

BOER LEADERS

APPEAL FOR AID

To Prevent Ruin of Thousands in South Africa

A NON-POLITICAL MISSION

Rush to the Zoutpansberg District Mines—Awful Ravages of Anterior Fever.

Amsterdam, Sept. 11.—At the reception of the Boer generals at the town hall, Gen. De Wet, in reply to the burgomaster's speech, said: "We have come to ask for help for the widows, orphans and other necessitous persons. Upon assistance of this kind from England the Boers cannot count." The general also remarked: "If England wishes to have the Boer descendants of the Hugenots as subjects, before God I am willing to be a loyal subject until the day of God shall come. We wish to be loyal to the new government, hoping that the latter will carry out its engagements."

At a subsequent luncheon Gen. Botha declared that peace, which had brought them all they had desired, was due to the mediation of the Dutch premier, Dr. Kuyper, who had thus rendered service to the Boers. Gen. Botha also thanked Holland for the manner in which it had welcomed Messrs. Kruger, Steyn and Reitz. Gen. Botha, speaking again, said: "We have lost our independence and have endeavored to obtain compensation from the new government for our burnt farms. We have every reason to believe no compensation will be forthcoming. Help is absolutely necessary to prevent the ruin of thousands."

THE WAR COMMISSION.
London, Sept. 11.—The commission to inquire into the South African war preparations and the military operations up to the time of the occupation of Pretoria was appointed yesterday. The commissioners are the Earl of Elgin and Kincardine, chairman; Lord Esher, Sir George Dashwood, Goldie, Field Marshal Lord Roberts, Lord Wolmer, Admiral Sir John Hopkins, Sir John Edge and Sir Jackson.

NEW ELDORADO.
Pretoria, Sept. 11.—The pinging of claims in the Zoutpansberg district began this week. There is a great rush to the district, which the prospectors are confident contains great wealth in minerals. Danger arises from whites flocking there without capital to sustain them for some months, there being few employers of labor. These men may become pressed for food, and steal from the Kafirs, who would resent the thefts by killing the whites, the trouble eventually developing into a big native rising. There are more natives in the Zoutpansberg district than in all the rest of the Transvaal. The banks at Johannesburg, in the Zoutpansberg, have reopened. Many Arab traders have started stores there, and are doing a large trade with the Kafirs.

RAVAGES OF ENTERIC.
London, Sept. 12.—Presiding at the sanitary science section of the sanitary congress, in session at Manchester, Sir James Crichton Browne, M.D., emphasizing the necessity for reform in the sanitary organization of the British army, said enteric fever during the South African war had reduced the fighting force by 70,000 to 80,000 men. But for this the war would have ended six months earlier and \$200,000,000 to \$350,000,000 would have been saved.

Glanders at Ottawa.
Ottawa, Sept. 11.—The public drinking troughs in the city were all closed yesterday morning by order of the city engineer on account of the prevalence of glanders among the horses of the city. Dr. McEwen, of the department of agriculture, has agreed to diagnose all suspected cases for Inspector Bartlett, of the Human Society, and will have the nostrils of such animals as are condemned and killed preserved for the protection of the officers whose duty it is to stamp out the disease. The department will also act in conjunction with the city authorities, and render them all the aid in their power.



The fact that all women suffer during the birth-hour leads a great many women to accept a degree of suffering which is altogether unnecessary. Sometimes it is hours, sometimes days before the struggle is over. No medicine can absolutely eliminate pain from this time of travail, but Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription can and does make the baby's advent practically painless. It acts upon the organs of maternity, giving them strength and elasticity. It produces physical comfort and mental cheerfulness. It is an effective tonic, giving the mother abundant nutrition for her child.

"I believe I owe my life to Dr. Pierce's remedy, and have long felt it my duty to acknowledge the benefit I received from Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and 'Pleasant Pellets,' says Mrs. Maria O. Havel, writing from Brookland, D. C. 'Six years ago, after the birth of one of my children, I was left in a weak, downy condition. My health seemed utterly gone. Life was a burden. I doctored with three different physicians and got no relief. I began to get worse, and to add to the complications, I suffered terribly from constipation. I chanced to see one of your advertisements and concluded to try the above remedies. I commenced to take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and Pleasant Pellets, and began to improve right away, and continued improving and gaining in strength. I cannot express the relief it was to me. Seven months later my little daughter was born without much trouble. I feel that I would never have been able to endure my confinement without the help due solely to Dr. Pierce's medicines. She was a fine, healthy child, and the only one I have ever been able to nurse.'"

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation.

EIGHT THOUSAND YEARS OLD

Human Remains Have Been Unearthed at Gilga, Egypt.

London, Sept. 12.—Human remains recently unearthed at Gilga, in Egypt, consist of a continuous series extending backward over at least 8,000 years. The bodies are so well preserved, owing to the dryness of the atmosphere in the region and to the perfection of interment, that not only can the hair, the nails, the ligaments be made out, but also the muscles and the nerves. In almost every case the brain also is preserved, and the climax has been reached in two cases where the eyes, with the lens in good condition, are present, and in others which show the limb flexures and great splenic nerves.

There are now unearthed a series of later prehistoric graves ranging throughout the first fifteen dynasties, others of the eighteenth, and yet others of the Ptolemaic and early and recent Coptic periods.

Great Peace Meeting.

Asbury Park, N. J., Sept. 12.—At a great "peace" meeting just held here, in connection with the Quaker conference, nearly 2,000 Quakers were in attendance. A paper read by Henry M. Haviland, of Brooklyn, declared: "Civilization is not extended so much by stretching the boundary line as by the growth of peaceful arts. It is suspended during national conflicts."

OCEAN DYED CRIMSON

Atlantic for Miles Covered With Red Matter an Inch Thick.

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 12.—Capt. Delano of the steamer Chesapeake, which has just arrived from New York brought evidence of a queer phenomenon he witnessed at sea. On Sunday, when ten miles southeast of Fenwick Island Lightship, the Chesapeake suddenly ran into water that was blood-colored. A layer of what appeared to be lead-colored dust covered the surface of the water for miles.

At first Capt. Delano thought the change in the water's color could be attributed to reflection of the contents of some debris or liquid thrown overboard from a vessel. Several buckets were drawn up, and each was as deeply colored as the sea had appeared. Bottles were filled with the water. What then puzzled the captain was that the lead-like dust that covered the sea and apparently floated on the wine-colored water did not float, but mixed with the water and formed a sediment at the bottom of the bottles. The Chesapeake steamed 25 miles before the last of the claret-colored water was passed through.

Suicide of a Chaplain.

Washington, Sept. 12.—The secretary of the navy received a telegram yesterday from Rear Admiral Johnson, commanding the Boston navy yard, saying that Chaplain William F. Morrison committed suicide by shooting in the naval hospital at Chelsea.

PEOPLE LIVING LONGER

Census Figures Show Median Age Rising.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 11.—The census bureau has issued a statement showing the increasing age of the population from decade to decade. The statement gives the results of computing the median instead of the average age. The median is such an age that half the population is under it and half is over it.

The median age of the total population in 1900 was 22.3, as compared with 21.9 in 1890. The median age of the white population in the last census was 23.4, and the colored, including negroes, Indians and Mongolians, was 19.7, while in 1890 the white population was 22.4 and the colored 18.3.

The report shows that there was an increase in the median age of the white population during each decade from 1850 to 1900 amounting in the 50 years to 7.4 years, or an average amount of about five-sixths of a year in a decade.

The statement concludes as follows: "Many complex influences have co-operated in producing as a result that steady change in the age composition of the population. Three may be mentioned—the rapid progress of medical and sanitary science, which has tended to increase the average length of life; the decrease in the relative number of children born, which has made the earlier age periods less preponderant; and the increase in the total population and the influx, especially since 1850, of great numbers of adult immigrants, increasing the number in the old age periods."

Eastern Dairyman's Association.

Toronto, Sept. 11.—The Eastern Ontario Dairyman's Association, at their meeting on Tuesday, appointed President Derbyshire and Secretary Richard Murphy, Elgin, a committee, to make arrangements for the annual convention, to be held at Ottawa on Jan. 7, 8, and 9.

SONS OF ST. GEORGE

Convention of the North American Union in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Sept. 11.—Delegates to the nineteenth biennial convention of the North American St. George's Union were given a reception at St. George's House. In responding for the Canadian societies, E. J. B. Pense, of Kingston, Ont., said that their object is to copy the excellent example set by the St. George's societies of the United States. In Canada, he said, as in the United States, a great deal of misadventure is being done, not only in the west, but in foreign parts, in bringing heathen nations and tribes into civilization.

There were also made by A. R. Wigham, of this city, president of the North American St. George's Union; John Taylor, president of the Toronto St. George's Society; Kittie Hamilton, Ont.; Peter Birtwistle, of London, Ont.; and Rev. Lawrence, of this city, chaplain of the union.

The Canadian societies were represented also by W. A. Spratt, of Hamilton, and R. W. Elliott, Wm. Moss, and W. H. Williams, of Toronto. The American societies represented were the Sons of St. George and the Albion Society of Philadelphia.

IMPALED ON WAGON THILL

Pierced His Neck, But It Is Said He Will Recover.

Calumet, Mich., Sept. 12.—At the hospital to which he was removed after the accident, it is reported that 12-year-old Joseph Agnich will recover from what was at first believed to be fatal injuries.

The boy's mishap was a peculiar one. Young Agnich was waiting for a street car as a horse drawing a milk wagon was slowly trotting toward the same corner. Just as the boy started across the street to catch the car he ran against the horse. The thill of the wagon caught the boy under the chin with such force that it ran through his neck and came out behind the left ear, sticking out several inches behind the boy's head.

The lad was held suspended in the air for several minutes until some of the cooler heads in the crowd had released him from his position. Fortunately, and this is considered remarkable by the physicians, the thill missed the arteries and nerves, preventing the boy from bleeding to death.

Got Damages for False Arrest.

Toronto, Sept. 11.—Some time ago James Cochrane, a farmer, living in the county of Grey, had James Grantham, a fruit and vegetable dealer in the city, arrested on a charge of stealing a horse and harness. The charge was dismissed, and today in county court a jury awarded Grantham an \$200 damages against Cochrane for false arrest.

IN NONOGENARIAN CLASS

Spry Old New Hampshire Lady Celebrates Her 91st Birthday.

Penacook, N. H., Sept. 11.—Mrs. Clarissa Walker Currier, widow of Stephen H. Currier of this place, has just celebrated her 91st birthday. She has always lived in this town. When she was a young girl she used to walk six miles to church to the old North Church House in Concord, and she would carry her shoes and stockings with her and put them on just before arriving at the church.

She is a daughter of Moses and Judith Elliott, who were descendants of the first Elliotts, who settled here over 200 years ago. She is the only survivor of a family of sixty children. She makes her home with her only daughter. She has six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. She is able to see without glasses, and is quite active.

Mrs. Currier talks freely of the times when she was a girl, and is interested in the things of today. She has a cousin whom every one called Aunt Lydia, who lived to be 103 years old. Mrs. Currier picked a nice bouquet on her birthday and sent it to her granddaughter to the Boston Herald correspondent.

Smallpox at Port Huron.

Port Huron, Mich., Sept. 12.—Charles Wilson was taken down with smallpox yesterday, making the second case in two weeks, and several people who have been exposed are quarantined in the same house.

VERDICT FOR \$388,000

Scheming Widow Loses the Suit Brought by Heirs to Big Estate.

New Orleans, Sept. 10.—The grand jury has returned an indictment against Mrs. Mary Louise Dauphin, widow of Maximilian Dauphin, for many years president of the Louisiana State Lottery. Dauphin, who was president of the Louisiana State Lottery Company, died in 1891. His estate was inventoried at \$300,000. His widow and a friend being executors. There were other heirs, including Dauphin's mother.

The estate was settled, the heirs were paid their share, and the widow and legate came into possession of the rest of the property. Eleven years after the settlement, among the effects of Judge Pordie, who had been Mrs. Dauphin's lawyer in the probate case, an old, badly worn paper was found giving a list of a large number of bonds which apparently formed part of the Dauphin estate, but which had not figured in the inventory. Mrs. Dauphin was called on to explain. She failed to appear before a Louisiana court, but piece by piece, the trouble, buried for eleven years, was brought to light.

Dauphin had kept his money and securities in a box in his room, and was a much wealthier man than many supposed. From that box his widow, it is charged, had removed and secreted \$214,000 in securities and \$40,000 in cash. In order to cover up her guilt she alleged to have sold the bonds, invested and reinvested the money in new securities, so that no trace could be found of it. She kept no bank account, and frequently had \$100,000 on her person in \$1,000 bills. Judge Lazarus, counsel for the heirs, succeeded in tracking every bond for more than twelve years. The court awarded judgment against Mrs. Dauphin for \$388,000.

Retail Merchants Choose Officers.

Toronto, Sept. 11.—The Ontario Retail Merchants' Association, in session here, elected officers as follows: President, J. G. St. Leger, Toronto; first vice-president, A. L. Geen, Belleville; second vice-president, G. B. Davies, Windsor; treasurer, W. B. Rogers, Toronto; secretary, E. M. Trowen, Toronto.

WILLIE FREEMAN'S DEATH

Mysterious Circumstances Attending Alleged Accident.

St. Thomas, Sept. 11.—The supposed accidental shooting of little 15-year-old Willie Freeman, on the Freeman farm, near Bismarck, on Monday, may develop into something sensational. After listening to the evidence of the first day's proceedings before Coroner McDermid, the authorities have grave doubts as to the little fellow being accidentally killed. It is charged that while cleaning an old shotgun it discharged and emptied its contents into the lad's head, but there are no signs of powder marks on the skin, which would indicate that the shot must have been fired from some distance. It is said that Government Inspector John W. Murray of Toronto will be sent for to clear up the mystery.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
Has been used for over FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN'S CROUP, COLIC, WHOOPING COUGH, BRONCHITIS, AND ALL AFFECTIONS OF THE THROAT AND LUNGS. IT SOOTHES THE INFLAMMED GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, AND IS THE BEST REMEDY FOR DIARRHEA. Sold by DRUGGISTS in every part of the world. The sure and safe for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup."

AN OUTRAGEOUS RUSSIAN ORDER

The Fathers of Girl Babes to Be Knouted.

SEVERAL HAVE BEEN SO SERVED

Windup of German Army Maneuvers—Spain to Abandon Her Old-Time Policy.

London, Sept. 12.—In a dispatch from St. Petersburg, the correspondent there of the Daily Mail relates that the commander of the Cossack station at Wertschnick, anxious that his district should show a preponderance of males, has ordered that the father of every girl baby born in the district shall receive 50 strokes with the knout. Several men, says the correspondent, have already been knouted under this ruling.

GERMAN ARMY MANEUVERS.

Frankfurt-on-the-Oder, Sept. 11.—Major-Gen. Young and Brig-Gen. Wood and their aides de camp, charged with the cavalry, led by Emperor William, today. The Americans rode with the Emperor's bodyguard. This charge was the climax of the maneuvers. About 9,000 horsemen—lancers, cuirassiers and dragoons—fell upon the flank of the retreating "Blues" (defending army), capturing 30 of the latter's guns and 2,000 of its infantry. The cavalry started at daylight, made a 12-mile curve, and at about half-past 8 swept over rolling meadows and upon the enemy's forces, which had been theoretically disorganized by a heavy infantry attack. The 9,000 cavalrymen made a frontage of a mile and a half, and over the open country they rushed at a hard gallop upon the artillery and infantry, which did not cease firing until the horsemen were within hand-shot and we know you'll agree with us.

SPAIN'S NEW DEPARTURE.

Paris, Sept. 12.—The Spanish ambassador at Paris, when on the eve of starting for Biarritz to spend a holiday, was summoned to a conference Prime Minister Combes at Madrid. His visit is believed to have been concerned with the wording of the Prince of the Asturias' speech, which, when it was delivered, referred repeatedly to the affectionate commander-in-chief which he had been treated. The incident is the more significant from an article appearing concurrently in the Madrid newspaper, the Correspondencia Militar. After enumerating the various common interests of France and Spain, the paper declared categorically that Spain was about to abandon her long-standing policy of isolation, which has cost her her colonial empire. It added that the Liberals would not resign office before concluding a treaty with France. From many points of view it would be more practicable to form an alliance with England, but this would be unpopular in Spain, who, owing to the South African war, is now Anglo-phobic.

BERBERS ROUTED.

London, Sept. 12.—A dispatch from Fez, Morocco, to the London Times says the Berber tribe of Geruan, near Meknes, was attacked Sept. 4 by a combined movement of troops and utterly routed, with great loss of life. Much loot was taken. All the Berber tribes have submitted to the authority of the Sultan, and the Sultan of Morocco, dated Sept. 6. She was a woman of enlightenment, and largely influenced the Sultan towards liberal treatment of his subjects.

LETTERS BY WIRE.

Rome, Sept. 12.—Signor Gallimberti, minister of posts and telegraphs, has the details of his department have examined a scheme submitted by Engineer Piscicelli for the establishment of an electrical postal service. The scheme proposes to transmit letters in aluminum boxes, traveling on overhead wires at the rate of 400 kilometers (248 miles) an hour. Thus a letter would go from Rome to Naples in 25 minutes, and from Rome to Paris in 10 hours. Signor Gallimberti has appointed a technical commission to examine the system, and report before experiments are made between Rome and Naples.

'FOOT ELM' MADE

MARCHING EASY.

Many Canadian Soldiers in the Late South African Campaign Tested "Foot Elm" and Spoke Enthusiastically of Its Merits.

The First Canadian Contingent that went to South Africa was supplied with Foot Elm. So helpful did it prove in preventing chafing, scalding and blistering of the feet on the long marches over the hot sands of the South African veldt that from Col. Otter, Capt. Barker, as well as from dozens of privates, have come words of the highest praise for this splendid remedy for the feet.

Mr. A. MacGregor, color-sergeant, 48th Highlanders, Toronto, Ont., who was through the campaign, has this to say: "Foot Elm was thoroughly appreciated by everyone who used it, as it prevented chafing, eased and rested the feet, and robbed many of a great deal of misery."

People who suffer in any way with their feet, should not fail to try Foot Elm. It makes walking easy. Price 25 cents a box, at all druggists or by mail.

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VILLE, ONT.

Death of McKinley.

Lansing, Mich., Sept. 12.—In a proclamation Gov. Bliss asks that observance be given the anniversary of the death of President McKinley in the churches on Sunday next.

THE WEATHER TODAY—Cloudy, with showers, cooler.

In Millinery Department we are showing a nice range of Ready-to-wear Hats, in White, Oxford Gray, Navy Blue, Brown, Castor and Black, in a variety of shapes; Birds, Wings and Pompons in different colorings; Children's Bonnets and Hats. All new goods selling at popular prices.

Swell Attractions In Silk Section.

Bring Your Visiting Friends and Relations to See Them.

WESTERN Fair next week, and you'll want other places than the Fair to show your friends through. This store will be one of the likely points of interest to visitors. You and your friends are most welcome to pay a visit and inspect the many beautiful things all over the store, whether you wish to make a purchase or not. Our Silk Department presents a beautiful appearance in the display of Parisian Novelties of Silk and Velvet, which can only be appreciated by a visit here.

Vast Range of Beautiful Black Silks.

In up-to-date styles and in qualities most serviceable for dresses or separate waists:

2 pieces Fancy Black Moire, broadened lace stripes, the yard	\$1.75
1 piece Fancy Black Moire, broadened open stripe, the yard	\$1.50
2 pieces Fancy Black Moire, polka dot, open stripe and plain Louisiana open stripe, the yard	\$1.25
1 piece Black Moire, polka dot, open stripe, the yard	\$1.00
Finest quality French Black Satin Duchesse, our finest importation	\$2.00
Finest quality Black Satin Duchesse at lowest possible prices, the yard, \$1.50, \$1.25 and	\$1.00
Black Armure Silk, heavy but with soft finish, reliable wearing qualities, 55c and	\$1.00
Black Mervilleaux, smooth, rich finish, good value at so low a price	65c
Black Taffetas, that should be 45c yard, our special price only	\$1.00
Black Satins, 21 to 27 inches wide, no better values anywhere, the yard, 50c, 55c, 75c and	\$1.00
Black Lousine, that new and popular silk, three good qualities at \$1.50, \$1.25 and	\$1.25
Black Taffetas, a quality that has given entire satisfaction for four seasons, the yard, \$1 and	75c
Black Taffetas, firm thrush, best dye, no better at such low prices, 50c, 65c and	\$1.00
Black Taffetas and Tulle Taffetas, full yard wide, at respectively \$1.25 and	\$1.25
Black Repp Silk, very heavy quality of corded silk, with soft finish, the yard	\$1.00
Heavy Black Surah Silk, rare value at, the yard	\$1.00
Black Moire Velour, a beautiful watered silk, latest for skirts and coats, two qualities, \$1.25 and	\$1.25
Black Gros-Grain Silks, in three grades of quality, the yard, 65c, 75c and	\$1.00
Black Bengaline Silk, for dresses and coats, always reliable, \$1.50, \$1.25 and	\$1.00
Black Jap. Silks, sold the year around, tough and good wearing, 25 inches wide, 40c and	25c

For Whole Dresses, Separate Waists or the New Style of Jackets.

We mention Black Beau de Soie. Most ladies are acquainted with its unrivaled wearing qualities. We never sold so great a quantity as has been sold already this season. Our prices cannot be beaten. Come and examine for yourself and we know you'll agree with us.

Bonne's Black Beau de Soie, finest made, wear guaranteed, every half yard bears manufacturer's name. The yard, \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.12 1/2 and

Black Beau de Soie—For special prices we have purchased two very fine qualities that sell at 75c and \$1.00 yard regularly. Our low prices only, 65c and

two pieces go at the yard only.....\$1.00

Bleached and Unbleached Tabling Bargains

Five Specials for selling on Friday and following days till all is gone. Come early.

Special No. 1.—Three pieces 50-inch Unbleached Tabling, all linen, at the yard.....25c

Special No. 2.—Four pieces 60-inch Scotch Loom Dice Unbleached Tabling, well worth 60c yard, our price only 40c

Special No. 3.—Five pieces, 62-inch Unbleached Tabling, beautiful designs, great value at 60c yard. These pieces clear at only.....50c

Special No. 4.—62-inch Bleached Damask Tabling, very special value at only.....50c

Special No. 5.—Two pieces 72-inch Bleached Irish Table Damask, handsome effects, worth \$1.25 yard. These two pieces go at the yard only.....\$1.00

SMALLMAN & INGRAM,

149, 151 and 153 DUNDAS STREET.

FROM WEALTH TO POVERTY

Pitiful End of Samuel Napier in the Gaiety Forests.

Quebec, Sept. 12.—A romance and a tragedy were bound up in the life of Samuel Napier, a Scotchman whose body, half eaten by rats, was brought from the pine forests of the Gaiety, 200 miles from the utmost limits of civilization, to be buried here yesterday. He was the discoverer of the largest nugget of pure gold which the world ever knew. Yet he died in a lonely hut, where for weeks together he had lived with his dog in charge of a lumberman's supply station. His faithful dog had remained near the corpse and had starved to death in turn.

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KOMOKA.

Komoka, Sept. 10.—The Presbyterian anniversary will be held on Sunday, Sept. 14. Dr. Johnston, of St. Andrew's Church, London, will preach in the afternoon at 3 o'clock, while Rev. Hector McKay, of London Junction, will conduct the evening service at 7:30. Everybody welcome.

Miss Janet Campbell is spending a most enjoyable time with friends in New York.

Miss Ida Rowland is visiting at her home here.

The quietness of this village has been very much disturbed by the fact that we have some "sneak-thieves," who are evening last week entered the cellar of one of our most respectable citizens, but did not have time to take anything valuable, as they were heard, and made a hasty exit, with the watchdog at their heels. They will be hereafter watched more closely, and if they are caught at the same again will pay a visit to our friend Mr. Boston in London.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keen have returned to their home in Oakland, Cal. Mr. Albert Wernham has returned to his relatives and friends in the village.

Mr. Wm. Stewart spent Sunday in London.

The Methodist anniversary will be held on Sunday, Sept. 21, and their annual harvest home supper the following evening.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society are making arrangements for their annual thanksgiving tea.

Mrs. A. Ferguson, of Port Huron, visited relatives here recently.

SIGNALS OF DANGER.—Have you lost your appetite? Have you a coated tongue? Have you an unpleasant taste in the mouth? Have you a headache, and have you dizziness? If so, the stomach is out of order and you need medicine. But you do not want to take a medicine, and you are sick to stomach. You should take Burdock Blood Bitters, externally, and take internally. It will cure where

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Nothing remains except to add a few more words of the same sort to the popular verdict.—Chicago Daily News.

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Glorified by a beautiful love story.—Chicago Tribune.

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TODAY'S MARKETS

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THE FALL FAIRS

Secretaries of agricultural societies are

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LONDON, Sept. 12-20

Toronto, Sept. 13-19

Chesley, Sept. 15-18

Hamilton, Sept. 16-18

Owen Sound, Sept. 16-18

Guelph, Sept. 16-18

Windsor, Sept. 17-18

Palmerston, Sept. 18-19

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NOTWITHSTANDING RAIN, WORK WAS RUSHED TODAY

Exhibits Streamed Into Queen's
Park All Morning

Workmen Will Have Everything in
Place on Monday.

The steady downpour of rain today did not prevent work being done at Queen's Park, where the practical opening of the Western Fair takes place on Monday. All day long there has been a rush of entries, and an in-pouring of exhibits. A great staff of employees was busily engaged this morning and afternoon receiving and arranging them, and from the unusually large number of exhibits already placed the directors judge that they were not too sanguine in believing that the displays in all departments will far exceed those of the past. In every department today the men at work found that they had all they could do to handle the exhibits as they were brought to the grounds.

The greatest rush is experienced in the main building, which, from present prospects, will be a credit to the fair, and a liberal education to all its patrons. The most enterprising firms in Western Ontario have space there. To a great extent its appearance.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Prob: Saturday, Fair and Cool.

Sun rises. 5:53 a.m. Moon rises. 3:31 p.m.

Sun sets. 8:30 p.m. Moon sets. 12:44 a.m.

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territories last night, and are likely to

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Stations. 8 a.m. Weather.

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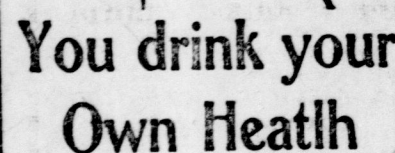
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Time—2:06 $\frac{1}{2}$, 2:07 $\frac{1}{2}$, 2:08.

To beat 2:05 $\frac{1}{2}$, special—Lord De
Time by quarters—32 $\frac{1}{2}$, 1:04, 1:35 $\frac{1}{2}$.
Time by eights—1:04, 1:35 $\frac{1}{2}$.
Time by halves—1:04, 1:35 $\frac{1}{2}$.
Time by quarters—33 $\frac{1}{2}$, 1:05 $\frac{1}{2}$.

Third race, all ages, allowance 1-16 miles—Piedrich, 108 (Robertson), 2 to 1; Jamies, 103 (Minder) to 1, 2; Jordan, 97 (Adams), 4 to 1, 2; 1:51 2-5.

Fourth race, 2-year-old fillies, 1-16 miles—Epidemic, 104 (Minder) to 1, 2; Lady Matchless, 103 (C

"I am about due to thrash the janitor where I live. My wife is giving me a diet of 'Force', and thinks she will have in shape soon. We keep a package of every cereal in the market and have a different one every morning, but I must say 'Force' carries off the blue ribbon."
(Name furnished on application.)

the heavy hitters from Waseley Barracks. The score by innings was as follows:

City Police	2	3	2	0	0	1
Barracks	3	0	9	1	6	3-2

The teams lined up as follows:

Police.....	Barracks.
Prebyn.....	Catcher.....
Robinson.....	Pitcher.....
	Wau.....

Ottawa, Sept. 12.—The eight men to compose the Canadian defenders of the Palma trophy on Saturday will be selected from the following twelve: Capt. R. J. Davidson, Eighth Regiment; Capt. T. Mitchell, U. L.; Lieut. W. L. Ross, Thirteenth; Sergt.-Major Richardson, Fifth; Staff Sergt. M. Vittle, Forty-eighth; Col. Sergt. Skeddon, Thirteenth; Sergt. Carruthers, Fourth; Priv. Miller, Sixth; Priv. Armstrong, Royal Grenadiers; Staff-Sergt. Simpson, Thirteenth; Priv. Scott,

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American camping parties are purchasing Clark's Pork and Beans, as they equal the best imported.

A wonderful statue adorns a public square in Yokohama. It is a seated figure of the god Diabuto, and its height is 48 1/2 feet. The total weight of this great statue is 450 tons, 500 pounds of which are pure gold.

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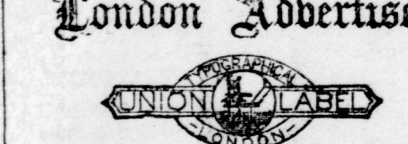
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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—The close season for speckled trout begins on Sept. 15.

—Rev. Thomas Wilson, of this city, may receive a call to Lucan.

—P. C. John Boyd is still on the sick list, after an illness of four weeks.

—Miss Laura Glover, of London, has accepted a position with Mibell, Gill & Co., Stratford.

—Herbert Barnes, night operator at the G. T. R. depot, Stratford, has been transferred to London.

—The London clearing house returns for the week ending Sept. 11, 1902, were as follows: balances, \$212,475.

—Percy Hayes, of Dorchester Station, had his arm broken while playing ball at Nilestown this week.

—Miss Marion McDonald, daughter of Mr. B. D. McDonald, of Talbot Street, has left to enter Alma College, St. Thomas.

—Mr. Alex. C. Johnston, of Ridout street, yesterday sustained a sprain of his ankle by the upsetting of a load of hay.

—A writ for \$521 has been issued by Mary Simson, of St. Mary's, against the Acetylene Manufacturing Company, of this city.

—The eighth annual convention of the West Nisour Sunday School Association will be held in Ebenezer Church, let 30, con. 1, West Nisour, on Friday, Sept. 13.

—Among the judges at the approaching exhibition in Stratford are John O'Brien, William McNeil and Miss M. Wheaton, of London.

—Rev. George Bishop, of the First Methodist Church, will preach the Sunday school anniversary sermon of the Methodist Church, at St. Mary's.

—Dr. C. C. Elliott, of this city, gold medalist of the Western University, has commenced practice in Wardsville, at the office of the late Dr. McKillop.

—Strathroy Age: George LaMotte leaves on Saturday for London with his speedy little racer, Grace Darling, which he intends to enter in one of the races next week.

—Mr. A. A. Campbell has graders, 20 men and three teams at work at his new property, Holmhurst, east of Rectory street, and will have it ready for the opening of his sale on Saturday next.

—St. Thomas Journal: A newly married couple arrived in the city last night and registered at one of the city hotels. The groom was so rattled that he only put down half his name, registering "Edward and wife, Detroit."

—The Komoka Presbyterian anniversary service will be held on Sunday, Sept. 14. Rev. Dr. Johnston, of London, will conduct the service in the afternoon at 3 o'clock, and Dr. Hector McKay, of London Junction, the evening service at 7:30.

—Mr. William Jones, of London Township, has purchased from Mr. J. J. Gilpin, of Brantford, his fine 100-acre farm, lot 9, con. 10, Blanshard Township, Perth County, for the sum of \$5,500.

The lot was taken up when all bush, 51 years ago, by Mr. Gilpin's father.

—The hospital band concert in Victoria Park last night was again interfered with by the weather. Only one selection was rendered, before the rain made a postponement necessary. About 1,000 people were in attendance. The concert will probably not take place this season.

—The annual harvest celebrations are being arranged for on a very attractive scale this year at St. John's

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Deer, W. St. Taylor, of St. Mary's, will preach on Sunday. On Monday evening a grand harvest choral festival will be given in the church by Mr. George Rippt and his large, well-trained cathedral choir of boys and men. A rare musical treat may be expected.

—The Warwick correspondent of the Forest Free Press says: The lecture given by Rev. J. H. Moorhouse, of London, on Thursday evening last, under the auspices of the Anglican Church, was a most appreciative effort. His subject "Success in Life and How to Secure It" was a popular one. Methods and qualities which man's prospects were pointed out and characterized and principles which are conducive to prosperity were as clearly emphasized. Deep thinking, close reasoning, beautiful forms of expressive eloquence, wit and humor, were some of the attractive features of the lecture, which a representative audience enjoyed much, and we trust will be richly profited by. This initial lecture of a course to be provided by the Rev. G. F. Newton should create an eagerness to hear those to follow.

WILL REMODEL STORES.

Mr. H. R. Ives, manufacturer of Montreal, is in the city in the interests of the Judge Daniel's estate, the property at 177 and 179 Dundas street. Mr. Ives intends practically to remodel the stores. He will build new front and have offices above the stores. Mr. H. C. McBride is the architect in charge of the work. Mr. A. A. Campbell has been Mr. Ives' representative in this city for the past ten years.

DEATH OF DR. J. S. TENNANT.

Dr. J. S. Tennant, of Lucknow, died on Wednesday at his home very unexpectedly. He had complained of illness during the day, but no serious results were anticipated. He was one of the most popular physicians of the northern counties and was prominent in Masonic circles. His widow and family survive.

ANNIVERSARY SERVICES.

The Sabbath school anniversary services to be held in the Richmond Street North Methodist Church next Sunday are to be of a very interesting character. The music and singing will be given by the children, and there will be a perfect praise of flowers. The discourses, morning, afternoon and evening, will be given by the Rev. H. J. Fair, of Sileam, and Principal Liddicoat.

A LIGHT DOCKET.

The civil docket for the fall session contains only two cases for trial, one to be heard before a jury and one without. The cases, which have already been published in the Advertiser, are: Doan vs. Taylor, a seduction suit for \$1,000, and People's Building and Loan Association vs. Stanley, suit to recover under a mortgage.

J. B. COX HONORED.

Mr. J. B. Cox, the well-known hide merchant, of this city, was yesterday elected second vice-president of the St. George's Union of North America, now in session at Philadelphia. The other officers elected were: President, John Taylor, of Toronto; first vice-president, Frederick Sutton, Philadelphia; general secretary and treasurer, Thomas Yeates, Washington, D. C.; chaplains, Dr. J. S. Ebone, of Chicago, the Rev. L. N. Phillips, of Philadelphia, and Canon J. P. Sweeney, of Toronto. The next convention will be held in Toronto.

SHOULD GET A MEDAL.

The Winnipeg Free Press says: "The many friends of Mr. R. B. Dixon, who returned from the Kootenay a few days ago (and who served in the commissariat staff corps in Montreal, Toronto and London, Ont., 1895 to 1898, and was conspicuously connected with the Fenian raids in June, 1896) will be glad to know that he has recovered all the lost papers showing that he is entitled to the medal for the Fenian raids, June, 1896. Owing to the vicissitudes of a traveling journalist's life, Mr. Dixon lost all his military history in Western Australia in 1898. Hearing of the award of the medal while west of the Rockies in 1898, he communicated with the Australian authorities, and the result shows how perfect the search was, for all the papers were returned through the Premier of Western Australia last March. Application has been made to the minister of militia for the medal, and although probably late, will, it is hoped, under the peculiar circumstances of the case, receive favorable consideration."

Breathing Disease.

Infectious diseases are breathed into the system from those affected with disease or from bad smells; yet how many women breathe daily the offensive steam from common soaps made from rancid fats, and keep their hands for hours in such solutions, and the clothing from such soap suds is worn next the tender skin. No wonder disease and eczema are prevalent. Users of Sunlight Soap—Octagon Bar—know the difference between that and the pure, healthful smell from the vegetable oils and pure edible fats in Sunlight Soap.

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PASSED UNPLEASANTRIES

City Engineer and Ald. Cooper

Have Dispute.

Monotonous Series of Wrangles Characterized Board Meeting.

The board of works has lost the reputation it has sometimes had of being a businesslike body. It doesn't matter now whether there is much business before them or little, they manage always to make it take up as many hours as other boards consume at their busiest times. The fact that Ald. Cooper is chairman explains it, but one person is not sufficient to make a quarrel, and it is an odd meeting of the board nowadays that does not consist of a series of wrangles.

Last night it was the city engineer who was the party of the second part, and their debates were kept up monotonously. The city engineer is an enemy of the city, and he is no more than a participant in these disputes, but he no doubt considers it his unpleasant duty to keep the chairman from making monotonous remarks, even though it is his duty to do so.

Most of the trouble last night was about putting down a new cement walk on Grand avenue, where, at present, the walk is in a disgraceful condition, and liable at any time to be injured by a car or a horse. The chairman was strongly opposed to doing anything about it. The city engineer was equally positive that it should be done, and that there was no more dangerous place in the city. In one of the interminable wrangles which followed, the city engineer accused the chairman of being a "stupid" and "a fool." The chairman replied that he was not a "stupid" and "a fool," but that he was a "man of sense" and "a man of courage." The city engineer replied that he was not a "man of sense" and "a man of courage," but that he was a "man of wit" and "a man of power." The chairman replied that he was not a "man of wit" and "a man of power," but that he was a "man of honor" and "a man of integrity." 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