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Chatham Need Not Fear A Shortage In Milk Supply

While Other Places Suffer
The Maple City Has
Plenty

Local Milkmen are Adding
to Their Herds—Demand
Is Greater

A few days ago an article appeared in the Toronto Star stating that the people of that city were experiencing a great shortage in the supply of milk. The cause of this shortage was due to the dry weather, mainly. The dairy farms are suffering for the want of showers, and the flies at this season of the year are at their worst. The cows, as a result, are giving a short supply of the lactical fluid for the past two weeks. It is estimated in Toronto that there is a shortage in production of twenty per cent, and the ever-increasing consumption of ice-cream has something to do with the recurrence of summer milk famines.

Mr. McGeachy, when interviewed the other day with reference to the shortage in milk, stated that there was a tremendous decline in the production, but not more than in previous years. Butter has advanced from 18 cents to 25 cents in the past two weeks, and milk in several places has advanced from six to seven cents per quart. He also stated that he was able to meet all demands, and so far has no reason to anticipate any famine. He is continually adding to his herd, and will continue to do so. At the present time it costs more to produce the milk on account of the shortage. Several of the other dairies are finding it difficult to supply their customers, and, as a result, they have to go out into the country and purchase from the farmer. At this time of the year there are many returning from their holidays, thus increasing the demand for milk. Although the shortage is great, Chatham need not fear any famine.

CLEVER RUSE OF A THIEF

Enables Him to Get Away
With Rich Booty—
Smooth Work

Dressed As An Officer He
Presented Cheque at
Bank

New York, Aug. 19.—The Sun correspondent at St. Petersburg sends the following cable despatch: The fame of the cobbler of Koenigsberg seems to have penetrated as far away as Harbin, Manchuria. A few days ago a man in an officer's uniform presented himself, armed with power of attorney, at the treasury of the Trans-Amur division and demanded \$6,655 roubles, the estimated expenditure of the First Brigade for the month.

The papers were in perfect order and the supposed officer received a check on the Russo-Chinese Bank for the amount, which was duly paid. Part of the money was counted out in silver coin, which seemed to annoy the officer, but as the bank had a legal right to make part of its payments in silver he consented grudgingly to take the heavy stuff, but telephoned for a conveyance of three privates, who escorted him to the railway station.

There the supposed officer ordered the men to stand guard over the bags of silver and left, carrying off the rest of the money himself. The guard kept watch for 24 hours without any relief coming and would probably still be there had not the garrison commander made inquiries from the staff of the First Brigade, where nothing was known about the officer, his mission or the money.

Two Forts Threatened.
Toulon, Aug. 19.—Great forest fires are blazing on all sides of this place and two forts are threatened. Troops are making desperate efforts to control the fire, but thus far with little result owing to a high wind.

Plague in Manchuria.
Harbin, Manchuria, Aug. 19.—The bubonic plague has broken out in South Manchuria and 16 deaths have been reported. Travelers proceeding into North Manchuria are being medically examined at Kiangshingou.

Earthquake Noticed.
San Juan, Aug. 19.—A perceptible earthquake was noticed here Saturday night. No damage, however, has been reported from any part of Porto Rico.

Wonder is the first cause of philosophy.

The older we grow, the less we are certain of.

BASEBALL IS TAKING MAPLE CITY BY STORM

Great Bunch of Enthusiastic Fans Was Present at Park
Games On Saturday—Two Fine and Exciting Exhibitions

	Won	Lost	To Play
Wagon Works	6	3	7
Tammany Healers	6	4	6
C. F. M.	6	4	6
Motor Car	1	8	7

BASEBALL IS TAKING.

Saturday afternoon a bumper crowd witnessed two of the fastest games of amateur ball ever played off in this city. The fans were in the seventh heaven of baseball bliss, and after a long afternoon of hilarious rooting, they went home horse-throated but happy. And despite what an old knocker may say to the contrary, Saturday's games proved that Chatham's aggregation of twirling artists deserve all the credit that's going. The boys should get a boost from every lover of the good old game. To judge by the enthusiasm of the crowd, their efforts put up interesting exhibitions is duly appreciated. The inauguration of the city league was no lame little undertaking, but it is pleasing to note that it has met with success.

WAGON WORKS 9-TAMMANY 5.
Nine to four was the tune to which the Wagon Works walloped the drab-shirted Tammany Healers in the first game. Both teams came backed up by large deputations of enthusiastic fans, whose stock of ammunition in the way of baseball slang never seemed to give out. Up till the fifth innings there wasn't a dopy minute in this game, and though there were a few stray errors, the interest never flagged. The fielding of both teams was excellent. All three gardens were well tended to, and the men on the bags were there with the merchandise all the time. A triple play in the field, and a number of three baggers by the batting team made things mighty interesting for awhile, but when Taylor stepped up to the plate and pushed the ball away off into the nowhere for a home run, the Heeler fans went wild with joy. When he had done the trip around the bases, the cornered belt line, there was a bunch hanging around the plate that would have hugged him if they had thought Taylor would let them.

Pleasence for the Heelers was never feeling his oats more than when he stepped into the box Saturday afternoon. And the boy certainly did lam them over the home diamond for awhile. For his slight stature, Eddie certainly has phenomenal speed. He sticks sturdily to the straight ball, but it has a full-grown beard before it reaches the catcher's mitt. Now and then he gets to shivering them over curly-cue fashion. His curves have their bewildering tendencies. Westfall for the Wagon Works is a pretty speedy member too, and he persisted in getting to a brand of puzzlers that kept the Heeler men guessing. Up till the fifth innings both pitchers had great success. Then, apparently, the Heelers went all to pieces. The little chaps seemed to lose heart after a couple of embarrassing errors and a bunch of ill-timed hard

Police Court Proceedings

Theophilus Gagner appeared before Judge Houston this morning charged with stealing a dog collar and tag from his nephew, Frank Gagner. He was found guilty, but was dismissed on paying the costs of the case, which amounted to \$10.

Last week Officer Peter Dezella rounded up a colored lad, named Wm. Jenkins, who was charged with forging a cheque for \$15. In the name of his aunt, Mrs. L. J. Poiré. The cheque was payable by the United States Express Company, of which Brisco Bros. are the local agents. On discovering the forgery Brisco Bros. immediately set the police on the trail, and made good the amount to Mrs. Poiré.

Officer Dezella traced Jenkins to Windsor, where he located him on the outskirts of the Border City. The boy at first refused to say anything about the matter, but Pete took him to the Windsor Police Station, and, in the sweat box, managed to get a confession from him. Jenkins pleaded guilty before Judge Houston this morning. He has refunded the fifteen dollars, and, on agreeing to pay the costs of the case, he was dismissed.

Brown and Crosby, the King St.

The Bottom is Not Falling Out of Tilbury Oil Field

The Statistics Show That
Amounts Distributed to
Producers are High

Another Gas Well Comes
In On The Gardiner
Farm

On Friday an excellent gas well came in on the Gardiner farm in Tilbury East. This well is already known as the "Great Gardiner Well," and is the twelfth good well for the Maple City Oil and Gas Company. It is estimated as a six or seven million foot well, and is a better well than the Burgess gas well. This company has been very successful and is the only company that hasn't drilled a dry hole. They are connecting the three big gas wells, namely, The Burgess, Robinson and Gardiner, and have extended the pipe line through the field to the Fletcher lease. The pipe line to Tilbury is also being hitched on and gas is being rapidly consumed by Tilbury residents, hotels and manufacturing concerns. They are using a four-inch main instead of a three-inch, as is used in this city. The company has from ten to twelve million feet per day capped up and could supply their customers for two weeks in case of emergency. Some time ago it was stated that the bottom was falling out of the Tilbury field, but according to statistics such is not the case. Last month the amount of money distributed to the producers was \$70,000, and the month previous some \$48,000 was distributed. This shows the richness of the great oil field and of what value it is to the farmer. The present drilling it shows a revenue of \$800,000 per year to the producer. This is not bad for Tilbury East.

THOUSANDS IN PERIL

Another Car of Dynamite
Explodes and Does
Damage

Kingston N. Y. Was Badly
Skaken—Traffic
Held Up

Kingston, N. Y., Aug. 19.—The explosion of a car of dynamite endangered the lives of thousands of persons who were watching a fire here Saturday night, which destroyed the West Shore Railroad freight office, sheds and forty cars, causing a loss of over \$200,000.

The shock of the explosion was felt from one end of the town to the other and windows were shattered within a radius of several blocks. The dynamite was enclosed in cases, most of which exploded separately, and to this is largely due, the firemen say, the escape of the spectators from serious injury.

So far as known, beyond a few bruises, no one was hurt. Many of the cars contained oil, which, together with the frame sheds and the inflammable nature of the freight cars, made the fire unusually stubborn. It was four hours before the entire fire fighting force of Kingston, 15 companies, could subdue the blaze. During this time, all passenger and freight traffic was held up.

Suicide at the Falls.
Niagara Falls, Aug. 19.—When Edward Brennan and Frank Thom were walking along the river in Prospect Park, opposite the foot of Falls street they saw a man sitting on the rocks close to the edge of the water. When they spoke to him he jumped up, glanced around and then plunged into the rapids and was swept over the Falls. Peter Landrigan of No. 470 Eighth street, a foreman in the Niagara Folding Box Co.'s factory, is missing, and it is believed the suicide was he.

Child's Escape From Death.
London, Aug. 19.—Losing her balance, as she leaned over a screen in the window of the third storey of Mr. Gilmore's house on Adelaide street, Grace M. Ewen, seven years old, plunged head downwards and fell a distance of forty feet to the cement sidewalk below. She sustained a fractured leg and badly injured back. Her escape from instant death was little short of miraculous. Dr. John Wilson says she will recover.

Banquet Canadian Ministers.
Paris, Aug. 19.—Foreign Minister Pichon gave a dinner here Saturday night in honor of L. P. Brodeur and W. S. Fielding, Canadian Ministers of Marine and Finance respectively.

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15c. Packages Force, 10c. each.
12 Bars Judd's Soap, 25c.
Fine Table Syrup, 50c. a gallon.
2 lbs. Camp Lard, 25c.
1 lb. Package Seeded Raisins, 12c.
Cooking Figs, 4c. per lb.
1 lb. Tins Sunlight Baking Powder, 10c.
Corn, 9c. per can.
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MONDAY, AUGUST 19, 1907.

PROTECT THE PAVEMENTS.

A short time ago, it was pointed out in The Planet that the heavy traction engines, passing through the city, were doing considerable damage to the pavements. At that time the matter was brought up in the Council, and it seemed to be the general opinion of the aldermen that nothing could be done, as the streets were public thoroughfares, and therefore open to public traffic.

In the meantime, the city pavements are suffering—some of them to a very great extent. On a number of the finest roadways in the city are distinct marks and grooves, where the heavy wheels of these engines have cut down into the pavements. Chatham is the home of the finest streets in Ontario, but her excellent reputation in this respect has not been gained without considerable expense. The citizens' good money has been freely spent in matters of improving the public highways of the city, and it will be a shame if the results of this expense and labor are to be destroyed through indiscrete and improper usage of the pavements.

It has been suggested that the owners of these offensive but necessary articles of machinery, be compelled to use only unpaved streets except when it is absolutely necessary to travel over a paved street. When the latter is necessary, they should be compelled to carry heavy board planks to place under the wheels, to protect the pavement from the damage which is at present becoming a menace to the city's excellent system of roadways.

This suggestion is one which commands itself to The Planet. In any event the Council should take immediate steps to preserve the pavements against this evil, and if they have not now the powers to apply a suitable remedy, they should petition at once for special legislation which would over-rule all possible legal obstructions, and give to the citizens ample protection for the money they have invested.

THE ARK CHANGES HANDS

One of the most important business changes that has taken place for some time in this city has been the disposal of the business of the Ark to Jas. E. Gray, of the China Hall.

This will come as a surprise to many people, but, owing to the continued ill-health of the late proprietor of the Ark, and to the fact that Mr. Gray's present premises have been sold and that he has to make a change anyway, it is generally conceded that the present move for both will be very beneficial, and combine the two businesses under one management.

Mr. Macaulay, who will retire from active life, is well and favorably known throughout this city and the three counties, and it would be impossible to find a house where the great Ark is not only a home-way for the old folks, but a play place for the children. The Ark was opened seventeen years ago, in a very small way in its present home, and has grown and expanded until to-day it is looked upon as one of the attractions of the Maple City, and visitors are always seeking access to the store amazed at the variety and fine class of goods there displayed.

Mr. Gray, the new proprietor, will assume possession in about a week's time, announcement of which will be known later.

The Ark will be closed to-day for stock-taking.

MEN RULE BY FORCE, WOMEN BY CHARM.

And yet, because they live less strenuously, women neglect the early evidences of falling vigor. The wise woman will not permit her charms to be robbed by ill-health. When she feels appetite failing, nerves getting on edge, color fading, she takes Ferron's. How it sharpens the appetite! How quickly rich blood is available to restore color to the cheeks, buoyancy to the step. Better try Ferron's. You'll feel like a new being with new vigor and ability to confront life's difficulties. You are sure to bless the day you commenced Ferron's. Sold everywhere in 50c. boxes.

ERIEAU

Erieau, Aug. 17.—Mr. and Mrs. Manson Campbell returned to the Eau last night after a pleasant trip down the St. Lawrence.

A fine large heron was discovered last evening standing on the edge of the marsh. The bird was very tame, and remained immovable until those approaching came within a foot of it.

Miss Verna Sheldon, who has been a guest at Waverley Lodge, returned to the city last night.

Miss Tena MacDougall and a party of friends spent last evening at the Eau.

Miss Lillian McCorvie and Miss Elida Rankin are the guests of Miss Ross English.

Mrs. B. B. Waneas was an Erieau visitor yesterday.

Misses Mary and Ella Abraham were the guests of their aunt, Mrs. H. D. Smith, on Friday.

Miss Grace Merritt spent Friday at Outlaw's Inn.

Master Kenneth Brown is visiting his uncle, Mr. Chas. Brown, at Centerville.

Miss Maud Groves, of Poplar St., came out yesterday to visit Mrs. Shillington, at Genevieve Cottage.

Ted MacDonald and Amy McLean are occupying the O'Brien Cottage, near the Eau shore. The boys are having a jolly time.

Miss Etta English and a party of friends have opened up a cottage for the remainder of the month. Her cousin, Miss Hortense Matias, of Hamilton, is one of the merry party.

Mr. English is expected to join his daughter to-morrow.

Messrs. Fred, Somerville and J. A. McAlpine were Erieau visitors yesterday.

Mrs. E. E. Nogar returned to her home in Temperance, Mich., after a pleasant holiday with her sister, Mrs. Capt. Fellows, at the Light-house.

Mr. Tanjet, a Japanese tea merchant, of Cleveland, who, with Mrs. Tanjet and her niece have been guests at the Bungalow, left yesterday for Chatham, and will stop at Hotel Sanita. They expect to return to Cleveland by way of Detroit.

Mrs. Ira Burke and daughter Alice spent Thursday with Mrs. W. D. Samson.

Mrs. Snider and Douglas, of McKean, are enjoying a pleasant outing at Friday.

Mr. C. B. Cherry and young son returned to the city last night, and are leaving for Detroit, where they will be the guests of her cousin, Mr. Frank W. Robinson, barrister.

Mrs. Jessie Blawie, of Toronto, is a welcome visitor on the Bar. She and Mr. Blawie are being entertained at Drumtochty Lodge.

Master Claud Walker had an enjoyable time at Erieau yesterday.

Mr. Perkins is again the lucky fisherman in these waters. Yesterday he caught a thirty inch pike, which was sold to Mrs. Ryan. This is probably the one which got away from Archie Park, J. B. Stringer, Jim Oldershaw, Ed. Northwood, and Dr. Bray.

Mrs. Richardson, of Adelaide St., and the Misses Richardson, were the guests at Judge Houston's Cottage, yesterday.

Everyone took a walk to the pier, yesterday, to see "the breaking waves dash high." Several of the on-lookers were drenched by waves breaking over their heads. A great many were interested in watching rowboats in the channel, occupied by three men. When in the trough the boat was completely hidden from view.

Erieau, August 19.—Mr. Fred. Guttridge was a week-end visitor on the Bar.

Mr. John Northwood, William St., spent Sunday with his family at the Bungalow.

Miss Lou Clark, of Blenheim, is visiting friends at the Eau.

Miss Maggie Walker is enjoying a holiday at Erieau.

Mr. Wm. Ball, who has been the guest of friends here, returned home on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Randle were entertained at Mr. J. G. Kerr's cottage over Sunday.

Mr. Bert Riddell was out sailing the "Beatrice" yesterday. No one there to enjoy this sport more than Bert.

Mrs. V. Goulder went to Chatham on Saturday evening to attend a family re-union at the home of her father, Mr. Geo. B. Merritt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilson and son Sidney, are guests at the Bungalow.

Mr. H. P. Wightman is registered at the Bungalow.

Though we have no automobiles at the Eau, the gasoline fumes are taking the place of cars. Some ladies enjoyed a ride on it yesterday morning.

Although we have only one mail a day everyone is pleased with the service and the delivery at the Post-office.

Dr. L. McArthur spent Sunday with his family at Sandy Knowe. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clements spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sample, at Uneeda Rest.

Miss Bertha Northwood came out

Saturday evening to spend some time with her brother, Mr. Ed. Northwood.

Miss Rena McLaren is visiting friends at Chatham-on-the-Lake. Mr. and Mrs. James Innes were the guests of Mrs. Manson Campbell for the week-end.

Captain Malory spent Saturday at Bertham.

Mr. Hundredmark arrived Saturday evening from Cleveland, and will spend the rest of the season with his family at the Eau. Mr. Hundredmark is an expert angler.

Mr. John Sheldon, of Queen's Hotel, Ridgetown, is spending a few days with his family at Waverley Lodge.

Miss Sarah Jahneke was the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. E. Snook, over Sunday.

Miss Nellie Lambert is visiting with friends in this vicinity.

Messrs. Arthur Baldwin and Fred. Scullard, of Standard Bank, are the guests of friends at the Eau.

Mr. E. J. B. Duncan, Mr. L. McKern, and Mr. H. W. Anderson, of Toronto, and Mr. Pen Reid, of Chatham, are the guests of Miss Helen Young.

DOUBLED UP WITH CRAMPS.

Stomach feels like an iron ball. Nothing does the work half so soon as Poison's Nervine. Why, it kills the pain instantly. If your bottle is empty get another to-day. Nervine keeps the doctor's bill small because it cures little ills before they grow big. Nothing for indigestion, heartburn and cramps like Poison's Nervine. Large bottles for 25c.

THE MARKETS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Higher, Chicago Lower—Live Stock—Latest Quotations.

Friday Evening, Aug. 16.
Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day 1/4 higher, and corn futures 1/4 higher than yesterday.

At Chicago Sept. wheat closed 1/4 lower than yesterday, Sept. corn unchanged and Sept. oats 1/4 higher.

Winnipeg Options.

Following are the closing quotations on Winnipeg grain futures to-day:
Wheat—Aug. 3/4 bid, Sept. 3/4 bid, Oct. 3/4 bid.
Oats—Aug. 3/4 bid, Sept. 3/4 bid, Dec. 3/4 bid.

Toronto Grain Markets.

Grain—
Wheat, spring, bush 85 to 90
Wheat, fall, bush 80 to 85
Wheat, coarse, bush 80 to 85
Wheat, red, bush 80 to 85
Peas, bush 55 to 60
Barley, bush 55 to 60
Oats, bush 50 to 55

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, creamery, boxes 21 to 22
Butter, dairy, lb. rolls 18 to 19
Butter, tub, lb. rolls 18 to 19
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls 22 to 24
Eggs, new-laid, dozen 19 to 20
Cheese, large, lb. 12 to 13
Cheese, twin, lb. 12 to 13
Honey, 50-lb. tins 10 to 11
Honey, 10-lb. tins 9 to 10

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 16.—Wheat—Spot, quiet. No. 1 red western winter, 7 1/2; futures, easy; Sept., 7 1/2; Dec., 7 3/4; March, 7 3/4. Corn, spot American mixed, new, quiet, 5 1/2; old, 5 1/4. Export, 5 1/2; futures, quiet; Sept., 5 1/2; Oct., 5 1/4.

Beef, extra India mess, steady, 55c. Pork, prime mess, western, quiet, 30s. Bacon, short cut, dull, 55c. Bacon, short rib, steady, 55c; long clear middles, light, quiet, 55c; long clear middles, heavy, dull, 55c; shoulders, square, easy, 35c.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Butter, steady; receipts, 500; creamery, common to special, 24c to 25c; western factory, common to extra, 23c to 24c.
Cheese—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 1000.
Eggs—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 7000.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Easier—Hogs Still Firm at Buffalo Market.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—London cables are steady at 11 1/2 to 12 1/2 per lb. dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 7 1/2 to 8 per lb.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Aug. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 200 head; nothing doing.
Veals—Estimated 500 head, active and 25 higher, 15 to 16; few 15 1/2.
Hogs—Receipts, 600 head, fairly active and 10 to 15 higher; prime steers, 15 to 16; mixed, 14 to 15; cows, 13 to 14; calves, 12 to 13; pigs, 11 to 12; roughs, 10 to 11; dairies, 10 to 11.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 100 head; active and steady, unchanged.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Beef—Receipts, 200; irregular. Steers, 14 1/2 to 15 1/2; oxen and stags, 14 1/2 to 15 1/2; bulls, 14 1/2 to 15 1/2; cows, 13 1/2 to 14 1/2. Export to-morrow, 75 cattle and 5000 calves of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 20; dull trade; prices: Veals, 15 to 16; western, 15 to 16; throwouts, 14 to 15; yearlings and grassers, 13 to 14.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 500; good; sheep, firm; lambs, steady; lambs, firm; best grades, 10 to 15 higher. Sheep, 13 to 14; 10 to 15; prime sheep, 12 to 13; lambs, 11 to 12; culls, 10 to 11.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,000; steady, but slow; common to prime steers, 14 1/2 to 15 1/2; cows, 13 to 14; calves, 12 to 13; pigs, 11 to 12; roughs, 10 to 11; dairies, 10 to 11.

Sheep—Receipts, about 14,000; market strong to be higher; good to prime heavy, 13 to 14; medium to good heavy, 12 to 13; butchers' weights, 11 to 12; good to prime mixed, 10 to 11; light mixed, 9 to 10; packing, 8 to 9; culls, 7 to 8.

Sheep—Receipts, about 5,000; market weak; sheep, 13 to 14; yearlings, 12 to 13; lambs, 11 to 12.

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FIRE SUPERSTITIONS.

Curious Customs and Observances to Avert Impending Evil.

In the lake land of northern England there is a well known case of a fire that has been kept up for three generations. When it accidentally went out the householder went to some wood cutters who had cut their fire from his, says the London Daily News, and brought back their fire to his own hearth in order that he might possess, as it were, the needs of his ancestral fire. Undoubtedly this arises from the old belief that the house fire is derived from a sacred source. Then there are many house ceremonial fires once a year. Thus at Burhead all the fires are lighted from the "burning clavier," and kept alight continuously during the year, it being considered lucky to keep the flame from the clavier all the year.

Another curious feature of the observance is that the long nail which fastens the staves of the clavier is made of iron by the village smith, the hammer must be a round stone. Such importance is attached to the ceremony that the bearer should stumble during the perambulation of the village it is looked on as a dire calamity, foretelling disaster to the place and certain death to the bearer in the course of the next year.

There are quite a number of ceremonial fires lighted on St. John the Baptist's eve. In Nottinghamshire part of the Yule log is kept till the following year, to be burned upon the next Christmas eve. The method is first to put a bit of last year's log into the fireplace and burn it, then the log must be put on the fire and allowed to burn for a little while. It is then taken off and burned a little every night until New Year's eve, when it is put on the fire and consumed, with the exception of a portion which is kept in the house for the next Christmas Day. It is believed that the observance of this custom will "keep the witch away."

In Cornwall the practice obtains of resorting to the hearth and touching the gravel (the mantel stone across the head of an open chimney) with the hearth, and casting into the fire a handful of dry grass or anything picked up that will burn. This form of "hearth sacrifice" is regarded as the most effectual means of averting any impending evils of a mysterious nature.

All these customs, in various ways, are derived from the sacred character with which our ancestors invested fire.

Beauties of Indian Empire.

His Royal Highness, the Prince of Wales, referring to his Indian visit, in his speech at the recent Royal Academy banquet at Burlington House, said: "In speaking to this distinguished company I am bold enough to suggest a visit to that wonderful land, which everywhere seemed to appeal to one's artistic feelings and sympathies. There is ample scope for the painter in landscape. He will find, for instance, all the picturesque surroundings of the old-world customs of the Rajput Princesses, the quaint, peaceful life of the villages, the beauty of the great and silent jungles, and the gorgeous and yet simple life of the desert. The student of architecture will find endless resources in the earlier Middle Ages buildings, both Mohammedan and Hindu. To my mind I have never seen anything more beautiful than the palaces, mosques, and tombs at Agra and Delhi, and surely the portrait painter would find a large and possibly a profitable field for his talent. I should like to remind you that one of the earliest Royal Academicians journeyed to India more than 120 years ago, and did much to be remembered for his work there. I believe that with some considerable pecuniary profit I have had the pleasure of seeing one of his most famous works in the Church of St. John at Calcutta."

"I am happy to think that the beautiful monuments of India are as well cared for, and that much of the India could fall to be grateful to Lord Curzon for all that he did to preserve the great architectural treasures of that country. The Princess and I saw enough to realize how much was due in this respect to the energy and a little knowledge of our former Viceroy."

Refuse to Be Unhappy.

A smile is contagious. Perhaps you never thought of that. You know that fear was catching, that discontent traveled like wildfire, that sickness brought sickness. No one can refuse to be unhappy. We all know the deadly results. Why not change the thought? Why not recognize that confidence in his future, happiness, and good health are also contagious?

It was a wise philosopher who said: "Thoughts are things. As a good thought, so is he." "Practice makes perfect," is a saying the truth of which is axiomatic.

Now optimism, practise good nature, and you will reap peace, joy, and contentment. No one can refuse to be happy. If you refuse to be unhappy, try it, and see if it does not work.

Treatment For Cuts.

Wash the cut thoroughly in warm water to get out any foreign substance which might cause blood poisoning; then bind tightly with lint. Clean the wound with a cut excludes the lodion applied to a cut excludes the lodion, which is the main cause of irritation to the raw surface.

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FUGITIVES ARE MISSING

Europeans Who Left Morocco Not Yet at Tangier.

Sultan Greatly Disturbed — Moslem Doctors Demand Holy War — Medical Help For Wounded Is Inadequate — Many Will Die — French General Getting Anxious — Kabyles Are Gathering For Attack.

Tangier, Aug. 17.—There is considerable uneasiness here over the non-arrival of a number of fugitive Europeans represented to have left Morocco City last Saturday under a strong escort and who were expected here last Monday.

Reports are arriving from Casablanca of heartrending scenes, wounded persons are now coming out from all sorts of hiding places. Slight wounds that would have been promptly cured had medical attention been available, are now mortified, and many of the unfortunate natives have to face amputation, and even that may be too late to save their lives.

The French medical staff at Casablanca is altogether inadequate to deal with the numerous cases.

The Sultan is said to be greatly disturbed by the attitude taken by the Ulem, the body of Moslem doctors of the law who interpret the Koran. On learning of the occupation of Casablanca by the French the Ulem of Fez, several other members of the Ulem, supported the demand for the influential sheikh of Kaitani for a holy war, and the Sultan is reported to fear deposition, or even assassination, if he declines to take himself personally at the head of the movement.

Casablanca, Aug. 17.—The town was quiet yesterday and business is being transacted. The French authorities are still engaged in clearing up the streets, burning the dead and collecting property.

A quantity of loot has been found and it will be sold for the benefit of the sufferers from the bombardment and rioting. The number of persons killed has been exaggerated.

Killed by Warships. Probably about a thousand men were killed in the fighting and massacre. The majority were Arabs, killed by the fire of the warships. Only 5,000 persons remain here, and the rest have fled to Gibraltar, Tangier or Spain. The town is now under the control of the French and Spanish authorities and no further trouble inside need be feared. French troops to the number of 3,000 are camped about a mile to the east of Casablanca. Their outposts are in touch with the Moors, and continual skirmishes are occurring.

The Moors have received large reinforcements and the French and Spanish authorities hear that they are planning a great attack on Casablanca for to-day, when, they say, they will drive the foreigners into the sea and burn the town. They are ample troops available to repulse any attack.

Paris, Aug. 17.—The correspondent of The Matin at Casablanca says that seaport is entirely surrounded by Kabyles, Gen. Druon, the commander of the French forces, is showing signs of anxiety. He constantly visits the outposts night and day.

CIRCUS HANDS WERE COOL. Seats Collapse Throwing Spectators to Ground—Several Injured.

Brookville, Aug. 17.—A panic was only averted during the afternoon performance of the circus at Brookville, when the seats, which were crowded, collapsed, throwing several spectators to the ground and injuring many.

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Captain of Doomed Barque Couldn't See Passengers Drown.

Buenos Ayres, Aug. 17.—Details received here of the wreck in Flinder Bay of the American barque Prussia, from Norfolk, March 20, for Port Townsend, announced from Punta Arenas, Strait of Magellan, Thursday, say that the captain committed suicide when the vessel ran ashore, and that 14 passengers, in addition to four sailors, lost their lives.

Ontario Boat Wrecked.

Watertown, N. Y., Aug. 17.—The steamer Orion, Capt. L. Bernier, bound for Oswego, with pulpwood, is ashore on Calf Island in eastern Lake Ontario. The crew reached the island in safety, but the steamer is filled with water and will probably prove a total wreck.

The craft is owned by the Quebec Transportation & Forwarding Co. of Quebec.

Baltimore Fireman Killed.

Baltimore, Md., Aug. 17.—It was thought that the work of the firemen, who had for hours fought flames in a big five-story warehouse on West Baltimore street yesterday, was about finished, when the fifth floor collapsed and a dozen or more firemen were caught in the wreckage.

One of them, George D. Gill, died later.

Had Narrow Escapes.

Winnipeg, Aug. 17.—A collision took place here yesterday when a freight train and a switching engine came together. There was a great pile of debris, four cars being wrecked. The family of Superintendent Thompson were in a private car attached to the freight, and they had a narrow escape.

Blake Returns In Poor Health.

Montreal, Aug. 17.—Edward Blake, who was a passenger on the Empress of Britain, arrived here last night. Mr. Blake is in very poor health. He left for Toronto, where he will rest for some time.

SELECTIONS

RAISING SILKWORKS.

An Industry Which is at Once Profitable and Interesting.

"In my young days," said the naturalist, "boys used to go in for silk-worms a great deal more than they do now." I suppose it is harder to obtain the eggs out here than it is in England, and it is certainly more difficult to rear the worms in this country, for, as you know, we have no climate here, but only weather. However, the industry is extremely interesting.

"Once get the eggs, even if you have to send to Europe for them—and they are always to be had at this time of the year—or a little earlier from Covent Garden market—then set about seeing they are hatched by putting them in the sun. With a camel's hair brush, for they never ought to be touched by the hand, take every worm off the mulberry leaf, or lettuce leaf for the matter of that, for they will thrive just as well on either, every morning.

A silkworm is hatched in about a fourth of an inch in length. After eight days it changes—that is, it refuses its food and remains in a state of lethargy for three days. Four days afterward it goes through the same process, and in five days again, and lastly after eight days more.

Ten days then elapse, and the caterpillar attains its full size. At the end of this time the worm changes to a clear pink color and looks semitransparent. It refuses food, becomes restless and prepares to spin its cocoon. If one wishes to obtain the silk in quantities it is best to supply a cornucopia. Drop the caterpillar into this contrivance, and it will weave its silk.

The cocoon consists of three distinct layers of silk. The first is loose and fuzzy, the second is closer, and the third is still finer and is the real silk. After a lapse of two weeks the chrysalis forms into a moth. To prevent its eating its way through the silk the latter is wound off on a piece of cardboard before the chrysalis turns into a moth. If the cocoon is submerged in warm water the silk will come off easily. There is no fear of drowning the chrysalis, as it is protected by a water tight skin. One cocoon will yield from 600 to 1,000 feet of silk.

When the moth appears it cannot fly, although it has wings. The females lay their eggs and die, and the males do not live long. One female produces about 400 eggs. Many diseases menace their lives in the worm state, but they must be kept in a warm atmosphere. The industry is interesting and has perhaps for its motto:

"The proudest king may thank the silkworm for his robe of state."—New York Press.

Rapid Locomotive Building.

It is said that it required one year for Matthias Baldwin to construct his first locomotive in 1832. Today the establishment that bears his name can build nine complete locomotives in one day when pushed to extremes. This huge engine building plant is only one of the numerous concerns flourishing in this country. For many years, until the great wave of organization and trust making passed over the country during the late nineties, all these concerns were independent. Like their sisters in the steel trade, however, the great locomotive companies with one exception have passed to the control of a great motor company, and today we have a prosperous concern known as the American Locomotive company.

The exception mentioned, the only concern not joining the combination, was the Baldwin Locomotive works, and at the present time these two monstrous manufacturing rivals control the entire locomotive output of America.—Technical World.

Took No Chances.

Time was when it was very common thing for well to do transatlantic travelers to carry along certain articles of food that they could not depend on finding of the desired quality on the steamer. Bread, which only in recent years has been what it ought to be at sea, and butter were frequently taken on board by passengers and consigned to the steward, to be doled out carefully during the voyage. In these days, when luxury follows luxury on the big liners so rapidly that one has difficulty in keeping track of the very latest thing, it would hardly seem worth while to include any common article of food in one's impedimenta; yet a family that sailed recently by one of the "last words" in the way of steamship construction actually took with them a full supply of eggs, butter, milk and lettuce.—Brooklyn Eagle.

What He Would Rather Be.

A fussy, factious fellow standing in the jam about the Soldiers and Sailors' monument on last Memorial day, remarked grumpily and sentimentally: "All this fuss and show is being made for dead soldiers. I'd rather be a live jackass than a dead soldier." His words were addressed to an utter stranger, a splendid old gentleman standing at his left. Turning on him, the latter said contemptuously: "You certainly embody your wish. You are to be congratulated. It is seldom that a man is what he would rather be."—New York Press.

Chance For Inventors.

Suppose that one could find an alloy that would bear the same relation to aluminum that steel does to carbon or bronze to tin, says the Engineering Record. The result would be a new structural material of immense importance in mechanical work. The builders of light machinery are looking for just this thing.

HOW CANADA GROWS

SIX AND A HALF MILLIONS IS DOMINION'S POPULATION.

Census Figures Show Increase of Over 1,000,000 — Statistical Department Has Made Careful Estimate—Unprecedented Development in All Lines of Industry—Growth of Manufacturing Establishments.

A bulletin was recently issued by the Bureau of Census and Statistics showing the growth of Canada's manufacturing establishments during the past six years, and giving the comparative average production per establishment in 1901 and 1906. The various industries are divided into three groups: First, those with products of between \$200,000 and \$500,000 per establishment; second, those with products of between \$500,000 and \$1,000,000 per establishment; and third, those running over one million dollars per establishment.

Compared with the census of 1901, which was for the calendar year 1900, there were in the first class 178 works producing each \$200,000 and over in 1906, as against 72 in 1901. In the second class there were 62 works producing \$500,000 and over in 1906, as against 24 in 1901, and in the third class there were 17 works producing \$1,000,000 and over, as against 6 in 1901. There were four works in 1906 producing each \$5,000,000 and over, whereas not one factory had reached the amount in 1901.

Some Great Producers.

The greatest volume of production by a single factory in 1906 was over \$8,000,000, and the greatest in 1901 was under \$4,500,000. The production of all works in the year 1906 was \$481,663,371, and in 1901 it was \$171,118,062.

In the third class there were four Canadian sugar refineries producing on the average \$4,288,065 per annum, nine smelting establishments producing on the average \$2,899,707, twelve slaughtering and meat packing establishments averaging \$1,887,481, six flouring and grist mills averaging \$3,318,242, four cotton mills averaging \$1,715,333, and three agricultural implement works averaging \$1,725,737.

All told, there were in 1906 eighty-one establishments with an annual production of over one million dollars each, as compared with thirty-nine in 1901.

Growth of Population.

Canada now has a population of over six and a half millions. The Department of Census and Statistics has recently made a careful and elaborate estimate of the population. It found that on the first day of April, this year, the population of Canada was, as nearly as could be estimated, 6,504,900. This is a growth of population in six years, since the last decennial census, of 1,133,586. The total population in 1901 was 5,371,315. If the present rate of growth is maintained, Canada will show a population of over seven and a half millions when the next census is taken.

Since April 1 last the immigration has totalled over 100,000, so that the total population at the present date is in the neighborhood of \$6,600,000.

OBJECTED TO CHANGE.

Indian With Gun Prevents Payment of Treaty Money.

With a gun pointing at Indian Agent McKenzie's tent at Sabaskoshing an Indian named Ne Shoo Keskick threatened to shoot any Indian who accepted treaty money, and also the agent if he paid any of them.

This was the outcome of the decision of the Indian Department to pay the different tribes in the district at their own camping grounds instead of asking them to meet in one big camp at Sabaskoshing as in former years. In the interest of the Indians this was felt to be the better method, as in former years when they congregated together at Sabaskoshing they frittered away their money.

The new method, however, has not appealed to a few agitators among them, who liked the big gathering, with its pomp and show, and the visitation of large numbers of whites. Agent McKenzie, accompanied by Dr. Hanson, Government medical representative, and interpreters have visited several camps making payments during the past couple of weeks and though grumbling was heard the Indians did not make any demonstrations.

However, when Sabaskoshing Reserve was reached they were not long left in doubt that something would be done. As soon as the tent was erected Ne Shoo Keskick took his position before the entrance and informed McKenzie that if he paid any of the Indians he would shoot him and also the Indian who received the money.

As a result, no payments were made and the agent and his assistants returned to town, and on Tuesday Constables Sherman and Woods went out and arrested the Indian. He was looking at the muzzle of a couple of guns before he realized the situation, and was brought to town. In the absence of an interpreter the case was adjourned.

In former years the Sabaskoshing treaty grounds were the scene of the greatest gathering of Indians in New Ontario.

Alberta's New Seal.

It is not generally known or recognized that the Herald's college is an important link of empire. No official flag or seal or coat of arms in any part of His Majesty's worldwide dominions can be used without its sanction or approbation. Two new provinces were recently admitted to the Dominion of Canada—Alberta and Saskatchewan. The former has just received the approval of the Herald's college for its seal and coat of arms—a St. George's cross, a range of snow capped mountains and a field of wheat in the foreground.—Fall Mail Gazette.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

ACCOMMODATING.

If told to buy a spool of thread, He never could remember; If told to get a loaf of bread, He never could remember; But say, he didn't have a large When 'twas a date to meet the chaps And paint with them the town perhaps— Why, then he could remember.

If told to match a bit of silk, He couldn't quite remember; If told to stop and order milk, He couldn't quite remember; But when a ball game was on hand And he had tickets for the stand He always got there, undisturbed, For then he could remember.

If asked to telephone the doc, He never could remember; If told to call and get the clock, He never could remember; But if he wanted some cigars To smoke tomorrow on the cars, He'd get them if he went to Mars. For then he could remember.

He had his memory so well trained It worked whenever he desired— Was active when it suited him, And if that pleased him it was tried. Oh, wouldn't it be fine indeed If we had memories like that— Could teach a button in our hat And have it altered to our need?

Unenjoyable.

Some market gardeners near Chicago, annoyed beyond endurance, have asked the court to issue an injunction restraining their neighbors' hens from scratching in their gardens.

Powerful as the injunction is and quite able to remove mountains, yet it might well hesitate and grow pale at the prospect of a task like this. Unless it could make up its mind to stand in the path all day and say "Shoo! Shoo!" it is very little impression it would make on the hens. It might drive them out of the garden, but they would be back looking for the early worm as soon as its back was turned.

Until the injunction can prove to itself that it is composed of equal parts of barbed wire fence and bulldog it may as well pass up the hen proposition and confine itself to the regulation of minor things, like trusts.

Various Sources of Supply.

"What kind of blood has that dog got in him?"

"Several kinds. He bit a tramp yesterday and a book agent the day before."

Her Reason.

"Why in the world did Maude ever marry that man, anyway?"

"She is fond of art and she considered him an artist."

"That man? At what, I'd like to know."

"At drawing checks."

Just Touches the Edge.

Much more there is in life, John D., Than piling wealth ten stories high. Put on your glasses, and you'll see A few things money cannot buy.

More Distressing.

"Did he break the record?"

"No; just a suspender button."

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

A talkative woman is like ham without eggs.

Burning money is in no way related to earning money of necessity.

The inconsistency of woman is the chiefest of her charms and the greatest of her weapons.

While money isn't absolutely necessary to happiness in every case it may at any moment become so—so don't turn any down.

The man with a lawsuit often finds himself without a spring suit.

It is not surprising that men are inclined to gossip considering that their mothers are women.

GRAND TRUNK

EAST BOUND— Mail train, 8:37 a. m., daily except Sunday. Mixed, 12:40 p. m., daily except Sunday. Express, 2 p. m., daily. International Limited, 5:18 p. m., daily. Express, 9 p. m., daily except Sunday.

WEST BOUND— Aced, 8:30 a. m., daily except Sunday. Express, 12:52 p. m., daily. Mail, 4:18 p. m., daily except Sunday. International Limited, 9:24 p. m., daily. Mixed, 2:30 p. m.

PERE MARQUETTE

Leaves Chatham for— Blenheim and Rond Eau, 6:45 a. m. South and P. M. West, 8:20 a. m. M. C. R. West, 9:05 a. m., P. M. East, Blenheim and Rond Eau, 10:30 a. m. M. C. R. West, Blenheim and Rond Eau, 4:40 p. m. South and P. M. West, 5:15 p. m. South and P. M. East, 6:15.

Arrive at Chatham from— Rond Eau and Blenheim, 8:55 a. m. East, 9:35 a. m. West, 10:25 a. m. Rond Eau, etc., 4:00 p. m. East, 6:38 p. m. Rond Eau, 7:50 p. m. Walkerville, 7:55 p. m.

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No. 9-1:10 a. m., fast mail for St. Louis and Kansas City.

Eastbound. No. 2-1:05 p. m., for St. Thomas, Tillamook, Simcoe, Buffalo, New York and Boston.

No. 4-11:57 p. m., fast train for St. Thomas, Buffalo, New York and Boston.

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DIED.

CONNOR—On Sunday evening, Aug. 18, 1907, James Clifford, infant son of Herbert and Annie Connor, aged 18 months and one day.

The funeral will take place at two p. m. on Wednesday from the family residence, Sandys street, to the Maple Leaf Cemetery.

McLEAN—Died, on Sunday, August 18th, Evelyn Grey McLean, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McLean, aged 24 years and two months.

The funeral will take place from the family residence, cor. Gray and West Streets, on Tuesday, at 2.30 p. m., to Maple Leaf Cemetery.

LOCAL

Wm. Long, of Detroit, is visiting friends in this city.

Miss Collins returned from Port Lambton this morning.

The Misses Barassin are spending the week in Amherstburg.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Arnold, of Buffalo, are in the city visiting friends.

Mrs. Frank Eberts and daughters Misses Effie and Edith, are spending the day in Detroit.

Fred. C. Moore has returned from a trip down the St. Lawrence, where he spent his holidays.

Miss Gertrude Potter rendered a solo in very acceptable style in Park street Methodist church yesterday.

Miss Libby Baxter and Miss Etta Goodman, of Bridgeport, Conn., are the guests of Mrs. G. T. Guttridge, Baxter Street.

Samuel Trotter, of the firm of McKeough & Trotter, arrived home on Friday evening from Edmonton, where he was superintending the construction of a new dredge, for which his firm had the contract.

Mr. Bert Perry, of Sarnia, arrived in the city Saturday night, and spent Sunday at the residence of Robert McFall, St. Clair Street. Mr. Perry left to-day for Welland, where he will shortly start up in business.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Goulder and friend Mr. Vleck, of Cleveland, H. L. Merritt and Miss Irene and Harold Merritt, of Stratford, and Miss Florence Ashford and Graham Blackburn, of Madison, Wis., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Merritt, of Emma Street.

The firemen were called out at 2.20 Saturday to the rear of Williamson's Grocery on King Street, where they extinguished a small fire before any damage was done. They were called out again yesterday afternoon by an alarm accidentally sent in from Grand Avenue.

R. Salter, Chief Probation Officer of Covington, Ky., has written to Chief of Police Holmes, of this city, inquiring what should be done with the runaway boy Reginald Glasser. The Chief has replied that Glasser's parents no longer live in Chatham, and has advised that the Covington authorities wrote to Walkerville, where Glasser's father now lives.

TO INVESTIGATE DEATH

The local Crown authorities are now engaged in investigating the death of a squaw named Peters, who died under mysterious circumstances near Fletcher. Dr. Bray left for Fletcher this morning to ascertain the facts of the case. He will arrive back in the city at two o'clock this afternoon, when he will report his findings to Crown Attorney H. D. Smith.

Details of the woman's death are rather meagre, but it is understood that an information has been laid by white people living in the vicinity to the effect that the Peters woman died as the result of a criminal assault made for an unmentionable purpose.

INQUEST NOT NECESSARY

Dr. J. P. Rutherford, coroner, who had been called in to see the child, Glen Alexander McCallum, whose death was reported in Saturday's Planet, found that it was suffering from diphtheria. He did what he could to alleviate the suffering of the child, but it died Saturday morning.

At the request of the Crown-Attorney, Dr. Rutherford made an investigation, and reported that from all he could find from the parents and others, and the circumstances surrounding the case, the parents did not know that the child was suffering from diphtheria. That, as soon as they became aware of it, they immediately called in a physician, and were as anxious as anyone could be that the proper remedies should be applied. As a coroner Dr. Rutherford made his return to Crown-Attorney H. D. Smith, as follows:—

"That, in my opinion, an inquest is unnecessary, the said Glen A. McCallum having, in my opinion, come to his death by reason of an attack of diphtheria, no physician having been called until it was too late to check the disease, owing to, and as a result of, the ignorance of his parents as to what was actually the matter with him."

As a result of the coroner's finding no inquest will be held.

Children require a medicine that will cure croup, cramps, diphtheria, diarrhoea, whooping cough, pain, etc., which does not contain poison, alcohol or opium. A trial will prove Victor's Sure Cure is just what is wanted. Grown people want an absolute cure for rheumatism, backache, sciatica, dyspepsia, kidney and liver diseases, heart and nerve weakness, etc. V. S. O. has cured thousands of cases. It is the cheapest and best home medicine and liniment on earth. Price at druggists or by mail, \$1.00 or 50 cents bottles. The V. S. O. Medicine Co., Limited, Seane Block, W. K. Merrifield, Manager, Chatham, Ont.

Aeronaut's Fatal Descent.
New Haven, Conn., Aug. 19.—Theodore French, 30 years of age, an aeronaut, met instant death Saturday by falling upon the roof of a factory in West Haven, after a drop of 150 feet. French was on the program to make a double parachute drop at Savon Rock, a nearby resort. The first drop was successful, but on the second the parachute failed to open. Several thousand people saw him drop to his death.

Little Girl Killed.
Port William, Aug. 19.—A little girl, 13 years old, named Manson, was instantly killed by a Canadian Northern switch engine in Westford. She was playing on the tracks when the engine rounded a curve and struck her. The curve at this point is very sharp and has no protection or any kind of signal. A coroner's jury is making an investigation.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE—A good grocery store, good location and possession given at once; good reasons for selling. For further information apply at this office.

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Our Fall Suitings, Overcoatings, etc. were selected from thousands of patterns from the foremost British mills. They're the pick of what will be fashionable and correct for Fall and Winter and were secured at minimum cost. It's a bit early perhaps to talk of fall clothes, but we're anxious to have your order NOW, so here's an inducement worth grasping:—

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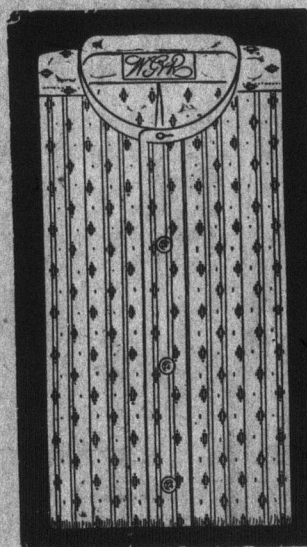
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TAPESTRY CARPETS

85c Carpets for 75c, until September 1st, we will give you your choice of any 85c Tapestry Carpet in the store, borders if you wish them, on 75c. 60c Tapestry Carpets for 50c. English Tapestry Carpets in greens, reds and fawns, no borders. Expansion building sale price 50c.

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These rugs are all woven in one piece and are reversible.
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Size 18 x 36 yds. Expansion Sale Price 65c
27 x 54 yds. " " " \$2.19
36 x 72 yds. " " " \$3.98

Dining Room Furniture

Every home has a dining room and whether you need only one chair or a complete set, you will find just what you need in this big furniture department. To be sure the prices have made people buy and there is quite a big space, which a few weeks ago was crowded with sideboards, buffets and china cabinets, extension tables and chairs, but the good things are not all gone, we have some here for you, but you will need to come quickly if you wish to take advantage of these money-saving prices.

Sideboards, natural grain Canadian ash, run easy drawer construction, 76 inch high, 19 inches deep, 46 inches wide, neatly carved, 14x24 inch, bevelled mirror, regular \$16. Expansion Building Sale Price \$14.

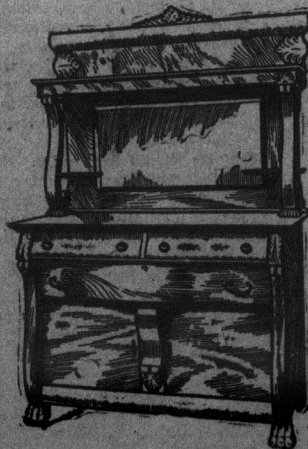
Extension Dining Table, solid quarter cut oak, top 48 x 48 in. heavy round pedestal, extends 8 ft, regular \$35. Expansion Sale Price \$28.25.

Extension Table, Koyal Oak, gloss finish, five legs, top closed 42 x 42 inches, extends to 6 ft and 8 ft. Expansion sale price 6 ft \$6.75; 8 ft \$7.75.

Dining Chairs, made of select Kalkaska Elm, saddle seat, hand turned posts and spindles, double spreads and braced arms, the top rail is wide and deep embossed. Expansion Building Sale price 75c each.

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LOCAL

Briscos' bicycle livery and repairs. Bert Bushell left Saturday for Toronto.

Band concerts Erieau Friday nights only.

F. D. Laurie spent Saturday in Blenheim.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Westman left Saturday night for Port Lambton.

Miss Mabel Latchison, of Detroit, is visiting her friend, Miss Lily Hodges.

"Gaff Linkum," the book of the year. Only a few copies left at Bulman's.

Miss Grace Trott, of Toronto, is the guest of Miss Daisy Hewson, Kirk street.

Miss Stella Thorndyke, of Cleveland, is the guest of Miss Slade, Barthe Street.

Lord Lake is the best 10c. Cigar in the market—made by O'Brien Bros.

Mrs. Thomas Groves returned Saturday from a visit to friends in Salem and Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rannis spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pilkey at the Ban.

A. P. McKishnie spent Friday at Erieau and brought home with him a nice string of fish.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Haru have returned from a pleasant outing at Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Latchison, of Detroit, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Hodges, River Road, Raleigh.

W. W. Snider has sold the Morgan property on West street to Justice Debeley, Laoroix street.

Fishing Tackle of all kinds at Dissolution Sale Prices, Geo. Stephens, D. H. Douglas, Phone 6.

Probate of the will of Wm. McKenzie, of Thamesville, has been granted to the executor, John Coult.

Mrs. J. W. Church, Flint, Mich., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Hodges, River Road, Raleigh.

Mrs. and the Misses Tackaberry and Miss Ida Hillman returned from Bonville, Muskoka, on Friday last.

Spend next Tuesday, August 20, with Victoria avenue Methodist Sunday school on Belle Isle. Band in attendance.

Geo. Watt left Saturday morning for Toronto, where he has accepted a position with the Dominion Radiator Company.

Mrs. and Miss Slade have returned from the Western States, where they have been visiting for the past two months.

Victoria avenue Methodist Sunday school excursion to Belle Isle next Tuesday, August 20; 24th Regimental Band in attendance.

Miss Minnie Hodges and Jack Hodges, Detroit, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Hodges, River Road, Raleigh.

Miss Olive Edmondson left Saturday for London, where she will join her sisters, and they will spend a week in Port Stanley.

Miss Lena Moore, Prince street, who has been visiting friends in Chicago, has returned home after having spent a pleasant time.

Master Louis Hennessy, of Detroit, returned home after spending the past week with his grandmother, Mrs. Louis Hennessy, Harwich Lodge.

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Miss Daisy Hewson, Kirk street, who has been the guest of Miss Lena Gage at Terrace Beach for the past week, has returned home, having spent a very pleasant time.

Mrs. Sturgis and Miss Sturgis, of Independence, Miss., who are visiting Mrs. Webber, VanAllen avenue, have returned from a visit to friends in Detroit.

J. Stanley left Saturday via C. P. R. for Montreal, from whence he will embark on the Empress of Britain for Belfast, where he will spend six or eight months.

People intending taking a trip anywhere should call at C.P.R. City Ticket Office, Corner of King and Fifth Streets, as there are often cheap rates on that could be made use of which are not advertised.

Dr. George T. McKeough entertained Philip Westmore, his granddaughter and two great grand children to an auto ride around the city Friday. The centarian said that this was his first trip in an auto and he enjoyed it very much.

Alf. Stone, who for the past nine years has been a valued salesman in his brother W. M. Stone's hat store, has severed his connection with that establishment, and will shortly open up a gent's furnishing store on King street.

Miss Annie Morrison, who has left for her home in Port Lambton, was on Friday evening honored by her fellow-workers in the Austin store. They presented her with a beautiful wicker rocker. She made an appropriate reply, thanking them for their gift.

G. A. Coates returned Friday night from Brampton and will leave today for London, where he has accepted a position in the city C. P. R. ticket office. Mr. Coates has been in the local office for the past two years, and his many friends in this city will be sorry to learn of his departure.

The Ladies Guild of Christ Church have presented Centarian Philip Westmore with a basket of choice fruit for his hundredth birthday. Rev. Robert McCosh wishes it stated that he regretted very much that he was unable to be present at the services in Christ Church yesterday, when the four generations of the Westmore family attended.

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R. A. Cunningham is spending a month with his parents at Napanee. Miss Irene Whittaker, of Windsor, spent Friday with friends in this city.

Miss Bertha Hill, of the King Edward Grocery, is spending a few days in Dutton.

A reward is offered for the return of a piece of jewelry to this office that was lost on Sunday evening.

Roy Brown has returned after a week's visit to Niagara Falls, St. Catharines, Toronto and other eastern points.

Mrs. S. McGuire, of McKeough avenue, left Saturday morning to spend a few weeks at her old home in Chatham Township.

Messrs. Vincent Bosworth and Fred Ashford, of Stratford, returned on Friday after a two weeks visit to friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Connor, Sandys street, lost their infant son on Sunday evening after a few days illness, and the funeral will take place on Wednesday.

Lost—On King street, or on train going to Sarnia, a small card case containing a promissory note in favor of M. J. Somerville. Finder please return as payment has been stopped.—M. J. Somerville.

Wm. Congdon has returned from Guelph, where he represented the local association of Stationary Engineers at the association held there last week.

Lost, on Sunday evening, part of a bracelet bearing the initial "H" and having a pearl setting. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at this office.

BANK TELLER'S MISTAKE.

Paid Out \$500 Too Much—An Italian Arrested.

Winnipeg, Aug. 19.—The teller of the Bank of Montreal here paid out \$500 too much one day last week, and as a result Sim Patrakos, a Greek, is under arrest, charged with having obtained the money. Patrakos presented a check for six hundred and fifty dollars, signed by M. J. Neville, local druggist. On discovery that the cash was five hundred short, Teller W. J. Rapsey claims that he positively remembered that he gave Patrakos ten one hundred dollar bills and thirty fives, thinking that he was giving him fifties instead of hundreds. Patrakos denied that he had the extra money, and the bank placed him under arrest. Saturday in court Patrakos pleaded not guilty, and was remanded for eight days.

Another Monster Fine.

New York, Aug. 19.—The Sun has received the following cable despatch from its correspondent at Willemstad, Curacao: A despatch from Caracas, Venezuela, says that in the case of the Government against the New York & Bermudez Co., which is charged with assisting the Mateo revolution, the Court of First Instance has adjudged that the defendant pay \$4,178,638 bolivars, about \$5,000,000, in reimbursement of the expenses incurred by the Government in quelling the revolution, and also upward of 9,000,000 bolivars for other losses to the country from the revolution. The defendant will appeal.

Fight Among Sailors.

Quebec, Aug. 19.—There was a row yesterday morning amongst some of the crew belonging to the S. S. Empress of Britain, and one of the men, named Thomas Finerty, was so badly beaten that he is not expected to survive. He was removed in an ambulance to the Hotel Dieu Hospital. Arrests will be made this morning. The authorities are waiting for the ante-mortem deposition of the victim.

Englishman Drowned.

Rosseau, Aug. 19.—William Lovell, one of the crew of the Muskoka Lakes Navigation Co.'s steamer Nipissing, while canoeing near here yesterday, was upset and drowned in about 40 feet of water. The body was recovered shortly afterward. Lovell was about 20 years of age, and lately out from England.

Weds Light Opera Singer.

London, Aug. 19.—According to a published announcement, Capt. Hon. John Reginald Lopes Yarde-Buller, heir of Lord Churston, is married to Miss Denise Orme, an actress, prominent as a singer in light opera. The marriage is said to have taken place on April 24 last.

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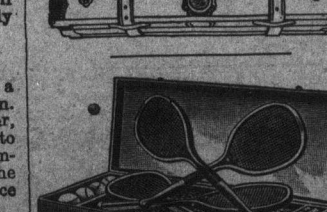
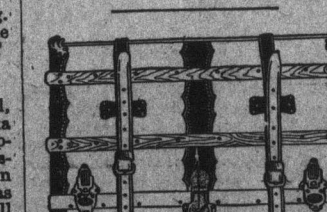
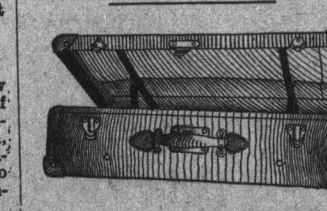
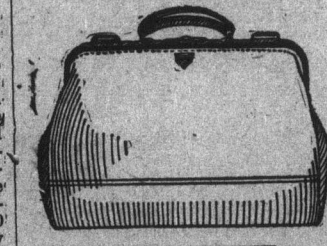
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White Linen Dress Skirts, embroidered and pleated, to clear \$3.00.

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Very stylish White Dresses trimmed with embroidery, insertion, etc., \$3.50, \$4, \$5 and \$6.

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Finefast color percale dresses, very neat patterns, trimmed with embroidery, \$1.48.

Fine Gingham Dresses

Trimmed with insertions and lace, very tastily made, \$3.00.

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Manufacturer's Sale of Ladies' White Muslin Underwear.

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300 choice Dress Goods Ends, from 2 to 5 yards, just what you require for girls' school dresses or ladies' separate skirts, every remnant marked down to one half the regular price or less than that.

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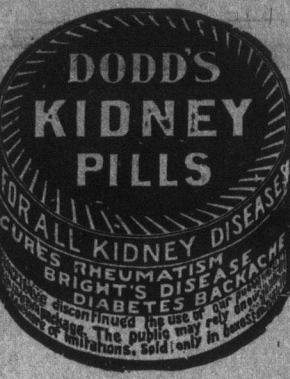
GRAY'S CHINA HALL

Cheap rates to Toronto Exhibition will be on via the O.P.R. from Aug. 26th to Sept. 7th. Special excursion days Aug. 27th and Sept. 2nd. For further information call at C.P.R. City Ticket Office, corner of King and Fifth Streets.

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YOUNG GIRL KILLED.

Fell In Front of Train—Head Severed From Body.

Winnipeg, Aug. 17.—A girl, 12 years old, had her head cut off at West Port yesterday afternoon. She was playing in a coal dump, when the train came along and she fell off the coal pile on to the railway tracks. The train ran over her, severing her head from her body.

A man was run over here last night. He endeavored to jump on an express train. His hand was cut off and his head split open. He was taken to the hospital and is not expected to live.

HAY FEVER CAN BE PREVENTED.

Don't seek other cures at "Hay Fever Season," don't destroy your stomach and nerves by drugs—prevent the disease Hay Fever is caused by germs that float about in the air and finally find lodgement in your throat and lungs. Medicine won't reach them here, but Catarrhazone will. Catarrhazone is sure death to germs. Start now to use Catarrhazone. Inhale it into the throat; lungs, nasal passages, and bronchial tubes; it goes wherever the air you breathe goes, and it will prevent and cure Hay Fever. Endorsed by not less than one thousand doctors in Canada and U. S. Sent to any address for \$1.00 forwarded to Deason & Co., Hartford, Conn., U. S., or Kingston, Ont.

WHITNEY MEETS BOOTH.

Ontario's Premier Promises Army Financial and Moral Support.

London, Aug. 17.—(C. A. P.)—Premier Whitney met General Booth, who is touring the country, at Whitechurch, and spoke at a subsequent meeting. Referring to Canada's appreciation of the general as a soldier and religious reformer, he said Ontario was prepared to support him morally and financially.

I will mail you free, to prove merit, samples of my Dr. Shoop's Restorative, and my Book on the Kidneys. The Heart or the Kidneys. Troubles of the Stomach, Heart or Kidneys, are merely symptoms of a deeper ailment. Do not make the common error of treating symptoms only. Symptom treatment is treating the result of your ailment, and not the cause. Weak Stomach—Weakness—the inside nerves—mean Stomach weakness, always. And the Heart, and Kidneys as well, have their controlling or inside nerves. Weakness these nerves, and you inevitably have weak stomach organs. Here is where Dr. Shoop's Restorative has made its fame. No other remedy even claims to treat the "inside nerves." Also for bloating, biliousness, bad breath or complexion, use Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Write me for sample and free Book. Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. The Restorative is sold by all dealers.

Girl Drinks Carbolic Acid.

Montreal, Aug. 17.—Accused of stealing from her employer, Bernadette Brossard, a pretty young girl of 16, took poison yesterday morning, and an hour later was a corpse in Notre Dame Hospital.

The girl's employer was Joseph Lussier, restaurant-keeper, corner of Notre Dame and Beirne streets. According to her employer, the girl had stolen a small sum of money, a dollar or two, and he threatened her with arrest.

Free for Cataract, just to prove Shoop's Cataract Remedy. Let me send it now. It is a snow-white, creamy, healing, antiseptic balm. Containing such healing ingredients as Oil of Eucalyptus, Thymol, Menthol, etc., it gives instant and lasting relief to Cataract of the nose and throat. Make the free test and see for yourself what this preparation can and will accomplish. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Large jars 50 cents. Sold by All Dealers.

Del Val, Vicar General.

Rome, Aug. 17.—It is rumored that the papal secretary of state, Cardinal Merry Del Val, whose health is failing, will be appointed vicar-general of the Pope, succeeding Cardinal Rampoldi, who will succeed the late Cardinal Svaampa as Archbishop of Bologna.

Editor Suicides.

Gimli, Man., Aug. 17.—Einar Olafson, a prominent citizen of this place, and editor of the local Icelandic paper, The Baldur, committed suicide by blowing out his brains with a revolver in his office yesterday.

Files got quick and certain relief from Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. Please note it is made alone for Elix and its action is positive and certain. Itching, painful, protruding or blind piles disappear like magic by its use. Large nickel-capped glass jars 50 cents. Sold by All Dealers.

It is well to know when to accept an unpleasant condition cheerfully.

THE TRAPPER'S FAVORITE.

Black Fox is King of Beasts—Most Valuable of Furs.

In the estimation of trappers and voyageurs of eastern North America, as well as in the eyes of the very rich nobility of Russia and Siberia, there is only one king of beasts, and the name of this beast is the big and radiantly shining black fox, which roams over the cold and barren hills that stretch from east of the Penobscot River, in Maine, through New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, and, skipping the mouth of the St. Lawrence River, extend in diminishing hummocks through western Labrador and end in the hillocks and Laurentian formations which surround Hudson Bay.

Those who seek the choicest and most expensive furs known to man, and who will pay any price for what they want, must go to the black coast line of eastern North America, for what they want, and may have to wait for years to secure pelts that will match perfectly with other skins which are to go toward making up a set; for the black fox of North America is the Reynard noir of the French hunters—wears the most valuable overcoat of any animal on earth.

As a rule about five perfect pelts from black foxes are captured every year, and of these three are bought by the great Hudson Bay Fur Co. of the tributary associations. Though Maine alone furnishes more than seventy thousand fox skins every year, and though nearly five thousand active men spend most of the winter in trapping and poisoning foxes and other animals for their furs, only a few times in the run of twelve months are the combined efforts of these individual hunters able to secure a black fox.

In no way except in color does the black fox differ from its congener, the red fox, whose pelt sells for three dollars and a half, or from the young fox, whose winter overcoat is valued at from one hundred and fifty to four hundred dollars; but whenever a hunter can secure a black fox and remove the skin without marring the fur, he is sure of receiving from eight hundred to fifteen hundred dollars for his trophy as if he had the money in his hand. Not only is every black fox pelt bought as soon as taken, but a dozen Russian noblemen have paid agents traveling in North America all through the winter, seeking out some hillside tarant and alpine logging camps, where it is possible that a shy and elusive black fox may have been seen.

Within the last twenty years a number of wealthy men who have owned fabled game preserves, have spent vast sums of money in buying young foxes alive and turning them loose within private enclosures. A pair of living red foxes can be bought for four dollars and twenty-five cents, and a pair of silver greys bring from five hundred to eight hundred dollars. In the country town of Dover, Maine, Elijah Norton, an old hunter, is breeding red and silver grey fox pups and selling them to rich sportsmen at a big profit. Within the last six years there have been born within his fenced enclosure more than three hundred pups, and not only like the other fox pups that are either silver grey or are approaching that color. Norton has found that the offspring from silver grey parents are in a majority of cases silver grey, though a sprinkling of red pups is found from the grey ancestry, even as grey pups now and again develop from pure red stock. But at no time has he ever been made glad by the advent of a black pup in his kennels.

By and by it may be that some skilled or fortunate breeder will produce a black pup, or perhaps a pair of black foxes may be captured alive, and from these a new breed of domesticated black foxes will arise and cause a great panic among the men who hunt for black foxes.

The man who can wrest the secret of breeding black foxes from nature, the way Luther Burbank has solved the secret of producing new plants, is assured of riches past counting, and can command the worshipful homage of the Russian nobility and aristocracy, who seem willing to sacrifice untold wealth for the pleasure of creating overcoat made from the pelts of American black foxes.

MANY IMMIGRANTS ARRIVE.

Thirteen Thousand New Cohens Brought Out by Salvation Army.

With the arrival of the Vancouver with 200 Salvation Army immigrants are concluded for this year the special sailings of vessels under the Army's charter. But it is stated that though the special sailings are closed, there will be weekly conducted parties till the end of October. The part played by the Salvation Army in present immigration may be gauged from the fact that during the present year in the neighborhood of 15,000 persons have been brought out under its auspices. The Vancouver and the Southark, of the Dominion line, have each made three trips this season for the Army, and it is stated that the number of persons brought by the former was 4,000, and by the latter 4,200. To these must be added twenty-four conducted parties of 200 each, which result in a rough total of 15,000. It is expected that by the end of the present season some 18,000 persons will have been brought out. In reference to the Army's system of organized immigration, it is stated by its officers that every man who comes out under the Army's auspices is guaranteed work in the land, there being no discrimination on the matter, owing to the Army's system of being thorough. The Army has spared no pains to send only suitable persons to Canada, and the success of the work is attested by the fact that the number of immigrants returned by the authorities last year was only thirty out of 12,000, and not more than a similar number went back through being dissatisfied with new conditions.

An Unlucky Stone.

The Man—Do you consider the opal unlucky? The Maid—Well, if it's all the same to you, I would prefer a diamond.

Perfectly cut, double-stamped, collar worth their price. The ARGO, pictured here, is ideally shaped for hot-dry use, yet fully fitted for demands. Small with large, soft bow or four-in-hand, knotted.



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LOADED STEAMER SINKS.

Boat Goes Down In 300 Feet of Water at South Bay.

Belleville, Aug. 17.—The steamer Gunion, laden with pressed hay and tomatoes, sunk in 300 feet of water at South Bay, Prince Edward County. She was at anchor there, and sank so quickly that the captain, the only man on board, had all he could do to escape. The cargo, which was uninsured, will be a total loss to A. Farrington & Co., American buyers.

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Once you were robust, bright and happy. To-day you are dull, worried, failing in vitality and appearance. Just when you should be at your best you're pined out and need a cleansing, bracing tonic. Your blood will soon return, your vivacious spirit will soon return, you'll be yourself again if you regulate the system with Dr. Hamilton's Pills. A truly wonderful medicine. It cures all out of order, positive drives away headache, weariness, and lack of vital force. Give yourself a chance. Use Dr. Hamilton's Pills and watch the result. Sold everywhere in 25c. boxes.

Switchman Run Over.

Port Arthur, Aug. 17.—Samuel Hindle, C. P. R. switchman, was killed in the Port William yards yesterday morning. He was riding on top of a box car and was jarred off and fell underneath the wheels, which passed completely over his body, killing him instantly.

I'll stop your pain free. To show you first—before you spend a penny—what my Pain Tablets can do—I will mail you free, a Trial Package of them—Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets. Neuralgia, Headache, Toothache, Period pains, etc., are due alone to blood congestion. Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets simply kill pain by coaxing away the unnatural blood pressure. This is the only other fox pups that are either silver grey or are approaching that color. Norton has found that the offspring from silver grey parents are in a majority of cases silver grey, though a sprinkling of red pups is found from the grey ancestry, even as grey pups now and again develop from pure red stock. But at no time has he ever been made glad by the advent of a black pup in his kennels.

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Heroic Farmers.

Kingston, Aug. 17.—Neighbors who clasped hands and formed a life-line to enter a burning barn, rescued Andrew Sheridan of DeLouth, a ship, who was overcome by smoke while trying to save a set of harness.

Africa Opposes Preference.

London, Aug. 17.—In the Cape Town Parliament, Merriman, M.P., declared a great majority of the country was against imperial preference, which simply bolstered up lazy manufacturers in England.

To put the brake on the wagon going down the hill is help to the horse, when the wagon is heavily loaded. But what driver would think of applying the brake to a loaded wagon going up hill? If he did, his sensible horses would probably balk. Many a man is in the condition of pulling a load up hill with the brake on against him. When his stomach is out of order and the allied organs of digestion and nutrition impaired in their functions, a friction is set up which has to be overcome in addition to the performance of daily duties. A foul stomach makes a foggy brain, and the man with a diseased stomach has often to grope his way through the day's business like a man in a fog. He forgets appointments and problems seem presented to his mind "wrong end to." This condition is entirely remedied by the use of Dr. Parson's Golden Medical Discovery. It puts the stomach and digestive nutritive system into a condition of perfect health, and gives a clear brain, a steady hand and a light step for the day's duties. Dr. Parson's medicines do not contain alcohol or other injurious ingredients, because their ingredients are printed on the label of each bottle.

Not John D.'s Prophecy.

New York, Aug. 15.—John D. Rockefeller, referring to a widely-circulated interview predicting financial disaster for the nation purported to have been given out by him and printed yesterday morning, said last evening: "There is certainly some mistake about the matter. I neither gave out nor authorized the statements attributed to me."

The tourist's season is now on and we are advised by W. E. Rispin, general passenger and ticket agent, that he has some especially attractive tours for the present summer season, reading to all the summer resorts of Canada, including Muskoka Lakes, the Temagami District, Georgian Bay, Lake Superior, River St. Lawrence, and Gulf and Atlantic Coast points, and would be very pleased to furnish information to any intending passengers.

THE INDIAN'S RIFLE.

Arrow as Killing Tool Does Deadly Work—Beats the Bullet.

So far as is known, the Cheyennes were the first to recognize the bow and arrow as a killing tool, and the way in which the weapon is made is the same now as it was at the time when America had seen no white man. When the trees are bare of their foliage, and when the wood becomes hardened to withstand the blasts of winter, the Indian goes out into the forests and cuts off straight branches that average from a couple to three feet in length.

These lengths are free from twigs and notches of any sort or kind, and are tied up in bundles of 25 with raw hide or elk skin and hung up over the fire in the wigwam to dry. The covering in which they are tightly bound up prevent warping, and at the end of a few weeks they are taken down to be freed from the bark by means of two grooved stones, between which the sticks are placed singly and rubbed until they are smooth and round.

To Distinguish Them. After that they are cut into one length. This is a necessity. Every brave cut his arrows a certain length, and distinguish them from those of his fellow-warriors. He carries about with him a piece of wood exactly the same length as his arrows, in order that, should any dispute arise as to the possession of, say, the carcass of any animal killed in the chase, he may be able to identify the weapon sticking in it as his own.

Besides, the flight of an arrow is seriously affected by its length, and, unless a man becomes used to a certain length and knows exactly what draw to give, his weapon is practically useless.

Does Not Split Wood.

It happens, as it sometimes will, that two men unwittingly possess arrows of the same length, there are usually private marks on the shafts known to the owners, by which they can make good their claim.

When the stick has been trimmed to the satisfaction, the Indian cuts a notch at one end, and the reception of the bow-string. This cavity is made in such a way that the twine does not split the wood when pressed against it, and the end of the shaft is planed down to fit the shooter's thumb and finger.

The one thing to be done is to make a deep incision in the stick at the end opposite to that in which the notch is cut. Into this slit he runs the flat neck of the arrow-head, usually about half an inch in length, and the same width, that fits the cavity so exactly that not only its saw-like edges are visible on either side of the shaft.

The arrow-head itself is of stone or steel—more often the latter now— and is fastened into its place securely by being wound round the notch with a twisted piece of sinew that has been soaked in water.

No Humane Precautions. In the case of war-arrows no such humane precautions are taken. The head is barbed and fixed in its socket loosely, so that when it enters a body and the shaft is withdrawn, it remains inside only to be extracted by gashing open the wound in a frightful manner.

Fortunately but few tribes use poison on their arrows nowadays, although there still remains some who tip their barbs with a mixture of crushed ants that have been allowed to decay.

No white man has yet been found who could draw to its full length even the weakest Indian bow without a fair amount of practice. The force with which the arrow strikes its mark may be imagined when it is remembered that while a bullet from a Colt's revolver would penetrate more than the hide of a buffalo, a shaft from the bow of an average Indian hunter at an equal distance will go right through the animal and come out on the other side.

A man's skull has been found transfixed to a tree by an arrow which had been fired at the victim while he was tied up, and which had gone completely through the bones, embedding itself so deeply in the wood as to sustain the weight of the head.

Why Englishmen Fail.

Many Englishmen fail to get on in the colonies solely on account of the airs of superiority they assume, which set employers and fellow-workers alike against them.

They look down on all things colonial, are always comparing the new land to the old, and are the old one, and if they happen to find them in less polished society than they have been accustomed to move in, cannot conceal their pride at their own superior education and manners. Colonials are more sensitive to criticism than the Englishman, who has any idea of, and the new-comer who does not study their susceptibilities will find a most serious bar to his progress.

Where the decision is taken early that a young fellow shall emigrate, it is always a great advantage if it can be arranged for him to go out as a youth to the colony chosen and complete his education there.

In this way he will acquire the habits of thought and feelings of his neighbors, which will greatly add to his chances.

Fushimi to Grey.

His Excellency, the Governor-General, received the following telegram from Prince Fushimi, dated at Victoria prior to his recent departure to Japan:

"At the moment of leaving the mighty Dominion of Canada I desire to assure your Excellency how highly I appreciate the tokens of enthusiastic good will towards myself, and towards Japan, which I have encountered on every hand during my stay in this country. The cordiality of the reception accorded to me by the ladies and the warmth of the display of friendship toward my country have deeply gratified me. On my return to Tokyo I will afford me great pleasure to inform your Excellency of the sentiments towards Japan, which so evidently exist throughout the length and breadth of the Dominion."

EQUERRY'S TRAGIC END.

SIR ARTHUR ELLIS DIES SUD- DENLY AT GALA PERFORMANCE.

Was One of King Edward's Household—Had Most Distinguished Career—An Old Crimean Veteran—Went to India With His Majesty When Prince of Wales—Adventure When Tiger Hunting.

A tragic incident occurred at the gala performance at the Royal Opera, Covent Garden, Sir Arthur Ellis, Comptroller in the Lord Chamberlain's Department, died suddenly, just as their Majesties the King and Queen and the King and Queen of Denmark entered the Royal box. Sir Arthur showed absolutely no premonitory sign of illness. He had taken his seat in the stalls, and with Lady Ellis was chatting with Sir Frederick Treves and other friends when he gripped his throat as though suffocated, and fell back unconscious in his chair. Major Ponsonby, one of the King's Equerries, raised the unfortunate officer, and with assistance laid him gently at full length on the floor. Those about him unfastened the collar of his tunic, and then, finding there was no sign of pulse, Major Ponsonby and others carried him out to an ante-room. Sir James Reid, the King's physician, and Sir Frederick Treves at once rendered aid, and



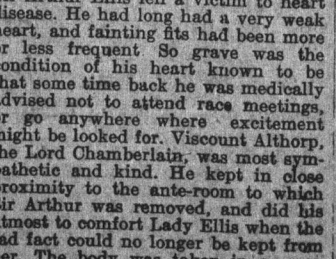
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everything possible was done, but without avail. So promptly had the situation been grasped, and so quickly had the removal been effected, that hardly anybody had a suspicion of the serious nature of the seizure, and for obvious reasons those who inquired were told that Sir Arthur had merely fainted. The sad fact was that he died while the cheers given on the arrival of the Royal party were ringing through the auditorium, and being re-echoed in the street. Lady Ellis went out with the party which bore her husband, and although she was soothed to some extent with assurance and promises, it was soon found impossible longer to keep the sad truth from her. She quietly withdrew in company with sympathizing friends. It was felt that to convey the news to the King in his then surroundings would be most unwise, and the latest bulletin given to the occupants of the Royal box was that which followed immediately after the seizure, namely, that Sir Arthur had suddenly fainted, and had been re-echoed in the street. The officials of the Lord Chamberlain's Department exhibited great presence of mind, for although they were terribly shocked and distressed, they did not betray their feelings, and managed skillfully to put off inquiries. It is understood that the performance was over, and that Sir Arthur's tragic end, and his untimely death, was a great loss to the King's household, and that the King and Queen were deeply affected by the news.

HOODOOS IN THE ROCKIES.

Ancient Stones Strike Terror to the Hearts of Indians.

These hoodoos in the heart of the Canadian Rockies strike terror to the hearts of all Indians, good or bad, who see them. As a matter of fact, they are elongated stones of concrete or pudding stone, and have been on the hillsides of the Bow River long before the memory of the white man. They are gruesome looking, and supposed to be remnants of ancient mountains and rise 60 and 70 feet above the surrounding ground. Many an



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the King during his Indian tour, Sir Arthur Ellis is the third who has passed away within a short time, and it is a remarkable fact, considering the passage of time, how many are still in His Majesty's service. It is only a few weeks since Sir Joseph Fayer, who was attached to the suite as doctor, died at Falmouth, and before that occurred the death of Sir William Howard Russell, who acted temporarily as honorary private secretary. It was the special duty of Sir Arthur Ellis to settle the delicate questions which arose in connection with the giving and receiving of presents during the passage of the Eastern Empire. Sir Arthur was an excellent shot, and one incident of the tour may be recalled. When out hunting one day, a tiger charged one of the elephants, getting hold of the howdah, and having been shaken off, immediately seized General Ellis's elephant and held it of its head, scratching the mahout, and coming very near to the deceased officer, who was in some danger. With great promptitude, however, Sir Arthur instantly killed it. Sir Joseph Fayer, in his diary, records that it was a powerful tiger, very vicious and active. It measured 9 ft. 6 in., and was very heavy.

WHITE MEN ARE LOYAL.

Kipling Objects to Term "Colonial"—Color of Skin Counts.

An unpublished letter by Mr. Rudyard Kipling, written in reply to a Newfoundland letter, who made a comment on the part of the omission from "The Songs of the Cities" of any reference to the oldest colony, has just been made public. Mr. Kipling writes:

"What can I say in reply to your letter, except that it is rather a large order to compress allusions to the whole of our Empire into 200 lines of alleged verse? But, indeed, I am not unmindful of Newfoundland. Perhaps I may know more about it than you think, and certainly no man in his senses ever doubted the loyalty of the oldest colony. . . . If I leave out all reference to the oldest colony, with 'justice,' if I make a pointed reference as I did in 'Our Lady of the Snows,' I am to put it mildly—supposed to be scaring away emigrants by misrepresenting the climate of the Dominion."

"But we will make a bargain. I will put in a four line verse among 'The Songs of the Cities' if you on your part will drop allusions to the loyalty of the colonies. In the first place, I dislike the word 'colonies,' and if you look through my verses you will find I very seldom use it. It is out of date and misleading, besides being provincial."

"In the second place, there is no need to talk about 'loyalty' among white men—that is to say, races speaking the English tongue with a high birth rate and a low murder rate, living quietly under laws which are neither bought nor sold. It is one of the things we all take for granted, because the Empire is us—ourselves; and for the white man to explain that he is loyal is about as necessary as for a respectable woman to volunteer the fact that she is chaste."

"Like yourself, I am a colonial, in that I was born in Bombay; but it has never occurred to me to say that I am a loyal, because, like you, I am a white man, and one cannot step out of one's skin."

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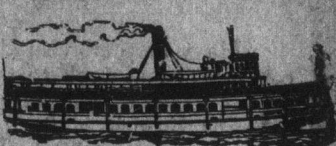
Robinson's Strange Nesting Place.

At the Crown, Crickwood, the public house at which all the motor omnibuses from the Elephant and Castle and Victoria and the horse buses from Charing Cross to Crickwood stop, a robin built in a glass lamp.

The nesting place is within the reach of any one standing on the ground. At one corner of the lamp a very small piece of the glass was broken and through the hole the robin gained access to its new home. A family of four young robins has been reared and can be seen in the corner of the lamp.—London Daily Graphic.

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Throw Off Sultan's Authority—Postal Carriers Killed.

Paris, Aug. 19.—Special despatches from Tangier say the inhabitants of Fez believe that the Kabyles tribesmen have been victorious at Casablanca, and that the Government is encouraging this belief in order to control the hand.

The tribesmen in the more remote regions seemed better informed as to the true situation, and are giving anxiety because of their restlessness. One tribe has thrown off the Sultan's authority and driven out the district governor. Two French postal carriers have been killed between Rabat and Fez and their letters destroyed.

The French consul at Casablanca considers that all serious danger is over.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of Cortland H. Raymond, of the City of Chatham, in the County of Kent, and Province of Ontario, Contractor.

Notice is hereby given that Cortland H. Raymond, of the said City of Chatham, Contractor, heretofore carrying on business as contractor at the said City of Chatham, has made an assignment under R. S. O., 1897, Chapter 147 and its amendments of all his estate, credits and effects to John B. Gemmill, of the said City of Chatham, Sheriff of the said County of Kent, for the general benefit of his creditors.

A meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the said assignee, in Harrison Hall, in the said City of Chatham, on Wednesday, the 14th day of August, A.D. 1907, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, to receive a statement of affairs, to appoint inspectors and fix their remuneration, and for the ordering of the affairs of the estate generally.

Creditors are requested to file their claims with the assignee, with the proofs and particulars thereof required by the said Act, on or before the day of such meeting.

And Notice is Further Given that after the 4th day of September, A.D. 1907, the assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said debtor amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been given, and that he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons whose claims he shall not then have had notice.

Dated at Chatham, Ontario, this 3rd day of August, A.D. 1907.

LEWIS & RICHARDS,

Solicitors for Assignee.

JOHN B. GEMMILL,

Assignee, Chatham, Ont.

SPORT

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Saturday and Sunday Baseball

Eastern League.
Providence 2 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0—4
Toronto 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
Three base hits—Crawford, Harris.
Sacrifice hits—Lord, Chadbourne, Harris.
Stolen bases—Lord, Crawford, Schaffy, Phyle. Double play—Schaffy to Frick to Flynn. Jacobson to Flynn to Carrigan to Phyle. Innings pitched—By Jacobson 6, by Rudolph 2. Hits—Off Jacobson 10, off Rudolph 2. Bases on balls—Off Jacobson 2, off Harris 2. Struck out—By Jacobson 4, by Harris 3. Runs—Off Jacobson 4. Left on bases—Providence 9, Toronto 6. Hit by Jacobson (McConnell). Time 1:50. Umpires—McCarthy and Conway.
Providence 0 2 1 0 1 1 1 0 0
Toronto 0 0 1 2 0 1 0 0 0—6
Three-base hits—Lord 2, Poland, McGinley.
Carrigan 2, Kelley. Two-base hits—Wotell, Abstein. Sacrifice hit—Crawford.
Stolen bases—McConnell, Crawford, Schaffy, Kelley, Flynn 2. Double plays—Donovan to Abstein to Donovan; Schaffy to Frick to Flynn. Innings pitched—By Mack 4-3, by Harris 4-1-3, by McGinley 3-2, by Applegate 4. Bases on balls—Off Mack 2, off Harris 1, off McGinley 1. Struck out—By Mack 3, by Harris 3, by McGinley 2, by Applegate 2. Hit—By Harris, Frick, by Applegate, Poland. Wild pitches—Mack 2, McGinley. Left on bases—Providence 10, Toronto 8. Time—2:20. Umpires—Conway and McCarthy.
At Buffalo R.H.E.
Buffalo 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1 6 2
Batteries—McCloskey and Byers; Vowinkle and Ryan. Umpire—Cusack.
At Buffalo R.H.E.
Buffalo 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 5 1
Batteries—Adkins and Kearney; Greene and McAllister. Umpire—Cusack.
At Montreal R.H.E.
Jersey City 1 0 2 0 0 0 2 1—4 10 1
Montreal 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0—2 9 2
Batteries—Lake and Butler; Hughes and Clarke. Umpire—Owens.
At Newark R.H.E.
Rochester 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 4 2
Newark 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 2—3 6 1
Batteries—Bannister and Higgins; McCarthy and Stange. Umpire—Kelly.
Sunday Baseball.
At Montreal R.H.E.
Montreal 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 1—4 4 3
Jersey City 0 0 0 2 0 1 0 0 0—3 8 3
Newark 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 2 0
Rochester 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0—1 0 11
Detroit 0 2 0 1 1 1 1 5—5 9 5
New York 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 4 0—5 9 5
Batteries—Donovan and Schmidt; Doyle, Tift and Thomas. Umpire—Sheridan.
At Chicago (American) R.H.E.
Chicago 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—2 5 1
Washington 0 0 0 2 0 0 1 0 2—5 12 3
Batteries—Altrock, Ows and Stange; Lane, Patten and Block. Umpires—O'Loughlin and Evans.
At St. Louis (Am.)—First game—R.H.E.
St. Louis 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 2 0
Boston 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 7 1
Batteries—Owell and Stevens; Morgan and Criger. Umpires—Stafford and Hurst.
Second game—R.H.E.
St. Louis 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 7 1
Boston 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—2 9 2
Batteries—Owell and Stevens; Kroh and Shaw. Umpires—Hurst and Stafford.

BUREAU TOUCHED BY APPEAL.

Promises to Do Something for Prisoner Serving Life Sentence.

Montreal, Aug. 19.—"You are Minister of Justice. I know you are. You can do anything you want for me. Just fix a limit to my imprisonment, so that I can look forward to its end and know that I can die in liberty."

This pathetic appeal was made to Hon. Jacques Bureau, Solicitor-General, while he was making an official inspection of the cells of St. Vincent De Paul Penitentiary.

The man who spoke the words was ex-Constable Cowie of Quebec, who was condemned to imprisonment for life for having killed his wife during the winter of 1903.

The Solicitor-General was evidently touched by the appeal, for he turned to Warden Beauchamp and enquired as to the manner in which the convict had conducted himself since his arrival in the prison. The answer was to the effect that the prisoner's conduct had been ideal.

"We will see then," said the Solicitor-General, turning to the convict, "if something can be done for you."

"FLEETWING" IS MISSING.

Belleville Schooner Caught in Storm—Not Heard of Since.

Belleville, Aug. 19.—It is believed here that the schooner Fleetwing, which is owned in this city, has met with some mishap on Lake Ontario. Three of her crew are Belleville men, namely, Captain Clark Taylor, William Babcock and John Gibson.

The Fleetwing left Charlotte, Aug. 6, laden with coal for South Bay, and has not been heard of since, though it is rumored that on Aug. 13 she was seen on the lower part of the lake under full canvass. There was a very heavy blow that night, and it is feared that during the storm, the schooner either went ashore or foundered.

The Fleetwing is an old boat. Mrs. Clark Taylor, wife of the captain, is making every effort to find the whereabouts of the vessel, but so far without success.

Committed for Bigamy.

Guelph, Aug. 19.—In the Police Court Saturday David Cook, the alleged bigamist of Drayton, appeared before Magistrate Saunders on a charge of perjury preferred by Crown Attorney Peterson.

Cook was first arrested on a charge of bigamy, but this is being held over in the hope of hearing of his first wife, who, he says, is dead, but who is believed to be living in Indiana. Cook also appeared on this charge, Saturday morning before Magistrate Woodman of Drayton, but was remanded until to-day.

The charge of perjury arises out of the falsely sworn marriage license, which was issued in Elora and upon which he was married to a 17-year-old Barnardo Home girl. The statement by Cook was that he was 25 years of age, while he was really 38, and the girl was also younger than he swore. After the examination of some other witnesses Cook was committed for trial on the charge.

The man who sticks to the truth seldom talks about himself.

LOCKOUT IN SHIP BUILDING

Fifty Thousand Men Involved in a Labor Dispute

Men To Be Ordered Out—Object to Apprentices' Work

New York, Aug. 19.—The Sun has received the following cable despatch from London: Notices have been posted in all the northeastern shipyards ordering a lockout next Saturday. Twenty thousand members of the boilermakers' society and also the platers, riveters, calkers and unskilled laborers incidentally employed by them, in an approximately 50,000 men, are affected by this order, which has been issued by the Shipbuilders' Employers Association and is posted in the shipyards at Barrow, on the Tyne and on the Clyde, in Belfast and other centres.

The notification is the result of a strike by the calkers in the yards of the Armstrong-Whitworth Co. at Newcastle. They struck without notice in connection with a dispute relating to apprentices doing men's work. The boilermakers' society made the situation worse by refusing to order the Armstrong-Whitworth calkers to return to work.

Barrow-in-Furness, Eng., Aug. 19.—By order of the Employers' Federation 1,200 boilermakers were locked out of the shipyards of Vickers, Sons & Maxim Saturday morning, owing to the strike of calkers on the east coast.

MARAUDING EXPEDITION.

British Officer Seizes 4,000 Bales of Balata in Venezuela.

Georgetown, British Guiana, Aug. 19.—Much excitement has been caused here by the invasion of Venezuelan territory by Capt. Calder, in command of a small frontier force from British Guiana, and the seizure of a quantity of balata (the gum of the bullet tree, used for insulating wires, etc., which, it is alleged, had been collected on British territory).

Capt. Calder's force went down the Barima and crossed the boundary into the Venezuelan territory, where Capt. Calder, at the point of a revolver, demanded that the Venezuelan commissioner surrender to him 4,000 pounds of balata. The commissioner was unable to resist and gave up the gum. He had made a protest to President Castro and the British consul here against the seizure of the balata and the invasion of Venezuelan territory.

Fears are entertained of the retaliation at Morawhanna, the British frontier headquarters.

There has been much trouble over the balata some time, and the British officials have made strong attempts to prevent illicit trading in the gum.

FIRE AT DASHWOOD.

Brick Building and Entire Block Laid in Ruins.

Exeter, Aug. 19.—A bad \$30,000 fire at Dashwood, broke out about 11 o'clock Saturday night. Fire was discovered in the Hardie brick block of the storeys, occupied by the general store of William Schrumms, and in a short time the whole block, a frame store and stable were in ruins.

Some persons barely escaped in their night clothes. The cause of the fire is unknown. The loss is partly covered by insurance. No. 1 fire engine of Exeter was sent to their relief, but the fire was under control when it arrived. There is no water supply at Dashwood.

Don't Fear Spread.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Five cases of bubonic plague, four of which have resulted in death, have been reported to the health department within the last week. The patients with one exception were of the poorer class of foreigners dwelling in the neighborhood of Chinatown.

The exception was a foreign sailor from a coastwise steamer. Prompt repressive measures were taken by city, state and federal officers, and a spread of the disease is not feared.

The infested steamer was ordered into quarantine with her passengers, and will remain secluded until released by the health department. The two shacks inhabited by the other patients were fumigated, locked up and sealed. The bodies of two Mexicans, an Italian and a Russian Pole, who succumbed, were destroyed in quick time.

"A" Battery Returns.

Kingsford, Aug. 19.—The members of "A" battery are home from Petawawa camp. They arrived by a special train Saturday. The men are well tanned from their outing, and, although the camp has been most profitable and also a very healthy one, they are very glad to get back to the city.

The horses are in fine condition, far better than on their return from the camp a year ago. It is stated that the facilities for the camp this year were far better than last, and taking it altogether, the camp has been one of the best ever held at Petawawa.

Private Must Hang.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Advice received by the War Department from Manila show that the court-martial which tried Private William Taylor, Co. H, 24th Infantry, at Iloilo, on Dec. 16 last, for shooting Lieut. Robert B. Catvert, the commanding officer of his company, sentenced him to death by hanging.

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1 Cashmere Dress, trimmed, \$7.50 for \$3.95	1 " " " \$18.50 for \$11.50
2 Lustre dresses, fancy, \$6.50 for \$3.75	1 " " " \$17.50 for \$10.50
	1 " " " \$30.00 for \$19.50
	1 Raw Silk Coat \$25.00 for \$13.50
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