twirled her

rings, and looked sulky.
Selina was foremost and loudest in apologetic exclamations-being candid in regret as she had been in censure.

"Do you know, I never thought of his being a relation of Mr. Wyllys until just as I spoke of it? That is like my blundering tongue! There is no half-way house of meditation between the brain and it. We are ruined! you and I especially, Nettie and Sue is almost as badly off. Jessie will tell Mr. Wyllys, and he will report us all to his cousin, and won't there be a row:

"Why should you care?" said Hester, sharply. "If the man is away off in Germany he can't quarrel with you."
"But he is coming back next fall. I should sink into the earth if he were to ask me any questions about what I have said. He has always been so

gentle and pleasant with me! I felt quite proud of his good opinion."
"You had very little to be proud of, I should say!" retorted Miss Sanford, losing command of her tongue and temper entirely, as the discussion proceeded. "Thank heaven, I am not dependent upon such contemptible trifles for my peace of mind! I wouldn't recognize Roy Fordham in the street, or anywhere else; would cut him dead were he to enter this room at this very minute. As for Miss Kirke, I care less than nothing for her or her opinion. If she chooses to play the spy upon a confidential conversabetween ladies, and carry tales to gentlemen, she may, and welcome. I never could abide her from the first instant I ever saw her. I do hate tattlers and backbiters! But let her do her worst! I flatter myself that I, at least, am above her reach!"

"I should be very uneasy and un-happy, if I believed that the substance of our conversation would ever reach Mr. Fordham's ears," rejoined Fanny, very gravely. "But Mr. Wyllys is no mischief-maker. Nor, for that matter, is Jessie Kirke, My principal regret is that we have wounded her; for I do not think a reputation so nobly earnnot think a reputation so nobly earned as Mr. Fordham's has been, will suffer from our idle chatter. It is founded upon a rock. As to Jessie's playing the spy, Hester, she had no reason to believe the communication

you made was confidential."

"She never opened her lips while I was talking! Just stood off there, pretending to be busy with the billiard balls, and listened," said Hester, hot-ly. "If that wasn't mean and dishon-

orable, I don't know what is."
"I am inclined to think I would have been well had the rest of us done likewise!" smiled Fanny, willing to give a jocose turn to the circumstance. "Since we cannot help our blunder, we will try to forget it." But Hester had a troublesome bee in her bonnet. She looked more and more discomposed. (To be Continued.)

AT THE GRAND

The Biograph Continues to Draw Delighted Audiences.

The Biograph at the Grand Opera House drew large audiences yesterday afternoon and evening. In spite of the oppressive heat outside, the theater is kept comfortably cool by means of electric fans.

The series of scenes presented is certainly a most remarkable collection. During two all too brief hours the spectator finds himself possessed of "Fortunatus" Wishing Cap" by which he may be transported anywhere and anywhen. For him the hand on the dial of time turns back, and for his entertainment the kings, princes and prelates of earth live over again the scenes which made the world stand and gaze. Soldiers fight their battles again, the crack troops of the empire pass by in review, the American fleet, returned from the great victory at Santiago, rides proudly by with victorious banners flying; the Sixty-Ninth Volunteers pass jauntily on their way to the front, and the Seventy-First New York U. S. V., heroes of San Juan Hill, gaunt, worn and haggard, and carrying tattered but victorious banners, come home to a proud and grateful nation; the great Derby of 1897 is run again, and the lancers at Aldershot charge across the field, taking the hurdles as they go; a horse and rider go down, and the rider is crushed; the galloping ranks open out and sweep on; the royal family of England amuses itself at a garden party, quit regardless of the spectotors, and the Prince of Wales, coming quite close to the audience, stoops down to bestow a careless, friendly pat on his dog.

Probably no part of the entertainment affords greater enjoyment than the trip to Conway Castle in an ob-servation car. The realism of it is simple incredible. The film containing this picture is 700 feet long. The camera was placed on the front of an express train, and the landscape on both sides of the railway is perfectly reproduced. The great feature, however, is the pictures of the pope. A year's sojourn in Rome could not give one half so close an acquaintance with

Mr. Owen A. Smiley, the pleasing lecturer, makes a capital quide, and his charming description and entertaining chat greatly enhance the pleasure of the long journeys about the world.

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Londons to Meet the Woodstocks on Monday.

Wheelmen in Active Training for the Tecumseh Park Events of July 7.

BASEBALL. Eastern League Standing. Won. Lost. Per Ct | Springfield | 19 |
Hartford	22
Providence	21
Syracuse	12

LONDONS AT HOME. The Londons return to the home grounds on Monday, and play the Woodstocks on Monday and Tuesday. The latter team has been strengthened since their initial appearance here two weeks ago. The Londons remain home now for eight games, and will endeavor to capture the lead before this series has been played out. The following are the teams for Monday:

Pitcher...... Thompson Catcher Norcom
Pickard
First base Busse
Second base Smith
Third base Beiver Lohman McFadden Mohler Third base O'Brien Center field. Blacklock Right field. Dark Howell... Schwartz THE AMATEURS.

A game of baseball was played last vening between the Westminster evening between the Westminster Grays and the London South Maple Leafs, on the former's grounds, resulting in favor of the Grays. Score:
R. H. E. Leafs 4 Batteries-Wilson and Scott; Taff, Umpire, Moore-Wray and Smith.

house. A good game of ball was played on Carling's Heights Thursday evening, between the Imperials and Olives. The Imperials were defeated in a game of four innings by a score of 6 to 4. An interesting game of ball was played on Brock's field Friday, between the Crescents and the Blue Boys.

Blue Boys 2 4 5 Batteries-Reid and Wooley; Nash and Dwyer. The feature of the game was J. Bole's running catch.

FOR THE FANS. Woodstock has released Second Base-

man Saunders.

Can it be possible that the Cockneys have hit the tobog?—Hamilton Herald.

The Hams, under their new captaincy are playing far better ball, and are entitled once more to enjoy the patronage of the public.

Cristall will prove of incalculable worth to the Bains. Manager Davis

is now only in need of a new thirdbaseman, a new second baseman, and an entire new outfield.-Hamilton Her-

Manager Thomas Tennent, of the Reds, has resigned, and Henry Robinson will look after the club's interests until some other management is made,

-Chatham Banner. Those two straights from London must have ben too much for us .-Chatham Planet.

ST. THOMAS TIMES. Well, that's different.

At last, St. Thomas has downed The Cockneys were not in it from the start.

Seiver was the easiest kind of a mark. The bleachers dubbed Lohman Brainless Pete."

wagon-makers and engage some ball players.-St. Thomas Times. Joe Lyndon has been appointed Canadian League umpire in place of St. Thomas has signed Pitcher Wagner, released by Chatham. LACROSSE.

The Bains will have to release the

The C. L. A. match played at Mount Forest on Friday between the Victors of Grand Valley and the Lornes resulted in a victory for the former, 7 to 3.

FISTIC. A TWENTY-ROUND GO. San Francisco, Cal., June 24. - Joe Kennedy, of San Francisco, was given the decision over Gus Ruhlin, of Ohio, at the end of a 20-round fight in Wood ward's pavilion last night, under the auspices of the Excelsior A. C. Ruhlin was the favorite in the betting at odds

BOWLING Following is the score of the lawn

bowling game at St. Thomas played yesterday: St. Thomas. London. W. F. Bullen, J. Saunders, George Powell, Col. Burke. W. A. Wilson, John Pritchard, M. J. Kent, N. W. Moore, skip skip..... Graham, F. S. Lewis, H. Finchamp. Renwick. Blakeney. J. Glen, W. Jackson, skip......34 skip 14

Total...... 36 Majority for London, 17 shots. QUOITING.

A LOCAL CONTEST. A game of quoits was played on the North End Club grounds last evening, between W. Baskerville and T. Corborell. Score: W. Baskerville, 21; T.

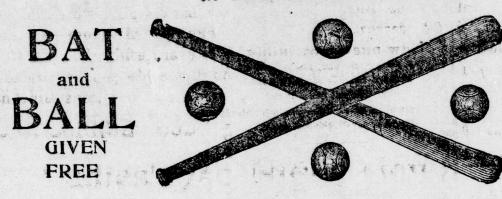
Corborell, 14. WHEEL.

Tecumseh Park has been the scene of some very active training during the past week. The "boys" are getting into splendid condition and develop-ing great speed. The first evening ing great speed. meet will be held Friday, July 7. The Seventh Battalion Band, 40 strong, has been secured to give one of the best band concerts of the season, and, coupled with choice programme races which will be put on, our citiz-ens will have an opportunity of enjoying one of the most pleasant entertainments of the season. Mr. W. J. Reid, the popular proprietor of Tecumseh Park, is doing everything in his power to make the track one of the fastest in the Canadian circuit. Canada's coming champion tandem team, McGuffin and Crouch, are doing splendid work in pacing the riders, and if they keep up their present speed they will make it very interesting for any outside tandem teams who may visit London during the coming season. Some of the men who are in active training, and will take part in the first meet are: Duncan Edwards, Ingram, Manville, Dean, Maher, Lacey, Saunders, McCullough, Keelener, Platt, Bates, Kellam, Millar and Weing. Several out-of-town riders will be here next week including Wilson and Stratton, of Springfield, Higley, of Blen-heim, Learn, of Aylmer, and others, who have completed arrangements to Guelph and London meets. Mr. James —and then our reading will become, as McCormick, who has secured absolute is should be, illuminative and stimulat-

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REGULATIONS FOR RAILWAYS

And for Building Telegraph and Telephone Lines-The Government Will Have Much to Say.

[Special to The Advertiser per C.P.R.] Ottawa, Ont., June 24 .- A bill of considerable importance will be taken up by Mr. Blair at the next meeting of the railway committee. Its provisions will deal with the building of telegraph and telephone lines, public bridges and operations and control of railways. Perhaps the most important is that which refers to the operating rules for railways. It is provided that the railway committee of the privy council may and regulations for all railmake rules ways within the jurisdiction of the Dominion Parliament. These rules will supersede all previous ones. Such rules will be subject to the approval of the governor in council. Another provision in the bill is to give power to the railway committee of the privy council to order railway companies to erect and maintain stations at given points. The bill also provides that anyone destroying the gates, fences or buildings of the company, or entering a train, with the idea of defrauding the company of the fare will be liable to fine and imprison-

ment. Telegraph and telephone companies incorporated by act of parliament are empowered to break up or open any highway, subject to the jurisdiction of the municipal council. Travelers are not to be obstructed, and the company is not to heedlessly destroy shade trees. The surface of a street must be restored

to its former state. In case parliament shall order at any future time wires to be placed underground, the companies now entitled to carry them on their poles will not be able to recover damages. In the case of companies incorporated to construct railway and general traffic bridges, no discrimination for transportation or running privileges can be made against any company, and tolls will be controlled by the governor in council. Two years will be given for commencing such works, and five for the comple-

THE READING HABIT

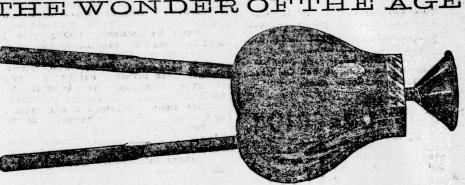
Its Merits and Demerits-Life Is Not in Books Alone.

"Reading maketh a full man," said Lord Bacon. A full man even of literary pabulum, unless the processes of mental digestion are carried forward with a wholesome speed and capacity thoroughly to sift the waste from the nourishment, is in an unhealthy state of plethora. With the ever-increasing output of books and magazines, few of us who try to read at all escape entirely from occasional attacks of intellectual indigestion. Mere bookishness is a complaint that too easily overtakes us, and it is a form of anaesthesia that the victim finds hard to shake off. The worst of it is that there is a sort of tacit consent upon the part of the public at large to look upon the reading man or woman as a kind of superior person, or at least potentially such. Reading is a good habit to acquire, beyond a doubt, and no one will deny its great value as a means of development and knowledge. With the young it can be made the way toward some worthy ambition and a right appreciation of many things the parent or teacher finds it difficult to instil by word of mouth. There is, however, always the danger in indiscriminate reading, or in reading for its own sake, of robbing the mind of its natural individual motive, and of inducing a state of complete mental dependence upon the written thoughts of others.

Life is not to be lived in books alone. Even with one's best applications the printed page lacks a certain convincing reality - that is, a "literary" glamor that casts a haze over the words we read. We are prone to dramatize the book read in more or less abstract

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ing to the further exercise of our own faculties. Few of us are not too well acquainted with certain human phonographs who carry about them an air of being "bookish," and who are ready upon the slightest encouragement to turn their current of words reflecting the very newest things in literary gos-The fact is, we are too easily led by the factitious authority of mere "A book's a book, although type. there's nothing in it," was Byron's cynical way of putting it.

In the world of books, as in life, one must grope his way largely in the dark to find the things that he most needs, but with the difference that certain books have been proved by time and are known, tangible quantities. Read the things you like is a ready prescription, but it is so easy to like the things that are easy and that appeal to our natural mental indolence.

The "solid books" are not half as re pellent as that very material word sounds, and some of the pleasantest surprises that come to readers are in the form of books that they have been taught to fear as being too deep for them. There is a pleasing sense of intellectual pride derived from finding that you can really enjoy the "hard"

What form one's reading should take is not a matter for arbitrary judgment, but good taste is not a gift, but a growth, and a little wise direction is of everlasting value. Read out of yourself or above yourself might be a good way to suggest the sort of reading that is worth while. Comparatively few of us have many opportunities of getting very far away from our customary environment, and the world would be narrow indeed were it not for the means of broadening our outlook by the help of the things others have seen and thought.-James B. Carrington.

MAGNITUDE

One Man in Every Twelve on Earth Is the Ozar's Subject.

Speaking of Russia the other day, Lord Salisbury spoke of it as "the nation that in material respects is the most powerful nation on earth.

"Russia with its enormous forests, its vast steppes and its huge rivers, is almost a world in itself. Extending over 8,644,100 square miles or one seventh of the entire land surface of the globe, it is but 3,000,000 miles less than the whole extent of our scattered possessions, on which we boast the sun never sets.

"Its water surface alone measures 293,018 square miles, or enough to make an immense sea, in which little England could be placed six times over and still have room for more. "To every square mile of territory there are fifteen human beings who owe allegiance to the Czar, or a grand total of nearly 130.

000,000. In fact, one human being in every twelve on earth is ruled by the Czar. Its fighting men number over 11,000,000. It can put a fully equipped army into the field of 1,355,000 combatants and back it up with another almost as well accoutered of 1,100,000 men, a total number of first-class fighting men of over 2,500,000, with 497,415

horses and 1,486 heavy guns.
"Let the whole of this immense body of regular troops be overcome and there will even then be the reserve to reckon with, force estimated at fully 9,000,000.

"The difficulties of mobilization would, no

every year. Russia has now 16,651 miles of railway owned by the state and 8,072 miles worked by private companies, while in course of construction there are nearly 3,000 miles more

"In addition to its forces on land Russia has a navy which, although by no means the firest in the world, will one day have to be reckoned with seriously. It is divided into four fleets and its total consists of twenty-three battleships, fourteen coast defense vessels, sixteen cruisers, twentyeight gunboats and ninety-six torpedo boats, manned by 1,249 officers, 326 engineers and 38,000 seamen.

"Then it has a mercantile marine consisting of 522 steamers and 2,135 sailing vessels, while on its rivers there is a flotilla of over 20,000 vessels of all descriptions, with crews totaling 90,350 men. All these

would be available in case of war. "Moreover Russia is not dependent on outside sources for food. Pasturing on its vast plains are to be found in European Russia alone 24,609,260 head of cattle, 44,-465,450 sheep and 9,243,000 pigs while in crops there are no fewer than 1,098,507,780 acres of arable land. After feeding its vast population it was last year able to export abroad over 300,000,000 quarters of cereal

crops.

A WOMAN'S PLUCK WINS

How a Drunken Husband Was Made a Sober Man by a Determined Wife.

She writes: "I had for a long time been thinking of trying the Samaria Prescription treatment on my husband for his drinking habits, but I was afraid that he would discover that I was giving him medicine, and thought unnerved me. I hesitated for nearly a week, but one day when he came home very much intoxicated, and his week's salary nearly all spent, I threw off all fear and determined to make an effort to save our home from the ruin I saw coming, at all hazards. sent for your Samaria Prescription and put it in his coffee as directed next morning and watched and prayed for the result. At noon I gave him more and also at supper. He never suspected a thing, and I then boldly kept on giving it regularly, as I had discovered something that set every nerve in my body tingling with hope and happiness, and I could see a bright future spread out before me - a peaceful, happy home, a share in the good things of life, an attentive, loving husband comforts, and everything else dear to a woman's heart, for my husband had told me that whisky was vile stuff, and he was taking a dislike to it. It was only too true, for before I had given him the full course he had stopped drinking altogether, but I kept giving the medicine till it was gone, and then sent for another lot to have on hand if he should relapse, as he had done from his promises before. He never has, and I am writing you this letter to tell you how thankful I am. I honestly believe it will cure the worst cases. We will send our pamphlet free, giv-

ing testimonials and full information, with directions how to take or administer Samaria Prescription, Correspondence considered sacredly confidential, Address The Samaria Remedy Company, Jordan street, Toronto, Ont.

EVIDENCE IN HIS FAVOR. 'Yes," she sighed, "my husband prides himself on his horse-sense."
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you believe he really has it?"
"Oh, I guess he has it all right. Anyway, he's nearly always kicking.

EXAMINATIONS.

THE June examination of the Business Educators' Association commences on Monday, the 26th, at the Forest City Business and Shorthand College, London. Young people desiring to hold a certificate that is recognized, should attend a school in affliation with this Associa-

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Owing to the Sisters of St. Joseph having purchased the Hellmuth Ladies' College, they have no use for the property on the corner of Waterloo and Piccadilly streets, and the same is advertised for sale by auction in parcels on the 30th of June, by Mr. J. W. Jones, at his rooms. The property is one of the best available in the city. See posters and for particulars apply to Gibbons & Harper, vendors' solicitors. ** 78u wt

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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, June 23-8 p.m.-The temperature today has been higher than vesterday in all parts of the Dominion, Maritime Provinces, where with southerly winds there will be fog and light local showers. Minimum and maximum and mum temperatures: Victoria, 48-70; Kamloops, 56-62; Calgary, 40-72; Edmonton, 44-80; Winnipeg, 48-70; Port Arthur, 50-60; Toronto, 52-88; Ottawa, 56-86; Montreal, 56-80; Quebec, 48-66;

23, were, Highest, 87°; lowest, 58°.
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-Col. Payne and George Turville left on a trip to British Columbia yesterday. -Special collections will be taken in St. Paul's Cathedral tomorrow in aid of the anniversary fund.

-The Collegiate Institute Cadets were inspected yesterday by an officer from Wolseley Barracks, and were highly complimented.

-The Forest cricket club has made arrangements for a game with London asylum team on the latter club's grounds on Thursday, June 6. -Berlin Telegraph: Mr. R. McFalls, formerly proprietor of the American House, and family, left on Wednesday for London, where they will reside in future.

-The annual meeting of the Princess Rink Company was held last evening. W. J. Reid was elected president and Andrew Durand vice-presi-dent. The board of directors were reelected. A resolution of regret at the death of the late Patrick Mulkern was adopted.

-On Sunday last Knox Church, Woodstock, was again favored with rig again and drove east. the singing of Mrs. Fred Brock, who made such a favorable impression some weeks ago. Mrs. Brock has a full, rich contralto voice, and sings with much expression. Her lower notes are exceptionally fine.

-Circulars containing particulars of the London Old Boys' excursion to this city Aug. 5 may be had on application at this office. The names and addresses of all former Londoners should be sent to the secretary of the Old Boys' Association, Wm. Begg, Bank of Toronto building, Toronto.

-A very enjoyable time is anticipated on Wednesday evening, June 28, at the garden party to be given under the auspices of the Willing Workers' Mission Band of the Hyde Park Presbyterian Church, on the lawn of Mr. Allan Gray, con. 5, London township. The admission fee of 25 cents will include coffee, cake, strawberries, ice cream and a first-class programme.

-The young people of Chalmers Church have arranged their annual lawn social for Monday evening on the church grounds. Besides an interesting musical programme by the choir and orchestra of the church, a feature of the evening's proceedings will be the rendering of several selections on the new and powerful Edison phonograph, which will doubtless prove a source of pleasure to all.

-The Children's Aid Society wish to thank the following for their kind donations towards their shelter: Mrs. Hunt, sen., shoes and clothing; a Minor flannel and hat; Mrs. Monorief, table spoons; Mr. J. W. Jones, cupboard; Elliott & Marr, 20 pounds granulated sugar, 5 pounds [Flour that never fails to please who is the supply them with Hunt's Celebrated Diamond Flour that never fails to please.

rice, 5 pounds sample tea; D. S. Perrin, biscuits; Mrs. Inglis, wardrobe; Mrs. James Turner, vegetables; Mr. Wright, broker, pictures; Mrs. W. J. Reid, linoleum; Mrs. (Dr.) Piper, mattress, pic-tures and household utensils.

CITY HOSPITAL REPORT. The hospital trust met in regular session yesterday afternoon, when it was reported that Miss McCutcheon had been appointed to the nursing staff, and Miss Clara Heake, of Fernhill, added

females, and 22 children under 12 years of age; 33 patients were discharged during the past two weeks.

to the substitute list. Patients now in the hospital number 66—17 males, 27

A BRILLIANT LONDON DOCTOR. Dr. Hadley Williams has returned from Europe, and will resume his practice in this city. Dr. Williams comes back with the degree of F. R. C. S., London, England. Not more than four or five men in Canada possess this distinction, and seldom indeed has the honor been achieved by so young a man. It is the highest medical distinction attainable in the world.

CHARGED WITH ASSAULT. Albert Kersey and Wm. Dale, employes of the Bryanston sawmill, were arrested at that place yesterday by High Constable McLoud and County Constable Corsant. Kersey and Dale are alleged to have been members of a gang who called at the residence of John Corsant, of London township, at especially in Southern Ontario, where an early hour on the morning of April 29 and brutally assaulted Corsant and it has ranged between 85° and 90°. 29 and brutally assaulted Corsant and Showers have occurred in Quebec and his son Henry, after calling them out Manitoba, but in the Dominion generally the weather has been fine. The outlook is favorable for fine, warm weather everywhere except in the officers appeared. Kersey and Dale officers appeared. Kersey and Dale

> MEN'S MEETING AT THE AUDI-TORIUM.

The attendance at the men's meeting held in the Y. M. C. A. parlors last night was not large, owing, no doubt, Local temperatures.—The highest and to the excessive heat. The chair was lowest readings of the thermometer at taken by Rev. J. H. Moorhouse. "Some taken by Rev. J. H. Moorhouse. "Some Features of Today" was the subject of an address by Rev. C. R. Gunne, M.A., of Parkhill. He said that the multi-plicity of societies was tending to break up homes. Good though these societies might be, they had a tendency to evil.

Rev. J. T. Kerrin, of Mitchell, spoke on "The Life That Now Is." The reverend gentleman stated that the great need of mankind was for higher ideals, and that men should strive to become Godlike in their everyday life. Rev. T. G. A. Wright, of Millbank, closed the meeting with prayer.

SUCCESSFUL CANADIAN INVENT ORS.

The following list of patents recently granted to inventors residing in Canada is reported for The London Advertiser by P. J. Edmunds, international patent solicitor, London, Ont.: F. M. Simpson, Montreal, ticket holder; J. W. Bacon, Enderby, B. C., chalk line reel; D. Smith, et al., Kingston, dynamite thawing box; W. W. Conover, Toronto, light shade; Bell Telephone Company of Canada, Montreal, telephone circuits; I. Kenney, Burford, Ont., shoe cleaner; Leitch Bros., Oak Lake, Man., flour (trade mark); T. C. Dean, Drayton, Ont., "Stanwoods" (copyright. United States patents—L. A. Caron, Montreal, nut lock; J. Treleaven, Vancouver, insulator for fastening electric wires; A. W. Waters, Toronto, handle-bar for cycles; A. Taylor, Van-couver, non-refillable bottle.

ARMSTRONG **NOT GUILTY**

Was Charged With Placing an Explosive on the Street Car Track.

Squire Lacey yesterday discharged Winfield Armstrong, who was alleged to have been a party to the placing of an explosive on the street railway tracks just east of the city limits on Dundas street.

Mr. Armstrong was a motorman, but has been working on a farm near the asylum since the strike. Andrew Elliott, motorman on the car which was damaged by the explosion, swore he saw a woman get out of Armstrong's rig and place something on the rails at the point where the explosion occurred. She then got in Armstrong's

For the defense Mrs. Taylor, a very respectable old lady, swore that she was the woman who rode with Armstrong. He had picked her up where the union bus had turned to go back to the city, she desiring to go on to the asylum. She stated that Motorman Elliott's story that she stooped to the track or did anything of the kind, was untrue.

The magistrate held that the evidence was not sufficient to connect Armstrong with the case. Mr. E. T. Essery for defense, and Mr. J. B. Mc-Killop for prosecution.

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Mr. John A. Nelles has been appointed secretary of the Western Fair Board. The appointment was made last evening by the executive committee, who had been empowered to name the successor of retiring secretary Thos. A. Browne. Mr. Nelles was the unanimous choice of the com-mittee. He has been secretary of the Board of Trade and of the London Cheese Board for a number of years, and is well fitted for his new post.

London as a Center

We are pleased to notice the substantial progress made by the Northern Life Assurance Company of Canada. This company has its head office established in this city, with the Hon. David Mills, minister of justice, as its president, supported by a strong board of directors. The company has already written about \$2,000,000 of insurance, and is firmly established in public con-

London has been for many years the second loan company center in Canada, and the substantial progress of The Northern Life, under the energetic management of Mr. John Milne, will do much to make London a center for life insurance as well.

The advantages to be derived from retaining in Canada the moneys paid for life insurance, which are annually increasing, will cause those desiring insurance to prefer Canadian com-

IN LABOR CIRCLES

Building Laborers' and Cigar Makers' Unions Elect Officers.

At the regular quarterly meeting of the Builders' Laborers' Union the following officers were chosen for the next term: President, Jos. Davis; vice-president, Geo. Talbot; recording secretary, W. Burleigh; financial secretary, Geo. Barnett; treasurer, H. Sullivan; sergeant at arms, F. Blackwell; auditors, Messrs. Morris, Beal and Tuke. Although not as large numerically as some of the other local unions, the Builders' Laborers' is one of the most enterprising organizations in the city.

At the last regular meeting of Cigarmakers' Union, No. 278, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: President, James Donnelly, vice-president, Charles Meadem; corresponding and recording secretary, Wm. McGeary; financial secretary, Ed. McVerty; treasurer, Thomas Cahill; sergeant-at-arms, James Maher; trustees, James Brown, Ed. Bonney, Gabe Pocock: finance committee, Arthur Moffatt. George Turtin, Thomas Heir; delegates to Trades and Labor Council, F. McGeary, Thomas O'Dea and Arthur Moffat. The Cigarmakers' Union has made great headway during the past year, and with the energetic officers just elected there is no doubt they will see to it that No. 278 will be kept in the front rank of trade organiza-

DETECTIVE AND MOTORMAN

Charged With Insulting an Hast End Lady-Summoned to Police Court.

W. H. Hall, one of the special detectives in the employ of the Street Railway Company, has been summoned before the police magistrate at the instance of Mrs. George Maker, corner King and Rectory streets. Hall is charged by Mrs. Maker with using

insulting gestures.

John Dare, 509 South street, a non-union street railway motorman, has also been charged with the same offense by Mrs. Maker. The case will be heard on Wednesday. Mrs. Maker says she could no longer put up with the impudence of some of the present street railway employes on the Rectory street line and she proposes to make an example of them, if possible.

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Letters to the Editor.

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London, June 21, 1899.

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