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HAMILTON'S MEMORIAL TO QUEEN VICTORIA. Unveiled yesterday by Earl Grey, in the presence of 15,000 spectators. It was paid for by popular subscription instigated by the ladies of Hamilton.

Mrs. Vanderbilt Is Granted Divorce

NEW YORK, May 25.—An interlocutory decree of absolute divorce was granted to Mrs. Assa French Vanderbilt by Justice O'Grady in the supreme court today.

Customs of Japanese

Miss Gertrude Palmer, who has for the last eight years been working among the police at Tokio, Japan, will give a lecture this evening at 8 o'clock in St. James' Cathedral schoolhouse.

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STATUE OF "THE QUEEN" UNVEILED AT HAMILTON

Magnificent Tribute to Victoria Erected Thru the Efforts of the Women of the City.

HAMILTON, May 25.—(Special)—The Queen Victoria memorial statue at the west end of the Gore Park was unveiled this morning before a crowd of about 20,000 people who blocked all the streets in the central part of the city.

The ceremony was performed by Governor-General Earl Grey, who arrived at the Hunter-street station, accompanied by Countess and Lady Sybil Grey and Col. Hanbury Williams and Capt. Newton. The visitors were received by Mayor Stewart, and the reception committee. A guard of honor from the 13th Regiment, under Capt. Fearman, presented arms as his excellency stepped off the train. The visitors were taken for a spin around the city in autos, arriving at the Gore Park at 11:30. Here the school children under Prof. Johnson sang several selections, and the 13th and 91st Regiment bands played.

Mrs. John S. Hendrie gave a brief address telling how the women of Hamilton had raised the funds to erect the monument.

His excellency touched the button and the covering of British flags fell from the statue. His excellency congratulated the women of Hamilton upon having the honor—as women—of raising the first monument to the memory of the late Queen that had been erected in Canada.

He also referred to Mrs. Fessenden, "The Mother of Empire Day," and the fact that Hamilton was the birthplace of the Canadian Club. Johnson Hendrie on behalf of the ladies of Hamilton presented the monument, thru Mayor Stewart, to the city, and the mayor responded. Hon. Adam Beck also spoke.

His excellency was entertained at luncheon at the Commercial Club and was accompanied to the station by a guard of honor from the 91st Regiment under the command of Captain Skeddin.

During the unveiling Countess Grey was presented with a beautiful bouquet of orchids by Miss Edith Hendrie, and Miss Ethel Calder presented a bouquet of lilies of the valley to Lady Sybil rey.

Princess Elopes With Auto Agent

Princess Amelia-Louise of Austria and Her Plebeian Lover Now Being Sought by Police.

VIENNA, May 25.—The Austrian princess, whose elopement a couple of days ago has caused a great excitement in Vienna, is said to be Princess Amelia-Louise, sister of Prince Emilion von Furstenberg, head of the Koelnhof branch of the Furstenbergs.

It is declared that she ran away with the local agent of an automobile company, named Kezian.

The police are actively at work trying to locate the fugitives. Adam Beck also spoke.

O.L.C. May Queen

WHITBY, May 25.—Victoria Day was fittingly celebrated at the Ontario Ladies' College by the crowning of the May Queen and attendant ceremonies. Introductory to the election, almost unanimously, of Miss Euker of Belle ville as queen. Dr. Elliott, principal of Bowmanville High School, gave an address on "The Ideal Woman." The concert hall was beautifully decorated, and both are the characteristics of our queen—W. T. Stead in Review of Reviews.

The crowning of the queen, with charming drills and musical accompaniment, was given on the lawn in the afternoon and witnessed by many spectators from many places outside Whitby, as well as guests from the town.

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Mrs. G. W. Prescott gave a luncheon yesterday at her home in honor of her guest, Miss Bridge (daughter of Sir Frederick Bridge). Covers were laid for twelve, and the decorations were carried out in pink roses and smilax. Sir Frederick Bridge, Miss Bridge and Mr. Archdeacon leave to-day for Ottawa, en route to England.

Mrs. Bernard of 27 Jameson-avenue wishes to express her sincere thanks to personal friends and those of the press who have shown such kindly sympathy in her recent bereavement.

The announcement comes from Pittsburgh of the engagement of Miss Adele Raiter, sweet singer and a Pittsburgh stage favorite, and a former Woodstock girl, to Mr. R. M. Galtick, a well-known theatrical manager of Pittsburgh. Following her marriage Miss Raiter will retire from the stage.

Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips, 125 Victor-avenue, will celebrate the 6th anniversary of their wedding on Wednesday, May 27. They will be at home from 4 to 6 o'clock and from 8 to 10.

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What the Theatres Offer

At the Alexandra.

Nowhere cooler in the city was to be found for a summer resort than the Royal Alexandra yesterday. Big audiences at both matinee and evening enjoyed the comfort and the musical play, "The Country Girl." The greatest enthusiasm was exhibited during the performance and encores were too frequent to mention. J. Clarence Harvey as "Barry" was enough to ensure the success of the piece by himself. Especially in "The Two Chicks" and "Quarrelling" with Adelaide Manola as Sophie, who was especially pretty and vivacious, and in "Me and Mrs. Brown" was Mr. Harvey's low comedy applauded, and the staircase scene in the second act raised a perfect shriek of laughter in the house. Grauer Mungery (W. L. Romaine), Sir Joseph Verity (George Le Sch) were also excellent and Harry Girard sang sympathetically as Geoffrey Challoner. Laura Butler as "Nan" is a big animated girl with a fresh voice who "showed her Devonshire" most delightfully. Elgie Bowen and Violet Colby both sang very sweetly. There is just enough true love in the plot to make a pretty story and just enough farce and fun to leave no room for a dull moment. The music is attractive and lively and the songs up to date. The Quebec celebration, the elections, gas meters, stretched canvas and other matters were touched off crisply. Altogether the performance will not suffer by comparison with any previous cast, and the scenery was of the prettiest.

At the Majestic.

No melodrama of modern times has enjoyed the patronage that has been given "Human Hearts." This pretty story of the Arkansas Hills was told to two large audiences at the Majestic yesterday, and judging from the reception it is still a favorite with theatregoers. The play is interesting from the time the curtain on the first act until the final curtain falls. The climaxes are strong and exciting, and the various characters were given a splendid interpretation. The principal theme of the play is "Hope"—the hope of an honest man unjustly accused of crime. The subject is handled with skill, and the author shows true dramatic instinct. The comedy element is introduced in such a way that it becomes relevant to the story and the plot is worked out naturally and logically. The play has a vivid interest for lovers of plays that are good and true in theme and incident and the company presenting the story this season is an exceptionally capable one. The production has also been kept up to a high standard, nothing being found wanting in the way of scenic equipment.

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The Empire burlesques hold the boards at the Star this week, and afford a good bill of entertainment, the large company including Roger Imhof and other smooth comedians, and a bevy of dashing damsels. The usual opening and closing burlesques are bright, and introduce a number of tuncful airs. Mr. Imhof, as Mike Casey, the Irish pipe, does good character work and is well supported. There are four turns in the olio, including a sparkling sketch comedy duo, songs by Emma Weston, and some novel acrobatic work.

At the Grand.

Etienné Girardot and "Charley's Aunt" are still as popular as ever with Toronto theatregoers, two large audiences at the Grand yesterday thoroughly enjoying the skilful interweavings of humorous situations and the fifty-mile-an-hour dialogues that Brandon Thomas has moulded together in his best comedy of all. Girardot in his impersonation of the aunt is as funny as ever. He has played the part so many times that he makes his entrance by instinct, not by cue. It is a wholesome jolly farce is "Charley's Aunt" and is presented by a company that is capably cast. Wilfrid North, who played such an excellent Stephen Bryce in "The Christis" with Isabel Irving some years ago, is the Col. Chesney of this year's production, and his part is a nicely delineated artistic picture of the father of Charley. Mr. Girardot is the exact picture of "Charley's Aunt" as the playwright drew it, and it will be a difficult matter to find a successor. A. B. Imeson made a hit as Charley, and Miss Belle Platt played charmingly as Amy Spettigue. Miss Ray Beveridge was a delightful and pretty Kitty Verdun. Miss Alice Martin looked sweet and dainty in the character of Ella

At the Gayety.

A particularly realistic bathing scene is presented at the Gayety this week by Weber & Rush's Parisian Widows, in the big two-cycle burlesque musical comedy, "Stolen Sweets." The only thing lacking from a standpoint of reality is the surt—outside of that it's all right. Whether it's intended or not somebody turns the sunlight onto, or onto the painted canvas bath houses, affording a glimpse of the beach beyond, and it isn't half bad to see the would-be bathers duck-not into the water, but into the wings.

The company has a very ambitious chorus of dancers and singers. The show does not give the principals a monopoly of the stage, and the chorus enter into the spirit of the play like an aggregation that appreciates the importance of its function.

Some good songs are introduced, namely, "Put Me Among the Girls," "Reed Bird," "See Saw," "Tale of

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A Fourth-Choice Leader Without a Policy.

A representative Liberal voter told The World a few days ago that he would dislike to see his party coming into power at the approaching provincial election. They needed to be tried out and tested. The leader required experience, and the party as a whole had to be built up and organized. The necessity for a healthy opposition he recognized, was much greater than for a change of government.

This view fairly represents a great proportion of the independent opinion of the province, and only among the less enlightened electors and in the columns of unscrupulous party organs are the rabid partisan arguments found to prevail. A cause that has to be supported by invention and misrepresentation is notoriously a weak one, and one has only to examine the campaign literature of the Liberal party to be aware what a pitiful blight has fallen upon those who have succeeded the Reformers.

Hon. A. G. MacKay, the ostensible leader of the opposition, and prospective premier among his fond the few adherents, may well be regarded as requiring some years of probation. It is true that he made the best of a bad case during the last session of the legislature, but the excellence of the effort must not be allowed to conceal the nullity of the result. The Globe, as in duty bound, has hailed Mr. MacKay as a heaven-born leader, but the fact remains that it was not until Hon. G. W. Ross, Hon. Richard Harcourt and Hon. George P. Graham were removed from the scene of Hon. J. P. Whitney's triumph that Mr. MacKay's celestial qualities became apparent. Fourth choice after the chieftain of the Clan Straton and the Sullivan sept, survivor of a political wreck and leader by default, it is not strange that Liberals have hesitated in enthusiasm. As leader of a disorganized opposition he may pass, but as the head of a responsible government, not even The Globe takes him seriously.

Like the heroine of a problem play, the Liberal party has a past. Mr. MacKay, instead of cutting loose from its many unsavory episodes, attempts to justify and even glorify them. He has no faith that the people, whose voice is vox Dei, if he openly acknowledge and confess, will accord forgiveness. As Disraeli said of the Whigs, the Liberals live in cage. They believed themselves "confined in a certain magic circle, which they were not to step out of at the peril of their lives." So Mr. MacKay's following has no outlook, no inspiration, no future. The very name Liberal has become a misnomer, and those who come from overseas discover that if they seek progressive measures and a forward policy they must look to the Whitney government. All that the "little orphan Annie" opposition can say to them is the impressive warning that "the goblins 'll get you if you don't watch out."

Some divergence of principle might have been expected from the Liberal leader in dealing with the Whitney government, but instead a few points of method and detail have to take the place of a distinctive policy and definite measures. For the rest misrepresentation is expected to serve the purpose of argument with a guileless electorate. So far as Mr. MacKay differs from the Whitney government proposals his views are of a reactionary character, and do not offer the advance guidance and the executive lead which might be expected from the traditions of true Liberalism. In fact, in practice as well as in principles, the Whitney government may be regarded as radical in comparison with anything emanating from Owen Sound.

The most important issue before the province to-day is public ownership. The Whitney government, despite the reluctance of some Conservatives, has faced the question fairly. In the disposition of the Niagara power question, the handling of the T. & N. O. Railway, and the application of the principle to the Gillies Mining Limits and other provincial resources, the government has taken ground which no party can ever retreat from. A progressive liberal leader might have been expected to go further, but not only Mr. MacKay refused to go further, he finds fault with Premier Whitney for what he has done, misrepresents the result, and pronounces in favor of the enemies of public ownership. He is very warm in favor of public control, which is a fanciful designation of the present system of permitting the corporations to do as they like under official sanction. Toronto Street Railway is a fine example of the public control system. It is interesting to note what Mr. MacKay issues in his official pamphlet (page 43):

"The Liberal party do not believe in the unwarranted attacks upon capital and vested interests which have marked the Whitney government. Recognizing that the wonderful natural resources of this province can only be properly made available by the application to them of large amounts of capital, the Liberal party believe in giving every reasonable security to capital, at the same time enforcing reasonable regulation where capital is invested in public utilities."

Nothing could be more unfair than this insinuation that the Whitney government has been unfair to capital, or more clearly indicative of the corporation affiliations of Mr. MacKay. Not only has Premier Whitney's government encouraged capital, but under the careful and clever financing of Hon. A. J. Matheson, the credit of Ontario has been rehabilitated in a way that benefits every capitalist and merchant doing business in the province. As the provincial treasury has pointed out under Liberal mismanagement provincial 3 1-2 per cent. 30 year bonds were offered at 9 1-2, while in less favorable circumstances Mr. Matheson obtained a net rate of 96, and actually floated a \$3,000,000 loan in Canada at par, while very recently treasury bills were sold for \$2,000,000 in London at the most favorable market rate. The inconsistency of the Liberal argument will be noted also regarding Mr. Whitney's emity towards capital when it is remembered that one of Mr. MacKay's chief grounds of complaint is the Whitney guarantee of a railway bond issue intended to encourage the flow of English capital into the province.

In specific application of the public ownership principle Mr. MacKay makes a still weaker showing. While declaring himself in favor of the distribution of cheap Niagara power he has lost no opportunity to mislead the people, to cloud the issue, and to try to disturb confidence in the hydro-electric power commission's plans.

As an example Mr. MacKay's pamphlet (page 16) declares: "The fair and frank thing for the government to have done would have been to have given to the municipalities in Western Ontario estimates of the whole cost of the whole transmission lines, etc., then to have told each municipality what its fair proportion of that would be." Those not acquainted with the matter might think that no figures had been furnished, while, in point of fact, the most exhaustive calculations were given to everyone concerned, maximum costs being specified in each instance. As the cost depended in each case in the number of municipalities taking part and the amount of power used the final figures could, of course, only be supplied when the contracts were signed. It is not the Liberal method apparently to be fair even in such a non-political issue as electric power.

"Undoubtedly these bylaws," declares the same pamphlet at page 36, referring to the municipal vote on the power question, "were presented

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SIR FREDERICK BRIDGE

"HYMN SINGING"

Westminster Organist Gives Interesting Lecture, With Local Choirs Assisting.

Sir Frederick Bridge, the distinguished organist of Westminster Abbey, and versatile composer, delighted a select audience last night at Massey Hall with an instructive lecture on "Hymn Singing," with special reference to the new Methodist Hymn Book.

The lecturer was felicitously introduced by Rev. George Jackson, and from the start to the close of his lecture, Sir Frederick held the closest attention of his audience.

Fortunately Sir Frederick had the gift of humor, and even when it applied to himself, good-naturedly told the story of his troubles with the committee who wanted such and such hymns included in the hymnal, or others excluded, simply because the book must be made to "please the people from the north."

The lecturer's remarks were preceded by the singing of Sir Frederick's fine hymn "Praise My Soul, the King of Heaven." Sir Frederick began his lecture with a historical account—brief, but interesting—of hymns in England, and put his own imprimatur on the old hymns, which but for his editing would be forgotten save for one or two. He then sang "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," which is always sung to the tune known as "Aberystwith," a new hymn, "The Church of the Living God," by Sir Frederick Bridge, and "The Church of the Living God," by Sir Frederick Bridge, and "The Church of the Living God," by Sir Frederick Bridge.

Another new setting, which was quite unfamiliar to Torontonians, was Sir Arthur Sullivan's music for "Lead Kindly Light." It is well known that Cardinal Newman has composed a beautiful, and will remain the popular tune to Cardinal Newman's poem, but Sir Frederick Bridge has composed a most effective composition in four-part harmony. The choir, consisting of sixty voices, which assisted Sir Frederick Bridge last night, sang this hymn with all the niceties in tone, phrasing and expression one could reasonably expect.

Sir Frederick was, perhaps, too historical and hortatory in his remarks. It would have been helpful if he had taken time to explain why hymns cannot—or must not—be written in the Germanic call the "lieder" form. If anyone, surely, has the knowledge and the ability to vary religious emotion, the same music for each stanza of verse is psychologically unworkable. Yet it is plain that there can be no congregational singing unless the simplest structural forms in music are used for hymns, even if emphasis on the music is sacrificed. If Sir Frederick had only explained this matter, his authority would have been established. Yet it is somewhat radical in demanding choir singing alone, and who want the congregation merely to sit and listen.

Delightful as Sir Frederick Bridge's talks were, he had the good sense to understand that his audience wanted to hear hymns rather than merely instructed. And so he sat at the grand organ himself in place of the content and the hymn which began the ceremonies at King Edward's coronation ("A Safe Stronghold Our Lord is Still") and never forgot to play the hymn which Sir Frederick himself, playing from manuscript.

Altogether the evening was a pleasant revelation of Sir Frederick Bridge's character, music knowledge and art. He was happy in every aspect of his lecture, and the lecture was a truly bear fruit in a closer study and appreciation of our church music.

J. D. Logan.

COAL SHORTAGES.

Editor World: I would like to point out a few additional facts in connection with the shortages of coal complained of by the Retail Coal Dealers in their hearing before the Board of Railway Commissioners.

The Canadian consumer of bituminous coal who buys in carload lots, and this includes the railways themselves, almost invariably pays for more coal than is received. This is due to the manner in which soft coal is sold by the mines. Mine weights govern shipments; the basis of weight is made at the mines, and the wholesaler in order to protect himself from loss must make his sales to the Canadian consumer on the same basis. This coal is not weighed at the mines, but is weighed at the first track scale crossing which it passes en route to destination, and the initial railway after weighing the cars places the weight thereof and it is billed accordingly.

In view of the fact that the American railways are financially interested in the coal mines it can readily be understood that they have it in their power to make an extra profit by overbilling the weights, and it is safe to say that if any error is made it will not be in favor of the buyer.

Sometime ago I made a contract with a large manufacturing firm in the City of Toronto to deliver 20,000 tons of bituminous coal, more or less. The contract called for payment on the basis of the weight at point of delivery, the consignee undertaking to see that the coal was weighed by the Canadian Pacific Railway (the delivering line) before the coal was unloaded. Possibly this is the only contract of the kind ever made in Canada. With very few exceptions the cars weighed were found to be under the billed weight, the shortages running from one-half to five tons per car. The Canadian Pacific Railway after weighing this coal presented their bills calling for payment of freight on the basis of the billed weight. I absolutely declined to pay freight on anything over the weights shown by their own scales, on the ground that they could not demand money for charges as the initial railway refused to work which they had not performed, and no railway can legally collect charges on freight which they do not carry. They accepted payment on the basis of their own scale weights but afterward came back with the statement that they must have the full charges as the initial railway refused to make settlement with them on the basis of the weights at Toronto. I told them that what was the matter we were not interested, that their weights at Toronto were either right or wrong, and that if their scales were correct it was their business to protect themselves against overcharges on the part of their connections, and the matter ended there so far as we were concerned.

Armed with the documents showing the correct weight of the coal received

Political Gossip

When William Mackenzie went to London some weeks ago it was stated that he bore with him but one certificate from the government which would enable him to go right up to the English capitalists and get a good, kind reception. From what can be elicited from the government which would enable him to do this story at all, it is even related that Mr. Mackenzie would have had such a document, but failed to procure it.

Hon. G. W. Ross treated Mr. Mackenzie differently, and gave him an agreement as to what can be elicited from the government which would enable him to do this story at all, it is even related that Mr. Mackenzie would have had such a document, but failed to procure it.

There will be an organization meeting of the Mackenzie supporters living east of Jarvis-street in Prospect Park on Tuesday night.

A Montreal special says: The political event of the week was the acceptance by Mr. Bourassa of the opposition in the County of St. Hyacinthe Sunday. Mr. Bourassa spoke at St. Denis, the historic spot where his grandfather, Louis Joseph Papineau, defeated the famous 23 resolutions in 1837, prior to the Canadian "rebellion."

It is now announced that Hon. Mr. DeVin will contest the Ontario seat of St. Catharines with Mr. R. R. Gault, M.P. for Charlevoix, and a number of friends have been organized in the county to support Mr. DeVin.

The campaign is now in full swing in sixty out of the seventy-four counties and the parties will have the other gaps filled by the middle of the week. It is said that St. Antoine and a Liberal county will be paired.

A. W. Wright, public ownership Conservative candidate for class B, West Toronto, will hold a meeting in Dovercourt Hall on Saturday evening next. All candidates in class B have been invited, including W. D. McPherson, M.P., and R. R. Gault, M.P., M. P. T. W. Duthie, secretary of the Canadian Public Ownership League, and others.

W. K. McNaught and John Shaw will hold a rally on Thursday night in Simpson's Hall.

The Calgary Daily News—"old Dan McGillicuddy's paper"—has referred to "Ontario's next lieutenant-governor": "Who is J. Morrison Gibson that he should aspire to the position of first citizen of Ontario?"

As Hon. J. M. Gibson in the Ross administration, was the "boss" of the government, and his cabinet members were chosen by him, he took advantage of the situation and became immensely wealthy through judicious investments in electric power companies. As a minister he was successful in making an unenviable name for himself on the line of nepotism, and had a very high position in the hands of his wife's relations could keep ahead.

James Morrison Gibson doesn't deserve anything at the hands of the people of Ontario. The path of politics in his case has not been the thorny one, but one that has been strewn with flowers of success, which he has not failed to pluck as he walked along in the perfume of his own vanity. He never made a sacrifice for his party, also on many occasions the party made great sacrifices for him, and now is not the time to talk about rounding off a career which never was anything but the embodiment of selfishness and personal gain.

The man who should receive the appointment is Sir Richard Cartwright, a man who has sacrificed a lifetime to the service of his country. Sir Richard has been in politics for over forty years, and during that time it cannot be said that he has feathered his nest. He has been a man of sacrifice and he has been a man of honor. He has been a man of honor and he has been a man of honor.

To-day in his seventy third year he is still working for the benefit of Canada, and if any easier and more honorable way of doing his duty were present in the gift of the government, he is the man of all men who should be the recipient.

In the days of stress and turmoil for his party Sir Richard Cartwright was always to be found in the front rank cheering them on to victory, and encouraging them when fighting against fearful odds. If there is to be any rounding off of a career, let the honor fall to the silver-tongued "Rupert of Debate" who for forty years has been a tower of strength to the party with which he allied himself in early manhood.

"Sir Richard! The Daily News salutes thee as Ontario's Grand Old Man."

FATAL HEAT PROSTRATION.

Laborer on the M. C. R. at Welland Succumbs—Short Time in Canada.

WELLAND, May 25.—(Special.)—Jerome Vacari, Roumanian, aged 32, died of heat prostration on Saturday afternoon. He dropped while at work on the Michigan Central Railway, and was dead in 25 minutes.

Vacari had been in this country only a month. He leaves a widow and five children in Roumania.

"Hiawatha."

The Daily and Sunday World is now being delivered at this popular summer resort. By telephoning your order to Main 232 or leaving same at 83 Yonge-street you will receive The World before breakfast.

LADIES' ORANGE BENEVOLENT SOCIETY. The Ladies' Orange Benevolent Society met in Hamilton yesterday with about fifty members present.

It was decided to make application to the Grand Lodge of B. N. A. for representation of one member on the provincial grand lodge.

Mrs. Cullen was re-elected grand mistress, Mrs. Perkins, deputy grand mistress; Mrs. Gallagher, grand secretary, and Mrs. Bates, grand treasurer.

Dr. R. B. Orr of Toronto and Mr. Foster of East Toronto will represent the ladies at the grand lodge meeting.

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Tennis Racquets, 11 to 13 ounces, each, 95c.
Solid Leather Walrus Grained Club Bag, 16 to 18 inches, each, \$4.75.
Stable Sheets, Brown Deek, clearing at, each, \$1.00.

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Brass Taps, half-inch, our price, each, 30c.
600 odd pieces Chinaware, clearing at, each, 3c.
Swiss, French, Brussels, Arabian Lace Curtains, broken lots, to clear at, a pair, \$5.95.
Florentine Sash Net, 30 inches wide, per yard, 25c.
Tapestry Curtains, 40 inches wide, 3 yards long, pair, \$1.95.
English double-bordered Cretonnes, 36 to 40 inches wide, a yard, 12 1-2c.
Heavy English Brussels Carpet, 15 designs, a yard, 90c.
Heavy English Tapestry Carpet, 27 inches wide, a yard, 57c.
Jap and China Matting, 36 inches wide, a yard, 17c.
Heavy Inlaid Linoleum, 2 yards wide, remnants, up to 12 yards, a yard, 19c.
100 Mixed Mattresses, sea grass centre, wool side, each, \$1.95.
Wall Paper, for rooms and halls, clearing at 2 1-2c single roll.
Gilt and Glimmer Wall Paper, at single roll, 4c.
Gilt Wall Paper, 9 and 18-inch borders, half price, roll, 7c.
Heavy Embossed, 18-inch shaded Frieze, half price, roll, 12c.
70-inch Full Bleached English Sheeting, a yard, 23c.
Honeycomb Bed Spreads (72x 90 inches), each, 98c.

Pure Linen Tablecloths (70x70 inches), each, 98c.
English Turkish Bath Towels (20x43 inches), a pair, 29c.
Women's Wear
Black Voiles, 44 to 46 inches wide, English and French weaves, a yard, 79c.
Poplins, Panamas, Serges, natural colors, broken lines, a yard, 33c.
Scotch Zephyrs and Gingham, 27 to 32 inches, a yard, 12 1-2c.
Women's Ribbed Wool Vests, sizes 32 to 38, each, 39c.
Women's Gowns of fine Nainsook, 56 to 60-inches long, each, 98c.
Children's Vests, 2 to 12 years, Balbriggan, each, 15c.
Children's Dongola Kid Shoes, with ankle straps, a pair, 65c.
White Lawn Dresses (1-2, 1 and 2 years), under making cost, each, 89c.
Women's Summer Suits, fancy worsteds, two styles, each, \$12.50.
Women's Laundered Collars (12 1-2 to 14 1-2), clearing at, each, 5c.
Women's Kid Gloves, good color range, a pair, 39c.
Plain Lace Silk Embroidered Lisle Thread Hose, all sizes, a pair, 35c.
Boys' Ribbed Black Cotton Hose (6 to 10), per pair, 12 1-2c.
Duchess and Satin Faced Ribbon, 1 1-2 to 3 inches wide, per yard, 3c.
Misses' White Muslin Dresses, (14 to 18 years), each, \$3.25.

For Men
Men's Cambric (Irish) Handkerchiefs, 12 for 25c.
Men's Working Boots, strong leather, heavy soles, pair, 75c.

ONE WOMAN'S PLUCK.
With Revolver, Marches Quartet 3 Miles to Police Station.

DETROIT, May 25.—Despite the fact that blood flowed from her battered head, Mrs. Charles McKay, clad only in gingham and her feet bare of any covering, with a remarkable exhibition of nerve, yesterday afternoon produced a revolver and compelled four young men to march before her, a distance of three miles, from her farm at Livernols and Tyneham-avenues, to a police box at Horatio and 35th-street.

"They tried to kill my husband and me," frantically declared the woman, as she endeavored to push away the blood-matted hair from her battered brow.

Downsided Maple Syrup, only eighty odd bottles left, at Fifty Cents a bottle, to close out. At Michie's.

MADE OF STERNER STUFF.
A United States Opinion of British Suffragets.

When one reads about the exploits of the militant suffragets of England, who block the streets, pull the prime minister's door bell, interrupt political meetings, ring dinner bells when politicians attempt to speak, and go to jail martyrs to the cause—when one reads all this and perceives the martial spirit which animates these women abroad, it becomes evident that they are made of sterner stuff than their sisters here at home. Our American women do not storm the capital of the nation or the capitol of the state with the same spirit of violence that has characterized the English suffragets when they have sought to obtain legislation from parliament.

All this is, of course, a matter for sincere congratulation, but it is also worthy of investigation from a psychological standpoint. Only the other evening a mass meeting in Harlem was disturbed by the invasion of a poor, innocent little mouse. We feel confident that a mouse could never have broken up a suffragist meeting in England.—Leavenworth Times.

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BOY AND DYNAMITE.
KINGSTON, May 25.—(Special.)—The 14-year-old son of Samuel Gordon, a contractor at Sharbot Lake, placed a dynamite cap on a rail and hit it with a stone. The ends of three fingers were blown off, one eye was so badly injured that he may lose his sight, and he also received a wound on one leg. He was brought to the General Hospital here.

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Losses Leg Under Train.
WOODSTOCK, May 25.—(Special.)—James Culver, aged 30 years, had his leg taken off below the knee by a G. T. R. freight train this afternoon. His home is in Pennsylvania, and he was beating his way.

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Our showing of Ladies' Shirt Waists is very large and tasteful. We have many patterns reserved to ourselves in all classes of materials.

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The many new amusement devices created pleasure and fun for all one of them especially, known as the House of Fun.

Members of the train crew were able to hold his head above water during that time. He was finally rescued, his only injury being a broken bone in his foot.

On the free open air stage George and George with their bounding pad kept the spectators in roars of laughter.

Madame Montague's trained cockatoos created much pleasure for the ladies, and the marvelous bicycle riding of the daring Johnston caused all to wonder at his skill on the wheels.

The Ferry Company handled the large crowd with ease and despatch.

Holiday at the Beach.

All Scarborough Beach records for attendance were broken yesterday by a crowd, which throughout the day poured in a never-ending stream thru the gaily illuminated gates of the big amusement institution.

The car service was excellent, especially at night, when the special race-track service was kept in commission for the benefit of park patrons.

As a result the business was handled with great expedition, and those who wanted to get home early did so.

Dr. J. H. Smith and A. W. Ross were badly injured to-night thru the bursting of a tank of gasoline on a launch in the English Bay. They were fearfully burned. Several others in the boat escaped.

Carleton's Candidate.

OTTAWA, May 25.—At the Carleton Conservative Association meeting at Stittsville to-day, R. H. McEvoy, the sitting member, was unanimously nominated to again carry the standard for the party at the provincial election.

Devlin in Nicollet.

OTTAWA, May 25.—Hon. Charles R. Devlin has been the Liberal nomination for the Quebec Legislature in Pontiac, and will again be the candidate in Nicollet.

Fast Halifax Miller.

SYDNEY, N.S., May 25.—Homer of the Halifax Park was the victor in the five mile maritime championship in 28 minutes 29 seconds, making a maritime record.

The Savoy

Yonge and Adelaide Sts.

THE WEATHER

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, May 25.—(8 p.m.)—Pressure is low over the western and northwestern portions of the continent and highest along the Atlantic Coast.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 48-60; Vancouver, 46-59; Prince Albert, 54-72; Calgary, 59; Regina, 54; Pelly, 50; Edmonton, 54; Toronto, 52-72; Ottawa, 50-78; Montreal, 54-74; Quebec, 44-70; Halifax, 44-70.

Probabilities.

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Southeasterly winds, thunderstorms in many places, but mostly fair and warm.

Ontario Valley and Upper St. Lawrence—East and south winds; fine and warm; local thunderstorms on Wednesday.

Upper St. Lawrence, Gulf and Maritime—Moderate winds; fine and warm.

Superior—Moderate to fresh winds; unsettled, showers and local thunderstorms.

Manitoba—Some showers, but partly fair.

Saskatchewan and Alberta—Some showers, but partly fair and cooler.

THE BAROMETER.

Time. Ther. Bar. Wind.

8 a.m. 57 29.85 13 East

Noon 59 29.82 13 East

4 p.m. 61 29.83 9 East

8 p.m. 61 29.83 9 East

Mean of the day, 61; difference, 4; average, 4 above; highest, 72; lowest, 53.

STEAMSHIPS.

May 25. At From

N. Amsterdam, New York Rotterdam

Minneapolis, London London

Romania, Boston Naples

Caribbean, St. John's New York

Ionian, Glasgow Montreal

Purgessia, Montreal New York

Yamato, New York New York

Minnetonka, London New York

Bluecher, Hamburg New York

K. P. Wilhelm, Quebec New York

Pennonia, Gibraltar New York

Cretic, Genoa New York

Princess Irene, New York Genoa

TO-DAY IN TORONTO.

May 25. Toronto West District Methodist's annual meeting, Centennial Church, 9:30 a.m.

Methodists, W. M. S., annual meeting, Elm-street Church, 8:30 p.m.

O. J. C. races, Woodbine, 2:30 p.m.

City council, 8 p.m.

Baseball, Toronto v. Baltimore, 3:30.

Baptist S. S. Association, annual meeting, Jarvis-street Church, 8 p.m.

Crawford-McPherson meeting, Brockton Hall, 8.

BIRTHS.

TURNBULL—At 149 Crescent-road, Roseville, on Monday, May 25th, to Mr. and Mrs. John Turnbull, a son.

DEATHS.

BAIN—On Friday, May 22nd, at his residence, 333 Brunswick-avenue, James Bain, D.C.L., librarian Toronto Public Library, aged 83 years.

FUNERAL SERVICE at the Westminster Presbyterian Church (Bloor-street E.) on Tuesday, May 26th, at 2:30 p.m. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

GREAT FLOODS TEXAS LIFE AND PROPERTY LOSS

Thousands Homeless and Railway Traffic Thruout Large Section Completely Paralyzed.

DALLAS, Tex., May 25.—Four lives lost, more than a million dollars worth of property destroyed, 4000 persons homeless and telegraph and telephone wires west and southwest put out of commission are the results of an overflow of Trinity River last night and to-day.

The poor residence-neighborhood of Dallas is under several feet of water, and thousands have lost their household effects.

The waterworks plant is out of commission, and the light plant is inundated.

Mayor Hay has issued a proclamation closing all business houses from 7:30 o'clock to-night until 5 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Funds were raised to-day for the relief of the homeless.

At Dallas to-day a section of the Texas & Pacific Railway bridge was washed out and several hundred men were thrown into the river, six of them being drowned.

Waco reports the Brazos River higher than ever known. The flood caused great damage to the crops along the Brazos and its tributaries.

Railroads in the vicinity of Waco also reported considerable damage and delay to traffic.

Telegraphic communication to the west from Dallas is almost completely cut off.

At 2 o'clock to-day Trinity River had reached a stage of 51.3, the highest ever known. The situation grows worse every hour.

It is now estimated that 2000 people are homeless in Dallas. The electric light-plant is flooding and the city was in darkness to-night.

7 Drowned.

FORT WORTH, Texas, May 25.—Seven people are known to be dead, 5000 are homeless, a dozen or more are reported to have been killed.

Port Worth and North Fort Worth as a result of the greatest rise in the history of Trinity River, which, beginning at 7:30 Saturday, reached a climax at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Pile of the deaths occurred to-day and two last night.

Following the torrential rains of Saturday and Sunday, a volume of seven inches, the river water reached a stage above the record-breaking flood of 1889.

Stock valued at many thousands of dollars was washed down stream and destroyed. The property loss cannot be estimated as yet.

The paralysis of railroad service is almost total. The Texas & Pacific, Rockwell, Texas and Santa Fe railroads have been compelled to abandon traffic to the west, owing to several bridges being swept out by the high waters.

Downings at Oklahoma.

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PETE BAILEY WINNER HUNTERS' STEEPLECHASE

Amateur Cup Goes to Rio Grande—Feature Races at Belmont Park.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Pete Bailey, second choice, won the Meadowbrook Hunters' Steeplechase at Belmont Park to-day. He jumped in fine style and taking the lead at the second turn of the field, won easily by eight lengths over Flying Machine. Bat, favorite and ridden by F. Ambrose Clark, led the pack, but his rider escaped serious injury.

Rio Grande, second choice, won the amateur cup, one mile, in a drive from the Belmont entry. Black Oak and Aptauus. The Belmont entry went to the front early and led to the stretch, where Rio Grande came strong on the inside and won by a head.

Black Oak was second, two lengths before Antepus. Summaries:

FIRST RACE—Three-year-olds and up, high weight, selling, 1 1/2 furlongs, main course:

1. Lad of Langdon, 114 (Delahy), 20 to 1 and 1 1/4 to 1.

2. Almee C., 97 (Garner), 8 to 5, 4 to 5 and 1 to 2.

3. Corral 104 (McDaniel), 10 to 1, 4 to 1 and 2 to 1 1/2.

Time 1:20 3/5. Tommy Waddell, Battlex, Parkrow, Higdon, Fleming, John Marrs and Preston also ran.

SECOND RACE—Four and a half furlongs, straight:

1. Sandpiper, 109 (E. Dugan), 5 to 1, 2 to 1 and 1 to 1.

2. The Pippin, 109 (Mussgrave), 6 to 2, 7 to 5 and 7 to 10.

3. CHING, Belle, 118 (Notter), 6 to 1, 2 to 1 and 6 to 5.

Time 52 3/5. Copper Princess, Measring King, Philo, Connaught, Ranger, Clockwork, Terbelline, Tom Reed, Amr, Morning Hours, Soil and Acebre also ran.

THIRD RACE—The Amateur Cup, one mile:

1. Rio Grande, 143 (Kerr), 4 to 1, 7 to 30 Saturday, 13 (Tucker), 4 to 1.

2. xAntaus, 137 (Laymen), 2 to 1, 1 to 1 1/2.

3. xThe Pippin, 109 (Mussgrave), 6 to 2, 7 to 5 and 7 to 10.

4. CHING, Belle, 118 (Notter), 6 to 1, 2 to 1 and 6 to 5.

Time 52 3/5. Copper Princess, Measring King, Philo, Connaught, Ranger, Clockwork, Terbelline, Tom Reed, Amr, Morning Hours, Soil and Acebre also ran.

FOURTH RACE—The Meadowbrook Hunters' Steeplechase, 2 1/2 miles:

1. xPete Bailey, 166 (C. Smith), 11 to 5, 2 to 1.

2. Bill, 156 (J. Lynch), 15 to 1, 7 to 1.

3. Flying Machine, 161 (Hayes), 12 to 1.

Time 4:35 4/5. xMy Grace, Warrior and Archibald also ran. Bat fell.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:

1. Tony Bonero, 100 (Shrove), 10 to 1, 7 to 1.

2. Flying Belle, 118 (Notter), 6 to 1, 2 to 1.

3. Rialto, 100 (Mussgrave), 13 to 1, 7 to 1.

Time 1:13. Livewire and Colonel Jackson also ran.

SIXTH RACE—One mile:

1. Parkview, 96 (T. Koerner), 8 to 5, 2 to 1.

2. Jersey Lightning, 94 (E. Dugan), 2 to 1, 1 to 1.

3. Whitpot, 96 (C. Burns), 6 to 1, 2 to 1.

Time 1:39 2/5. Cowan and Pugada also ran.

Oakland Summary.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 25.—The races at Oakland to-day were as follows:

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:

1. Yada, 114 (McIntyre), 11 to 1, 7 to 1.

2. Beryessa, 111 (Sandy), 10 to 1, 7 to 1.

3. Galtaway, 107 (McIntyre), 10 to 1, 7 to 1.

4. Galtaway, 107 (McIntyre), 10 to 1, 7 to 1.

5. Silverline, 102 (Kirschbaum), 7 to 2, 2 to 1.

AMATEUR BOXING FINALS

Provincial Championships Tournament Concluded in Riverview Park.

The first provincial boxing championships under the direction of the Royal Canadian Bicycle Club were brought to a successful conclusion last night in the Riverview Park. Following is the summary:

115-lb. class—L. Bailey (Woodbine) defeated R. Partridge (British United) after four rounds had been boxed. The first three rounds were even, but Bailey won the best of the three one.

112-lb. class—W. Turley (British United) knocked out J. Bailey (Woodbine) in the second round. Turley hit too hard and was too clever for his rugged opponent. In the final of this class, W. Turley proved the winner. Smiling Joe Turley was his opponent, but Joe had a bad hand and stepped in the second round.

115-lb. class—J. E. Mack Boyd (McMack's School) knocked out S. McCord (East End) in the second round.

125-lb. class—Harry Peters (British United) won from the Simonses (British United) in the second round. Peters was too strong for his opponent. In this class R. B. B. Palmer (British United) was defeated and retired to go on in the 145-lb. class.

145-lb. class—The first bout in this class was between A. E. Lake (R.C.B.C.) and Harry Peters. Peters repeatedly fouled his opponent and was disqualified in the first round. Next in the 145-lb. class brought out A. Palmer (British United) and A. E. Lake (R.C.B.C.). Palmer landed two stiff punches in the second round, and as Lake was in distress the referee stopped the bout.

155-lb. class—This was rather a tame affair, and the spectators saw L. Peters battling for honors against Alf Palmer (British United). The first round was fairly even, but in the second round Peters fouled Palmer and was disqualified.

Heavyweight class—R. Noble (Dons) stopped Jack Sullivan (East End) in the second round. A few good swings to the head and Sullivan was out.

Hamilton Wins Doubleheader.

HAMILTON, May 25.—(Special.)—The Hamilton Ball Club succeeded in taking a double-header from the Guelph Royals to-day, winning the morning game 2 to 2 and the afternoon game 6 to 2. Monster crowds were in attendance, the afternoon game drawing 2000. The Guelph party presented a much improved team, with two new twirlers, Sterling and Barry, and a new catcher, Perkins, and the teams looked exceedingly strong. The work of McMillan for the Students was a feature, while Shea of Guelph, with five hits to his credit, led with the bat. The score, first game, was as follows:

Hamilton 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 1 2 3 10 5

Guelph 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 2 3 0

Bases on balls, Perkins, Paatz, Currie, Hamilton 8, Guelph 10. McMILLAN, Murray 2, 2 to 1.

Guire by Sterling, Deroh 2, hit by pitched ball, Sterling, Curtis, stolen bases, Hamilton 3, Guelph 5.

Innings pitched, Muir 2, Bradford 7, sacrifice hits, Long, Curtis, Brennan, Connors, Allan, Murray; left on bases, Hamilton 8, Guelph 10. Attendance—1100. Umpire—Burke.

Second game, score by innings:

Hamilton 0 0 1 1 2 1 0 2 8 6 2 3

Guelph 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 2 7 7

Bases on balls, Bushard, Sterling 2, Barry, Gleason, Brennan, Deroh; struck out, by Gleason, Bushard, Murray 2, Perkins 2, by Barry, McMillan, Maxey, Deroh 3; wild pitch, Barry; left on bases, Hamilton 8, Guelph 5; sacrifice hits, Connors, Maye, Bradford, J. Murray, Faatz, Barry; stolen bases, Deroh, Allan, Sterling. Time of game—1:40. Attendance—3000. Umpire—Burke.

National League Record.

Clubs. Won. Lost. P. C.

Chicago 19 6 679

Pittsburgh 18 12 538

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SPRING FAIR AT "HILL" WAS MECCA OF FARMERS

Big Crowds Attend From City—Great Day in the Country—Suburban News.

RICHMOND HILL, May 25.—(Special.)—Delightfully situated and from a scenic standpoint, possibly unrivaled in York County, the Village of Richmond Hill to-day again demonstrated its claim as the centre of one of the finest agricultural districts in Ontario.

The weather was ideal, the attendance almost a record and the throngs of well dressed happy-looking visitors a striking evidence of the general prosperity of the country in general.

A feature which caused not a little surprise and intense gratification was the splendid appearance of the growing crops between the city and Richmond Hill.

Candidates, federal and provincial, were met at every turn, together with many prominent in the municipal life of York County.

Among others were Dr. McLean, M.P., Capt. T. G. Wallace, George W. Verall, Alexander McCowan, W. Curry, Dr. Coulter, D.P.G., Reeve W. Pugsley, Richmond Hill; Reeve Hinds, East Toronto; Reeve West, Markham; Reeve Hill, West Gwillimbury; Reeve Devins, Vaughan; Reeve George S. Henry, York Township; Jas. McLean, William Cox, George F. St. John, John Langstaff, Wm. Stivers, Thomas G. Paterson, A. G. Gormley, Reeve John Gardhouse, Etobicoke; Sam McClure, George Morrison, Robt. Ash, John Savage and a host of others closely identified with the progress of York County.

Good Show of Horses. In the exhibit of horses there was in some classes keen competition. In the roadster matched teams the awards were: Dr. Warren, Wychwood Park 1; A. Penfield, Penville, 2; W. E. Stoddard, Cookstown, 3.

Some of the Winners. In the aged stallion class imported draught, A. G. Gormley took first and Independence, and John Palmer second with "Prince Druid."

In the 2-year-old carriage class, A. Hewson 1st and J. Palmer 2nd. In the agricultural class, 3-year, Geo. Mackenzie took 1st and 2nd, with two especially fine animals.

W. J. Howard took 1st in aged stallions, 1st in one-year-old filly, 1st in roadster broad mare, and the get of Balmanno, owned by Mr. Howard, captured first prize for best team of any class.

General purpose team: W. Thompson, 1; R. J. McLean, 2; George Petch, 3.

Best dressed and equipped team: George Evans, Steele's Corners. In single carriage horses, A. Hewson took first, as also in saddle horse. Carriage team: J. M. Farland, Claremont, 1; Fred Westlake, 2.

In lady drivers: Miss McLean of Richmond Hill had the unique distinction of winning first and second.

In the farmers' trot the results were: 1. Yellow Bull, 2. 13221 3. Lou Mac, 4. 21122 5. Little Rocket, 6. 3322

The officers of the court were: Geo. F. Kelly, Buttonville, and George Brown, Gormley.

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THE CAMPAIGN IN EAST YORK. SCHEDULE OF MR. CURRY'S MEETINGS. Mr. James Walter Curry, K.C., the Liberal candidate for East York, in the coming elections, will hold the following meetings during the campaign...

Reinforced Concrete Arch or Steel "I" Beam Span. Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 7 p.m. on Saturday, the 18th June, 1908, for building a reinforced concrete arch span, on steel girders...

ENGLISH FRESH AIR FUND. Editor of London Standard Appeals For Canadian Help. C. Arthur Pearson, publisher of The London (Eng.) Standard, writes: May I trespass on your courtesy in order to bring before your readers the condition and needs of the Fresh Air Fund?

TELEGRAPHIC BROTHERS. A violent storm swept Southern Texas and Houses were leveled and many hamlets inundated. The seven men seriously injured at Oakland by the collapse of the airship are doing well.

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ALLAN LINE. MONTREAL TO LIVERPOOL. Victorian... Friday, May 22, 6 a.m. Corsican... Friday, May 29, 3.30 a.m. Virginian... Friday, June 5, 5 a.m. Tansian... Friday, June 12, 9 a.m.

THE ALLAN LINE. 77 Yonge St., Toronto. INLAND NAVIGATION. Buffalo, Niagara Falls, New York. In effect May 11, daily, except Sunday.

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GRAIN AND PRODUCE. The following were the last prices made at the call board of the Toronto Board of Trade.

NEW YORK DAIRY MARKETS. NEW YORK, May 25.—Butter—Steady; receipts, 6,018; creamery, specials, 23c; extras, 22c.

NEW YORK GRAIN AND PRODUCE. NEW YORK, May 25.—Flour—Receipts, 17,774; exports, 14,500; sales, 8,800.

CHICAGO SUGAR MARKETS. St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: Granulated, \$4.10 in barrels, and \$4.15 in sacks.

CHICAGO GOSSIP. Marshall, Spader & Co. (J. G. Beatty), King Edward Hotel, reported the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade:

CHICAGO GOSSIP (continued). The tendency of the market and the sentiment of local and professional traders is bullish.

WOOD'S RHODODENDRON. The Great English Remedy for Rheumatism, Gout, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Headache, etc.

FIFTY-TWO CARLOADS AT THE JUNCTION YARDS Osgoode Dairy

Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards, West Toronto, were 52 carloads, composed of 207 cattle, 2,008, 41 sheep, 48 calves and about 75 horses.

EXPORTS. Export steers sold at \$5.75 to \$6.25, the bulk selling around \$5.90 to \$6. Export bulls sold at \$4.50 to \$5.00.

BRITISH CATTLE. GLASGOW, May 25.—(C.A.P. Cable)—Edwards Watson & Ritchie report 240 cattle offered.

JAPAN'S NATIONAL DEBT. Enormous Obligations Almost Stagger the People. TOKIO, May 25.—The Asahi quotes an unnamed high official of the finance department.

SHIPBUILDERS' STRIKE ENDS. By General Vote, Men Decide to Resume Work This Week. LONDON, May 25.—A general ballot of the men involved in the shipbuilding strike was held to-day.

CATTLE MARKETS. Cables Unchanged—Hogs Are Weak at American Markets. NEW YORK, May 25.—Beeves—Receipts, 3,335; steers, dull to 10c lower.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE. LIVERPOOL, May 25.—Wheat—Spot firm; No. 1 Cal., 7s 8d. Futures quiet; July 7s 10d.

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LARRY LOUGHRIN SHOT. Was Pulling Gun Toward Him When It Exploded. NORTH BAY, May 25.—(Special)—Larry Loughrin, brother of John Loughrin, Liberal candidate for Nipissing, was accidentally killed at lumber camp 12 miles north of Carleton Place.

DAIRY STOCK FOR SALE. Four Ayrshire bull calves, three of them six months old and nearly ready for service.

Liquor and Tobacco Habits. A. MCGAGGART, M.D., C.M. 75 Yonge St., Toronto, Canada.

The Horse Book. By J. H. S. JOHNSTON. Over 600 Pages, Beautifully Illustrated.

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GRAIN GROWING FINE.

Despite the wet weather, spring grain is coming up well throughout Western and Central Ontario. Meadows, especially old ones, are making a great showing, and stock are already doing well on the liberal pastures. Clover seeds have come thru in fair shape. Fall wheat is looking unusually well in the majority of places.

William Rennie Company, seedsmen, say that reports coming in are very bright as to the young clovers. Alfalfa has been in increasing demand. And the sales of seeds this spring, despite the high prices, have been remarkably good.

"It all goes to show," says Mr. John Rennie, "that farmers are keeping up a rotation, and they are not destroying that because of a high price."

The Steele-Briggs Company report a lively demand for alfalfa also, and, barring a few places, a good catch of spring seeds.

George Keith, King-street, Toronto, says that the demand for seeds has been exceptionally good this year.

"This does not say," said David Keith, "that more seed has been sown in Ontario, because there was less seed in farmers' hands last year."

He reports a big demand for alfalfa, their sales being fully four times previous years' sales in this valuable crop.

Farmers evidently expect to plant more corn. The feed scare of 1907 has had its lesson. A general scarcity of flint corn is reported.

"The demand for corn," said the William Rennie Company, "has simply been overwhelming. We never had anything like it before."

The growth of grass on the corn land will not affect the corn crop. This will be turned under and a nice top worked for the seed bed.

Ontario looks indeed promising for a good return this year, and by a little wise twisting of plans, the wet fields of to-day will be made to produce profitably in some crop.

CANADIAN SCORING FOR EMPIRE DAY CUP

Ottawa Rifles Lead Ontario Regiments in Contest for London Mail Trophy.

Unless an average of about 95 out of a possible 105 proves to be a universally good record for military target shooting this year, Canadian regiments stand a poor show for The London Daily Mail trophy, which was contested for by volunteer regiments all over the British Empire on Empire Day.

The best reports from Long Branch will not go over the average named, which is accounted for thru the fact that the weather has been so exceptionally backward this year that a

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reasonable amount of practice was denied the local marksmen. It is thought that possibly some sections of the Dominion of Canada will make a better showing.

The trophy is a competitive one, probably changing hands each year, and is awarded to the regiment registering the eight highest scores on May 24 or the days immediately preceding or following, when the 24th happens to come on Sunday.

The Royal Grenadiers on Saturday scored an average of 93.18; Seventh Regiment of London got an average of 86.37; the 43rd Rifles of Ottawa 85.8-4, and the Footguards of Ottawa 83.8-4.

Yesterday the 12th York Rangers were supposed to try their hand, but only six men showed up. They hit the 89 average mark, which is fair shooting considering only six out of a whole regiment were at the butts.

The following is the record: Royal Grenadiers—Corp. W. D. Sprinks 95, Pte. Keatings 95, Corp. Clarke 95, Corp. Bickford 93, Staff-Sergeant Phillips 88, Corp. Parker 88, Corp. Nosworthy 92, Pte. Darwin 89. 12th York Rangers—Lieut. Fowler 96, Capt. Elliott 89, Pte. Kingston 89, Lieut. Brann 85, Major Brown 79. Seventh Regiment—Capt. McCrimmon 84, Col-Sergt. Butler 84, Capt. Murphy 82, Capt. Taylor 87, Pte. Allen 85, Pte. King 76, Sergt. Newton 78.

THE DOCTOR AND THE NURSE.

"Ah, nurse, what the flippant young doctor, to the old grim-appearing nurse, at the patient's door, 'has the patient's fever dropped since I was here yesterday?'"

"Yes, decidedly."

"H'm! that's encouraging! How's the yain?'"

"She hasn't any."

"Come! that's great! And the cough?"

"She doesn't cough at all, now."

"Well, you and I are to be congratulated, nurse! My medicine has taken effect, then?"

"No doubt, sir."

"Well," concluded the young doctor, "I'm calling down installation on the heads of all grim old nurses such as she, 'there's hardly any need of my calling here again, then?'"

"None whatever. The patient's dead."

2000 WATCH EFFORTS TO SAVE DROWNED BOY

Fatality at Welland Interrupts the Holiday Celebration—Albert Cullin the Victim.

WELLAND, May 25.—(Special.)—The drowning of Albert Cullin within a few rods of where a crowd of 2000 people were watching athletics in the park this afternoon cast a gloom over the celebration.

The raceway is a boundary of the park and separated from it by a high board fence. Cullin was feeling warm and induced two boys to get over the fence, with him and go in the water.

After the first plunge he did not reappear. His companions gave the alarm, and Percy Hughes, after diving several times, brought up the body, while the crowd manifested its interest from the sports to the fatality.

Dr. Dalrymple with four assistants worked for two hours before giving up hope. The result was awaited by the throng with an intensity of interest that is difficult to describe.

Cullin was 17 years of age and had been in Canada only a year.

CIVIL SERVICE BILL POSTPONED.

OTTAWA, May 25.—(Special.)—There was a brief sitting of the cabinet today, at which government legislation was discussed.

It had been intended that the minister of agriculture should introduce the civil service bill to-day but Mr. Fisher was called to Montreal on Saturday to his mother's death-bed. The introduction of the bill will be postponed until Wednesday.

EARNINGS OF OPERA SINGERS

There is a general impression that never before were singers so well paid as at present, but this is misleading. The record shows that the prima donna has always been fortunate in America. Jenny Lind earned immense sums. Her tour of the United States was made under contract with Barnum for 150 concerts at \$1000 each. As the last sixty concerts were under her own management, she carried home much more than the stipulated \$150,000.

Jenny Lind's earnings abroad were also large. She was paid sometimes \$5000 for a concert. The emperor of Russia paid her \$85,000 for a month at the St. Petersburg Opera House. She gave half a million to charity and on her retirement was still a rich woman.

Mme. Adelina Patti is a "millionaire" several times over. She made an even million dollars in the United States on her farewell concert tour of 1889-90. In London she has been paid \$4000 and \$5000 for a concert.

Parepa Rosa, who toured this country in 1869-70, cleared \$120,000 on that trip. Christine Nilsson, who in 1873 is known to have brought her fortune.

Mme. Marie Malibran, whose vocal gymnastics must have been not unlike those with which Mrs. Tetrazzini amazed her audiences, was one of the best paid as well as most extravagant of singers of the earlier half of the nineteenth century.

She received about \$18,000 for twenty performances at the Drury Lane Theatre in London, in 1835, and for a season at the Milan Opera was paid \$20,000.

Jewels which she acquired from the public and her royal patrons were in themselves worth a fortune. Her sister, Mme. Pauline Garcia Viardot, later made a fortune in opera.

Fanny Persiani, for whom Donizetti wrote the opera of Lucia di Lammermoor, was accustomed to receive \$1000 a night in opera. Mme. Angelica Catalani, whose magnificent voice was united with great dramatic talent, was one of the best paid prima donnas that have ever lived.

At the London Opera she was given \$10,000 a month. For singing the national anthem "Rule Britannia," in which she always created a furore, she got \$1000. In a season she earned no less than \$80,000.

Mlle. Sophie Cruveilh, whose beauty once was the toast of Europe, in ten years made a fortune. She received \$1200 to \$1500 a season. She secured the Comtesse Vigier and died recently.

Mme. Giudietta Pasta, who was the Muse of the grand opera, used to be paid at the rate of \$2000 a night. In London, when she sang at one of the smart concerts, her opera fee was doubled.

Henrietta Sontag, whose record is unique in that after retiring from the stage for twenty years she returned to earn a second fortune, made \$60,000 a season. In 1854, after a successful tour of America, she died very suddenly in Mexico. Giulia Griest was accustomed to net \$85,000 a season. Mrs. Elizabeth Vestris, a great English eighteenth century, rose from a salary of about \$60 a week to one of \$1000 or \$2000 a year.

RESULT OF CARD-PLAYING.

One of the Causes Which Led to the Defeat of Russia's Army.

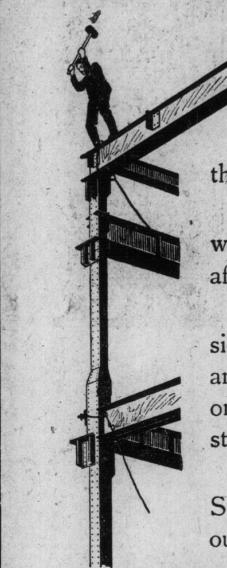
It was not liquor alone or lack of discipline that defeated the Russians in their late war with Japan. One man attributes the unpreparedness and utter inefficiency of the Muscovites to card-playing. Possibly he is right. No game so saps the vitality of a player as persistent poker or its equivalent. The poker fiend will pursue his chips until both money and credit are exhausted and body and mind are a wreck.

We in America know what it is to sit up night after night at a game of draw, fearing to lose and thirsting to win. The strain is awful. The wages of the Russian soldier are practically nothing. He quickly loses them at cards, and then, own-trump, three leaves, kings, windmill, etc., and when down and out doesn't care whether he obeys his bugle call or not the morning after, says The New York Press.

England is a gambling nation. America is fast becoming one. France has been in the lead for centuries, almost

H. H. FUDGER, Pres. THE ROBERT SIMPSON COMPANY, LIMITED TUESDAY, MAY 26.

The Men of the Top Gallants



PERHAPS no peaceful men save sailors and river drivers work so careless of seeming danger as the steel frame construction men, the men of the top deck who fit the girders and the beams into place and bolt them temporarily until such time as the riveters may follow to make the joints permanent.

High aloft like oldtime sailors on the yards of ships they work and walk, their eyes and their attention fixed on their own affairs and not on things of this level earth.

To such a man dizziness comes not, for dizziness is the sickness of imagination. These men are practical. Their minds are on their work. They see no more danger in swinging a sledge on a beam 100 feet above the ground than do you when you stand on the curb to wait for the street car.

Their minds are on their work and thus they are safe. Similarly if ambition leads to a dizzy height of endeavor yet with our minds upon our work we shall be safe.

Three-Button Suits \$7.95

English Tweeds and Worsteds, greys mostly, light and dark; values \$10.50, \$11.50, \$12.50, \$14.00 and \$15.00; sizes 34 to 44; three-piece suits, either single or double-breasted, that new summer style, three buttons to the coat. On sale in the Men's Store Wednesday, at **7.95**

Ladies' Summer Footwear

Oxfords, white canvas Oxfords and light weight boots all underpriced and well worth coming for tomorrow morning.

LADIES' OXFORDS.
500 pairs of Ladies' Oxfords, fine black dongola kid leather, Blucher style, patent toe caps, flexible sole, Cuban heel, all sizes 2 1-2 to 7; regular value \$1.75; on sale Wednesday **1.29**

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CHILDREN'S BOOTS.
180 pairs of Children's Boots, box calf, Blucher, medium heavy sole, regular heel, all sizes 8 to 12; regular value \$1.75, on sale Wednesday **1.29**

LADIES' BOOTS.
300 pairs of Ladies' Boots, fine strong dongola kid leather, Blucher Cuban heel, all sizes 2 1-2 to 7, regular value **1.99** \$2.75, on sale Wednesday **1.99**

LADIES' WHITE CANVAS OXFORDS.
400 pairs of Ladies' White Canvas Oxfords, Blucher style.

Staples for Housekeepers

Economy is the watchword. Money saved is easily earned and it is just as good as any other kind. These goods are things you want and must have. Why not buy them Wednesday when they are so cheap?

1760 yards 47-inch Pure Linen Scotch Crash Butler Towelling, red border, and 23-inch red checked Irish tea towelling, heavy makes, will dry and wear well, regular 8 1-2 and **7 1-2** 10c yard, Wednesday **7 1-2**

Rich Satin Damask Table Cloths, full grass bleached, every thread linen, beautiful bordered patterns, fine thread, close woven, 2x2 1-2 yards, 100 **1.98** only, at each, Wednesday.

Camp or Cottage Blankets, made clear grey, the best kind of napping, strong weave, thoroughly scoured, dark borders, 13x18, 6x8 1/2 inches, regular **3.59** \$4.50 per pair, Wednesday.

36-inch Unbleached Sheetting Cotton, strong round thread, free from specks, will bleach perfectly; also a good general household cotton, 800 yards at per yard, **.8** Wednesday

Full Bleached Plain, English Pillow Cotton, pure finish, close firm weave, 42 inches wide, a good strong, long wearing pillow cotton, 700 yards only, regular **1.50** and 16c per **.12** yard, Wednesday

40-inch Checked Apron Ginghams, for making good big kitchen aprons, none better, assorted checks, fast colors, no dressing, 48 inches wide, 100 yards, regular 15c per yard, Wednesday **.11**

25% Off Picture Framing

Have you any pictures, photos, diplomas, bulletins or notices to be framed? For one week we will offer a discount of 25% on such work; we want to clear up the framing department. Our stock of imported mouldings includes all that is correct in style and finish. We have a record stock of sweep frames at low prices in many sizes and designs, finished in leaf gold, walnut, rosewood and gold with burnish. We especially invite your attention to our gold leaf frames—Picture galleries top floor.

Wall Paper Reductions

No investment makes such a big improvement to a house as a suit of wall paper, for the amount of money expended. The house with fresh, artistic wall paper rents ahead of the dingy walled one, with its suggestions of germs every time. Good papers are very cheap just now at this store.

3650 Rolls Imported Parlors and Sitting Rooms, in greens, blues, greys, creams and fawns, in dainty design, regular to **23** 50c, Wednesday

See Queen Street Window.

4000 Rolls Dining Room and Hall Papers, in forestry, chintz, florals, conventionals, in reds, greens, browns, blues and other lighter blends, regular to **18** 50c, Wednesday

4000 Rolls Paper for Living Rooms and Bedrooms, in light colorings, with dark blends, pretty effects, assorted colorings, regular to 16c, Wednesday **.8** room mouldings reduced.

White Enamel, regular 2c, Wednesday 1 1-2c.

Imitation Oak, regular 2c, Wednesday, 1 1-2c.

Imitation Oak, regular 2 1-2c, Wednesday, 2c.

Green Dresden Moulding, regular 3c, Wednesday, 1 1-2c.

In Wall Paper Department.

A Sale of Enamelled Kitchen Ware

Whenever you see Stransky enamelled ware selling below the standard price, do not hesitate to take advantage of it. Stransky ware is the best positively that comes into this country. It is an imported ware, being made in Austria. Its enamel is so hard that grease will not stick to it. Smoke will wipe off clean with a damp towel. We purchased a big shipment of factory seconds not long ago, pans which although practically perfect showed a chip or a dint which prevented it being classed as "first" quality. We are selling these "seconds" for a song. Pots, pans and kettles worth up to \$2.25 will sell to-morrow for instance at 39c apiece.

Enamel Berlin Kettles, Tea Kettles, Stewpans, Stock Pots, Preserving Kettles, and a large quantity of necessary kitchen utensils, regularly sold up to \$2.25, Wednesday **39c**

HARDWARE.
Screen Doors, grained and varnished, fancy centre rail, cross-panel, plain and fancy brackets, Wednesday **1.35**

Screen Doors Trimmings, Wednesday **.13**

Tin Gas Ovens, regular \$1.25, Wednesday **.98**

2-Burner Daisy Coal Stoves, round, japanned tin oil tank, Wednesday **.98**



every public institution being founded on chance. All Russia is ready to play cards morning, noon and night, shuffle, shuffle, shuffle and deal. The emperor's whole court plays; the aristocracy plays to a man; the ladies of all grades fill up their time at cards. The shopkeepers sit for hours playing cards at the shop doors. The bargeman in his boat, the peasant in his hut, children, young men, girls, all play cards. Many an estate changes hands in an evening. As many as 500 men, women and children and a large property have

been staked on a single game. I am not sure if Wilks Russell ships more than 80,000 pounds of cards annually to Russia or not. He is the master card manufacturer and could tell a wonderful story; but he won't talk.

BUDAPEST'S TELEPHONE JOURNAL.
The City of Budapest, long noted for its enterprise, has at present some 10,000 subscribers to the "telephone

Journal," which was established there in 1893, and experiments have lately been made looking to the extension of the system to the neighboring cities of Szegedin and Arad.

Between 8 a.m. and 11 p.m. the subscribers receive all important news, an electric bell summoning them at certain hours to the receiving instruments which are so arranged that two persons can listen at the same time. Stock exchange and parliament news is transmitted every half hour.

MERE EXHIBITION LACROSSE.
Tecumseh and St. Catharines are not in the same lacrosse league, but that is no valid reason why they cannot lock horns occasionally and one of these horn-locking contests has been arranged as an opening for the lacrosse season at the island next Saturday afternoon, and both teams are working hard to be in shape.