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LONDON, CANADA, THURSDAY, AUGUST 17, 1899.

WHOLE NO 11,226.

#### Births, Marriages, Deaths

MARRIED.

HUNT-McCUTCHEON-On Aug. 9, at the Colborne Street Methodist Church, London, by the Rev. Geo. Jackson, Mr. E. Sanford Hunt, of Moosejaw, N. W. T., to Gertrude, eldest daughter of W. H. McCutcheon, of

DIED. DADD-In this city, on August 16, 1899, Wil-

liam Dadd, in his 76th year. Funeral will leave family residence, 1 Emery street, on Saturday, August 19, at 3 p.m. Services at 2:30. Friends and acquaint-ances kindly accept this intimation. 25u RAPLEY-At the city hospital, of typhoid

Ald. Jesse W. Rapiey. Funeral from Ferguson's undertaking rooms on Thursday at 4 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intima-

fever, Henry F. Rapley, third son of the late

McCALLUM-On August 16, at the family residence. 415 Dundas street, Annie, beloved wife of Dr. H. A. McCallum. Funeral Friday, at 2:30. Private.

#### Amusements and Lectures

#### BASEBALL TECUMSEH PARK Saturday, Aug. 19,

London vs. Knox.

Game called 3:30. Admission 25 cents. Seats

DETROIT — COURT ORIENT'S EXCUR-SION via Grand Trunk Railway, Civic Holiday, \$1 75. Two days. Special fast train leaves at 7:15 a.m. GREAT DOUBLE ATTRACTION - TE-races, including city championship, and two ball games, Londons vs. D. A. C., of Detroit. Music by the Harpers.

LAST OF THE SEASON-COURT MAG-NOLIA'S excursion Niegara Falls via Grand Trunk Railway, Civic Holiday, good for two days. Fare \$1.75. 22k tywt

CAULT STE. MARIE EXCURSION, SAT-URDAY, Aug. 19, from Port Huron and Detroit via boat. Stops at seven stopping places. Berths can be retained at the Soo while in port. Fare round trip \$18, including places. Berths can be retained at places. Berths can be retained at while in port. Fare round trip \$18, including meals and berth from London via Port Huron. F. B. Clarke, agent. Richmond street, next Adywt

ME. HARRIETTA CAULA, LATE OF London, England, and Paris, France, will give facial massage and magnetic scalp treatments to ladies. Demonstrations daily at the Tecumseh House from 10 a.r., to 5 p.m. for two weeks only, commencing August 21. Madame carries a full line of her celebrated preparations. 26n eod

BOAT EXCURSION TO MONTREAL, via the steamers Persia and Ocean, the people's favorities, from Toronto every Tuesday and Saturday, passing the Thousand Islands and Rapids of St. Lawrence in daylight. Direct connection for Quebec, via steamer. To rect connection for Quebec, via steamer. To secure berths and tickets apply F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

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street, next Advertiser. RACING MEN WHO INTEND TO TAKE can secure permiss for training privileges for entire season, for one dollar, by applying to Jas. McCormick. care Dayton & McCormick, or care of R. C. Struthers & Co.

#### Meeting s.

KILWINNING LODGE, NO. 64, A., F. AND A. M., meets tonight (Thursday), Masonic Temple, 7:30 sharp. Regular communication. Visiting brethrer welcome. Thomas W. Scandrett, W. M.; John Overell, P.M., Secretary.

A O. U. W.-WOODBINE LODGE MEETS this evening. Visitors welcome. G. A Werner, M.W.

#### Domestics Wanted.

WANTED - GENERAL HOUSE SER-VANT at once. Apply Mrs. Arm-strong, 58 Dundas street. 24c

WANTED-KITCHEN GIRL; AT ONCE Apply Walsh House. 250 WANTED-GOOD GENERAL SERVANT; small family. Apply 417 Dufferin ave-que. 25c

WANTED-DINING-ROOM GIRL AND chambermaid. Apply H. Ralson, proprietor Ontario House, King street. 250

WANTED-GENERAL SERVANT-AP-PLY, with references, 394 Waterloo

WANTED - COMPETENT GENERAL Mrs. C. Mc-Callum, corner Kent and Ridout.

WANTED-COOK AND DINING-ROOM girl. Western Hotel, London. 24c WANTED-A COMPETENT GENERAL VV servant at once. Must have good references. Apply to Mrs. Gill, No. 2 Cartwright street.

WANTED-GENERAL SERVANT-WELL LINGTON House. 22tf

WANTED-GENERAL SERVANT - AP PLY Office Restaurant, Richmond

street. WANTED-AN EXPERIENCED HOUSE MAID-Apply 510 Wellington street.

#### Agents Wanted,

A GENTS WANTED \$20 A WEEK. AP PLY Cooper, Drawer 531, London. 22n

#### Male Help Wanted.

BOY WANTED TO DRIVE GROCERY Apply Geo. Rowntros. cer.

WANTED BOY FOR DELIVERY WAG-ON and to take care of horses. Dennis Wire and Iron Co., 2H-213 King. WANTED-YOUNG MAN WITH A knowledge of shorthand and typewriting. Address "Wholesaler," Box 51, Advertiser office.

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W ANTED TWO FIRST-CLASS SALES-MEN for dress goods and staple depart-ments. Apply personally. Bayley's, 172 and 174 Dundas. 25c

WANTED-BOY FOR OFFICE WORK Address J. M., Advertiser. 23tf YOUNG MEN-OUR CATALOGUE EX-PLAINS how we teach barber trade in two months and place you in position to earn \$60 monthly. Special inducements to appli-cants from distance; mailed free. Mohler Bar-ber College, Chicago, Ills. 22n

WANTED-EXPERIENCED TRAVELER to sell biseuits and confectionery. Territory, west of Toronto. Good position for right man. Apply "Traveler," Advertiser office, London, Ont.

WANTED-FIRST-CLASS MALE BOOK-KEEPER for city firm; must be compe-tent and give references; also salary. Address Box 48, Advertiser, London. 21n

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LILLEY'S LIVERY-NO. 619 DUNDAS street, East London, Ont. Telephone 666.

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## POCOCK BROS

windows for low prices.

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#### Lost and Found.

TRAYED OR STOLEN—AUGUST 3 OR 4, from lot 7, son. 7, Caradoc, four head young cattle, one two-year-old heifer, red; one yearling heifer, red, with white on forehead; one yearling heifer, red and white spotted, with large star on forehead; one yearling steer, roan. The three heifers in good condition, fit for killing. Any one finding above mentioned will receive roward of \$20. Joseph Pullen, Fourth Line, Strathroy. bd&w LOST OR STOLEN—GENT'S 24-INCH RED Bird special bicycle No. 769. Liberal reward if returned to J. H. Cunningham, 704 Dundas street, London.

STRAYED OR STOLEN-JERSEY-AYR-SHIRE milk cow, dark head and neck. Reward for returning to 575 Queen's avenue. 260

STRAYED OR STOLEN-1 WHITE SOW, Saturday night, from premises. Mrs. Geo, Hughes, 561 Bathurst street. 25c

LOST-RHINE STONE FANCY COMB. Finder rewarded by leaving at this office.

#### Articles For Sale.

FOR SALE-TWO BUGGIES; CHEAP, Apply 7 Kensington street, London West, after 6 p.m. 25k FOR SALE-COW-HALF JERSEY; A PET; very cheap. 151 Oxford street, London West.

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BUY YOUR GROCERIES FROM T. H. JANES, Wortley road, South London, and save

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or three tons of first-class honey wanted to pur-chase. Fauld's Provision Store, 8 Market Lane.

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At the new coal and wood yard, Piccadilly street, west of Richmond street.

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Guaranteed as good and as cheap as
Pocahontas coal for any purpose. Coal and
wood of all kinds, of the best quality, at the
lowest cash price. Green & Co., William and
Bathurst streets. Phone 1391.

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D. McKenzie & Co., 374 Richmond street. BEST HARD COAL AND WOOD DELIVER ERED in all parts of the city. W. G. Eadey, 771 Dundas street. Phone, 1134.

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T easy terms, quantity second-hand stoves and ranges, bedroom sets, sideboards, extension tables. Parish's store, 307 Talbot street, FOR SALE-SUMMER WOOD-AT THE south market.

r sawmill, East Bathurst street, Call, or phone 1312, and try a load. D. H. Gillies & Co. 300 YARDS RAG CARPET AT 30c AND 36c a yard. Keene Broa, Cash Bargain Furniture Store, 127 King street. K EENES, MASONIC TAMPLE, IS THE cheapest place to buy stoves or furniture. Large stock on hand.

ONE HEINTZMAN & CO. PIANO, UP-RIGHT. 7% octaves, slightly used, at a bargain. Heintsman Co., 217 Dundas street, corner Clarence.

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NEW. MODERN COTTAGE. TWO BLOCKS from the park; easy terms. Lot on Bathurst street, next to G. T. siding, with frame house; cheap. J. R. Sangster. E. Richmond FOR SALE—NICE BUILDING, LOT 30 or 60
feet, Elias street, near Adelaide. Apply
A. N. Udy, over C. P. R. ticket office. corner
Dundas and Richmond streets.

FOR SALE-BRICK DWELLING, NO. 227

Cueen's avenue; 3 frame houses, Nos. 223, 231 and 233 Queen's avenue; brick dwelling, No. 432 Park avenue; brick cottage, No. 350 Burwell street; 2 frame houses, Nos. 197 and 199 Mill street, and frame house, No. 1072 Dundas street, together with lands thereto belonging. Also a number of good building lots on Charlotte and Dorinda streets. For particulars include at Abbott's Carriage Factory. ouire at Abbott's Carriage Factory. 29tftyw

FOR SALE—DESIRABLE PROPERTY on Peter street (between Queen's and Dufferin avenues and Maitland end William streets): best residential locality in the city; lot 88x150; brick cottage, 8 rooms and summer kitchen; convenient to churches, stores and cars. Splendid chance for persons looking for a home in a good locality. Must be sold at once, Apply M. H. Rowland, 420 Richmond street, or 486 Queen's avenue.

FOR SALE-BRICK VENEER COTTAGE— East of city limits, situated on Homer street, near Hamilton road. Apply Lewis Clark, 358 Rectory street, or this office.

TENNENT, McDONAGH & COLERIDGE Barrieters, solicitors, notaries, etc., 78 Dundas street, London. Money to loan on mortgage, notes and other securities at lowest

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MISS SHUFF-GRADUATE OF DR,
Weir Mitchell's Hospital for Nervous
Diseases, Philadelphia. Massage and Swedish
Movementa. 497 King street, London, Ont.
Phone 502.

#### Business Chances.

SMALL STOCK OF GROCERIES AND fixtures, good; big inducements given. Apply Box 52, this office. FOR SALE-SMALL STOCK, STORE AND three acres, in village 25 miles from city; good cash business; cheap for quick buyer. Apply Advertiser office.

ROCERY BUSINESS FOR SALE—ONE of the oldest stands in the city, and doing a good, reliable business. For particulars inquire on the premises, York and Burwell streets.

\$200 INVESTED SECURES \$50 proposition. Second successful year. Prospect us free. H. Griffin, 1180 Broadway, New York

#### Money to Loan,

MONEY TO LOAN IN SUMS OF \$100 AND Weekes, solicitor, Hiscox Building, orner King and Richmond streets.

MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE at lowest rates. Parke, Purdom & Purdom, Masonic Temple Buildings. DRIVATE FUNDS FOR INVESTMENT

on real estate security. Magee, McKillop & Murphy, Solicitors, London. DRIVATE AND TRUST MONEY TO LOAN at 4% to 5% per cent on real estate security, in sums to suit. No commission charged. T. W. Scandrett, solicitor, etc., 25 Dundes

#### street London. Houses, Etc., To Let.

TOELT-DESIRABLE HOUSE, TEN MIN UTES walk from market; rent moderate. Apply 24 Victor street. TO RENT-109 ACRES, FARM HOUSE and barn; orchard. David Ferguson, lot 13, con. 12, London Township, Birr P. O. 21c TO LET-THE UNION FURNITURE VAN Have your furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Catheart street, South London, ate of London Furniture Co.

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VIAVI TREATMENT -- MRS. L. STEIN 547 Talbot street, at home Saturdays.

#### Business Cards.

CASH FOR OLD SCHOOL BOOKS-AT Connor's Old Book Store, city. 26c GEORGE McGUIRE, 30 DUNDAS STREET, plumber, etc. Estimates furnished on application.

D. DODD & CO. - PRACTICAL BUILDERS, oarpenters and joiners. Jobbing and repairing promptly attended to. Shop 154 Fullarton street.

#### Palmistry.

CONSULT MADAME LIVINSKI, POPU-LAR scientific palmist. Reveals all. Bernard House, room 35. 25c and 50c. 24n

#### Insurance.

THE LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE Canada Branch, Montreal.

Office—OVER Can. Bank of Commerce, London. Funds to loan, 5 per cent. Phone Nos 609 and 1107.

### LANGASHIRE

INSURANCE COMPANY OF ENGLAND Capital and assets exceed \$20,000,000. J. A. NELLES, Board of Trade Rooms, 422 Richmond Street, London.

## TILE SEWER

TENDERS will be received at this office where plans and specifications may be seen up to 5 o'clock on Tuesday, August 22, for an 8-inch tile sewer on Lorne avenue.

A. O. GRAYDON, City Engineer.

ALD. H. M. DOUGLASS, Chairman No. 2 Committee.

#### Electric Turkish Baths.

Mr. N. Morgan, Buffalo; H. B. Weller, Canton, Ohio; James Lick, Oswego, N. Y.; Dr. H. C. Pagett, of Baltimore, U. S., and Mrs. Fuge, of West London, nave been taking the Vapor Baths at will suffer the most, and it is feared 320 Dundas street, and leave their that the loss of revenue will be contained.

We have no hesitation in saying that Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial is without doubt the best medicine ever introduced for dysentery, diarrhea, cholera and all summer complaints, seasickness, etc. It promptly gives relief, and never fails to effect a positive cure. Mothers should never be without a bottle when their children are teeth-

# STOCK Against the Accused Delightful

M. Guerin has refused to surrender on any terms, and has said he would starve rather than capitulate. Provisions were supplied to M. Guerin yesterday from the scaffolding of a neighboring house, but police were afterwards stationed on the scaffold to prevent this being repeated.

THE BUBONIC PLAGUE.

Lisbon, Aug. 17.—Experiments made

at the Pasteur institute here identify

the epidemic microbes reported at Oporto, Portugal, as those of the bu-

London, Aug. 17.—The local govern-ment board has been officially noti-

fied of the existence of bubonic plague

at Oporto, and has ordered all neces-

sary precautions against the introduc-

tion of the disease at the various ports of the United Kingdom. Orders have

also been given for the royal mail

CABLE NOTES.

There was considerable rioting in

the Catholic quarters at Belfast last

evening. The police were stoned, and

windows and street lamps were

Capt, Nassme, of the fishing vessel

Cecilea, which has arrived at Trom-

expedition, which was fitted out by

north. Nathorst has found no trace of

The Anglo-Venevuelan boundary ar-

A cyclone has swept over Monte-

video and vicinity, causing much damage to property. Several fatalities have been reported.

The widow of the late anti-Semitic leader Heinrici, was killed in Berlin,

and three other persons were serious-

ly injured Wednesday by the overturn-

ing of a benzine motor car, while it was being driven around a sharp

An interesting relic of the ill-fated

Bishop Hooper is to be sold. It is a portion of the stump cut from the

stake at which the bishop was burned in St. Mary's square, Gloucester, in 1555, as an obstinate and irreclaimable

English Newspaper Correspon-

dents Sent to the Seat of

Trouble.

or Mr. Chamberlain's Proposition.

mander of the British troops in South

A dispatch from Rennes states that

Daily Mail, who criticises the partial

attitude of the Cape ministry in af-

fording every facility for arming the Orange Free State, says: "The cabinet a few days ago sanctioned the re-

moval of a million cartridges from the

Cape to Bloemfontein, and last night

(Tuesday) the Standard Bank dis-

in response to a very urgent demand."

NEW SCHEME.

says the government of the South Af-

rica Republic will reject the proposal

of the British colonial secretary, Mr.

Joseph Chamberlain, to submit to a

joint commission of inquiry the fran-

chise controversy, but has prepared a

The report of the dynamite commis

sion is a victory for President Kruger.

It advises a reduction in the price, but

practically ignores the question of the

The government's reply to Mr. Cham-

berlain is ready, and will probably be delivered to Sir Alfred Milner, British

commissioner in South Africa, before

The Volksraad has resolved to elim-

of the South African Republic) the re-

miliation and prayer. Rigorous press

country, as well as censorship of dis-

STRONG MAN GONE

Over a Chair.

Sedalia, Mo., Aug. 17. — The funeral of Paul Brown, the Missouri Sam-

son, occurred yesterday. He died at

his home in Lindsaytown, near here, aged 108. At the age of 98 he carried

logs 16 feet long from a clearing to

his farm, a distance of a quarter of a

mile, where he split them into fence

Recently he jumped over the high

back of a chair to show his agility.

Brown was married four times and

**DUTY FREE** 

Canadian Goods Can Pass Through Dyes and Skaguay.

Ottawa, Aug. 17.-The American trea-

Canadian perishable food products for

the Yukon through Dyea and Skaguay.

Heretofore friction has arisen through the demand for duty upon such goods

by the American customs officials. By

the new ruling of the treasury depart-ment no duty can be collected on any

such goods passing into British terri-

leaves a widow 80 years old.

censorship is enforced throughout

patches coming and going.

cancelation of the monopoly.

the end of the week.

Johannesburg, Aug. 17.-The Star

patched 100,000 sovereigns to Pretoria

ered certain.

new scheme.

rails.

bitration commission has adjourned

liners to cease calling at Oporto.

vent this being repeated.

bonic plague.

until Aug. 26.

heretic.

Gen. Roget an Eloquent Ad- M. Guerin has refused to surrender versary of Dreyfus.

"Crime Syndicate" Said to Have Decreed the Captain's Death.

Meeting of the Emperors of Russia, Germany and Austria.

France Has Snatched the Island of San Chau.

#### Egypt's Cotton Crop Imperiled-Successful Wireless Telegraph Experiments.

London, Aug. 17 .- The Rennes correspondent of the Times, describing the proceedings of the court-martial yesterday, says: Gen. Roget has proved a most influential and eloquent adver-King Oscar of Sweden, to search for Andree, at Sabine Island, 73 degrees sary of Dreyfus. For two hours, with singular ease, and in effective rhetorical and dramatic style, he held the attention of the judges, interesting them by his rare conversational powers, and surprising them by the insidious and wicked suggestiveness of his methods. Unlike his predecessors, Roget had steeled himself to meet the steady gaze of Dreyfus. His manner in this regard was startling, and dramatic. Evidently he was trying to provoke the accused, and wanted a scene in court. Dreyfus was frequently on the point of replying, but Maitre Demange held him

IN LABORI'S PLACE. It is reported from Rennes that Captain Dreyfus has asked to have Maitre Mornard, his wife's advocate, to replace Maitre Labori during the conval-

escence of the latter.
Dr. Paul Reclus says that Maitre Labori was weaker yesterday and suf-fered great pain. The physicians have not as yet extracted the bullet, and they do not believe that Labori can attend court Monday. They say that it would be an act of great imprudence if he were to do so.

PLUCKY AND CHEERFUL. M. Matthew Dreyfus, brother of Captain Dreyfus, visited Labori yesterday morning. Finding him to be progressing favorably, M. Dreyfus said: "Weil, mon brave! The revolver does not seem to have done you much

volvers are no use against me. I am Frederick Walker, who relieves Gen. too big. It needs a cannon to do me Sir William Francis Butler, as commuch harm." This is a striking illustration of M.
Labori's pluck and cheerfulness in spite
of the agony he is undergoing. The
premier, M. Waldeck-Rousseau, has

telegraphed to the sufferer, expressing

his sincere grief and expressing hopes of his recovery. "CRIME SYNDICATE" AT WORK. Joseph Reinach cables: "The shooting of Labori will warm up the atmosphere of the court, as it has disgusted honest men. The attempted assassination is not the outcome of a weak mind; it is part of a general plan, is cold-blooged, premeditated and paid for. The crime syndicate feared Labori and wanted his life and his documents. The same men are responsible for the razor which cut Henry's throat, for the rope which hung Locrinier, and the pistol that shot Labori. History furnishes no

example of crime so atrocious. The plot includes the murder of Dreyfus if acquitted. "The army accusers are now in full retreat, and hoping for revolution. There have been several combinations made to murder Dreyfus. The murderer has many accomplices. The plot has a platform of two planks; first, subversion of the republic; second, the murder of those who denounce the gang of forgers. Labori's blood stirs honest souls. Look forward to a speedy acquittal of Dreyfus."

The decision of Col. Jouanst not to adjourn the court has created a very bad impression in Dreyfusard circles, and pessimistic opinions are being made as to the outcome of the trial. It is pointed out that the decision of the court not to adjourn was unanimous, shows hat not one of the judges is well disposed towards the prisoner. Emile Zola has telegraphed to M. Labori, saying: "On learning of the outrage I send you the expression of my indignant anger. My heart is full of tenderness and admiration for you.

MEETING OF EMPERORS. London, Aug. 17 .- The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Telegram says: "Early in October the Emperors of Russia, Germany and Austria will meet at Skierniwice, in Poland, where the czar has arranged a hunt on a grand scale. The foreign and war min-isters of Russia will attend Emperor Nicholas, and it is expected that grave political matters will be discussed. FRANCE GRABS AN ISLAND.

Hong Kong, Aug. 17.—A newpaper published in Macao, the Portuguese seaport at the southwest entrance of the Canton River, reports that France has occupied the Island of San Chau, west of Macao, as an assertion of her right to the Province of Kwang Tung in the event of the partition of China. A great commotion has been caused in Hong Kong by the report. If true, this will cause a breach with England, whose interests will be gravely men-aced by such occupation, San Chau commanding Hong Kong's trade from the West River.

COTTON CROPS THREATENED. Cairo, Egypt, Aug. 17 .- The extreme lowness of the Nile threatens the cotton crops, and the natives have been warn-

CESSFUL.

sury department has agreed to an amicable arrangement of the difficulty which has arisen in the shipment of London, Aug. 17 .- Signor Marconi, in his experiments with wireless telegraphy at Dover yesterday, made a complete success, the messages passing through several miles of cliffs, upon which Dover Castle stands, and twelve miles across the sea.

HOLDS THE FORT. Paris, Aug. 17.-It is announced that

# Lotion.

#### AN AID TO BEAUTY.

There is nothing that so directly appeals to a woman, anxious to preserve youth and beauty, as a

pure skin food. "Hazeline" is a skin food, which, with the aid of massage, tones shrunken muscles, protects delicate tissues, and in innumerable ways acts as a safeguard against the many destroying influences of time.

This exquisite preparation not only fills out and smoothes the skin that is wrinkled and shrunken, but it becomes as well a cooling, healing and soothing

agent. Hazeline also removes Tan, Sunburn, Freckles, etc. Only 25c.

CAIRNCROSS & LAWRENCE.

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Branch-Cor. Richmond and Piccadilly. tory over a strip of land claimed by the soe, reports having met the Nathorst American Government.

A Boatman Fell Overboard and Was Drowned.

#### Barrie Boy Crushed to Death Under a Farm Roller.

FELL OVERBOARD. Holland Landing, Ont., Aug. 17 .-Alfred Wernham, of this place, was drowned yesterday afternoon in the Holland River, near the Bradford bridge. Mr. Wernham and Mr. Evans were bringing hay up the river on a scow, when Wernham, while trying to light his pipe, fell overboard, and the body went beneath the scow, and before it could be got out life was extinct. Deceased leaves a wife and three children.

CHILD DROWNED. Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 17.—Welsey Mc-Cauley, a two-year-old child, was drowned in the Gatineau River on Tuesday, at Kirk's Ferry.

ENGINEER KILLED. Conflicting Statements as to Disposal Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 17.-Engineer Fairbairn, of Chapleau, was killed on London, Aug. 17. - Lieut.-Gen. Sir the C. P. R. yesterday morning in a collision between the Imperial Limited and a Chinese special.

> grandchild of John Logan, St. George street, took a quantity of dye. The prompt action of Mrs. Logan in giving the child milk and an emetic prob-

DRANK DYE.

Aug. 17.-The 18-months-old

the English correspondents there have been ordered to South Africa owing to ably saved the little one's life. DEAD UNDER A ROLLER. the expectation of war with the Trans-Barrie, Aug. 17.—On Wednesday a boy named Hurst was driving a team The Pretoria correspondent of the and roller in a field in Innisfil township. He was riding on the implement at that time, and when going down a Times says the ultimate adoption of Sir Alfred Milner's proposals is considslope fell forward. He was found dead beneath the roller, which was resting on the hollow of his neck. The Cape Town correspondent of the

KILLED BY A FALLING TREE. Windsor, Ont., Aug. 17.-George Mc-Donald, 36 years of age, was killed by a falling tree at Onaway, Mich., on Monday. McDonald's home was at Staples, near Comber, Essex county. He left home ten days ago to work in the woods. His body will be taken to Staples for burial.

## AMERICAN CONSULS

Will Gather at Ottawa to Meet the

Consul-General. Ottawa, Aug. 17 .- The United States consuls for Ontario will arrive in Ottawa on the 30th inst., and will spend the day here as the guests of Consul-General Turner. They will be shown around the capital and suburbs. When seen today, Col. Turner said the gathering would be wholly of a social and friendly character. When making his official inspection he suggested the idea of taking a trip to the capital, and they took it unanimously. Very few of them have ever been here. inate from the Grondwet (constitution gathering would have no political or commercial significance, as they would ligious qualification for nomination to merely be here on his invitation, so the judiciary. The executive have isthe judiciary. The executive have is-sued a proclamation, appointing Aug. of meeting each other. This the consulgeneral deemed a desirable thing am-20 and Aug. 27 as days for national huong men who have been carrying on correspondence together for some years. Western Ontario consuls who will at-tend are: Messrs. T. W. Martin, Am-Herstburg; C. E. Monteith, Chatham; H. W. Brush, Clinton; Chas. M. Daly, Guelph; H. S. Culver, London; H. P. Kilmaster, Port Rowan; H. McMillan, Sarnia: Michael J. Burke, St. Thomas; A. E. Seyfort, Stratford; Isaac G. den, Wallaceburg, and L. C. Morris, Paul Brown, at the Age, of 108 Jumped Windsor.

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## **BUILDERS BENT** ON PLEASURE

Members of the Cleveland Exchange Visit London.

Accompanied by Their Wives and Sweethearts.

The Visitors Number Nearly Two Hundred and Fifty.

Were Dined at the Tecumseh and Driven About the City - Made a Short Stop in St. Thomas-Programme of Sports Carried Out at Port Stanley.

The members of the Cleveland, Ohio, Builders' Exchange arrived in the city at 11:45 this morning on their annual outing, and were given an enthusi- St. Andrew's Congregation Will Not astic welcome by the members of the London Exchange, the mayor and hundreds of citizens. When the train pull-ed in a hearty cheer went up from the people on the platform, which was returned by the visitors from the cars. The Great Western, Cleveland's crack band, accompanied the excursionists, who were about 250 in number. All the visitors wore white caps, the ladies included. The members of both exchanges had small flags, the Stars and Stripes and the Union Jack, entwined on the lapels of their coats. The repairs last night decided on to After a hearty hand-shaking, the vis- be undertaken include the re-flooring itors and local exchange formed in line and proceeded to the Tecumseh House for dinner.

The excursionists left Cleveland at 10 o'clock last night, and arrived in Port about 6 o'clock this morning. They were met at Port by a committee consisting of Messrs. Wm. Tytler, Wm. Jeffrey, S. Stevely, W. Hayman, Jas. Luney, Geo. Gould, Scott Murray, and the Fraser House for breakfast. The party then proceeded to St. Thomas and had a trolley ride around that place, visiting Pinafore Park and ending up at the Grand Central Hotel, where Mayor Meeham and a number of the aldermen welcomed the visitors. President Bradley of the Cleveland Exchange replied.

served, the party left for London at 10:45. Col. Stacy, Ald. McCully, Meek and Clark and Mayor Meeham accompanied the Exchange to this city. THE VISITORS.

Following is a partial list of the visitors who came over: Mr. and Mrs. James Rochford, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dainz, Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Morningstar, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Terry 2.

Thomas Tarbet, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Long-distance throwing for girls— Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Merrell, Miss Coles 1, Miss Holton 2. Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Noble, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Green, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Green, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Uhl, Mr. and Mrs. J. Leese, Mr. and Mrs. C.C.

Miss Coles I, Miss riolton 2.

Tug-of-war between members residing north and south of Dundas street

—Won by the latter.

Jockey race—J. Connors and W. Batley, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Heintz, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Billenstein, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Summers, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Forschner, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Krauss, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gilette, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Couture,

ad Mrs. Theo Poplowsky, Miss Mr. and Mrs. R. Titus, Mr. and J. Chapple, W. M. Esterly, H. C. ourne, Arthur Bradley, Edward A. Roerts. J. N. Amour, E. A. Stevens, sen., 2. A. Stevens, jun., Hon. M. F. Bramley, F. L. Beebe, W. H. Risley, E. S. Griffiths, W. H. Fry, Damas Desnoyers, E. A. Edmonds, Edwin Selfe, Frank J. Matonsek, E. H. Palmer, R. C. Klumph, H. M. Terreil, W. H. Gick, Wm. Gim-bert, John Rettig, F. C. Bates, W. H. Hurlbert, J. C. Norton, Matthew Noble, jun., S. E. Dettleback, W. H. Dettleback, E. E. Sherwood, George Counter, Robert McQuoid, G. W. McMann, Geo. Steffens, W. W. Waterbury, Stephen Mills, Chester M. Harris, Jacob Schade, J. Callaghan, George Wright, C. W. Steven, John Rettig, J. Miller, Robert penter, Chris Hertz, F. N. Tif-fany, George D. Sheer, Mr. Rudolph Mr. Grigsby, and John Sloan.

'At 12:10 the party sat down to an appetizing spread at the Tecumseh House, the dining-hall being prettily decorated for the occasion. President william Jeffrey, in introducing the speakers, said: "We want to extend to concluded yesterday. The session in the speakers, said: "We want to extend to concluded yesterday. The session of the High Circuit, Companions of the Forest, A. O. F., continued and speakers, said: "We want to extend to concluded yesterday. The selection of the High Circuit, Companions of the High Circuit (Circuit) of you a right royal welcome to our city, 1901 will be held in Hamilton. The elecand hope you will thoroughly enjoy yourselves while here. Our only regret is that you have so little time to

THE DINNER.

Mayor Wilson spoke words of wel-come on behalf of the citizens. "You again, and often," were the mayor's

closing words. President Bradley, of Cleveland, thanked the London Exchange and citizens for the kind hospitality shown, and their more than kindly welcome.
"When we left Cleveland," said Mr.
Bradley, "we came over here to see our cousins, but when we arrived we find them even closer relations, that of brothers and sisters. We have, however, two things to regret—the first, that we did not know you long ago, and the second, that we cannot stop longer in your beautiful city. I hope this will bring the Forest City of Ontario and the Forest City of Ohio into closer touch." The speaker then paid a glow-ing tribute to Queen Victoria, amid loud applause. In closing, Mr. Bradley said that the Cleveland brothers and long remember their

pleasant visit to London.
Col. Culver, United States consul, extended a cordial greeting to his fellow-

countrymen. He was glad that the relations between the two countries was such that they could come over and enjoy the hospitality of the Canadian people. Speaking from two years' experience, he thought it would be better if all his American brothers knew the Canadian people better.

Mayor Meecham, of St. Thomas, also spoke briefly, congratulating the London brethren on their hospitality.

After dinner cabs were in waiting, and the visitors were driven about the

and the visitors were driven about the city, taking in many points of interest. The cabs were decorated with flags.

At 2:30 the party again left for Port Stanley, being delighted with their short stop in this city. The London Exchange accompanied the visitors to Port, and became the guests of their Cleveland brethren. A list of games, sports and dancing are part of the pro-

gramme at the lakeside.

The officers of the Cleveland Exchange responsible for the success of the outing are: President Arthur Brad-ley, Vice-President W. J. Warden, Secretary John A. Kling, Treasurer E. W. Palmer.

#### THE DECISION WAS REVERSED

Build a New Sunday School at Present - The Church To Be Repaired and Renewed Instead.

The congregation of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church met last night and decided not to go on at present with the building of a new Sunday school, but instead to repair the church. The pastor, Rev. Dr. Johnston, was chairman, and Mr. Gordon McIntosh secretary of the meeting.

and painting of the edifice, remodeling of the gallery, and putting in new pews throughout. The decision to drop the new Sunday school building for the present was a great disappoint-ment to some of the Sunday school workers, who, when the congregation some time ago decided upon a course exactly the reverse of that reached last night, were delighted that what they others of this city. After a cordial term the feeder to the church should greeting the visitors were escorted to get the first attention. Plans had been prepared and tenders called for the building of the school, and there was opposition to giving up the work at

#### ORIENT OUTING

After light refreshments had been The Members and Friends of a Popular Club Pienie at Springbank.

Springbank Park was invaded by the Orient Club members and their friends yesterday. The party arrived in busses and on bicycles early in the afternoon, and left for the Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Forrester, Mr. oity at 11 p.m. Meanwhile the lower and Mrs. A. A. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. C. end of the park and pavilion resounded and Mrs. A. A. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. C.
B. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Stark,
Mr. and Mrs. George A. Rutherford,
Mr. and Mrs. Seymour L. Parks, Mr. plied the diversion. Then came supper, and Mrs. Walter J. Warden, Mr. and served in the second story of the pavil-ion, and dancing followed. The win-Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Reaugh, ners of the races were as follows:

Laughlin 1, S. Taylor and M. Mc-Keough 2.

1, Mass Fillburn 2. Egg race—J. Birmingham 1, Lew Davies 2. Long-distance throwing, for men— W. Graham 1, F. Ashplant 2. Smoking race—B. Wheatcroft 1, W.

Milroy 2. Messrs. John Connors and S. Milroy captained opposing teams in a base-ball match, and the following score re-sulted:

R. H. E.

8. Milroy and B. Wheatcroft. Umpire, A. Moffatt.

The prizes medals, etc., were formally presented to the winners just be-

#### COMPANIONS OF THE FOREST

Biennial Session Closed - Election of Officers-Londoners Honored.

Toronto, Aug. 17 .- The biennial session of the High Circuit, Companions tion of officers resulted as follows: High chief companion, Walter Richards, London; high sub-chief companion, Mrs. Hamilton, Sarnia; high mar-shal, Miss Bishop, Montreal; high guard, Miss McMillan, London; high sentry, Mrs. W. J. Vale, Toronto. District deputy high chiefs were apcome on behalf of the citizens. "You can well be proud of your country," said his worship, "and we are proud of you because the same blood flows in ours. We are pointed as follows for the districts named: Companions Waddell, Hochelaga; Stevens, York; Cripps, Middle-elaga; Stevens, York; Cripps, Middle-elag sex; Fuller, Oxford; Neilson, Brant; Burkholder, Lambton; Pollard, Elgin; Gray, Hastings; Ellwine, Carleton; Baird, Waterloo and Wellington. Ow-ing to press of business deputies were not appointed for British Columbia, Winnipeg, St. John, N. B., Frontenac and Ontario. These will be appointed

by the executive.

A feature of the afternoon session was the presentation of a past high chief companion's jewel to Companion George Richardson. He was the first to occupy the high chief companionship in the high court of Canada. Proposed amendments to the constitution were again discussed at some length, but action was deferred.

Bro. Walter Richards was instructed to petition the high court, A. O. F., which meets here next week, for legislation permitting the organization of juvenile circles for girls, on the same basis and conditions as the boy's circles. Votes of thanks were passed to

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council for the ride around the city. The delegates also placed on record their "sincere and heartfelt thanks to permanent Secretary Williams for his care and attention at this meeting."

**OVER \$735,000** 

The Inland Revenue for July Reaches Large Proportions.

Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 17.—The inland revenue returns for the month of July, 1899, show the total excise revenue for the month to have been \$726,970 20, and the grand total \$735,907 25, distributed as follows: Spirits, \$326,551 52; malt liquor, \$6,050; malt, \$51,527 76; tobacco, \$246,259 03; cigars, \$79,539 90; inspection of petroleum, \$2,103 15; manufactures in bond, \$2,469 76; seizures, \$367 15; other receipts, \$12,101 93. Total excise revenue, \$726,970 20. Culling timber, \$1,696 12; hydraulic and other rents, \$486; minor public works, \$250 75; inspection of weights and measures, \$2,764 93; gas inspection, \$1,230; electri clight inspection, \$173 75; law stamps, \$47 50; other revenues, \$2,288. Grand total revenue, \$735,907 25.

## **JOTTINGS FROM NEAR-BY PLACES**

The shipment of cattle and hogs from Komoka has been on the increase of late, and has now grown to such proportions that the village is likely to rank as one of the leading western cattle-shipping points in the near future. Mr. J. B. Land, formerly proprietor of the Grand Pacific Hotel London, has taken possession of one of the leading hotels in the village, and erected large pens and sheds for the stabling and feeding of cattle and hogs while awaiting shipment. The majority of the hogs from the Komoka district are consigned to the Canadian Pacific Company by Mr. Wm. Paul, of Poplar Hill. Komoka is thriving, many of the residents of the surrounding country transacting a great deal of their business in the village.

#### BELMONT.

Belmont, Aug. 16.-Richard Dibb succumbed to an attack of paralysis at the home of his son Charles Diob, Pinnebog, Mich., on Monday, Aug. 7, in the 85th year of his age. The deceased was born in the parish of Thirtlby, Fifty yards race, for girls-Miss Coles near Hull, Yorkshire, England, in 1815. In 1830 he left England, with ents, the family consisting of nin children, all of whom are dead, except Mrs. Robert Stringer, of Elgin, Ill., and John Dibb. of Derwent. They settled near Montreal, and Richard served his apprenticeship as a carpenter and joiner in Montreal, where he worked seven years. In September, 1836, he married Miss Ann Quest, daughter of John Quest, Montreal, having eight children, three of whom are dead. In 1837, Mr. Dibb came to North Dorchester, where he lived continuously except the thir-teen weeks spent in Michigan among his sons there. The country, embracing con. 10, South Dorchester, to con. 1, at that time was an almost unbroken forest, not a house was to be seen. Wolves and deer abounded. A pack of 35 wolves was seen one day by the subject of this narrative. Mr. Dibb had performed the feat of carrying two bushels of wheat upon his back to a grist mill at Waubuno, a distance of seven miles, to have it converted into flour.. The menu included leeks, milk and sugar. Contemporaneous with Mr. Dibb were Messrs. Manning, Willsie, Tib-bets, Jackson, Summers and Strawbridge. Mrs. Dibb predeceased her husband in 1866. Mr. Dibb united with the Methodist Church in 1842. In politics he was an ardent Liberal. remains were taken to the old homestead occupied by D. R. Dibb, son of deceased, where the funeral services erage for the 17 years is 15.3 bushels were conducted by Rev. W. Quance, on per acre. Wednesday, the 9th. Subsequently the remains were interred in the cemetery at con. 5, Westminster. The sons of deceased are Messrs. Wm. Dibb, of Westminster; Mitchell and Charles Dibb, of Pinnebog, Mich.; D. R. Dibb, on the homestead; Mrs. John McClary, of Derwent, is a daughter. The casket was borne by four sons of the deceased. Miss Zulah Fleckenstein, of Port Hope, Mich., is visiting here, accompanied by her sister, Zoah Fleckenstein. J. C. Coughlin, of Glanworth, shipped two carloads of prime steers there last week. One fine lot of 18 head was purchased from Archibald McPherson, with an average weight of 1,416 pounds. Another fine herd of 18 head was pur-

> A DEPLETED REGIMENT. San Francisco, Aug. 17.-The transport Warren arrived last evening, having on board the First Colorado Regiment of Volunteers from the campaign in the Philippines.

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eraging 1,420 pounds. Price paid, 4%c

The regiment commanded by Col. McCoy returned with 46 officers and 924 men, about 250 less than the number which sailed from San Francisco

last year. About 40 of the men on board are suffering from dysentery.

The Bavarian's Trail Trip. Mr. T. R. Parker, city agent Allan Line, received the following letter this

"Toronto, Aug. 16, 1899. "Allan Line Office, London:
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# SHIPBUILDING

Signs That It Is Picking Up Again.

Canadian Competition Dangerous to American Interests.

[Hamilton Herald.] While this country has been steadily growing in wealth and population, while Canadian enterprise and capital while Canadian enterprise and capital have entered many new fields, the shipbuilding industry in Canada has been steadily declining. The Dominion Shipping List presents a strange contrast to the records of the country's progress in other directions. In 1879 there were 7,411 steamships and sailing vessels, aggregating 1,333,094, tons registered in this country, and in 1898 there were only 6,643 vessels of 693,782 tons.

693,782 tons. To what can we attribute this decline in an important industry The protective tariff, free traders will say; and they would be partly right in so saying, for there is no doubt that a restrictive tariff interferes with the shipbuilding industry in two ways in increasing (temporarily, at least) the cost of raw material, and by obstructing the carrying trade. Another explanation, and an important one, may be found in the following state-

ments by the New York Evening Sun:
"Canadian capitalists have paid altogether too much attention to investments in American and British ship-ping. Canadian capitalists have large interests in a number of steamships and sailing vessels plying between this port and foreign countries, and such is also the case in Liverpool and other British shipping centers. It is reasonable to suppose that if all the business energy and money which Canadians have expended in foreign shipping had been utilized in building ships and

had been utilized in building ships and shipyards in their own country, the registry lists at the present time would tell a different tale.

"The success of the Allan State Line steamships plying between the Dominion of Canada and England shows that a first-class transatlantic steamship line pays as well in Canada as it ship line pays as well in Canada as it does here. There can be no doubt that a few first-class Canadian transatlantic lines would play havoc with the lines from Boston, and it is quite possible that the effect would be so farreaching as to effect the transatlantic

service of this port."
The indications are that the period of depression in the Canadian shipbuilding industry is passing, and that from now on the industry will grow. The number of vessels built in 1897 was 236, with a tonage of 17,094. This was a better annual record than had been made for some years previous. But last year the number of vessels built was 328, with a total tonnage of 24,522. We may expect even a better

record for the present year.

The development of the iron and steel industry of the Dominion, which is now rapidly going on, is sure to give an impetus to shipbuilding. The steel an impetus to shipbuilding. The steel makers, after meeting the normal home demand for their product, will naturally seek to create new demands, and shipbuilding will be one of the most obvious sources of the new demand. There is no doubt that in a few years the building of steel ships will be one of the greatest and most flourishing industries of this most flourishing industries of this country.

#### IN OUR FIELDS AND GARDENS

Statement of Acreage in Various Grains and Other Products in Ontario.

The following are the crop estimates for 1889, as compiled by the Ontario department of agriculture, a brief summary of which appeared in yesterday's Advertiser. The acreages are final, but the yields (except in the ease of hay) will be revised in November from actual threshing results:

Fall wheat-This crop has an area of 1,049,681 acres harvested, yielded ing 14,201,314 bushels, or an average of 13.5 bushels per acre. year 1,048,182 acres gave 25,158,713 bushels, or 24 bushels an acre. The average for the 17 years, 1882-98, was 900,382 acres, giving 18,442,511 bushels, or 20.5 bushels per acre. The yield for 1899 is therefore an abnormally low one. There were 214,785 acres of fall wheat plowed in the spring, or over one-sixth of the

area sown. Spring wheat-Spring wheat has an erage for the 17 years is 15.3 bushels shels, or an average of 17.8 bushels per This is a good showing, as last acre. year the acreage was 389,205, and the total yield 6,873,785 bushels, an average of 17.7 bushels per acre, while the av-

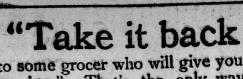
Barley-490,374 acres of barley gave 14,622,922 bushels, or 29.8 bushels per acre, In 1898 the acreage was 438,784, giving 12,633,668 bushels, or 28.9 bushels per acre. The average yield for 1882-98 is 25.8.

Oats-This crop has the largest area of the grains. The 2,363,778 acres have yielded 89,542,162 bushels, being an av- 16.8 bushels per acre. The average yield erage of 37.9 bushels per acre. Last year's acreage was 2,376,360, and the total yield was 86,858,293 bushels, or 36.6 yielded 3,498,705 tons, an average of 1.4 bushels per acre. The average for the 17 years is 34.5 bushels per acre. Rye-There were 137,824 acres in rye,

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however, is fed green. Peas-743,139 acres yield 15,549,670 bushels, an average of 20.9 bushels per acre. Last year's acreage was 865,951, giving 13,521,263 bushels, or 15.6 bushels per acre. The average for 1882-98 is 19.6 bushels per acre. Beans-40,485, acres of beans give 849,-

793 bushels, or an average of 21 bushels per acre, compared with 45,220 acres in 1898, giving 759,657 bushels, or Hay and clover - 2,505,422 acres have vielded 3,498,705 tons, an average of 1.4 tons per acre. Last year's figures were 2,453,503 acres, giving 4.393,063 tons, or 1.79 tons per acre. The average for the 17 years is 1.39 tons. There are 2,710,268 acres in pasture.

Other crops—Acreages only can be given for the following crops: Corn, for husking, 333,590; corn, for silo, 171, 935, each being an increase over last year's figures. Buckwheat, 132,082. Potatoes, 168,141. Carrots, 11,891; each being less than in 1898; mangel wurzels, 53,401; turnips, 153,440, each having an increase. There are only 2,206 acres of tobaccco reported under cultivation, which is less than one-third the acreage of last year. There are 33,762 in rape, 7,-103 in flax, and 1,146 in hops. There are 338,073 in orchard and garden, and 10,802 in vineyard.

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#### BASEBALL.

PHARMACISTS PLAY BALL. The wholesale and retail druggists have been putting in some hard practice since the Wednesday half-holiday began, and yesterday's game on Erie Flats was the first of a series to be played before Jan. 1, 1900. If the remaining contests prove to be as interesting and promising "youngster." exciting as yesterday's, patrons of the good old game may look for some rare sport. Manager Lohman and his band of Cockneys were there, looking for pointers and material for next year's team. It is altogether probable that Mr. D. F. Kilgour, the far east dis-penser of drugs, will be drafted at the end of the season by the manager of the Canadian League pennant-winners. That distinguished first baseman has certainly the earmarks of "a comer." He played the game for all it was worth, and is easily the best man on the retailers' list, with a record of 6 hits, 3 runs, 15 put outs, 1 assist, and

The retailers must have prescribed an opiate or some knock-out drops for their wholesale brethren, as they could not find Wardell for more than four hits. If it were not for the eight passes issued by Wardell there would probably have been another story to tell. Bert Sheere was more fortunate than his opponent in regard to charities, being able to "get 'em over," but the retailers took advantage of this to bang out eighteen hits. "Buck" Franck was borrowed for "this day only," and helped materially in run-getting, although Horne carried off the honors in this respect, having four to his credit. He has a great eye, as he walked three times and made one hit.

no errors.

The boys who deal out baking powder, tooth paste, pills and postage stamps (?) took the lead in the first inning, lost it in the third, and never regained it until their half of the eighth inning, when they played "wholesale" baseball. Singles by Crouch, Wardell, Kilgour and Nelles,

\* Childs' sacrifice and a combination of five errors netted six runs, and won the

١	Baille. Score.					
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The second secon	Horne, 1b. 2 Franck, c. 4 Sheere, p. 4 Sands, 2b. 5 Galpin, 3b and r.f. 5	4 3 1 0	B.H. 1 1 0 0	P.O. 4 16 2 1 0	A. 0 0 6 0 0	E
	Munroc, s.s. 2 Russell, c.f. 5 Mattinson, jun., l.f. 4 McMaster, r.f. and 3b. 3	0 0 1 1	0 0 1 0	0 0 0 1	0 1 2 0	
	34	10	4	24	9	
	RETA	IL.				
	Crouch, c	3 2		P.O. 7 2 15 1	A. 7 2 1 3	F

Sutherland, s.s..... 5 Stradiman, 3b. 5 1 0 1 0 No les, if 5 2 3 0 0 Boyle, c.f. 4 0 1 0 0 McDermid, r.f. 4 0 1 0 0 43 12 18 27 14 Wholesale...... 1 0 3 2 0 1 0 8 0-10 Retail...

Left on bases-Wholesale 6, Retail 10.

Time-2:10. Umpire-Harry Stewart. NOTES ON THE GAME. Crouch carried the banner for errors. In the seventh the retailers were retired with three men on bases. That boy Childs is a fac-simile of his namesake in the big league. He's a

Alf. Russell might have scored some runs if he hadn't spent so much time Leonora looking for orders among his retail

Time—2:33½c, 2:31½.

2 three games of novice singles, resulting as follows: friends.

Mr. James Mattinson was among the spectators. Mr. James Kennedy was unable to attend. The next game will likely be played on the diamond at Port Stanley, where the druggists will hold their annual

picnic on Wednesday afternoon, Aug. NATIONAL LEAGUE-WEDNESDAY

At Boston (First Game)-Boston ..... 0 3 Louisville ...... 3 8 Batteries-Willis and Clarke; Phillipi and Powers.

At Boston (Second Game)-Batteries-Nichols, Heckman and Bergen; Wilhelm, Woods and Zimmer. At Baltimore-Chicago ...... 1

Baltimore ...... 6 6 3 Batteries-Cogan and Donohue; Kitson and Robinson. At New York-New York ..... 7 14

Cincinnati ..... 2 7 4 Batteries-Carrick and Warner; Hahn and Peitz. At Philadelphia-

St. Louis ...... 4 10 1 Philadelphia ...... 9 12 4 Batteries-McBride, Powell Schreckongost: Fraser and McFarland.

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Batteries-Baker and Phelps; Becker At Worcester-At Hartford-

Hartford ..... \$ 10 Syracuse ..... 9 10 Batteries-Knell and Wilson; Bishop WESTERN LEAGUE-WEDNES-

DAY. At Minneapolis-St. Paul, 12; Minne-

At Indianapolis-Indianapolis, 5; Detroit, 4. At Grand Rapids-Grand Rapids, 9; Buffalo, 0.

L. S. ALERTS VS. ROSEBUDS. following score: Rosebuds ............ 5 1 0 0 3 0 1 0-11

pire, Holmes. Another game was played on Yeo's field yesterday by the same clubs. The

Rosebuds ....... 5 0 3 0 2 2 1 1 1 0—15 L. S. Alerts ...... 2 0 5 2 1 4 1 0 0 1—16 Batteries—Garside, Barker and Howe, Garside; Pugh, Bartlett and Holmes, McLaren, Bartlett.

FOR THE FANS.

Cooper pitched a game at the Delhi tournament yesterday.

As the Crescent Baseball Club of Dutton were practicing, Dr. Carswell, while holding first base, received the ball on the end of the right thumb, which was found to be broken and dislocated.

GENTRY IS KING.

Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 17.—The grandest trotting race that has perhaps ever taken place in this country was pulled off at Rochester Driving rk yesterday afternoon, and as a result the little bay stallion from Goshen, N. Y., John R. Gentry, is still king of the light harness racers. John R. Gentry (2:00½), Joe Patchen (2:01¼) and Searchlight (2:04½) were the contestently had an easy thing, winning both heats handily, the first in 2.03½ and the second in 2:04½.

WOLVERHAMPTON RACES. London, Aug. 17.—At the Wolver-hampton races yesterday, the Bushbury selling welter plate was won by Reiff, the American jockey, on Earl King. Mack was second, and Belle of Blaintree was third, in a field of fifteen.
At Stockton the Great Northern Ledger was won by "Skeets" Martin, another American jockey, on Landrail. Sir Reginald was second, and Lively

FAST TIME. Glen's Falls, N. Y., Aug. 17 .- The second day of the Grand Circuit meet yesterday was marked by fast racing. Summaries:

2:28 class, trqt, purse \$2,000: Paul Pry, g. g. ..... 2 1 2 1 Venus II. ..... 1 2 5 3 Princess ..... 5 5 4 2 Volo ..... 4 4 3 The Queen ....... 3 3 1 4 dr Time—2:11¼, 2:11¾, 2:15, 2:14¾, 2:15½. 2:04 class, pace, purse \$2,000: 

2:24 class, trot, purse \$1,500: George Carney ...... 5 3 Royal Baron ..... 3 Brandywine ...... 8 6 Helen Simmons Time—2:11½, 2:13½, 2:11½ 2:15 class, pace, \$1,500: Blaze Boy, ch. g. ..... 6 1 1 Helen R. 1 2 3 The Shah 2 3 4 

2:30 trot, purse \$1,500: Nettie Hamlin, b. f. ..... WINNERS ON OTHER TRACKS. Hawthorne, Chicago-Caloocan, Hero-

ics, Garland Bar, Ben Neville, Lord Zein and Rafaello. St. Louis, Mo.-Harry Preston, Glissando, Fervor, Alice Turner, Frank Bell and sam Lazarus. Saratoga, N. Y.-Lady Massey, Lady Lindsay, Myth, Gon Falcon and His Lordship.

Detroit—Loyal Prince, Onoto, Leon-cle, Alpaca, Corialis and The Light. WHEEL.

L. A. W. ANNUAL MEETING Boston, Mass., Aug. 17 .- The racing programme, which is an important part B. 14. of the L. A. W. meet, began yesterday afternoon at the Charles River Park. Two events were of great interest—the one-third 'mile national championship for professionals, and the one-quarter mile national championship for amateurs. The former went to Tom Butler by a few inches over Major Taylor, in a sensational finish. The amateur event was captured apparently by E. W. Peabody, of Chicago, with Albert Tallandier, of Paris, second, and Lester Wilson, of Pittsburg, third. Five riders had finished in a bunch, and it was immediately claimed that Ben Goodson, of Australia, had crowded the others on the home stretch. After an appeal to the referee it was announced that the final was a dead heat between Pea-tody and Tallandier, and it will be ridden again today. Summary: One-third mile, national champion-ship, professional, ridden in four trials,

semi-finals and final-Won by Tom Butler, Cambridge; Major Taylor, Worcester, 2; Angus McLeod, Chicago, 3. Time, 42% seconds. Quarter-mile national championship, amateur, four heats, semi-finals—First heat won by Wilsto, Pittsburg; Mc-Dougall, Milwaukee, Moran, Chelsea,

son, Australia, 2; Ingraham, 3. Time, 32 seconds. Final heat—Between Tallandier and Peabody, tied; Wilson, 3.
Time, 33 seconds. To be ridden over.
McDuffle rode three miles, motorpaced, in 5:08%.

CRICKET.

ENGLAND VS. AUSTRALIA. London, Aug. 17.—In the fifth and last test match between Australia and England, begun at Bennington oval Monday, the Australians, in their second inning, scored 254 runs for five wickets down, and the match was declared drawn. The Australians are now champions, having won the only match finished. In the first inning the Englishmen made 576 and the Australians 372.

PHILADELPHIANS WON.

Montreal, Aug. 17.—The Belmont cricket team of Philadelphia, won the international cricket match with the all-Montreal team yesterday by seven wickets. Montreal scored 93 in two innings, and the visitors, after scoring 93 had seven wickets to spare. Bel-mont scored 82 in the first inning, so that the total score was 93, with seven wickets yet to fall.

SARNIA WINS FROM FOREST. The cricket match played at Forest between elevens from the local and Sarnia clubs, resulted in favor of Sarnia by 62 runs. Score:

SARNIA. First Inning—
J. J. Madden, b Walters ...... C. S. Freeman, b Wichman, c Wich-E. C. Smith, b Munro ...... 10 M. S. McCarthy, c and b Bluett .. 23 smith 12
T. Garvey, b Bluett ..... 0

C. Brown, not out ..... Second Inning-C. Brown, b Muaro ...... 13 J. J. Madden, b Bluett ..... M. S. McCarthy, b Bluett ..... D. Gurd, b Bluett ..... F. F. Pardee, b Munro ...... T. Garvey, c Bluett, b Pepper ..... 

FOREST.

First Inning—
H. Goldsmith, c Pardee, b Smith .. 21
C. Boddy, c Madden, b Pardee...... 11
E. Munro, c Garyey, b Madden .... 31
C. Bluett, b Madden ..... 0 Walters, b Pardee ...... Van Valkenberg, c Madden b

J. Wichman, c and b Pardee ......

Second Inning-C. Boddy, c McCarthy, b Pardee .. 0 Wichman, c Geddes, b Pardee .... Van Valkenberg, b Smith ...... Bluett, b Pardee ..... Walters, b Smith ..... Munro, c McCarthy, b Smith .... R. E. Scott, b Smith .....

W. J. Karr, b Smith ..... S. Pepper, b Pardee .....

F. Shaw, c Madden, b Pardee ..... Mayer, not out ..... Extras ..... 0

#### Sarnia winning by 62 runs. FISTIC AFFAIRS. THE CANADIAN LOST.

New York, Aug. 16 .- Otto Seiloff, of meet Joe Bernstein at Coney Island on Chicago, failed to meet Tom Broderick | Sept. 25. before the Waverley A. C., Yonkers, last night, and Harry Welsh, of Canada, took his place. Broderick won in the sixth round.

LAWN TENNIS.

BRUSSELS BEATS BLYTH. Blyth, Ont., Aug. 17.-Brussels beat Blyth in tennis here yesterday, by a score of 4 to 2 events, as follows:
Doubles—Fox and Blair (Brussels)
beat Moser and Douglass (Blyth). Tait and Cook (Blyth) beat Cameron and Sinclair (Brussels). Singles-Cameron (Brussels) beat Cook (Blyth).

Tait (Blyth) beat Cluff (Brussels). Fox (Brussels) beat Douglas (Blyth). Blair (Brussels) beat Moser (Blyth). LAWN BOWLING.

TOURNAMENT AT NIAGARA. Niagara, Ont., Aug. 17.-The second day of the Niagara bowling tournament opened yesterday morning, when the

5 first round of the trophy match was continued. and the first round of the association was started. D. Kidd, last year's trophy winner, was defeated by C. F. Leonard in a very close game. Some of the doubles were played, and First round, Association-C. Boeckh C., 19; G. J. Bennet, C., 15; G. R. Har-graft, G., 23; J. H. Burns, N., 21; Dr

Wood, Mit., 30; W. B. Smith, T. V., 21; F. O. Cayley, R. C. Y. C., 5; R. Wilkinson, Mer., 16; J. Weld, London, 17; C. Bishop, Mer., 10; L. E. Laftin, N., 13; C. Badenach, C., 20; H. Wilson T. T., 18; W. R. Mossey, T. T., 15; Dr. Crysler, Mer., 17; W. W. Wood, C., 16.
Second round—G. R. Hargraft, G., 20; W. B. Smith, T. V., 23; C. Boeckh, C., 19; R. Wilkinson, Mer., 20; D. Kidd, H. T., 22; Dr. Wood, Mit., 15; J. H. Burns, N., 20; W. J. M. Taylor, T. V., 16; F. O.

Cayley, R. C. Y. C., 13; T. Thouburn Third round-C. Boeckh, C., 21; C. Leonard, V., 22; D. Kidd, H. T., 29; W. B. Smith, T. V., 19; Dr. Moore, C., 21; R. Wilkinson, Mer., 15; C. T. Mead, C. H., 11; Dr. Crysler, Mer., 12; G. R. Hargraft, G., 18; J. E. Hulett, G., 13.

First round of primary—S. A. Hodge, Mit., 25; D. Kidd, H. T., 25; T. Thouburn, B., 33; C. J. Leonard, T., 30.

burn, B., 33; C. J. Leonard, T., 30.
Second round—S. A. Hodge, Mit., 24;
A. Parfitt, London, 24; A. J. Wigmore,
G., 27; D. Deater, H. V., 17; C. T. Mead,
C., 23; C. J. Leonard, T., 23; J. E. Hulett, G., 18; D. Moore, C., 16.
Novice singles—W. Menzie, 12; A.
Hall, 13; E. Suckling, 13; D. A. Ross,
11; A. H. Beddome, 11; B. Burnett, 8.
Doubles—W. J. Taylor and D. Clark. Doubles-W. J. Taylor and D. Clark. 14; J. A. Laird and T. Thouburn, 9; S.

BEECHAM'S Oure Wind Pain in Stomach Dougall, Milwaukee; W. Moran, Chelsea,
3. Time, 32 seconds. Second won by
A. E. George, South Africa; Brown,
Pittsburg, 2; Fred Hoons, Philadelphia, 3. Time, 32½ seconds. Third heat
won by Peabody, Chicago; Ingraham,
Lynnfield, Mass., 2; Tallandier, Paris,
3. Time, 30½ seconds. Fourth heat
won by Ludwig, Chicopee; Ben Goodson, Australia, 2; Harry Edwards, Dorchester, 3. Time, 40½ seconds. First

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In any review of the late session of Parliament the Senate cannot be overlooked, as it safely might be, in the days when, according to the Toronto Mail, it acted as a rubber stamp, registering approval of the deeds of the House of Commons with automatic regularity. The Senate, in the session just ended, killed a good measure, the Redistribution Bill; but some important legislation was initiated in the Upper House, chiefly by the Minister of Justice. A great deal of credit is due to Hon. David Mills for the ability with which he has directed the business of the hostile chamber. His cool, balanced judgment and even temper give him a conciliatory hold on the House and enable him to handle thorny questions without unduly prowoking the party prejudices arrayed against him. A leader less tactful and patient would find himself awkwardly situated and his usefulness greatly impaired. Mr. Mills has contrived to have a good deal of his own way by showing a spirit of "sweet reasonableness," which has disarmed peevish opposition. In two or three years, the Government leader in the Second Chamber will have a majority at his back, and his path will then be easier to tread. A man of vast erudition, ready knowledge, and political skill, the Minister of Justice has played his part as leader of the Senate in such manner as to win respect and admiration from both sides of the House.

#### The Cleveland Visitors.

The members of the Cleveland Builders' Exchange, their relatives and friends, will be the guests of the local builders this afternoon. It goes without saying that the visitors from the Forest City across the lake will enjoy their brief stay in the Forest City of Ontario and carry away lively imons of its beauty and hospitality. Its beauty may be a trifle sunburnt at present, but its hospitality never fades. We notice the Cleveland Plaindealer claims there is proportionally more building activity in Cleveland this season than in any other city in the United States. In this respect the visitors will find a point of resemblance in London. Local architects and contractors report an unusually busy and profitable season; new houses are springing up in all parts of the city. We imagine the Cleveland contractors will be very favorably impressed with our domestic architecture, and with the substantial and well-ordered appearance of our residential quarters. We have no millionaires' row like Euclid avenue-a justly famous thoroughfare-but most of our streets have an embroidery of shade trees, lawns and boulevards, which few more pretentious cities can

London will be happy to welcome all the visitors that Cleveland can send, especially during the Western Fair, when they will see an epitome of Canadian industry and agriculture in their highest development.

### No Proof of Ballot Box Stuffing.

A "solemn declaration" has been made by James Farr, the deputy returning officer about whom so much has been heard in connection with the West Huron bye-election on Feb. 21, 1899. In the course of the exhaustive inquiry into this election, before the privileges and election committee of the House of Commons several witnesses pointed the finger of suspicion at Farr. It was alleged among other things that he was in an improper condition on election day; that he boasted in the pollingbooth that there were "thirteen good Holmes ballots in that box"meaning his ballot box-and that he had been guilty of irregularities in the handling of ballot papers. At the poll where he officiated there were found 123 ballots, while only 118 electors had voted. There were 10 blank ballots, all Initialed by Farr, and 5 properly marked ballots without his initials. Farr, while the Ottawa committee was sitting, could not be found, and an unsubstantiated story went the rounds to the effect that he has boasted in his cups of having received \$500 and a ticket to

In his sworn declaration, Farr says that since 1893 he has acted as deputy returning officer for the municipal el- by the Parisian police, vows he will

ections in Goderich at the subdivision die sooner than surrender. For the sake of his country it is to be hoped he will not surrender.

where he acted as deputy returning

officer in February last. He was noti-

fied of his appointment for the Febru-

ary election by a postcard from Mr.

Lane, the election clerk, and had not

been previously spoken to about it. He

had expected the appointment on ac-

count of having officiated so often at the same division. He selected Henry

Armstrong, a Conservative, as his poll

clerk. During his residence in Goderich

he had frequently done carpentering

work for Robert McLean, the Conser-

vative candidate, and had been well

paid. He promised to vote for McLean,

and openly avowed his intention of do-

ing so. He took no part in the Liberal

campaign. James Yates came to him

the night before the election, and ad-

vised him to resign his position, as he

(Farr) had been drinking, and might

not be able to properly perform his du-

ties. Farr refused, thinking the request

had been made because Yates feared

that he (Farr) was a supporter of Mr

McLean. The same night, William

Mitchell, town clerk of Goderich, and

a prominent Conservative, interviewed

Farr, and as a result of an arrange-

ment then arrived at, Farr showed his

own ballot, marked for McLean, to

Mitchell, when the latter came to vote

next day. Farr swears that he had no

conversation with anyone as to his du-

ties as deputy, and that he acted in a

fair and impartial manner to the best

The extra ballots are accounted for

by Farr in this manner. He says the

ballots were printed on very thin paper,

and it was difficult to avoid handing

out more than one at one time. He must

have done this inadvertently on occa-

sions, and this would explain the pres-

ence of the blank ballots in the box.

During the noon hour, quite a number

of the employes of the organ factory

and bicycle works voted at his booth.

He knew most of them personally, and

afterwards remarked to Armstrong, the

Holmes ballots went into the box a lit-

tle while ago," meaning there were

that many of the employes known to

him as sure Holmes voters. Farr ad-

mits that he tore up a ballot which

Robert Clark had picked up from the

floor, because he (Farr) did not recog-

nize the initials as his own. He con-

fesses that he had been drinking for

several days before polling day, and

himself. Farr afterwards went to Tor-

onto to take a position. One James

Vance met him there last month, and

urged him to go to Ottawa and give

his evidence. He started from that

place, but got off at Whitby to get a

drink. He remained there several days,

and returned to Toronto, still under

the influence of liquor. Farr further

swears that Thomas Marshall and

James Nelson, two of the Ottawa wit-

nesses, informed him (Farr) that they

had received "easy money" from a cer-

tain lawyer, with the promise of more

if their evidence was "good and

strong." After his return from Ottawa,

Nelson also told Farr that if he (Farr)

made the proper kind of declaration,

the Conservatives would see him

through, and it would be money in his

pocket. Farr vows he got nothing from

the Liberals, and that he took to drink

because of statements by his fellow-

employes that he had better not show

up at Ottawa or he would get into

Such is the purport of Farr's declar-

ation. If it is true, it knocks the prop

from beneath the edifice industriously

reared by the friends of Mr. McLean in

the privileges and elections committee.

The five ballots, properly initialed, but

not marked by the voter, and five other

ballots marked by the voter, but not

initialed, can be accounted for by the

paper sticking together, while five more

blank ballots, also initialed, may have

been returned to the deputy by elect-

ors, who, for reasons known to them-

selves, preferred not to vote. The five

surplus ballots in the box would thus

be explained. It is unfortunate that

such a man as Farr should be ap-

pointed a deputy returning officer, but

there is no proof that he was privy to

any conspiracy to stuff the ballot box

or that he acted as a tool for either

The Manitoba wheat crop is the real

The story of the ballot box stuffing

The public wants a shorter word

than automobile. The contraction

"auto" seems to find favor. A Toledo

man suggests "autogo," but he is said

to be a humorist. "Auto" ought to go.

M. Guerin, the Anti-Semitic leader,

who is beleagured in his own house,

in West Huron seems to have been

Klondike.

Farr-fetched.

- good

poll clerk, that "thirteen d-

of his judgment.

The British forces in South Africa, it is reported, will seize Lang's Neck before war opens, if war must come. The British were throttled at Laing's Neck in the last Boer war, but hope to turn the tables on the Boers this time by getting first hold on the Neck.

It may not be long before all Britain will be ready to listen to a pro-position which will give the British manufacturer the whole of the Canadian and other colonial markets .-Hamilton Spectator.

What has become of the Spectator's gospel that the Canadian market be for Canadian producers should

The Irish-Americans of Chicago, ten thousand strong, yesterday passed a resolution of sympathy with "the brave little Boer Republic." This "brave little Boer Republic" allows no Roman Catholic to sit in Parliament, to hold public office or to have any of the rights of citizenship. What do the Irish-Americans think of that?

The Company's organ accuses The Advertiser of refusing "pertinent communications sent to it over the signatures of well-known and responsible citizens." While The Advertiser claims the right to have a good deal to say as to what it shall print, it has seldom declined any pertinent signed communications. Impertinence or scurrility, signed or unsigned, it does not admit. It would be well for the decency of journalism and the protection of the public if the Free Press had closed its columns to scurrilous anonymity.

#### What Others Say.

Not Slow There [Boston Herald.]

The proverbial slowness of the English in making changes is not displayed in the adoption by the British admiralty of plans for an entirely new class of warships, founded on the experiences of the recent Spanish-American war.

#### Government Ownership. [Regina Leader.]

While the majority of people in the west would favor a policy looking to public ownership and operation of railways, they yet recognize that no government could hope to carry out such a policy with popular sentiment in the eastern provinces, where the weight of population lies, either lukewarm towards or opposed to it. We think there is no room to question the statement that public opinion in the east fails had a bottle of whisky with him in to approve the principle of government the booth, most of which he drank ownership of railways.

#### Science Beats the Cow. [London Truth.]

The fact is that science has got the better of the cow. Butter is nothing more than the food eaten by the cow subjected to certain internal processes and precipitated into the milk, from which it is extracted in the form of fat. In a margarine factory the same result is effected, and the fat of cows and exen is converted into butter without the intervention of the cow. The component parts of margarine and butter are precisely the same, with the exception of the former not containing the volatile, tasteless and unnutritious but-

Roos v It's Vanity.

[Springfield, Mass., Republican.] The London Daily Chronicle does not quite know how to take Col. Roosevelt. Evidently it wishes to admire him, but in his talk on the rough riders there are some stumbling-blocks. "We are all with Col. Roosevelt when he praises his men; we are less complaisant when he praises himself. We have never befor met such vanity in print from one who was notoriously a brave soldier.' The misunderstanding arises from the fact that in England they are used to little affairs like this, and the British officer takes them coolly. As a nation

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#### Staple Department

Bargains for Friday-Linen Section 3 Pieces Butchers' Linen, 38 inches

wide, regular price 20c, Friday, per yard ...... 15c

Pieces Plain Toweling, 28 inches wide, regular price 121/2c; Friday, per yard ......8½c

Pieces 18-inch Toweling, plain 

Pieces Only 24-inch Red and Blue Checked Glass Cloth, Irish make, regular 15c, for ..... 10c Pieces Only 60-inch Bleached

Table Linen, regular price 45c a

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Friday for ..... 60c Pieces Only 34-inch Flannelettes, 3 cream, 3 gray and 3 pink, worth 8c a yard, Friday for ..... 5c

ask, elegant patterns, regular 85c,

#### Corsets and Whitewear

Ladies' High Bust Corset, dress model, shoulder straps, in white Ladies' Corsets, in black sateen,

with purple trimming, solid steel filling, special ......\$1 00 Ladies' Gowns, good cotton, trimmed with tucks and embroidery, good width, were \$1 25, for ..... 90c Ladies' Skirts, with deep frill of Lonsdale and tucks, very special 69cs Ladies' Drawers, good width, trimmed with embroidery, Friday .. 45c Ladies' Drawers, good cotton, trimmed with frill of embroidery,

special ......

25c

#### Boot and Shoe Dept

56 Pairs Women's Dongola, patent and kid tips, turn soles, Oxford Shoes, all sizes, regular \$1 25, Friday ..... 940 47 Pairs Women's Chocolate Vici

Kid Oxford Shoes, turn soles, new styles correct, regular \$2 25, Friday ......\$1 48 Misses' Dongola, Black and Chocolate Oxford Shoes, turn soles, kid

toe-caps, sizes 11 to 1½, regular price \$1 50, Friday one-half ..... 75c Men's Buff, whole foxed, standard screw soles, Laced Boots, sizes 7 to 10, regular \$2, Friday .....\$1 35

Men's Chocolate and Tan Laced Boots, this season's big sellers, a few pairs left, regular \$3 and \$50, Friday ......\$2 25 and \$2 62

#### Hosiery

Ladies' Black Silk Hose, Friday, special, per pair ...... 25c Ladies' and Children's Plaid Hose, in lisle and cashmere, one-quarter off regular price.

Boys' Extra Heavy Ribbed Hose, all sizes, worth 18c a pair. Friday for ..... 10c Ladies' Plain Cotton Hose, regular 20c a pair, for ......121/2c

#### Blouses

300 Lawn, Muslin and Print Blouses, worth from 75c to 90c each. Friday for ..... 50c

11 only Plaid Silk Blouses, regular price \$3 75 each. Friday .....\$2 82 White Lawn Blouses, tucked, regular \$1 25 each. Friday ......\$1 00 75 Muslin, Lawn and Print Blouses, worth \$1 to \$1 25 each. Friday for ...... 75c

#### Friday in the Basement

Phone 1046

Redpath's Standard Granulated Sugar, the only line we handle, 21 pounds for ......\$1 00 Our Imperial Blend or Black, Mixed and Japan Teas, regular 40c a pound; as usual Friday ...... 250 50 only Rock Teapots, each ...... 150

each ..... Just arrived, 5 crates printed goods, consisting of Dinner, Breakfast and Tea Plates, Cups and Saucers, Platters, Vegetable Dishes, etc., special value.

50 only China Creams, decorated,

#### Gents' Furnishing Dept

50 Children's Cotton Blouses, regular 60c and 75c. Friday, each..... 39c Men's Bicycle Hose, a large assortment, \$1 Hose for ...... 50c 75c Hose for ...... 38c Men's Cotton Under Suits, regular 70c a suit, for ...... 50c Men's Regatta Shirts, regular \$1 and \$1 25, for ..... 59c

Dress Goods Department 5 pieces Black All-Wool Serge, 42inch; 5 pieces Black Figured Satin Cloth, 40-inch; 5 pieces Black Figured Luster, 38-inch; regular 29c and 35c. Friday for ..... 22c pieces Mohair Stripe Crepon, allwool, and 5 pieces Figured Mohair, very bright black, regular

price 60c to 75c a yard. Friday .... 44c 10 pieces Priestly's Fancy Figured Black Goods, also Stripes, regular price 75c, 85c and \$1. Friday ..... 560

19 pieces Fancy Blouse Silk in stripes, plaids and fancy designs, regular 50c and 60c a yard. Friday for ..... 35c

## The Semi-Annual Discount Sale Still Continues in Addition to the Above Special Friday List.

# The Runians, Gray, Garrie Co.

208, 210, 210½ and 212 DUNDAS STREET.

John Bull blusters; as an individual he is pretty apt to be quiet and modest about his achievements.

#### Whipped His 80-Year-Old Son, [Cincinnati Inquirer.]

Monroe Hedges, aged 106 years, of Anderson, Ind., who whipped his 80year-old son at Indianapolis, and placed him in the hands of surgeons, who sew ed his scalp together, and are trying to bring him to, lives in a little house in Irondale addition. He claims the distinction of being the man who drove the first spike on the first railway ever constructed in Indiana. His 99-year-old wife died recently. His strength and mental activity are something marvelous. Hiram was one of the babies of the family, and he is 80 years old.

#### Better Conditions in Shops.

[New York Outlook.] The conditions under which women and children worked in commercial establishments were for years a disgrace to the retail commercial world in this country. The fight to secure better laws which would compel the maintaining of better conditions has been long and bitter, and the progress that has been made has been obtained inch by inch. Today there are mer-cantile establishments in New York that have gone far in advance of any law, or even any request of reformers. Several houses have established lunchrooms and libraries, two or three have provided gymnasium and recreation rooms, and one establishment has opened bathrooms for the use of its employes. One large house closes Friday at 6 p.m., and opens Monday morning, giving all day Saturday to the employes during July and August, Without doubt these improved conditions, as well as the laws governing the employments of women and children, are due to the activities of the Consumers' Leagues, now established in several states. Not only have the conditions been bettered where legislation has been secured, but the force of public sentiment in several states has compelled mercantile houses to establish better conditions, even where legislation in this direction absolutely failed. All of which shows the value

#### An Employer Commends a Strike. [New York Journal.]

of educated public opinion organized

to secure definite results.

Mayor Samuel M. Jones, of Toledo. contributed to yesterday's Journal a most interesting review of the situation in Cleveland growing out of the boycott of the Big Consolidated Street Railway. He takes the side of the strikers, because, in his opinion, the railway corporation "has been inhuman and merciless in carrying out its business plans." It has oppressed its employes and refuses to submit the points of difference to the State Board of Arbitration.

Mayor Jones says that the disorder in Cleveland cannot be blamed on the strikers; that it is the inevitable result of allowing cities to be used for the profit of private corporations. This unique figure in public life, the mayor of Toledo, is not only a lover of

his kind, but a thinker on broad lines; a humane, sympathetic, admirable character, who, although rich and powerful, finds his highest pleasure in striving to improve the condition of those that toll and suffer. He is a manufacturer who believes in co-op-

#### eration. Every workman in his factory is a sharer in its profits. He is an executive who believes that the people have some rights the politicians and contractors are bound to respect. He clings to the old-fashioned idea that honesty in politics and business is the

best policy. It is a hopeful sign of the times when a practical, successful business man like Mayor Jones, who employes man like Mayor Jones, who employs of organized labor. When employers generally show a like sincere personal interest in the welfare of their men, dealing justly by them in all things, there will be no more strikes

### Light and Shade.

Bridget-I can't stand the missus,

Von Blumer (sarcastically)-It's a pity, Bridget, that I couldn't have selected a wife to suit you. Bridget-Sure, sur, we all make mistakes.-Brooklyn Life.

"And was your speech a success?" "Well, when I sat down they said it was the best thing I had ever done."-Judy.

"Brooks," asked Rivers, "do you know what will cure a wart?" "I never heard of a wart being sick," said Brooks, without looking up from his writing.-Chicago Record.

"Wasn't that young Mr. Tiff who left the house as I came in?" asked the judge of his eldest daughter. Yes, papa."

"Did I not issue an injunction against his coming here any more?" 'Yes, pap; but he appealed to a higher court and mamma reversed your decision."-Tit-Bits.

"How did you know the burglar was a woman disguised as a man?" "Why, when we peeped through a crack of the door he was trying on my wife's new hat at the mirror."

"Do you call John Lawson an honest demanded an irate individual man?" who had listened in indignant silence to the praise of a successful ranchman from the lips of a time-serving friend. 'Well," said the other, in the tone of one who wisely temporizes, "all I can say is that he's been in court three times, accused of stealing, and he's escaped every time. I don't know any man in the state that's had his honesty tested any oftener."

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## **WESTERN ONTARIO**

Leamington's rate is 15 mills. Receipts from natural gas help to keep

Elder Carey, pastor of the Baptist and Calvary Church, Port Burwell, for the last eight years, has tendered his

resignation. The Windsor board of education has appointed J. F. Messmore, of Ridgetown, classical master of the collegiate institute.

It is said that the Diamond Glass Company has obtained control of the factory at Wallaceburg. There are not many factories out of the trust. C. Maitre, an officer of the Windsor

police force, was married at St. Alphonsus Church on Tuesday to Miss Nettie Langlois, a daughter of Joseph Langlois, another police officer. Robert Gray, of the 6th concession of Dover, died on Monday, aged 71 years, from rheumatic troubles. Mr. Gray

was an old settler, and a brother of the late William Gray, the carriage build-Miss Flossie H. Higgins, employed for six years in the Woodstock regisoffice, and prominent in musical circles in that town, has accepted a position as contralto soloist in Trinity

Methodist Church, Bloor street, Toronto. A coroner's jury at Woodstock returned a verdict exonerating the P. R. from any blame in connection with the death of Alexander Stewart, the old man who was struck by an engine in the company's yards at that

The roller grist mill and farm property of the late W. Y. Emery, at Port Burwell, was sold by public auction on Saturday afternoon. The mill was knocked down to James Poustle for the sum of \$4,625 and Richard Drake

paid \$2,325 for the farm. In the case of the shooting of Lyle Stephens, the 15-year-old son of Geo. who is a son of Police Magistrate Stephens, Chatham, Willie Houston, Houston, went to his victim's home and acknowledged doing the shooting and stated that he had only shot to

scare. Contracts for work on the new Stearns laboratory at Windsor have not all been given out. The contract for the brick, amounting to \$12,000, has been given to the Cayuga Pressed Brick Company, of Detroit, and the \$8,000 carpenter contract has been awarded to Euclid Jacques, of Windsor. The plumbing goes to L. Heur-

hereux Bros., for \$1,000. It was reported some time ago that a settlement in regard to the succession duties of the Scotten estate in Canada, worth some \$900,000 had been effected. Lawyer J. H. Rodd, of Windsor, has been notified by the treasury department of the Ontario Govern-ment that a writ will be issued against the Scotten estate, claiming 5 per cent succession duties. The case will now succession duties.

be fought out in the courts. Mr. Bowey, of the 12th sideroad and 8th concession of Brooke, met with a heavy loss Tuesday, when his barns, with all the contents were burned. The separator belonging to Gardiner Bros. was also burned, as threshing was going on. The fire is not supposed to have caught from the thresh-ing engine, as the wind was is an opposite direction, and had been closed down for noon. The separator was

new. More than 40 cities of Germany now own and operate their cas plants

Mining Stocks.

Toronto, Aug. 16.—Following are to- closing quotations on the Toronto Mining	lay's
Industrial change:	
<b>△8490.</b>	Bid.
Foley	· · · · ·
Hammond Reef 25½	223/4
Golden Star 42½	4134
Olive	791/2
Sawbill	24%
Cariboo	126
Minnehaha20	15
Waterloo 9	814
Waterloo	147
Deer Trail	-24
Smuggler 21	1%
Fontenoy 17	16
Old Ironsides107	100
	90
Knob Hill 94 Toronto and Western 115	80
Athabasca 39	371/2
Dundee 18	15%
Dardanelles 14%	1334
Noble Five 20	1852
Rambler-Cariboo Con 321/2	311/2
Two Friends 334	2,
Wonderful Group 9	814
Van Anda	1014
Big Three	16
	43/4
Kmpress	120
Deer Park 3¼	11/2
Evening Star	9
Iron Col 11	9
Iron Horse 9	6
Iron Mask 70	67
Montreal Gold Fields 16	1314
Monte Cristo Con 6½	6
Northern Belle 31/4	23/4
Noverty 34	2
St. Paul 2	1
Silver Bell Con 81/2	73/2
St. Elmo 6	4
Vi ginia 22	1736
Victory-Triumph	51/2
War Eagle Con	354
White Bear	31/2
B. C. Gold Fields	61/2
Can. G. F. S	51/2
Word Hills	46.00
Crow's Nest Pass Coal	8
Rathmullen 11/2	714
Morrison 28	26
AND ILLINOIS	

Morrison 28 26
Brandon & Golden 18 17
Winnipeg 30 28½
MORNING SALES—Dardvnelles, 500. 1,000
600 at 14½. Wonderful Group, 500, 500, 600, 600
at 8; 1,000 at 8. Deer Trail. W. D., 500 at 24½.
Van Anda, 1,000 at 10½. Northern Belle, 500 at 2½. Silver Bell, 500, 500, 500 at 6; 500, 500 at 6½; W. D., 1,000 at 6½; 1,000, 600, 800 at 6¾; 750, 500, 600, 500 at 7. Victory Triumph, 500, 500, 1,000 at 6½. Crow's Nest, 10 at 49.00. Golden Star, 200 at 42½; 500, 500, 500 at 42. Minnehaha, 1,000 at 18½.

AFTERNOON SALES—Cariboo Hydraulic, 

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#### Local Market.

London, Thursday, Aug. 17. Fruit was offered in large quanti-ties this morning and prices went down with the weight of the supply. The prevailing prices were: Tomatoes, 12-quart baskets, 20c to 25c; peaches, 25c to 45c; plums, 30c to \$50c; apples, 25c to 30c; musk melons and water-melons, per crate, \$1 50 to \$2; per bushel, \$1,25. Butter continues high. Quotations unchanged, as follows:

A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT	
Wheat, new, per bu63c to 66	c
Wheat, white, per bu67% to 69	c
Wheat, red, per bu67% c to 69	c
Wheat, spring, per bu67% c to 69	C
Oats, per bu301/2c to 35	ic
Peas, per bu	
Corn, per bu42c to 44	
Barley	
Rye, per bu56c to 56	
Beans, per bu	)(

The delivery was fair, with an active demand. New wheat sold freely at \$1 10 and old at \$1 15 per cental. New oats in good supply and demand, at 90c to 93c per cwt; old oats, receipts light, prices higher, selling at \$1 02 to \$1 05. No other grain offering. Quotations: Wheat, new, per 100 lbs...... 1 05 @ 1 10 Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs... 1 13 @ 1 15 Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs.. 1 13 @ 1 15

Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs 1	13	100		19
Wheat, spring, per 100 los 1	10	0		15
Oats, old, per 100 lbs 1	00	@	1	
Oats. new, per 100 lbs	90	0		95
Peas per 100 lbs 1	00	@	1	00
Corn per 100 lbs	75	@		75
Barley, per 100 lbs	80	(0)		82
Rye per 100 lbs	00	@	1	00
Beans, per bu	75	@		80
PROVISIONS.				
Cheese, per lb	10	@		12
Eggs, single dozen	1214	0		14
Eggs, fresh, basket, dozen	12	@		13
Eggs, fresh, store lots, doz	12	@		123
Butter, pound rolls, baskets	21	@		22
Butter, lb, large rolls or crocks	19	@		20
Butter, per lb, retail	22	(		23
Lard, per lb	9	@		10
VEGETABLES		1116		This
Potatoes, new, per bu	50	0		60
Turnips, new, per doz	25	4		30
Vegetable Marrow, per dez	60	@		75
Green Corn, per doz	6	(0)		10
Green peas, per quart	10	(4		12
Beans, per peck	25	@		30
Cabbage, per doz	25	0	4	30
Cauliflowers, per doz	75	0	1	
Celery, per dozen	40	0		50
Cucumbers, per dos	15	0		25
Radishes, per doz, bunches	15	C		20
Lettuce, per doz. bunches	15	@		20
Onions, per doz bunches,	15	0		20
Beets, per doz bunches	15	1		20
LIVE STOCK.				
Beef, per lb	3	@	4	4
Hogs, light, per 100 lbs	00	@	8	00
Hogs, heavy, per 100 lbs 4	00	@	4	50
Pigs, young, per pair 2	50	(0	4	
Sows, per 100 lbs.,	25	0	3	50
Ducks, per pair	60	6		70

Hogs, light, per 100 lps		@	8
Hogs, heavy, per 100 lbs		@	4
Pigs, young, per pair	2 50	@	4 (
Sows, per 100 lbs.,	3 25	0	3
Ducks, per pair	60	6	
Spring ducks, per pair	90	@	3 (
Chickens, spring, per pair	40	0	(
Hens, per pair	40	0	
Hens, per pair	DS.		
Hay, per ton	8 00	@	9 (
Straw, per load :	2 00	0	3
MEAT, HIDES,	HTC.		
Beef, per lb	5	0	
Mutton, quarters, per lb	5	0	
Veal, quarters, per lb	4	60	
Lamb, quarter	9	0	
Dressed hogs, 100 lbs, light	6 50	@	6
Dressed hogs 100 lbs, heavy .	6 00	0	6
Hides, No. 1, per lb	7	0	
Hides, No. 2, per lb	6	0	
Hides, No. 3, per 15	5	@	
Calfskins, green	. 8	Q	
Sheep Pelts	15	@	
Lambskins	20	@	
Wool, washed, per lb	141%	@	
Wool, unwashed, per lb	8	0	
Turkeys, per lb	9	0	
Turkeys, per lb		9	

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#### St. Thomas Market

St. Thomas, Aug. 16.—Wheat, old, per bu; 70c; wheat, new, 55c; dats, new, 30c; oats, old, 32c to 35c; peas, 50c to 60c; barley, 35c to 40c; rye, 50c; corn, 45c to 50c; beans, 70c; flaxseed, per cwt, \$2 45

Oil Markets. PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 17.—Oil spened and closed today at \$1 27.
PETROLIA, Aug. 17.—Oil spened and closed at \$1 45.
OIL CITY, Aug. 16.—Credit balances, \$1 27; certificates, \$1 27% bid for cash; no sales.

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

WHEAT-		ug.	4	ug.		ug.		0g.
Red Winter	5	71/2	5	8	5	10	5	10
No. 1 Nor. Spring	6	Ü	6	116		036	6	014
No. 1 Cal	6	2	6	î"	6	1%	6	11/2
Aug	0	õ	ő	ō	0	0	0	0
Sept	5	914	5	10%	5	95%	5	95%
Nov	0	0,2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dec	5	10%	5	111/8	5	1134	5	11%
CORN-		1074	1 "	11/8	•	1178		-1/4
New	3	354		334	2	334	3	31/
Old	3	4	3	4%	3	41/4	3	474
	0	0	0	0	ó	0	0	ō
	3	378		41/8		4	3	334
Sept			3		3	11/		
October	3	43/8		45/8		43/8	18	3%
Flour	17	9	17	9	18	3		9
Peas		9	5	9	5	9	50	0
Pork		0	50	0	50	0		
Lard	28	0	28	3	28		28	3
Tallow	23		23		23		24	0
Bacon, light	31	0	31	6	33	0	32	6
Cheese, white	46		46	6	47	0	47	0
Cheese, colored	47	0	147	6	148	0	18	0

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.-Unexpectedly firm foreign markets and indications of a revival in the cash demand advanced prices here for wheat 1/2c to 1/8c today. Corn closed unchanged to 1/8c higher. Oats advanced 4c, and provisions closed irregular and 5c lower to 5c higher. Wheat opened firm a small improvement over yesterday's prices, September starting at 1/4c to 3/4c higher at 701/2c to ment over yesterday's prices, september starting at 1/4c to 3/4c higher at 70½c to 70½c. Liverpool was again the motive. As was the case yesterday, the English market ignored the action of wheat here, and instead of following yesterday's decline showed a loss of but 1/4c in the early dealings, and soon recovered. Considerable selling was done late in yesterday's session on the belief that Liverpool would be lower today, and the firmness caused a mild scurrying among shorts for cover. When this demand had been satisfied prices sagged. The market was exprices sagged. The market was exceedingly dull during the rest of the morning, but stubbornly resisted several raids, and acted a good deal as if it had been oversold. An explanation of the firmness of foreign markets came in disputches from Legister to 10c higher; common lambs slow; 4½ cars stock unsold; sheep, \$2 75 to \$4 60; extra wethers, \$4 85; culls, \$2 50; lambs, \$4 75 to \$7 35; culls, \$4 50. Hogs—Receipts, 6.808; 700 on sale; market high, at \$5 to \$5 25. in dispatches from London to the effect that although some rain had fallen in India, the precipitation was altogether insufficient to relieve the drought and famine threatened in many districts. Western primary receipts were again smaller than last year, the total being put at 479,000 bushels, compared with 498,000 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth receipts were 184 cars, aganst 121 last week, and 184 a year ago. Chicago receipts were 83 cars, 8 of contract grade. Atlantic port clearances amounted to 490,000 bushels. There were indications of a revival in the cash bus-iness. Several bids for August delivery were made, and though not much actual cash business was reported, it stimulated speculative buying. The export demand continued light. In the afternoon the market became much more active. September advanced steadily from 701/2c to 70%c to 71c to 711/2c. This was above call price, and selling against these privileges, and a moderate amount of realizing caused a reaction to 70%c to 70%c. The close was firm at that figure. December exhibited

more strength than September, though trading in that future was comparaively small. It advanced to 731/2c, and closed %c higher, at 73%c to 73%c. closed %c higher, at 73%c to 73%c.

The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—No. 2. Sept., 70%c to 70%c; Dec., 73%c to 73%c; May. 76%c. Corn—No. 2. Sept., 30%c: Dec., 28%c; May. 29%c. Oats—No. 2. Sept., 30%c: Loc., 28%c; May. 29%c. Oats—No. 2. Sept., 19%c to 19%c; Dec., 19%c to 19%c; May. 21%c to 21%c. Pork—Sept., \$2 00; Oct., \$8 27%; Jan., \$3 40. Short ribs—Sept., \$5 02%; Oat., \$5 92%; Jan., \$5 40. Short ribs—Sept., \$5 02%; Oet., \$5 05; Jan., \$5 40. Short ribs—Sept., \$5 02%; Oet., \$5 05; Jan., \$5 40. Short ribs—Sept., \$5 02%; Oet., \$5 05; Jan., \$5 40. Short ribs—Sept., \$5 02%; Oet., \$5 05; Jan., \$5 40. Short ribs—Sept., \$5 02%; Oet., \$5 05; Jan., \$1 40; No. 2 spring wheat, 70%c; No. 3 spring wheat, 68c to 70%c; No. 2 red, 72c to 72%c; No. 2 corn, 31%c; No. 2 red, 72c to 72%c; No. 2 white, 23c to 23%c; No. 3 white, 21%c to 21%c; No. 2 white, 23c to 23%c; No. 3 white, 21%c to 21%c; No. 2 white, 23c to 23%c; No. 3 white, 21%c to 21%c; No. 2 white, 23c to 23%c; No. 3 white, 21%c to 21%c. No. 2 white, 23c to 23%c; No. 3 white, 21%c to 21%c. No. 2 white, 23c to 23%c. No. 3 white, 21%c to 21%c. No. 3 white, 21%c No. 2 corn, 31%c; No. 2 vellow corn, 32c; No. 2 oats, 20%c to 21%c; No. 2 white, 23c to 23%c; No. 3 white, 21%c to 23%c; No. 3 white, 21%c to 23%c; No. 2 barley, 34c to 41c; No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 01; Northweet, \$1 03; prime timothy seed, \$2 55; mess pork, \$7 50 to \$8 25; lard, \$5 05 to \$5 17%; short rib sides, loose, \$4 80 to \$5 10; dry salted shoulders, boxed, 5%c to 6%c; short clear sides, boxed, \$5 40 to \$5 60; sugars, cut loaf, \$6 02; granulated, \$5 50; clover, contract grade, \$6 50; eggs, firm, fresh, 12%c.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 19,000 bbls; wheat, \$4,000 bushels; corn, 34,000 bushels; oats, 500,000 bushels. SHIPMENTS—Flour, 12,000 bbls; wheat, 10,000 bushels; corn, 33,000 bushels; oats, 641,000 bushels; rye, 1,000 bushels; barley, 4,000 bushels.

The Dairy Markets.

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MONTREAL, Aug. 16.—Cheese, 9½c to 10½c. Butter—Townships, 19c to 21c; western, 14c to 16c.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—Butter firm; creameries, 15c to 20c; dairies, 12½c to 17c. Cheese firm, 9½c to 10c. NAPANEE, Ont., Aug. 16.—Twenty factorles boarded 675 white and 220 colored cheese; sales, 4,665 white and 185 colored at 10c; buyers, Brentnell, Thompson, Cleall and Magrath.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Butter strong, western creamery, 15c to 21c; do factory, 13c to 15c; imitation creamery, 13c to 15c; state dairy, 14c to 18½c; do creamery, 17c to 21c. Cheese quiet; large white and colored, 9¾c; small white, 9¾c; do colored,

PICTON, Aug. 16.-At our cheese factory today sixteen factories boarded 1,195 boxes of colored; 10½c highest bid; 750 sold.

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Aug. 16 .- At today's cheese market there were boarded 1,528 boxes-490 white and 938 colored; there were two lots sold off board-180 boxes colored at 10c; 53 boxes colored at 10c.

TWEED, Ont., Aug. 16.—The cheese board met this evening and adjourned without transactions until Wednesday

#### The Hide Market

Toronto, Aug. 16.-Hides-The market remains steady at previous quotations, although the feeling is very firm; green are quoted at 8½c and

cured at 81/2c to 9c. Lambskins-There is nothing on the market now under 40c for shearlings and lambskins, and all coming in meet with a ready sale.
Calfskins are quoted at 9c for No.

Tallow-The demand is slow, and the market dull and steady. Local dealers are asking 4½c to 4%c, and offer-

#### Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.-An unexpectedly large supply of cattle was received to-day, and prices fell 10c to 15c, buyers holding back for reduction; good to choice cattle sold at \$5.60 to \$6.40; commoner grades, \$4.40 to \$5.55; stockers and feeders, \$3 50 to \$4 75; bulls and heifers, \$3 50 to \$5 50; Texas steers, \$3 75 to \$5 25, and calves, \$4 to \$7 50. The hog market was weak, and fur-ther reductions of 5c to 10c were made; offerings were moderate, but buyers were reluctant to take hold; heavy hogs sold at \$4 15 to \$4 90; mixed, \$4 45 to \$4 90, and light, \$4 50 to \$4 90; pigs brought \$3 50 to \$4 75, and culls, \$2 25 to \$4 10. Another enormous run of sheep and lambs resulted in a sharp break in prices, lambs being 15c to 25c

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lower, while sheep, except for choice western rangers, suffered similar reductions; sheep sold at \$2 to \$3 for culls, up to \$4 25 to \$4 50 for prime natives; lambs, \$3 50 to \$4 50. Receipts—Cattle, 23,000; hogs, 23,000; sheep, 27,000.

EAST BUFFALO, Aug. 16.—Cattle—There were no offerings, and with a fair inquiry for good, fat butcher cattle the tone ruled full steady with Monday's figures; calves were in light supply, good demand and stronger; choice the over growtoble of \$6.75 to \$7: to extra were quotable at \$6.75 to \$7; good to choice, \$6.50 to \$6.75. Sheep and lambs-The offerings were light, only 5 loads, the bulk being of the common order, and included heavy ewes, which were not wanted; top grade lambs were in light supply, good demand and firm; sheep were generally dull; lambs, choice to extra, were quotable at \$6.25; to \$6.50; good to choice, \$6 to \$6.25; common to fair, \$4.50 to \$5.50; sheep, choice to extra, \$4.50 to \$4.75; good to choice, \$4.25 to \$4.50; common to fair, \$3.4 Hoore, \$4.50; common to fair, \$3.50; common to fair, \$4.50; common to to \$4. Hogs—The trade was in fair shape at the opening, being 5c to 10c higher; heavy were quotable at \$4.80 to \$4.90; mixed, \$4.95 to \$5.05; Yorkers, \$5.10 to \$5.20½; pigs, \$4.70 to \$4.80; grassers, \$4.80 to \$4.90; roughs, \$3.85 to \$4.05; stags, \$3.40 to \$3.60; the total offerings were 12 loads.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16 .- Beeves-Receipts, 2,720; market active; good steers and all grades of cattle steady; buils 10c higher; common and medium steers

OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, Aug. 16.-Prices for American and Canadian steers in the London and Liverpool markets were steady.

# RT MARTIAL

M. Monard Temporarily Takes Labori's Position.

Gen. Roget Winces Under Cross-Examination by Counsel for the Accused -A Good Witness for Dreyfus.

Rennes, Aug. 17 .- With the usual attendance and without any noteworthy incident, the second trial by courtmartial of Capt. Alfred Dreyfus, of the artillery, the famous prisoner of Devil's Island, charged with treason, was re-

strengthen the defense. The friends of Maitre Albert Clemenceau prevented the latter from coming to the assistance of Dreyfus, as planned immediately after the attempt to assassinate Labori, whose would-be murderer, by the way is still at large, and seems likely to

remain so. However, in spite of the difficulties encountered by the defense, today's session of the court opened with brighter prospects for the prisoner, as M. Demange, counsel for the defense, evidently came primed with questions, and subjected Gen. Roget, who resumed his deposition on the opening of the court, dealing with the theft of Esterhazy's letters from Mdlle. Pays, to a warm cross-examination. A number of the counsel's shots struck the bullseye, and made the general squirm in his seat. Unfortunately, M. Demange is not yet in a position to go thoroughly over the whole ground of this witness' deposition. But Gen. Roget will probably be recalled to the stand later

Gen. Roget was unable to conceal his annoyance and anger when M. Demange scored.

The general also threw glances of sayage disapproval at the audience ment to the United States. when, as happened several times, suppressed titters went around the room when M. Demange worried him. Finally Gen. Roget became quite red in the face and answered M. Demange in a hollow voice, contrasting with his confident tone of yesterday. Then came a witness who proved to

Then came a witness who proved to be a splendid reinforcement for Dreyfus. It was M. Bertullus, the examining magistrate, who received the late Lieut.-Col. Henry's confession of forgery. In almost inaudible tones, owing to hoperness. ing to hoarseness, M. Bertullus gave ing to hoarseness, M. Bertullus gave his testimony, which was a veritable speech for the defense. Coming from a man of the high legal reputation of M. Bertulius, this evidence raised the hopes of the Dreft ards immensely, as it apparently made a deep impression on the members of the court.

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M. Jaures, the Socialist leader, who was among those present in court, on the conclusion of the magistrate's tes-timony, remarked: "This is the first time the truth and the whole truth has been told before the judges." Dreyfus displayed the keenest interest in the statements of M. Bertullus. The prisoner appeared completely absorbed in his words, straining forward to catch every syllable. After a brief confrontation of M. Bertullus and Mme. Henry, widow of Lieut.-Col. Henry, Col. Picquart, former chief of the intelligence hursen of the way office way telligence bureau of the war office, was called. He gave his evidence in a loud, resonant voice, and created a profound impression.

#### NEWLY INTRODUCED.

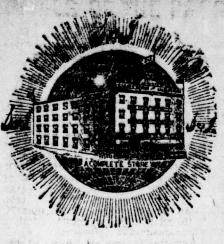
Sensation Caused in Barnaby River New Branswick, by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Barnaby River, N. B., Aug. 14.—Quite a sensation has been caused here lately by the introduction of a new medicine
—Dodd's Kidney Pills. Although there
had been many deaths in this village and surrounding district from Bright's Disease, and other Kidney troubles, yet, strange to say, Dodd's Kldney Pills had never been tested. Our people had little faith in patent medicines.

Now, however, Dodd's Kidney Pills are creating a sensation. A large num-ber of people are using them and expressing surprise and delight at the re-sult. "From the first week I began to improve," say's Cornelius Crottle, of Barnaby River, who had been given up by the doctors. The fact seems to have surprised him, but it is always true permanently cured without knife or plaster. The fact seems to have been book and mention Advertiser surprised him, but it is always true where Dodd's Kidney Pills are used.

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# Easy to Save Money

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## Ladies' and Misses' Jackets.

These evenings are cool. This offer is cooler. Any of these six lines

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One only, Maid's Jacket, blue, size 14, was \$5.50. Three only, Maids' Jackets, blue, sizes 14 and 16, were \$5.00. Five only, Maids' Jackets, black and blue, sizes 14 to 18, were \$6.50. Two only, Ladies' Jackets, blue, sizes 32, were \$4.75. Two only, Ladies' Jackets, blue, sizes 34 and 36, were \$5.50. One only, Lady's Jacket, blue, size 34, was \$5.00.

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THREE ONLY, LADIES' JACKETS-In Black Broadcloth, were \$10 each. Be one of three to get ONE ONLY, LADY'S JACKET-Of Black Broadcloth, silk lined throughout, size 38, was \$12.00, now

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## Specials From Millinery Section.

35 only Ladies' Shaped Hats-Were 65c to \$1 50 each, now all the same price	100
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### CAUGHT ON THE FLY

\*000000000000000000000000000 New York aldermen voted a \$150,000 Dewey reception fund.

The grain shovelers at Fort William are striking for increased pay. Judge De Montigny died at 10:30 Wednesday evening at Montreal, aged 62 years.

A Lanarkshire firm has secured an order for 10,000 tons of steel for ship-

Inability to get material has compelled Cramps' shipyards to lay off 1,500 men when they have \$20,000,000 worth of work on hand.

The streets of Windsor were crowded yesterday with women delegates to the typographical convention in Detroit. They were out for a good time. Construction work begins today Thursday) on the eight miles of the

Northern Pacific Railway extension, northward from Portage La Prairie. A Vancouver telegram says: In the north there are more salmon than the canners can handle. On the Fraser River they are running free from 100 Dangers of the to 300 per boat.

While a number of children were out in a little sail boat at the union picnic at Morpeth, a sudden squall came up and nearly capsized the boat. By the presence of mind and prompt action of Thos. Shippy and W. Watson, the danger was averted and the children safely landed.

The Canadian Press Association excursionists were entertained at Portage la Prairie by a drive among the great wheat fields of the Portage plains, and later in the day visited the experimental farm at Brandon. A town composed entirely of ne-

groes—Hudson City, Ala.—has just been incorporated. It has 400 inhabitants, 100 houses, 3 churches, a schoolhouse, and not a saloon. The officials will all be colored men. The department of trade and com-

merce at Ottawa is informed of the denunciation of another of the favored nations' treaties existing between Britain and other nations; in this instance with Montenegro. The treaty will accordingly cease one year hence.

P. F. Price, of Richmond, Va., for nine years a missionary in Shanghai, China, now in Chicago, says the rail-way concessions and buildings heard of in China are mostly on paper. It will be years before the people there al. Now the best thing to be done is will be years before the people there al-low railways to be built, to any extent.

Authentic news has reached Toronto of the death of Mr. A. D. Stewart, of Hamilton, on March 26, en route to the Klondike. Mgr. Falconia, papal delegate to Can-ada, will pay his first official visit to

Montreal on Monday and Tuesday of next week.

Carl Creelman, of Nova Scotia, who

Pacific coast. Sir Hugh McCallum, governor of Newfoundland, is about to visit the French shore, to gain information regarding it at first hand.

Two Brantford girls, named Ida Kuntz and Eva Pilgrim, came to Toronto on the excursion on Monday, and have since been lost to their re-

#### NEW SEWAGE SCHEME. Ottawa, Aug. 17. - A scheme that is

expected to solve one of the most vexatious problems of municipal government, the satisfactory disposal of sewage, has been discovered by Prof. V. L. Emerson, of Ottawa, who just returned from a two months' trip to England. The scientist states that he has discovered a process by which valuable chemicals and acetates can be extracted from apparently worthless sewage, at the same time robbing the latter of its offensive properties. He states that he was successful in securing the necessary capital to erect an extensive plant, which will operate on the sewage of London, England. Other surrounding cities are Juquiring into the matter.

# Fruit Season

Many People Suffer From Diarrhea, Dysentery and Cholera Morbus Through Eating Decayed or Unripe Fruit.

The Only Remedy That Can Be Relied on Is Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry.

Every time the fruit season comes round it brings with it cramps and colic, diarrhea, dysentery and cholera morbus.

Not that good, sound, ripe fruit is in itself dangerous, but it is difficult to prevent children eating green fruit or fruit that is partially decayed. Grownup people, too, are sometimes indiscreet-eating excessively of cucumbers, melons and the like. The result everybody knows.

Fermentation and inflammation are started. Cramps and colic come on with their attendant suffering. Diarrhea, dysentery or cholera morbus follow with their distress and dan-

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FAGGED OUT-None but those who have become fagged out know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength has gone, and despondency has taken hold of the sufferers. They feel as though there was nothing to live for. There, however, is a cure-one box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dandelion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parmelee's

Pills. For the past two years each convict in the Missouri State Prison has earn-3 cents a day more than the cost of keeping him.

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gligence on the part of some citizens in failing to keep their sidewalks clean. Even where the new artificial

stone walks are put down, he says,

they are, in some places, allowed to

remain covered with sand, and he urges a more general use of the broom.

-Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hutchinson, of 471 Horton street, claim to be annoyed by street car detectives prowling

will likely be laid in the police court.

The Ottawa correspondent of the

Globe says: The priests in the Diocese

of Ottawa do not use bicycles in their

work. It is understood by the Catholic

clergy that Archbishop Duhamel does

Although he has given out no order that they may not ride bicycles, the

ecclesiastics know his desire and re-

spect it. Bicycles are said to be in

dence of having seen Robinson throw

fendant to go on suspended sentence.

Crown Attorney Magee assented. Solicitor for defendant, A. B. Cox.

A special to the Globe from Hamil-

ton says: The chairman and investi-

gating governors of the Royal Canadian

Humane Association, have unanimously

made the following awards: A medal

ficate to Percy H. Clark, for prompti-

winning a scholarship for general pro-

and second class honors in biology.

Friday Night.

Tickets for the strikers' concert to-

morrow night are selling like hot cakes,

MASS MEETING MONDAY NIGHT.

A mass meeting will be held on Mon-day evening in Victoria Park in sup-

port of the street railway strikers. Sev-

eral distinguished speakers are ex-

pected to be present. A number of

delegates to the Typographical conven-

tion in Detroit may visit the city on

FORGERY AND LIES

The Basis on Which the Prosecution

of Dreyius Rests.

Paris, Aug. 17. - A special edition

of the Figaro, just issued, exposes an-

other alleged forgery in the Dreyfus

case by publishing the following tele-

in the Figaro of Aug. 16, 1899, is a for-

The foregoing refers to a letter al-

leged to have been written by the Aus-

ing Dreyfus had relations with Ger-

many. It was mentioned in the testi-

mony of Gen. Mercier and Gen. Roget.

MERCIER A LIAR!

Berlin, Aug. 17.-The statements made

by General Mercier before the Dreyfus

court-martial at Rennes, regarding the

imminence of war between Germany and France in 1894, are branded as lies

in the foreign office here. All the diplo-

mats who were in active service at that

time indignantly deny the ex-war min-

Count Von Buelow, minister of for-eign affairs, and Lieut.-Gen. von Goss-

ler, minister of war, made the follow-

"General Mercier's statements are a

gross fabric of falsehoods. The inci-

dent between Casimir-Perier and Count

von Muenster did not cause strained

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Toronto Produce Market.

Toronto, Aug. 17.-Wheat-Market rather easier; Manitoba No. 1 hard selling at 79c at Toronto and west, and 811/2c, grinding in transit; old Ontario red and white sold at 67c outside, and new at 65c. Flour—Unchanged, at \$3 15 to \$3 20 for straight roller, Toronto freights. Oats sell outside at 24c for new. Corn, 41½c. Rye, 48c to 48½c. Peas, 47c west for new. Millfeed, \$13 for bran and \$15 to \$16 for shorts west. Provisions rather slower; unchanged in price. Dressed hogs on the street advanced, reaching \$750 per cwt for choice. Butter—Firm; good creamery, 19c to 21c for prints, and 17c to 20c for boxes; dairy, 14c to 16c for best tubs, and 10c to 13c for inferior. There is no cheese on the market under 10½c, and prices are held very firm. Eggs moving rather slowly, at 11c to 121/2c. Potatoes sell out of store at 50c to 65c per bag.

#### English Markets.

Liverpool, Aug. 17—Closing.

Wheat—Spot, steady; spot No. 1 Cal.. 6s ¼d
to 6s 1¼d; No. 2 red western, winter, firm, 5s
9½d; No. 1 red northern spring, firm, 6s 1d;
spot No. 1 red northern, Duluth, steady, 5s 10d.
Corn—Spot. American mixed new, steady,
3s 3½d; do. old, steady, 3s 4d; futures, steady,
Sept., 3s 3½d; Oct., 3s 4½d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, firm, 7s 6d.
Peas—Western, 5s 10½d. Canadian, 5s 9d.
Beef—Steady; prime mess, 55s; extra India
mess, steady, 60s.
Pork—Firm; prime mess, fine western, 50s;
do. medium, western, 42s 6d.
Hams—Short out, 14 to 16 lbs., steady, 53s.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs., firm,

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ment. I began to use it, and am now as sound as ever in my life. My foot is perfectly clear of sores and itching. I really can't say enough in favor of Dr. Chase's Ointment, and am ready to answer any correspondence regarding my cure. I am an old settler, well known here, and recommend this remedy to all

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37s; short ribs, 18 to 20 lbs, firm, 3is 6d; long clear middles, ligut, 30 to 26 lbs, firm, 33s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 49 lbs, firm, 32s 6d; short clear backs, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 31s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 35s 6d.

Shoulders—Scuare, 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 29s 6d.
Lard—American refined, in pails, steady, 28s; prime western, in therees, steady, 27s 6d.

Cheese—American finest white, firm, 47s 6d; colored, firm, 48s 6d; do, old, firm, 46s 6d; ordinary, new, 43s 6d.

6d; colored, firm. 488 6d; do, old, firm, 208 6d; ordinary, new, 438 6d.
Butter—Finest American, 92s; good, 70s.
Tallow—Prime city, fl.m, 24s; Australian, London, strong, 25s 8d.
Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, nominal.
Hops—At London (Pacific coast), nominal, 64
65 to 24 15s.

s to £4 15s.
Turpentine spirits—Firm, 37s 3d.
Rosin—Common. firm, 4s.
Petroleum—Refined, 6%d.
Linseed oil—23s 6d.

American Markets. CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Opening—Wheat, Sept., 71½c; Dec. 73½c to 75½c; May, 76½c to 770. Corn, Sept., 30½c; May, 23½c to 25½c; Dec., 28½c to 25½c; Oats, May, 23½c; Sept., 19½c. Pork, Oct., \$5 27½. Lard. Oct., \$5 22½. Ribs, Oct., \$5 05; Jan., \$4 87½; Sept., \$5.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Flour—Receipts, 13,910 bbls; sales, 2,700 packages; state and western ruled firmed on a fair demand for standard grades. Rye flour—Steady. Wheat—Receipts, 65,-675 bu; sales, 895,000 bu; options opened strong and continued so all the forenoon on higher cables, bullish Indian crop news, and a scare of shorts;

215 dian crop news, and a scare of shorts;

265% May, 82c to 82½c; Sept., 76%c to 77c;

191 Dec., 79%c to 79%c. Rye—Steady;

193 state, 55%c. Corn—Receipts, 47,775 bu; options were firm all the morning with wheat, helped also with reported large cable clearances. Oats—Receipts, 162,-400 bu; options were quiet but steady. Butter — Receipts, 4.896 packages; steady. Cheese—Receipts, 6.399 packages; quiet. Eggs—Receipts, 6,386 packages; steady. Sugar—Raw firm; held higher; refined firm. Hops—Quiet. Lead-Firm.

Chicago Exchange.

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.
Following are the fluctuations on the Unicage
Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butter
broker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1278.

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	Wheat-Sept	711/4	71%	7134	713
	Dec	733/4	741/8	735/8	733
	Corn-Sept	305%	30 7/8	301/2	305
	Dec	2834	285/a	2814	285
	Oats - Sept	1914	19%	1934	197
	Dec	1934	1934	1934	193
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Live btock Markets. CHICAGO, Aug. 17.-Hogs-Estimated receipts, 25,000 today and 18,000 tomorrow; left over, 3,565; market good; hogs, 5c lower; others badly neglected; mixed and butchers, \$4 40 to \$4 80; good heavy, \$4 50 to \$4 75; rough heavy, \$4 15 to \$4 25; light, \$4 50 to \$4 85. Cattle— Receipts, 10,000; market steady; beeves, \$4 60 to \$6 35, cows and heifers, \$2 to \$4 85; Texas steers, \$3 75 to \$5; stock-

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ers and feedrs, \$3 25 to \$4 90.

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#### Marriage Licenses Issued

Latest Probabilities Toronto, Aug. 17-10 a.m.-Probabilities for the lower lakes region for the 24 hours.

Light to moderate winds; fine and

warm today and on Friday.

The Grand Opera House will open the season with "Shore Acres" on Friday, Aug. 25.

-Capt. J. J. Grafton and Charles O'Connor, of the firm of Grafton & Co., are in the city. -Miss L. Ward, of Albion street, West that day.

London, is visiting Mrs. George Anderson, of Hamilton. -Messrs. Rogers and Davidson will build a two-story brick veneer resi-

dence on Piccadilly street. -The large plate glass window in Cairneross & Lawrence's drug store, broken last week, was replaced yester-

-Mrs. A. S. Macgregor left on Tuesday for the east, to spend some weeks visiting friends and relatives near Ot-

-The funeral of Wm. Dadd will take place on Saturday to Mount Pleasant gram from Ems: "The letter of Nov. 30, Cemetery, not Woodland Cemetery, as 1887, attributed to me, and reproduced

announced. -- Mrs. George H. Kent, of Elyria, O., who has been visiting her sister, Miss Tillie Axford, of Ridout street, has re-

turned home. -The police commissioners were to trian military attache at Berlin, declarhave met this morning, but owing to the absence of the mayor, who was at Port Stanley, adjourned until Saturday. -Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Sifton have returned to the city, and are "at home" to their friends at 136 Simcoe street, the 22nd, 23rd and 24th of this month. -Mrs. J. A. McLaren, of Toronto, and children, have returned home after a pleasant visit in London. Mrs. Mc-Laren is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

John Mills. -Lyle Stevens, who was accidentally shot by a stray bullet at Erie Beach, near Chatham, on Monday night, died yesterday. Mr. H. A. Stringer, of this

city, is an uncle of the boy. -Miss Anna Gair, who has been visiting with her grandparents, Dufferin eter, Ont., states: "I have had Salt Rheum on my foot, right from the toes to the ankle, and while living before returning to her home in Chiavenue, for the past three weeks, is cago.

> -The rate war started by the Erie Railway will affect both the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Grand Trunk Railway to come extent, but the passenger agents of both lines are awaiting developments before deciding what to do in the matter.

-There will be no band concert on Victoria Park this evening. The money granted by the city council for concerts has all been expended. It is likely concerts will be given, mencing next week, and collections be taken up at the gates.

-Londoners will have quite a variety of excursions for the Civic Holiday. Sarnia to Detroit via boat; also via boat Detroit to Toledo and the Soo;

relations between Germany and France, The German Government at no time thought of the possibility of war with and from Toronto to Montreal. Inquiries are good for a large crowd. Mr. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, France on account of the Dreyfus afnext Advertiser, will give information. -A ratepayer calls attention to ne-

# THE RISING

around their premises at night. Last evening Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson were Most Unsatisfactory on Record ordered off their own veranda into the house, and on refusing were forcibly pushed inside the door. A complaint will likely be laid to the as Regards Irrigation.

Discoveries in the Soudan-Major Welby's Journey a Profitable One-Many Watered Valleys-Cattle 75 Cents a Head.

Cairo, Aug. 17.—The Nile is rising very unsatisfactorily, and up to date not favor the use of bicycles by priests. it is the worst rise on record, in respect to irrigation. There is sufficient water in Lower Egypt, but the Upper Nile country will suffer. However. there will probably be a large cotton extensive use by priests in the Diocese of Toronto, and it is said that Archbishop O'Connor, of that city, will shortly endeavor to have the practice Bor

CATTLE 75 CENTS A HEAD. Bombay, Aug. 17. - Some rain has fallen, but the condition of the crops Thomas Robinson, charged with Descan district. The cultivators in throwing a stone at a street car on Guzerat and Kathiaway are selling Saturday, July 8, was this morning their cattle at 2 rupees (75 cents) a committed for trial by Magistrate head.

Parke. P. C. Nelson Smith gave evi-DRIEST SUMMER ON RECORD. London, Aug. 17.-This has been the a stone at a car before the riot act was read. Solicitor for defendant, E. T. driest summer on record here. Only 190 tons of water per acre has fallen in-Essery. George H. Brett, upon a simistead of the usual average of 610 tons. lar charge, candidly admitted throwing For 25 days the thermometer has regisa stone, and the magistrate was so fatered a temperature of over 80°. vorably impressed that he allowed de-

PROFITABLE DISCOVERIES. London, Aug. 17. — Major Wellby, who has just finished a journey from Southern Abyssinia by Lake Rudolf, to Sobat, is now on his way home. He reached Omdurman, and says that the khalifa's former capital is now a clean

and healthy place.

After leaving Southern Abyssinia,
Wellby's first object was to decide the vexed question as to the course of the to George Sippi, of London, Ont., for to George Sippi, of London, Ont., for Omo, which he is satisfied is a great conspicuous bravery and great presence river, flowing into the northern end of mind, risking his life to save that of Lake Rudolf. After reaching the lake of a little child from certain death in he found, as did Mr. Donaldson Smith, a runaway in London, July 19, 1899. A that the country to the east of the lake medal to John Sherry, for conspicuous bravery in saving R. J. Herbert and is entirely void of water.

More than half of his animals died of glanders, so on reaching the sou-Percy Stewart from drowning in Stoney Lake, July 27, 1899. A parchment certithern end of the lake he struck eastward, about midway between Lake Ru-dolf and the Nile, through a fine countude, skill and courage in assisting to save the lives of R. J. Herbert and try, well-timbered and full of game. Percy Stewart from drowning in Stoney It consists of a succession of watered valleys, ranges of hills running north and south. One river, called the Ruzi, Miss K. E. Short, of York street, has been successful in passing the junior matriculation examination of the Unimarked Julia on the maps, which is

At the junction of the Juba and Soversity of Toronto with high honors. bat, Major Wellby came into contact She is one of a few who obtained a with an Anglo-Egyptian force, a post having been established at Nasr. Wellgeneral proficiency scholarship. She by had with him nine Somalis, five also stood for the second scholarship Soudanese and thirty Habessas. in modern languages and the second scholarship for mathematics, besides TERRIFIC STORM IN SCOTLAND.

Aberdeen, Scotland, Aug. 17.-A terrific storm swept over the Scotch coast last night. At Fraserbourgh, a town 37 miles north of this place, on ficiency. The scholarship awarded Miss Short is equivalent to \$220. Other Londoners in the list are F. W. Cooper, who obtained first class honors in mathethe northeast coast, 300 fishing craft matics, and second class honors in were caught in a gale, and a life-boat classics; and N. D. Buchanan, who obtained first class honors in chemistry went to their assistance. The crew of the Diadem, of Cullen, a town on Cullen Bay (North Sea), were saved the gallantry of James Brown, a discharged Dargai hero, who swam to the ship with a line. When this line had been fastened to the endangered craft the spectators, who had gathered on the shore, dragged the Diadem through the surf, and landed her crew safely. The greatest fears are enter-On Behalf of the Strikers-Concert tained for the safety of the fishing

The schooner Pioneer, bound from Sunderland to Banff, a town 38 miles north of Aberdeen, with a cargo of coal, is ashore, and it is feared that she will become a total wreck. The lifeand the promoters are assured of a big saving brigade is trying to render her assistance. The railroad passenger steamer, Red Gauntlet, has been crowd in the Jubilee Rink, which has been kindly offered for the occasion. wrecked off Plada Light, south of the The ladies have gone to great pains to Island of Arran. The passengers and crew of the vessel have been landed perfect arrangements and prepare a good programme. The admission fee is

at Whiting Bay.
Aberdeen, Aug. 17.—The crew of the Pioneer were eventually rescued by the life-savers.

COMING OVER. Liverpool, Aug. 17.—Hon. Sir William Ryan Kennedy, Q.C., a judge of the Supreme Court of Justice, and a number of prominent British lawyers, are passengers on the Dominion Line steamer New England, sailing from this port for Boston. They will at-tend the meeting of the American Bar Association, to be held at Buffalo. N. Y., before which body Justice Kennedy will read a paper on Aug. 29

ROMAN RELICS. Strasburg, Aug. 17.-In excavating for a sewer in Strasburg workmen uncovered a large quantity of Roman remains, some of them of great value. At a depth of 15 feet was discovered an old Roman mint, some of the precious metal remaining as it had cooled in the melting pots when the mint was aban-

LOOKED FOR THE "ARK." London, Aug. 17.-The royal mound on the Hill of Tara, in county Meath, on which the kings Ireland for 1,000 years were crowned with great pomp, has been destroyed by a gentleman of the name of Glover, who hoped to find the Ark of the Covenant buries there. It is needless to say that he did not

DREYFUS COURT-MARTIAL. Rennes, Aug. 17 .- The Dreyfus court-Col. Picquart, who will continue nis deposition tomorrow. GUERIN DEFIANT.

Paris, Aug. 17.-The president of the anti-Semite league, M. Guerin, is still holding out at the headquarters of the league, though eight of his compatriots came out of the barricade today, and surrendered themselves to the authorities. They were taken to a police station. There were a few slight demonstrations in the streets in the neighborhood, but they were easily quelled. Another attempt made by M. Lasies to mediate between M. Guerin and the government has failed.

A DINNER PILL. - Many persons suffer excruciating agony after par-taking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken cl is like a ball of lead upon the stomach, and instead of being a healing nutriment, it becomes a poison to the system. Dr. Parmelee's Vege-table Pills are wonderful correctives of such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions and convey the food partaken of into healthy nutriment. They are just the medicine to take if troubled with indigestion.

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is very unsatisfactory, especially in the The 'Pinos Driven From Their Position -Intense Heat Causes Much Suffering-A Reporter Shot.

> Manila, Aug. 17 .- The Twelfth Infantry left Calulet at sunrise today and advanced to the railway. Capt. Evans' battalion deployed to the right of the track and Capt. Woods' to the left. Two companies remained on the track with the artillery. The insurgents were found well entrenched in front of the town, their trenches having been dug within a few days, and since the occupation of Calulet. At a distance of 1,500 yards the Filipinos opened fire. Their force was estimated by Col.Smith at 1,500, although the residents afterwards said it exceeded those figures by a thousand. The enemy sent heavy volleys against the whole American line. but they concentrated their heaviest fire down the track on the artillery. Col. Smith kept the whole line moving rapidly with frequent rushes. The insurgents attempted to flank Capt. Evans, and two companies were sent to the right, and drove them back. Unable to stand continuous volleys, the insurgents abandoned the trenches, and retreated through the town northward It appears that they had only received their supplies of ammunition this morning. Had they been attacked sooner, they could have made little resistance

The intense heat created much suffering among the Americans. A reporter of the Manila Times, who was accompanying Col. Smith, was shot in the head, probably fatally. One American officer received a slight

wound in the face. Lieut. Howland, of Gen. Wheaton's staff, who knows the country thoroughly, as the result of reconnoissances, and who assisted in directing the movement, received a volley while riding across a field, close to the trenches, but he escaped unharmed.

Manila, Aug. 17 .- Eight hundred insurgents attacked Angeles this morning, but the Twelfth Regiment drove them into the mountains .. Three locomotives were captured. None of the American troops were injured. The insurgent loss is not known. Washington, Aug. 17 .-- Another order has been issued ordering that ten ad-

ditional regiments of infantry volunteers be organized for service in the Philippines. The regiments will be numbered from 38 to 47. 6,000 MINERS

# MAY GO ON STRIKE

Trouble Feared in the Rossland Mining Camp.

Miners Are Arming and the Greatest Strike in the History of Canada

Is Feared.

Rossland, B. C., Aug. 17.—The largest mining camp in the Northwest is on the verge of the biggest miners' strike in the history of this section. Six thousand miners, mostly Americans, and many of them lately from the Coeur d'Alene district, in Idaho, have resolved, through their miners' union, not to accept the wages offered by the British-American Corporation, owner of the LeRoi and Center Star, and other big mines, and Gooderham and Blackstock, owners of the War Eagle and other properties, the principal mine cwness of the district.

Last winter the British Columbia Parliament passed a law prohibiting the working of men in mines more than eight hours per day. The rate was \$3 50 for ten hours. The Rossland mine owners offered \$3 per day for eight hours, and proposed in the event this was refused to introduce the contract system. At a meeting of the miners these terms were rejected. The mine owners, fearing that the Coeur d'Alene spirit was rife among the miners, organized a militia company, the head of which is Ross Thompson who laid out the town of Rossland. A car load of rifles and two machine guns have been obtained.

THE WORK OF BOYS. Cleveland, Aug. 17.—Four boys, ranging in age from 16 to 19, were arrested martial adjourned after partly earing this morning in connection with the attempt to blow up two cars during the late strike on July 23. The names are Henry Kromer, Charles Young, Lorin Solinski and Manly Friedman. The police will probably arrest several more persons in this connection during the day. A woman named Mrs. Maggie Bradley was this morning ar-rested, charged with placing obstructions on the track of the Big Consolidated Street Railway Company. The boycott incident to the strike has been carried into a church on the south side. Rev. James Fall has been boycotted, and a young woman connected with a church choir has been told that if she does not refrain from riding on Big Consolidated cars she must resign her position.

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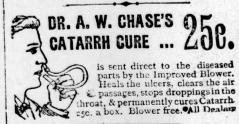
There will be a high wheel race for old-timers at Tecumseh Park Monday. Secretary McCormick received three entries by this morning's mail from Toronto, including S. J. Schulte, president of the Canadian Road Club. The race will be one mile, and will be paced by a high wheel tandem (supposed to be the only one in the world). Entries for all the events are coming in fast, and there promises to be a large field.

CRICKET.

AUSTRALIANS AT CHELTENHAM. Cheltenham, England, Aug. 17.-In a game between a Gloucester-shire eleven and the visiting Australian cricketers here today, the former, in their first inning, were all out for 203

DIED FROM HIS INJURIES. Chatham, Ont., Aug. 17 .- Lyle Stephens, who was accidentally shot on Monday night, died at Erie Beach vesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Hon.A.S. Hardy, accompanied by his wife and daughter, has returned from Gatineau and will spend the balance of the month at Parry Sound. The premier was at his office for three or four hours Wednesday clearing up his correspondence.



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## A Transient Experience

As they came through the groups of cottages, which thickened as they neared the little church, the populaheared the little church, the population turned out to watch them, lovely brown-faced children, with thick, bleached curls, tall women, with still fine faces, big old men, and in incongruous contract, a handsome girl, with eager eyes, standing by a bicycle, from which she had evidently dismounted as the funeral approached. She had a sketchlbook in her hand, and held a pencil poised, as if the sudden striking effect of the scene had made her forget

At the gate of the little churchyard they were met by a quite modern young clergyman, who began to read the service reverently, but with a strong local accent. George followed up the narow path, under the low door, into the smallest church he had ever een. It was flooded through its plain windows with cold gray light, the walls were whitewashed, the interior nearly filled up with two or three high white pews, and the little altar-table neatly though I am a long way from an canon-covered with a plain red cloth. It was all very neat, but smaller and humbler head now." George had thought a church be. There hardly seemed room for the coffin, between the altar-rail

In due time they went out into the churchyard, and George stood near the open grave. On the plain slate head-stones around him he read worn, lichen-grown, half-effaced letters which must have belonged to his family name. Just in front of him a less ancient stone bore plainly upon it the inscrip-

> DANIEL GLADWYN, Late of Moss Head. Born 1780. Died 1830. A Sinner above every man. The Spirit of the Lord came upon me.

Beneath, the death of Elizabeth, wife of the above, was recorded as having taken place in 1815. When the service was over he went

up to the clergyman.
"I am George Daniel Gladwyn, sir," he said, "and I was coming, I think at your request, to visit my gret-aunt. I am shocked to find myself too late. have been in Norway. I suppose I missed a letter?"

Yes, I wrote again to Mrs. Gladwyn. The old lady's death was very sudden at last, a stroke. I am very glad you rae here. Everything is left to you and rae here. Everything is left to you and your brother. Will you come into the vicarage and take some refreshment? curiosity when he was named to her.

When George had followed him into a smart little vicarage with pink cluster roses over its gray walls, had been "My aimt was not in wort?" Cold introduced to his wife, who apologized for the excellent bread, butter and honey, which she set before him for tea, he asked many questions and showed such lively interest in the an-swers, that he had soon learned all the young vicar, Mr. Ritson, could tell him. He himself was a new-comer, a modern person, and Lord —, the lord of the manor had built his pret v vicarage for his accommodation; he was hoping to restore the church, and had got a harmonium, and other amenities of devotion. He was educated, had been ged features, and large, somewhat wild to Rossall and to St. Bees, was a eyes. teetotaller, and an advanced churchman; but his predecessor-he remembered him as a boy (his father, he might remark, was Lord — 's agent) his predecessor was as rough as the shepherds around him, drank with them the Nag's Head, was so ignorant ture she meant her cousin to have. that he offered the famous preacher, Canon Robartes, 5 shillings for his sermon, when he had preached in the little church one summer, and had then asked him to take a glass with him at the Nag's Head-a kindly man, but a mere peasant. And before him-so the went in Dan Gladwyn's days-old Palest Westall drank and swore, and lived on porridge and potatoes, for the endowment was but £30 a year till my ford and the bishop made it up to £200 -and Dan-Dan, so the speaker's grandfather had been wont to say, was a wild lad and had all the lads and lassies at his feet. He knew how to get whisky that had never paid dues; but see him at the sports-there wasn't such a wrestler in the county-and his eyes —old Grandfather Ritson declared, "look in his eyes and ye'd follow him over Scawfell Pike. He sold Moss Head, the bit of land, and wept for it

as if it had been his soul. He was a poet, too, but his poems seemed to have perished." At this point Mr. Ritson broke off and apologized. There were old tales, no doubt exaggerated. Mr. Gladwyn

"Do go on," said George, with a smile and fixing his large considering eyes on the speaker.
"Well, Dan was an infidel and a

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Jacobin, and he used, as I say, to drink with Priest Westall and with the lord of the manor of the day, a noted roue, and the tale goes that they played some blasphemous trick and raised the devil on the night after the sale of

"How interesting!" said George, with eagerness; "what occurred? "That I can't say. But it's an odd fact that the tale is told, for there's so very little superstition in this coun ty you can hardly pick up a legend in all the district. But Parson Westall, they say, went silly, and Dan Glad-

wyn was a changed man, and set him-self to preach the gospei." Very singular result of invoking the devil," said George.

"Yes; I won't answer for that part of the tale, Mr. Gladwyn, and I've no doubt the gospel was wanted here, though it was a pity he could not have held to the sober teachings of his church, He seemed to have mixed up

"I couldn't say. She never spoke of him. He was no prophet in his own family, and his sons, greatly resenting the loss of the little property, left War-dale long before his death."

dale long before his death."

"I know," said George. "My grandfather was a banker. He was a most respectable man, but he wasn't a prophet. My father was Canon of Whiteminster, but he wasn't, I've been told, a preacher. They rose in life."

"As for the selling of Moss Head, it only forestailed what happens in many

only forestalled what happens in many of our families. The stock is good, they go into professions, and, as you say, rise in life. It is my own case, ry. But you'll like to come up to Moss Head now."

Mr. Ritson conducted George to the Nag's Head, where he left his knap-sack and arranged for a bedroom; and and the door. The funeral party disappeared into the pews, and George sat up the path by which the funeral party on a bench against the west wall.

> little above it the gray rock broke through the fine shallow turf, and here, little above it the gray rock broke was offered for their capture. A gang through the fine shallow turf, and here, of tramps was arrested by the Hull within low fein-grown walls, stood a police some time ago, and Chief Genest little white, rough-cast house, with a slate roof and one sycamore tree growing on its leeward side. "This is Moss Head," said Mr. Ritson. "A man nam-ed Richardson rents it now from Lord -, and there," pointing to a group of still smaller cottages, "is where old Miss Gladwyn lived and died. Shall we go there?"

George assented. He felt more in-tensely interested than he had ever

been before.

The lower floor of the cottage consisted of a large stone kitchen, or "houseplace," with a great open hearth, on which a great peat fire was ourning. It was well filled with homely furniture, but of course to George's eyes, it was a strangely humble place for one of his own kin.

A quiet, homely woman received

She was a Mrs. Fletcher-Miss Hannah Gladwyn's mother had been a Fletcher—and she claimed some distant Afterwards I will walk with you up She said that "t'auld leddy" had spokto Moss Had."

Score of 3,781. The Guelph Rifle Association made the highest team score, she said that "t'auld leddy" had spok-en of her great-nephews, and had left a few things to be delivered over to the Thirteenth Battalion, Hamilton, ARE YOU WEAK, "My aunt was not in want?" said

George, as Mrs. Fletcher climbed up the narrow staircase in search of the legacy.
"No," said Mr. Ritson. "You know, a small annuity was bought for her by her brothers, and these bits of furni-

ture were all her own."

Mrs. Fletcher came heavily down again with an old cedar box containing papers, an old Bible and a small oil picture without a frame, the portrait of a man with long, abundant fair hair falling on his shoulders, rug-

Her cousin Hannah, Mrs. Fletcher said, had told her only last week that she meant to make her will. The pa-pers and the family Bible, and her father's portrait were to be handed over to her great-nephews, the furni-

[To be Continued.] A CASE OF CONSCIENCE. Bill-Gill wouldn't think of fishing on Sunday. Jill-No, but he'll sit around and lie

about it, all the same .- Yonkers States-

HER SAD EXPERIENCE. "Has your sister Lulu become engaged very often during her stay at the seashore this summer?" "No. The only fellows she has met were there last year."

When a Chinaman becomes a criminal, the law punishes his parents and even the grandparents. This is only the extreme logical ap-plication of the doctrine of heredity. In this country, we leave natural law to deal with its own offenses. and many a mother ( is punished through the physical weakness and peevish temper of

puny offspring.

Women mainly err through ignorance. They enter the marriage state already disordered by irregularity of the periods. The delicate and sensitive organs, peculiarly feminine, are in no condition for the shock which is consequent on the great change. Drains that are offensive and debilitating are set up, inflammation and ulceration with female trouble are added in time, and when motherhood comes the strength of body is inadequate, and the condition of mind unfit, for the responsibility. The natural result is a child that is unhealthy and unhappy.

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Examination of Anderson on the Charge of Larceny of \$2,000.

President and a Director of the Ville Marie Bank To Be Arrested.

Montreal, Aug. 17.-Warrants have been isued for the arrest of Mr. Wm. Weir, president of the Ville Marie Bank, and Mr. Fred Smith, one of the directors. The charge preferred is with his preaching with socialistic ideas, directors. The charge preferred is with but the whole countryside ran after having made false statements in conhim; some people called him 'Daft travention of the banking act, which Dan,' and thought that he was crazy, but there's no doubt he was a great power. He was only 50 when he died."

'Did my Aunt Hannah remember years' imprisonment.

ANDERSON'S CASE. Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 17.-D. W. Anderson came up in the police court to answer the charge of stealing \$62,000 from the Molsons Bank last October. Magistrate Peblees presided. Anderson appeared with his usual demeanor. His brother, who came up from the east, was also present. The principal points up to the time of sending this were the number of persons who knew the combinations and who had access to the vault, the amount of money kept there, the amount the teller usually kept in his box, and the amount of Dominion notes generally kept on hand. McBeth, who was accountant here last October, told what he knew about the forego-

BOWMANVILLE BANK ROBBERY. Ottawa, Aug. 17.—Chief Genest, of the Hull police, has solved the mystery of the Standard Bank robbery, which occurred in Bowmanville last May. The suspected bank robbers are now in the to Kirk Andrew from still more remote hillsides and valleys. hands of the Hull police. It will be remembered that on May 13 a gang of six robbers stole \$11,000 from the to Kirk Andrew from still more remote hillsides and valleys.

After a two mile walk they came out on the "Moss," a place of pools and grass, mingled with white moss, rushes and little pools, while the lovely "Star of Bethlehem" grew abundantly.

It is a gang of star of star of star of the men if ever he saw them again. A reward of \$5,000 was offered for their capture. A gang little above it the gray rock broke to save out home very much intoxicated and his week's salary nearly all spent, I threw off all fear and determined to make an effort to save our home from the nake and several more outside. He said he could identify some of the men if ever he saw them again. A reward of \$5,000 was offered for their capture. A gang watched and prayed for the result. At of tramps was arrested by the Hull police some time ago, and Chief Genest believed from the records of the fellows that they might be the bank robbers. The tramps were photographed and the pictures were sent to the bank authority that they have the fellows are the fellows are the fellows. ties. Some of the fellows were identifled by the watchman as the robbers. They are James Collins. William Hast-ings, John Murray, William Gilmour, Patrick Ryan, Albert Lyster, James for my husband had told me that whiskey Patrick Ryan, Albert Lyster, James Logan, William Johnson, Richard Wilson and Thomas Clifford.

#### RIFLE LEAGUE

Scores of the Various Military Teams in the Recent Matches.

Ottawa, Aug. 17 .- The final returns

from the teams in the Canadian Mili-tary Rifle League show the Tenth Royal Grenadiers, of Toronto, to have taken first place with the magnificent G. followed with 963. The Guelph R. A. are in a different series from the other teams. The winners of the ten men team prizes offered by the league are: Tenth Royal Grenadiers, Toronto, 3,781;
Thirteenth Battalion, Hamilton, 3,766;
Seventy-seventh, Dundas, 3,697; Q. O.
R., Toronto, 3,690; Forty-third Battalion, Ottawa, 3,686; Eighth, Quebec, 3,671; Forty-fifth, Lindsay, 3,670;
Twelfth York Rangers, Toronto, 3,630;
Twenty-first Battalion, Stewart, Ont., 3,623; Seventh Fusiliers, London, 3,617. 3,623; Seventh Fusiliers, London, 3,617; Seventy-seventh, Dundas, second team, 3,609; Charlottetown Engineers, 3,594; Tenth R. G., Toronto, second team, 3,587; Thirteenth Battalion, Hamilton, second team, 3,574; Second Battalion, Fifth R. C. A., New Westminster, 3,571. Next in order: R. C. A., Quebec, 3,571. Next in order: R. C. A., Quebec, 3,571; Forty-eighth Highlanders, Toronto, 3,-547; Fifty-ninth, Cornwall, 3,517. The first team of the G. G. F. G. made 3,354, first team of the G. G. F. G. made 3,354, and the second team, Forty-third, 3,250. In the cavalry series, the winners are: B squad, R. C. D., Winnipeg, 3,570; F division, N. W. P., Prince Albert, F division, N. W. M. P., Prince Albert, 3,490; C division, N. W. M. P., Battleford, 3,439; A squad, Manitoba Dragoons, Virden, 3,360; A squadron, Manitoba Dragoons, Virden, 2,890; O. C. C. toba Dragoons, Virden, 2,890; Q. O. C., Hussars, Quebec, 2,119. The winners Hussars, Quebec, 2,119. The winners in the Rifle Association series are: Guelph R. A., 3,702; Hemmingford R. A., 3,618; Truro R. A., 3,561; Norfolk R. A. Simcoe, 3,418; Provincial R. A., Charlottetown, fourth team, 3,403; Charlottetown, fourth team, 3,403; Prescott R. A., 3,378; Hespeler R. A., 3,374. The Charlottetown R. A. made: First team, 2,972; second team, 2,357.

### **BIG BRUSH FIRE** IN KENT COUNTY

Three Hundred Men Engaged in Ex tingushing the Flames-Serious Loss Entailed.

Chatham, Ont., Aug. 17.-A large bush fire is raging on con. 11, Chatham township. It started last Friday in a field where men were clearing up the land, and spread to the woods on John Cooper's farm, lot 9. From there it spread to lots 7 and 8. The strong wind of the past few days has helped considerably to fan and spread the flames. A force of about 300 men has been fighting the fire for the last few days, and have it about under control. Two frame dwelling houses have been burned, but their household effects were saved. The continued dry

Black, con. 5, Raleigh. A strong east wind was blowing at the time, and it helped considerably to spread the flames. Three barns were burned, with all his season's crops and all the implements. Mr. Black had only threshed a week ago, and had the finest crops in that section. His loss is about \$6,000, with \$3,000 insurance. LARGE FIRE IN LUCAN.

Lucknow, Ont., Aug. 17.—Tuesday night fire started in the hotel stables of P. McDevitt. The fire company responded promptly, and in a very few minutes had three streams of water pouring into the flames. The progress of the fire had been so rapid that they could not save the buildings, but kept the flames from spreading to the hotel. McDevitt got all his horses out. He loses \$3,000 on contents. The building is owned by Thos. Todd, of St. Helen's, and insured for \$500.

## PERILS OF THE PASS.

Gold-Hunters Who Survived the Journey Over the Edmonton Trail Reach Seattle.

Seatth, Wash, Aug. 17. - Advices from Edmonton, N. W. T., state that eighteen survivors of the Edmonton trail had reached there from the intrail had reached there from the interior, They are: Wm. C. Smith, Selkirk, Man.; John Grant, Toronto; Frank Bastain, St. Albert's; Cormichael, Sudbury, Ont.; Geddes, Ontario; Richie and son, Poplar Point, Man.; J. Roe, Rapid City, Man.; R. Hunter, Hamilton; Joseph and Gus Schuler, Chicago; W. Schmidt, New York; McClentic, Winchester, N. H.; Smith and Hedley Manitoba: John Smith and Hedley, Manitoba; John Stetson, Princeton, Ill., and Wood, Delaware. Wm, G. Smith, Grant and Bastain came from Black Mud River, on the Upper Llard, 110 miles from the Dease, where they had wintered above them, on the Brule portage, continuing on through in the spring.

NATURAL GAS AT OAKVILLE. Oakville, Aug. 17. - The excitement occasioned by the discovery of natural gas on the Gooderham and Blackstock farm, in this vicinity, still continues. Boring is being continued on the farm. The well is down thirteen hundred feet, and will be sunk to granite rock, when they will begin to blast. No new strikes have been made.

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Special train leaves Toronto at 1:30 p.m., August 22 and 24, via North Bay. Through Cotonist Sleepers will be run Toronto to Winnipeg.

Tickets and all information from agents of Grand Trunk. M. C. DICKSON, District Passenger Agent. 31, 1899.

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points.

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William Robinson, General Traveling Agent, 39 York street, Rossin House Block, Toronto.

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FINE TAILORING

METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Aug. 16-8 p.m.-Pressure distribution remains about as it was last night-high from the lakes to the Atlantic and low in the Northwest. Thunderstorms were general in Manitoba during last night, but today has been fine, and the outlook points to a continuance of good weather, both in Manitoba and the Territories. Mini-mum and maximum temperatures: with and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 54-64; Kamloops, 58-70; Calgary, 40-66; Qu'Appelle, 44-70; Winnipeg, 74-82; Port Arthur, 48-66; Parry Sound, 44-74; Toronto, 52-78; Ottawa, 48-82; Montreal, 50-78; Quebec, 50-74; Halifay 50-80

Halifax, 50-80. Local temperatures-The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Wednesday, Aug. 16, were: Highest, 86.5°; lowest, 37.5°. Today sua rises 5:24; sets, 7:19. Moon rises 4:42 p.m.; sets, 12:53 a.m.



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London Advertiser.

St. Thomas picnicked at Port Stanley -Mr. Alex. Gillean, of Hammond &

Gillean, leaves today on a two weeks' trip to Atlantic City, N. J. -Col. Gartshore, of South London, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gartshore, Robinson street, Hamilton.

—Miss Isabella Van Buskirk, of Windsor, is visiting her uncle, Mr. Van Buskirk, 264 Clarence street. -Several of the policemen are learn-

ing how to handle the street car motors while running with the cars at night. -Miss Edith Potts, Maryboro Place, South London, is visiting with Miss Nellie Smith, Woodward avenue, St. Thomas.

-Miss Helen Smith, of Askin street, South London, has returned from a ten weeks' visit to friends in New York city. -Mr. D. Sare, of the Office Restaur-

ant, has been confined to his room for ten days past with a painful injury to one of his legs. -Mrs. D. Forbes, who fell down stairs at Eric Rest, Port Stanley, a week ago, and broke her arm, is pro-

gressing favorably. -Mr. Bert C. Wales, of this city, who returned home from Buffalo and other

eastern cities a short time ago, is rustleating at Port Stanley. -"In Greater New York" is being put on the boards at the Park Theater, Philadelphia, under the supervision of

Mrs. Phil H. McLeod, of this city. -Mrs. William Edmonds and daughters, Mrs. Bones, of Cleveland, O., have returned home after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. Cole, 286 York

-The C. P. R. are advertising a rate of \$1 50 for Detroit and return on Monday. Tickets are good going on 11:25 a.m. train Monday, and the good on any train returning Tuesday.

-Belt line car No. 60 ran off the track at the corner of Central avenue and Palace streets last night. It was

-A fog signal or some other explosive made a loud report about 10 o'clock last night, near the corner of Princess avenue and Adelaide street. The concussion broke some of the car windows, but nobody was hurt.

-High Court Companions of the Forest, A. O. F., at their meeting yester-day morning, decided to petition the high court, which meets next week, to allow girls' juvenile branches to be organized on the same basis as the boys.

-Miss Roberts, nurse in the infirmary at the asylum, has gone on a trip down the St. Lawrence. She will visit Toronto, Kingston and Montreal. On the return trip she will be the guest of her cousin, Mr. J. S. Gallagher, M.P.P., of Kingston.

-Chairman Jolly, Mayor Wilson and Architect McBride, on visiting the hospital yesterday afternoon, were pleasurably surprised to find the work so well advanced. There is every reason to look for the completion of the buildings about Oct. 1.

-St. Thomas Times: Joseph Johnston, of the firm of Johnston Bros., bakers, London, was in the city yesterday, negotiating for a lot near the Wabash depot, to erect a bakery here. The deal has been about closed, and work on the building will be commenced in

a short time. -This is Masonic day at Grimsby Park, being the centennial of the Grimsby Lodge, A., F. and A. M. Large of Canada and the United States, and addresses will be delivered by Grand Master E. T. Malone, of Toronto; Mayor introduced in our city.

May rise again to worldly glory!—
Frail, fallen, earthy of the earth, Still it was France that gave thee introduced in our city.

May rise again to worldly glory!—
Frail, fallen, earthy of the earth, Still it was France that gave thee birth!

Chicago Times-Herald. excursions are expected from all parts triment in one pof Canada and the United States, and in ten of meat.

YOUR LAST SEASON'S

may need renovating, -perhaps remodeling altogether. Better look them over now, and if this is necessary, send them in early, as we can give them better attention before our busy season. Next season's designs and fashion plates are in now.

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Hamilton; W. J. Drope, of Grimsby, and others. -A street car detective chased a small boy at the corner of Maitland and Horton streets last night. The

boy was suspected of throwing a stone at a car. A crowd gathered quickly and took the boy away. Several police came along and dispersed the gathering, but not before James Mines, of Simcoe street, had been struck in the head with a baton. His head was cut and swollen by the blow.

-Mr. Chas. Stevens, the popular proprietor of the European Hotel, tells a great fishing story, and has fish in his basket to prove it. He exhibited to The Advertiser some small-mouthed black bass which he caught in the Thames, one weighs 5½ pounds, another 4 pounds, and a third 1½ pounds. The latter Mr. Stevens presented to his uncle, Mr. Walter Humpidge.

-All the pupils at Harding Hall who have taken the matriculation and the entrance examinations have passed most creditably, which speaks well for that institute. Mrs. J. E. Wells, the principal, has returned from her holidays, and the school reopens on Sept.

6. A number of new pupils have engaged for the reopening, and the classes are rapidly filling up.

-The Chatham Banner, in its report of the Caledonian games held there recently, says: The dancing of both men and children was good. Gordon Riddell, of Montreal, carried off three first prizes and one third. Little Eugene Lockhart, of London, deserves special mention. His Irish character dancing was particularly good, and became an instantaneous triumph with the audience. Misses Daisy Lewis and Florence Small, both of London, gave an exhibition in Irish jig dancing, and Ina Riddell in Highland fling dancing. Each dancer was much admired.

L. Burnett, youngest daughter of Mrs. John Burnett, 806 Waterloo screet, was united in marriage to Compton Wilson, M.D., United States army, Aibon-eto, Porto Rico. Rev. Father Benson, Wellin Episcopal minister, officiated at the ceremony, at which only a few of the relatives and closest friends of the bride and groom were present. Dr. and Mrs. Wilson left on Monday last for Porto Rico, and the bride's many friends will join in extending to her their best

A BURNING SWAMP. The fire that broke out last Friday afternoon in a large tamarack swamp on the Governor's road, about four miles east of Crumlin, has been burning fiercely ever since. None of the farm houses in the vicinity have been from English east to Quebec. swamp many miles off. The fire originated from burning stumps. The fire STEPPED ON A GUN.

A Windsor dispatch of Tuesday's date says: William Sheehy, a young man, whose home is in London, is lying in Hotel Dieu, Windsor, with a badly shattered leg, and his foot may have to be amputated. Sheehy left Windsor Saturday morning in company with several other young Windsorites on the sailing yacht Lily, which they had chartered for a voyage to Walpole Island, where they were going to camp for a couple of weeks. When the vessel was about two miles above Belle River in Lake St. Clair, Sheehy moved about in the bow of the boat and accidentally stepped on the hammer of the signal gun, which was charged with powder and wadding. The contents of the weapon were discharged and entered Sheehy's left leg at the ankle. The wound bled pro-fusely and when the patient arrived at the hospital, he was almost unconscious from loss of blood.

#### MEEKS VS. WESTBY

Another Side to the Story is Now · Given.

With regard to the case of Meeks vs. Westby, reported a day or two ago, in which was involved the quality of the food supplied to the men, it should be stated that the case has been appealed. The Advertiser has been informed that had the full evidence been printed the case would have presented a totally different appearance. This view is corroborated by the following letter from the foreman, which has been sent for publication:

To the Editor of The Advertiser: Sir,-I was surprised when I read the account to the trial before Squire Lacey last Wednesday. The report stated that my evidence was in favor of Meeks, the plaintiff, as against Mr. Westby. I deny anything of the kind. The report of my evidence was

myself a great injustice. Meeks' A PRE-DIGESTED FOOD.

most untrue, and does Mr. Westby and

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evidence was false in nearly every particular. There is nothing whatever due him for wages. I have worked at Grosvenor Lodge all summer as headman, with Meeks as one of my as We have never had the slightest reason to complain about our treatment. On the contrary, I do not think in the whole township you can find hired help served with better board or treated more kindly. Meeks was a fellow that could be made a dangerous tool in the hands of a designing man. I write this, in justice to myself and my employer. Thanking you for the space allowed in your valuable paper, I remain, yours truly, JOHN STEWART,

Foreman Grosvenor Lodge Farm.

#### PROPOSED NEW FIRE LIMITS

Extensions Suggested by the City Engineer-No Action by No. 3.

Proposed extensions of the fire limits were considered by No. 3 committee last night. Ald. Dreaney (chairman), Malloch, McCallum and Jolly, and Chief Roe, were present.

A plan of the city, showing the proposed extensions in the various wards, was submitted by Engineer Graydon and Fire Chief Roe, together with a bylaw drawn up by Mr. Gray-don in 1896, amended and sent to the don in 1896, amended and sent to council a year later, and allowed to rest there. But the committee took no action. The plan was ordered to be all the aldermen before submitted to all the aldermen before -At St. John's Episcopal Church, submitted to all the aldermen before Boston, Mass., on Aug. 13, Miss Jane approving of or making any amendments to it.

The p posal for No. 1 ward was to limits as far south as Simextend from Richmond east to and for No. ward take in the greater part of the land lying between John, Richmond and Mount Pleasant streets and the river. In the third ward it was proposed to extend the limits as far south as Simcoe street, between Wellington and Maitland, and as far south as the Grand Trunk tracks, between Maitland and Adelaide streets. The proposal for No. 4 ward is to make Grosvenor street the limit between Wellington and Colborne, and Oxford street between Colborne and Adelaide. In the fifth ward, Elias street is the proposed northerly limit between Adelaide and English, and Lorn avenue. scorched so far, and it is not thought southern limit for the ward is York that they will be. Huge volumes of street. In South London, where there smoke can be seen arising from the is no fire limit at present, it is proposed to take in the greater part of the ward bounded by the Wharncliffe showed no signs of abating last night. road, Elmwood avenue and Ridout street.

#### Obituary.

HENRY F. RAPLEY.

Mr. Henry F. Rapley, third son of the late Ald. Jesse W. Rapley, of this city, died yesterday, at the city hospital, from typhoid fever, after a short for the London and Port Stanley Rail
Society, Woodstock, Sept. 21-23.

Elgin East, Aylmer, Sept. 21-23.

Provincial Exhibition, Halifax, Sept. 23way Company, succeeding his father, and continued the business for the Lake Erie until forced by illness to stop working. He was very popular with his fellow-employes.

MRS. ANN ROGERS.

The remains of the late Mrs. Ann Rogers, relict of the late Edward Rogers, who died at Toronto on the 13th inst., arrived here yesterday, and the funeral was held in the afternoon from the residence of her brother, Mr. T. A. Stevens, 617 Wellington street, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

JAMES M. HILL.

The death is announced at Woodstock of James M. Hill, who was an old resident, having lived there for the past thirty years. He formerly lived in London, but moved there between 30 and 35 years ago. He had been an agent for the Commercial Union Assurance Company, of London, England, and held the agency up to the time of his death. He died at the North Perth, Stratford, Oct. 3-4. boys and two girls.

LABORI.

Who stands for truth against the Who strikes at Villainy in power. Who tears the purple cloak from

Is no vain prophet of the hour! Though prone his outraged body lies, His soul is crying to the skies.

Who tears the gilding from the throne Where Shame sits regnant and defiant— Who, hating Vice, assails alone The loathsome and besotted giant, Though dumb in Virtue's hour of need Yet leaves his martyrdom to plead.

Exult, O fearless soul! Thy France, Once fair in song and famed in story, Though raped, befouled, may yet entrance-May rise again to worldly glory!-

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### Fall Exhibitions.

East Elgin, St. Thomas, Sept.6-8.

WESTERN FAIR, LONDON, SEPT. Industrial Fair, Toronto, Aug. 28-

Central Canada Exhibition, Ottawa, Sept. 11-23. South Lanark Fair, Perth, Sept. 11-13. Kingston District Fair, Kingston, Sept. 11-14. Quebec Exhibition, Quebec, Sept. 11-16. Owen Sound, Sept. 12-14. Stephen and Usborne, Exeter, Sept.

18-19. West Middlesex Exhibition, Strathroy, Sept. 18-20. Southern, Brantford, Sept. 16-21. Peterboro Central, Sept. 18-19. Huron Central, Clinton, 19-20. Northern, Walkerton, Sept. 19-20. Central, Guelph, Sept. 19-21. Turnberry, Wingham, Sept. 19-20. Northern Exhibition, Collingw

Collingwood Sept. 19-22. Petrolia, Petrolia, Sept. 21-22. North Bruce Union, Port Elgin, Sept 21-22. Northern Fair, Ailsa Craig, Sept. 21-22. North Riding of Oxford Agricultural

Society, Woodstock, Sept. 21-23.

North Brant, Paris Sept. 25-26. Sombra, Wilkesport, Sept. 26. North Waterloo, Berlin, Sept. 26-27. North Simcoe, Stayner, Sept. 26-28. Center Bruce, Paisley, Sept. 26-27. South Grey, Durnam. Sept. 26-27. Haldimand, Cayuga, Sept. 26-27. East Lambton, Watford, Sept. 26-27. West Williams, Parkhill, Sept. 26-27. Oxford, North and West, Sept. 26-27. Palmerston, Sept. 26-27. Northwestern, Goderich. Sept. 26-28. West Kent, Chatham, Sept. 26-28. Center Wellington. Fergus, Sept. 27-28 Great Southern, Essex, Sept. 26-28. Wellington Center, Fergus, Sept. 27-

Wellington North, Harriston, Sept. 27-28. Simcoe Center, Barrie, Sept. 27-29. South Waterioe, Galt, Sept. 28-29. London Township, Ilderton, Sept. 29. Springfield, Union, Sept. 29-30. Anderson and Malden, Amherstburg,

Oct. 2-4. Lucknow, Lucknow, Oct. 3-4. Norwich and Dereham, Tilsonburg, ripe age of 87. He had a family of two Forest Hort. and U. Ag. So, Forest, Oct. 3-4. North Dorchester Agricultural Society, Dorchester, Oct. 4. Mersea and Leamington, Leamington,

Oct. 4-6. Howard, Ridgetown, Oct. 4-6. Bosanquet, Thedford, Oct. 6. Tilbury, W. N. and Comber, Oct. 6-7. South Norwich, Otterville, Oct. 6-7. Colchester, Harrow, Oct. 10-11, Kincardine, Oct. 10-11. Harwick, Blenheim, Oct. 10-11. Rodney, Oct. 10-11. Rochester and Maidstone, Belle River,

Norfolk Union, Simcoe, Oct. 17-19.

Oct. 12-13.

Erin, Erin, Oct. 19-20.

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