

On the Move.

Chinese Troops Advance Toward the Korean Frontier.

Over 2,504 Persons Died of the Black Plague in Hong Kong.

Bright Prospects for the Canadian Apple Trade in Europe.

2,504 Fell by the Black Plague.

HONG KONG, Aug. 9.—An official report shows that 2,504 persons died of the black death plague in Hong Kong during the recent epidemic.

The Earthquake in Sicily.
ROME, Aug. 9.—A dispatch from Catania says that the earthquake yesterday caused great damage to property there, but only a small loss of life.

Shipyard Burned.
COPENHAGEN, Aug. 9.—The shipyard of Burmeister, Wain & Co., who are building a yacht for the Czar, were burned last evening. The hull of the imperial yacht, which was half done, was badly damaged.

A Dangerous Crevice.
HAMBURG, Aug. 9.—The steamer Porto Algere, from South America, which arrived here yesterday, has a hole eighteen feet long by six wide in her starboard side, above the water line. This is the steamer with which the Lisnoro Castle was supposed to have collided off the French coast a few days ago.

Canadian Cattle Trade Restrictions.
LONDON, Aug. 9.—In the House of Commons today Herbert Gardner, president of the Board of Agriculture, promised to table the report of the commission appointed to inquire into the landing of Canadian cattle. The report contains the Government's decision as to the restrictions upon Canadian cattle trade with Great Britain.

Canadian Apple Trade.
LONDON, Aug. 9.—Woodall's report, an authority on the prospect of the Canadian apple trade in Great Britain for this year, says it is unusually brilliant. It is said that the prospects for the trade are even better than in the bonanza years of 1891 and 1892, and states there is scarcely any fruit worthy of attention in the British Isles or on the continent, and imports of apples must necessarily be heavy.

Financial Operations.
LONDON, Aug. 9.—The bank return of today is featureless. The coin and bullion increased only £90,000 although £400,000 were imported for the week. The cash has gone into circulation for the holiday wants. The stock markets were still good today. Optimism is the fashion. There was a further rise in American: Louisville and Canada Pacific were the features. There are signs of public buying, but demand is a little as the settlement approaches.

Retrenchment in Italy.
LONDON, Aug. 9.—The Rome correspondent of the Central News says that the reforms projected by the Italian Government with a view to financial retrenchment reduce the number of provinces in Italy from 69 to 23; reduce the number of tribunals from 180 to 69, abolish the courts of cassation in Palermo, Naples, Florence and Turin, convert 23 universities into private institutions and create state universities in Rome and Naples.

Cholera Record.
BERLIN, Aug. 9.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg says that 22 fresh cases of cholera and 14 deaths have been reported there today.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 9.—Five new cases of cholera and 1 death were reported in this city today.

In Maastricht 3 new cases were reported, but no deaths.

LONDON, Aug. 9.—The steamer Balmora, from St. Petersburg, which arrived in the Thames two days ago with cholera aboard, has been released from quarantine. There are five of her crew in Denton Hospital suffering from what is called mild cholera.

American Pilgrims and the Pope.
LONDON, Aug. 9.—The Rome correspondent of the Daily Chronicle, referring to a visit of the American pilgrims, says: "Most of the pilgrims received communion from the Pope. His Holiness spoke briefly to each one presented. He spoke feelingly of the energy of the clergy and laity in the United States, and said that he hoped to create several new dioceses, and exhorted American Catholics to draw people to the church by their example of unblemished life and Christian charity. He asked the pilgrims to pray for him in Lourdes. His Holiness looked healthy."

China and Japan.
Information from an authoritative source shows that Li Hung Chang did all he could to prevent the Chinese-Japanese war. He was in complete accord with the efforts of the foreign powers to bring about a peaceful adjustment of the differences of China and her neighbors, and appeared willing to accept moderate proposals of Japan for a settlement. Throughout the negotiations looking to peace, Li Hung Chang attempted to place himself in close communication with Prime Minister Ito of Japan, but was unsuccessful. He and Ito had become personally acquainted in the formation of a treaty, and believed they could arrange the Korean troubles satisfactorily if they were brought together.

Japan has ordered a prominent firm in Dudley, Worcestershire, to ship to Japan immediately several hundred tons of the best iron. It is understood that the iron is for war purposes.

A dispatch from Tien-Tsin to the Central News says: "The Emperor of China has directed that a levy for war tribute be made upon the viceroys of the different provinces. A foreign war loan is mooted. Chinese troops with European officers are rapidly advancing through Manchuria toward the Korean frontier."

The Shanghai correspondent of the Central News says: According to advices from Yokohama and Nagasaki Japan is pouring reinforcements into Korea, using for the purpose all available steamers flying the Japanese flag. The Japanese newspapers

are forbidden to refer to the war preparations or to publish any army news except such as is supplied by the Government. The Japanese aim to attack the Chinese before the arrival of the Manchurian corps. The Chinese fleet makes no effort to leave the coast. Fast Japanese cruisers are constantly watching.

A dispatch to the Times from Tien-Tsin says that the British colony having petitioned that British gunboats be sent there, the Chinese Government has ordered the Chinese officials to protect all foreigners and missionaries.

BERLIN, Aug. 9.—The German cruisers Kondor and Kormoran have been ordered to the seat of war.

TELEGRAPHIC DOTS.

Gen. McCook has withdrawn all troops from service along the line of the Southern Pacific Railway in Arizona.

Sir Edward Grey has denied in the House of Commons the report that Jabez Spencer Balfour had been extradited from the Argentine Republic.

The Canadian Pacific steamer Miowara, which grounded near Askenjold while on the voyage between Shields and Odde, has been floated.

A prison capable of accommodating 2,000 convicts is being erected at Meshowan, Egypt, to which Italian Anarchists who are proved dangerous to society will be sent.

While sleeping in the waiting room at Springfield, Ill., on Tuesday night, O. D. Evans, of St. Louis, was robbed of a tin case containing \$7,000 in Government bonds and notes.

A telegram from El Paso, Texas, announces the arrest of Geo. A. Hardiker, a defaulting cashier from Detroit. Hardiker is about 30 years old. He came from Hamilton when a boy and worked his way up. His shortage is \$4,000.

The reduction in elevator rates at Duluth and West Superior, ordered by the Great Northern, takes effect Aug. 10. It is thought the order will affect the storage of about 50,000,000 bushels of wheat, and will mean a reduction of about \$2,000,000 on elevator earnings.

A section of one of the interior walls of the new city hall at Jersey City, N. J., gave way Thursday afternoon under the weight of a scaffold, and eight men working on it fell from the third floor to the ground floor. One man was killed, one seriously hurt, and the other six escaped with slight contusions.

RUBBER AND WHISKY.

The Trusts Decide to Limit the Output.

BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 9.—All the rubber manufacturers controlled by the Rubber Trust will shut down Sept. 1 for two weeks or a month. These plants employ 12,000 to 14,000 persons. It is stated in some quarters that this action is taken on account of lack of orders, though Mr. Cutler, of the Woonsocket Rubber Company, says it is to give the employees a vacation.

Mr. Cutler added: "The prices of goods will be advanced the 1st of September, and we think that September orders will be light, and it will be good time to give our employees their annual vacations, as we are obliged to do."

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 9.—President Greenhut of the whisky trust, is reported as having ordered all the distilling companies in the trust to shut down. It is said this is due probably to the sharp advances in the price of corn, and to the large amount of stock the trust has on hand. The distillers manufactured the present stock with corn that cost them 24 cents a bushel, while the cereal is now ranging at about 60 cents.

Peculiar Accident at Warkworth.
WARKWORTH, Ont., Aug. 9.—A serious accident occurred this afternoon. David and Harry, youngest sons of Mrs. W. Jones, were lifting a whey tub attached to a spring bar to the ground. The tub dropped suddenly, throwing the boys some 25 feet in the air. David escaped with a broken leg and a few scratches, while Harry was badly bruised inwardly and also dislocated his shoulder.

Smallest Boat to Cross the Ocean.

[From the London Telegraph.]
A novel experiment in ocean navigation is to be attempted by a Nottingham enthusiast, who has been occupying himself for a year past with the construction of a boat in which he proposes to cross the Atlantic during the forthcoming summer. The vessel, which is built of iron, and is entirely of his own design and make, is only ten feet six inches long, with three-foot beam and two feet six inches depth, and is thus the smallest craft that has ever attempted such an adventurous voyage. It is what is known as a "whale-back" deck, and the cabin, lighted by glass windows at the side, will be completely watertight when closed, fresh air being obtained by pipes. Should the tiny craft be overturned, the inventor claims that it will automatically right itself. She will be fitted with a ten-foot mast from the foredeck, with jib and mainsail, and additional motive power will be supplied by a geared hand-screw. The navigator intends to start from Nottingham, sailing down the Trent to Hull, and making for the Atlantic by way of the English Channel. He expects that the trip will occupy him something over a month.

ALL MEN

Young, old or middle-aged, who find themselves nervous, weak and exhausted, who are broken down from excess or overwork, resulting in many of the following symptoms: Mental depression, premature old age, loss of vitality, loss of memory, bad dreams, dimness of sight, palpitation of the heart, emissions, lack of energy, pain in the kidneys, headache, pimples on the face and body, itching or peculiar sensation about the scrotum, wasting of the organs, dizziness, specks before the eyes, twitching of the muscles, eyelids and elsewhere, bashfulness, deposits in the urine, loss of will power, tenderness of the scalp and spine, weak and flabby muscles, desire to sleep, failure to be rested by sleep, constipation, dullness of hearing, loss of voice, desire for solitude, excitability of temper, sunken eyes, surrounded with LEADEN CIRCLES, oily looking skin, etc., are all symptoms of nervous debility that lead to insanity unless cured. The spring of vitality have been lost in tension every function wanes in consequence. Those who through abuse committed in ignorance, may be permanently cured. Send your address and 10c in stamps for book on diseases peculiar to man, sent sealed. Address N. Y. LUBON, 24 Macdonnell avenue, Toronto, Ont., Canada. Please mention this paper.

Late Canadian News.

The Algerian Little the Worse for Her Mishap in the Rapids.

Winnipeg city council has passed a by-law making the early closing of shops compulsory.

The war in Korea has practically put a stop to the migration of Chinese to Canada. Departmental reports show only three arrivals at Victoria, B. C., last month.

The Woodstock people are greatly delighted at the success of their collegiate institute in the departmental examinations, passing in all 109 candidates.

Rev. Abbe Morin, the colonization agent of the French-Canadians in the Northwest, says that on the Northern Saskatchewan crops are looking well and will surpass those of Manitoba.

The following assignments have been made in Ontario: Geo. Hutchinson & Sons, general store, Alliston; W. Conway & Co., drygoods, Chatham; J. B. Graham, Trenton, drygoods.

John T. Herrington, a boy employed on the farm of Mr. Charles English, five miles from Belleville, while driving a horse rake, was thrown off and died soon after from his injuries.

Rev. R. G. Boville, now visiting in Ottawa, has accepted the call to the pastorate of the James Street Church, Hamilton, and is prepared to begin his duties on Sept. 1.

Shortly after the death of Mr. W. R. Climie the Bowmanville Sun, which he founded, suspended publication. On Thursday the Sun office and plant was sold to Mr. M. A. James.

The R. O. steamer Algerian, which met with an accident in the Long Point Rapids Wednesday, arrived in port Thursday. Her crew were very emphatically that she struck a rock or was ever beyond the control of the pilot.

James Mourin, of Manchester, a suburb of Ottawa, was run over by a C. P. R. train near the union depot at Ottawa Thursday night, and had both his legs cut off. He died shortly afterwards. He was a middle-aged man.

The colored people of Windsor and Detroit are arranging for a barbecue at the Sandwich Springs next Tuesday. A number of athletes are also on the programme, and the committee in charge say that the affair will be the best one of its kind ever held in Essex county.

The funerals of Miss Minnie Maria Beney and Mr. Louis Tyson, the young people who were drowned while canoeing on Lovejoy's pond, Brantford, took place Thursday. The two young people were highly esteemed for their exemplary lives and their many excellent traits of character.

Mr. Alex. G. McKay has been appointed crown attorney for the county of Grey, in the room of W. A. Armstrong, who has resigned. Mr. Armstrong remains clerk of the peace. The appointment of Thos. Boles as jailer by the sheriff of Dufferin county has been confirmed by the Government.

J. Simpson, local member for Argenteuil, intends to proceed again to Mr. M. Duff, of Montreal, for \$5,000 damages. Duff had come down to La Chute in his capacity as liquidator, appointed by the court to put two bailiffs in charge of the La Chute electric works, of which Simpson is past proprietor. Mr. Simpson contends Mr. Duff was exceeding his powers.

CHINESE NO FIGHTER.

New York Monellians Not Afraid of the Japs Winning.

The average New York Chinese takes about as much interest in the war in which his country is involved with Japan as he does in the next meeting of the London Philosophical Society. He knows it is going on—never fear for that. The news annex of the Mott street joss house keeps him well informed of all the latest news, but his interest in it is of the languid sort, and, as a rule, he will vouchsafe no opinion and will express no hope that the Chinese army may be victorious.

This applies exclusively to the laundrymen who throng Pell, Doyer and Mott streets. The Chinese merchants are more inclined to discuss the situation, but they do it with a diplomatic caution that is just a little amusing. A group of Cantonese drinking tea in a Mott street shop last night were asked if they had any notion of going back to China to help fight the Japs. One of them, who spoke fairly good English, acted as spokesman for his companions.

"Go back?" he echoed. "Why?"

"To join the army and fight," was the reply.

"Fight?"

"Yes. Don't you want to see China win?"

"Win?"

"Certainly"—and then, with an idea of drawing him out—"the Japs are getting the best of your men."

"Gettee bee?"

"Yes. You ought to know. Aren't they getting the best of it?"

The almond eyes squinted into narrower slits. "Gettee bee some time ago—long time. Savvy?"—[New York Mail and Express.]

IN A HOLE.

The Greatest Mine-Cave That Soranton Has Known—Eight Acres Affected.

SCRANTON, Pa., Aug. 9.—The greatest mine-cave that Soranton has ever known occurred this afternoon at the diamond vein of the Hampton mine. Eight acres and 26 dwelling houses were affected, one or two of the dwelling being almost irreparably damaged. It is reported that the loss will reach over \$250,000. The Poles who were in the mine when the slump occurred were entombed. The work of rescue was begun late tonight.

Freight Rates Demoralized.

CHICAGO, Ill., July 9.—There was demoralization in east bound freight rates from Chicago. Schedules which had been agreed upon were totally ignored, and the only rule which the roads seemed to observe was to get business at any rate they could. None of the companies gave formal notice of reduction in their rates, but chaos existed nevertheless. The trunk lines are blamed for the whole bad business, and the feeling against them is not pleasant. They could restrain their lines if they wanted to, and the lake reductions are believed to have the endorsement of the best lines east of Buffalo. Now to meet the lake competition the railroads will have to carry grain at unprofitable rates.

IN LABOR'S FIELD.

Trouble in the Ranks of the Order of Railroad Conductors.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 9.—In the county clerk's office this morning there were filed 48 summonses and complaints in the action of the Buffalo members of the Order of Railroad Conductors of America against the order itself to collect \$12,000 strike allowance, owing to members from the late strike on the Lehigh Valley Railroad last fall. This practically means the secession from the national organization of the Buffalo divisions.

According to the Pittsburgh Telegram the American Federation of Labor is warring against the Knights of Labor. The Brewster Workmen's Association has issued a circular denouncing the local Knights of Labor officials for adopting a scale lower than that of the union and alleging that they are in collusion with the brewery proprietors to destroy unions that are affiliated with the A. F. of L. District Master Workman Vincent denies the charges and asserts that the Knights of Labor scale is as good if not better than that of the American Federation of Labor.

The following officers of the Ottawa Trades and Labor Council have been elected for the ensuing year: President, Chiquette (re-elected); vice-president, J. Burroughs; recording secretary, E. A. Connolly; corresponding secretary, Delegate Draper, unanimously elected; financial secretary, Delegate Kent.

CHICAGO, Aug. 9.—Steam was let into the cylinders of the big Corliss at Pullman this morning for the first time since the strike was inaugurated. At 7 o'clock 1,978 men reported for work. All departments were open except the freight and street car work.

PATERSON, N. J., Aug. 9.—For placing a bomb under the steps of the residence of William Strange, vice-president of the Silk Manufacturers' Association, Chas. Doeblinger, a striking silk weaver, was yesterday sentenced to five years' imprisonment. An additional six months' imprisonment was imposed for sending threatening letters. Another striker named Sidel was sentenced to twelve months on two charges on writing threatening letters, and Charles Starke to one year upon a charge of conspiracy in plotting to violence during the recent strike of silk-weavers.

FOOD FOR FLAMES.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Aug. 9.—The Coliseum, the largest auditorium in the State University, was burned tonight. Loss, \$85,000; \$15,000 insurance.

STRAITHOY, Aug. 9.—At 10:30 last evening fire was discovered in the two stables of the Albion Hotel, owned by Mrs. Moore, of Toronto, and occupied by Reuben Waters. One of the buildings was brick, the other an old frame. The fire brigade turned out promptly, but the flames could not be stayed, and both buildings were destroyed. There were fortunately no horses or conveyances in either building, but several tons of hay and all the fixtures were burned. The origin of the fire seems open for speculation. Loss covered by insurance. In the same block with the hotel are several frame buildings, and had there been any wind it would have been impossible to have saved them.

FEMALE HOMICIDE.

A Pennsylvania 14-Year-Old Girl Kills Her Companion.

SCOTTDALE, Pa., Aug. 9.—Lizzie Daniels, 14 years old, last evening shot and killed Miss Weaver, aged 16. The girls had been swinging in a grove near by and got into a violent quarrel. When they returned home Lizzie procured a revolver and shot her companion through the left eye, the bullet entering the brain. The Daniel girl had previously threatened to kill Miss Weaver and two of the latter's brothers. The youthful homicide is now in jail.

Nipped!

OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 9.—The Hawkeye Commission Company was caught short \$300,000 on the recent rise in corn. It had branches in Iowa, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, and many of its customers will lose heavily.

Wheat Booming.

NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—Wheat advanced this morning 1c to 1½c, with free foreign buying and local shorts covering. Cables came lower, and the market is now ½c off from the top price. Corn made an advance of 1½c on continued reports of dry weather. Bullish western corn reports and Rumanian official corn report 50 per cent below the average.

Surprises the Doctors.

TORONTO, Aug. 9.—Mr. R. V. S. Palmer, the young Englishman from New York who has been lying at the General Hospital with a broken spine for two weeks, the result of an accident while bathing at Niagara, and for whom the doctors had absolutely no hope, is astonishing everyone here by his vitality, and his speedy recovery is now regarded possible. It is one of the most remarkable cases on record.

Walker Whiteside Married.

CHICAGO, Aug. 9.—The report that Mr. Walker Whiteside has married is confirmed by that gentleman in a letter received yesterday. He was married on Oct. 19, 1893, in the Cathedral of Hamilton, Ont., by Rev. Mr. Bland, to Miss Lelia McCord (professionally known as Miss Wolstan), daughter of Capt. J. F. McCord, of St. Louis. The marriage was kept secret for professional reasons. Miss Wolstan was an interesting actress, and the friends of Mr. Whiteside may congratulate him that his leading lady is now his better half.

Uncle Sam's Cash.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 9.—The effect upon the treasury of the uncertainty caused by the prolonged agitation of tariff changes has been very marked. The public debt of the United States, less the cash in the treasury, Jan. 1, 1893, was \$1,434,000,000; Aug. 1, 1894, it was \$1,514,000,000; increase, \$80,000,000. During the same period the treasury cash balance, including the gold reserve stood, Jan. 1, 1893, \$129,000,000; Aug. 1, 1894, \$119,000,000. The present treasury balance is \$118,000,000, of which \$52,000,000 is the gold reserve, which is relied upon to hold up \$600,000,000 of gold-bearing Government obligations. The other \$66,000,000 is denominated "currency."

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At 5c

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At 10c

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 columns. Neither the writing nor the pub-
 lication of anonymous letters can be justified.

—The Acton Free Press is a model local
 weekly.

—That Toronto water! A Torontonian
 is a walking aquarium.

—The Montreal Witness, always a good
 newspaper, has been greatly improved
 within the last year or two. No paper in
 Canada is more respected or deserves more
 respect than the Montreal Witness.

—Some Roman Catholic roughs in Quebec
 city have been attacking and annoying a
 small Baptist mission. It is satisfactory to
 observe that the pulpits and newspapers of
 the city, Catholic and Protestant alike,
 condemn the assaults. Hate begets hate.
 The Golden Rule cannot be improved on.

—It is suggested that congregations
 should break loose from ultra-convention-
 alism, particularly during the summer
 months. Why not? The Toronto Baptist
 says: "In reading the accounts sent us
 from time to time of the success of the out-
 door service conducted by the pastor of the
 St. Thomas church, one is led to ask
 whether the same method might not be
 used with good effect in many other places.
 Circumstances vary in different localities,
 and what may be desirable in one place, or
 in the case of one pastor, may not be so
 under other conditions. But nothing can
 be more appropriate in itself than the
 preaching of the Gospel in the open air,
 amidst favorable surroundings, on a fine
 Sunday evening in summer. It can scarcely
 be doubted that in many places hundreds
 might gather to listen to a sermon out of
 doors, who could hardly be induced to
 spend the hour within the church walls.
 We make the suggestion for what it may
 be worth."

—The Liberal party in the Province of
 Quebec has lost one of its leaders in the
 person of the Hon. Felix Geoffrion, who died
 recently at his residence in Vercheres, at
 the age of 62 years. Felix Geoffrion was
 born in Vercheres, P.Q., on Oct. 4, 1832.
 After a brilliant course of studies he
 entered the notarial profession, of which he
 soon became one of the most eminent mem-
 bers. From 1854 to 1863 he was registrar
 of the county of Vercheres, and in the lat-
 ter year was elected member of the House
 of Assembly for the same county. He
 held that position until the confeder-
 ation of the provinces in 1867,
 from which date he has been
 regularly returned to the House of
 Commons at every election. In 1874,
 he entered the Cabinet as Minister of In-
 land Revenue, under the Mackenzie Ad-
 ministration, but was obliged to resign
 office at the end of 1876, on account of
 serious illness, from the effects of which he
 never fully recovered. It was Mr. Geoff-
 rion, who, in 1874, moved for a select
 committee to inquire into the difficulties
 existing in the Northwest Territories in
 1869-70. He became chairman of that
 committee and prepared the elaborate
 report which was afterwards submitted to
 Parliament.

THE SENATE MUST GO.

Even those who believe in the theoretical
 possibility of the usefulness of a second
 legislative chamber, might go about the
 task of getting what they desire in a worse
 way than by first abolishing the Canadian
 Senate as it now exists. Is it possible to
 reform the present "Upper House" in any
 suitable way without first acting on Ham-
 let's advice to the players and reforming it
 altogether—reforming it out of existence?
 The strongest argument in favor of our
 Senatorial second chamber is not that it is
 non-partisan—for it is the opposite of non-
 partisan; not that it is a safe filter through
 which it is well that legislation from the
 popular chamber should pass—for it has
 given manifestation of no such usefulness.
 The strongest argument that has been
 urged to our mind is that a second chamber
 might be made a storehouse of experience

through the appointment of men of undoubted
 ability and of wide legislative experience
 gained in the House of Commons or else-
 where. That, indeed, was the idea origi-
 nally put forth at the formation of our
 present Canadian constitution by its
 founders, such men as Sir John Macdonald
 and Hon. George Brown. It was distinctly
 promised that appointments would be made
 irrespective of party, alternately from one
 side and from the other. Under such an
 arrangement men of experience, of say the
 type of Hon. David Mills on the Liberal
 side, and men of similar gifts and standing
 on the Conservative side, could doubtless
 render service of value in a properly con-
 stituted and fairly selected second
 chamber. How far short of the ideal held
 up at Confederation the actual Senate of
 today is, need not be stated. If an irresisti-
 ble agitation for the abolition of the
 Senate sweeps all before it, it will not be
 difficult to locate the responsibility.
 Whether, after the abolition of the Senate
 as at present constituted, it may be worth
 while to create another second chamber on
 sounder and fairer principles, can be de-
 cided later on. Meantime, it is significant
 to observe that the Senate, as at present
 constituted, seldom finds a defender. The
 Senate must go!

AN ARMY IN EARNEST.

The Salvation Army is marked by several

characteristics:

It is the foe of dullness and stereotyped

conventionalities.

It makes great use of music.

It allows no one to enter the Army who

will not give up the use of intoxicating

liquors.

In work and in official recognition it

recognizes no bar of distinction between

men and women.

It preaches the Gospel to the poor, and

if the poor will not come to it, it goes to

them.

In the United States the operations of

the Salvation Army are in charge of Gen.

Booth's son and daughter-in-law, Com-

mandant and Mrs. Ballington Booth. They

have drawn up a scheme for the celebra-

tion in the United States of Gen. Booth's

50 years of labor, which is well worthy of

the event and characteristic of those who

have designed it. These plans are the

following:

1. The commencement of army opera-

tions in the Hawaiian Islands.

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waukee, Detroit, San Francisco, Sacra-

mento, Oakland, Cal., Boston, Providence,

R. I., Portland, Me., St. Louis, Kansas

City, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Toledo, Buf-

falo, Rochester, Albany, Leavenworth,

Kan., Fort Scott, Kan., Minneapolis,

Philadelphia, Scranton, Pittsburg, Peoria,

Ill., Springfield, Ill.

3. The opening of five more German

corps. The cities named are Cincinnati,

New York, Brooklyn, Milwaukee and Ho-

boken, N. J.

4. The enlargement of the Long Branch

Home of Rest for field officers.

5. Memento stones from all the countries

in which our flag flies and from all the

States and Territories of the Union, to be

built in the walls of the new national

headquarters building.

6. The addition of 5,000 children to the

rank of the junior soldiers.

7. The attainment of a circulation for

the Young Soldier of 30,000 by January,

1895.

8. The commencement of Prison Gate

Brigade work in New York.

9. The holding of 17,000 extra open air

meetings during the summer campaign.

10. The addition of 5,000 to the soldiers'

roll of the regular corps.

11. The enrollment of the 4,000th mem-

ber of the Auxiliary League.

12. The raising of the War Cry circula-

tion to 100,000 copies weekly.

13. Forty thousand souls between June

and January—to make 60,000 for the year.

14. The pushing of the circulation of

The Conqueror to 20,000 monthly.

15. The obtaining of 500 candidates for

the field.

16. The erection of the new memorial

headquarters building in New York city,

and its opening by the general.

17. The opening of ten new Swedish

corps among Scandinavian populations.

18. The commissioning of the 2,000th

field officer.

19. The opening of a new Home of Rest for

staff officers.

20. The commencement of our work

among the colored population of the south,

especially in the States of Kentucky and

Virginia.

21. The inauguration of the Band of Love

among the children of the country.

22. The observance of a week of jubilee

thank-offering throughout the United

States in September. This will afford an

opportunity to send a written message, to-
 gether with a contribution, to the national
 center, to be handed to the general.

23. The raising of ten new officers for the

rescue work.

24. The commissioning of twenty new

staff officers for our work in large centers.

The Canadian branch of the world-wide

work is under charge of Commandant

Herbert Booth, whose earnest and accom-

plished wife recently took London by

storm. The Canadian programme is rel-

atively as extensive and aggressive as that
 of the United States. General Booth is
 expected to visit this city among other
 places within a short time.

HERE, THERE AND EVERYWHERE.

The first bakers who followed their craft

in Rome were slaves captured during the

expedition against Philip 171 B. C.

FANNY CROSBY, the blind Methodist hymn

writer, has written 3,000 Sunday school

hymns, many of which are widely known.

The high court of the Transvaal Republic

has decided that foreigners are liable to

military service after two years' residence

in the country.

GLASS, copper, zinc, lead, platinum, car-

bon, plaster, petroleum, silk, cotton and

paper are used in the manufacture of incan-

descent lamps.

CRAWFISH, it is said, will drop their claws

when they hear a loud clap of thunder.

Lobsters will do the same. They grow out

inside of two weeks.

IN FRANCE the wife whose husband ob-

jects seriously to her going on the stage

makes herself liable to divorce by persist-

ing in her desire.

HIGH wheels are still seen occasionally

among bicycles. They attract almost as

much attention now as the safeties did a

few years ago.

THE piles which served as the founda-

tion for Trajan's bridge over the Danube,

A. D., 105, are said to be still visible at

low stages of water.

LOAVES in antiquity were flat and so

prepared that there was no necessity of

cutting them. From this fact arises the

expression "to break bread."

SCIENTIFIC cleanliness is to be promoted

in French schoolrooms by boiled drinking

water, damp cloths instead of dry dusters

and brooms, and an antiseptic cleaning once

a week.

IN HEALTH and during exercise the aver-

age man has about twenty respirations a

minute and forty cubic inches are inhaled

at each respiration. In an hour 43,000

cubic inches of air would be inspired; in

24 hours, 1,032,000 cubic inches.

It is an old rural tradition that the

katydid sings six weeks before the first

frost. If the saw be true, frost will be here

by the middle of September, for the katy-

did has been singing for several days. With

the katydid has come a host of other insect

musicians, so there is a prospect that when

the bird orchestra shall have ceased its

music, a melody in minor key will be here

to take its place.

WILDCLEMATIS is now in its earliest bloom,

and its yards of star-spinked vine top

scores of suburban hedges. Plucked in

long streamers when the sun is not on it,

the blooming vine makes an exquisitely

delicate decoration for the dining-table.

It is usually said that the katydid is a

single length may suit this morning all that is

needed for a large table. The many-petalled

blooms fit well with fine linen and cut

glass.

"DON'T know whether it is the father or

the mother who walks the floor with that

crying infant at night as a rule," said Mr.

Bozzio, "but I think it may be said that it

is usually the father who wheels the baby

carriage when his wife and he go out to

walk with their first-born. His pride in

the infant is such that he not only has no

aversion to wheeling the baby carriage in

public, but he is rather pleased to be known

as the proud father."

WENT THROUGH HIS WHISKERS.

A Brantford Man's Narrow Escape From

Death by Lightning.

BRANTFORD, Aug. 9.—During the thunder

storm at 3:50 p.m. yesterday morning a house

on Henry street, just outside the limits,

and occupied by Mr. Scroal, a teamster em-

ployed in the Watrous engine works, was

struck by lightning.

Mr. and Mrs. Scroal were in bed when

the thunder awoke them. The husband

remembered that one of the windows in the

sleeping room had been left open. Fearing

that the rain might enter and spoil the

furniture, he arose to close it. Just as he

did the lightning struck the chimney at

the other end of the house. It came

crashing down the stove pipe, bursting it,

and threw open the doors of the stove. It

flew past Mr. Scroal's head, just grazing

him and singeing his whiskers on one side

of his face. His skin was not burned,

though he received a severe shock.

The lightning tore up the floor for some

distance and apparently went to earth. It

was a wonder under the circumstances

that the house was not set on fire, more

especially as it is a frame one. Both chim-

neys are of brick and were completely

demolished.

QUERIES ANSWERED.

Dog.—A lived in the town of C, and

owned a dog for which he was assessed,

paid his dog tax and received a dog tag for



I Had Colic

Swellings in the neck since I was 10 years old; am now 52. I used Hood's Sarsaparilla recently and the swelling has entirely disappeared. It has been very troublesome. When I began I was feeling so dispirited with the colic and rheumatism I felt that I would soon be dead as alive. Whenever I caught cold I could not walk two blocks without fainting. Now I am free from it all and I can truly recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla. I received a letter from Mrs. Jennie Higelow, now of Fremont, Mich., asking for my testimonial in behalf of Hood's Sarsaparilla was true; I replied it was, and sent particulars. I have another letter from her thanking me very much for recommending

Hood's Sarsaparilla

and stating that she also has been cured. Mrs. ANNA SUTHERLAND, Kalamazoo, Mich.

HOOD'S PILLS are the best after-dinner pills. They assist digestion and cure headache.

SUMMER PASTIME.

London's C. C. Eleven Lost at Paris by Two Runs.

An Amateur Pitcher Breaks His Arm in a Peculiar Way—General Sporting News.

THE WHEEL.

One of the features of the Sarnia Bicycle Club meet on Aug. 15 will be a Coxey's army parade in the morning. A prize will be offered for the most disreputable turnout.

BASEBALL.

NATIONAL LEAGUE SCORES—THURSDAY.
At Boston—R. H. E.
Boston.....11 14 0
Philadelphia.....2 8 3
Batteries—Hobson and Tenny; Taylor and Buckley. Umpire—Gaffney.

At Brooklyn—R. H. E.
Brooklyn.....7 9 2
Pittsburgh.....11 13 4
Batteries—Hawthorn and Robinson; Stein and Kinslow. Umpires—Lynch and Emslie.

At Washington—R. H. E.
Washington.....3 7 0
New York.....7 8 4
Batteries—Maul and McGuire; Meekin and Farrell. Umpire—Keefe.

At Pittsburgh—R. H. E.
Pittsburgh.....5 12 3
Cincinnati.....4 8 2
Batteries—Hemming and Grim; Gumbert and Mack. Umpire—Hoagland.

At Chicago—R. H. E.
Chicago.....10 12 5
Cincinnati.....6 11 8
Batteries—Griffith and Schriver; Parrott and Murphy. Umpire—McQuaid.

EASTERN LEAGUE SCORES—THURSDAY.
At Syracuse—R. H. E.
Syracuse.....6 10 2
Providence.....6 10 2
Batteries—Bausman and Hess; Lovett and McAuley. Umpire—Loeschner.

At Birmingham—R. H. E.
Birmingham.....3 6 0
Buffalo.....4 8 0
Batteries—Delaney and Rafter; Vickery and Uggahar. Umpire—Kittling.

At Wilkes-Barre—R. H. E.
Wilkes-Barre.....12 15 5
Erie.....13 14 4
Batteries—Blackburn and Warner; Healey and Berger. Umpire—Swartwood.

At Scranton—No game on account of change of management in the Scranton club.

BROKE HIS ARM WHILE PITCHING.
JOHNSTOWN, N. Y., Aug. 9.—While pitching in a game of baseball here between Johnstown and Amsterdam Clerk N. Givens broke his arm in a peculiar manner. He delivered a "strike" and his arm fell to his side broken between the shoulder and elbow and also at the wrist.

FLY.
Cuspl defeated Bowmanville on Thursday, 11 to 6.

CRICKET.
LONDON, Aug. 9.—A cricket match was played here today between the Paris and London clubs, which resulted in a victory for Paris by 2 runs. The game was decided in one inning. Score: London, 98; Paris, 100.

LAWN TENNIS.
NORWOOD PARK, N. J., Aug. 9.—It was United States against Great Britain at the Norwood Park tennis tournament, and the United States won, its champion, R. D. Deafening, N. F. Goodbody, the Irishman, who takes high rank among the English experts.

AQUATIC.
TEN EYOK VS. HOSMER.
DANIELSONVILLE, Conn., Aug. 9.—James A. Ten Eyok defeated George H. Hosmer here today in a three-mile single scull race for a purse. Time, 19:30.

LACROSSE.
SLUGGING MATCH AT WINDSOR.
Speaking of Wednesday's lacrosse match at Windsor, the Detroit Free Press says: "It will take about another such an exhibition of lacrosse as was given in Windsor yesterday to kill that game forever in that city. The match was between the Stars and the Y. M. C. A., both local teams, and as the rivalry has always been sharp between the teams the spectators expected some rough play, but never looked for such a brutal and ruffianly exhibition. The slugging between the teams commenced right at the start, and the majority of the players did not seem desirous to get the rubber, but to see if they could knock the head off their check. A free fight between two of the players took place and the police had to separate them, while one of the Stars went around with his head banded up. Bruises and cuts were the order of the day, and the majority of the ladies present became so disgusted that they left the grounds. When the game was about half through Dr. C. C. Cruikshanks took the position

of field captain of the Y. M. C. A. and protested time and again to the referee, but the remonstrances had no effect. With all this there was some brilliant playing. The Stars won by a score of 2 to 1."

THE TURF.
JEROME PARK EVENTS.
JEROME PARK, Aug. 9.—Summary:
First race, mile—Daily America 1, Stonenellie 2, Annie Bishop 3. Time, 1:45. Charade and Lightfoot also ran.

Second race, 3 mile—Magnificent colt 1, South Side 2, Herkimer 3. Time, 1:03. Corn, Windgate and Escapade also ran.

Third race, 1 1/16 miles—Jodan 1, Little Mat 2, Galloping King 3. Time, 1:53. McIntyre also ran.

Fourth race, 3 mile—Cockade 1, Metropolis 2, King Gold 3. Time, 1:17. Emma and Miss Mildred also ran.

Fifth race, 3 mile—McKee 1, Monotony 2, Sallie Byrnes (colt) 3. Time, 1:17. Prince, Klamath, Sharon and Monarch also ran.

Sixth race, 3 mile—Flirt 1, Miamac Queen 2, Melody 3. Time, 1:18. Elizabeth and Golden Lady also ran.

SARATOGA RESULTS.
SARATOGA, Aug. 9.—First race, 3 mile—Old Dominion 1, Chattanooga 2, Dauntless 3. Time, 1:16. Innocent also ran.

Second race, 1 1/16 miles—Merry Monarch 1, Gloaming 2, Liscig 3. Time, 1:48. Yo Tambien and Ingomar also ran.

Third race, 3 mile—Prince of Monaco 1, Handsome 2, Brioso 3. Time, 1:15. Siberia also ran.

Fourth race, 5 1/4 furlongs—Clifford 1, Dr. Hashbrouck 2, Correction 3. Time, 1:07. Ed Marian also ran.

Fifth race, 5 mile—Memento (colt) 1, La Rosa 2, Tormentor 3. Time, 1:02. Wheeler, Miss Hazel, Bankas Daughter, Mauch and Yemen also ran.

Sixth race, over five hurdles, 1 1/4 miles—Col. Clay 1, Bassanio 2, Japonica 2. Time, 2:21. Southerner and St. John also ran.

GRAND CIRCUIT TROTTING.
BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 9.—Fasciety (by Chimney) lowered the 4-year record for mares this afternoon, when, accompanied by a runner, she handily won the route in 2:08 1/2. The Village Farm filly covered the first quarter in 33 seconds, reached the half in 1:05 1/2, the three-quarters in 1:36 1/2, and mile in 2:08 1/2, which cuts her own record by half a second. Robert Bonner, of New York, the owner of Maud S and Sunol, sat in the box with C. J. Hamlin and watched the performance. They timed the mile in 2:08. About 8,000 people witnessed the Grand Circuit harness sport this afternoon, and Fantasy's trial and the free-for-all trot was what brought out the crowd. Seven-tenths started in the 2:18 trot, and it was a hard field for the starter to handle. Bal-lona was the favorite, but Miss Nelson had the speed of the large party and she won off the reel.

The special race between Nightingale and Greendander, two-mile heats, best two in three, did not prove much of a contest. Nightingale secured the first heat in 4:26 1/2, which reduced the race for the distance to 4:48, but was 4 1/2 seconds short of Greendander's exhibition time last year.

The first two miles made Greendander so lame that he was withdrawn, and Nightingale covered the second heat alone in 5:01 1/2.

ALY was a strong favorite in the free-for-all, and she handily took the first two heats. It was on the verge of evening, and the racing was postponed until morning.

SUMMARY:
2:18 class, 3-year-olds, pacing, purse \$1,000:
Rokeby, br s.....1 1 1
Buck Franklin, b.....2 2 2
Sidmont, b.....3 3 3
Belic Action, b.....4 4 4
Time—2:18 1/2, 2:18 1/2, 2:18 1/2.

2:18 class, trotting, purse \$2,000:
Miss Nelson, b m.....1 1 1
Ballona, br m.....2 2 2
Commodore Potter, b s.....3 3 3
Brown Jack, br g.....4 4 4
Miss McGregor, b m.....5 5 5
Edith R, b m.....6 6 6
Anst Lullah, b m.....7 7 7
Foby, br m.....8 8 8
Forest Boy, ch g.....9 9 9
Lora J, gr m.....10 10 10
Loughran W, br g.....11 11 11
Sixty Six, b g.....12 12 12
Pellierine, b m.....13 13 13
Rensselaer Wilkes, b.....14 14 14
Overholt, b s.....15 15 15
Domineer, b s.....16 16 16
Capt. Walbridge, b.....17 17 17
Time—2:18 1/2, 2:18 1/2, 2:18 1/2.

Match race, 2-mile heats, 2 in 3, purse \$3,000:
Nightingale, b m.....1 1
Greendander, br s.....2 2
Time—4:26 1/2, 4:26 1/2.

Free for all, trotting, purse \$2,000 (un-finished):
Alix, b m.....1 1
Pamlico, b s.....2 2
Pixley, b m.....3 3
Phoebe Wilkes, br m.....4 4
Belle Vava, br m.....5 5
Walter E, b g.....6 6
Ryland T, b g.....7 7
Time—2:08 1/2, 2:08 1/2, 2:08 1/2.

NOTHING SETTLED YET
In Reference to the Adoption of a Tariff by Congress.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—"The report," said Mr. Wilson today, "that the President had unshaken the compromise agreed upon by the conference on coal, sugar and iron ore yesterday is an absurd invention. There is not a word of truth in it and you may say I said so. The President has never interfered in our deliberations in the slightest manner. He has treated the matter with great delicacy."

The proceedings of the conference were barren of results in spite of last night's announcement that they had practically agreed, and when they adjourned at 5 o'clock this evening the result was as much in doubt as ever.

GRAND LODGE OF ODDFELLOWS.
Results of the Election of Officers—Balloting for Grand Representative.

KINGSTON, Aug. 9.—At the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Oddfellows this morning the report of the committee on elections showed the following result:
W. H. Hoyle, of Hamilton, G. M.
T. Woodruff, Brantford, D. G. M.
J. E. King, Toronto, G. Sec.
W. Badenach, Toronto, G. Treas.
H. White, Port Hope, G. W.

The report of the committee was adopted and the Grand Lodge proceeded to ballot for the grand representative, the subordinate lodge vote being ineffective. John Donogh, of Toronto, was elected.

The Bracebridge Picnic.
BRACEBRIDGE, Ont., Aug. 9.—The picnic held here today under the auspices of Father McGuire, the genial priest of Bracebridge parish, was a great success. Large crowds came from as far north as North Bay, and as far south as Barrie. There must have been as much as 1,500 visitors. Sir John Thompson's presence doubtless attracted many to the scene. Sir John and the Lieutenant-Governor are the guests of Senator Sanford from Hamilton, who brought them down from his summer home in Lake Huron in his yacht. Sir John was presented with an address by the mayor on behalf of the corporation, but made no set speech. The Lieutenant-Governor in his address avoided political issues.

MINNEAPOLIS mills saw over 360,000,000 test of lumber every year, and turn out 1,000,000 barrels of flour.

London's Lack.

Necessity for an Effective Sewerage System Set Forth.

And a Plan Laid Before the Board of Health.

Mayor Essery Accuses Dr. Gardiner of Working For Political Ends, and a Wordy War Ensues—The Word "Liar" Figures in the Debate—The Doctor's Proposal Voted Down.

The sessions of the Board of Health for a long time past have been of a very peaceful nature. Not a word of discussion would arise among the members, and everything would pass off smoothly. But last night's meeting was a marked exception to the rule, being at times decidedly stormy. The breeze arose over a report by Dr. Gardiner on the new sewage question and an accompanying motion.

During his membership of the board the doctor has made a special study of the disposal of London's sewage. He is convinced that the city is in need of an effective system, and back in the early spring a committee was appointed to present a report on the subject. The engineer and doctor went over the ground, and at the meeting last night the report was handed in.

It stated that since the examination of the Cove flats levels had been taken from the eastern limit of the city along the valley of the Carling Creek to the outlet, and thence to the proposed sewer at the Cove. Levels were also taken west from Adelaide street through the southern portion of the city to the river at King street. The opinion was expressed that by constructing a main sewer, commencing at the intersection of Dundas and Egerton streets, and thence westerly along the creek as nearly parallel to it as possible, all of Nos. 2 and 4 wards and the entire northern and eastern portion of No. 5 would be provided with an outlet for the branch sewers. By the construction of a sewer in the southern portion of the city, with an outlet at King street, the same could be said with respect to Nos. 1 and 3 wards. The depth of outlet on the northern sewer would vary from 10 feet 7 inches to 21 feet, and on the southern from 15 feet to 18 feet 6 inches. An approximate estimate of the cost was given as follows: South sewer, \$57,600; north, \$76,300; Wharfedale road, \$25,200; main sewer, from river at Centre street to Cove flats, \$94,500, thus involving a total outlay of \$253,600.

A diagram was also presented in which the proposed routes were marked. At Saunby's dam the sewer would have to cross the river and cut through London West. The southern line originated at the corner of Adelaide and Hill streets, joining the south branch near the "forks," and thence to the Cove.

In speaking of the proposed plan Dr. Gardiner said that it would provide for all the requirements of the city for a number of years. There was some talk of an injunction being issued to restrain the Military School from emptying its sewage into the Carling's Creek. Several residences in the vicinity of the stream were in an old-hand way depositing sewage in the creek, and as long as this was continued building operations in the best portion of the city would be greatly retarded. The best thing the board could do was to make some strong stand in the matter and let the residents know that the question had not been overlooked.

Mayor Essery—Yes, and to carry out the plan you would have to drain an incorporated village adjoining the city. Dr. Gardiner turned up the minutes of previous meetings and found that among the committee appointed to bring in a report was Mayor Essery. Now that the report had been brought in an attempt was being made to throw it overboard again.

The Mayor—Here, by your motion, you are trying to foist the thing onto the council. I am not going to be a tool for certain members of the board, and I am not going to be a football for any person. Here you bring in elaborate plans, there is no explanation given with them to entitle us to pass this resolution. We are not going to back some wild-cat scheme simply because it looks nice on a map.

Ald. O'Meara said a question had been raised for a long time, and that was the finances. While every person would like to see a thorough system of sewage, yet the \$250,000 expenditure was a drawback. Mayor Essery said he would not favor the plan, and he was not going to sit and hear assertions made that London did not have a single sewer.

Dr. Gardiner—Well, I would just say that the Board of Health is an independent body, and that the mayor is not a member in the capacity of chief magistrate. The doctor went on to say he did not want it understood that the board was trying to force a system of sewage upon the people. What he wanted was an opinion whether or not it was needed. He moved a resolution to the effect that some system of main sewage was necessary in the interest of economy as well as for sanitary reasons, especially for the northern part of the city and for South London, in order that all branch sewers may be put down at the proper depths and proper levels.

Dr. English seconded the resolution, stating incidentally that through the lack of a sewer he was compelled to reduce prices on several properties.

Mayor Essery moved an amendment that no action be taken on the information given—an old map of the city with a couple of lines had been drawn across it—which would involve an outlay of \$250,000. The mayor then followed his amendment with some personal remarks in reference to Dr. Gardiner's stand, and wanted to know whether the person who had been constructing sewers in the past was a good enough authority to undertake a gigantic scheme like that. He was not going to sit and throw the proposed work onto the council.

Dr. Gardiner, in concluding his side of the question, said that if something was not soon done an injunction would be issued against the Dominion Government to prevent the Military School from using the creek. If the work was carried out the Dominion Government would in all probability contribute \$20,000.

Mayor Essery—What do we care for the Dominion or any other government? We can do our own work without looking towards governments. You are here for political purposes.

Dr. Gardiner (who was directly across the table from the mayor)—I am not. Mayor Essery—You are a liar.

Dr. Gardiner—I say you are a liar when you make such a statement.

The Mayor—You are trying to use this

board for political purposes.

Dr. Gardiner—You are a coward for saying so.

So it kept on for a short period, until Ald. O'Meara jumped up and asked the chairman to restore order.

Ald. Fitzgerald succeeded partially, but Dr. Gardiner said he would not take a word back.

Mayor Essery—I did not ask you to take it back.

Dr. Gardiner—Well, then, all I have to say is that you make a wrong statement.

Then proceedings quieted down, but only for a few minutes. General talk was indulged in, and something said by the doctor started the mayor again, who said that if Dr. Gardiner had kept within the bounds of debate the row would not have happened.

The drainage scheme of London had been a political scheme from the word "go," and if the doctor was not pushing it he was being backed up by men who were.

Dr. Gardiner—Well, if you are not going to take it back.

The Mayor—I will withdraw nothing. Dr. Gardiner—Well, neither will I.

Mayor Essery—I was never your serf, and never will be.

All that Dr. Gardiner wanted withdrawn was the statement that he was working for political purposes.

The mayor refused, but said he would take the doctor's word for it.

Votes were then taken. Dr. Gardiner's motion was lost, the mover and the seconder (Dr. English) only voting yea.

Dr. English and Gardiner made a further motion similar to the first in order, according to Dr. Gardiner, to get the board on record on the matter. This brought a tie vote.

Dr. Gardiner moved that the openings of all sewers in the city be under water.

The cost of such work was talked over, and as the expense would be pretty heavy, the motion was dropped. There was no seconder.

The annual meeting of the American Public Health Association is going to be held in Montreal in September. Dr. Gardiner spoke of the importance of this convention, as many subjects of vital interest to London will come up. The leading minds of America would be present, and it would be beneficial to the city to send a delegation.

Dr. English was of the same opinion, and moved that Dr. Gardiner, Dr. Hutchinson and Chairman Fitzgerald be a delegation to the convention. Carried.

The annual meeting of the Provincial Board of Health in Chatham will be held on Aug. 14 and 15. Dr. Hutchinson was on the programme for a paper on "London's Sewage," but the board thought it advisable that the essay should not be given. The medical health officer had signified his willingness to give the paper, but on the board's suggestion it will be withdrawn.

Mayor Essery, Dr. Hutchinson and Chairman Fitzgerald will attend the meeting.

An account from R. M. Bucke for \$25 for the taking of the levels was presented. It was ordered paid.

Dr. Hutchinson asked whether or not a smallpox hospital had been secured. The answer was given that when a building of that nature was required, it would be in readiness.

There were present at the meeting: Ald. E. J. Fitzgerald, Ald. O'Meara, Dr. Gardiner, Dr. English, Mayor Essery, Mr. Wm. Skinner, Medical Health Officer Hutchinson, and Acting Secretary Ironside.

A Tory Member Unseated.
HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 9.—The judge gave his decision today in the Richmond election protest, voiding the election of Morrison (Conservative). Jos. Matheson, the defeated Liberal candidate, was the petitioner.

It is worth noting, in view of the destructiveness of the elm beetle, that some elm growing among forest trees seem to escape the blight of the insect. A resident of the suburbs, whose elms standing in a lawn have been eaten to a ghastly semblance of their earlier selves, says that a young elm, 300 yards away on the edge of a wood, is still as fresh and green as it was last May. Entomologist Southwick, of Chicago, has been very successful in his war upon the elm beetle, but he thinks that elms the country over will be greatly damaged unless measures are taken to protect them.

ONE obtains an idea of the debt of Continental Europe to French literature by examining the books kept by the foreign bookellers of London, Eng. Many, perhaps most, of the novels supplied for local consumption in the Italian colony are translations from the French, and so are the serials published by the Italian local newspapers. The same is true, in less degree, of fiction in other tongues. The price of such publications is usually high, at least to English-speaking persons, and the books are often flimsy affairs, corresponding to a very cheap grade of paper-bound American publications.

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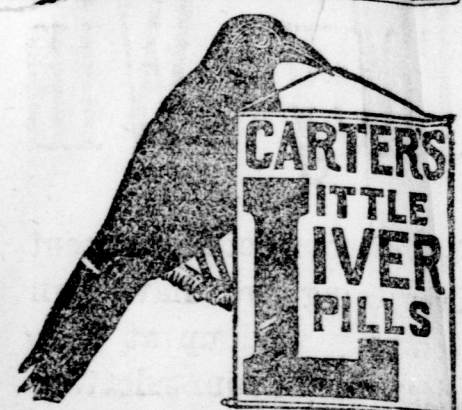
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SICK HEADACHE

What Came of It.

Dolly was pacing the terrace in the twilight, feeling very down at heart, for which she could not at all account, the others being in the dining-room, when she saw the baron approach from the beach. At first she was not sure but it might be his ghost; and what with that, or something else, every pulse she possessed began to beat as fever heat.

"I thought you had left," she said timidly.

"Surely not! We have been out for a day's sail. Close wants to carry me off tomorrow for good," he added, "but I tell him I am not ready."

Dolly looked up at the stars, just making their appearance in the sky. She had nothing to say in answer. He had turned to walk by her side.

"How much longer will your party be staying here do you suppose, Miss Krane?"

"Only two or three days," sighed Dolly. "I have been here nearly four weeks."

"Oh, very. For some things," added Dolly quickly, "the sea, and the holiday life. But I shall be very glad to go home again. I cannot think what my mother has done without me."

"What will she do without you—later?"

"Later!" echoed Dolly, not understanding.

"When you marry,"

Hot blushes dyed her cheeks. "That will never be," she answered, when she could speak quietly. "I am not likely to marry."

"Do you think not? Why?"

"I do not suppose anybody will ask me."

"But why not, Miss Dolly? Come, please tell me."

"For one thing, there is not anybody in Sagbrook who would be in the least likely to—I can't remember any one—not that I have thought about it—or all subtle, stammered Dolly, obedient, as usual, but wishing he would not say things to confuse her. "And for another thing—" She came to a standstill.

"Well, what is the other thing?"

"I mean that I have not any money; not a penny at all. You must pardon me for saying these things. I do not care to speak of them—if you will please not to question me."

He laughed a little. "How would you like to live in France?" he asked. "In a large and pleasant house not far from the sea—which can be seen from its windows?"

"The tone he spoke in was very peculiar—curiously tender; and Dolly blushed hotly."

"I must go in," she said. "Aunt Charlotte will be angry with me."

But the baron did not let her go. He caught her hand as she was turning, and stood holding it in his.

"Why do you want to run away from me, Miss Dolly? Do you know that I left home and the yacht on purpose to come to you? Let me tell you a little about this house in France."

Four or five young men loomed on the terrace, smoking their cigars. Seeing the baron, they called to him, and Dolly escaped indoors.

"Come back, has he?" commented Miss Lydia Taffal. "He might have stayed away for all the ornament he is here, or the good he does us."

"My dear, don't be so severe," reproved Aunt Charlotte. "At one time you seemed, all three of you, to think the baron was an angel, if I may apply the word to a young man. Latterly you have been almost rude to him."

"Well, aunt, and with cause. Here he came, flourishing amidst us, never saying who he was or what he was; passing himself off for a bachelor."

"Say a moment, Lydia. You talk too fast. How did he pass himself off for a bachelor? I suppose you mean that you saw him took up the notion that he was one?"

"Any way, he did not say he was a married man," cried Lydia. "He ought to have let it be known that he was. It was a piece of audacious deceit."

"Is he married?"

"He is. He was talking to us the other day about his wife."

"And pray, my dears, what possible difference can it make to you whether he is married or not?" demanded Aunt Charlotte, looking at her over her spectacles. "You would not, not any one of you, think of a French baron for yourselves, I expect—not even you Lydia."

"Of course not!" retorted Lydia, with emphasis. "You don't understand things, Aunt Charlotte. The world is becoming too much advanced for you."

"I think its young people are," retorted Aunt Charlotte; and she said no more. But Dolly, listening to this from a distant corner, turned as white as a sheet. Her dream was over.

So that she was not very much pleased when she saw the baron coming towards her the following afternoon. Dolly had her full share of good sense, as of proper pride, and she knew that the baron de Pierreville, a married man, had not spoken to her like a gentleman the previous evening on the terrace; nor at one or two other times. Miss Hamlet and the girls were gone for a drive again. Dolly did not often get a chance of going; and she took the zigzag circuitous path to a seat in the middle of the rocks—a solitary place, rarely invaded by the visitors. But the baron must have watched her, for presently she saw him climbing up perpendicularly. Fright put other things out of her head.

"Oh, pray, pray do not try to come up that way!" she cried out in an agony, expecting every moment to see him fall backwards. "Oh, why will you do it?"

But he gained the ledge and the seat without mishap. There were rocks near his own home, and he had climbed them from a child.

"Did you fear for me?" he asked in a low, sweet tone.

Dolly was very pale. "I thought it a hazardous thing to do," she answered, "I think it still."

"But I wanted to come to you. I want to tell you about my home in France—we were interrupted by those men last night. Do you think you should feel altogether unhappy if I asked you to come and live in it with me, Miss Dolly?"

Dolly put her work into its little basket, and rose from her seat to depart. "Baron de Pierreville," she stammered to say, her lips becoming whiter, "will you allow me to ask what your wife would think of this, could she hear you?"

"But she can't hear me," said the baron, starting.

Dolly burst into tears of agitation. "Be so good as to let me pass, sir. I took you for a gentleman; I did, indeed; and you told me you knew and esteemed my father."

"But what do you mean?" he asked, in astonishment. "How have I offended you?"

"It has been all very bad—on your part," retorted Dolly, in trembling accents. "To excuse yourself by saying to my face that your wife cannot hear you is worst of all."

"Why, how can she hear?" persisted the

baron. "The Roman Catholics believe that the saints and angels hear our prayers; I am not sure but we Protestants do. If my poor wife could hear every word I have ever said to you, she would rejoice rather than be sad. Nearly the last words she breathed to me contained a hope that I should find another wife to love me as she had loved."

It was now Dolly's turn to stare, as she took in what this implied. "Is your wife dead?" she faltered.

"She will have been dead a year on the thirtieth of this month," said the baron. "Did you not know she was dead?"

"No," gasped Dolly. "I heard last night that she was living. Please forgive me for showing anger."

He drew her back to the seat beside him, put his arm round her waist, perhaps by way of support, and let her have her cry out.

"Your father and mother could have told you, my dear, that when they saw my wife with me in Switzerland she was nearly in the last stage of consumption. All hope of recovery was then over. And, Dolly, I feel sure they like me; I think they will not mind your coming home to the chateau."

For the first time that evening the baron appeared in the dining-room. He approached Dolly sitting nearly behind the window-curtain. "You will give me a dance," he whispered.

"I do not know what Aunt Charlotte would say," breathed Dolly in answer.

"She will make peace with Aunt Charlotte. Come! Why, laughing, as she still hesitated, "A short while, and you will have to obey me of right. Remember that, my darling."

Nobody could believe their eyes. The baron in the room at last, trading measure with Dolly Krane! With Dolly, Krane, of all people! The measure was a wait, and Dolly's pretty white skirts, for she had put on her best robe that evening, floated about her as she moved round in the baron's arms, and her eyes were cast down timidly, and her face was blushing.

Miss Hamlet had never been so much surprised in all her life as she was that evening, when being alone in the little card-room, she found the baron de Pierreville, bowing deeply before her, a la mode Française, telling her that Dolly had promised to be his wife; and that when she, Miss Hamlet, left Brightwater with the young ladies the next day but one, he should be permitted to accompany them on his way to Sagbrook rectory, to explain matters to the Reverend Mr. Krane and his wife, and to ask them to part with Dolly.

"A French baron!" gasped Miss Hamlet to her maids, when they came to the privacy of her own room. "Oh, dear! I said I did not know what would come of it."

The young ladies turned all manner of colors, and made their comments on the baron with characteristic freedom.

"Not married!" they shrieked in chorus.

"A widower! His wife been dead a year!"

"Why, then, did he lead people to suppose she was dead?"

"Once did to us, as living? Oh, what a wicked man—an accomplished deceiver! We wish you joy of your prize, Dorothy Krane!"

(THE END.)

Dance Experience

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Visibility of Colored Lights. A local scientist has recently made some very interesting tests with lights at sea, and declares that a white light can be seen further than any other. A red light comes next in carrying power, and green ranks third. From 60 to 80 per cent. of light is absorbed by red and 95 per cent. by green glass. The per centage of absorption, of course, increases in ratio with the density of the color in the glass, and the condition of the atmosphere has considerable influence on the range of visibility of the lights. —Philadelphia Record.

Class legislation has upset many a throne.

BEAR AND SERPENT IN BATTLE.

Description by an Eyewitness of a Scene in the Indian Jungle.

How the denizens of East Indian jungles settle their differences was told in a letter received in this city recently from Madras, says the New York Tribune. The writer, who saw the fight, had accompanied some Cheucens, who were on a hunt for game and had set a number of traps and nets. They were making the rounds of the nets when their attention was attracted by a succession of hideous noises—roars of rage and pain and a prolonged hissing, like the rush of escaping steam. They hurried to the spot and saw a huge jungle bear fighting for his life with an enormous serpent.

The serpent had wound its giant folds around the bear, which dashed itself from side to side, and rolled over and over on the ground in frenzied endeavors to get free, roaring and snapping its jaws like castanets at the serpent's folds. It was unable to reach them however, owing to the way in which they were constricted about its body. In this way they struggled until they reached the edge of the incline, down which the bear threw himself with a speed which evidently disconcerted the serpent, for it unwound a couple of folds and threw its tail around a tree, evidently with the intention of anchoring itself and preventing the unpleasant consequences of a rapid tumble downhill.

This appeared like admirable strategy, but it resulted in the serpent's undoing. The rigid line of tail, straightened out from the tree to the bear's body, gave the infuriated beast a chance to seize hold of its assailant. He promptly accepted the chance, and with a tremendous effort turned and fastened his powerful jaws in the snake's quivering flesh. The hissing was then appalling, as the writhing serpent rapidly unfolded its huge body, and struck savagely at the clenched jaws of its enemy to make it loosen its hold on the mangled mass of flesh. In response the bear, with a muffled roar, kept worrying the mouthful of snake in its jaws in paroxysms of anguished rage. Once more the serpent constricted its folds, the bear howled and gasped, and both rolled, still struggling, out of view into the high grass of the forest. Their track was marked with pools of blood, and when next seen they had parted. The snake, evidently badly hurt, was coiled in an attitude of defense, with his head erect, and was hissing angrily. It had plainly had enough, and was more anxious to be let alone than to renew the conflict. Not so the bear. Though nearly crushed to death, with its tongue lolling out from its blood-flecked foaming jaws, the aroused brute—full of fight. After a moment's pause it—

shed upon the serpent. The latter was weak from the loss of blood, and the bear got it by the head and dragged it about with roars of triumph. The undergrowth around was beaten down flat by the convulsive strokes of the great serpent's tail as the bear crushed its head to pieces, and at last it lay an inert and lifeless mass beneath the assaults of the vindictive bear.

Bismarck's Best Smoke.

"The value of a good cigar," said Prince Bismarck in conversation with some friends, "is best understood when it is the last you possess and there is no chance of getting another. At Konigsgratz I had only one cigar left in my pocket, which I carefully guarded during the whole of the battle as a miser guards his treasure. I did not feel justified in using it. I painted in glowing colors the happy hour when I should enjoy it after the victory. But I had miscalculated my chances. A poor dragon laid helpless, with both arms crushed, murmuring for something to refresh him. I felt in my pockets and found that I had only gold, which would be of no use to him. But stay, I had still my cherished cigar. I lighted it for him and placed it between his teeth. You should have seen the poor fellow's grateful smile. I never enjoyed a cigar so much as that one which I did not smoke."

Tobacco as an Insecticide.

The old-time remedy of tobacco is rapidly coming into favor again. For cheapness it can hardly be equalled, as only the refuse stems of the poorest quality need be used. In fact, these are better than the stems of fine Havana because poor tobacco contains a greater quantity of nicotine, which is the active poison that kills the insects. The decoction is made by steeping a pound of stems in a gallon of hot water. After it has cooled the liquid is strained off and applied with an ordinary spraying apparatus. Spraying with tobacco tea is recommended for the flea beetles on tomatoes, potatoes, cabbage and radishes, also as a specific for lice, ticks and other external parasites of animals. This remedy has the recommendation that it is not a dangerous poison to have around where children and innocent animals may get at it.—American Agriculturist.

Hiving the Bees.

The hiving process is easily understood. Place the hive directly under the swarm, if it clusters on a bush near the ground. Jar the limb so the bees will fall directly in front of the hive, and if the hive is nice and clean the bees will not be long in taking possession of their new home. Remove at once to the place which it is to occupy in the apiary. Prepare your sections and place them in the hives when the peach begins to bloom, so as to induce the bees to go to work in the sections at once, to deposit the surplus honey. Honey is cheap, pure, sweet and healthful. It can be had for the taking of it, and is far superior in quality to the molasses that adorns so many tables, and I see no reason why the farmer should not have a bountiful supply. If you have a surplus it will bring you a neat profit when placed upon the market.—Western Rural.

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GRAND TRUNK—Southern Division

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MAIN LINE—Going East.

LEIGH EXPRESS (B)	ARRIVE	DEPART
Accommodation	4:15 a.m.	4:30 a.m.
Atlantic Express (A)	4:30 a.m.	4:45 a.m.
Day Express	4:45 a.m.	5:00 a.m.
Wabash Express (A) (D)	5:00 a.m.	5:15 a.m.
Mixed (C)	5:15 a.m.	5:30 a.m.
Erie Limited (A)	5:30 a.m.	5:45 a.m.

MAIN LINE—Going West.

CHICAGO EXPRESS (A)	ARRIVE	DEPART
West End Mixed	5:20 a.m.	5:35 a.m.
Wabash Express (A)	5:35 a.m.	5:50 a.m.
Erie Limited (A)	5:50 a.m.	6:05 a.m.
Accommodation	6:05 a.m.	6:20 a.m.
Pacific Express (A)	6:20 a.m.	6:35 a.m.
Mail	6:35 a.m.	6:50 a.m.
Accommodation	6:50 a.m.	7:05 a.m.

Sarnia Branch.

LEIGH EXPRESS (B)	ARRIVE	DEPART
Accommodation	4:40 a.m.	4:55 a.m.
Atlantic Express (B)	4:55 a.m.	5:10 a.m.
Accommodation	5:10 a.m.	5:25 a.m.
Erie Limited (B)	5:25 a.m.	5:40 a.m.
Accommodation	5:40 a.m.	5:55 a.m.
Erie Limited (B)	5:55 a.m.	6:10 a.m.

Sarnia Branch.

CHICAGO EXPRESS (B)	ARRIVE	DEPART
Accommodation	5:25 a.m.	5:40 a.m.
Atlantic Express (B)	5:40 a.m.	5:55 a.m.
Erie Limited (B)	5:55 a.m.	6:10 a.m.
Accommodation	6:10 a.m.	6:25 a.m.
Pacific Express (B)	6:25 a.m.	6:40 a.m.
Mail	6:40 a.m.	6:55 a.m.

London, Huron and Bruce.

EXPRESS	ARRIVE	DEPART
Mail	10:00 a.m.	10:15 a.m.
Mail	6:55 a.m.	7:10 a.m.

St. Marys and Stratford Branch.

Mixed-Mail	ARRIVE	DEPART
Express	11:15 a.m.	11:30 a.m.
Express	6:40 p.m.	6:55 p.m.
Express-Mixed	8:15 p.m.	8:30 p.m.

Toronto Branch.

Hamilton-Depart	ARRIVE	DEPART
Express	6:40 a.m.	6:55 a.m.
Express	11:15 a.m.	11:30 a.m.
Express	6:40 p.m.	6:55 p.m.
Express-Mixed	8:15 p.m.	8:30 p.m.

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M. C. R. Junction				
Chatham (G. T. R.)				
Fargo				
Blenheim				

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Stations	No.1	No.2	No.3	No.4
Winnipeg				
Winnipeg				
Winnipeg				
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Winnipeg				

Going East.

Stations	No.1	No.2	No.3	No.4
Winnipeg				
Winnipeg				
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Winnipeg				
Winnipeg				

Going West.

Stations	No.1	No.2	No.3	No.4
Winnipeg				
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NOT MUCH CHANGE IN TEM-

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TORONTO, Aug. 9.—11 p.m.—The pres-

sure is now highest over the lake region,

and about nominal or a little below else-

where. Rain has fallen generally today in

the Maritime Provinces, and some heavy

thunderstorms have occurred in the Qu-

Appelle Valley.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Calgary, 44°—68°; Qu'Appelle, 52°—66°;

Winnipeg, 44°—78°; Parry Sound, 54°—

74°; Toronto, 60°—75°; Montreal, 50°—68°;

Quebec, 52°—66°; Halifax, 58°—74°.

TO-DAY'S PROBABILITIES.

TORONTO, Aug. 10.—1 p.m.—Probabilities

for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes

region (covering the peninsula and as far

east as Belleville) are: Northerly to easterly

winds; fine; not much change in tem-

perature.

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Accident to the Salvation Army Cruiser,

William Booth.

SLEIKKE, Ont., Aug. 9.—The Salvation

Army cruiser, William Booth, of Toronto,

ran on a reef about four miles off Point

Hoover early this morning.

The latest reports from Point Hoover,

about 5 miles from which the Salvation

Army cruiser is ashore, state that the boat

is resting easily on the reef, where she is

aground, and in no immediate danger. A

tug has gone from Port Colborne to her re-

lief, and it is expected she will be got safe-

ly off before tomorrow morning. The crew

are all right.

The Weevil at Work.

ALBION, N. Y., Aug. 9.—The weevil has

done great damage to the wheat crop in

this section. Some fields are yielding as

low as six bushels to the acre as a result of

its depredations.

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LONDON AND ENVIRONS

—Sir John Carling, of Ottawa, is in the

city.

—Corporation laborers drew \$318 75

from the city treasury this morning.

—No. 2 committee of the Board of Edu-

cation turned out in full force last night.

Only a few accounts were passed.

—Mr. James Sargent lost two fingers

while operating a tanning machine in his

father's factory, East End, recently. Two

more fingers were lacerated.

—The Brotherhood of Railroad Train-

men, Forest City Lodge, No. 240, will run

an excursion to Goderich on Aug. 17—not

the firemen, as stated.

—It was the Sons of England Band that

played at Christ Church garden party

Wednesday night and not the First

Hussars, as stated.

—Rev. Father Teefy announces in the

Catholic Record of London that with the

current issue of the Catholic Register of

Toronto his connection with that journal

ceases.

—A burning tar tank across the road

from Ross' old oil refinery on Alma street,

required the attention of the firemen yes-

terday afternoon. The damage was very

small.

—Mr. William Sutherland, the young

Stratford brakeman who was so badly in-

jured at Bright some time ago, is still at

his home in London. He is now able to

move about with the aid of crutches.—

(Stratford Beacon.

—Auctioneer Jones yesterday sold the

stock in trade of Nicholas Wilson & Co. to

Jackson Bros., Clinton, at 57 cents on the

dollar. The stock consisted of tweeds and

gents' furnishings, \$2,826; shop furniture,

\$333 20.

—Private William Carter, of Wolsely

Baracka, has been sent to jail for five

months for striking an officer and using

abusive language. The original sentence

was seven months, but Gen. Herbert re-

duced it by two. Carter was drunk when

he struck the sergeant.

—Woodgreen is the name of the new

postoffice opened between Stratford and

Wardville, on the Longwoods road, Mon.

Mr. Edwin Weeks is postmaster. Mails

will be dispatched from Gloucester on Tues-

days and Fridays at 4 p.m. The contract

for carrying the mail has been awarded to

Mr. Alex. Crothers.

—St. George's Society keeps up with the

procession, showing a steady growth in

numbers and influence. Last night's

monthly meeting saw five hundred added

to the list. The flower band includes

Messrs. Alfred H. H. Gammon, Thomas

Harding, Robert S. Rockett, Philip H.

Bartlett and Chas. W. Thurlay.

—A couple of gangs of men, with teams,

who left London a week ago to work on the

big trenches being dug in Hullett and Grey

townships, in Huron county, have returned

home. They found the work pretty heavy.

The men were probably out for a holiday.

They made the journey leisurely in their

wagons, and were fed by the farmers along

the way, and slept in barns or drive sheds.

—[Exeter Advocate.

—Exeter Times: The many friends of

Mr. A. Bishop, of Uxbridge, ex-M.P.P.,

who underwent a critical surgical operation

in London last week, will be pleased to

learn that he is doing nicely and will fully

recover. It is well known that Mr. Bishop

was confined to his bed for several weeks

this summer, suffering from Bright's dis-

ease, and the operation consisted in the

removing of a lime stone the size of a hen's

egg from his bladder.

—Mr. R. O. Kinney, the hustling real

estate agent of Detroit and Windsor, for-

merly of the ADVERTISER, is looking up Can-

adian prospects in his line. Mr. Kinney

has just made a big stroke in Kincardine,

where he sold the well-known salt block of

Mr. Levi Rightmyer and the latter's fine

maison for the sum of \$200,000. The pur-

chaser is Mr. H. C. Sanborn, a Detroit

capitalist, who is largely interested in salt

in Michigan and Illinois. He will operate

the Kincardine wells.

A Bad Upset.

Mr. J. C. Trebilcock, the energetic

treasurer of the Young Liberal Club, took

a drive into the country on Wednesday

evening and secured the ox for the novel

barbecue entertainment at the Liberal

picnic next Wednesday, but judging from

a casual glance, one would imagine the ox

had secured Mr. Trebilcock. But it didn't.

On the return home Mr. Trebilcock was

turning the corner of Dundas and Wellin-