

CONQUEST OF THE AIR

Should be Employed Only In Pursuits of Peace.

"A Letter to the Nations" Being Widely Circulated

Praying That Aerial Vessels Shall Not be Used For War.

A circular praying that aerial vessels shall not be used in or applied to the purposes of war is receiving world-wide circulation. It has already been sent to 67 societies, 94 newspapers and 26 universities in Europe and Asia and to 20 societies, 88 newspapers and 93 universities in the United States and Canada.

A LETTER TO THE NATIONS

To the People of Every Land, From the Foster Home, Where Your Sons and Daughters Rejoice in Their Hopes Fulfillment.

One has said, "The dead bury their dead, follow their own," and this saying, full of sublime philosophy, means for all ages, yesterday belongs to those who have lived, and that to-day is ours.

Therefore, if our fathers, from the age of club and axe, till yesterday, bore with the burden of war, their it remains, and we, making the burdens of to-day, shall we not limit the waters which have grown larger with the pace of human skill, the drain upon industry, the drain upon the race, the waste of virile youth the hope of the future?

It is at this moment that we confront a new menace to world peace and its fulfillment, and one of the greatest human achievements, the "Conquest of the Air," is possible of becoming one of the worst prostitutions of skill that has ever been known.

Men of every nation! accept this challenge, and make a law in every land, "that aerial vessels may not be used for the transportation, demonstration, use or application of munitions of war at any time."

In the development of the social fabric, mankind has eliminated, era after era, practices which were accepted for a time, and which in the light of a greater experience were found to be crude, cruel and savage.

In the light of the twentieth century, what can be thought of the idea of using this, the latest triumph in the ability of man to master his environment, the ship of the air; to turn back the centuries, and to recall the scenes of conflict, not the dignity of the lance and sword, but the firebrand, the torch of the dark ages, or the fire-armed arrow of the savage; are we to go backward, are we, as the race can, retrograde to the brutal past, and will the thirteenth century class us with the ape and the brute?

Knowledge given them, but could not use it aright; shall our ships of the air be used as assassins, to take their place in the history that will be written, with the poisoned arrow and poisoned well?

Surely not, and were we lacking in one day, in a high conception, a high ideal, that we can allow the engineering skill of our great mechanics to be devoted to the base purpose of killing?

If so, can we also overlook the sequence of the use of aerial vessels in warfare? It will always have to be recognized, that explosives set adrift in the air, no matter what mechanism is applied to their guidance, are liable to be carried in any direction, and to be in consequence, a menace to any and every kind of property. Those who are the owners of the vessels are as liable to be the sufferers by them, the homes, the warehouses, the factories with their stores of material, the fields with their crops, the nation's food, and the fields with a word, that carry it; all these, even in the land owning the vessels, will be always in jeopardy. Not alone will this be, but the air ships will be carried to neutral states, there also to imperil the lives and property of those innocent of any participation in the action.

Without stating further what must be apparent to every thinking mind, can we not say that this opportunity is worthy of the action of any and all the great minds who are on life's stage in this our day, and will there not be in every land and people some great hearts who shall be equal to one of the world's emergencies, and who will lead a movement which shall curb within its rightful bounds, this latest great victory of man, the "Ship of the Air"?

JULIUS M. WILLIAMS.

NEW ORGAN.

Wentworth Baptist Church Arranges to Install One.

At a meeting of the members of Wentworth Street Baptist Church last night it was decided to purchase a new pipe organ. For some time past an organ committee have been taking voluntary subscriptions for the purpose and that considerable money has been raised it was deemed advisable that the matter be brought before the members and at last night's meeting they were unanimously in favor of securing one. It will be a great organ, two manual with pneumatic action. The work of installing the organ will be started next week. It will be situated above the baptistry. There has been some talk among the members of making some other alterations to the church, but nothing definite has been decided upon, and a meeting will likely be called to discuss the matter. The work of installing the organ will be completed by about September 1, and will be ready for the anniversary services.

GUILTY OF GRAFTING.

Edward McCann, charged with "grafting" was found guilty by a jury which reported in Judge Barnes' Court to-day.



CAPT. P. DOMVILLE, Whose resignation as Brigade Major is announced to-day.

HOTEL MEN HUSTLE NOW.

Will Give Temperance People a Stiff Fight.

Trustees Want to be Consulted About Annexation.

Much Wire Pulling For That Normal School Yet.

Some of the school trustees think that in view of the fact that the Board of Education will be directly interested in many ways if the annexation deal goes through the city should have the courtesy to confer with the chairman of the Board of Education. The matter will likely be taken up by the Internal Management Committee. The committee at its next meeting will also advise that tenders be called for at once for the ten-room addition to the Victoria avenue school. Complaints continue to pour in as a result of the shifting of pupils, caused by crowding, and the department will be unable to afford any further relief until more accommodation is provided. The top rooms of the Cannon street school were not opened this year, as it would have been necessary to install fire escapes had the classes been continued on the third floor. It will be necessary to keep the old Wellington street school, which has been condemned on sanitary grounds, open until the Barton street addition is opened. Although a large addition was built to the Sophia street school last year, in filling three or four more rooms if they were available.

The hotel men are silently mapping out their programme for the municipal campaign, and the temperance people will unquestionably have a stiff battle to elect a majority to the Board of Control, and council. The sinews of war will not be lacking and it's going to be a fight from the drop of the flag.

"We realize that," said Secretary Bowler, of the Citizens' Campaign Committee, to-day, "and have no fear of the result. The hotel men spent nearly \$50,000 in Toronto last year, and it did them no good. We have had liberal promises of assistance from Hamilton business men."

"A pipe dream," said Mr. Bower, referring to the story that Ald Milne, Lees and Anderson were the men the temperance people had endorsed for controllers. There is little doubt that these men will be endorsed if they run, but nothing official will be done until they are voted on. The most surprising thing about the announcement was that the name of Ald. Peregrine was left off. He is regarded as perhaps the strongest of the temperance candidates, and has declared himself in the field. There

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DEATH TRAIL.

Human Beings, Birds and Beasts Lost Lives.

New Orleans, Sept. 23.—Around North Fordy carcasses of cows, hogs, horses and dogs strewn the prairies for miles, and thousands of dead birds and muskrats are floating on the waters of the bayous.

The bodies of three fishermen were found in the Louisiana marshes several miles southeast of New Orleans, it was reported to-day. Two children, six Bois du Taere, La., were drowned when skiffs in which families were fleeing struck obstructions. Two were killed by the collapse of a house near Clinton, La. No trace of the crew of nine men on the sloop Seven Brothers, wrecked near the Riletoes, twenty miles east of New Orleans, has been discovered.

A relief expedition, equipped by the Louisiana Game Commission, left New Orleans to-day for the Gulf coast, going direct to Lake Catherine. From there it will make its way toward the gulf port, distributing supplies and administering aid to the sufferers.

VICTORIA BAND COMING.

The congregation of Ryerson Methodist Church has arranged to bring the Victoria University Evangelistic Band, of Toronto, here for two weeks, commencing on Sunday, October 3rd. They will bring a full company of singers.

Pickles and Preserves.

We have a handy recipe book for free distribution if you will call and ask for it. There are many first-class recipes between the covers. Bear in mind we sell the best spices that can be had, and our stock is always fresh.—Parke & Parke, druggists.

ISSUED CALL TO DR. MILLS.

James Street Baptists Invite a Strong Man.

A Former Canadian, Now of City of Marietta, Ohio,

And Probability Is That He Will Accept It.

James Street Baptist Church has decided upon a call to a minister, to succeed Rev. J. C. Sycamore, M. A., who goes West in a few weeks.

The man of the congregation's choice—its unanimous choice—is Rev. Dr. Mills, of Marietta, Ohio. Having heard highly favorable reports of Dr. Mills' work, a deputation of church people, Messrs. J. W. Watson and A. Lutes, went to Marietta last Sunday, heard him preach, satisfied themselves about his pastoral and general work, had a personal interview with him, and obtained his consent to submit his name to the congregation.

Last evening, at the regular mid-week service, Messrs. Watson and Lutes reported in detail in the form of a recommendation from the deacons, and both the commissioners who had visited the Ohio city spoke. It was a well-attended and representative meeting. Rev. Mr. Sycamore presided, and harmony prevailed. Of Dr. Mills' ability and suitability there was but one opinion—that he is the man for the church.

Mr. Charles G. Booker criticized the manner in which the proceedings had been gone about. He thought it would have been more in keeping with Baptist precedent if the matter had been first discussed with the church people and their consent obtained, the method pursued being too precipitate, in his opinion.

On the larger question, however, the church was united, and the call was made unanimous, without a sign of dissent.

Dr. Mills is a Canadian, a native of Ontario, who obtained his early education in this Province, and also attended McMaster. He is a graduate from the University of Chicago. He is a man of 43 years, married, and has two children. He is said to be a very strong man in the pulpit; a great worker, especially among the young people, and active in all Christian effort.

The salary offered is \$2,300 a year, and it is believed he will accept, although he receives \$2,500 now. Rev. Mr. Sycamore, the retiring pastor, receives \$2,200.

Dr. Mills will be here next week to discuss the matter with the church people, and an early answer is expected. Marietta is a city of about 15,000, but Dr. Mills' church there is a large and important one.

POWER OFF.

Tied Street Railway Service Up at Bad Time.

Something happened to the Cataract Power Company's plant shortly after 4 o'clock this morning, putting the street railway service out of business and tying the factories up for a few minutes. People who had occasion to use the cars as early as 6.30 to get to work in a hurry had some rather unpleasant experiences. After waiting a long time for the cars to appear they found that when they boarded them it took about an hour to go a mile, the power coming on in little spurts just sufficient to drive the cars a few blocks at a time.

The service all over the city was crippled more or less until 10 o'clock. To make it still more unpleasant a fine, drizzling rain was falling.

The suburban electric lines were also affected, but not to any great extent. The Bradford line was affected more than the others. The factories were unable to start sharp at 7 o'clock, but as the power came on shortly after they were not very seriously inconvenienced.

S. P. C. A. BUSY.

After People Who Are Cruel to Animals.

Inspector Berlinghoff is very active these days in preventing the dumb animals from being subjected to ill treatment. He has applied for a summons against R. Rosehead, James street north, who is alleged to have beaten his horse over the head with a whip last night. He also says a veterinarian has a blind horse which, when taken out, repeatedly falls on its knees, and is in a bad condition. He will have it examined this afternoon by a veterinary surgeon, and if in his estimation the horse should be shot, he will give orders to that effect.

PERSONAL.

Lieut.-Col. Galloway, of Toronto, was in the city for a short time yesterday.

Mrs. Hood, Hamilton, spent part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hudspeth, Caledonia.

Mr. W. H. Brooking, of Hamilton, was the guest of Mr. W. J. Moore, Woodstock, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Myers and Mr. and Mrs. W. Milne, Hamilton, spent Sunday with friends in Caledonia.

Mr. Robert W. B. Robinson, who spent the past year at Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., is visiting his parents, 25 East avenue north, before leaving for Kingston, where he will enter Queen's University.

Miss Maude McFadden will be at home to say good-bye to her friends, on Friday evening, at the home of Mrs. S. A. Siddall, 468 Hughson street north, before leaving for Los Angeles, Cal.

Dr. and Mrs. H. S. Griffin, of this city, were among the guests present yesterday at the wedding celebrated at the residence of Rev. and Mrs. Griffin, Madison avenue, Toronto, yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, when their niece, Miss Clara E. Biggar, was married to Mr. Herbert H. Phillips, son of Mrs. Phillips, Albany avenue.



MRS. MABEL TURNER, Toronto woman suspected of the murder of an adopted infant. The inquest on the child's body was opened last night and adjourned one week.

The Man in Overalls

I suppose Uncle Sam will levy a pole tax to maintain the Pole.

Henson gives a dash of color to Peary's Polar dash.

Seems to me the men appointed to wind up the York County Loan must need winding up.

"Coming to my spread!" asked the counterpart of the Hungarian lace at the South Wentworth Fair.

Now, why cannot the milk men do like the bakers—cut down the size of the measure instead of raising the price?

There's some class about the Y. W. C. A. gym class. Starts Oct. 7.

Rosefeldt! Rosefeldt! Rosefeldt! Where did I hear that name?

Wanted—Boys to fall down the mountain. To qualify for a place on the second junior Drednought football team.

This is the day for the annual game about the fair getting off to a fair start.

So Charles Frohman is sending "The Thief" here next week. A lot of people who have missed articles lately will be looking for him.

The Globe of Death, says Bennett's ad. Why, we are all in a globe of death.

The bankers say greater effort is required on their part to get depositors, and depositors say the same of deposits.

Peary has decided not to accept any public honors until his claim has been established, and perhaps after the public have heard Cook it will decide that Peary will have no public honors.

Peary will do no more exploring. Somebody else may get Cook out of the tight place.

Roosevelt, Cook and Peary are now finding the publishers a good mine.

I wonder if Sam Barker will want to interview any of Peary's Eskimoes?

When I look at some wealthy people I cannot help admiring the man who remarked that it was plain to see how little God valued money by the folk he gave it to.

There's a woman at the bottom of everything, it is said; even the present outbreak of smallpox is laid to her.

When are gone, all these infectious ills. There will come along the doctors' bills for treatment and some various frills. Which to pay will give the city chills.

Our old friend the Sand-sucker, though no infant, is still sucking away.

Some members of the latter Reign Apostolic Church in Rhode Island say a crust of the earth will peel off shortly and swallow the wicked. It will be a case of Good-bye, Toronto, for I can see its finish.

Frank Quinn says he is going to run for Controller and stir up a hornet's nest. Will somebody please explain to Mr. Quinn the meaning of the word "stung"?

There is no truth in the rumor that Billy Maclean is editing the Globe, although one of his "own-shippers" seems to have great latitude in the editorial columns.

Let the sick be properly cared for, even though the officials fight like so many Kilkenny cats.

According to the Duxbury, Mass., society of the latter Reign of the Apostolic Church, the top crust of the earth is to slide off to-morrow at 10 o'clock. Couldn't they have put this off for a day or two? It's a little rough on Cook and Peary.

HIS MOUSTACHE OFF.

After wearing a moustache for over 30 years, Rev. Canon Sutherland has shaved his upper lip. So different does he look, that many of his friends fail to recognize him. It is the first time his wife has seen him without a moustache. Last night he went into the room at St. Mark's Church where the choir were practising, and they thought at first that he was a visitor.

—Mr. J. W. Richardson, the noted breeder of Holstein-Friesian cattle, was a judge at the Ottawa fair.

NAVY MEN FRATERNIZE.

Officers of Different Fleets Exchanging Courtesies

At Hudson-Fulton Celebration at New York.

Great Crowds of Visitors Are Reaching the City.

New York, Sept. 24.—With a column of warships of various nations more than a mile long in the Hudson River and the British and German Squadrons expected to arrive to-day, the streets and buildings blossoming with bunting and thousands of visitors reaching the city, New York was beginning to-day to awake to the fact that the opening of the great Hudson-Fulton celebration was near. The boom of big guns as the warships assembled stirred the enthusiasm of the city for splendid spectacles which are promised on Saturday and during the following week.

The British and German ships were believed to be not far outside Sandy Hook to-day, but the fog which has overhung the coast for more than 24 hours shut off the anticipated first view of the visitors.

Meantime this was a busy day on board the battleships and cruisers ranged in a long column in the Hudson River. Official visits were exchanged between the officers of the fleets and the city officials and officers of the United States army and navy in this city. The great fleet of steam vessels which will participate in the naval parade has already begun to assemble in the harbor and to prepare for their part of the ceremony.

Several prizes in the nature of aviation events which are not on the programme of the Hudson-Fulton celebration are promised by the officials of the celebration.

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MAJOR S. C. MEWBURN, Who resigns as Brigade Major of the Fifteenth Infantry Brigade.

CHANGES IN THE BRIGADE.

Maj. Mewburn and Capt. Domville Resign as Brigade Majors.

Are Succeeded by Majors Ross and Roberts.

Opening of Autumn Training Season Last Night.

With the opening of the autumn training season comes the announcement of a number of important changes to take place in several of the infantry brigades of western Ontario. Those of direct interest to Hamilton include the following:

In the Fifteenth Infantry Brigade, Major S. C. Mewburn, 13th Regiment, resigns as brigade major, and is succeeded by Major F. B. Ross, of the same corps.

Capt. P. Domville, 13th Regiment, resigns his appointment as brigade major in the 15th Brigade, and is succeeded by Major Roberts of the 91st Regiment, Canadian Highlanders.

Major J. E. Orr, 77th Regiment, brigade major of the 4th Brigade, also retires.

A board of officers will assemble on Oct. 7 near on an examination in tactical fitness for command.

Among the officers permitted to present themselves for examination for rank of colonel is Lieut.-Col. W. A. Legie, 15th Infantry Brigade.

The parade of the Highlanders last night marked the arrival of the autumn military season. The "Kilties" turned out 280 strong. This was the first parade held since the discontinuance of the spring drills, and the number of men that turned out certainly reflects great credit on the enthusiasm of the members of the 91st Regiment. Needless to say Lieut.-Col. Bruce was immensely pleased, and in a few well-chosen words expressed his pleasure at the large parade before the men marched out. From now on the parades will be held regularly every Wednesday night until the end of the season.

On Saturday afternoon the Ellis cup will be shot for by the officers and sergeants. In the evening the officers and non-commissioned officers will fraternize at the armory.

The following is last night's parade state: Lieut.-Col. Bruce, Major M. Laven and Roberts, Capt. Bell, adjutant; Capt. Somerville, quartermaster; Capt. Dixon and Lieut. McEdward, surgeons; Capt. Drummond, chaplain; staff sergeants 10, buglers 35, pipers 12, bandmen 35, bearers 13, signallers 7, recruits 25, A. 34, B. 31, C. 38, D. 31, E. 26, F. 34, G. 31, H. 30; total 380.

LADING BILL.

Hamilton Shippers Prepare For New Regulation.

Local shippers are getting ready to adopt the new uniform bill of lading which the Railway Commission has ordered to go into effect all over Canada on Oct. 1, and the general opinion is that the new form will do away with a great deal of inconvenience in every way and be equally fair both to the railroads and shippers.

The new bill of lading which the Commission has ordered, and which goes into effect next week, is absolutely the same for every railroad in Canada, and for the great majority of those in the United States. The railroads are forbidden by law to make any changes in the conditions drawn up on the back, and in cases of any dispute, the matter can be referred to the Commission, and costly legal proceedings avoided. Many local firms are having large supplies of the new bills printed with their firm name on them. Many firms had also on hand large quantities of the old bills, which they had had printed. These will be useless now.

XIII. Regiment, Attention!

Every member of the regiment should have a swagger stick, as the fall parades start. Some nice swagger canes, with the regimental crest, are sold for 25 cents at peace's cigar store, 107 King street east.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES

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

SMELT RAIN IN THE AIR

And Helped Himself to Some One Else's Umbrella.

That Is Why Michael Gallagher Was Arrested Yesterday.

A "Species of Vagrant" From the City of Woodstock.

There is one job that periodically has to be tackled by most people, and when it is, all other business has to be temporarily laid aside. That job is moving, and it was the cause of the absence from the magisterial bench in the police court this morning of Magistrate Jells. The duties of the bench were carried out faithfully and well by Alderman T. H. Crerar. It took him only about twenty minutes to straighten out the crimps the law had sustained by a few offenders. Magistrate Jells is moving his goods and chattels from his summer house at the Beach, to his more commodious winter quarters on Charlton avenue west.







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**WANTED—A GOOD GENERAL**, ALSO housemaid, by Oct. 15th. Mrs. Barker, Arkleidon avenue.

**WANTED—A GOOD GENERAL FOR** family of two. Apply Mrs. Barker, 14 Arkleidon avenue.

**WANTED—A GENERAL SERVANT**, APPLY, Ausmeis, 14 James street.

**EXPERIENCED WAITRESS WANTED**, Apply at the Commercial Hotel.

**KITCHEN GIRL WANTED**, APPLY AT the Commercial Hotel.

**WANTED—GENERAL OR ASSISTANT**, 42 West avenue south.

**WANTED—TEN GIRLS ACUSTOMED** to ironing, Apply, A. Parker & Sons, 124 King street east.

**WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT**, ALSO housemaid, references required. Apply Mrs. J. G. Allan, 211 Bay street south.

**WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALESWOMAN** for Staple Dept. R. McKay Co.

**WANTED—A GOOD GENERAL SERVANT**, Apply after Sept. 27th, at 209 John street north.

**WANTED—GIRL FOR HOUSEWORK**, 317 King street east.

**WANTED—BRIGHT STENOGRAPHER** and general office assistant. Immediate experience and salary expected. Box 10, Times.

**KITCHEN GIRL WANTED**, APPLY AT the Commercial Hotel.

**WANTED—A COOK**, ALSO A HOUSEMAID; references required. Apply Mrs. Gordon J. Henderson, Idelwild, End of Duke street.

**WANTED—GOOD EXPERIENCED** housemaid; references required; good wages. Apply, 212 Bay south.

### MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

**ANYONE WISHING TO EMPLOY** himself, seeks employment in bakery; previous experience in London, England. White, Copeland street.

**WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN**, BOARD and single room, east of East avenue preferred. State terms. Box 9, Times Office.

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The standard prices at 8 a. m. were:

### Dairy Produce.

Dairy butter ..... 23 to 25  
Cooking butter ..... 15 to 20  
Cheese, new, lb. .... 17 to 18  
Creamery butter ..... 25 to 27  
Eggs, doz. .... 22 to 24  
Duck eggs ..... 25 to 35

### Poultry.

Chickens, pair ..... 0.75 to 1.25  
Turkeys, pair ..... 1.25 to 2.00  
Ducks, pair ..... 1.25 to 2.00

### Fruits.

Plums, basket ..... 0.15 to 0.25  
Peaches, basket, small ..... 0.20 to 0.35  
Peaches, basket, large ..... 0.20 to 0.30  
Peaches, Crawford, basket ..... 0.75 to 1.00  
Grapes, basket ..... 0.15 to 0.20  
Currants, basket ..... 0.15 to 0.20  
Raspberries, basket ..... 0.15 to 0.20  
Strawberries, basket ..... 0.15 to 0.20  
Nutmeg melons, basket ..... 0.20 to 0.15  
Watermelons, each ..... 0.05 to 0.15

### Vegetables, Etc.

Celery, doz. .... 0.40 to 0.60  
Cucumbers, each ..... 0.05 to 0.10  
Lettuce, per bunch ..... 0.10 to 0.15  
Parsley, doz. .... 0.40 to 0.50  
Potatoes, basket ..... 0.25 to 0.30  
Potatoes, bushel ..... 0.60 to 0.80  
Radish, bunch ..... 0.02 to 0.02  
Rhubarb, 2 for ..... 0.05 to 0.10  
Watercress, 2 for ..... 0.05 to 0.10  
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Alsike, No. 1 bush.....	5 00	6 00
Red clover, bush.....	6 75	7 25
Timothy, bush.....	1 40	1 60
Hay and straw.....	—	—
Hay, No. 1 timothy.....	\$20 00	\$ 20 00
Hay, new.....	15 00	20 00
Straw, loose, ton.....	9 00	—
Straw, bundled, ton.....	15 00	—
Fruits and vegetables—	—	—
Onions, per sack.....	\$ 3 75	\$ —
Potatoes, new, bag.....	0 65	0 70
Evaporated apples, lb.....	0 07	—
Poultry—	—	—
Turkeys, dressed, lb.....	\$ 0 18	\$ 0 25
Geese, per lb.....	0 11	0 12
Spring ducks.....	0 14	0 16
Spring chickens.....	0 15	0 16
Fowl, per lb.....	0 11	0 12
Dairy produce—	—	—
Butter, farmers' dairy.....	\$ 0 24	\$ 0 28
Eggs, strictly new laid, per dozen.....	0 27	0 32
Fresh meats—	—	—
Beef, forequarters, cwt.....	\$ 4 00	\$ 6 00
Beef, hindquarters, cwt.....	9 00	10 50
Beef, choice sides, cwt.....	7 50	8 50
Beef, medium, cwt.....	6 50	7 50
Beef, common, cwt.....	5 50	6 50
Spring lambs, per lb.....	0 10	0 12
Mutton, light, cwt.....	6 00	9 00
Veals, common, cwt.....	6 00	7 00
Veals, prime, cwt.....	9 00	10 00
Dressed hogs, cwt.....	11 50	12 00

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	High.	Low.	Open.	Close.
Achison.....	119	119.5	118.5	118.5
Amal. Copper.....	83	83.7	82.5	82.5
Am. Car. Ply.....	68.4	68.7	67.4	67.4
Am. Loco.....	37.4	37.6	37.2	37.2
Smelters.....	90.7	100.4	95.3	95.3
Brooklyn.....	79.3	80.6	79.2	79.2
Great Nor. pref.....	117.4	118.5	118.6	118.6
Balt. & Ohio.....	117.4	117.6	117.2	117.2
Can. Pacific.....	182	182.4	181.6	181.6
Col. Fuel.....	45.2	45.7	45	45
Ches. & Ohio.....	83.2	83.4	82.5	82.5
Distillers.....	37.4	37.6	37.2	37.2
Er. Firsts.....	32	32	31.4	31.4
Ill. Cent.....	151.4	152.2	151.4	151.4
M. K. & T.....	41	41.2	41	41
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THE HAMILTON TIMES

THURSDAY, SEPT. 23, 1909.

SCHOOL BOOK BUNGLING.

We do not know what particular right this or any other bookseller has to any consideration from the Education Department in the way of special notice as to changes in the text books authorized for use in the schools.—Spectator.

This is the pitiful show made of itself by the senior local Tory organ in attempting an excuse for the outrage perpetrated by the Whitney Government on the booksellers and parents of the pupils of the Province in the matter of sudden changes of school books without proper notice. One can hardly have more respect for the maker's notions of morality than for his estimate of the intelligence of the public to which it is addressed. The organ that declares that the public is not concerned about what loss the Government may thus inflict upon the dealers, necessarily holds that it is equally careless as to the fraud committed on the parents, and surely underestimates the Ontario people's regard for right. Moreover, while denying that the Government was "under any obligation" to regard justice to book-dealers and the pupils in the matter by giving proper notice of the intended changes, so as to protect them from loss, the organ puts forward the plea that notices were sent to school boards (only in July!) that they might, by passing before September a resolution to do so, use the old books another year. This is a giving away of the entire case. And while the organ says "it is informed" that the Hamilton Board got that notice "in plenty of time" (!) Mr. Edgar, of Owen Sound, makes it clear that in many cities and towns no notice was ever received.

The gross injustice thus done was one easily to be avoided. The Department has three heads and hosts of well-paid officials; and it was an easy matter to announce months, or a year, ahead that at a certain time the new books would take the place of the old ones. That this was not done was due to incompetence and a callous disregard of the public interest. The Spectator's course in comparing the case of dealers in authorized school books with that of the dealers in dry goods and millinery, and declaring that they "must take their chances" of having their stocks rendered useless by a Minister's whim, without notice, is not creditable to its discretion in choosing illustrations. More than that, it entirely excludes the effect of these sudden and arbitrary changes on the pupils.

The organ's article is a failure, whether regarded as defence or excuse. It is little less than a plea of "guilty as charged," with the addition of the insolent intimation that the Government is not "under any obligation" to give the trade and the public proper notice to enable them to save themselves loss in the many changes of school text books. "What is the use," it says, in speaking of the complaint of a wronged dealer, "worrying because this man and some few others in his line of business are complaining?" The cause of their complaint is purely selfish. Of course it is selfish. Every dealer and every pupil or parent who loses money by the Education Department's bungling and complaints about it doubtless merits the organ's fine brand of contempt. Out upon the selfishness that would not suffer inconvenience and loss rather than complain against Whitney Government bungling!

CANADA DOESN'T CRINGE.

Uncle Sam's new tariff has not been long in bringing him trouble. It was conceived in a bullying spirit and already France and Germany have plainly indicated that they do not intend to be bullied, and considerable anxiety is felt in the United States official circles as to the outcome. The United States West and Middle West people are far from being satisfied with the bill produced. As the tariff affects Canada, it is, as it was planned to be, distinctly hostile. Its provisions as to Canadian paper and pulp have not helped to a Canadian feeling for better trade relations. The proclamation issued under it imposing a tonnage tax on Canadian shipping calling at United States ports will not tend to dispose our people kindly toward trade with the United States; and the further operation of the measure gives promise of increasing the growth of a feeling in favor of retaliation among our people, who have not reached that sublime condition in which a kiss is returned for a blow. In some quarters it is believed that United States politicians acting in the interests of the trusts and combines will endeavor to claim, under the recent tariff, the same rates which we give to British imports under the preference, and that being refused, will invoke the maximum imposts—an increase of 25 per cent. upon Canadian goods. To attempt to prevent the British people from dealing with each other as they see fit is a meddling in family affairs which is not to be endured. Germany attempted it; and Germany has lived to regret it. The United States will not have a different experience if it follows in Germany's path.

The New York Journal of Commerce, one of the sanest and soundest of United States commercial journals, deprecates the folly of these tariff struggles. It points out that trade is done because people find it to be mutually beneficial; and that both the Canadian and United States people profit by the international exchange carried on, and that tariff interference therewith can only be to the disadvantage of both. The fatuous course of United States exclusiveness in attempting to dictate to Canada by the United States tariff will, it thinks,

strengthen the hands of those Canadian interests which seek to exclude United States goods and divert the trade of the Dominion more and more to Great Britain. It concludes that any attempt to apply the maximum clauses of the United States tariff to Canada must prove more injurious to the United States than to the Dominion. "The capacity of Canada," it says, "to inflict injury on our trade is, on the whole, greater than our capacity to inflict injury in return. With the exception of coal and cotton, there is no important commodity which Canada buys here that she cannot secure elsewhere. On the other hand, the market which she provides for the wholly or partially manufactured products of the United States would be very hard to duplicate." Our contemporary writes in a reasonable and neighborly spirit. It is to be regretted that there are not more of its kind in the United States. But whatever the outcome, there will be no yielding on Canada's part of any of its rights or advantages; and any changes made in Canada's laws regulating our trade relations will be made solely with the view to benefit the Canadian people. We shall not imitate United States impudence in attempting to legislate for our neighbors.

MORE MARKET ROOM.

The City Council has a duty which comes nearer home than the providing of parks on Burlington Beach. It cannot be blind to the fact that many farmers find it necessary to drive long distances and take up their positions the night before market day in order to secure space on the Central Market. This is not a condition of affairs conducive to the convenience of farmers who patronize our market, nor to the good of the city. Hamilton needs more market accommodation. That fact is abundantly evident. The problem of how to furnish it is a large one, but that is no reason why it should be evaded. Why should not some of the energy and wisdom being wasted on questions of no immediate moment to the public be expended upon dealing with this important and pressing matter?

THE OWNERSHIP CRAZE.

The Canadian Courier is evidently not a victim of the delusion that public ownership is the panacea for all the ills which mar the perfection of our public utility services. It has been exercising its powers of observation, and the conclusion to which it has arrived is set forth in a comment upon the new management of the Intercolonial Railway. The maintenance of this national white elephant, which, for over a generation has been steadily "eating its head off," has not tended to make converts for the socialistic cause. Under good governments the net results have been bad; under indifferent governments, worse; but always a hole in the people's pocket. The new commission is expected to effect some betterment. The Courier hopes for it. It thinks that Hon. Mr. Graham means well; that the commission means well; but it thinks its task is an impossible one. It says: "Better indeed, would be the leasing of the road to some one of the three private railway corporations for a term of years, with a certain control of rates and a certain rate of return on the present investment. A private company would soon turn the politically-appointed employees out and give those who have been appointed on their merits a chance to show themselves equal to the officials of competing railways. One has but to walk into the stations at St. John to see how different is the attitude of Intercolonial and Canadian Pacific Railway officials. Government ownership is excellent in principle, but, in Canada at least, unfortunate in practice."

And there our contemporary puts its finger on the difficulty. Public ownership and operation is, like socialism, very pretty as a theory, but equally impracticable. It assumes in the human machinery of operation conditions which have not been attained, and which we are not likely to attain until we are much nearer the millennial era than we are to-day. As Lowell put it: "But there is jes like a t'gin on the rail." That, weather or no, puts her through without fail. While Fac's, the old stage that gets sloughed in the ruts. An' hez to allow fer your darned its an' but's."

PLAY THE GAME, PRINCE.

There are few people who take an interest in healthy outdoor sports who are not familiar with the name of the great Indian cricketer Prince Ranji. He was one of the most famous living batsmen, and was regarded as a jolly good fellow wherever he went. He was considered a lion in England until he dropped out of notice and the cricket field, a few years ago, when he became Rajah Jam Nawangar, taking up his residence in India, where he lived in great splendor. Now he is in the limelight in England again. It is said that on his last visit to England Jam Nawangar ran up innumerable bills and then returned home without paying any of them. The affair created a scandal at the time, and Johnson Hicks, a member of parliament, asked the India office whether the government was aware that Jam Nawangar had left England owing

a great amount of money. Much of his indebtedness is said to be owing to shopkeepers in Sussex. Has Ranji forgotten his sporting training? "Play the game, man, play the game!"

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Thus far Cook's story of the discovery of the Pole reads very much like a school girl's essay on Esquimaux home life.

The other day hogs sold at 9c. a lb. live weight, off the cars at Winnipeg. There is danger of the Canadian hog becoming a bloated aristocrat.

It is announced that Dr. Cook will sell autograph photographs at \$10 each. Here's your opportunity to secure happiness for the remainder of your life.

Another "successful" French aviator crashed to death under his aeroplane. The science of air navigation is not yet mastered.

The new British torpedo boat destroyer Swift, tested the other day, made 36 knots an hour. That is about 4 1/4 miles an hour. A pretty speedy vessel, and worthy of her name.

Some of the aldermen are shying at the Smoke By-law when it comes to putting it into force. Perhaps they have qualms of conscience. It is a very good by-law to go slow with, if it is not to be itself made a nuisance.

Mr. James White, the Dominion geographer, is one of those who entertains grave doubts as to the validity of Dr. Cook's claim to the discovery of the pole. A study of Cook's narrative but increases his doubts, and leads him to say "the day of miracles is past."

We have great pleasure in welcoming the Herald's declaration for the good principle in water rates "that the water-user should pay in proportion to what he uses." The adoption of that rule would secure justice and avoid much difficulty. It would also be a recognition that the act obtained enabling to charge one citizen more for the same service than is charged to another was a wrong act.

At the coming Monetary convention, to be held in Holland, the establishment of an international coinage will be considered. The idea is to provide coins that will pass at a definite value in all the conferring countries. Some of the European nations already have unions in which certain coins pass at fixed values. Thus, in France, Italy, and Spain the franc, lira and peseta pass freely as of equal value. Something definite and beneficial may be the outcome of the approaching congress.

Discussing Sir Charles Rivers Wilson's comments on alleged delay in the construction of the Lake Superior section of the National Transcontinental Railway, Mr. J. D. McArthur, the contractor, says that the rate of progress made has never been equalled on any similar work, notwithstanding unforeseen labor and other difficulties. Excellent as the Grand Trunk Pacific record has been, it has been exceeded on the Lake Superior section. The track laying of the whole 245 miles will be completed this week.

Speaking on the subject of the scarcity of labor for the building of the G. T. P., and the plea for the admission of Orientals, the Winnipeg Free Press plainly indicates its faith in the course of the Dominion Government, saying:

The country has a definite policy on this matter, dictated, largely, it is true, out of deference to the wishes of British Columbia, and it is not likely to consent to any modification of it. Over 1,200 miles of the new Transcontinental road running west from Fort William have been built, with a reasonable degree of speed, by white labor; yet we are told that for the remaining 300 miles white labor is unobtainable, making necessary the employment of Orientals if the completion of the line is not to be delayed indefinitely.

That sounds like a story to be told to the marines rather than to the Prime Minister and members of the Dominion Government. The Dreadnoughts will displace and render useless a lot of ships of war of the old style. The Dreadnoughts, put in place, will be called upon to pay for the building of aeroplanes.

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FRUIT JARS ALL SIZES Crown Pint Jars, per dozen 75c; Crown 1/2 gallons, per dozen, \$1.00; Schram quart jars, easy to seal, easy to open, and the most perfect sealer made, per dozen 85c; also expect a shipment of Crown quarts before Friday, noon, best white jar rubbers, per dozen, 8c; best gray jar rubbers, per dozen 5c. Sugars All Sugars are good but some of them are better than others. The kind you get at our stores is absolutely the best, 100 lb. bags \$4.95; 20 lb. bags, \$1.05; 19 lbs. for \$1.00; 9 1/2 lbs. for 50c; 20 lbs. Bright Yellow Sugar, \$1.00; 10 lbs. for 50c; 5 lbs. for 25c; 3 1/2 lbs. Cut Loaf or Iceing Sugar, for 25c. Oranges One Cent Each 25 boxes of them, they are sound and sweet and overflowing with juice, good value in the regular way at 30c per dozen, and they go while they last at 12c per dozen; fine fresh Lemons, per dozen 20c. Dairy Butter Per Pound 22c Just 200 lbs. second quality Dairy Butter, going while it lasts at 22c per lb. 800 lbs. choicest Fresh Dairy Butter at 26c per lb. Choicest Fresh Creamery Butter, per lb. 28c. Fresh Gathered Eggs, per dozen, 28c. Prime Cheese, per lb. 15c. Best Pure Lard, per lb. 17c. Peanut Butter, per lb. 20c. New Raisins New Select Valencia Raisins, arrived Saturday last, and they are simply fine. 9c per lb., 3 lbs. for 25c. Seedling Raisins, pound packages, 3 for 25c. Cleaned Currants, 3 lbs. for 25c. New Peels, Lemon and Orange, 13c lb. 2 lbs. for 25c. Citron, per lb. 20c. Shelled Walnuts, quality strictly good, per lb. 35c. Best Rangoon Rice, 6 lbs. . . . . 25c Sunlight Soap, 4 for . . . . . 25c Best Japan Rice, 4 lbs. . . . . 25c Surprise Soap, 6 for . . . . . 25c Best Pearl Tapioca, 4 lbs. . . . . 25c Comfort Soap, 6 for . . . . . 25c Best White Sago, 4 lbs. . . . . 25c Naphtho Soap, 6 for . . . . . 25c Alliance Corn Starch, 2 packages 15c Lifebuoy Soap, 6 for . . . . . 25c Feather Strip Coconut, per lb. 20c Victor Soap, 6 packages . . . . . 25c Unsweetened Chocolate Cake . . . . . 10c Alliance Soap, 8 packages . . . . . 25c McLaren's Icings, 3 packages . . . . . 25c Challenge Soap, large bar, 3 for . . . . . 25c Alliance Jelly Powder, 5 packages 25c Soap Chips, 6 packages . . . . . 25c Alliance Baking Powder, lb. tin . . . . . 10c Pearlina, 6 packages . . . . . 25c Pure Clover Honey, 1-lb. jar . . . . . 17c Babbitt's 1776 Powder, per package 4c Lemonade Powder, special, 2 tins 15c Aspto Powder, per package . . . . . 5c Peppermint Evaporated Cream, tin . . . . . 10c Snowflake Ammonia, per package 3c Challenge Milk, tin . . . . . 10c Red Ribbon Ammonia, 4 packages 25c Eagle Milk, tin . . . . . 15c Harvey's Ammonia, 3 packages . . . . . 25c Cowan's Cocoa, 1/2 lb. tin . . . . . 25c Powdered Borax, 3 packages . . . . . 25c Baker's Cocoa, 1/2 lb. tin . . . . . 25c Fairy Soap, 6 cakes . . . . . 25c Lowmey's Cocoa, 1/2 lb. tin . . . . . 25c Brooms, each . . . . . 30, 35 and 40c Bousdorp's Cocoa, 1/2 lb. tin . . . . . 25c Scrub Brushes, each . . . . . 10, 15 and 20c Flour Lily White, per bag, \$2.80, half bag \$1.40, quarter bag 70c. Gold Medal, per bag \$3.00, half bag \$1.50, quarter bag 75c. Royal Household or Five Roses, per bag \$3.25, half bag \$1.65, quarter bag 85c. Rolled Oats, Etc. Fresh from the mill every week; they have a crisp tastiness that is lacking in old goods. Fresh Rolled Oats, 7 pounds 25c. Ripped Wheat, 7 pounds 25c. Germ Meal or Wheatlets, made from Manitoba hard wheat, 7 pounds 25c. Graham Flour, 7 pounds 25c. Cornmeal, 8 pounds 25c. Split Peas, 3 pounds 10c. Pot Barley, 3 pounds 10c. Vinegars and Spices A good story may be oft told, and the story of our Spices and Vinegars is a story of purity, flavor, fragrance, strength and absolute reliability. XXX White Wine or Cider Vinegar, per gallon 30c. English Malt Vinegar, gallon 60c. Cloves, Cinnamon, Allspice, White Pepper, Cayenne Pepper, Curry Powder, Turmeric, Celery Seed, Caraway Seed, Mustard Seed, 2 ounces 5c. Black Pepper, pound 25c. Ground Catsup Spice, pound 25c. English Mustard, pound 25c. Superior Pickling Spice, whole mixed, pound 5c. Apples Per Basket 20c Just 50 baskets Green Apples, good cookers, going per basket 20c. Sweet Potatoes, 7 pounds 25c. Spanish Onions, 7 pounds 25c. Yellow Danver Onions, per basket 45c. Good Potatoes, per peck 25c, basket 30c.

CARROLL'S Five Stores (115 John Street South. Cor. Emerald and Wilson. Cor. James and Macaulay. Cor. Queen and Hunter. Cor. York and Caroline.)

Exclusive Millinery All previous records for selling of Millinery have been broken so far. People seemed to have realized as never before the priceless advantage our Hats have in style, exclusiveness and quality over all others. These are days of planning for the Fall Hat and your order should be left before the season's rush. Ostrich Plumes We purchased a small lot of these Ostrich Plumes at a reduction. They are in white or black in 18-inch length, glossy silk finish and nicely curled. \$2.95, regular value \$5.00 \$3.95, regular value \$6.00 Interesting Staple Prices For Friday we have added a good list of buying opportunities in household needs, just a representative of value which always awaits you. Besides the arrival of new Flannellets will interest you at 6 1/2c, 8 1/2c, 10c to 25c. Bleached Irish Hemstitched Damask Tray Cloths, satin finish, in shamrock pattern, size 18x27 inches, regular 75c, Thursday . . . . . 50c Linen Crash Laundry Bags, lettered in blue, white, red or green, large size, regular 50c, Thursday . . . . . 30c Pure Linen hemstitched and drawn Doylies in size, 15 inches square, regular 30c, Thursday . . . . . 15c One piece only Bleached Linen Table Damask, 72 inches wide, floral pattern, regular \$1.00, Thursday . . . . . 69c English Bleached Hemmed Sheets, in plain or twill, soft heavy make, size 24x25, regular \$1.35 each, Thursday . . . . . 98c English Bleached Hemmed Pillow Cases, 40 inch size, made from a strong cotton, 30c each, Thursday . . . . . 19c Sudden Stimulus. The villager rushed into the volunteer fire-house. "Come on, boys!" he shouted, excitedly. "Lem Wheatley's barn is burning down." "Oh, shucks!" yawned the captain, lazily. "We'll have to look up our red shirts and fire hats. Tell Lem we'll be there in an hour or so." "But Lem's barn is burning, and there too. Post. "What's that? Five barrels of hard cider! Come on, boys! Every man to his post! We'll have that barn saved inside of twenty minutes!"—Chicago News. "A Kansas man has offered \$35 for the return of his wife who had eloped." "Perhaps she was a good cook."—Hous-

New Blankets Finch Bros. New Gloves



WILSON ASKS QUESTIONS

Regarding Light and Power In Town of Dundas.

Fair Association Asks For a Grant and Use of Park.

Two Marriages Held In the Valley City Yesterday.

Dundas, Sept. 23.—At a special meeting of the Town Council last evening, N. H. Boden, of the Dundas Fair, asked for the use of the park for holding the event, also for a grant for the same.

The matter of renewing the franchise of the Bell Telephone Company, which has expired, was not discussed. In this connection a letter was read from the Canadian Machine Telephone Co., which led the Council to defer consideration of the matter until further information from this company was obtained.

J. W. Dickson wrote the Council regarding protection of the town's legal liabilities for injuries of any of its employees. Referred to Finance Committee.

Requests for town water services were received from Fred Barrett (two), W. Cooper (two), Robert Hay and W. F. Church, and were referred to the Fire and Water Committee.

Robert Wright, tenant of the town park residence, asked to have some trees in front of the house trimmed, and the Board of Works was instructed to attend to the matter.

A communication from the Bell Telephone Company demurred to some concessions asked by the Council. The matter was left in abeyance, until next month's meeting of the Council.

John F. Armour wrote that the gravel being used by the H. & D. Railway on Main street was not satisfactory, but is probably the best obtainable from local pits. A brick crossing should be laid on the Main street crossing to supersede the flagged crossing. The matter was referred to the Board of Works.

J. H. Bowman wrote that the strip of land on the east side of the Bowman & Gray lumber yard, proposed to be used as a street, could be had for \$500, the town to build the dividing fence, or for \$600, the sellers to build the fence. Referred to Board of Works.

W. Cooper & Co. wrote that they wanted \$1,300 for a strip of land on their property, necessary for the above mentioned street. Should the Council agree to remove the buildings and give them the accommodation they now have, less the cost, the price would be \$400.

The Board of Works recommended that concrete culverts be built at Cross and Park streets and at the corner of King and Ogden streets, and that a concrete deck be built on the bridge on Sydenham street. The report was adopted.

The Fire and Water Committee recommended some main extensions and repairs, but the matter was held over for future consideration.

John F. Armour submitted a report of the estimated cost of grading and other work on Main street, at the crossing of C. H. & D. Railway track, amounting to \$397.60. The report was referred to the Board of Works.

Wm. Lawson reported that the proposed work on the Esplanade would cost \$150. Suggestions of required repairs were submitted. Received, and the Board of Works directed to go on with the work at once.

John F. Armour submitted a report showing the estimated cost of repairing bridges in the town to be, after allowing for use of old material, \$350. The Board of Works was instructed to report on the matter.

The annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held yesterday. The past year has been a very successful one financially, and otherwise, there being a surplus over from the soldiers' work, and the union has sent \$20 to the lumbermen's missions. The officers elected were:

Mrs. W. J. Henry, President. Mrs. W. F. Moore, First Vice-President. Miss Bowman, Second Vice-President. Mrs. W. J. Kerr, Third Vice-President. Mrs. (Dr.) Smith, Recording Secretary.

Mrs. J. H. Bowman, Corresponding Secretary. Mrs. Quackenbush, Treasurer. The delegate to the county convention at Oakville, Oct. 7 and 8, is Mrs. John Douglas.

ST. CATHARINES WEDDING. St. Catharines, Sept. 22.—(Special).—The nuptials of Miss Irene Kalls, daughter of Thomas Kalls, Wall street, and William Johnson, of Niagara Falls, Ont., were celebrated this afternoon at the home of the bride's parents by Rev. R. Ker, rector of St. George's Church. Both bride and groom were unattended. They will reside at Niagara Falls.

One of Merritt's most popular young ladies, May Edna, third daughter of High Constable R. E. Boyle, was led to the altar this afternoon by Chas. Raymond Darby, of Toronto. The marriage took place at the home of the bride's parents, and was attended by a large number of invited guests. Rev. N. I. Perry, M. A., of St. Thomas' Church, this city, conducted the ceremony. The bride was attended by her sister, Nettie, and Fred Carter acted as best man. They will reside in Toronto.

GYMNASIUM CLASSES. The Y. M. C. A. gymnasium classes will commence Monday, Sept. 27th. The gymnasium has been re-painted, the floor oiled, apparatus repaired, swimming pool painted, lockers cleaned, and everything put in first class condition for a big season's work.

Mr. Barton is busy arranging his class schedule, and trying to get time for the large number of men and boys who are planning to take gymnasium work this coming season. There will be classes for the boy of twelve, for the young man and for the older man, in body building exercises, basket ball, baseball, athletics, will form part of the course. Hours will be set aside when new members will get an opportunity to take part in these various games.

Young men intending to join could do well to get into the classes early, so as to get the benefit of the early instruction. Application blanks can be secured at the Y. M. C. A. office.

Among recent visitors in town were: Mrs. V. A. Hughes, Toronto; Herb Anderson, from Cobalt; Mrs. John Garrock, Corunna; Rymal Smith, Dunnville; Mrs. McChung, Paris; Mrs. Miller, Bay City; Mrs. Belle Caldwell, Toronto; Mrs. Lillian Darcy, New York; Mr. and Mrs. T. Dore, Vancouver; Rev. Roy Eshlin and Mrs. Eshlin, Sioux City, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Lyford Robertson, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. John Sexton,

FALL SKIN DISEASES. An Article for Mothers

When the children "break out" with eruptions and skin diseases, so common in the fall, don't run to useless and nauseating medicines. Zam-Buk is what is needed. It is a skin food as well as a healing balm.

Mrs. Chas. Levere, of Prescott, North Channel, Ont., tells how Zam-Buk cured her baby. She says: "My baby's head and face was one complete mass of sores. The itching and irritation were fearful, and the little one's plight was so fearful that at one time we feared her ears would be eaten off."

"We had to keep her hands tied for days to prevent her rubbing and scratching the sores. Doctor after doctor treated her in vain, until we had five doctors. They all agreed it was a frightful case of eczema, but none of them did any permanent good."

"As a last resource we were advised to try Zam-Buk. The first box did so much good that we felt sure we were at last working in the right direction. We persevered with the treatment until we had used thirteen boxes, and at the end of that time I am glad to say Zam-Buk effected a cure."

Mrs. Holmes, of 30 Guise street, Hamilton, is quite an eloquent in her praise. She says: "Zam-Buk cured my boy of boils and eruptions which he had so bad that he had been unable to mix with other children. Prior to the boils breaking out he had had a bad eruption, but Zam-Buk cleared this away too, and made his skin clear and smooth. It is a wonderful preparation, and mothers throughout the land should always keep it handy."

For eczema, eruptions, rashes, tetter, itch, ringworm, and similar skin diseases, Zam-Buk is without equal. It also cures cuts, burns, scalds, piles, abscesses, chronic sores, blood-poisoning, etc. All druggists and stores at 50 cents a box, or post free for price from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto.

AMUSEMENTS

Julian Edwards' best comic opera, "The Gay Musician," which last season proved to be one of the most enjoyable attractions of the many seen, is once more a feature of the present theatrical season. Manager Slocum has engaged a prominent cast of singers as his principals. He secured the best looking girls in New York and the most skillful dancers for the ballet, as well as gathering a chorus that can really sing.

With a new scenic production and a wealth of imported French gowns, "The Gay Musician" will be presented again in this city at the Grand to-morrow and Saturday, seats for which are now on sale.

"THE THIEF." The famous Bernstein play "The Thief," which Charles Frohman is to present at the Grand next Monday is destined to stimulate public attention.

The story deals with a young society woman who is suddenly and deeply in love with her husband, so passionately in love with him that she dares a great deal to obtain the rich adornments of dress with which to delight his eye for beauty.

But touching this deep love at a single stroke is the budding passion of a youthful acquaintance who mistakes for the play as the woman's action and accepts the same as tacit encouragement on her part, whereas she has been merely using him as a means of altogether another end of her own.

The entanglement that ensues gradually and happily untangles with a suspense that is described as intense throughout. Seats will be on sale to-morrow morning.

HOPPER IN "A MATINEE IDOL." De Wolf Hopper has given up playing comic opera kings, princes and the other fantastic creatures who populate comic operadom. He is appearing this year as a human being, or rather as an honest-bun man, a broken-down tragedian, who is a long run of hard luck, gets out of a series of dilemmas by pretending to be a physician and a hypnotist. It will be more or less of a great change for the distinguished comedian, but inasmuch as there are a number of catchy songs in the new play, he will still, to a certain extent, be in touch with his old time self.

"A Matinee Idol" which is the name of the new song comedy in which he will appear, will come to the Grand next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, and in view of the fact that it is said to be one of the most amusing and interesting parts that Hopper has ever played it will undoubtedly be more or less a dramatic event. He will be supported by an excellent company, including Miss Herbert Burt, Miss Ethel Dovey and George Backus, who will have a large chorus of pretty dancers and singers. The production is said to be exceptionally handsome and very accurate in its pictures of the Norman coast of France where the scenes of the play are laid. Seats go on sale Saturday.

TYPENRITERS NEXT WEEK. Vaudeville's most popular girl act is the billing of "The Typewriters," who will be seen next week as the chief attraction on the Bennett bill. The six pretty blondes, who with Percy Chapman, a well-known Broadway comedian, compose the company, are appearing in a new act, a charming little operetta entitled "A Picnic for One." The girls not only present a very attractive stage appearance, but know how to sing. They will introduce many of Gus Edwards' latest song hits. The act is clever and well dressed.

The balance of the bill will be made up of such good attractions as Gus Williams, "The German Senator," a clever monologue artist and trick pianist; the Fitzgibbon-McCoy Trio, in their rollicking comedy skit; Maresse, Natter and Marene, comedy equilibristes, who have just returned from a tour of Europe; Mme. Emerie and company in a novel comedy skit; Hearne and Ruter in an artistic dancing offering and some excellent motion pictures by the kinetograph.

The great bill presented this week continues to draw big business and an exceptionally large advance sale ensures crowded houses at both performances on Saturday.

SINGLET TO WED PRINCE. Philadelphia, Sept. 22.—After steadily refusing Prince Maxvrodov, the Russian nobleman, who has sought her hand for two years, it is now rumored that Mary Garden, the grand opera singer, is going to marry him. She is said to be wearing as the mark of her engagement an enormous diamond, which the Prince found in India, where the gem once adorned the crown of a famous rajah.

Miss Garden said before she sailed for Europe last spring that she intended to give her patient and persistent Prince an answer before she should return to this country.

This Prince, according to information obtained at the opera house, is immensely wealthy and is one of the best known collectors in Europe.

MACKENZIE AND MANN. Said to Have Purchased Interest in Atlantic Shipping.

"Are Mackenzie & Mann Securing an Atlantic Traffic Link?" is the heading in an English financial paper of recent date of a news item of peculiar interest to all Canada. The item discusses with much plausibility the manner in which that great and growing railway company, the Canadian Northern, may be extending its trade interests into the steamship trade as well. It reads:

"Are we on the eve of important developments in the service between this country and Canada? What occasions the question is the sale of the high-class steamers Cairo and Heliopolis, built but a short time ago by the Fairfield Company for the service of the Egyptian Royal Steamship Company, to the Northwestern Transport Company, Limited. Despite its somewhat imposing title, this is but a small concern, operating a line of steamers between Rotterdam and New York, calling en route at Halifax, Nova Scotia. It assumes importance on account of the close relationship which had long subsisted between its manager (Mr. William Petersen) and Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann, of the Canadian Northern Railway Company, who are understood to be shipping the Cairo and New York, which they have been at the back of Mr. Petersen's previous North Atlantic enterprises."

"The Petersen ships are believed to carry a number of stowaway passengers across the Atlantic; but the emigrant trade is not booming and, even if it were, it is not one which would justify the employment of such ships as the Cairo and her sister. The reported to have been paid for them is £150,000 for the two, and to fit them for the Atlantic trade will entail a fairly large additional outlay. What, then, is the meaning of the deal? Although their speed on the Atlantic will not compare with the 22 1/2 knots which they did on the Mediterranean, it is quite likely that they will do as well as the present Canadian cracks—say, 18 knots—and therefore, with their magnificent equipment, will be able to make a bid for the cream of the Canadian passenger traffic."

"Those who know Messrs. Mackenzie and Mann are quite alive to the fact that these astute financiers are not of the class to finance any shipping enterprise merely for the beaux yeux of an English ship manager. It has all along been accepted that there was something more in view than appeared on the surface—something in the shape of being ready when the Canadian Northern becomes a completed trans-continental line that will not be for some time yet. Mr. Mackenzie recently talked of not reaching the Pacific for another half-dozen years or so. Thus the date of his linking up the middle west with the St. Lawrence is not far off, and if he wishes to have a finger in the 'all-red route' game, or even if he desires to secure any part of the ocean traffic, he must lose no time in being under his control the Atlantic steamers that count."

Shipowners are awakening to the bright future of the St. Lawrence passenger trade, and the White Star line have gone into it with the Megantic and the Laurentic; the Canadian Pacific are on the eve of improving their service on the Atlantic, and are waiting to see if they can effect a deal with the Grand Trunk Pacific, on the board of which they are represented, and the smaller fry are improving their fleets. Then, too, the time is drawing nearer for the renewal of the mail contract. It is tolerably certain that this will not be fixed for any lengthened period until the Grand Trunk Pacific is in a position to secure an 'all-red' scheme with the Canadian Pacific. The date of that depends upon the completion of the eastern portion of the new transcontinental. That brings on the time occupied in building the Quebec railway bridge, say, six years. Were the all-red proposition left over until 1915 or 1916 we should have the Grand Trunk Pacific, the Canadian Northern and the Canadian Pacific all in a position to tender, providing the first two had their steamers ready. But before then a mail service, even if only provisional, will have to be fixed up. If Mr. Mackenzie, therefore, has under his control—direct or indirect—suitable steamers, he can take a hand in, and moreover, put himself into the running for the big stakes."

"In any event, his securing the call of high-class steamers now would enable him to obtain what profit arises from booking traffic right through from Europe to the grain growing territory which he looks after in the West."

HUDSON-FULTON. Observation Train For the Great Naval Parade.

An observation train, entirely covered by canvas canopy, will be placed by the New York Central lines on the shore of the Hudson River opposite Riverside Park, Saturday, September 25th, ready for occupancy at 10 a. m. It will extend from opposite West 108th street to West 116th street, New York City, being accessible from 107th, 112th and 116th streets.

The observation train will remain stationary and will afford an unobstructed view of the entire manoeuvres during the naval parade Saturday, September 25th, the principal features of which will be held directly opposite the observation train, including the final anchorage of the replica of the "Half Moon" and the "Clemont."

Seats on this observation train have been reserved for patrons of the New York Central lines from Western New York, and may be procured from principal agents on application. Rate \$2 per seat, when purchased in connection with the reduced rate ticket to New York and return. Consult ticket agents for particulars.

A HOGTOWN SNEER. (Toronto Telegram.)

Really the North Pole was so easily located that the Hamilton police should have been able to find it with a search warrant.

SCRAP BOOK POETRY

Apple Pie. Hornets in the fence post, locusts on the gate, Fiddle at the barn yard, why do you wait? One face and cross-bread, covered if you like.

Baked ham cooling in the sideboard, yoh; and sweet potatoes 'most done. Bumble bees drowsin' in the honeysuckle vine and butterflies bobbin' in the sun; Fleasman bungling, and the Prophet Job, the twilight in the glade.

Apple pie army on the homeward way with the apple pie, apple pie, apple pie. Cider in the third day, sparkin' bright; Mors in the barrel and mors in the mill; And the old moon's full as an apple to-night!

Maryland's an apple and an apple pie, and the home of the pie is she; There's a roset goose now in the oven, dear, For the duck looks good to me; If we don't all burst and we don't die soon we'll never grow old or gray.

For the apple pie brings us the gift of the green and the breath of the rose o' May Apple pie, apple pie, hold up your plate, For the duck looks good to me; Hornets in the fence post, locusts at the gate. Mint in the patch by the old, cold spring! —Baltimore Sun.

A Social Call.

When Mrs. Readybody found a card upon her polished floor Which said she had pushed that afternoon beneath the door, She looked it up and read the name, then on a look to indicate her rage she said: "I'm mighty glad I wasn't in."

Then Mrs. Readybody went to call on Mrs. Goldenhair. And as she left a calling card because she didn't find her there; She neither signed nor frowned nor wore a look to indicate her rage, but she merely told her husband that: "I'm mighty glad she wasn't in."

Next time they met, she said: "My dear," and tumbled with her tortoise comb—"I was so sorry she had you call when I was out at home."

"Nor can I tell you my regret," and here she sadly dropped her chin—"Upon the afternoon over now, and that didn't find you in."

And then both Mrs. Goldenhair and Mrs. Readybody told Each other just how sad they were, their grief was more than they could hold; Then each one parted, each one smiled, and later each was heard to say, "Thank goodness she's over now, and that's a visit, anyway." —Detroit Free Press.

THE HOUSEKEEPER

Shave one bar of soap, pour two quarts water over it, put on stove to boil; when it comes to a boil add one large tablespoonful of coal oil, allow to boil hard until all soap is dissolved, which generally takes ten minutes.

Soak clothes in hard water (hard or soft) overnight; in morning wring out the clothes, have boilerful of good warm water (not hot), add over half solution to boiler and sort clothes and put into boiler. After they come to a boil, boil for twenty minutes; remove to tub of water, rinse thoroughly, and put through bluing water, starch and hang out.

For second boiler be sure and add cold water to cool water and add remainder of solution. Unless clothes are extremely soiled they will not need one particle of rubbing; if badly soiled, rub the soiled places with soap before putting in to boil.

TO CAN CORN.

For eight quarts of corn, which require three dozen ears, allow one ounce of tartaric acid. Cut corn from cob, cook twenty minutes in water, enough to cover, then stir in the acid, cook a little longer and seal in glass jars. When wanted for use empty contents of can in saucapan, add pinch of soda, let boil a few minutes, pour off liquid and season as you would fresh corn.

Corn and tomatoes are also nice canned together. Cook together and seal. This makes a tempting dish in winter. TO KEEP JELLIES FROM MOULDING. Keep a box or bunches of thyme where the jellies are kept, which should be in a dark place, and you will have no mould.

OBITUARY.

A well-known and respected resident passed away last night in the person of Mrs. Mary Ann McCoy, at her residence, 214 Emerald street north, aged 58. She was the widow of the late Lawrence McCoy. Deceased leaves one son, James McCoy. The funeral will take place on Saturday morning to St. Patrick's Church, thence to Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

Vera Wallman, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallman, passed away at her parents' residence, 86 Robert street, yesterday, aged 4 months. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon to Hamilton Cemetery.

STORMS IN EUROPE.

Constantinople, Sept. 23.—Torrential rains have caused the loss of 100 lives and the destruction of 500 houses at Homs, a town of northern Syria. Paris, Sept. 23.—Southern France, especially Provence, has been visited by heavy storms, accompanied by earth shocks. Considerable damage has been done, and railroad communication has been partially interrupted by the floods.

A REVEREND ICONOCLAST. (Rev. J. W. Magwood, Oakville.)

"Our poor cloth has had to do duty on so many and such varied occasions and has had to make good for so many delinquencies, social, intellectual, moral and spiritual, that the most pitifully forlorn object on the whole landscape surrounded with weeds, chimneys down, shingles off, windows broken, and doors ajar, is a preacher's frock coat, surmounted by a clerical collar or a white tie. Is it not as sacred an office to relieve the suffering, minister to the needy, plead the cause of the pronged, teach a school, edit a wholesome sheet, direct the affairs of a nation, drive a train or to be good bread as to stand in a pulpit on Sunday and preach the everlasting gospel?"

"I think we preachers had better recognize that the peculiar halo which once surrounded the preacher's head is gone, and if it ever returns it will be for more substantial reasons."

Startling Encouragement. "Was Amelia's father encouraging when you went to ask him for her hand?" "Not very. He asked me to put the proposal in writing so I couldn't back out as all the others did." —Baltimore American.

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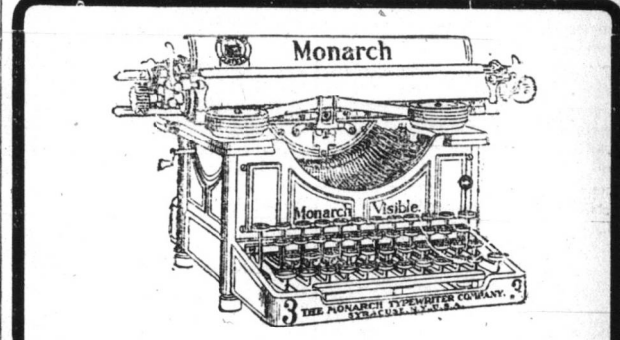
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LOOKING FOR OTHER INFANTS

Many Reports Being Received by the Toronto Police.

Excited Women Tell of Children Supposed to be Missing.

Inquest Was Adjourned For One Week Last Night.

Toronto, Sept. 23.—After hearing evidence as to the reception of the body from the authorities of Niagara Falls, N. Y., the inquest on the body of the infant female child, with the murder of which Mrs. Mabel Turner stands charged, was adjourned last night for a week by Chief Coroner, Arthur Jukes Johnson.

In the meantime the police investigations have resulted in the obtaining of much important evidence on the case. The authorities are also looking into cases in which it is alleged Mrs. Turner adopted children who cannot be located.

Mr. T. E. Monahan appeared on behalf of the Crown last night, and after the jury had been empaneled and viewed the body Detective W. Wallace was called and gave evidence as to his bringing the body of the poor little mite to Toronto.

Before he commenced his formal hearing the Coroner inquired whether Mrs. Turner was in attendance and represented by counsel. The Acting Crown Attorney mentioned that Mr. T. C. Robinson, K. C., was representing the prisoner, but was not in attendance, and then Mrs. Turner was brought into the room. She sauntered in, but while there might be indifference in her walk, the fact told a story of appreciation of the terrible charge which has been laid against her. Tall, and of good figure, she was clothed entirely in white.

Detective Wallace told how he received, from the authorities of Niagara Falls, N. Y., the body of a child which had been exhumed, and which had already been declared by a United States court to have been strangled and its body, in all probability, thrown from a New York Central train at a point about three miles from the Falls.

"Any questions?" asked the Coroner of Mrs. Turner. "I am waiting for my lawyer," replied Mrs. Turner wearily, and again she sank back in her chair. The Coroner then declared that he did not intend to take any further evidence at the sitting, and in view of the fact that a number of witnesses had to be brought from a distance the inquest was adjourned for a week.

OTHER CASES PENDING.

A woman told Inspector of Detectives Duncan yesterday afternoon the name and address of a person who had knowledge, it was said, of four adopted children having been in the care of Mrs. Turner at a certain house in the city. These children have disappeared, but, according to the information, Mrs. Turner had explained their absence by saying she had placed them in various homes and institutions. Apparently the inquirers had been satisfied with these explanations until the publicity given to the murder of Mrs. Turner aroused doubts. Inspector Duncan was told that inquiries had since been made at the places where the babies were supposed to have been placed, but no trace of them was found. Detectives Wallace and Kennedy were instructed to inquire into the story, but Inspector Duncan declined to make known the result of their work.

During the past few days a number of excited women have called at the detective office with stories about adopted children that they imagined might have come to harm, and the three detectives who have been assigned to special duty on the case have been kept busy tracing children given out for adoption. One of the most interesting developments of the case yesterday was the discovery by the police that the child found in the Wood street house after the arrest of Mrs. Turner is not the infant named King that the woman is believed to have secured from St. Michael's Hospital some time ago. The child's name is said to be Stirling, and the police claim to know where its parents are. What has become of the infant taken from the hospital can only be imagined. An interesting fact about the Wood street baby is that it has been offered a home by a kind-hearted Toronto woman who has no children of her own.

Yesterday the shoe box in which the body of the murdered Niagara infant was found near Niagara Falls was shown to a clerk in a downtown shoe store and identified as one that had been used to box up a pair of boots sold to a Mrs. "Miller" on Monday, September 13, the day before the infant was strangled. When the box in which the body was wrapped was inspected it was found to have been made of two shoe boxes fastened together, one apparently having proven too small for the gruesome contents. One of these boxes was old and was without distinguishing marks, but the other bore a shoe firm's name and number. Everything else had been rubbed off, with the exception of the opening letters of "Wood" street. With this number as a clue the police finally learned that a certain store kept a pair of boots in a box which had been delivered to Mrs. "Miller" at the house on Wood street.

The police believe that the throwing of the body from the New York Central train was not in accordance with the plan Mrs. Turner is alleged to have made. The intention was evidently to get rid of the parcel on the steamer going across to Niagara Falls, but, meeting acquaintances on the boat, she had to change her plan. Coming back to Toronto, she apparently became afraid of again being unable to dispose of her parcel on the boat, and so took a chance of discovery by throwing it from the train window down over the cliffs. But for the fact that the flagman saw the parcel thrown out and crawled down the cliff out of curiosity to see what it was, the murder would in all probability never have been discovered.

Most girls are willing to investigate the theory that there are microbes in lines.

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PEARY LEFT FOR PORTLAND.

Enthusiastic Crowds Cheered Him on His Way.

Says Statement Will Soon be Made Public.

Invited to Lecture Before Royal Scottish Geographical Society.

Truro, N. S., Sept. 22.—Commander Robert E. Peary had no further statements to make to-day regarding the polar controversy, and while travelling westward to his home in Eagle Bay from Sydney spent the time going over his correspondence. The explorer, with his family, left Sydney early to-day and reached Truro to-night. Later the Peary party departed for Portland.

The trip to Truro occupied the entire day, and at the stations en route groups of people gathered to catch a glimpse of the explorer. While crossing the Canastota Strait on the transfer steamer Scotia, Commander Peary went to the bridge, where he was photographed. Commander Peary received by cable an invitation to lecture before the Royal Scottish Geographical Society.

An enthusiastic crowd, which had gathered at New Glasgow to enliven the departure of two wedding couples, cheered Commander Peary and threw rice at his car windows. The explorer was given a round of applause when he appeared on the platform, thinking that the demonstration was in his honor alone, but he hastily retreated when he observed that he was in the midst of a wedding party. The explorer, accompanied by his wife and family, with a score of newspaper correspondents, left Sydney, N. S., at 7 o'clock, and will reach Portland, Maine, to-morrow evening. The explorer expects to spend a few days at Eagle Island, making up his reports and preparing a statement on the question, "Has Cook been at the pole?" He said he did not think it would be long before the statement was made public.

"Major" Nutt Dead. Boston, Sept. 22.—Rodina Nutt, the last male survivor of the late P. T. Barnum's famous midget troupe, died at his home in Dorchester to-day at the age of sixty-nine years. Since retiring nineteen years ago "Major" Nutt, as he was known, had conducted a successful real estate business. Heart trouble caused death. He was a brother of "Commodore" Nutt, who died in 1881.

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COOK SHOWED NOTE BOOK.

Fully 30,000 Words He Says Were Entered in North.

Says the Controversy With Peary is Now Closed.

Why He Maintained Secrecy When Leaving Anaktok.

New York, Sept. 22.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook, about 4 o'clock greeted a parlor filled with forty New York and European correspondents, and had questions fired at him for fully an hour and a half.

At all times the explorer frankly answered the question asked, of if he felt so disposed, frankly replied—especially when anything in the nature of a Peary-Cook controversy was broached—that he did not wish to answer the question.

He would not acknowledge any enmity toward Peary, but his attitude indicated that deep down there is no love lost between the two explorers.

"Will you tell why you imposed secrecy upon Whitney and young Pritchard?" Dr. Cook was asked as an opener. "Because," he answered, "I didn't think I was bound for any reason to give the nature of my expedition and work to Mr. Peary or anyone else. Naturally I had a pardonable pride and a perfect right, I may add, to announce my achievement to the world myself. Mr. Whitney, who should be back here by the middle of October, will be at liberty then, and is at liberty now, to give all the information he possesses."

Dr. Cook said that when he left his records with Mr. Whitney he did not have any understanding with him as to when he was to return. As for Pritchard, Dr. Cook said that it was quite by accident that he (Cook) found out that Pritchard had overheard his announcement to Whitney that he had been to the Pole.

WHY SECRECY WAS MAINTAINED.

"When I was leaving Anaktok," Dr. Cook explained, "to go down by sledge to Upernivik, young Pritchard asked me to make a letter to his mother. I did not distrust Mr. Whitney, but to be sure that no word of my work would reach civilization until I was ready to give it forth myself I asked Pritchard to open the letter before he read it. As he read the letter I learned that he knew of my discovery and was sending the news home. Therefore I made him cut out that part of the letter and asked him to maintain secrecy."

In Bob's Murphy's case I had little to fear. Murphy can neither read nor write. I tried to take all precautions to prevent my discovery anticipating me to civilization."

Dr. Cook's only reply to the charges against Peary's companion, Matt. Hansen, was that the Cook Eskimos had told Hansen he had gone only two weeks' north from land, was a sinner. "Ask Hansen to explain that," the Eskimos, he added, had been mentioned by him, and doubtless were still obeying instructions. "Furthermore," volunteered the doctor, "I shall produce my Eskimo here for you to question yourselves. I'll have an interpreter on hand, and you may question them all you like. Mr. Peary need not put a position to challenge me. I feel sure scientists will agree that my records and instruments will prove my assertions. I already have given a deal more, in fact—than is usually given forth during the first few days or weeks of any explorer. Now I shall turn over my records to science. I can do no more."

PEARY-COOK INCIDENT CLOSED.

Dr. Cook here was asked about the truth of his alleged statement that he feared to remain at Etah because of the possibility of a disastrous meeting with Peary. He had never made such a statement, said the explorer, and just at this point he put his foot down and blocked the trend of the questions. Dr. Cook said positively, "The Peary-Cook incident is closed. Mr. Peary has no right to dictate my affairs, and I have no right to interfere with him. That is my last word on that phase of the subject."

Dr. Cook was asked whether he could have reached Denmark earlier than he did after the discovery if he had remained with Whitney and waited for a ship. "I don't think—oh, cut it out," he said, with a slight grimace of irritation, the only display of the kind he made during the interview.

"I could not." "When you were still 460 miles from the pole and you sent your last supporting party south, how were you provisioned?" "I had provisions enough left," he answered, "for myself, the two Eskimos and two dogs to last eighty days. I then had two sleds and 26 dogs for this last stage of the journey. I counted, of course, on feeding dogs to dogs. We left with 11 sleds, 100 dogs and 11 Eskimos. We got back to Greenland with no dogs and only half a sledge. During those last days we not only ate parts of our clothing to the last of the dogs."

Dr. Cook said he had managed his 80-day supply of food so that it lasted nearer 90 days.

A POSER ANSWERED.

What looked like a poser was put to Dr. Cook when he was asked about the seeming discrepancy of his published statement. "The night of April 7 was made notable by the swinging of the sun at midnight over the northern ice. Our observations on April 6th placed our camp at latitude 86 degrees, 36 minutes." Astronomers say that the midnight sun was first visible in that latitude on April 1 and that if Dr. Cook saw it first on April 7, he must have been 850 miles from the pole instead of the 234 claimed, and that therefore to reach the pole by April 21 he would have to race at a 35-mile a day gait. "That merely brings up the point I've so often tried to make," replied the explorer a bit wearily.

"Questions ask things without seeing my records, and besides, they misquote me. I never have said that I saw the midnight sun first on April 7. I merely said that I had seen it that night. Besides, even if I had said I had seen it first on the 7th, that would be

physically possible. For a week or two the horizon had been murky, and obscured with low-hanging, smoky frost mist. Anyway, I was not taking observations at midnight."

"May we see some of the notes you made while wintering in the north?" Dr. Cook was asked. He had just told in his concluding remarks of the interview something about his underground winter quarters, and of the writing he had done there as a preliminary to the reports, and his book soon to be published. Dr. Cook hesitated for a moment, and then arose.

"Yes," he said, "I'll show you some of the writing I did in the north," and he hurried up to his apartments with his secretary to get his notebooks. In a few minutes he was back with one of the books, and as he flipped one of the small pages, filled with marvelously minute pencil writing, something, you felt that here was something tangible, almost like a splinter of the pole itself.

Dr. Cook gave no one a chance to read carefully any of the pages.

The doctor answered promptly and easily almost all of the questions.

LEAVES HIS CHURCH.

Withdraws From Methodist Episcopal Denomination.

Detroit, Sept. 22.—In a scathing letter, which combines the elements of a declaration of independence and articles of faith, Rev. Joseph Ryerson, an eminent Canadian divine, who for some time has been affiliated with the Methodist Episcopal Church in Michigan under Bishop John Wesley Hamilton, to-night resigned from the church.

The reason for his action, as shown by his communication to Bishop Hamilton, is that he "has decided to heed the call to stand upon the hills of faith, hearing the notes of angel choirs." Mr. Ryerson protests against the treatment accorded him in connection with a recent investigation, and declares his belief that the "presiding eldership is a relic of other days, and like the unfruitful olive tree, encumbereth the ground." The letter practically announces Dr. Ryerson's intention to henceforth preach and practise a doctrine to his adherents which will closely parallel the theology of John Knox. In this the pastor says he has the backing of 125 members of Gratiot Methodist Episcopal Church.

NEARLY SWAMPED.

Narrow Escape of Men From Canadian Ice-Breaker.

St. John's, Nfld., Sept. 22.—A tale of suffering and danger was related to-day by the crew of a boat which left the new Canadian cutter Earl Grey to attempt to obtain coal and provisions on the bleak Newfoundland coast when the vessel's supply was nearly exhausted. A number of the crew manned a boat and rowed fifteen miles to Bay Deverde, where they obtained 2 1/2 tons of coal in sacks and some provisions, and after telegraphing to St. John's a report of their vessel's plight, they started to return.

Meanwhile a severe storm had arisen and the seas became so high that the boat was nearly swamped. Finally it became necessary for the men to jettison the coal to escape foundering. The mast and sail of the boat next went by the board. The men were adrift all night, and at daylight were picked up by a passing schooner. In boarding the schooner one of the seamen was badly crushed, while another had his arm broken.

The men were landed at Carbonear, whence they were conveyed here. Tugs were sent out from this city and brought in the disabled steamer on Sunday night.

SUIT AGAINST MISSIONARY.

Has Been Withdrawn by Congo Concession Company.

Leopoldville, Belgian Congo, Sept. 22.—The charges brought against the Rev. W. W. Morrison, an American missionary, by one of the Congo concession companies, which has a monopoly of rubber-gathering in the Kasai region, have been withdrawn, but the plaintiffs reserve the right to bring out later for damages. The Rev. W. H. Shepard, another American missionary, has been sued for \$6,000 by the same company for "calumnious denunciations," the suit being based on an article which appears in The Kasai Herald. Judgment in this case will be rendered, October 4th.

YOUNG MEN HURT.

Bullet Passed Through Thigh of One and Struck Thumb of the Other.

Belleville, Sept. 22.—Two well-known young men of this city were victims of a shooting accident yesterday afternoon. Fred Mills and Bert Bell, both 18 years of age, took their holsters and went out into the country, a few miles from the city, in search of squirrels. While crawling between a rail fence they stepped on a pile of stones, which began to move under their feet. Both men fell to the ground, and the trigger of the gun carried by Bell striking a stone, the gun was discharged, the bullet entering the left thigh of Mills, and passing through, blew away part of Bell's right thumb. Mills was removed to the hospital and will recover.

AUTOMOBILE CORPS.

Experiment to be Tried in Thanksgiving Day Manoeuvres at Ottawa.

Ottawa, Sept. 22.—Arrangements are under way for the formation of an automobile corps in connection with the Ottawa militia. It is said that upwards of a hundred automobiles would be available to assist in the field manoeuvres here on Thanksgiving Day, and it is expected a trial will be made of their practicability in transporting troops, carrying supplies, keeping up lines of communication, etc. If the experiment proves successful here the Militia Department may encourage the formation of similar corps in other cities.

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Advertisement for Shoe Polish, featuring a logo with '2 IN 1' and 'SHOE POLISH' text. Text includes 'Softens and preserves the leather. Is brightest, quickest and blackest. Waterproof and dust proof. No other even half as good. 10c. and 25c. Tins. 216'

Advertisement for Gold Medal Flour, featuring a logo with 'GOLD MEDAL' text. Text includes 'FLOUR has no equal for all household baking—pure, strong, nutritious. Sold Everywhere. WOOD MILLING CO. Phone 118'

Advertisement for Rogers Coal Co., Limited, featuring a logo with 'ROGERS COAL' text. Text includes 'THE ROGERS COAL CO., LIMITED. PHONE 1481. Rogers Coal is SCRANTON Highest Grade of Anthracite. HEAD OFFICE, - - 6 James N. S. GILLIES, President. GEORGE J. GUY, Manager'

Advertisement for Riordon Paper Mills, Limited, featuring a logo with 'RIORDON PAPER MILLS' text. Text includes 'The Paper on Which "The Times" is Printed is Made by the Riordon Paper Mills, Limited at Merritton, Near St. Catharines. THEY ALSO MAKE BUILDING PAPER AND ARE THE LARGEST MAKERS OF SULPHITE PULP IN CANADA. Head office, Mark Fisher Building, Montreal, where all correspondence should be addressed.'

Advertisement for We Cure Men, featuring a logo with 'DR. LINN' text. Text includes 'We cordially invite men who are discouraged, and who think their cases incurable, to consult us, either in person or by mail, free of charge. "GUIDE TO HEALTH," Free by Mail. BUFFALO THE WORLD'S ACKNOWLEDGED SPECIALISTS in Private, Nervous and Chronic Diseases. No. 203 Main St. Buffalo, N. Y.'

Advertisement for Why McMullen Left Murder Charged, featuring a logo with 'WHY M'ULLEN LEFT MURDER CHARGED' text. Text includes 'It is Alleged That He Robbed His Grandfather. Indian Boy of Seventeen Brought to Kenora. Belleville, Sept. 22.—The reason for the mysterious disappearance of Stewart C. McMullen, the young Sidney farmer who left the city so suddenly over a week ago, was partially cleared up to-day, when his recent actions were discovered. As stated, he was in sole charge of the farm of his grandfather, John Connolly, an aged man and invalid, and had charge of all the funds. He did the banking for the old man, but it is alleged, instead of depositing to the credit of the latter he placed the money in his own name. It is now discovered that shortly before leaving the city he went to the bank and drew out considerable of the old man's money, as well as all of his own. He also drew out money from the cheese factory, and then forged a cheque for \$300. It was stated to-day that McMullen is now in the United States. It is said that for some time he had been complaining that his duties were too strenuous. Relatives and friends cannot understand his actions, as he has always been a reserved young man of excellent character. IMMIGRATION. The total immigration into Canada for July was 16,251, as compared with 11,330 for the same month of last year; 3,943 of these people arrived at ocean ports and 7,348 from the United States. The increase from the United States was 64 per cent., and 31 per cent. increase at ocean ports. Moving Reception Planned. El Paso, Texas, Sept. 22.—A bomb was found to-night in the rear of the customs house at Juarez, Mexico, a few feet from the platform which has been erected for the meeting between President Taft and President Diaz on October 16. More than 30 arrests were made. Juarez is across the Mexican border.

Advertisement for Death of Mrs. T. F. Swayze at St. Catharines, featuring a logo with 'DEATH OF MRS. T. F. SWAYZE AT ST. CATHARINES' text. Text includes 'St. Catharines, Ont., Sept. 22.—Mrs. Theodore F. Swayze, wife of N., S. & T. R. Conductor Swayze, died very suddenly to-day under peculiar circumstances. Some years ago she was poisoned by eating toaststools in mistake for mushrooms. When taken ill this time the effects of the poisoning came back and terminated fatally. She was in her fifty-second year. Swede's Back Broken at Cobalt. Cobalt, Sept. 22.—S. Rindell, a young Swede, aged 23, who had only been a short time in the country and had just started work in the Cobalt Central mine, met instant death this afternoon about 2 o'clock. Rindell had been watching the cage going up and down and finally walked under it as it was descending. His neck was broken and his head badly crushed.'













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### GRIDIRON GOSSIP

As some of the players cannot get out to the afternoon practices, lights will be installed at the Cricket Grounds this week, and hereafter workouts will be held at night.

Pfeiffer, the husky centre scrummer, will be out this afternoon for his first workout. He is in good condition, and will have no difficulty in getting into condition.

The juniors will practice to-night at 7.30 o'clock. All the players are requested to turn out. Harold Thompson, who for the past two years played with the Parkdale juniors, will be on the Cubs' line up this season.

Toronto, Sept. 23.—To play with the Argos, the T. A. C. or the Tigers? That is the point which Varsity is considering. Whether 'tis better to play with the Argos and the T. A. C. and perhaps get licked, or to play with the Tigers and perhaps get someone laid up. What's to be done about it? All these teams want to arrange practice games with Varsity on the 2nd of October, and none of them are willing to give way to the others. It's up to Varsity to decide which team she will play. As Newton says, "It is rather risky to hurl the team against the burly Tigers, and especially so since there will be so many new men on the line-up." On the other hand, the Argos have been practising steadily for the last two weeks, and, as a result, are likely to be in better condition by the date named than the Varsity men. In fact, it is hardly likely that the college line-up will be filled before the first of the month, and in that case it would leave only two days for team practice before the game. However, the match would undoubtedly give the coaches and manager a good chance to pick out the weak spots, and for that reason one of the three teams will likely be accommodated. Just which one it will be, however, it is not yet known, but the choice will likely lie between the Argos and T. A. C.

Kingston, Sept. 23.—Queen's University teams will be fully as strong as last season. Several veterans have been lost to the senior team, but there has never been a time when Queen's was disabled. Edwin Elliott, last season's crack outside wing, says he won't play again, but it is not believed that he can keep out of the game.

O. R. F. U. prospects in Kingston this season look poor. There is material here for first class senior and junior teams, but there has been no organization so far. The Yacht Club talked of handling a junior team, but when it found that players outside of yachting ranks would have to be secured, the project was dropped.

If Toronto had the material that is going to waste in Kingston it would make a championship team out of it. Unless organization takes place during the next week Kingston will not be represented in the O. R. F. U. this season.

Montreal, Sept. 23.—Montreal Rugby prospects look on a more definite form with the practice this morning. The team will probably be a good deal stronger than was first expected, and should

be more formidable than at the close of last season. It looks now as if the back division will be Stinson at full, Duckett, the Westmont player, who is likely to be hailed as one of the finds of the season, at centre, and Ernie Hamilton and Billy Craig on the wing halves. Buzz Baillie will be at quarter. McAllen and Kelly seem sure of places in the scrum. On the line there will be Kelly, Kingston, Molson, J. Baillie, Fraser and A. Cameron, among others to draw from. All of these have not been out, but are now counted on if wanted.

Ottawa Journal: The workout was an excellent one so far as it went. Conway, one of the star wings of the intermediate last year, appeared for the first time, and there were several other husky wing men on the field who are as yet unknown quantities. Disney was in his regular place at right middle wing, with Gainsford on the outside, and both shone repeatedly. Charlie Snelling and Stuart Christie alternated at quarter for the seniors, with Dave McCann, Ed. Pope and Eddie Gerard on the half line, and Jack Freeland at full. Pope booted the ball for good gains, and both McCann and Gerard did some fine running. Gerard was repeatedly applauded for dashing plays.

On hearing of the official withdrawal of the Dundas team last evening the Executive of the O.R.F.U. held a meeting in the King Edward Hotel, Toronto, and drew up a senior schedule on the three-team basis. If Dundas should happen to re-enter the league, a new one will be drawn up.

Each team plays four games, the league starting on Oct. 9 and ending on Nov. 13. The T. A. C. and Parkdale Canoe Club have the first game, and Peterborough and Parkdale the last game. The following is the schedule: Oct. 9—T.A.A.C. at Parkdale C.C. Oct. 16—Parkdale at Peterborough. Oct. 23—Peterborough at T.A.A.C. Oct. 30—Parkdale C. C. at T.A.A.C. Nov. 6—T.A.A.C. at Peterborough. Nov. 13—Peterborough at Parkdale C.C.

Brantford, Sept. 23.—Frank Bargette, local ball player, who is also a Rugby star, has signed with Toronto Argonauts. He had previously been claimed by Hamilton Tigers. Yesterday he received a telegram telling him that his job had been secured for him at Toronto City Hall. He leaves next week.

Hal Walters wants to play with Ottawa again this year, and the oldest inhabitant rises to remark that Hal would be a better candidate for the aged men's home than for a Rugby team. He may have a game or two in him yet, but he must give way to the younger blood.

The season's first Rugby accident happened yesterday, when Newport, the Argo quarter-back, turned his ankle. It is not known whether the injury will be serious or not.

Herb Smith will play with the Queen's team this season. He is very fast and a sure tackle. He and Shibley Cormack, both Ottavans, are slated for the Queen's line this season. Oscar Gallaher, the big wing man, has spent the summer at Cobalt. He will be back at Kingston again this year.

Hal Kennedy's place on the Bough

Rider half line will be taken by a youngster named Gerrard.  
The Peterboro O.R.F.U. seniors had thirty men out at the first practice.  
Ottawa are going to try out Folger of Ottawa Granites in the scrimmage this year.  
Pud Kent will likely be played at centre scrimmage for the Argos, with Banty Russell on one side of him.

### BOWLING

The Thistles were beaten by 22 shots yesterday afternoon by 4 rinks from Brantford. After the game the visitors were entertained at dinner at the Hamilton Club. Scores:  
Thistles: F. G. Payne, R. Watt, W. A. Stewart, A. Duncan, G. D. Burns, W. F. Henderson, H. Wilson, T. H. Whitehead, Skip ..... 13  
Dr. Woolverton, T. J. Fair, G. Greenhill, H. R. Howie, R. R. Bruce, R. W. Hitton, David Dexter, T. Woodyard, Skip ..... 16  
A. H. Crear, N. A. Neil, G. F. Crawford, C. Parker, J. Y. Osborne, Dr. Palmer, W. H. Davis, W. F. Paterson, Skip ..... 30  
Jas. Scott, D. J. Waterous, W. A. Holton, Dr. Hart, J. E. Bell, J. Adam, Dr. G. Glasco, W. R. Turnbull, Skip ..... 17  
58 ..... 80

### Of Interest to Young Athletes

As intimated in the Times some time ago, the St. Thomas team in the Church Football League has at last decided to drop out. Mr. Fred Skerrett made the announcement this morning, and while the league officials regret the St. Thomas' withdrawal from the league, they are satisfied the matter can be straightened out, and in the course of a few days everything will be running smoothly. The St. Thomas' tried hard to form a team, but a few of their star players have joined other teams, and the Saints would not care to enter unless they had a chance to win.

A meeting will be called to settle which team will be allowed to enter. The McLaran Mission applied for admission some time ago, and in all probability this will be the new team.

### Hendrie's Sale of Thoroughbreds.

The Hendrie thoroughbreds, brood mares and yearlings were sold at the Toronto Repository yesterday, and brought good prices, the average being \$168 each. The lowest price was \$50, paid for a roan mare, and the highest \$600, which was paid for a chestnut gelding by Martimas, out of Lyddite. Dance, a chestnut mare, foaled 1907, was sold to William Loves, of Drayton, for \$75; Bronze, a bay filly, to William Hyde, of Kirkwall, for \$65; Cascade, a bay filly, sold for \$75; Otai Keta sold

### LUNGI WINS HALF-MILE AT ONTARIO CHAMPIONSHIPS.

Wilson, of England, Won the Mile—Sebert Took the Hundred From Lukeman, While the Latter Won the 220.

The I.C.A.C. Ontario championship athletic meet at Scarborough Beach, Toronto, last night was a decided success. The events were well contested and run in fast time. There were about one thousand people in the stand and they were kept interested from the start till the finish.

In the 100 yards open Lou Sebert, of West Ends, took the first heat and Lukeman, of Montreal, the second. In the final the finish was so close as to lead to a discussion as to the winner. Lou Sebert, the victor, won the race by a very short margin in 10 seconds flat. Bobby Kerr did not run. The mile proved one of the best races seen in Toronto for some time. The runners got away with a fast pace and were certainly there with speed. The last quarter Skeen, of I.C.A.C., and Wilson, of A.A.C., New York, were running side by side and in the sprint Skeen was beaten to the tape by about two yards.

In the ten-mile race the three first men were well up all the way. In the ninth mile Holden began to draw away and left a foot, with Kerr in the pace. At the finish Holden finished strong about 30 yards ahead, with Jack Tait second, also running strong; next came Mat Diamond, with Galbraith and McQuig next.

Owing to a mistake the winner went two laps too far. The race was well contested and the boys from the West End Y.M.C.A. are to be congratulated on their fine showing. The 10-mile bicycle race was a wonder; it was one of the finest races of the season without a doubt. This event was won by about a foot, with third man right on the winner's heels. W. Anderson, T.B.C., won first, W. Andrews, R.C.B.C., second, and H. McDonald, T.B.C., third, the time being 26.32.

In the 440 yards race Lou Sebert was the winner easily, and H. Herbert, of Montreal, second.

The Italian runner, Lungli, is a wonder. He has a stride that certainly covers the ground and it is hard to beat. He won the 880 yards easily. Lukeman, of Montreal, is a sprinter of class in very evident; he won the 220 and was second in the 100 yards.

The relay race closed the bill. It was an easy win for West End Y.M.C.A. The Irish-Canadians were second and Montreal M.A.A.A. third. Summary: 100 yards, open—First heat—Lou Sebert, West End Y.M.C.A.; J. J. Hendrie, Montreal; 2. F. McGillicuddy, I.C.A.C.; 3. Time, 11 seconds.

Second heat—F. L. Lukeman, Montreal; 1. Bob Elliott, I.C.A.C.; 2. H. Hillard, I.C.A.C.; 3. Time 10 3-5 seconds. Final in 100 yards—Lou Sebert, West End Y.M.C.A.; 1. F. L. Lukeman, Montreal; 2. Bob Elliott, I.C.A.C.; 3. Time, 10 3-5 seconds.

100 yards, boys of I.C.A.C., 16 and under—First heat—1. Tom Bennett, 2. H. O'Rourke; 3. P. Stewart. Time, 11 2-5. Second heat—1. H. Cook; 2. L. Lyonde; 3. R. Studholme. Time, 11 2-5. Final—1. Tom Bennett; 2. H. Clark; 3. H. O'Rourke.

220 yards—First heat—1. Bob Elliott, I.C.A.C.; 2. James Elliott. Time, 24. Second heat—F. L. Lukeman, Montreal; 2. F. McGillicuddy, I.C.A.C. Time, 24.1-5.

Final—1. F. L. Lukeman, Montreal; 2. Bob Elliott, I.C.A.C.; 3. F. McGillicuddy, I.C.A.C. Time, 23.

Boys, 880 yards—1. R. Wren (scratch); 2. W. Beckett (10 yards); 3. J. Killackey (30 yards). Time, 2:13 1-5.

One mile—1. H. Wilson, I.A.A.C., New York; 2. Chuck Skene, I.C.A.C.; 3. W. Hay, Montreal. Time, 4:28 3-5.

880 yards, open—1. Lungli, New York; 2. G. Lister, Central Y.M.C.A.; 3. H. Herbert, Montreal. Time, 1:59 4-5.

440 yards—Lou Sebert, West End Y.M.C.A.; 1. H. Herbert, Montreal; 3. G. Flint, I.C.A.C. Time, 53.

10 miles—1. Roy Holden, West End Y.M.C.A.; 2. Jack Tait, West End Y.M.C.A.; 3. Nat Dryden, West End Y.M.C.A.; 4. B. Galbraith, Central Y.M.C.A.; 5. Don McQuig, Hamilton. Time, 56:48.

Running broad jump—1. Lukeman, Montreal; 2. Dr. Bricker, West End Y.M.C.A.; 3. Langstaff, West End Y.M.C.A. Distance 21 feet 2 1-2 inches.

Two miles walk—1. Geo. Gouling, Central Y.M.C.A.; 2. E. P. McDonald, Central Y.M.C.A.; 3. H. Goodard, West End Y.M.C.A. Time, 14:11.

16-pound shot-put—1. John Blake, I.C.A.C.; 2. John Bowie, I.C.A.C.; 3. Dan Robinson, P. A. Distance, 41 feet 6 inches.

56-pound weight—1. Bill Holmes, Police A. A.; 2. D. Robinson, Police; 3. J. Blake, I.C.A.C. Distance 29 feet 3 1-2 inches.

10-mile bicycle—1. W. Anderson, T.B.C.; 2. W. Andrews, R.C.B.C.; 3. H. McDonald, T.B.C. Time, 26:32. Relay race—1. West End Y.M.C.A.; 2. Follinbee, Bricker, Sebert; 3. I. C. A. C.; 3. Montreal A.A.A.; 4. Central Y.M.C.A. Time, 3:41 1-5.

### LEAFS TOOK A GAME FROM PROVIDENCE YESTERDAY.

Rechester Won Doubleheader at Baltimore, Making Pennant Almost a Surety—Newark Also Won—Detroit and Philadelphia Won Yesterday.

PROVIDENCE, SEPT. 23.—Newton's great Cleveland work in the box was a big factor in the victory of the Maple Leafs over Providence yesterday. He allowed but six scattered hits, and won his game by a score of 4 to 1. Peterson's long drive in the eighth inning to right field for a home run was the only thing done by the locals of any account with the stick, although Hoffman found Newton for three singles, but the rest of the team could do nothing with him, and the Grey's right fielder died on the bases in each case. Score: R.H.E. Toronto ..... 4 11 2 Providence ..... 1 6 1 Batteries—Newton and Vandy; LaFitte and Peterson.

AT BALTIMORE. Baltimore, Sept. 23.—The Bronchos took two games from the Baltimore yesterday. The first game was a pitchers' battle, in which Bills was unfortunate. A fluke two-base hit by Simmons scored two runs for the Bronchos in the first and a scratch hit gave the visitors another in the ninth. Ragon held the Birds well in hand at all stages of the game. In the second game the visitors won the contest in the eighth inning, scoring seven runs on three singles, a home run, a free pass and errors by Ryers and Schmidt. Scores: R.H.E. Baltimore ..... 0 6 0 Rochester ..... 3 4 0 Batteries—Bills and Cheek; Ragon and Erwin.

Second game— R.H.E. Baltimore ..... 11 13 0 Rochester ..... 7 11 6 Batteries—Mareney and Byers; Holmes, Barger and Butler.

AT NEWARK. Newark, Sept. 23.—The Indians in a pitchers' battle, in which the Royals got only two hits, whitewashed the visitors yesterday, and could only pull out one run themselves. The game was called in the sixth on account of rain. Scores: R.H.E. Newark ..... 1 4 2 Montreal ..... 0 2 0 Batteries—Hueller and Blair; Savidge and Starnagle.

game will be concluded to-day. The Colts' team consists of sixteen men.

POPE TO REDUCE GUARDS. Aims to Cut Off Army of Idle Persons at Vatican. It would seem to be the ambition of Pope Pius X to pass down to posterity a number of notable reforms, in the total reorganization of the financial departments of the Vatican, in the ecclesiastical congregations, in taxes and in the ceremonial music. At present the Pope is contemplating a number of important changes within the walls of the Vatican with a view to reducing needless

R.H.E. Cleveland ..... 1 5 2 Boston ..... 3 7 1 Batteries—Mitchell and Easterly; Wood and Donohue.

IN THE AMERICAN. At Washington—The combination of puzzling pitching by Mullin and extraordinary hitting by Crawford, Cobb and Moriarity proved too much for Washington, and Detroit won easily by the score of 8 to 3. Mullin allowed but three hits. Crawford made two triples, a double and a single, while Cobb hit three singles and a double. Two of Moriarity's three singles drove in runs. Sensational fly catching by Leivest and Gessler shared honors with Mullin's pitching. Score: R.H.E. Washington ..... 3 3 3 Detroit ..... 8 16 3 Batteries—Walker and Street; Mullin and Schmidt.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia had little difficulty in defeating St. Louis, 6 to 2. Six of the home team's nine hits off Gilligan were for extra bases, and nearly all of them counted in the scoring. St. Louis hit Coombs hard and he was taken out. Score: R.H.E. Philadelphia ..... 6 9 4 St. Louis ..... 2 8 3 Batteries—Coombs, Krause and Livingston; Gilligan and Smith.

IN THE NATIONAL. First game— R.H.E. New York ..... 4 12 3 St. Louis ..... 3 3 5 Batteries—Mathewson and Meyers; Laudermilk, Beebe and Phelps. At Pittsburg—Pittsburg hit the ball hard and often and defeated Boston by a score of 12 to 7. Each side used three pitchers. Pittsburg made six two-baggers and a home run. Score: R.H.E. Pittsburg ..... 12 13 3 Boston ..... 7 11 6 Batteries—Leifield, Leever, Willis and Quinn; Brown, Ritchie, Cooney and Graham.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati and Philadelphia played fourteen innings to a 4 to 4 tie, a great one-hand catch by Magee saving Philadelphia from defeat in the final inning. The game was called on account of darkness. Score: R.H.E. Cincinnati ..... 4 11 4 Philadelphia ..... 4 8 4 Batteries—Fromme, Caspar and Roth; Moxen, McQuillen and Dooin.

expenditures, says the London Globe. He has expressed the opinion that there are far too many idle people about the premises—officials who are costly, but whose offices are pure sinecures. The guards, for instance, are practically valueless. The Guards of Nobles, the Swiss Guards, the Palatine Guards, the Gendarmes—all alike necessitate a vast expenditure for which little is obtained in return. If His Holiness acted in accordance with his real wishes, he would abolish all these, but considers it of historic interest will probably induce him to confine himself to a mere reduction in numbers.

Winter finds out what summer lays up.—Hans Anderson.

### Irish Cricketers Making It Close.

Philadelphia, Sept. 22.—The Philadelphia Colts had scored 54 runs for a loss of three wickets in the second inning when stumps were drawn yesterday in the cricket match with the Gentlemen of Ireland. The visitors were only able to score 217 runs in their first inning, 14 less than the local youngsters had made in their half of the inning. The



PEARY IS IN OLD MAINE.

Will Soon Assemble Records of His Polar Dash.

Said Good-Bye to Canadian Friends This Morning.

Will Remain at Eagle Bay, His Summer Home, Some Days.

Vancouver, Me., Sept. 23.—Maine made its welcome to her foster son, Commander Robt. E. Peary, to-day, and all along the route of his journey through the State friendly greetings of the people...

The Peary party passed through St. John, N. B., early to-day and in the few minutes between trains several people gathered about the explorer and congratulated him upon his success.

Commander Peary is keeping his own counsel with regard to the information he has obtained on the main question, "Has Cook found the pole?" but intimations are not wanting to-day that the time is near at hand when this will be made known.

GOOD-BYE TO CANADA. St. John, N. B., Sept. 23.—Commander Robert E. Peary, accompanied by his family and a small army of newspaper correspondents, arrived here at 6.35 a. m. to-day from Sydney, N. S.

The brief quarter hour that the explorer remained in St. John was spent in granting interviews to the local newspaper men and in hastily glancing at the morning papers.

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The pictorial announcement made in this issue by Begg & Shannon is well worthy of careful perusal. This enterprising firm is the exclusive agents for Twentieth Century brand clothes.

HOT IN MONTREAL.

Montreal, Sept. 23.—The great storm, which swept the Gulf of Mexico three days ago, and was reported to be moving north at a rapid rate, was apparently shorn of much of its force before reaching eastern Canada.

Friday Fish List.

We have a fresh consignment of Holland herrings, both miltchers and mixed, in kegs; haddock, salmon, mackerel, cod, halibut, flounders, sea herring, whitefish, trout, lake herrings, jike, fresh pickerel, hard and soft shell crabs, shredded and boneless cod, ciscoes, firm haddock, kippers, smoked whitefish, smoked trout, anchovies in kegs, Select and Standard oysters in bulk.

GOV. JOHNSON'S FUNERAL.

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 23.—To the accompaniment of tolling bells and in keeping with the dignity of the office he once filled as Governor of Minnesota, the body of John A. Johnson was escorted from the rotunda of the State Capitol to-day with military pomp to the train which was to carry it to St. Peter, Minn., and its last resting place.

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

Annie Merry is doing fairly well in the City Hospital to-day.

Rev. Canon Sutherland will preach in the church of the Redeemer, Stoney Creek, to-morrow night, and in Christ Church, Bullock's Corners, on Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Campbell, Duke street, have returned to the city after a short trip to Montreal and Ormstown, Que.

The fire department had two runs yesterday afternoon. The first was to St. Matthew's avenue, where there was a dump fire. The other was to 204 Bold street, where there was a chimney on fire.

Mr. J. D. Gausby, formerly of the firm of Martin & Martin, has entered the firm of Nesbitt & Gauld, and the firm will now be known as Nesbitt, Gauld & Gausby.

Mr. H. Russell, of Montreal, is bringing an action against Thomas Irwin & Son for damages for breach of contract for refusing to accept and pay for goods. A high court writ has been issued against the defendants.

FAIR WAGE DISCUSSED.

Delegate Says Clause Is Violated—The Factory Laws.

Quebec, Sept. 23.—At this morning's session of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada child labor and long hours in cotton mills in the Province of Quebec, were the chief features of the discussion.

Chairman Howell of the Technical School Committee, John S. Gordon, art instructor, and Principal Witton had a conference last night about the subjects from the old Hamilton Art School to be taught in the new institution.

CAR STRIKE.

Conference With a View to Settling Omaha Trouble.

Omaha, Neb., Sept. 23.—After a night of wild rumors and some display of lawlessness, in which a number of cars were wrecked, nearly a dozen imported car men were injured, one boy shot and a large number of arrests made, the street car strike situation shows no material change to-day.

IN SESSION.

Hamilton Conference Financial District Met To-day.

The annual financial district meeting of the Hamilton Methodist Conference was held in Central Church to-day. At the morning session, a fair representation of ministers and laymen were present.

FIREMAN KILLED.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 23.—A T. Edwards, a C. P. R. fireman, who resided at 83 Preston street, this city, as killed at St. Augustine, Que., last night. The wash plug of his engine blew out, filling the cab with steam and Edwards jumped, sustaining fatal injuries.

LIKELY A TRAMP.

Kingston, Ont., Sept. 23.—An unknown man was found on the Grand Trunk tracks at Rideau Station early this morning in a dying state, and died later at the Hospital. He was over 60 years old, of dark complexion, and bearded, weighed 130 lbs., and was about 5 feet 7 inches in height.

THE FIRST OF THE SEASON.

In clothes the new suits and fall overcoats are here; the new greys and blues and many patterns in self stripes and plaids. You'd better be one of the first in them. Special suit prices \$9.98, \$13.50, \$17.50. Fralick & Co., 13 and 15 James street north.

HOTEL MEN HUSTLE NOW.

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is no doubt that he will be endorsed, and have the solid support of the temperance element. A committee is now interviewing all the candidates who have announced themselves in the field, and will submit the names of those to be voted on. The matter of fixing up the aldermanic slate will be taken up later.

All kinds of wire pulling is going on for the position left vacant by the death of the engineer of the new Normal School. The Government makes the appointment, and there are about a score of applicants.

City Solicitor Waddell says that the meeting of the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board on Monday next, to deal with the Barton annexation question, will be merely a preliminary canter. The applicants will have to prove their petitions and the assessment, and it is expected that it will be necessary to adjourn for about two weeks.

The city is still having a lot of trouble fixing up the cavein caused by a sewer breaking on Caroline, north of Barton street, but hopes to have the road open for traffic to-night. Chief Ten Eyck almost had a fit when the Sewers Department jokingly suggested that he let them have the use of his new nickel-plated steam engine to pump the water out.

Chairman Peregrine, of the Finance Committee, and Col. A. H. Moore, the acting chairman of the Hospital Board, after inspecting the Holland A. White house this morning, decided that it would be best to make temporary arrangements for the care of the scarlet fever patients on the hospital grounds, while the new addition is being built and this will be done.

The following building permits were issued to-day: F. R. Ollman, brick factory building on Market street, between Park and Bay streets, for William Hardstaff, \$2,800.

R. W. Hrylop, brick addition to store on De Winton street east, \$200. John Wood, brick addition to 281 Barton street east, \$1,000.

Mayor McLaren is in Guelph to-day attending the opening of the new water works system there. Ald. Jutten is acting Mayor.

A CROOK Seems to Have Got Away With Gown and Sunburst.

Last night about 9 o'clock a young man called at the home of Mrs. J. G. Buchanan, 156 James street south, and engaged room and board. He gave his name as Roberts and said he had been transferred from a country branch of the Bank of Hamilton to the head office. He stayed in the house last night and disappeared this morning, and it is alleged took with him a dress belonging to Mrs. Buchanan and a valuable sunburst brooch. The police are looking for him. The Bank of Hamilton authorities say his story was a fake.

WILL CROOKS. English Labor Member Is In Montreal To-day.

Montreal, Que., Sept. 23.—Will Crooks, the Labor member of the British House for Woolwich, who reached Quebec last week, accompanied by Mrs. Crooks, arrived in Montreal this morning, after having attended three days' sessions of the Dominion Trades and Labor Council at the ancient capital. He is on a tour of the empire and will cross Canada on his way to Australia.

NO MASSACRE. Story of Anti-Jewish Trouble at Kief Denied.

Berlin, Sept. 23.—An investigation of the circumstantial and sensational reports circulated for the past two days that there has been fatal anti-Jewish rioting at Kief last week, in which hundreds of persons were killed or wounded, shows that the rumors were not only lacking in confirmation whatever, but are given specific denial by several reliable persons on the spot.

IT IS OWING To the high musical ideals of the men back of the Gourlay piano that it has attained such a high state of proficiency.

Magistrate—What is the charge against this prisoner, Policeman? He was walking in his sleep. Magistrate—Well, that's no crime, is it? Policeman—I just pinched him to see if he was awake.

THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS—Fresh to strong southwest to northwest winds, occasional showers to-day, becoming cooler. Friday fair and cool.

Table with columns: Temperature, S. a. m., Min., Weather. Locations include Calgary, Winnipeg, Port Arthur, Parry Sound, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, Father Point.

WEATHER NOTES. Since yesterday morning rain has fallen heavily locally in the lower lake region and light showers have occurred in the Ottawa and St. Lawrence Valleys.

Eastern States and Northern New York—Showers to-night or Friday; cooler; moderate southwest to west winds.

Western New York—Showers and cooler to-night; Friday fair with cooler in east portions.

Lower Lakes—Moderate west winds, partly cloudy to-night with showers on Ontario; Friday fair.

Toronto, Sept. 24. (11 a. m.)—Occasional showers to-day, becoming cooler. Friday, fair and cool.

The following is the temperature registered at Parke & Parke's drug store: 9 a. m., 67; 11 a. m., 70; 1 p. m., 72; lowest in 24 hours, 65; highest in 24 hours, 79.

Woodbine Entries.

Table with columns: Race, Name, Weight, Odds. Includes Silverin, Occidental, Chepontuc, xHartage, xTopsy Robinson, Stromeland, C. W. Burt, Chilla, Joe Gaitens, Hiacko.

Third race, Hawley Purse, selling, \$500 added, 3-year-olds and up, one male and one furlong.

Fourth race, Novice Steeplechase, \$600 added, 3-year-olds, one male and a half-mile.

Fifth race, Ringwood Steeplechase, selling, 4 and up, \$800 added, about two miles.

Sixth race, Norfolk purse, selling, \$500 added, 3 and up, foaled in Canada, mile and a sixteenth.

Seventh race, Fordham purse, \$500 added, maiden 2-year-olds, six furlongs.

Eighth race, Norfolk purse, selling, \$500 added, 3 and up, foaled in Canada, mile and a sixteenth.

Ninth race, Norfolk purse, selling, \$500 added, 3 and up, foaled in Canada, mile and a sixteenth.

Tenth race, Norfolk purse, selling, \$500 added, 3 and up, foaled in Canada, mile and a sixteenth.

Eleventh race, Norfolk purse, selling, \$500 added, 3 and up, foaled in Canada, mile and a sixteenth.

Baseball Records.

Table with columns: Clubs, Won, Lost, Pct. Eastern League: Rochester, Newark, Providence, Toronto, Buffalo, Montreal, Baltimore, Jersey City.

Table with columns: Clubs, Won, Lost, Pct. American League: Detroit, Philadelphia, Boston, Chicago, Cleveland, New York, St. Louis, Washington.

Table with columns: Clubs, Won, Lost, Pct. National League: Pittsburgh, Chicago, New York, Cincinnati, Philadelphia, St. Louis, Brooklyn, Boston.

Games to-day: Toronto at Providence, Montreal at Newark, Rochester at Baltimore, Buffalo at Jersey City.

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

LISTEN! Of all the inventions for keeping the cold winds and dust out of a house the American Weather Strip takes the lead. Now is the time to have your house equipped. AMERICAN WEATHER STRIP CO., 67 Westworth, Phone 1407.

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COAL INLAND NAVIGATION CO., Limited, 604 Bank of Hamilton Bldg. PHONE 2882 and 2883. OPEN ALL HOURS. A telephone message will reach us just the same as calling at the office for the first call. GREEN BROS., Funeral Directors, Corner King and Catharine.

ASK FOR FIVE ROSES FLOUR THOMAS S. MORRIS, Phone 38, 45 Wellington North. Attercliffe.

Mrs. Sclewin, of Pertham, and Mrs. Seaman Tisdale, of Port Robinson, spent a couple of days with friends here. Mr. Appleford and family completed moving, and left our village for Tyrrell last Saturday.

Mr. J. W. Bowman, of Caedonia, is about selling his hotel, and will likely move back to this burg. A large number of Lyburners and their friends are expected here on Saturday next to attend the family reunion in Mr. J. M. Lyburner's grove, Ox Bow farm.

WEST INDIES Commission Dined at Sir Wilfrid's County Seat To-day.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 23.—The West Indian Commission are being dined at the Country Club by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and they leave to-night for Toronto, Saturday will be spent at Niagara.

BARTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

The harvest home supper of Barton Presbyterian Church, which was held at the home of Mr. S. Hannon, Glandford, was a complete success. The warm clear evening brought out a large crowd who thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

Steamship Arrivals. September 23.—Boston—At Liverpool, from Boston. Atlantic—At Plymouth, from New York. Philadelphia—At Cape Race, from Southampton.

Who giveth this woman to wed this man? asked the clergyman who was performing the ceremony. And the disappointed suitor in the rear of the church muttered, "Nobody's giving her. She's throwing herself away."

AMUSEMENTS GRAND TO-MORROW THE GAY MUSICIAN. Entire New Production. Seats on sale Sat.—\$1, 75, 50, 25c. Mon.—\$1.50, \$1.75, 75c, 50c. NEXT MONDAY EVENING CHARLES FROMMAN WILL PRESENT THE THIEF. WITH A SPECIAL CAST AND ENTIRE SCENIC PRODUCTION. Seats on sale to-morrow, 50c to \$1.50; gallery, 25c.

Ontario Jockey Club Toronto AUTUMN MEETING. The Greatest Sporting and Social Event. September 18th-25th. Racing and Steeplechasing. General Admission \$1.50.

MAIL CONTRACT. Sealed tenders addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday, 23rd October, 1909, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed contract for four years, 48 single times per week, between Hamilton P. O. and C. P. R. and T. H. & B. Ry. trains at Hunter street station, from the 1st January next.

City of Hamilton Debentures. Tenders will be received by the undersigned until 12 o'clock, noon, on Thursday, October 7th, 1909, for the purchase of the following named debentures: \$60,000 Public School Debentures, \$20,000 Technical School Debentures.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS. Notice is hereby given pursuant to Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, Chapter 129, Section 38, that all persons having claims against the estate of Janet Cameron, who died June 18th, 1909, at the Township of East Flamboro, County of Wentworth, are required to send by post, or to deliver to the undersigned, on or before the second day of October, 1909, their names, addresses, full particulars of their claims, and the nature of the security, if any, held by them, fully verified by statutory declaration.

THE ONTARIO RAILWAY AND MUNICIPAL BOARD. In the matter of the application for annexation to the City of Hamilton of certain lands in the Township of Barton, more particularly described in the resolution passed by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Hamilton, on the 30th day of August, 1909.

APPOINTMENT FOR HEARING. Notice is hereby given that the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Hamilton has by resolution passed on the 20th day of August, 1909, declared the expediency of annexation to the City of Hamilton of that portion of the Township of Barton more particularly described in the said resolution, and that the said resolution and petition signed by an alleged majority of the ratepayers of the said portion of the Township of Barton, described in the said resolution, praying for such annexation have been filed in the offices of the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board, and notice is further given that the Board hereby appoints Monday, the 27th day of September, A. D. 1909, at the hour of half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at its Chambers in the Manning Chambers, in the City of Toronto, to hear the application for annexation to the City of Hamilton of that portion of the Township of Barton described in the said resolution passed by the said Council.

Small Accounts as well. Large ones are welcome here. You need not wait until you have a large sum to deposit before opening an account. Do it To-day and get THREE AND ONE-HALF per cent. from day money is received until day withdrawn. Landed Banking & Loan Co. Cor. Main and James.

We Are Selling. Large quantities of Preserving Jars. The favorites are Crown Jars, Schram Jars. Pints, quarts and half gallons. JAMES OSBORNE & SON, 12 and 14 James St. S.

SCHOOL BOOKS AND SCHOOL SUPPLIES. AT THE Lowest Prices. A. C. TURNBULL TATIONER, 17 KING EAST.

Catsup Will Not Ferment. Parke's Catsup Flavor and Preserver. a concentrated extract of spices that preserves and flavors a bushel of tomatoes. You can't beat it for flavor and your catsup will save for all time. 25c per bottle. Parke's Catsup have it.

Do You Need a Beautiful and Becoming Winter Hat? Even a plain or ordinary face is made to glow with loveliness if the wonderful art of the milliner is judiciously applied. You want to look lovelier and more beautiful than ever so at once select the right kind of a hat or bonnet at the place where only millinery in all its variety and excellence is offered. All the very latest and most stylish patterns from Paris, London and New York, many of them perfect dreams and at prices that defy competition in Hamilton. Come while everything is new and chic and fresh from the hands of the maker and trimmer.

Natural Gas Stove Sale. Now on at BERMINGHAM'S, 20 John Street South.

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Lawn Mowers. Get yours sharpened early and avoid the rush at E. TAYLOR'S, Phone 2641, 11 MacNab North.