

BENEFIT TO CITY HEALTH.

Crusade Against Outdoor Conveniences Has Good Results.

Traction Engines to be Kept Off Asphalt Roads.

Endeavoring to Overcome a Nuisance by Flooding.

As a result of the new legislation passed by the City Council last year at the request of the Board of Health, that department has succeeded so far this year in abolishing 175 outdoor vaults, more than was accomplished in the past five years.

This morning City Engineer Macallum and Chairman Jutten of the Sewers Committee made an inspection at the corner of John and Augusta streets, where the flooding during storms is very severe.

Measures will be taken by the city to prevent the cutting up of roads, especially the asphalt pavement, by traction engines.

Signs of a lively power fight in London are evident according to a story which states that the London Electric Company is now negotiating with a big electrical merger at the Falls and with the Cataract Company of this city for a supply of power.

The McGuigan Construction Company had completed up to last night over five miles of towers on the power transmission line between Dundas and Niagara Falls.

The telephone line that will parallel the power line has been completed for 45 miles, so far as the poles are concerned.

The following building permits were issued today: Regal Lumber Company, brick office on Barton street between Burch and Gibson avenue, \$1,500.

J. Bridges, frame workshop and stable, Hamilton avenue, mountain top, \$200.

W. A. Smith, brick house on Arthur street between King and Wilson streets, \$1,500.

R. A. Nicholson, frame house on Wood street, between Catharines and Mary streets, \$1,000.

Tax Collector Kerr reported today that the taxes paid yesterday amounted to \$20,200.

VESSEL SUNK.

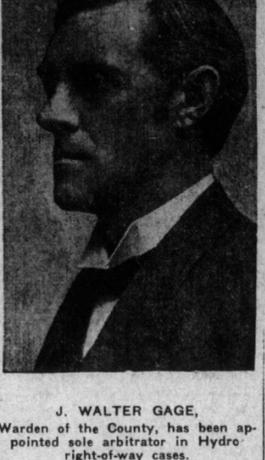
Ogdensburg, N.Y., Aug. 18.—A vessel loaded with grain is reported sunk in the St. Lawrence river. There is no loss of life.

GIVEN NOTICE OF CHANGE OF OWNERS

Railway Plans Developing Slowly—Demand for Surrounding Property Increasing.

The fact that tenants of the property acquired by the Toronto, Hamilton & Buffalo Railway Company have recently received notices from their landlords that the transfers have been completed gave rise today to a rumor that work on the big scheme, which is expected to cost close on to \$1,500,000, would proceed this fall.

TAFTS AT THEIR SUMMER CAPITAL.



J. WALTER GAGE, Warden of the County, has been appointed sole arbitrator in Hydro right-of-way cases.

Killed by Ball

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Brantford, Ont., Aug. 18.—A young Indian, Jesse Cayuga, about 21 years of age, was killed near Oshweken in a practice game of baseball on Monday night.

APPEAL IN.

Mr. Farmer Has Entered One in Insurance Case.

At the June sitting of the County Court an action was brought before Judge Snider by Mrs. Jane Whitehorn, widow of the late Harry Whitehorn, against the Canadian Guardian Life Insurance Company for \$280 insurance, which her husband had carried with that company.

Mr. Whitehorn was killed by the falling of a tree, having died November 3 last, shortly after the accident happened. The last payment made on his insurance was ten cents short.

John G. Farmer, who acted for the widow, has entered an appeal on the grounds that when the Judge found the company had waived its rights the payment of the balance was in order if paid within the last quarter, even though the holder of the policy was dead.

Rockyfort Melons.

We are getting daily supplies of Rockyfort melons, watermelons, canteloupes, huckleberries, thimbleberries, pears, peaches, plums, celery, endive, squash, egg plant, vegetable marrow, cauliflower, sweet potatoes, sweet peppers, parsley, beans, limes, oranges, pineapples, lettuce, bananas, apples.—Bain & Adams.

LABOR DAY DRAWING.

The Trades and Labor Council demonstration committee have placed on exhibition the prizes for their Labor Day drawing at 68 James street north. The rooms will be open day and night until Labor Day. The general public are invited to call and inspect the many splendid articles.

TAFTS AT THEIR SUMMER CAPITAL.



President and Mrs. Taft, seated on the wide verandah of their summer home at Beverly, Mass. This is the first picture of the president's wife since her recent illness, the marks of which are plainly indicated in her face and attitude.

HIGH COURT.

Over Forty I. O. F. Delegates Going to Chatham.

Hamilton will be represented by between 40 and 45 delegates at the annual meeting of the High Court of Ontario, Independent Order of Foresters, at Chatham next week.

RAN ON TRACK.

Good Horse Belonging to Wm. C. Lammman Killed.

A valuable horse owned by Mr. William C. Lammman, Emerald street, was so badly injured this morning by being struck by a freight train, that it had to be shot.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Tom Hazell and family have returned from Port Carling, Muskoka.

Dr. Ingersoll Olmsted left this morning for Winnipeg to attend the medical meeting.

The Misses Carling left this morning for New York and Atlantic City, where they will spend two weeks.

Mr. M. L. Redfield, representing the Goss Printing Press Company of Chicago, was a visitor in the city today.

Mr. Edwin Mills was in the city today. He came down yesterday from Muskoka and returned this evening.

Mr. D. M. Barton returned from Thornbury, Ont., yesterday, and left for Toronto to spend the remainder of his vacation.

Rev. T. E. Egerton Shore, a former pastor of Wesley Church, this city, now one of the missionary secretaries, has arrived in Vancouver, with his wife, after a year's trip around the world.

Mr. Jack D. Moodie reached the city on Monday after a lengthy but enjoyable trip in his speedy auto, the "Red Flyer."

It will be of interest to many Hamilton people to know that Mr. Duncan Murray, who has resided in Galt as manager of the Galt Lumber Company for the past twenty-seven years, has started for Vancouver, B. C., where he intends taking up his residence in future.

He is accompanied by his two daughters, Rachel and Addie (Mrs. A. E. McLean) and son-in-law, A. E. McLean. Mrs. A. Alken, of this city, is a daughter of Mr. Murray.

THE MAN IN OVERALLS

Is none of that good roads money or any other money to be spent on the Joffey Cut this year?

Disarm the foreigners.

Mother was saying the other night that this was the best preserving season she remembered in a long while.

Those hoboes who have been sent to jail might be set to work to fix up the Beckett drive.

The coal sub-committee might report progress, not so much for publication as a guarantee of good faith.

Can anybody tell me where I can buy a postage stamp after 7.30 o'clock p. m.?

Waste not, want not, is true of water as well as of anything else.

Don't wear out your welcome.

Perhaps this fatal thirst for ice cream on Sundays may be some kind of a new disease.

If you see it in the Times, say so.

There are some alleyways in the city that it is quite a pleasure to see, so clean and tidy. Others again are awful. How is yours?

If the Seventh Day Adventist claims the right to work on Sunday, my Jewish friends can make the same claim.

But is ice cream a necessity, or a luxury?

Now as to the Patriotic Fund, how do you propose to dispose of it? Call a meeting of the subscribers.

Let us be thankful that the street car company is not using its freight cars for passenger traffic.

It's a wonder to me that somebody doesn't buy up Ainslie Park and turn it into a White City or House of Mirth or something.

It is not too soon to begin now to prepare for the next political battle. You can't expect to win without organization. Anybody attending to this?

The ward foremen certainly don't want another scare like that.

Mr. Macallum should go up to Arkle-dun avenue and see that pipe belching out water in a continuous stream night and day, and it's no spring, either. If he will investigate, I am told, he will also find that the reservoir on the hill there continually leaks.

S. P. C. A.

Will Appoint a New Inspector at Early Meeting.

Mr. Adam Brown presided at a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals yesterday afternoon, at which the applications for the position of inspector, rendered vacant by the death of the late George Nichol, were opened.

OPERATED ON.

Byron Richardson, of Toronto, Ill With Appendicitis.

A host of friends of Mr. Byron Richardson, of the Otis-Fensom Elevator Company's Toronto office, son of Mr. B. F. Richardson, of this city, will regret that he has found it necessary to undergo an operation for appendicitis.

A FAST DROP.

Elevator Man at Terminal Had Exciting Trip.

An accident occurred at the Terminal Station last night that might have had serious results for the man in charge of the elevator.

Considerable damage was done. The vibrating sheave, which is fastened above the drum for the purpose of keeping the cable straight and which has four good supports, was broken off and fell to the floor.

FIRST DEATH.

Mrs. Anderson a Victim of Scarlet Fever Outbreak.

Marion McDonald Anderson, wife of William Anderson, 30 Belmont street, Crown Point, passed away this morning as a result of scarlet fever. Of all the cases of this disease in Crown Point, Mrs. Anderson's was one of the worst.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES

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

TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.

VAGS READ THE PAPERS.

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They Also Saw Some Big and Ugly Snakes.

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JOE LORENZO, Italian who is under arrest on a charge of shooting with intent.

Stabbed by Wife

New York, Aug. 18.—Luigi Crisanti, an east side shoemaker, was stabbed through the heart and instantly killed by his wife in the presence of their four children early today. They had quarrelled and he was threatening her with a revolver when his 18-year-old son Alfred knocked the weapon from his hands, and his wife stabbed him with a shoemaker's knife, according to the boy's story told to the police. The woman was arrested and charged with homicide.

ARRESTED AT THE FALLS.

Man Claiming to be Hamilton Traveller Held There.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Aug. 18.—A man claiming to be Samuel Itzovitz, a traveling salesman for optical goods and living in Hamilton, is under arrest here, alleged to be Sam Gordon, wanted in Brantford on a forgery charge.

ROYAL BANK.

Branch in This City Was Opened This Morning.

The Royal Bank of Canada opened a branch in this city today at 38 James street south under the management of Mr. B. G. Winans.

HYDRO CASES.

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Are You Going Travelling?

Put a box of good cigars in your grip. They will add to your comfort and pleasure. Fine cigars are sold by the box for close prices at peace's cigar store, 107 King street east.

NOT FRIGHTENED BY BAD MAN'S GUN.

G. T. R. Constable Arrested Guy Grieves in Spite of a Loaded Revolver.

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In the barns at Hendrie's bush there were a number of beds of straw where the vags had slept and things around showed that a hurried exit had been made. Copies of local papers of a recent date were lying about the place that told the news of the crusade against them.

The officers were scared almost out of a week's growth by snakes, one of which they said was as large as an Indian python. They thought the snake was hanging around for its mate that was killed a few days ago. They say it was the largest they had seen and was a black and ugly looking customer.

PICNIC DAY.

Fruit Growers, Jewellers and Home Circles Have Outings.

The picnic of picnics as far as the fruit and vegetable growers are concerned was held today at the Brant House. Each year the growers and their friends look forward to this event and with the pleasant weather of today and conditions so favorable large numbers were present from all parts of the country as well as a goodly number from the city.

The Canadian Order of Home Circles held its annual picnic today at Oakville.

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Branch in This City Was Opened This Morning.

The office is beautifully fitted up, the fixtures being of fumed solid oak. The wainscoting is red Tennessee marble. All the other fittings are of artistic design, combined with stability. There is a special apartment for customers to do any necessary writing.

Everything inside has an attractive appearance, the staff are genial and courteous and the public can rely on their business being well attended to. The staff is Lewis A. Long, accountant, and teller; Frank W. Simpson, ledger keeper, and Gordon McKay, junior book-keeper.

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waiting room, and, after a sharp tussle, secured the revolver. Grieves pleaded not guilty this morning, and said he did not point the revolver, but merely took it out of his pocket.

The revolver was produced, and found to be an Iver Johnson 32 calibre, six-chambered, five of which were loaded. Prisoner was remanded till to-morrow.

Some people delight in boasting of their ancient history. Not so John Davidson, alias McGuire, post graduate of the Central Prison and other universities of correction. Since his remand from Monday, the 16th, the police have been industriously preparing for the trial of Davidson, and this morning they focussed the lens of their searchlight of investigation on John's past, revealing such an unenviable record for poor John plainly showing that he is not a mover among the elite.

Love Finds the Way

Lady Melville rose, and the two stood confronting each other. But Lady Melville had the weaker nerves—Miss Lucas was of iron. The mistress of Rivershall quailed before her mistress, and sank back into the chair.

AT R. MCKAY & CO'S. THURSDAY, AUG. 19, 1909. STORE CLOSÉS 5 P. M. (EXCEPT SATURDAY). Extra Specials From The Dress Goods Section

New Two-toned Stripe Suitings at 75c Yard. 48 inches wide, and in a good weight for fall and winter suits. This line is one of our leaders from this famous department.

2,000 yards Taffeta Ribbon, 7 inches wide, 25c yd. Former Price 40c, Thursday Sale Price 25c yd.

Ready-to-Wear Department SPECIAL FOR THURSDAY. Wash Suits, Reg. \$21.50 for \$9.98

Checked and Plain Gingham Dresses \$1.98. The balance of our Colored Dresses, in Gingham and Indian Head, in pretty dainty colors and nicely made.

Mull Dresses, Regular \$7.50 and \$10 for \$3.98. Pretty dainty colors, in One-piece Dresses, a good assortment, in white; regular \$7.50 to \$10, for \$3.98.

Whitewear Specials. Drawers 25c. Ladies' Fine Cambric Drawers, inch-deep full trimmed, with hemstitched tucks.

Specials in Blouses for Thursday—Third Floor. \$1.50 Tailored Waists 79c. Fine White Linen Lawn Tailored Waists, made with stiff collar and turned back cuffs.

Extra Special Staple Values for Thursday. Fine soft finish English Longcloth, clean even weave, a splendid underwear quality, special 10c yard.

R. MCKAY & CO. WHAT WOMEN INVENT. Five Safety Razors Among the Things to be Exhibited in London.

and gone squire had more social, and grew curious to see this lady, who, once the glass fashion, now shut her self up in her newly acquired house and played the hermit.

White Star-Dominion Royal Mail Steamships. MONTREAL-QUEBEC-LIVERPOOL. Laurent, triple screw; Megantic, twin screw; largest and most modern steamers on the St. Lawrence route.

R & O Steamer Belleville. Leaves every Tuesday 12 noon for Bay of Quinte, Thousand Islands, Montreal and intermediate ports.

THE HOUSEKEEPER. TO PREVENT CASTORS DROPPING. If you are troubled with having your castors drop, as is the case where you use gas, invert your chair, table, or whatever it may be, on a special sealing wax in the hole, insert the castor, and it will be as substantial as ever.

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WANTED—A YOUNG LADY TO SERVE at cut flower center, previous experience unnecessary. ... WANTED—OPERATORS, HANDSEWERS and apprentices on coats. ... WANTED—HOUSEMAID, APPLY HOTEL Cecil.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

WANTED—ABOUT SEPT. 1ST, BY FAMILY of adults, 6 or 7 room house with conveniences; reliable tenants; reasonable rent. ... HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR EARLY APPLIANCE at The T. Upton Co., Limited, Deaneville.

MEDICAL

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DENTAL

DR. CLAPPISON, DENTIST, ROOM 40, Federal Life Bldg. Phone 204. ... DR. J. L. KAPPELE, DENTIST, ROOM 397, Federal Life Building. ... DR. H. M. MORROW, DENTIST, 454 King Street West.

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LOST—TEN AND FIVE DOLLAR BILLS, one each, at Station and Cannon. ... LOST—GROCER'S ORDER BOOK. ... LOST—GOLD RAISED MONOGRAM LOCK, Saturday afternoon, King or James and Mountain View.

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FOR SALE—AT LESS THAN COST, a very fine apartment and very low rent. ... HANDSOME NEW HOUSE ON TROLLEY street, between King and Barton.

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ANY person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may domesticate a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. ... In certain conditions a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section of land.

Shop Cases—Counters—Desks Buy of the Manufacturers NEWBIGGING CABINET CO., Ltd. 164 King West. Phone 961.

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STANLEY PAPER, 2 1/2 x 4 1/4, 37c PER dozen; 4 x 5, 38c; 5 x 7, 52c. Seymour, 7 John Street North.

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J. L. ANDERSON, TOBACCO, CIGARS, pipes, billiard parlor, 231 York Street. Worrissome Jim.

Jim worried and worried his weary life through Till we christened him Worrissome Jim. Just wondered what would the company do If anything happened to him.

His pumps were forgotten, his water ran low, While he sat a-thinking, no doubt, There's a rent in the roof of the mill shed to show Where Worrissome Jim went out.

The ambulance came—he was wagoned away. For a time he lay listless and still; At the end of six months, half a year to a day— And Jim came back to the mill.

But he wouldn't stop worrying. Out in the park, Where the street lights at intervals shine, A motor came hurrying down through the dark.

And it hit him a kick in the spine. The old mill is grinding the same as of yore, The eyes of the widow are dim; The places that knew him now know him no more.

For something has happened to him— Cy Warman, in New York Sun.

Don't Forget The Days Are Passing and Your Opportunity To secure a lot in West Mount survey at present prices will expire Sept. 1st. After that date the price will be advanced \$100 a lot.

A New Word Is needed to describe the Summer use of a new type Artificial Gas Range. To burn it play exactly and is certainly NOT WORK.

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WITH THE AVIATORS Prizes Won by Them—Rules Governing the Air—Paris is Airship Mad.

The following is a list of some of the principal prizes to be won by aviators. Prize. Conditions. Closes. \$2,000—London to Manchester in twenty-four hours with not more than two stoppages. ... \$5,000—London—Manchester. ... \$10,000—London—Manchester. ... \$10,000—First aviator to travel over the course of the Hudson River between New York and Albany.

Forlanini, the well known builder of hydro-planes and is of the semi-rigid type, egg-shaped, forty meters in length and fourteen meters in diameter. Only the superior half is filled with gas, the lower part, which is separated from the other by a diaphragm, being full of air.

Paris is airship and balloon mad. The latest thing is a balloon for sightseeing. You take your seat in the car and given a fair wind you can spend a couple of hours sailing about the city and getting a bird's-eye glance at all Paris.

Mr. P. J. Kelly, a Respected Resident, Died This Morning. An old and respected citizen passed away this morning in the person of Patrick Joseph Kelly, who died at his residence, 236 Catharine street north.

Ethel May Jones, twin daughter of John and Mrs. Jones, died yesterday at her parents' residence, 170 Young street. The child was three months of age. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon to Hamilton Cemetery.

The remains of Wilfred George Tucker were laid at rest yesterday in Hamilton Cemetery, the funeral taking place from the parents' residence, 133 Simcoe street east. Rev. H. B. Christie conducted the services at the house and grave.

In the list of flowers sent to the funeral of the late John McQueen the names of Mr. and Mrs. M. Shuart, Miss McQueen, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell and Mr. Alf. Smith were unintentionally omitted.

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Golden Name

(By Stuart B. Stone.) The trouble with young Mr. Stevens was not in the locating a wealthy uncle to be named after, but in choosing between a host. At the time of the young man's arrival upon this mundane globe, there were no less than seven disgraced, rich Stevenses. And the pinkish person's own parents, John and Lucia Stevens, were poor as any church mouse.



"ISN'T HE JUST A TWENTY-TWEET, LITTLE OFFY-TOOFY FELLER?" ASKED PRETTY LUCIE STEVENS.

alighted from the train at Ridgedale. Each of the old gentlemen beamed magnanimously, and each of them brought the pink, plump person a googoo rattler or a rubber ring, and each of them had a cheque book handy in an inner pocket.

"Huh!" growled the uncle from Amos-keep, jealously. "Call the chap something that people can remember. I start him with six thousand."

The remains of Thomas Gilbert McNab were laid at rest yesterday afternoon, the funeral taking place from the grand-parents' residence, 193 King William street. Street A. E. Mitchell conducted the services at the house and grave, and the pallbearers were John Hempstock, David Hempstock, Bert Hannah and Thomas McNab.

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THE HAMILTON TIMES

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 18, 1909.

LORD CHARLES' BLUNDERS.

A lengthy article in the Fortnightly Review for August deals with "Lord Charles Beresford as Naval Expert" with special reference to that gentleman's recent alarmist speeches on the condition of the British navy.

A PUBLIC HEALTH ALLY.

A short time ago one of the great insurance companies of the United States decided that it would be to its interest to establish a sanitarium at which to treat policy holders who were suffering from tuberculosis.

This is greatly to be regretted. The length of the life of its policy holders—the pushing off to the latest possible period the time when the policy becomes a claim by death—is essentially a business consideration, the wisdom or folly of the course to be adopted depending upon the success of the scheme.

But the writer does not find Sir Charles' motive in assailing the admiralty to be hostility to Sir John. Lord Charles has for many years, whenever on half pay and therefore free to speak, been criticizing every admiralty in similar manner.

Space forbids amplification of the refutations which the article furnishes to Lord Charles' charges. The evidence is overwhelmingly against him, and explains the decision to that effect arrived at by the investigating committee of the Admiralty.

The era of preventive medicine has barely dawned. Statesmen are beginning to operate their eyes to the vast defects and check these tendencies which the applicants were impelled to make in order to qualify for a subsequent examination.

Justice in the case of Dhangra, the assassin of Sir W. Curzon-Wyllie, did not move with leaden feet. Decently and in order, British law has in his case been vindicated. It is satisfactory to know that the crime of the fanatic is deprecated by the Indians generally, by none more than by his own father and family.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Some of the southern States are agitating for compulsory education. Some day the Manitoba Tory Government may take the matter up.

Now Billy Maclean is out in defence of city government by commission. What! Is he about to desert his municipal ownership council?

What! Hotelmen squall at Tory assessments? Never! Whittney would not allow the bosses to put on the screws, would he? Well, well! Drill, ye rascals, drill!

Stay with it, Engineer Macallum. The meter system will come by and by, and your idea of making people pay according to the service which is furnished and used by them is the right one.

The Rosa rifle knockers are just about ready to turn their hammers against the D. R. A., so great is their disappointment in it for not barring that arm, after they had announced that it would.

Hit or miss, the man who shoots at another should be severely punished. A would-be criminal should not be allowed to profit by the accident of a bad aim. Kill the pistol or knife carrying habit.

Before we go into purchasing parks for the Beach Kings, let us see that our own people are supplied with parks and playgrounds, pavements, sewers and ample water service. Charity begins at home.

The C. P. R. is determined that there shall not be any of the disorder on this year's harvest excursions that was complained of last year, and a strong force of special constables will go with each train to ensure good order and comfort.

Those sensational stories about Canada to the effect that Canada and Australia were combining at the defence conference to meet the Japanese peril, are authoritatively declared to

be sheer nonsense. How busy the fakirs are in sending out false yarns about the defence conference!

The Provincial License Department is about to make an analysis of a lot of samples of so-called "non-intoxicating" beer which it has collected. This course has been taken because of the unusual exhilaration exhibited by those who indulge in these beverages.

The Transvaal output of gold in June was \$12,758,103, and the total for 1909 will probably exceed \$150,000,000, approximately, 35 per cent. of the world's total. This stream of gold is increasing in volume yearly. British South Africa is a country of great richness.

If a great fire disaster should fall upon this city because of criminal and negligent neglect in not providing waterworks capacity, how much would the T. J. Stewarts, the Dr. Hopkins and the Ald. Wrights of the delay-in-the-Hydro-interest party contribute to make good the loss?

Judge Kimball, of Washington, has a "third degree" of his own. It is applied in open court, and is no less than an electric searchlight which is turned on the prisoner or witness while he is being interrogated. It is said to be helpful to revealing the truth. Well, the prayer of Ajax was for light.

The New York Milk Committee reports that 1,774 babies have been taking milk from the seven clean milk depots under its care. Of these 1,207 were regularly under the supervision of the committee's doctors or nurses. That is good work. The Hamilton Milk Commission thus early in its career is supplying clean milk to over 100 infants regularly.

Militarism has been an issue in Brazil of late, and Marshal Hermes da Fonseca was the standard bearer of the military party. His boom for the Presidency has collapsed. The Brazilians as a people regard militarism with disfavor, and a military President is regarded as a menace to their civil liberties.

The verdict of the jury in the case of Miss Andrews places the blame for the wretched condition of affairs as to fire protection at Toronto Island on the city of Toronto and the Ferry Company. It was put in evidence that pressure and appliances were utterly insufficient. Toronto Council has been too busy "rooting" for the Hydro scheme to give proper attention to such trivial duties as fire protection and clean water supply.

In one-tenth of the essays presented by the class of 250 in political economy at Yale there was not one misspelled word. The average number of misspellings per student in the class was seven. There were 443 words in which errors were made. Most of the blunders were made in spelling words of frequent use. Prof. Bailey regrets that spelling is not given "the position of prominence that it held in the schools fifty years ago."

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Queer, isn't it? that the Hydro-Electric Commission should be attacked for voluntarily agreeing to settle right-of-way disputes with farmers by arbitration?—Hamilton Herald.

What is the object of this falsehood? The Commission was not "attacked" for voluntarily agreeing to such arbitration, and the organ knows that. It was very properly severely censured for seeking to coerce the farmers by serving on them notices intimating that it had a legal power which it knew that it had not. The editor of the Canada Law Journal asks: "Would it be too strong language to call this a false and fraudulent notice?" and suggests that the claim was made "to mislead and deceive" the farmers on whom the notices were served. It is that sort of thing for which the Commission is properly censured.

The Toronto Star indignantly resents the idea that it is tainted with Socialism. Its defence being interpreted appears to mean that it is only devoted to a campaign of turning over to municipal ownership and operation such things as are "practicable." It indignantly admits that capital is legitimately invested when one man holds a mortgage on the farm of another; but if its defence means anything, it is a denial that "light, heat, power and urban transportation" are matters for the investment of private capital. And if ur-

ban transportation, why not all other forms? If heat, and light and power, why not ice-making, cooking, and the providing of food? The Star's proposition involves an absurdity. The Liberal idea that the people of the country shall do the business of the country and the Government shall regulate them in their operations, is very far from being obsolete, even if Mr. W. F. Maclean may boast of dragging the Toronto Telegram and Star at the chariot wheels of municipal ownership.

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See This Space To-morrow--Notice of 2 o'Clock Sale--Blouses This Time.

Thursday Will Be Table Linen Day. Imperfect Table Cloths, border all round, pure flax and splendid patterns, on sale as follows: \$2.50 Cloths for \$1.29, \$3.50 Cloths for \$1.75, \$3.50 Cloths for \$1.95, \$4.00 Cloths for \$2.50, \$5.00 Cloths for \$3.75.

Women's Waists--A Big Clearance. The biggest Waist bargains ever offered in Canada are now on sale in the Shea store. New goods are brought down every day and put on the different bargain tables. No matter how good they were yesterday, they are likely to be better to-morrow. Just look at them, on every day. \$1.50 Waists for 75c, \$2.50 and \$3 Waists for \$1.49, \$2.00 Waists for 90c, \$3.00 and \$3.50 Waists for \$1.95.

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HYDRO FIGHT. In London it is Said it Has Just Begun. Up in London it is said the real fight against the injustices imposed on the people by the Hydro-Electric legislation is just beginning. The Advertiser says: "The petition presented by Mr. J. M. McEvoy, asking the council to request the Governor-General-in-Council to disallow the Hydro-Electric legislation, will be reinforced by other petitions, and will be forwarded as soon as possible to the Governor-General. Mr. McEvoy states that the fight has just commenced, and that by no means has he given up hope, that the people of London will yet be given an opportunity of declaring their views on the contract as it stands to-day, not as it was supposed to be some months ago."

BULL ATTACKS CAR. Tried to Enter Vestibule, But Was Thrown into Ditch. Brantford, Aug. 17.—Yesterday afternoon a very peculiar accident happened on the Grand Valley Railway. The superintendent was at the motor of one of the large cars. When a considerable distance out of the city he noticed a large bull standing beside the track preparing to make a charge at the car. It made the charge all right, but it was at the driver and not at the car. The car slacked up so as not to hurt the animal, but instead of letting the car pass quietly the bull made a jump for the steps and managed to get his head and shoulders inside the door. In doing so it smashed one of its horns against the iron railing. The horn went through the glass window and struck a lady who was sitting in the end of the car. The motorman, in the meantime, had jumped out and was standing on the fender looking for a place to land. The bull had tumbled backward and was lying in the ditch in a dazed condition. The people on the car all rushed to the front to see what had become of the motorman, and one lady in the bunch fainted, thinking he had been killed. In a few minutes the motorman was in his place and the scared passengers in their seats, the former being none the worse for his experience.

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revising the Vulgate to the Order of the Benedictines, and to that end a commission was appointed with Abbot Gasquet, president of the English Benedictines, at its head. The object of the commission, according to the Pope's definite instructions, is to ascertain and restore as far as possible the original text of St. Jerome's Latin translation. How far St. Jerome's translation itself represents the Hebrew or Greek originals is another question, which may be a subject for future criticism and another commission. For the moment the task is its accurate reproduction.

The difficulties to be dealt with will be appreciated when we recall those which had to be surmounted over fifteen centuries ago. When Pope Damasus employed Jerome to revise the Latin Bible there was already a confusion of rival versions, conspicuous among which was the so-called "Itala." Jerome, however, had advantages which are not possessed to-day. He could compare dozens of ancient texts for one that is now in existence. Then, again, he had before him the "Hexaplar" of Origen, which represented not only the Septuagint in a state to which we can never hope to restore it, but the literal Greek translations of Aquila, Theodotion and Symmachus, of which we have only fragments. It is further to be noted that scarcely had Jerome's translation been completed than it began itself to fall into corruption, because it was received with scant favor by people accustomed to the old versions, especially in the liturgy, and at the most it was current side by side with the more familiar "Itala" until Gregory the Great intervened and ordered Jerome's translation to be generally used except in the Psalter. Nor was it until 1593 that an "authentic" version of the Vulgate was published by Clement VIII.

There is no doubt that the revising of the Clementine text of the Vulgate is now being conducted on the most modern and scientific lines. An exhaustive investigation is making through all the libraries of Europe in the hope of finding hitherto unrecognized manuscript copies of the Vulgate. A special commission has been organized to examine the libraries and cathedral archives of Spain in search of fresh material. Spain is thought to offer a promising field for such discoveries, since, having been outside the papal authority, it was not subjected, as were other Catholic countries, to the influence of the Alcin version, which elsewhere in the ninth century superseded all other versions of Jerome's translation. It is impossible to say what treasures may not still lie hidden in the churches and monasteries of Spain.

A Lady Explorer. Wife went on an exploring trip. Through hubby's vest. It seems she found a poker chip. You know the rest. A lecture followed; take my tip, One of her best.

Explorers all explore, you know; As well they may. Secure their data, which they stow In neat array. And then a lecturing they go. It is their way.

"I wish you would give my clerks a talk on salesmanship," said the retail dealer. "Better let 'em watch me selling you a big bill," suggested the travelling salesman.—Washington Herald.

LOCAL MEN SHOOT WELL.

Hamilton Well at Top in City of Toronto.

Team Tied for First in Canadian Club Jubilee.

Dundas Cadets Are Also Doing Some Good Work.

Long Branch Ranges, Aug. 18.—Shooting conditions were bad for the opening of the Ontario Rifle Association matches yesterday. Mist and drizzle prevailed in the morning, and the wind was almost a gale in the afternoon.

Not a possible was scored, although there were three made in the Canadian Club match last year. The scores for the City of Toronto and Tyro matches were also poor. All the targets were brand new.

Three men made 34 in the Canadian Club match, the highest score made. Pte. F. Armstrong of the 13th Regiment, however, made the best score, and was awarded the first prize of \$20. Mr. A. Houghton, W. C. R. A., and Color-Sgt. H. Greet, Q. O. R., a Toronto man, also made the high score of 34.

Among the tyros, the Canadian Club match, Bugler A. Goldwin, 43rd D. C. O. R., Sgt. G. Dudley, 10th R. G., and Staff-Serg. N. T. Finlayson, 7th Regiment, each made 29, tying for first place. The team prize, the Canadian Club Jubilee Trophy, valued at \$250, was won by the Governor-General's Foot Guards, Ottawa, with a score of 140. The next in order was the 13th Regiment, whose score, although the same, was not as good.

A number of the Canadian Bisley team are shooting among whom are the following: Serg. W. F. Smith, G. G. F. G., Ottawa; Sgt. G. W. Russell, G. G. F. G., Ottawa; Sgt. Kelly, Sgt. W. D. Sprinks, Corp. A. Spinks, 10th R. G.; Staff-Serg. H. Kerr, 48th Highlanders; Sgt. Major Huggins, Sgt. F. Mitchell, Color-Serg. J. Freeborn, 13th Regt.; Sgt. F. H. Morris, 46th, Bowmanville; Sgt. D. McInnes, 10th A. M. R., Edmonton; Sgt. Steek, 78th, Tyro; Capt. Forrest, 6th D. C. O. R., Vancouver; Private Gougeon, 90th, Winnipeg; Sgt. Blackburn, of Winnipeg, who carried off the most honors at Bisley, is not present, but he will compete in the D. R. A. matches at Rockcliffe next week.

The Australian Bisley team was represented by Serg. MacAuley, of Army Medical Corps, Sydney, N. S. W.

The British Columbia team was composed of Major J. D. Stewart, Vancouver; Capt. H. McHarg, who won the Governor-General's prize last year, and the Grand Aggregate prize at British Columbia this year; Lieut. J. Slatters, Lieut. C. Milne, Company Sergt.-Major J. Caven, Sergt. Collins, Sgt. W. A. Taylor, Sgt. S. J. Perry, who won the King's Prize in 1904; Armorer-Sergt. H. W. Youill, Pte. Rev. H. W. Simpson, 108th, Regina; Pte. G. H. Humphreys, and Messrs. McIntosh and Stevens, of the Vancouver Rifle Club. Pte. Rev. Simpson is the rector at Rossland, B. C.

Capt. Armstrong of the 13th Light Horse, Calgary, headed the Albertas. The other are: Sergt. Crofton and Sergt. Clark, 15th Light Horse, Calgary; Sergt. Brown and Sergt. Melrose, 19th Alberta Mounted Rifles, Edmonton; Sergt. A. Macdonald, 101st Fusiliers, Edmonton; Quartermaster-Sergt. Northover, Calgary Ordnance Corps; Messrs. E. S. Sales, A. R. Carmichael and R. A. G. Bell, Calgary Rifle Club, and Messrs. Kraus and Fulton, Medicine Hat Rifle Association.

The Dundas High School had ten cadets present and entered a team in the tyro match. Harbord Collegiate also had twelve cadets in the line-up. Harbord will send a team of eight cadets to the D. R. A. shoot at Ottawa.

The Match Committee consists of Major R. A. Helmer, D. A. G. M., Ottawa; Major W. C. King, 4th Regiment, Bowmanville; Major W. A. McCrimmon, 7th Fusiliers, London; Capt. J. Crow, R. L. Guelph, and Capt. A. Pain, R. L. Hamilton. Major Helmer is convenor, Major M. S. Mercer, Q. O. R., is the chief executive officer of the matches.

Score. Prize. Pte. F. Armstrong, 13th Regiment, 34 820 Mr. A. Houghton, W. C. R. A. 35 15 Color-Serg. H. Greet, Q. O. R. 34 12 Sgt. D. F. Atkins, Q. O. R. 33 10 Other winners: 85—Staff-Serg. J. S. Syme, 13th 33 86—Staff-Serg. G. Nichol, 13th 32 87—Corp. J. Wright, 13th 32 88—Pte. W. F. Moore, 77th 32 89—Capt. R. A. Robertson, 13th 32 90—Pte. W. H. Nichol, 13th 31 91—Pte. F. Lavender, 77th 31 92—Pte. W. J. Hendry, 77th 31 93—Corp. John Freeborn, 13th 31 94—Lieut. Ross Shaver, 77th 30 Tyros: 82—S. Sergt. W. Finlayson, 77th 29 83—Pte. J. D. Clemence, 91st 28 84—Pte. J. T. Smith, 91st 28 85—Cadet W. Lawson, Dundas 28 Team Prize: The Canadian Club Jubilee Challenge Trophy, value \$250, presented by Messrs. Hiram Walker & Sons, of Walkerville, Ont.—Won by Governor-General's Foot Guards, Ottawa. 149; 78th Regiment, 149; 10th R. G., 147; 48th, 147. Special individual prize—Pte. F. Armstrong, 13th Regiment, 34; Color-Serg. Greet, Q. O. R., 34; Thos. Maxwell, E. York R. A., 47—Silver medal and \$8.00. E. H. Matthews, 38th Dufferin R., 46—\$5.00. Geo. C. B. Little, East York R. A., 46—\$5.00. Thos. Hynd, St. Thomas R. A., 46—\$5.00. Sgt. W. A. McMillan, 46th, 46—\$5.00. Other winners: 84—Cadet C. Mallett, Hamilton 45 85—Pte. Jas. Thompson, 91st 44 86—Pte. J. D. Clemence, 91st 43 87—Pte. J. T. Smith, 91st 42 88—Pte. E. Finney, 91st 42 89—Cadet Lieut. W. Lawson, Dundas 41 Tyros: 83—Cadet N. Finlayson, Dundas 40 84—Cadet W. Liddy, Dundas 37 85—Cadet C. Lawson, Dundas 33 86—Cadet M. Hilbert, Dundas 31 Team Prizes: Score. Prize. 10th R. G. 209 \$30 E. Y. R. A. 208 25 91st Highlanders 206 20 43rd D. C. O. R. 206 15

CITY OF TORONTO. A number of Hamilton men came close to the top in the first stage of the City of Toronto. The scores were: Pte. H. J. White, 10th R. G., 67; Corp. E. Steadman, 13th Regiment, 67; Lieut.

J. Schlater, 6th D. C. O. R., 66; Lieut. G. Mortimer, C. A. S. C., 66; Pte. F. Armstrong, 13th Regiment, 66; Corp. John Freeborn, 13th Regiment, 66; Lieut. Ross Shaver, 7th Regiment, 65; S. C. McCone, 43rd D. C. O. R., 65; R. McGregor, G. G. F. G., 65; C. G. Crowe, 30th Regiment, 65; Staff-Serg. H. Kerr, 48th Highlanders, 65; G. Milligan, 48th Highlanders, 65; Pte. F. Bibby, 77th Regiment, 65; Sgt. E. Hancock, 10th R. G., 65; Mr. Fulton, Medicine Hat R. A., 65; Sgt. H. A. Crofton, 15th Regiment, 64; Pte. J. Stoddart, 91st Regiment, 64; Pte. W. F. Patterson, 77th Regiment, 64; Sgt. Bugler J. R. Bowen, 43rd D. C. O. R., 64; Corp. W. A. Hawkins, 48th Highlanders, 64; Pte. G. Walker, 48th Highlanders, 64; Pte. J. Alex. Steele, 30th Regiment, 64; Staff-Serg. I. C. Caruthers, 4th Hussars, 63; C. K. Gale, G. G. B. G., 63; Major John I. McLaren, 91st Regiment, 63; Pte. W. R. Rooney, 13th Regiment, 63; Sgt. D. McAlley, A. M. C., Sydney, N. S. W., 63; Staff-Serg. Thos. Mitchell, 13th Regiment, 63; Pte. J. W. Smith, 24th Regiment, 63; Capt. Thos. Mitchell, R. L. G., 63; Lieut. F. P. Luesner, 23rd Regiment, 63; Sgt. Maj. W. Dymond, Can. School Musketry, 63; Staff-Serg. N. I. Finlayson, 7th Regiment, 63; Lieut. N. J. Donville, 13th Regiment, 63; Pte. R. B. Dilworth, 34th Regiment, 63; Capt. A. E. Swift, R. O., 62; Pte. F. E. Weir, 102 R. M. R., 62; J. C. Keating, 10th R. G., 62; Staff-Serg. M. Hall, G. G. F. G., 62; Sgt. W. A. Robertson, 13th Regiment, 62; Sgt. H. Colling, R. C. G. A., 62; Q. S. M. I. N. Medhurst, R. C. G. A., 62; Sgt. W. Youhill, 6th D. C. O. R., 62; Sgt. G. N. Russell, G. G. F. G., 62; Pte. G. H. Slesor, 9th Regiment, 62; Mr. R. B. Carmichael, Calgary R. A., 62; Sgt. W. A. Taylor, 6th D. C. O. R., 62; Capt. G. L. Blatch, R. O., 62; Sgt. R. L. Snowball, 43rd D. C. O. R., 62; Sgt. S. H. Morris, 40th Regiment, 62.

All the above qualified for the second stage, and S. Sergt. Syme is one of a dozen to shoot off for a place. Those who did not reach the second stage but who won cash prizes included: 84. S. Sergt. J. Syme, 13th, 60. 85. Pte. W. Hendry, 77th, 60. 83. Corp. T. Wright, 13th, 60. 86. Pte. J. T. Smith, 91st, 60. 87. Capt. S. Thornton, Dundas, 59. 88. Lt. T. A. Bertram, 77th, 59. 83. Cadet W. Lawson, Dundas, 50. Tyros: 83. Pte. J. Haylock, 13th, 58. 83. Pte. E. Penney, 91st, 57. Team prizes: 48th Highlanders, 309, Challenge Cup, \$150, presented by the ladies of Toronto, and \$30. Governor-General's Foot Guards, 306, \$25. 43rd D. C. O. R., 303, \$20. 12th Regiment, 301, \$15. 48th Highlanders, 301, \$10.

ROSS RIFLE SIGHT. Major Mercer, Q.O.R., who is executive officer, was much pleased with the way things were going, and with the ranges. Major Mercer said he wished to correct the impression in regard to the Ross rifle in the matches at Bisley, that those using it were at an advantage over those using the Lee-Enfield. The advantage, he said, "if there was any, was with the Lee-Enfield rifles, which were equipped with the Birmingham smallarms sights. This is because they were placed on the rifle nearer the eye of the firer, thus facilitating the taking of a more accurate aim. In addition, the sights on the Ross rifle are not so far from the eye of sufficient wind at the long ranges. The B. S. A. sight permitted the taking of 30 points of wind, which is fully 10 points more than could be taken on the Ross rifle. Those using the Ross were accordingly at a disadvantage in the last stage of the King's Prize. The Ross rifle, equipped with the B. S. A. extension sight, would be a superior weapon to the Lee-Enfield."

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Amusements

A stirring play of ranch life, entitled "Texas," comes to the Grand-to-night. Almost every State in the Union has figured in some play or other, but somehow the Lone Star State was overlooked until "Texas" was produced. The plot of "Texas" concerns the efforts of a treacherous "greaser" named Pasquale to brand the hero, Jack Dallam, as a cattle thief. Trouble promptly follows, as is usual in Texas, and the villain subsequently meets his death in a hand to hand knife fight, which is said to be a most thrilling combat. Although "Texas" has its stirring, exciting moments, it is said to be in no sense a melodrama, but a legitimate play, carefully worked out and satisfying in the highest degree. From a comedy standpoint this play of the plains is most amusing. There is "Oklahoma," a hard-riding, deep-drinking, boisterous cowboy, whose liking for "White Male Rye" is only exceeded by his affection for the "Widder Peppercorn"; there is "Tank," the big-hearted, loyal bronco-buster, ever ready to aid a friend, either by lending him his bank roll or by stringing up a mortal enemy. "Texas" is said to be especially happy in having a charming female contingent.

"GRAUSTARK" NEXT. The presentation of "Graustark" at the Grand next Saturday, matinee and night, will no doubt attract a large number of theatregoers, notwithstanding that it is rather early in the season. The story is a very interesting one, and the book has had an immense sale. As the play follows it closely, it has proved a great success in consequence. The piece is said to be admirably staged, and in the hands of a very capable company, with the result that the performance is most satisfactory. The sale of seats opens to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

"PAID IN FULL." "Paid in Full," the play that in fact first gained prominence through its immense success it achieved in Hamilton several years ago, prior to its New York production, will be seen at the Grand here next Wednesday evening. It is safe to say that no play has met with greater favor in Hamilton than "Paid in Full," and its return should attract a large audience, notwithstanding that it has been seen here several times. It is an unusual play, and one that will bear seeing twice. The question is asked, How is it? Wednesday evening, Vanhals & Kemper, who still have control of the play, state that it is the best company that has ever appeared in "Paid in Full." However, this cast has been picked from the five different companies that produced the play last season, and comes direct from the Astor Theatre, New York. Next week is the only one in which one-night stands will be given. The play, as it goes the week following to Detroit, then on to all the large cities.

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New York, Aug. 18.—With one lung punctured by a broken rib Anthony Nato, of 9 State street, Passaic, N. J., is puffing up like a bellows with every breath of air he takes, and the physicians of the General Hospital there, who have been thus far unable to remedy the extraordinary condition, are perplexed and alarmed as to what the result will be.

Nato was driving with some friends in New York on Sunday when the horses bolted, and he was thrown from the carriage, the wheels of which passed over his ribs. He was severely hurt and was hurriedly taken home by his companions. Soon after they reached Jersey City Nato's arms and face began to swell, and he was conveyed quickly to the hospital in Passaic.

There the physicians were amazed to find that his whole body was puffed out, as if air had been pumped into him. A careful examination was made and then it was discovered that several of his ribs had been fractured and that part of one of them had penetrated the right lung. As a result, every time he took a breath a quantity of the volume of air was unable to find exit, the consequence being that the more he breathed the larger he grew.

The case is a rare one, and it is believed that only a delicate operation, involving the removal of the injured rib and the restoration of the breathing functions to their normal capacity can save the man's life.

AVIATION WEEK

Thirty-Eight Aeroplanes to Contest at Rheims.

James Gordon Bennett's Prize—Will be Big Time.

New York, Aug. 18.—Thirty-eight aeroplanes have been entered in the aviation competitions which commence next Sunday at Rheims, France, and further information received to-day from abroad indicates that all records for long distance flights will fall. The names of the pilots of the various aeroplanes which will compete for the prizes have not yet been announced. Besides the valuable cups which have been offered for the events, 200,000 francs have been put up as prizes. Aviation week at Rheims will open next Sunday with the French elimination race for the international aviation cup, offered by James Gordon Bennett, and the Aero Club of France will select three pilots making the best flights to represent it in the big race. The distance is twenty kilometres or twice around the aerodrome. The final contest for the Bennett cup will take place on Aug. 28.

Besides the elimination race for the Bennett cup on Sunday, there will be the opening contests for the Prix de la Bitesse, a speed prize, which is a distance of thirty kilometres, and four prizes will be distributed to the machines making the best time around the course. Aeroplanists making the best time around the course of ten kilometres either in special flights or in regular contests, will be awarded three prizes of twenty kilometres, and the Prix du Tour de Paris. The Prix des Aeronautes will be awarded to the dirigible balloon making five tours of the aerodrome course in the best time.

On Monday the Grand Prix de la Campagne de la Ville de Rheims will be held, and some excellent competitions will be witnessed. Six prizes will be awarded to six aeroplanes traveling the longest distance without refueling. All through the week contests for these various prizes will be held, and the flights will take place between 10 o'clock in the morning and 7 o'clock in the evening.

A GLESCA BODY

Canadian Cities Better Regulated Than U. S. Ones.

So Says Mr. Maxwell, Senior Magistrate of Glasgow.

New York, Aug. 18.—Mr. Jas Shaw Maxwell, senior magistrate of the city of Glasgow, who is making an extensive tour of the United States and Canada, arrived in New York yesterday. Although Mr. Maxwell's purpose in visiting America is for the promotion of public business, he is taking advantage of the opportunity to study American public institutions. He declares he has been greatly impressed with those he has already visited in Chicago, Boston, Toronto and Ottawa.

Coming as he does, from the birthplace of municipal ownership, Mr. Maxwell professes surprise that the citizens of the large municipalities are not more interested in that problem. "From what I have already observed," he says, "the Canadian cities are far ahead of those in the United States in many respects. They appear to be better regulated and are kept cleaner."

In referring to yesterday's fire in Glasgow, the visitor expressed the opinion that New York was in more danger from serious conflagration than his home city. "We have no frame buildings in the city, proper," he said, "I believe that our fire regulations are more strictly observed."

AN ULTIMATUM.

Lopez, Bolivia, Aug. 18.—Senor Polo, the Peruvian Minister to Bolivia, it is stated, has given the Bolivian Congress until to-morrow to decide whether it will accept or reject Argentina's award of the boundary dispute between Peru and Bolivia, which was favorable to Peru.

HARRIMAN SAILS.

Paris, Aug. 18.—E. H. Harriman left Paris at 11 o'clock this morning for Cherbourg, where he will embark this afternoon on the Kaiser Wilhelm for New York.

Mr. Harriman declined to see any press representatives, but through his secretary, Mr. Chance, he informed the newspaper men that he was going to his home at Arden to rest. He stated that he had no immediate intention of resuming his business activities.

THAW TO FIGHT.

Will Make Attempt to Secure Release in Custody of Relations.

Sister of Harry K. Thaw Walks Ten Miles to Plead With Judge.

White Plains, N. Y., Aug. 17.—Harry K. Thaw packed up his grip in the county jail here to-day, preparatory to his return to Matteawan to-morrow. He had to purchase an additional grip in order to house all his belongings. As it was, he threw out several hundred of letters, most of which were from cranks and women.

The Thaw family, it was learned to-day, will make an attempt now to have Thaw released from Matteawan and committed to the custody of relatives. They will agree never to let him out unless accompanied by a member of the family or a special attendant.

SAW THE JUDGE. Big Island, Me., Aug. 17.—A visit by Harry K. Thaw's sister to Judge Isaac N. Mills at the Megantic fish and game preserve, just across the border from here in Quebec, was without the result for which she had hoped when she decided to make the trip, for the Judge declined to grant her request that her brother be allowed to remain at White Plains beyond the day when Judge Mills had decided that he should be taken back to Matteawan Asylum.

The former Countess of Yarmouth came to Megantic late last night and to-day she walked nearly ten miles through the woods in her anxiety to reach Justice Mills.

AGAINST STRIKE

Railroad Men Put a Damper on Swedish Strike.

Stockholm, Aug. 18.—What is considered the last card of the strikers, an attempt to get the railroad men to join their movement, failed yesterday when a ballot taken by the railroaders showed that a majority of them were against the strike. They passed a resolution, however, sympathizing with the strike in the other trades. From every quarter of the country some reports of unorganized men resuming work. All traffic by land and sea is again normal, and business generally is reviving. The Government is preparing an important new labor law for submission to Parliament next year.

NEW FASHIONED RELIGION.

It is Frankly Sociological Rather Than Theological.

The Chicago Sunday Evening Club is one of the newest departures in the field of the modern church—in certain respects unique. There may be seen a gathering gathered in the face of the most disagreeable weather, and not on Sunday only but every Sunday.

The programme that has attracted these thousands has frankly severed from the theological to the sociological. It has openly mixed man's religion with an ancient cult.

It is a new type in the modern church. Is it a type that has come to stay? Is the day of the old fashioned religion gone with the old fashioned schools and the old fashioned courts?

"I stood on the roof garden of the Christ Presbyterian Church of New York one evening as I asked myself the question, says a writer in Putnam's Magazine. 'The rows of chairs around me were used by the congregation when they held their stuffy atmosphere of the indoor press.'

"Below me was an auditorium capable of seating more than a thousand people. At one side of it there extended a series of lounging and smoking rooms for the men on week nights. If the visitor followed the main corridor far enough he would find also apartments for the women's clubs, and long rooms where nurses cared for the little children and babies of the neighborhood when the mothers could not perform this duty.

"Across the hall from the smokers, who were playing cards, the observer might see apartments used as day schools for the young women and night schools for the young men, where anything from sewing to carpentry could be learned.

"Overhead was a thoroughly equipped gymnasium, with perhaps a vigorous game of basketball or handball in progress. On two nights of the month the gymnasium is turned over to the church dancing, and the strains of the 'Merry Widow' waltz float over the polished floor.

"This is one example of the institutional church. There are others like it in the city of New York and scores of them throughout the country. The Christ Church is a branch of the famous Brick Presbyterian Church, of which Dr. Henry Van Dyke was formerly the pastor, and is maintained at a yearly cost of approximately \$20,000. It is frankly operated on the principle that the modern church, to reach the world, must be open seven days and seven nights a week.

"Many of our institutional churches are aiming toward the ambitious goal of an international temple of worship, where men of all tongues may come to hear the same Gospel. Take, for example, the scope of St. Bartholomew's, whose institutional branch is situated at 205-213 East Forty-second street. Here we find services for Americans, Germans, Chinese and Swedes. Over at the East Side parish house we find sermons in Yiddish, Italian, Chinese and English.

"A religious project of this nature involves of course, not only heavy expense but heavy labor. Often there is a staff of four or five assistant ministers in addition to the experts who preside over certain departments. In a church such as St. Bartholomew's the minister must know not only the dead languages, Hebrew and Greek, but he must know even better the live languages which will bring him into personal touch with the cosmopolitan audiences—a task which three overworked men often find hopeless.

"St. Bartholomew's gives a course of two popular lectures each week, often illustrated with elaborate stereopticon views. It maintains a medical and surgical clinic, an eye and ear dispensary and a dental office. Here a man may be cured of appendicitis or his children of measles and here he may have glasses fitted or an aching tooth removed. If necessary the service is rendered free, and at most only a nominal charge is made for the use of the building.

"To turn to still another feature of St. Bartholomew's, the care of the stranger at the door who is about to fall into the clutches of the loan shark. The

Stanley Mills & Co., Limited

STORE CLOSÉS AT 5 O'CLOCK DAILY (EXCEPT SATURDAY)

A COMPREHENSIVE CLEARING IN ALL DEPARTMENTS

For Thursday's big day in this store we have planned something in the nature of a bargain list, with the sensational portion left out. For some time back we have realized that our Saturday is one grand rush. So much so, that we are trying with might and main to make Thursday a day to be reckoned with, so the Saturday rush may be smoothed down. So come in and look things over.

Hosiery Suggestions

Women's Fast Black Cotton Hosiery, seamless throughout, double heels and toes, elastic welt tops, 2 pairs for \$1.00. Women's Plain Black Cashmere Children's Knitted White Cotton Waists, buttoned up the back with buttons around the waist to fasten undergarments to, all sizes. 25c. Women's Plain Black Cashmere Hose, made of the finest all-wool cashmere yarn, seamless throughout. This is our leader, 35c pair, or 3 for \$1.00.

New Fall Dress Goods

40-inch New Worsted Suitings, in shades of fawn, taupe, brown, navy and green, in shadow stripe effects. For separate skirts or suits. Special per yard 59c. 64-inch Broadcloth Suiting, the popular weave for coat suits or separate skirts, in shades of navy, old rose, brown, lizard green, black, etc. Special, per yard \$1.00. New Polo Coat Lining, in ivory, grey, reds, navy and black. Special, per yard 55c. Children's Lining, in all the popular shades, per yard 25c.

The Newest in Staples

Lineen and Poplin Suitings for pretty dresses and suits, in a fine even weave, medium weight in shades of cream, blue, grey, navy and pink, regular 35c, on Thursday per yard 25c. New Crêpes and Voiles in pretty striped and flowered patterns for summer or house dresses, regular 25 and 35c yard, to clear Thursday per yard 15c. New Indian Dimities in 15c. New Indian Dimities in 15c. 700 yards White Saxony Flannel-ette, 35 inches wide, heavy and free from dressing, splendid value 12 1/2c yard, on Thursday 10 yards for \$1.00. 700 yards White Nainsook, 30 inches wide, free from dressing, in a fine even weave for women's and children's underwear, regular 13c, on Thursday, per yard 12c.

Grocery News

20 lbs. Redpath's No. 1 Granulated Sugar, in cotton bags, for \$1.10. Jelly Jars, per dozen 30, 40 and 50c. Malt Vinegar, per quart 15c. Lemon Squash, per bottle 15c. Pickling Vinegar, per gallon 35c. Lime Juice Cordial, per bottle 15c.

Stanley Mills & Co., Ltd. Beach Delivery Every Wednesday

Pure Linen Jap D'Oylies

Half Price at each 8c, 12 1/2c, and

KILLED DAUGHTER.

TERRIBLE ACT OF A FARMER NEAR NORWOOD.

After Placing Body on a Couch He Lay Down Beside it and Was Also Found Dead—Thomas Willoughby Had Been Ill.

Norwood, Aug. 17.—A most shocking fatality, which has aroused the country-side to a high pitch of excitement, occurred near here about 2 o'clock this afternoon, resulting in the death of Thomas George Willoughby, aged thirty-seven, a well known farmer living on the boundary between the townships of Dummer and Asphodel, about a mile and one-half from Norwood, and Stella May, his eight-year-old daughter. The details of the tragedy are decidedly indefinite, and just how it occurred is still a matter of conjecture.

The facts as far as they could be learned by a correspondent to-night are these: Mrs. Willoughby, wife of the dead man, owned a small farm on business this afternoon, and left at home her husband; Stella, the girl who was killed; Harry G., six years of age, and Alma Grace, nine-months-old infant. It appears that Willoughby was seated on a platform in the woodshed cleaning a double-barrelled shotgun, which he kept on the premises. Stella was standing near him, according to the statement of little Harry, who is unable to give any definite information. The lad himself was minding the baby. It is supposed that the gun was discharged accidentally. This is the theory of Mrs. Pettigrew and Sutton, of Norwood, who were on the scene shortly after. At any rate, the gun was fired, the load of buckshot passing through the girl's body around the heart, tearing a great hole in her breast and coming out behind, scattering into a wood pile behind her. She bled profusely, and must have died instantly.

Then the father, wild with despair, no doubt, picked up the mangled form of his little one, tore off the bloody garments and washed the small body. Then, realizing that life was extinct, he carried her into the sitting room of the house, where he placed her on a lounge. Shortly after, Mrs. Isaac Rutlan, a neighbor who lives a short distance away, arrived at the Willoughby house to see Mr. Willoughby about some farming operations. She was met at the door by Willoughby with a pistol in his hand, and gasping. He motioned her to go in, and she did so, while he remained in the yard.

In entering the sitting room she was horrified to find the body of the dead girl, and asked Harry what had happened.

"Father got too big a charge in, and killed Stella," he is reported to have replied.

The frightened woman, after making sure that the girl was dead, ran out to Willoughby and said to him:

"What shall we do?"

He replied: "Run for a doctor as quick as you can."

Mrs. Rutlan lost no time in going for help, and word was sent to Mrs. Willoughby that her daughter had been badly hurt. She immediately drove home and found a number of men outside who had hesitated to enter. They tried to stop her, but she broke away from them, rushing into the sitting room to find her daughter dead on the lounge and close beside her on the floor the lifeless form of her husband lying face upwards, with the arms crossed on his breast. This was the first intimation that anything had happened to Willoughby, and the double shock almost crushed the poor woman.

Drs. Sutton and Pettigrew were summoned, but they were, of course, unable to do anything in the matter. There were no marks of violence upon Willoughby, nor were there any indications that he had met death by poisoning himself. The theory that the shock of the accidental death of his child had been too much for him is borne out by the fact that he had been in bad health for some time.

Willoughby had lived in Dummer all his life, and was a prominent member of the Orange order and the Canadian Order of Foresters. His mother lives in Toronto, and one brother, Charles, and two sisters, Mrs. Forward and Mrs. John Falconer, also reside in that city. Two other sisters, Mrs. Robertson, of Peterboro, and Mrs. Ed. Patterson, of Winnipeg, also survive.

FIVE MEN KILLED.

Dynamite House at Tunstall Bay, B. C., Wrecked.

Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 17.—Five lives were lost in an explosion which wrecked the dynamite house of the Western Explosives Co., Ltd., at Tunstall Bay, Bowen Island, on Monday afternoon. The dead are one American, named William Sellers, aged 30 years, formerly employed at the Pinola Powder Mills, California, and four Chinese. Two men were in the building at the time; the others were working some distance away. The cause is a mystery. The company opened the plant at Tunstall Bay three months ago; eastern capital was enlisted in the concern. Bowen Island is in Howe Sound. Police and a coroner left Vancouver this morning to investigate.

DEATH REPORTED.

An old offender that hung for years. Nothing touched his stony heart but Putnam's Corn Extractor, and out he came root, stem and branch. All corns cured just as quickly when Putnam's is used; try it.

A FANTASTIC IDEA.

Atlantic Cannot be Crossed in an Aeroplane, Says Bleriot.

Paris, Aug. 17.—Louis Bleriot, who flew across the English Channel in his monoplane, said to-day that all talk of crossing the Atlantic in an aeroplane was fantastic in the present stage of the science of aviation, when nobody has yet been up in the air three hours at a stretch in a heavier-than-air machine. Bleriot refused to discuss the question further.

CASTORIA.

Your Physician's Prescription. Or your family recipe will be filled with accuracy and dispatch at Gerrit's drug store, No. 32 James street north. This store is one of the best equipped in the province, has a staff of qualified, attentive assistants, and a large volume of business, which insures to you pure and fresh medicine.

RESCUED FROM LAKE.

Two London Small Boys Carried Out in a Punt.

St. Thomas, Aug. 17.—A case of bravery which should be rewarded by life-saving medals is reported from Port Stanley. On Monday afternoon Carl Burns, aged 12, and King Burns, aged 5, of London, who are sunbathing at the Port, found an old punt on the beach, and, with the aid of a broken, home-made paddle, set out for a sail on the lake. While enjoying themselves a severe wind and thunderstorm came up, and, despite the efforts of the lads, the small craft was in a fair way to be blown out in the lake, while the danger was increased by the leaking of the boat.

The older boy, displaying considerable coolness and pluck, several times lowered himself overboard and endeavored to push the boat along toward the shore by swimming behind and alongside it, but his efforts were unavailing. Their predicament was noticed on land by Russell Croden, of London, and Chester Smith, of St. Thomas, and the two lads lost no time in getting out their rowboat, and, despite the storm, rowed out and rescued the boys from their perilous position.

WASHED OFFLAUNCH.

Howard Coll of Cleveland Drowned—Other Deaths.

Port Dover, Aug. 17.—While the gasoliner Naiaid was returning to this port from Selkirk, having on board Howard Coll, the only son of Richard Coll, Cleveland, Ohio, who had attained his twenty-first birthday on Sunday last, and Roy Dell and Hazen Waddle, she struck a severe squall about midday. The boat in tow filled and Howard uncleased the painter and attempted to pull the tow up to the gasoliner. A furious sea struck the tow, pulling Coll in. The painter, running overboard, caught the tiller and rendered the launch temporarily unmanageable, and the two younger lads were forced to watch their companion drown. Port Arthur, Aug. 17.—John McDermott, a deck hand on the Lake Coast Trading Company's barge Vanallen, was drowned at Simpson Island last evening. The body was recovered and brought to Port Arthur on the boat arriving here this afternoon. McDermott was about 35 years of age and well known about the city.

North Bay, Aug. 17.—James Dunning, a young English painter, in Canada about one year, was drowned while bathing at Chapeau. He leaves a wife and family in Liverpool.

STOLEN GOODS.

Serious Charge Laid Against Toronto Domestic Servant.

Toronto, Aug. 18.—Late yesterday afternoon P. C. Staples noticed a young woman carrying a suit case on Queen street, near Bathurst. Her evident nervousness attracted the attention of the constable, who once questioned her as to how she came to have the grip. She could give no very satisfactory explanation, and the policeman took her down to the Esther street police station.

There the grip was opened, revealing a quantity of goods—felts, silks and brushes of various kinds—which very closely resembled some of the goods said to have been stolen when John La Page and Hugh Macdonald, the night watchmen for the Heintzman and Comfort soap factories, respectively, were arrested on Monday night. The woman was at once lodged in a cell and charged with receiving stolen goods. She said she was a domestic that her name was "May May," and that she lived on Eden place.

FOUND DEAD.

Son of a Welland Physician Succeeded Near Crystal Beach.

Welland, Ont., Aug. 17.—A bus man driving between Ridgeway and Crystal Beach this afternoon discovered in a corn field by the roadside the decomposed body of a young man. Coroner Brewster was notified and enquiry revealed the fact that the body was that of D. R. Weller, accountant for the Pierce Motor Company, of Buffalo, and son of Dr. H. Weller, of Welland.

The young man had shot himself through the right temple. On August 5th he wrote a letter to his father, which was posted on August 9th, saying that he was despondent. He went to Crystal Beach on August 7th with friends, and that was the last seen of him. Officials of the Pierce Motor Company say that his work was very satisfactory and the reason for his despondency can be found.

FIREMAN KILLED.

Fatal Collision on the G. T. R. Near Barry's Bay.

Ottawa, Aug. 17.—A mixed G. T. R. train, going west, ran into a wash-out near Barry's Bay this morning. The engine, tender and four cars, loaded with merchandise, and two empties, left the track and rolled down an embankment near the lake. The passenger cars did not leave the rails. All escaped unhurt but the fireman, W. J. Thurston, of Madawaska. For some time he could not be found, but at last was located under a car, crushed to death. The wash-out was due to a cloudburst.

FOUND DEAD IN BUSH.

James Lattimer, an Aged Recluse, Wanders From Callender.

North Bay, Aug. 17.—James Lattimer, an old man of seventy, living near Callender, went out picking berries two days ago, and not returning, a search party found his dead body in a bush this morning, death resulting from natural causes. Lattimer was in comfortable circumstances, but eccentric, and had not been living with his wife and family for some time, leaving them at the homestead at Barrie and living the life of a recluse on the outskirts of Callender.

THE ANXIOUS MOTHER AND BABY'S SUMMER ILLS



BY JOSEPHINE HILL.

An anxious mother may make herself and others miserable by imaginary symptoms, but a careful mother may prevent sickness by a quick recognition of the symptoms of children's diseases. In most instances the symptoms are definite, and the remedies are simple, but the chief importance is to notice promptly and to administer immediately, if you would prevent an illness. Croup, of course, is what many mothers dread, but fortunately that illness seldom comes in warm weather. If it does—and you can tell it by the wheezing, a short dry cough, and a tendency to choke on the part of the child—use immediate remedies. Give a teaspoonful of the syrup of ipecac at intervals of a half hour, until there is free vomiting. Also keep the air in the room warm and moist by having a kettle boiling and steaming. Keep warm clothes around the child's throat. A piece of thin flannel soaked in turpentine and pentyl of vaseline will prevent another attack during the night. Colic will make the baby scream or be restless, sleepless and fretful. You can tell by the way the child draws up its knees that it has pain in the abdomen. The gas distends its abdomen, and to get out this gas is your chief care; so do this: Give very warm water to drink, containing a few drops of peppermint; or if this fails, give more hot water, containing two or three drops of gin. Rub the child's abdomen gently, and even putting the child up against your chest—almost over your shoulder—seems comfortable for the baby. Also apply warm cloths to the abdomen. If all this fails, inject very warm water into the lower intestine by means of an infant's rubber bulb syringe. All young mothers should own such a syringe. Your family physician can tell you where to get it and how to use it.

MR. JELLYFISH



GOOD SHORT STORIES

THE WRONG HAND. Two young ladies boarded a crowded street car and were obliged to stand, says the Washington Post. One of them, to steady herself, took hold of what she supposed was her friend's hand. They had stood thus for some time, when, on looking down, she discovered that she was holding a man's hand. Greatly embarrassed, she exclaimed: "Oh! I've got the wrong hand!" Whereupon the man, with a smile, stretched forth his other hand, saying: "Here is the other one, madam."

STRANGE DEATH.

Horace McManus Fell From Window on Cobalt Street. Cobalt, Aug. 17.—Last Friday night Horace McManus, a young Englishman, aged about 30, was picked up alongside the Hunter block with several fractures in his limbs, evidently having fallen from a window thirty feet above. Although very low in Canada on September 1st last night in the Red Cross Hospital, when death relieved him of his sufferings. To-day Coroner Dr. Crane held an inquest over the remains. It was expected some strong details would be brought out, as two women occupants of the rooms in Hunter's block were summoned, but only conflicting evidence was gained. The jury brought in a verdict that McManus came to his death from causes unknown, or rather the details of the accident, if such were unknown, with the recommendation that the police investigate the circumstances further.

CHOKED HIS WIFE.

Stratford Man Had to be Clubbed Into Submission. Stratford, Aug. 17.—An habitual notorious drunkard, Jack Court by name, appeared before the Police Magistrate this morning on a charge of using violence towards his wife. Mrs. Court, who is a respectable woman, was in the witness-box giving evidence against him, when her husband sprang from the prisoner's box and attempted to choke her to death. He was speedily clubbed into submission by the officer in attendance, and led back to the cells. The wife, on recovery, pleaded that the Magistrate would not make the sentence too heavy.

Bull Broke Farmer's Rib.

London, Ont., Aug. 17.—James Weir, lot 8, concession 1, North Doncaster, was attacked by a bull in his barn yard yesterday and severely injured. The animal threw him down and attempted to gore him, but, having been deterred, only succeeded in breaking a rib. Weir finally managed to hit the animal a blow on the nose with a stick, and escaped over a fence.

TO-NIGHT Cascarels

He who owes nothing fears not the sheriff's officer.—Latin.

CANADIAN FLEET.

ATLANTIC AND PACIFIC SEABOARDS TO BE PROTECTED.

Naval Defence Scheme—The Vessels Must Belong to Canada Absolutely—Australia's Premier Gratified That Plan Has Advanced Two Years Ago Has Now Met With Approval.

London, Aug. 18.—A lengthy statement is published to-day, giving the "general lines" of the scheme of Canadian naval defence. According to this, the formation of the nucleus of a Canadian navy will be begun immediately on lines suggested by Sir John Fisher in 1907. "Canadian ambition would not be satisfied by a mere contribution of money," the statement says; "Canada wants to own her navy. On this point the supreme consideration is the constitutional freedom of the State, and to this all questions of strategy, no matter how important, must be subordinated. The details, such as the disposition of ships, etc., have not yet been concluded, but it is obvious that Canada would not be filling her own undertaking if she placed all her eggs in one basket. She has two oceans to consider, and the work will begin practically simultaneously on both coasts."

The scheme also includes the increase of dock facilities. It is unlikely that the naval forces will be limited to Halifax and Esquimaux. Prince Rupert, and possibly Quebec and Montreal, will also have to be considered. The very best feeling has been displayed on both sides at the conference, and a perfect understanding exists between the Imperial and the Dominion authorities.

THE AUSTRALIAN VIEW.

Melbourne, Aug. 17.—Hon. Alfred Deakin in an interview to-day said he was extremely gratified at Col. Foxton's success in securing the fullest acceptance of the scheme which he (Deakin) had advocated in 1907. He also drew attention to the fact that the Commonwealth would have complete control of the proposed Australian unit in the reorganized Imperial navy in time of peace, and would also retain the power to decide whether the circumstances of any given emergency in time of war would warrant the transfer of the units to the admiralty. The annual cost to Australia would be something over £750,000. Sir John Fisher's written proposals on behalf of the admiralty, some months ago, gave Australia a smaller degree of control over the local navy than is given in Mr. Deakin's now triumphant scheme.

JAPAN NOT MENTIONED.

London, Aug. 17.—The Canadian Associated Press has the highest authority to state that Japan has not been mentioned or discussed in any way by the Imperial defence conference.

REVEALS INVISIBLE.

New Telescope Adopted by the United States Army. Wakefield, Mass., Aug. 17.—After years of experimenting, Dana Dudley, of this town, has just had the satisfaction of having his "pan angle" telescope adopted by the War Department of the United States.

The invention is simple in its construction, yet, it is said, may revolutionize modern warfare. It consists of reflecting lenses so arranged at angles in a tube that persons or objects above or below and on all sides may be viewed from a place of concealment.

The device as constructed for use in warfare is arranged so that even in disappearing guns or guns used in trenches and fired from any point invisible from the exterior the operator may ascertain the location of the enemy, target, or other objective point without exposing himself.

GALT MAN KILLED.

Struck by an Electric Car in His Own City.

Galt, Aug. 17.—John McVicar, Water street south, Galt, track foreman of the G. P. & H. Railway, was killed this afternoon at McAllister's Hill, near the golf links, by being struck by a car. Mr. McVicar, in company with another man, was working on the outside track, making repairs, when the car due in Galt at 3 o'clock came along at a good speed. Motorman Homuth sounded his whistle. The unfortunate man was carrying a sledge on his shoulder and turned around to see if his companion was safe, when he was himself struck by the car. The sledge struck the car and made a hole in the front vestibule. The injured man placed on board and brought to his home here, where he died shortly after being taken in. There was a bad gash on the back of his head and his left leg was crushed to a jelly.

PROTESTANT PARADE IN IRISH TOWN STONED BY NATIONALISTS.

London, Aug. 17.—News has just reached London of lively rioting at Lurgan, near Portadown, Ireland, on Sunday and late last night. The trouble began when a Protestant flute band paraded in farewell to two members who were departing for the United States. Several thousand persons joined in the parade. When they reached North street the Nationalist centre, stones began to fly. The band proceeded to its headquarters, a public house, but the Protestants and the Nationalists maintained the battle until the constabulary appeared. The constabulary then became the target for both parties. They were reinforced, and made a series of charges on the mob. To-day the town looks like a wreck. From thirty to forty of the chief places of business were sacked, and the streets are strewn with broken window glass and the contents of the shops and warehouses. All the doctors are busy attending to the wounded.

FARM LABORERS WANTED

WORK FOR 20,000 MEN IN MANITOBA ALBERTA AND SASKATCHEWAN. SPECIAL EXCURSIONS \$10 GOING \$18 TRIP. Additional for the Return Ticket under conditions as below. GOING DATES: Aug. 19, Aug. 23, Aug. 27, Sept. 7, Sept. 10. ONE-WAY SECOND-CLASS TICKETS WILL BE SOLD TO WINNIPEG ONLY. Representative farmers, appointed by Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta Governments, will meet and engage laborers on arrival at Winnipeg. Free transportation will be furnished at Winnipeg to points on Can. Pac. where laborers are needed, east of Winnipeg, including branches, and at one cent a mile each way west thereof in Saskatchewan and Alberta. A certificate is furnished with each ticket, and this certificate when executed by farmer showing that laborer has worked thirty days or more, will be honored from that point for a second-class ticket back to starting points in Ontario, at 50c, prior to Nov. 30th, 1909. Tickets are good only on special Farm Laborers' trains and will be issued to women as well as to men, but will not be issued at half fare to children. For full particulars see nearest C.P.R. agent, or write R. L. THOMPSON, D.P.A., C.P.R., TORONTO.

Advertisement for Farm Laborers Wanted, including details of special excursions and going dates.

Advertisement for Northern Navigation Co. Upper Lake Trips, featuring Hamonic-Huronic-Saronic routes.

Advertisement for Mother's Bread, highlighting its quality and availability.

Advertisement for Gold Medal Flour, sold and guaranteed by all dealers.

Large advertisement for Times Printing Co., promoting railway size admission tickets for church concerts and entertainments.

Advertisement for Castoria, a medicinal product, with a testimonial and signature.

SHOOTING OF MICHAEL HALL.

Young Shelley Steadily Maintains His Innocence.

Probability That Murderer Hid in the Barn.

Detective Greer Determined the Power of the Rifle.

Simcoe, Aug. 17.—Don't worry, mother, I did not do it, were the words of Emery Shelley, the young boy who is charged with the murder of Michael Hall, when he was roused from his bed and placed under arrest on Monday night.

THE BOY'S EXPLANATION. "I was in the bush shooting squirrels and birds," he said, "and I shot at one bird twice and missed it, and then killed it with a third shot. They're good birds to eat when they are stuffed."

Shelley told the constable who arrested him that he obtained the rifle—an ordinary single-shot Stevens .22—as the result of a trade with an Englishman at Avon, 30 miles away, giving in exchange an old gray coat and a dollar and a half.

HIS MOTHER'S STORY. "His mother, in an interview, stated that she did not know where he got the rifle from, and that she had only seen it in his possession a short time previously. Her attitude was pathetic. In the modest home of the family, surrounded by six of her youngest born, she, with tears welling in her eyes, reiterated her disbelief that her second born could be guilty of the shooting which he is charged with."

SHOTS FIRED FROM BARN. Mrs. Schaver added that her son had assured her that he had never been nearer the Hall place than the bush, which is over two hundred yards away, and beyond the range of the weapon he had. It is evident that the shots fired at Hall were discharged at comparatively short range. The angle at which they entered the wooden sides of the house prove that beyond doubt, and would also seem to point conclusively to the fact that the shooter hid in the barn and fired through an aperture caused by the falling away of some boards.

DETECTIVE GREER'S INVESTIGATION. Detective Greer visited the farm today and will return in the morning in order to test the range of the rifle Shelley had in his possession. The detective secured a piece of elm one inch thick, which the boy had used as a target on Sunday, and found that at the range of thirty-six yards the bullet had pierced the wood. He also ascertained that complaints had been made by children about the prisoner holding them up with a revolver. Mrs. Schaver, the boy's mother, when asked about this, described it as merely a boyish prank, and said that the revolver was an old and useless weapon, which could not be fired.

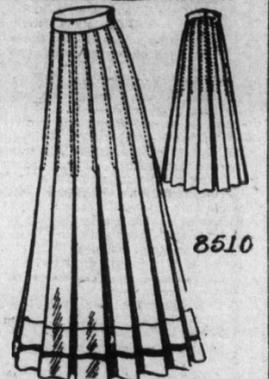
Legs Severed by Derrick. Welland, Ont., Aug. 17.—Antonio Sartonne, an Italian laborer, employed by the Canadian Portland Cement Company at Port Colborne, met with a fatal accident this morning. Crossing the track of the derrick used in the quarries, he fell, and the wheels ran over both legs below the knee. He was removed to the hospital at Welland, but died half an hour after reaching there. He was 40 years of age and unmarried.

SHOT DEAD.

Hugh Harmon Arrested on a Charge of Murdering Watchman.

Port Arthur, Aug. 17.—Hugh Harmon, second engineer on the Andrew Carnegie coal boat, lying at the C. N. R. coal and ore docks, shot Albert Wallnor, a watchman on the boat, a German, of Cleveland, through the lungs with a thirty-eight calibre revolver last night at midnight. The men quarrelled between the street and dock, both being the worse for liquor. After being separated Harmon said, "Say your prayers; it is my turn now," and fired at Wallnor, who fell dead. A charge of murder was preferred, and Harmon was remanded for a week in the police court.

TIMES PATTERNS.



MISSIE'S PLAID SKIRT. No. 8510.—Noticeable among the newest styles are the plaid skirts. This smart model is laid in a box plait on each side the centre front and centre back. It is suitable for serge, cashmere, linen and pongee. The pattern is cut in 3 sizes, 14, 16, 18 years.

It will take several days before you can get pattern.

WANTED IN CANADA.

A Notorious Bank Crook Trained to California.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 17.—All doubt as to whether the man detained in the county jail under the name of Frank Chapman as "Fritzie" Diehn, the notorious bank thief and diamond crook, was removed yesterday, when R. A. Stenton, a lieutenant of the Detroit police, positively identified him. Lieut. Stenton came to Los Angeles for the purpose of assisting Charles Mahoney, an Ontario police officer, who is endeavoring to extradite Diehn for a Canadian robbery.

NORTH BAY SUICIDE.

Zuel Dutrizac Could Not Live Without His Wife.

North Bay, Aug. 17.—Zuel Dutrizac, of Sturgeon Falls, aged forty years, committed suicide on the lake shore at North Bay this morning by taking paris green. Dutrizac was separated from his wife, who works in a local hotel, and last evening sent for her to attempt a reconciliation. She refused to live with him, and he stated that he was not long for this world, which held nothing attractive for him away from his wife and two children. The body lay unidentified at the morgue until this afternoon, when C. P. R. Constable Forder, who had been working on the case, found Mrs. Dutrizac, who at once recognized the body as that of her husband.

CHARLESTON ISOLATED.

Severe Storm Does Great Damage—Houses Unroofed.

Charleston, S. C., Aug. 17.—This city is practically cut off from direct telegraphic communication with the outside world to-night as the result of a storm to-day, which held nothing but wind attained great velocity and was accompanied by a tremendous fall of rain. Some houses were unroofed and many trees were uprooted, but no loss of life occurred. Several persons, however, were slightly injured by falling debris.

Too Bat! Too Bat! Osgar is Sick.

(BY FRED SCHAEFER.)



"Ach, Osgar, do I see you sick in bed?" "Oh, nod at all. You see me out on der chicken coop boring holes in der roof so id vould rain in on der ducks." "Und vo consists of your illness?" "Lumbago." "Vere do you feel id?" "In my foot." "Fool! Lumbago is inder back." "To be sure. Id is in der back of my foot." "Oh, cheer up. Ef id is fatal, der diams vill soon run id course." "But for why should id use my system for a race track, I ask you?" "Don't your doctor know?" "How should he know anything about race tracks? He is no horse doctor." "Well, vo is he?" "He is a regular veterinarian." "How are you getting along? Do you suffer any improvements?" "Yes. I am getting vorse much better." "Dot is a bleasant surprise to me. I guess id is because I haf been giffing you absent treatment. I haf been thinking your health etery dime I felt tirsty." "Thank you. Your kindness to yourself vill never be forgotten. Id is surely a great sacrifice on my part." "Neder mind, I haf brought you some limberger cheese. Was you allowed to haf any dainties?" "No, indeet. Der doctor hass efen cut off my pigs feet." "I hope der aberration was painful." "Nod, fery. You see der gafe me gas. Gas is der only light nourishment I can take." "Don't dey give you any solits?" "Yes. Pills." "You ought to try a goot tonic."

NEWS IN BRIEF

Three severe earthquake shocks were experienced at Acapulco, Mexico.

The four protecting powers will haul down the Greek flag at Canea, Crete.

A Chinese patrol was assaulted by a body of Japanese soldiers at Manchuria.

Mrs. J. A. Murray, of Toronto, died yesterday at the home of her parents in Lynn, Mass.

A Russian commission of colonization called at the Parliament buildings, Toronto, on Tuesday.

Heavy earthquake shocks were felt at Lisbon on Tuesday, and the inhabitants are much alarmed.

All rumors as to the illness of the Pope are groundless. His Holiness is enjoying perfect health.

A despatch from Madrid says that a leading anarchist, named Barro, was shot in Barcelona on Tuesday.

Mr. Walter R. Nusey, who was assistant inspector of public libraries, has been appointed inspector, to succeed the late Mr. Leavitt.

The steamer Glengarry struck the bridge at Lachine on Tuesday and sank. The Southwestern Traction Line will probably be offered for sale.

There is a rush of Otter township, where rich finds of silver are reported.

Lady Alma-Tadema, wife of the famous British artist, is dead.

A number of British papers strongly protest against Jamaica joining in the proposed arrangement for reciprocity between the West Indies and Canada, believing that the United States would certainly retaliate.

Harold Pedge, aged 19, an English immigrant, employed on Archie McDermid's farm, near Chatham, was kicked on the head while hitching up a horse, the blow fracturing his skull, so that he died soon afterward.

The Orangeville by-law to raise \$7,800 for the purpose of erecting bridges within the township of Amaranth was submitted to the ratepayers of that township on Saturday last and was carried by a majority of 37.

William Hood, who was arrested in Toronto and taken to Parry Sound at the instance of the Crown for non-payment of a fine, appeared before the police magistrate and was released on payment of the fine, amounting to \$40, together with all costs.

The Cunard Steamship Company is inviting tenders for a new transatlantic liner. Details as to size, etc., have not been given out, but the new ship will not be as big as the Lusitania or the Mauretania, which she is intended to replace when these vessels lay up for repairs.

A pipe line from the Red River, Man., five miles long and supplying a 200,000 gallon tank will be built by the Transcontinental Commission to provide water for the great shops being erected for the road in Springfield. Piping twelve to eighteen inches will be laid below the frost line.

In the House of Commons on Tuesday Mr. McKenna, First Lord of the Admiralty, presented the bill to amend the Colonial Defence Act of 1865, and also a bill to make better provision respect-

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STRATHCONA'S VISIT

Will be Asked to Become Honorary President of Selkirk Fair.

Winnipeg, Aug. 17.—In view of Lord Strathcona's honorable position for many years in the Hudson's Bay Company, his relations to the early days as head of important bodies, and his unique position to-day as almost the only living man who knew well, personally, many of the early Selkirk settlers, his Lordship will be unanimously tendered the position of Honorary President of the Canadian International and Selkirk Centennial Exposition. Lord Strathcona will arrive in Winnipeg on August 26, and has acknowledged the receipt of a cablegram from Premier Roblin welcoming him to the city.

BATTLE WITH SEA.

Long Island Life-Savers Won After Long Fight.

New York, Aug. 17.—Long Island life-savers, after six hours' battle, added today another victory against the sea to their long list of remarkable rescues, when they brought safely to land the captain and crew—seven souls in all—from the three-masted schooner Arlington of Boston, which went ashore early this morning in the driving rain and fog off Long Island. The eighth member of the crew, Madden Pierson, a Swede, who had put off from the schooner on a raft, was swept out to sea, but later was driven ashore, exhausted, more than five miles to the south, near Rockaway Beach. The rescue from the schooner was witnessed by cheering guests of the Nassau Hotel at Long Beach and by hundreds of cottagers. The hotel was indirectly responsible for the vessel's plight, for Captain Ira Small, having lost his bearings, mistook the glimmering lights in the structure for those of a liner and thus misled the ground.

CARGO OF CLYDES.

Donaldson Liner Brings Shipment of Prize Horses.

Montreal, Aug. 17.—The Casandra, of the Donaldson line, reached here this morning at 5, with 164 cabin passengers, and the finest lot of prize horses, numbering 102, which have never been brought to this port. They are nearly all Clydesdales, and while some are for the Toronto Exhibition, many of them are for Regina and Western points; others for Ottawa, Brantford, and Ontario centres. All the horses were landed in excellent condition.

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HANDBOOK MEN.

HOW BETS WERE PLACED IN A TAILOR SHOP.

A Reserved Case Granted, in Case of William Clarke—A Butcher is Remanded for a Week for Sentence—His Books in Court.

Toronto, Aug. 18.—Two of the alleged handbook men who were arrested in last Friday's raid came up for trial in the Police Court yesterday, convictions being entered in both cases.

In the first one, William Clarke, a cutter in the employ of Richard Savigny, a tailor, of 26 Adelaide street east, was found guilty on the evidence, a reserved case being granted. Clarke's employer, who was jointly charged with him, was allowed to go, there being no evidence against him.

In the second case, Alfred W. Wright, a butcher, of 108 Shuter street, entered a plea of not guilty, but changed it to guilty when the police commenced to put in evidence. He was remanded a week for sentence.

In the first case two Thiel detectives, named Twitty and Schiller, told of going to Savigny's store at 26 Adelaide street east, on August 10th. Twitty took a suit to be pressed, and incidentally inquired of Clarke where he could place a bet.

"Right here," said Clarke. Accordingly a bet on a horse running at Saratoga was made. The horse lost. On the following day a bet of \$2 on another horse was made. This time it won, and Clarke paid up.

In his defence he said he merely placed the bet with a bookmaker named Greenwood to oblige his customer. "How often have you acted as an agent for Greenwood?" inquired Colonel Denison.

"I had never done it before," said Clarke. "Had you ever bet with Greenwood yourself?" "Then how do you know Greenwood would take it?" "Well, I surmised so," replied Clarke.

In entering a conviction Colonel Denison said: "There is clear evidence that this man took two bets, and the evidence looks as if he had been in the habit of taking other bets." The reserved case will be as to whether Clarke's two bets constitute him a bookmaker.

When Mr. A. W. Wright pleaded guilty his counsel urged that Wright's principal business was that of a butcher. "You'd better have a look at this book," said Mr. Corley, handing up Wright's ledger to Colonel Denison. "All of the bets there were taken this month."

"Surely not," replied Colonel Denison, incredulously, as he turned over page after page of recorded bets. Staff Inspector Stephens spoke up: "The worst feature of this case is that he was taking bets on boys."

"Nonsense," retorted Mr. J. W. Curry, K. C., "they were young men of 18." "I'll adjourn the case for a week for sentence," decided Colonel Denison.

One more arrest was made this morning by Detectives Guthrie and Moffatt, in the person of Charles H. Varcoe, of Shuter street.

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August Sale Mull Dresses August Sale of Blouses

Dozens of beautiful Mull Wash Dresses in Princess style, marked down to prices that give you a first-class RIGHT HOUSE garment at the price of ordinary made-only-to-sell clothing. A fine display of these shown in our Wash Department.

Fancy Centre Pieces Japanese hand-drawn, on Irish linen Centre Pieces, worth 70c each for 29c. Pretty White Mercerized Waistings Strips and floral designs, in white mercerized Waistings, an elegant line of goods. 19c, worth 25c. 25c, worth 35c.

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Matting's Reduced

The 25c Line—A magnificent choice of color combinations and patterns in this line—about thirty pieces altogether. There are two-color and three-color combinations, in abundance, and a few plain naturals and naturals with neat, widely separated figures; one very beautiful design is a dainty natural ground with a neat figure in burnt effect.

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"My breath has been rather short of late," he murmured. "After that, sandwiched in between the strength of the Japanese army and the table of feminine Christian names, he read the several statements that morning lassitude, pains in the back and lack of ambition denoted an early grave—always unless the Something-or-Other was taken beautifully. Mr. Mullin realized sorrowfully that all these symptoms were his, and prodding his hat and stick, he set out.

At the corner he encountered old Mrs.

"Well, the cherry bends with blossom, and the vivid green is springing. And the star-like lily nestles in the green; And the frogs their joy are singing, and my heart in it is ringing, And it doesn't matter what I might have been."

While above the scented pine-gloom, piling heights of golden glory, The sun-god paints his canvas in the west; I can couch me deep in clover, I can listen to the story Of the lazy, lapping water—it is best.

"While the trout leaps in the river, and the blue grouse thrills the cover, And the frozen snow betrays the painter's track, And the robin greets the dayspring with his knees trembling, 'What's the sign?' 'Oh-h-h-h!' moaned Mrs. Parrott; and Mullin broke into a run for the doctor's office.

Old Dr. Cates sat dreamily before his open window, but at Mullin's approach he jerked down a volume of materia medica and began pouring over its pages. As Mullin detailed the fearsome symptoms, he nodded his head in grave understanding and slipped his hands into his pockets. "These were empty. 'You should have come to me before this,' he advised.

"Oh, Doc, is it as bad as that?" cried Mullin. "Worse," answered the old sage. Then he mixed a gray powder with a yellow powder and handed it to Mullin. "Five dollars," he demanded.

Mullin braced up a little at this, but as the doctor continued to regard him with a strange, pitying look, he paid up and hobbled out, while the doctor jingled the silver fee. Two more friends, seeing him emerge from the doctor's office, assured him he was looking bad, so that by the time Mullin arrived home he leaned heavily upon his cane and dragged one foot after the other. Mrs. Mullin, seeing him, came out.

"What's the matter now?" she demanded. "Everything," groaned Mullin. "You come here," commanded Mrs. Mullin. "I've got a Golden Restorer that will bring you around."

She led him into the house and made

CASTORIA For Infants and Children

The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson

A RARE CRIME. Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 17.—Charged with one of the rarest offences committed against the government, that of abstracting gold from a mint, Charles W. Dakin, a trusted employe of the mint at Denver, Col., was arrested in this city yesterday by a secret service agent.

BASEBALL

BOXING

BOWLING

RACING

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YACHTING

TRACK AT WINDSOR WAS HEAVY YESTERDAY.

Sewell, Backed From 10 to 4 to 1, Beat Charlie Eastman and Edgely.



ACROSS OVER FROM Chicago, and will remain for the balance of the meeting.

J. W. Carmack, William Shields and L. Lee will send their strings to Montreal at the close of racing here.

Another reversal of form came in the fifth race, in which some fairly tried sprinters met, but which resulted in a hollow victory for Sewell.

After the finish the halter brigade became active and put in numerous claims. Charley Eastman and Edgely being the coveted ones.

Giles, who was beaten in the sixth race, was claimed after the race by Guy Gray, owner of Steel, for \$1,000.

Jockey Nelson was suspended by the starter for the remainder of this meeting for misbehavior at the post.

J. C. Ferris said after the steeplechase that Bonnie Kate's poor showing was due to an injury to her knee.

L. B. Sire was among to-day's arrivals.

The Tiger A. A. has received a sanction from the C. A. U. to hold an athletic meet here on the 28th of August.

Many of the Y. M. C. A. athletes are away camping just now, and on that account no games will be held at Britannia Park to-night.

A Central Y. M. C. A. team will be entered in the City Football League this season, and should it be as successful as its two predecessor the trophy will become the property of the Y. M. C. A.

War rumors in which the American Association is cutting a big figure are attracting much attention among baseball men in the West.

When the anti-track crusade was waged in New York last year opponents of the turf asserted that the sport was conducted wholly for commercial gain.

Sailor Burke wants to fight Willy Lewis again, but he is holding up the author with the most eaten statement that he was dragged before the bout with Lewis last Friday night and that he did not know what he was doing when he got into the ring.

THE FOOTBALL BUG IS AGAIN IN OUR MIDST.

Expert Says the Tigers Will be Stronger Than Ever---Ottawa May be Weakened by Loss of Players---Argonauts Will Show Up Well.

How will the Tigers line up this season? That is the burning question. Will they "cop the rag" again, together with their "Lodship" cup, or will the Patriments Hill aggregation, last year's runners-up, win out?

The race, four-year-olds, purse \$400, five furlongs—Woolcata, 107 (Burns), 4 to 5, and out, first; Miss Sly, 107 (Rose), 20 to 1, 8 to 1 and 4 to 1, second; Kyle, 107 (Harty), 10 to 1, 4 to 1 and 2 to 1, third.

Second race, steeplechase, handicap, purse \$500, short course—Class Leader, 142 (Huffman), 6 to 1, even and out, first; John Dillon, 155 (Yonrel), 6 to 5 and out, second; Bonnie Kate, 156 (Pollock), 7 to 5 and out, third.

Fourth race, selling, purse \$400, 5 1/2 furlongs—Banives, 113 (Burns), 6 to 5, 2 to 5 and out, first; Judge Walton, 97 (Hannan), 30 to 1, 12 to 1 and 4 to 1, second; Slowfoot, 104 (Mentry), 12 to 1, 4 to 1 and 2 to 1, third.

Fifth race, three-year-olds and up, selling, purse \$400, six furlongs—Sewell, 107 (Mentry), 7 to 5, 5 to 2 and 6 to 5, first; Charley Eastman, 112 (Lee), 9 to 5, 3 to 5 and out, second; Edgely, 104 (Kennedy), 9 to 5, 3 to 5 and out, third.

Sixth race, three-year-olds and up, purse \$500, selling, one mile—Gilverdar, 99 (Jackson), 10 to 1, 4 to 1 and 2 to 1, first; Black Sheep, 96 (Ganz), 20 to 1, 5 to 1 and 3 to 1, second; Elder, 106 (Lee), 6 to 5, 2 to 5 and 8 to 5, third.

Seventh race, four-year-olds and up, selling, purse \$400, 1 1/8 miles—Goldconda, 98 (Reid), 4 to 1, 7 to 5 and out, first; Malediction, 99 (A. Burton), 7 to 10 and out, second; Doubt, 104 (Ganz), 7 to 1, 2 to 1 and out, third.

Some few changes will take place, nevertheless. George Ballard, the plucky little quarter-back, and last year's captain, is emigrating to Toronto to take a course at Osgoode Hall, and the team will suffer a loss there.

Jack Grey, Bob Isbister, Dave Topp and Art Moore have all said they would not play this year, but we don't believe 'em.

Just how the Montreal outfit will show up it's hard to tell. With Chasner Elliott at the helm, it's a safe bet that the M. A. A. team will take a lot of beating.

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Ottawa Preparing

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With a particularly active executive and an enthusiastic array of material on hand it is expected Ottawa will place the fastest squad on the field of any of the four clubs in the Inter-Provincial Union.

Hal and Murray Kennedy are both living at Cobalt, while Allan Powell is out on a Transcontinental survey.

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The Ottawas will turn out for practice in about three weeks' time, President Nagle arranging for an early start.

No efforts are being made as yet to recruit new players, the Ottawa officers apparently realizing the hopelessness of such a move.

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Five years ago the public demanded that the great American game should be modified and that changes in the old style of play should be made with the result that such innovations as the forward pass, requiring ten yards to be made in three downs and the inside kick were then put on the rules, and lovers of the sport got what they wanted.

The coaches at the different colleges and universities have not been idle during the summer vacation, but have had a constant eye on all their promising material and have kept in touch with men who last year showed anything like football stuff.

In a number of cases where players were going up to the mountains for their annual holidays, footballs were given out before they left, with instructions to practice a little kicking while they were away and to slowly get themselves into shape for the coming season.

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Another came along in the third, Pfeffer was hit on the head by a pitched ball. He went to second on Kelley's sizzling liner which Wicker tried to avoid, but which hit him and caromed over to Cockill at first base, annexed the end station on McDonald's bounder to Wicker and counted on Hozer's grounder to Yeager, which forced McDonald's Singles by Jones, Colvin and Wicker, with Krichell's loft to left sandwiched in, sent the first mentioned gentleman careering over the pan.

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Toronto's Hoodoos Live Up to Their Reputation—Both Games Were Close.

HERE IS NO GETTING away from it—the little something the Royals have on the Kellevites seems to make it impossible for the Toronto club to lower Montreal's colors.

Two wins to eleven losses is the way they stood up to yesterday afternoon at Toronto. Now it is just a couple more to the said "O" to nothing and three to two of the unpalatable doses administered to the Leafs.

Inability to swat when swats meant tallies lost them the opening number. Corner-lot errors by Frick and Weidy robbed them of the second game after they had won it.

Both affairs were toss-ups from start to finish, with neither team on velvet for the smallest part of a minute. The Royals were not particularly lucky.

It was more that the Leafs were not equal to their opportunities. Brilliant fielding was much in evidence. Yeager accepted ten chances in each game without a skip and Jones and Kelley pulled off remarkably fine catches.

Diamond Park was the seat of war for the first time since 1907, in which year Toronto galloped away with the rag, and the fans showed that their liking for the old park is still alive by turning out in holiday numbers.

Ground has been encroached on to a considerable degree by new buildings, and both the right and left field fences are much closer to the plate than of old.

But in spite of this it easily answers the purpose. The crowd overflowed the stands by the time the second game was under way, and a two-base ground rule was put into force.

This robbed the Royals of a couple of homers, Corcoran lanning the sphere over the left field fence in the first chapter and Cockill duplicating the feat in the third.

Cockill put it over the right field woodwork in the initial engagement for a four-base hit, and incidentally the visitors' only run. The duel between Lee and Winter was a battle royal and the Toronto's slab artist should have notched a victory.

After the fatal first he was never in difficulty, whereas Winter frequently got into bad looking holes. Wicker had a few shades on Pfeffer, particularly in the early rounds.

Kelley's hitting was a bright spot in the tale of woe. The manager had two singles in the first game and a double in the second. In the last game he should have had a perfect hitting average, for his out on a tobacco line, which carried off Wicker's hip, in spite of the pitcher's efforts to evade the smash and rolled over to Cockill, was the worst kind of tough luck.

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Almost Human Intelligence.

What has become trained so that it can go up when Mr. Patten isn't looking at it.—Montreal Star.



BEN SIMPSON, famous half back, who will likely manage the Tigers this season.

the team lines up. Art Turner will make a valuable addition to the yellow and black bunch, and the intermediates offer some mighty good youngsters.

Tom Lotius is on the list of eligibles, and if Tony is as good as he was last year he will not have any trouble in making the team.

Just how the Montreal outfit will show up it's hard to tell. With Chasner Elliott at the helm, it's a safe bet that the M. A. A. team will take a lot of beating.

There is plenty of new material in the capital, however, and Clancy hopes to have one of the best teams ever.

The Ottawas will turn out for practice in about three weeks' time, President Nagle arranging for an early start.

No efforts are being made as yet to recruit new players, the Ottawa officers apparently realizing the hopelessness of such a move.

Just to show that they are waking up on the other side of the line an American exchange says: In less than a month we shall have the football fan with us again.

COMMENT AND GOSSIP

Bobby Kerr will land at Boston tomorrow, and will likely arrive in Hamilton on Saturday some time.

J. C. Ferris said after the steeplechase that Bonnie Kate's poor showing was due to an injury to her knee.

L. B. Sire was among to-day's arrivals.

The Tiger A. A. has received a sanction from the C. A. U. to hold an athletic meet here on the 28th of August.

Many of the Y. M. C. A. athletes are away camping just now, and on that account no games will be held at Britannia Park to-night.

A Central Y. M. C. A. team will be entered in the City Football League this season, and should it be as successful as its two predecessor the trophy will become the property of the Y. M. C. A.

War rumors in which the American Association is cutting a big figure are attracting much attention among baseball men in the West.

BASEBALL PLAYER'S SPIKED NIGHTMARE.

Here's a story without words. Look at this shoe. This is what every runner faces as he slides head first into a base; what every infielder fears as the runner slides into him feet first.

Every week comes another story; another man crippled, painfully, perhaps seriously, by the dangerous spiked shoes. It would be as fair for one man as for another if everybody was forced to discard the spikes—but they stay.



HOW TEAMS IN THE BIG LEAGUES STAND

Table with columns for Eastern, American, and National leagues, listing teams and their records (Won, Lost, Pct.).

HAMILTON MAN BEATS PEARCE

In the Ten Mile Race at Ingersoll Old Boys.

Ingersoll, Aug. 18.—The ten-mile race, the feature event of the Old Boys' reunion here yesterday, was the best running event seen around these parts in a long time.

Twenty men faced Mr. Charles Bailey, Claude Pearce, on account of his consistent running during the last month, was the favorite, with Phin of Hamilton, Peter Isaacs, of Woodstock, Jack Pepper, of Stratford, and MacDougall, of Park Hill, second choices.

After a few words by his Worship Mayor Sutherland, of Ingersoll, the men were sent away by Starter Charles Bailey, of Toronto.

Phin, of Hamilton, jumped to the front, closely followed by Keene, of Woodstock, and Pepper, of Stratford, with the rest strung out.

These positions were held to the three-mile post, which was run by the leaders in 18 min. 27 secs. Here Pearce, the Irish-Canadian runner, began to make his effort.

BILL PAPKE PICKS KETCHEL TO WIN.

New York, Aug. 18.—Bill Papke when asked the other day for an opinion of the coming bout between Ketchel and Langford, replied:

"I think Ketchel will be the winner. Unless Langford can drop him with a punch in the first two or three rounds, Ketchel will wear him down and beat him decisively."

Will Jeffries, on his return to this country next month, sign another 20-weeks vaudeville contract? In his behalf Berger recently named next April as the time for the proposed mill with Johnson, which would give Jeff plenty of time to rake in the coin at \$2,500 a week.

If Jeffries refuses to go on the stage again under any circumstances and shows a desire to indulge in real training, sporting men say they will be convinced that he intends to fight the negro.

Speaking of new butter, it is that what but sure we discover that they are sure of nothing but being sold.

There has been 118 roller skating companies incorporated in England this year.

SPORTING NEWS

TENNIS

INTERNATIONAL TOURNAMENT.

The international tournament, which opens on the Queen's Royal courts, Niagara-on-the-Lake on Monday will be the best in the history of this long established affair.

to the following lawn bowling associations: Dominion Bowling Tournament, Ontario Bowling Association, Western Ontario Bowling Association, and Eastern Ontario Bowling Association.

It shall be competed for annually and shall be between the following sixteen rinks: Winners of the trophy in each association, runners-up of the trophy in each association, winners of the Association prize in each association, winners of the Consolation prize in each association.

The rules of the game, as set forth in the by-laws of the Ontario Bowling Association, shall govern the competition, except where otherwise provided for by these regulations.

The drawing will be made by the umpire on the day of play among the rinks who have appeared to take part in the contest, according to the Bagnall-Wyld system.

The first game shall be played at 10 o'clock a. m. on the lawn of the Victoria Club, Huron street, Toronto, which has been kindly granted.

G. S. Peary, President of the Dominion Bowling Tournament, has consented to act as umpire.

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CONTROL IS THE THING.



CHRISTY MATHEWSON. (By Tip Wright.)

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Matty has led the National League's pitchers again and again. This year, with Donlin and Bresnahan gone, and Seymour not in form, and the team weakened generally, Matty is carrying nearly the whole burden for McGraw.

So I asked Matty for the secret of his success.

"What's there in this pitching game, anyway?" I asked. "What's the important things? How do you dope it out?"

"Control," said Matty. "That's 50 per cent of it. Getting the ball just where you want it, figuring the batter's weakness, and laying the ball just exactly there."

"And the rest—"

"Luck—having things break right behind you—that's 30 per cent. Speed is only 10, and curves only 10 per cent. more."

"I won a game the other day when I pitched only four curves in the whole nine innings. And about control. I've only passed one batter this year unintentionally. That was Clements of Brooklyn."

Dominions. The following is the line-up of the teams:

Western Thistles—Jas. Martin, Oliver C. Martin, Slater, Kennedy, McCormick, P. J. Moran, Webster, Stevenson.

Dominions—Flicky C. Slocumbe, Male, Walters, Rookmaker, Leask, Watt, Crawford, Shipley p.

Philadelphia, Aug. 18.—The team selected by the Associated Cricket Clubs of Philadelphia to represent the United States against Canada at Montreal on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Aug. 23, 24, 25, it has been announced, will be constituted as follows:

J. L. Evans, R. Patton, Merion Cricket Club.

W. M. Fellows, Frankford Cricket Club.

Last year the United States gained a very easy victory. This will be the first match between the United States and Canada to be played at Montreal, the previous games, with one exception, having been played in Toronto or New York.

Of the thirty-five matches played between the two countries, twenty-four have been won by the United States, nine by Canada, and two have been drawn.

Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 18.—A special meeting of the directors of the Eastern Baseball League is being held in this city. President Powers called the meeting to order. These members are present: Ned Hamon, of Baltimore; A. B. Potter, of Buffalo; J. P. McCallister, of Rochester; and Charles T. Chaney, of Rochester, comprising the board of directors. Protest games will take up most of the time to-day. Rochester has two to be put on the docket. One will be that by Baltimore, played here when Ganzell is claimed to have run out of the line after making a hit that drove the Mills' bats out of the park.

The other is the game played recently in Jersey City, which Manager Ganzell protested because Osborne was declared out when Holmes, who was coaching at third, ran toward the plate.

Chicago, Aug. 18.—Spray, of the Chicago Athletic Club, won the Lipton Cup series, which ended yesterday. The race was claimed on a foul by the I. A. C., the Illinois Athletic Club entry, but after the judges had considered the evidence in several hours, they gave the decision in favor of Spray.

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Do., Cal., box, 1.25 1.50. Plums, Cal., box, 1.25 2.00. Do., Can., basket, 0.50 0.65.

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St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: Granulated, \$4.75 per cwt., in barrels, No. 1 golden, \$4.35 per cwt., in barrels, Beaver, \$4.45 per cwt., in bags. These prices are for delivery here. Car lots 5c less. In 100 lb. bags prices are 5c less.

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MARKETS AND FINANCE

Toronto Markets

Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards for Tuesday were 43 carloads, consisting of 941 cattle, 113 sheep and lambs, with one calf.

The total for Monday and Tuesday amounted to 136 carloads—2,780 cattle, 8 hogs, 355 sheep and lambs, with 37 calves.

The quality of fat cattle generally was not as good as has been coming to this market, but there were some choice loads that were eagerly sought after.

Trade was much slower than it was last week, although 1,600 cattle had been sold and weighed up at the noon hour.

Prices were lower all round; the good to choice cattle sold at from 10 to 15c lower, while the common to medium sold at from 20 to 35c per cwt. lower.

The buyers stated that the top-notchers to-day were not as good as those of last week, and in reality the choice cattle were very little lower, if anything, when quality is considered.

Exporters' quoted steers, choice, \$6 to \$6.20; medium to good, \$5.60 to \$5.90; common, \$5 to \$5.50; export heifers, \$5 to \$5.65; the quality of these was not as good as last week; bulls, \$4 to \$5 per cwt.

Butchers—Prime picked lots, good enough for export, \$5.30 to \$5.50; loads of good, \$5 to \$5.20; medium, \$4.50 to \$4.75; common, \$3.75 to \$4.25; cows, \$2.25 to \$4.40 per cwt.

Milkers and Springers—Prices steady, at \$35 to \$60 each. Veal Calves—Veal calves were quoted at \$3 to \$6.50 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs—Sheep sold at \$3.50 to \$4 per cwt. and lambs at \$4 to \$7. The latter price being obtained by McDonald & Halligan for 55 choice lambs, 80 lbs. each, sold to the D. B. Martin Company.

Deliveries were light to-day, only seven or eight loads coming in. New hay was slightly firm. Hay is unchanged at \$18 to \$20 a ton for old, and at \$14 to \$17 for new. Bundled straw sold at \$14 a ton.

Dressed hogs are steady at \$11 for heavy, and at \$11.25 to \$11.50 for light. Wheat, white, new, \$1.05 \$1.03. Do., red, new, 0.99 1.00.

Oats, bush, 0.50 0.00. Barley, bush, 0.55 0.60. Rye, bush, 0.75 0.00.

Hay, old, per ton, 18.00 20.00. Do., new, 14.00 17.00. Straw, per ton, 13.50 14.00.

Dressed hogs, 11.00 11.50. Butter, dairy, 0.21 0.25. Do., inferior, 0.18 0.20.

Eggs, dozen, 0.25 0.26. Chickens, spring, lb., 0.16 0.17. Do., yearlings, lb., 0.12 0.14.

Ducks, lb., 0.13 0.14. Fowl, lb., 0.11 0.12. Celery, per dozen, 0.50 0.75.

Potatoes, new, bush, 0.75 0.90. Onions, bag, 1.50 1.60. Beef, hindquarters, 10.00 11.00.

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LIVERPOOL MARKET

Opening: Wheat, 1/8 higher. Casing: Corn, 1/8 higher.

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GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

Traffic earnings from Aug. 1 to Aug. 7, 1909: 1909, \$832,475; 1908, 794,352.

NEW YORK FUTURES

New York, Aug. 18.—Cotton futures opened steady: Oct. \$12.35; Dec. \$12.34; Jan. \$12.34; Feb. \$12.34.

Is the fellow who accepts an invitation to drink being treated for the liquor habit?

Killed Oregon's Biggest Wolf.

What is considered the largest gray wolf ever seen in this part of the State was killed last week by E. A. Taylor, a farmer living between this place and Mill City.

Mr. Taylor had lost five sheep by some predatory animal and had decided from the appearance of the wounds on other sheep that it was a bear that did the mischief. Upon returning from work one evening last week, Mr. Taylor saw fresh wounds on some of his sheep. With these wounded sheep to scent his dogs, he started up over the hills. Darkness overtook him before the animal was brought down, but twice wounding it and both shots taking effect in the leg he was able to get close enough to avoid the risk of hitting his dogs. Not until a few minutes before the animal was killed did Mr. Taylor learn that it was not a bear.

The animal measured 6 feet 6 inches from tip of nose to tip of tail and stood 2 feet 10 inches high. Its weight was estimated at ninety pounds.—Lyons correspondence Portland Oregonian.

"You used to say I was worth my weight in gold," exclaimed the wife, petulantly. "Yes," replied the brute of a husband; "but you have grown terribly thin since we have been married."

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BOWLING

DOMINION CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT.

Although the day's programme was not entirely disposed of, yet satisfactory progress was made yesterday in the Dominion Lawn Bowling Association's tournament at the Woodbine, Toronto.

GREAT FLOODS.

Section of Colorado Destroyed by Disastrous Cloudbursts.

Towns Drowned Out—Arkansas River on Rampage.

Pueblo, Col., Aug. 17.—Cloudbursts last night at Howard and in Ute Pass made raging torrents of tributaries of the Arkansas River, causing the worst flood in years along the main stream.

At Canon City the Arkansas River was five feet higher than ever before in its history at midnight, and still rising.

FLAG LOWERED.

Bluejackets Haul Down Greek Flag in Crete.

Canea, Island of Crete, Aug. 18.—The Greek flag, raised three weeks ago by the people of Crete in defiance of the sovereignty of Turkey and as an evidence of their desire for union with the kingdom of Greece, was lowered at sunrise this morning by a party of international bluejackets.

SUTTON'S DEATH.

Lieutenant's Death Was Either Accidental or Suicide.

Washington, Aug. 18.—The naval court of enquiry into the death of Lieut. Sutton, United States Marine Corps, has found that that officer came to his death by either accidental shooting or by suicide, but just which was not able to determine.

SUING FOR ALIMONY.

Mrs. Annie Beatty, of Toronto, has issued a writ against Dr. William John Beatty, of Keewatin, for alimony.

ADAM'S CASE.

Boston, Aug. 18.—It was announced here to-day that counsel for A. D. F. Adams, the Boston broker under indictment in New York, had arranged with District Attorney Jerome that Adams should surrender himself to the authorities in New York to-morrow morning.

COMPLAINTS MADE.

Complaints are being made against some of the local five cent theatres for allowing gramophones to play outside their premises, contrary to the city by-law.

CHEESE FACTORY BURNED.

Kingston, Ont., Aug. 18.—Fire in the Collins Bay cheese factory on the Bath road caused the destruction of the factory during the night.

GOOD ATTENDANCE.

The cool weather last evening did not prevent the usual large crowd from attending the Mountain Theatre.

NOT THAT WINN.

A few days ago it was announced that the firm of Winn & Company, of Milton, had suffered loss by fire.

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

Mrs. Fortye and Miss Roper, of Peterboro, are the guests of Mrs. William Carey, Herkimer street.

The rates on motor cars to and from Hamilton via S. S. Turbina, have been reduced as follows: Touring cars, \$5; roadsters, \$3.50; runabouts, \$2.

Mrs. Helen McKinnon, a sister of Mrs. Alfred Hopkins, of this city, died on Monday at Stratford.

The garden party which was to have been held at the home of Mrs. Dudley, Maple avenue, last evening, was postponed until to-night, on account of the weather.

NOT WORRYING.

Young Shelley Suspected of Murder Sings and Whistles.

Simcoe, Ont., Aug. 18.—Elmer Shelly, the 16-year-old lad under arrest here, charged with shooting the old man, Michael Hall, on Sunday, maintains an attitude of absolute indifference to the dreadful position in which he stands.

NOT MURDER.

The Shooting at Norwood Believed to be Accidental.

Norwood, Ont., Aug. 18.—It now seems to be beyond all doubt that the shooting of little Stella Willoughby by her father, James Willoughby, yesterday afternoon, was purely accidental.

FOR CAMPERS.

Don'ts That May Save Many Thousands of Dollars to the Country.

- 1. Don't, when in the woods, throw down a lighted match, cigar stub, or other flaming object; make sure that the flame has been thoroughly extinguished before throwing it away.

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The claim of Mr. W. J. Anderson, Dundas road, was considered yesterday afternoon by the Legislative Committee of the County Council.

Mr. Anderson received injuries while shifting a water tank from a wagon some time ago, while in the employ of the county, one finger was badly crushed, and he was laid up for some time.

GOLD FOR JAPAN.

New York, Aug. 18.—Announcement was made to-day that the Yokohama special bank will transfer through the sub-treasury to San Francisco, for shipment from there to Japan of \$1,500,000 in gold about September 1, and \$1,500,000 about the middle of September.

DOING DOUBLE DUTY.

The genial Police Court clerk, Mr. William McHaffie, is away on his vacation, and his duties are being fulfilled by the always genial Chief Smith. He, however, combines the duties of ink slinger with occasional cross-examining when occasion demands.

The Chief's regular duties at the side of the witness stand are being covered by Inspector McMahon.

GOT SIX MONTHS.

Windsor, Ont., Aug. 18.—Nellie Leach, colored, convicted of stealing provisions from the home of William Burnie, was sent to the Mercer Reformatory for six months.

Several other charges of the kind have been brought against Nellie in the past. The woman told the magistrate she had kleptomania.

Distraught Mother—And what with these hedeuction bills an' all, miss, I sometimes says to myself, "Appy are the parents what never had any children," I says.—J. L. C. in Bystander.

NOTICES OF Births, Marriages and Deaths

which are inserted in the Daily Times also appear in the Semi-Weekly Times. 50c first insertion; 25c for each subsequent insertion.

BIRTHS

BLACKBURN.—On Tuesday, Aug. 17, 1909, at St. Francis Arthur avenue, Toronto, the wife of W. G. Blackburn, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES

BAZZARD—McDONALD.—At Toronto, on July 15th, by Rev. Alex. Williams, Mrs. Sarah McDonald to George Bazzard, both of this city.

DEATHS

KELLY.—At his late residence, 236 Catharine street north, on Wednesday, August 18th, Patrick Joseph Kelly, aged 80 years, a native of Limerick, Ireland.

NEWELL.—At Stratford, on Aug. 16th, 1909, Fredrick, in his 78th year.

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NOTICE

Is hereby given, that a by-law was passed by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Hamilton on the 12th day of July, 1909, to provide for the issue of debentures to the amount of \$10,000 for the purpose of providing further accommodation at the City Hospital for diphtheria and scarlet fever patients; and by-law was passed by the said Council on the said date to provide for the issue of debentures to the amount of \$20,000 for the purchase of additional land for school sites for the Barton Street, Stinson Street and Heas Street Schools.

And also a by-law was passed by the said Council on the said date to provide for the issue of debentures to the amount of \$20,000 for the completion and equipment of the Technical School.

That these several by-laws were registered in the Registry Office of the County of Wentworth on the 17th day of July, 1909. Any motion to quash or set aside the same, or any part thereof, must be made within three months after the first publication of this notice and cannot be made thereafter.

S. H. KENT, City Clerk. Dated the 16th day of August, 1909.

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MARKETS AND FINANCE

Liverpool, Aug. 18.—Wheat—spot, No. 2, red, western, winter, nominal; futures firm; Sept., 8s 3/4d; Dec., 7s 8d; March, 7s 8d.

Corn—Spot new American mixed, via Glaveston, steady, 6s 6 1/2d; futures steady; Sept., 5s 4 1/2d; Oct., 5s 4 1/2d.

Hams—Short cut, strong, 56s 6d; bacon, strong, short ribs, 65s.

Cheese—Swiss, Canadian finest white, 56s 6d; do, color, 57s 6d.

Chicago, Aug. 13.—Cattle—Receipts estimated at 17,000; market strong; beefs, \$4.40 to \$7.65; Texas steers, \$4 to \$5.50; western steers, \$5 to \$8.20; cows and heifers, 2.25 to \$6.40; calves, \$5.50 to \$8.75.

Hogs—Receipts estimated at 16,000; market 5c higher; light, \$7.60 to \$8.10; mixed, \$7.40 to \$8.10; heavy, \$7.10 to \$8.10; roughs, \$7.10 to \$7.35; good to choice heavy, \$7.35 to \$8.10; pigs, \$6.90 to \$7.85; bulk of sales, \$7.55 to \$8.

East Buffalo, Aug. 18.—Cattle—Receipts 100 head; good, firm; common, slow; prime steers, \$6.50 to \$7.

Veals—Receipts 50 head; active and 50c higher, at \$8 to \$9.50.

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NOTICE Is hereby given that the Council of the Corporation of the City of Hamilton, in pursuance of the provisions of the Municipal Act, intend to construct cement walk with curb on Queen street, west side, from end of present walk, north of York street, to Little Craig street, estimated cost \$50,000. And to assess the real property immediately benefited by any of the aforesaid works, unless a petition against the construction of the same streets, by a majority in number of the owners, representing at least one-half in value of the real property to be assessed, is presented to the said Council within one month from the last publication of this notice which will be on the 18th day of August, 1909.

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