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LONDON, CANADA.God's in His heaven,
All's right with the world.
—[Browning.]

London, Thursday, July 20.

HON. PETER MITCHELL, who has been on a visit to Northumberland, N. B., asserts that radical reform is a coming cry down by the sea. And in Ontario and the West, too.

A NEW BRUNSWICK correspondent writes that the hay crop there was almost destroyed by the drought. The Province, which generally has hay for export, will this year have to procure a supply from the Western Provinces. This will tend to stiffen prices for feed in those parts. If rates are good here this year it is because over a wide portion of the globe there is a grass famine.

The average monopolist organ nowadays urges the people to be contented with the system of high taxation on the ground that it does not take all their surplus cash out of their pockets. This plea resembles that of the robber, who, when appearing before a judge on a charge of burglary, urged that he only took the gold and the silver which he came across, and that he left his victim to enjoy his furniture and clothing.

In her efforts to stimulate the growth of Irish industries, Lady Aberdeen has given an example of industry, patience and perseverance which is thoroughly appreciated by the woman of the Green Isle. Edmund Yates, in his cable letter, announces that last week Lady Aberdeen was the guest of Mr. Fitzgerald Bannatyne, at Summerville, and thence visited the chief centers, such as Ennis and Limerick, advancing along the western coast via Galway, being enthusiastically received everywhere. The wife of our new Governor-General is a Scotchwoman, born on the borders of England, but her sympathy with the toilers is not confined to any one division of the United Kingdom.

It is all nonsense to argue, as do the supporters of the class "protective" law now on the statute book, that the taxes of the people cannot be reduced because of the heavy expenditures. From the British Free Trader's point of view, as the Montreal Witness well puts it, the tariff could be reduced so as to relieve the consumer of probably twenty millions of taxation, and yet so as to yield sufficient for the needs of the nation. Mr. D'Alton McCarthy, who helped to frame the protective tariff, declares that it takes at least twenty millions out of the pockets of the consumers and hands it over to the manufacturers in addition to the twenty millions that goes to the treasury.

A STRATHFORD correspondent says he knows why so many mechanics leave this country for the other side. In the first place, our mechanics are generally well-trained, and they can always be relied on, and in the next place, they can command better pay in the larger market than in the more restricted field of operations. An instance is given of a machinist in the G. T. R. shops who was getting \$1 50 a day. Then the company moved him to their shops at Flint, Mich., where he did precisely the same work. But in that city his labor commanded \$75 a month. But for the restriction on trade between the two countries wages would be about equalized, to the advantage of Canadians.

A TELL-TALE COMPARISON.

There is a surplus at Ottawa, we are told. The men in power there even glory over it. Yet the taxpayers know that the money accumulated is just so much taken out of their pockets, out of the avenues of trade and commerce, and its presence in the treasury is an added temptation to the adventurers who prey around the Administration in hopes that they may reap where they have not sown.

Of much greater significance than an alleged surplus that may all vanish by the time that the balances are struck are the following facts obtained from the official Year Book, issued by Mr. Johnson, the official statistician of the Dominion Government:

	1878.	1892.
Possible Debt of Can.	\$174,607,068	\$293,333,274
Net Debt of Can.	110,302,060	241,131,438
Customs Taxation	4,182,224	80,931,039
Excise Taxation	4,838,611	7,945,095

The year 1878 was the last year of the Mackenzie government. The year 1892 is the last for which official returns are to hand. Surpluses have been reported in nearly all the intervening years, yet the public have been taxed enormously, not only to fatten the public treasury, but for the benefit of monopolists, and legitimate industries have been so burdened as to discourage extension of their operations.

Lower taxation, the whole of the money collected to go into the public purse, is what the people now demand and mean to have.

THE NEXT GENERAL ELECTION.

There are rumors that the Dominion Parliament may be dissolved before many months have elapsed. This would not be in accord with the implied pledge of the Government last session, when the revision of the voters' lists was once again suspended, on the understanding that no general election would take place till the lists were overhauled. They are old and musty enough now in all conscience. Whether or not there will be an election all depends upon the view entertained by the Ministry as to the effect of an appeal on their political fortunes for the future. In 1890, Secretary of State Chapleau, in presence of the Conservative Premier and other members of the Cabinet, solemnly told Parliament that the lists would be revised before a general election was decreed. But we all know that on the evening of Feb. 2, 1891, the Government resolved on an immediate appeal to the country on the old lists. If the Administration now believes that the growing wave of dissatisfaction with the class taxation law is certain to augment as the time rolls on, it will cast principle to the winds, and hold the elections on the antiquated lists within the next six months. But it may postpone action till Parliament has lived its full term. It has been stated that three sessions of this Parliament remain to be held. This is a mistake, unless it is meant to hold two sessions in one year, as three sessions have already been held, one beginning April 29, 1891; the second on Feb. 25, 1892, and the third on Jan. 26, 1893. The first Parliament had five sessions, the second two, the third five, the fourth, fifth and sixth four each.

THE CITY, LONDON WEST AND THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

Once more the attempt is made to make believe that the trouble between London West and the city with regard to the deposit of sewage in the River Thames is caused by Attorney-General Mowat.

Than this a more unfair or irrelevant accusation could scarcely be made.

The London West people, when they demanded that the city should be indicted before the Grand Jury at the Middlesex assizes, some years ago, proceeded within their legal rights. They took action, not under a law put on the statute books by Sir Oliver Mowat's Government, but under the Dominion Criminal Code, section 191 of which stipulates that "a common nuisance is an unlawful act or omission to discharge a legal duty, which act or omission endangers the lives, safety, health, prosperity or comfort of the public, or by which the public are obstructed in the exercise or enjoyment of any right common to all her Majesty's subjects."

Proceeding under the Dominion law, the London West residents were able to establish to the satisfaction of the Grand Jury that the deposit of sewage in the river was a common nuisance within the meaning of the Act, and a subsequent trial resulted in the city being found guilty and fined the nominal amount of \$1,000.

The city deemed it wise to try conciliatory measures, and far from Attorney-General Mowat not showing a "spark of friendliness to London in this matter," as a violent partisan recently alleged, he readily consented to stretch his authority to have the execution of the verdict of the court suspended while negotiations were carried on for assuring such remedial measures as lay within the power of the city to provide. If Attorney-General Mowat had been inclined to demand that the strict letter of the law should at once be adhered to, he could have refused consent to this conciliatory course, and long before now the question of whether or not the deposit of the city sewage in the river is a dangerous nuisance, menacing the lives of the residents of London West, would have been fought out in the courts, at great expense to the taxpayers of London, if we are to judge by past experience.

But Sir Oliver not only consented to the suspension of the sentence of the assizes—taking considerable professional risk in so interfering with a verdict of a competent court—but even after it was alleged by the London West authorities that the remedy provided at Springbank for drawing off the sewage was inadequate, he prevented action against the city while there was a reasonable prospect of the city and village of London West amalgamating and thereby getting rid of the sewage difficulty between the two corporations.

In this Sir Oliver was seconded by last year's City Council, which agreed on a scheme for amalgamation, one understanding in which was the waiving of the decision given against the city in the river pollution case. There cannot be a doubt that the accomplishment of amalgamation would have ended the sewage dispute. Even the unjust critic, why, then, not put the blame on the people's shoulders? If the present council chooses to face this river pollution question, with all the risks that it involves under the provisions of the Thompson Criminal Code—rather than consent to the amalgamation of the two municipalities on the terms agreed on and voted on last year—on it, not on the law officers of the Crown, must be the responsibility.

But it may be said, why should London not be favored by a permanent suspension of the law? The Attorney-General of the Province could not suspend the operation of the law indefinitely, even if he deemed it to be fair to do so. It is a Dominion enactment. Then, it may be asked, why not petition the Minister of Justice at Ottawa? That would be useless, also. In a similar case in British Columbia, the local authorities petitioned the Government at Ottawa for a suspension of a decree preventing the pollution of a river, but the reply was that the statute could not be interfered with.

Thus, no matter what the outcome may be, the city, if it is a transgressor, must face the issue, and bear the responsibility. If it can show that it has done no wrong, so much the better for all of us.

SMUGGLING.

A Kingston dispatch recently announced that Mrs. A. Morrow, of Pittsburgh, Pa., one of the Christian Endeavor delegates to the convention at Montreal, attempted to land at Clayton on Thursday, wearing a fur cloak which she had purchased in Montreal. The cloak was seized, and Mrs. Morrow was obliged to pay \$12 duty to regain possession of it. She will appeal to the United States Government for the return of the amount paid.

Suppose Mrs. Morrow to have been guilty of attempting to get her new cloak into the United States without paying a tax on it, her case simply illustrates that of thousands of others. It may even follow, on investigation, that Mrs. Morrow is a beneficiary of the high tax policy that she is alleged to have very conclusively taken objection to. Indeed, all men and women are found to object to paying taxes on what they deem it necessary to buy in another country. Your strongest Canadian "protectionist," who thinks it a crime for any one to take from him his peculiar perquisites to profit by a tax imposed on his neighbor, is as ready as his free trade friend to evade payment of taxes on that which he purchases. And it is an ascertained fact that the stronger a protectionist a man is the greater a smuggler he is apt to be when he gets the opportunity.

Nor are we astonished to find that women have the reputation of being "horn smugglers." They are born free traders, we know. Perhaps it is because this is the case, and because man has decreed that they shall have no voice in the making of these and other laws that are distasteful to them that the women have earned the reputation of never missing an opportunity to buy in the cheapest market, taking the easiest and least burdensome way of getting their purchases home that presents itself.

TOPICS OF TO-DAY.

Influenza is believed to be dying out in the British metropolis, after being more or less prevalent since the first outbreak over the world several years ago. For a considerable time the number of deaths from the malady have been about twenty a week. During the second week of June only six such deaths occurred.

Hullitt Hazewell, a shoemaker in Windham County, Conn., hurried for Seymour in the Presidential campaign of 1868, and in payment of a bet that he made and lost on Seymour's success has lived ever since in a hut in a big chestnut tree in the midst of a field that is a part of the farm he owns. It all happened in this way: He had a bitter political discussion one day with a neighbor named Daniels, who finally in exasperation exclaimed: "Well, Hullitt, if Seymour is elected I'll be whipped if I'll stay in the country." And Hazewell, equally enraged, replied: "I won't leave the country, Daniels, but if Grant is elected I'll climb a tree and stay there."

A physician has written an article to show that dyspepsia is due to a disorder of the head, and not to the stomach. He says: "The numbers of so-called dyspepsia that are cured by the disappearance of business, domestic or social annoyance, are nearly unlimited. An overduo note in the possession of a head-nose and head-eyes, and a more productive of dyspepsia than a meal of second-hand carpet tacks. In fact, it may be a safe thing to assume that in dyspepsia we had better look in the garret, closet or cellar of the dyspeptic's house or among his business or social relations rather than to his stomach, for the solution of the difficulty."

Eighteen hundred and ninety-three will mark another red letter date in the history of the higher education of women, no fewer than ten of whom have passed the examination for the mathematical tripos at the English University of Cambridge. Two are wranglers, and all the others hold rank with the Senior Optimes. These successes have served to attract public attention once more to the refusal by the British universities to admit women to the degrees earned by them. The ladies, who are taking such high rank in the tripos, officially speaking, have no place in the list, being merely examined as the matter of favor. Their numbers merely mean that, had they been men, they would have been admitted to take a degree, and possession of the reward to which their studies and intelligence have entitled them.

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FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY

Some folks don't know what is going on at their own homes because they do not take the trouble to find out. Others have little knowledge of the points of interest in their own city or country, but could write volumes about obscure points abroad. See what is worth seeing. See our progressive house. See our offerings for Bargain Day. These are surely points of interest from a money-saving point of view.

JULY 21.

- 1st—5 pieces Angola Shirting, wool and cotton, regular price 20c, to-day 12c.
- 2nd—10 pieces Heavy Oxford Shirting, 12c and 15c, to-day 8c.
- 3rd—Twelve for boys' wear, 10 pieces, yours to-day at 25c, worth double.
- 4th—4 pieces Twilled Cretonne, Bargain Day only 5c.
- 5th—3 pieces Heavy Twilled Cretonne, regular 12c, to-day 9c.
- 6th—16 yards Heavy Wide Factory Cotton for \$1.
- 7th—1 piece Unbleached Table Linen, 38c quality, for 30c.
- 8th—1 piece Half Bleached Table Linen, 56c quality, for 43c.
- 9th—8 dozen Linen Towels, always 50c a pair, Bargain Day 39c.
- 10th—6 dozen Linen Towels, regular price 25c a pair, to-day 19c.
- 11th—American Challies, light and dark, worth 10c, to-day 5c.
- 12th—200 yards Linen Toweling, fine quality, 12c, for 9c.
- 13th—Gloss Toweling, also Roller Toweling, worth 8c and 10c, to-day 5c.
- 14th—5 dozen Nursery Naphs, bleached, worth 20c and 25c, to-day 12c and 18c.
- 15th—1 case American White Quilts, Marseilles patterns, 10-4 size, only 39c to-day, worth double.
- 16th—Heavy Bleached Sheet, 72 inches, Crocyden make, 50c, for 29c.
- 17th—Very Fine Unbleached Sheet, 72 inches, plain, 38c, for 25c.
- 18th—20 pieces Fine Canadian Gingham, now worth 10c, to-day 5c.
- 19th—Ladies' Plain Linen Handkerchiefs, 3 for 25c. Satin Ribbon, 5c, for 3c.
- 20th—Big table of Laces, your choice 5c. Parasols, worth \$1, for 69c.
- 21st—Fine Quality Sailor Hats for children, worth 75c and \$1, to-day 50c.
- 22nd—Ladies' and Children's Cotton Hose, only 5c to-day to clear.
- 23rd—Dark Sateen Blouse Waists, \$1 quality, for 63c.
- 24th—Ladies' Lisle Hose, 38c for 25c. Leather Belts, 19c, worth 25c.
- 25th—Ladies' Colored Windsor Ties, 25c, now 17c.
- 26th—All-Wool Challies, a picnic here for you; the best qualities, worth 40c and 50c, your choice for 20c. First come first choice.
- 27th—20 pieces Wool Challie, union, worth 25c, to-day 12c.
- 28th—Plaid Silks, our entire stock at one price 50c, worth 75c, 85c and \$1.
- 29th—Figured Silks for Blouse Waists, regular prices 75c, to-day 49c.
- 30th—Pongee Silks, all colors, your choice to-day 20c.
- 31st—Shot Surah Silks, 85c for 59c, \$1 25 for 90c.
- 32nd—Black Lace Grenadine, also Cream, 10c yard to-day.
- 33rd—1 piece Black Grenadine, 48 inches wide, 75c, for 45c.
- 34th—Black and Colored Lusters and Alpaca, 15c, to-day 10c.
- 35th—Black Cashmere, 46 inches wide, 50c quality, to-day 35c.
- 36th—Crepon Wool Dress Materials, in opera shades, 60c, for 40c.
- 37th—Navy Blue Serge, double fold, worth 40c, 50c and 60c, to-day 29c, 33c and 35c.
- 38th—25 pairs only Lace Curtains, no two pairs alike, to-day half price.
- 39th—Fine Wide Art Muslins and Curtain Draperies, to-day 15c.
- 40th—Gents' Summer Coats and Vests, we clear a line to-day at \$2 50, former price \$3 75.
- 41st—Boys' Washing Ties, 6 for 25c. Boys' Belts, 5c.
- 42nd—Men's Fine Cotton Socks, 15c quality for 10c.
- 43rd—Men's Natural Wool Underwear, summer weight, 75c, worth \$1.
- 44th—Boys' and Girls' Sailor Straw Hats only 10c, worth 25c and 35c.

No room for more. Come on Friday and judge for yourself as to the merits of our bargains.

TERMS CASH.

CHAPMAN'S

126 and 128 Dundas Street, LONDON.

A Veteran's Story



Mr. Joseph Hemmrich, an old soldier, 625 E. 146th St., N.Y. City, writes us voluntarily. In 1862, at the battle of Fair Oaks, he was stricken with typhoid fever, and after a long struggle in hospitals, lasting several years, was discharged as incurable with consumption.

Doctors said both lungs were affected and he could not live long, but a comrade urged him to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. Before he had finished one bottle he began to get better, the coughing stopped, and night sweats grew less and less. He is now in good health and cordially recommends

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as a general blood purifier and tonic medicine, especially to his comrades in the G. A. R.

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CRICKET.

THE ASYLUM-HAMILTON MATCH.

The two days' cricket match started yesterday morning between the London Asylum and Hamilton Cricket Clubs is over. The home team won first by 100 runs, and then by 100 runs, Rev. Mr. Terry making 59, Dr. Beemer 23, and Dr. Ross 30. Hamilton went to bat after lunch and scored 123 runs, Fleet making 52, not out. The Asylum team started their second inning and made 14 runs for 3 wickets. The match will be continued this morning at 10 o'clock. The scores:

First Inning—	Second Inning—
Asylum	Hamilton
1st Innings—	1st Innings—
Asylum	Hamilton
2nd Innings—	2nd Innings—
Asylum	Hamilton

DEBUT BLUE RIBBON MEETING.

DETROIT, July 19.—Another big crowd assembled at the Detroit Driving Park today to witness third day's races of the Blue Ribbon meeting. Summaries:

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having walked from Regina, a distance of 43 miles, in twelve hours.

BASEBALL.

NATIONAL LEAGUE SCORES—WEDNESDAY.

At Baltimore—

Brooklyn—14 15 2

Baltimore—12 14 3

Batteries—Crane and Kinslow; Hawkes and Clark. Umpire—Emslie.

At Cincinnati—

Cincinnati—9 12 1

Cincinnati—8 14 1

Batteries—Stratton and Grim; King and Vaughn. Umpire—McDonald.

At New York—First game—

Boston—12 14 4

New York—11 10 4

Batteries—Gastight, Merritt and Bennett; German and Wilton. Umpire—Gaffney.

At New York—Second game—

Boston—11 10 4

New York—3 8 4

Batteries—Baldwin and Kelly; Staley and Bennett. Umpire—Gaffney.

At Cleveland—

Cleveland—10 19 0

Cleveland—6 11 4

Batteries—Killion and Stenzel; Clarkson and O'Connor. Umpire—Hurst.

At Washington—

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IN LABOR'S FIELD.

Sensational Developments in the Homestead Poisoning Cases.

Proposal to Reduce Miners' Wages 25 Per Cent—248,000 Men Involved.

LONDON, July 19.—Delegates representing 248,000 coal miners met in Birmingham today to consider the proposal of the mine owners to reduce wages 25 per cent, the out to go into effect on July 28. After a somewhat lengthy and heated debate a resolution was adopted declaring that the conference was opposed to the reduction. Delegates representing about 198,000 miners supported the resolution, while representatives of about 50,000 miners voted against it. No decision was reached today on the question of a strike if the mine-owners persist in their intention to make a reduction, but decisive action will probably be taken before the conference adjourns.

OTTAWA, July 19.—The ninth annual session of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada will commence in Montreal on Sept. 5. Some of the leading labor reformers from the United States are expected to attend.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 19.—At the Western Penitentiary today, District Attorney George W. L. Porter and W. J. Brennan, Notary Public C. C. Lee and Stenographer J. Deal met to take the depositions of Gallagher and Davidson, serving time in the Homestead poisoning cases. Gallagher was before the committee over two hours. Davidson's examination occupied about twenty minutes. The district attorney declined to give out anything for publication. It was learned, however, that Gallagher confessed that he had before the committee the Homestead poisoning case is much more sweeping in its details than had been imagined by the general public. A gentleman who has heard the whole story says Gallagher's confession is not only impugned by Pinkerton detectives, but several men much more prominent in business and professional life. He stated positively (the gentleman said) that every word he said against Dempsey in the stand was false. He implicated Detective Ford of the Pinkerton agency, and gives the names of many others who were instrumental in Dempsey's conviction. He further states that he never administered poison or acted as a doctor to men at Homestead, and that Dempsey never proposed that he should be the doctor to the story that the \$25 Dempsey gave was a loan to protect his furniture. To substantiate this the defense will show by members of the firm who sold him the furniture that they were pushing him for the money.

One of Paine Bill's employees had three ribs broken by a runaway during the performance at Belleville on Tuesday.

The Stewiackie and Laundowne Railway of Nova Scotia is said to have defaulted in the payment of its bonds in London.

Nathaniel Conley, a native of New Brunswick, was drowned at Bat Portage on Monday night by falling off a boom.

About \$20,000 worth of Canadian raspberries will be exported to the States this season from Montreal, the first carload going forward next week.

Perry Sound Summer Assizes opened on Tuesday before Judge Rose, who received a pair of white gloves, there being no prisoners in the jail for trial.

Winnipeg Industrial Exhibition was formally opened today. The display is not nearly up to the standard of previous years, although the attendance promises to be as great.

The Quebec Government has entered suit against the Pontiac and Pacific Junction Railroad for \$5,320, and against the Gatineau Valley Railroad for \$2,689 for unpaid personal taxes.

A French girl about eighteen years of age, named Virginia Morrin, of St. Vit, attempted to commit suicide on Sunday afternoon by taking about three ounces of carbolic acid. Remedies were applied in time.

In order to increase the revenue the finance committee of Montreal has devised a scheme of valuing lands and buildings separately, whereby over \$50,000,000 will be added to the assessment.

Postmaster Adam Brown, of Hamilton, has received official notification of his appointment as one of the judges for the British Empire at the Columbian Exposition. He leaves for Chicago at once.

The Dominion Line steamship Oregon, from Montreal July 19 with a shipment of 200 head of cattle, arrived on the 18th. The Dominion Line steamship Dominion, from Montreal, also arrived on the 18th at Avonmouth.

Lance-Corporal Brown, of the Fredericton, N. B., Royal Infantry School, has been sent to jail for 90 days for receiving stolen goods and table delicacies stolen from the Queen's Hotel by a pretty waitress who fell in love with him.

A sudden death occurred on the incoming Central Vermont train Tuesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, of Lawrence, Mass., were aboard, and just as the train reached Montreal the lady fell forward in her seat and expired.

The Imperial Government of Russia is anxious to discover the whereabouts of Vladimir Sushkevich, who is supposed to be in Canada. Baron de Stael, the Russian ambassador, addressed a letter to Earl Rosebery, which has been sent to the Ottawa authorities.

The new Government dredge Laval, said to be the largest in Canada, was launched on Wednesday, and will be towed to Montreal to receive her engines. Her cost, without engine and machinery, is between \$50,000 and \$60,000. She can dredge to the depth of 40 feet.

At Halifax, N. S., on Wednesday morning an excursion train on the Tobique Valley Railway, conveying Hon. John Cowan, Attorney-General, Blair and several members of his Ministry, ran over and instantly killed Chas. McMillan, a section man, who was trying to remove a trolley from the track.

The total number of births registered in Ontario during 1891 was 4,754, or 3,019 of a decrease from the rate in 1890. The total number of marriages registered in Ontario in 1891 was 14,159, in a population of 2,122,716. The average rate of marriages per 1,000 of population was 6.7, or 13.4 for every 1,000 persons living. As compared with 1890 there was a decrease of 274 marriages in Ontario in 1891, or as compared with 1890 there was a falling off of 691.

New Use for a Dune.

Penelope—"Why don't you play football?"

Howorth—"Oh, I'm not tough enough to be on the team."

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Among the pains and aches cured with marvelous rapidity with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is crache. The young are especially subject to it, and the desirability of this Oil as a family remedy is enhanced by the fact that it is admirably adapted not only to the above ailment, but also to the hurts, disorders of the bowels, and affections of the throat, to which the young are especially subject.

A French physician who has studied the habit of nail-biting carefully and scientifically for some years, announces that the practice, which he dignifies with the name of onychophagy, prevails to a deplorable extent among the school children of Paris. More than one-fourth of the boy pupils in the public schools are confirmed nail-biters, and among the girls the percentage is larger. The habit, the doctor said, is due to nervousness, and he proposes to cure it by means of hypnotic suggestion.

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For the balance of the week we purpose giving the ladies of London some remarkable opportunities. We have decided to offer the balance of our stock of beautiful Blouses at greatly reduced prices. Bear in mind, the entire stock, not just a portion of it. The goods offered require no praising. They are well known to be choice. It only remains for us to announce that the prices have been reduced. Observant readers will notice that in many cases they have been lowered exactly one-half.

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FINE WARMER.

TORONTO, July 19—11 p.m.—The pressure is comparatively low in the Northwest and off our Atlantic coast; elsewhere it is high.

A few local showers have occurred in the Maritime Provinces. In other portions of the country the weather has been fine.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Equinash, 40°-64°; Calgary, 50°-70°; Qu'Appelle, 62°-88°; Toronto, 62°-78°; Montreal, 68°-70°; Quebec, 58°-72°; Halifax, 58°-70°.

TO-DAY'S PROBABILITIES.
TORONTO, July 20—A. M.—Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region (covering the peninsula and as far east as Belleville) are: Light to moderate variable winds; fine; stationary or a little higher temperature.

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Twenty Thousand Watermelons at a Dedication.

TACOMA, Wash., July 19.—The World's Fair commission of this State is preparing to dedicate on the fair grounds in September the tallest flag pole ever erected. Twenty thousand watermelons will be cut at the dedication.

Cotton Mills Closing.

Boston, July 19.—The Amoskeag cotton mill, the largest cotton mill in the United States, and probably the largest in the world, is to close for a month. It is probable that similar action will be taken by a number of New England mills, owing to the condition of trade.

An Excursion Train Wrecked.

EAST AUBURN, N. Y., July 19.—An excursion train on the Western New York and Erie, running a Sunday school convention from Buffalo, was wrecked at 7:45 last evening near this station by running into an open switch. Jack White, a fireman, is probably fatally injured. About twenty persons were injured, all of whom will recover.

Never say die until Duonemie's Dark Pills for Digestion and Dyspepsia say try.

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To John Ellison, Port Stanley—I have heard nothing further from Ottawa re permit. If you consent in writing that the Flora can go out with an excursion this will be her permit to do so. (Signed.) M. PAYNE, sub-collector.

Capt. Ellison, being in St. Thomas, the committee waited on his son and informed him that Capt. Gardiner, of the Flora, had offered him \$15, or half the receipts, if he (Mr. Ellison) would sign the permit. This he refused to do.

As a last resort the committee sent a telegram to Ottawa stating that 1,400 were on board the steamer waiting, and requesting permission to run the excursion. But the Government did not deign to make a reply, and as a result the disappointed crowd had to come off the boat. Capt. Gardiner kindly offered to take them all free of charge on a future occasion. The children had been presented with the boat tickets, but a large number of adults had paid their fares, and the picnic committee had the onerous task to perform of hunting them up and refunding the money. Those not paid may receive back their money from Mr. R. Parker, of the C. P. R.

The committee are specially angry and indignant. "What is the use of the Government dragging and spending money on the harbor," said one, "if large boats are not permitted to use it? Their action is utterly useless."

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