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London, Monday, September 14

Those Jubilee Presents.

The Queen's Jubilee presents, which have been on exhibition at Toronto, were advertised as a feature of the Ottawa Fair, which begins this week, but the Ottawa people discovered, only on Saturday that they were not to have the presents after all. The Western Fair directors could have told them that some time ago. The former took steps to secure this unparalleled collection for London before the Ottawa directors thought of it, but were informed by Mr. Christie, who has charge of the gifts, that they could not be packed and shipped to London in less than two weeks. Upon learning this the Western Fair directors, who had placed themselves in communication with the British authorities, through Lord Strathcona, abandoned the idea. We mention this circumstance to show that the management of the Western was not lacking in enterprise and to correct the statement that Ottawa had stolen a march on London because the latter had not sufficient influence at Ottawa. No doubt these presents were a great drawing card at Toronto, and would have been worth a good deal to the Western Fair, but such an attraction could not be provided every year and the prosperity and value of an annual exhibition rests upon its permanent features. The weather is the only doubtful element in the success of the Western Fair of 1903. Every other factor is assured.

Canada and the Mother Country.

A correspondent of the London Spectator complains that there is a growing tendency in Canada to regard the old country with "sentiments less of affection than half kindly, half contemptuous tolerance." He says the popular idea in Canada is that the British army is an inadequate collection of under-fed, over-drilled British soldiers and that the bright-eyed Canadian boys brought the war to a close. These statements are an exaggeration of a widespread feeling in Canada that the old country needs to be shaken out of a rut. There is no denying that the Boer war was a great disillusionment to the people of the colonies, who had been reared in the belief that the British army was the greatest fighting machine in the world and the British war office an institution of mysterious efficiency. The war was a revelation of blundering stupidity, which knocked over many cherished traditions. There is a popular impression in this country, also, that the mother country is too much inclined to rest upon her achievements and is allowing her equipment to get out of date. The correspondent of the Spectator says that the point of view of the British public has been fed because Canadians get their British news through American channels. This is a factor but only a minor one. Canadians cannot be blamed for thinking there is something radically wrong in the old land when the note of pessimism is being sounded so loudly there by authoritative voices. Sir William Crookes, Sir Norman Lockyer and many of the leading British scientists declare that Germany and the United States have stolen a march on Great Britain in the application of science to industry and they are seeking to rouse the British people to a sense of their danger. In a sensational address the other evening Sir Norman Lockyer, the president of the British Association for the Advancement of Science, described the educational resources of the country as being pitifully inadequate beside those of her industrial rivals, and made an impassioned plea for the development of more brain power in place of more gun power. In Canada we see the British manufacturer, with the advantage of a large tariff preference over all foreign competitors, allowing himself to be crowded out in many lines by the Americans, because of his inflexibility and refusal to study and adapt himself to the Canadian market. We see American capital pouring into the country and reaping the profits of its great development, while the British investor holds aloof. It is not surprising that there is a prevalent notion here that the old country is moving in a jog-trot and needs to be spurred by the colonies. The latter should not forget what they owe to the mother country, but among the younger generation the native born of Canada and Australia, the ties of sentiment and tradition, which bind them to the old soil, are not so strong as with their forebears. Perhaps Mr. Chamberlain is right in believing these must be reinforced by the ties of material interest, if the empire is to be consolidated.

A Good Roads Movement.

In connection with the agitation that has been in progress for over a year to lead the Dominion Government to establish a Dominion division for good roads, a strong deputaion is to wait on the Government next Thursday at Ottawa. Among the members of this deputaion will be the wardens of all the various counties in Eastern Ontario, representing the Eastern Ontario Good Roads Association, members of the Union of Canadian Municipalities, whose annual convention will be in session at the time in Ottawa, representatives of the Canadian Wheelmen's Association, and of the Ontario Municipal Association. Several city and county councils will also be represented. Many of the members intend to

have their representatives in Parliament act on the deputaion with them. While this agitation was first started by representatives of the rural interests, the cities have taken the matter up in the belief that such a department can be of great value to them. Every year cities expend more or less money experimenting in the construction of pavements and roadways. It is believed a Dominion division could take steps to collect particulars showing the cost of construction and durability of roads built not only by various cities in Canada, but by cities in the United States and Great Britain as well. This information could be prepared in such form as to be available for any city desiring particulars concerning such work. In this way it is believed thousands of dollars could be saved. Many cities in the States are at present experimenting with upwards of fifteen to twenty different kinds of roadways, and find it very expensive. A Dominion division such as is desired could save Canadian cities this expenditure.

Country districts are anxious for a division for much the same reasons. Very few counties in Canada have as yet constructed stone roads, except in Ontario, where the appointment of a commissioner of highways, and the appropriation of £100,000 by the Provincial Government have stimulated the good roads movement. It is believed, if particulars were readily available to county and township councils concerning the cost and best method of constructing not only stone and gravel roads, but graded earth roads, as well, they would be the more ready to take the matter up.

The Good Roads Associations throughout the Dominion of Canada are agitating for good roads legislation, but have not funds or means to conduct a thorough investigation concerning the success of the various forms of legislation that have been tried not only by certain provinces in Canada, notably Ontario, but by many of the States in the American Union. Were this information to be carefully collected it is believed it would be of great value particularly to provincial legislatures when they come to deal with the subject of good roads.

It is also believed demonstrations in the construction of good roads could be given by many of the large exhibitions throughout Canada. Good Roads Associations could be assisted in their efforts to hold large conventions; reduced rates could be secured over railways for the transportation of road-making material; classes of instruction could be established in the various provinces as regards the proper method of building roads, and much other work of a similar nature could be carried on. In view of the large sums that are being expended by the Government for the improvement of railways and canals, it is felt more attention could be given to the improvement of common highways throughout the country. A national division similar to the one desired in Canada has been doing splendid work in the United States for several years.

So wide has the agitation become that cities all through Canada have adopted resolutions favoring the establishment of such a division. Among these cities are Ottawa, Winnipeg, Victoria and others, besides numerous county councils. The Ontario Municipal Association, which represents nearly every city and town in Ontario, passed a strong resolution at its recent convention in Guelph.

Hon. Sydney Fisher, under whose department such a division is likely to come, is said to be in favor of action on the part of the Government. The deputaion hopes next Thursday to ascertain just how soon such a division is likely to be established.

Canada's trade has gone up \$13,000,000 in the past two months as compared with the same period last year. She can almost see herself growing.

A 12-year-old girl in Hamilton took Paris prize rather than yield to her brother's entreaties to return to St. Thomas. We can quite understand her attitude toward St. Thomas, but not toward Hamilton.

The complete returns from the Manitoba Province election show that Conservative candidates polled 28,925 votes, Liberals 23,740 and Independents 2,563. Yet the Conservatives got 21 seats, the Liberals 9 and the Independents 0. Under the present system of representation these inequalities will occur apart from any gerrymandering; but both parties lose and profit alike.

The American trunk lines have lowered their grain rate one cent per bushel from Buffalo to New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Boston, in order to meet the competition of Canadian railroads. The latter lowered their rate to meet the competition of the Canadian canals. The Canadian canals appear to dictate to every grain route on the continent.

A new type of steamship has been launched at Newcastle, Eng., for the Canadian grain traffic. It will carry a cargo of 100,000 bushels of wheat from Port William to Montreal without bulk. The largest vessel now going through the Welland and St. Lawrence canal carries 75,000 bushels. There are great things in store for the Canadian water route.

Mr. Burris Gahan, of this city, writing from Sydney, N.S.W., to the Globe, describes the attitude of Australia toward Mr. Chamberlain's policy. The ministerialists are protectionists and demand that any preference to Great Britain must be given by raising the duties against foreign goods, not by lowering them against British goods. The Oppositionists are free traders and their theory forbids a tariff which would make a preference possible. There is not much comfort for Mr. Chamberlain in either position.

The Redistribution.

(Toronto News.)
When Mr. Charles Hyman thinks of what he could have done in the way of redistributing Ontario, he feels indignant at the complaints of the Conservatives.

Truthless Telegraphy.

(Hamilton Times.)
And one short year ago Mr. Tarte wired a Montreal paper that he would be a Liberal long after that paper was dead!

Earthly Women.

(Chicago Tribune.)
The literary editor's assistant dipped her pen in the ink again, but still hesitated.

"What is the name of that famous woman novelist that has written so many books?" she asked.
"Do you mean George Sand?" said the literary editor.
"No, but that helps me out," she rejoined, writing away busily. "I was trying to think of Bertha M. Clay."

A Privet Explained.

(Chicago Tribune.)
The leopard cannot change his spots—A fact that is not strange.
He knows if he should shift his dots We'd quickly spot the change.

Gifted With Second Sight.

(Life.)
Gas Man—I came (hic) to see y'r gas meter.
Lady of the house—But you've been drinking.
Orders of company. Now I see double!

Lipton's Predecessor.

(Cleveland Plaindealer.)
Columbus, with his ships, was approaching America.
"Geel!" muttered the Indians, "this is the first man to come after the cup in 1,492 years!"
Hastily secreting their treasure, they watched the ships spread out their baby jib topsails.

The Lost Gaffer.

(Punch.)
The sharp decline of ping-pong these days has attracted a number of golfers from the middle sport. These were the toys for which Fortune here we are.
Of Jennings, our captain, the pride of us all.
Shopped with clubs to sell handed him rackets.
Rackets of sandpaper, rubber and felt, said to secure an unplayable service.
Pestilent screws and the death-dealing well.
He had played with him, partnered him, sworn by him.
Copied his pitches, in height and in cut, hung on his words, as he delved in a bunker.
Made him our pattern, to drive and to putt.
Benedick's was it, the Major is of us, Swiper the county bat's still going strong.
He alone broke from the links and the clubhouse.
He alone sank in the slough of Ping-Pong.

We have "come on"—but not his the example.
Sloe-gin has quickened us—not his the cash;
Holes done in 6 where a 4 would be ample.
Vexed him not, busy perfecting a smash.
Razed was his name as a decadent angel.
One more mind unbinged by a piffant game.
One more parlor-hero, the worshiped of schoolgirls.
Who once had a princely "plus 5" to his name.
Jennings is gone; yet perhaps he'll come back to us.
Healed of his hideous lesion of brain, Back to the links in the daytime; at twilight.
Back to his cosy club-corner again.
Back for the Medal Day, back for our foursores.
Back from the tables' diminishing throng.
Back from the infantile, ceaseless half-volley.
Back from the lunatic lure of Ping-Pong.

"For Further Particulars"

(London Punch.)
Extract from a contemporary: "We must protest with all our power against the disgusting and degrading spectacle of a prize fight which took place on Saturday between Jeffries and Corbett. Full details will be found on page 6."

Which Will It Be?

(Rev. Mr. Knowles, Galt.)
Your marriage day will be to you the radiant day of your redemption or the lowering night of your inevitable doom. It will be a scepter diamond-crowned, or it will be a scourge of knotted cords.

Can, If They Will.

(Kingston Whig.)
The Deeringes, the men who have erected an immense agricultural wood in Hamilton, will manufacture under twine on their own account. They can if they will, with their capital and plant, make an end of the combine.

At the Seashore.

(Chicago Post.)
"Can you swim?" she asked.
"No," he answered, "but I can hold you up while you're trying to learn."
"That is all that is necessary," she cried, joyously.

Reducing the Average.

(Baltimore American.)
Waggerby—See that woman and her husband? That woman is the sole support of the family. She has washed for 30 years.
Naggsby—And the husband?
Waggerby—He hasn't.

The Mud Bath Cure.

(Philadelphia Press.)
"Poor fellow," His doctor tells him the only thing that will cure him is a course of mud baths, and he can't afford to go to the mud springs.
"But surely he can go into politics and let the mud come to him."

Epitaph.

(Saturday Review.)
The field where men for little trophies vie.
The hollow acclamation lightly won.
Alfred here once he loved the quiet sky.
Wide spaces, and the universal sun.
His spirit, native to the mountain air.
Stumbled through marshy valleys down to death;
Broken in frame, he smiled to cheat despair.
And strove to sling with thin, impeded breath.
He lies beneath: in life he vainly tried.
To breathe the large notes upon a flute too slim;
Unuttered raptures filled him till he died.
Pray for his soul; his songs are dead with him.



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COINED MONEY IN PENITENTIARY

Prisoners Turn Out Bad Money Beneath Noses of the Officials.

Philadelphia, Sept. 12.—Following closely upon the exposure of gross irregularities in the cigar department of the Eastern Penitentiary, came the public announcement tonight that the illegal manufacture of minor silver pieces has been carried on in the big institution. The details of the counterfeiting scheme can be learned from any of the officials connected with the prison, or from the government officials that have been assigned to the case.
From other sources, however, it was learned that dimes, quarters and half dollars were the coins manufactured. Later in the night further details of the counterfeiting scheme leaked out. These were to the effect that five men were engaged in the work, the head of the counterfeiting being a Philadelphia now completing his second term for this offense. The others were professional criminals, who secured through the plumbing department of the prison the necessary metal, made of solder, tin and ground glass. The molds, it is believed, were made of plaster of Paris, scraped from the walls of the cells.
United States secret service officials are investigating as to whether there was collusion between the convicts and employees of the institution.

DRIVEN MAD BY WHISTLE

Shriek of Engine Causes Youth to Lose His Reason.

Minneapolis, Minn., Sept. 14.—Driven mad by the shriek of a locomotive whistle, the first one he had ever seen at close quarters, George Cusic, aged 17 years, is at his parents' home in South Sharon, Penn., and Dr. Kennedy, who is attending him, says that he will probably be sent to an asylum.
The doctor reports the case as one of the most peculiar that ever came under his observation. Cusic immigrated to America from Italy a short time ago. Last Friday was the day set for the arrival of the boy's sister, and as is the custom among the foreigners, a great number of relatives congregated at the Erie depot to await the arrival of the train.
Standing on the platform when the train from New York rounded the curve was young Cusic. The engineer gave several shrill blasts of the whistle and young Cusic was "scared out of his wits."
It was the first time he had ever seen anything like it and his reason left him completely. He was unable to resist the temptation of running after the train, and has since repeatedly refused to believe it is she.

At times he is delirious and dangerous, and at times a stuper, becoming apparently lifeless. The case is puzzling the local physicians.

STRIKE SETTLED

The Bell Organ Employees Return to Work.

Guelph, Sept. 14.—The strike in the finishing department of the Bell Organ and Piano Company has been settled Saturday afternoon on the following terms: The men resume work, for which they will be paid at the following rates per hour: Day work—Fitters, 17 cents; varnishers, 21 cents; rubbers, 21 cents; polishers, 21 cents.
There is no settlement yet in the molders' strike at the Taylor-Forbes factory.

THE COMMONS DEBATE

Understanding Reached to Prorogue in Three Weeks.

Ottawa, Sept. 14.—Discussion in committee of the whole on the bill providing for the construction of a new transcontinental line will be resumed by the House of Commons today. Mr. Borden is back greatly invigorated by his stay at Galted Springs, and will once more take charge of the Opposition forces. The debate will not last very long. A tact understanding has been already indicated in three weeks.

As soon as the Grand Trunk Pacific bill has passed the Opposition will be once more occupy attention. It is to be hoped that after the exhaustive discussion which has been already indulged in there will be no further recourse to obstructive tactics. The present effort to redress the wrongs of the old gerrymander is being fought by some of the Conservative members on sentimental grounds. They say there should be no interference with the older and more historic constituencies of Ontario. This is an argument that should have been addressed to the late Government, and not to the present administration. It was the former who laid ruthless hands upon the old historic constituencies and carved them in every conceivable way. The measure now before the house contemplates the righting of an old wrong.

Poor Girl, Pity Her.

Growing! Yes, into weakness, but not strength. Studies—plenty of them. Tired—of course she is, and weak, too. Does not eat enough and digests far less than enough. This condition is so frequent, parents. Give her Ferrozene, then watch her appetite improve, her cheeks and lips grow ruddy, her step elastic, her spirits ebbing and digesting enough, making blood, and thereby strengthening the nerve and brain power. Ferrozene gives a woman's strength to weak girls. Your daughter or wife needs Ferrozene. Get it today.

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CARS ARE TAKEN OFF

Rectory Street Is Again Without a Trolley Service.

On Saturday a report reached Engineer Graydon that the Street Railway Company had taken the cars off the Rectory street stub, which runs south from Dundas to Campbell street. Mr. Graydon at once notified Mr. Carr to furnish the regular service, and the manager replied that he would do his best and would try to maintain the Rectory street line fair week as usual.

BOGUS CHINA'VEN

Wily Mongolians Fool the United States Government.

San Francisco, Sept. 14.—A bold attempt has just been discovered to defraud the Government by shipping back to China on the steamer Gaelic six impostors in place of six Chinese who were ordered deported by United States District Judge De Haven. One arrest has been made and the others will follow shortly. More sensational developments are expected, as it is believed that the Government has stumbled on to the work of a ring. It is the contention of the Government officials that six genuine Chinese were in the county jail on Friday morning, and that they were removed from there at 7 o'clock by a deputy United States marshal and taken in a hack to the Pacific mail dock. From there they were placed safely on board the steamer Gaelic. Five hours later the gang could not be found, but in their stead were impostors in no way resembling them in appearance. The impostors are in the dark so far as having any knowledge as to how this lightning-change act came about.

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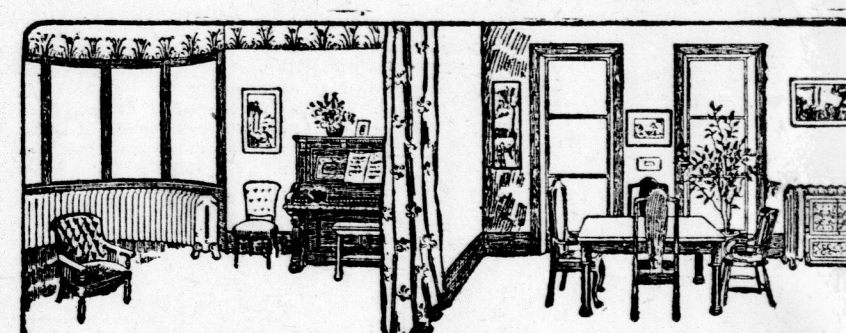
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A Transport Sunk.

London, Sept. 14.—An unconfirmed rumor is current that a transport carrying a British regiment to India foundered in the gale which swept the British coast last Thursday.

The Kaiser's army is served regularly with bread and porridge made largely from the peanut. German Government chemists have been for some time endeavoring to extract the active principle of the ground pea for service in concentrated, palatable, liquid form.

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THE MARKETS

STOCK MARKETS.

NEW YORK.
H. C. Becker, broker, Bank of Com-
merce building, received the following by
private wire from Bartlett, Frazier &
Carrington today:

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Unfavorable
weather advices from the corn belt and
the main factor apparently in the stock
market, and it was a decidedly adverse
one. Both the official reports and private
weather reports agree that a very un-
settled condition exists in the Northwest,
and that heavy frosts have been felt as
far south as Nebraska. Of course, the
effect has been exaggerated in the specu-
lative mind, but the result is that the
stock market has been stirred from its
apathy, only to develop weakness. It
cannot be said that any great action
developed during the forenoon session,
and it is not possible to hold out the
hope that any increase in business is
likely. The grangers felt the brunt of
the selling this morning. Pressure de-
veloped after the opening, but a review
of the operations in these stocks bring out
the fact that they acted very well. Ac-
tively, the market has been well held. The buying
has been good, while the selling has been
principally by traders. St. Paul lacked
backbone for a time, but eventually
steadied. Union Pacific and Southern
Pacific withstood pressure very easily
during the first hour, and the total de-
clines in these issues have not been
reached. Brooklyn Rapid Transit again
proved itself unduly weak, and even the
favorable comments on its better show-
ing of earnings available for stock-
holders. The Steel stocks showed further
injection, and a new low record for
the common has been established. There
is no news bearing on them worth relat-
ing, but sentiment is not very strong.
The weak. The coldest lack animation.
Sales to noon, 210,000 shares.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Sept. 14.

Canadian Pacific, new. 122 1/2

Duluth, common. 122 1/2

Duluth, preferred. 122 1/2

Winnipeg Electric. 122 1/2

Montreal Street Railway. 122 1/2

West India. 122 1/2

John Street Railway. 122 1/2

Twin City Transit Railway. 122 1/2

Twin City Railway, new. 122 1/2

Richfield and Ontario. 122 1/2

Commercial Cable. 122 1/2

Montreal Telephone. 122 1/2

Bell Telephone. 122 1/2

Domestic Iron and Steel, com. 122 1/2

Domestic Iron and Steel, pref. 122 1/2

Domestic Coal, com. 122 1/2

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LOCAL MARKET.

LONDON, Monday, Sept. 14.

There was considerable business done

on the market here this forenoon.

There were 35 loads of hay offered, and

prices varied according to the quality of

the hay, at 47 to 49 per ton, only one

load bringing the last-named figure.

One load of straw sold at 35 per ton.

Oats were very scarce. Load of old

oats was all that was offered, and they

brought 36 per cental.

No wheat was offered today.

One load of barley of last season's

crop brought 38 per cental; it was a

very poor sample.

One load of peas, also last year's crop,

sold at 41 per cental.

There will not be much business done

on the market here on Wednesday and

Thursday, as the weather on account of

the fair. Farmers should make a

few sales.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

LONDON, Monday, Sept. 14.

Live cattle—Live cattle steady at

11 1/2 to 12 1/2 lb for American steers,

dressed weight; Canadian steers, 10 1/2

to 11 1/2 lb; calves, 8 to 9 1/2 lb; sheep,

11 1/2 to 12 1/2 lb.

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Special Educational Advantages for Young Ladies.

Re-Opens Sept. 9.

TELEPHONE 1717.

FIRST AFFAIR OF FAIR

Would-be Sharper Meets More Than His Match.

"You can't judge a man by his clothes" is an adage that can be truthfully applied to a Richmond street occurrence this morning. The L. H. and K. train, which arrived at 10 o'clock, brought a large crowd of visitors to the fair. Among them was a young man who looked sorrowful and a trifle seely. As he walked along the street a smooth-looking fellow walked up to him and asked him if he wanted to buy a watch for a very small sum.

"No, I got one last year like it and it was no good," said he.

"You could not have bought one like this," said the slick one, edging up to his intended customer.

"Well, I don't want it anyway," answered the man from the north.

"I think you're a rube," said the member of the raffish gang.

This evidently roused the ire of the former, for in an instant he landed his fist on the other man's jaw with considerable force. The latter, as he likely was, and his watch went sprawling out into the road. The latter was not supposed to be where it was this time.

A GOOD MEDICINE requires little advertising. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil gained the good name it now enjoys, not through elaborate advertising, but on its great merits as a remedy for bodily pains and ailments of the respiratory organs. It has carried its fame with it wherever it has gone, and it is prized at the apothecaries as well as at home. Dose small.

Hagar Shoes

A host of new effects are being shown in the Hagar Shoes for men and women, every one having that distinctiveness which characterizes all of the Hagar Shoes, and which makes them so much worn by those who admire exclusiveness of fashion.

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A few used Pianos at Special Prices.

Can You Expect

a private executor to give his first attention to your affairs after your death when he could not do it for you were you alive?

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We are offering as a Fair Special, a Gold-Filled and Gold-plated watch, with a fine movement for this price.

The designs are all very handsome, and will be great sellers.

This is just one among many fine things that we are offering. Call and see them, also our window display.

W. G. YOUNG

Official Watch Inspector, C.P.E.

214 Dundas Street.

LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Miss Katie Richardson left this week for Buffalo, where she has entered one of the hospitals to train for a nurse.

—The London and Western Trusts Company has applied for appointment as guardian to the estate of John Curgenven, of the township of Bruce.

—The London and Western Trusts Company has applied for appointment as guardian to the estate of Thomas White, late of Owasco, Michigan.

—Dr. W. J. Stevenson, of this city, who intends taking a post office course with Dr. Ferguson, of Chicago, will not leave for that place for a month or more.

—Miss Eva N. Roblyn has returned to the city after an extended vacation at Niagara Falls, Buffalo and Toronto and will resume her work at her London studio this week.

—The Chatham Planet says that the Warren Bathing Pavilion Company's plant have just about completed their work in London, and that the plant will be removed to Chatham at once.

—The wedding took place at Chatham Wednesday of Mr. Thomas Adams, of Joliet, Ill., to Miss Alice L. Hall, of Chatham. The young couple are spending their honeymoon in this city. Mr. Adams is a former Londoner.

—A lamp shade caught fire at the residence of Mr. George Webb, 105 Ann street last night about 7:30, and a fire alarm was sounded by a passerby who saw the blaze. Before the fire reached the scene, however, the fire had been extinguished, the damage done being slight.

—The funeral of Willie, the eight-year-old son of Mr. Wm. A. Wanless, district clerk at Wolseley Barracks, was held Saturday afternoon from the family residence, Quebec street, to Woodland cemetery. Among the floral offerings was a wreath from the sergeants of Wolseley Barracks, and a wreath from the children at the barracks, among whom the little fellow was well-liked.

—The Auxiliary of the W. M. S. in connection with Empress Avenue Methodist Church held its annual meeting the other afternoon. The year just closed has been the most successful in the history of the Auxiliary. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—President, Mrs. Thomas Heritage; first vice, Mrs. J. A. Harrison; second vice, Mrs. Wm. Spence; third vice, Mrs. Stinchcombe; recording secretary, Mrs. Wm. Guest; corresponding secretary, Mrs. T. E. Harrison; treasurer, Mrs. R. Greene; superintendent of systematic giving, Mrs. J. D. Saubey.

An extraordinary attraction during Western Fair week will be the great historic concert, afternoon and evening, in Princess Rink, London.

Wednesday, Sept. 16. The Toronto newspapers say the patriotic enthusiasm and interest exceeded all bounds; there has never been anything like it. The music is magnificent, as might be expected from King Edwards' special and favorite band, fresh from the metropolis of the empire. Afternoon performance opens warning.

Western Fair

Better and Greater Than Ever.

But no Better or Greater Than the Following Bargains:

Ladies' Guaranteed 25-year 14-K. Gold-Filled Watches, Waltham Movement, \$12.

Gents' Guaranteed 25-year 14-K. Gold-Filled Watches, Waltham Movement, \$15.

Ladies' Same in 7 jewels, \$12.

Gents' Guaranteed 20-year 10-K. Gold-Filled Watches, Waltham Movement, \$10.

Gents' Solid Silver Cases, Waltham Movement, \$7.

Gents' Silveroid Cases, Waltham Movement, \$6.

Ladies' Solid Gold Rings, set with pearls and garnets, \$1.25, \$1.75 and \$2.

Ladies' Single Stone Rings, \$1.50.

Ladies' Three-Stone, opals or garnets, \$3.50.

Brooches, Rings, Cuff-Links, all at great bargains.

BUY THE BEST, want the BEST costs no more than trash. All goods have my own guarantee.

G. R. SUMNER,

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Watchmaker and Jeweler.

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Ruffs and Stoles will be the correct thing for when the cooler weather comes.

BELTZ

Leading Furrier.

Moved Across the Street.

at 3:15, evening at 8:15. Reservation of seats at 206 Dundas street.

—Miss Bertha King-Bell, who recently returned to London from Boston, where she graduated in the Fletcher music method, has opened her studio at 174 Maple street, where she will receive pupils and after Sept. 16, at the last examinations at the London Conservatory of Music. Miss King-Bell took first-class honors in musical history, and form, and honors in intermediate counterpoint and harmony. She is also certificated in the Incorporated Society of Musicians of London, England, and of the Royal Academy of Music. Miss King-Bell is specializing in the Fletcher method, which lessens the difficulties experienced by young children in studying music, but she takes senior pupils as well.

BROKE A DRIVING WHEEL.

Yard engine No. 56 of the Grand Trunk, broke a driving wheel, just west of the Wellington street crossing. It took the combined efforts of two locomotives to pull the crippled machine into the shops.

MISS SMITH RESIGNS.

Assistant Lady Superintendent Miss L. S. Smith has resigned her position at Victoria Hospital to accept one at Philadelphia. Miss Smith is a native of Orillia. She was for Philadelphia Wednesday.

RESIDENCE SOLD.

The residence of the late W. C. L. Gill, corner of Dufferin avenue and Cartwright street, was sold by Mr. J. W. Jones, auctioneer, on Saturday afternoon to Mr. George Brickenden, for \$2,500. The property on York street was withdrawn, the bids being too low. Both properties are under the control of the London and Western Trusts Company.

WANT ANOTHER HOP.

With the continuance of the good weather the patrons of Dayton & McCormick, who have been holding such successful hops this summer at Springbank, hope that the date Friday night will not be the last one down the river. Friday night's affair was well attended and was as enjoyable as any this season.

EFFECT OF INCOME EXEMPTION LAW.

It looks as though the city stands to lose about \$50,000 in assessment this year as a consequence of the new income exemption law, which now exempts up to \$1,000 instead of \$750. This means that the city will lose \$250,000 in the rate for 1904, which will in all probability be forced up in order to make up for this loss. But of course the ratepayers who are making hard cash out of the tax rate for 1904 will not be in a hurry to learn of this move on his part. While a merchant of London he proved to have splendid business ability, and will undoubtedly make a success in Toronto.

GOOD SERVICES RECOGNIZED.

The London Association of Hamilton Old Boys met recently and would up all business connected with the excursion to the old town in August. The members of the association also seized the opportunity to recognize the valuable services rendered by the secretary, Mr. T. C. Wright, when they presented him with a beautiful gold watch. Messrs. R. Rowan and T. O'Don, who carried the association's standard in the procession at Hamilton, were each presented with a pipe. The presentations were made by leading members of the association, who spoke of the manner in which the clients had performed their duties to the satisfaction of every person concerned.

BEWARE OF PICKPOCKETS

Grand Trunk Posts Signs Also It Station to Warn Public.

The Grand Trunk has taken a wise step to protect their patrons while on the station during the fair week. Big, black type, signs of "Beware of Pickpockets" have been posted up in every conspicuous place about the depot. The station has been the scene of many a delicate "touch" by the smooth-fingered craft, and the authorities are bound to do everything in their power to give the traveling public who now see their hopes realized.

Our Vinegars Will Keep Your Catsup and Pickles Good to the Last.

That is the reason we sell so much Vinegar.

Leave your orders this week for TOMATOES—

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IMPORTANT APPOINTMENTS

MADE BY BISHOP OF HURON

Archdeacon Davis to Succeed Late Dean Innes—Canon Dunn Made Rector of St. Paul's.

Archdeacon Davis, rector of St. James' Church, South London, will succeed the late Very Rev. Dean Innes as dean of Huron. In making the appointment, Bishop Baldwin was influenced by the excellent work done by Archdeacon Davis in the interests of the diocese at large. For over a quarter of a century the archdeacon has been rector of St. James' Church, South London, and during that time his efforts have been exceptionally fruitful in advancing the interests of his church and people, while his labors have also been extended to and appreciated by the entire diocese.

The election of this archdeacon to dean of the diocese meets with the general approval of both clergy and laity.

Rev. Alfred Dunn, D. A., has been appointed rector of St. Paul's Cathedral. The announcement of this fact was made Saturday, when his Lordship the Bishop of Huron conveyed the nomination that he had accepted of the wishes of the congregation to Mr. Dunn and Bayly, representing the vestry. The announcement did not come as a surprise.

Rev. Canon Dunn is a native of Ireland, where he was ordained in 1871, and came to this country eight years ago, since which time the people here have become very devoted to him, and not only with the people of St. Paul's, but in the city as well. He has stated his intention to accept the nomination, the date of the institution of which will be announced later.

Yesterday morning he preached his first sermon since his appointment to the rectorship, and he appropriately spoke of the great privilege of ministering to them, which he said meant a like responsibility, and he would endeavor as rector to earnestly initiate the character and motives of the work the ministry as St. Paul had taught them to be.

In conclusion, he referred to the past eight years, in which he pointed out they had had their joys and their sorrows. He was thankful that they had overlooked many of his shortcomings.

Archdeacon Davis.

Appointed by the Bishop of Huron to succeed the late Rev. George M. Innes as Dean of the Diocese.

and in the goodness of their spirit had accepted his services in the spirit in which they had been given. He asked them to continue their confidence in him for what would help them much in their mutual responsibility.

OPENING THE NEW MISSION IN WEST LONDON ON SUNDAY

Hopes Long Entertained About to be realized—Building Nearly Free of Debt.

The opening of the new Proudfoot Memorial Mission in West London yesterday marked the attainment of hopes long entertained by the workers of the St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. It was a successful opening, for at each service there was a large attendance. The services were interesting, the morning one being conducted by Rev. Dr. Johnston, and the evening one by Rev. Mr. McMillan, of the New Church, Church.

In the afternoon an open Sunday school meeting was held at which there was a full attendance of St. Andrew's choir, while at the morning and evening services the choir was also present.

The opening of this mission, which is situated on the corner of the Wharmfloe road and Alexander street on a lot 50x115 feet, and the building itself is 20x45 feet, is a fine example of the structure of white brick, divided into two good sized class rooms, a library and the main hall, and is large, light and commodious, about 225 people. The furnishings are complete: it is lighted by electricity. The building is a very bright one, the interior of which is comfortable about 225 people. The four walls the scene must have been one of the greatest satisfaction to those who have in their hearts to the work. About the walls are texts. The other furnishings are simple and in keeping with the mission.

The mission has this beauty, unique among church edifices, that it is free of debt. The committee in charge of the work were so careful that practically the building was opened to practically no dollar was owing upon it. The collections during the day being sufficient to pay off the few small outstanding debts. This fact was referred to as a matter of gratitude by Rev. Dr. Johnston in the morning. The building was opened to practically no dollar was owing upon it. The collections during the day being sufficient to pay off the few small outstanding debts. This fact was referred to as a matter of gratitude by Rev. Dr. Johnston in the morning.

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He wanted this mission to do the work of God it was not a matter of dedicating the building but dedication and consecration of the members. In nextness, fitness and suitability this church was ideal and left nothing to be desired but he urged them to dedicate themselves as houses of prayer, and in the congregation of St. Andrew's, who now see their hopes realized.

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