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Births, Marriages, Deaths.

MARRIED.

LITTLE — HARTSON — On Wednesday, Sept. 4, at First Methodist Church, by Rev. J. V. Smith, of Toronto, Arthur T. Little to Lily Edyth Hartson, both of this city.

CORNEILLE—DAVISON—On Wednesday, Sept. 4, 1901, at the residence of Mr. R. T. Williams, uncle of the bride, Toronto, by Rev. C. W. Brown, B.A., B.D., of Exeter, Ont., Dora, daughter of the late Myers Davison, M.D., to Rev. C. G. Corneille, B.A., B.D., of Maidstone, Ont.

DIED.

COPELAND—In this city, on Sept. 4, 1901, Lucy C. Copeland, beloved wife of Thomas E. Copeland, and second daughter of Henry and Alice Watson, aged 28 years and 3 months.

Funeral from the family residence, 529 Hill street, on Saturday, 3 p.m. Funeral private. 67c

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

Advertisements under this heading 10c per line, or 2c per word each insertion.

NEW GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

A Great Opening Bill—Three Nights commencing

MONDAY, SEPT. 9,

with special Wednesday matinee — W. A. Brady's beautiful production of

'WAY DOWN EAST

the greatest of all pastoral plays.

PRICES—Box seats, $1 50. Orchestra, $1. Balcony, first two rows, $1; next three rows, 75c; balance, 50c. Gallery, 25c. Seats now on sale at Gilean's jewelry store.

Coming, Sept. 12, 13, 14—Hanlon's "Superba." 68k

LONDON OPERA HOUSE—

Tonight, C. S. Sullivan's High-Class Repertoire Company. High-class Vaudeville features. Tonight:

"HAZEL KIRKE."

Tomorrow night, "Two Nights in Rome." Prices 10c, 20c, 30c. Matinee Saturday, 2:30; 10c, 20c. 62bi

Western Fair.

GRAND OPENING, MONDAY, SEPT. 9. Children's and Citizen's Day. Schools will close, manufacturers will shut down; everything in full swing; entire list of attractions; the best races, including motor cycle races. Admission: Adults, 25 cents; children, 10 cents; grand stands free to all in afternoon. Grand fireworks display in the evening—"Relief of Pekin"; and all attractions. 68c

WESTMINSTER ABBEY CHOIR—Sacred recital in St. Paul's Cathedral on Saturday, 3 p.m. Silver collection at door. b

"TILL'S ROYAL MARIONETTES" will be a big drawing card at the Western Fair. 68c

"NOT GUILTY"—THE CELEBRATED painting can be seen at the Western Fair. 68c

HEAR THE CELEBRATED WESTMINSTER Abbey choir. Auditorium, Friday, Sept. 6. 61n-xwvywv

SULPHUR SPRING BATHS—OPEN 7 a.m to 9 p.m. Plunge bath now open. Single bath, 25c; five tickets, $1. Cole & Edmonds. zxvt

$2 65—LONDON TO DETROIT AND RETURN, Saturday, Sept. 7; Sunday, Sept. 8; boat and steamer Tashmoo. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser. zxv

$30,000 TO BE EXPENDED IN THE RECEPTION to the Duke of Cornwall on his visit to Montreal. Electric illumination will surpass the Pan-American. Date, Sept. 16. Ten dollars round trip excursions via Persia and Ocean. F. B. Clarke, next Advertiser.

SHIPS TO ALL PARTS OF THE world—Very low fares to the old country, via Allan, Beaver, Cunard, American and other lines. Clyde Line to Charleston; lines to Jamaica and West Indies and Bermuda. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

DANCING—BEGINNERS' CLASSES—New term opens Sept. 23. Register early. Private tuition and private dancing parties arranged for. Dayton & McCormick.

MEETINGS.

TECUMSEH LODGE — LONDON TENT, 17, will meet this (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock, Knights of Pythias Hall, Dundas street. b

REGULAR MEETING OF ST. JOHN'S (No. 3, A., F. and A. M., G. R. C., this (Friday) evening at 7:30 in the Masonic Temple. General business and degrees. Visitors welcome. T. H. Weldon, W.M.; T. A. Rowat, Secretary. b

DOMESTICS WANTED.

1c per word first insertion and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

COOK WANTED—GOOD WAGES. APPLY at once, Dominion House, York street. 68c

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT; no washing. Apply Mrs. J. W. Scandrett, 390 Dundas street. 68c

WANTED—A CAPABLE GIRL FOR general work; one who can go home at night preferred. 476 Queen's avenue. 66tf

EXPERIENCED DINING-ROOM GIRLS wanted for fair week. Pay, $1.25 per day. Apply J. McMartin, City Hotel. 66k

WANTED TODAY—50 GIRLS, ALL branches housework. Mrs. Lockhart, 442 Park avenue, corner Queen's avenue.

DOMINION

Savings and Investment Society.

HIGHEST RATES

Paid on Deposits and Debentures.

OFFICES — Masonic Temple Building, corner King and Richmond Streets.

NATHANIEL MILLS, Manager

Our Boys' Shoes Are The Stuff!!

They are made purposely for boys whose "popper's rich and mommer doesn't care"—nit!

They are shoes that expect outrageous treatment—and get it—and dodge it.

There are no shoes in the Dominion to compare with them for everlasting wear and small prices.

Sizes 8 to 10½, 75c, $1, $1.25.
Sizes 11 to 13½, $1, $1.25, $1.50.
Sizes 1 to 5, $1, $1.25, $1.50, $2.

J. P. COOK,

167 Dundas Street.

MALE HELP WANTED.

1c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED—GOOD, HUSTLING BOYS, to sell papers, etc., before and after school. Red Star News Company, 90 Dundas street. 69c

BAKER WANTED AT ONCE. R. WILLIS, 639 Dundas street. 69u

STRONG YOUNG MAN FOR FLOUR and feed business. A. M. Hamilton & Son. b

WANTED—SALESMAN FOR TERRITORY in Michigan and adjacent States, familiar with the glass and paint business; a first-class hardware man of business ability who has handled these lines will be given preference. When applying mention salary, references and experience. Address Box 8, Advertiser. 68c

BOY WANTED. APPLY TO DEEKS & MUNSON. 67c

PARCEL BOY WANTED. APPLY Bayley's Drygoods Store, 172 and 174 Dundas street. 67c

WANTED—MEN FOR STEADY EMPLOYMENT; salary, $50 a month; $3 75 cash security for samples. Call at 443 Ridout street. S. D. Knapp Company. 67n

GOOD BOY WANTED—ONE THAT CAN drive. Apply 169 Wellington street. 67c

WANTED—BOY ABOUT 14 OR 15 YEARS of age, with fair education, to learn printing. Apply Advertiser Composing Room. 67tf

PORTER WANTED. APPLY J. McMARTIN, City Hotel. 66k

WANTED—PRINTER, ONE OR TWO years' experience; immediately; excellent chance to improve. State wages, with board. Vance A. Statia, Times, Bothwell. 66c

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED — WAIST AND MANTLE hands. Apply at Smallman & Ingram's. 68c

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED STENOGRAPHER. Apply between 1 and 2 p.m. A. M. Smith & Co. 69c

GIRLS WANTED. APPLY AT FOREST City Laundry. 69c

WANTED—FOUR SMART GIRLS TO fold advertising matter during the exhibition. Apply early Monday morning at The Montreal Star tent, on the grounds. 68c

GIRLS WANTED FOR CANDY PACKING room, and also for bon-bon department. Apply McCormick Manufacturing Company. 64tf

GOOD OPENING FOR LADY TRAVELER; salary or commission; experienced preferred. Apply Robinson Corset Company, 375 Clarence street, London. 63n

AGENTS WANTED.

1c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

AGENT WANTED—CITY, TOWNS ON railroad, or townships; salary or commission. Tea, coffee, spices, etc. Apply Box 74, Advertiser. 37tf

HELP WANTED.

1c per word first insertion and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

BOYS AND GIRLS WANTED—APPLY D. S. Perrin & Co. 52tf

BOYS AND GIRLS WANTED—APPLY McCormick Manufacturing Company. 20tf

SITUATIONS WANTED.

WANTED—SITUATION AS BARTENDER or hotel clerk; experienced. Address Box 5, London Advertiser. 67n

SITUATION WANTED BY STEADY man as bartender; best of references. Apply 461 Central avenue. 68c

WANTED — POSITION BY YOUNG Englishman; thoroughly experienced in office work. Address Box 6, London Advertiser. 67n

MISCELLANEOUS.

F. B. LEYS—OFFICES AT MASONIC Temple, first floor, and London Hat, Cap and Mantle Manufacturing Company, 355, 357 Clarence.

STAMPS—CURRENT CANADA, OLD collections, revenues, bought and sold. Adams, 401 Yonge street, Toronto.

HOUSES, ETC., TO LET.

1c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

TO LET — TEN-ROOMED BRICK house, 50 Craig street; electric light, furnace, bath, etc.; large garden and fruit trees. Apply A. Westman, 58 Craig street, or 111 Dundas street 69u

COMMODIOUS BRICK COTTAGE TO rent; nice location; rent moderate. 707 Queen's avenue. 69c

TO LET—TWO STORY BRICK HOUSE, 9 rooms, all modern conveniences; very central; 178 Albert street. Box 25, City Hotel. 67k

ATTRACTIVE HOME — MODERATE rent, all new and clean; furnace, bath, four bedrooms, mantel, grate; splendid location. 185 St. James street.

LARGE DOUBLE OFFICE, WITH vault; also store, with vault, in Albion Buildings, to let; immediate possession. Apply to T. H. Carling, or H. & C. Colerick, in building. 23tf

TO LET—UNION FURNITURE VAN—Furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Cathcart and Bruce. South London, late of London Furniture Company. 'Phone 210.

Not Too Soon...

There are signs already of the dying of the year. It is not too soon to think of ordering the fall or winter overcoat you intend to have.

Deeks & Munson,

Tailors and Drapers, 393 Richmond St

ARTICLES FOR SALE.

FOR SALE — EDISON'S CONCERT Phonograph, complete, with cases; 24 five-inch records; bargain. 648 Dundas street. 69n

FOR SALE—$20 WILL BUY AN $80 Moran cart, in good order. The London Soap Company. 68tf

A GOOD CARPENTER'S BENCH FOR sale; can be seen at 476 Queen's avenue. 66tf

FOR SALE—ACETYLENE GAS MACHINE, in good repair; suitable for store or residence. Apply 17 Pegler street. 66c

FOR SALE — ONE-HORSE DRAY, nearly new. Apply J. Woolway, 44 Saunby street. 66c

FOR SALE—LOT AT POTTERSBURG, 64x154, all fenced. Apply Sulphur Springs, city. 62bu

SAFE FOR SALE—CHEAP. D. McKENZIE & CO, 208 Richmond street.

FOR SALE — ONE LARGE FANCY buri walnut piano, 7 1-3 octaves, carved panels, 3 pedals; only 5 months in use. We'll sell for $210 now on easy terms. Heintzman & Co., corner Dundas and Clarence.

CHEAP WOOD AND COAL—DURING September we will sell half cord good dry blocks, ash and elm, for $2 cash. A good supply of hardwood blocks and split on hand. We sell the cream of Pennsylvania hard coal at the lowest cash price. We don't sell by the bag; we sell by weight, and give twenty hundred to a ton. Leave your orders before coal goes up. Yard, William street and G. T. Railway. 'Phone 1,391. Green & Co.

HAPPY THOUGHT RANGES AND ALL kinds of stoves, new and second-hand. 100 cook stoves wanted; will pay cash, at F. Keene's, 141 King street.

PEACHES AND PLUMS ARE ARRIVING in large quantities now. Don't wait until the best of them are gone before you buy, as the season this year will be very short, having so much hot weather. When you buy from us you buy direct from the grower. T. A. Faulds, 687 Dundas and Market Square, west of butter and egg building. zxv

HAMS FOR THE FAIR, AT LESS THAN wholesale price. Best Dairy Butter at 18c; second grade at 15c.

At Murphy's Provision Store, 246 Dundas street. zxv

BARGAINS AT PARISH'S STORE—Half-phaeton buggy and cutter, good condition; a large cage for birds, 9x2 feet; also 3 pianos and 2 organs, will be sold cheap. Furniture and stoves taken in exchange for new. 357 Talbot street, 3 doors south of King street.

LADIES' WHEELS, $1; GENTLEMEN'S, $1 25 a week, to rent or buy. Good second-hand wheels, $10. J. H. Cunningham, 664 Dundas.

COAL AND WOOD FOR SALE—THE best at Buchanan's, 633 Colborne street. 'Phone 1,096.

WE HAVE NOW A NEW STOCK OF Waggoner Extension Ladders of fine American linden, with steel fittings; the lightest, strongest, handsomest on earth. Catalogue free. Mention this paper. The Waggoner Ladder Company, Limited. Factory: York and Colborne streets, London, Ont.

D. H. GILLIES & CO., LEADING WOOD dealers of the city, are selling good large load summer wood for $1 25. 'Phone 1,312.

QUICK!—BED SUITES, $10. KEENE BROS., 127 King street, opposite market.

LOST AND FOUND.

1c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

LOST—GOLD MONOGRAM PIN, WITH 99 pendant. Reward at this office. 69c

LOST—IN VICTORIA PARK ON AUG. 25, lady's gold bracelet. Kindly return to this office. b

LOST—MONDAY, NORTH OF CITY, A pocket camera. Reward on return to this office. 68c

LOST—SEPT. 4, IN CENTRAL PART OF city, open-faced Waltham watch. Reward at this office. 68c

LOST—BARREL RACK, ON ADELAIDE street, south of Dundas. Kindly return to 776 Dundas street. 67c

BUFFALO BOARDING HOUSES.

PAN-AMERICAN VISITORS — GO TO Mrs. Milligan, 102 Seventeenth street, Buffalo; private family; cosy rooms. Take Baynes-Hoyt car to Vermont street. 69m

LONDONERS VISITING PAN-AMERICAN can secure good private accommodation at 537 Plymouth avenue. Room, 75c; breakfast, 25c. West avenue and Grant street cars pass door on way to exposition. Write and secure rooms in advance. Mrs. Walter, 537 Plymouth avenue. 55tf

BUSINESS CARDS.

WM. HODGSON, HOUSE PAINTER, paperhanger, decorator, contractor, etc., 410 Horton street. Orders promptly attended to. First-class work done. Patronage kindly solicited. Estimates free.

WATSON & CO., HOUSE MOVERS—Steam boilers and safes a specialty. 194 Hamilton road. 'Phone 1,231.

WANTED.

1c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED TO RENT FOR FAIR WEEK, a tent, square or oblong. Apply at once at this office. 68u

WANTED TO EXCHANGE—SMALL driving horse, for heavy general purpose horse. Apply Box 9, Advertiser. 68c

WANTED AT ONCE—GOOD FARM TO work on shares. George Sears, Ballymote, Ont. 67tf

WANTER TO PURCHASE—RAGS, OLD rubbers, metals, copper, brass, lead, zinc, etc. Orders promptly attended to. H. Serwer, Grey, corner Adelaide. 'Phone 1,199.

HAIR WANTED—CUT HAIR AND combings. Try our tonic for strengthening and promoting the growth. Fair Store, 223 Dundas.

"MOLL PITCHER."

New Haven Book Dealer Finds a Copy of Whittier's Poem Lost Sight Of.

New Haven, Conn., Sept. 6.—John H. W. Cadby, the book dealer near the Yale campus, has just found in his garret a small pamphlet of 28 pages containing a poem by Whittier entitled "Moll Pitcher." It was published by a Boston firm in 1832 and only about one dozen copies were printed for private distribution.

Mr. Cadby a few days ago read about the earlier works of Whittier in which mention was made of the "Moll Pitcher" poem in 1832 and that a copy of the pamphlet containing this poem had recently sold at a high figure. Whittier wrote at one time:

"I did not know there was a copy in existence, as only a few were struck off."

Mr. Cadby says he will get about $140 for the poem. He bought the pamphlet for a song and it was dug out of a pile of old books and papers that he didn't value highly.

TOOK ENTIRE COMMANDO!

Brilliant Work of British Troops Under Command of Major Scobell.

Nineteen Killed, Fifty-Two Wounded and Many Prisoners Taken---Two Hundred Horses Captured---Kitchener Will Stay and Finish Work in South Africa.

Middleburg, Cape Colony, Sept. 6.—Lotter's entire commando has been taken by Major Scobell, south of Petersburg. One hundred and three prisoners were captured, twelve Boers were killed and 46 wounded. Two hundred horses were also captured.

London, Sept. 6.—Lord Kitchener's report from Pretoria to the war office, covering the capture of Lotter's commando, gives the figures as 19 killed and 62 captured unwounded. The prisoners include Commandants Lotter and Breedt, Field Cornets Kruger and W. Kruger and Lieut. Shoeman. Among the killed were the two Vastors, notable rebels.

The British casualties were 10 killed and 8 wounded.

WILL SEE IT THROUGH.

London, Sept. 6.—"I am authorized to state," says the Pretoria correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, "that Lord Kitchener is not going home, but will finish the task assigned him here. General Littleton will replace General Hildyard, who is going to leave."

BOER MUNITIONS SEIZED.

Lisbon, Sept. 5.—An official dispatch received here from Mozambique announces the seizure by Portuguese government officials near Ressano, Garcia, on the Transvaal frontier, of a large supply of ammunition and dynamite intended for the Boers.

GOOD WORK OF CANADIAN SCOUTS.

Ottawa, Sept. 6.—Mr. Frank Newby, of Ottawa, has received a letter from Major Charles Ross, D. S. O., commanding Canadian scouts in South Africa. The leter is written from Daasport Camp, West Pretoria, and dated August 1. Major Ross states that his corps has been doing good work and that it has received much praise from the general officer commanding. The major says that the feeling among the Dutch towards the British is not nearly so bitter as generally supposed. To prove this Major Ross incloses a letter of appreciation received by him from some burghers, accompanied by a ring manufactured by the burghers themselves from Oom Paul's money. The letter is signed by four of the troops of burghers serving under British command at Camp Irene.

REACHED THE LIMIT.

London, Sept. 5—A Cape Town dispatch of today's date says: "Sheepner's commando, consisting of three hundred men and 600 horses, appears to have reached the limit of its southern raid, and turned to the northward after having gained some recruits. One hundred mounted men have been following, endeavoring to unite with Sheepner's commando, but have been unable to overtake it.

ARMORED TRAIN DERAILED.

"An armored train was derailed at Taung's station Monday last, three British being killed and five wounded."

BOERS HAD BEST HORSES.

Washington, Sept. 5.—Had the British been astride of horses as serviceable as those which the Boers rode, there would have been a different tale to tell in South Africa, according to the report made by Mr. Curron, the under secretary for agriculture in British South Africa, which Consul-General Stowe has transmitted to the state department. The South African horse, it is stated, can live on much less food than his English brother; he does not topple into holes; he is sounder, more sensible; will stand without being hitched, and is altogether better fitted for the purpose of warfare.

AUCTION SALE AT 11:30—TEAM OF good work horses, harness, wagon and box, log trucks and chains, on Market, Saturday, Sept. 7. Neil Cooper, auctioneer. b

PARCEL DELIVERY.

C. P. E.—CITY PARCEL EXPRESS—Trunks, valises and parcels called for and promptly delivered. 'Phone 1,295. Office, 2 Masonic Temple. C. H. Anderson.

ARCHITECTS.

MOORE & HENRY—ARCHITECTS, LAND SURVEYORS, CIVIL ENGINEERS.

John M. Moore. Frederick Henry.

LIVERY STABLES.

LILLEY'S LIVERY—NO. 619 DUNDAS street, East London, Ont. Telephone 686.

EDUCATIONAL.

THE MISSES WESTCOTT'S RESIDENT and day school, 441 Ridout street, reopens Sept. 9.

WESTERN UNIVERSITY — SUPPLEMENTAL examinations begin Sept. 25; lectures, Oct. 1. Address, the Registrar, 125 St. James street. 67uc

BUSINESS CHANCES.

HARNESS BUSINESS OF LATE WM. WHITTAKER for sale. Old-established stand. Good trade. Apply Mrs. Whittaker, Delaware. 69c

REAL ESTATE.

FINE MODERN COTTAGE, NEAR Dufferin avenue, and two adjoining lots. First-class modern residence, Hyman street. Two story brick dwelling York street, very large lot. Cheap. J. F. Sangster, 403 Richmond street.

FOR SALE—FINE PROPERTY, CORNER William and Grosvenor. Two-story house. Apply Johnston & Casey, 90 Dundas street.

LIQUIDATION SALE OF BICYCLES—We have received instructions to offer to the public for a few days a number of E. Z. and McBurney-Beattie high-grade ladies' and gentlemen's wheels at sacrifice prices. We offer also a number of second-hand wheels at the public's own price. These wheels must be sold at once. Call and see our bargains, at 386 Richmond street 64tf

Horses by Auction.

I WILL SELL BY AUCTION AT 2 o'clock on Saturday, Sept. 7, at the Bernard Hotel, a number of young horses, bred from half-breed mares and sired by a Hackney horse. Six months credit. No reserve. D. H. PORTER, auctioneer. 68c

reported from Hull, P. Q. A man named Lepine, just across the interprovincial bridge from Ottawa, is the victim. He will be removed to Porter's Island.

Thomas Dillon, Caron avenue, Windsor, was poisoned by eating toadstools which he mistook for mushrooms. Drs. Anderson and Samson revived Dillon after administering some powerful emetics.

SCOTLAND TO IRELAND BY TUNNEL

An Engineering Commission Is Selecting Route.

Holland Is Demanding Satisfaction From Turkey.

Czar Won't Visit Paris—Anarchist Outrages Said To Be Feared—British View of McKinley's Speech.

Glasgow, Sept. 6.—James Barton yesterday explained to the engineering congress, now in session here, the proposed tunnel between Scotland and Ireland. The committee, which considered the routes, thought that the best one was from a projecting portion of the Wightonshire, where the Scotch coast is within 20 or 25 miles of the coast of county Antrim and county Down, in Ireland. The coast is estimated at $50,000,000.

WON'T GO TO PAREE.

London, Sept. 6.—"A member of the Russian imperial suite asserts that Emperor Nicholas would have liked to visit Paris," says a dispatch to the Daily Mail from Copenhagen, "but he has been dissuaded by his private police who fear an anarchist outrage."

The Paris Liberte says it learns that negotiations for a revision of the custom tariffs of France and Russia are proceeding, and that probably a treaty will be signed uring the czar's stay in France. Russian duties on French wines will be considerably diminished, while France will make concession in the case of Russian petroleum.

SATISFACTION DEMANDED OF TURKEY.

London, Sept. 6.—"Holland demands satisfaction," says the Constantinople correspondent of the Daily Mail, "for the violation of the Dutch legation here by Turkish police who forced an entrance Sunday while in search of a man they wished to arrest."

WOODEN HOUSES BARRED.

Moscow, Sept. 6.—Russian insurance companies announce that henceforth they will refuse to insure wooden houses on account of the heavy losses by fire during the last summer. They also announce that after Sept. 15 there will be an increase in general premiums for insurance. Up to the present time there have been net losses this year amounting to 17,000,000 roubles ($8,500,000).

RUSSIAN POSTOFFICE IN JERUSALEM.

The new Russian postoffice was opened in Jerusalem Thursday with great public ceremony in the presence of members of the Russian consulate, Russian clergy, Russians residents and pilgrims.

PEARY FINDS SVERDRUP.

News that Lieut. Peary had found Sverdrup on the western side of Greenland, has caused considerable anxiety. It was hoped that Sverdrup would find Andre on the eastern side. Andre's brother, residing at Gothenburg, believes him to be living.

BRITISH VIEW OF PRESIDENT'S SPEECH.

London, Sept. 6.—President McKinley's speech at the Pan-American Exposition in Buffalo yesterday is the theme of much comment in London papers today.

"It will excite throughout Europe," says the Standard, "as keen interest as it will arouse in the western continent. It is the utterance of a man who feels that he is at the head of a great nation with vast ambitions and new-born consciousness of strength.

"America has become an imperial power. Her national life is no longer self-contained and introspective. Heedless of scoffers at 'spread-eagleism,' the United States will go their way regardless of attempted combinations such as Count Goluchowski has sketched, and with a certain carelessness whether or not they come into violent contact with any European power."

The Morning Post uses the speech as a text from which to urge the necessity resting upon Great Britain to redouble her efforts to maintain her trade supremacy.

The Daily Chronicle says: "The free trade tendency of the speech under the name of reciprocity outweighs in importance all the president's remarks about kinship, the canal, and the like."

CABLE NOTES.

The steamer Sierra, which sailed Sept. 3 for San Francisco, has on board £500,000 in gold.

The Trades Union Congress at Swansea has agreed to convene a national conference of the representatives of all the trade and beneficial societies to formulate a practical old age pension scheme.

Roof gardens for London private houses are proposed by the hospital. The cost of a glass roof and of protection against the wind would not be heavy in proportion to the fresh air and other benefits to be obtained.

Carpineto, Pope Leo's birthplace, came near being destroyed by fire recently. The people there pile their rubbish in a big heap in the middle of the village. During the drouth the heap took fire and the flames spread to the neighboring houses, but the wind shifted and blew away from the village.

Switzerland exported last year 3,036,777 silver watches, 2,366,426 nickel and 800,258 gold watches.

MOUNTAIN OF IRON.

Mr. Clergue Will Have Plenty of Raw Material.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Sept. 6.—A fine iron property that will become a producer within a couple of months is that of the Breitung Iron Company, near Wilde Station, on the Algoma Central and Hudson Bay Railway, 24 miles from here. It will add materially to the mineral wealth of Ontario.

The ore is what is known as specular, and runs 60 per cent pure on the surface. There is a mountain of it, and the supply is said to be practically inexhaustible. A complete outfit of mining machinery is on the way and will soon be installed, and the company expects to ship ore to the Canadian Soo before the snow flies. It is said that the steel plant now building here will use 100,000 tons of the ore annually in its manufactures.

Multum in Parvo.

Hon. Edward Blake declines to be interviewed on public questions.

J. D. Lankenau, Philadelphia philanthropist, leaves $1,500,000 to local charities.

The Seymour Hotel, Winnipeg, was robbed Wednesday night, $110 being taken out of the safe.

It is currently reported that the new survey of the international boundary line will leave the greater part of the town of Blaine, Wash., on the Canadian side.

Joseph Matera, Chicago, sues Mary Pacak for damages to his affections because she jilted him.

Havana Commercial declares annexation to the United States necessary to commercial stability of Cuba.

Dr. W. Hough, of Washington, has dug up in the famous petrified forest of Arizona remains of an exalted civilization estimated to be a thousand years old.

A fresh case of smallpox has been

Bring Your Prescriptions To Us.

Sick people can't afford to take any chances when having prescriptions filled. The best physicians in the world can have no success unless the remedies prescribed are made of pure drugs and put up by a competent pharmacist. We take particular pride in keeping our stock pure and in giving extra care to the compounding of prescriptions. There's nothing fancy about our prices—a fair profit is all we want.

Telephone orders promptly filled. Anything delivered, any place, any time, free.

CAIRNCROSS & LAWRENCE, Chemists and Druggists, 216 Dundas St., corner Park Ave.

BEET SUGAR COMPANY.

With $1,000,000 Chartered by Ontario Government.

Toronto, Sept. 6.—The biggest beet sugar corporation yet launched in Canada has just been granted a charter by the Ontario Government. The capital will be a million dollars, and the first directors include Robert Jaffray, Hugh Blaine, H. M. Pellat, M. J. Haney, Wm. Hender and other well-known capitalists.

The location of the factory has not been determined, but it has been decided that the location must be such as will assure the company of a supply of at least 50,000 tons of beets.

CHIEF JOHN HENRY WILL STAND TRIAL

On Charge of Shooting With Intent to Kill—Doxtator in Hospital and Doing Well.

Chief John Henry, of the Oneida Indian reserve, was yesterday afternoon sent for trial at the December sessions on the charge of shooting at William Doxtater with intent to kill. The presiding magistrates were Squires R. F. Lacey and J. B. Smyth. Doxtater, his head bandaged, appeared to give evidence against the old chief.

Examined by Mr. McKillop, for the crown, Doxtater stated he had gone to Henry's place on Tuesday evening, Aug. 27, to obtain a number of his belongings. Henry came out with a club in his left hand and a revolver in his right. Henry told Doxtater to get out, holding the revolver right in front of his chest. Doxtater turned to go away and had almost reached the gate when a shot was fired. He was not hit, and turned around, when a second shot caused him to fall to the ground in an unconscious condition. When he regained consciousness Henry was beating him with a club. The bullet had grazed his forehead and a lump was raised at the back of his head.

Cross-examined by Mr. E. Meredith, K.C., Doxtater admitted that he had been living with Henry's daughter on several occasions. Questioned as to stopping in a store on his way to Henry's to purchase cartridges for a revolver. Doxtater denied either having a pistol or cartridges. Doxtater admitted having served three months in the county jail for shooting his brother, while several other offenses are alleged to have been placed to his credit.

Bail was accepted for Henry's appearance at the sessions.

Wm. Doxtater, the wounded man, is in Victoria Hospital, and it is believed his complete recovery is only a matter of time. Dr. Hogg, his medical attendant, says his condition is satisfactory, all danger of blood poisoning being past. Doxtater is suffering from an injury to the nose, caused, he says, by being struck with a club in Henry's hands. Dr. Hogg says it is quite possible for a revolver bullet to have passed up Doxtater's nose without the Indian realizing it.

ISLANDER VICTIMS.

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 6. — The bodies of A. Kendall, Patrick Burk, and An Yet, of the crew of the lost Islander, and Miss Kate Barnes, of Seattle, a passenger, have been brought here. The body of J. Dahl, of Seattle, embalmed at Juneau, will be brought down. The inquiry into the wreck started yesterday.

CHINESE GO HOME TO LUXURY.

Chicago, Sept. 6.—Thirty Chinamen, all of whom are said to have amassed small fortunes in this city, left last night for San Francisco, where they will take the steamer for China. They return to their native country to spend the remainder of their lives in luxury. Most of the Chinamen had been in Chicago many years, engaged in some business. Each is said to have had at least $1,000 to $5,000.

The English lady who was killed on the Schlossbery Glacier in Switzerland has been identified as Miss Margaret Crawford, daughter of a British India official.

Larger Eye

Spectacles are sought for these days. Our stock contains a full range of these goods in gold and gold-filled frames. Our rimless goods are the perfection of spectacle and eyeglass ware. The great care we take in fitting insures the greatest comfort to the wearer.

JOHN S. BARNARD,

170 Dundas Street, London.

Saturday Specials

8 a.m. to 9 a.m.

15c Box of Fashionable Stationery for 10c

1,000 of our regular 10c Writing Tablets for 7c

16 only, Shopping Bags, worth in the regular way 35c, our price.. 21c

Lemons, best fruit, per dozen.. 14c

$1 00 Umbrella, for 75c

Read This EXTRA Don't Miss It.

Saturday will bring us a rush of business at this department. We have put forth special efforts to make it especially attractive, and we know our efforts will not go unrewarded, for all shrewd buyers will take advantage of this opportunity to secure a supply for the fall season.

Striped Flannelette Gowns, full size, lined yoke, overstitched seams, frill around neck, down front and around sleeves, Saturday for 50c

Misses' Gowns, of striped flannelette, lined yoke, wide frill around neck, front and sleeves, Saturday. 45c

Ladies' Outing Flannel Gowns, in blue, pink and white, lined yoke, full skirt, deep frill around neck, pleat and sleeves, Saturday, for 85c

Ladies' Gowns, of English outing flannel, hemstitched, tucked yoke, full skirt, neck, yoke and sleeves trimmed with frill and white edging, Saturday's prices $1 00

Fall Waists

48 Waists of stripe and polkadot flannel, in blue, cardinal and black and white, plain backs, full front, bishop sleeves, collars to match, Saturday only 75c

Flannel Waists, in pink, black and cadet, with white figure, plain back, full front, bishop sleeves and collar to match, Saturday $1 00

Waists, in stripe Dresden design, in black and white and two shades of blue, back, front and sleeves tucked, full front, bishop sleeves, collar to match, Saturday for $1 25

Black Mercerized Waists, with four clusters of bias tucks in front, tucked back and sleeves, sizes 32-34, regular $2 25, Saturday only $1 25

Wrappers

Flannelette Wrappers, in blue, mauve and cardinal, polkadot, full skirt, short yoke, rolling collar, regular $1 25, for 90c

16 only, in black and white print, with yoked frill over shoulders, collar and sleeves trimmed with black and white braid, full skirt, regular $1 50, Saturday 99c

"Agale" Corsets, in fine gray jean, steel filled and lace trimmed, regular 75c, Saturday 39c



Book Sale

Here are some items that will interest all people who are fond of reading:

Cloth-bound Books, with gilt titles, such authors as Sewell, Bunyan, Clay, Mulock, Barrie, Cooper, Rostand, Thackeray, etc., our regular 25c line, for 15c

Sheldon Series of cloth-bound books, a very neat and substantial binding, with titles on side and back, a very complete series, regular 25c line, for 20c

200 only, paper-covered Novels, by such authors as Verne, Stevenson, Ballantyne, Jerome, Russell, Hope, Doyle and Carey, Friday and Saturday, for 5c

1,000 paper-covered novels by best authors, over 200 different titles, for, each 10c

Ask for the series of cloth-bound books by Corelli, Duchess, Eliot, Cooper, Lyall, Braeme, Caine, Doyle, etc., sold regularly for 25c, now 19c

Specials at the Stationery Department

Our trade at this department steadily increases and is becoming very popular with the buying public.

A package of Note Paper, containing five quires, Saturday, per package 15c

25 Excellent Quality Envelopes on Saturday for 5c

Ask for the Imperial Box of Stationery. This was a regular 25c box, but is a special for Saturday. 15c

A Complete Line of Hurd's Fashionable Stationery always on hand.

13 yards Shelf Paper, all colors, very wide, with lace edge, for 5c

Specials in all lines of School Supplies for Saturday.

4 Music Specials

Everything played for you before you buy.

The Honeysuckle and the Bee, regular 10c, for 5c

Verona Waltzes, regular 10c, for .. 7c

Janice Meredith Waltzes, regular 10c, for 5c

It's Just Because I Love You So, regular 10c, Saturday for 5c

Candy Special for Saturday

German Creams, regular 15c pound, Saturday, per pound 10c

Walnut-Top Chocolates, regular 25c pound, for, per pound 15c

Royal Mixed Candies, Saturday, per pound 7c

A Box of Chocolate Peppermint Wafers for 15c

A Box of Chocolates and Creams for.... ..... 10c

Saturday Specials

8 a.m. to 9 a.m.

Ammonia, per package 4c

Dubois French Shoe Blacking, tin 4c

A box of Toilet Soap, 3 cakes in box, for, per box 5c

25c Cloth-Bound Books, by best authors, gilt titles, Saturday, each 15c

Underwear Information

The latest cut in prices, that sends things away in a hurry.

40 dozen Ladies' Sleeveless Vests, Saturday, each 4c

Ladies' Vests, short sleeves, our regular 15c line, for 12½c

Pale Blue and Pink Vests, sold regularly at 15c, Saturday price .. 10c

Men's Fancy Striped Shirts, were 25c, Saturday 19c

Men's Woolen Shirts and Drawers, Saturday, suit 90c

Hosiery

Dependable values — all of them. Once a customer, always one.

Ladies' Black Ribbed Cashmere Hose, Saturday, pair 25c

Ladies' Cotton Hose, Saturday special, pair 6c

Ladies' light-weight Cashmere Hose, regular 25c, for 19c

Ladies' Black Ribbed Cotton Hose, regular 15c pair, Saturday clearing price, pair 10c

Sundry Specials

Center counter, main floor, for Soaps, Polishes, Frames, Perfumes, Combs, Brushes, Knives, Jeweiry, and Notions of All Kinds. These are the kind of prices that always keep us so busy:

Lye, per tin 5c

Sapolio, per cake 10c

Borax, large package 5c

Liquid Ammonia, per bottle 9c

Castile Soap, 3 cakes for 5c

Judd's Improved Laundry Soap, 2 for 5c

Family Bar, 3 for 25c

Jet Black Stove Polish, 2 for 7c

New York Shoe Polish, per bottle 7c

Spanish Satin Gloss, per bottle 10c

35c Purses, for 25c

Belts

Patent Leather Belts, with wide back and deep front, gilt back and steel buckles, for 25c

Black Beaded Strong Rubber Belts, fancy buckles, at 35c and 50c

Baldwin's Beehive Fingering yarn, red letter, per skein 8c

Baldwin's Beehive (regular) for, per skein 9c

Special sale at Fancy Goods Department.

Half-Price Sale of Japanese China in the Basement Art Room.

We were fortunate in securing a consignment of Japanese China direct from Japan, that came to Canada by a shipper's error. This is a chance of a lifetime for homes of all classes to buy high-class Japanese China for little money. The ware is beautiful and indescribable, decorations are elaborate—they are all painted by hand. The shipment includes vases of all descriptions, cups and saucers, bread and butter plates, and many other useful articles. In order to turn this lot over quickly, we marked it all half-price, some are less than that. The goods go on sale Saturday morning. See the display in window and basement art room.

35c, 50c, 75c Cups and Saucers. Sale price 25c.

432 Japanese China Cups and Saucers, thin transparent china, beautifully decorated in a variety of colors and shapes, regular 35c, 50c and 75c. Sale price 25c

132 only, Japanese China Bread and Butter Plates, several sizes, hand painted decorations, regular 35c and 50c. Sale price 25c

108 only, Japanese China Pin Trays, in a great variety of decorations, regular 25c. Sale price 10c

15 only, Japanese Vases, stand 18 inches high, several shapes, all different colors, handsome floral decorations, regular $10. Sale price $4.95

34 only, Japanese Vases, stand 12 inches high, all hand inlaid work, a most gorgeous decoration, regular $3 and $4. Sale price $1.50

54 only, Japanese Vases, stand 8½ inches high, a pretty shape and design, regular $1.25. Sale price 50c

288 Japanese Vases, small sizes, 3½ inches high, several shapes and decorations, regular 15c. Sale price 5c

$7.50 Dinner Sets $5.75.

These Dinner Sets, quality considered, are the best value we ever offered this season. The ware is Alfred Meakin's Semi-Porcelain, pink decoration. There are 97 pieces in the set, making a complete dinner and tea service, regular $7 50. Saturday $5.75

Jelly Glasses, third-pint size, fluted and plain, tin tops, Per dozen, Saturday 35c

Crown Brand Fruit Jars, pints per dozen 60c; quarts 65c; half gallons, per dozen 80c



132 Fry Pans, made of heavy and light steel, 6 different sizes, some are slightly rusted, regular 25c to 40c. Saturday 15c

5c and 10c Wire Goods, 2c Each.

432 pieces, including toasting and meat forks, egg beaters, potato mashers, etc., regular 5c and 10c. Saturday 2c

That Queen's Avenue Tar Macadam.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

It was with no little surprise that I read in the report of the proceedings of the city council on the 4th inst. the recommendation of No. 2 committee, that the payment of $511 83, purporting to be the balance due P. L. Marden & Co., for the construction of the tar macadam pavement on Queen's avenue, be paid; that the street was in a satisfactory condition, and the residents were satisfied. I cannot understand how Chairman Winnett and the city engineer could vouch for such a condition of things, knowing so well that the residents between Peter and Maitland streets were not satisfied, and that complaints had been repeatedly made to the engineer, the mayor and Mr. Winnett, chairman of the committee. The facts are as follows: Early in 1900 we petitioned for a tar macadam pavement on Queen's avenue. The contract was let and work started in the month of September of the same year. The portion between Peter and Maitland streets was completed late in the fall, and on several occasions it was necessary to scrape the snow off the street before the workmen could start. On one occasion burned stones were brought and spread upon the street nearly opposite the residence of Messrs. Thomas A. Browne and Rowland. When the roller was put upon these stones with the endeavor to roll them down it simply pushed them ahead of it. To remedy this, hot tar was brought in barrels and poured upon the street. This act we complained of to the city engineer, the mayor and the chairman of No. 2 committee. As a result of this protest some of these stones were taken away and others put in their place. The result was anything but satisfactory. We also complained that the mixture on this portion of the street was not in keeping with the specifications, or of the same quality as that placed upon the other portion between William and Adelaide. We were told that the street would have to be made right. Winter came on and the engineer informed us that if the street was not satisfactory in the spring it would be made right, as they had retained sufficient money and had ample security to complete it in accordance with our petition and the contract as let. It was not satisfactory last spring, and we called upon the engineer and Ald. Winnett, who was again chairman of No. 2 committee. The engineer said he thought the only thing that could be done was to put sand upon the street, which would absorb the tar when it was rolled in. This was done, and during dry weather was all right, until the first heavy rain, when the sand was washed into the sewers and our tar macadam became almost impassable. A bicycle rider would be unable to push his wheel through portions of it, and, in fact, it is in the same position today. We again called upon the city engineer with our protests, who told us that he thought a new top dressing would have to be placed upon it, and that he purposed having the cultivator run over the street in order to take the present coating off. In a couple of weeks, however, we were surprised to find that coarse gravel was spread on and rolled into the street with the steam roller. This also worked for some time during dry weather, but at the first heavy rain the gravel in portions came to view, likewise the tar. Instead of having a good, substantial road, we have one now in places two inches deep with mortar, and we think still getting worse after each rain. Ald. Campbell says we are looking for an asphalt pavement. In this the doctor is mistaken. We petitioned for the same pavement that the residents between William and Adelaide did. We have not received it, while we are called upon to pay the same. What we want to know is why our street is not left in a similar condition, or as good a condition, as the other portion of it. In calling Ald. Winnett's attention to where a horse stood for a few minutes, leaving holes in the street, he said the same thing would occur on the Richmond street asphalt pavement, and we could not look for anything else. After asking him to come and view the pavement, he said the committee had inspected the pavement and were perfectly satisfied with it. He also stated that the residents were satisfied. This I deny. The following residence, who are the principal ones on that portion, objecting to it are: Messrs. D. S. Perrin, Malcolm Rowland, Thomas A. Browne, John Dodd, Robert Wonacott and myself; and I assure you not one of these are satisfied with the condition of the street. We are the ones who have to pay for it, and we think our opinion should count for something, and should be taken into consideration by the committee. We cannot understand why our representatives on that committee are so anxious to force us to pay for a botched-up job pavement. They will admit that we are as practical and as capable of judging of the merits of this pavement as they are by passing over it on a fine day in dry weather, and should receive at their hands at least fair and honest treatment as the servants of the city. We do not think we should be forced to pay for a pavement which is not completed, and which is not in keeping with the specifications, and is not what we petitioned for. We are anxious to have this street completed, but our opinions and requests in the past have been ignored by both the chairman of the committee and the city engineer, and we think that the time has now arrived when "patience has ceased to be a virtue." We would also like to know from the engineer and Chairman Winnett who paid for the gravel recently put on this pavement, and for the steam roller—the engineer, P. L. Marden & Co., or the city at large? Also, if the $511 83 has already been paid to P. L. Marden & Co. or not? Yours truly,

E. J. MACROBERT.

London, Sept. 5, 1901.

FUNERAL OF LATE MRS. WESTBROOK.

Remains of Well-Known Woman Interred in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

The remains of Mrs. Amy Westbrook, who died at 108 Gilbert Place, Detroit, on Sept. 3, were interred yesterday afternoon in Mount Pleasant Cemetery, the funeral services being conducted by Rev. Dean Innes. The pall-bearers were all grandsons and sons-in-law of deceased. Mrs. Westbrook, who was 67 years of age, was the widow of the late Moses Westbrook. Together they came from England about 30 years ago, and took up their residence in London, where they lived continuously until Mr. Westbrook's death, which occurred about eleven years ago. Five sons and six daughters survive; Jack, of Michigan; George, Hartford, Conn.; William, Washington State; James, London; Mrs. William Allinson, London; Mrs. Arthur Thompson, London; Mrs. Pattie, Oshawa Mrs. T. G. White, Detroit; Mrs. Walton, Calgary, and Mrs. Andrews, Bayview, Mich.

Mrs. Westbrook was very widely known and highly esteemed by all who knew her. She was a woman of warm heart and ready sympathies, and those with whom she came in contact soon learned to love her. The family has the deep sympathy of her many friends.

NEW STEAMBOAT FOR PORT STANLEY.

Capt. J. E. Ellison at the Head of Company Which Will Build One.

The want of a steamer in a summer resort so well patronized, and which is yearly gaining in popularity, as Port Stanley, has long been obvious, and a company of enterprising men at Port Stanley and St. Thomas have concluded to supply this need, and at the same time embark in what cannot fail to be a profitable undertaking. The company which is being formed under the title of "The Port Stanley Navigation Company (Limited)," is composed of the following well-known business men as directors: W. A. Day, merchant, Port Stanley; E. A. Smith, real estate agent, St. Thomas; E. W. Honsinger, dentist, St. Thomas; Capt. J. E. Ellison, Port Stanley; J. Arneil, lumber merchant, Port Stanley. The secretary of the company is Mr. J. Gough, village clerk of Port Stanley. The steamer, which will be built of the finest material, will be of the following dimensions: Length, over all, 80 feet; depth amidships, nine feet; breadth of beam, 21 feet; draught of water 7 feet. All the work will be done at Port Stanley. The public will view the undertaking with all the more confidence because of the connection of such a capable seaman as Capt. Ellison with the project. Capt. Ellison is an experienced boat builder, and one of the oldest and most competent navigators of the fresh water seas.

It is proposed to have the new boat ready for the summer of 1902, and stock lists will be circulated at once. The capital stock has been placed at $8,000, divided into 1,600 shares of $5 each. Shareholders will be limited to twenty shares, and each shall be entitled for each share held by him to ten tickets for use on the summer trips, besides receiving half-yearly the dividends earned. Capt. Ellison will open stock books next week, and will make a personal canvass.

THE TRUE BLUES.

Grand Lodge Meets at Toronto Junction—Progress of the Order—Election of Officers.

Toronto Junction, Sept. 5.—The 27th annual meeting of the Loyal True Blue Association of Ontario and Michigan began Tuesday afternoon in Campbell's Hall, Grand Master James Worrell in the chair. Over 200 delegates were present, representing lodges in all parts of the province, with a few from across the border. The grand master in his address, after referring to the transfer of loyalty from the late Queen to King Edward, said that the action of those who at the beginning of the agitation for an alteration of the coronation oath suggested the withdrawal of a few words considered offensive to Roman Catholics was well planned. He said that it was merely a stepping-stone to the real object aimed at, viz., the obliteration of everything that made it necessary for our sovereign to be a defender of the Protestant religion.

The treasurer, Mr. E. H. Purdy, reported receipts for the year, including a balance of $549 from last year, amounting to $2,002; expenditures, $1,513; balance, $489. The Orphanage account showed an increased balance on hand. Last year it was $1,333, this year $1,424. The receipts this year were $3,613, and expenses $3,522.

The grand secretary's report placed the total membership at more than 4,500, an increase of over 500 over last year. The committee on expulsions and suspensions reported 898 initiations, 64 joined by certificate and 67 reinstated. Seventy-nine withdrew, 414 were suspended, three expelled and 26 removed by death.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

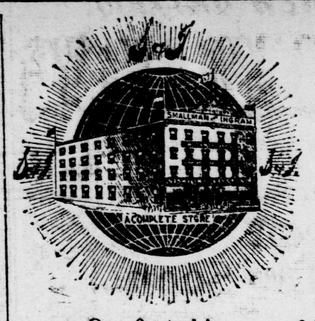
The grand lodge elected officers as follows: Grand master, James Worrell, Picton, by acclamation; deputy grand master, W. J. Wadsworth, Toronto Junction, by acclamation; grand secretary, N. Ingram, Port Perry, by acclamation; grand treasurer, E. H. Purdy, re-elected; grand chaplain, J. M. Cobourn, Honeywood; grand councilor, Major W. J. Wright, Brockville, by acclamation; grand director of ceremonies, C. H. T. Andrews, Orillia; grand organizer, R. C. Newman, Toronto, re-elected.

THE MOST POPULAR PILL.—The pill is the most popular of all forms of medicine, and of pills the most popular are Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, because they do what it is asserted they can do, and are not put forward on any fictitious claims to excellence. They are compact and portable, they are easily taken, they do not nauseate nor gripe, and they give relief in the most stubborn cases.

Never before, it is said, have so many straw hats been worn in Boston.

THE WEATHER TODAY—Fine and decidedly warm.

Colors are deceiving in any other light than daylight. Do your shopping early. This store closes at 6 o'clock every night.



NEW JACKETS.

Autumn, Fall and Winter.

Our first shipment of Jackets has arrived. The styles for this season are varied—quite different to anything shown of late years. We fully believe that you will decide on a new coat for fall when you see the styles—dressy, new garments are they, which can be bought at our usually low prices.

Style 301—Of Heavy Fawn Court Cloth, semi-sacque back, Princess of May collar, double-breasted, large pearl buttons, finished with silk stitching, 26 to 29 inches long; suitable for maids or small ladies. Price only $4 50

Style 320—Of Fawn or Black German Beaver Cloth, semi-box back, with double-stitched raised seams, double breasted front, with pearl buttons, storm collar, bell cuffs, 35 inches long, sizes 30 to 40. Price only $7 50

Style 325—Of Heavy Beaver Cloth, in black, fawn or navy, semi-sacque back, double-breasted front, coat collar, lined throughout, tailor finish, 38 inches long. Price only $8 50

Style 124—Of Extra Fine German Beaver, in black only, semi-sacque back, fly front, coat collar, heavy silk lining throughout, bell cuffs, collar, cuffs, skirt and seams of coat finished with rows of silk stitching; 40 inches long. Price only $18 00

Style 136—Of Fawn Beaver Cloth, semi-fitting back, double-breasted, large pearl buttons, coat collar, silk lining, regular jackets, 41 inches long, 13-inch flounce on bottom of coat. A swell tailor-made garment for .. $20 00

If You Think You Will Require a New Jacket See These.

NEWEST BLACK DRESS GOODS

Visitors to the Western Fair are cordially invited to this store with their city friends, whether you wish to buy or not. Our departments are almost complete with new fall goods, but we particularly draw your attention to the Silk and Dress Goods Departments. Following are some of the latest arrivals in Fancy Black Goods:

1 lot Fine Black Figured Poplins, extra heavy goods for so low a price, and three patterns to choose from. Per yard 50c

1 lot Figured Poplins, containing ten of the newest patterns, rich black dyes; 42 inches wide. A wonder at 65c and 75c

A very fine lot of 12 silk-finished patterns; from this lot you can choose a design suitable for skirt or whole dress, and the price is only $1 00

Black Dress Poplins, handsome goods for dress skirts; give very serviceable wear; a good assortment to choose from at $1 25

A lot of Fine Silk Poplins, heavy weight, patterns equal to silk; fine corded ground. This beautiful style at $1 50 and $1 75

Silk Poplins, in heavy broche patterns, worth your trouble to see them next time you are in. For such style, a low price, $2 00 and $2 50

Black Silks.

The following are some very special offerings we are able to make by buying large quantities. We are glad to be able to do it:

Black Taffeta Silks, for waists, dresses or trimmings, from 50c to $1 50

Black Louisine, one of the newest weaves, warranted not to cut or crush. Per yard at $1 00, $1 25 and $1 50

Fine qualities Black Gros Grain at 75c, 85c, and $1 00

Black Imperial Silk (soft silk), one of the most satisfactory at 75c

Black Merveilleux, the cheapest plain black silk we've sold for many a day. Per yard only 50c

Better qualities and heavier weights at, per yard, 75c and $1 00

Black Peau de Soie, always reliable and very fashionable this season; selling a very nice quality at 75c

Better qualities for waists and dresses at 95c, $1 00, $1 12½, $1 25 and $1 50

Black Duchesse Satin, the best qualities here at $1 00, $1 25, $1 50 and $2 00

Black Satin, that we can recommend for wearing at 49c, 65c, 75c, 85c, and 95c

Black Bengaline, heavy cord, selling as low as $1 00

Special lines of Black Jap. Silks at 25c and 35c

Black Jap. Silks, 27 inches wide, at 50c, 75c, and $1 00

SMALLMAN & INGRAM

149, 151 and 153 DUNDAS STREET.

VOYAGE ACROSS THE ATLANTIC.

George W. Armstrong Gives an Interesting Description of a Trans-Atlantic Voyage.

The Immensity of the Ocean—Its Power—How One Is Impressed With It—"Why Sea Horses."

The sea has been described as a great watery waste. This can hardly be correct; for after the work of creation God reviewed the work of his hands and "saw everything that he had made and behold it was very good." The sea has its important uses, and without it the earth would soon be a parched land. From its vast surface the clouds receive the rain, which falls in such plenteous showers to refresh the earth and give increase to all vegetation, and also supplies the wants of all living creatures. God claims the sea for his possession. "The sea is his and he made it." He made it, keeps it, governs and controls it, for his own glory and the good of man. In the majesty of the storm the sea displays God's power. In the vastness of its expanse it is suggestive of eternity. In its measureless productiveness it reveals God's goodness, and in its placid attitudes it illustrates his gentleness. In all ages it has played an important part in the peaceful and turbulent affairs of men. We go far back in the history of the world and read of naval warfare, and we also read of great adventures in commercial pursuits. "They that go down to the sea in ships, that do business in great waters, these see the works of God and his wonders in the deep." To the devout soul the sea is awe-inspiring, and fills with reverential and worshipful feelings, and in the midst of the severest storm he need not fear, for he knows that God "commandeth and raiseth the stormy wind and lifteth up the waves thereof. They mount up to the heavens, they go down again to the depths." And he also knows that God maketh the storm a calm so that the waves thereof are still. That he "rulest the raging of the sea, when the waves thereof arise he stillest them." These truths are as old as navigation, and yet men are slow to adopt them. They have more faith in iron sheets, bars and bolts, as though the strongest built vessel were superior to the power of the Almighty who breakest the ships of Tarsish with an east wind.

A trip across the sea is full of interests to anyone who has eyes and can see, to those who, having eyes, see not it is a wearisome monotony. It is interesting because of our far environment—the horizon, and because of our near environment—the limits of our ship, a veritable floating island of iron and steel with about 1,000 inhabitants. I have no ambition to be a sailor! And so far as I am concerned those who like may sing:

"A life on the ocean wave,
A home on the good old ship,"

but for my part I much prefer terra firma. Nevertheless a voyage across the Atlantic well repays for the inconvenience and risk involved. Risks, in this scientific age, are reduced to a minimum, for our immense leviathian ships ride the waves with calm, majestic bearing, and almost appear to bid defiance to the stormy winds and robust cyclone. In crossing the Atlantic, on the double voyage, we were subject to the perils of the deep for nearly three weeks—and at times were literally rocked in the cradle of the deep; though taking our passage as a whole, we had good voyages, and had the privilege of seeing the sea in most of its variable moods—from the pacific sea of glass to the storm with its mighty billows, which are said to rise mountains high. This is, of course, speaking figuratively, as scientific tests recently made show that the waves which rise the highest do not reach 30 feet!

The ocean at times is a magnificent watery wilderness, a prairie of white-capped waves, varying its character from day to day; in its rougher aspects it is a grand, a magnificent sight. I know of no words more appropriate to describe it than those of the Psalmist, "The little hills rejoice on every side." On several days the sea assumed a most beautiful appearance; as far, yea farther than the eye could reach — farther than the far horizon was one vast mass of white crested billows; or, as they have been most beautifully called, "white sea horses," sporting in high glee, apparently glorying in the unrestrained and unlimited freedom they possessed. These days were cold and windy, and few passengers had the courage or hardihood to leave their cabin quarters to come on deck, or face the health-giving promenade; the few who did were fascinated with the sight, standing in admiration, overpowered with the thought, and gathering some faint idea of the enormous power of the waves when lashed into fury, and in number a watery army of the living God. Nothing can give a better idea of the power of the forces of nature, or the utter feebleness of man to resist these forces than a tempestuous sea; nor can anything give a better impression of perfect peace and rest than the ocean in a state of placidity. On these latter days the deck was crowded—men, women and children putting on their "sea legs," and each one wearing the self-satisfied look of those who dare to face the dangers of the deep (in their cabin prostrated with mal de mer), and who now, because the storm had passed away, and the sea had "become a great calm" assumed the appearance of being more sailory than the sailors.

Poor mortals, we soon forget our dangers and our fears when they are passed.

BURGLARY AT DUTTON.

Intruder Enters Angus McIntyre's House by a Window and Carries Off a Valuable Watch.

Dutton, Ont., Sept. 6.—This morning about 3 o'clock a burglar entered the house of Angus M. McIntyre by a back window, passed through the house and made his exit by the front door, carrying with him Mr. McIntyre's gold watch, valued at over $100. The watch was in Mr. McIntyre's vest pocket hanging in the hallway. There is no clue.

THE EXTENSION OF RAILWAYS.

Local Roads Branching Out—Yerkes' Latest London Deal.

It is expected that the line of the Tilsonburg, Lake Erie and Pacific Railway will be completed from Tilsonburg to Ingersoll by November.

Locomotives tested in Egypt show that the British engines are markedly superior to the American.

The M. C. R. will shortly begin the construction of the double track between Bismarck and Ridgetown. It is stated that the contract for grading was awarded yesterday.

The railway committee of the Dominion privy council met on Tuesday to consider a batch of applications in regard to crossings and other matters. There were present Messrs. Blair, Bernier and Mills.

The railway committee of the Windsor, Ont., city council met F. A. Hough, of Amherstburg to discuss the franchise which the South Essex Railway Company is trying to secure from the city. Mr. Hough, who represented the company, stated that there were some clauses of the proposed agreement between the c and the company which the promo of the company wished to have modif The members of the committee were verse to promising any modification the terms laid down in the agreem prepared by the city's solicitors, b promised to submit the objections of t company at the next meeting of the ci council.

Charles T. Yerkes has secured contr of the projected Brompton-Piccadilly tub railroad, London, England, with a capita of £2,100,000. Work will be commenced immediately. The road will be worked in conjunction with Mr. Yerkes' Charing Cross-Hampstead line and the District Railway. Mr. Yerkes has purchased all the stock of the Brompton road from the Brush Electrical Engineering Company and from Walker & Co., contractors, of London. The price is not announced. The group of capitalists who were behind Mr. Yerkes in his previous deals are believed to be with him on this occasion. The acquisition gives Mr. Yerkes' system almost complete control of London's rapid transit.

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NEW ONTARIO; ITS RAILWAYS.

Trade With the Northern Part of the Province Important.

Mr. Thomas Southworth, Ontario Director of Colonization, Writes on the Subject of the Nippissing and James' Bay Railway.

The opening up and settlement of New Ontario and the extension of railways to that region is a matter of vital importance to the manufacturing and commercial interests of the southern part of the province. The prospects are that, with an increasing number of settlers, the trade will be large and will merit the consideration of merchants of cities in the older settled parts of the province. The following is Mr. Southworth's impressions in regard to the Temiskaming district:

Two reasons may be assigned as explaining why manufacturers and merchants have paid so little attention to the agricultural development taking place in the north. In the first place, the volume of trade with the settlers at present in the country is but small. It is only during the present season that there has been any rapid or extensive colonization movement, and both the requirements and the output of the pioneers during the early years of settlement are necessarily very limited. The business of the region is in its infancy, and to those whose survey of the situation includes only present condition it no doubt appears trifling as compared with the demand from other quarters. Secondly, the merchants of Toronto have, so far, largely controlled such trade as now exists, in spite of poor railroad facilities and the fact that railroad haulage is in favor of Montreal and Ottawa. This is mainly due to the influence of old associations and the prevalence of a certain amount of sentiment in business, as those engaged in trade in the district are mostly men from Southern and Western Ontario, who have continued to trade with the houses with whom they had formerly done business. With the present railway arrangements, however, this state of matters is not likely to continue, especially in the face of energetic efforts on the part of business men in rival cities to secure custom. On my last visit to the Temiskaming district I came out with the manager of a drug company in the east who had been soliciting orders for drugs and druggists' sundries. He stated that the main object of his trip was not to secure immediate orders, although his success in that particular had exceeded his expectations, but that he was "laying his pipes" for what he foresaw was sure to be a large and profitable trade in the near future. He was also positive that it would not be long before roads would be extended from Quebec Province to tap the district, making the rates to Ottawa and Montreal better than at present.

LANDS OPEN FOR SETTLEMENT ONLY SHORT TIME.

It must be remembered that the agricultural lands generally referred to as the Temiskaming district have only been open for settlement a comparatively short time, and that its value as a farming country is only beginning to be apreciated by the people of Old Ontario. When settlement in Southern Ontario had extended northwards to Renfrew and Parry Sound, the broken character of the land crossing the province along the line of the Canadian Pacific Railway conveyed the impression that the northern limit of the good agricultural land of the province had been attained. Reports of traders, trappers and others of good land at the head of Lake Temiskaming have reached the government. Surveyors were sent in a few years ago to make an examination of the country, and on their favorable reports several townships were surveyed and laid out in lots. When Mr. John Armstrong, the man selected by the commissioner of crown lands as land agent, was sent up about six years ago, he reported favorably on the district, and a few settlers began to go in. Until this year nearly all those who took up land were induced to do so by reports as to the fertility and excellence of the soil from acquaintances who had preceded them. On the occasion of the settlement of the boundary dispute in 1887 it was found that the region subsequently surveyed into townships by no means included the whole of the good land, but that it probably extended northwards to the Height of Land into the territory claimed by the Dominion. The reports to this effect were confirmed by the explorers who went through that coutry in 1900. While the Temiskaming district proper does not probably contain more than 600,000 acres of the alluvial clay soil which is so valuable, the explorations show that this district is merely the southeastern extremity of a block of about 16,000,000 acres running north to the muskeg land, south of James Bay and westward across the province. So that while we have in the southern part of the province at present settled only about 23,000,000 acres, we possess in the north another agricultural belt of vast extent, separated from it by the Laurentian ridge running across the country and forming what is popularly known as the Height of Land.

This immense tract is in every respect well adapted for settlement, and successful efforts are now being made to acquaint our own people with the value of the country, which is being largely settled by the sons of the farmers of Old Ontario and other natives of the province, who are beginning to realize that equal or superior advantages to any offered to land-seekers elsewhere can be obtained within our own borders.

A reference to the map of Ontario will show the

GEOGRAPHICAL RELATIONS

between the Temiskaming district and Toronto, and render obvious the advantages, not only to the district itself, but to this and other southern Ontario business centers, of the early completion of the proposed road from North Bay to Temiskaming district. It must not be supposed that when such a road is in operation the trade of the agricultural region of Temiskaming will form the sole traffic. Lying between North Bay and the farming country at the head of Lake Temiskaming is a large tract, extremely rich in pine and other valuable timber, and containing much mineral wealth, including nickel, gold, iron, and copper to an extent of which few have any idea. In 1900, the commissioner of crown lands, under the authority of the Forest Reserves Act of 1898, set aside a tract embracing 2,200 square miles as a forest reserve. Aside from its wealth in timber and minerals it contains some of the most beautiful lakes in the world. They have already attracted many tourists and sportsmen and are sought by numbers of American canoeists as favorite canoe routes. With direct railroad communication this picturesque and fascinating region would very shortly become one of the most famous and popular tourist resorts on the continent, bringing large numbers of pleasure-seekers to the province, many of whom would make a sojourn in Toronto en route.

How the road should be built, whether as a private enterprise or by the government as suggested by Premier Ross, or whether it should be extended to James Bay, as called for in the original charter, are points that I will not at present discuss. What I wish specially to emphaize is that, before settlement can be extended much farther north than at present, railway communication with the south must be effected, and that, if the people of Toronto and Southern Ontario are alive to their interests, they will see to it, that whatever road is built will be as directly as possible connected with Toronto and hence will run through North Bay.

I think there can be no doubt as to the great importance of this road to Southern Ontario as well as to the new district, but I have been struck by the apparent want of interest taken by the manufacturers and other leading men of Toronto in the project. When a deputation from Temiskaming visited the city last winter and waited upon the government to urge the building of the road, Toronto's "captains of industry" were somewhat conspicuous by their absence, although officials of the board of trade were notified of the interview with the government. I may be wrong, and the people whom I am addressing may be thoroughly alive to the situation, but if that is the case they seem to have carefully concealed the fact, at least, from the writer. Yours respectfully,

THOS. SOUTHWORTH.

PAN-AMERICAN IMPRESSIONS.

Appraisals From Various View Points—Mr. Dooley—Mr. Albert Shaw—Lack of Permanency.

The Cosmopolitan for September is full of interesting articles on the Pan-American Exposition, largely devoted to what people ought to enjoy. Mr. Dooley was there, and decided that "f'r wan man that goes to a wurruld's fair to see how boots is made, they'se twinty goes to see th' hootchy-kootchy, an' that's where th' wan lands finally." It is his opinion that people get up fairs "f'r th' advancement iv thought an' th' gate receipts, but they're run for a good time an' a deffycit." Mr. Hinnissy asked whether they do the city any good, and the sagacious Dooley answered: "They may not do th' city anny good, but they're good f'r th' people in it. An' they do th' city good in wan way. If a city has wan fair, it niver has to have another." Robert Grant is no more enthusiastic than might have been expected of the author of "Unleavened Bread"; "One seems to be walking through a park of South America palaces. Possibly it is the mental effect of being in South America which restrains the soul from complete enthusiasm, for we are not accustomed to think of South America in superlatives."

Albert Shaw finds the chief value of such expositions in the architecture:

"The 'White City' in Jackson Park gave millions of Americans for the first time in their lives a conception of harmony in the architecture of buildings placed near one another in towns. That conception is now influencing the development of hundreds of cities and towns in the growing and prosperous West."

And this is likely to be the chief residual effect of these fairs. John Brisben Walker regrets, as all must, their impermanence: "Another million or at the most two millions would have left every wall in the most durable of materials. What a pity, then, what a waste that this small additional sum should not have left the work of great artists in living form?" It might be a problem to use and keep up so many buildings, but it certainly is too bad that one or two cannot survive. And Mr. Walker draws this contrast between individualism and collective effort:

"How was this marvel of construction brought about? Why three miles away are a thousand ungraceful shapes piled garishly together, and here this dream of perfection? The answer comes—it is but the difference in systems. One represents human effort disastrously expended under individual guidance in the competitive system, which takes no thought of neighbors."

One of the most interesting articles is the statement by C. Y. Turner, of the way in which he worked at the color scheme of the fair, with the help of a model which covered a space of 12x16 feet. He gives this clew to the color system:

"Since I wished in some way to emphasize the great power which was being used to run the exposition, the beautiful emerald-green hue of the water as it curls over the crest of Niagara Falls seemed to me a most fitting note to carry through the exposition, and I therefore adopted it, and this color is found on some portion of every building."

It seems to be pretty generally agreed that Mr. Turner's coloring, while in some instances rather crude and garish, is, on the whole, successful.

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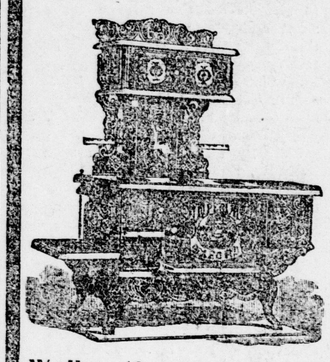
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OVER FIFTY PERSONS INJURED!

Freight Dashes Into a Train With 100 Laborers on Board.

One Man Fatally Hurt, and Another Badly Injured Near Brigden—Numerous Other Casualties.

OVER FIFTY PERSONS HURT.

Elmira, N. Y., Sept. 6.—Four people were seriously injured and 50 others slightly hurt in a wreck which occurred seven miles south of Elmira yesterday. Westbound D. L and W. freight train, No. 53, ran into a work train, having on board over 100 laborers, many of whom were Italians.

The workmen were hurled high in the air in all directions, the majority receiving minor injuries.

The work train was supposed to have cleared for the freight, but for some reason it did not do so and the freight crashed into it from the rear, demolishing several cars.

WALLACEBURG MAN KILLED.

Brigden, Sept. 5.—An accident resulting fatally to George Branton, of Wallaceburg, occurred half a mile west of here on the fourth line, at Bear Creek Hill, yesterday afternoon, by his horse turning suddenly when driving down the hill, throwing Mr. Branton out down the embankment, and breaking his right shoulder. Dr. Fisher was in attendance soon after the accident and the injured man was brought to the Queen's Hotel here, where everything was done to relieve his suffering. He did not regain consciousness and died during the night.

During the afternoon Mr. Branton was driving through Main street with Hiram Hales in the buggy, and when near the corner at the Commercial Hotel, the horse turned down Jane street while going very fast and overturned the rig, throwing both men out. The doctors find that Mr. Hales' skull was fractured, and he is seriously injured about the shoulders. At present writing his condition is considered very serious, but not fatal.

ACCIDENTS IN ST. THOMAS DISTRICT.

St. Thomas, Sept. 5.—E. M. Harris was seriously hurt at Aylmer. He was driving the town sprinkling cart and went too close to an elevator, being crushed between the elevator and the sprinkling cart. Three of his ribs were broken, one of which was driven through his lung. Mr. Harris being a man well along in years, very little hopes are held out for his recovery.

Ed. Masterson, Alma street, employed on the Grand Trunk, had his foot crushed this morning by a rail falling on it.

Geo. White, Michigan Central sectionman, had his foot badly hurt while at work at the Metcalfe street crossing this morning. A heavy crowbar fell on it.

Walter Bowlby, conductor on the Michigan Central, had his back badly wrenched while at work yesterday.

Frank Burle, of Foreman Buck's extra gang on the Michigan Central at work at Port Dover Junction, was struck by a rail on the right leg yesterday. He sustained a compound fracture above the ankle.

A horse attached to a buggy in which were seated four ladies from Aylmer, became frightened at a train near the Michigan Central overhead bridge yesterday and ran away. Mrs. Hopkins received a bad shaking up, producing concussion of the brain.

TWO WOMEN HURT.

Newcastle, Ont., Sept. 6. — A serious accident occurred about one mile west of here on the gravel road, yesterday afternoon, when Mrs. George Rickard and her daughter Bertie were seriously injured. The horse took fright, backing into a deep ditch, upsetting the buggy. Mrs. George Rickard had her shoulder blade broken and her daughter was badly cut about the face, requiring 26 stitches to draw it together.

CAUGHT BETWEEN CARS.

Wolverine, Mich., Sept. 6.—Ex-State Senator James E. Holcomb, aged 70, attempted to cross the railroad track between two freight cars, when the train suddenly started, throwing him down. Both legs were cut off above the knees. He died almost instantly. Mr. Holcomb represented the 27th district in the senate in 1891-92.

OTHER CASUALTIES.

Rev. Mr. Steele, Adventist, 80, dropped dead from excitement after a camp meeting in Dunham Woods, Conn.

Stewart Manchester, a bell boy at the Clarendon, Winnipeg, wheeled into the shaft of an approaching vehicle. The shaft struck him over the left lung, inflicting such injuries that there are little hopes for his recovery.

Mrs. S. Bosco, who was shot on St. Lawrence street, Montreal, in the doorway of her husband's business place by an Italian named Amabile Barile, is likely to die from the bullet wounds, and her ante-mortem statement was taken.

ARKONA.

Arkona, Sept. 5.—Messrs. J. G. and A. W. Brown are making a business trip to Toronto this week.

Mr. M. Dunlop spent a few days last week with friends in Port Huron and other places in Michigan.

Rev. Mr. Pring, of Thedford, exchanged pulpits last Sunday with Rev. R. Fulton Irwin, of Arkona.

Mr. Sol. Smith, fourth line, is moving his household effects into town this week.

A busload of Watford people spent Labor Day at Rock Glen.

Miss Maud Lackey, who has been visiting her sister, Miss Hettie Lackey, for the last six weeks, returned to her home in Hamilton on Monday.

A large crowd of Arkona people took in the baseball match in Forest on Labor Day.

Messrs. Art and Will Everest have returned home after spending a month's shooting in Manitoba.

Mr. F. Hillis, F. Crawford and F. Casselman are attending the Watford High School.

Mr. John Sadler has opened up his new barber shop next the Queen's Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Swan, who have been visiting at the Queen's, returned home Monday.

Miss E. M. Irwin is attending the millinery openings at Toronto this week.

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The Duke and Duchess and London.

If there is any possibility of London and Western Ontario being omitted altogether with the itinerary of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York, a serious mistake would be made. Statistics show that the section of Canada known as Western Ontario is the very garden of the Dominion as to productiveness and fertility, while displaying a natural beauty not elsewhere to be surpassed. If London, as the capital of Western Ontario, fails to be included in the places of call mapped out by his Excellency the Governor-General, who is supposed to be tour-manager, such an outcome will not be the fault of the following committee chosen to urge the claims of this city, namely, Mayor Rumball, Sir John Carling, Mr. C. S. Hyman, M. P., Major Beattie, Judge Edward Elliott, Sheriff Cameron and City Clerk Kingston. It would be a blunder of no common kind to omit from the royal itinerary one of the most typical cities and districts in Canada.

Rightly understood, the tour of the heir apparent to the throne has relation to reasons of State and to the consolidation of sentiment throughout the Empire. From such a view-point, not to visit a section of the Dominion containing the most considerable and thickly-settled portion of Canada's population could not readily be justified.

Canada's Future.

Much has been written about the census; many consider it disappointing; but when we look at the situation calmly, is there anything to be disappointed over?

Canada is a young country, full of life, which its people have just begun to feel. They are beginning to realize that its possessions are vast; and the people not only of Canada but also of Great Britain and of the United States are beginning to realize this fact, and capitalists are looking towards Canada for investments.

Would a young man possessed of a sound constitution, good health, good education, and everything necessary to make success sure, be justified in being disappointed; if, when his business showed signs of increase and of new life, he found on taking stock that it was not as great as he had thought it to be? Surely not. And so with Canada. It is equipped in every way to prosper. Its life is before it, and its future certain to be great.

Slowly the sun mounts up, how slow,
But westward look! the land is bright.

Better Avoid Class Distinction in Canada.

Labor Day has come and gone. It brought with it the usual holiday processions and demonstrations. In this country it is simply a special holiday before we settle down to the steady work of another winter. Fortunately, in Canada there are no distressing features just now. Labor demonstrations are not looked upon with the dread that they inspire in the countries of the European continent, and there is no great strike spreading disorganization and misery through the land. Hence, the labor holiday passed off pleasantly and was looked upon with satisfaction. Some have an objection to it that it is a class holiday, and tends to create a distinction which ought not to be magnified. Other holidays, they say, appeal to us all as citizens, while this is supposed to single out a special section of the community as "laboring class," while in this country we are practically all working people, or laborers, in the true sense. This certainly does point out a danger in a democratic country. We may welcome a holiday which is meant to recognize the dignity and sacredness of labor, including the labor that is supposed to be menial, but we do not wish to create deep class distinctions. It should be borne in mind that all workers, whether using their brains or their hands, are equally members of the same commonwealth, and by their labor are not only supporting themselves, but also ministering to its life. If the country is to prosper, we must all be citizens with an active interest in the welfare of all.

Prof. W. J. Ashley, who held successively the chair of political economy at Toronto and at Harvard Universities, has been appointed to the chair of the future faculty of commerce at the Birmingham University. Prof. Ashley's knowledge of methods and economic conditions on this side of the Atlantic, coupled with a brilliant career at Oxford University, qualify him for his new professional position. His appointment emphasizes the widening view now taken of the functions of the modern university.

Home Rule Revived.

The congested nature of all parliamentary business, outside that relating to the South African troubles, has resulted in a revival of the discussion of home rule—not entirely on the lines of the measure proposed by the late Mr. Gladstone, but as a devolution from the present centralized methods. This view is well sustained in a paper, written by Hon. T. A. Brassey, the well known Liberal imperialist, in the current number of The Nineteenth Century and After. Hon. Mr. Brassey is well known as a close friend of Lord Rosebery, and there can be little doubt that the Home Rule which he advocates as a necessity to the proper conduct of public business would have the hearty support of that Liberal leader. "The excessive amount of work now imposed upon Parliament," said Sir Henry Campbell - Bannerman, some years since, "can only be alleviated by a system of devolution. It is for this reason, as well as from a sense of right and justice to the nationalities concerned, that I regard as urgently necessary the creation for the three kingdoms of subordinate legislative assemblies dealing with the distinctive affairs of each." The experience of the past session, when the Government was practically unable to go on with its business, and many important measures brought forward by private members were slaughtered, went a long way to uphold the correctness of the contention of the leader of the Liberal party. Under these circumstances, Hon. Mr. Brassey has reached the conclusion that "the adoption of a federal form of government is becoming absolutely necessary both for the United Kingdom and the Empire." Mr. Brassey adduces many strong reasons why this devolution ought to take place. Much of the legislation passed by the House of Commons, he points out, is of special application to England, or to Scotland, or to Ireland, and of no application or interest to the United Kingdom as a whole. A local government act—creating county and district councils—is passed for England and Wales at one time. Quite another act is passed for Scotland in a different year, and so vital are the differences between English and Scottish local life that no Englishman is competent to express an opinion upon any part of it, though—and here is Scotland's grievance—his predominant vote can be called in by the ministry to swamp the wishes of Scottish representatives. Another local government act of quite another kind for Ireland is allotted to a different year, and here a majority of Englishmen and Scotsmen can and do swamp the Irish vote upon a purely Irish local affair. Moreover, the proportion of statutes which have a special application to one country of the United Kingdom or the other tends to increase. That Irishmen and Englishmen should be supposed to legislate on the Scottish crafts question, of which they cannot have the necessary special knowledge, is, as Mr. Brassey says, absurd; and that such a question as the disestablishment of the Church in England should be decided partly by the votes of Irish Roman Catholics, Scottish Presbyterians or Welsh Dissenters is "totally opposed to the right of self-government on which the Empire has been built up, and which the Liberal party has long advocated with reference to Ireland."

Mr. Brassy shows that in recent years Imperial questions have held the larger share of the public attention; at last general election the South African war was the predominant issue. Judging by the success of the Conservatives in the national contest and of the Liberals in the Greater London elections, it is not reasonable to infer that the electorate desired the former to manage their Imperial affairs and the Liberals to take care of their domestic concerns. At some future election the converse of what happened last year may take place. Taking up the Irish side of the question, Mr. Brassey says: "Whether we like it or not, the question must be faced. The Irish party is again a united and vigorous parliamentary force, determined to use every means to compel attention to the Irish demand. No Liberal can contemplate with equanimity the possibility of governing Ireland indefinitely in opposition to the wishes of the Irish people." Mr. Brassey considers that the training which the Irish have obtained in the last ten years has been valuable in fitting them for greater responsibilities.

Taking up the position of England, Mr. Brassey proceeds: "The predominant partner must be induced to contemplate devolution, as applied to himself, and to realize that if he wishes proper attention given to the housing question, the problem of the aged poor, temperance, the condition of British industry, and the depopulation of the agricultural districts, he must have a parliament free to devote its whole time to English business. That this is not a difficult task is the experience of those who have addressed meetings in all parts of the country during the last six months, on the necessity for devolution."

The proposition to have a truly Imperial Parliament, to transact the business of the Empire, as distinguished from purely domestic matters—such as municipal, school and like concerns—and to leave these local concerns to be managed in each division of the Empire by local legislatures, ought to commend itself to the British people. They have had an experience of how nearly the governing machine may come to the breaking-down point during the past session. Then, because of its being compelled to undertake too much, in face of a strong and compact, though numerically small, opposition, a government with a majority of nearly 150 found itself almost impotent.

There is no reason why local legislatures in the three divisions of the United Kingdom should not be intrusted with purely municipal affairs, to as wide an extent as Canadian provincial legislatures are. That being provided for, the Imperial Parliament would be relieved of the petty and vexatious questions of a local nature that now take up nine-tenths of the time of the House of Commons, and its members would be able to devote their time and talents to the welfare of the Empire as a whole. There would be no excuse for neglecting any needed reform that might be required, and instead of being compelled to spend seven or eight months of the year at Westminster, parliamentarians would be able to get through with their business in three months.

Devolution is the coming reform.

Alabama Wakening Up.

George Howard, a farmer who took part in lynching a negro near Wetumpka some months ago, has been found guilty of murder in the first degree, and sentenced to imprisonment for life. He admitted the part he had taken, and gave the names of thirteen others who also took part. He probably did this, thinking there was no fear of conviction. The additional thirteen prosecutions, if carried to the end, will help to stop the crime of lynching.

Lynching promotes crime. It must certainly brutalize all who take part in it. It would look as if in Alabama they were waking up to the fact that the administration of justice should not be in the hands of murderers.

Banks, Trust Companies, Loan Companies.

The Monetary Times gives some interesting statistics respecting banks and trust companies in Greater New York.

There are 61 banks and 40 trust companies.

The capital and surplus of the banks is $180,388,300. The trust companies' capital and surplus is $138,733,561.

The banks' deposits amount to $955,-912,200. The trust companies' deposits amount to $752,083,471, and the aggregate resources of the 40 trust companies are $907,739,561.

The trust companies have very little cash on hand, while the banks have over $261,000,000.

The class of business done by the banks and trust companies is entirely different; and we have more than once favored extending the powers of loan companies in this Province so as to include the powers of trust companies. We believe such extension would be in in general interest.

Mother Earth.

The ancient story of the giant who lost his strength when lifted clean off the earth, but regained it when in contact with the soil, is a parable containing an everlasting truth. It may be taken as an allegory of the healthful conditions of human life. Man is more, but here and now he is a creature of the earth; the earth is his mother, and must not be despised. Mr. Clergue has been preaching to the French-Canadians the advantage of sticking to the soil. While they make good factory hands and steady workers in other departments, he thinks that their special mission and most faithful work is to act as pioneers, to break up the land and to bring it into cultivation. Mr. Rider Haggard today is perhaps doing better work than ever in the role of country squire, setting forth the needs, beauties and advantages of country life. He declares that England is doomed if too large a population of her blood is drawn into the towns, there to be heated, depraved and impoverished. We are sure that there is great truth in these urgent calls that come to us from these and other quarters. We do not despise commercial and professional work of various kinds, but the physical basis upon which our life rests is the culture of the soil. Canadians have a fine opportunity for showing that men can keep close to nature and at the same time have a life that is broad in its interests. Farming may be made a fine art, at once profitable, pleasant, wholesome and inspiring.

Mr. Whitney has spoken, both loud and long. "Consider, sir, how insignificant this well appear a twelve-month hence."

We frequently observe, in various newspapers, death notices, which conclude by requesting such and such a journal in some other place, to copy. But there is no certainty that the first newspaper is sent in exchange to the particular journal mentioned; still less is there any certainty that the death notices in one's ordinary exchanges are examined with sufficient care to make it certain that the request will be noticed. If it is desired that a death notice or other intimation should appear in a newspaper in another place, the simplest and only safe method is to forward the notice by letter.

The Monetary Times, commenting on the results of the recent census taking, speaks as follows:

"In considering the result of the new census, it ought to be some consolation to remember what has been done by Ontario, in the last four decades, in building up new provinces in the West. She has sent of her sons and daughters large contributions to the formation of two new provinces, and a third incipient province, which has not yet attained even the name. There is a consolation in this which would not be felt if these Ontario emigrants had been lost to the country and to the empire. New Ontario is of vast extent, and it is now getting a good start; we venture to think that, at the next census-taking, this part of Ontario will give a good account of itself. Quebec, too, and the great Northwest contain vast stretches of unsettled territory, which will in the future undergo great development. The next census may show great and unforeseen results."

Pithy Sayings.

[Philadelphia Times.]

A poor woman is fat; a rich woman is only stout.

Life is worth living so long as there is somebody worth loving.

You can't act all the time as if life were a perpetual cake walk.

When a woman loses $5 her worry is never marked down to four-ninety-eight.

The woman who has poetical aspirations always talks about the "gray monotony of life."

Why is it that just as soon as you make up your mind to save more money there are a dozen things you think you must have?

Letters to the Editor.

[Peterboro Review.]

The London Advertiser, the Belleville Intelligencer and other newspapers have recently had references to anonymous letter writing in the press. This matter of "letters to the editor" has been discussed before, and is one which is open to wide differences of opinion according to the judgment of different persons as to what is fair and what is unfair discussion or criticism by a correspondent who does not care to sign his name.

There appears to be no defense offered for anonymous newspaper correspondence, although it is admitted that in some cases, in the discussion of some questions the use of a "nom-de-plume" or a fictitious name is quite excusable. Of this there can be little doubt, but where an attack is made on another person it is agreed that there is no excuse for a writer not having the courage to sign his name. The London Advertiser concludes its article by saying:

"There is a difference of journalistic opinion and usage as to admitting letters over fictitious titles; and no doubt there are cases and subjects in which it matters little one way or the other; but it seems clear that it is derogatory to the dignity of the press that it should be allowed to become a screen from behind which one man can personally assail another without responsibility for his assertion."

There can be no doubt about this being sound, and newspapers that make a practice of allowing writers who are too cowardly or unmanly to sign their names to attack others through their columns from behind the hedge, as it were, are doing an injury to the press as a whole, and an injustice to the one attacked. There are some men usually of the class who have nothing to do but meddle in other people's affairs and criticise what others who are engaged in some occupation or calling are doing, who hace the "itch" to write, and they run round with their petty personal disputes, troubles or jealousies and seek to "get even" in the newspapers. They do not, apparently, stop to consider the cowardly and unmanly nature of their conduct, or they would either stop the practice or sign their name to what they write and want the newspapers to publish under a fictitious name. As our contemporaries remark, this anonymous letter writing should be, and fortunately is, to a large extent, discountenanced by all respectable newspapers.

CAPE RACE LIGHT.

Col. Anderson Corrects the Focus—The Fog Horn.

Ottawa, Sept. 5.—Col. Anderson, chief engineer of the department of marine and fisheries, reported yesterday to the department in respect to the situation at Cape Race, where so many vessels have been wrecked this year. Mr. Anderson was sent there especially by the department to do this work. The report says that the light, which is owned by Newfoundland, but is maintained by Canada, is a revolving Calthroptire one, and shines with the greatest brilliancy. The illuminating apparatus is of good English make and of excellent finish; the only trouble is that the lenses were a little out of focus. This was rectified. The light is so strong that it is seen to the limit of the horizon in clear weather. Col. Anderson sees no urgency for a change in the illuminating apparatus.

The colonel announces that a change will be made in the fog alarm so that its blasts cannot be mistaken for the whistle of a steamer. Col. Anderson is continuing his inspection, and will make the detailed report upon his return to Ottawa.

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East Zorra, Tavistock	Sept. 16-17
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Stephen and Usborne, Exeter	Sept. 16-17
East Elgin, Aylmer	Sept. 17-19
Guelph Central, Guelph	Sept. 17-19
West Middlesex, Strathroy	Sept. 17-19
Northern, Walkerton	Sept. 18-19
Listowel, Listowel	Sept. 18-19
Northern Fair, Ailsa Craig	Sept. 19-20
North Bruce, Port Elgin	Sept. 19-20
North Waterloo, Berlin	Sept. 20-21
Elma, Atwood	Sept. 24-25
Russell, Metcalfe	Sept. 23-24
North Muskoka, Huntsville	Sept. 24-25
South Huron, Seaforth	Sept. 24-25
Center Bruce, Paisley	Sept. 24-25
Palmerston	Sept. 24-25
Petrolia, Petrolia	Sept. 24-25
Great Southwestern, Essex	Sept. 24-26
Northern, Collingwood	Sept. 24-27
Fullerton-Logan, Mitchell	Sept. 26-27
Turnberry, Wingham	Sept. 26-27
Mosa and Ekfrid, Glencoe	Sept. 25-26
Wyoming, Wyoming	Sept. 26-27
North Brant, Paris	Sept. 26-27
Dunwich & Southwold, Shedden	Sept. 27
North and West Oxford, Ingersoll	Sept. 27-28
East Kent, Thamesville	Sept. 30, Oct. 1
Great Northwestern, Goderich	Oct. 1-2
N. R. of Oxford, Woodstock	Oct. 1-2
West Elgin, Wallacetown	Oct. 1-2
North Dorchester, Dorchester	Oct. 2
East Lambton, Watford	Oct. 1-2
Tilsonburg, Tilsonburg	Oct. 1-2
South Perth, St. Marys	Oct. 1-2
South Waterloo, Galt	Oct. 1-2
Watford, Watford	Oct. 1-2
East Lambton, Watford	Oct. 1-2
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Bosanquet, Thedford	Oct. 2
Brooke and Alvinston	Oct. 2-3
West Zorra, Embro	Oct. 3
London Township, Ilderton	Oct. 4
London Township, Ilderton	Oct. 4
North Grey, Owen Sound	Oct. 2-4
Howard, Ridgetown	Oct. 2-4
East Huron, Brussels	Oct. 3-4
South Oxford, Otterville	Oct. 4-5
Euphemia and Dawn, Florence	Oct. 4-5
Moore, Brigden	Oct. 6
West Nissouri, Thorndale	Oct. 8
Forest, Forest	Oct. 8-9
Peninsular, Chatham	Oct. 8-10
Blyth and Morris, Blyth	Oct. 8-9
North Perth, Stratford	Oct. 8-9
North Norwich, Norwich	Oct. 8-9
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THE MARKETS.

THE LOCAL MARKET.

A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT.

London, Friday, Sept. 6.

Wheat, white, per bu	67c to 68c
Wheat, red, per bu	67c to 67c
Oats, new and old, per bu	33c to 38c
Peas, per bu	60c to 66c
Corn, per bu	56c to 60c
Barley, per bu	42c to 43c
Rye, per bu	56c to 56c

Today's session was quiet and prices much the same as yesterday, the only alterations being in old oats and peas.

Live hogs—Receipts were light, and the demand good; sales were made at better prices for Monday, $6.75 to $7 being the range.

Hay sold at $7 to $8; supply light.

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ST. THOMAS MARKET.

St. Thomas, Sept. 4.—New wheat, per bu, 65c; old wheat, 67c; oats, 28c to 30c; peas, 59c to 55c; barley, 40c; corn, 43c to 18c; flax seed, per cwt, $4.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Sept. 5.—Corn was the leader on the board of trade today. December gained 1½c. December wheat closed ⅝c higher. Oats were ½c to ⅝c higher. Provisions ranged from 5½c to 15c higher at the close. Seaboard clearances were equal to 416,000 bu. Primary receipts were 1,360,000 bu, compared with 1,187,000 bu a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth reported receipts of 870 cars, against 660 last week and 508 a year ago. Local receipts were 211 cars, with only one of contract grade. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 190 cars; corn, 365 cars; oats, 180 cars; hogs, 20,000 head.

The leading futures closed: Wheat—Sept., 69⅝c; Dec., 71⅝c; May, 75⅝c. Corn—Sept., 36¾c; Dec., 37⅞c; May, 39⅝c. Oats—Sept., 33¾c; Dec., 32⅝c; May, 37½c to 37¾c. Mess pork—Sept., $14 47½; Oct., $14 62½; Jan., $15 67½. Lard—Sept., $9 30; Oct., $9 30; Jan., $9 05. Short ribs—Sept., $8 45; Oct., $8 55; Jan., $8 07½.

Cash quotations: Flour steady. Wheat, No. 3 spring, 67½c to 68¾c; No. 2 red, 70¾c. No. 2 oats, 34½c to 35¼c; No. 2 white, 37c to 37⅝c; No. 3 white, 36c to 37c. No. 2 rye, 55c. Fair to choice malting barley, 55c to 60½c. No. 1 flaxseed, $1 38; No. 1 northwestern, $1 40. Prime timothy seed, $5 40. Mess pork, $14 55 to $14 60; lard, $9 27½ to $9 30; short ribs, $8 35 to $8 50; dry salted shoulders, 7¼c to 7½c; short clear sides, $9 to $9 10. Clover, contract grade, $8 75. Eggs firmer; fresh, 14½c to 15c.

Receipts—Flour, 40,000 bbls; wheat, 392,000 bu; corn, 400,000 bu; oats, 330,000 bu; rye, 8,200 bu; barley, 147,000 bu.

Shipments—Flour, 26,000 bbls; wheat, 131,000 bu; corn, 241,000 bu; oats, 35,000 bu; rye, 10,000 bu.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

MONTREAL, Sept. 5.—The receipts at the east end abattoir this morning were 500 head of cattle, 100 calves, 150 sheep, 100 lambs; there was a good demand and prices were well maintained; choice cattle sold at 4c to 4½c; good, 3½c to 4c; lower grades, 2c to 3c; calves, $2 to $10 each; sheep, 3c to 3½c; lambs, 3c to 4c; hogs brought 6c to 7c.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—Beeves—Receipts, 406; nothing doing; nominally steady; cables unchanged; no shipments today or tomorrow. Calves—Receipts, 377; veals steady; veals, $5 to $8; grassers and buttermilks, $3 to $3 75; fed calves, $4 to $4 50; city dressed veals, 9c to 12c per lb; selected stock, 12½c. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 7,041; good sheep steady; common sheep lower; lambs opened 10c to 25c off; closed 25c to 35c lower on all but choice stock; sheep, $2 50 to $4; culls, $2; lambs, $5 to $6 12½; few early sales at $6 25 to $6 40 for choice; culls, $3 50 to $4. Hogs—Receipts, 1,876; barely steady; good state hogs, $7.

CHICAGO, Sept. 5.—Cattle—Receipts, 9,000, including 500 Texans and 2,000 westerns, good to prime steers, $5 60 to $6 45; poor to medium, $4 to $5 50; stockers and feeders slow, $2 25 to $4 25; cows steady, $2 35 to $4 75; heifers strong, $2 40 to $5; canners weak, $1 50 to $2 25; bulls steady, $3 to $4 60; Texas fed steers, $4 10 to $5 10; Texas grass steers, $3 30 to $4; western steers, $3 85 to $5 25. Hogs—Receipts today, 21,000; tomorrow, 2,000; estimated left over, 1,500; top, $6 92½; mixed and butchers, $5 95 to $6 85; good to choice heavy, $6 20 to $6 92½; rough heavy, $5 95 to $6 25; light, $5 20 to $6 75; bulk of sales at $6 20 to $6 60. Sheep—Receipts, 13,000; sheep about steady; lambs slow, except feeders, firm; good to choice wethers, $3 65 to $4 10; fair to choice mixed, $3 30 to $3 70; western sheep, $3 25 to $4; native lambs, $4 to $4 85; western lambs, $4 to $4 70.

EAST BUFFALO, Sept. 5.—Cattle—Offerings, 1½ cars; all sold at yesterday's prices. Veals and calves—Offerings, 60 head; active and strong; tops, $7 00 to $7 75; common to choice, $5 75 to $7 25; grassers, $2 75 to $3 50. Hogs—Offerings, 35 cars; fairly steady to firm for good grades; fair to choice Yorkers, $6 75 to $6 90; mixed packers, $6 90 to $6 95; medium to choice heavy, $6 90 to $7; grassers, $6 70 to $6 80; pigs, $6 65 to $6 75; roughs, $6 10 to $6 30; stags, $5 to $5 25. Sheep and lambs—Offerings, 23 cars; market 10c to 25c lower; sheep, handy wethers, $3 75 to $4; fair to extra mixed, $2 75 to $3 65; culls and common, $1 50 to $2 60; lambs, spring, fair to fancy, $5 to $5 90; common to good culls, $3 25 to $4 75; yearlings, fair to extra, $3 75 to $4 40; culls and common, $2 50 to $3 50.

THE DAIRY MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Sept. 5.—Butter firmer; creameries, 14c to 20c; dairies, 13c to 17c. Cheese steady, 9¾c to 10¾c.

VANKLEEK HILL, Ont., Sept. 5.—There were 700 white cheese boarded here today, and six buyers were present; 8⅞c was bid, but the salesmen would not take less than 9c; when this was offered they still held for 9 1-16c, which was finally offered, Birdsell getting 400 boxes; Weegar, 125, and Gibson, 125; two factories did not sell.

KINGSTON, Ont., Sept. 5.—At today's session of the cheese board the attendance of buyers and salesmen was large; there were boarded by 22 factories 1,982 boxes, of which 1,156 were colored and 826 white; bidding opened at 8⅞c for colored and 8⅝c for white; closed at 9c for colored and 8⅞c for white; the sales were quite extensive.

BROCKVILLE, Ont., Sept. 5.—One thousand nine hundred and two colored and 753 white cheese were offered today on Brockville board; 420 white sold at 9c; 240 colored at 9 1-16c; the balance is being held for 9⅛c and 9 3-16c.

OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 5.—Oil closed at $1 ∞.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 6.—Oil opened at $1 25.

DETROIT BEAN MARKET.

Detroit, Sept. 6.—Beans were easy yesterday, and closed with a loss of 1c to 5c; offerings were quite large. Quotations: Oct., 2 cars at $1 85, 1 at $1 83, 3 at $1 82; Nov., 6 cars at $1 80, 2 at $1 78, 2 at $1 75; Dec., 2 cars at $1 75.

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President McKinley visited Niagara Falls today. This afternoon he holds a reception in the Temple of Music at the Pan-American.

BREEZY TIME AT METHODIST CONFERENCE.

The South African War Came Up for Discussion.

But Finally the Subject Was Ruled Out of Order---Some Pro-Boer Talk.

London, Sept. 6.—A stormy meeting of the Ecumenical Methodish conference resulted this morning from the reading by the Rev. C. W. Smith, of Pittsburg, Pa., of a paper on "The Influence of Methodism in the Promotion of International Peace."

The five minute rule was adopted and the pastors made fiery speeches for and against the war in South Africa. The campaign came in for a lot of criticism, and eventually the chairman ruled reference to it out of order. Many Americans took part in the discussion, but none of the more prominent bishops spoke. The speeches were punctuated by frequent noisy interruptions, cheers and counter cheers.

There was a scene of considerable disorder and the discussion terminated without any conclusion being reached. Rev. George Elliott, of Detroit, Mich., saying he had often been called a "little American," bitterly denounced the war.

Rev. R. J. Cooke, of Chattanooga, Tenn., defended the necessity of hostilities to vindicate a principle.

Robert W. Perks, a member of parliament, a prominent contractor, and vice-president of the Liberal Imperial Council, deprecated the usefulness of clerical manifestoes. He believed that some wars were necessary, but the growing tendency towards unnecessary strife was due greatly to the influences of corrupt unlicensed journalism.

Rev. E. E. Hoss, of Nashville, Tenn., said it would be impertinence for the conference to tell Great Britain what to do in South Africa.

YESTERDAY'S DOINGS.

In discussing the present position of Methodism, the Rev. T. E. Duckles, of King Williams Town, Cape Colony, yesterday went into the relations between the South African natives and the Europeans. He said he believed the war would purify the administration of the natives.

Bishop Hartzell, missionary bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Africa, said the present time was the beginning of another empire of Anglo-Saxon civilization. The war was merely an incident.

Dr. Leonard, of New York, thanked God for what Great Britain was doing in South Africa and expressed the hope that the war would soon end with the Union Jack floating.

The proceedings were enlivened by an ardent pro-English speech delivered by Joseph Gibson, of Ingersoll, Ont., who defended the action of the British in South Africa.

Frequent interruptions arose from the delegates, one of whom declared that if Mr. Gibson proceeded he would have to be answered in a controversial strain, as he was voicing sentiments by no means shared by many present, whereupon the chairman ruled Mr. Gibson out of order.

Rev. J. F. Goucher, of Baltimore, Md., read a paper on "The Present Position of Methodism in the Western section."

Rev. J. D. Hammond, of Nashville, Tenn., reported on Methodism in the south, and Rev. W. Johnson, of Belleville, reported for Canada.

THE COLOR QUESTION.

A plea for the sympathy of the English people for the negroes of America, made by Bishop Walters, the colored divine from Jersey City, was the feature of Wednesday's session. The bishop held that his people were being persecuted by the whites of the United States.

The cheers from the British delegates which greeted the bishop's assertions regarding negro morality so angered delegates from the Southern States, that several left the hall, while others were outspoken in their disagreement with the speaker.

LYNCHINGS UNJUSTIFIED.

Bishop Walters, who received the most hearty welcome of any of the American delegates, declared that there was a systematic effort on foot on the part of the white Americans to destroy the good opinion which the English people had of American negroes. He recapitulated the lynching figures of the year 1900, and declared that, though 90 negroes were lynched, in only 11 cases had assault on white women been proved.

"The English people have always been our friends," declared Bishop Walters. "You gave us a refuge, and now, when we are struggling to improve ourselves we look to you, our old-time friends, to give us sympathy and encouragement, as you did in the past."

Another incident which attracted comment was a declaration of Sir Charles Skelton, formerly mayor of Sheffield, who, in welcoming the Americans, severely criticised the war in South Africa. He appealed to the visitors to go back, and by preaching and example make such wars impossible.

Rev. Joseph Odell, in welcoming the delegates in behalf of the Primitive Methodists, struck the same chord, declaring that the United States represented a sovereign people, and he hoped they would speed the time when military science would be a lost art.

Dr. Potts, of Toronto, replying in behalf of Canada, protested, in a patriotic speech, against the statements made by Sir Charles Skelton and Mr. Odell.

LIKE A KNIFE.

This Sensation of a Sciatica Victim Released by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Boiestown, N. B., Sept. 2.—(Special)—The case of William A. Brown, of this place, cured of that terrible disease, Sciatica, by Dodd's Kidney Pills, has aroused keen interest all through New Brunswick. Mr. Brown is in perfect health and no trace of his old lameness remains. His statement reads as follows:

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Ladies' Fine Cashmere Hose, seamless, full fashioned, regular 37½c, very fine quality, now selling at 29c.

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Special shipment of rich Broche and Plain Black Silk and Wool Poplin, exclusive designs. See the new styles.

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In Grays, Black and Navy: special quality, 60 inches wide, at 75c.

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HUBREY MAN'S CLOSE ESCAPE.

His Horses Run Away Unexpectedly Knocking Him Down.

Mowing Machine Passed Over His Prostrate Body, but the Teeth Did Not Touch Him.

Mr. R. S. Nichol, postmaster at Hubrey, had a narrow escape on Monday from a shocking death. He was returning a borrowed mowing machine, with a pea harvesting attachment, and had it fastened behind his wagon. Something going wrong with the fastening he alighted and went to fix it, leaving his young son to hold the heads of his spirited team of horses. Requiring the lad's assistance for a moment, he called him, and at that instant a passing bicycle frightened the horses and they bolted. Mr. Nichol was thrown to the ground and the machine passed over him, the ugly teeth of the knives barely clearing his prostrate body. The team dashed down the road, and a buggy driven by two ladies, only turned aside in time to escape the maddened animals. The horses ended by running into a barbed wire fence, which tore them severely. Mr. Nichol had several ribs broken and his back badly strained. The only damage done the machine was the breaking of the cogs from a small wheel.

WILL BE LEFT TO ARBITRATION.

Proposed Purchase of Proof Line Road by London Township.

London Township Council met the directors of the Proof Line Road Company in the Masonic Temple the other day. Regarding the proposed purchase by London township of the Proof Line road it was resolved to leave the matter to arbitration, and Thos. Clark, reeve, and R. H. Read, deputy-reeve, were appointed to interview James Gilmour, M.P.P., asking him to be the arbitrator for the township. Mr. Gilmour has since consented to act, and a bylaw formally appointing him was passed on Monday.

BIG BLAZES.

One at Jefferson, Wis., Does $150,000 Damage—Dock Destroyed and 200,000 Tons of Soft Coal on Fire.

Jefferson, Wis., Sept. 5.—Fire this afternoon attacked the plant of the Wisconsin Manufacturing Company. A strong wind carried firebrands in every direction, and at 1:30 o'clock the Methodist Episcopal Church had been destroyed and nearly all the houses in the district were on fire. The loss at that time had reached $150,000. Assistance was summoned from neighboring towns.

West Superior, Wis., Sept. 5.—Fire today on the dock of the Lehigh Coal and Coke Company destroyed the loading apparatus of several box cars. Fires continued to burn all day in a pile of 200,000 tons of soft coal. The damage to the coal cannot be estimated. Loss on dock will amount to $60,000.

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 5.—The Northwestern Hotel, at Military road and Lansing street, was destroyed by fire late last night. Loss estimated at $40,000. One fireman was slightly injured. The guests escaped.

IT KEEPS THE MUSCLES PLIANT.—Men given to muscular sports and exercises and those who suffer muscular pains from bicycle riding, will find Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil something worth trying. As a lubricant it will keep the muscles pliable and free from pains which often follow constant use of them without softening or impairing their strength. For bruises, sprains and contusions it is without a peer.

A serious fire was caused at Picton by the explosion of a gasoline stove in Sing Chong's laundry. A Chinaman was probably fatally burned. Several stores adjacent were damaged.

The late Isaac Simpson, of Kingston, left $10,000 to the superannuation fund of the Methodist Church.

LOSS OVER $6,000.

Lively Blaze at Kingsville Last Night—Th Cowan Bankrupt Stock Destroyed.

Kingsville, Ont., Sept. 6.—At midnight fire broke out in the dressmaking rooms over the jewelry store of Alex. Brown, Main street, spreading to an adjoining building, containing a general stock of merchandise in the hands of the assignee of Alex. Cowan.

Brown's loss is covered by insurance of $800. The building was owned by R. D. Herrington, and was insured for $250.

The Cowan stock had been bought by L. L. Barber, of Essex, who was to have taken possession today. The loss is $6,000. Covered by insurance. The building was owned by Andrew Wigle, and insured for $800. Both were old wooden buildings.

PASTOR CHARGED WITH ARSON.

Philadelphia, Sept. 6.—The Haddington African Baptist Church, a small frame structure at Fifty-eighth and Race streets, was destroyed by fire today. Rev. N. H. Hester, the pastor, was arrested, charged with setting fire to the edifice.

TWELVE PERISHED!

Wreck of the Bark Lizzie Bell—Six Sailors Saved Out of Eighteen.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 6.—The steamer Miowera, which has just arrived, brings news of the wreck of the bark Lizzie Bell, of Liverpool, while bound from Wellington to Newcastle, and of her crew of 18 men 6 survive. Some were lost when the boat in which they left the bark capsized. Two died in the boat, and two of the others who had strength to get ashore were found dead on the rocks when the rescuers arrived. The Lizzie Bell was 1,063 tons, and was owned by Peter Bell, of Liverpool.

SHEEP BREEDERS.

Dominion Association Revises Classification for the Fairs.

Toronto, Sept. 6.—A committee of the Dominion Sheepbreeders' Association met yesterday in the Farmers' Institute tent at the Industrial Exposition to revise the classifications for the Toronto, Ottawa and London fairs. It was decided that the class ewes, two years and upward, be struck out of the prize list, and a pen be substituted to consist of a ram lamb and three ewe lambs, bred by exhibitor. Another change determined upon was that shearling ewes and ewe lambs, instead of being shown in pairs, be shown singly. Section 7 of the present specification was changed to a ram of any age, two shearling ewes and two ewe lambs. Instead of what is called for in section 8 a pair of Canadian-bred sheep will be shown. It will consist of a ram of any age, two shearling ewes and two ewe lambs, bred and owned by exhibitor.

It was recommended that, as far as possible, these classifications be followed at country fairs. Those present were A. W. Smith, F. W. Hodson, John Jackson, D. G. Hammer, John Campbell, R. H. Harding, J. W. Gardhouse and A. P. Westervelt.

CANADIAN HORSES FOR AUSTRIA

Ottawa, Sept. 6.—Mr. Fisher, minister of agriculture, yesterday met Mr. Paikert, deputy minister of agriculture of Austria-Hungary, at the Austrian consulate, at Montreal. It was held at the request of Mr. Paikert, and may have something to do with the purchase by Austria of horses for military purposes. Mr. Fisher will also have a conference with Col. Dent at Montreal today, presumably with respect to remounts.

Christian Duxrud, of Christiania, Norway, a professor in the Christiania Technical School, is in Ottawa. He has been sent to Canada to make a comparison between the Norway and Canadian grains and flours. Mr. Duxrud says he has been pleasantly surprised by the variety and quality of Canada's products in all lines. He will spend some days at the Dominion Experimental Farm.

SIGNALS OF DANGER.—Have you lost your appetite? Have you a coated tongue? Have you an unpleasant taste in the mouth? Does your head ache and have you dizziness? If so, your stomach is out of order, and you need medicine. But you do not like medicine. He that prefers sickness to medicine must suffer, but under the circumstances the wise man would procure a box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills and speedily get himself in health, and strive to keep so.

THE BRITISH CASUALTIES

In South Africa Have Reached Over 100,000,

Besides the 21,000 That the Boers Have Captured and Released.

London, Sept. 5.—The official report of the war office on the casualties in South Africa says the total casualties number more than 100,000. The report reads:

Officially admitted	71,383
In hospitals in South Africa, government figures	14,000
In rest centers	6,000
Colonial invalids	5,000
Civilian deaths	2,000
Casualties since Aug. 1	1,800
Total	100,183

In addition, the Boers have captured and released 21,000 British prisoners.

The total official loss for July was 1,597 killed, wounded, diseased, prisoners, invalids.

NUGENT PERJURY CASE ADJOURNED.

Five Witnesses Were Examined, and an Enlargement for Eight Days Was Made.

The charge of perjury against Squire W. T. Nugent, of Belmont, laid by Daniel Smith, of the same place, received a partial hearing at police court yesterday and was then adjourned until Friday of next week at 11:30 a.m. The witnesses called yesterday were Talbot Macbeth, K.C., John Macpherson, Crown Attorney Magee, John Holborne, of Belmont, and Daniel Smith. By the evidence of Messrs. Macbeth and Macpherson, Mr. Bartlett, counsel for Smith, tried to prove that the property on which Nugent qualified for office was not owned by him, while Mr. Magee was called to show that the oath of office had been taken and the value of the land was given in evidence by Mr. Holborne. In cross-examination of Smith by Mr. Buchner, the witness admitted that he had been before Squire Nugent on several occasions, and had spent two years in Kingston penitentiary, while charges of perjury placed against Nugent in the county and at St. Thomas had been respectively dropped and dismissed, Mr. U. A. Buchner appeared for Squire Nugent.

PRETTY WEDDING IN QUEEN CITY.

Two Former London Young People Unitea In Marriage.

A very pretty wedding of interest to many people of London took place on Wednesday, at Toronto, when Miss Dora Davison, daughter of the late Myers Davison, M. D., of Florence, Lambton county, was married to Rev. C. G. Corneille, B. A., B. D., pastor of the Methodist Church at Maidstone, Ont. The ceremony, which took place at the residence of the bride's uncle, Mr. R. T. Williams, was performed by Rev. C. W. Brown, B. A., B. D., of James Street Church, Exeter, cousin of the bride.

A profusion of palms and maiden-hair ferns formed an effective background for the decorations in pink and white, of sweet peas, asters and dahlias, and music was supplied by the Glionna Orchestra.

The bride wore a going-away gown of blue ladies' cloth, trimmed with an applique of white silk, the closing of the smart coat being made with white cord and buttons. The maid of honor, little Miss Vivian Brown, of Exeter, wore a frock of white organdie over white silk. After a dainty wedding breakfast, served by French, Mr. and Mrs. Corneille left for a trip down the St. Lawrence and various points in the Lower Provinces.

Both Mr. Corneille and his bride were students at the London Collegiate Institute, and their homes were formerly in this city. They have since graduated from Victoria University, Toronto.

In and Out of Town.

Mrs. Thomas Doherty is visiting friends in Toronto.

Mrs. Myrick and daughter, of Chicago, are visiting with her sister, Mrs. Silk, 551 Talbot street.

Mrs. (Dr.) Reynolds, of Mount Forest, is visiting Mrs. George McBroom, of Hyman street.

Mr. Fred Mihell, of Chicago, who has been visiting his mother on Askin street, has returned home.

Mrs. A. Colson, of Montreal, is on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Munro, 574 Dufferin avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Alba Kennedy, of Ilderton have returned from a very pleasant visit to the Pan-American and Niagara Falls.

Miss A. E. Dyer, Dundas street, has returned to the city, having spent a pleasant vacation in Buffalo, Rochester and Picton, Ont.

Mrs. Wm. Parker and two children, 32 Gunn street, leave today for England on a visit to her parents. She will remain until spring.

Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Curran, of New York, have returned home after visiting Mrs. R. C. Christopher, 565 Adelaide street, for the past two weeks.

Joy), of Denver, Col., and two sons, who have been visiting the former's parents in Petrolia, are spending a few days with relatives and friends in this city.

Rev. R. F. Nie, of Deloraine, Man., who has been pastor of St. Andrew's Church, has accepted a call to Ontario, and is now visiting his cousin, Miss Bert Gunn, South London.

Mrs. John Johnston and her three daughters, Misses Bessie, Bella and Nellie, of Paisley, have returned to their home after spending their holidays among their former friends in Lobo and North Caradoc.

A bylaw authorizing issue of debentures to the extent of $20,000 for completing the sewage disposal works, etc., was carried at Stratford on Thursday.

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WANTS TO SEE SPORT.

Duke Desires to Witness Baseball and Other Games While in Conada.

Montreal, Sept. 6.—Lord Strathcona and Hon. Senator Drummond, chairman of the citizens' reception committee, have returned from Quebec, where they met Lord Minto and submitted to him the programme which had been arranged for the entertainment of the Duke and Duchess of York on Sept. 18 and 19. The programme has been cabled to his highness for approval. As the duke had expressed a desire to see baseball, lacrosse and football games, Montreal and Toronto will play ball here for the royal party on the afternoon of the 19th. A lacrosse match will take place at Ottawa and football at Toronto.

The royal yacht Ophir, with the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York on board, escorted by the British cruisers Diadem and Niobe, sailed from Cape de Verde yesterday for Quebec.

BOTH KILLED!

Railway Crossing Disaster Near Windsor—Farmer and Wife Run Down by a Michigan Central Train.

Windsor, Ont., Sept. 6.—About 8:30 o'clock this morning the westbound M. C. R. train, No. 17, when crossing the highway at Grand Marais, near the corporation limits of Windsor, ran into a rig occupied by Edward Peltier, a farmer, who resided on the Kavanagh road, and his wife, killing both instantly.

MONTREAL HOTEL SOLD.

Montreal, Sept. 5.—The Balmoral Hotel has been sold by Mr. Max Workman, to Mr. H. Lamontague for $300,000.

SUGAR COSTS MORE.

New York, Sept. 6.—The American Sugar Refining Company today advanced prices on numbers 4, 5, 6, 7 and on refined sugar five points.

DR. McMORIN'S SUDDEN DEATH.

Richmond, Sept. 5.—Dr. R. S. McMorin, joint coroner of the district of St. Francois, died suddenly last night while attending a patient.

DROWNED AT MONTREAL.

Montreal, Sept. 5.—An employe of the harbor commissioners, named D. Millet, of Sorel, was drowned in the river today by falling off the tugboat Aberdeen as the latter was moving into place beside the dredge at the new Allan wharf.

Indigestion.

There is no sense in wasting words about indigestion. We know that it causes terrible suffering, and the dull, darting pains are enough to drive one mad. What a sufferer wants is relief. He wants the pain to stop. He wants to be well and happy again. The way to get relief and be cured of indigestion is by taking Hutch. It goes to the very spot where the trouble lies. Take one just after you eat, then two or three at bed time to open the bowels. It will neutralize the condition of the stomach. It will give gratifying relief. It will sweeten your breath. It will overcome and banish pain. Plenty people doubt this, but their doubting does not change the facts. Hutch is a doctor for 10 cents. One gives instant relief.

NO MORE HEALTHFUL or pleasing dish can be prepared than that made with Price's Rennet Wine and milk. The curd formed is served cold with cream, wine sauce, jelly or preserves. It aids the digestion of other foods, and is therefore a great boon to dyspeptics. Sold by Scandrett Bros., grocers.

NEW C. P. R. ENGINES.

Winnipeg, Sept. 6.—Enghteen new engines have reached the western division of the C. P. R., from Richmond, Va., and Montreal, and eighteen more are expected within the next week or two. They will be engaged in the extra work of hauling the big crop to the Fort William elevators. There are now 270 engines on the western division of the C. P. R.

OTTAWA CLEARING HOUSE.

Ottawa, Sept. 5.—The Ottawa clearing house in connection with the local banks will be opened next Monday. As there are twelve banks doing business in Ottawa the work of management fits in uniformly, each bank supplying a manager for a month in turn.

$2,197,769,834 OF MONEY IN CIRCULATION.

Washington, Sept. 6.—The amount of money in circulation in the United States on Sept. 1 was estimated by the treasury department at $2,197,769,834, which is an increase of $1,001,106,762, compared with the aggregate on the same date last year. Based on the estimated population of 77,965,000, the circulation per capita was $28 18 as against $26.85 on Sept. 1, 1900.

GIVE HOLLOWAY'S Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it has done once it will do again.

Cook's Cotton Root Compound

Is successfully used monthly by over 10,000 Ladies. Safe, effectual. Ladies ask your druggist for Cook's Cotton Root Compound. Take no other, as all Mixtures, pills and imitations are dangerous. Price, No. 1, $1 per box; No. 2, 10 degrees stronger, $3 per box. No. 1 or 2, mailed on receipt of price and two 3-cent stamps. The Cook Company Windsor, Ont.

Nos. 1 and 2 sold and recommended by all responsible Druggists in Canada.

No. 1 and No. 2 is sold in London by Anderson & Nelles and C. McCallum & Co., druggists. zxv

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RAILROAD DAY,

SATURDAY, SEPT. 14th.

Train service and fares via the

MICHIGAN CENTRAL

"The Niagara Falls Route."

will be announced later.

All information at 395 Richmond street, or phone 205. JOHN PAUL, city passenger and ticket agent; O. W. RUGGLES, general passenger and ticket agent.

COURT OF REVISION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a court will be held, pursuant to the "Voters' List Act," by his Honor the Judge of the County Court of the County of Middlesex, at the Town Hall, Delaware, on the 17th day of September, 1901, at ten o'clock a.m., to hear and determine the several complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' List of the Municipality of Delaware for 1901.

All persons having business at the court are required to attend at the said time and place.

Dated the 5th day of September, 1901.

W. C. HARRIS,
Clerk of the said Municipality.

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2 Boilers for Sale.

TENDERS FOR THE TWO BOILERS formerly used for heating the City Hospital will be received by me up to Friday noon, 13th September.

Further particulars on application at this office.

Highest or any offer not necessarily accepted.

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City Engineer.

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TO-DAY'S MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

New York, Sept. 6.

Yesterday's	Close.	Open.	High.	Low.	2 p.m.
Anaconda	46½	46⅝	46⅝	46¼	46¼
Amal. Copper	117¾	117⅛	117⅛	116¼	117¼
Atcheson	77¾	78	78⅜	77¾	78⅛
Atcheson Pfd	97¾	97⅞	98	97¾	97⅞
B. & O.	104¾	104	104⅝	103⅞	103⅞
Brooklyn Tran.	71⅜	71½	71½	70¾	71⅛
Erie	44	43⅞	44⅛	43¾	44⅜
K. & T. Pfd	57	57⅜	57⅜	56¾	57
L. & N.	104¾	104⅝	105	104⅜	104¾
Manhattan	118¾	118¾	119	118¾	118¾
Metropolitan St.	166¼	167			
Mo. P.	104¾	103¾	105¼	105⅛	105⅛
N. Y. Central	154⅝	154½	154⅞	154⅜	154¾
Norfolk and W.	56⅜	56⅛	56½	55½	55⅝
Northern Pacific (preferred)					
Ont. and Western	35¾	36⅛	36¼	35⅞	35⅞
Pacific Mail	42⅞	43⅜	43⅜	43⅜	43⅜
Pennsylvania	146	146⅛	146½	146	146⅛
People's Gas	112⅛	111¼	111⅞	111⅜	111⅞
R. I.	145	144⅜			
Reading	77¼	77⅜	77¼	77	77
St. Paul	165	164¼	165½	164⅜	165⅜
Southern Ry. Pfd	88¾	88⅜	88⅞	88⅛	88⅞
Southern Pacific	58¾	58⅜	58⅜	58⅜	58⅜
Texas	44¾	44¼	44⅞		44⅞
T. C. I.	66½	67	67¼	66⅛	67
U. Pacific	100	99⅜	100⅞	99⅜	100⅞
W. U.	93½	93⅜	93⅝	93⅜	93⅝
TRUSTS—					
Leather	83	83¼	83¼	82⅝	83
Sugar	136¾	132⅜	134⅝	133¼	134⅛
U. S. Steel Com.	45¾	45⅛	45⅝	44¾	45⅛
U. S. Steel Pfd.	95	95	95⅞	94¾	94⅞
Rubber	..	19¼	..	..	..

J. M. YOUNG

—STOCK BROKER—

New York and Chicago stocks bought and sold. KING STREET, MASONIC TEMPLE PHONE 1,07

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

Reported for The Advertiser by F. H. Butler, stock broker.

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.

	Open.	High	Low.	Close
Wheat—Sept.	69¾	69⅝	68¾	68¾
Dec.	71¾	71⅝	71⅛	71⅛
Corn—Sept.	56	56⅛	55⅝	55⅝
Dec.	58	58⅛	57⅜	57¾
Oats—Sept.	33⅞	34	33⅜	33⅝
Dec.	35⅜	35⅓	35¼	35¼
Pork—Sept.	14 50	14 50	14 45	14 47
Jan.	15 75	15 75	15 67	15 70
Lard—Sept.	9 32	9 35	9 32	9 35
Jan.	9 10	9 12	9 05	9 12
Ribs—Sept.	8 55	8 57	8 55	8 57
Jan.	8 10	8 12	8 07	8 10

ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 6—Closing.

Wheat—Spot quiet; No. 2 red western winter, 5s 6d; No. 1 northern spring, 5s 8d; No. 1 California, 5s 11½d; futures quiet; Sept., 5s 6¾d; Dec., 5s 8¾d.

Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, new, 4s 11⅜d; do, old, no stock; futures steady; Sept., 4s 10⅝d; Oct., 4s 10⅝d; Nov., 4s 10⅝d.

Peas—Canadian steady, 6s 4½d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter steady, 7s 6d.

Hops (at London)—Pacific coast steady, £3 5s to £2 10s.

Beef—Extra India mess firm, 70s.

Pork—Prime western firm, 72s 6d.

Lard—American refined firm, 46s 9d; prime western firm, 46s.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 52s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, firm, 49s 6d; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, firm, 47s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, firm, 48s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, firm, 47s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, firm, 45s 3d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 58s 9d; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, steady, 37s 6d.

Butter—Finest United States steady, 93s; good United States steady, 77s.

Cheese—American finest white quiet, 45s; do, colored, 46s.

Tallow—Prime city firm, 25s 9d; Australian (in London) firm, 28s.

Cottonseed oil—Hull refined firm, 24s.

Turpentine spirits—Quiet, 27s.

Linseed oil—Steady, 32s.

Petroleum—Steady, 6½d.

Rosin—Common steady, 4s 3d.

Receipts of wheat during the past three days, 217,000 centals, all American.

Receipts of American corn during the past three days, 10,500 centals.

TORONTO HAY MARKET.

Toronto, Sept. 5.—Baled hay—The market is steady; cars on the track here are quoted at $8 to $8 50. Baled straw—The market is steady; cars on the track here are quoted at $5.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—Flour—Receipts, 18,712 bbls; sales, 4,700 pkgs; state and western market quiet but steadily held. Rye flour—Firm; sales, 150 bbls. Wheat—Receipts, 58,200 bu; sales, 875,000 bu; options opened steady with corn, but later yielded to large northwest receipts and liquidation; Sept., 75¾c to 75¾c; Dec., 77½c to 77⅝c; May, 80⅝c to 80⅝c. Rye—Dull. Corn—Receipts, 13,700 bu; sales, 85,000 bu; options opened firm on cold weather and then turned easy under realizing; Sept., 62¼c to 62½c; Dec., 62⅜c to 62⅝c; May, 63⅜c to 64c. Oats—Receipts, 125,900 bu; options quiet and barely steady; fair refining, 3 5-16c; molasses sugar, 3 1-16c; refined firmer. Coffee—quiet; No. 7 Rio, 5 9-16c. Lead—Dull. Wool—Dull. Hops—Steady.

BUFFALO, Sept. 6.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, old, 76½c; do, new, 74½c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 75c; No. 1 white, 76c. Corn—Firm; No. 2 yellow, 61¼c; No. 3 yellow, 60¾c; No. 2 corn, 60¼c, on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 38¾c; No. 3 white, 38¼c; No. 2 mixed, 38c asked, on track.

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 6.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 72½c; No. 2 red, cash and Sept., 72½c; Oct., 73¼c; Dec., 74¼c.

TOLEDO, Sept. 6.—Wheat—Cash and Sept., 73c; Dec., 74½c. Corn—Sept., 58c; Dec., 58c. Oats—Sept., 28c; Dec., 27c.

Receipts, 6,183 pkgs; creamery extras, per lb, 20c; do, firsts, 18c to 19½c; seconds, 16½c to 17½c; do, thirds, 15c to 16½c; state dairy tubs, fancy, 18c to 18½c; do, firsts, 17c to 17½c; do, seconds, 16c to 16½c; do, thirds, 14c to 15c; western imitation creamery, fancy, 16½c to 17c; do, firsts, 15c to 16c; do, lower grades, 14c to 14½c; western factory, June packed, fancy, 15½c; do, fair to choice, 14½c to 15c; do, current packed, best, 14½c; do, fair to good, 13¾c to 14c; do, lower grades, 12½c to 13½c; renovated butter, fancy, 17c to 17½c; do, common to choice, 14c to 16c. Cheese—Quiet; receipts, 5,582 boxes; state full cream, small colored, fancy, 9½c; do, choice, 9¼c to 9⅜c; do, small white, fancy, 9¼c; do, choice, 9c to 9¼c; do, good to prime, 8¾c to 8⅞c; do, common to fair, 7c to 8c; do, large colored, fancy, 9c; do, choice, 8¾c to 8⅞c; do, large white, fancy, 9c; do, choice, 8¾c to 8⅞c; do, good to prime, 8¼c to 8½c; do, common to fair, 7c to 8c; light skims, small, choice, 8c; do, large, choice, 7½c to 7¾c; do, part skims, prime, 6½c to 6¾c; do, fair to good, 4½c to 6c; do, common, 3c to 4c; full skims, 1½c to 2½c. Eggs—Steady; receipts, 7,733 cases; Jersey, state and Pennsylvania, selected, 21c to 22c; do, average prime to choice, 18c to 20c; western candled, selected, 17c to 19c; do, uncandled, 16c to 17c; do, uncandled and ungraded, 14c to 15c; do, southwestern, 12c to 16c; dirties, 11c to 13½c; checks, 10c to 11c; refrigerator, 15c to 17½c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

Liverpool, Sept. 5.—Cattle are unchanged, at 11½c to 13c per lb, dressed weight; refrigerator beef sells at 9¼c to 9¾c per lb.

THIEF GETS THREE MONTHS IN PRISON.

Punishment Meted Out in Police Court to Toronto Man Who Robbed a Thorndale Resident.

At this morning's police court, John R. McPherson, of Toronto, who had been found guilty of stealing a pocketbook from the person of James McGee, of Thorndale, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment in the Central.

The long pending charge against W. J. Greene, of infraction of the fire limits bylaw, was withdrawn, on payment of costs, Mr. Greene having complied with the regulations.

Matthew Symes was fined $2 for cruelty to a horse.

A charge of insulting language, laid by David H. Carroll against J. L. McIntosh, was dismissed.

A number of first-time drunks were let go.

NO "SAW-OFF."

The Ottawa Election Trials Will Go On as at First Proposed.

Ottawa, Sept. 6.—The proposal to call off the election protests against T. Birkett (Conservative) and N. A. Belcourt (Liberal), both representing Ottawa, has fallen through. The petitioner against Mr. Birkett has refused to withdraw.

THE STEEL STRIKE.

Conference of the Leaders Resumed to Consider the Company's Ultimatum.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 6.—The advisory board or general executive committee of the Amalgamated Association has been ordered to this city, it is said, to consider what is believed to be the practical ultimatum of the United States Steel Corporation.

At 11:10 o'clock President Shaffer called the conferees together. The board, as far as could be learned, was complete, with the exception of two vice-presidents.

President Shaffer refused to give any information.

New York, Sept. 6.—It is understood here that it is highly improbable that the United States Steel Corporation will take any cognizance of the Amalgamated Association executive board at Pittsburg today, whatever the conclusion may be. It was learned today from an authoritative source that the time named in the tentative agreement reached by the conference here on Wednesday had expired, that the steel corporation had decided to participate in no further peace discussions, and that there would be an immediate move for the general resumption of work with non-union men and such strikers as were willing to return to their places.

LORD STRATHCONA'S MISSION.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Sept. 6.—Lord Strathcona is in Canada to take part in the reception which is to be given the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall during their tour through Canada. Lord Strathcona arrived this forenoon and went straight to the premier's office. He had luncheon with Sir Wilfrid.

BOERS SHOOT POLICE.

Pretoria, Sept. 5.—At the trial of the Boer, Oto, Wednesday, it was proved that he had surrendered to the British and was living in Pretoria. He left here and rejoined his commando at Schurveberg, where he told his companions he had shot a detective named Moodie.

It is reported that the Boers have shot four police whom they captured some time ago when the police were acting with Capt. Valentine. The Boers sent for a commandant south of the railway to come and try the prisoners. This commandant was shot from a blockhouse as he was crossing the railway. The Boers then summarily shot the prisoners.

An Athens, Ohio, telegram says fully ten thousand peach trees will be destroyed in that county on orders of the Ohio agricultural department, the trees being afflicted with San Jose scale.

A new Hotchkiss quick-firing gun arrived in Kingston, Ont., Wednesday, and is being set up at the Royal Military College for instructional purposes. It is on what is known as a naval base.

Regular Price - $3.00

Sale Price - - - $1.43

Amount Saved - $1.57

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Highest and Lowest Temperatures at Prominent Points.

London, Sept. 6—8 a.m.

Stations—	Temperature. 8 a.m.	Min.	Weather.
Calgary	36	36	Cloudy
Winnipeg	48	46	Rain
Parry Sound	62	58	Clear
Toronto	66	60	Clear
Ottawa	66	62	Fair
Montreal	74	70	Clear
Quebec	66	60	Clear
Father Point	58	48	Clear

FORECASTS.

Today—Light to moderate winds; fine and decidedly warmer today.

Saturday—For the most part warm; partly fair, but some local thunderstorms.

WEATHER NOTES.

The weather is cold and wet from the Rockies to Manitoba, and continued fine and decidedly warm from Ontario to the Maritime Provinces. The temperature at Edmonton last night fell to 28°, and snow is falling this morning in Montana.

SEPTEMBER TO BE WARMER.

Chicago, Sept. 6.—General indications lead the weather man to think that September is to be considerably warmer than August, though not so hot as July. The thermometer will take a slight jump today; temperature of 85° may be expected in the afternoon, and few clouds will be in evidence. Cloudy skies and an increased degree of humidity may be expected tomorrow afternoon, but toward evening thunder-showers will cool the air.

Tonight in London.

Westminster Abbey Choir at Auditorium.

Sullivan Repertoire Company present "Hazel Kirk" at London Opera House.

Meeting—"A" Squadron 1st Hussars, at City Hall.

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

—Judge William Elliot held a sitting of the first division court this morning.

—Constable Wm. Sadleir returned yesterday from the Northwest, where he was doing police duty during the C. P. R. strike.

—A meeting of the members of A Squadron, 1st Hussars, will be held tonight in the city hall, when intending recruits will be taken on.

—Among those in attendance at the meeting of the General Epworth League and Sunday School Board of the Methodist Church in Toronto yesterday, were Revs. G. J. Bishop and C. T. Scott, of London.

—At the meeting of the Lord's Day Alliance executive in Toronto yesterday, among the list of names submitted for volunteer work were those of Dr. McCrae, Middlesex, and Rev. Dr. Johnston and Rev. C. T. Scott, London.

—Visitors to the Western Fair will have their gastronomic wants well supplied by the ladies of the W. C. T. U., who will be on deck, as usual, in vigorous fashion. When the forty superb plum puddings constructed yesterday by the ladies are consumed, a fresh supply will be available.

—At the sixteenth annual meeting of the Division Court Clerks' Association of Ontario held in the private bills committee room, Parliament Buildings, Toronto, yesterday, Mr. J. W. McIntosh, of this city, was elected first vice-president and also a member of the committee on legislation.

—The season's work for the junior department of the Young Men's Christian Association begins tomorrow morning in the gymnasium. Junior classes will be held on Wednesday afternoons and Saturday mornings as last year. The special feature for the coming season will be the emphasizing still more of the "recreative" idea, involving the more extended use of play. Somewhat more time also will be given to swimming. For brief periods, too, discipline of a military type will be enforced. The season promises well.

TRAINS TO BE CANCELED.

Commencing Monday, Sept. 9, the L. E. and D. R. R. train leaving London at 5:25 p.m., also the train arriving at London at 8:02 p.m., will be canceled.

POULTRY EXHIBIT.

The judges for the poultry exhibit in Guelph have been reappointed as follows: S. Butterfield, London; T. H. Smelt, Woodstock; L. Jarvis, Montreal; Charles Wagner, Toronto; Jas. Anderson, Guelph. The poultry department of the fat stock show will be open from Dec. 10 to 13, entries being received up to Dec. 2.

TROLLEY POLE MEDDLER FINED.

David Rutherford, a young man, appeared before Judge Edward Elliott this morning on an adjourned charge of obstructing the running of the London street railway by pulling a trolley pole off the wire on a Springbank car on June 22 last. Rutherford pleaded guilty to the charge. The company did not wish Rutherford heavily punished, and he was let off with a fine of $5.

SACRED CONCERT AT ST. PAUL'S.

A large attendance will be sure to take advantage of the opportunity afforded them of hearing the members of the celebrated Westminster Abbey choir, now in London, in their recital of sacred music at St. Paul's Cathedral on Saturday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. It is to be hoped all lovers of sacred music will show their appreciation of the kindness of this choir in affording them the privilege of hearing some of the best sacred music sung by such trained voices.

ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION.

The employes of the News office yesterday presented Mr. Andrew Flowers, of the composing-room staff, with a handsome Roman chair and a beautiful jardiniere table, together with an address congratulating him on his recent marriage, and wishing him and his bride every happiness. The address was read by Mr. John McLean, and the presentation made by Mr. James McDougall. Mr. Flowers made an appropriate reply.

TONIGHT'S MUSICAL TREAT.

Indications are that the Auditorium will barely be large enough to accommodate the great audience of music-lovers which will throng it tonight on the occasion of the first appearance of the famous Westminster Cathedral Choir. In Toronto, the choir was heard by thousands of delightful people, and it is doubtful whether any other musical event in recent years has attracted more widespread attention. Mr. J. Coates Lockhart, who has just returned to the city from a tour with the 48th Highlanders Band, speaks in the highest terms of the choir, which he heard in Toronto.

MR. LOCKHART'S RETURN.

Mr. J. Coates Lockhart, the well-known singer, has returned to the city from his tour with the 48th Highlanders' Band through the Eastern States. Everywhere throughout the tour the band was greeted with immense audiences, who displayed the utmost enthusiasm in the performances. In Pittsburg, the band played for two weeks continuously to large audiences. The band was compelled to return to Toronto to drill with the regiment, but will continue its trip in November. Mr. Lockhart will tour this winter with the famous McDonald Male Quartet, of which he is a member. The quartet is already booked to appear in Halifax and other large centers in the Eastern Provinces.

NEW GOODS IN PURSES.

Ladies' finger and hand purses and gentlemen's pocket purses and wallets at lowest prices.

ADKINS, East London,

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED.

DUKE FEARS HE CANNOT COME HERE.

Telegram Received to That Effect by City Clerk Kingston.

Final Decision Is Not Yet Reached, and London May Yet Be Included in Royal Visit.

The following telegram, which explains itself, came to the city clerk's office this morning, having been received in reply to the one sent yesterday by Mr. C. S. Hyman, M. P., and Sir John Carling:

"Your telegram of this date received. The programme submitted to his royal highness included a visit to London, but his royal highness fears he may not be able to go so far west in Western Ontario. His excellency is again submitting the itinerary to his royal highness, and you will be informed at the earliest possible moment a decision is reached. Probably this will not be before the duke lands. Had already written the mayor to this effect today. (Signed) Major Maude."

Halifax, N. S., Sept. 6.—Lieut.-Gov. Jones was notified today by Lord Minto that the Duke and Duchess of York will arrive here at 10 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 19, and sail at 5 a.m. on Monday, Oct. 21, for St. Johns, Nfld., thus curtailing their stay here one day.

WORK GOES MERRILY ON AT WESTERN

Big Fair Will Soon Be in Full Swing in All Departments.

Horticultural Display Is the Most Beautiful in the History of the Exhibition.

The work at Queen's Park is progressing satisfactorily. The fair grounds was an extremely busy place this morning, with great numbers of workmen getting everything in readiness for next week. The main building, in which the work is further advanced than is usual at this time, shows up particularly well, and promises to surpass all previous years in the number, beauty and variety of its exhibits.

No building will be more beautiful in its appearance than the horticultural hall. It has been adorned most effectively, and a generous use of greens has added greatly to its attractiveness. It is being rapidly filled with ornamental and flowering plants, and, from present appearances, the show will be excellent. Superintendent Mitchell, who has had charge of the hall for 23 years, says that there has never been such a display this early in his experience. The quality and number of exhibits, he said this morning, are ahead of any other fair.

The entries of horses are far above any previous year. The large stables have all been filled, and 50 horses have had to be assigned to the speeding barn.

The show of agricultural products also promises well, despite the fact that this is not what might be termed a good year. Cheese, butter and honey are being exhibited in large amounts.

One of the features of this year's fair will be the exhibit of carriages, especially those propelled by electricity, and in this connection it may be said that motor-cycle races have been arranged for and will be held each day.

Secretary Nelles is probably the busiest man in London today, and both he and his augmented staff are working every minute of their time, preparing for the receipt of exhibits.

All that is now wanted to make the fair a success is fair weather.

The steamship Hartford, employed by the United States in the recent war with Spain, is tied up in Montreal. Fresh water gave out in the Straits of Canso, and it resorted to the use of salt water, with the result that the boilers gave out at Quebec.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Sept. 6.	Reported at.	From.
Parisian	Father Point	Liverpool

MAMMOTH DRAWING MACHINE.

Wonderful Press Installed In McClary Works

Was Made in Germany, and the Freight and Duty Alone Cost About $2,500

The McClary Manufacturing Company, which is probably the greatest Canadian producer of enameled ware, has installed a new and truly wonderful piece of machinery in their plant here. It was manufactured at Goppinger, in Germany, the birthplace of this much-used product, and having made its long journey over the ocean, and part way across the continent, was set up here at a cost of many thousand dollars. The freight and duty alone amounted to more than $2,500. Without having seen it, no idea of its enormous proportions can be formed. Its exact weight is 90,000 pounds, nearly 50 tons, and because of its great bulk and weight the New York wharf authorities added a considerable extra charge for handling it. One single piece weighed more than 15 tons, and great mechanical skill was required to set it up, and it took practically one month to have it in such condition that it is ready for use. It was necessary first of all to tear a large opening in the rear wall so as to admit the bulkier pieces, and to build a concrete foundation, 21 feet square, and 8 feet deep. The whole foundation is 12 feet below the surface, and the top of the press rises through the ceiling into the apartment above.

It is a drawing press, a machine in which the flat metal blanks are transformed into the shapes required before receiving the enamel coating. By its importation the McClary Company possesses the largest machine of its kind in America. It will make everything that is used in the enamel trade, from a small mug 2½ inches in diameter to a tub 2 feet across, and will draw sheet steel ranging from the light 25-guage to the very heavy 10-guage, such as is required for sinks and other extremely heavy articles.

The cost of the press alone does not represent the total expense to which the company was put by its acquisition. A larger and more powerful engine and boiler had to be procured before it could be worked satisfactorily, and one of the finest that are manufactured was installed about a month ago. A new spinning lathe also was required. Anyone who visited the McClary plant during the Old Boys' demonstration, when it was open to inspection, will remember that after a metal blank had been pressed into the crude form of the article that it is intended to be, it is placed upon the spinning lathe, which is a practical wrinkle-remover, which changes the rough and oft-times ugly form into a smooth and beautiful form ready to be enameled. The new spinning lathe that will complete the blackware work begun by the big press is of a pattern never before used in Canada, and has an attachment for oval work besides the round.

The manufacture of enameled ware in Canada is a comparatively young industry, of an age that does not exceed seven or eight years, yet it has assumed enormous proportions, and is growing yearly. The McClary Company handled the output of some German firms for many years, until finally the demand for the ware having become very great they determined to enter the field themselves. This was a momentous step to take, and at the time it was freely predicted that it would prove disastrous. Very little was then known of the trade outside of Germany, and the secrets of the process were jealously guarded. The initial expense of the establishment was very great. The plant itself was extremely costly, and besides having to acquire a knowledge of the method of the production, the firm had to import skilled workmen from the fatherland. In this connection it is interesting and gratifying to note that since then there has been a gradual evolution in the personnel of the shop. It was once thought that only Germans had the skill, the knack that was needed to produce the best results. This, of course, was a fallacy—Canadian workmen learned the process just as readily, turn out work just as good, even better, it is claimed, and now form almost the entire working staff.

The McClary Company being the first Canadian firm to compete with the old German trade, against a patronage that extended immediately from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and instead of the business proving the failure that pessimists predicted, it has grown tremendously, warranting the large outlay the firm has made upon this department. The improved machinery that has just been installed will further assure their position as the foremost and most enterprsing producers of Canadian enameled ware.

NO GAME TOMORROW.

There will be no game tomorrow between the Londons and the London West Stars.

KELLY-KENNY APPOINTED.

London, Friday, Sept. 6.—General Thomas Kelly-Kenny has been appointed adjutant-general to the forces in succession to Sir Evelyn Wood.

LATE EMPRESS FREDERICK'S FORTUNE.

The Berlin Lokal Anzeiger's Hamburg correspondent says that the Dowager Empress Frederick's will gives to each of her children, including the emperor, a round million marks. The estate is larger than had been expected.

The will was opened without special ceremony. Her fortune totals 11,000,000 marks. Her children receive a million each. The youngest, Princess Margaret of Hesse (wife of Prince Frederick Charles of Hesse) also gets Frederickshof Castle, on which the dowager empress spent the whole of the 2,000,000 marks' bequest which she received from the late Countess Galliera. The dowager empress destroyed only her most private papers. The remainder were deposited in the Frederickshof library. The fortune of the dowager empress included nothing from the late Queen Victoria, the dowager empress having renounced all claims on her mother's estate.

NATURALLY.

"Notwithstanding the advantages of the reorganized army, there is one corps that looks down in the mouth."

"Indeed! What corps is that?"

"The dental corps."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

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A Novel Wedding.

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A gilded cage of strongest steel will be erected in the center of the Esplanade, covered with a golden canopy. In this will be placed 25 lions.

The wedding party, in evening dress, will assemble at the Lincoln Parkway entrance to the grounds at 2:30 p.m., and will be driven to the Esplanade in the following order:

The four ushers, Messrs. H. T. Jaeger, of the Erie; Geo. R. Chesbrough, of the Lehigh Valley; Harry T. Rhein, of the Lake Shore, and Harry Parry, of the New York Central. Second carriage will contain the clergyman, name unknown. Third carriage, the groom and his best man, Mr. W. H. Underwood, of the Michigan Central. Fourth carriage, bride, accompanied by Hon. James Macbeth. Fifth carriage, reporters of the local papers.

The party will enter the cage in the same manner. As this is Vassar as well as Railroad Day, it is hoped that three or four Vassar girls will consent to act as bridesmaids. If so, a carriage will be provided for them.

In the ceremony, Mr. Macbeth will give the bride away. All the wedding party will be armed with bull whips and revolvers to keep the 25 savage brutes in subjection during the ceremony.

After the final words are said the savage brutes will be given a wedding supper in the cage, after the bridal party has been driven to Bostock's, where a public reception will be held from 3:30 to 5 o'clock. The reception committee will consist of R. F. Kelly, of the Wabash; W. U. Tunison, of the B. R and P.; J. T. McDonald, of the Grand Trunk, and F. J. Moore, of the Nickel Plate.

Prospective bridegrooms should send in their names, the bride's name and photographs of both, with certificates that they have never before married each other. The clergyman will kindly send name.

All communication in regard to the wedding can be sent to the Wedding Editor of this paper.

From Near-by Places

LOBO.

Lobo, Sept. 6.—Mr. Albert Steels, of Manitoba, is at present visiting friends and relatives in Lobo.

Mrs. Edward McClurg left Monday for the hospital, where she will undergo an operation.

Mrs. Peter Ferguson is at present seriously ill, but is attended by two experienced nurses, one in day time and the other at night.

Mrs. (Rev.) Johnson and daughter, Miss Bessie, left for their home in Paisley, after spending a few weeks visiting their old friends in Lobo and London and Caradoc townships.

Miss Martha Campbell, of Lobo, is at present visiting friends and relatives in Caradoc.

On Monday evening a very pleasant time was spent at the residence of Mr. James McArthur, when guests to the number of 25 or 30 assembled together and enjoyed themselves in games, music and singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ferguson are the happy parents of a bouncing young son.

Miss Bella McIntyre, of the Komoka sideroad, is at present having her holidays.

HOWLETT

Howlett, Sept. 5.—The anniversary services of the Sharon Women's Missionary Auxiliary was held last Sunday. The congregation was large. A very impressive missionary sermon was delivered by Mrs. (Rev.) Cosens.

KOMOKA.

Komoka, Sept. 4.—Mr. Dan McLachlan has returned to Stratford, where he has secured a situation.

Mr. James Blanchard and daughter Vera, of London, visited here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mad. Rowland and son Bruce, of St. Thomas, visited here last week.

Miss Scarcliffe, of Niagara, has been visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Mathewson has returned home after a very enjoyable visit to relatives and friends in Niagara and Paris.

Mr. John McLachlin is in Manitoba.

Miss Annie Frank left for London on Thursday.

Mr. Charlie Frank is in Manitoba.

A large congregation assembled at the Baptist Church on Sunday evening last to hear Mr. Fox's farewell sermon, which was delivered with great eloquence, and the text of which was found in I. Cor., x., 31. Everyone was deeply impressed with it, and asked themselves whether everything they did was in keeping with the text. Mr. Fox will be greatly missed in this community as his genial manner won for him a large number of friends who wish him every success in his work, and hope that he may soon return to Komoka, where awaits him a kindly welcome from everyone.

STRATHROY.

[J. D. Meekison, Advertiser Agent.]

Strathroy, Sept. 5.—Harvest home services will be held in the Baptist Church on the last Sunday of the month.

The Model School opened Tuesday, with an attendance of eighteen. Mr. Thomas Dunsmuir was in charge.

Rev. A. McKeon, who for the past thirteen years has had charge of the joint parishes of Strathroy, Watford and Adelaide, has been promoted to the more important parish at Irishtown. The change will take place in about two weeks. Until a successor is appointed Father Hogan, of London, will take charge here.

The death occurred on Sunday evening, at the family residence, Colborne street, of Mrs. Thomas Square, aged 48 years. A husband and four daughters survive her. The interment took place Tuesday afternoon at the Strathroy Cemetery, Rev. D. Y. Chuff conducting the services.

The Young People's Union purpose holding their annual meeting in the basement of the Front Street Church next Monday evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all students in town to attend. Mr. H. D. Johnson, P.S.I., and Mr. Chas. Auld have consented to give addresses.

Miss Clara German is the guest of her father, Mr. G. G. German.

Miss Sharon, of Geddes Bros., is attending the millinery openings in Toronto.

Mr. D. E. McIntosh left for Toronto yesterday morning to take a course at the Ontario College of Pharmacy.

The Rev. Dr. Fothergill has resigned the pastorate of the Strathroy Baptist Church, where he has been pastor for seven years. The resignation will take effect at the end of September.

WHITE OAK.

White Oak, Sept. 5.—The anniversary services of the Women's Missionary Auxiliary, White Oak, were held Sept. 1 and 2. On Sunday afternoon Mrs. Tennant, of London, gave an inspiring missionary address. On Monday evening an ice cream social was held. Excellent addresses were given by Mrs. (Rev.) McCrae, of Wilton Grove, and Mrs. (Rev.) Cosens, of Lambeth. Choice music was furnished by the choir.

Rev. J. E. Hunter has gone north to visit his father and mother.

James Menwell is still very poorly.

TO THE BEST OF HER KNOWLEDGE.

A lady was looking for her husband, and inquired anxiously of a housemaid: "Do you happen to know anything of your master's whereabouts?"

"I'm not sure, mum," replied the careful domestic, "but I think they're in the wash."—Pathfinder.

NO ESTABLISHED CREDIT.

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ARTFUL WOOER.

"And you say I'm the only girl you ever loved?"

"Sure. Do you doubt me?"

"No-o. But I was suspicious when I saw you give my little brother that dime and started him off to the candy shop."—Omaha World-Herald.

THE RACE.

The race is not always to the swift. An automobile can be made to travel a mile a minute, but the trotter that will travel a mile in two minutes will probably sell for ten times as much as the

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ELSIE.

"Then this must be him?"

"I don't quite know," said Elsie again. "Is it the man you met in the lane?"

"Yes," said Elsie, with a reluctant thrill; "at least, it looks like him."

"Will you swear to him?"

"No," said Elsie, with decision.

"Frightened to death of him, poor lass," said the inspector to himself. "That will do," said he, when he had made a note in his pocketbook. "Now march him off to the cell at once."

The men laid a hand each on a shoulder of the prisoner, who forthwith began to move doggedly along the floor. He glanced up at Elsie as he passed her—a glance murderous and vengeful, terrible and threatening. Regret at the part that had been forced upon her, pity for the ruffian—which most people would have called morbid, but which was in thorough accord with the compassionateness of her peculiarly sensitive and highly-organized nature—pity for this outcast, ugly with sin, steeped in vice, brutal, cruel, selfish as he was—took possession of her.

She went back to the warm parlor and thought about him in his dark cell. Was he cold? Was he afraid of the morning? What would they do to him? How horrible it was to think that there were hundreds of wretches in this world just as wicked and miserable and desperate as yonder tramp!

Jetty was chattering volubly in the kitchen to the inspector's servant. She was praising the good looks, the divers accomplishments, the kind heart of Elsie Carew, and declaring that she was quite worthy to marry Lord Arthur Hammond himself, the only son of the Earl of Chase, and the first cousin of that handsome, dashing Owen Hammond, of Raby.

"Not but what Mr. Owen's over head and ears in love with Miss Carew; but it's a countess Miss Carew will be if ever there was truth in dreams. I've dreamt seven times that Miss Carew was a countess, and riding along in Hyde Park in London, which I've seen last summer when I went up to visit my cousin—riding in Hyde Park in the same carriage with the Queen, talking as intimate as you and me this blessed minute, and that's the real truth if I was never to move off this chair."

Jetty, indeed, enjoyed the good supper and hot cider wine with which she was supplied, so much, and found her quarters so snug beside the fire, that she was not inclined to vacate her chair until told to do so by her companion, whose bed she shared for the night.

Elsie was put into a pretty little best bedroom by good Mrs. Hobbs, who provided everything for her young visitor's comfort, only sleep would not come to lull the girl's quivering nerves and excited brain. She lay tossing and turning, and when, just at dawn, she sank into an uneasy doze, she awoke with a cry of fear. The terrible tramp haunted her dreams and seemed ever ready to pounce upon her suddenly and destroy her.

"I won't sleep any more," she said to herself, "for I dream that same dream over and over again. Always I am in a room alone. It is night; one candle is alight, and he is looking in at the window."

Mrs. Hobbs sent Elsie a delicious cup of tea at eight o'clock. After that she arose and made her toilet, for Mrs. Hobbs supplied her with all necessities. She went down into the snug parlor and was welcomed warmly by the superintendent and his wife.

"You will be afraid to go up home, miss," said the kindly Hobbs, "so you just make yourself content here. That house is too desolate to leave two young girls in alone. I cant imagine what the good lady was thinking of. It will be the ruin of her school."

"I am afraid to go back there," Elsie confessed. "I should never sleep. But someone ought to stop there."

"Well, we've telegraphed to the good lady," returned Mr. Hobbs, "and she will surely come or send. I believe the other scamp has got clean off. There is nothing stolen, only they seem to have got into the drawing-room and smashed a pier-glass. Our men have been up there this morning making observations. Two of them were on the premises all night. It was the good lady's silver things the thieves were after, knowing the house was left. They couldn't pick the lock of her chest—it was a cunning lock. Won't she be glad all is safe."

Elsie did return to Coome Hill after an early dinner, but it was escorted by Mr. Hobbs and accompanied by Jetty. She frankly accepted the kind invitation of her newly-found humble but hospitable friends to remain under the shelter of their roof for the present, but she went to Coome Hill to look after her own small belongings and to see the devastations made by the burglars.

Little Jem was delighted when he learned that the plum pudding and mince pies had escaped the observations of the thieves.

Elsie was right glad to find all her possessions undisturbed: the broken pier-glass, an upset inkstand and a bottle of port broken, the wine spilled on the floor, were the most serious damages perpetrated.

Elsie packed her trunk, which was carried for her back to the house of Mr. Hobbs. That night she slept well, and did not dream of the burglars.

CHAPTER IV.

What a Christmas Day!—what a day! Is it better than it would have been at Coome Hill House, or is it worse? Elsie did not know how to answer the question.

Mrs. Hobbs, though very kind, was not an amusing companion. Two stout married daughters, two stout sons-in-law, and four little noisy grandchildren, came to spend the day with the superintendent and his wife.

The dinner hour was two, and cooking of the most elaborate kind occupied Mrs. Hobbs and her maid all the morning.

The tramp had been hastily tried before a couple of local magnates, and remanded to the prison at Farley until the day of the sessions. He was no longer cursing and kicking his heels within the confines of his narrow cell. Elsie had seen him leave the yard under the escort of two county police. A glimmer of sunshine had shone down upon his unwashed, evil face, and ragged, grizzled head. He had not seen her peering down through the short muslin blind in her little room, but she had felt as if he were looking for her with vengeance in his sullen eyes.

"If I am ever at that awful man's mercy he will certainly kill me," said Elsie to herself. "He would like to kill me now for locking the schoolroom door in his face—he vowed he would!" She shuddered. "I hope I shall forget him soon," she whispered to herself, "but I am afraid that I shall not. I cannot get his dreadful face out of my head, and something tells me that if ever he gets out of his prison he will seek me out and do me some hurt."

This most hideous idea continued to distress Elsie during the whole of the time that she was dressing herself on Christmas morning.

Good Mrs. Hobbs had sent breakfast to her room, and after that Elsie set about to attire herself as daintily as she knew how, because she was going to St. Martha's Church, Allanbury. Perhaps Owen Hammond would be at church. Elsie wondered if he would; but very likely, if that tale about Miss Stanly, of Bracebridge Hall, was true, he had gone away to spend Christmas with that young heiress at the magnificent seat of the millionaire who had made a fortune out of pickles.

"I wish that I could make a fortune for myself," said Elsie, as she looked in the glass after tying her bonnet ribbons. They were smart ribbons, and Elsie had a pale pink tuft nestled amid the black velvet bows of her black straw bonnet. She wore a black cloth mantle over a dress of cinnamon-colored velveteen; her gloves and her silver bracelet were dainty and nice.

Elsie glanced at the reflection of her pale, pensive face, and decided that, after all, there was nothing striking about her.

"And he," continued Elsie, carrying on a train of thought which had Owen Hammand for its center—"he must visit at all the big houses in the neighborhood, and he must meet all the most attractive girls. It is a pity that he should condescend to tell me lies—that he is in love with me, indeed!"

She tossed her head and went down stairs, feeling dull and desolate in spite of her less than nineteen summers—in spite of her good looks, and her consciousness of an inward power to do something in this busy, eager, merry, sorrowful, thoughtful, thoughtless, kindly-cruel, paradoxical mass of contradictions, the world in which we live! Dull and depressed because she was alone, friendless, save for the compassion of uttter strangers, cut off from companions of her own age, sphere, and culture.

"I am not going to spend a genteel Christmas Day after all," she said to herself, with a natural bitterness. "I only wish Aunt Johanna could see me sitting down today to dine with these good folks, who drop their 'h's' and pick them up again so industriously whenever they speak of eggs or apples—Mr. Hobbs, superintendent, twenty years ago police constable No. 1,710; Mr. Hobbs' son-in-law, Mr. Grice, who keeps a poultry shop at Farley, Mr. Hobbs' other son-in-law who keeps the Blackbird Inn at Guildford—all admirable and excellent folks, but not of the sort that Aunt Johanna considers genteel. If I had gone to Yorkshire, my companions would have talked of books, of art, of music. We should have made merry, but our minds would not have starved, our tastes would not have clashed, the painful jar of false grammar, of aspirated oranges and oil lamps, would have been spared us.

[To be Continued.]

CANADIANS FIRST.

Riflemen From the Dominion Win World's Championship.

Columbia Will Be a Dangerous Defender of the America's Cup----Gaudaur-Towns Race Again Postponed---Turf Records Broken.

THE RIFLE.

New York, Sept. 6.—The Canadian and American riflemen had a long session yesterday on the state rifle ranges at Seagirt, N. J., in the contest for the American Centennial Palma, embrematic of the world's championship, and the Canadians won by a margin of 28 points, the final score being: Canada, 1,522; America, 1,494. The utmost goodfellowship prevailed during the match, which was very close up to the last stage. Two of the members of the Ulster Rifle Association, of Belfast, Ireland—W. T. Raithwaite and Thos. Robertson—acted as coachers for the Dominion representatives, and the Americans had Gen. B. W. Spencer, with some of his officers attending to them in a similar capacity. The conditions of the contest called for the use of the national arm of the country represented by the teams, so that it was practically a duel between American Krag and English Lee-Enfield weapons. The Canadians used orthoscopic sights, Lieut. Leizear, of Washington, D. C., made the highest collective and the best individual score in the match, which was shot in three stages—800, 900 and 1,000 yards. Each of the teams of eight men had fifteen shots at each of these distances. Following is a summary of the Canadian-American match: Canadians—Lieut. Ross, 185; Capt. R. J. Davidson, 202; Pte. Fleming, 180; Pte. Paubst, 188; Capt. W. H. Davidson, 199; Capt. Stuart, 195; Col.-Sergt. Skedden, 189; Lieut. Robertson, 189 — total, 1,522; Americans—Mayor Young, 177; Lieut. Shaw, 192; Lieut. Leisear, 203; Lieut. Bell, 195; Lieut. Cookson, 188; Capt. Martin, 175; Capt. Springstead, 182; Capt. Whittemore, 182—total, 1,494.

YACHTING.

THE COLUMBIA CHOSEN.

Newport, R. I., Sept. 6.—The Columbia has been chosen to defend the cup. This decision was reached at noon yesterday after a conference of two hours between the members of the challenge committee. The conclusion was that the behavior of the Columbia had been far more consistent than that of the Constitution, and that while the decision might be disappointing to the syndicate, headed by August Belmont, which owns the Constitution, the committee felt compelled to choose the Columbia, whose races had shown none of the erratic form manifested by her rival. Mr. W. Butler Duncan, jun., manager of the Constitution, expressed disappointment that his boat had not been selected as the cup defender. He said that Captain Rhodes had been skillful and faithful, and the manager had nothing but praise for the Constitution's skipper. Mr. Duncan laid much blame on the sails of the boat for her erratic racing. He said that it had been a mistake to change the first mainsail, with which she had done such good work in her early performances. Yachtsmen here generally approve the committee's decision, agreeing that Columbia had been tuned to the point of perfection.

It is the opinion of many of his friends, however, that if Nat Herreshoff had not been confined to his room by illness he could have remedied the faults of the Constitution and brought her out a winner. After the challenge committee's meeting today it was learned that there would be no more racing of the 90-footers at Newport. The time between now and the international cup race at Sandy Hook, on Sept. 21, will be spent in putting the Columbia in the best possible condition to defend the cup. The meeting on board the flagship was harmonious and unanimous. As a matter of fact the committee had been discussing the matter ever since the Astor cup races, in which the Columbia showed manifest superiority to the Constitution. At every meeting since then the sentiment of the committee had been steadily leaning toward the Columbia, so that when the final meeting was called every one knew what was the general feeling. There have been no plans as to the future of the Constitution. She will be left here a few days until her owners have a chance to meet and discuss the matter.

ENGLISHMEN NOT SO SANGUINE.

London, Sept. 6.—While a section of the English press has been printing sensational New York specials lately representing that all America despairs of keeping the America's cup, and that even the New York Yacht Club members are betting on the Sharmock II., the stories give little real encouragement in English yachting circles. The feeling here is reflected by the Yachtsman, which said yesterday: "Why the fears of our cousins should be excited, or the hopes of Sir Thomas Lipton's friends be raised by the turn of events is not very easy to see. Of course, if Columbia has been consistently beaten by Constitution all through the season we should know that Herreshoff had improved on his design, but the fact that this is not proved to be the case indicates that the old design is perfect. It simply shows that Columbia is a very difficult boat to beat, and anyone who has seen her will be quite prepared to admit that fact. Of one thing we are quite certain, and that is that the chances are in favor of the defender, although Shamrock II. may make a close fight for the cup.

SIR THOMAS LIPTON SATISFIED.

New York, Sept. 6.—Sir Thomas Lipton decided not to take the Shamrock out yesterday on account of the light wind. A new mainsail will be bent and she will go out today. When informed that the Columbia had been officially selected Sir Thomas said: "I am sure they have selected the best boat, and the best boat is the one I want to sail against."

CRICKET.

CHANGES IN THE INTERNATION.

Montreal, Sept. 6.—The all-Canada cricket team has undergone considerable changes since Saturday, and Montreal and McGill will be unrepresented. Messrs. H. C. Hill, McGill, and E. S. Jacques will not, owing to business engagements, be able to play. Both have already been off for a trip this year, so they yesterday morning notified the committee not to include them in the team. Their withdrawal means that neither of their clubs will be represented on the all-Canada team this year.

JAWBONES VS. SAWBONES.

The lawyers and doctors play a return game on the asylum grounds tomorrow morning, commencing at 10:30 o'clock.

THE WHEEL.

BAD ACCIDENT TO NELSON.

New York, Sept. 6.—Johnny Nelson, the motor-paced rider from Chicago, was badly injured at Madison Square Garden Wednesday night. He was scheduled to ride a 15-mile motor-paced race against Jimmy Michael. The riders had traveled a little over two miles when a tire on Nelson's wheel exploded, and the machine and Nelson went to the ground along with Michael's motor, which was trailing the other. Nelson's left leg was badly lacerated, and he was removed to Bellevue Hospital. The physician who attended Nelson stated that he would not be able to ride again for a year. Michael escaped the collision by running up the bank. The race was declared off, but Michael rode five miles single motor paced in 8:37⅘. In the one mile amateur open, the final heat was won by G. C. Schrieber, New York; time, 2:21⅘. In the half-mile amateur handicap the final heat was won by T. H. Hall, New York (30 yards); time, 1:00⅘.

TURF.

BORALMA BEATEN.

Hartford, Sept. 6.—A big crowd of spectators at Charter Oak yesterday afternoon witnessed the defeat of Thos. Lawson's celebrated gelding, Boralma, by Lord Derby. The race between these two was one of the finest of the year, and it was only after five heats had been trotted that the Boston favorite's colors were lowered. The betting on the race, the free-for-all trot, was very heavy. The starters were Boralma, Lord Derby and The Monk. As much as $90,000 went into the pool. Boralma was a tremendous favorite before the start at odds of 3 to 1 for the other two.

NEW RECORDS AT HARLEM.

Chicago, Sept. 6.—Two records were broken at Harlem yesterday, one of them the world's mark for a mile and 70 yards, while distance was covered by Jiminez in the third race in 1:42⅗. In the fourth Nellie Waddell covered four furlongs in the Sapling stakes in 47⅕, beating the former track record of 47½. The world's record for the first distance, 1:43¼, was made on the Harlem track in July, 1894, by Lillian Lee, who carried 95 pounds. Jiminez's feat yesterday, with 119 pounds up, is the fastest race run in a circular track in this country.

BASEBALL.

WILL PLAY BEFORE ROYALTY.

Toronto, Sept. 6.—A baseball match at Montreal between the Montreal and Toronto Eastern League clubs will be witnessed by the Duke of York during his visit to Canada. Wednesday night J. A. Clark, secretary-treasurer of the Montreal baseball club, arrived in the city from Montreal and made arrangements with the Toronto club for the game.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At New York (first game)—	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	15	21	1
New York	1	10	1

Batteries—Doheny, Phillippi and Yeager; Maul and Smith.

At New York (second game)—			
Pittsburg	15	22	2
New York	7	11	8

Batteries—Poole and O'Connor; Hesteler and Smith. Called in 6th; darkness.

At Brooklyn—			
Cincinnati	2	12	6
Brooklyn	3	9	2

Batteries—Stimmell and Peitz; Kitson and Farrell. Ten innings.

At Boston—			
St. Louis	5	10	1
Boston	6	8	3

Batteries—Mace, Powell and Nichols; Nichols and Kittridge.

At Philadelphia—			
Chicago	4	12	2
Philadelphia	7	7	2

Batteries—Eason and Kling; Duggleby and McFarland.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Detroit (first game)—	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	11	15	5
Detroit	9	10	3

Batteries—Bernhard and Powers; Miller and McAllister.

At Detroit (second game)—			
Philadelphia	9	13	2
Detroit	2	5	5

Batteries—Wiltse and Steelman; Owen and Shaw.

At Chicago (first game)—			
Washington	3	6	3
Chicago	4	8	2

Batteries—Carrick and Clarke; Patterson, Callahan and Sullivan.

At Chicago (second game)—			
Washington	9	8	0
Chicago	7	8	3

Batteries—Patten and Clark; Platt and Sullivan.

At Milwaukee—			
Boston	4	12	1
Milwaukee	2	6	1

Batteries—Young and Criger; Garvin and Maloney.

At Cleveland—			
Baltimore	1	7	0
Cleveland	3	10	0

Batteries—McGinnity and Robinson; Dowling and Wood.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

At Toronto—	R.	H.	E.
Toronto	9	17	1
Buffalo	3	7	4

Batteries—Williams and Bemis; Amole and Speer and Wiley. Umpire, Kelley.

At Hartford—			
Hartford	3	6	0
Brockton	1	8	3

Batteries—Moriarty and Urquhart; Pfanmiller and McManus. Umpire, O'Loughlin.

At Rochester (first game)—			
Rochester	14	17	0
Montreal	3	11	6

Batteries—Malarkey and Phelps; Souders and Gordon. Umpire, Lanigan.

At Rochester (second game)—			
Rochester	10	15	0
Montreal	3	11	3

Batteries—McPartlin and Phelps; Felix and Raub. Umpire, Lanigan.

THE OAR.

TOWNS-GAUDAUR RACE AGAIN POSTPONED.

Rat Portage, Ont., Sept. 6.—The Gaudaur-Towns race was declared off till 11 a.m. today. The water was too rough.

EXCURSIONISTS DISGUSTED.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 6.—Shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday morning about 300 disgusted and weary excursionists reached here from Rat Portage. Their feelings were worked up to such a pitch of indignation that had they found the proper parties responsible for the postponement of the boat race, the story of the consequences would have made interesting reading.

Western Ontario.

Live Items Culled for Busy People's Information.

Secretary Black paid out $2,510 59 in salaries to Windsor teachers for the month of August.

At his residence on Saturday, Rev. C. Burdette, of Ridgetown, united in marriage Morris J. G. Shellor, of Howard, and Miss Mary C. Parish, of Dunwich.

Walter Stevens, who has already served two terms of imprisonment in the central, was again sentenced at Chatham on Tuesday to a year, for stealing chains.

Guelph city council has repealed the bylaw limiting the number of licenses to fourteen. The city solicitor is of the opinion that it will be inoperative till next May.

James W. Griggs and Clarence Soper, two lads, were brought to the Elgin jail by Constable Yokum, of Bayham. They were found guilty of stealing trading checks to the amount of $3 90 from Mrs. Foster, Vienna. Griggs was sentenced to fifteen days and Soper to two months.

A most sucessful harvest home festival was held in the Episcopal Church, Innerkip, on Monday evening. The attendance was very large. Rev. Mr. Murphy, the rector, occupied the chair. Speeches were delivered by Rev. Mr. Straith, Innerkip; Rev. Mr. Johnston, Huntingford, and others. The amount taken in was about $50.

Dr. Hamilton, moderator of the Stratford Presbytery, has resigned. For the last 40 years Dr. Hamilton has faithfully ministered to the Avonbank and Motherwell conogregations, only resigning now because of old age and infirmity. His resignation has been accepted and the congregation were cited to appear at the next Presbytery meeting.

A very pretty home wedding took place on Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Francis, Ridgetown, when their daughter, Miss Elva J., was united in marriage to H. Walter Cooper, a prominent business man of Cairo, Mich. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. Munro, M.A., D.D., in the presence of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties.

A fairly attended meeting of the Stratford Presbytery was held Tuesday at Rev. Dr. Hamilton's Church, Motherwell. The principal business was the designation of Rev. Mr. Russell as missionary to India. Mr. Russell was born and brought up near Motherwell, and people gathered from all directions to witness his consecration to his chosen work. So large was the congregation that extra seats had to be put in the church, which was crowded to the doors.

Mr. Botsford, of the firm of Botsford & Jenks, of Port Huron, woh have undertaken the construction of a million bushel elevator at Point Edward, was asked in regard to the progress of the enterprise. Said Mr. Botsford: We are almost ready to commence construction on the elevator but have received no assurance from the Dominion Government that they will undertake the necessary dredging, and we only want some definite assurance of this to enable us to commence this fall. The matter is in the hands of Dr. Johnston, M.P., of Sarnia. Dr. Johston was seen the same day and stated that he had forwarded the petition to the people of Point Edward to Ottawa some time ago, and had received an acknowledgment from the Hon. R. W. Scott, secretary of state, but had heard nothing further from it.

Township Councils.

WESTMINSTER.

Odell's Hall, Sept. 3.—All the members were present.

Mr. Isaac House applied to have a ditch attended to on the seventh concession. The whole council was a committee appointed to meet and inspect the same on Saturday, Sept. 21, at 5 o'clock p.m.

Bylaws Nos. 591 and 592 were read the third time and passed.

Mr. R. S. Nichol and Mr. Wm. Brown addressed the council, asking aid for Westminster Township Fall Show. The council granted $40.

Mrs. Hunter applied to have a certain street opened on Nichol's survey. The whole council was a committee appointed to meet on Saturday, Sept. 7 to examine the same.

Mr. Durand addressed the council, asking for a grant toward a concrete sidewalk in Belmont. Moved by T. H. Shore, seconded by J. McDougall, that council grant $15, Mr. Durand agreeing to keep sidewalk in repair. Carried.

Next meeting of council, first Tuesday in October. G. Riddell, clerk.

"STEADY TABLE LADIES."

A Portsmouth, N. H., hotel proprietor advertises for "a steady table lady, 20 to 30 years of age; a permanent place if she suits and is suited." No unsteady ladies would be likely to suit fastidious patrons of the house, but the most important clause is the last. Will a steady lady, if she is "suited," grow old and decrepit in the table service, or conclude to marry the hotel clerk? The proposition involved in this ad. is most romantic, but one can only hope that "steady table ladies" means moral balance, as well as deftness in the handling of soup plates and other dishes. At all events, it is not quite clear what the hotelkeeper does require of his "lady" waiters.

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NO MONKEY BUSINESS.—He offerred to act as her escort, but she declined the offer. "You are as full of airs as a hand organ," he spitefully declared. "Possibly," she replied, "but just the same I don't go with a crank."—Chicago News.

DISADVANTAGES. — "Don't you love the great, beautiful ocean?" said the sentimental girl. "Yes," answered the unsentimental man. "But I'd like it better if it were not so full of watermelon rinds, lemon peels, lunch boxes and things."—Washington Star.

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Meteorological.

Toronto, Sept. 5, 8 p.m.—Heavy rain has fallen over the Northwest Territories and many parts of Manitoba. Elsewhere in Canada the weather has remained very fine.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 42—64; Kamloops, 50—70; Qu'Appelle, 56—60; Winnipeg, 62—76; Port Arthur, 56—82; Parry Sound, 58—80; Toronto, 58—83; Ottawa, 62—90; Montreal, 66—82; Quebec, 48—80; Halifax, 60—88.

Local temperatures, Thursday — Highest, 86; lowest, 53.

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A LOCAL BUDGET.

—Harvest home service will be held at St. Peter's, Tyrconnell, on Sunday, Sept. 20. Rev. J. H. Moorhouse, of this city, is expected to preach.

—Mrs. Frank Bennett, of Tempo, was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday for a serious operation. Her many friends hope the results will be favorable.

—Aylmer Sun: W. F. Charlton visited London Thursday to place an order for a handsome and comfortable 'bus, which will do service between the G. T. R. station and town.

—Charles Quallins, who was engaged as special officer by the L. E. and D. R. R. on the London and Port Stanley division during the last two months, has returned to Windsor to act as game warden.

—A dispatch from Toledo says the Everett-Moore syndicate has purchased all the electric road holdings of the Detwillers, embracing all the street railway lines of Toledo and the majority of suburban lines entering the city. The consideration is said to have been $800,000.

—Exeter Times: William Hawkshaw, jun., who has for some weeks been traveling for a cigar firm of London, on Wednesday moved his household effects to that city, where he intends residing. Mr. and Mrs. Hawkshaw have been esteemed residents of Exeter, and the well wishes of many friends follow them to their new home.

—The funeral of the late Mr. J. T. Dalton took place Wednesday afternoon from the residence of Mrs. F. Holman to Woodland Cemetery. Many beautiful flowers were sent, showing the high esteem in which Mr. Dalton was held. Among them was a large lyre on a mound, from Christ Church choir, of which deceased had been the leader for over six years.

—Mr. George Burr, an esteemed member of the Belvidere Club, who is leaving to take a prominent part with Marks Bros.' Theatrical Company, was presented with a handsome dress suit case last night by his fellow club members. Mr. Burr was taken by surprise, but made a very timely reply, and the evening was passed with speeches and songs, all wishing Mr. Burr success in his new departure.

—The cycling members of the Congregational Club were entertained last evening at the residence of Mr. John Walker, Westminster township. A very happy evening was spent in games and music, ice cream and cake being served by the genial hostess and her daughters. The affair was concluded with a unanimous vote of thanks to host and hostess, and the party returned to the city at a seasonable hour.

KENNEDY—RICHARDSON.

Dr. S. M. Kennedy, of Leamington, and Miss Susie Richardson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Richardson, of 421 Ridout street, were united in marriage at the bride's home, Wednesday. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. Kennedy, father of the groom, assisted by the Rev. G. J. Bishop, pastor of the First Methodist Church, and Rev. R.J. Garbutt, LL.B., of Gorrie, in the presence of about forty guests. The bride entered the room leaning on the arm of her father, to the strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March, played by Miss German. The bridesmaid was Miss A. M. Chapman, the maid of honor was little Irema Kennedy, daughter of Dr. Kennedy, of Wingham, and Mr. F. W. Richardson, brother of the bride, assisted the groom, The home was beautified with flowers. A wedding breakfast was served and the young couple left on a west-bound train for a short trip, after which they will return to their home in Leamington.

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INJURED AT PORT STANLEY.

A runaway accident at Port Stanley Wednesday evening resulted in a serious accident to a London woman, Mrs. Jackson, wife of Rev. Geo. Jackson, pastor of the Centennial Methodist Church. The horse became frightened while she was driving to the station and she was thrown out, receiving a compound fracture of the leg. Rev. Mr. Jackson was notified by telephone of the accident, and left immediately for the Port.

HOUGH—WALTERS.

A very happy even took place on Wednesday, at Frome, it being the marriage of George Hough, proprietor of Erie View bathing house, Port Stanley, to Miss Hattie Walters, of London. The knot was tied by the Rev. J. C. Nethercott, at 5 p.m., at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Frank Sutton. The presents received showed the esteem in which the happy couple are held. For a time they will take up their residence at the home of the groom's father, Benjamin Hough, Port Stanley.

NEEDLE 17 YEARS IN HIS HAND.

Mr. Joseph W. Hopkins, master machinist on the Daily Sun, of Jacksonville, Tenn., formerly of London, has written a letter to his mother, Mrs. John Hopkins, Hamilton road, and inclosed in which was a piece of needle that entered his hand seventeen years ago. The needle passed from the base of the hand up to the base of the forearm, and paining him occasionally, finally passing away again to some other part. Recently, when pounding a piece of machinery with the hand, it was brought to the surface and extracted, after being in the hand seventeen years.

SIDEWALKS ARE BUILT TOO HIGH,

Is the Complaint Made by Several Interested Ratepayers.

Contracts Awarded for the Construction of Sewers on William and Peter Streets—New Flag-Pole Will Be Placed on the City Hall.

At last night's session of the board of works the most important business transacted was the awarding of small contracts for two new sewers. Unduly high cement sidewalks were provocative of two separate complaints from interested ratepayers, through their legal representatives. The session lasted less than an hour. Those present were Ald. Winnett (chairman), Olmsted, Campbell and Parnell, Mayor Rumball, Engineer Graydon and Secretary Beil.

Tenders were opened and contracts awarded for two sewers, one on Peter street, for its entire length, from Queen's avenue to Dufferin, and the other on William street, between King and Dundas streets. The former was awarded to John Lang, the figure being $202 and 23 cents per foot for side drains. The latter went to Harding & Leathorne, at $256 and 22 cents per foot for side drains.

One tender was ruled out without opening because the tenderer had refused to fill out the prescribed form, but tendered on a plain sheet of paper. He also neglected to have his tender in within the specified time.

Fraser & Moore wrote on behalf of residents on Wellington street, between Cheapside and Victoria streets, complaining that the new cement walk on the east side is built too high, and that the city will be held responsible for any damage to property. The engineer will report.

Wm. Boles, represented both in person and by Mr. J. M. McEvoy, complained that his property has been damaged by the raising of the sidewalk at Talbot street and Ann, and he wished the committee to remedy this grievance. In discussing the matter, Ald. Parnell vigorously defended Mr. Boles' attitude and said that the sidewalk in question, as well as others in the city, were absurdly and unnecessarily high. The committee will inspect the spot and make a proposition to Mr. Boles.

The reference back from council of the committee's recommendation to pay the contractor for the Queen's avenue tar macadam pavement, was laid over till next meeting. The committee will meet the ratepayers interested on Saturday.

The committee's recommendation for the appointment of park overseers, referred back from council, was laid over.

Isaac Nixon, et al., ratepayers on Dufferin avenue, between Adelaide and Elizabeth streets, petitioned that the road be graveled and graded. A deputation was present in support of the petition. The committee will inspect the road.

Sufficiently signed petitions for cement walks on east side of College and east side of Inkerman streets were laid on the table. The walks cannot be laid this year.

A Brantford firm will erect a 50-foot iron flagpole on the city hall for $65. The matter had been left in the hands of the chairman and engineer with power, and they ordered the work done.

WILL URGE ROYALTY TO COME HERE.

Rumor Says That Royal Tour May Not Include London.

C. S. Hyman, M.P., and Sir John Carling Act Promptly to Insure Coveted Visit.

Citizens' Reception Committee Will Second Their Efforts and Arrange for Magnificent Demonstration of Welcome.

The committee of citizens appointed to arrange for a suitable reception to the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York, should their royal highnesses visit this city, met last night at the city hall. The tenor of the meeting was a determination to make the royal visit an event which would dwell long in the memory. Though a disquieting rumor is abroad that the Duke and Duchess may not visit Western Ontario, the committee are sanguine that such will not prove the case, and the citizens of Middlesex and the west will have the opportunity of honoring the future rulers of the British Empire. Such prominent citizens as Charles S. Hyman, M.P., and Sir John Carling have already shown their readiness to throw the weight of their influence and efforts into the endeavor to insure for this city a visit from the royal party, and if London is left out of the favored list, it will not be for want of whole-hearted effort on the part of those and other leading residents of the city. If the hoped-for event does come to pass, the scenes of the visit of the Prince of Wales in 1860 will be again enacted, and the residents of the Forest City and the whole western peninsula will unite in a demonstration of respect and love for the representatives of Britain's glorious crown, which will drive home the truth that this section of Ontario, in common with all Canada, is loyal to the core.

Among those present at last night's meeting were Mayor Rumball, C. S. Hyman, M.P., Col. Peters, Col. A. M. Smith, Judge Edward Elliott, Sir John Carling, J. B. McKillop, John Cameron, Dr. Eccles, James Magee, K.C., Thomas Beattie, ex-M.P., Sheriff Cameron, Col. Gartshore, Ald. Stevely, Ald. Cooper, J. H. Minhinnick, Philip Pocock, F. E. Leonard, John Forestal, Thomas Gillean, Dr. English, Peter Birtwistle and City Clerk Kingston.

On motion of Mr. Hyman and Sir John Carling, the chair was taken by Mayor Rumball.

Mr. Hyman said that in common with the other citizens of London he had been under the impression that the Duke and Duchess would visit London and remain at least three or four hours, but yesterday morning he had received a letter from a gentleman in a high official position which intimated that the royal visitors would probably not come to the Forest City. On receipt of this letter Mr. Hyman had communicated its contents to Sir John Carling, and they at once dispatched the following telegram:

"Major Maude, A.D.C., The Citadel, Quebec: On behalf of the citizens of London and Western Ontario we beg to express the serious disappointment and regret that we feel should the rumor prevalent which would indicate the possibility of the cancellation of the visit to London of their royal highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York be true, and we respectfully urge upon his excellency that the itinerary for his royal highness' visit include a visit to London."

(Signed) John Carling, C. S. Hyman.

The committee cordially concurred in the action of the two gentlemen in so promptly taking steps to secure if possible a visit from their royal highnesses.

Sir John Carling eulogized London as the finest town on top of the earth. The Prince of Wales had visited it, and his son should certainly not be denied the opportunity of seeing it.

Mr. Hyman, after referring to the desire of the citizens to see their future king and queen, and their disappointment should the duke and duchess not come, suggested the appointment of a sub-committee to endeavor to secure a royal visit and to arrange details of a suitable reception.

The following committee was appointed: Mayor Rumball, C. S. Hyman, M. P., Thomas Beattie, ex-M.P., Judge Edward Elliott, Sheriff Cameron and C. A. Kingston.

Other members of the committee made brief remarks expressive of the desire and willingness of the city and surrounding country to accord a royal welcome to their royal highnesses should they visit London. The meeting adjourned at 9 p.m.

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ACCOMMODATION AT THE LIBRARY.

Will Be Immediately Increased—Erection of an Addition To Bo Proceeded With.

The addition to the public library building will be built as quickly as possible, the board having last night accepted the specifications and plans and ordered the city engineer to go on with the work at once. The addition will give a largely increased floor space, almost doubling the stacking capacity and the size of the general reading room, besides providing other conveniences.

The librarian's report for the five weeks ending August 31 showed the circulation of fiction to amount to 3,835 books; juvenile literature, 1,091; miscellaneous, 1,396; and magazines, 690—a total of 7,012. The average circulation of books per day was 218 and magazines 24. The receipts for August totaled $32 65; made up of fines, $17 41; sale of cards, $7 80; sale of catalogues, 75c; books lost, $3 15; books damaged, 85c; and incidentals, $2 69. The average fines per day were 57c. Fifty-five cards were issued in the month, with a total of 8,794 cards to date.

Messrs. J. C. Judd (chairman), E. Manigault, A. O. Jeffery, T. Macbeth, J. C. Hazard, Geo. C. Gunn, Librarian Blackwell and Engineer Graydon were present.

DEATH OF MISS JEAN BLACK.

Miss Jean Black, a member of the Lorne avenue teaching staff, is dead at Minneapolis, Minn., whither she had gone health-hunting some time ago. She had been in poor health for upwards of two years, and at Easter, 1899, was forced to take a few months' rest. She was granted a second leave of absence, but on each occasion the improvement in her condition was only temporary. Last November she again sought a rest, and the board of education granted her until the end of the midsummer holidays. For awhile her health improved, but she suffered a relapse and only at the last meeting of the school board had to ask for further leave of absence. The remains will be interred at Dutton, where the family formerly resided. The deceased's mother now lives in Toronto. Miss Black was about 30 years of age, and she was one of the most capable teachers in London's schools, where she had been engaged for twelve years.

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Dr. Siegert's Genuine Imported Angostura Bitters.

Electrical apparatus used in mining is estimated to be worth $100,000,000.

YOU CAN MAKE a dessert that will be acceptable to the weakest stomach by adding a teaspoonful of Price's Rennet Wine to a pint of milk; set aside to cool, and you have a delicious curd. This is the ideal hot weather food. It is highly nutritious, and makes a very light demand on the digestive organs. Directions for making and serving with each bottle. 25 cents. Sold by Scandrett Bros., grocers.

BOYS' SCHOOL BOOTS Water-Proof **$1 25**

Girls' New Styles (round toes)	$1 00
Child's Strap Slippers	.90
Men's Grain Calf, laced	1 60
Men's Box Calf, Bals or Congress	2 00
Men's heavy sole, Calf or Dongola	2 50
Men's Rope Welt, dongola laced	3 00
Ladies' Kid (buttoned or lace)	1 00
Ladies' extra heavy sole Walking Boot	2 00
Ladies' extra fine Vici Kid, laced	2 50
Ladies' evening slippers, two strap	1 25
Ladies' Slippers, three strap, Vici Kid	1 50

TRUNKS AND VALISES

Square Top Canvas Trunk	$4 00
Round Top Marbleized Iron	3 50
Actress' Trunk, extra strong	5 60
Suit Cases, iron frame	2 40
Suit Cases, leather corners, good lock	2 80
Nice Size Leather Grip	1 45
Club Bag, Buffalo size	1 65

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TOMORROW

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Upstairs in the Boys' Clothing Department. This is the second big sale of Boys' Suits this season, and we are going to make this one as successful as the last.

OUR BOYS' SUITS ARE THE STUFF

Boys' Suits.

See the Boys' Knee-Pant Suits at One Dollar and a Half.

Single-breasted, strapped back, well-made Suits, of fall and winter tweeds. This suit is the best money saver we ever sold. There is nothing to compare with it in the city. This is the leader in this sale.....$1 50

BOYS' KNEE-PANT SUITS, blue cheviot, fall and winter school suits, double-breasted, special sale price $2 25

DARK GRAY CHECK TWEED Knee-Pant Suits, 2-piece, good make and finish, fall and winter suits, sale price $2 50

CHEVIOT SINGLE-BREASTED SUITS, 3-piece, knee-pant suits, special purchase for this sale.....$3 00

THREE-PIECE BROWN CHECK Boys' Suits, double-breasted; regular price $4 50, at $3 75

VESTEE SUITS, for boys from 4 to 9 years, fancy dark tweeds, large sailor collar, braid finishing, special at $2 50

VESTEE SUITS, good winter check tweeds, velvet collar and dickie, white braid finishing, at $2 75

VESTEE SUITS, boys, 4 to 9 years, gray, herringbone stripe, all-wool tweeds, double-breasted vest, fancy dickie.....$2 95

Men's Pants.

New Materials in Men's Pants. Two good lines on sale tomorrow.

BLUE AND BLACK SERGE PANTS and fancy worsteds, special price for tomorrow, only $2 75

MEN'S PANTS, made of new tweeds, for fall season of 1901, tomorrow $3 00

Ladies' Wrappers.

For tomorrow—good Wrapper values. Special sale during Exhibition Week.

LADIES' PRINT WRAPPERS, all sizes, waist lined, special price 39c

LADIES' WRAPPERS, in light and dark colors, deep flounce, waist lined, worth $1 75, for $1 25

LADIES' LUSTRE SKIRTS, full lined skirt, velvet binding, Saturday $2 00

Dress Goods.

Paris Dress Robes, Silk Mixtures, brocade effects, adapted for fancy waists, regular 50c, 75c and $1 a yard. Tomorrow 25c a yard.

BLACK GERMAN CREPONS, 44 inches, select patterns, regular price 75c a yard; tomorrow, yard 50c

500 YARDS LININGS — Linenette, metallic stripe and silesia; regular price 15c a yard, tomorrow 8½c

Ladies' Petticoats.

New Petticoats, made of Mercerized Cloth, all the newest styles of flounced skirts and fluted frilling, bound to get your admiration, elaborate as well as plain designs, material looks like Silk, wears twice as long, and at half the price.

Petticoats at $1 15
Petticoats at $1 25
Petticoats at $1 50
Petticoats at $2 00
Petticoats at $2 50
Petticoats at $2 75
And as high as $5 00

Children's Headwear.

Summer Bonnets are all sold, and Fall and Winter Bonnets fill the case. We are proud of this season's showing, for style and quality, combined with economy in price, make a selection that is worth being proud of.

NEAR SILK BONNETS, cream color, all-over embroidery, padded for fall and winter wear 25c

CASHMERE BONNETS, cream, blue and pink, worked and trimmed with lace and cord 50c

HABUTAI SILK BONNETS, all-over dainty embroidery, double face ruching, silk ties, at.....65c

WOOL KNIT BONNETS—Silk effect, double, swansdown trimmed, at 75c

HABUTAI SILK BONNETS—Extra lace trimming and ruching, every bonnet padded, at $1 00

SWANSDOWN TRIMMED BONNETS, hand embroidered, habutai silk ties, at $1 22

Hosiery.

Price cutting, and deep price cutting, too, in Ladies' and Children's Staple Hosiery for tomorrow.

AT 17c—Worth 25c a pair; Boys' School Stockings, black cotton, guaranteed stainless, tomorrow, per pair 17c

AT 15c — Richelieu and Rembrandt Ribbed, Black Cotton Hose, regular 20c, 25c, and 35c, tomorrow, choice, per pair 15c

AT 15c—Ladies' full-fashioned Black Cotton Hose, Louis Hermsdorf dye, regular 20c a pair, tomorrow 15c

AT 22c—Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, Louis Hermsdorf dye, natural wool and balbriggan feet, special tomorrow, per pair 22c

AT 25c—Regular 35c a pair; Drop-stitch Cotton Hose, white heel and toe, full fashioned; tomorrow 25c
Special line at 10c a pair tomorrow.

SHOP EARLY.

Saturday Night Specials.

7 to 9 o'clock. Two bargains for our Saturday Night Special Sale.

HANDKERCHIEFS—Regular 20c; Saturday night hour sale limit only, just half, at each..... 10c

MALTA LACE HANDKERCHIEFS—With silk centers, adapted to use as doilies or handkerchiefs. Regular price 25c; hour sale limit only, each..... 15c

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