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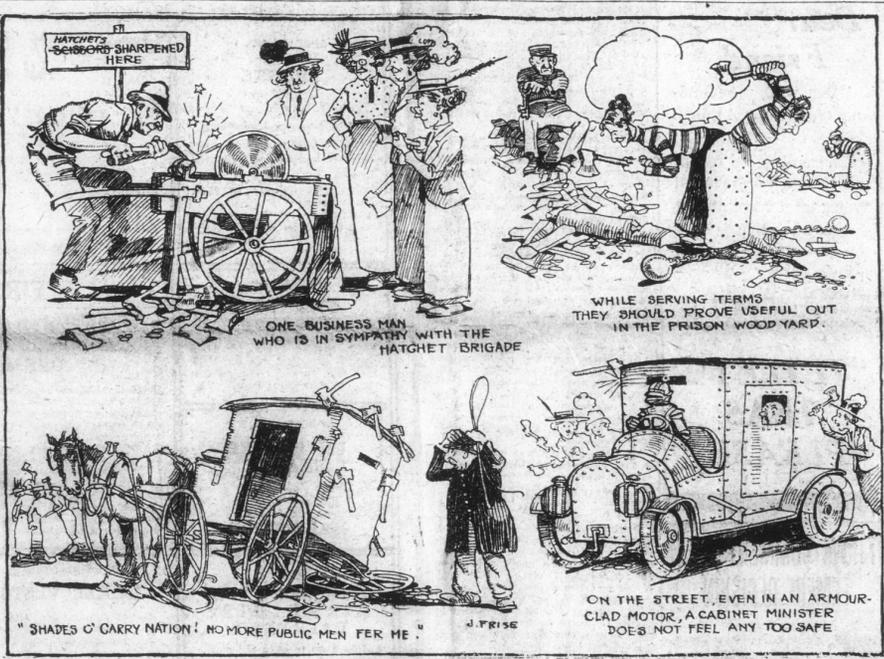
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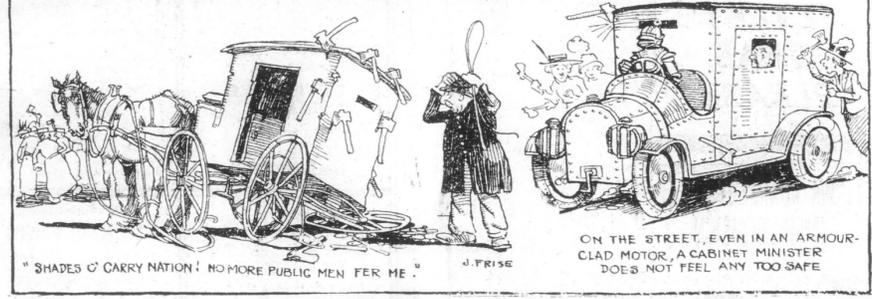
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In other words, there were four separate systems of bureaus of graft collection, each headed by a high police official.

Mr. Whitman, it is learned, has the names of the three other police officials whom Rose has named and has further efforts in this new most denigrational "police exposure" that New York has ever seen, will be decided which points against him. One of the officials named, it was learned, holds a position at headquarters and is in a strict sense a civilian employee.

Detectives Follow Evidence. The name of a former prominent city official has been brought to the attention of the district attorney, who has been closely connected with graft systems, but it was learned that the evidence thus far obtained against him is not of a tangible nature. The evidence however, is being closely followed by the detectives in the employ of the district attorney. It was also known that if Lieut. Becker will tell all he knows, not only in respect to his own alleged complicity in the murder, but unfold the inner workings of the graft system insofar as it may involve the "men higher up" that he will be granted mercy and on that condition only.

The alleged fact of the \$2,400,000 graft fund was told to Rose by Becker, the little bald-headed gambler said, in a sworn statement today. Becker, he said, told him that he handled \$600,000 a year, and that equal amounts were handled by three other officials. This, he said, came in collections from gambling houses, pool rooms, houses of ill-fame and the like.

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Leaders of the French Iron and Steel industry, finance, the army and the navy were present to applaud in person the French premier, the regent of the Bank of France, M. Poincare, Paul Herriot, of the Chamber of Deputies, and other French statesmen.

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The buildings at their big No. 1 plant are being pushed to completion, and the machinery is being placed ready for operation. It is expected that this will be made an ordinary station at a very early date, as great deal of freight and traffic will be handled as the district builds up, in addition to the transportation created by the large brick plant.

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A special chamber in the palace has been arranged for the reception of the coffin containing the body of the dead emperor. The coffin reposes on a raised dais covered with a white cloth in the centre of this simply furnished apartment. It was surrounded throughout the day by the members of the royal family. The emperor and empress, the dowager empress, and the imperial princesses and princes formed the sole guard and kept vigil, which will be maintained throughout the private lying-in-state previous to the funeral. This is expected to take place about September 1st, although the exact date has not yet been determined.

A company of imperial infantry surrounds the palace. Thousands of prominent personages called at the palace during the day. These included the entire diplomatic corps. The emperor Yoshihito was occupied today with business of state. He conferred with the councillors, took an active part, and appointed the chief officials of his household.

The order issued included the suspension of the official administrative officers for five days, the retention of mourning flags until after the day of the funeral, and the establishment of a committee on arrangements for the funeral.

Prince Katsura, who is returning from St. Petersburg, has been notified of the death by Baron Motono, the Japanese ambassador to Russia, and is expected to reach here August 9th. It is understood that no special session of parliament will convene, owing to the necessity of 40 days' notice.

ASQUITH AND CHURCHILL TO VISIT CANADA; COMING ON DREADNOUGHT

London, July 30.—The Mail states that it is now understood that premier Asquith and Winston Churchill will visit the dominion after premier Borden's return. The date is not yet definitely fixed. In any event the journey will be made in one of the British dreadnaughts. The visit might not be the occasion of an imperial demonstration, declares the Mail, and direct visits to Canada, would be an ideal place. Any reserve that may have been felt by a section of French Canadians ought to be removed by the speeches which have welcomed Borden and his colleagues in France. France will be first to encourage them in any decision that will strengthen the naval power of Great Britain, for on that power and upon the army of France rests the foundations of an understanding which is the assurance of peace.

DUN OPENS IN MOOSE JAW

Moose Jaw, Sask., July 30.—R. G. Dun and company, financial agents, open up an office in this city tomorrow. The local manager will be J. D. McLellan.

RUST IN ONTARIO

St. Marys, Ont., July 30.—Many farmers in Richland and Pulleton townships complain of the fall wheat being rusted and in a number of fields shrivelled up. Harvesting of the grain is now general in this territory.

WEATHER OF THE WEST FAIR AND WARM

Table with weather forecasts for various locations including Calgary, Port Arthur, Winnipeg, Minnedosa, Qu'Appelle, Swift Current, Prince Albert, Battleford, Medicine Hat, Edmonton, and others. Includes columns for Min. and Max. temperatures.

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CASTLE MOUNTAIN NOTES
Castle Mount station will be a busy point, for the next two weeks members of the Canadian Alpine Club and their baggage and supplies being put off at this point to commence their trip to their annual camp nine miles south.
A party of Calgary prospectors left Castle Mount today to locate claims on a rich vein of silver ore which has been found near Silver Mount. Old timers will remember that when the railway first went through the Bow Pass that a bustling mining camp was located at Castle Mount, and a townsite called Silver City was laid out on the strength of a deposit of silver ore which failed to give results when worked. The party was organized by Mr. MacMillan, of Calgary, and they will be away for four or five days.

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CIRCUS WITH 1001 WONDERS
25¢ TO SEE ALL
Free Circus Street Parade 10:30 a.m. open dens of wild animals, 9 bands, 250 horses, elephants, camels—400 people of all climes in native costumes will be shown in parade. Two shows daily—afternoon at 2, night at 8, doors open at 1 and 7 p.m. Waterproof tents. Admission 25 cents to see it all.
Two Performances Each Day at 2:30 and 8:30 p.m. Uptown seat sale at The Findlay Drug Co. on mornings of performances

METHUSALEM OF THIS AGE WAS AZTEC

Lived 785 Years, Ate What He Liked, Drank Moderately and Smoked Cigarettes

Austin, Texas, July 25.—Further substantiation of the report from Tuxpan, Mexico, of the death a few days ago at that place of Jose Calvario, an Aztec Indian, at an age lacking only 13 years of the two-century mark, was contained in a letter received here today from Frank L. Watson, an American mining man, of Colima, Mexico. "I was at Tuxpan on the day Calvario died," he writes. "I had seen the old man walking about the streets of the town many times, and he was often pointed out to me as being nearly 200 years old. So interested were the state officials in the report of the great age of the man that a special commission was appointed to investigate the claim. The records of the parish church show that he was born in 1227. He left several thousand descendants. He often told his friends in a joking manner that he had the largest family of any man in the world. No one knows how many times he was married, but it is commonly reported that he took his last wife unto himself when he was past the age of 150 years and that he had several children by her. Calvario was an Aztec Indian. His rules of living were simple. In fact, he observed no set rules. He ate whatever he liked, and, of course, his poverty prevented him from eating very sumptuous meals. He was a moderate drinker of native liquors for 155 years, according to his own statement, made many times to friends, and his memory did not go back to the time when he began smoking the Mexican hand-made cigarette. "This Methusalem of modern times was the walking historian for this part of Mexico covering the period of his long life. He was born and lived within the shadow of Mt. Colima. He was a witness to the destruction of Tuxpan by an earthquake in 1886, when over 1000 people were killed. The man was of striking physical appearance. His frame was large and his eyes deep and piercing. During the later years of his life he gained a livelihood by doing odd jobs around town."

ANAESTHETIC REFUSED BY WOULD-BE SUICIDE

When Surgeons Probed Brain to Locate the Bullet
New York, July 25.—Max Kunov, who walked to St. Mary's Hospital from his home in Hoboken Wednesday night with a bullet in his brain, after he had attempted suicide, refused again to take an anaesthetic today when a delicate operation was performed on him by Dr. Justin at the hospital. Wednesday night Kunov consented to take an anaesthetic and an operation was then performed, but the bullet was so deeply imbedded in his head that it was not removed. The second operation was decided on this morning. "No more of that ether stuff for me," said Kunov. "It makes you too sick at your stomach, and I don't want to be operated on that way." Dr. Justin explained that no man alive could stand the pain of such an operation. Kunov told Dr. Justin to go ahead. To get at the bullet it was necessary not only to cut away the flesh, but to saw into the skull. Not a sound did Kunov make. Except for an occasional quivering of the muscles of his arms he gave no evidence of being in pain. Until the bullet was removed Kunov remained unconscious. Then he had a convulsion. He will live.

VANCOUVER SOCIAL FAVORITE WEDS AT TORONTO

Toronto, Ont., July 29.—At Lushington, Devonshire, Eng., the marriage took place of William Stanley Barwick, eldest son of the late William Barwick and Mrs. Barwick, of British Columbia, to Miss Charlotte Eva, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Ridley Butler, of Vancouver, B.C., formerly of Campbellford, Ont. Rev. Canon Paton conducted the ceremony. Miss Frances Butler, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid and P. L. Beecher, of Vancouver, was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Barwick will spend the summer travelling in England, Scotland and France, returning to Vancouver to take up residence next autumn.

ROUND HOUSE WORKER IS CAUGHT IN-TURNABLE

Montreal, July 29.—While at work in the Grand Trunk railway round-house at Turco village, near here, Francis Lester, 24 years of age, 221 St. James street, became entangled in the pit of the turn table and was crushed to death. When picked up he was still unconscious. By the time an ambulance arrived the victim had expired. A verdict of accidental death was returned later.

CROOKS WHO "FIXED" ROULETTE WHEEL

And Cleaned Up Gamblers in U. S. Cities; Believed to be Those Expelled From Paris



Peoria, Ill., July 29.—Police authorities here believe the two men expelled from French Wednesday under suspicion of having "fixed" roulette wheels there, are members of a quartette which operated successfully in this city and at French Lick, Ind., about six years ago.

Frederick M. Sibley, who gives his home as Peoria, Ill., said originally to be a Decatur man, and his companion, Walter Lewis, comes from Shelbyville, Ind. Their methods and their successes paralyzed the gambling business of Peoria. In four different houses roulette was played, they left specimens of the work, and they are estimated to have trimmed these four places to the extent of between \$4,000 and \$5,000. They worked four in a crew. One man gained entrance to a gambling resort after business had closed early in the morning by "selecting" spring locks in advance. He took the bowl of the roulette wheel to their workshop where the trimmer removed the small spring locks. These were replaced by copper backs finished in exactly the same color as the originals. The copper afforded a soft rebound to the roulette ball, not being as resilient as the steel. The spring edges were just a hair's breadth lower than the steel backs, making the ball land in one of the "fixed" pockets, where it would rebound from the wheel which had not been tampered with. The "house" itself was unable to detect the change in one instance.

"TETLEY'S TEAS PLEASE"

Dear Friend
"Knowing your fondness for the good things of this life and for a cup of specially good tea in particular, I write to tell you that I have at last found a tea that is all I have ever wished tea to be. "You can get it by saying to your grocer

"TETLEY'S TEAS PLEASE"

NEW SUGAR TARIFF
Washington, July 28.—A Republican sugar tariff bill, the first pure Republican revision measure of the present congress, was adopted in the senate today. Defeating their allies of the last two days, the Republican progressives, by an ironclad agreement with the regulars, succeeded in passing a tariff reduction bill which they believe President Taft will sign if it reaches him.

OTTAWA COMMENT ON LA TEMERE DECISION

Ottawa, July 29.—"A very serious matter," was the comment of the Hon. Mr. Justice D'Almeida, one of the supreme court judges who ruled on the marriage reference when it was referred to that body. It throws the whole thing into the hands of the local legislatures. "The judgment evidently upholds the view of the majority of the members of the supreme court that power in this matter rests with the provincial legislatures. My own judgment, you will remember, took the other view, that where the local legislatures failed to provide the means of marriage of any persons, the Dominion government had power." "What means will it take on the marriage question in Quebec?" Justice D'Almeida was asked. "I leave the whole thing to that province, where it will depend entirely on the interpretation that the Quebec local legislature may take," he said.

Sergeant-Major Under General French

Veteran of Boer War Who Lost Health on the Veldt Tells Experience
Good Advice for All Who Have Indigestion or Stomach Disorders
In his home at Waldgrove, N. S., no one is better known than Sergt. Major Cross, late of the 4th Queen's Own Hussars. Speaking of the ill effects of a campaign upon a man's constitution, the Sergt. Major writes: "I served under General French during the late Boer war. In the capacity of Sergeant Major, I was perhaps owing to a continued diet of bully beef, hard tack and hard water, but at a rate my stomach entirely gave out. I was in such a state that I could eat nothing without the greatest suffering. The army doctors did not help me much, and since leaving the service I have been very miserable. Some few months ago a friend told me he had been a great sufferer from indigestion until he tried Dr. Hamilton's Pills; they cured him. I confess it was without much faith I bought a box, but the first dose made me feel better than I had been for a long time. Dr. Hamilton's Pills completely cured, and now I can eat everything and anything. I have recommended them to others, and in every case the result has been similar to mine. Quick, sure results attend the use of Dr. Hamilton's Pills. They cure disorders of the stomach, correct indigestion, make you feel uplifted and strengthened. To renew or maintain health, Dr. Hamilton's Pills always prove a good prescription. 25c per box, five boxes for \$1.00, all dealers or The Catarhoxone Co., Buffalo, N. Y., and Kingston, Ont.

SETS PACE FOR BRITISH NAVY

To Offset Germany's Plan 5 Million Is Asked
London, July 29.—Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, in introducing the supplementary naval appropriation of five million dollars in the House of Commons this afternoon, said the direct cause of the increase in expenditures on the British navy was to be found in the new Germany navy law, the main feature of which was the increase in the striking force of ships of all classes. The effect of the new German navy law would, he said, be that nearly four-fifths of the entire German navy would be maintained in full permanent commission and instantly ready for war. The first lord continued: "Such preparation is remarkable, and as far as I am aware finds no example in the previous practice of modern naval powers." Mr. Churchill then announced the British shipbuilding program for the next five years, saying that five battle ships were to be constructed next year and four in each of the following years. This new college of art, we trust, will not make a specialty of instructing students in the art of using out to paint the town.

THE PRINTER

Now tell us Mr. Citizen, What would this world do, if there weren't any printers To flash the news to you?

Some folks look down on printers; They think they're no good— They say they'll turn their fingers To harm you if they could. Just stop and think a moment, And you will plainly see: That a printer is a jewel, The best that there can be. If there weren't any printers There'd be no daily papers, To read each Sunday morn— They say you condemn the printers And look on them with scorn. They sit all night and pound the keys, They work their fingers sore— They set up type with might and main Until there is no more. A wrong font 's the "ts" won't drop, The size fall on the floor— The metal pot gets empty, Till the whole thing seems a bore. Sometimes they get bad copy, It tries their patience too; But they work ahead and never kick, Just to get the news to you. A printer has philanthropy; He'll help you if he can— And always shuns with horror, Man's inhumanity to man. There'd be no news from coast to coast, The ships adrift at sea; Without the printers, tell us, What would this world be? He who condemns the printer, Condemns a worthy foe; For the printer 's the watchword That makes this great world go. Don't look with shame upon these boys, These men who are so true— Because their works shall live and live, Yes, live the whole world through. A printer's not an angel, Nor does he claim to be— But he likes to have the credit For his generosity. FORMER WYOMING GOVERNOR DEAD
Melbourne, Australia, July 30.—Ex-Governor Richards of Wyoming, who was a member of a land-seekers' party, died today of heart disease.

Store Opens 8.45 a. m. Closes 6 p. m. Saturdays 9.30 p. m.
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Values are real not in print only but backed by facts. The stocktaking now in progress continues to bring to the surface small remainders and odd lots which we are determined shall not be entered on the stock sheets, this means that prices have been cut to smithereens on hundreds of dollars worth of strictly desirable merchandise of every description that I want out of the way. The big bargains on this page are examples of the vigorous price pruning that is going on, and besides there are dozens of other bargains you'll see displayed in the various departments throughout the store many of them limited quantities, for the reason that they have been best sellers, even these remainders we are willing to take a loss in order to effect an absolute clean up. Come for them Wednesday morning, they'll not be here after that.

SPECIAL NO. 1 TRUNKS Special trunks, 38 inches \$3.95; deep or steamer trunks bound stout fibre, outside straps hoop steel angle protectors, iron bottom, heavy corners, brass lock, fancy lining. Reg. \$7.25. Extra special— \$3.95	SPECIAL NO. 2 "PRYJO" ELECTRIC TOASTER, \$3.95 Attach to any electric light socket in your dining room. "Pryjo" toaster makes crisp, delicious toasts just as you like it or dark brown, hot and toasty. Two pieces toast at a time. 150-watt—very minute. Wednesday special— \$3.95	SPECIAL NO. 3 NEW FRUIT SEALERS Pints, special, 2 doz. for \$1.25 Quarts, special, 2 doz. for \$1.45 Half Gal., special, 1 doz. for 95c Phone China Dept.	SPECIAL NO. 4 LADIES' HATS Mohair hats in different colored cloths, trimmed in flowers and sprays, reg. \$5.00 for— \$2.50
SPECIAL NO. 5 UNTRIMMED SHAPES In mixed straw, blue, green, red, black, reg. \$4.00 for \$2.00. All pattern and untrimmed hats HALF PRICE	FIRST FLOOR GREAT SALE OF TRUNKS, SUITCASES AND CLOUBAGGS, DISCOUNT 33 1-3 OFF MARKED PRICES \$50.00 trunks, suitcases, or club bags for..... \$40.00 \$45.00 trunks, suitcases, or club bags for..... \$30.00 \$40.00 trunks, suitcases, or club bags for..... \$28.00 \$35.00 trunks, suitcases, or club bags for..... \$24.00 \$30.00 trunks, suitcases, or club bags for..... \$20.00 \$25.00 trunks, suitcases, or club bags for..... \$16.00 \$20.00 trunks, suitcases, or club bags for..... \$12.00 \$15.00 trunks, suitcases, or club bags for..... \$8.00 \$10.00 trunks, suitcases, or club bags for..... \$4.00 \$8.00 trunks, suitcases, or club bags for..... \$3.20 \$6.00 trunks, suitcases, or club bags for..... \$2.40 We invite your close inspection of goods and prices, see for yourself if we have the goods at the right prices. Note 33 1-3 off. "No obligation to buy."	SPECIAL NO. 6 CHILDREN'S COATS About 50 children's serge coats, 2 to 8 years, in navy, green, cardinal and brown, \$2.00 to \$3.00. Wednesday special— 97c	SPECIAL NO. 7 CHILDREN'S SUMMER MILLINERY HALF PRICE Values \$1.00 to \$5.00 are marked to— 50c to \$2.50
SPECIAL NO. 8 LADIES' VESTS Ladies' summer vests made of fine balbriggan, dainty lace yoke, no sleeves, 55c values for— 39c	SPECIAL NO. 9 LADIES' VESTS Ladies' ribbed summer vests, low neck, no sleeves, 25c dozen to clear, 55c quality Wednesday— 19c	SPECIAL NO. 10 LADIES' OXFORDS AND PUMPS Ladies' Oxfords or pumps, colors tan or black, special price— \$1.95	SPECIAL NO. 11 MORNING SLIPPERS Ladies' morning slippers, medium or low heels, fasten with strap over instep, Wednesday special— \$1.65
SPECIAL NO. 12 WHITE CANVAS OXFORDS Misses' and girls' white canvas oxfords, tan calf barfoot sandals, to clear, pr— 75c	SPECIAL NO. 13 MAIN FLOOR MEN'S UNDERWEAR Men's Balbriggan Underwear, in all shades. Regular \$1.00 suit. Wednesday only, Suit... .65c	SPECIAL NO. 14 MEN'S HALF HOSE Men's colored hose thread 1-2 hose, seamless, reg. 50c pr. Wednesday only— 25c	SPECIAL NO. 15 MEN'S SUITS 20 only, size 35 to 40 chest. Men's all wool dark English worsteds and tweeds, style three button, sacque. No 1 quality trimmings, perfect tailoring, fit guaranteed, regular \$24.00, to clear Wednesday only— \$10.00
SPECIAL NO. 16 MEN'S TROUSERS Men's English worsted trousers, black and grey stripes, good quality, trimming, and perfect fitting, very dressy and guaranteed to give full satisfaction, regular \$3.00, Wednesday only— \$2.39	SPECIAL NO. 17 BOYS' SUITS Broken lots of boys' tweed suits in grey, brown and mixtures, to \$11.00. 11, 12 and 14 years. Wednesday morning only— \$3.95	SPECIAL NO. 18 BOYS' JERSEYS Broken lots in boys' jersey in white, cardinal, myrtle, roseada, navy and brown, ages 1-12 to 14 years only. Wednesday special— \$2.25	SPECIAL NO. 19 BOYS' WASH SUITS All our boys' wash suits, reg. \$1.50, \$1.75, in best white stripes and checks, all ages, 1-12 to 14 years. Wednesday morning only— \$1.00
SPECIAL NO. 20 TABLE DAMASK Pure white table damask, heavy quality, 2 yards wide, Wednesday special, yard— 39c	SPECIAL NO. 21 SHEETING Twilled sheeting, pure white, 2 yards wide, worth 45c yd. Wednesday special, yd— 30c	SPECIAL NO. 22 TOWELS Brown, turkish towels, very strong make, size 25 x 40, wonderful value. Wednesday, pr— 29c	SPECIAL NO. 23 ROLLER TOWELS All linen crash, 21-2 yds. best grade containing each. Wednesday special, yd— 39c
SPECIAL NO. 24 RIBBONS 3 inch taffeta ribbon, beautiful colors, pure dye, exceptional value at 15c yd. Wednesday special, yd— 12 1-2c	SPECIAL NO. 25 LADIES' GLOVES Ladies' lisle gloves, finest quality, made in black, white, grey, mode, reg. 65c. Wednesday special— 45c	SPECIAL NO. 26 LADIES' TIES Falsley design, ringed ends, the most correct style for recent wear, reg. 65c. Wednesday special— 50c	SPECIAL NO. 27 PARASOLS Wednesday special only, raw silk (Shantung) parasols, reg. \$2 Special— \$1.50
SPECIAL NO. 28 SHANTUNG AND PONGEE SILK Very best quality only, heavy weight, cleaned and non rough finish, reg. 65c. Wednesday morning, special, yd— 45c	SPECIAL NO. 29 REMNANTS Further and final reductions on remnants for Wednesday morning only, many half and less than usual prices.	SPECIAL NO. 30 PRYJO FLOUR Pryjo—The finest flour obtainable. Regular \$1.75. Special 40lb. bag— \$1.55	SPECIAL NO. 31 COFFEE Red, white and blue. Regular 50c tin for— 35c
SPECIAL NO. 32 TOMATOES Finest Canned No. 1, reg. \$1.25 per case. Special— \$3.59	SPECIAL NO. 33 BACON Finest selected sides, half or whole per lb. LARD Armour's Pure, 3lb. pail 45c	GROCERY SECTION, BASEMENT	

AN AD SAVED TWO SOULS
At \$50 Apiece They Were Cheap, Says Pastor, Who Will Use Papers Regularly
Chicago, July 29.—Two souls were saved yesterday as the direct result of a newspaper display ad. The advertisement cost the Rev. Benjamin Micklebrown, pastor of the Orward Presbyterian church, \$100. He said today that \$50 a piece for souls was cheap. The Rev. Mr. Micklebrown receives no salary for being the pastor of the small church. He earns a living by selling life insurance. The \$100 was paid out of his own pocket, and he says he will do extensive advertising in the future. The advertisement which won the two souls was headed, "God's Word," and contained Paul's speech to the Thessalonians. "I believe," said the Rev. Mr. Micklebrown today, "that the churches will soon realize that newspaper advertising is supplementary to their working program is indispensable."

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WEDNES LOOSE
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WEDNESDAY, JULY 31, 1912.
LOOSENESS SOMEWHERE

It is evident there was looseness somewhere in connection with the advertising of the money by-election held Monday, according to numerous residents of the city who reside on the north side of the Bow. Residents of Crescent Heights who had their first opportunity of voting on money by-laws and who were vitally interested in the provision for the extension of the water system, were loud in their complaints yesterday that the advertising of the by-law had not been sufficient thoroughness to acquaint the people of that section that they had the opportunity to vote.

One resident of Crescent Heights who called upon the editor of the paper stated that he felt certain that very few people in that district were aware that a vote was being taken. He pointed out that while the provision for advertising money by-laws by the insertion of legal notices in the newspapers three times had been complied with, as far as he was aware nothing further had been done to acquaint the voters of the fact that an election was to be held. He pointed out further that it has been the custom in the past to put placards on the street cars when the kind are being taken and that this was done. He pointedly inquired what the city pays a publicity commissioner for if the preparation of news articles on subjects of this kind for the newspapers is not one of them. This complaint declared the belief that the fact that only three votes were recorded in Crescent Heights was due solely to lack of proper advertisement and not to want of interest on the part of taxpayers, as was supposed to be the case.

That the by-laws were not advertised as thoroughly as has been the case in the past, seems to be true and while there is no doubt something in the argument that people who are vitally interested in a public question of large importance to themselves would do well to take the trouble to inform themselves, still it seems obvious there was looseness somewhere.

BEGINNING TO SEE THE LIGHT

If we are to judge from the utterances of President G. T. Somers of the Toronto board of trade as published in an interview from Vancouver yesterday morning, the east is beginning to see the light with regard to the great farming community of the west. Last fall the east denied the farmer of the west the opportunity to increase his earnings and there is no use of attempting to deny the fact that there has been a strong sentiment of resentment in the heart of the western farmer against what at least seemed a willingness on the part of the east to circumscribe the opportunities of the west while at the same time profiting from the western's burden, put upon him by the heavy tariff.

The voice of Mr. Somers is one of the first to be raised from the east in behalf of the western farmer. He professes a great interest in the welfare of the western farmer and assumes to tell them what will cure their ills, industrially. Undoubtedly Mr. Somers points out some things wherein the western farmer would be distinctly benefitted if his suggestions were put into effect. He tells the country that reciprocity would be quickly forgotten if freight rates in the west were made to conform to the rates in the east. Then he says that if protection is a good thing for the east it must be so for the western farmer and suggests giving him some. But how does he propose to do it? Why, by bonusing the flour industry which he says would increase the price the western farmer would get for his wheat by a couple of cents a bushel.

That's generous all right, but it may be noted that he does not propose to benefit the western farmer to the extent of a trifle without benefitting a manufacturer a great many times as much. In the judgment of The Albertan Mr. Somers and all others similarly minded, will have a hard time making the western farmer believe that a bonanza for his industrial ailments will ever be found in the maintenance of the present tariff arrangement whatever half measures may be adopted to increase the price he gets for his products by a little. He does not want protection for that which he has to sell; he isn't afraid of his business being rendered unprofitable by farm products being shipped in from the states or any other country to compete with his and while that is true it will be a difficult matter to convince him that protection which makes him pay higher prices for that which he has to buy than are paid anywhere else in the world will ever benefit him in any very large measure.

It would undoubtedly be a very great benefit to the western farmer to have the freight rates put on an equality with the rates of the east and the indications are that it is going to come; possibly

the bonusing of export flour might have a tendency to be of some benefit to him, but the question is at least a debatable one. Bonusing is not especially attractive and someone has got to pay the bonus. It can scarcely be doubted that the farmer would find he had his share to pay and it would be a good deal like robbing Peter to pay Paul.

Mr. Somers' proposal, designed to benefit the western farmer by increasing his ability to earn by raising the prices of that which he sells, is entirely laudable, but it does not take into account the lack of ability to sell which he is going to be up against in a few years with the prodigious increase in the aggregate of farm products that is going on from year to year. If some means of opening new markets to him is not found, you may call it by whatever name you like, we are strongly of the opinion that reciprocity will not be dead in a year whatever small sops you may throw to the western farmer with a view to pacifying him.

As to Mr. Somers' suggestion that the government provide drying plants and plenty of elevators, no one will take issue with that. It would be a distinct benefit to the western farmer.

The east seems to be beginning to see the light, but it will have to see more of it before the western farmer is satisfied.

WATCH CALGARY AFTER NOV. 1ST

To the occasional pessimist who is wont to complain that Calgary is expanding too rapidly for safety and soundness, The Albertan would say: Watch Calgary after November first. On that date, if all calculations do not miscarry, and there is the soundest of reasons to believe they will not, the Grand Trunk Pacific will begin running trains into the city.

Surely it is not too optimistic to believe that if Calgary has had such an unprecedented growth with the lines of but one railway company serving the city, with another trunk line opening up other new, great and rich territory and making it tributary to Calgary, the development incident to the coming of the road may with good reason be expected to be very large.

The Albertan expects to be a very much interested witness of further large and substantial growth of the city with the coming of the new line and it expects to see that growth further augmented with the coming of the Canadian Northern a little later.

Obviously, the day upon which the pessimist may realize on his gloomy prognostications is not yet.

Ideas of a Plain Man

THE government ought to be changed. There never was a government that did not need changing. There never will be. Certain reformers seem to imagine that if we could get a perfect government the ills of the nation would speedily be cured. This is merely one form of that enthusiastic but mistaken dream which in general mankind is prone to, that we ourselves would be ideal if we only had ideal circumstances. For government is but a circumstance, a part of our environment, one of the outward conditions to which we are subject; a very important one, to be sure. But we might as well say, if we had an ideal family, or home, or town, or schools, or churches; for all these things mean simply ideal people, which you probably will never find. We all have the perfect man, the faultless woman in our minds' eye; but we shall never see one with the eye of this flesh. The best we can do is to keep approximating to perfection as best we can. The ideal government is simply that government where there is the maximum of order with the minimum of constraint. We approach this only as individuals become by nature more orderly. As the citizen improves in self-control the control of government gradually disappears. Absolutism and privilege are necessitated by ignorance, not intelligence and altruism can bring about pure democracy.

A LIGHTHOUSE TWO MILES INLAND

Beams From the Ambrose Channel Beacon are Thrown 25 Miles

One always thinks of a lighthouse as being some tall rocks against whose base the ocean surges thunder incessantly. The great beacon that the federal government has just completed and this operation to guide ships coming up the Ambrose Channel into New York Harbor at night is more than two miles inland.

The Ambrose Channel is one of the greatest waterways in all the world. This new light and the others already in place practically complete its illumination. So well lighted is it now that it is as safe for ships at night as Broadway is for vehicles. The Ambrose Channel is a huge sea canal on which the government spent some eight years and five million dollars. It is seven and one-half miles long, two thousand feet wide and forty feet deep. It was finished less than a year ago. It extends to a huge angle for a mile and a half into the lower bay and provides a safe channel for the greatest ships in the world. The channel is marked by two lines of buoys, buoys on one side and whistling buoys on the other, with the West Bank Light at the head. But in severe storms the buoys are sometimes dislodged. The Signal Station Rear Range Light in service, however, the two light dead ahead of vessels furnish a certain indication of the channel's center.

This, oddly placed inland lighthouse, which surmounts Richmond Hill, Staten Island, stands 230 feet above the sea. Sixty feet of this is the elevation of the tower itself. It is what is known as a "fixed" light. It does not revolve like the flashing beacon of the Navvink Light, but shines steadily in one direction—straight along the broad waterway lane of the Ambrose Channel. It is a kerosene light, and its light is a powerful ray from a mantle not much larger than half a banana. Its brilliancy is 300,000-candle power.

HOMES FALLING INTO DECAY

Rural Living Accommodations of English Laborers Are Deploable

There is a lack of cottages and homes for laborers in many of the rural districts, more particularly in the counties of Essex and Somerset in England. At Dulverton, Somerset, many cottages have been condemned by the medical officer of health. They were overcrowded, and inmates were forced even to sleep on the landing. Neither the district council nor the land owners are prepared to build, partly for the reason that the recent land taxes have greatly increased the cost of new development. The result is that many families must live in insanitary conditions, and those who desire to marry cannot do so. There are parishes where none has been married for fifteen years and more. In the neighborhood of a small holding in the county of Berkshire, three couples were recently forced to the workhouse solely for want of a cottage accommodation. Every year the situation is getting worse. It does not pay to build, and the thousands of pretty old cottages built before the days of agricultural depression are falling into ruin.

WOMEN AND HER RAIMENT

Many of Them Pay \$200 For Gowns in a Single Year

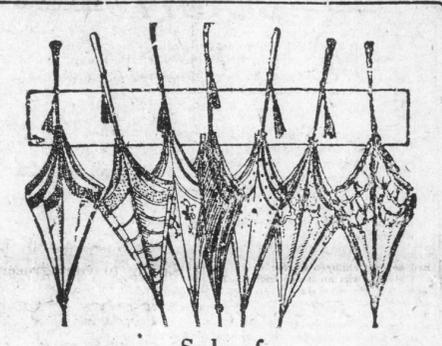
Napoleon at the beginning of the Empire had a wardrobe of 1,000 gowns for her toilet, later he made it 300,000. But there was never a year she did not far outstrip the allowance. Masson de Meudon, an average man, spent \$250,000 a year and the itemized accounts of articles in her wardrobe give authority for the amount. Josephine's case, of course, exceptional in history. She was an untrained woman, generous and pleasure-loving, utterly without a sense of responsibility. She had all the instincts and habits of demimondaine, moreover she had been thrust into a position where she was expected to live up to great traditions of magnificence. Her passion for ornament had every temptation and excuse for it was constantly excited by the hoards of greedy tradesmen and no less greedy ladies-in-waiting who hung about her urging her to buy and give. It is hard to believe that Josephine's case could be even remotely suggested in our democracy, yet one woman in American society bought last summer in Europe a half-dozen new gowns, which she paid a thousand dollars apiece. There are women who will start on a Journey with 100 or 150 pairs of shoes. There are others who buy black satin piping and B. & W. serge buttons. Regular \$35.00, for \$19.00. 1 Cream Novelty Suit, corduroy, trimmed with B. & W. piping and beautiful applique collar and cuffs. Regular \$39.00, for \$25.50. 1 Cream Serge Suit, fine French serge, trimmed with sky, moire and cream applique. Regular \$35.00, for \$19.00. 2 Black and White Stripe Suits with black satin piping and B. & W. serge buttons. Regular \$35.00, for \$19.00. 1 Cream Serge Suit, black and white silk penguin collar and pearl buttons. Regular \$30.00, for \$15.95. 5 Cream French Serge Suits, with fine blue or red hair line stripes, striped man tailored. Regular \$35.00, for \$19.00.

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY

Store Closes at 1 p. m. Today---Extra Specials For a Busy 4 1-2 Hours' Shopping

Mothers Can Save on Boys' Knickers

As a rule boys are so hard on their knickers that mothers have to get new supplies often. If you are in this position here is your chance to get a new supply and save money. These knickers are made from hard wearing tweeds and in the bloomer style. They have two pockets, are lined throughout and come in pleasing dark gray and fawn striped patterns; all sizes; made to sell at \$1.35. This morning special \$1.00



Remnant Sale of Laces & Embroideries at Half Price

Be sure and take advantage of this remnant sale, because it will save half the usual cost involved in trimming white-wear waists, ladies' and children's dresses, etc. The collection comprises a wide range of designs and in fine laces and insertions, also Swiss embroidery edgings, bandings, insertions and headings; widths 1-2 to 6 inches. This morning Half Price.

Sale of SUNSHADES Today, 9 a. m.--- Not Before

Now that "Old Sol" has returned from his vacation the sunshade again holds full sway. This morning you can select a new one at 50c and get a 65c to \$1.00 value. These Sunshades comprise the balance of a special purchase, which accounts for such a splendid offer. They are made of fine mercerized fabrics and with strong ribs and handle. They come in a wide range of floral, stripe, check and border effects and in a variety of colors. See them in 8th Avenue window. 65c to \$1.00 values.

This Morning, 9 a. m. Until 1 p. m. 50c

Carpet Ends at Half Price and Less

A few carpet ends are always useful in the house, especially as bedroom, bath room; hall and door-mats, and for several other purposes.

Today you can secure one or more of these useful articles and at a saving of half the usual price. They come in a wide range of floral, conventional and art designs; also in combination colors of green, fawn, brown and cardinal. They are also of good quality and wear splendidly. Tapestry Ends Regular \$1.10, for 50c Brussels Ends Regular \$1.50, for 75c On Sale Today, 9 a. m. to 1 p. m.

30c Playing Cards 15c

When you can buy the famous Goodall 30c playing cards for 15c, you are getting a good bargain and should make the most of it. We are a little overstocked with these cards, otherwise you wouldn't be offered such a snap. But take a hand in this game today, for it is a trump value. Regular 30c, 15c for Dry Goods Section

The Price of All Cretonnes, Dimities and Taffetas Cut in Half

Shoppers who come to this sale will go away with high grade draping materials and with a saving of half to boot. We have too many for this time of the year and this sale is calculated to even matters. There are too many in the collection to give an adequate description, but it contains materials suitable for curtains, hangings, coverings, valances and numerous other purposes. Wide selections of patterns and colors; good widths. Regular prices 12-24 to 65c.

This Morning, 9 a. m., Not Before HALF PRICE

112 piece Bridal Rose Dinner Sets Reg. \$25 for \$17.50

A dinner set opportunity of this great saving nature does not occur often. It is this fact that we wish to emphasize, also the fact that you must take advantage of it this morning if you wish to get one. It is one of our very popular open stock designs and comprises 112 pieces to the set. It is made of fine white Austrian china, with clustered rose border and gold filigree edge; all handles are decorated with gold and centre of plates, etc., has clusters of roses. Each piece made up as follows:

- 1 doz. ten plates
1 doz. cups and saucers
1 doz. breakfast plates
1 doz. dinner plates
1 doz. soup plates
1 doz. fruit saucers
1 salad bowl
2 covered vegetable dishes
3 pattern, 10, 12, 14
3 sauce tureen and stand
1 each sugar and cream
1 stop bowl
1 spoon tray

Regular \$25, 112 Piece Set Today, 9 a. m. Until 1 p. m. \$17.50

Apricots 4 Basket Crate, Today 8.30 a. m. \$1.65

Peaches Choice and Ripe, Today 8.30 a. m., crate \$1.25

Women's Cream Serge Suits and Coats at Great Savings

These Cream Serge Suits and Coats have a charming, summery appearance, also plenty of dignified style. They are garments for the woman who wants to be well dressed and who appreciates good quality, superior tailoring and stylish materials. Continuing today these pre-inventory prices will enable you to buy one of these handsome garments at a big saving.

IF NO DISCRIMINATION, A BLOCKADE CERTAINLY

Discrimination against Canadian industry in favor of American, and a freight blockade seem to be involved in the situation as regards the supply of cement at the present time. A few weeks ago the country was confronted by a shortage of cement which promised to greatly interfere with the building development of all parts of the Canadian West during the season. At that time the Canada Cement company maintained that if the railroads would supply the cars that company would supply the cement.

WILL DEMAND DRY DOCK

Quebec Citizens Will Ask the Government to Establish One at That Port. Quebec, July 30.—The Quebec board of trade, together with the harbor commissioners and leading citizens of Quebec, will form a delegation to interview the Hon. F. D. Monk, minister of public works, who will visit here tomorrow. They will insist upon the urgent necessity of having a dry dock built at Quebec, the illustration of this necessity having just been given by the experiences of the Empress of Britain which will be obliged to go to England for permanent repairs.

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THE MORNING ALBERTAN SPORTING DEPARTMENT

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BUNNIE BUNSTINE BID FAREWELL TO THE BRONKS WITH A TIMELY PINCH HIT, TURNING DEFEAT INTO VICTORY

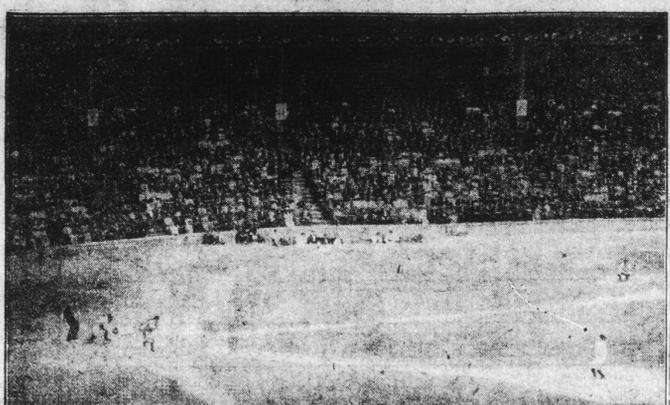
Final Game of Old Western Canada League Was Won by the Bronks With a Brilliant Ninth Inning Batting Rally; Bunstine the Big Shine in the Game

NEVER did a ball player leave a league under more auspicious circumstances than did Bunnie Bunstine. With a wire in his pocket telling him that his one year old baby was seriously sick and urging him to come on the first train, Bunnie walked up to the plate last night as a pinch hitter when the score was 3 to 2 against Calgary and two out and leaned against the official Reach spheroid for two bases, sending in his boss, Julie Strieb, ahead of him with the run which tied the score. This timely pinch hit turned what looked like an almost certain defeat into a victory for Larry Piper came up next and lifted a Texas leaguer over second base which allowed Bunnie to come home with the winning run of the game.

The game last night was the kind of home folks like to win, and the kind which the opposition blame on to have a lock. It was the Bronks' game practically all the way. Up to the ninth inning the visitors had accumulated three runs by a simple process of addition, setting a tally in each of three successive innings. In the meantime the Bronks had the smallest unit hanging up on the score board, and with the tag end of the batting order coming up in the ninth, things didn't look too rosy for the Bronks. The faithful Bronks who had seen many games won in the ninth pulled hard when they saw the determined look on the face of Roche, who was first up. The new recruit caught a straight one on the nose and was as far as second before the ball was back in the diamond. Vivien followed with a single, which scored his predecessor and made things look a little more interesting. But reach was thrown out at second when Julie Strieb was safe at first on a fielder's choice. Dudley drew wild to first to catch Julie, and the Broncho boys went to second. The fans were encouraged when they saw Pete Stindridge ready to bat for Wils, but Pete popped up a puny foul which White nabbed. With two down Bunnie Bunstine was sent in as a father hope to save the contest, and Bunnie did save it, as narrated above.

Box score table with columns for AB, R, H, SH, SO, PO, A, E. Lists players like Borleski, Dudley, Whiteman, etc.

Score by Innings: Edmonton 0, Calgary 3. Summary: Two base hits, Williams, Vivien, Bunstine; first base on balls, off Heinrich 6, off Baronkamp 2; left fielding, Calgary 5, Edmonton 5; struck out, by Baronkamp 5, by Heinrich 5; double plays, Brennan (unassisted), Brennan, Sullivan to Roche; wild pitch, Balla, White; wild pitches, Heinrich; hit pitched ball, Brennan; Time 1:46. Umpires, Sullivan and Longenecker. Attendance 250.



When the New York Giants failed to lick the little Maple Leafs—Crowd at the Island stadium, Toronto, at the exhibition game between the New York Giants of the National league, and the Toronto Maple Leafs, of the International league. After a red hot game for ten innings, the Giants had to turn for their train leaving the score two to two. Dick Rudolph, the Leaf's pitcher, and Bill O'Hara, the Leaf's outfielder, were the stars of the game.

CON JONES BUSY IN THE EAST ARRANGING FOR AN ALL STAR AGGREGATION

Vancouver Lacrosse Mogul Will Bring Team to Coast Second Week in September

Nothing Definite Known About Permanent Team to Complete Coast Season

Toronto, July 30.—Con Jones, manager of Vancouver lacrosse league, arrived here yesterday from Winnipeg to arrange for an all star aggregation for the west. He went immediately from the train to interview James Murphy with regard to this project. Jones stated that if arrangements were satisfactorily carried out, the men were obtained, the team would probably leave for the coast about September 10. Three games will probably be played during the winter, all to take place in Vancouver. This team will, of course, only remain temporarily in the west, as far as is known at present. As regards establishing a permanent team in the west, made up of eastern players, nothing definite is known. Victoria will probably be the home ground of this team, but it is not likely anything will be decided this year. Victoria has about four or five likely players, who, together with those who can be secured in the east, ought to make a strong rival for the other western teams. Jones is after the Big Four winners and the National Lacrosse union champions, to make the trip to the coast for the Minto Cup. Jones stated he would leave for Montreal tonight.



NEW YORK GIANTS IN TORONTO—Pitcher Lou Wiltse talking to Catcher Hartley.

EXECUTIVE MEETING OF WESTERN CANADA BASEBALL DROP RED DEER AND BASSANO FROM LEAGUE

Hy. Chandler Reported He Was Unable to Further Finance the Team and Would Have to Quit; Bassano Dropped in Order to Even Up

AT the special meeting of the Western Canada league executive held here yesterday morning, Red Deer and Bassano were dropped from the organization and it was decided to finish the season with Calgary and Edmonton playing home and home games. The two remaining clubs will grab onto the best players on each of the team which were dropped from the league, which will supply the two Alberta metropolises with the best baseball in their history.

The Red Deer club were forced to drop from the league for financial reasons, the club being unable to keep up the expenses of a professional ball team because of the poor attendance and the many postponed games necessitated by the unusually rainy season. It was then decided to drop the Bassano club in order to make the league be composed of an even number of teams.

A tentative schedule was drawn up at the meeting yesterday but Secretary Horner of the Edmonton baseball club and President Savage of the local club, will work out a schedule for the remainder of the season today. In all probability the teams will alternate week and week in Calgary and Edmonton.

It was also decided to add all the games won in the second series to those won in the first series and take the total as the final standing of the teams for the first series. Under this arrangement the Calgary team will be declared the victor in the first series, the games standing:

Table with columns: Won, Lost, Pct. Rows: Calgary (36, 26, .581), Bassano (34, 28, .548), Red Deer (35, 33, .515), Edmonton (24, 42, .364)

NIRAWANA WON FIRST HEAT FOR GEORGE CUP

Toronto, July 30.—The Nirawana, of the R.C.C. fleet, won the first race for the George cup today by 2.43. Her time over the twelve mile course was 2:14.4. The Waterwren was the American challenger. The official time by laps was:

STRATFORD OLDTIMER MET DEATH BY FALL

Stratford, Ont., July 30.—Jas. McPherson, an aged resident of this city, died at a hospital today from injuries received an hour earlier in a fall down the rear staircase of the Deering agency.

MORE WORLD'S RECORDS

"Ross" Rifle and "Ross" Ammunition clean up everything in sight in the match rifle competitions at Bisley

In the Hopton Grand Aggregate which represents the total scores of the six big Bisley Match Shoots, at ranges of 900, 1,000 and 1,100 yards the "Ross" Rifle and "Ross" Ammunition took the first six places. Top score, 792 out of 825.

In the King's-Norton Match at 1,200 yards, a World's Record was made with Ross Rifle and Ross Ammunition. Score: 73 out of 75.

This year's triumph at Bisley, confirming previous years' results, classes the "Ross" Match Rifle as the champion of all long-range rifles in the British Empire—and probably, therefore, in the world.

Sportsmen who seek an accurate and high power arm will be glad to know that the Ross 280 High Velocity Rifle has the same barrel and breech as the military match rifle which only differs from it in the sights and style of stock. Its low trajectory and reliability have made the Ross a favorite in India with big game hunters.

Illustrated catalogue and full information sent on request.

Ross Rifle Company - - Quebec

Crist Bros. Cafe advertisement with address 112 NINTH AVE. EAST and prices for dinners and meals.

TARDINESS OF THE PLAYERS SPOILED FOOTBALL CONTEST

But Ten Men Turned Out on Each Side in Game Between Thistles and City

City and Thistle had only out ten men each in their game at Hillhurst Park last evening, and had the game started at the scheduled time they would not have had that number. As it was, the start was made quarter of an hour behind time, and in the last ten minutes the ball could scarcely be seen. The game was a hard one, but with little good football, and the City ran out winners by three goals to two.

BASEBALL KILLED SCHOOLBOY

Blood Poisoning From a Bruise Fatal to a Newark, N. J., Player

Newark, N. J., July 29.—George Campbell, a schoolboy ball player, is dead of blood poisoning at a hospital here. A week ago the boy was watching a game of baseball between two semi-professional teams when a wild ball thrown by one of the pitchers struck him in the ankle. The bruise grew rapidly worse and three days later he was taken to the hospital. The surgeon said the case was undoubtedly blood poisoning, but that it was remarkable because there was no break in the skin through which the poison could have entered.

GRAND CIRCUIT RACES

Cleveland, July 30.—Promises of fast time at the North Randall track in the Grand Circuit races, was fulfilled today. The chief performer was Bruden D'iret, entered in the 2-06 pace for the Forest City \$1,000 stake, with Egan holding the reins, Braden won the second and third heats after having finished ninth in the opening heat. His best time was in the second heat, which he won in 2:02.4. He lowered the world's record for four year old pacers, 2:04, made by Onyx in the same time was in the second heat. The winner, Braden, placed the 2:06 class in which there were but four starters. First money in this class went to St. R. sent up the wire by Murphy in two straight heats, followed in order in each heat by Don Denmore, Maj. Brino and Peter the Second. In the 2:20 trotting, Eva Cord won in three straight heats.

BASEBALL RESULTS IN TABLOID FORM

Large table with columns for National League, American League, Northwestern, and International League, listing teams and scores.

MAYBE WE HAVE A LEAGUE AND MAYBE WE HAVEN'T

The effect of the meeting of the Red Deer baseball club held last night, upon the ultimate formation of the Western Canada league is problematical. At the meeting held here in Calgary yesterday it was understood that the Red Deer club was agreeable to the dropping from the league and steps were taken accordingly. The Bassano team was also dropped. Chesty Cox at once got busy and arranged for the sale of some of the players.

RED DEER WILL STICK IN WESTERN CANADA BALL LEAGUE

Executive of Club Meets in Red Deer and Raises Funds to Complete Season

Executive Were Not Told of the Meeting of the League Held in Calgary Yesterday

FORT ERIE RACES

Fort Erie, Ont., July 30.—August Belmont's Rockwell beat a field of good youngsters in the Ironclad stakes, today's feature race. Rockwell carried top weight, 118 pounds, made all his own pace, and beat out Schorr's Leo Chares by a length. The time was fast all the way. Form was much in evidence all afternoon, five favorites making good. The card was the best since the opening day. Helen Barbee proved the best in the six furlong race, while Countess scored his first win in many months by beating Jack Pup long a length and a half in the mile and a furlong.

WINSTON CHURCHILL WILL VISIT CANADA

London, July 30.—Rt. Honorable Winston Churchill will be within a day or two regarding a visit to Canada during the parliamentary session. There is but one consideration that now prevents his acceptance of the invitation from Canada. In the event of arrangements being satisfactorily made, the first lord of the admiralty will leave during the first week in August.

ENGLAND LEADS

London, July 30.—At the close of play in the second day of the test cricket matches at Winchester, England was all out for 202. Higgs scored 9, Hines, Barnes, not out, 1. Australia obtained 14 runs for no wickets.

NEWYATA PARK FIXTURES

North field: Tigers vs. Cubs. Practice game. South field: Church of Redeemer vs. Y.M.C.A. Intermediate soccer league. West field: Police vs. Waterworks. Municipal league. North-west field: Herald vs. Herald. West-Western. Printers' baseball league. Gosh. W. Neal, J. Smith and M. Jeffrey; P. Willis, T. Avery and E. Smith; J. Roughton, D. Smith, M. Ashcroft, J. Clark, W. Marr, Reserves—J. Maberley, G. Carter, S. Nichol.

Y. M. C. A. TEAM TONIGHT

The following are requested to turn out for the Y. M. C. A. football team tonight (Wednesday evening) in Newyata Park at 7 p.m., against the Church of the Redeemer football club. League fixture.

DR. THOS. H. QUIRK DENTAL SPECIALIST advertisement with address 132 2nd Ave. E. and phone 1794.

5,000,000 Feet of Lumber advertisement with address East Yard, 21st Avenue and 12th Street East, and West Yard, 8th Avenue and 8th Street West.

Baseball Today advertisement for Hillhurst Park 8:30 Ladies' Day.

Cricketers, Attention! advertisement for a meeting of cricketers and supporters.

BAXTER BROS. advertisement for contractors of cement walks and floors.

FOSTER COMING HOME advertisement for Ottawa, July 28.

KILLED HIMSELF advertisement for a West Virginia fugitive.

STOP advertisement for a candidate for Michigan.

Calgary's Debentures Sell For Good Figure in London

TORONTO, July 30.—Concerning the recent flotation of 500,000 pounds, 4 1/2 per cent. debentures by the City of Calgary, The London Economist comments under date of July 20: "Calgary's 4 1/2 per cent. debentures stand at 102 and the present issue is a good security. The debt of these Canadian cities, however, is growing rather rapidly. It is a pity that an average date of maturity for the whole loan cannot be substituted in these cases, so that the issue may be more marketable. This particular example, though quite good in itself has not appealed to the public, only 15 per cent. of the issue having been applied for."

TURKEY SEEKS PEACE WITH ITALY

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 30.—The new Turkish ministry received a vote of confidence in the chamber of deputies today after it was announced that the government was willing to enter into peace negotiations with Italy. The government was sustained by a vote of 113 to 45 after the grand vizier had decided that the government would resign unless parliament gave its sanction to the program.

CITIZENS' PROGRESSIVE LEAGUE LAUNCHED BY ENTHUSIASTIC RATEPAYERS

Representative Organization.

The representative nature of the organization is indicated by the officer-ship. Mr. Trellius being president of the United Farmers of Alberta, Mr. Dyson the president of the Calgary Trades and Labor Council, Mr. Ross a well-known barrister, and Mr. Frost a property owner for many years in Calgary. The executive board also numbers two members of the present city council, Alderman Hester and Alderman Brocklebank took an active part in the meeting as the representative of well-known citizens. Many other Rev. Kirby and Rev. Pratt, and H. E. Lambert, proprietor of the Arlington hotel.

Following the election of George Ross as temporary president and Geo. J. Connolly as secretary, the meeting proceeded to business. Mr. Ross pointed out it had been called to interest the citizens in municipal matters. "If you think there is no need for such a organization to arouse their interest," he said, "I would refer you to the vote yesterday on the money by-laws. It is the duty of Calgary that the citizens do not take more interest in their government."

Mr. Hope made the motion for the organization of a Citizens' Progressive League, seconded by D. A. Wright. Mr. Strang urged that speeches be made on the subject, and in deference to many demands, Mr. Trellius rose and declared that the Direct Legislation League had called the meeting at the request of many prominent citizens. He said that the Direct Legislation League would see the consolidation of work. Any one of the party of the council investigating committee on civic conditions.

"I believe it the duty of every citizen," said Mr. Trellius, "to judge for himself. If we have facts, we should form our own opinions. The facts, I believe, show that our present city administration is not what it should be and what we want it to be."

Mr. Trellius then told of approaching some well known citizens a year ago and asking them to run for city offices. One of them wanted to know if Trellius thought he could do it with that bunch down there. "What would become of any business?" asked Trellius, "I mean that stand, that they wouldn't go into it because of the evil associations they would meet."

Alderman Hester uttered a word of warning, citing numerous other movements of like character. He said, "I have come to naught through lack of interest after the first meeting, arousing indignation by the accounts of them. He recalled the dramatic resignation of Alderman John Grayly Watson, and said that immediately following there was a glorious meeting of citizens, because, said Alderman Hester, "it was understood that Alderman Watson was going to explain his position, and that Grayly was going to state there was a prospect of a good scrap."

The citizens of Calgary, he said, were inclined to get excited but when it came to doing anything, they were not. "Some will say," said the alderman, "Well, I've bought a lot out here and I have to go and look at it. Some will say, 'Well, I've got a business and I have to look after it. And some will say, 'Well, I've got a wife and I must take her to Banff.'"

When the laughter over this silly had subsided, Alderman Hester attacked the indifference of the citizens to elections.

STRIKE SITUATION AT PORT ARTHUR IS IMPROVED

Part of Militia Force Withdrawn From Scene of the Recent Riots

Injured Men Are Reported to be Recovering From Their Wounds

Port Arthur, Ont., July 30.—Quiet reigns tonight in the section where last night strikers, who met in a hand to hand battle with the city police and for a time so threatened property and public order, that the militia was called out. The staff of militia was broken up into one company under command of Capt. King and Capt. Shellard, and tomorrow it is possible that the situation will again be left in the hands of the city and Canadian Northern police.

There was practically no developments in connection with the strike today. The injured men are making fair progress. Donald Duran, the Italian who has five bullet wounds in his body, surprised the doctors by pulling through the twenty-four hours and may survive altogether. Chief of Police McLellan is improving and every hope is entertained that he will fully recover. The others are not in danger.

No attempt was made by the Canadian Northern to operate its plant at the coal docks today. It is announced, however, that it will be thrown open to those workmen who wish to work tomorrow until it is seen how many go back willingly under the ample protection now offered. Nothing will be done towards filling the places of the strikers. This afternoon the police searched a number of Italian homes and found some firearms, but were unable to locate any of the Italian who were wounded in yesterday's melee and escaped altogether. It is believed there are quite a number besides those taken to the hospital.

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A STATISTICAL BUREAU

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BRYAN CONTRIBUTES TO CAMPAIGN FUND

Sea Girt, N. J., July 30.—Governor Wilson announced today that Wm. J. Bryan had contributed \$10,000 to the Democratic national campaign fund, and that his contribution to the Sea Girt, Mr. Bryan accompanied his wife with a personal letter which was not made public.

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PROBE COMMITTEE REPORT NOT SEARCHING ENOUGH

Alderman Whaley Gives Reasons for Opposing Findings of Civic Investigation

A Complicated Explanation of Singular Attitude; Says Albertan Has Aroused People

"I FEEL that the situation warrants a much more searching investigation. I am not satisfied with the report of the investigation committee because I do not believe that it will clear down to the ground of the trouble and that is what we want."

Alderman R. S. Whaley, discussing yesterday the report that Alderman C. M. Minchin at the next council meeting will demand a judicial review of the charges and counter charges in the city administration, took the position that he, Alderman Minchin, and others who voted against the adoption of the probe committee's report have been done an injustice in the public prints.

"The Morning Albertan," said Mr. Whaley, "has misrepresented our position in the case of the report of the investigation committee. We voted against its adoption, not because we were opposed to it; how could we be opposed to it when we had not seen a copy?—but because we thought it only in the interests of justice and fair play that the aldermen who had not seen should have a chance to study the report before they voted on it."

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STRONG LANGUAGE BY ROUSSASSA RE VE TEMERE

Montreal, July 30.—La Patrie, discussing the privy council judgment on the marriage case, says in part: "If our fellow citizens of the other provinces who are responsible for the agitation which has been raised about this question will listen to the voice of reason, they will accept the decision of the privy council, which is the final word on the subject. Otherwise the province of Quebec would be justified in not maintaining the same attitude towards these attempts against her rights."

"We are approaching a crucial period in the national life of the dominion—the first condition requisite to insure harmonious co-operation between everyone of the component parts of the empire is to establish the harmony of a good understanding between all the integral parts of the empire."

ASK FOR GOVERNMENT LOAN TO REBUILD REGINA

Ottawa, July 30.—A Regina delegation, consisting of Mayor McEara, A. E. Whitmore, M. L. A. and Dr. W. D. Cowan, has arranged for an interview with Hon. W. T. White, minister of finance, on Wednesday, to discuss a proposed government loan of \$1,000,000 to facilitate the rebuilding of that portion of the city destroyed by the cyclone June 30. The members of the delegation had an informal interview with Hon. George E. Perley, acting premier. They thanked him verbally for the aid rendered by the federal government at the time of the disaster, and suggested a government loan as a means of additional aid. He referred them to the minister of finance.

DATES OF HARVESTER EXCURSIONS ANNOUNCED

Montreal, July 30.—The Canadian Pacific Railway today announced the dates of the numerous harvester excursions which it will run to carry the westward bound harvesters to their work on the crop this year.

The excursions will commence from the maritime provinces on August 12, and will terminate in Regina, Saskatchewan, on August 23. The second leaving August 15, and will be for the benefit of prospective harvesters in the province of Quebec and in eastern Ontario as far as Kingston and Benfreville. The third will leave August 20, and will be run from Toronto and west to Sarnia and south there, while a fourth will start August 23 from north-west Ontario and the district between Toronto and Kingston and Sherbrooke Lake.

WOULD GIVE CITY CERTAIN STREET CAR TRACKS

Agreeing to turn over the three-quarters of a mile of line within the city limits to the municipal corporation, the directors of the Southern Ontario Railway, Limited, announced yesterday morning. The party included John Black, solicitor; O. S. Chapin, president; E. W. Trotter, manager; Colonel Walker, John Breckinridge, John Burns, and N. E. Brooks, directors. The company is willing to present the city with the three-quarters of a mile track gratis in order to secure connections with the present terminus of the city line at Ogden. The company proposes to build about ten miles of line outside the limits to serve the land which is to be developed. A bylaw on the subject will be presented to the council next Monday night.

CALGARY BRIEFS

Rabbi Joseph L. Kohn, of Brooklyn, New York, an orthodox Jew, will hold services at the House of Jacob this evening.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather, the members of the St. David's Welsh society were unable to meet last week as arranged. The executive committee will be pleased if as many as can make it convenient will be present at St. George's Island on Wednesday, July 31st, at 8 p.m. A cordial invitation is extended to recent arrivals from Wales whose acquaintance the members will be most happy to make.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

LOST—Bob-tail collie bitch, brown and white markings. Return to 106, 8 block 21, Tuxedo Park. Any one found detaining this dog after this date will be prosecuted. P14-212

TO EXTEND NAVIGATION

Ottawa, July 30.—The marine department has in hand a plan for extending the season of navigation on the Great Lakes, particularly at the big grain ports. The only way to do it is to employ icebreakers.

The great difficulty, however, is in maintaining aids to navigation, as once the ice-forming gas buoys are smashed or submerged.

BRITAIN WILL HAVE TO START BRANCH FACTORIES IN CANADA

Miss Binnie Clark, Noted English Journalist, Investigates Permanency of Land Values

Is of Opinion That Agriculture Outlook and Increasing Population Merit High Values

Will Lecture to Manufacturing Centres in Britain on This Phase of Development

Miss Binnie Clark, a noted English journalist and author of "A Summer on the Canadian Prairie," is a visitor in our city.

Miss Clark has received a special commission from Sir Thomas Skinner, baronet, C.P.R., Hudson's Bay and Bank of Montreal director, who received the honor of baronetcy from King George last year. Sir Thomas Skinner is also the proprietor of the Canadian Gazette, the first financial paper to publish the Canadian outlook in Great Britain.

Miss Clark's commission is to enquire into the present phase of development in Canada, to enquire into the history and detail of real estate and the securities which are underlying the seemingly extravagant values of real estate in this country.

"Regarding the agricultural condition of Canada," said Miss Clark, "I am very familiar with them, as I have personally farmed three hundred and twenty acres in the neighbourhood of Port Qu'Appelle since 1905. I consider the products of agriculture, distribution manufactures and the ever-expanding population of Canada sufficient strong and promising to secure permanent values as well as a share in the enormous profits now being made to the British interest."

"I am of the opinion that the British manufacturers must start branch factories in Canada to make sure of holding their present and increasing trade. I am much impressed with the foresight and consideration shown by the municipal authorities in their arrangements for securing advantageous terms for incoming manufacturers for many years to come. They have received the greatest help from many prominent firms in advising details relating to real estate."

Miss Clark will return to Britain in November and deliver a series of lectures under the auspices of The Canadian Gazette in London and prominent manufacturing towns in Britain on the present phase of Canadian development. She left last night for Edmonton, but will return to Calgary in a few days.

SPOITY MINISTERS BET ON THE BIBLE

Kingston, Ont., July 30.—Rev. W. M. Rochester, of Toronto, general secretary of the Ontario Lords Day Alliance, came into collision last evening with the Seventh Day Adventists who are holding a convention here. Elder Johnston declared that he would pay \$1,000 to anyone who would produce satisfactory evidence of Divine authority for keeping the first day of the week as the Christian Sabbath.

Mr. Rochester arose and said that as soon as elder Johnston produced \$1,000 and placed it in the hands of a party to be agreed upon, he would place a similar amount in the hands of the same party to be paid to any person proving to the satisfaction of a committee agreed upon that there was in the new testament a specific command from either Christ or his apostles to keep the seventh day as the Christian Sabbath.

SAILS FOR ARCTIC

Capt. Bernier Off for the Polar Regions to Search for Gold; May be Gone Three Years

Quebec, July 30.—Capt. Bernier, commander of the government steamer Arctic, left today for a cruise in the Arctic Islands in search of gold mines. In answer to inquiries, Capt. Bernier declined to give any information on his destination or on the length of his trip. He has a crew of seven men, all having served on his previous expeditions to the Arctic regions. He said to a friend that he might be two or three years absent.

OLD COWMAN DISCUSSES STAMPEDE

The Old Cowman is bobbing back to the limelight and becoming more prominent than he has been since the day the whiskered mossback took his range and planted wheat where once the range cattle paved up the dust and bellows.

The Old Cowman was a conversationalist interesting anywhere but in a parlor. His judgment of human nature is keen, his grasp of strong descriptive words is masterly, and he talks of what he knows.

"Yes," declared the Old Cowman, "I've seen them do it. I've seen them do it in the ends of his white whiskers. This here Stampedede thing is gonna be the biggest of the kind since the Mexican cattle thief, Whiskey Jack, the runner; Ole Man Neverless, the trapper; and hundreds of them old timers are gonna be along, an' I reckon there's jest gonna be about the biggest kind of a stampede since they've been seen here. Whoop-Up was first a fort. An' there usta be some ridin' an' there usta be some ridin' here ridin' at the Stampedede is gonna be here as classy, too, as enny we see in them old days. Oh, course, said the old-timer, "there ain't nobody who kin shake a stick at what some of them kids got usta do, but jest tell me some riders. I don't think there'll be no riders in this here Stampedede who isn't a crack-brained bronc scratcher. They gotta be ridin' against these people who kin come in. There's state champions from Ole Mexico, an' Texas, an' Wyoming, an' from all them there woolly states where riders is born, not made. There's gonna be men who had ride before the most critter of the people of the land was won. There's gonna be the best quality of riders that ever come from Manzanita, and there's gonna be some riders in the neighbourhood of Port Qu'Appelle since 1905. I consider the products of agriculture, distribution manufactures and the ever-expanding population of Canada sufficient strong and promising to secure permanent values as well as a share in the enormous profits now being made to the British interest."

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FARMERS MAKE VISIT TO EXPERIMENTAL FARM

Excursion is Under Auspices of Provincial Agricultural Department

Special Trains Make Trip From Edmonton and Calgary; Crops Look Fine

Lacombe, Alta., July 29.—The farmers of central Alberta today made their annual visit to the Dominion experimental farm at Lacombe. The excursion was under the auspices of the provincial agricultural department, and Mr. George Hutton, director of the coming alive to the great work of the Lacombe experimental farm, and a large number of other farmers, and guides provided for the party. Mr. Hutton explained the different features of the farm.

The advanced state of wheat, oats and barley was interesting, as was the splendid showing of berries and small fruits which are just ripe.

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SHORT WORK DAY FOR THE BARBERS IS ASSURED

The by-law providing for the early closing of barber shops in Calgary will be forwarded in a short time to Edmonton for approval by the lieutenant governor in council. As the action amounts practically to a mere formality in this particular case, the early closing of the shops will soon be in vogue. Immediately upon the approval of the by-law at Edmonton, it takes effect without further legislation, a vote of the people being unnecessary.

Barbers in Calgary are a unit in favor of the law, which also was approved without question in the city council.

Don, Rheubarb Prussia, July 30.—Cardinal Anthony Hubert Fischer, Archbishop of Cologne, died today after a long illness. He was born in 1840 and was created cardinal in 1903.

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Unlabeled, Pa., July 30.—After 48 hours continuous labor, workmen today succeeded in cutting through the 45 feet of earth separating last month's 1 and 2, but found no trace of John Scanlon and John Balchek, miners caught in the mine by the flood of July 24. Their bodies are believed to be under the debris in another part of the mine. It was decided today to drill from the surface into the workings of the Superba mine in an effort to recover the bodies of 15 miners who were drowned there last Wednesday. Three mine pumps have been working since the mine was flooded and have only lowered the water 16 inches.

BODY OF MAN FOUND NEAR PINCHER CREEK

Pincher Creek, Alta., July 30.—A body of a man, believed from papers found in the clothing in the Riverbank, of Pincher Creek, Ont., was discovered in the south fork of the Old Man river, thirteen miles from here today. There were also letters to friends in Scotland. He was likely drowned three weeks ago in trying to ford the river.

By "HOP"

A GREAT BIG MAN EATING CHIPMONK!

WHAT WAS IT?

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STORIES OF THE STREETS

Boys will be boys even after they grow up to be influential and wealthy citizens. This fact was demonstrated the other day when two perfectly sane and reputable residents of Calgary got to harking back to "the good old days" when both were athletes of more or less "don't miss that 'less"—note at their respective universities.

The subject of speed on the cinder track came up and an argument as to the respective abilities of Charley Mills, the real estate man, and Percy Edwards, owner of a misbehaving automobile, came up along the lines of foot racing.

"I did a hundred yards once in a fraction more than ten seconds," declared Mills but he neglected to state whether or not he was in the baggage coach ahead or in an automobile.

Suspicious creature that I am to question Charley's veracity! Edwards came back with a declaration that he broke from the start so fast that it was necessary for the starter to put a megaphone to the end of the pistol so that Edwards would be able to hear the shot.

And what do you suppose these two bear-cats did? Run it down the eighth avenue at high noon. Dr. W. Spankie officiated as judge and the contestants ran from First to Second streets east.

Charley Mills won—I know for he told me so—and the time was a fraction over eleven seconds. But Mills neglected to tell me whether it was a fraction of a minute or a fraction of an hour. Anyhow, Edwards hasn't had a chance to explain so the result is not yet official.

Speaking of foot racing, Bruce Robertson, of the National Register company, told of "some speed" by a Georgia negro, Dottie Bruce.

"It was in an Atlanta police court, so the story goes, and there had been a shooting affray between some colored folks. The woman in the case was speaking and explaining.

"Sam had just fired that wuthless nigger from mah boardin' house and was sittin' on mah front porch talkin' with two gemmen warters. That man and another man passed by and one said to the other as he looked up at me and mah gemmen friends: 'Ah see yoah niggers, that am just slowly starvin' to death.' But 'Yoah niggers, Ah didn't shoot!'

"Sam the man who had been shot at then took the stand: 'What about that, Sam,' demanded the judge.

"It was like this, Yoah Honah. Ah was passin' this here 'nigger's boardin' house when I heard two shots—just like this—BANG, BANG. Ah remember them perky. When Ah heard the first shot Ah was just crossin' Fourteenth street and as she fired the second Ah was just breezin' pas Sixty Ninth street."

"Righto Bruce! Coverin' fifty-five blocks in 'BANG-BANG' time is certainly 'some speed'."

Then so their would be an abundance of "speed" stuff, J. T. McDonald, the hardware man, pulled this one.

"Down in California when horse racing was good, they had a track near Pasadena. En route from the track to the city there was a creek about a mile long over which motorists liked to 'hit it up' on account of the good stretch of road. There had been several accidents and an agitation to have a sane speed limit enforced was in progress. About this time some wag placed a sign at the top of the hill where the speeding was wont to commence. It read:

"Automobiles Must Slow Down to Ninety Miles an Hour!" Two well known Californians—whose names we must omit—because both are known to be heavy consumers of the stuff that clogs the arteries and also inebriates, met the other morning and their conversation ran something like this:

"Good morning, George."

"Good morning, Tom."

"Have you had breakfast yet?"

"Not a drop."

"Then both went on a milk diet with an egg and a 'stick' in it."

house would like quotations on Baldwin, Greens, Canada Reda, Spys, Russels, for coming season.

Harvey, Paris, Goods and Furnitures—A firm of South African manufacturers agents with a permanent office in Johannesburg and a sub-agency in Cape Town, desires to obtain the representation of Canadian manufacturers and exporters of hardware, fancy goods and furniture.

Flour—A firm in Shanghai, who have already imported Canadian flour, state that if price is right they are open to buy more.

Salted Herrings—A firm in Shanghai state that they will require about 10,000 tons of herring (salted) next fall and winter.

Representative—A manufacturer of machines in Switzerland desires a Canadian representative for the sale of

portable mills and automobile scales or weighing machines.

Representative—A manufacturer of clocks in Switzerland is seeking the names and addresses of firms importing clocks into Canada.

Cement—Belgian manufacturer of cement desires to come in relation with Canadian firms for the sale of his products in this country.

Corsets—A Belgian firm, manufacturer of corsets, desires to communicate with Canadian firms for the sale of their goods in the dominion.

REJECTS WOOL BILL
Washington, July 30.—By a vote of 172 to 56 today, the house refused to accept the LaFollette wool bill, a substitute for the House bill, but agreed to a conference if the senate should ask for one.

BUSINESS MEN WILL NOT TAKE SOUTHERN TRIP
Because all available railway equipment is in use, the business men of Calgary who have been negotiating for a special train to make a trip through the southern part of the province about August 15th, cannot secure a special train until September 1st. As this date is somewhat late, it is probable that the plan will be abandoned for the season. The committee of the board of trade in charge of the plan will meet in a short time and decide the question definitely. It was planned to have about 100 business men make the trip for the purpose of renewing business acquaintanceships.

MONTREAL STANDS TO LOSE PRESTIGE AS GRAIN PORT
Inadequate Facilities for Handling Likely to Divert Traffic to Other Ports
If Condition is Not Remedied Canadian Crop Likely to Pass Through America

Montreal, July 30.—The Star says: "It is freely stated among many prominent grain men that Montreal will eventually share the fate of Chicago, which up to seven years ago held all the Great Lakes coal trade, but being unable to handle it, Milwaukee took it practically all away and has kept it."

So they believe that Montreal eventually will lose her grain trade unless strenuous measures are adopted at once.

Montreal harbor grain facilities are at present so improperly equipped as to be utterly unable to handle the grain traffic at present coming to the port from the northwest. So bad have these conditions become that one line of steamers has been taken off the Great Lakes and Montreal trade entirely, since July 2nd. These are the boats of the Great Lakes and St. Lawrence Transportation company.

This has been done only after the Wallace, Keefe and Davidson boats of their fleet had lost a total of 37 days, waiting to unload their cargoes of grain here in port at a loss of \$155 per day, a total of \$5,765.

For William How has nine grain elevators, and is to build three more next year. A reduction of a half cent freight rate to Buffalo and the result will be that Montreal will lose her prestige as a grain port, and the huge Canadian grain crop will be handled through the United States port.

The commencement of the settlement in console showed the premier security 1-4 points lower than a month ago. American securities opened steady. Trading was light in the forenoon and mostly in the way of covering, but prices advanced from 1-2 to 1-4 above parity. Later, the market was lifeless and the close was dull.

London, July 30.—Money was easier to obtain and discount rates were weaker today. The stock market was quiet and irregular. Home rails were bought on traffic prospects, and a belief that the dock strike will collapse. Mexican rails and Canadian shares were steady, but copper and Marconi stocks were weak.

The Toronto market was unchanged save for further weakness in Missouri Pacific.

The total sales per value, \$1,685,000. U. S. government bonds were unchanged on call.

WINNIPEG BUYS ITS CEMENT IN CANADA
Winnipeg, July 30.—The city council has accepted the tender of the Canada Cement company for from 15,000 to 25,000 barrels of cement to be delivered this year at \$2.40 per barrel gross, including sacks, which with allowances works out at \$2.25 per barrel net.

The only other tender was from an agent of the Canada Cement company. Last year the lowest tender was that of the Lehigh Portland Cement company, being \$2.10 net, and this was accepted. City officials are surprised at the absence of American tenders, particularly in view of the temporary cut in duty.

THE MARKETS

GENERAL DULLNESS IN TRADE EVIDENT
Winnipeg Market Slow, With Fluctuations Comparatively Little

Winnipeg, Man., July 30.—On the wheat market today trading was dull and slow, with prices steady. There was no news either bullish or bearish and fluctuations were comparatively narrow.

Liverpool closed 3-8 lower to 1-2 cent higher. Continental markets were irregular, while Americans were generally weaker.

Winnipeg closed 1-4 to 1-2 lower. Minneapolis closed unchanged to 7-8 lower. Chicago closed 1-4 higher to 3-8 lower.

The cash demand at Winnipeg was good for all grades. No 3 and lower, and offerings were heavy, with export inquiry limited.

Contract oats for both months were just holding their own, while July exports No. 1 feed met their Waterloo with the near approach of the close of the month. There were plenty of oats in sight and short interest proved a small one so that the close recorded the phenomenal break of 6 1-4 cents.

July flax was offered at 2-4 cents lower. The close showed a decline of 4 cents for July and 2 cents for October. Receipts were exceptionally light, only 25 cars being in sight for inspection today.

Cleanances today were: Wheat, 53,000 bushels. Oats, 11,000 bushels. Feed, 20,000 bushels. Flax, 6,000 bushels.

Grain inspection: Spring wheat, No. 1 Ntn 3, 2 Ntn 29, 3 Ntn 46, No. 4, 48. Feed, 11. No grade, 56. Rejected, 4. No grade, 15. Condemned, 7.

Barley: No. 2, 2. No. 3, 3. No grade, 3. Feed, 1. C.P.R., 209; C.N.R., 109; G.T.P., 7; Calgary, 53; Duluth, 1. Total, \$59,810.

Winter wheat, 4. Red Winter, 2. Oats: 2 CW 18, 3 CW 2 Extra No. 1 feed, 21. Feed, 12, 2 feed, 5. Rejected, 1. No grade, 15. Condemned, 7.

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PREPARE FOR SAMPLE MARKET
Winnipeg, July 30.—At the regular meeting of the Winnipeg Grain Exchange, held today, the council submitted a report covering the regulations which the exchange is prepared to place in effect in the matter of affording facilities for a sample market at Winnipeg, should the grain commissioners legislate for its establishment.

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The total sales per value, \$1,685,000. U. S. government bonds were unchanged on call.

WINNIPEG BUYS ITS CEMENT IN CANADA
Winnipeg, July 30.—The city council has accepted the tender of the Canada Cement company for from 15,000 to 25,000 barrels of cement to be delivered this year at \$2.40 per barrel gross, including sacks, which with allowances works out at \$2.25 per barrel net.

The only other tender was from an agent of the Canada Cement company. Last year the lowest tender was that of the Lehigh Portland Cement company, being \$2.10 net, and this was accepted. City officials are surprised at the absence of American tenders, particularly in view of the temporary cut in duty.

NEW WHEAT ON MARKET EASED CHICAGO PRICES
Chicago, Ill., July 30.—Free marketing of new wheat today from Iowa and Nebraska eased prices down. Misgivings about black rust faded. Latest trades varied from 3/4 to 3/8 lower to 3/4 advance. Corn finished 3/8 off to 3/4 up, and oats strung out from 1/2 decline to 2/4 advance.

Sales of freshly harvested wheat here and at other primary points surprised speculators by making a total practically as big as for the corresponding day a year ago. The absence of any marked movement from Illinois and Indiana proved of no avail to the bulls, the difference being fully supplied from the huge fields west and in Kansas. Fine weather in the Dakotas and Minnesota was what, for the time being, allayed the fear as to black rust damage.

Export business and activity in a domestic market were helped rather than wheat prices a little during the last half of the day.

The exports were for continental Europe, where the crop outlook was reported to have become less favorable. A little rain in the southwest and predictions of more tonight, weakened corn. Values later recovered in part, but were still depressed from the harden. September fluctuated from 65 1/2 to 66 1/2, and closed steady, 3/4 net and cash grades were easy. No 2 yellow was quoted at 72 1/2 to 74 cents.

Contracted July sales resulted in that future bulging 2 1/2 cents, although the actual business in the option was not large. In increased sales from the country depressed other months. Outside limits reached in September were 2 1/2 to 2 3/4, and 2 3/4, with the close 2 1/2, a net loss of 3/4.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE QUIET AS A CHURCH MEETING
During First Four Hours Less Than 100,000 Shares Changed Hands

New York, July 30.—Trading in stocks today fell to its point where it ceased to possess even passing importance. For the first four hours total dealings were less than 100,000 shares, of which almost one-half was done in the first hour in the late dealings, when prices again hardened, in a few instances to the best of the session, after a series of unimportant movements business became slightly more animated.

The one popular reason advanced for today's stagnation lay in the fact that traders and the financial community as a whole were in the market with as much patience as they could muster to the publication of the United States Steel earnings for the second quarter of 1912.

This report was not available until some time after the markets closed, so the prevailing element deemed it wise to make no new ventures for either side. In the way of general news, a good break in steel developments consisted of another advance in steel products.

In the local money market there was a further softening of rates for the longer periods, this fact coinciding with the outlook for tighter money in the call loans were made at 3 per cent, with the bulk of offerings, a shade lower.

The steel statement showed total earnings steady at exactly \$25,000,000, which was in line with most of favorable forecasts. Net income, ordinarily known as the "earnings," amounted to \$18,429,294, compared with \$12,108,415 in the preceding quarter. After deducting regular dividend the quarter's surplus was reduced to \$6,320,879.

The bond market was unchanged save for further weakness in Missouri Pacific.

The total sales per value, \$1,685,000. U. S. government bonds were unchanged on call.

TORONTO'S WALL STREET WAS VERY QUIET
Toronto, July 30.—Nothing of an exciting nature marked the progress of our local Wall street today. Speculation is apparently dead, with business confined to the execution of a number of investment orders. Factors, which closed good break yesterday, rallied a point and a half today, and friends of Canada permanent made that stock sell up to 2 1/2-1-2, the highest price since the reorganization of the loan companies a number of years ago. Rio and Sao Paulo attracted but little attention. Now that all bullish news and anticipations are past, the stocks will take a rest. The former closed 1-4 better at 148 1-4, and Sao Paulo unchanged at 154 1-4. Winnipeg Electric closed a point, closing at 220; Toronto railway on a broken lot sold off half a point to 142. A strong issue in the afternoon was Sawyer-Massey, with transactions at 43 1-2. Bank issues quiet and firm. Money unchanged with little demand.

HOUSE WILL NOT AGREE TO TARIFF COMMISSION
Washington, July 30.—By a vote of 130 to 98, the house today declined to accept the senate's amendment to the democratic excise tax bill, providing a permanent tariff commission. The bill now goes back to conference with Rep. Underwood, Hull, Palmer, McCall and Payne representing the house.

C. P. R. EARNINGS FORTY-THREE MILLIONS
Montreal, July 30.—Official figures on the fiscal year of C. P. R., ended June 30, are now out, showing gross earnings of \$122,819,541, and net of \$42,398,248.

These compare as follows with last year: Earnings, 1912, \$123,319,541; 1911, \$104,167,503; increase \$19,152,038. Expenses, 1912, \$80,921,293; 1911, \$67,467,977; increase \$13,453,316. Net profits, 1912, \$42,398,248; 1911, \$36,699,526; increase \$5,698,722.

The heaviest monthly gross receipts for the first four months of the year were for April, May and June, when they exceeded \$11,000,000, the only other month approaching these figures being October, 1911, when they ran as high as \$11,000,000.

The smallest monthly gross was \$7,328,781 in January.

In four months of the fiscal year the net earnings exceeded \$4,000,000. These were, August, October, and December, 1911, and April this year.

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Sheep—Merely one?

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STEEL CORPORATION EARNS TWENTY-FIVE MILLIONS
New York, July 30.—The financial statement of the United States Steel corporation for the second quarter of the current year, ending June 30, was made public today after the usual meetings of the finance committee and board of directors.

Earnings for the quarter totalled \$22,102,248, after deducting all expenses incident to operations; net income, generally known as net earnings, amounted to \$18,429,294.

After deducting interest for the quarter on outstanding bonds and payment of the regular dividend on the preferred and common shares, there is left a surplus of \$5,483,000.

Small as is the surplus, it compares most favorably with the showing in the quarter immediately preceding, when only a small part of the common dividend was earned, and it became necessary to take the greater part of \$2,240,000 undivided profits represented at the end of 1911.

Total earnings for the second quarter are greater than those of the first by \$7,251,292, while net earnings, or income, increased by \$3,320,879.

Although it is usually reported that the finance committee had set aside large appropriations for new construction and depreciation, nothing in the statement issued to lay indicates such action.

NEW BANK FOR CHINA
Shanghai, July 30.—It is reported that Dr. Sun Yat Sen and Gen. Huang Sing, who was minister of war in the provincial cabinet, have concluded negotiations for the establishment in Shanghai of a foreign and Chinese bank with a capital of \$10,000,000. Their object is to checkmate the proposed foreign loan.

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TRADE INQUIRIES

The following trade inquiries have been received by the Calgary board of trade through the dominion department of commerce:

Apples—A Birmingham firm is open to quotations on Russets, Baldwins and Greenings.

Apples—A Leicester firm would like quotations on Golden Russets, Baldwins and Greenings, Nos. 1 and 2.

Wood Pulp—A Dixley firm would like quotations on wood pulp.

Apples—A Derby firm, capable of doing 500 barrels of apples weekly, would like quotations for the coming season.

Wood Pulp—A Birmingham firm would be glad of quotations on wood pulp.

Apples—A Birmingham wholesaler would like quotations on Baldwin, Russets, Canada Reda, Spys, Russels, for coming season.

Harvey, Paris, Goods and Furnitures—A firm of South African manufacturers agents with a permanent office in Johannesburg and a sub-agency in Cape Town, desires to obtain the representation of Canadian manufacturers and exporters of hardware, fancy goods and furniture.

Flour—A firm in Shanghai, who have already imported Canadian flour, state that if price is right they are open to buy more.

Salted Herrings—A firm in Shanghai state that they will require about 10,000 tons of herring (salted) next fall and winter.

Representative—A manufacturer of machines in Switzerland desires a Canadian representative for the sale of

portable mills and automobile scales or weighing machines.

Representative—A manufacturer of clocks in Switzerland is seeking the names and addresses of firms importing clocks into Canada.

Cement—Belgian manufacturer of cement desires to come in relation with Canadian firms for the sale of his products in this country.

Corsets—A Belgian firm, manufacturer of corsets, desires to communicate with Canadian firms for the sale of their goods in the dominion.

REJECTS WOOL BILL
Washington, July 30.—By a vote of 172 to 56 today, the house refused to accept the LaFollette wool bill, a substitute for the House bill, but agreed to a conference if the senate should ask for one.

BUSINESS MEN WILL NOT TAKE SOUTHERN TRIP
Because all available railway equipment is in use, the business men of Calgary who have been negotiating for a special train to make a trip through the southern part of the province about August 15th, cannot secure a special train until September 1st. As this date is somewhat late, it is probable that the plan will be abandoned for the season. The committee of the board of trade in charge of the plan will meet in a short time and decide the question definitely. It was planned to have about 100 business men make the trip for the purpose of renewing business acquaintanceships.

MONTREAL STANDS TO LOSE PRESTIGE AS GRAIN PORT
Inadequate Facilities for Handling Likely to Divert Traffic to Other Ports
If Condition is Not Remedied Canadian Crop Likely to Pass Through America

Montreal, July 30.—The Star says: "It is freely stated among many prominent grain men that Montreal will eventually share the fate of Chicago, which up to seven years ago held all the Great Lakes coal trade, but being unable to handle it, Milwaukee took it practically all away and has kept it."

So they believe that Montreal eventually will lose her grain trade unless strenuous measures are adopted at once.

Montreal harbor grain facilities are at present so improperly equipped as to be utterly unable to handle the grain traffic at present coming to the port from the northwest. So bad have these conditions become that one line of steamers has been taken off the Great Lakes and Montreal trade entirely, since July 2nd. These are the boats of the Great Lakes and St. Lawrence Transportation company.

This has been done only after the Wallace, Keefe and Davidson boats of their fleet had lost a total of 37 days, waiting to unload their cargoes of grain here in port at a loss of \$155 per day, a total of \$5,765.

For William How has nine grain elevators, and is to build three more next year. A reduction of a half cent freight rate to Buffalo and the result will be that Montreal will lose her prestige as a grain port, and the huge Canadian grain crop will be handled through the United States port.

The commencement of the settlement in console showed the premier security 1-4 points lower than a month ago. American securities opened steady. Trading was light in the forenoon and mostly in the way of covering, but prices advanced from 1-2 to 1-4 above parity. Later, the market was lifeless and the close was dull.

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MAKE VISIT TO MENTAL FARM
Under Auspices of Agricultural Experiment Station
Make Trip From Calgary to Mental Farm
July 23.—The first Alberta today made its way to the Dominion experiment station at Lacombe. The visit was under the auspices of the agricultural department of the government. The mental farm is a great practical help to the farmer in the number of the experiments that have been made and explained in the features. Several farmers from the north-west and south-west of Calgary were present. The visitors were in the farm in the morning. Mr. H. H. different features to the state of wheat, oats, etc., as well as the state of the soil. The speaker of the crop was far as the mental farm they are in the field. The harvest may be in most years, amount of rain, they are very heavy yields.

SPECIAL TELLS OF GROWTH
Ger Barkley of an Northern Here
Men Who Have a Modern Few Years
to visit to a wonderful development in the north-west few years," said general manager Northern railway, Calgary yesterday. "In the north-west are in the hands of a few men, and a Banff and resorts, forming a famous period of visited his former age. The changes in the modern city then scarcely more. And your industry points about the line, a wise way, building the future and turning my recent excellent opportunity conditions and a bountiful harvest from I visited."

MINERS LOST ED MINES
July 30.—After 60 hours, workmen today through the 63 ft. long Lamont mine to trace of John Bolchek, miner, by the flood of July are believed to be another part of the aged-tender to drill into the workings at an effort to rescue miners who were Wednesday. Three in working since the and have only low-ches.

FOUND NEAR CREEK
July 28.—A man believed to be Robert Gaudin, Ont., was found with the body of John Bolchek, miner, also letters from his wife, who was in the ago in trying to

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