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Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN.

EACRETT—In this city, on Wednesday, June 21, 1899, to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Eacrett, 547 William street, a daughter.

MARRIED.

RAYCRAFT—MEDHURST—On June 21, at the First Methodist parsonage, Mr. Joseph Raycraft to Miss Rosa Medhurst, both of this city.

DIED.

LESLIE—At the family residence, 267 Clarence street, on Thursday, June 22, 1899, Wilhemina, relict of the late James Leslie, aged 76 years. Funeral private. 78u

JEFFERY—In this city, on Thursday, June 22, at the family residence, 137 St. James street, George Jeffery, aged 62 years.

Funeral on Saturday, at 3 p.m. Service 3:30. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation. Please omit flowers.

Amusements and Lectures

Here **The Biograph** Today

PRESENTING THE

WONDERFUL MOVING PICTURES

Of His Holiness

Pope Leo XIII.

SEE—The Queen, The Prince of Wales, The Royal Family, The Gordon Highlanders, The 21st Lancers, The Naval Review, Lord Charles Beresford, all the great events and personages of the day.

Grand Opera House, Thursday, Friday, Saturday.

Three performances, 2, 4:15, 8:15. Admission, 25c. Reserved seats, 50c. Plan at Heintzman & Co.'s Children, 15c. At 4:15 matinee, 10c.

Theater cooled by electric fans and air current. 78u

Baseball Championship

June 26 and 27,

London vs. Woodstock.

Game called at 4 p.m.

St. Thomas, Dominion Day, July 3.

79c

SULPHUR SPRINGS BATHS — NOW open for the season from 6:30 to 9 o'clock, under the new management of Cole & Edmonds. zxvt

12,950 TONS—THE PALATIAL CUNARD ship Lucania will sale from New York to Liverpool, Saturday, 1st July; Aurania sails Tuesday, 4th July. Tickets at F. B. Clerke's, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

BOAT TO MONTREAL—SPECIAL EXCURSIONS via the Persia and Ocean from Toronto; very low fares; steamer passes the Thousand Islands and rapids in daylight; berths secured by wire. For full and reliable information apply F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

RACING MEN WHO INTEND TO TAKE part in coming meets in Tecumseh Park can secure permits for training privileges for entire season, for one dollar, by applying to Jas. McCormick, care Dayton & McCormick, or care of R. C. Struthers & Co

Meetings.

LONDON COUNCIL NO. 233, ROYAL Arcanum, will meet this Friday evening, at 8 o'clock, in Duffield Block. b

TONIGHT — WORKINGMEN'S MASS meeting in Auditorium. Addresses by Revs. Gunne and Kerrin. Men only admitted. Chair taken at 8 o'clock. b

SPECIAL — WORKINGMEN ARE SPECIALLY invited to attend the men's meeting in the Auditorium on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Addresses will be given by Revs. C. R. Gunne and J. T. Kerrin. All men are invited. 79u

A MEETING FOR THE STUDY OF THE International Sunday school lesson will be held Saturday in Y. M. C. A. lecture room, at 4:30 p.m. Rev. Dr. Johnston will conduct the class. Teachers and students specially invited. 19tf v

Religious Services

SONG SERVICE—DUNDAS STREET CENTER Church, Sunday night. Subject, "Steps Heavenward." b

MEN—HEAR REV. C. C. OWEN AT THE Auditorium, Sunday, at 4:15 p.m. The last meeting of the season. You will be interested. 79u

Male Help Wanted.

WANTED—WOOD TURNER AT THE Kensington Furniture Co., Goderich. 79c

WANTED—TEN COAT-MAKERS. GEO. Coleman, 342 Ridout street. 79u

WANTED—BOY TO MAKE HIMSELF generally useful around butcher shop. Apply D. W. Smith, 756 Waterloo street. 78u

STOUT BOYS WANTED IMMEDIATELY—D. S. Perrin & Co. 70tf

WANTED—FOUR OR FIVE GOOD ACTIVE boys, aged about 16 years, to work in bottling department. Apply to Carling B. and M. Company. 50tf

Domestics Wanted.

WANTED—KITCHEN GIRL AND SCRUB woman. Mrs. J. B. Jennings, Western Hotel. 79c

WANTED — COOK — J. O'FLAHERTY — Wellington House. 79tf

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT — IMMEDIATELY; in a small family. Apply in the evening at 571 Ridout street. 79c

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT at once. Good wages. References required. Apply Mrs. A. S. Cox, Front street, South London. 78c

WANTED — DINING-ROOM GIRL. APPLY Office Restaurant, 378 Richmond street. 75tf

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT and nurse girl. 151 Oxford street, West London. 75n

WANTED—COOK—REFERENCES REquired. Mrs. Coffey, 662 Wellington street. 62tf

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INVEST $200, SECURING LARGE WEEKLY income. Safe, conservative propositions. 2nd successful year. Statistics free. H. Griffin, 1180 Broadway New York.

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or Coat and Vest, or Coat separate — just the thing for the hot weather. We have a large assortment, and our prices are very reasonable.

Deeks & Munson

393 Richmond Street. Phone 1331.

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We've long ago earned that title because of the genuineness of our unusual shoe values.

Workingmen's Solid Leather Laced..	$ 90
Men's B. Calf, solid laced, good style	1 00
Women's Genuine Dongola Buttoned and Laced Boots, any toe	1 00
Misses' Dongola Kid Buttoned, heel and spring heel, sizes 11 to 2	1 00
Boys' B. Calf Solid Leather Laced, coin toe	85

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J. P. Cook,

173 Dundas Street.

Your money back if you want it.

Board and Lodging.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT FOR board of owner and child. Apply 565 Ridout street, city. 78tf

Articles For Sale.

BUGGIES, PHAETONS AND GLADSTONES exchanged on Palmerston buggies. Selling for what they will bring. Great bargains this month. Stringer's, 141 King street.

FOR SALE—TWO OVER-MANTELS, ONE of oak, with mirror, suitable for a dining-room or parlor; the other for a library, arranged for holding books. May be seen at J. W. Jones' auction rooms, Dundas street. 77 bu

GOOD HORSE FOR SALE CHEAP. APPLY 286 Dundas street. 77c

5 SECOND-HAND BICYCLES IN GOOD order very cheap. Repairing at lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 374 Richmond street.

THOUSANDS OF STRAWBERRY BOXES very cheap. A. McInnes, 383 Talbot street.

BEST HARD COAL AND WOOD DELIVERED in all parts of the city. W. G. Eadey, 771 Dundas street. Phone, 1134.

DIAMONDS REMOUNTED AND OLD jewelry made up-to-date at small expense J.T. Westland, 340 Richmond street, upstairs

PIGEONS FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—"Homers" a specialty. Apply for particulars, Box 198, this office. 45tf

FOR SALE—ONE SQUARE PIANO ON easy terms, quantity second-hand stoves and ranges, bedroom sets, sideboards, extension tables. Parish's store, 357 Talbot street, south market.

FOR SALE—SUMMER WOOD—AT THE sawmill, East Bathurst street. Call, or phone 1312, and try a load. D. H. Gillies & Co.

300 YARDS RAG CARPET AT 30c AND 35c a yard. Keene Bros.' Cash Bargain Furniture Store, 127 King street.

KEENE'S, MASONIC TEMPLE, IS THE cheapest place to buy stoves or furniture. Large stock on hand.

ONE HEINTZMAN & CO. PIANO, UPRIGHT. 7⅓ octaves, slightly used, at a bargain. Heintzman Co., 217 Dundas street, corner Clarence.

MERRY BELLS—WE MAKE BELLS and Brass Work. Our Babbit metals are equal to any, and cannot be beat. John Law, 121 Clarence street, London.

Houses, Etc., To Let.

TO LET—AN ATTACHED TWO-STORY brick house, 490 Queen's avenue; rent $14 per month. Apply 465 Queen's avenue. 76i

TO LET — SUMMER COTTAGE — NEW Orchard Beach, Port Stanley. Apply on premises, or J. A. Nelles, 422 Richmond street. 75n

TO LET—STORE 189 DUNDAS STREET now occupied by W. Mann & Co. Possession Aug. 1. Apply R. Short, 673 York street. 74n

TO LET—THE UNION FURNITURE VAN. Have your furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Cathcart street, South London, late of London Furniture Co.

FOR RENT — COTTAGE, FURNISHED— Fraser Hill Heights, Port Stanley. Inquire Strong's Drug Store, London. 73tf

TO LET—COMFORTABLE HOUSE—NINE rooms, furnace and all modern conveniences, stable, etc.; central location. Apply J. R. Shuttleworth, 388 Clarence street. 16tf

Lost and Found.

LOST—LAST SATURDAY; POCKETBOOK containing $43 and some receipts, between Belmont and Glencoe. Good reward on returning to Advertiser office. 79c

FOUND—IN ONE OF STRIKERS BUSSES, dark blue kid glove. Apply Advertiser office. 78u

LOST—BLACK AND WHITE ENGLISH Setter dog. Reward for return to 572 Dundas street. 78c

Real Estate.

FOR SALE—2 STORY BRICK HOUSE, IN good locality, 8 rooms, good lawn and garden, 60x110, corner Richmond and Horton streets. Apply on the premises to Mrs. W. McCormick. 79n eod

TO CLOSE AN ESTATE—LARGE COTTAGE, 434 Pall Mall, fine garden, 80x140 feet; must be sold; price $1,100. Apply on premises. 74n

FOR SALE OR RENT—NICE MODERN residence; central location. Apply A. N. Udy, over C. P. R. ticket office.

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

$100 A YEAR WILL PURCHASE A fifty-acre farm in the township of Dawn, county of Lambton, or will exchange same for city property. Tennent, McDonagh & Coleridge, London.

IN ORDER TO CLOSE AN ESTATE the following properties are now offered for sale, viz.: Brick dwelling, No. 227 Queen's avenue; 3 frame houses, Nos. 229, 231 and 233 Queen's avenue; brick dwelling, No. 432 Park avenue; brick cottage, No. 360 Burwell street; 2 frame houses, Nos. 197 and 199 Mill street, and frame house, No. 1072 Dundas street, together with lands thereto belonging. Also a number of good building lots on Charlotte and Borinda streets. For particulars inquire at Abbott's Carriage Factory. 26tf

Wanted.

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR GENTLEMEN'S cast-off clothing. A. P. Sainsbury, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to

Miscellaneous.

THE LONDON CARPET-CLEANING Works—Carpets cleaned and relaid and every carpet disinfected. Jas. S. Shaw. Phone 1308.

AUCTION SALE.

Household Furniture, on Monday, June 26, at 198 Oxford Street.

NEIL COOPER has been instructed to sell contents of cottage, comprising in part square piano, New York make parlor suite, carpets, bedroom, dining-room and kitchen furniture, stoves, garden tools, etc. Sale at 10:30. NEIL COOPER, Auctioneer. 79u

The Western Fair Secretaryship.

Mr. Thomas Browne, who resigned the position of secretary of the Western Fair Board, to accept the Postmastership of London, is a man whose place it is difficult to fill. At the board meeting yesterday there were two views and two motions: (1) that the board proceed to elect a secretary; (2) that the selection be handed over to the executive committee. The vote resulted in a tie, and the chairman gave his casting vote in favor of the second view. It is unusual for a Board of Directors to abdicate its functions and responsibilities in this fashion, and attention has been called to the fact that among those who voted for handing the business over to the Executive and taking it from the Board were four members of the Executive themselves.

Whatever is finally done, and by whatever method, it is important that moderate counsels prevail with a due recognition of public opinion. The Western Fair is a great direct and indirect advantage to London, and should be the care and pride of all classes of our citizens.

The Strike Situation Up to Date.

In a word, the Company still continue obdurate; and the people still leave the street cars severely alone, declining to ride, except in the union 'busses, on bicycles, or to the races by surburban trains.

The endeavors of the committee of the City Council have not as yet accomplished much, except to bring out somewhat more clearly the Company's autocratic conception of their relation to organized labor and to the convenience and opinions of the public.

Mrs. (Capt.) John Graham, of Ekfrid, was buried on Wednesday afternoon at St. Andrew's Cemetery, Glencoe.

Miss Lulu, daughter of Mr. Alex. Lindsay, Glencoe, was buried on Tuesday at Kilmartin cemetery. She was a bright little girl, 14 years old. The high school teachers and scholars marched to the church and presented a lovely wreath of flowers. The Sunday school class also, of which she was a member, marched and carried beautiful wreaths, and the casket was entirely covered with flowers, gifts from friends. The pall-bearers were James Patterson, Martin McCreery, A. D. McAlpine, M. McGugan, W. Harrison and Jackson McLachlan.

TENDERS

—FOR—

Placer Mining Claims

on Dominion Creek, in the Yukon Territory.

SEALED Tenders addressed to the undersigned and marked on the envelope "Tenders for a placer mining claim" will be received at this department until noon on Friday, the 1st day of September, 1899, for placer claims and fractions of claims on Dominion Creek reserved for the Crown.

The following is a list of the numbers of the claims and fractions and the approximate frontage thereof as surveyed by Messrs. James Gibbons and R. W. Cautley, Dominion Land Surveyors:

BELOW UPPER DISCOVERY.

No.	Length in ft.	No.	Length in ft
1 A	5	10 A	33·3
2 A	19	15 A	42·25
3 A	30·5	31 A	43·
8 A	87·4		

ABOVE LOWER DISCOVERY.

No.	Length in ft.	No.	Length in ft.
1 A	12	6 A	35·00
2 A	59·1	10 A	143·25
4 A	1·25		

BELOW LOWER DISCOVERY.

No.	Length in ft.	No.	Length in ft.
1 A	56·3	75 A	24·7
2 A	7·2	76	500·
2 C	20·3	77	449·8
8 A	34·00	16 C	33·8
9 A	39·25	18 A	164·7
11 A	98·4	78 A	3·6
13 A	68·5	80	451.3
16 A	49·25	81 A	15·3
20	292·1	83	500·
21 A	71·9	84	500·
22	500·	85	500·
22 A	60·7	86	500.
23	446·2	87	500·
25	500·	87 A	500·
26	120·66	87 B	387·9
31	350·5	89 A	35·1
33	500·	91	500·
34	500·	92	500.
36	500·	93	500·
37	500·	94	500·
38	351·	95	500·
68 A	94·7	96	500.
69 A	40·5	97	500·
70 A	72·6	98	500·
71	414·4	99	600.
73 A	12·3	100	478·7
74 A	21·3	101	119·

Each tender shall specify the numbers of the claims and fractions tendered for, and also the amount of bonus offered for each claim and fraction. The tender may be for the whole lot or any one or more of the claims and fractions, and must be accompanied by an accepted check in favor of the Minister of the Interior for 10 per cent of the amount offered, one-half of the remainder to be paid into the Department of the Interior, at Ottawa, or to the Commissioner of the Yukon Territory, at Dawson, within 30 days from notice of acceptance of tender, and the balance within six months thereafter, with interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum. Entries for the claims and fractions will be granted in accordance with the placer mining regulations on acceptance of tender.

The entries will be subject to the usual royalty and the provisions of the said regulations from time to time in force, except as to representation provided for by clause 39, which will not be required.

The claims and fractional claims for which entries may be granted shall not include any portion of the bench or hill claims for which entry may have been previously granted.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JOHN R. HALL,
Secretary.

Department of the Interior,
Ottawa, May 27, 1899. 67n v

Africa's War Cloud

Near Possibility of a Conflict With the Transvaal.

Activity in the British Foreign Office—War Risks Rising.

A French Cabinet Has Been Secured at Last.

Kipling Eludes the Curious Crowd—The Duke of Albany Secures a Throne—Doings of the Peace Conference.

London, June 23.—The Daily Mail this morning says an extremely brisk business is being done in Lloyds in war risks, at daily advancing rates.

The Kolnische Zeitung publishes a dispatch from The Hague stating that Dutch official circles are aware that the Transvaal Government is preparing to make a most stubborn resistance in the event of war, and is arming fast. According to this informant Pretoria has just ordered 35 quick-firers and several heavy calibre guns for fort artillery from Krupp.

In accordance with the promise made by President Kruger to Sir Alfred Milner, British high commissioner for South Africa, at the recent conference in Bloemfontain, capital of the Orange Free State, the Transvaal executive has finally decided to increase the representation of the Gold Fields in the Volksraad. The government will probably give six members, instead of two, the present representation.

There is activity in the war office, occasioned by near possibility of war with the Transvaal. Orders were issued today for two companies of engineers, and two companies of army service corps, with officers and men, from departmental corps, with ammunition and stores to proceed to South Africa.

NEW FRENCH CABINET.

Paris, June 23.—Late yesterday afternoon the announcement was made that Senator Waldeck-Rousseau had completed the formation of a cabinet, with the exception of the portfolio of public works. The new cabinet of France, as organized, is as follows: Senator Waldeck-Rosseau, president of the council of ministers and minister of the interior; M. Delcasse, minister of foreign affairs; General the Marquis De Gallifete, minister of war; M. De Lanessan, minister of marine; M. Monis, minister of justice; M. Caillaux, minister of finance; M. Millerand, minister of commerce; M. Leygues, minister of public instruction; M. Decrais, minister of the colonies; M. Jean Dupuy, minister of agriculture. The cabinet was completed by the acceptance of the portfolio of public works by M. Pierre Baudin.

THE VENEZUELAN COMMISSION.

The Venezuelan boundary commission held morning and afternoon sessions yesterday. Sir Richard Webster, the British attorney-general, resuming his speech in behalf of the case of Great Britain, continued his historical review, dealing with the original establishment of the Dutch on the coast. The next meeting of the commission will be held Wednesday, June 28.

MARCHAND WILL WRITE A BOOK.

London, June 23.—The Daily News prints a dispatch from Paris saying that an enormous sum was offered to Major Marchand, the African explorer, to lecture in the United States, but he refused, "as his wants are few." Major Marchand is writing an account of his expeditions. The Paris publisher of the work has arranged with English and American firms for an English version.

GETS A THRONE.

It has been definitely decided that the young Duke of Albany, grandson of Queen Victoria, is to succeed to the throne of the Grand Duchy of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha, on the abdication of the Duke of Edinburgh, and the renunciation of the Duke of Connaught.

TWELVE PERSONS DROWNED.

Two fishing smacks were capsized off Brest yesterday afternoon and twelve persons drowned.

"FAR FROM THE WAITING CROWD."

Mr. Doubleday, Kipling's publisher, outwitted the army of waiting reporters at Euston station, London, and succeeded in getting Mr. Kipling into a waiting hansom, which was out of the station almost before the train was at a standstill. Both Mr. Doubleday and Mr. Kipling's father confirm the statement that the author's health is now perfectly satisfactory. Mr. Kipling goes to Rottingdean today.

THE PEACE CONFERENCE.

The Hague, June 23.—A number of the delegates to the peace conference are suffering from a mild form of malaria, caused by the emanations of the canals which receive the sewage. Mrs. Holls, wife of Mr. Frederick Holls, secretary of the American delegation, has been obliged to go to Dusseldorf for a change of air.

The delegates declared in favor of any state using any new explosives or new inventions for ordnance, Russia and Bulgaria alone refraining from voting. The question of dum-dum bullets was dicussed by Major Sir John Ardagh, of the British delegation, declaring that Great Britain did not desire to use any projectile inconsistent with the principles of modern war, and that dum-dums should only be used against an uncivilized foe. The convention finally resolved in favor of prohibiting the use of bullets which usually flatten out in the human body, such as explosive bullets in a hardened case, which does not entirely cover the point, or bullets with an incision. The British and American delegates alone voted in the negative. The use of any new explosives in projectiles from balloons was prohibited for five years. The question of restraining the introduction of new types of rifles was deferred. Count Soltyk's report was then taken up. It declared that the sub-committee, though unable to agree regarding the proposed abolition of naval rams, submarine torpedo boats and the use of explosives, had declared against the use of asphyxiating gases, which the first committee also approved.

CABLE NOTES.

Senor Don Francisco Silvela, the Spanish premier, denies that there is any foundation for the report that a ministerial crisis is imminent.

A combine of oil seed crushing mills, engineered by Mr. Bartlett, of New York, and including seventeen of the largest firms in the United Kingdom, is about to be completed, with a capital of £2,500,000.

The Pope on Thursday held a public consistory to present the hats of the recently made cardinals. He conducted the ceremony with ease, in spite of its length, and the strength of his voice was much remarked when the pontiff gave the benediction. The Pope was loudly acclaimed on his entry into and departure from the hall. He afterwards held a secret consistory.

THE TENSION IS EXTREME

Says a Late Dispatch From Cape Town.

Great Britain Must Soon Bring Matters to an Issue in the Transvaal.

London, June 23.—A dispatch from Cape Town to the Outlook says: "The tension is extreme. Business is at a standstill and the general feeling is that Great Britain must promptly bring matters to an issue. The league will have no difficulty in preventing meetings supporting Sir Alfred Milner's attitude, the desire being to refrain from embarrassing the imperial authorities.

"The Orange Government is urging the Transvaal to make further concessions. Many people consider Sir Alfred Milner's franchise proposals are useless without the granting of twelve seats in the mining centers and the right to speak English in the Volksraad. Otherwise it will be impossible to select representative men. Failing these concessions the Johannesburgers say they prefer a treaty providing security and judicial and educational reforms."

OFFICIAL NOTICE

Of an Agreement on the Alaskan Boundary Question.

London, June 23.—The officials of the foreign office this morning sent the United States ambassador, Mr. Choate, a formal memorandum embodying the temporary agreement reached in the Alaskan boundary question.

THE STRIKE IN CLEVELAND

Hope of Settlement Appears To Be Shattered.

Cleveland, Ohio, June 23.—The hope of settlement of the street railway strike was shattered last night when the strikers rejected by a unanimous vote the proposition submitted by the company to the special committee of the city council, and to which the strikers' committee agreed in the afternoon. The proposition of the company states that it is ready and willing to take back into its employment such of its employes as its business demands, aggregating at the present time 80 per cent of such employes, and as vacancies occur will give preference to former employes, excepting those who have committed unlawful acts against the company, its property or employes during the present strike.

This action of the strikers came as a surprise. After rejecting the proposition of the company the strikers began to draw up a proposition of their own, which will be submitted to the council committee.

Disturbances took place in the afternoon. Car windows were broken and a motorman was assaulted.

The city authorities are now openly preparing for trouble and the board of control is considering means of protecting the company's property and preserving order. President Everett says that the company will run the cars and have no further dealing with the strikers.

Police Director Barrett said: "We are not going to wait for anything more to happen but prepare ourselves to meet any emergency. The lives and property of the people of the city are going to be protected at all cost."

STRIKE IN CHICAGO.

Chicago, June 23.—Sixty men employed by Swift and Company joined the ranks of the 400 striking platform men and butchers employed by several stock yard firms. Thirty colored men who went to the yards expecting to be employed were compelled to flee by the angry strikers. The Chicago Packing and Provision Company agreed to the advance demanded, and the strikers from that house resumed work.

A ROYAL LAUNDRESS.

A story is told of the Princess Louise's visit to the Bermudas. These islands belong to Great Britain. The islanders determined to give her a reception, and both rich and poor made ready to do her honor.

One day she was out sketching, for, like the queen and the rest of the daughters, she is fond of sketching. She was thirsty and called at a cottage door for water. The good woman of the house was busy and refused to go for the water. She, of course, did not know who the princess was; she was busy ironing; she was ironing a shirt for her husband to wear at the reception of the queen's daughter, she said. Oh, no! She could not leave that to get water for anybody.

"If you will get me some water," said the princess, "I will finish ironing the shirt while you are gone."

So the princess ironed the shirt while the woman fetched the water.

WILL FIGHT TO A FINISH

Street Railway Sticks to Its Original Position.

Men's Offer of Concessions Ignored—Assurances of Support.

The meeting of the voluntary committee of the city council with the strikers' committee last night developed nothing new. Both the men and the company declare they will fight the matter to a finish. The offer of the strikers to strike out of the proposed agreement the clause requiring all employes of the street railway company to take out permit cards from the union, and also to strike out all reference to the Amalgamated Association made no impression on the company whatever. The latter said they had positions open for some 30 or 40 men and would give the preference in filling those positions to those among the strikers who had others depending on them for support. This offer was made with the reservation that the men who had committed overt acts against the company would in no case be taken back.

The public continue to decline to ride.

Cars were run over the Rectory street line yesterday for the first time since the strike. A crowd gathered at the corner of Rectory and Campbell streets, and several of the special constables, who came to see what it was about were persuaded to withdraw by means of stale eggs.

DRAYMEN WILL HELP.

At the regular meeting of Directory No. 6, Draymen's Union, the following resolution was passed unanimously:

"Resolved, that the members of this union extend their hearty sympathy to the street railway employes now on strike, and be it further resolved, that we help in supporting them, both morally and financially, in their present difficulty until such time as a satisfactory settlement is reached. (signed) John Earl, Secretary."

CHOICE NOT WITH THE BOARD

Executive to Chose Western Fair Secretary—Mr. Bell Declined.

The Western Fair board met yesterday afternoon to appoint a secretary to succeed Mr. Thomas A. Browne, resigned. The executive committee had prepared a recommendation naming Mr. James S. Bell, secretary of the city council committee, for the position, but Mr. Bell had notified President Gartshore, at the last moment, that he could not accept the position. Mr. Allan Bogue moved that the board proceed at once to elect a secretary. Mr. Chas. Trebilcock seconded the motion.

Mr. R. Shaw-Wood moved in amendment that the matter be referred back to the executive with power to appoint a secretary.

Mayor Wilson seconded the amendment. The amendment carried, President Gartshore casting the deciding vote in its favor.

The vote stood as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Carrothers, Ald. McPhillips, Mr. Shaw-Wood, Mayor Wilson, Mr. J. S. Pearce, Ald. Winnett, Ald. Reed, Messrs. A. M. Smart, W. M. Spencer, W. J. Reid—10.

Nays—Messrs. John Kennedy, F. Leys, Allan Bogue, John Laidlaw, C. Trebilcock, J. H. Brown, John Durand, W. M. Moore, Ald. Wilkey and Plant—10.

Mr. Trebilcock and Col. Leys objected strongly to the matter being taken out of the hands of the board.

A letter was received from Ald. Plant withdrawing his application for the secretaryship of the board.

The executive committee was authorized to rebuild the open stands at the north end, which had been reported in an unsafe condition.

The Fat Stock Show will be held the second week in December, in place of the first week, as at first intended.

The Orange Societies will be granted the use of the stands and ring for July 12, on payment of the usual fee of $25.

Obituary.

A pioneer resident of East Nissouri passed away recently in the person of Mrs. Cornelius McCorquodale, lot 26, con. 14. Mrs. McCorquodale was born near Belfast, in Ireland, in 1836. With her parents she emigrated to Canada and settled in Nissouri township just half a century ago. During her long residence in Zorra she has seen forests cut down, land cleared, and the log hut of the settler exchanged for the commodious farm house of today. She was a sister to Mr. Robert Marshall, of this city; Mrs. Geo. Wood and Mrs. Thomas Thornton, of Campbell's Corners. Her husband and five children survive—Mrs. Henry Winter, of Birtle, Man.; Mary, at home; William, north of the old homestead; Alexander, on the half concession; Robert and George at home.

MRS. ELLEN LIVINGSTONE.

Mrs. Ellen Livingstone, widow of the late Robert Livingstone, and mother of Mrs. Robert Mason, of this city, died yesterday at her home in Detroit. Deceased was 76 years old. Mr. and Mrs. Mason have gone to Detroit to attend the funeral.

THOMAS W. DYAS.

Mr. Thomas W. Dyas, advertising manager of the Mail and Empire, and one of the best known advertising men in America, died at his home in Toronto yesterday. Mr. Dyas was taken with a violent hemorrhage about a year ago, and since then has been in a gradual decline, although he attended to his work until a few days ago. The end came at 3 o'clock a.m., in the presence of the family. Mr. Dyas was born in Clonturkon, Cavan, Ireland, Sept. 2, 1845, and came to America early in boyhood. He stayed at New Orleans until he was 18 years of age, when he came to this city. Seven years later he removed to Toronto, where he has resided ever since. He was connected with the Globe and the Farmers' Advocate, and finally with the Mail.

GEORGE JEFFREY.

Mr. George Jeffrey, the well-known carpenter and contractor, died last night, after having suffered for a long period with a cancer, which developed from an unsound tooth. Deceased was 62 years of age, and a member of the I. O. F. His widow and several daughters and sons survive. The funeral will take place tomorrow from the family residence, St. James street, to Woodland Cemetery. Rev. Mr. Walker will conduct the services.

ADA PHIPPEN.

Little Ada Phippen, daughter of Mrs. A. Phippen, of 12 Empress avenue, West London, died yesterday, aged 9 years, from mumps.

The funeral of the late John Fox, scale manufacturer, took place this afternoon to Woodland Cemetery. Rev. Richard Hobbs conducted the service.

The remains of the late Edward L. Woleben, were interred in Mount Pleasant Cemetery this afternoon. The funeral took place from Stephenson's undertaking rooms. Rev. Mr. Walker conducted the services.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Hilbourne took place this afternoon, and was largely attended. Interment was made at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Rev. Canon Dann, of St. Paul's Cathedral, conducted the services.

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—and becomes beautiful and luxuriant—when Oriental Rum and Quinine Hair Tonic is used.

It gives new life to the hair—changes dull, wiry hair into soft, silken tresses—keeps the scalp clean and healthy—and is a positive cure for dandruff. Price 50c.

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Matrimonial.

ROBERTSON—McINTOSH.

Miss Katie McIntosh, daughter of Mr. William McIntosh, of Lobo, was married on Wednesday afternoon at 6 o'clock, at the home of the bride, to Mr. Charles Robertson, of London township. Rev. Mr. Lindsay, of the Ivan Presbyterian Church, performed the ceremony. Miss Maggie Wilson, of London, was bridesmaid, and Mr. Geo. Robertson supported the groom. The bride's gown was of white cashmere, and she carried white carnations. About 70 guests were present, many of them coming from a distance. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served. The house and the tables were profusely decorated with flowers. The evening was spent in games and dancing. Many beautiful and valuable presents were received. Mr. and Mrs. Robertson will reside on the eighth concession of London township.

LESLIE—SMITH.

St. Catharines Star: A happy wedding was solemnized at the residence of Mr. A. M. Smith, Geneva street, Tuesday afternoon, when his daughter, Miss Evy E. Smith, was made the wife of Mr. Oliver B. Leslie, of the Canadian Express Company, London. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Robert Garside, at 12:30 o'clock. The handsome parlor was beautifully decorated with roses and smilax. The bride was assisted by her sisters, Laura and Myrtle, and the bridegroom by Mr. Kelly, of Toronto, and the bride's 3-year-old brother, Walter. After the ceremony luncheon was partaken of under a large marquee on the grounds, and about 50 guests sat down. The bride received a large number of elegant presents, showing the high esteem in which she is held. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie left on the late afternoon train for Brockville to spent their honeymoon with a sister of the bride. The music during the ceremony was by Mrs. Walkinshaw, assisted by Messrs. Bustin, Peart and Nelligan. The "Bridal March," from Wagner's "Lohengrin," was played during the ceremony, and Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" after the nuptial knot had been tied. The bride was attired in an elegant costume of white satin, with orange blossoms and veil, and looked exceedingly pretty.

REYCRAFT—MEDHURST.

A very quiet and pretty wedding was solemnized at the First Methodist parsonage on Wednesday evening, the 21st inst., at 8:30, by Rev. Dr. Smith, when Mr. Joseph Reycraft was united in marriage to Miss Rosa Medhurst, formerly in the employ of J. H. Chapman & Co. The bride wore a becoming suit of fawn covert cloth, trimmed with pink satin. Mr. and Mrs. Reycraft will be home to their friends at 405 Rectory street, after July 5.

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Greatest summer comfort. Will do all a range can do. Quick. No work, dust, dirt nor ashes. Every kitchen in Canada should have one. Quarter cost of any other fuel. Write us for particulars.

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Samuel Rogers, president.

Call up London branch. Phone 1,240

A Trip to Lansing

Middlesex Farmers Invade Michigan in Force.

A Day Spent at the State Agricultural College.

Pioneer Excursion by the North Middlesex Farmers' Institute.

The Michigan Institution Compared With Ontario's—Noted Visitors Present—A Long Trip in Search of Pointers.

The North Middlesex Farmers' Institute yesterday launched a new enterprise. As most of the farmers of the county are familiar with the Ontario Agricultural College and Experimental Farm at Guelph, the N. M. F. I. arranged to give them a novelty by running an excursion to the Michigan Agricultural College and Experimental Farm at Lansing. It afforded them a rare opportunity of acquiring information and pleasure from a new source, and of testing Ontario farming in general and the Ontario Experimental Farm in particular by comparison with the best that Michigan could show. The fact that so many availed themselves of so long a trip in the busy season, and in such sweltering weather, is a tribute to the popularity and influence of the North Middlesex Farmers' Institute, and a proof of the praiseworthy zeal of Middlesex agriculturists in seeking knowledge wherever they can find it.

THE TRIP.

The train leaving London was in charge of Conductor C. Johnston, Brakemen A. Reid and H. Jenkins. James LaFareli and W. Hoare handled the engine. All along the line, until Sarnia was reached, crowds were picked up, and when the trains arrived at the Tunnel City the excursionists from the main line joined those from the Sarnia branch. The train leaving St. Marys was manned by Conductor P. R. Hoy, Brakemen P. McCue and F. Clegg, Engineer J. Barker and Fireman S. Owha. Each party reached the tunnel on time, the trains were quickly merged into one, and the united gathering comprised ten well-filled coaches, which held over five hundred people. Through the courtesy of O. L. Spaulding, assistant secretary of the treasury, who was communicated with by E. B. Smith, chairman of the excursion committee, the customs examination at Port Huron was a mere matter of form, and thus a long delay was avoided.

The crew of the train which left Port Huron at 8:30 comprised Conductor M. C. Carey, an old Middlesex boy; Brakemen W. M. Rice and O. McAnany, Engineer J. F. Hazel and Fireman F. Gausman. But four stops were made before reaching Lansing—at Goodall's for water, at Lapeer and Flint, where the thirsty regaled themselves and the warm ones cooled off, while a few minutes' delay occurred at Durand, caused by a hot box—the only mishap of the trip. At this point the party was joined by Hugh Baker, a smart young student from the college, in natty uniform, who distributed a souvenir guide book giving information regarding the disposition of the buildings, thus facilitating sight-seeing.

Hon. John Dryden, minister of agriculture for Ontario, was a welcome member of the excursion party, the other legislators in the party being H. J. Pettypiece, M.P.P. for East Lambton; Mr. Wm. Taylor, M.P.P. for North Middlesex; and Mr. V. Ratz, M. P. for the same riding. The list of the excursionists was as follows:

D. Thorn, Watford; D. Graham, Ivan; A. Stewart, Ivan; John West, Telfer; F. Lampman, Wyoming; John Robertson, Wyoming; Charles Simmons, Ivan; Miss W. Kinreade, Kerwood; E. D. Wylie, Adelaide; V. Hendrick, Arkona; R. Cleland, Adelaide; Wm. McChesney, Wisbeach; Robert Wilson, Arkona; W. McLaughlin, Thedford; Joe Blanchard, Thedford; Dan Dewar, Ailsa Craig; Tom McLellan, Duncrief; C. Kerswill, Adelaide; N.T.Fletcher,St.Mary's Journal; J. L. Kirk, B.A., Haniota, Man.; N. Tunks, Lambeth; John H. Tunks, Lambeth; Hugh McIntyre, Lobo; Chas. Stallwood, Lobo; H. D. Kewley, Sarnia; R. Kettlewell, Strathroy; Mr. and Mrs. Alf Jones, London; Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Browne, London; D. C. McIntyre, Vyner; Mrs. D. C. McIntyre, Vyner; Ira Downer, Strathroy; D. H. Houlton, Strathroy; D. H. McCallum, East Williams; M. James, London; R. Booth, London; W. H. Nicholls, Hubrey; F. Gunning, Whalen; Jabez Millson, Whalen; W. Dowker, Parkhill; Jos. Homer, Parkhill; A. E. Arrand, Adelaide; J. Paxman and wife, Parkhill; J. Manning and wife, McGillivray; J. Williamson, Elginfield; E. Guest, Birr; C. Borthwick, McGillivray, H. McBryan, Bosanquet; Miss L. Moore, Arkona; M. Moore, Arkona; Peter Wells, Bosanquet; W. Ogden, Whalen; Geo. Brock, Osborne; Wm. Brock, Osborne; G. Millson, Whalen; A. Gunning, Granton; P. Campbell, Ailsa Craig; A. Munro, Ailsa Craig; Robt. Bailey, Forest; G. W. Roxburgh, St. Marys; R. E. Symington, Plympton; P. Symington, Plympton; W. Armstrong, Plympton; R. Squires, Lobo; C. A. Richards, Melbourne; A. Carruthers, Melbourne; Mrs. R. Orr, Denfield; S. Thompson, East Williams; A. McLeish, West Williams; J. Taylor, Sarnia; J. B. Bryan, Biddulph; Miss Eagleson, Greenway; J. Standeaven and T. Standeaven, St. Marys; W. Henderson, Ailsa Craig; A. F. Ross, Nairn; H. McDonald, Ailsa Craig; N. D. Gillies, Ailsa Craig; G. Wein, Crediton; J. A. Pedler, Exeter; F. Heath, Mount Brydges; J. R. Smith, Plympton; A. Armstrong, Plympton; G. A. Forsyth, Melbourne; F. McCracken, St. Marys; D. E. McCracken, St. Marys; Robert Symington, Plympton; A. Elliott, Sylvan; A. McNeil and wife, Parkhill; John Guest, Lucan; W. S. Glen, Ailsa Craig; H. C. Graham, Ailsa Craig; J. McKercher, Watford; J. W. Crawford; Kent, Kate McLean, Kertch; J. McLean, Strathroy; Squire McPherson, Strathroy; Wm. Symington, Camlachie; Alex. McLean, Camlachie; R. Small and wife, Komoka; J. S. Douglas, Strathroy; N. Fletcher, St. Marys; B. A. Kirk, London; J. A. Stewart, Lobo; Miss Sinclair, Lobo; A. Sinclair, Lobo; Miss McMurphy, Komoka; T. K. Smith, Plympton; E. T. Gray, Lobo; Mrs. E. T. Gray and daughter, Lobo; Arnold Davis, Hutcheson; Miss M. Eagleson, Greenway; James Eagleson, Greenway; Norman Switzer, Centralia; Mrs. N. Switzer, Centralia; Mrs. D. O'Neil, McGillivray; Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Smith and Master R. B. Smith, Ailsa Craig; Robert Murrell, Cobble Hill; J. B. Thompson, Thorndale; Robert Hall, Arkona; Frank Crone, Mandaumin; N. Hall, Birnam; M. Conn, St. Marys; G. M. Willsie, Thedford; R. Northcott, Hay; E. Braithwaite, Devizes; E. Bisbee, Devizes; John McKellar, West Williams; Miss B. McKellar, West Williams; C. E. Abbott, Lucan; W. H. Tidwall, Thedford; H. Whyde, Forest; T. Lithgow, Thedford; Alex. Johnson, Forest; Dan Johnson, Forest; A. E. Rosser, Ailsa Craig; A. Johnson, Forest; Miss L. Gillies, Ailsa Craig; Mrs. J. W. Gillies, Mrs. D. H. Gillies, London; Miss H. Park, Ailsa Craig; Wm. Martyn, Gladstone; T. Spence, Mossley; F. Atkinson, Ailsa Craig; James Guy, West Williams; Mark Watson, Brinsley; Miss R. Ketchum, Delaware; Miss I. Ketchum, Ailsa Craig; S. Darling, Lieury; Miss J. Potter, Lieury; C. M. Holland, Lieury; Miss J. Lewis, West McGillivray; Mrs. J. N. Stewart, Falkirk; John N. Stewart, Falkirk; John Torrance, West McGillivray; H. V. Zavitz, Coldstream; H. J. Marsh, Coldstream; Jas. McFarlane, Falkirk; Miss E. Shipley, Falkirk; Miss M. McFarlane, Falkirk; Stanley Fraser, Forest; John McEwen, Falkirk; Neil McLaughlin, Parkhill; Miss J. Craven, Parkhill; Miss M. Good, Falkirk; J. W. Gillies, Ailsa Craig; Wm. Brown, Kirkton; H. B. Kennedy, Ilderton; George Longhurst, Kirkton; S. A. Haynes, St. Marys; John Hunter, Wyoming; John Stewart, Strathroy; P. McDougall, Ailsa Craig; W. Gibson, Duncrief; Wm. Cawood, Parkhill; Geo. James, Parkhill; M. O'Mara, Granton; Alfred Barrett, Parkhill; Mrs. A. Barrett, Parkhill; Wm. McKenzie, Ailsa Craig; James Robinson, Ailsa Craig; John Wm. Northgreaves, Clandeboye; John Thompson, Brinsley; Miss L. Hodgins, McGillivray; George Mawhinney, jun., Crediton; Geo. Mawhinney, sen., Lucan; John Hardy, Brinsley; H. Matheson, Parkhill; L. Lewis, Brinsley; W. Bowman, Ailsa Craig; I. F. McLaughlin, McGillivray; Mrs. Graham, Ailsa Craig; Mrs. P. Buckley; Ailsa Craig; Miss Love, Grand Bend; John Lewis, Clandeboye; John C. Reid, and wife, Lieury; W. J. Smith, Lieury; Olive Fenn, Dashwood; D. D. Stewart, Ailsa Craig; Miss Nelson, Ailsa Craig; W. Morton, Ailsa Craig; Miss Pedler, Ailsa Craig; Mrs. J. Corbett, St. Marys; Mrs. Cook, Stratford; Ed Ryan, Centralia; James Bell and daughter, Hensall; Mrs. R. Robinson, Granton; D. McCallum and wife, Fern Hill; John Pincombe, Poplar Hill; Mrs. T. R. Snell, Brucefield; Mrs. T. Snell, Exeter; F. Morley, Osborne; Jos. Morley and wife, Biddulph; S. Brown and Miss Brown, St. Marys; Thos. Porter and wife, St. Marys; D. Gilbert, Parkhill; E. Luther, Parkhill; A. E. Smith, Parkhill; H. Hawken, Parkhill; Miss Brown, Stratford; John Rawlings, Bosanquet; C. Dickinson, London township; T. A. Mayburry, Parkhill; Wm. Hill, West Williams; R. Hodgson, Clandeboye; W. Delaney, McGillivray; H. Bowman, Ailsa Craig; John Abbott, Lucan; Mrs. C. Haskett, Lucan; John Scouler, Forest; J. Hill, West Williams; Caleb Rawlings, Bosanquet; A. Kilbourn, Parkhill; Jas. Scouler, Forest; Thomas Gilfoyl, Lucan; W. Parkinson, Granton; R. Rogers, St. Marys; W. 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Doyle, Clandeboye; James Banting, Wyoming; Alex. Daunt, Kerwood; Hiram Bee, Parkhill; Alex. Thompson, East Williams; Thomas McMillan, Parkhill; Simon McLeod, Parkhill; A. J. Garden, Parkhill; J. Ferguson, Belmont; Wm. Gee, Poplar Hill; S. Gee, Poplar Hill; E. A. Rosser, London; John Bissett, Nairn; R. Trouse, Delaware; T. Whiteside, Corbett; Walter Evans, Ailsa Craig; G. H. Newton, Ailsa Craig Banner; E. J. Phillips, Lucan Sun; C. Hayes, Parkhill; J. A. Kellerman, Dashwood; H. C. Baird, Parkhill; D.W. Graham, Komoka; Wm. Brock, Adelaide; Robt. Morton, Ailsa Craig; John Carson, Ailsa Craig; Thomas Richardson, Cairngorm; Wm. Diamond, Kerwood; Charles Tuckey, Komoka; John Graham, Komoka; E. Carrothers, Delaware; D. M. Smith, Komoka; R. Carrothers, Strathroy; J. Spence, Komoka; Andrew Harkness, Hubrey; David Stevenson, Hubrey; Angus McNiven, Dorchester; Robert Kirkpatrick, Dorchester; Arch. M. Campbell, Komoka; Jas. McLean, Kertch; Jas. Dolphin, Strathroy; Miss J. McLean, Strathroy; Miss Kate McLean, Strathroy; John Weber, Longwood; W. Weber, Longwood; F. McCallum, Strathroy; Miss B. Brown, Strathroy; T. A. McIntyre, Komoka; A. F. Graham, Komoka; Peter McIntyre, Komoka; M. Turnbull, Delaware; A. Hall, Delaware; J. Rosser, Ailsa Craig; Norman Kimball, Warwick; John Kimball, Warwick, J. Atwood, Warwick; W. Coulbeck, Forest; G. Shepherd, Forest; J. Cobleigh, Parkhill; A. H. Hodgins, West McGillivray; T. L. Graham, M.D., Lobo; J. McKercher, Watford; D. McKercher, V. S., Inwood; J. R. Smith, Wyoming; Adam Armstrong, Wyoming; Wm. Armstrong, Wyoming; T. K. Smith, Wyoming; John Hunter, Wyoming; Thomas P. Robertson, Wyoming; T. K. Brown, London; Wm. Young, Kerwood; Loftus Earley, Kerwood; Albert E. Menzies, Sarnia; Robert Miller, Sarnia; D. Thom, Watford; T. T. Heard, London; C. W. Graves, London; D. McDonald, Chicago; G. M. Branton, Lobo; D. A. Brown, Lobo; W. J. Kincade, Kerwood; Thomas Arrand, Adelaide; G. Forsythe, Melbourne; J. D. 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Lawson, Hubrey; John Cousins, Belmont; R. S. Nichol, Hubrey; R. Cleland, C. B. Kesswill, J. Wiley, Wisbeach; John McPherson, J.P., Strathroy; H. M. Wiley, Wisbeach; Thomas Skippen, Hyde Park; Henry Scott, Hyde Park; R. B. Smith, Adelaide; N. V. McLeod, P. Stewart, Charles McLean, F. E. Lewis, Petrolea; R. Leggatt, Sarnia; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Donald, Petrolea; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crone, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Doyle, D. C. McIntyre, Mrs. S. C. McIntyre, D. McDonald, Wm. Allen, A. Bellman, Jos. Parker, W. R. Galloway, A. E. Arrand, James Tuckey, Ferguson; Albert Fuller, Kerwood; W. H. Dowding, Kerwood; Arthur Waters, Delaware; H. W. James, Delaware; D. S. Campbell, Mulifary; G. J. Dowding, Kerwood; W. D. Dowding, Kerwood; Frank Rosser, Ailsa Craig; William Sharman, Pond Mills; N. Spence, Wm. Martin, Gladstone; Miss Mae Wiley, Watford; Miss Kate Gallaway, Watford; Mrs. W. H. Cuddy, Mrs. S. A. Wiley, Mrs. S. Wilson, Mrs. D. Wilson, Master W. Wilson, Master L. Wilson, Kerwood; V. Ratz, M.P., Khiva; C. M. Simmons, Ivan; J. Caldwell, Glendale; Mrs. B. Wilson, Arkona; H. Duncan, London; Mrs. K. Duncan, Glendale; Mrs. J. Caldwell, Glendale; Miss A. Orr, Arva; A. W. Thomas, Mount Brydges; H. A. Innes, Delaware; F. H. Waters, Mount Brydges; F. Heath, Mount Brydges; W. L. Smith, Sun, Toronto; Jarvis Cook, Strathroy; L. McCallum, Hubrey; W. Delaney, McGillivray; H. Bowman, Ailsa Craig; John Abbott, Lucan; Mrs. C. Haskett. Lucan; John Scouler, Forest.

AT LANSING.

A portion of the crowd got off at the college grounds, but the majority went straight to the city for dinner, and spent some time in looking over the place. Lansing, which has about 20,000 population, owes its importance largely to its public institutions, among them being the capitol, the asylum for the blind, the boys' reformatory, and the State Agricultural College and Model Farm. The capitol, which many of the excursionists went through, is a large structure, externally plain and unpretentious in comparison with the magnificent parliament buildings at Toronto, but elegantly furnished and appointed. The business portion of the city is brick paved, but presents no special features. The agricultural college, three miles east of the city, is reached by an electric street railway system of a rather inferior type. The visitors were immediately struck with the beauty of the campus, comprising nearly 100 acres, laid out in flower gardens, lawns, walks and drives. The undulating ground lends itself to ornamental effect, which is heightened by the skillful and copious retention of the original forest trees, and various arts of landscape gardening. Stone walks everywhere wind through the greenery, and every prospect fills the eye with delight. A unique section is the botanic garden of three acres, embracing all the varieties in the state arranged in their families. The herbarium contains over 70,000 species of plants. The college buildings number 52, including Faculty Row—the residences of the professors. They are built mostly of brick, and located with due regard to scenic requirements.

The Michigan Agricultural College was formally opened on May 13, 1857, and claims to be the oldest agricultural college founded on this continent. For some seven or eight years it led a precarious existence, being dependent on the bounty of the State Legislature; but fortunately it was placed on a solid foundation by the national land grant of 1862. This endowment has grown into a large interest-bearing fund, rendering the college practically independent of the state for its running expenses. In this respect it has an immense advantage over the Ontario Agricultural College, which is entirely supported by the Provincial Government. The Michigan State Legislature, however, has continued to do generously by its state college. It has provided buildings and apparatus, at an outlay of some $500,000, and for the current year the state appropriation reaches $140,000, of which $83,000 goes for a new woman's building, and $12,000 towards furnishing the same. The sum of $10,000 is given for repairing buildings, $15,000 toward the dairy school, $4,000 for the farm barn, $5,000 for student labor, $2,500 for improved heating, and the balance for minor purposes. The college gets this handsome sum of $140,000—in addition to its running expenses (about $100,000, annually), which, as previously stated, come out of a national endowment fund. This is very liberal treatment, indeed, when it is considered that the whole agricultural appropriation for Ontario this year is $204,217, of which only $51,267 goes to the Guelph college for current expenditure, while the outlay on capital account this year is only $4,110. Even then, the minister of agriculture has to fight for every dollar he gets.

The Lansing college covers a broader range of instruction than the Ontario institution, the agricultural course being supplemented by the mechanical course, which was established in 1885. In this latter department particular emphasis is laid on the study of mathematics, the study of theoretical principles underlying the science of machines, and the practice of constructing machines. The equipment is admirable, the carpenter shops, boiler house, electrical laboratory, and various working apartments attracting much attention. This course is covered to some extent in Ontario by the Toronto School of Practical Science, and is not considered there as a necessary complement to the work of an agricultural college. The women's course is also a feature of the Michigan institution which has no parallel at Guelph. It was inaugurated three years ago, and has proved very successful, the attendance last year being 93. The present accommodation is inadequate, and the State Legislature, as already mentioned, has provided amply for a new building. The young women are instructed in domestic science and household economy, and at the same time receive a training in music, art, modern languages, literature and the usual accomplishments of a regular ladies' seminary. It will be seen from all this that the Michigan Agricultural College is very broad in its scheme of education, and by no means confines itself to scientific and practical agriculture. Of the students entering last year, their proposed occupations after leaving college are given as follows: Farming, 45; mechanical engineering, 53; teaching, 32; electrical engineering, 4; physicians, 2; law, 2; not fully decided, 106. The college enrollment has nearly doubled in the past three years, the number of students in all courses being now 540. The average cost to the pupil for the agricultural course is estimated at from $140 to $175 per year, including uniform. This may be reduced if the student cares to earn money by working for the college. Many do this, and labor during vacation to aid in paying for their education. It is estimated that this summer $2,000 will be paid to students in this way.

No formal reception had been arranged for the Canadian visitors yesterday, although it was expected there would be speech-making or some other form of demonstration. Gov. Pingree was announced as a probable attendant, but he sent word that he was unable to be present. The students were holidaying, and laboratory work suspended, but the various buildings were thrown open and the excursionists were given the freedom of the institution. President J. L. Snyder and several of the faculty interested themselves in the party. In the afternoon Hon. John Dryden, Mr. Pettypiece, M.P.P., Mr. Taylor, M.P.P., Mr. E. B. Smith, and the newspaper representatives were driven over the property by Dr. Snyder and Prof. Towar. The tract of land on which the college is situated comprises 676 acres. The lawns and building sites, the gardens and orchards, cover 114 acres; the original forest 150 acres, and the rest is devoted to these uses: Forty-seven acres to experiment; 320 to systematic rotation of crops, and 45 to woodland pasture. In the trip through the experimental tract there was much that was entertaining and profitable. Sugar beets were largely in evidence. A large section of the peach crop had succumbed to the early inclemency, as in Ontario. Throughout Michigan, too, fall wheat is a failure. Prof. Towar, the agriculturist of the experimental station, was questioned about the San Jose scale, and said the usual methods of fumigation and spraying were resorted to when the trees were only slightly affected; if badly affected they were destroyed. The holdings of live stock at the Lansing farm are not as large as in Guelph, but the visitors had nothing but praise for the quality, especially for the dairy herd. The Brown Swiss was a new specimen to some of the party. The Holsteins and Durhams in particular were magnificent. The celebrated Belle Sarcastic, with a record of 841 pounds of butter in a year, was pointed out with pride by one of the faculty. Another Holstein, Rosa Bonheur the Fifth, has a record of 106¾ pounds of milk per day.

The Michigan College is conspicuous for its excellent library and museum. The former contains 21,000 volumes, chiefly pertaining to agriculture. The museum in the same building, upstairs, was a center of much attraction. In the department of entomology there are over 100,000 specimens. It is claimed to be by far the best insect collection in the state.

Comparisons with the Ontario Agricultural College naturally suggested themselves to the majority of the Canadians. The general impression was that in agricultural science alone, especially in experimental work, the Ontario institution was fully as comprehensive as the Michigan. The buildings and appliances at Guelph are, if anything, superior in some lines, notably in dairying. In other respects, Lansing has the advantage—very much so in the munificence with which the work of the college is fostered and supported by the legislature.

The return trip commenced on time, the train leaving Lansing at 7:15, but the party reached Port Huron a little late. The London section left the tunnel for home at 11:40, the main line train departing a few minutes later. The London train reached home at 1:45. A large number took advantage of the lay-over privilege and remained in Lansing to enjoy a more thorough inspection of the points of interest.

NOTES.

The shady nooks were eagerly sought. The heat was intense and the dust choking, making the ride on the electric cars in Lansing far from pleasant.

It was Ailsa Craig's civic holiday. A far larger crowd was expected, and the trackmen's strike receives the blame, many people in the country not having heard of the settlement.

The intense heat caused a heavy run on the water supply, which for a short time was exhausted on the return trip, but the tanks were refilled as soon as possible.

The number of ladies on board was comparatively small.

Through sickness in the family, S. P. Zavitz, the energetic secretary, was unable to be present.

Charles S. Proctor, traveling passenger agent of the G. T. R., joined the party at Ailsa Craig, and efficiently assisted in looking after the comforts of the company's patrons.

Those who arranged the outing were R. J. Robinson, president; S. P. Zavitz, secretary N. M. Farmers' Institute; D. S. Cameron, chairman; E. B. Smith, honorary secretary, excursion committee.

PROHIBITION

Hon. Hugh John Macdonald's Position in Manitoba.

Montreal, June 22.—Mr. Hugh John Macdonald, the local Conservative leader in Manitoba, who has been spending a few days here, was asked how he stood in regard to prohibition, in view of Mr. Greenway's statement that he would give such prohibition as the law allows. Mr. Macdonald, in reply said: "The Province of Manitoba is a prohibition province. That is beyond all question. You could not enforce prohibition in the city of Winnipeg any more than you can enforce it in Portland; it would mean free trade in liquor if you tried it; but outside of Winnipeg the province is solid for prohibition. I have been to township after township, where the young men do not know the taste of liquor. They have grown up without it. Now this is the real thing—this is prohibition. If our party reaches power I would certainly proceed to carry out the will of the people in so far as the law would permit. I am not personally a prohibitionist, but I thoroughly believe in the will of the people, and that will I would obey in all sincerity. I do not know exactly at this moment what the law would permit in the way of restriction or abolition. That would have to be ascertained. It would be my duty to make such examination, so that the will of the people should be respected. I state my position frankly. There was some talk before I left for the east about certain of the prohibitionists coming to me on the matter. Had they done so I would have given them this frank answer: that knowing the province to be a prohibition province—and that in a far more real sense than could be said of Ontario—I would, if elected to power at the next election, proceed to obey the will of the people in so far as the law would permit."

RAP AT DRUGGISTS

Licensed Victuallers Object to Druggists Selling Malt Extract.

Kingston, June 21.—At the second session of the convention of Ontario Licensed Victuallers, the sale of liquor by druggists was discussed. It was contended that malt extracts contained over 12 per cent of alcohol, which exceeds the proportion in stout. The association will probably move that the extract be only sold in licensed places. Early this morning the delegates visited the penitentiary, asylum, and other places of interest. A ballot was taken as to whether the convention next year would be held at Guelph or Barrie. The delegates from the latter place thought they had it all settled last night, and the result of the ballot was a big surprise. The vote was 35 to 18 in favor of Guelph. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, F. J. Collins, Dundas; vice-presidents, John Coffey (Barrie), D. R. Burlow (York Mills); treasurer, James McFarlane, Toronto; auditors, J. W. Scandrett (London) and H. A. Coffin (Georgetown); executive committee, H. Maxie (Hamilton), F. X. St. Jacques (Ottawa), John Stormont (Toronto), D. Sayer (London), J. McCarthy (St. Catharines), N. J. Frowlie (Orillia), J. S. Henderson (Kingston). This afternoon the city victuallers and delegates enjoyed a tour among the Thousand Islands on the steamer America.

THE BAN IS RAISED

Horseless Vehicles May Run in Chicag Parks and Boulevards.

Chicago, June 22.—Virtually the ban on automobiles is a dead letter. Three of the five members of the South Park commission have declared themselves opposed to any ordinance barring horseless carriages from the parks and boulevards. If this were not enough to kill the proposed ordinance, should it ever present itself again, a fourth member of that body has intimated that his vote would go against the projected measure.

It also was given out that the ban on horseless vehicles had been raised pending the next meeting of the South Park commissioners.

You know what that tired feeling is and you may know what will cure it by giving Hood's Sarsaparilla a fair trial.

LYNCHING CONDONED

Characteristic Verdict of a Coroner Jury in the Sunny South.

Scranton, Miss., June 22.—"We, the jury, find that deceased came to his death by climbing a tree, venturing too far out on a limb, and broke his neck." Such was the verdict of the coroner's jury in the case of Daniel Patrick (colored), who was lynched yesterday morning for an assault upon Miss Bessie Ireland. Patrick confessed his crime, and begged the mob to shoot him. He evidently feared burning at the stake, and was glad to be let off with a rope and bullets. Three hundred of the most prominent men in the city participated in the lynching.

Columbus, S.C., June 22.—News comes from Conway, Horry county, that negroes attempted to lynch a white youth named Sam Dowe, who had killed a negro named Green. The negro ran into Dowe with a bicycle, and the killing resulted. Dowe's father drove away the lynching party with a shotgun.

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On and after Monday, June 19, 1899, the trains leaving Union Station, Toronto (via Grand Trunk Railway) at 9 a.m. and 9:30 p.m., make close connection with Maritime Express and Local Express at Bonaventure Depot, Montreal, as follows:

The Maritime Express will leave Montreal daily except on Saturday, at 7:30 p.m., for Halifax, St. John, N. B., and points in the Maritime Provinces. It will run on Saturday to Levis only, stopping at St. Hyacinthe and other points.

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The local express will leave Montreal daily, except Sunday, at 7:40 a.m., due to arrive at Riviere du Loup at 5:05 p.m., and Little Metis at 8:25 p.m.

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The Bel Air Races—Turf Events Across the Border—Sporting News From All Quarters.

BASEBALL.

St. Thomas, June 22—(Special).—A small crowd saw the Saints take their first game from London this season today at Atlantic Park, and although the total hits were evenly divided, St. Thomas managed to bunch theirs when men were on bases. The Saints played a snappy game both in the field and when running bases. Hardy started in to do the slab work for the Railroaders and only lasted one inning, although but one hit was made off him, he was very wild. Robb replaced him and was hit pretty freely, but at inopportune times.

The Saints won their game in the first inning by timely hitting. Sheehan opened with a hot drive to Cope, went to second on Tibald's sacrifice, scoring on Lyons' hit to left. Hemphill followed with a hit to Howells, who allowed it to get away from him, Lyons scoring on the throw, and Hemphill scored on Rodden's out. The Saints added two more in the second on hits by Hardy, Sheehan and Tibald.

Cope, who had singled in both the second and fifth, was cut off at the plate in each inning, trying to score on Lohman's hits. This was the nearest the Cockneys got to a score until the fifth, when a succession of infield punts and Rodden's error placed Howells and McFadden on second and first respectively, the former scoring on Jones' hot drive to Rodden.

LONDON.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Mohler, 2b	5	0	3	2	2	1
Howell, c.f.	5	1	1	1	0	2
McFadden, 1b	4	0	1	10	0	0
Babbit, s.s.	4	0	0	1	4	0
Jones, l.f.	4	0	1	4	0	0
Cope, 3b	4	0	2	2	1	0
Schwartz, r.f &c.	4	0	0	2	0	1
Lohman, c. & r.f.	4	1	3	3	1	0
Seiver, p.	3	0	0	2	2	0
Crow, p.	1	0	1	0	0	0
	38	2	12	27	10	4

ST. THOMAS.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Sheehan, s.s.	5	3	3	4	5	0
Tibald, 3b.	4	1	3	1	1	0
Lyons, c.f.	5	1	1	1	1	0
Hemphill, l.f.	5	1	1	3	1	1
Rodden, 2b.	4	0	1	0	2	1
Gunther, 1b.	4	0	1	13	1	0
Reid, c.	4	0	1	4	0	0
Robb, r.f. & p.	4	0	0	1	4	0
Hardy, p. & r.f.	4	1	2	0	1	0
	39	7	13	27	16	2

Score by innings—

London	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	—2
St. Thomas	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—7

Hits by innings—

London	1	2	0	0	2	2	0	2	3	—12
St. Thomas	3	3	1	1	2	1	0	0	2	—13

Sacrifice hit—Tibald.
Stolen bases—Sheehan, 2; Tibald.
Struck out—Babbit, Rodden, Hardy.
Left on bases—London, 9; St. Thomas, 4.
Double play—Siever to McFadden.
Time—1:50.
Umpire—Geo. England.

GUELPH DEFEATS CHATHAM.

Chatham, Ont., June 23.—The Maple Leafs won out yesterday in a slugging match. Both pitchers were hit hard. Cross pitched good ball, but errors lost the game. Johnston was hit often, but kept his hits well scattered. The game was featureless. The score:

									R.	H.	E.
Guelph	0	2	2	0	2	1	0	2	0—9	14	3
Chatham	3	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0—7	10	10

Batteries—Johnston and Lafleur; Cross and Sanders. Umpire—Popkay. Time, 2 hours. Attendance, 250.

HAMILTON TRIMS WOODSTOCK.

Hamilton, Ont., June 23.—Woodstock could not hit the ex-Woodstock pitcher, Crystal, yesterday, except in one inning. Then they got four singles and made three runs. Hamilton hit Traeger all through the game, and was never in trouble; the team also fielded well. Woodstock is after new players, and promises to be as strong as any by July 1. Pitcher Norcum joined them Thursday. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Woodstock	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0—3	5	5
Hamilton	1	1	1	2	2	1	0	0	*—8	13	2

Batteries—Traeger and Pickard; Crystal and Conwell. Umpire—Donaldson.

ST. THOMAS JOURNAL.

The Londons had barrels of luck.

Umpire England won the game for London.

That double of Babbit's was certainly a lucky stab.

Pierre Ward, with London last year, may catch on with Woodstock.

Manager Pears was on the bench, but not in uniform. He hurt his hand in Guelph.

Umpire England is having his troubles. He is now barred both by the Guelph and Chatham teams.

Lee's name appeared on the score card yesterday. He will play right field till Pears gets in the game.

Interest in baseball must be on the wane in St. Thomas, when only 200 go to see a game between London and St. Thomas.

Joe Knight arrived home from Buffalo yesterday afternoon. He would not accept a cut. The Buffalos are engaging disbanded Western Association players at $60 to $75 per month.

With the attendance of the past two weeks if the ghost walks next fortnightly pay day, the directors will have to go down in their pockets.

Woodstock Sentinel-Review: Woodstock sporting editors are coming to realize what the task of a Conservative leader writer must be on the morning after a bye-election.

Manager Black lost his temper in the ninth and entered a too-forceful protest against Popkay's decision in calling Sechrist out at third. The provocation was great, but Mr. Black realized he had gone too far and made a manly apology to Popkay afterwards, which was cordially accepted.—Guelph Herald. Black grabbed Popkay by the throat.—St. Thomas Journal.

NATIONAL LEAGUE—THURSDAY.

At Chicago	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	1	6	4
Boston	5	9	1

Batteries—Phyle and Donohue; Willis and Clarke.

At Cincinnati—			
Cincinnati	5	9	1
Philadelphia	9	15	4

Batteries—Dammann, Phillips and Woods; Orth and McFarland.

At Cleveland—			
Cleveland	0	5	2
Brooklyn	8	12	1

Batteries—Maupin and Schrengoest; Yeager and Farrell.

At Pittsburg—			
Pittsburg	6	5	2
New York	11	15	5

Batteries—Rhines, Sparks and Bowerman; Seymour and Warner.

At St. Louis—			
St. Louis	4	12	2
Washington	1	9	1

Batteries—Young, Sudhoff and Criger; Weyhing and Butler.

EASTERN LEAGUE—THURSDAY.

At Providence—	R.	H.	E.
Providence	0	2	8
Toronto	6	6	1

Batteries—Egan and Leahy; Alloway and Rothfuss. Umpire—Doescher.

At Springfield—			
Springfield	5	11	2
Syracuse	4	7	7

Batteries—Pettinger and Phelps; Malarky and Dixon. Umpire—O'Loughlin.

At Worcester—			
Montreal	4	6	1
Worcester	5	8	4

Batteries—Dugglesby and Jacklitz; Horton and Bransfield. Umpire—Gruber.

At Hartford—			
Hartford	6	11	3
Rochester	5	11	3

Batteries—Esper and Urquhart, Conn and Smink. Umpire—Boyd.

WESTERN LEAGUE—THURSDAY.

At Minneapolis—Minneapolis, 7; Milwaukee, 6.

At Detroit—Detroit, 14; Buffalo, 4.

At Columbus—Indianapolis, 9; Columbus, 3.

At St. Paul—St. Paul, 5; Kansas City, 3.

WITH THE AMATEURS—THURSDAY.

Petrolia, Ont., June 23.—Baseball here Wednesday:

Petrolia	12	6	2
Sarnia	0	4	5

Batteries—McGamwell and Julius; Connors and Brady. Umpire—Munroe.

An exciting game of ball was played on Brock's field Wednesday between a picked nine from the Talbot street school and the Crescents. The score was 10 to 10 in the fifth inning, and the Talbot street school boys refused to play off the tie. Score, 9 to 0 in favor of the Crescents. Batteries—Crescents, Woolley and Adams; Talbot street school, Harley and Nash. The features of the game were Woolley's excellent catching and Adams' effective pitching.

SMINK'S GREAT BATTING.

Zeke Moore, who was attached to the Hamilton club last season, but now with the Springfield Eastern Leaguers, heads the batters in that league with an average of .467. Moore, however, has been at bat but 15 times. The real batting hero of the league is Bill Smink, the ex-Cockney, who has been batting at a .389 clip for Rochester.

FOR THE FANS.

Umpire England is having his troubles. He is now barred both by the Guelph and Chatham clubs.

First Baseman Royce has been released by the Reds. McConnell will play first for Chatham hereafter.

Hamilton Herald: Captain Congalton is to be congratulated upon the success of the team in its first game under his control.

Hamilton Herald: "Darby" O'Brien, of last year's Port Huron team, made his debut at third, Tuesday, and did splendid work. Martin, late of the Saints, has been signed, and will probably take Dark's place in center. A second baseman who can hit the ball can get a job here. Pitcher Howkins and Third Baseman Lee and Galloway have been given their walking tickets.

Umpire Burns, who has been officiating with Umpire Smith, has been released by Nick Young. Smith has been ordered to double up with Andrews.

Umpires Gaffney and Emslie hold when a catcher blocks a runner off home base to prevent him from scoring the run shall count; that the rules give the right of way to the runner.

Mr. Kerr, of the Pittsburg club, has hanging in his office a baseball mask, as an expensive souvenir of the Toronto club, in which Mr. Kerr sank a lot of money. The mask is all he got out of it.

Director Abel is not pleased over having been forced by Washington to pay $3,500 for Casey at a time when Brooklyn was in a hole for an infielder. Cincinnati now gags also over that $5,000 sale of Selbach, who has fallen below expectations.

Even in New England Sunday ball is gaining a foothold. The papers all over the Connecticut League circuit are solidly advocating Sunday ball in the Nutmeg State.

Arthur Irwin cracked a sarcastic quip at the expense of Cleveland as a baseball town during the recent series of the Senators and Forsakens in the Forest City. "Where is the ball park in this town?" queried a guest at the Weddell House of Arthur, as the Senators were climbing in the bus. "Easy enough to find. Just follow the crowd," said Arthur. A multitude numbering 85 strong took in the game that afternoon.

AQUATIC.

TORONTO OARSMEN AT HENLEY.

Henley, England, June 22.—The members of the Argonaut Rowing Club, of Toronto, who were passengers on the White Star Line steamer, Teutonic, arrived here today, after traveling all night long. In spite of this they tried their new four-oared shell. They found the boat unsatisfactory, but covered the full course. The men say they average ten pounds too heavy.

TURF.

BEL AIR RACES.

Montreal, June 23.—Yesterday's results at Bel Air:

First race, purse $250, 3-year-olds and up, selling, ¾-mile—Annie Lauretta 1, Wenlock 2, Disturbance III. 3. Time, 1:16¾. Ivy Cotta, Madam Gerst, Pommery Sec, Dr. O'Brien, De Haven and Lucayne also ran.

Second race, $250, 2-year-olds, selling, ⅝-mile—Insurrection 1, Ida Fordham 2, Waterwick 3. Time, 1:04. Daryl, Tickful, Profit and Amaranth also ran.

Third race, purse $200, 3-year-olds and up, selling, 1 mile—Scraps 1, Nearest 2, Jessamine Porter 3. Time, 1:46. Leo Lake, Annetburn, Red Monk and McAllister also ran.

Fourth race, purse $250, 2-year-old fillies, maidens, 4½ furlongs—Lizzie McCarthy 1, May S. 2, La Vitesse 3. Time, :57½. Seelmore and Lady Voltaire also ran.

Fifth race, purse $250, 3-year-olds and up, selling, ¾-mile—Little Sallie 1, Wordsworth 2, Guilder 3. Time, 1:17¾. Northumberland, The Bird, Ocie Brooks and Snowden also ran.

Sixth race, purse $250, 4-year-olds and up, selling, 6½ furlongs—Foreseen 1, Sallie Lamar 2, Skillman 3. Time, 1:23¼. Judge Wardell, Manzanita, Albert S. and Sister Alice also ran.

WINNERS ON OTHER TRACKS.

Sheepshead Bay, New York—Peace, Killashandra, Thomas Cat, Fly-by-Night, Big Gun and Rhinelander.

Latonia, Cincinnati—Tenison, Julia Hazel, Finem Respice, April's Lady, Athracite and Kunja.

St. Louis, Mo.—Sir Rolla, Mr. Phinizag, Hindoonet, Lady Callahan, Pirate. The chief event was the Junior Championship stake for 2-year-olds, value $2,000, 5½ furlongs—Sam Phillips 1, The Conqueror 2, Southern Girl 3. Time, 1:08¼.

Hawthorne, Chicago—Princess Thyra, Einer, Bennivelle, Deering, Eugenie and Fair Deceiver.

WHEEL.

MILE IN 1:05.

New York, June 23.—Charles Murphy rode a mile on a bicycle, behind a locomotive on the Long Island Railroad Wednesday afternoon, in 1:05, the fastest time ever made on a wheel. Every preparation had been made by the railroad officials for the trial of speed; the roadbed was as smooth as polished boards could make it for a distance of two miles, on an absolute level; the fastest engine was sent out as a pacemaker, with the single car built up in the rear, so as to afford shelter to the rider. Murphy's attempt was to ride a mile a minute, and though he failed, he rode faster than anyone else had been able to ride before. It was an extremely hazardous undertaking. The ride over seemed just as risky as it did just before the start. The rider and train began the journey at a moderate rate of speed about three-quarters of a mile above where the contrivance was fixed to take the time of crossing the starting line. At each puff of the engine the pace grew faster, until as the line was seen to flash from under the car and rider, those in the car thought the mile-a-minute gait was surely reached. Murphy clung below the car, every nerve strained, and his two feet chasing around the pedals so swiftly that only an indistinct blur was visible. His eyes were riveted to the black line in front of him. The few assembled on the rear platform were silent in awe of a catastrophe, the rumble of the fast flying locomotive being most distinguishable. When it was over, the finishing line crossed, and the train began to slacken up, a great shout arose, and Murphy was cheered to the echo for his display of almost incredible nerve and grit. He failed to reach quite a minute gait in spite of his Herculean efforts.

CRICKET.

CHATHAM WON.

Chatham, Ont., June 23.—The Chatham cricket club defeated the Victoria cricket club, of Windsor and Walkerville, in a close and exciting match Wednesday, on the Chatham grounds. Score: Chatham, 67 and 5*; Victorias, 61 and 19, for five wickets, the first named club winning by six runs in the first inning. The features of the game were the excellent bowling of Stuart and Marcon for the Victorias, and of Aikens, O'Hara and Kenny, for Chatham. The fielding of both teams was quick and of a very superior order. Kenny 13 and Horstead 14 and 16 for Chatham, and Marcon 23 and 7 and Pulford 10, for the Victorias, were the chief scorers.

FISTIC.

PUGILIST IN A BAD WAY.

Chicago, June 22.—Dutch Neal, the St. Louis pugilist, who swooned in the ring last night during a contest with Harry Peppers, was still unconscious at 11 o'clock today. He was apparently suffering from a hemorrhage of the brain. Peppers is under arrest. He denies having injured Neal, and police officers who were present say they do not believe Neal's condition is the result of any blow struck by Peppers.

MATTHEWS BEATS BURNS.

Youngstown, Ohio, June 23.—Matty Matthews, of New York, knocked out Charlie Burns, of Cincinnati, in the sixth round before the Youngstown A. C. Wednesday night, with a right swing on the jaw.

LOST ON A FOUL.

Chicago, June 23.—Joe Goddard, the Australian heavyweight, lost on a foul to "Klondike," a local colored heavyweight, in the fifth round of what was to have been a six-round contest at the Adelphi Theater Wednesday night. After the first round the men went at it rough and tumble. In the fifth Goddard threw the colored man and hit him while on the floor.

KNOCKED OUT.

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FAVORITES AGAIN TAKE THE MONEY

Paddy R., Maggie Usher and Laurentian Were the Winners.

Some Close and Exciting Events at Queen's Park.

Laurentian Wins Two Straight Heats —Broken Hobbles Spoiled R. R.'s Good Chance.

The third day of the races at Queen's Park was also characterized by fine weather, a large crowd, including many ladies, keen contests and the landing of favorites. The winners were Paddy R., Maggie Usher and Laurentian, the latter adding two more straight wins to his record. Starter Bush had more trouble with the 2:27 pacers than with any other field so far. He talked sharply to the drivers, but no fines were imposed. The features of the day were Hal Forest's break near the wire, when his victory seemed a dead sure thing. R. R.'s untimely accident and Laurentian's defeat of Newbury. During the afternoon the Musical Society Band played popular airs.

The purses yesterday were as follows: 2:16 pace, $400; 2:27 pace, $300; three-quarters mile running, $200.

FIRST RACE—2:16 PACE.

There were only three starters, Lon H. and Arbuteskan being scratched. The race was an exciting one, particularly in the third heat. Paddy R. was favorite, and had been heavily backed in the books at 2 to 5 and at 1 to 2. Each of the others sold fairly well at 5 to 4. The favorite kept the lead until the stretch was reached, when Hal Forest, who had been crowding him for the last quarter, forged a good length ahead. Down to the wire the leaders thundered with Forest well ahead, and apparently a sure winner. Among the speculators the excitement was at a hight pitch. But the suspense ended suddenly. Forest could not stand prosperity. When a couple of rods from the wire, the Markdale bay broke, and the favorite won amid great cheering. Paddy R. proved himself a very steady traveler throughout the race, while Forest made frequent skips. Summary:

Paddy R., b. s., by Opposition,			
J. Roach, Stratford	3	1	1
Robbie Hal, b. g., by Octoroon,			
James Burgess, Hamilton	1	3	2
Hal Forest, b. s., by Boaz, Jas.			
Hume, Markdale	2	2	3

Time—2:18¼, 2:19¼, 2:19, 2:19¼.

Second race, 2:27 pace.—With ten horses in the field, Starter Bush had his hands full. However, the starts were well effected without much delay. Mr. Bush is usually mild-mannered, and is never nervous. In the last heat of this race he showed that he could be emphatic. There had been three or four unsuccessful attempts to get the field away, and the starter halted the drivers in front of him. "If any man gets ahead of that pole horse this time it will cost him $10," he said, and his words told. Maggie Usher won the three straight heats in grand style. R. & R. showed up well in the first heat, and was considered a dangerous rival of the beautiful bay mare. Then, owing to an accident, he finished behind the flag. At the first half both his check and hobbles broke, causing a genuine confusion among the bunch behind him. Walter H. gave the favorite a hot chase in the second heat, and Jerry Chimes and Royal L. both did great work in the third. From the three-quarter pole Royal L. gained rapidly on Usher, who had kept the lead from the start. Chimes kept his nose with Royal L.'s sulky, and went forward in good shape. As the stretch was neared Royal L. was working beautifully. She had overtaken the leader. Then a slight, but fatal, skip occurred, and the favorite landed. Summary:

Maggie Usher, b. m., by Little Hamilton, E. Jackson, Toronto	1	1	1
Walter H., b. g., Hodson & Whitram, St. Catharines	3	2	5
Jerry Chimes, b. g., by Chimes, F. G. Green, Stoney Creek	3	3	2
Royal L., b. g., by Lockhart, A. G. Proctor	6	5	3
Virginia, b. m., by Valentine, J. Miller, Goderich	4	6	8
Statatum, b. g., by Dictatum, F. D. Miller, Bath	7	4	6
Joe Mitten, blk. g., by Waterman, A. G. Bedford, Chatham	9	9	4
Bonnie Pacer, b. g., by J. I. Case, D. Henderson, Glencoe	10	7	7
Highland Lassie, b.m., by Frank, J. E. Frank, Simcoe	5	8	dr
R. & R., b. g., by Gen. Thomas, Richardson & Rockey, Ridgetown	2	dis	

Time—2:21¼, 2:21¼, 2:23¼.

Third race. ¾ mile, running, best 2 in 3.—The son of the famous Salvator was again victorious. Laurentian again landed first money in two straight wins. The feat was greater than that of Tuesday, as his weights were increased five pounds. He carried 111 pounds yesterday. New Berry and Dogma had 114 pounds each, Alarm and Glendago 116 each, and Miss Patrick 101. In the betting ring the Toronto horse was a favorite at 2 to 5, but New Berry had many admirers, who counted on the favorite being downed. The financial argument was however, chiefly confined to second and third choice. Yellow Jacket drew the pole, and Alarum soon got the lead, with Laurentian second and New Berry third. Alarum was overtaken gradually, and passed on the stretch. In the second heat Yellow Jacket, after getting well to the rear of the bunch, got into third place. Laurentian and New Berry came down the stretch neck and neck, and both under the whip. It was a close finish. Walter Murray rode Laurentian, Harry Diamond, of Guelph, was on New Berry, and McCann rode Yellow Jacket. Summary:

Laurentian, b. s., by Salvator, Kerr & Egan, Toronto	1	1	
New Berry, c. g., by Hanover, F. Smith, Southcote	2	2	
Yellow Jacket, c. m., by Whistle Jacket, F. Sage, London	3		
Alarum, b. g., by Torso, J. Flaherty, London	3	4	
Glendago, b. g., by Onondago, Wm. Lutes, Bothwell, and Dogma, br. m., by Dandie Dinmont, R. Hueston, London, also ran.			

Time—1:19, 1:18

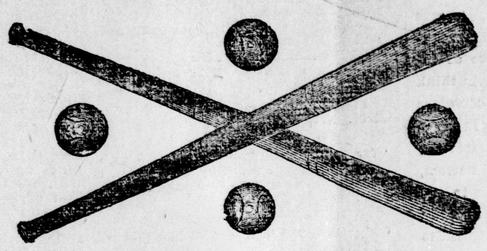
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Electoral Corruption.

A number of bye-elections on both sides of politics have been voided because of corruption, and, as usual, partisans on each side accuse the other of being the worst. It is not easy for an onlooker to say whether electoral corruption is today more flagrant than in former times. In former times, alike in England and in Canada, it was flagrant enough; though its manifestations may not have been those of today. We are inclined, however, to think that in recent years the class of voters capable of being corrupted has increased. Why, might form an interesting subject for moralists; for, at bottom, it is a question of morals. As to the responsibility, we are disposed to think the whip has frequently been applied to the wrong horses. It is a totally inadequate explanation for one candidate to charge competitions in election expenditure on his rival. It is contrary to common sense to believe that candidates anywhere are anxious to see election contests become increasingly costly. No, the source of the trouble must be looked for in the condition of society itself.

After all, though the number of the willing-to-be-corrupted seems to be increasing throughout the Dominion, it should be remembered the mass of the electors, Conservatives and Liberals alike, are neither purchased nor purchaseable. It is the considerable middle handfull of the loose fish that constitutes the difficulty.

Apart from the raising of the tone of public opinion on these questions, the remedy cannot be said to be obvious. The Advertiser has long thought one remedy for electoral corruption would be obligatory voting. The bulk of the corruption has always centered about what is called getting out the vote. Were the legal duty laid upon every voter of getting out his own vote—on penalty, say, of being disfranchised for a certain term, or other reasonable penalty—we believe the effect would be very practical, in at least diminishing corruption, apart from its stimulating effect on public opinion. Money is powerful, no doubt; but enlightened public opinion, properly directed, is more powerful still. We cannot see that laying upon the citizen of Canada, for the public good, the duty of getting out his own vote, would be in the slightest degree more arbitrary than obligating the citizen, whether he wished it or not, to serve on a jury. What are the electorate, under our self-governing system, but a vast jury?

But be the true remedy what it may, an efficient remedy for electoral corruption must be found. It will not be found by recrimination of partisan against partisan, but by the best citizens of all parties, and of no party, honestly doing everything possible to discountenance it. A remedy must be found, or good-bye to all hopes of a great Canadian nation based on enduring foundations. That the united patriotism of the Canadian people will eventually find a remedy, we have no doubt. The sooner the better.

"Bystander" on the Peace Conference.

"Bystander" writes, in the Toronto Weekly Sun, among other subjects, on the peace conference at The Hague. His sentences are incisive. The Advertiser's own view is that great good will finally result, indirectly, from the Conference, but along the line of evolutionary public opinion, which in the long run is more powerful than Gatling guns or ships of war. This is what "Bystander" says: "From The Hague come expressions of confidence that something in the nature of a Board of International Arbitration will be formed. How such a board is to be constituted; what nations are to be represented on it, and how its judgments are to be enforced we have yet to learn. Where the issue is definite and both parties desire a pearceful solution, arbitration is the natural course, and to it there is an increasing tendency to resort. Any artificial structure would probably be overturned by the first storm of international passion. The sentences of international jurists would be little heeded by any government bent on a war of ambition or revenge. Let the great predatory powers whose representatives sit round that council board learn to love righteousness, to hate iniquity, and to respect the claims of the weak; this will be a better security for the peace of the world than any jimcrackery in the shape of standing boards of arbitraton which a conference can create. In the meantime, those powers are proceeding with the filibustering partition of China, a country of 400,000,000 of people, hardly less civilized than great masses of their own subjects; and if the Chinese resist the spoiler they will be branded as 'rebels' and shot down. The real importance and value of the Conference consist not in any new rules or machinery which it is likely to produce, but in the occasion to which it owes its birth. The call for it was the first audible groan of the suffering classes under the pestilent reign of jingoism; the first protest of good sense and humanity against the boundless waste of the fruits of human labor on bloated armaments, and, things far worse than any waste, the deification of the lust of rapine and the destruction of good-will and respect for right among the nations."

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CANADIAN ORDER OF ODDFELLOWS

Choose Officers and Take a Little Outing at Ingersoll.

Ingersoll, June 22.—Yesterday forenoon's session of the grand lodge was chiefly devoted to the consideration of amendments to the constitution; very few were asked for, and less were made. In the afternoon the proposed changes were finally disposed of. One to dispense with district lodges was defeated, also a proposal to consolidate or reduce the number of districts and make the D. D. G. M.'s members of the E. G. O. One matter was more clearly defined in regard to the age limit of the insurance department, which was fixed at from the age of 18 to 49, but not over 49. The matter under consideration between Loyal Perseverance Lodge of London and the grand lodge was further explained by Bro. Hayes, and then referred to a special committee to report tomorrow.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Grand Master, Roberts; grand deputy, master, W. H. Shaw; grand secretary, R. Fleming, grand treasurer, George Boxall; grand medical referee, H. S. Bingham, M. D.; grand chaplain, Rev. W. D. P. Wilson, LL.B.; all re-elected by acclamation; grand auditors, W. L. Young and C. A. Lapp.

Grand lodge then adjourned to accept an invitation from the Noxon Company to visit the works from 5 till 6 o'clock, and the most of the delegates availed themselves of the opportunity to inspect the various departments in this busy hive of industry.

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Life and property are considered safe even in the most doubtful establishments, and it is not uncommon for a man to pass hours in a crowded dance-hall with virtually all his possessions, possibly a few hundred dollars, or it may be thousands, carried in the form of gold dust in his trousers pockets. Two main factors are involved in this condition of security or in the feeling that it exists. The first of these is, perhaps, a wholesome dread of the Canadian Mounted Police, whose efficiency in the direction of controlling order in conceded by everyone; and the second, the circumstances that the inhabitants of Dawson and the adjoining Klondike region are not, as is so largely supposed, a mere assortment of rough prospectors, intent upon doing anything for the sake of acquiring gold; but a fair representation of good and indifferent elements borrowed from all professions and stations of life, and not from one country alone, but from nearly all parts of the civilized globe. During my brief stay I stumbled upon "counts," "sirs," military and naval officers, scientists, lawyers, newspaper men, promoters, and others of broad and liberal standing; and if some of these were undistinguishable in external garb from their brethren in mustard-colored mackinaws whose sole resources was digging for gold, their polished and intellectual method was evidence enough that civilization was present in good quality along the upper Yukon.—Prof. Angelo Heilprin, in Appleton's Popular Science Monthly for June.

TORONTO SYNOD — SHORT OF FUNDS.

Toronto, June 22.—At the Toronto Anglican synod the discussion on the report of the clergy trust fund committee was resumed. The report had stated that owing to the falling off of the fund a reduction of 19 per cent would have to be made on subsequent beneficiaries. Rev. T. Street Macklem moved in amendment that present beneficiaries now superannuated should receive a minimum of $350 yearly from the fund. The report was sustained.

Remarkable Rescue

Mrs. Michael Curtain, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption, and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use, and after taking six bottles, found herself sound and well; now does her own housework, and is as well as she ever was. Sold by W. T. Strong & Co.

PROHIBITION PROPOSITIONS

Discussed by the Presbyterian Parliament.

Implied Censure on the Dominion Government Combatted by Mr. Charlton and Others.

Hamilton, June 23.—At the Presbyterian Assembly Rev. D. D. McLeod, convener of the committee on church life and religious work, said the next recommendation in regard to temperance would be moved by someone else, as he did not altogether concur in it.

Rev. R. Murray Halifax, then moved a resolution declaring prohibition to be the only remedy for the evils of intemperance, and advising that the work against it should be continued on the same lines as in the past. It also affirmed: "The General Assembly records its satisfaction with the response of our people to the counsel tendered by the General Assembly with respect to the plebiscite of the 29th of September last, and that the vote on that occasion demands from the legislature at least some definite action in the direction of prohibition."

Rev. Dr. McKay, Woodstock, seconded the motion. The report, he thought, in some respects was too optimistic. That was particularly the case with regard to the evil of intemperance. Never was the liquor traffic as strong as it was today. They ought to give effect to the sentiment of the community by prohibitory laws, and the white flag would soon be waving for them. The convener of the committee had left out all reference to prohibitory legislation. That might be good enough for politicians, but it was very bad for Christian men.

Mr. Charlton moved an amendment to Mr. Murray's resolution, which reaffirmed the declarations of former assemblies upon the intemperance question, recommended earnest temperance work on the part of all persons connected with the church, and went on as follows: "The General Assembly gladly recognizes that abundant evidence indicates that the evils of intemperance are rapidly diminishing in Canada, and are of yearly decreasing proportions within the bounds of our church, and it expresses the ardent hope that the growth of temperance sentiment in Canada may soon create an overwhelming popular demand for such legislative action as may properly be applied for the purpose of destroying the liquor traffic."

Mr. Charlton, speaking in support of the amendment, said he objected to the censure upon the public body which was implied by the resolution. The question to be considered in connection with the resolution was whether the censure which it would bestow upon the government with reference to prohibition was deserved or not. So far as this question was concerned he had no political feeling, but he thought the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church should be careful to avoid mixing itself up in political matters, and assuming a position which was open to criticism, which could be seriously questioned, and which, in his opinion, would be unjust. At the taking of the plebiscite 44 per cent of the electors voted, 56 per cent of those upon the rolls did not vote. Of those who voted 22½ per cent cast their ballots in favor of prohibition, and 21½ per cent voted against it. Furthermore, there was an overwhelming vote in one of the provinces against prohibition. Comparing this vote with the votes on ordinary occasions, it would be seen that the result was not a satisfactory one. He would ask the assembly whether, under the circumstances, it thought the government had received a mandate from the people to pass a prohibitory law. "I hold they have not," said the speaker, "I hold that the government was not instructed by the people to proceed to enact a prohibitory law. They did not feel that they were. If the vote had been a fair expression of public opinion in the view of the government, the government would have unquestionably passed such a law." Mr. Charlton also said that the overwhelming majority in Quebec against prohibition must be borne in mind. The enactment of a law applicable to the whole Dominion when one province was overwhelmingly opposed to it would be a matter of serious embarrassment. But even if the government had decided on a prohibitory law, it would not have passed the house. With the present complexion of the house it would be impossible for a prohibitory law to pass. "I hope," said Mr. Charlton, "that the assembly will not be a party to political manipulation, will not come to a verdict which the facts will not warrant and in its application to the government of the day would be in an eminent degree unjust and uncalled for." (Applause.)

Rev. Dr. Lyle, of Hamilton, seconded the amendment on the ground that if prohibition were passed in the present opinion of the country it would not be a boon to the Presbyterian Church nor to the Dominion. To enforce a prohibitory law which was not backed by public sentiment would result in a most demoralizing state of affairs.

Mr. Walter Paul, Montreal, supported the resolution of Mr. Murray.

Rev. L. Jordan could not agree with the resolution of Mr. Murray because it involved approval of the procedure of previous assemblies and declared that prohibition was the only adequate solution of the evils of intemperance. The speaker did not believe that prohibition would be an adequate remedy. In his opinion it would bring into effect evils as great as that which it sought to cure. He supported the amendment as moved by Mr. Charlton. "As a Conservative," said Mr. Jordan, "I believe the government has done wisely in not urging upon parliament the acceptance of a prohibition law because such a law if passed at the present time would simply mean a foregone failure." The true remedy, Mr. Jordan also said, was not prohibition but education and legislation rightly used.

Mr. John A. Paterson, of Toronto, speaking as a strong prohibitionist, said it would be unwise in view of the present state of things to urge prohibition upon the country. It would be applying a cyclonic remedy in the absence of a cyclonic vote. He argued for evolution, not revolution. They should accept the present state of things, go to their homes and work for prohibition; and when the people asked for it, as ask they would, no government would dare to refuse legislation.

Rev. D. D. McLeod alluded to the harm that was frequently done the cause of temperance by indiscreet advocates. He moved an amendment urging the expression "of sentiment in such lines as will adequately protect our country from the evils which flow from this traffic."

Rev. Dr. Laing seconded the amendment, and expressed the opinion that the assembly would be exceeding its rights if it went out of its way to censure a civil authority. He advised waiting to enact legislation until prohibition was practicable.

Mr. R. G. MacBeth, Winnipeg, did not think Mr. Murray's resolution could be construed into a censure upon the Dominion Government. He referred to the sentiment in Manitoba in favor of prohibitory legislation and asked why that province should not be free to enact such a law.

Principal Grant said the idea written up and down Mr. Charlton's amendment and creeping out at every point in his address was "Don't embarrass the government." He had no sympathy with that feeling, but desired to look at the question on its merits. He asked the assembly not to take a position that would place earnest, thoughtful men in a position antagonistic to temperance. The speaker's own political faith was contained in three articles. They were these: (1) "I have very little faith in any of the governments, provincial or federal. (2) I have a great deal of faith in the people, if you will only give them time. (3) I have absolute faith in God, the Supreme Being." Principal Grant believed in legislation which was the result of calm, deep-seated attention on the part of the people, and that was not forced down the throats of legislators by passion, rhetoric, one-sided declamation, illegitimate pressure and veiled and unveiled bribery—by political leaders often, and by paid agents and other agents of little societies. What the law could do was of comparatively little consequence. The church's work for God was something higher than to strengthen the hands of a body of men in the legislature in regard to a special mode of dealing with this, that or any other evil. Their work was not to fight against weak enemies, and the report of the committee on church life and work declared that intemperance was a comparatively weak enemy. There were worse enemies to be fought—the tendency to materialism, to luxury, love of the world, love of wealth and political corruption. These deep-seated social cancers were powerful enemies to be fought. (Applause.)

Mr. Hamilton Cassels said he was a Conservative so far as Dominion politics were concerned, but he did not believe in enacting a prohibitory law with a vote of only 22½ per cent of the electorate behind it.

Principal MacVicar was inclined to think that there had not been a mandate in regard to prohibition, but statement ought to lead on moral questions and not wait for a mandate.

Rev. Dr. Herridge, Ottawa, said the end they had in view would be accomstatesmen ought to lead on moral plished, not by stringent law, but by raising the moral tone of the whole community and strengthening Christian principle and practice in this land.

After some remarks from Rev. Mr. McLennan and Mr. Gillies, Mr. Charlton withdrew his amendment. A vote took place on the resolution of Mr. McLeod. The former was carried by 95 to 84.

MANITOBA COLLEGE PRINCIPAL.

Rev. Dr. McMillan, Halifax, brought in the report of the committee chosen to confer with the board of Manitoba College providing for the appointment of a principal for that institution. It was reported that the board still found it impossible to make a nomination, and a commission of assembly was asked for to appoint a principal on the nomination of the board. Principal Grant took strong objection to the procedure suggested, and said if possible the assembly should make the appointment itself. After considerable discussion the report of the committee was adopted, and the following committee were appointed: Principal Caven, chairman; Dr. Laing, Dr. Warden, Dr. Herridge, Dr. Fletcher, Dr. McTavish, Rev. Messrs. W. J. Clark, J. A. Macdonald, D. Currie, J. W. McMillan, Neil McPherson and Messrs. John Charlton, M.P., John A. Paterson, J. K. Macdonald and Hamilton Cassels.

DR. ROBERTSON'S NEW POST.

Principal Caven read a report from the special committee appointed to deal with the question of Dr. Robertson's salary and the resignation by Dr. Warden of the secretaryship of the home mission and augmentation committee (western section). It was recommended that Dr. Robertson's salary be $2,400, with expenses, and that Dr. Warden's resignation be accepted. The committee had adopted a minute expressing its deep sense of the ability and faithfulness with which for 28 years Dr. Warden had discharged the duties of secretary. It recommended that the home mission and augmentation committee appoint their own minute secretaries, and the hope was expressed that Dr. Warden would still be able to give these committees the benefit of his counsel. The report was adopted amidst applause.

THE CENTURY FUND.

The advisory committee in connection with the century fund brought in a number of recommendations. It was proposed that the following should be sub-conveners of synodical sections: Maritime Provinces, R. Murray; Montreal and Ottawa, Dr. Barclay; Toronto and Kingston, Sir Thomas Taylor; Hamilton and London, George Rutherford; Manitoba and the Northwest Territories, Dr. Duval. Their expenses are to be paid traveling to and from executive meetings. The moderator was requested to prepare for publication a pastoral letter in regard to the century fund, and it was asked that the executive fix a day in September or October next on which this should be read to congregations. The committee appointed an executive, consisting of the moderator, the convener, the subconveners, Principal Grant, Messrs. L. H. Jordan, W. G. Wallace, Justice Maclennan, Judge Forbes, F. P. Bronson, D. Morrice, Wm. Yuile, R. Kilgour, J. Penman and W. White. The convener of the advisory committee is to be convener of the executive, and Mr. W. G. Wallace is secretary.

COLLEGE MATTERS.

Hamilton, June 22.—At yesterday morning's sederunt the consideration of the report of the committee appointed to consider changes proposed in college courses, presented by Rev. Dr. Bryce, came up. It stated, in effect, that while several of the college boards were favorable to the changes proposed, other were not so favorable, and it was felt wise to lay the matter over for another year, further questions to be asked in the meantime of the college boards, to be answered at the next assembly.

WANTS HER MONEY BACK.

A considerable time was spent over the petition of Mrs. Mary Webber. This lady some years ago loaned to the Watford Presbyterian congregation the sum of $1,000 on a mortgage on its church property, valued at that time at $2,000. Since that time the congregation has ceased to exist and Mrs. Webber, by reason of the fact that the property is now worth not more than $400, is liable to lose a considerable amount of money. The report of the committee was that there was no legal liability on the part of either the presbyteries or assembly and recommended that no action be taken.

Rev. Dr. Warden was not sure that the decision was a wise one. He felt that while there was no legal liability there was a moral liability and the church had its good name to maintain. He wanted to see some arrangement made whereby Mrs. Webber would suffer no financial loss. This view of the matter prevailed and the matter was referred to a committee on church property.

RELIGION IN THE SCHOOLS.

Rev. Dr. Caven presented the report of the committee on religious instruction in public schools. In the year there had been a conference with the Anglican Church committee and the finding was this: That there shall be daily reading of the Scriptures in the schools and religious instruction twice weekly and for one half hour on each occasion, based upon Scripture, no sectarian or denominational element to enter into the teaching. The instruction to be given by the teachers, except where the school trustees desire otherwise.

Dr. Caven moved that the assembly indorse in a general way the propositions and reappoint the committee to further discuss and carry on the work. The resolution was carried without any discussion.

ON CHURCH UNION.

Dr. Caven also presented a report for the committee on church union. There had been no meeting in the year, but the committee asked for reappointment. The Methodist Church had asked for union of a moral sort, to be developed particularly on the home mission field. The assembly agreed to reappoint the committee.

The petition of Mrs. Marjorie Robertson, of Vankleek Hill, respecting trouble between herself and the presbytery there some 22 years ago, was reported on, and the assembly sent the matter back to the presbytery.

WAS A RADICAL CHANGE.

An overture respecting a college of moderators was presented by Rev. Dr. Warden. It advocated the selection of moderator by a college of past moderators of the assembly residing in Canada, the announcement to be made within a month from the time of assembly meeting. The names signed to the overture were as follows: Rev. L. H. Jordan, W. Moore, R. H. Warden, George M. Milligan, J. A. Macdonald, G. M. Grant, D. Morrice, R. Torrance, D. H. McVicar, A. T. Love, J. Forrest, James Robertson, Robert Campbell and Judge Stevens.

SENT TO THE PRESBYTERIES.

There was a long discussion in connection with the overture, those who signed it speaking in its favor and deploring the condition of rivalry brought about by the present system of open voting for moderator. The explanation was made that any member of assembly on the floor of the house would have a right to make nominations for moderator, notwithstanding the nomination of the committee of ex-moderators.

Finally it was decided to refer the matter to the presbyteries as a remit for consideration during the year.

$750 FOR T. F. FOTHERINGHAM.

Rev. Dr. Thompson reported for the special committee appointed to consider matters in connection with the Sunday school report. The report recommended the continuance of the small committee for the publications, the passing of a vote of thanks to Rev. T. F. Fotheringham for his work as convener of the committee for some years, and the granting to him of $750 as a mark of appreciation for his services. It also suggested that the collections on children's day for the next two years be devoted to the purposes of the century fund.

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36-inch Bleached Cotton, round thread, soft finish; regular 6½c, for 5c
36-inch Bleached Cotton, extra heavy round thread, no dressing; regular 10c, for 8½c
Large Linen Bath Towels; regular price 50c, 60c and 75c each; Saturday and Monday, 37½c, 45c and 50c
Large Cotton Bath Towels; regular price, per pair, 60c and 70c; Saturday and Monday, per pair, 45c, 50c

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After the season's selling we have broken lots to clear (cost not considered). Here's prices that will move them double quick:
Youths' Chocolate Pebble Laced Boots, sizes 10 to 13; regular $1.50. Till sold 98c
Boys' Dongola Oxford Shoes; Boys' Tan Oxford Shoes; Boys' Colored Lace Boots; sizes 3 to 5; regular $1 25 to $1 75. Till sold..... 95c
Men's Buff Whole-Foxed Laced Boots, solid leather, nobby shapes, sizes 8 to 10; regular price, $1 95, $2 and $2 25. Saturday and Monday $1 40
Assorted lot of Men's Congress and Laced Boots, sizes 6 to 8; regular $1 25 to $3. Special prices till sold ..... 75c and $1 50
Ask to see Men's $3 and $3 50 Shoes, new, stylish and cheap, perfect fitters and wear guaranteed..... $3 and $3 50
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An assorted lot of Print Blouses, in navy and black, spots and stripes, also light patterns, checks and figures; regular price, 75c, for.... 39c

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In navy, red and green. Regular price $2.50 each. While they last $1.

Ladies' Whitewear

Ladies' Gowns, trimmed with embroidery and insertion; regular price $1, for 65c
Ladies' Lonsdale Drawers, trimmed with deep embroidery and tucks, for 50c
Ladies' Skirts, deep hem and tucks. Very special 45c

Summer Corsets,

29c, 50c, 69c and $1.

Ladies' Vests, short sleeves, extra heavy, regular price 8c; Saturday and Monday 5c
Ladies' Vests, in cream and white, laced trimmed, with or without sleeves, new goods, regular 18c each; Saturday and Monday 2 for 25c
Ladies' Vests, without sleeves, lace straps, at .....15c, 25c and 35c
Ladies' Vests, long sleeves, bleached and unbleached, extra fine; selling at .....25c and 35c
Children's Vests, in cream and white; a full assortment.

Hose

Black Cotton Hose, Hermsdorf Dye, double heels and soles; very special, at 2 pairs for 25c
Boys' Heavy Ribbed Cotton Hose, sizes from 6 to 10; very special; Saturday and Monday, per pair.. 10c

Clothing and Furnishings

Youths' 2-piece Suits, sizes 22 to 28, light and dark tweeds and serges, well and strongly made; regular $2 50 and $5 suits for .....$1 and $2 50
Men's Felt Hats, hard and soft, black and brown, regular $1 25 each; Saturday and Monday 75c
Men's Straw Hats, all sizes, worth 25c, 35c and 50c each, for 5c
Children's Tams in cloth and linen, worth 40c to 50c each; Saturday and Monday 25c

Saturday and Monday in Basement

2 pounds of Imperial Black or Mixed Tea, and 22 pounds Redpath's Standard Granulated Sugar for..$1 50
Lemons, per dozen.....8c, 10c and 15c
2 pounds Mixed Nuts for..... 22c
Plain White Cups, Tea Plates, Dinner Plates and Cups and Saucers, at import prices.
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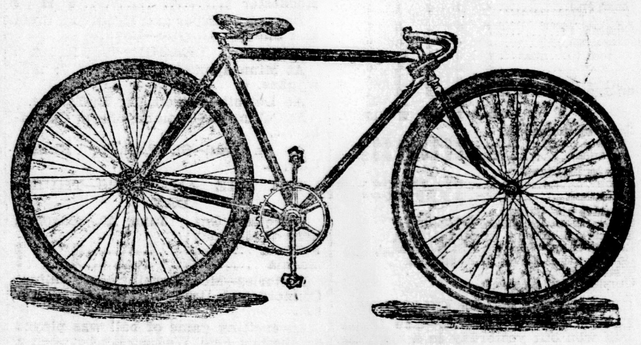
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THE MARKETS.

Mining Stocks.

Toronto, June 22.—Following are to-day's closing quotations on the Toronto Mining and Industrial change:

	Asked.	Bid.
Toronto and Western	170	140
Foley	100	94
Hammond Reef	25	24
Golden Star	62½	62¼
Olive	85	79¼
Sawbill	50	42
Superior G. and C. Co.	20	17
Minnehaha	23½	21½
Waterloo	9	8
Cariboo Hydraulic	145	138
Smuggler	3¼	2½
Old Ironsides	115	109
Knob Hill	98	93
Athabasca	41	39½
Dardanelles	13	12
Noble Five	27	..
Rambler-Cariboo Con	33	30
Wonderful Group	6	4
Van Anda	9¼	8¾
Big Three	20	18¼
Alice A	25	24½
Empress	6	4
J. O. 41	5	4
Republic	124	123
Deer Park	3¾	3¼
Evening Star	12	11
Iron Colt	12½	10¾
Iron Horse	13	10
Iron Mask	..	65
Montreal Gold Fields	20	15
Monte Cristo Con	8¾	6½
Northern Belle	3	2
Novelty	4	2½
St. Elmo	8	4
Virginia	20	16
Victory-Triumph	8	7
War Eagle Con	360	358
White Bear	4½	4
B. C. Gold Fields	5	4¼
Can. G. F. S	7	6
Gold Hills	6	5
Crow's Nest Pass Coal	35.00	34.00
Fairview Corporation	9	8¾
Rathmullen	7¾	7
Morrison	15	12
Brandon & Golden	26	20
Winnipeg	34	32

MORNING SALES—Alice A., 500 at 24½. Superior, 500, 500 at 16; 500 at 15¼. Minnehaha, 500, 500 at 22. Fontenoy, 500, 500, 500 at 17. Winnipeg (W. D.), 500 at 32½. Republic, 500 at 123½. Van Anda, 500, 500, 4,000, 500 at 8¼; 500, 500 at 8½; 500 at 8¼; 2,500, 1,000, 4,000, 500, 1,000, 500 at 8½. Deer Park, 1,000 at 3¼. Evening Star, 500 at 11½. War Eagle, 1,000 at 362. C. G. F. S., 500 at 6½. Golden Star, 500, 500 at 63. Minnehaha, 500 at 22. Princess Maud, 2,500 at 4½. Deer Trail, 500 at 24¼.

AFTERNOON SALES—Hammond Reef, 1,000 at 24¼. Golden Star, 500, 500 at 63; 500 at 62¾; 500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500 at 62½; 500 at 62; 500 at 61½; 500, 500 at 61; 500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500 at 62; 500 at 62¼; 200 at 63. Deer Trail, 500 at 25. J. O. 41, 1,000 at 4¾. Olive, 500, 500 at 79¼. Superior, 500 at 16½; 500, 500 at 17. Fairview, 500 at 8¼. Van Anda, 500, 500 at 8½. War Eagle, 500 at 360. B. C. G. F., 500 at 4½.

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Local Market.

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London, Friday, June 23.

Wheat, white, per bu	72c to 74c
Wheat, red, per bu	72c to 74c
Oats, per bu	34c to 34c
Peas, per bu	60c to 70c
Corn, per bu	39¼c to 40¾c
Barley, per bu	40¾c to 50½c
Rye, per bu	56c to 56c
Beans, per bu	75c to 90c

There was a quiet session today. Only a few loads of grain came in and four or five loads of hay.

Oil Markets.

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 23.—Oil opened and closed today at $1 13.

PETROLIA, June 23.—Oil opened and closed at $1 45.

OIL CITY, Pa., June 23.—Oil opened and closed at $1 13.

St. Thomas Market

St. Thomas, June 21.—Wheat, per bu, 70c to 72c; oats, per bu, 33c to 34c; peas, per bu, 50c to 60c; barley, per bu, 48c to 50c; corn, per bu, 45c to 50c; beans, 70c to 75c.

English Markets.

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

	June 19.	June 20.	June 21.	June 22.
WHEAT—				
Red Winter	6 1½	6 1	6 1	6 1
No. 1 Nor. Spring	6 4	6 3	6 3	6 3
No. 1 Cal	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
July	6 0¾	5 11¾	5 11⅛	5 11⅝
Sept	6 2½	6 2	6 1⅜	6 1⅞
Dec	6 3⅜	6 3¼	6 2¾	6 2⅞
CORN—				
New	3 5¼	3 5	3 4¾	3 4¾
Old	3 6¾	3 6	3 6	3 5¾
July	3 5¾	3 5	3 4⅞	3 4⅞
August	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
Sept	3 6⅜	3 6¼	3 6	3 6
Flour	18 3	18 6	18 6	18 6
Peas	5 11	5 11	5 11	5 11
Pork	42 6	42 6	42 6	42 6
Lard	26 6	26 6	26 6	26 6
Tallow	22 6	22 6	22 6	23 0
Bacon, light	29 6	29 6	29 6	29 6
Cheese, white	42 6	42 6	42 6	42 6
Cheese, colored	42 0	42 0	42 0	42 0

American Markets.

CHICAGO, June 22.—An exceptionally heavy export demand gave strength to wheat today, and resulted in an advance in that market of ⅝c to ⅞c over yesterday's final prices. Corn and oats were firm, partly on account of the reduced grain rates, closing at ¼c to ⅝c and ½c higher, respectively. Provisions were heavy, and declined 2½c to 7½c. The opening in wheat, though quiet to a marked degree, was characterized by a good deal of strength, September starting at 76¼c to 76⅜c, against yesterday's closing price of 76c to 76⅛c. The most notable feature of the early news was a ⅝c advance at Liverpool. Minneapolis and Duluth reported arrivals of 535 cars, compared with 417 last week, and 62 a year ago. Chicago receipts were 110 cars—six of contract quality. There were a good many foreign buying orders executed around the opening. Rains in France, where harvesting is in progress, were reported, and private Russian advices were to the effect that the rains in that country came too late to be of material benefit. The total receipts at primary points amounted to 942,000 bushels, against 87,000 last year. September touched 76⅛c immediately after the opening, then slowly advanced to 76½c. About noon the market became much stronger and more inactive, influenced by enormous cash and export business. At Chicago 585,000 bushels was worked, all No. 1 northern spring, while New York and Baltimore reported a total of 185 loads. Crop damage reports from Michigan, Kansas and Nebraska also filtered in during the afternoon, adding their influence toward the strength of the market. September advanced to 77c shortly before the close and 76⅞c was bid as the closing bell rang.

The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—No. 2 July, 75⅛c to 75¼c; Sept., 76⅞c; Dec., 78⅜c to 78½c. Corn—No. 2 July, 34⅛c; Sept., 34⅞c; Dec., 34c. Oats—No. 2 July, 24⅞c to 25c; Sept., 22⅛c to 22¼c; May, 24⅜c. Pork—July, $8 17½; Sept., $8 35. Lard—July, $5; Sept., $5 12½. Short ribs—July, $4 70; Sept., $4 85. Cash quotations as follows: Flour, steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 73c; No. 3 do., 72c to 74½c; No. 2 red, 74¾c to 76c; No. 2 corn, 35c to 35¼c; No. 2 yellow corn, 35⅛c to 35¾c; No. 2 oats, 26½c to 26¾c; No. 2 white, 30c; No. 3 white, 28c to 29¾c; No. 2 rye, 62c; No. 2 barley, 38c to 39c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1 04 to $1 05; Northwest, $1 08; prime timothy seed, $2 35 to $2 40; mess pork, $7 40 to $8 20; lard, $4 92½ to $5 02½; short rib sides, loose, $4 50 to $4 80; dry salted shoulders, boxed, 4½c to 4¾c; short clear sides, boxed, $5 to $5 10; sugars, cut-loaf, $6 02; granulated, $5 64; clover, contract grade $6 65; eggs, barely steady; fresh, 12c.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 22,000 bbls; wheat, 228,000 bushels; corn, 61,000 bushels; oats, 244,000 bushels; rye, 1,000 bushels; barley, 10,000 bushels.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 16,000 bbls; wheat, 9,000 bushels; corn, 62,000 bushels; oats, 792,000 bushels; barley, 1,000 bushels.

CHICAGO, June 23—Opening—Wheat, July, 74½c; Sept., 76¼c; Dec., 77¾c. Corn, Sept., 34⅜c; Dec., 33⅞c. Oats, July, 24¾c; Sept., 22c. Pork, July, $8 12½; Sept., $8 32. Lard, July, $4 97½; Sept., $5 12½. Ribs, July, $4 67½; Sept., $4 80.

Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO, June 22.—Cattle—In the absence of sale cattle the market was unsettled, but with a fair inquiry the feeling on good fat butcher cattle was steady. Calves were in liberal supply, 250 loads; good demand and pretty well cleaned up; choice to extra were quotable at $6 50 to $6 75; good to choice, $6 to $6 50. Sheep and lambs—The offerings were hardly large enough to affect the market, there being only 4 loads; the general demand was active, and the offerings not sufficient to fill it; lambs, choice to extra, were quotable at $5 60 to $5 75; common to fair, $4 25 to $5; sheep, choice to extra, $5 15 to $5 40; good to choice, $5 05 to $5 15; common to fair, $3 25 to $4 50; spring lambs, choice to extra, $6 to $7; everything was cleaned up, and the feeling at the close was strong. Hogs—The market was in good shape, with only 12 loads on sale, and an active demand at 2½c to 7½c higher prices; the basis was $4 15 to $4 17½; heavy were $4 10 to $4 12½; mixed, $4 10; Yorkers, $4 17½ to $4 20; pigs, $4 10 to $4 17½; roughs, $3 50 to $3 60; stags, $2 90 to $3 10.

CHICAGO, June 22.—The market for cattle was strong today, buyers taking nearly everything offered at yesterday's best prices; good to fancy, $5 05 to $5 60; commoner grades at $4 50 to $5; feeding cattle brought $3 65 to $5 20; bulls, cows and heifers, $2 25 to $5 10, the latter for choice heifers; westerns brought $4 60 to $5 30; Texas steers, $4 to $5, and calves, $4 50 to $4 75. Heavy receipts of hogs made trade less animated, and prices were 5c to 10c lower; light lots sold for $3 65 to $3 87½; mixed, $3 65 to $3 80, and heavy lots at $3 55 to $3 85; pigs, $3 55 to $3 80, and culls, $1 50 to $3 50. Prices for sheep and lambs weaker; offerings heavy; sheep sold at $2 50 to $3 50 for inferior, up to $5 to $5 15 for choice flocks; clipped lambs brought $5 to $6 80; Colorado wooled lambs, $7, and spring lambs, $5 75 to $7 50. Receipts—Cattle, 11,000; hogs, 36,000; sheep, 12,000.

MONTREAL, June 22.—The receipts at the east end abattoir this morning were 300 head of cattle, 150 calves and 450 sheep and lambs. The demand was quiet, and there was no change in prices. Cattle, choice, sold at 5c to 5¼c per lb; good, at 4¼c to 4¾c per lb, and lower grades at 3c to 3½c per lb. Calves sold at $3 to $8, according to size. Sheep brought from 4c to 4¼c per lb; lambs sold at $3 to $5. Hogs brought from $4 50 to $4 60.

NEW YORK, June 22.—Beeves—Receipts, 493; no sales reported; feeling steady. Calves—Receipts, 107; steady; common to choice veals, $5 to $7 25. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,831; good sheep wanted and firm; others steady; common lambs slow; all others firm; good lambs a shade higher; common to prime sheep, $3 50 to $5; poor to choice lambs, $5 75 to $8 12½; general sales, $7 to $7 75. Hogs—Receipts, 1,167; higher; a car of western hogs sold at $4; light state pigs would sell at $4 35.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

Liverpool, June 22.—Prices here and in London for cattle are steady. American steers are quoted at 10¾c to 12c per lb, dressed weight; live sheep are lower, at 10½c to 11c, dressed weight; lambs, 14c to 14½c per lb; refrigerator beef is lower, at 8¼c per lb.

The Dairy Markets.

NEW YORK, June 22.—Butter easy; western creamery, 15½c to 18¾c; do factory, 12c to 14c; imitation creamery, 13c to 16c; state dairy, 13½c to 17c; do creamery, 15½c to 18½c. Cheese quiet; large and small, white and colored, 8¼c.

CHICAGO, June 22.—Butter firm; creamery, 13½c to 18c; dairies, 10c to 15½c. Cheese firm, at 8c to 8¼c.

BROCKVILLE, Ont., June 22.—Offerings on Brockville cheese board today were 5,098 boxes—3,146 colored and 1,952 white; 8⅝c asked for both, and 1,000 sold on board at that price; balance not selling readily, buyers holding off for ⅛c to 3-16c less.

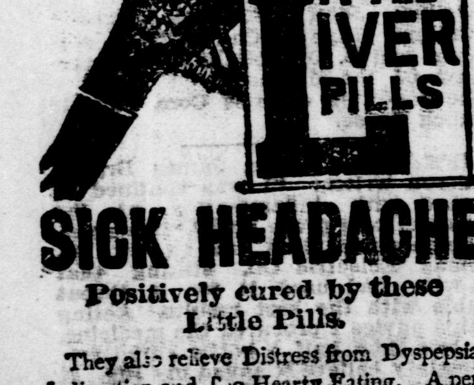
MADOC, Ont., June 22.—Fifteen factories boarded 1,085 boxes white cheese; sold to Hodgson, 355 at 8⅝c; Watkin, 175 at 8⅛c; Brecken, 125 at 8½c; Grant, 125 at 8 9-16c; Ayer, 125 at 8⅝c; balance unsold; seven buyers present.

KINGSTON, Ont., June 22.—At the cheese board today 790 white and 1,080 colored, May make, were boarded; sales, 160 white and 59 colored at 8½c.

AGAINST THE PRISONER.

Toronto, June 23. — The divisional court at Osgoode Hall gave judgment in the application for a new trial on behalf of Edward Elliott, the boy who is under sentence of death for the murder of the old man, Wm. Murray, at Beaverton. The conviction was upheld and concerning the point raised as to admission as evidence of statements made by prisoner to officers after his arrest, it was regarded as perfectly proper.

Wm. Wheeler, Detroit, was married Wednesday evening at the Windsor Methodist parsonage to Miss Charlotte Cunningham, of Windsor. They will reside in Detroit.



SICK HEADACHE

Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

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DROWNED WHILE BOATING

Six Persons Lose Their Lives Near Menominee, Mich.

Tug Burned and Part of the Crew Drowned—Fatal Bicycle Accident.

Menominee, Mich., June 23.—Word has been received here of the drowning of six persons at Holmes' Park, on Pike River, 30 miles from here, on Monday evening. The dead are Wm. Schuble and two sons, aged 11 and 7 years; Miss Stella, a daughter, aged 19 years; Charles Anderson and Gus Frederickson. The party were enjoying an outing, and were rowing in a duck boat, when a storm came up and the boat was capsized.

TWO LIVES LOST.

Watertown, N. Y., June 23.—A special from Alexandria Bay, says:—"The tug N. F. Bronson, Capt. Murray, of the Montreal Transportation Co., of Montreal, bound from Kingston, Ont., to Montreal, with five barges in tow, caught fire near Warner's Island. The barges were released and were tied up at this port. The tug was burned to the water's edge. Four men jumped into the water to save themselves. Two are missing. They are Joe O'Nieill, of Kingston, deck hand, supposed to be drowned; Bert Hastings, the fireman. Several of the men were badly burned. Loss $25,000.

BURIED IN A GRAVEL PIT.

Brampton, June 23.—Joseph Troyer was killed at a gravel pit on John Crawford's farm, about three miles east of town. Troyer, with three others, was working at a bank and had undermined it. It took a number of men digging 50 minutes to get to the body of Troyer, who was quite dead.

CYCLIST FATALLY HURT.

Toronto, June 23.—As a result of a bicycle accident on Saturday last, Mr. Ewan Allen, aged 72, for twenty years G. T. R. parcel clerk at the Union Depot, died yesterday morning at his residence, 20 Sullivan street. Mr. Allen was crossing Queen street, when a wheelman, who was in the act of raising his hat to a passing acquaintance, crashed into him and knocked him down, his head striking with force upon the pavement.

TWO BOYS MISSING.

Ottawa, June 23.—The family of John Junter, laborer, is in a state of distraction over the mysterious disappearance of the two eldest boys who have not been seen since Monday morning last. They are aged 8 and 10 years.

KILLED BY A FALLING BEAM.

Cardinal, June 23.—Fred Mathews, a steam driller employed by Messrs. Davis & Sons, contractors here, was instantly killed on their works at the canal here by being struck on the head by a falling timber.

PARLIAMENT

Chinese Immigration—Senate Hostile to Organized Labor.

Ottawa, June 22.—No time was lost in getting into supply when the house met today. The estimates for the Indian department were taken up, and in order that there may be no delay in paying the annuities of the first of July, the items were passed after brief discussion. Incidentally the question of preventing the exportation of logs from Indian reserves was introduced by Mr. Bennett, it being pointed out that the practice gave opportunity for smuggling.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in reply to Sir Hibbert Tupper, stated that the question of bringing in this session a bill dealing with Chinese immigration is now engaging the attention of the government.

IN THE SENATE.

The senate went into committee on the bill to amend the criminal code. The clauses dealing with morality were passed without amendment, and the sections amending the act prohibiting lotteries were taken up. Senator Drummond hoped this clause would pass. He had had a great deal to do with the introduction into Canada of the bona fide art lotteries. In Great Britain these art drawings did some good to artists, but in Canada they did incalculable harm, and were little more than straight gambling lotteries. They were in full blast in Montreal. He read a resolution from the Art Society of Montreal in favor of the change in the law as given in the bill, and also a resolution from the Ontario Society of Artists to the same effect. Under cover of the Art Union principle, lotteries were carried on in Montreal which were most harmful in their effect. The clause was adopted.

Two bills, both of which had for their object the amelioration of the condition of those who are not largely blessed with this world's goods, met an untimely death before the senate banking committee. Senator Dandurand's measure to prevent the professional usurer from fattening upon the labor of the unfortunate and necessitous borrowers, was thrown out by a vote of eight to six, while the bill to legalize the use of the union label as a trade mark was thrown out, virtually unanimously. The Minister of Justice, who has been in favor of both of these bills and who gave Mr. D. J. O'Donoghue, who was fighting for the latter measure, his support, was unable through press of business to be present at the meeting of the committee. Against the union label measure the united strength of a number of large manufacturers was used. Mr. G. H. Bertram, M.P., whoo introduced the measure in the House of Commons, where it triumphantly passed, is naturally chargrined over the action of the Senate banking committee; but, as it is not usually the habit of the energetic member for Center Toronto to accept a rebuff as a defeat, it is safe to prophesy that the measure will be reintroduced next session. Senator Dandurand, who possesses many progressive and liberal ideas, will likely follow a like course.

THE POULTRY BUSINESS.

In the agricultural committee Mr. A. G. Gilbert, the poultry expert, gave the result of experiments with poultry at the experimental farm. The record showed that pullets are more prolific in egg production than hens of maturer age; that the fattening of chickens of suitable breeds can be carried on successfully by farmers without the use of cramming machines, provided proper breeds are used. Mr. Gilbert said that if the Plymouth Rock, Wyandotte, Brahmas and Cochins, which are the best flesh-making breeds, were kept by the farmers and properly cared for and fed from the time of hatching, and penned up and specially fed for three or four weeks previous to killing, no forcing or cramming machine would be necessary to produce the superior quality and quantity of flesh demanded for export to the English market or for home consumption. He pointed out, however, that care should be exercised to supply a flesh rather than fat-producing food, and that the birds should be given exercise. Mr. Gilbert also advocated the use of incubators in order to get early chickens.

On Sale Saturday.

172 BAYLEY'S Dundas St. 174

We put on sale Saturday, articles per list below, at special prices. Come as early as convenient, as limited quantities in some lines are depleted later in the day.

Store open from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturdays.

Dress Goods.

Clearing certain lots of dress goods. We cannot enter into description. Speaking generally, the lot consists of fine silk and wool mixtures, and all-wool fabrics in plain and fancy designs, all new colors; were 50c, 75c, $1 and $1.25, now clearing at 25c.

Line Summer Silks in fancy stripes; regular 50c, Saturday 29c.

12½c Fawn Dress Canvas, Saturday 9c.

65c Black Henrietta, Saturday 48c.

30c Wool Plaid, Saturday 19c.

Ladies' White Vests, ¼ sleeves; regular 15c, Saturday 2 for 25c.

Ladies' Hose Supporters, satin band; regular 50c, for 25c.

Fast Black Maco Cotton Hose; regular 15c, Saturday 2 pairs 25c.

Summer Corsets, perfect fitting, only 50c.

Latest American styles in Crash and Pique Skirts.

Ladies' White Pique Blouses, insertion trimming, very fine; special Saturday $1.50.

Also latest ideas in Striped Gingham, Muslin and Pique Blouses, at $1.25.

Ladies' Ties, in bows, strings and stocks.

Ladies' Black Parasols, paragon frame, fine gloria top; regular $2, Saturday $1.25.

25c Table Linen, 19c.

7c Canton Flannel, 5c.

10c Pure Linen Toweling, 7½c.

100 dozen Towels, knotted fringe, in white, blue and red borders; regular 75c pair, Saturday 50c.

7c Gray Cotton, Saturday 4¾c.

36-inch White Cotton; regular 7c, Saturday 5c.

Bayley's

OCEAN TO OCEAN

Fast Time Made by the C. P. R. Imperial Limited.

Montreal, June 22.—Sharp on time to the minute, the first through Imperial Limited train of the C. P. R. pulled into Windsor street station this evening, having completed the transcontinental journey in 100 hours. There were large numbers of passengers, when the train left Vancouver. Some were destined for pleasure resorts at Great Glacier and Banff, in the Rocky Mountains; others took the Soo train for St. Paul and Chicago at Moosejaw. Others, again, came down by the lake route from Fort William, and there were several who went to Toronto by North Bay. Mr. Lloyd, a wealthy Chicago ex-newspaper man, who sailed half-way round the world to be present at the graduating exercises at Harvard tomorrow, at which his son will graduate, was on board, and left by tonight's Boston train. He will reach Boston at 8:10 in the morning, and will be in plenty of time to attend the opening exercises at 10:30, to witness which he traveled half-way round the globe.

GOING WEST.

Banff, N. W. T., June 22.—All the Banff turist population and residents assembled at the depot yesterday afternoon to give a welcome to Imperial Limited flyer No. 1, which will reach Vancouver tomorrow, having left Montreal Sunday morning. The fast trip from the Canadian metropolis was made according to schedule, and the passengers report an enthusiastic welcome at all points west of Lake Superior.

A PRESSMAN'S STORY.

Mr. Parnham Tells How Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured His Lumbago.

Toronto, June 19.—The story of the escape of the Globe pressman, Mr. John H. Parnham, from the agonies of Lumbago, by using Dodd's Kidney Pills is unusually interesting.

Mr. Parnham writes to the Dodd's Medicine Company (Limited) thus: "I am proud to testify to the wonderful efficacy of Dodd's Kidney Pills. About eight months ago I was attacked by severe pains in my back. I consulted an eminent physician, who said I had Lumbago, and told me to take Turkish baths. These did me no good.

"A friend advised me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. I did so, and one box cured me. My back has never troubled me since."

A sneak thief entered the Metropolitan National Bank, Boston, and stole $10,000 while the paying teller's attention was drawn away for a moment.

Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it has done it will do again.

Wm. Heald, of Toronto, a contractor, accidentally shot himself at Winnipeg on Wednesday, while cleaning his pistol. He died in a few hours.

Volcanic Eruptions

Are grand, but Skin Eruptions rob life of joy. Bucklen's Arnica Salve cures them; also Old, Running and Fever Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Felons, Corns, Warts, Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Chapped Hands, Chilblains. Best Pile Cure on earth. Drives out pains and aches. Only 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. For sale by W. T. Strong & Co.

Sir Richard Webster got as far as 1637 in his argument for Great Britain before the Venezuelan commission in Paris.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup

Has been used for over FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS of MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEETHING, with PERFECT SUCCESS. It SOOTHS the CHILD, SOFTENS the GUMS, ALLAYS all PAIN; CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHŒA. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

Allowing for the decrease in immigration, Director of the Census Merriam thinks the population of the United States will be shown to be 72,500,000

BEN PARROTT WAS HANGED

In the Hamilton Jail Yard This Morning

For the Murder of His Mother, Whom He Killed With an Axe in February Last.

[G. N. W. Special to Advertiser.]

Hamilton, June 23.—Benjamin Parrott, who on Feb. 8 last, chased his mother through their yard, house and the street, and then split her head open with an axe, paid the death penalty at 7:43 this morning, in Hamilton jail yard. He went to the scaffold without any signs of fear, and mounted the steps with steady tread. He said not a word nor made a sign as the hangman adjusted the pinions, fixed the noose and adjusted the black cap.

Radcliffe, the official hangman, did not arrive, but the execution passed off very quietly in the presence of a very small gathering.

HIS LAST NIGHT.

Parrott's last night on earth was a quiet one. Rev. R. Burns and Rev. Mr. Gilmour visited him about ten o'clock, and stayed with him for half an hour. He did not get to sleep until one o'clock, but slept soundly till five o'clock. He arose at six o'clock and prepared his toilet slowly. At 6:30 o'clock he ate sparingly a breakfast, and was through in less than five minutes. He appeared to enjoy a cigar given him, but he was visibly nervous.

Rev. W. F. Wilson was the first minister to arrive, at 7 this morning, and in a few minutes was joined by Rev. J. L. Gilmour, and then by Rev. R. Burns. The three spent the last hour of Parrott's life with him, in earnest talk and prayer. To Rev. Mr. Burns. Parrott yesterday signed a statement saying that he was sorry for having murdered his mother, and asking for forgiveness. He hoped his end would be an example to all young men to avoid intoxicants and lead a sober and industrious life.

HIS LAST WORDS.

Just before leaving his cell Parrott cursed the policeman who arrested him and asked for brandy, which was given him. His last words were: "Give me a chew of tobacco." He cursed the hangman on the way to the scaffold.

Parrott died as he had lived, and after the black cap was drawn over his head, he expressed regret that he could not get at his executioner. He also said he was sorry that he had not killed the policeman who arrested him.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

Three cases of measles in the camp at Niagara.

Presbyterian Assembly has finished its business.

The C. P. R. Imperial Limited reached Vancouver on time.

Mr. Charles Stark, one of Toronto's veteran merchants is dead.

Brussels will lay 35,000 square feet of granolithic sidewalk this year.

A woman in Pennsylvania has attended 6,000 funerals. It was a mania.

Dewey is at Colombo, Ceylon. He will remain on the island about a week.

Grand lodge reports at St. Louis show that the Elks gained 11,000 members last year.

Compressed air is to drive horseless carriages all over Chicago streets by next July.

The proposed Antarctic expedition will receive substantial aid from the British government.

George Reid, of Deerham Center, was badly hurt in a runaway accident Wednesday evening.

Gen. Gomez says that 50,000 able-bodied Cubans, 7,000 of them soldiers, died in the war with Spain.

Mr. E. E. Sheppard, of Toronto, is in Winnipeg on a brief visit. He went with the Ontario members' excursion.

The government has invited tenders for a direct cold-storage service between Prince Edward Island and Great Britain.

A delegation of Masons went to Comber from Windsor, Wednesday, to assist in the dedication of a Masonic temple in that village.

Rev. Dr. Armstrong Black, of Liverpool, has notified New St. Andrew's congregation, Toronto, of his final acceptance of their call.

Messrs. John and W. F. Cowan, of Oshawa, have offered Ontario county $5,000 cash and 45 acres of land to build a house of refuge in Oshawa.

Gen. Otis notified the war department that the hospital ship Relief left Manila for San Francisco on Thursday with 250 sick aboard.

A Waterloo, Iowa, dispatch says: A tornado passed over this section last night, leveling many buildings. No loss of life is reported, but much stock was killed.

The motion which was to have been made in Toronto to have the West Elgin election trial go on was adjourned till today. The Toronto papers say the trial will go on.

It is regarded as a conservative estimate that the U. S. treasury deficit for the fiscal year 1899, which closes ten days hence, will be less than $100,000,000. Already the receipts for the year aggregate over $498,800,000, with the expenditures barely $100,000,000 more.

The wedding of Princess Marie of Mecklenburg-Strelitz to Count Chas. de Jagetel, was solemnized quietly at the Catholic Church of St. Elizabeth, Richmond, on Thursday. The pair afterwards drove to the parish church at Kew, where they were remarried according to the rites of the Church of England.

Men with dairy farms in the vicinity of Chicago are becoming alarmed at what they term the wholesale slaughter of cattle for the purpose of making tests for tuberculosis. The Milk Shippers' Union resolved to advise farmers not to allow tests to be made in their herds.

Drought has nearly destroyed all the large Colorado ranges. Hundreds of cattle and sheep are reported dying in the San Luis Valley. Northern New Mexico, parts of Oklahoma, the Indian Nations, Western Kansas and Southern Utah also report the ranges almost bare.

An illicit still was captured Tuesday on the farm of Joseph Griffin, near Otterville. Joseph Griffin and his son James were arrested, taken to Woodstock, and remanded on a charge of unlawfully distilling alcoholic spirits, and having a still for that purpose in their possession.

The citizens of South Framingham, Mass., and neighboring towns are greatly excited over the disappearance of Helen Eames, the 11-year-old daughter of Alfred M. Eames, a wealthy wheel manufacturer, of that town, who was last seen by those who knew her leaving her father's house about 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Fifty hospital ambulances sent from Chicago to Tampa a year ago are mysteriously missing.

It has been definitely decided to launch the cup challenger Shamrock on Monday. She will arrive at Southampton on Wednesday in order to be fitted out.

William and Vina Schubel, two boys, aged 7 and 13 years; Gus Frederickson and Charles Anderson, were drowned at Dunbar, Wis., while out boating in a storm.

Nicaraguans in general are favorable to annexation to the United States, but the newspapers inveigh against such suggestions which appear in American papers.

It is said Jews in all large cities of the United States will join in buying testimonial gifts for Capt. Dreyfus and Emile Zola—a sword for the captain and a pen for the author.

An official telegram confirms the recent Apia dispatch announcing Malietoa Tanus's abdication in favor of the Samoan commissioners, who have appointed a provisional government.

Finns are coming to America in increasing numbers, 570 having landed at New York during May. Many are young and prosperous. Russian oppression, 'tis said, drives them here.

A fast train at Sandusky, O., struck Frank Reynolds and Arthur Richmond, of Syracuse, N. Y., and Royal Van Housen. The two former were killed and Van Housen badly hurt.

The Baptists, at their Ottawa convention, have decided to mark the closing of the century with a fund of $150,000, to be devoted to church work. The suggestion was made by the Rev. N. Frith, and the matter is now before the finance committee.

FOR A FISHPOLE

Two Men and a Boy Lose Their Lives.

Danbury, Ct., June 23.—James Rasmussen, aged 45, his son John, aged 6, and Rudolph Johnson, of Betel, aged 45, were drowned in the East Lake reservoir, near here, last night. Henry Zimmer, the fourth member of the party, escaped. The party went out fishing, and Johnson lost his fish pole. In trying to recover it he fell into the lake, and while his companions were endeavoring to rescue him the boat was overturned.

There are in the United States 23,000 summer hotels.

Ex-Empress Eugene drinks from thirty to forty cups of tea a day.

TROUBLE ON THE NEWFOUNDLAND COAST.

St. Johns, Nfld., June 23.—The British armed sloop Buzzard and the special service vessel Columbine have left St. Johns for Bay of Islands, to inquire into alleged misconduct of French war vessels on the treaty coast. A colonial magistrate reports that the French commodore sent a boatload of armed men to remove the fishing nets of the settlers, against which the Colonial Govenment will protest as an assuming of territorial rights by the French.

Apollinaris Water.

The Apollinaris natural mineral water is known throughout the world; its name is a household word. The spring from which it is drawn and where it is bottled is near Ahrweiler, in Rhenish Prussia, a few miles west of the Rhine. It takes its name from the Apollinaris church situated on the hill at Remagen a picturesque structure, which attracts the eye of travelers on the Rhine.

In 1851, on the location of the spring was a vineyard, but as it did not thrive the owner consulted a celebrated geologist and chemist, who found that the soil was strongly impregnated with carbonic acid gas. This led to the discovery of the spring, which soon attained a fame that has steadily grown, and now its fillings amount to twenty-three millions of bottles annually.

Chemists and scientists of many countries have lauded it for its great value as a dietetic and hygienic agent, so that it has become the foremost table water, but having besides its refreshing and healthful qualities a most agreeable taste, it has become the fashionable water.

"Bonfort's," the leading American wine journal, says: "The popularity of Apollinaris apparently has no limits. It is to be had in practically all parts of the world; and here, as in England, at every social function 'The Queen of Table Waters' is brought into evidence. The menus of the Assembly balls, given at the Waldorf-Astoria; the Metropolitan Club dances, at Sherry's, as well as the Vanderbilt and Astor balls, and the various large banquets of this winter and spring, established the pre-eminence of Apollinaris. While the viands and wines vary, there is one uniform feature about the menus of these social functions—the presence thereon of Apollinaris."

The Bookman is authority for the statement that the fanciful picture in the center of the Apollinaris label was drawn by the lamented author of "Trilby," and while naturally no other drawing of Du Maurier has been reprinted so often, it was drawn by him not as a matter of business, but out of friendship for the then chief owner of the shares of the Apollinaris Company, of London, at whose office the original drawing is fondly cherished.

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Hanging Baskets — Hanging Baskets in several different shapes—19c.

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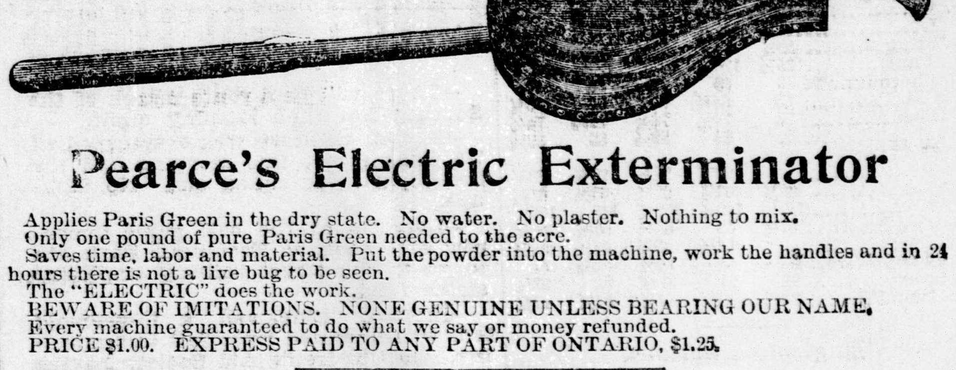
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TODAY'S MARKETS

Montreal Stock Market

MONTREAL, June 23.

	Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific	97	96⅞
Duluth, common	4½	3½
Duluth, preferred	12	10
Commercial Cable	185	182½
Com. Cable Coupon Bonds	..	..
Commercial Reg Bonds	..	..
Montreal Telegraph	177	173
Richelieu and Ontario	110	108
Montreal Street Railway	330	327½
Montreal St. Railway, new	328	325
Toronto Railway, xd	116⅛	115¾
Montreal Gas Company	202½	200
Bell Telephone	185	182½
Royal Electric, xd	183½	182
Bank of Montreal	..	250
Ontario Bank	..	..
Molsons Bank	203	198
Bank of Toronto	..	..
Merchants' Bank	173	167
Merchants' Bank of Halifax	..	180
Quebec Bank	135	125
Union Bank	..	120
Bank of Commerce	152	150
Northwest Land, pref	..	..
Montreal Cotton Co	156¼	151
Canada Colored Cotton	80	..
Dominion Cotton	110½	108½

Toronto Stock Market

TORONTO, June 23.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	..	250
Ontario	135	133⅞
Toronto	241	239¾
Merchants	..	168
Commerce	152½	151½
Imperial	228	225
Dominion	270	260¼
Standard	..	190
Hamilton	..	190
British America	..	129½
Western Assurance	170	168⅜
Consumers' Gas	..	228
Montreal Gas	..	..
Dominion Telegraph	130	128
Northwest Land Company, pref.	52	51
Canada Pacific Ry. Stock	97	96¾
Commercial Cable Company	185	183
Commercial Coupon Bonds	104	103¼
Com. Registered Bonds	104	103¾
Bell Telephone Company	..	180
Richelieu and Ontario	109¾	109
Montreal Street Railway	..	..
Toronto Street Railway	116¼	115⅝
London Street Railway	..	178
London Electric	120	117
Dominion Savings and Invest	..	75
Huron and Erie L. and S.	..	180
Huron and Erie, 20 per cent	..	170
London and Canada L. and A.	70	..
London Loan	..	108½
London and Ontario	100	..
Ontario Loan and Debenture	..	120

New York Stocks.

Reported by F. H. Butler, 15 and 16 Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

New York, June 23.

	Yesterday's Close.	Open.	High.	Low.	2 p.m.
Atcheson	17	17⅜	17⅜	17⅛	17¼
Atcheson Pfd	54⅝	55	55⅛	54¾	55¼
N. Y. Gas	179¾	179	179	179	179
Brooklyn Tran	115⅝	116½	116½	115¼	116⅜
Canada Pacific	96	..	..	..	..
C., B. & Q	130¾	130⅞	131¼	130¾	131⅜
C. & N. W	155⅞	156⅞	156⅞	156⅛	156⅛
Chicago Gas	117¾	117¾	118¼	117½	118
Gen. Electric	116½	..	..	..	..
Jersey Central	116	..	..	..	..
K. & T., Pfd	32¼	32¼	32½	32¼	32½
L. & N.	66¾	66⅞	67⅛	66¾	67
Manhattan	111⅝	112½	112½	111¾	112½
Metropolitan St.	..	225	228¾	224¾	228¾
Mo. P.	40⅜	40⅜	41	40⅜	41
N. Y. Central	132¾	133½	134⅛	133¼	133⅞
N. P. Pfd	75⅛	75¼	76¼	75½	76¼
Ont. & Western	25¼	25½	25¼	25⅜	25¾
P. M.	47	47¼	47½	47¼	47½
R. I.	111⅝	111¾	112⅜	111¾	112¼
Reading	59⅛	59⅛	59¾	59⅛	59¾
St. Paul	125⅞	126⅛	127	126⅛	126¾
Southern Ry, Pfd	49	49	49	49	49
T. C. I.	63	63¼	64¾	62	63¼
U. Pacific	74	74¼	74¾	74⅝	74¾
W. U.	..	89	89⅛	89	89⅛
TRUSTS:					
Lead	..	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝
Leather	68¾	68½	68¾	68⅜	68⅛
Sugar	149¾	149¾	150¾	148	150¼
Federal Steel	57¾	58	58⅝	57¾	58¾
Rubber	..	52⅛	53⅞	52½	53⅞
Steel and Wire	53⅛	53⅛	54¾	52⅞	54
Tobacco	91	91	92½	91	92¼
Continental	38⅜	38¾	41¾	37¾	41⅜

English Markets.

Liverpool, June 23—Closing.

Wheat—Spot, steady; spot No. 1 Cal., no stocks; No. 2 red western, winter, steady, 6s 1½d; No. 1 red northern spring, 6s 3d, nominal; stocks nearly exhausted; spot No. 1 red northern, Duluth, steady, 6s 2½d.

Corn—Spot, steady, American mixed, new, 3s 4¼d; do. old, steady, 3s 5¼d; futures, steady; June, nominal; July, 3s 4¼d; Sept., 3s 6d; Aug. 3s 6¼d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, strong, 8s.

Peas—Canadian, 5s 11d.

Beef—Steady; prime mess, 55s; extra India mess, 69s.

Pork—Firm; prime mess, fine western, 45s; do. medium, western, 42s 6d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., firm, 47s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs., easy, 31s; short ribs, 18 to 20 lbs, firm, 29s; long clear middles, light, 30 to 35 lbs. easy, 29s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, steady, 29s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, easy, 28s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs., easy, 28s 6d.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs. easy, 25s.

Lard—American refined, in 28-pound pails, dull, 26s 6d; prime western, in tierces, dull, 26s 3d.

Butter—Finest American, good, 62s.

Cheese—American finest white, firm, 42s 6d; colored, firm, 42s; ordinary, new, 43s 6d.

Tallow—Steady; prime city, 22s 6d; Australian in London, firm, 25s 6d.

Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, June, Aug., steady, 15s 3d.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast), nominal, £4 10s to £4 15s.

Turpentine spirits—Firm, 35s 3d.

Rosin—Common, steady, 4s.

Petroleum—Refined, 6⅝d.

Linseed oil—21s 6d.

Toronto Produce Market.

Toronto, June 23.—Wheat—Not offering very freely; the demand is fair for home mills, and the market is steady, at 71c to 72c for red and white, and 61c for goose west; Manitoba wheat is firmer, at 85c for No. 1 hard at Toronto and west. Flour—The market is steady, at $2 95 to $3 for cars of straight roller west. Millfeed—Quiet, at $14 to $14 50 for shorts, and $12 to $12 50 for bran west. Corn—Steady, at 36c for Canada yellow west, and 43c for No. 2 American west. Oats—Steadier, at 30c for white west. Peas—Firm, at 66c west. Eggs—Firm, at 13c. Butter—Steady, at 12c to 12½c for choice dairy pails and tubs, and 8c to 10c for low-grade to medium; creamery steady, at 17c to 17½c for prints, and 16½c to 17c for boxes and tubs. Live hogs—Steady; receipts, 700; choice bacon hogs, $5.

American Markets.

DETROIT, June 23.—Wheat—No. 1 white cash, 77¾c; No. 2 red cash, 78¼c; July, 79c; Sept., 80c.

TOLEDO, June 23.—Wheat—Cash, 76⅞c; July, 77½c; Sept., 78¾c. Corn—July, 35¼c. Oats—July, 25¼c.

MILWAUKEE, June 23.—Wheat—Cash, 76½c.

BUFFALO N. Y., June 23.—Spring wheat, No. 1 northern, 80⅝c; winter, 78c bid for No. 2 red, and No. 1 white, 77c. Corn, No. 2 yellow, 38½c; No. 3 yellow, 38c; No. 2 corn, 38c through billed. Oats, No. 2 white, 31c; No. 3 white, 30c; No. 3 mixed, 28c.

NEW YORK, June 23.—Flour—Receipts, 12,854 barrels; sales, 2,100 packages; state and western was dull, and shade easier. Rye flour firmly held; sales, 150 barrels. Wheat—Receipts, 117,275 bu; sales, 810,000 bu; options, No. 2 red was weakened today by disappointing cables, big primary receipts and local unloading; July, 81⅜c to 81½c; Sept., 81 1-16c to 81¼c; Dec., 82⅞c to 83c. Rye—Steady. Corn—Receipts, 299,325 bu; sales, 40,000 bu; options, No. 2 declined under the break of wheat and moderate realizing; July, 39⅞c to 40c; Sept., 39⅞c to 39 15-16c. Oats—Receipts, 81,200 bu; options, No. 2 quiet, track, white, state and western, 32c to 38c. Butter—Receipts, 7,282 packages; steady. Cheese—Receipts, 2,182 packages; steady; southern, 9c to 11c. Sugar—Raw steady, refined steady. Hops—Steady. Lead—Dull. Potatoes—Steady. Wool—Quiet.

Chicago Exchange.

CHICAGO, June 23.

Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler broker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1278.

	Open	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—July	74½	74⅞	74¼	74½
Sept	76¼	76⅛	76	76⅛
Corn—July	34⅝	34⅝	34¼	34¼
Sept	34⅝	34¼	34⅜	34⅜
Oats—July	24¼	24⅞	24⅛	24⅜
Sept	22	22⅛	21⅞	21¾
Pork—July	8 12	8 12	8 07	8 10
Sept	8 32	8 32	8 25	8 27
Lard—July	4 97	5 00	4 97	4 97
Sept	5 12	5 12	5 10	5 10
Ribs—July	4 67	4 67	4 67	4 67
Sept	4 80	4 82	4 80	4 80

Puts, 75⅛. Calls, 76¾.

Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO, June 23.—Hogs—Estimated receipts today, 33,000; tomorrow, 25,000; left over, 5,500; market easy; mixed and butchers, $3 60 to $3 82½; good heavy, $3 70 to $3 80; rough heavy, $3 50 to $3 60; light, $3 60 to $3 65. Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; steady; beeves, $4 50 to $5 50; cows and heifers, $2 to $4 90; Texas steers, $4 to $4 75; stockers and feeders, $3 50 to $5 10.

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Latest Probabilities

Toronto, June 23—10 a.m.—Probabilities for the lower lakes region:

Southerly and westerly winds; fine and warmer.

Saturday—Westerly winds; fine and warm.

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

—There will be a route march of the Seventh Battalion Monday night.

—A coal oil stove was overturned at 780 King street this morning and the fire department called out. No damage.

—Receipts at the ball game tomorrow afternoon at Tecumseh Park are to go to the street railway employes' strike fund.

—Richard Blackwell, a 13-year-old lad, was liberated from jail this morning, the Children's Aid Society having found a home for him.

—It is reported that the farm laborers along con. 5, Westminster, have gone out on strike, and the farmers are at their wits end for help.—St. Thomas Journal.

—Mr. J. S. Draper, of Smallman & Ingram's, left yesterday for Europe on a purchasing trip for that firm. He will join Mr. L. H. Ingram in Germany on his arrival there.

—The many friends of Mrs. Beares, of the Gore of London, will regret to hear that she accidentally fell and broke her leg near the hip. At her advanced age the accident is serious.

—U. McRoberts, a teamster, was arrested on Rectory street this morning for interference with Special Constable Wm. H. Hall. Mr. McRoberts is a sympathizer with the street railway employes.

—The Train Dispatchers' convention at Milwaukee adjourned Wednesday to meet in Atlanta next year. F. N. Schultz, of Garrett, Ind., was elected president. W. M. Goodwin, of London, Ont., was elected a member of the executive committee.

—The concert given at Victoria Park last night by the Seventh Battalion Band was a rich musical treat. The band was out in full strength, and the programme was a popular one. Owing to the delightful weather the crowd was an unusually large one.

—Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson together with Manager Hays and several other G. T. R. officials who are included in the presidential party now on a tour of inspection, went west by way of Stratford this afternoon. The party will, it is understood, visit London about Tuesday next, on returning from Chicago.

—Contractor John M. Burnett was wheeling south on Richmond street this morning, at about 10:30, and as he neared the G. T. R. crossing, a wheelman coming north crossed to the west side of the road. There was a violent collision and both men were thrown An altercation that promised to lead to blows was stopped by the police.

—The regular fortnightly run of the First Congregational Cycle Club was held Thursday evening to the residence of the Messrs. Webb, of the Gore. Between 30 and 40 of the members wheeled out, and were warmly welcomed by their entertainers. The lawn was prettily prepared for the accommodation of the visitors. During the evening ice cream, strawberries and other refreshments were served in generous quantities and a very enjoyable time was spent by all. The hosts and Miss Webb are to congratulated on their success as entertainers.

—A very pleasing little incident took place in connection with the regular meeting of Morrill Lodge, I. O. G. T., last evening, when upon the invitation of Bro. Carson, who is leaving London for Toronto, the chief templar declared a recess, and the members adjourned to an ice cream parlor, where they spent a few minutes very pleasantly in discussing ice cream and strawberries, or such other good things as they might choose to call for, at the expense of Bro. Carson. The members of the lodge certainly regard the worthy brother as "a jolly good fellow," and wish him every success wherever, in the future, his lot may be cast.

REPAIRS TO START AT ONCE.

Committees from the county and city councils held a conference yesterday to consider the necessary repairs to the court house and jail, and decided that work should be proceeded with at once. The county committee includes: W. Jackson, J. P. Grigg, J. Robertson, W. Webster and F. B. Talbot.

SYNOD CLOSED.

The final session of the Synod of Huron was held this morning. After divine service at 9 o'clock, discussion of the canon on the widows' and orphans' fund was resumed, and the clauses passed as proposed in the convening circular. The proposed amendments to cannon 28 were withdrawn. Notices of motion by Revs. Stout, T. L. Armstrong and J. C. Farthing were withdrawn. The bishop appointed committees on patronage, vital statistics, Sunday school work, temperance, board of missions, and episcopal fund. Then his lordship addressed the synod, reviewing the work which had been gone over during the week, and adjournment followed. Most of the delegates left for their homes this afternoon.

GOING TO THE FALLS.

The committee of the Retail Grocers' Association, appointed to complete arrangements for an excursion to Niagara Falls met last evening, and the chairman reported that a special fast train of first-class coaches has been chartered via the M. C. R., for July 26, leaving London at 7 a.m., arriving at the Falls at 10 a.m. A deputation will go to the Falls next week and complete arrangements there for picnicking in the park, and with the Electric Railway Company and Niagara Steamboat Company for special trips to Buffalo and Toronto. Patrons of the Grocers' excursion are assured that the committee will look after their comfort and pleasure from the time they leave London until they arrive home again.

CHARMING RECITAL.

Miss Ethel McKillop, pupil of Miss Brown, assisted by three of Miss Proudfoot's pupils, gave a charming recital at the Conservatory of Music last night, which was enjoyed immensely by all who were present. Miss McKillop has a sweet and flexible voice. The programme:

An den Friehling .... Grieg
Miss Mary O'Flaherty.
He Was a Prince .... Lynes
Miss Ethel McKillop.
Berceuse .... Chopin
Mr. Chas. Marsh.
Aria—Judith .... Concone
Miss Ethel McKillop.
Valse, No. IX .... Chopin
Miss May McMichael.
Fantasia Impromptu .... Chopin
Mr. Chas. Marsh.
Flower Song (Faust) .... Gounod
Miss Ethel McKillop.
Berceuse .... Gottschalk
Miss Mary O'Flaherty.
The Swallows .... Cowen
Miss Ethel McKillop.

POLICE COURT NOTES.

There was a large batch of offenders at the police court this morning, most of them charged with minor offences.

Wm. Joliffe was charged by John Lane with keeping a vicious dog. The animal had been disposed of and the case was dismissed.

Richard J. Wood paid $1 for fast driving on Talbot street.

The case of two local druggists, charged with selling liquor without a license was laid over for two weeks.

Walter Mann paid $2 for fast bicycle riding, and Wm. Rhay $1 for the same offense.

Salvatora Specussa, an Italian fruit peddler, was charged with a breach of the bylaw. He was standing on the streets selling fruit. He was let go with a warning.

Patrick Barrett, a drunk, was allowed to go, and John Joy, another drunk, was fined $2.

Walter Gilby, charged with riding a bicycle on a path in Victoria Park, was allowed to go.

New Books at the Public Library.

Jacobs (Ed.)—The Literary Year Book and Bookman's Directory, 1899.

Munsterberg—Psychology and Life.

Weldon—The Hope of Immortality (an essay.)

J. Martineau—Hours of Thought on Sacred Things (2 vols.)

Caird—University Sermons.

Caird—University Addresses.

Blow—Letters to a Mother.

Winchell—Preadamites; or a Demonstration of the Existence of Men Before Adam.

Abbott—Clear Skies and Cloudy.

Weir—The Dawn of Reason; or Mental Traits in the Lower Animals.

Skinner—Do-Nothing Days.

Henley—Poems. London Voluntaries.

Fleming—How to Study Shakespeare.

MacManus—The Bend of the Road.

McManus—The Leadin' Road to Donegal and Other Stories.

MacDonagh—Irish Life and Character.

Polybius—The Histories of Polybius (translated from the text of Hultsch), 2 vols.

Norman—A Girl in the Karpathians.

Earl of Selborne—Memorials, Part II., Personal and Political, 1865-95 (2 vols.)

Jos. Hatton (Ed.)—Reminiscences of J. L. Toole.

F. and M. Verney—Memoirs of the Verney Family during the Civil War, Commonwealth and Revolution (4 vols.)

Duruy—History of Modern Times (from the Fall of Constantinople to the French Revolution.)

Whitman—Austria.

Reeves—The Long White Cloud (History of New Zealand.)

A. Barr—I, Thou, and the Other One.

Callet—Adventures of Cyrano De Bergerac.

Lysaght—One of the Grenvilles.

Raine—By Berwen Banks.

Sheldon—The Miracle at Markham.

DIVORCED AT THE AGE OF 103.

Columbus, Ind., June 23.—Geo. Wray, aged 103, has been granted a divorce by Judge Hord from Susan Wray, aged 30. Wray had been married four times, outliving his other three wives. He said that his last wife came to him and offered to take care of him if he would marry her.

Bismarck's Iron Nerve

Was the result of his splendid health. Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25 cents; for sale by W. T. Strong & Co.

A MARVELOUS EXHIBITION

Biograph at the Grand One of the Year's Greatest Attractions.

The Biograph opened a three days' engagement at the Grand Opera House yesterday. To people to whom the moving pictures have become an old story under the name of cinematographe, vitascope and half a dozen other names, the exhibitions yesterday were certainly a revelation. The Biograph is as much superior to the earlier developments of the art as the steady brilliance of the incandescent electric light is superior to the candle or the pine-knot torch. But it is not in the wonderful lifelikeness and realism of the pictures that the chief interest and value of the exhibition is to be found. These pictures have preserved for centuries to come a faithful record of the great personages and events of the closing years of the nineteenth century. The British Museum has made arrangements for the preservation and renewal of the films. Among the pictures shown were Queen Victoria in her state carriage, the Prince of Wales on horseback, Lord Charles Beresford coming down the gangway of the St. Louis; members of the Royal Family at the Duke of York's Garden Party; the Gordon Highlanders pass before one in life-like array, looking stalwart and martial in their full dress uniforms; the Twenty-First Lancers, heroes of Omdurman, pass in review, horses and men both looking extreme- adding to the effect; the Royal Cana- adding to the effect; the Royal Canadian Artillery marching on snowshoes; the soldiers of the Spanish-American war, and the charge of the French Cuirassiers, furnish interesting comparisons.

Then amid the soft tones of the organ, preceded by processions of monks, and the gorgeous Papal guards, His Holiness Pope Leo comes before the audience. There is a hush as the spectators watch the movements and admire the benign face of this wonderful old man of 90 years. He moves about, drives, walks, talks, smiles and bestows his blessing as if he were before one in the life. The whole exhibition is wonderful. It is most educative as well as entertaining. There are three performances daily, 2, 4:15, 8:15.

Yesterday afternoon over 500 children from the Separate schools attended and the little ones shrieked with delight at the comic views, applauded the martial scenes and received the views of the Pope with respectful silence. This afternoon and tomorrow special arrangements have been made for the public school children at the 4:15 matinee.

Electric fans have been placed in the theater, which will be found quite cool and comfortable.

Mr. Owen A. Smiley will give his refined and humorous musical sketches between the parts.

The Waterworks Dam.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

In looking over Mr. Kennedy's report re the dam and flooding, the figures given therein directly contradict his statement "That the dam does not aggravate the flo ds in West London," He says the record and conditions given of the river in flood times are very meagre. How, then, is it possible for a perfect stanger to give an intelligent report of occurrences that he never saw? Now, I have been right on the spot for the past eighteen years, have seen every phase of freshet and flood, taken levels and actual measurements of the height of water, speed of current, etc. Here are the actual figures giving the exact ratio of the rise of water from the crown of the dam to Kensington bridge, April 23, 1885.

When the water rose on the crown of the dam, 22 inches, the rise of water 36 feet up above dam was 28 inches; 300 feet above dam, 33 inches; at Griffith's old dam, 45 inches; at the railroad Cove bridge 60 inches; at Kensington bridge, 68 inches.

Then again on March 30, 1886, my measurement of water on crown of dam was 6 feet 4 inches; height at Kensington bridge, 16 feet 10 inches. Mr. Kennedy's report gives 5 feet 10 inches on crown of dam and about 17 feet at Kensington bridge or vicinity. The rise of water from dam to Kensington bridge was in the same ratio as the 1885 figures. What more positive proof or evidence could be given than this—that it takes over two feet head water to drive one foot over the dam, or in other words, you must either raise the water on the bed of the river about 2 feet 6 inches for every foot of water you force over the crown of the dam. This is just what Mr. Kennedy, the expert, says it takes 17 feet of water in the vicinity of Kensington bridge to force 5 feet 10 inches over the crown of the dam. Mr. Kennedy says these figures show that the dam caused a rise of 3 feet 5 inches just above the dam. What caused the rise of 17 feet further up the river at the vicinity of Kensington bridge if not the dam? If the dam were no obstruction the water in the river would be practically the same depth all the way down. If it rose 17 feet at Kensington bridge, it would be 17 feet on top of the dam, or in other words, you must raise the bed of the river at Kensington just as high as you raise the crown of the dam, to leave the river as it was, giving the fall as it was before the dam was there; and to test the truth of the matter I would suggest that the city postpone the rebuilding of the dam until next year, and measure the rise and fall of the water at both points. I am not writing for any selfish motive. West London is a part of the city and must protect us. It is for the welfare of the city to look into all the facts of the case.

J. CHAPMAN.

STAYED TOO LONG

Four Little Girls Caught by the Tide and Drowned Near Their Homes,

Charlottetown, P. E. I., June 23.—A terrible fatality occurred at Summerside yesterday. Five little girls, Bella May Fraser, aged 7, daughter of John Fraser; Laura, Aggie and Jennie Gallant, aged 11, 9 and 7 respectfully, daughters of Lawrence Gallant, and Daisy Perry, aged 6, daughter of Wm. Perry, had been clam digging on the bar, of the west end, during low tide in the afternoon. They wandered along, until finally they found themselves surrounded by the rising tide.

They started to wade ashore, but only one, Aggie Gallant, succeeded, she having waded in many places through water up to her neck. She arrived home about half-past four in an almost exhausted condition and gave the alarm.

In a few minutes a number of men with boats started in search of the four missing ones. But the tide had risen, and it was known that the poor little children were drowned. Three little bodies were found nearly side by side, quite close to the shore, and about a mile from their homes. The body of Daisy Perry had not been recovered at a late hour.

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Montreal	25	17	.595
Rochester	24	17	.585
Worcester	24	18	.571
Springfield	18	20	.473
Hartford	21	27	.437
Providence	20	27	.425
Syracuse	12	27	.307

A special meeting of the executive committee of the Canadian League will be held at the Tecumseh House Saturday night at 9:30, when Dominion Day games will be arranged and league matters discussed.

MORNING GAME AT ST. THOMAS.

[G. N. W. Special to The Advertiser.]

St. Thomas, Ont., June 23.—A Canadian baseball league game was played here this morning between St. Thomas and Chatham, resulting as follows:

	R.	H.	E.
St. Thomas	1	7	3
Chatham	5	5	3

Batteries—Kern and Reid; Hagerman and Sanders. Umpire—England.

WITH THE AMATEURS.

The Diamond Rattlers defeated the St. J. A. C. team by a score of 8 to 7. Batteries—Gibson and Gibson; Reid and Smith. Umpire—Breen. The Diamond Rattlers wish to arrange games with any club in or out of the city. Address, A. C. Taylor, 286 Dundas street.

A game of ball was played Wednesday evening between the Westminster Grays and the Anchors on the former's grounds, resulting in favor of the Grays. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Grays	17	20	5
Anchors	4	6	7

Batteries—Wilson and Scott; Madden and Vanderburg.

The Rockets and the Knox Church ball clubs will play on Tecumseh Park tomorrow afternoon. The members of both teams are as follows: Rockets—Steele, c; Phillips, p; Butts, p; Breen, p; Smith, 1b; Hosia, 2b; Fralick, s.s.; Gillit, 3b; Stien, c.f.; Rose, r.f.; Pugsley, l.f.

Knox—Summers, p; Turner, 2b; Ferguson, 3b; Gibson, c; P. McLaren, l.f.; Smith, 1b; C. McLaren, s.s.; Campbell, c.f.; Fortner, r.f.

J. W. Baird, of Motherswell, was in the city today, and arranged a game of baseball for Dominion Day, between the Motherswell and Knox teams.

CRICKET.

The St. John's A. C. cricket team will play the Asylum cricket team return match tomorrow afternoon at the Asylum grounds.

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STRATHROY.

Advertiser Agent, J. D. Meekison.

Strathroy, June 22.—At the last meeting of the Baptist Young People's Union, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: President, Mrs. W. Wright; vice-president, Wm. Murray; secretary, Miss K. Cameron; assistant secretary, Miss Heally; treasurer, Miss Moody; organists, Miss Dewar and Miss E. Rosser.

The death occurred at Napinka, Man., on Monday last, of Mr. Joseph Baskier, aged 65 years. Deceased was a former well known resident of Adelaide township, and was a brother of Mrs. John S. Donley, of this town.

The Sarnia cricketers will play a game with the local club on the fair grounds here Friday. Wickets will be pitched at 10:30.

Mr. R. T. Kyle, of Chicago, was the guest of his mother for a few days this week.

A taxpayer says the numerous investigating committees make war an expensive luxury.

JOTTINGS FROM NEAR-BY PLACES

EXETER.

Exeter, June 20.—A horse belonging to Dr. Rollins took fright at noon today (Tuesday), and made a dash for liberty, which resulted fatally to the horse and badly for the buggy. The animal ran at a breakneck speed, taking the granolithic walk on Main street as far as the Central Hotel, where it collided with a lamp-post, where horse, buggy and post dropped in a heap. It was found that the horse's hip was dislocated, and its sufferings were ended by being bled to death. Only the hub of one front wheel was left, the other front wheel had become detached from the buggy; in fact, the buggy was a wreck. The doctor was about to make a professional visit, and for that purpose sent his son Czar to bring the horse and buggy to his office, which ended in the above result. The fact that the runaway took place just after the school children had gone to dinner, about 12:15, is probably the reason why no one was seriously, if not fatally hurt. Dr. Lutz had just locked his drug store door, and was about to step on the walk, as the horse rushed past him. Little Ashton Dyer, aged four years, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Dyer, had stepped out of the postoffice on to the sidewalk, when Miss Vera Hawkshaw, who was immediately behind him, caught him by the collar of his blouse, and jerked him into the doorway, just as the maddened horse went pounding by. The doctor's son was accompanied by a young friend named Collins, and the wonder is how they held to their seats from start to finish, but they did, and luckily escaped without a scratch.

The town presented quite a holiday appearance on Tuesday and Wednesday. A union convention of the Sunday schools of the county was held here, and several hundred delegates were in attendance. Most favorable results are expected from the work done at so large a gathering. Some of the best speakers of the county appeared on the programme, which also included Dr. Daniel, of Sarnia.

Rev. Mr. Ten Eyck was a London visitor on Monday.

Mr. Frank Tom, of Gananoque, Ont., is having a holiday with his parents and other relatives.

Mr. Melville Howey, who has been in the employ of the London Printing and Lithograping Company, for the last two months, is home again.

Rev. Dr. Saunders, of London, gave a most splendid address at James Street Church, Wednesday evening, to the Christian Endeavor meeting, "Cranks and Kings" was his subject, and was spoken of as the address of the convention.

The football game at the school grounds was quite an exciting affair last Friday evening. The band enlivened the proceedings, and a most pleasant evening was enjoyed by old and young.

Streamers are out for the annual strawberry festival at Centralia. Rev. Mr. Salton is doing his best to make this season eclipse all former ones. The 1st of July has been Centralia's day for years, and looked forward to by people for miles around, and a hearty welcome will be extended to all this year.

The Presbyterian Sunday school picnic will be held on the public school grounds this year on July 1. Preparations are being made for a genuine good time. No more beautiful spot could be had for a gathering of this kind.

Miss Ida Johns is a visitor in Aurora this week.

Miss Eva Sanders, of Forest, is the guest of Miss May Sanders.

The Exeter fire brigade will picnic at the Grand Bend on Thursday. This is their annual outing, and with their invited friends they always enjoy a pleasant outing.

T. Neelands, editor of the Hensall Observer, and P. Holmes, of the Clinton New Era, attended the convention here this week.

GLANWORTH.

Glanworth, June 21.—The interment of the late Elder John Elliott occurred on Wednesday from the family home to the Pond Mills cemetery, when a large and representative gathering assembled, including Messrs. Robert Boston, ex-M.P., of South Middlesex, and present jailer, of London; George Riddle, clerk of the municipality of Westminster; Reeve Cousins and James McMillan, treasurer, Westminster. The services were conducted by Rev. E. H. Sawers, aided by Rev. F. Ballantyne, M.A., of Beverley. The floral tributes were beautiful. The casket was borne by Messrs. John Lawson, Edward Beattie, Adam Nichol, Wm. Weatherton, Wm. Laidlaw and John N. Beattie, elders, of North Westminster Presbyterian Church, where the deceased was an honored elder.

Mrs. Samuel Bucke is seriously indisposed from heart affection. Dr. Marlatt, of St. Thomas, is in attendance.

An enthusiastic barn-raising occurred yesterday at the home of John Johnston. A contingent of stalwarts rallied under Wm. Johnston, and another company under Wm. Flowers. After a keenly-contested match Mr. Flowers scored a victory. A tug-of-war took place, when eight light-weight champions were pitted against eight heavy-weight champions of the physical caliber of Alex. Shaver, James Clark, Chas. Scott and Daniel McPherson, and after two trials the light-weights scored a decisive victory.

Mrs. Campbell, who was suffering from paralysis, has recovered sufficiently to warrant her removal to the home of John McColl yesterday.

MOUNT BRYDGES.

Mount Brydges, June 22.—A lawn social in aid of Sutherland's appointment (Methodist) will be held on the spacious lawn of Mr. Frank Grigg, con. 3, Caradoc, on Tuesday evening next, June 27. A choice programme and plenty of refreshments. Admission, 15 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Cottrell leave on Friday for their future home in Victoria, B. C.

Mrs. Cheeseman, of Mitchell, is visiting at Mr. Thomas Baker's.

Mrs. Campbell and Miss Huntley, of St. Thomas, are visiting at Mr. Frank London's.

Mr. J. B. Crozier is doing a rushing business in cement. He has disposed of five carloads already this season.

The statute labor performed the last two or three days has added greatly to the appearance of our village.

Quite a number attended the lawn social in Komoka on Tuesday evening last in aid of the striking trackmen.

Mr. Wm. Simpson is laid up with inflammatory rheumatism.

Mr. Percy Robinson, C. P. R. dispatcher, is home spending his holidays.

A very pleasant "at home" was spent last Tuesday evening at the residence of Mr. Joseph Clark, of Caradoc Mills. The proceeds were in aid of the Ladies' Aid of the Delaware Methodist Church.

BELMONT.

Belmont, June 22.—The funeral of the late John Walker took place on Wednesday from the family residence to the St. Thomas cemetery. The obsequies were conducted by Rev. John Currie, The pall-bearers were Messrs. A. D. McCallum, John McCallum, Duncan McCallum, Hugh McCallum, Neal McCallum and D. D. McCallum, brothers-in-law of the deceased.

The condition of Miss Cora Sinclair is much worse.

LIFE SAVED—Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me; I certainly believe it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me good.

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JESSAMINE.

"Dear me, Miss Kirke! What wouldn't I give to be as robust as you are! Look at her arms! They would make six of mine! What do you do to develop your muscles so?"

Jessie smiled in quiet satisfaction with her own beautiful molded wrists.

"I am healthy, and I lead an active life," she said, laconically, but politely.

Miss Sanford was not pleased either with smile or words, but there was apparently nothing to resent, and she returned to her sofa. She had attended a party the evening before, and was today "utterly worn out." While the game went on she toyed with her rings, slipped her bracelets of dead gold and pearls up and down her thin arms, and now and then yawned behind her hand. Mr. Wyllys' name awoke her from the apathetic droning.

"Decidedly!" replied a looker-on, Selina Bradley by name—a kind-hearted, talkative, and indiscreet girl, whom everybody liked, yet of whose tripping tongue many were afraid. "Decidedly the best in town. Don't you think so, Fan?"

"There are not many who can equal him among our finest billiard players," said Fanny. "I do not believe he has lost a game since Mr. Fordham went away. He played splendidly! His nerves were steady and his judgment nice."

"Fordham?" repeated the heiress quickly. "What is his first name? Who is he?"

"Roy—and he is a professor in our college. He is now in Heidelberg, Germany. Do you know him?" said Fanny in surprise. "You must have heard us speak of him before."

"Never! I used to know him, rejoined Miss Sanford, tossing her head. "He was engaged to a very dear friend of mine. No! I didn't know he was in Germany. I am glad of it!"

Selina, breathless with excitement, did not catch the meaning of the latter sentences.

"Engaged! I thought he was love proof! Fanny! Nettie! Sue! Do you hear this? Who do you guess is engaged to be married! No less a personage than our invulnerable Prof. Fordham!"

The girls crowded about Miss Sanford forgetting the game in the superior attraction of a love story.

"To whom."

"Who told you."

"I don't believe it!" were the divers comments upon the intelligence.

Jessie remained alone at the table, tapping the cushion opposite with her cue, her face flaming with indignant confusion. Taken utterly by surprise she could not at once rally to reply to the false statement she had heard, or govern her countenance well enough to seem indifferent.

The heiress bridled at the last remark, setting back her head in a fashion she conceived was regal, whereas it was merely ungracefully scornful.

"You are not asked to believe it, Miss Barnes! I said distinctly that the gentleman was formerly betrothed to my friend. I am happy, on her account, to be able to state that the (to her) unfortunate engagement was broken almost a year since."

"What do you mean? How did it happen? And to think we never heard a breath of it! Go on! there's a darling! and tell us all about it!" entreated Selina, sinking to the carpet at the feet of the in nowise reluctant newsmonger.

"Perhaps you had rather not, Hester," suggested gentle Fanny to her cousin. "Such stories are painful to those interested in either of the parties to the engagement, and the telling does no good to anyone. The fewer people that hear of them the better, it seems to me."

"Oh, I don't mind it in the least, now!" Hester hastened to reassure her. She settled the voluminous skirt of her purple cashmere peignoir about her; disposed her rings upon her fingers, and her fingers upon her lap to her liking; sighed profoundly, and looked smirkingly sentimental. "There was a time when I could not allude to it, or even think of it, without tears. My disposition is so sympathetic! But time deadens all grief, and my poor friend acknowledges herself that it was best the affair should have terminated as it did. She met Mr. Fordham at the sea shore summer before last—was with him there for a week or so. It was long enough for him to fall violently in love with her. He couldn't help being taken up by her appearance, for she is just perfectly lovely! A blonde, with blue eyes, and a red rosebud of a mouth, and golden hair, and the sweetest smile!"

"She must be a real beauty," sighed Selina, in an ecstacy of admiration.

"She is. People pretend to see a resemblance between us. I have actually been mistaken for her more than once—but that is all nonsense," said Hester, modestly. "I should be just too happy if I were half as handsome as Maria. But I love her too dearly to be envious. We are like twin sisters in heart. I dare say that is the reason we are called so much alike. We go out so much together, you see, and the sight of one reminds people of the other, you know. But as I was saying, this Mr. Fordham pretended to be smitten with her, and early in the winter visited her at her own home. Her parents liked him exceedingly. He is rather an imposing man, you know, and has some reputation as a scholar. So, when he paid a second visit at Christmas, and offered himself, there was no objection raised to the match. Poor dear, deluded Maria! how happy she was! All went swimmingly for about six weeks, when, without warning, he broke the engagement. And why, do you suppose? He had heard that one of her sisters had died of consumption several years before he knew her, and he 'could not be hampered by a sickly wife.'"

She waited until the chorus of reprobation had subsided, then resumed:

"He wrote to her. Iron man as he was, he was afraid to trust himself in her presence. He 'regretted the necessity that forced him to this unpleasant step,' he said, 'but he owed a duty to himself which was not to be lightly put aside. He should always remain her friend,' and all that sort of rubbish, you know. The broken-hearted creature stooped to argue with him. She loved him devotedly, and she had had no other love. If I had been in her place, I would have died sooner than let him know how I suffered; but she was such a lamb-like, gentle creature! and her spirit was utterly crushed. She wrote to him, imploring him not to leave her, representing that there was not a sign of hereditary consumption in the family; that her parents were living and that her grandparents on both sides had all died from other diseases. But he was obstinate. He 'would never,' he replied, 'in any circumstances, marry a woman who was not, in his opinion, perfectly sound in body and mind, or who had any predisposition to scrofula, consumption or insanity.' He pretended to believe still that she had the seeds of a fatal malady in her system, and went so far as to allude to her beautiful color—just the sweetest pink and white you ever saw!—as a hectic flush. That's the history of Mr. Roy Fordham's love-scrape!"

"And did she break a blood-vessel, or go into a decline?" asked Sue Barnes, her round face ludicrously elongated, while her eyelids twinkled away a sympathizing tear.

"Well—no!" Miss Sanford hesitated, then made the admission unwillingly, evidently appreciating the damage her mournful recital must sustain through the want of this orthodox sequel. "But she was in a sad way for a while. Her family kept the miserable affair as quiet as possible for her sake. The truth was communicated to nobody, except a few very intimate and dearest friends. But you can't wonder that I have hated the sound of Prof. Fordham's name ever since."

"Very natural, I am sure," murmured the plastic Sue.

Hester made a parade of wiping her eyes with a lace handkerchief.

"Not that I ever liked him. Poor Maria brought him around to our house, one evening, on purpose to have me see him, and the next morning she was in, bright and early, to ask what I thought of him. 'I don't fancy him in the least, my dear child,' I said to her, candidly. 'He has a cold, severe eye, and a stubborn mouth. He is quiet in manner, because he is unfeeling. If you marry him, he will rule you with a rod of steel, and make your life a burden.' It was a trial to say it; but I knew it was my duty, and I didn't turn back, you know. She cried her eyes out over what she said was my unkindness, and left me in a tremendous huff. She would neither speak to me nor hear my name mentioned in her presence, until the rupture came. Then she sent right away for me, and fell upon my neck, begging my pardon. 'If I had been as clear-sighted as you, Hester, what wretchedness I would have been spared!' she sobbed. I am very acute in my perception of character. My grandmother, Mrs. Gen. Deane—my mother's mother—was—said to her dying day that my skill in seeing through people—especially sheep in wolves' clothing—I mean wolves in sheep's clothing—was—well! the most astonishing thing she had ever seen."

Jessie was knocking the balls to and fro, in reckless disregard to the laws controlling the game, but the sharp click of the ivory spheres did not distract general attention from Miss Sanford.

"I never was more amused in all my born days," said Selina, conscientiously reserved with respect to her pre-natural experience. "Mr. Fordham is so pleasant, yet so dignified, and ranks so high in the faculty and the church, and has so much influence among the students! Who could ever have thought of his behaving in such an inhuman and ungentlemanly manner."

"Why—people in Hamilton—everybody—out of the college as well as in, considered him a piece of perfection," added Sue.

"He is a detestable snake in the grass, then!" Hester said vehemently, her energy so disproportionate to the occasion, that doubts would have arisen, in an unbiassed mind, of her own belief in the affecting narration she had glibly poured forth.

"Take care, dear," cautioned Fanny. "There may be extenuating circumstances of which we are ignorant. Mr. Fordham's character as a gentleman and a Christian is not to be lightly disputed. Every question has two sides, papa says, and those are wisest who suspend judgment until both are heard. I am morally certain there is some mistake about all this, which Mr. Fordham could clear up if he were here."

The heiress sniffed haughtily, and her light skin was dappled with fiery red spots to the roots of her hair; her faint eyebrows met in a viragoish frown.

"I thank you for the inference, Miss Provost! Would I repeat a story unless I was sure—'morally certain,' as you would say, that it was true in every particular? If you question my veracity, you can ask dozens of her acquaintances in her native place, who will confirm my statement. And you may be thankful if you don't, at the same time, hear some other ugly facts about your Christian gentleman that I have chosen to omit. If I have a fault it is that I am too charitable in my judgment of human nature. I am perpetually being imposed upon."

The cue that had been stationary while Fanny put in her plea for mercy to the absent perjurer was restless again, red balls and white chasing one another around the green cloth.

"To tell the truth," said Nettie Fry, another of the listening group, propitiatory of the mistress of a million in her own right—"I never admired Mr. Fordham so much as many pretend to do. He was always so cool and lofty—so unapproachable and unlike other young men of his age. And, as Miss Sanford says, he looked as if he might, when married, grow into a kind of Bluebeard."

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Hair becomes stronger, also, from having a rest from artificial heat. Hats, too, are most conveniently constructed, and most all of the modish head coverings are worn over the face, concealing most of the hair.

An evening coiffure is naturally a different matter for consideration, as it is possible to arrange it so that it will remain in order for at least a few hours. Evening coiffures are all arranged high on the head, and some slight decoration is universally a part of them. Stray curls are gradually creeping down on the forehead and temples.

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A Starting Change.

The haughty butler is said to be tottering on his throne. Nobody has ever seen a butler's throne, but the imposing demeanor of all butlers is so proverbial that one feels sure there is a throne belonging to them as a class, and that they all sit upon it, at least in spirit. And now it seems that the butler has a rival. The rival is an English housemaid, who has imported herself and a new fad to our hospitable shores. The maid-servant in livery is a recent figure in English households. She made her courtesy a year ago, and has proved so popular that one of the guild, as above explained, decided to introduce herself to New York. She became the butler in a fine house here, and made so pleasant an impression that liveried maid-servants have become, or at least promise to become, a fad. The costume worn by the maid-butler consists of a black Eton coat, with silk-faced revers turning back from a white linen shirt front and low waistcoat, and a black broadcloth skirt, with a strap of black silk running the length of the skirt on either side. Neatness, honesty, loyalty and economy are the reasons given for the innovation.—Harper's Bazar.

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Wedding Etiquette.

Until this season brides-elect never appeared at any social gathering of importance after their wedding cards were issued. That rule is now a dead letter, and up to the day before her wedding a young woman is seen everywhere. Of course, this is the natural result of the recent and reasonable revolt against putting together an elaborate trousseau. Smart girls who are marrying this spring have provided themselves with suitable wardrobes for the season, and nothing more, and this, with the getting of the wedding dress, has left them time and strength for all the passing gayeties of the moment.

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Latest in Dinner-Giving.

Flowers all very low. Green and white a favorite combination for spring dinners—maidenhair ferns and white lilacs, for instance. One large oval center-piece, and two small ones at each end, with flowers loosely arranged, one sees more than anything, with often little bunches scattered about over the cloth, connected by trailing vines. Candles for lights, with shades in flowers to harmonize with the decorations. Not too much silver—in Paris never more than two forks and two knives at each plate.

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Mrs. Rorer's Opinion of Cake.

I certainly consider cakes injurious; icing or frosting on the top makes them even worse than when plain. While I fully realize that many people still eat cakes and think cake-making a necessity, I am quite sure the next generation will look at this from a different standpoint. Let us learn to live simply, and eat to live rather than to gratify an artificial palate. In this way we will become high thinkers, having our mental, moral and physical strength more fully developed. Looking at it from still a different standpoint, it must be remembered that many women in this country are obliged to do their own housework, take care of the family, be their own seamstresses, and perhaps do their own laundry work. Let us teach the coming generation that such a life is not worth the living, where artificial fancy foods are constantly asked for. Let us take our eggs carefully boiled or poached, flour made into good bread, and butter spread on it, thereby saving the life and strength of the housewife, and giving ourselves better food. Gradually drop all fancy things, and in their place select sightly, appetizing, wholesome dishes, which satisfy a natural rather than create an unnatural appetite.

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An Important Don't.

One of the "don'ts" with which it would be well to impress society at large is, "Don't tell a person that she is not looking well."

The sentence, "My dear, you are looking very badly today," will cast a damper over the most hilarious spirit. We may as well be frank, and acknowledge that in ninety-nine cases out of a hundred to look ill is to look plain. The lusterless eye, the sallow cheeks, and the pallid lips are not compatible with beauty and vivacity of expression. Each of us has her little spark of vanity that makes her writhe at the knowledge that she is not at her best in appearance as in feeling. And if one has tried to conceal from others the fact that she is not quite up to the usual mark of health she feels that her efforts are vain.. And, worst of all, if one is bravely fighting with a genuine illness, the consciousness that the disease has made such inroads that the casual observer notices the change in one's appearance, awakens a sensation of fear and depression that is detrimental to health.—Harper's Bazar.

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A Wise Answer.

John Ruskin, in answer to the question, "When does the education of a child begin?" replied: "At 6 months old it can answer smile with smile, and impatience with impatience. It can observe, enjoy and suffer acutely, and, in a measure, intelligently. Do you suppose it makes no difference to it that the order of the house is perfect and quiet, the faces of his father and mother full of peace, their soft voices familiar to its ear, and even those of strangers loving, or that it is tossed from arm to arm, among hard or reckless or vain-minded persons, in the gloom of a vicious house or in the confusion of a gay one?"

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Well-Dressed Girls.

It's getting to be a great trick among well-dressed girls to have petticoat, sik waist and hat trimmings match, and the effect is certainly stunning. At a recent concert a girl sat directly in front of me, says a correspondent, and I couldn't help noticing her when she was absolutely under my nose—who wore a cerise waist of the most perfect and unusually unwearable tint, with a rough sailor hat of a deeper hue, trimmed with tulle, a trifle lighter than the waist, gathered over great loops of wire which alternated with bunches of leaves with pinkish surfaces. At the left front was a blackbird, and cherry-colored roses nestled under the brim. Her gown was gray, and under the flounce where it swept out into the aisle was the cerise ruffle of her petticoat. She was undeniably effective, because she had jet black hair and a good clear complexion.

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Cookery Colored and Garnishing.

Color in cookery is almost as smart as in dress, and the garniture of dishes a serious subject in the kitchen. Nothing is better for adding color to many than a hard-boiled egg. Chop the white separately and rub the yolk through a wire sieve to form a feathery yellow powder. Chopped beets afford a fine deep red, chopped olives a beautiful green, chopped carrots a nice orange, truffles thinly sliced or stamped out with tiny cutters into crescents, stars, diamonds or dice, a good black; lobster coral washed, dried, and rubbed through a fine sieve a beautiful pink, and parsley a brilliant green.

Croquettes of rice, made in tiny mounds, neatly rounded, decorate a dish beautifully and croutons of bread are very effective. These are little crusts known in good old days as sippets. The bread is first toasted and then cut into crescents, stars, lozenges, dice, circles, squares or triangles, and fried in boiling butter.

Parsley tied in tiny bunches and fried in butter makes a novel decoration. When using it as an ornament be sure after chopping it to put it in the corner of a cloth, screw it up and hold it under the cold water tap, then squeeze it as dry as possible.

On shaking it out of the cloth you will find it a light green powder. Should you omit to do this chopped parsley remains clogged together and will fall in heavy lumps.

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How She Made Soup.

Mrs. Telfair (interviewing applicant for position of "first-class cook")—Can you make all kinds of soups, entrees and sweets?

Cook—Oh, yes'm.

Mrs. Telfair—Do you make a good mock turtle soup?

Cook—Oh, yes'm.

Mr. Telfair (who, on account of past experience, is incredulous)—How do you make it?

Cook—Oh, just like anyone else does.

Mrs. Telfair (persistently)—Give me your recipe.

Cook (hesitatingly)—Well, I just make a good, fine soup, and then I gets the little mock turtles and I throws 'em in.

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Talk on Strawberry Short Cake

A Chicago woman, notable as a successful housekeeper has some friendly suggestions to make to her sisters at large, says a writer in the Chicago Post. She says: "I am amazed at some of the receipts for strawberry short-cake that get into the newspapers. They are more troublesome than is necessary—the recipes, I mean—and they can't, in the nature of dough and ovens, produce the best results. Now, here is my recipe for strawberry short-cake. If it is not the very best possible it is certainly better than those I've read in newspapers this season:

"I roll out two layers of biscuit dough—a little richer than for biscuits proper—put a layer in the pan, spread it liberally with good butter and on this put the second layer and bake the whole quickly. The butter gives both layers just the richness needed. When baked the upper half lifts off easily, and then I use my berries—crushed and sweetened that minute—piling them between the biscuit layers and over and around the top, after which I put the cake back in the oven for a few seconds. It will be hard to find a lighter and more juicy compound than this recipe produces."

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Crisping the Lettuce.

Do you know how to crisp lettuce leaves? asks a culinary authority. A most simple process, but one rarely adopted, judging by the wilted stuff we generally see served. A gentleman of the old school was my teacher and while yet a wee maid I was promoted to the proud dignity of crisping the lettuce.

First carefully separate the leaves from the stalk, discarding discolored and imperfect ones and leaving untouched the tiny hearts; lay them all in cool, clear water a while, all morning if you choose; pick them over a couple of times before serving; wash one by one and lay in a wire basket, if you have one, if not, a clean, soft towel will answer; gather the ends and sides losely in your hand and lightly shake the lettuce; then put the leaves in a colander, which you set in the refrigerator, but not on the ice. Leave until needed, when you will find the lettuce deliciously cool and crisp enough to crack. Never cut the leaves; if very large, divide with the fingers into smaller pieces.

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Show that 25 per cent of men and women suffer the tortures of itching piles. Investigation proves that Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment has never yet failed to cure itching piles, and all of these men and women could end their sufferings at once by using it. Scores of thousands have been cured by this treatment. Everybody can be cured in the same way.

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$1 25 LADIES' CRASH AND WHITE DUCK SKIRTS AT 99c.

Full width, deep hem, all over-stitched seams, seven gored skirt; special price for Saturday and Monday only.

LADIES' SKIRTS.

Made of fine crash, seven gored skirt, glove fastener, in plaited back, trimmed with three rows of white military braid; regular $1 50, now $1 39

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Pique and Linen Crash Skirts, trimmed with braid or two bias folds. There are about 50 skirts in this lot; special price $1 75

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Full circular flounce, trimmed with embroidery insertion. White pique skirt waist, trimmed also with insertion. These suits sold regularly for $8, at.....$6 00

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Extra full, deep flounce, choice of half a dozen different colors; regular price $1 25, now..... 85c

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These waists are of good quality of white lawn, yoke back, detachable self collar, straight cuffs, tucked front with three rows of insertion.

LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS,

Made of colored pique and muslin, fancy stripes and checks, yoke and plaited back, full front, detachable same collar, straight cuffs; regular $1 25, now.....$1 00

Ladies' Wrappers

10 DOZEN LADIES' WRAPPERS,

Made of fine cambric, in new stylish patterns, all fast colors, have separate waist lining, extra full skirt, rolling collar. These are worth $1 25, at 75c

Children's Dresses

CHILDREN'S NAINSOOK AND CAMBRIC DRESSES,

In three sizes, Mother Hubbard style, with white embroidery, white duck or ruffle, same as dress round neck and sleeve; regular price 75c, at 35c

CHILDREN'S DRESSES,

In an excellent quality. Percale in pink, blue and mauve checks, white pique, square yoke, with ruffle, finished with ribbon and finishing braid; regular $1 50, at..$1 25

WHITE VICTORIA LAWN DRESSES,

Three sizes, square tucked yoke, neck and sleeves trimmed with ruffle of embroidery. The regular price was $1 49, now $1 00

Children's Bonnets

Two attractive specials for Saturday and Monday.

CHILDREN'S BONNETS AND HATS,

Made of white, all over embroidery, trimmed with white net frills, edged with two rows of baby ribbon and lace; regular price $1 25, at 75c

CHILDREN'S SILK AND ORGANDIE BONNETS.

White and cream, fancy lace trimmed, silk tie strings; regular price $1 50, at $1 00

Five Bargains for Two Hours Only

Between the hours of 9 to 11, Saturday and Monday, we will sell the following:

Books

THREE FOR 25c—Paper covered novels, by the best authors, 3,500 titles in all, including eight works of Geo. M. Sheldon and Bertha M. Clay's; complete works of 150 titles, and many other standard authors. Special price for hour sale, 3 for..... 25c

Tooth Powder

100 Bottles of Fine Tooth Powder, equal to Teaberry, put up in two-ounce bottles, nickel-plated screw top. This powder sold regular for 25c a bottle, special hour sale price 5c

Forks and Tea Spoons

Regular price 10c a piece, hour sale, at each, ... 2c

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VANILLA AND LEMON FLAVORING

Put up in 3-ounce bottles; purest and best flavoring on the market; regular price 25c a bottle, special at 10c

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Jelly of Petroleum, in large bottles, absolutely pure; regular price 5c; during hour sale, 3 for.. 10c

Bibles

The lot of about 50 Morocco Leather Bibles to be closed out at very low prices. The lot consists of Teachers' and Students' Bibles, with complete index, concordance and maps. As these is but a limited quantity on sale, we advise early choosing.

$5 50 Bibles, now $3 50
$5 00 Bibles, now $2 75
$4 95 Bibles, now $2 50
$2 50 Bibles, now $1 50
$2 25 Bibles, now $1 25
$2 00 Bibles, now $1 00
$1 25 Bibles, now..... 90c

Camp Chairs

200 Folding Camp Chairs to be sold Saturday and Monday at 19c, 2 for 25c. They are well made and strong, with back and heavy Madras ticking seat; just the thing for picnics and summer cottages; the regular price was 35c, but for Saturday and Monday, 2 for..... 35c

Belts

LADIES' 25c LEATHER BELTS AT 10c,

In black, green, brown, tan and black; also Linen Colored Belts for crash skirts; belts worth 25c, while the lot lasts 10c

Underwear

We have cleared a manufacturer out of his entire stock of Summer Underwear for ladies and children at a very low figure, consequently very low prices for Saturday and Monday.

Neckwear

HAT BAND RIBBON

An inch and a half wide, royal blue, per yard 10c

RIBBONS,

Ladies' Fancy Neck Ribbons, one hundred different patterns to choose from, all the newest and latest styles, per yard 25c

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CHIFFON BOW TIES

And Pique Bow Ties, all colors, in fancy stripes; regular price 25c, at 15c

LADIES' WHITE LINEN COLLARS,

Newest style; standing up, 8c, 2 for 15c

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Picnic Lunch Baskets, made of splint, satchel shape; regular price 25c, at 15c
Large Market Baskets 25c

Undermuslins

LADIES' MUSLIN GOWNS.

Extra full, tucked and insertion yoke, embroidery front and neck trimmed, excellent value at 75c

LADIES' LONSDALE.

Skirts, have umbrella flounce, with wide insertion, double frill, trimmed with embroidery; regular price $2 50 at $1 90

LADIES' MUSLIN SKIRTS,

Extra full, deep frill, with torchon lace insertion and wide lace, very dainty; regular price $2, at....$1 65

LADIES' MUSLIN SKIRTS.

Extra full, French bands, deep muslin frill trimmed with Swiss embroidery; regular $1 25, at ..$1 00

LADIES' LONSDALE DRAWERS.

Finished with hem, cluster tucks and muslin ruffle; special 25c

LADIES' LONSDALE DRAWERS.

Good material, trimmed with tucks, and finished with wide embroidery flounce 50c

CORSET COVERS.

Fine Lonsdale square cut yoke, trimmed with embroidery and finishing braid, at 25c

WESTERN ONTARIO

An effort is being made to establish a cavalry regiment in Perth county.

Lightning struck P. Major's brick house at Puce Sunday last, causing $300 to $400 damage.

The 1st of July will be a holiday in Simcoe, and the stores and business places will be closed.

One of the pioneers of South Easthope died on Monday in the person of Mrs. Martin Halpin, at the age of 81 years.

The directors of the Elgin Fair have advanced the arrangements for holding this year's exhibition on Sept. 6, 7 and 8.

A 5-year-old daughter of Eugene Lefler, Woodstock, fell off a gate on which she was standing Tuesday, and broke her leg above the knee.

Woodstock Horticultural Society has indorsed petition for the carrying on of the work of destroying the San Jose scale and the grading and inspection of apples.

The mayor of Stratford believes July 1 to be the proper day on which to celebrate Dominion Day, and for that reason has refused to change the holiday to Monday the 3rd.

At the house of the bride, Glencoe, near Chicago, on Saturday morning, Miss Effie Horne, daughter of Judge Horne, of Windsor, was married to Alex. Falls, of Chicago, once of Amherstburg.

Silas Hibbert, of Bayham, was placed on trial at the Elgin sessions Monday on two charges of stealing logging chains from residents of the same township. The jury brought in a verdict of not guilty in both instances.

The jury in the charge against Dr. Mothersill, after being out over two hours Tuesday afternoon brought in a verdict of guilty, with a recommendation to mercy. A settlement between the parties had been arranged, and the judge discharged the doctor on suspended sentence.

Frank Ward, of Chatham township, brought in to the Planet some new potato bugs that he had discovered in his potato fields. The bug is of a bluish color, and has blistering properties similar to that of the Spanish fly. The old-fashioned potato bug is scarce this year, but these fellows are livelier and do more damage.

A quiet wedding was celebrated on Tuesday, when Miss Harriet Marr, of Frome, was united in marriage to Mr. Angus McLeod, of Southwold station. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. R. McIntyre at the residence of Mr. John McLeod. The bride was assisted by Miss Agnes McLeod, and the groom by Mr. John McLeod.

Ed. Elliott, River road, near Ingersoll, held a barn raising on Tuesday, at which Mr. D. Sutherland met with an accident by which he broke his leg. He was standing on the plate, and while drawing a rafter up he lost his balance, falling to the floor. When he lit, one foot went through the floor, and his leg was broken just above the ankle.

St. Thomas Journal: A special meeting of No. 1 committee will be held Saturday at 3 p.m., to consider a communication from A. H. Gauld and S. Ensign, London, stating that they desire to open a manufacturing company in St. Thomas for the purpose of making all kinds of machinery to order, and repairing, etc., to employ 25 hands or over, and asking what inducements the city would offer.

The home of Mr. John Veitch, Bayham, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Wednesday, June 21, when his daughter, Miss Susan, was married to Mr. Edwin Wallace, of Corinth, by Rev. P. R. Carey, of Port Burwell. The bride was assisted by her sister, Miss Edith, while like services were performed for the groom by Mr. Oatman, of Goshen. Little Frankie Veitch, neice of the bride, was flower girl.

Charles Schooley, a St. Thomas painter, was summoned to appear at the police court there on Tuesday on a charge of stealing $10 from Thomas Moore, hotel-keeper. It appears that at the provincial elections Mr. Moore and John Taylor, boilermaker, wagered $10 on the result in East Elgin, and $10 on the result in West Elgin. Schooley was stakeholder. Moore won one bet and Taylor the other. It is alleged that Schooley kept the money and refused to give it up, hence the police court case. The accused didn't put in an appearance and the case was laid over.

The one prudence in life is concentration; the one evil is dissipation.—Emerson.

Mr. Dooley--- Who Is He?

"Mr. Dooley," as everyone must know by this time (the magazines and newspapers all over the English-speaking world have been so full of him) is Mr. Finley Peter Dunne, managing editor of the Chicago Journal—familiarly known to hosts of newspaper folks as "Pete Dunne," as unspoilable a celebrity as ever walked in two shoes. He is a young man, rather shy, but of man-of-the-world bearing. He has been on Chicago papers in almost every capacity, from his boyhood, and the now-famous "Dooley" papers have been appearing for six years. They are written at the "white heat" common in newspaper offices, without deliberation or elaboration. They "just came to" Mr. Dunne without effort, even the dialect, although he has never set foot in Ireland. Mr. Dunne, even more than most journalistic persons, never writes his "copy" until fairly driven to it, and it is a legend that he usually begins his "Dooley" articles about the time the "forms" ought to be locked up; so they are spontaneity itself. Their author has resisted the most gorgeous offers to read "Mr. Dooley" from the platform, but it is to be hoped that he will some day succumb to a particularly tempting one, for his friends say he should make a marked "hit" on the platform. British anxiety to make acquaintance with the witty philosopher has induced Mr. Dunne to cross the ocean for the first time. He sailed May 19.

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Running to the Fire.

[Chicago Interior.]

We had just passed the door of the engine house when the gong clanged, and in an instant all was commotion behind us. We could hear the spring of the horses as they leaped to their places, the ringing of the bolts as they were thrown back, the snap of the buckles as they were clasped about collar and at the neck-yoke; and before our wits were fairly collected, the mighty forces were tearing down the street, steamer, hose carts, hook and ladder trucks, water towers, insurance patrols and chemical engines, a galloping procession in which every man was statuesque at his post and every horse straining his last ounce of blood in the great race.

Next to a battle with artillery a run to a fire has in it elements one cannot fail to admire. The swiftness and precision of movement; the perfect discipline and intelligent co-operation; the courage and zeal displayed, all excite the admiration of those who, however accustomed to the sight, never fail to witness it with admiration and applause.

As we passed on and the usual currents of the street resumed their course, we fell to thinking how much a minute may count for in critical cases. The most learned man is sometimes the most dilatory. There are people who fall into the habit of so pondering profoundly every question that there is practically no time left for action. They must see everything upon all sides and carefully weigh all possible results, and before they determine upon any accepted course of action it is too late to be of any use. The fire will have burned itself out before their council with themselves is concluded. The first requisite of a good fireman is promptness, and they who would put out the flames the devil has kindled will always find swift action better than slow debate. The boy may be ruined before you decide whether it is wise to speak, or the soul lost while you are deliberating how to warn the brother of his danger.

"Brethren, the time is short," was the constant cry of the great apostle. What we have to do must be done quickly. Before we realize that the child has a character of its own, its character is fixed, and, so far as man is concerned, past remedy. The little habit at which we smile is presently a roaring furnace burning up everything within its reach. We might have the most approved apparatus in the world, but unless we "get there" it is useless, as so much twisted wreckage from the junk pile. With such illustrations of promptitude before our eyes, it ought not be true of our souls that

"Nothing has half thy work to do,
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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, June 22—8 p.m.—Showers have occurred today in the Georgian Bay district, in Manitoba, and in the Northwest Territories. Elsewhere in Canada the weather has been fair and cool, except in the extreme southwest portion of Ontario, where the temperature has been between 80° and 90°. Several days of much warmer weather are now probable in Ontario and Quebec, and also in the Northwest. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 44-66; Kamloops, 50-80; Calgary, 38-70; Prince Albert, 44-70; Qu'Appelle, 48-68; Port Arthur, 44-68; Parry Sound, 52-66; Toronto, 50-70; Ottawa, 48-68; Montreal, 50-70; Quebec, 42-68; Halifax, 48-58.

Local temperatures.—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory here on Thursday, June 22, were: Highest, 84°; lowest, 52°.

The sun rises today at 4:36; sets at 8:03. Moon rises at 8:19 p.m.; sets at 4:29 a.m.

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A LOCAL BUDGET

—Mr. W. E. Collins, of this city, has been engaged to sing at the Strathroy Summer Carnival, July 3.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Reardon, of Lorne avenue, celebrated their silver wedding Wednesday evening.

—Mrs. James Powell and her sister, Miss Della Clarke, of the east end, are visiting friends in Exeter and vicinity.

—Rev. T. S. Johnson, of London, will preach at the anniversary services of the Uttoxeter Baptist Church next Sunday.

—Miss Emma J. Glass, a trained nurse, and a graduate of the London general hospital, left the city for Pittsburg on Tuesday.

—The Morpeth Old Boys' Association will hold their annual reunion on the 2nd and 3rd of August this year. Mayor Wilson is a past president.

—H. N. Nelles, of the Molsons Bank here, goes to Woodstock to succeed Harry Nelles, who has been removed to the Owen Sound branch.

—The trustees of Knox Church, Embro, have accepted the plans of Mr. H. Matthews, of this city, and contracts will be called for at once.

—It was Mr. James Wilkins (not "Wilkie," as printed), P. C. R. of Court Pride of the Dominion, A. O. F., who was elected a delegate to the high court, which meets in August at Toronto.

—Col. M. Aylmer, adjutant-general to the Canadian forces, is to be attached for a month each in turn to the brigade staffs of the Royal Artillery, Third Infantry and cavalry brigades at Aldershot.

—The train dispatchers' convention at Milwaukee has adjourned, to meet in Atlanta, Ga., next year. F. N. Schultz, of Garrett, Ind., was elected president. W. M. Goodwin, of London, Ont., was elected a member of the executive committee.

—The numerous friends of Miss Emma Smith, formerly of Euclid avenue, now at Cook County Hospital, Chicago, will no doubt like to hear that she has passed her term of probation successfully, and has now entered on a three years' course of study.

—Mrs. McKenzie, of Byron avenue, South London, accompanied by her daughter, Miss McKenzie, director of the kindergarten schools, leave on Monday next for Scotland, where they intend spending the summer months. They sail from Montreal on the 29th inst.

—Sarnia Observer: Quite a number of names of London "old boys" have been handed in who would like to visit their former home at the time that the boys from Toronto and other places visit that city. There ought to be a large crowd from Sarnia, and as London is going to do her share toward the entertaining the promoters would like to see all the London "old boys" join hands with the rest of the boys and have a good time. Petrolia, Watford and Strathroy would like to be heard from.

TOMORROW

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GARDEN PARTY AND LITERARY LUNCH.

The mission circle of the Askin Street Methodist Church, gave a garden party and literary lunch last night, on the beautiful grounds of Mr. A. M. McEvoy, Becher street. There was a large crowd in attendance, and the affair was a big success in every particular. Music was rendered during the evening by the Sabbath School Orchestra, under the direction of Prof. Philp.

LICENSED VICTUALLERS.

The Ontario Licensed Victuallers Association, in session at Kingston, elected the following officers: President, F. J. Collins, Dundas; first vice, John Coffey, Barrie; second vice, D. B. Burlow, York Mills; treasurer, James McFarlane, Toronto; auditors, J. W. Scandrett, London, and H. A. Coffin, Georgetown; executive committee, H. Maxie (Hamilton), F. X. St. Jacques (Ottawa), John Stormount (Toronto), D. Sare (London), J. McCarty (St. Catharines), N. J. Frowlie (Orillia), J. S. Henderson (Kingston). Next year's convention will be held at Guelph.

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Crumlin Presbyterian Church held a very enjoyable strawberry festival on the pretty grounds of Mr. S. Willis, lot 3, con 3, West Nissouri, last evening. The congregation and their friends turned out in large numbers, there being some 400 persons present. Refreshments were served from 6 to 8:30 o'clock on the lawn, after which a musical and literary programme was given. The Y. M. C. A. Mandolin and Guitar Club, of London, gave a number of selections. Messrs. Sandy Drennan, A. Riddle and George Gray contributed vocal numbers. W. Ashplant was accompanist. A large sum was netted, which goes to the church funds. This was the largest lawn social held in the vicinity of Crumlin for many years, and the promoters are to be congratulated on the success of their efforts. Rev. Mr. Kay, pastor, presided, and introduced the programme with a few happy remarks. The grounds were illuminated with pretty colored lanterns. Some 40 or 50 Londoners wheeled or drove out.

VALUABLE DOGS DIE FROM POISON

Alleged to Have Been Obtained at Victoria Park.

An Investigation To Be Instituted—The Board of Works Interested—The Band Concert Appropriation—Other Matters.

Several valuable dogs have been poisoned at Victoria Park recently. The attention of the board of works was called to the matter last night by Mr. R. H. Dignan, who lost his well-bred pointer Rex in this way. Mr. Dignan intimated that the poisoning of dogs had been carried on there systematically, and expressed the opinion that the guilty party was not a visitor to the park. He named several citizens who had been victims, as well as himself.

Ald. McPhillips corroborated this, and added that he had lost four valuable dogs by poison. The conditions were such that it was not safe to keep a high-priced dog in London. To lose $200 or $300 was no fun.

Mr. Dignan said he could easily have obtained $200 for Rex. He had some evidence which would assist the committee in an investigation, but wished action deferred until he could get further information.

The committee agreed to this, and meanwhile Chief Williams will be asked to increase the police protection at the park.

It was pointed out that under the bylaw dogs were not allowed in the park. "The park is no place for dogs," said Ald. Parnell, "but it is no place for poison, either."

Mr. Dignan had been informed that the poison was put out in such a way that children might get hold of it.

Messrs. C. S. Hyman and W. J. Reid asked the committee to grant the total band concert appropriation, $300, to the Seventh Band. Many of the members of the Musical Society Band were also members of the Seventh, they said, and it would be in the interests of the city to encourage one band as much as possible.

An application from the Musical Society Band for an equal share of the appropriation, as heretofore, was read. The committee decided upon recommending the council to give the $300 to the Seventh.

Mr. F. L. Evans, leader of the Musical Society Band, entered the committee room later, and when informed of the committee's action, stated that none of the players in his band were members of the Seventh.

The matter of the appropriation will not be finally settled until the next council meeting.

The board repealed its prohibition against the purchase of any sidewalk plank, and the engineer is now permitted to use his discretion in the purchase of new plank for sidewalk repairs, provided the total bill for the next month does not exceed $50.

Petitions for a mosaic tile paved walk on the south side of Central avenue, for tile sewers on Queen's avenue, between Maitland and William streets, and on Queen's avenue, between Colborne and Maitland streets, and for a stone walk on the north side of Dufferin avenue, between Park avenue and Richmond street, will be advertised in the usual way.

The necessary bylaw will be prepared to take over Hyman street, west of Richmond street, if the city solicitor approves of such course.

The city engineer and Ald. McPhillips will report on the City Gas Company's claim for damages.

On motion of Ald. Garratt, the sewer manholes throughout the city will be made flush with the streets to prevent accidents.

In case the Kent property is purchased for a home for incurables, the owners will be exempt on sewer rates.

The secretary was instructed to take legal action through the city solicitor to collect a three-year-old account against George Hiscox for the latter's percentage of the cost of a walk by the Hiscox building.

The city treasurer's statement showed $13,529 69 paid out of the committee's appropriation to date, leaving $21,470 31 on hand. The balance for streets and general improvements is $11,462 86

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THE SYNOD OF HURON

Delegates to the Provincial and General Synods,

And Members of the Executive Committee Elected—Report on Temperance—Several Canons Amended.

The Synod of the Diocese of Huron yesterday elected an executive committee and delegates to the Provincial and General Synods:

The bishop appointed the following scrutineers:

For executive committee—Clerical—Revs. S. P. Irwin, J. H. Brown, F. M. Holmes and J. Edmonds. Lay—Messrs. J. H. Higginbotham, Jeffers Fawcett, E. H. Henderson and R. P. Wright.

For General and Provincial Synods—Clerical—Rev. C. R. Gunne, F. E. Roy, C. C. Purton and E. B. Smith. Lay—Messrs. Meade Wright, W. B. Graham, J. Fennell and Dr. Crawford.

The scrutineers reported the following persons elected, arranged in order of election.

Executive committee—Clerical—Dean Innes, Canon Hill, R. McCosh, Archdeacon Davis, W. Craig, Canon Young, C. Miles, J. Ridley, J. H. Moorhouse, G. C. Mackenzie, R. Hicks, D. Williams, J. W. Hodgins, J. C. Farthing, J. T. Wright, Canon Davis, Canon Brown, W. Graham, G. B. Sage, S. F. Robinson, Canon Hincks, Canon Richardson, D. Deacon, W. Stout, W. Lowe, C. R. Gunne, H. A. Thomas, J. Ardill, T. G. Wright, Canon Smith. Lay—Matthew Wilson, Q.C., C. Jenkins, James Woods, Judge Ermatinger, J. D. Noble, R. Bayly, Q.C., Principal Dymond, Chancellor Cronyn, G. de C. O'Grady, J. Peers, F. T. Harrison, T. H. Luscombe, A. C. Clarke, J. Ransford, H. Macklin, J. E. Brooke, E. G. Henderson, G. D. Sutherland, J. Fennell, E. Sydney Smith, Lawrence Skey, Jasper Golden, R. Shaw-Wood, Judge Woods, John Lee, Joseph W. Ferguson, J. H. Higginbotham, C. C. Hodgins, R. M. McElheran, T. W. Scott.

Provincial Synod Delegates—Clerical—Dean Innes, Archdeacon Davis, W. Craig, J. C. Farthing, Canon Hill, Canon Brown, R. McCosh, D. Williams, Canon Richardson, G. B. Sage, G. C. Mackenzie, J. Ridley. Substitutes—R. Hicks, Canon Young, A. G. Dann, Canon Hincks. Lay—C. Jenkins, Matthew Wilson, Q.C., Judge Ermatinger, Principal Dymond, R. Bayly, James Woods, J. D. Noble, Chancellor Cronyn, F. T. Harrison, John Ransford, J. E. Brooke, A. C. Clarke. Substitutes—Judge Woods, C. de O'Grady, T. H. Luscombe, H. Macklin.

General Synod—Clerical—Dean Innes, Archdeacon Davis, G. C. Mackenzie and J. C. Farthing. Substitutes—D. Williams, R. McCosh, G. B. Sage, Canon Richardson. Lay—Messrs. C. Jenkins, Matthew Wilson, Q.C., Principal Dymond, R. Bayly, Q.C. Substitutes — Judge Ermatinger, Jas. Woods, Chancellor Cronyn, F. T. Harrison.

The report on temperance as amended was presented by Mr. Luscombe, showing the work of the committee, and referring to the determination of the government not to introduce prohibitive legislation or having turned public attention to other methods of dealing with the liquor traffic, and the proposal to place the same under municipal or governmental control, the principle of which was approved by this synod in 1898 and receiving much support. These methods are now the subject of exhaustive investigation and experiment in Canada and elsewhere. The committee is in communication with committees of other synods with a view to such united action as to the church may seem desirable at the proper time. The report was adopted without debate.

The canon on surplus commutation passed its first and second readings.

The present canon provides that all income from the commutation fund shall be used, first, to pay the original commuted men; second, to pay the claims of the superannuated men, and the balance to be put into the mission fund.

The proposed amendment reads: Clause 3.—Strike out all words after "any" and insert "shall be administered as follows, viz.: There shall be paid such sums, not exceeding $300 per annum, as shall suffice to bring the income of each to $800 per annum to such of the clergy in the order of their seniority as have completed fifteen years' active parochial service in priests' orders in the diocese, and whose parishes under the provisions of the clauses of canon XXVIII. governing the assessment of parishes, shall be deemed unable to provide their clergymen with an income of $800 per annum, and the parish or mission of any clergyman receiving a grant from this fund shall not be entitled to receive a grant from the mission fund." Proviso.—Provided always that in case the surplus commutation income shall not suffice to pay all the clergy of 15 years' standing entitled to rank on this fund, then they shall be entitled to be placed thereon only so far as the funds will permit, in the order of their seniority, and should there be a surplus after paying all those entitled to rank on this fund, the whole or any part thereof may be granted by the executive committee to the mission fund, and the ultimate balance, if any, shall be applied to capital. Amendments to the canon on the mission fund were proposed to make it harmonize with the canon on surplus commutation fund, the synod going into committee of the whole.

Canon XXVIII.—Insert as clause 2: "Every station or group of stations deemed by the executive committee unable to contribute $700 per annum to the support of a clergyman shall for the purposes of this canon be called a mission, and such places only shall be eligible for a grant from the mission fund."

Amend clause 2 as follows and number it 3:

(3). The duty of maintaining the clergyman, and providing him with a residence shall rest primarily upon the mission receiving his services, and aid from the mission fund shall be regarded as temporary and made to the mission for the purpose of assisting it in the performance of that duty, and shall be reduced or withdrawn so soon as the circumstances of the mission will permit.

Clause 3 amended as follows and number it 4:

(4). No mission shall receive aid from the mission fund whose clergyman receives a grant from the surplus commutation fund, or which is assessed (including the net proceeds from the local endowment) to the amount of the canonical stipend of the clergyman serving it; no grant from the mission fund to any mission shall exceed $300 per annum, and should any mission fail to pay the amount for which it is assessed it shall receive from the mission fund only such a sum as together with the amount for which it has been assessed wuold have brought the stipend up to $700 per annum.

Strike out clause a, b, c, d, e, and substitute:

a. For deacons, such an amount as the parish to which they are appointed can provide. The bishop to decide as to the amount.

b. For priests, $700.

Proviso 2.—If the available income of the mission fund be at any time insufficient to make the stipends of the clergy entitled thereto up to $700 per annum, then such a reduction shall be made in the grants as shall leave the incomes of all clergymen entitled to $700 per annum equal, and as may be necessary to meet such deficiency, so that the annual expenditure in any year shall not be greater than the income, and the last quarterly payment under this canon shall not be payable until the close of the financial year.

On motion of the dean the following was added:

c. Such clergymen as are ordained by the bishop of the diocese, or, having come from another diocese, have been ordained not more than three years, are not more than 30 years of age, and have not received an outfit therein, and are appointed to a parish necessitating the keeping of a horse, shall receive the sum of $100 as an outfit, and this sum shall be given upon condition that at least three years' service be given in the diocese by the clergyman receiving the grant.

Several amendments were proposed by Mr. T. H. Luscombe, Rev. E. Lee, Judge Ermatinger and others, but the amendments finally passed as above stated.

The consideration of Canon XXVIII. on the widows' and orphans' fund was introduced by Rev. D. Williams.

The canon provides that the fund shall consist of the interest derived from investments, the entrance fees and subscriptions from the clergy, an annual payment from the general purpose fund of $5 for each clergyman, and the proceeds of collections. The list of clergymen shall consist of life members of the old Church Society, those now on the fund, and those who shall place themselves on the list as provided. The payments shall be made acording to the following scale: If under 30 years of age, $5 on entrance; over 30 and under 60 years, $5, and $5 additional for each year over 30. If 60 years or over he cannot be placed upon the fund. The entrance fee may be paid in five annual payments, if so desired. An annual fee of $5 shall be paid by each clergyman except life members of the old Church Society.

Clause 6 provides that if a clergyman falls into arrears in the payment of his annual fee of $5, interest at the rate of 6 per cent shall be charged, and if a clergyman be in arrears at the time of his death his widow shall receive a sum in proportion to the full annuity as the total sum paid by him is to the amount required.

This was debated at considerable length, but the clause was finally adopted without amendment.

The bishop appointed Revs. W. Craig, C. R. Gunne and D. Williams, and Messrs. Principal Dymond Dr. Bowlby and C. Jenkins a committee on church congress.

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Saginaw Fellow Hit His Mother-in-Law With an Axe.

Saginaw, Mich., June 23.—William Doyle, who hit his mother-in-law, Mrs. Eliza Bell, over the head with an axe, was arraigned in Police Court Wednesday morning, charged with intoxication. The woman refused to make a stronger complaint against him and wanted the court to let him off easy. Judge O'Brien assessed him $3.

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