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LONDON, ONTARIO, WEDNESDAY, JULY 30, 1902.

WHOLE NO. 16849.

RATES FOR WANT ADS

1c per word for one insertion.
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No advertisement less than 10 words.

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

DIED.
ELSON—At the family residence, 127 Oxford street, on Sunday, July 27, 1902, James S. Elson, in his 66th year.
Funeral private, on Tuesday, afternoon; service at 2:30 p.m.
WALL—On Tuesday, July 29, 1902, Edward West, aged 70 years.
Funeral from the family residence, Wellington road, Thursday, July 31, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 3 p.m.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

SPRING-BANK. Performance Every Night at 8:30.
100 tr

PHONOGRAPH ENTERTAINMENTS. Will provide evening's entertainment for schools, house, concert, parties, etc. Apply George Wilson, Hyde Park, Ont.

SULPHUR SPRINGS BATHS—OPEN 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. Plunge bath new open. Single bath, 5c; five tickets, \$1.20. 4c

LONDON SCHOOL OF ORATORY, 11 Hiscox Building. Elocution, reading, physical culture. Ellen Miriam Kurzenhake, director.
MACCABEES' EXCURSION TO TORONTO. Saturday, Aug. 16, via Canadian Pacific Railway. Special train at 7:15 a.m. Fare, \$2.00; children, \$1.00; good for three days. Picnic and games at Island Park. Public invited. 4c

DETROIT—SONS OF ENGLAND. ONLY excursion to Detroit on Civic Holiday, Aug. 4. Special train leaves Grand Trunk 7 a.m. Fare, \$2.00; children, \$1.00; good for three days. Picnic and games at Island Park. Public invited. 4c

F. B. CLARKE IS A DIRECT AGENT for the Allan American Anchor, Beaver, Cunard, Red Star and other Atlantic lines. Very low fares quoted and arrangements made. Richmond street, next Advertiser office.

DANCING—SUMMER SEASON. PALACE Academy. Private lessons any hour. Special rates for picnics, garden or lawn socials, etc. Terms moderate. Day and McCormick.

AGENTS WANTED.
A BRIGHT AGENT, WITH AMBITION, looking for a permanent agency, with a chance for advancement; salary, \$400 per year and upwards from the start, according to results. Apply to Conner, P. O. Box 581, London.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

DINING ROOM GIRL WANTED. Good wages. Apply Ontario House. 4c

FANT AND VEST OPERATORS. Must be first-class; highest wages; steady work. Apply to the C. E. Tolson Company, 420 Talbot street. 4c

WANTED—MATRON FOR REFUGEE and infants' home. Address applications to Mrs. Pattullo, secretary, Women's Christian Association, 53 Talbot street. 4c

WANTED—EXPERIENCED MACHINE operators for factory. Apply at once. John Marshall & Co. 4c

WANTED—GIRLS, WITH SOME knowledge of machine sewing, to learn the cap trade, by free clinical expert. F. C. Fraser & Co., corner Dundas and Talbot. 4c

KITCHEN GIRL WANTED. APPLY Fraser House. 4c

GIRLS FOR ICEING ROOM AND OTHER departments; also paper box makers. D. S. Perrin & Co., Limited. 4c

GIRLS WANTED. APPLY McCOR-MICK Manufacturing Company. 4c

MALE HELP WANTED.
WANTED—STRONG BOY, ONE WHO knows how to handle horses. Apply George Jackson, 51 Wellington. 4c

WANTED—YOUNG MAN. APPLY George Jackson, 51 Wellington street. 4c

WANTED—AT ONCE—FIRST-CLASS TAILOR. Apply O. Labelle. 4c

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS PAPER ruler; young man; good wages. J. J. Reid & Co., 90 Albert street, Winnipeg. 4c

SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS FOR MEN to learn hair trade; new, quick and thorough method, by free clinical expert; instructions, etc.; busy season; positions guaranteed; tools donated; wages Saturday. Write for particulars, Barber College, Chicago, Ill. 4c

STRONG BOY FOR SOAP FACTORY work. Apply London Soap Company. 4c

WANTED—BOYS FROM 15 TO 19 years. McCormick Manufacturing Company. 4c

WANTED—BOYS FOR FACTORY. D. S. Perrin & Co., Limited. 4c

SITUATIONS WANTED.
WANTED—BY STEADY, RELIABLE man, any position of trust; can write and work. Box 45, Advertiser. 4c

VETERINARY SURGEONS.
J. H. TENNANT, VETERINARY SURGEON—Office, 121 King street. Residence and infirmary, corner King and Wellington. Treatment of dogs a specialty. Phone 28 and 68.

REAL ESTATE.
FOR SALE—20 ACRES, LOND-ON township, lots 10 and 11, con. 11. Apply James Robt, Bryanton, Ont.

A Thread of Silk

running through a piece of inferior cloth will not make good cloth of the piece.
Neither will a good action with a well-known name make a good instrument of an otherwise cheaply-constructed piano.
In the cloth, every thread must be of good quality, and in a piano all the component parts must be made of equally good materials, carefully seasoned and manufactured by competent workmen, otherwise the instrument cannot be expected to give satisfaction and stand the severe test of our variable Canadian climate.

NORDHEIMER

PIANOS
have been before the public and have stood this test for many years.

The Nordheimer Piano and Music Co., Limited,
188 Dundas Street.
62 Years Established.

HELP WANTED.
WANTED—PERSONS OF SATISFAC-TORY character and good pay with us; those who can make \$20 weekly practically the Century Christian Home (Limited), Toronto. 4c

LOST AND FOUND.
LOST—SUNDAY, IN SOUTHERN PART of city, silver watch; initials "M. J." Reward at 171 King street. 4c

LOST—LADY'S GOLD WATCH; NAME "Emily"; engraved on case. Reward on returning to 353 Richmond. 4c

ARTICLES FOR SALE.
FOR SALE—SOLVENT COOK STOVE and Range. Home, basins, etc. Apply at 29 Picton street. 4c

\$1.00 BUYS NEW SET OF GOOD Spalding boxing gloves. Address Box A. M., this office. 4c

LATEST NOVELS—SEND FOR LARGE list of titles, all to be sent, one of them, Star News Company, 22 Dundas street. 4c

GAS AND GASOLINE ENGINES at lowest prices, manufactured by D. McKenzie & Co., 238 Richmond street. 4c

THE NOBBEST THING IN GO-CARTS and Baby Carriages ever seen in London, at Keene Bros., 127 King street. 4c

SNAP—GOOD PIANO, ROSEWOOD case, 7-13 octave; in first-class condition; guaranteed for five years. Only \$100 on easy terms of payment. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas street, corner Chest. 4c

SUMMER WOOD—PER LOAD, \$1.35 Cash. Also coal and hard wood. Buchanan's, 623 Colborne. Phone 1,026.

WOOD FOR SALE—WE CAN SUPPLY summer wood at \$1.25 a load. D. H. Gillies & Co., 62 Bathurst street, facing east end wood yard. Phone 1,012.

IMPERIAL BICYCLES, STRICTLY high grade. Easy terms. Large stock of cycles, all to be sent, one of them, Star News Company, 22 Dundas street. 4c

MILLIONS OF STAMPS FOR COLLEC-TORS—Lists free. Wm. R. Adams, 401 Yonge street, Toronto. 4c

WANTED—35 ACRES GOOD LAND near city, in exchange for city property. R. F., this office. 4c

DRESS CUTTING SCHOOL. Correspondence and orders will receive prompt attention. No instructions given till after Aug. 4. For particulars address 233 1/2 Dundas street, London. 4c

OUR CURLY BANGS ARE A GEM FOR hot weather. See them. Comings wanted. Miller's Hair Store, 232 Dundas street. 4c

WATSON & CO. HOUSE MOVERS—Steam boilers and safes a specialty. 234 Hatten street. Phone 1,231.

WILLIAM HODGSON, PAINTER, paperhanger. Estimates free. 10 Horton street. 4c

HOUSES, ETC., TO LET.
FURNISHED SUMMER COTTAGES TO let. Grand Bend. Apply George Hoaman. 4c

THE SHOP NOW OCCUPIED BY MR. McLeod, corner Dundas and Adelaide streets, will be to rent shortly; has been a grocery store for over 20 years, one of the best stands in London. Apply Lily's. 4c

TO LET—NEW BRICK HOUSE, SEVEN rooms, corner Dundas and Adelaide streets. Apply 625 Wellington street. 4c

TO LET—UNION FURNITURE VAN—furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Cathcart and Bruce, South London, late of London Furniture Company. Phone 316.

BOARDING, ROOMS, ETC.
BOARDS CAN FIND ACCOMMODATION at 44 Waterloo street. Gentlemen preferred. 4c

NICELY FURNISHED FRONT ROOMS to let in private family. 314 Dundas street. 4c

MUSICAL INSTRUCTION.
ALICE CALDER STUCK—SOLOIST First Methodist Church. Voice culture. 254 Queen's avenue. Concert engagements accepted. 4c

DENTAL CARDS.
McDONALD & CUNNINGHAM, DENTISTS, 183 1/2 Dundas street. Phone 762.

DR. G. H. KENNEDY, DENTIST—Successor to the late Dr. Davis. Specialties: preservation of natural teeth. 178 Dundas street. Phone 978.

DR. WESTLAND, DENTIST—CHICAGO post-graduate. In Crown Bridge and Porcelain work. Removed to first floor, Masonic Temple, Richmond street.

WOOLVERTON & BENTLEY, DEN-TISTS, 218 Dundas street, next Eby & Co. Corner Cathcart and Lawrence, druggists. Telephone 228.

BUSINESS CHANCES.
FOR SALE—FIRST-CLASS GROCERY business, corner Dundas and Adelaide streets. Apply N. McLeod. 4c

LIQUOR LICENSE ACT—NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that application has been made by John Garrison, hotel-keeper, Westminster, for a license to sell his license transferred to S. E. Hayden, of City of London. The Board of License Commissioners will meet on August 7, at 2 p.m., to consider the same. A. BAILEY, Inspector, East Middlesex.

PLEASE CLOTHES FOR WELL-DRESSED MEN.

When we buy our stock of Suits we are anxious for rare quality and right price. We are anxious to procure for our customers the best the manufacturers produce.

There's Quality, Style and Finish in our goods, and every buyer speaks of his pleasure in owning them.

Deeks & Munson,
Tailors and Dressers,
393 Richmond Street.

ARCHITECTS.
MOORE & HENRY,
ARCHITECTS, LAND SURVEYORS,
CIVIL ENGINEERS.
John M. Moore. Frederick Henry.

BROKERS.
WANTED—CITY LOAN COMPANIES' stocks. Only White stock broker. London, Ont. Phone 693.

To Close Out Estate.
OFFERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP to the First of August prox., for that valuable real estate and store in the City of London occupied by E. Forster, tenant, Dundas street (opposite the Market Lane). Address Executor, Box 436, London, Ont.

City of London—Tax Notice, 1902.
THE TAX COLLECTOR WILL BE IN his office, City Hall, on and after the date to receive taxes for 1902.

To obtain full discount all Taxes must be paid by 31st July. After 31st July, 5 cents on the dollar will be added to first installment upon Tax Notice. Come early and avoid the rush.

By GEORGE W. HAYES, Collector. London, July 16, 1902.

GIRLS KILLED ON A TRESTLE

Overtaken by Train and Dead When Picked Up.

GIRL KILLED BY TROLLEY CAR

Man Cuts His Finger With a Blade of Grass and Dies of Blood-Poisoning.

Charlotte, N. C., July 30.—Annie Coust and Jennie and Mamie Nelson, three girls, aged 10, 12 and 14 years, were run down by an engine on the Seaboard Air Line, and all badly mangled. The girls were walking on a trestle on account of the wagon bridge having been washed away. They had got about midway when they heard the approaching train. They had a distance of about 200 yards to cover before they would have reached safety.

They ran for their lives, but were unable to make it. The engine struck the three about the same time and their bodies were hurled to the water below. All three were dead when assistance reached them.

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Toronto, July 30.—Florence Dixon, a 11-year-old girl, living with her parents at 37 Napier street, was struck by a trolley on Queen street yesterday and killed. She was walking on a trestle on account of the wagon bridge having been washed away. They had got about midway when they heard the approaching train. They had a distance of about 200 yards to cover before they would have reached safety.

CRUSHED.
Winnipeg, Man., July 30.—W. P. Seaton, a brakeman on the C. P. R., had his head crushed between two cars at Elm Creek, Ont., yesterday night. He died yesterday morning. He was 24 years of age.

DISASTROUS RUNAWAY.
Galt, Ont., July 30.—A runaway accident, causing very serious, if not fatal, injuries, occurred yesterday here yesterday morning. Mr. Brown, of Beverly township, was driven to Galt with a spirited team, and when going along Queen street, the team shied at a heap of bags of cement. The light wagon was overturned and the occupants were hurled violently on the sidewalks. Mr. Brown's principal injuries are scalp wounds, concussion of the brain, broken ribs, fractured spine and twelve teeth knocked out. Mrs. Brown, a scalp wound and several ribs broken. Both sufferers are being treated at the Galt hospital.

GIRL DROWNED WHILE BATHING.
Barrie, Ont., July 30.—Miss Norma Leroy, 17 years old, daughter of D. W. Leroy, manager of the Queen's Hotel, was drowned while bathing with three little girls in the bay here Monday evening.

CUTS FINGER WITH GRASS.
Mattson, Ill., July 30.—A week ago while mowing his lawn, Walter Kilgus, a wealthy retired business man of this city, cut his finger with a blade of grass. Blood poisoning set in and he died yesterday in great agony.

WAS WALKING A TRACK.
Ottawa, July 30.—An old woman, Kate Kennear, who was a well-known character throughout the Ottawa Valley, was killed by a G. T. R. train, about two miles west of Cornwall Junction, Saturday evening. She was walking along the track and her death was instantaneous.

FATAL DIVE.
Detroit, July 30.—Alexander Smith was killed while making a high dive from the mainmast of the schooner Maria. It was 90 feet from his perch to the water. He struck on his side with terrible force, and failed to come to the surface. Smith was a young man with considerable reputation as a daring high diver.

DEADLY BLAST.
New York, July 30.—As the result of a premature explosion in the rapid transit subway on Park avenue yesterday, four men were seriously hurt, two of whom it is thought will die. This is the section of the tunnel in which a number of accidents have occurred. In on Major Ira Shaler, a contractor, received injuries which resulted in his death some days later.

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Bathing Caps, Sponge Bags, Soap Boxes, Small Cloth Brushes, Sponges, Mirrors, Combs, Perfumes.

Small Ivory Mirrors for travelers, beautiful and cheap, only 25 and 35 cents.

HAZELINE (C. & L.)
ODONTINE (C. & L.)
Your lists will not be complete without both of these dainty articles.

Is It Your Condition?



Young in years but aged in appearance, losing your vitality, nervous, forgetful. Have you wasted the vigor of youth? Are you weak when you should be strong? Do you have "come-and-go" pains in your back, hips, shoulders and around your heart? Are you worn out before your time, man?

If you want to be as vigorous as you were before you lost your strength, to get up in the morning brighter than when you go to bed, to lose your pains and have a sound stomach and regular bowels, and become again a strong, perfect and healthy man, use

DR. McLAUGHLIN'S ELECTRIC BELT.

It has restored health and strength to thousands of weak and impotent men. If used as I direct it is a positive cure and cannot fail.

Estelle Gordon, Staples, Ont., writes: "I received the Belt all O.K., and am more than pleased with it. I think it is worth many times its price, as I have almost an instant cure. I have worn it less than one month."

Letters like this are in every mail. Ask them and be convinced.

Mrs. John Whitefield, Columbus, Ont., says: "To speak the truth, I cannot say too much for your Belt. It is the best remedy I have used since my health failed, and that is 32 years ago. All this time I have been spending money for drugs which did me no good. Since I got your Belt I have not taken one dose of medicine."

Ennis Chambers, Wauson Station, Ont., writes: "It is two months since I received your Belt and it is all right, and more than I expected. The nervousness is all gone and so is the tired feeling. I could not have done the work I am doing this spring if it was not for your Belt."

The confidence I have in the wonderful curative powers of my Belt allows me to offer any man or woman who can give me reasonable security the use of the Belt at my risk, and they can

Pay When Cured

FREE TEST. Call, if possible, and test my Belt **FREE.** Let me explain to you how it cures when others fail. Write for my **FREE BOOK** which shows the scientific method of physical strength. It tells how strength is lost and how I restore it with my Electric Belt. I will send this book, closely sealed, free upon request if you will send this ad. If you are not the man you should be, write today.

DR. M. A. McLAUGHLIN, 130 YONGE STREET, TORONTO.

TWO SUDDEN DEATHS

Unexpected Demise of Two St. Thomas Ladies on Tuesday.

St. Thomas, July 29.—Mrs. Ethel Crandall, wife of Mr. James Crandall, 15 Wilson avenue, died at 3 o'clock this morning in the 19th year of her age. Mrs. Crandall was down town yesterday. She was a daughter of Mrs. Oliver Rohrer, of Walsingham, and a sister of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wright, of Walsingham, and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wright, of Walsingham.

Mrs. Phoebe Mariett, wife of Mr. Jehiel Mariett, died at the family residence, No. 62 Elizabeth street, St. Thomas, under peculiar circumstances. The deceased had been ill for more or less for a couple of years, but was able to attend church on Sunday, and was so well as to have her husband and stepson went to Port Stanley yesterday, fishing. When they returned they found Mrs. Mariett unconscious, and she never recovered.

Mrs. Mariett, who was 42 years of age, was a member of the Center Street Baptist Church. She leaves two daughters, Miss Annie and Bessie. Her mother, Mrs. S. Winchester, of Walsingham, and three sisters, Mrs. Cook Newcombe, of Walsingham, Mrs. W. S. Wood, of Brantford, Mrs. H. H. Wright, of Walsingham, and Mrs. M. B. Bress, of Summerville, Oregon.

Calgary, N. W. T., July 29.—Amos Rowe, late collector of customs, died last night after a few days' illness of pneumonia. He was well known throughout the Canadian West, having been editor and proprietor of the Times in Winnipeg, in which he established the Conservative interests on his arrival in 1880. He was born in Huntingdon, Que., in 1840.

Recuporative Effort. Considered with reference to its recuperative effect, there is not so much good in the ordinary tonic as there is in a single bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla. The latter costs 40¢; the former, well, that depends, how much did yours cost last year?

Hood's Sarsaparilla refreshes the tired blood, sharpens the dulled appetite, restores the lost courage.

Reports from Portuguese West Africa. which show that the natives show that the disorders are assuming a grave character. In Louisa several garrisons were attacked and factories were burned. A general uprising is feared.

A TONIC FOR THE DEBILITATED.—Paine's Vegetable Pills, by acting mildly but thoroughly on the secretions of the body, are a valuable tonic, stimulating the lagging organs to healthful action and restoring them to full vigor. They can be taken in graduated doses, and so used that they can be discontinued at any time without returning the ailments which they were used to allay.

A Philadelphia dispatch says: It is stated on reliable authority that the supply of anthracite coal in the hands of railroads and dealers here will probably be exhausted by the middle of September at the present rate of consumption.

Monkey Brand Soap removes all stains, rust, dirt or tarnish—but won't wash clothes.

Rev. John Scott, superintendent of the Methodist missions in Japan, is home on furlough. He will be in Canada for about seven months, and will attend the Methodist conference to be held in Winnipeg in September.

Prof. W. Hodgson Ellis, Official Analyst to the Dominion Government, reports that "Sunlight Soap has a thorough cleansing power without danger to the clothes or skin."

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THE ONTARIO ALLIANCE SIX VESSELS WERE SUNK

Temperance Workers Starting in the Referendum Campaign.

Report of Executive Committee—Addresses of Dr. Carman and Others.

Toronto, July 30.—At yesterday's meeting of the Ontario Alliance, the report of the provincial executive was presented by Mr. J. J. McLaren, K.C., and detailed the story of the negotiations with the government respecting the change of the date of the referendum. The committee expressed approval of the work of Messrs. J. L. Nicholls and W. W. Buchanan, and submitted recommendations that a resolution be adopted calling upon the friends of temperance throughout the province to unite in an earnest effort to win a decisive victory on Dec. 4; that the president of the prohibition association in each county be requested to call a meeting of the executive committee of the Ontario branch of the Dominion Alliance, thus giving each county representation upon the executive; that the executive be instructed to take immediate steps to secure a live working organization in each electoral district; that the referendum campaign be opened on the first Sunday of September; that churches, Sunday schools and young people's societies be requested to inaugurate an active movement to secure signatures from members of the church, Sunday schools and young people's societies to the following pledge: "I pledge myself to abstain from the use of intoxicating liquors as a beverage, and to discountenance such use by others."

Dr. McLaren added that many Methodist ministers going to Winnipeg for the general conference, might desire to open the campaign on the last Sunday of August.

Rev. Dr. Carman, in moving that the committee on resolutions, said there was no room for diversity of policy at the present time. They must all regard each other as brethren, fellow-soldiers united in the great enterprise of securing a majority vote.

He had no despair of that if they were true. There were dear friends who might be misled by the moral tone of the country was not up to the point of the referendum. To these he said that the moral tone of the country was not up to the point of the referendum.

President Mackay said: "We both our political parties before the liquor power, and shamefully corrupted before that power, and the only way to get rid of it is to have a referendum."

Repeatedly during the evening he reminded it of solemn promises, some of them very recent, given us so frequently and with apparent good faith, in the past. We urged a faithful and state-maintenance of the referendum.

With little organization and no funds, we went into the conflict, and made our first fighting record on the political field, and we are greatly encouraged by the result. We elected some, we defeated others; we changed the issue, but in the end we won.

Every politician in the land that we were a power in politics that could no longer be ignored. "Cheer up," they used to call us hypocrites and humbugs; that preached and prayed and talked and voted every day.

The convention closed after adopting the suggestions contained in the report of the executive committee. The convention is summed up in the following resolutions:

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GEORGE WHALLEY'S DEATH
Developments of the Inquest—Possible Clue—Lot of Alcohol Missing.

Toronto, July 30.—At the inquest into the death of George Whalley, the shipper for Evans & Sons, who was found dead on Sunday, July 20, in the warehouse under circumstances that pointed to foul play and probably death by poisoning, J. M. Spencer, the manager of the firm, gave evidence last night that may afford a clue.

He discovered, he said, while comparing the stock sheet on March 21st and those of July 24th, the last stock-taking, that some 30 gallons of alcohol, worth about \$45 per gallon, had apparently disappeared. The verification of these figures will prove what has been suspected that some one has been stealing from the warehouse. The question is, who was the thief and what relation had the theft of this alcohol to the death of Whalley?

A Camp Necessity. Clark's Delicious Pork and Beans, with chili or tomato sauce, are almost a camp necessity.

A SUCCESSFUL MEDICINE.—Every one wishes to be successful in any undertaking, and day by day he may engage. It is, therefore, extremely gratifying to the proprietors of Paine's Vegetable Pills to know that their efforts to compound a medicine which would prove a blessing to mankind have been successful beyond their expectations. The indorsement of these Pills by the public is a guarantee that what has been produced will fulfill everything claimed for it.

A Galt Robbery. Galt, Ont., July 30.—The C. P. R. station ticket office here was robbed between 12 and 1 o'clock yesterday during the absence of the ticket seller. The window was pried open with a chisel, breaking the lock. About \$75 was taken from the till.

Mass of Broken Bones. Windsor, July 29.—August Spuller, an Essex County farmer, was fatally injured last evening on the Grand Trunk Railway at Little River, a small station seven miles east of Windsor. He was walking along the track and noticing the westbound mail train approaching stepped to the other track only to get in front of an eastbound freight. He was struck and hurled across the engine and hurled across to the other track where he was picked up by the guard of the mail train engine and tossed into the ditch.

The mail train was brought to a stop as soon as possible and the trainmen found that Spuller was a mass of broken bones and bruised flesh. His skull was crushed and his arms and legs were broken in several places. He was still breathing when picked up. He was about 35 years of age and had lived in the vicinity of the accident all his life. He was married and leaves a wife and family of small children.

Dying from Mosquito Bite. New York, July 30.—A 7-year-old girl is dying here as the result of a mosquito bite. She felt the mosquito on her face and killed it. Nothing was thought of the bite until several days later, when the girl awoke screaming with pain. Her face had swollen and her eyes were nearly closed. A physician applied cooling lotions to the face and gave internal remedies to reduce the inflammation. The little girl's face kept swelling steadily, and the doctor said it was probable the erysipelas had developed from the bite. She now lies at home with no chance of recovery, so her physician says.

Women Employees Barred. New York, July 30.—President LaRoe, of the Baltimore and Ohio, has issued orders that no women stenographers be employed in the operating departments of that road. Women are now in the company's service and are to be discharged, but only men shall be trained in the operating departments.

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Many Lives Lost by a Tornado in Gulf of California.

Tremendous Downpour in Texas—Several Killed by Lightning.

Tucson, Ariz., July 30.—A tornado visited the Gulf of California Thursday night wrecking vessels and damaging many buildings in the coast cities. The wires have been down and news of the disaster has just been received. At Guaymas five vessels in the bay were dashed ashore and sunk. Two of them, El Luella, and El Graciosa, were large steamers engaged in coastwise trade.

The public building containing the offices of the harbor master and collector of customs were destroyed. The residence of the English vice-consul was uninjured, but otherwise destroyed. The municipal hall and city prison were damaged.

At Mazatlan, the Pomory Ruby, a large passenger steamer, was driven ashore and sunk. Five passengers were drowned and the rest reached shore on wreckage and driftwood. Another large vessel in the bay was also damaged by the tornado. Between Guaymas and Mazatlan a great deal of wreckage drifted ashore, and it is supposed that many lives were lost. Two of the vessels were wrecked and a large number of lives lost.

IN TEXAS. Austin, Texas, July 29.—Central Texas was last night visited by one of the most terrific rainstorms ever known in this section. In this city the rain came in a regular deluge, flooding the principal streets of the city from curb to curb and washing into many of the stores, floors and other large vessels in the bay was also damaged by the tornado. Between Guaymas and Mazatlan a great deal of wreckage drifted ashore, and it is supposed that many lives were lost. Two of the vessels were wrecked and a large number of lives lost.

DEADLY LIGHTNING. Pittsburg, Pa., July 30.—A terrific thunder and lightning storm visited this section Monday evening, causing three deaths, and much property damage. The killed are: Mrs. Kate Walsh, 1000 Broadway street; Mrs. Elizabeth Castello, 1000 Broadway street; and Mrs. Walsh, 1000 Broadway street.

Five others of their fellow-workers were severely injured, but will recover. Hazelwood, the Presbyterian Church was struck by lightning and the steeple thrown over, but no one was injured.

PHENOMENAL RAINFALL. Ithaca, N. Y., July 30.—Director A. G. Allen, of the Cornell branch of the United States weather bureau, announces the rainfall here thus far in the present season as being a remarkable figure of 6.07 inches—an increase of 60 per cent over the average for June, which was 3.78.

Washington, D. C., July 30.—Willis L. Moore, chief of the weather bureau, is about to install at the government observatory in Duluth, an apparatus which, it is said, will detect an electrical storm at a distance of 100 miles, and foretell its appearance in any given locality. The device is the invention of Rev. F. L. Odenbach, a Cleveland Catholic priest.

KIDNEY TROUBLES OF PAINTERS

All the Kidney Ills and Ailments From which Painters Suffer So Much Rapidly Relieved and Completely Cured by Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets.

Every painter knows the trouble his kidneys give him now and again. The white lead and turpentine are hard on these organs—inflame and irritate them and produce pain in the back, difficulty and pain in urination, scanty and high-colored urine and many other complications.

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If you suffer from kidney troubles, swelling of the feet and legs, puffiness under the eyes, difficulty of urination, pain or distress, brick dust or other deposits, frequent calls during the day or night, dragging pain in the loins, sense of weight or pressure in the region of the bladder, dull aching in the head, mist before the eyes, constipation, gradual falling of the strength, Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets will cure you promptly and permanently, even after common kidney pills have failed to help you.

Price, 50 cents a bottle, or three for \$1.25, at all druggists or sent by mail. The Dr. Zina Pitcher Company, Toronto, Ont.

Earthquakes in Nebraska. Omaha, Neb., July 30.—News from points in Northern and Western Nebraska indicates that Monday's earthquake was more general than was at first reported. At Oakdale buildings were considerably shaken up, and at Battle Creek the disturbance lasted half a minute. Norfolk, Creighton, Plainview, Pierce and Neigh were shaken twenty seconds, and at Elgin three distinct quakes were felt.

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Extra Fine Ribbed and Plain Vests, lace trimmed, low yoke, with narrow strap, also with wider band.....25c
Children's Unbleached Vests, sizes 12, 14 and 16, your choice of any size now for.....20c
A full line of popular priced Cotton Vests to clear at, each, 50c, 10c, 12c, 18c and.....5c

Don't Fail to See Our Open Mesh Goods in Silk and Linen, Wool and Cotton—Correct Garments for the Summer Season

A Corset Bargain—Regular \$1.00 for 69c.

A line of beautiful French Model Girdle Corsets, suitable for ladies of slight and medium figure, made of hand-made broche cotton; colors blue and white, pink and white, steel lined; trimmed with fine Valenciennes lace and ribbon insertion; a perfect fitting, cool, comfortable summer corset; sizes 18 to 24; our regular price \$1.00, our special price only.....69c
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DAILY PICTURE PUZZLE.



Where is the duck and chicken we ordered?
SOLUTION OF YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE—Grandma is between the faces of the two girls, one cat is on the sofa cushion, and one in window-curtain.

THE MARKETS

THE LOCAL MARKET.

London, Wednesday, July 30.
Wheat, white, per bu. \$1.00 to \$1.05
Corn, per bu. \$0.80 to \$0.85
Barley, per bu. \$0.75 to \$0.80
Oats, per bu. \$0.60 to \$0.65
Beans, per bu. \$1.00 to \$1.05
Peas, per bu. \$0.90 to \$0.95
Lentils, per bu. \$0.80 to \$0.85
Mung beans, per bu. \$0.70 to \$0.75
Soybeans, per bu. \$0.60 to \$0.65
Clover, per ton. \$15.00 to \$16.00
Hay, per ton. \$12.00 to \$13.00
Straw, per ton. \$5.00 to \$6.00
Potatoes, per ton. \$10.00 to \$11.00
Onions, per ton. \$8.00 to \$9.00
Cabbage, per ton. \$6.00 to \$7.00
Carrots, per ton. \$4.00 to \$5.00
Turnips, per ton. \$3.00 to \$4.00
Brussels sprouts, per ton. \$5.00 to \$6.00
Cauliflower, per ton. \$4.00 to \$5.00
Broccoli, per ton. \$3.00 to \$4.00
Asparagus, per ton. \$6.00 to \$7.00
Green beans, per ton. \$4.00 to \$5.00
Peas, per ton. \$3.00 to \$4.00
Lentils, per ton. \$2.00 to \$3.00
Mung beans, per ton. \$1.00 to \$2.00
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WEEKLY REVIEW.

The attendance and the offerings of farm produce during the past week have been fairly large. Small stuff and fruits formed the bulk of the offerings. There was no material change in prices, and sales in most of the lines offered were brisk.
Grain—Not much wheat offered; prices are quoted at \$1.00 per cwt. Oats are in good demand at \$0.60 to \$0.65 per cwt. Hay and straw—During the past week there have been offered 50 loads of hay, which sold mostly at \$8 to \$9 per ton. A few of the loads sold as high as \$9 per ton; all of the offerings were new hay. Straw is scarce at \$5 per ton.
Butter and Eggs—Butter has been freely offered, and the market is good. Prices are a trifle firmer; crocks sell at 15c to 16c, and rolls at 14c to 15c. Eggs continue to be offered in large quantities, and prices are steady, at 13c to 14c per dozen for crates and basket lots.
Vegetables and Fruits—The supply of new potatoes has been large and prices have dropped from 25c to 30c per bu.; present prices are firm, at 20c to 25c per bu.; tomatoes are scarce, at 7c to 8c per bu.; cabbages are more plentiful, at 2c to 4c per dozen.
Fruits—The supply of raspberries and other fruits in season has been large. Prices ranged during the week at 7c per box for black raspberries, and 5c per box for red; apples are a drug, at 2c per bu.; some of the offerings are dear at any price; gooseberries are plentiful, at 4c to 5c per bu.; blackberries are at 10c per quart; red at 4c to 5c per box.
Poultry—The supply has been up to the average, and offerings are chiefly chickens, which sell at 50c to 75c per pair, dressed, and 40c to 50c per pair for live ones; ducks, 75c to 90c per pair for dressed, and 70c per pair for live ducks.
Dressed Hogs—There are very few brought on the market for sale; those that are disposed of are sold on previous orders; present prices are 35c per cwt.
Butchers' Meat—Sales are slow, at the following prices: Beef, \$5 to \$7.50 per cwt; veal, \$3 to \$4; mutton, \$3 to \$4; spring lamb, 10c to 15c per lb. by the carcass.
Honey finds a slow sale, at 10c per lb. for strained, and 12c for that in the comb.

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SUGAR MARKETS.

LONDON.
London, July 29.—Raw sugar—Muscovado, 7c; centrifugal, 7c; beet sugar, 7c; 2c.

OIL MARKETS.

OIL CITY.
Oil City, Pa., July 29.—Credit balances, \$1.22.
LONDON.
London, July 29.—Petroleum, American refined, 6 1/2-16d; spirits, 7 1/2d.

DAIRY MARKETS.

CAMPBELLFORD.
Campbellford, Ont., July 29.—At the cheese board, 1,300 boxes were offered. Following are the sales: Magrath 300, Brenton 130, at 25c; Hodgson Bros. 30, at 2 1/2-3c.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, July 29.—Butter easy; creameries, 15c to 15 1/2c; dairies, 15 1/2c to 16c. Cheese steady, 12c to 12 1/2c.

INGERSOLL.

Ingersoll, Ont., July 29.—Offerings to-day, 100 white and 700 colored; 95c bid, salesmen asking 10c; no sales; good attendance, but market quiet.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, July 29.—Bears were in full control of all grain markets most of the day. The wheat market was confined to manipulated options, but the whole grain list in all months went lower under the weight of big receipts and prospects of immense coarse grain crops. Toward the close, however, a reaction set in in most grains and especially in July oats, which had lost 5c. In the end July wheat lost only 1/4c, September wheat 1/2c to 3/4c, July corn 1/2c, September corn 1/2c, and September oats 1/2c. July oats closed 2c higher, and provisions closed 1/2c to 3/4c down. Local receipts of wheat were 332 cars, 25 of contract grade; Minneapolis and Duluth reported 2,000 cars, making a total for the three points of 783 cars, against 712 last week and 705 a year ago. Primary receipts were 1,400 bu. against 1,123,000 bu. a year ago. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 205 cars; corn, 125 cars; oats, 200 cars; hogs, 22,000 head.

The leading futures closed: Wheat—July 75 1/2c, Sept. 75 1/2c, Dec. 75 1/2c; Corn—July 57 1/2c, Sept. 57 1/2c, Dec. 57 1/2c; Oats—July 40c, Sept. 40c, Dec. 40c; Beans—July 1 1/2c, Sept. 1 1/2c, Dec. 1 1/2c; Peas—July 1 1/2c, Sept. 1 1/2c, Dec. 1 1/2c; Lentils—July 1 1/2c, Sept. 1 1/2c, Dec. 1 1/2c; Mung beans—July 1 1/2c, Sept. 1 1/2c, Dec. 1 1/2c; Soybeans—July 1 1/2c, Sept. 1 1/2c, Dec. 1 1/2c; Clover—Sept. 15c, Nov. 15c, Jan. 15c; Hay—Sept. 15c, Nov. 15c, Jan. 15c; Potatoes—Sept. 10c, Nov. 10c, Jan. 10c; Onions—Sept. 8c, Nov. 8c, Jan. 8c; Cabbage—Sept. 6c, Nov. 6c, Jan. 6c; Carrots—Sept. 4c, Nov. 4c, Jan. 4c; Turnips—Sept. 3c, Nov. 3c, Jan. 3c; Brussels sprouts—Sept. 5c, Nov. 5c, Jan. 5c; Cauliflower—Sept. 4c, Nov. 4c, Jan. 4c; Broccoli—Sept. 3c, Nov. 3c, Jan. 3c; Asparagus—Sept. 6c, Nov. 6c, Jan. 6c; Green beans—Sept. 4c, Nov. 4c, Jan. 4c; Peas—Sept. 3c, Nov. 3c, Jan. 3c; Lentils—Sept. 2c, Nov. 2c, Jan. 2c; Mung beans—Sept. 1c, Nov. 1c, Jan. 1c; Soybeans—Sept. 0.50c, Nov. 0.50c, Jan. 0.50c.

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Farmers in London District
Are Optimistic.

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of Empty Granaries Is Not
Warranted.

Crops! Was the subject ever so much discussed as at the present? Farmers and city dweller alike has the theme of them on the tip of his tongue. One man's crops are completely ruined, while his neighbor vows that it is the best year in twenty-five and that he is fully satisfied. To obtain a representative this morning an Advertiser representative this morning interviewed a number of prominent farmers living in the district surrounding London, and their combined statements go to show that in spite of the unprecedented rainfall, the prospects are on the whole bright. If rain had fallen moderately the farmers' profits would have certainly doubled those of last year, and even with the existing conditions they expect to make at least as much money, if not more, than last year. All kinds of grain will yield more bushels to the acre than in any year since 1890. In some places wheat yielded about five bushels to the acre, whereas, according to the farmers interviewed, the crop this year would have averaged twenty bushels to the acre but for the rain. The increase is accounted for by the absence of the Hessian fly, which, to the gratification of the farmers, has only once put in an appearance.

A MISLEADING PICTURE.
The picture which has of late been drawn of the state of the country's crops has been painted too black. Although the farmers do not seem to be awake to the fact, they are not as bad off as they were last year. By their own statements, the crops have been doing better than last year. Despite the sprouting and drowning the wheat has undergone, several farmers said that when the apples became ripe, they feared their trees would break down. Peaches, plums and pears are in some cases poor and in the others the best seen in years.

OATS ARE VERY GOOD.
Oats are very good, considering the harsh treatment they have undergone, and if the weather holds good for a few days the crop will be saved from drowning. The quality is of the best and the crop has been doing well in the flat in the fields and it is this portion of the crop that has rotted or will rot.

LOTS OF FRUIT.
Different kinds of fruit are coming on splendidly, although in some cases farmers report that many apples without the slightest blemish and seemingly healthy have dropped to the ground. Several farmers said that when the apples became ripe, they feared their trees would break down. Peaches, plums and pears are in some cases poor and in the others the best seen in years.

"I have not had better crops in thirty-five years," said Mr. H. B. O'Connor, of the townline between Westminster and Delaware; "that is, both from point of quantity and quality. Of course, since the rain has come, I cannot say that, but I still have no very great reason to be discouraged. Oats are good and are not touched by smut or any other grain disease. Wheat, though sprouting, is very good and where I live we have a very good crop of barley. Corn has suffered considerably and is just now coming into harvest. The crop of hay is excellent, that is that of it which has been taken into the barns. The hay that it still in the fields will likely spoil. Peas, peaches, plums and apples are, on the whole, a very good crop, although where I live apples are not as good as we first thought. They are fine, healthy looking fruit without any sign of blight or grub, but they appear to drop off the trees as soon as they reach a certain size. Berries and smaller fruits are good."

Mr. Lewis, of lot 7, concession 3, London Township, when spoken to regarding the conditions of the crops, said: "Well, hay is again, although one-quarter of it, mostly timothy, is standing yet. It should be in by this time, and it will be spoiled. Oats are good, though some of the heads are down. We will be able to cut them, however. The oats show no signs of smut, although the straw is too long for the head. Wheat is fair, but sprouting. Corn is very poor, excepting on well fertilized land. Peaches are a failure in our district, but apples were never better. There is difficulty in cutting anything at present, owing to the wet condition of the soil."

Mr. George Bell, of Komoka, had the following comment about the crops in the district in which he lives: "Oats are beaten down a lot, but are not affected by smut and can be called a pretty good crop. Hay is good, but about one-third is rotting in the fields. It is better hay, and a better crop than we have had for years. The rain hurt the clover a great deal. There is a good crop of wheat, of which I should judge one-third has sprouted. Good flour cannot be made from sprouted wheat. Corn is very slow and will not be much good. All kinds of fruit

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Gen. Lucas Meyer Lunches
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WILL TALK WITH CHAMBERLAIN

Delarey's Daughter Married at Cape
Town—Congregation Was Too
Noisy to Suit Pastor.

London, July 30.—Gen. Lucas Meyer, formerly commander of the Orange Free State forces, is being lionized in London. He has dined with Alfred Rothschild and he lunches today with Earl Roberts, commander-in-chief of the British forces. Gen. Meyer expects to interview Joseph Chamberlain, the Colonial Secretary, and he is overwhelmed with social invitations which he is unable to accept, as he goes to Carlsbad next Saturday on his doctor's orders.

DELAIREY'S DAUGHTER WEDS.
Cape Town, July 30.—The daughter of the Boer general, Delarey, and his secretary, Ferreira, were married at the Dutch Church here yesterday. The congregation made such a demonstration that the pastor, Rev. Mr. Steytler, threatened to stop the ceremony and clear the church. After this the ceremony proceeded quietly. Later on there was a great reception, which was attended mostly by Afrikaners.

THE ERA OF PEACE.
London, July 30.—Persons of all political views have been favorably impressed by the utterances of Gen. Botha and Gen. Delarey at Cape Town. Any statements of the two Boer commanders would be heard with respect, and such advice as they gave their countrymen before leaving the Cape will go a long way toward permanent reconciliation between conqueror and conquered.

"No thoughtful Briton," says one of the Imperialist journals, "wishes the Boer to bury any of his traditions until he is ready to do so voluntarily, and there are some Boer traditions which deserve immortality. What we seek to accomplish is the regeneration of South Africa and the birth of a new system of social and political life, in which Briton and Boer shall have equal duty and equal advantage."

CONFIDENCE IN BOTH.
Botha's admission of his entire confidence in the good faith of the British Government is regarded as very promising material for the future. It will facilitate the work of repatriation. Nine-tenths, if not all, of the exiled Boers will be on the old soil by November, which is the beginning of the South African summer, and they will be in a position, with Government aid, to commence farming almost at once. On this vital point the Statist well

observes: "Our plan should be to transform the Boer from a mere herder of cattle into a farmer who makes the most of agricultural science. More crops and fewer cattle should be the goal. This would not only increase the resources of the country, but will give the Boer a larger and fairer share in those resources." All the literature put forth on the

subject of South African development urges the wisdom of allowing the Boer to participate fully in the enterprise of the British capitalists.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

A few evenings ago two couples were made happy in the holy bonds of matrimony at the Kensington parsonage by the Rev. S. Salton.

KENSINGTON LEAGUE.

An interesting meeting was held on Tuesday evening by the Kensington Epworth League in the interest of the forward movement for missions.

The pastor, Rev. S. Salton, called upon Mr. Nicholson, district president, to occupy the chair. Excellent addresses were given by the Revs. Thomas and Budd.

After canvassing the league, Mr. Thomas stated that the Kensington League had done the best so far in the campaign, having trebled its givings.

WILSON—CAVE.

Miss Florence Cave, fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cave, of Marley Place, South London, yesterday

After thrashing a corporal who had ill-treated them, eight German cavalrymen have deserted to France and enlisted in the Foreign Legion.

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of Windsor, formerly of this city. Rev. Walker performed the ceremony. The wedding was of a very quiet nature. The bride was assisted by her sister, Miss Carrie Cave, and Mr. George Upham, of this city, acted as groomsman. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will reside in Detroit.

LAKE ERIE ALTERATIONS. The Lake Erie and Detroit River Railroad Company have commenced building two sidings between Horton and South streets, not having had in the past adequate space to store their excursion cars. The new sidings will be completed in a few days. The contain space for freight shed alterations have not materialized. The work on the bridges on the line will be commenced soon.

DEATH OF LONDONER'S FATHER. Mr. Thomas Richmond, father of Mr. John L. Richmond, manager of the Bell Telephone Company, of this city, died the other day at Hamilton, where he was residing. He was 78 years of age. He was a member of St. John's Lodge, A. F. and A. M., and Gore Lodge, A. O. U. W. He was a P. D. D. M. W. of the Workmen. The funeral took place today.

WINONA'S MAIDEN CRUISE

Pleasant Trip From Port Stanley to Rondeau and Return.

New Pleasure Boat a Commodious and Comfortable Craft.

Fair weather and an unruffled sea favored the first extended trip on Lake Erie of the new boat Winona, recently built and launched at Port Stanley by the well-known lake navigator, Capt. John Ellison. The captain invited a number of his friends, including several London people, to accompany him on a trip from Port Stanley to Rondeau and return. The party were on board the new boat early Monday morning, and at 7 o'clock they started up the lake for the little harbor whose name has recently been associated with all sorts of possibilities as a depot and distributing point for the coal shipped across the lake from Ontario to the Canadian side. The run from Port Stanley to Rondeau was a pleasant one, and occupied about four hours. The weather—already hinted—was not of a character to put the Winona's sea-sickness quality to a full test, but she gave ample evidence of being a first-class sailer, speedy and easy to handle. Her machinery gave good satisfaction, and when it has been used a little more will doubtless work to perfection. Rondeau was reached about 11 o'clock, and those who chose to go ashore had ample time to learn the charms of the place, do some fishing and enjoy the pleasure of bathing in the lake.

At 4 p.m. the Winona started eastward, and Port Stanley was reached about 7 p.m. The skipper, Capt. Ellison, who is justly proud of his new craft, was very attentive to his guests, and the trip was much enjoyed by all. The new boat is well advanced toward completion, and will have all the modern fittings and conveniences. She is staunch and trim, about 2 feet wider and 7 feet longer than the Joe Milton. The Winona is intended to be used as an excursion boat, either for picnic parties at the Port, or for excursions up and down and across the lake, and in her construction everything has been done to insure the safety and comfort of her passengers.

Among the clergymen noticed on the grounds were Rev. Father Aylmer, rector of St. Peter's Cathedral, Rev. Father Egan, Rev. Father Driscoll, Rev. Father Foster and Rev. Father Wilbee, of St. Paul, Minn.

NO. REGIMENTAL DEPOT

List of Officers To Be Attached to the London Institution.

Militia Order Affecting Members of the Coronation Contingent.

Ottawa, July 29.—A militia order issued today announces that officers, non-com. officers and men who proceeded to England with the coronation contingent will hand over to the commanding officer of the corps to which they belong all articles of arms, clothing and equipment or other stores issued to them from militia stores.

The following officers have been authorized to be attached to No. 1 Regimental Depot, R. C. R. London: Lieutenant G. S. Fowler, Thirty-second Regiment; Lieutenant H. E. Corrie, Twenty-seventh Regiment; Second Lieutenant J. C. Elliott, Twenty-sixth Regiment; Lieutenant D. Fraser, Twenty-fifth Regiment; Lieutenant W. W. MacVicar, Thirty-third Regiment; Lieutenant P. H. Campbell, Eighty-second Regiment; Second Lieutenant J. P. McPeake, Seventy-first Regiment.

The special month's course in manual training for school teachers in connection with Sir W. C. MacDonald scheme closed today. W. H. Leck, superintendent of the work for Ontario, said that he had had experience in England, Sweden, Germany and other European countries, and that he had never seen work superior to that done by the Canadians. The class embraced students from all parts of the Dominion, seventy being in attendance.

1,000 SOLDIERS REACH HALIFAX. Halifax, N. S., July 29.—The Leyland steamer Cestrian, from Port Natal, South Africa, July 2, via St. Vincent, C. V. I., arrived here at 4:30 this afternoon. The steamer had 1,639 officers and passengers, and the work of paying them off was commenced as soon as the steamer came to anchor. Ten men are discharged irregulars.

Women of 41 men of the Second Canadian Mounted Rifles also came on the Cestrian. The men will be landed in the morning and entrain for the West.

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ST. MARY'S GARDEN PARTY

Successful Event Conducted by Ladies of Parish.

Father McKeon Received Handsome Gift From School Board.

The congregation of St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church are to be congratulated on the success of the garden party given last night by the ladies of the parish, in aid of the building fund of the new church. The attendance was as large if not larger than any event of the kind, and the proceeds will make a substantial payment towards lifting the debt from the beautiful edifice which forms such an attractive landmark in the eastern end of the city. About 1,500 people were present last night on the grounds of the old church on Hill street. The scene presented was a brilliant one, the ground being illuminated with electric lights and decorated with Chinese lanterns.

Large groups were placed in different parts of the grounds and in their refreshment were served by Mesdames Fitzhenry, Murphy and Durkin and Messrs. James Ward and James Murray. Tea was served in the church from 6 to 8 o'clock, the following ladies being in charge of the tables. Mesdames Durkin, Fitzhenry, J. B. Murphy, Face and J. B. Murphy.

Later in the evening a delightful literary and musical program was rendered from a large covered platform, decorated with flags and bunting. Mr. T. J. Murphy acted as chairman and introduced the following program: Selection, Elsie Mandolin and Guitars Club; "The Dusty Miller," Miss Pauline Mowat; solo, "The Tale of the Kangaroo," Mr. John M. Daly; song, "If Dream Come True," Miss Isabel Currie; recitation, "Molly," Miss Sarah Murdock; quartet, Messrs. Wheeler, Galpin, Thompson and Webster; selection, The Elite Club; solo, Miss Annie Carroll; Toronto; recitation, "The Frenchman and the Flea Powder," Miss Nina Burke; quartet, Messrs. Wheeler, Webster, Galpin and Thompson; Mrs. James Murray acted as accompanist in her usual efficient manner. The band of the Twenty-sixth Regiment also rendered a number of enjoyable and artistically interpreted selections during the evening.

A pleasant feature of the evening's proceedings was the presentation of a beautiful gold chalice to Rev. Father McKeon. The gift was from the Separate school board, as a mark of the high value placed upon Father McKeon's services as superintendent of the city schools, the position which he filled so ably and successfully for several years before his appointment as successor to the late Rev. Father Traher. The presentation of the chalice was made by Mr. John P. Wheeler, rector of St. Peter's Cathedral. Mrs. James Murray acted as accompanist in her usual efficient manner. The band of the Twenty-sixth Regiment also rendered a number of enjoyable and artistically interpreted selections during the evening.

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